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Date/Time of Origin: 031913A

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FROM: FREEDOM SIGNED SACMED

TO WASHINGTON FOR CCS FOR CCAC INFO WAR OFFICE LONDON FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT, ALCOM ROME.

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THIS IS L.C 1334. REFERENCE C.L 1506. CARRILE FOR SHIP CONVERSION

FOLLOWING ARE ANSWERS TO YOUR POINTS:

(A). SHIPS ARE MERCHANT AIRCRAFT CARRIERS, PROPERTY OF BRITISH MINISTRY OF WAR TRANSPORT, BEING SENT TO TRIESTE FOR CONVERSION TO TANKERS.

(B). AS SHIPS ARE BRITISH GOVERNMENT OWNED NO COMMITMENT OF POUNDS OR DOLLARS PAYABLE TO UNITED STATES OR BRITISH GOVERNMENT ARISES. SUGGEST QUESTION OF REIMBURSEMENT BY BRITISH GOVERNMENT FOR WORK PERFORMED IN TRIESTE BE TAKEN UP BY YOU WITH BRITISH DIRECTORATE OF MERCHANT SHIPBUILDING, BERKELEY SQUARE, LONDON.

(C). WHILE PRIMARY OBJECT OF USING TRIESTE FOR CONVERSION IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE CONGESTION IN BRITISH SHIPYARDS, ANYTHING WHICH CONTRIBUTES TOWARD SOLUTION OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM IN VENEZIA GIULIA HELPS TO HEAL THE WOUNDS AND TO PREVENT DISEASE AND UNREST.

2. NEW SUBJECT. EA-37112 WAS L.C 1331.

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Originator's Reference:C10670 Message Centre:G/6755

Date Time of Origin:041814A Date Time Rec'd:JAN 050930

Precedence:PRIORITY

JAN 7 1946

FROM: AFHQ G5

TO: AGWAR WASHINGTON INFO WAROF LONDON ALCOM ROME REM
XIII CORPS MAIN XIII CORPS

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This is LAC 1336.

Ref LAC 1333. Delete final paragraph.

2. ADD following; your paragraph 3. Request immediate shipment of January supplies as emergency measure

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FROM: WAC CCU CITE CCAC FOR CLAC

TO : AC BASE SECTION LONDON RADIO ALCOM ROME INFO: AFHQ FOR EHCEC AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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THIS IS COM 361.

REFERENCE CO M AIR 91) DECEMBER SHIPPING PROGRAM.

1. FOLLOWING SHIPS HAVE SAILED: TABULATIONS READS IN 6 COLUMNS AS FOLLOWS:

COLUMN 1-TE NUMBER. COLUMN 2- NAME. COLUMN 3- CARGO. COLUMN 4 WIGHT. COLUMN 5- PORT. COLUMN 6- SAILING DATE.

2. 606, C. FRANCIS JENKINS, COAL, EIGHT THOUSAND FORTY ONE, HAMPTON ROADS, 12/2?7. 317, ALF LENDERG, WHEAT, 5869, BALTIMORE, 12/31.

NEW SUBJECT: REFER MCC 428. MCC375 WILL BE ANSWERED WITHING OR 3 DAYS HILLDOING.

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OUTGOING MESSAGE
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FROM : H. ALCOM

Date 31 Dec 45

TO : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR COAC FOR CLAC AND WAROF (LONDON) FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT AND AFHQ FREEG

Ref.No. 9797

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This is MOC 435.

Subject is Calcium Carbide.

1. Power shortage in north Italy serious from standpoint of calcium carbide production. 6 steam stations now operating but output inadequate for continued carbide production.

2. Estimate Carbide stocks will be exhausted by 1 February.

3. In preference to substantially increased coal consumption purchase of calcium carbide suitable for acetylene production contemplated.

4. Advise availability and prices in quantities up to 1000 tons/month for 3 months loading as early in January as possible.

5. This is not a request for procurement but for information.

Precedence : PRIORITY

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FROM : R. ALCOM Date : 22 Dec 1945

TO : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC WASHDC (LONDC) FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPID AFH. FHGEG

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Ref.No. 9619 UNCLASSIFIED

This is MOC 420.

Subject is RCL.

1. It is recommended that appendix A 4 of the RCL list be abolished.

2. Reasons are that TAM 456 provisions for compulsory export of these commodities at stipulated prices are not invoked by US,UK and Canada. Continued necessity for Washington clearance of A 4 items results in unnecessary delays which hinder Italian export trade.

3. Military supply authorities agree to abolition. Ministry of supply have been notified of our view

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FROM : H.Q. ALCOM 22 Dec 45

TO : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC WAROF (LONDON) FOR CA-
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Ref.No. 9520

This is MOC 410

Subject is coal requirements Italy/Sicily period January through June.

1. Request Cabinet Secretariat pass to UK and US members of ECO and UNRRA, ERO for presentation to ECO request CCS pass to CLAC and FEA, and to UNRRA Washington.

2. US Military requirements are included for information only and have been agreed with CC, MTOUSA by whom formal requisition will be made.

3. British Military requirements agreed with GHQ, CMF. Action Troopers.

4. Civil requirements Venezia Giulia/Udine which are still Military responsibility are included for information only. Formal requisition is being made by AFH to CCAC.

5. Monthly totals in column F paras 7 and 12 below are considerably less than those set out in the program of Italian import requirements for 1946, and are based on best available estimates of capacity to discharge and clear coal.

6. All tables read of ports
   A. Type of coal
   B. British Military requirements
   C. US Military requirements
   D. Civil requirements excluding Venezia Giulia/Udine
   E. Civil requirements Venezia Giulia/Udine
   F. Total

All in thousands of tons.

7. January lift for February arrival.

A	B	C	D	E	F
Locomotive	40	7.5	86.7		134.2
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Steam			207.3	12.8	220.1
Coking coal			50		50
Producer Gas			40		40
Anthracite			1		1
Gas coal			65	5	70
Household			50	4.2	54.2
Total	40	7.5	500	22	569.5

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January loco includes 18 for British and 2.5 for US miscellaneous Military uses.

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Total	39	11	535	22	597

February loco includes 17 for British and 4 for US miscellaneous Military uses.

9. March lift for April arrival.

A	B	C	D	E	F
Locomotive	34	8.5	76.5		119
Steam			297.6	12.8	310.3
Coking Coal			70		70
Producer Gas			40		40
Anthracite			1		1
Gas Coal			65	5	70
Total	34	8.5	550	17.8	610.3

March loco includes 14 for British and 3 for US miscellaneous Military uses.

10. April lift for May arrival.

A	B	C	D	E	F
Locomotive	30	7	78		115
Steam			346	12.8	358.8
Coking Coal			70		70
Producer Gas			40		40
Anthracite			1		1
Gas Coal			65	5	70
Total	30	7	600	17.8	654.8

April loco includes 11 for British and 2 for US miscellaneous uses.

11. May lift for June arrival.

A	B	C	D	E	F
Locomotive	30	7	78		115
Steam			396	12.8	408.8
Coking Coal			70		70
ProducerGas			40		40
Anthracite			1		1
Gas Coal			65	5	70
Total	30	7	650	17.8	704.8

May loco includes 14 for British and 2 for US miscellaneous uses.

8. February lift for March arrival.

A	B	C	D	E	F
Locomotive	39	11	78		128
Steam			246	12.8	250.8
Coking Coal			50		50
Producer Gas			40		40
Anthracite			1		1
Gas Coal			65	5	70
Household			50	4.2	54.2
Total	39	11	525	22	593

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12. June lift for July arrival.

	B	C	D	E	F
			78		115
Locomotive	30	7	446	12.8	458.8
Steam			70		70
Coking Coal			40		40
Producer Gas			1		1
Anthracite			65	5	70
Gas Coal					
Total	30	7	700	17.8	754.8

June loco includes 11 for British and 4 for US miscellaneous uses.

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CWO US.
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Originator's office: Industry & Utilities S/C Coal Division

Tel.No. 332

Originator's Signature : Col N.W. WALKER

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June loco includes 11 for British and 6 for US miscellaneous uses.

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Message Centre No: G/6707
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JAN 5 1946

FROM : AFHQ G-5.
TO : ALCOM ROME.

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Coal requirements Italy/Sicily January-June 1946.
(Your 9743 of 29 December refers).
Repeat your para 7 column E of MOC 419 does not include 5000 tons gas coal for January requirement as received here.
Para 2. Again request you amend MOC 419 accordingly.

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FROM: AFHQ G-5

TO : ACTION: AGWAR WASHINGTON FOR CCS FOR CCAC
INFO: WAROF LONDON FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT, ALCOM ROME, XIII CORPS FOR AMG, REAR XIII CORPS, PENBASE

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This is LAC 1335. Veterinary supplies for Venezia Giulia and Udine.

1. Following is addition to requisition AC-MISC-46 of Lacair 139 of 15 Dec re veterinary supplies for first 90 days 1946 for Venezia Giulia and Udine.

A. ITEM	B. DESCRIPTION	C. QUANTITY REQUIRED FOR V G	D. QUANTITY REQUIRED FOR UDINE
1	basic veterinary units	4	12
2	veterinary surgical units	1	2
3	veterinary laboratory units	1	1
4	veterinary biological units	1	2

2. Justification: above figures obtained from following basic animal population:

A. TYPE OF ANIMAL	B. IN VENEZIA GIULIA	C. IN UDINE
cows	38000	180000
horses	3000	20000
sheep	8400	11000
goats	9000	53000
pigs	20600	nil
total	79000	264000

3. Veterinary units necessary to maintain notably few basic animal population in Venezia Giulia and Udine, both for present food and draft values and for future breeding value.

4. No units available theater stocks.

5. Request approval be granted and procurement action be taken to allow supplies be shipped on January loadings.

6. Weights and cubages as follows:

A. ITEM	B. NAME	C. WT-UNIT	D. CUBAGE-UNIT	E. TOTAL WT	F. TOTAL CUBAGE
1	basic vet unit	784 lbs	26 cu ft	1254 lbs	356 cu ft
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2	vet surg unit	44 lbs	2 cu ft	134 lbs	6 cu ft
3	vet lab unit	280 lbs	17 cu ft	560 lbs	34 cu ft
4	vet biol unit	112 lbs	5 cu ft	336 lbs	15 cu ft

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FROM : HQ AICOM COMMERCE (FOREIGN TRADE) S/C

TO (FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR SCAC FOR CLAC DEC 28 1945

TO (INFORMATION) : WAROF (LONDON) FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT
REPTD AFHQ FOR FHCAS

Ref, No. : 9588 Security Classification : UNCLASSIFIED

This is MEDC 421.

Subject proposed UNRRA Italian Supply Program 1946.

1. Allied Commission has completed preparation of a recommended plan for UNRRA Italian supply program for 1946.

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SUMMARY : COST OF TOTAL PROGRAM AND OF THE UNRRA PROGRAM

	TOTAL	UNRRA
Foodstuffs	293,617,000	204,177,000
Coal	70,000,000	36,750,000
Petroleum products	46,688,000	14,072,000
Fats and oils, incl. allied products	24,856,000	12,760,000
Textile raw materials	123,570,000	33,880,000
Hides and related products	28,300,000	13,700,000
Rubber and allied products	20,858,000	8,262,000
Raw materials for paper industry	4,875,000	1,312,500
Lumber	69,000,000	4,500,000
Materials for building industry	8,320,000	1,950,000
Steel, steel products and raw materials for steel industry	42,280,000	6,900,000
Non ferrous metals	29,480,000	4,320 000
Agricultural supplies	23,567,000	9,967,000
Chemical products	3,000,000	---
Miscellaneous industrial supplies	3,200,000	---
Medical and health supplies	10,000,000	10,000,000
Industrial and utilities equipment, parts	60,000,000	5,000,000
Total	$ 861,604,000	367,550,500
Contingency	100,000,000	22,449,500
Freight	138,500,000	60,000,000
Grand Total	$ 1,100,104,000	450,000,000

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Textile raw materials	123,570,000	33,880,000
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	($ 000'S) COST		(000'S) TONS	
	TOTAL	UNRRA	TOTAL	UNRRA
FOODSTUFFS	293,610	204,177		
1) Foodstuffs for direct consumption	278,820	199,186		
Wheat	143,150	113,400	2,045	1,620
Dehydrated Soup	2,310	2,310	6	6
Sugar	18,670	10,086	152	82
Fats	24,000	16,000	96	66
Salted fish	10,500	7,040	48	32
Coffee	8,100	1,800	27	6
Milk, whole, powdered	2,520	2,520	3	3
Milk, skim, powdered	1,400	1,400	2	2
Milk, evaporated	6,630	6,630	26	26
Meat	26,000	12,000	52	24
Dried legumes (pulses)	15,540	10,500	111	75
Misc. foods and special contingency reserve	20,000	15,000		
') Foodstuffs for processing - Infants and convalescent foods.	14,790	4,991	66.82	26.22
Barley	96	96	1.2	1.2
Sugar	94	94	.75	.75
Fats	35	35	.07	.07
Meat processing				
Frozen meat	7,000	2,330	14	4.66
Accessories (interiors)	500	170	24497	.94
Marmalade				

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Accessories (interiors)	500	170	24497	.94
Marmalade				
Sugar	4,000	1,500	82	12
Chocolate and cocoa powders				
Cocoa beans	2,400	500	11	4.6

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	TOTAL	UNRRA	TOTAL	UNRRA
Tin plate	665	266	5	2
Coal :	70,000	36,000	10,000	5,250
Petroleum products :	46,688	14,072		
Gasoline	10,700	4,000	535	200
Kerosene, Gas Oil	7,320	2,880	610	240
Fuel Oil	9,000	2,520	1,500	420
Lubricants	10,000	3,600	100	36
Petroleum Coke	468	72	39	6
Bitumen	4,600		140	
Paraffin and Vaseline Oil	4,600	1,000	23	5
Fats and Oils Incl. Allied Products :	24,856	12,760		
Animal Fats and Oils	2,000	750	8	3
Oil Seeds (38% Oil)	6,480	2,970	72	33
Copra	5,800	3,400	58	34
Colophony (Rosin)	6,000	3,000	30	15
Palm Oil	4,576	2,640	26	15
Textile Raw Materials :	123,570	33,880		
Raw Cotton	42,500	9,000	85	18
Greasy Raw Wool (scoured basis)	57,600	16,800	48	14
Wool Rags	10,800	4,950	24	11
	4,000	1,600	20	8

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Raw Cotton	42,500	9,000	85	18
Greasy Raw Wool (scoured basis)	57,600	16,800	48	14
Wool Rags	10,800	4,950	24	11
Jute	4,000	1,600	20	8
Cellulose for Rayon and Cotton Linters	3,670	1,530	51	9

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	($ 000'S) COST		(000'S) TONS	
	TOTAL	UNRRA	TOTAL	UNRRA
Hides and Related Prod.:	28,300	13,700		
Cattle Hides	26,400	12,400	66	31
Tanning Products	1,900	1,300	17.5	12
Rubber and Allied :	20,358	8,262		
Natural and Synthetic Rubber	15,000	6,000	30	12
Carbon black	4,200	1,680	12	4.8
Cellulose for rayon	1,090	435	6.4	2.56
Chemicals and Ingredients	360	147		
Raw Materials for Paper Industry :	4,875	1,312.5		
Cellulose	4,875	1,312.5	65	17.5
Lumber :	69,000	4,500	2,300	150
Materials for the Building Industry :	3,320	1,950		
Paper bags	500	500	2	2
Asbestos	1,500	400	15	4
Fire-clay) (China-clay)	1,500	450	100	30
Refractories	4,620	600	77	44

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Tanning Products	1,900	1,300	17.5	12
Rubber and Allied :	20,858	8,262		
Natural and Synthetic Rubber	15,000	6,000	30	12
Carbon black	4,200	1,680	12	4.8
Cellulose for rayon	1,090	435	6.4	2.55
Chemicals and Ingredients	360	147		
Raw Materials for Paper Industry :	4,875	1,312.5		
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Lumber :	69,000	4,500	2,300	150
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Paper bags	500	500	2	2
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Fire-clay) (China-clay)	1,500	450	100	30
Refractories	4,620	600	77	4496

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	($ 000'S) COST		(000'S) TONS	
	TOTAL	UNRRA	TOTAL	UNRRA
Steel, Steel Products and Raw Materials for Steel Industry :	42,280	6,900		
Semi-finished steel	25,000	4,500	500	90
Pig-iron	3,280	2,400	82	60
Steel scrap	7,000		350	
Mineral for Steel ind. (manganese, chrome, etc.)	7,000		80	
Non Ferrous Metals :	29,430	4,320		
Copper	18,430	3,600	77	(x) 15 (10 E) (5 B
Tin	6,000	720	5	6
Other	5,000		3	
Agricultural Supplies :	23,567	9,967		
Ammonium Nitrate	5,070	5,070	78	78
Potassium Chloride	1,600		40	
Seed Potatoes	1,000	1,000	10	10
Phosphatic Rocks	12,000		700	
Forage Pea Seeds)			1	1
Oil Seed Cakes)			20	20
Cotton Seeds)	2,500	2,500	.1	.1
Linseed Seeds)			.3	.3
Vetch Seeds			3	3
Agricultural Machinery	1,397	1,397		
Chemical Products	3,000			
Miscellaneous Industrial Supplies :	3,200			
Medical and Health Supplies :	10,000	10,000		

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<u>Industrial and Utilities Equipment, parts</u> :	<u>60,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>		

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TO (FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAD FOR CLAC RPTD WAROF (LONDON) FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT AND AFHQ FHGEG

Ref.No. :9831 Date : 2 January 1946 SECRET

This is MOC 434.
References are COM 353 MAT 965 TAM 719.
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"3. In this transfer to UNRRA it is recognized that transition there will be a period of perhaps as long as two months starting immediately, during which both Alcom and UNRRA will be involved in the importation of basic supplies to Italy. Since a part of Economic Section of Alcom will be absorbed into UNRRA Italian Mission, it has been agreed here that integration of the procedures for handling these two supply programs is desirable and can be accomplished as follows: certain key personnel will, during the transition period (about a month before and after the formal turnover date) hold appointments in both ALCOM and UNRRA and do business from day to day, in whichever capacity is appropriate to the particular tasks involved. Thus, for example, Cleveland will act simultaneously as acting Vice President Economic Section ALCOM and as a deputy Chief of Mission for requirements and destribution, UNRRA Italian Mission.

"4. It is in our intention to abolish the Labor Subcommission on 21 January 1946 after which the remaining advisory functions of this Subcommission will be performed by labor attaches of two embassies. [illegible] next month we will be in position to transfer to 2 embassies the foreign trade functions now being performed by Commerce Subcommission. The setting up of a Ministry of Foreign Trade [illegible] makes it possible to move reasonably quickly in the direction of a formal reopning of private commercial trade between Italy and other countries. The transfer of operating functions being performed by Commerce Subcommission, however, depends on a revision of the directive in TAM 456 as modified and extended by TAM 640.

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"6. Advisory functions of the Industry and Utilities Subcommission, comprising particularly the development of projects for reconstruction financing, can be done at any time. COM 353 approved the performance of this function by the American Embassy. There has been no action yet as far as British Embassy is concerned.

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"7. Transfer of captured enemy material functions to AFH, in line with MAT 965 part 2 para C is recommended to take effect as soon as possible. We are sending you separate cable on this.

"8. Until the directive contemplated by TAM 710 and MAT 965 has been received, we lack certain parts of the authority to take steps liquidating Economic functions of the ALCCM. In view of the decisions which have previously taken place, and the indication of dates involved which are included in COM 353, I believe it is necessary to make plans for this transition and to set in motion as many administrative steps as we have authority to take. The liquidation of the northern regions, and the transfer of supply responsibility of UNRRA automatically force on us a number of immediate personnel decisions. The preceding paragraphs indicate the framework within which these day to day decisions are being made."

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REFERENCE : MOC 432.

SUBJECT : DETAILED STATISTICS ON WHEAT AND FLOUR ARRIVALS REFERRED TO IN PARA 3, MOC 432.

FROM : ALCOM

TO : Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(for Combined Liberated Areas Committee)
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1. Appendix A includes the detailed statistics on wheat and flour arrivals referred in Papa 3 of MOC 432.

SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER

Name of ship	TB No.	Date of Arrival	Long Tons	On High Seas
Wm.Tilghman Wheat	1	11-4	8174	
Lilian Nordica "	2	11-7	8019	
Phil. C. Knox "	3	11-14	8231	
Patrick Whelen "	4	11-2	8391	
Tecumsen "	5	11-17	8183	
G.A. Peden "	6	10-23	7902	
Keith Vawter "	7	11-2	8089	
Joseph Alston "	8	10-14	7713	
James Turner "	9	10-21	7357	
James Barbour "	10	10-24	7607	
Total wheat			79666	
Joseph Hooker Flour	14	11-14	3347	
Jane G. Swisshelm "	15	11-19	3791	
Elijah Cobb "	16	11-24	7290	
Total Flour			14428	

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SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER

Name of Ship		TB No.	Date of arrival	Long tons	On high Seas
Joseph Story	Wheat	59	10-31	8076	
Jesse Metecalf	"	60	11-3	8486	
Haym Salomon	"	61	11-19	7527	
James H. Price	"	62	11-16	7969	
Stephen A. Douglas	"	63	11-10	7500	
Isa Gray	"	64	11-10	7516	
A.M. Shumaker	"	65	12-12	7700	
Bartholomew Gasnold	"	66	12-1	7921	
James De Wolf	"	67	11-23	8276	
Edward Richardson	"	68	11-11	7347	
George Bancroft	"	124	11-17	7366	
A. Davis	"	125	12-2	7200	
J. Bidwell	"	126	12-2	7400	
John Say	"	127	11-20	7400	
Total Wheat				107684	
John Henry	Flour	69	11-25	72	

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SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER

Name of Ship	TB No.	Date of arrival	Long Tons	On high Seas
George Chamberlain Wheat	128	12-11	7848	
Thomas Cresap	129	11-26	7167	
Sulius Rosenwald	130	12-6	8063	
P.F. Pelham	131	12-15	7876	
John M. Schofield	132	12-1	7982	
Walter Raleigh	133	12-10	7581	
No record	134	No record	No record	
James H. Kimball	135	12-4	7900	
Richard Bassett	136	12-14	6749	
A.C. Muhlenberg	137	12-14	6494	
Gabrielle Fianchese	138		8039	
John Spencer	139	12-2	7912	
Joshua Sency	207	12-19	6880	
John W. Brown	208	12-22	6200	
Total Wheat			96885	
Cancelled	209	Cancelled	Cancelled	
No record	210	No record		
No record	211	No record		
Daniel Huger	212		6737	
Robert Howe	213		7995	
Wheat on high seas			14732	

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Thomas Cresap	129	11-26	7157
Sulius Rosenwald	130	12-6	8063
R.F. Bekham	131	12-15	7876
John M. Schofield	132	12-1	7982
Walter Raleigh	133	12-10	7581
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Wheat on high seas			14732

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SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER

Name of Ship	TE No.	Date of arrival	Long tons	On high Seas
Luther S. Kelly	237		8212	
No record	238	No record		
No record	239	"		
No record	240	"		
No record	241	"		
No record	242	"		
No record	296	"		
Levi Woodbury	297		6870	
No record	298	"		
No record	299	"		
No record	300	"		
No record	301	"		
No Record	302	"		
No record	303	"		
No record	304	"		
No record	305	"		
No record	306	"		
No record	307	"		
No record	308	"		

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Name of Ship	TB No.	Date of Arrival	Long Tons	On High Seas
No record	309			
No record	310			
No record	311			
Edward Livingston	312		8150	
No record	313			
No record	314			
Lincoln Steffens	315		7500	
No record	316			
No record	317			
No record	318			
Ezra Cornell	319		6750	
Luis Argnello	320		8000	
No record	321			
No recosr	322			
No record	323			
No record	324			
John Harhorn	325		6919	
No record	326			
No record	327			
No record	328			

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Name of Ship	TB No.	Date of Arrival	Long Tons	On high Seas
Filipe Deneve	329		6900	
George Manley	330		6702	
No record	331			
Thomas Sumpter	332		6857	
Total Wheat on high Seas			72861	

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FROM: AFHQ FROM G-5

TO : ACTION: AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC INFO: WAROF LONDON FOR CABINET
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Subsistence for Venezia Giulia and Udine for January thru 1946.

This is LAC 1333. Ref CAL 1505.

Para 1. Your para 2. Reserve requested LAC 1320 and LAC Airgram 139 appx D para 6, was calculated as a substitute to meet needs for two months in event cessations of imports of fresh meat, milk, cheese, fruit and vegetables from Italian Government territory. On consultation with Commanding General XIII Corps it is now recommended that minimum reserves of all commodities, for two months for Venezia Giulia, and one month for Udine, should be held locally.

Para 2. Your para 4. Reserves now required on basis para 1 above are as follows: (including 3 percent loss factor)

A. SERIAL	B. COMMODITY	C. VENEZIA GIULIA	D. UDINE	E. TOTAL
1	wheat bulk	nil	5665	5665
2	wheat bagged	8600	nil	8600
3	fats	227	180	407
4	soup dehydrated	31	36	67
5	vegetables dried	196	82	278
6	meat preserved	72	57	129
7	sugar	144	170	314
8	milk powdered	134	144	278
9	totals	9404	6334	15738

Column C is for shipment through Trieste and column D through Venice, both to be spread over Jan and Feb shipments.

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Para 3. In computing figures LAC 1320, LAO Airgram 139, no margin was requested for loss, and monthly tonnages (less reserves but including 3 percent loss factor) should read:

A. SERIAL	B. COMMODITY	C. VENEZIA GIULIA	D. UDINE	E. TOTAL
1	wheat bulk	nil	5665	5665
2	wheat bagged	4300	nil	4300
3	fats	114	180	294
4	soup dehydrated	15	36	51
5	vegetables dried	98	82	180
6	meat preserved	36	57	93
7	sugar	72	170	242
8	milk powdered	67	144	211
9	totals	4702	6334	11036

Para 4. A. Shipment for March, April, May and June should therefore be phased as follows: (1) Through Venice, para 3 above (column D).

(2) Through Trieste, para 3 above (column C).

B. Shipment for January and February (each month):

(1) Through Venice, as for March through June plus half tonnages para 2 (column D).

(2) Through Trieste, as for March through June plus half tonnages para 2 (column C).

Para 5. Your para 3. Request:

A. Immediate shipment of January supplies as emergency measure supplied from excess theatre military stocks against foregoing programme to extent these are not covered by excess military theatre stocks listed in TAM 728 para 1 column 2.

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FROM : HQ ALCOM 31 December 1945

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TO (FOR INFO) : WAR FOR DARR

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This is MOC 433.

Subject is delays in shipping notifications.

1. CGM 347 received here 19 December states William Prouse sailed Mobile 12 December DARR 25 received here 26 December states William Prouse due to sail ex Mobile 28 December.

2. It is again pointed out that these discrepancies in notification of sailing dates of coal ships ex US are causing difficulty this end. Request necessary measures be effected to provide us with firm sailing dates.

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Office of Origin: Industry & Utilities S/C
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Tel. No. 332 Originator's Signature: Col. H. M. Walker.

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31 December 1945

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3. Details from which the above summary was drawn follow by MOC Airgram.No. 135.

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Office of origin :Requisition Branch

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FROM : CCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND WAROF FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION FOR ACTION

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This is COM 358. Reference letter AC/5614/IND of November 29. Shipments of wool para wool shipped ex united States marked RA is against unshipped military requisition MGS-307-QM. See cal airgram 42, COM 322, COM airgram 95 para other quantities of wool shipped ex United States are purchased by Itol Government through technical delegation and consigned to ice direct.

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Date Time Rec'd : DEC.300900
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FROM : AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGEC
TO : TROOPERS LONDON INFO: AGWAR WASHINGTON FOR CCS FOR CCAC, ALCOM ROME FOR TRANS AND SHIPPING SUB COMMISSION

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Vehicle maintenance equipment.
This is MEG 5 8 9. Reference MEG 5 4 4. Equipment detailed on cal airgram 41 called forward in above reference but no further information received either by Alcom or this Headquarters.
2. Request information whether equipment has been shipped and eta.

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TO: ALEXANDER FOR FHGEC ,INFO: ALCOM,AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

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fats,	285
soup,dehydrated,	50
vegetables,dried,	175
meat,preserved,	91
sugar,	235
milk,powdered	201

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vegetables ,dried,	350
milk,powdered,	402
soup,dehydrated,	100
meat,preserved,	182

Your comments requested

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DECEMBER 1945:

(1) ABBREVIATION MLC NOT UNDERSTOOD, ADVISE TO WHOM SHIP TO BE CONVERTED BELONGS AND STATE USE TO BE MADE OF SHIPS AFTER CONVERSION;

(2) IN EVENT REIMBURSEMENT BY SHIP OWNER FOR WORK PERFORMED IS INVOLVED REQUEST STATEMENT OF PROCEDURE USED IN ACCOMPLISHING SUCH REIMBURSEMENT IN TRIESTE AND ADVISE WHETHER ANY COMMITMENT OF POUNDS OR DOLLARS, PAYABLE TO THE UNITED STATES OR BRITISH GOVERNMENT;

(3) ADVISE EXTENT TO WHICH CONVERSION OR REPAIR REQUIRED TO PREVENT DISUSE AND UNREST IN AREAS OF MILITARY RESPONSIBILITY

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NEW SUBJECT:

WHAT IS LAC NUMBER OF YOUR EA 57112 OF DECEMBER 24 1945 QUERY.

AC LIST

ACTION DIRECTION ECON SEC 19
(CSM (C)
(SUPPLY GROUP)
(PROGRAM SB.)

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FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

THIS IS C.L 1506

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CARBIDE FOR SHIP CONVERSION

REQUEST YOU CLARIFY FOLLOWING POINTS, SEE LAC 1329 AND FA 57112 F24 DECEMBER 1945:

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

FROM (A) : HQ ALCOM 29 DEC 45

TO (FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC WAROF (LONDON)
FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FOR FHGEG

Ref.No. 9731 UNCLASSIFIED

This is MOC 426.

Subject is Italo Spanish agreement.

1. Italy and Spain will implement commercial agreement when NCL items are cleared.

2. Italian Government request following allocations.

3. Proposed for export to Spain (CFB Items)

50	tons	citric acid
20	tons	lemon oil
2½	tons	bitter orange oil
2½	tons	sweet orange oil
1	ton	tangerine oil

4. Proposed for import from Spain (CRMB Items)

800	tons	raw sheep and goatskins
2000	tons	lead
5000	tons	okume wood

(CFB Items)

3000	tons	canned fish
600	tons	cocoa beans
1	ton	vitamin A oil

5. Colophony also required by Italy from Spain is the subject of separate cable. 4100

Copy to : Economic Section

Precedence: Routine

Office of origin : COMMERCE (FOREIGN TRADE) S/C

Tel.No. : 478192

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Copy to : Economic Section

Precedence: Routine

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Tel.No. :478192

(Maj. S.K.I. SAUL)

G.J.LEONE
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Originators Reference: WCL 32358 Message Centre No: G/6327

Date Time of Origin: DEC 280702 Z Date Time Rec'd: 281645

PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

FROM : WAR CCS CITE FOR CLAC

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION

INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRE-
TARIAT.

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This is COM 357.

Refere COM Airgraph 75.

November shipping program.

SSGS. Patton, TB Number 141, sailed for Italy from Newyork on December 19 carrying general cargo. Detailed information will follow.

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ACTION DIRECTION ECON SEC 18 4478
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FROM : WAR CCS CITE FOR CLAC

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator's Reference: WCL 32417

Date/Time of Origin: 3021512

Message Centre No. G/6394

Date Time Rec'd: DEC 29 0930

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: CCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC WAR

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION FOR ACTION

THIS IS COM 358

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REPEATED INFORMATION AFHQ FOR ENGEX AND UK BASE SECTION FORCABINET SECRETARIAT. REFER LETTER AC/5614/ENG OF NOVEMBER 29(SHEETS OF WOOL PARA WOOL SHIPPED EX UNITED STATES MARKED R.. IS AGAINST UNSHIPPED MILITARY REQUISITION MBS-307-QM. SEE CAL MINCHAM 43, COM 358, COM AIRCRAM 25 PARA OTHER QUANTITIES OF WOOL SHIPPED EX UNITED STATES ARE PURCHASED BY ITALY GOVERNMENT THROUGH TECHNICAL DELEGATION AND CONSIGNED TO ICE DIRECT

AC DEST

ACTION DIRECTION	ECON SEC 18 (CSE (6) (SUPPLY GROUP) (PROGRAM BR.) (REQUISITION BR.) 10	INFO	CHIEF COMMISSIONER EXEC COMMISSIONER CC DC EMB CL US EMB WAR ROME LWTR FILE
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ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

29 December 1945

SPECIAL ORDERS)
:
NUMBER 348)

1. Lieut LAURENCE C. MOORE, 73832, USNR (A), Finance Sub-Com, this Hq, accompanied by wife, Mrs. Dolores M. Moore, WP Aquila, Italy without delay on TDY for a period of approximately three (3) days for rest and recuperation. Upon compl of TDY will ret to proper sta. Tvl by govt MT is atzd. No per diem atzd. TDN.

2. F/O D.R.I. HOOPER, 169783, RAF (B), is reld fr asgmt and dy AMG Venezia Giulia (Economic Sec), all further asgmt and dy w Allied Commission upon being release fr Army while on lv in U.K. w.e.f. 10 Nov 45. (Auth: Ringsway Sig No. F.F. 2739, dtd 27 Nov 45).

3. Maj A. E. HEATH, 115080, Int Corps (B), is reld fr asgmt and dy Lombardia Reg (Regional Security O), is asgd Hq Allied Commission, and atchd British Embassy for dy.

4. J/Comdr M. E. LAWRENCE, 211299 RTS (B), is reld fr asgmt and dy Venezie Reg (Hq Staff), all further asgmt and dy w Allied Commission upon proceeding to U.K. on expiration of overseas tour of service w.e.f. 17 Dec 45. (Auth: AFHQ CMF C 47362, dtd 17 Dec 45).

5. Capt W. H. MUNN, [illegible], R-A (B), is reld fr asgmt and dy Lombardia Reg, Milano (Tptn), is asgd ICT - Bologna (Tptn), for dy, and WP without delay to arrive thereat not later than 3 Jan 46. Rat will be provided as required. Tvl by govt MT and rail is atzd. TDN.

6. Mr. Domenic Colaneri, American civilian, FEA, Food & Agric Sub-Com, this Hq, accompanied by Venerando Costarelli, Italian civilian dvr, atchd Super Garage, Allied Commission, WP Naples, Italy without delay on TDY for a period of approximately eight (8) days to supervise offloading of seed potatoes. Upon compl of TDY will ret to proper sta. Tvl by mil acft and govt MT is atzd. TDN.

7. Sp (x) 1c (T) William S. Galen, 603-28-49, USNR (A), Civil Cens Gp, this Hq, accompanied by John Cipriano, American civilian, Civ Cens Gp, this Hq, WP Venice, Bolzano, Merano, Milan, and Livorno, Italy c/a 3 Jan 45 on TDY for a period of approximately seven (7) days on civil censorship duties. Upon compl of TDY will ret to proper sta. Rat will be provided as required. Tvl by govt MT is atzd. No per diem atzd. TDN.

8. Lt Col G.G. HANNAFORD 102796 Int Corps (B), Legal Sub-Com, this Hq, WP Milan, Padova, Turin and Genoa, Italy c/a 4 Jan 46 on TDY for a period of approximately seven (7) days handing over judicial administration of Northern Italy to Italian authorities. Upon compl of TDY will ret to proper sta. Rat will be provided as required. Tvl by Italian mil acft, govt MT and rail is atzd. TDN.

(x) HQ, 2675th Sect, Allied Commission

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9. S/Sgt Harry E. Fass, 20840875, (A), Hq Co, 2675th Regt, Allied Commission (Cvhd), WP Milan, Italy o/a 2 Jan 46 on TDY for a period of approximately twelve (12) days to join Swiss Tour. Upon compl of Tour will ret to proper sta. EM will report to CO, Hq Co, before departing and upon ret. Tvl by mil acft and rail is atzd. No per diem atzd. TDN.

10. L/Sgt L.J. Murphy 4751027 Leics (B), G-4 (B), this Hq, WP Milan, Italy o/a 31 Dec 45 on TDY for a period of approximately six (6) weeks on conveyance of M.T. spares to Milan. Upon compl of TDY will ret to proper sta. Rat will be provided as required (2 days). Tvl by govt MT is atzd. TDN.

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SO #348, Hq Allied Commission, dtd 29 Dec 45, Cont'd:

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE:

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FROM (A) : H. ALCOM

TO (FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC WAROF
(LONDON) FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT AFHQ FHQEG

Ref.No.9732 UNCLASSIFIED

This is MCC 427. DEC 31 1945

Subject is accounting for civilian supplies.

1. Refer COM 356.

2. First item is hose aromatic resistant quarter inch. Second item is cloth cuttings. Cloth cuttings were received from Italian Armed Forces not American Army and are being excluded from next returns. Consequently no price is required ..... end.

Precedence : ROUTINE

Office of origin : Finance Sub-Commission

Tel.No. 478604

G.J.LEONE
CWO USA
Asst.Adjutant

Signature
Lt.Col B.E.L. TIMMONS
Deputy Director

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INCOMING MESSAGE
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Originator's Reference: G50930

Date/Time of Origin: 291511A

Message Centre No: G/6436

Date Time Rec'd: DEC 30 0900

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ G5

TO: AGWAR WASHINGTON FOR CCS FOR CCAC INFO TROOPERS LONDON

AFCOM ROME 13 CORPS FOR AMG

THIS IS LAC 1332

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RAW COTTON VENEZIA GUILIA/UDINE. REF CAL 1504. CAN ACCEPT ANYTHING NOT LOWER THAN STRICT LOW MIDDLING GRADE INCH STAPLE. PREFER BETTER GRADE AND STAPLE UP TO MIDDLING INCH AND 1/8.

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Originator's Reference No: GEM 710 37549
Date / Time of Origin: DEC 281515

Message Centre No: G/6422
Date Time Rec'd: DEC 291530A
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: THE WAR OFFICE

TO : AFHQ COLONEL WALKER US ARMY INFO: GHQ CMF (CAIL) QWR TROOPERS

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Will you please attend Mr. Eaton Griffiths briefing party on room 408 Kings buildings Dean Stanley Street S.1 at 1000 hours Thursday 3 January suggest you bring Italian to act as technical adviser. ECO allocations proposals committee follows briefing party. ECO council meeting is at 1500 hours Friday 4 January.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: WCL 32359

Message Centre No: G 6420

Date/ Time of Origin: DEC 280602Z

Date Time Rec'd: DEC 291235

Precedence: PRIORITY

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FROM: WAR CCS CITE CCAC

TO: ALEXANDER FOR FHGEG ,INFO: ALCOM,AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

UNCLASSIFIED:

This is Cal 1505.

Refer Lacs 1320,1321,1323,1324,1327,130.Venezia Giulia and Udine subsistence requirements,January through June 1946.

1. Monthly requirements stated paragraph 3,column D for March,April,May and June are approved. Monthly requirement for January and February is approved in amount paragraph 3,Column C,reduced by the reserve stated paragraph 4.Monthly metric tonnage for January,February is as follows:

wheat,bulk,	9665
fats,	285
soup,dehydrated,	50
vegetables,dried,	175
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sugar,	235
milk,powdered	201

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milk,powdered,	402
soup,dehydrated,	100
meat,preserved,	182

Your comments requested

3.Approved requirements January through June1946 should be met as far as possible by excess theatre Military stocks and balance from United States.Jng Majgen

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

FROM (A) : ALCOM H.

TO (FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC WAROF (LONDON)
FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT AFHQ FHQSG

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Ref.No 9694

This is MOC 425.

Subject is shipping delays.

1. Continued delay in despatch of firm sailing dates for coal ships ex US causing considerable difficulty in phasing coal ships into ports here and results in delays to various vessels.

2. For example COM 320 received here 2 December advised John Fairfield sailed from Baltimore 24 November with 7822 tons coal. WSIT 877 DARR 23 received here 20 December stating John Fairfield sailed for Genoa 11 December, a difference of 17 days.

3. In view above, request sailing dates be cabled this Headquarters as soon as ships depart US. Advices that ships will sail as soon crew assembled is of little value here. Firm sailing dates are required.

Precedence:PRIORITY

Office of origin:Industry & Utilities S/C

Tel.No. :336

Signature Col. H.H. WALKER

G.J.LEONE
CWO,USA
Asst.Adjt.

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Precedence: PRIORITY

Office of origin: Industry & Utilities S/C

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Signature Col. H.H. WALKER

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: WCL 32500 Message Centre No: G/6413

Date Time of Origin: 290044 Date Time Rec'd: 291345

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM : WAR CCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION FC

INFO: AFHQ FOR FREED AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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This is COM 359.

Refer COM Airgram 91.

December shipping program.

1. Following ships have sailed:

TB number	Name	Cargo	Weigh	Port	Sailing date
66	John G.Tod	coal	3730	Pensacola	12/21
294	William M.Stewart	coal	2212	Mobile	

(No 294 scheduled to sail December 2 or as soon as crew assembled)

299	Johns Hopkins	wheat	6562	Albany	12/22
300	George B Mcclelland	wheat	6589	Albany	12/21
3016	Cape Hatteras	wheat	5803	Baltimore	12/21
321	W Tilghman	wheat	7901	Baltimore	12/22
326	Mary M Dodge	wheat	2520	Boston	12/21

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294	William M.Stewart	coal	8212	Mobile	

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326	Mary M.Dodge	wheat	7570	Boston	12/21
331	William D.Mosely	wheat	8892	New York	12/22

Refer COM 352, SS Oliver Wendell Holmes, TB number 244, sailed on December 22.

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MOC AIRGRAM 134 : 28 December 1945

TO : Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(for Combined Liberated Areas Committee)
3C-866 Pentagon Building
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SUBJECT : Food Rationing in Italy

1. The Coordinating Committee of the Allied Central Authority for Germany, through A.F.H.Q. C.M.F. requested a report on the subject, for comparison with the standard of Food Rationing, to be adopted for the German population. Accordingly, information on Italian rationing as at 25 Nov 1945 was tabulated and copies forwarded to A.F.H.Q. for onward transmission to the Allied Control Authority for German, and to War Office, London for CCLB.

2. For information, copies of the report each for CCAC Washington Cabinet Offices Secretariat, London, only, are attached together with copies of the covering letter to AFHQ AGR/80 of 10 Dec 1945, giving details of changes contemplated at that date.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Economic Section

AGR/80 10 December 1945

SUBJECT: Feeding in Italy

TO : Allied Force Headquarters
G-5 Section APO 512
(Attn. Economics and Supply Division)

1. Reference your letters of 15 October 1945 and 13 November 1945.

2. Transmitted herewith is a detailed statement of the weekly food rations in effect in Italy as of 25 November 1945. Data show the average weight and caloric value of rationed foods available to each category of consumer. The ration scales in Northern Italy differ from those in other parts of the country. The amounts shown in the table, however, being weighted averages, reflect the food rations available in the country as a whole.

3. A survey made in Rome indicates that during August 1945 the purchases of food by families of laborers provided a weekly intake of 12,460 calories per person including children. Of this amount 7,140 calories were obtained from rationed foods and 5,320 calories from other purchases.

4. The sugar ration was increased to 200 grams per person per month (46 grams per week) effective 1 December 1945. The new scale establishes a uniform ration throughout Italy without special rates for children and old people. A few categories (pregnant women at home, sick at home, T.B. cases, artificially fed babies) which previously received a large supplementary ration will now receive the same total amount throughout Italy.

5. A special issue of dehydrated eggs has been authorized for December 1945 and January 1946. All normal consumers in cities of 50,000 or over will be entitled to purchase 100 grams per person in each of the two months.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

1 Enclosure
Table of 8 sheets entitled
"Weekly Food Ration in Italy"

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Acting Vice President

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28 December 1945

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TO(FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR COSAC FOR CLAC RPTD AFHQ (LONDON)
FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFH, PHSEC

Ref.No. :9641

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This is AOO 424.

Refer COM cables 347, 346 and 354.

1. War shipping administration, Naples and Gibraltar know nothing of sailings of Luther S. Kelley, TB 237, John Hathorn, TB 325, and Daniel Huger, TB 212.

2. Wheat shortage serious. Please confirm that ships on COM 354 have sailed.

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MOC AIRGRAM 132 : 27 December 1945

DEC 28 1945

TO : Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(for Combined Liberated Areas Committee)
30-866 Pentagon Building
WASHINGTON, D.C. (15 cys)

SUBJECT : Food Stock Report

REFERENCE : CAL 1436 and LAC 1289

1. Attached are Appendix "A" and "B". Appendix "A" represents cereals received, issued and on hand in November 1945. Appendix "B" represents imported miscellaneous commodities received, issued and on hand in November.

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APPENDIX "A"

CEREAL STOCK POSITION NOVEMBER 1945 (excluding
(All in metric tons)

	Stock as per estimate as at 1 Nov 45	Actual stock as at 1 Nov 1945	Estimated arrivals in Nov. 1945	Ammassing in November	TOTAL	Estimated issues to Mills, wholesalers etc in Nov	Estimated stock on hand at 30 Nov 45	W. l. f.
		(1)				(2)		
North Italy	208,725	235,544	42,795	43,013	321,352	147,544	173,808	
South Italy	261,308	256,867	101,696	15,294	373,857	142,703	211,154	
All Italy	470,033	492,411	144,491	58,307	695,209	290,247	384,962	

Notes (1) Actual stock differs from estimated stock owing to (a) quantities in of return, (b) return from all provinces still not to hand in respect of barle (c) incomplete information at date of estimate of total arrivals for month of

(2) This figure is merely of what should, on the average, be issued mont to mills, etc, for the current month's consumption. Owing to local condition bility of transport, necessity of stockpiling, issues in preceding months, etc necessary relation ship to actual consumption of population in the same month.

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CEREAL STOCK POSITION NOVEMBER 1945 (excluding rice)
(All in metric tons)

as per te as ov 45	Actual stock as at 1 Nov 1945	Estimated arrivals in Nov. 1945	Ammassing in November	TOTAL	Estimated issues to Mills, wholesalers etc in Nov	Estimated stock on hand at 30 Nov 45	Will last for days	Until
	(1)				(2)			
725	235,544	42,795	43,013	321,352	147,544	173,808	65	4 Jan.
308	256,867	101,696	15,294	373,857	142,703	211,154	74	13 Jan.
033	492,411	144,491	58,307	695,209	290,247	384,962	69	8 Jan.

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APPENDIX "B"

MISCELLANEOUS IMPORTED COMMODITIES STOCK POSITION
NOVEMBER 1945
(All in metric tons)

Commodity	Estimated stock as at 1 Nov	Actual stock as at 1 Nov (1)	Estimated extra credit arrivals in Nov	Total	Estimated issues ex CAP Whse to wholesalers during Nov(2)	Estimated stock on hand as at 30 Nov 45	Actual Monthly Maintenance requirement	Wi fo as on in sc
SOUP	19,534	19,435		19,435	2071	17,364	2566	
MILK PCWD	11,646	10,182	4,573	14,755	758	13,997	5789	
MILK EV.	20,737	22,580		22,580	2194	20,386	5789	
MEAT	8,580	9,341	40	9,381	1260	8,121	1591	
D.V.	21,696	22,884	2,573	25,457	3907	21,550	3293	
SUGAR	30,411	21,753	8,998	30,751	6262	24,489	10189	
SCAP	2,770	3,704		3,704	924	2,780	-	
OATS	1,025	2,531	921	3,452	2363	1,089	3908	
EGGS DR.	2,529	3,236		3,236	94	3,142(3)		
COFFEE			227	227		227		

NOTES : (1) Actual stock differs slightly from estimated stock owing to the fact that at (a) there were quantities in transit, (b) returns from all provinces were no incomplete information had been received as to arrivals for October.

(2) These figures have no necessary relationship to the actual sales from retail (i.e. consumption) in November, owing to deliveries to CAP and wholesalers b month, sometimes for two months, stock in transit at beginning of the month, availabilities.

(3) Special issues for December 1945 and January 1946

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NOVEMBER 1945
(All in metric tons)

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9,435		19,435	2071	17,364	2566	225	13 June
0,182	4,573	14,755	758	13,997	5789	135	15 March
2,580		22,580	2194	20,386	5789	135	15 March
9,341	40	9,381	1260	8,121	1591	176	25 April
2,884	2,573	25,457	3907	21,550	3293	231	19 June
1,753	8,998	30,751	6262	24,489	10189	90	29 January
3,704		3,704	924	2,780	-	-	-
2,531	921	3,452	2363	1,089	3908	26	26 November
3,236		3,236	94	3,142(3)			
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CABINET SECRETARIAT HPTD AFHQ FHQEG

Ref. No: 9622 23 December 1945 PRIORITY

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This is MOC 422.

3. Subject is shortfall of wheat in Italy.

2. Owing to shortfall of actual wheat arrivals for period September through December 1945 total estimate wheat stocks on December 31 will be 210,000 tons. This is practically all indigenous and three quarters of it concentrated in four regions. These, Marche 57,000 tons Umbria 27,000 tons, Emilia 48,000 tons, Toscana 26,000 tons.

3. On present basis consumption, Toscana stocks will be exhausted by end of January, Emilia by Mid March, Umbria by the end of July, Marche by the end of August. Thus it is only practicable to move limited quantities from Marche and Umbria to deficient areas, and this movement can only be effected within the limits of Italian transport facilities. Every effort being made to hasten provincial transfers but total amount which can and should be moved is small fraction of total requirements.

4. Total indigenous availabilities represents theoretical twenty one days stocks in hand, but owing to considerations quoted above, practicable availabilities to keep ration going not considered to be 50% of foregoing stocks. Therefore, whole of south Italy, the islands and greater part of northern Italy now dependent on imported wheat and are existing on day to day basis for the bread and pasta ration. Examples of these deficient areas: inclusive of all known arrivals up to January 2, wheat supplies on present rationed basis will be exhausted by the end of the first week in January in Liguria, Lombardia, Lazio, Sicily, Campania.

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Pasta ration already in arrears in Puglia and Naples.

7. Recommendation has been made to Italian Government to suspend Pasta ration south Italy, Liguria, Veneto, Sicily and Sardinia. This in order to insure continuance at least of the Bread ration. Arrivals of six extra ships in addition to those presently signalled may avert this. Request urgently if diversion of these from other theaters possible.

6. Your figures phone conversation refers, cumulative December backlog by January 1 of 149,000 tons wheat plus 31,500 tons flour at American extraction rate agreed, but recommend Italian extraction rate of 90% be used. Cannot agree your figures of September through December loadings but will await cable to attempt reconciliation.

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Tel. No. 546 — G.J. LEONE CWO USA

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FROM: WAR OFFICE

TO : ALCOM ROME INFO AFHQ BAS WASHINGTON FOR OCAC

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1. WE AWAIT NEW DRAFT RELEASE BUT IN MEANTIME IT MAY BE USEFUL TO COMMENT ON DRAFT IN MOC 403 UNCLASSIFIED. THOUGH WE FELT EMPHASIS OF THIS DRAFT WAS WRONG WE THOUGHT ON WHOLE EFFECT OF ITS RELEASE IN ITALY WOULD BE BENEFICIAL AND THEREFORE DECIDED TO LET IT GO WITHOUT SUGGESTED AMENDMENT IN VIEW SHORTNESS OF TIME.

2. WE FEEL THAT DRAFT GIVES IMPRESSION OF DRAGOONING ITALIAN GOVERNMENT BY ALLIED COMMISSION AND US NOT FREE TO RESUME PRIVATE TRADE UNTIL IT "PROMULGATES NECESSARY LEGISLATION". THIS IS SUGGESTED EVEN MORE STRONGLY IN LASTA SENTENCE OF DRAFT. ITALIAN GOVERNMENT WAS FREE TO START PRIVATE TRADE WITH UK WHEN STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS AUTHORISING PERSON IN UK TO RESUME TRADE IN GOODS WITH ITALY WERE ISSUED ON 5th SEPTEMBER. WOULD NOT BE OUR PLACE TO INSIST ON ITALIAN GOVERNMENT SETTING UP IMPORT AND EXPORT LICENSING MACHINERY AND EXCHANGE CONTROL AS PRE-REQUISITES OF RESUMPTION OF PRIVATE TRADE ALTHOUGH WE FELT IN THEIR OWN INTEREST ITALIAN GOVERNMENT WOULD WANT TO DEVISE SUCH PROCEDURES FIRST.

3. IT IS NOT CORRECT TO SAY UK GOVERNMENT INFORMED ITALIAN GOVERNMENT ONLY AT BEGINNING OF NOVEMBER THAT RESTRICTIONS ON PRIVATE TRADE BETWEEN THE 2 COUNTRIES HAD BEEN LIFTED SINCE UK ISSUED NECESSARY STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

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4. MINISTRY FOOD WOULD ALSO LIKE ANY REDRAFT TO MAKE IT CLEAR THAT MOST FOOD IMPORTS INTO UK WILL CONTINUE TO BE MADE BY GOVERNMENT PURCHASE.

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DEC 27 1945

FROM : WAR WASHINGTON FROM CCS

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION FOR CCAC REPEATED INFORMATION AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

SECRET:

This is Com 955. Flour and wheat shipment for Italian consumption

From September 1 through December 31.1945. Inclusive total flour and wheat tonnage of 747.000 tons is called for by requistions YT and YB. This amount includes wheat. 641,000 tons bagged flour. 106,000 tons. By end of 1945 there will have been shipments of about 14500-ton amount flour applying on above requistion. Estimate of wheat shipments be end this year 492,000 tons, leaving ton shortage of wheat and flour in amounts of 149,000 and 91,500, respectively. Expectation that wheat amounting to about 149,000 tons or 18 cargoes against loadings for December will be postponed to forst 2 weeks next year. There will have been movement all wheat commitment (641,000 tons) provided that Jenuery sees these last 18 cargoes moved. No present flour availab lity for many reasons, one of which is United States bag shortage. Expected that in completion of entire program of fee there should be 91,500-ton flour movement second half next month and early February. Obvious from preceding information that almost entire unshipped backloss for September through November are of flour which could not be obtained.

Impossibility to divert to Italy wheat vessels to make up shortage applying

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Impossibility to divert to Italy wheat vessels to make up shortage applying on fee schedule,due to amount grain committed by United States to schedules of other Nations necessary quantity to level of consumption now in effect much greater that temporary January scheduling Unrra cargoes wheat.Better scheduling of alloted amounts now being attempted by all means.

We ask your opinion as to how rationing of bread for Italy may be affected by above-listed shipment plan.

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27 DEC 1945
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TO : ALLIED COMMISSION

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Refer COM airgram 91.

December shipping program.

1. Following ships have sailed: tabulation reads in 6 columns as follows:

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284	Francisco Coronadou	Coal	8720	Pensacola	12/16
291	Henry Dodge	Coal	8935	Mobile	12/18
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330	George Hanley	Wheat	6702	New York	12/15
332	Thomas Sumpter	Wheat	6857	New York	12/8

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AUTHORITY TO HIRE AND TRANSFER PERSONNEL IN FIELD WITHOUT PRIOR REFERENCE TO UNRRA, WASHINGTON. HE IS TO ADVISE FEA WASHINGTON FORMAL TRANSFER DATE EACH PERSON EMPLOYED.

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ACCUMULATED ANNUAL LEAVE SALARIES, TRAVEL ADVANCES, ETC. WILL BE SETTLED AS OF TRANSFER DATE. FEA WASHINGTON IS TO BE ADVISED IMMEDIATELY NAMES OF PERSONS

C. CLEVELAND BELIVES ACCEPTABLE TO UNRRA AND WHO WILL ACCEPT TRANSFER TO UNRRA.

UNITED STATES EMBASSY HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED TO RETAIN ON DETAIL UP TO 15 TECHNICAL EXPERTS AND SECRETARIES FROM FEA GROUP UPON COMPLETION OF THEIR ASSIGNMENT OR IF AND CASE NOT LATER THAN FEBRUARY 1. THESE PERSONS WILL SERVE AS AN ADVISORY STAFF TO EMBASSY OR THE PROPOSED TRIPARTITE GROUP. THOSE REQUIRED AFTER JUNE 30 WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO REGULAR STATE DEPARTMENT ROLLS. EMBASSY WILL FURNISH ALL ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES FOR THE GROUP.

APPROXIMATELY 15 PERSONS MAY BE RETAINED TEMPORARILY TO COMPLETE RECORDS AND ACCOUNTS OF SHIPMENTS AND OTHER TRANSACTIONS OF FEA SUPPLY PROGRAMS. THIS TASK SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY [illegible] March 1 AND MEMBERS OF THE GROUP WILL BE RETURNED BEFORE THIS DATE AS COMPLETION OF WORK PERMITS. FEA WASHINGTON TO BE ADVISED NUMBER OF PERSONS TO BE RETAINED FOR THIS WORK.

ALL FEA PERSONNEL NOT REQUESTED FOR OR WILLING TO SERVE IN CATEGORIES ABOVE ARE DIRECTED RETURN WASHINGTON UPON COMPLETION OF ASSIGNMENT OR IN ANY EVENT NOT LATER THAN JANUARY 15. FEA WASHINGTON TO BE ADVISED NAMES AND DEPARTURE DATES THESE PERSON'S.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE PROPOSES TO BUDGET 55 MAN MONTHS FROM JANUARY 1 TO COVER ABOVE PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS WITH EXCEPTION OF REQUIREMENTS OF ADVISORY GROUP AFTER DETAIL TO EMBASSY .

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FROM : H. ALCOM COMMERCE (FOREIGN TRADE) S/C

TO (FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC

TO (INFORMATION): WAROF (LONDON) FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT
RPTD AFHQ FOR FHGEG

DEC 27 1945

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Ref.No. : 9551 Security Classification :UNCLASSIFIED

This is MOC 417.

Subject is Italo/Swedish agreement.

1. MOC 364, 392 and COM 339 refer.

2. Italo/Swedish agreement provides for exchange of goods value approximately 50 million Swedish crowns in 6 months, renewable for further 6 months periods until revoked byeither country with one month notice. Increase of quotas of goods may be mutually agreed.

3. Agreement signed but awaiting exchange of notes to implement it. ALCOM have stated no objection to immediate implementation providing there is no shipment of outstanding RCL allocations which are now only citric acid, tartaric acid and 1946 balance of lemon oil.

4. ALCOM cannot understand why no action can be taken on MOC 392 when allocations requested in MOC 364 were considered without question in accordance with usual practice. By action in para 3, ALCOM is in effect policing Swedens adherence to combined board regulations. This is of course an untenable position.

5. In view of short time, said to be 3 weeks, before Swedish ports ice up consider that delay in referring matter to Sweden would impose regrettable restrictions of both countries.

5. Request that you immediately either (A) act on MOC 392 or (B) confirm that we can forthwith tell Italian Government that so far as ALCOM responsibility is concerned there is no objection to finalization of Italo Swedish agreement.

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Originator's Reference:WCL 29459 Message Centre:C/6098

Date/Time of Origin:152117 Date Time Rec'd:DEC 221630

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FROM: WAR FROM COS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION INFO AFHQ FOR FHGEC AND UK BASE SECTION

FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

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This is COM 346.Refer MOM 374 rubber compounding information for Italy

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FROM : WAR 665 CITE CCAC

TO : UK BASE SECTION LONDON FOR CABINER SECRETARIAT ALCOM ROME

AFHQ (CASERTA) ALEXANDER FOR PHGEG.

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This is CAL 1504.

Refer LAC 1327, 15th December 1945.

Raw cotton - Venezia Giulia and Udine.

Advise specifications for the 920 metric tons cotton January arrival stating shortest staple usable and quality desired.

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TO: ALLIED COMMISSION INFO AFHQ FOR FHGEC AND UK BASE
SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

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This is COM 356. Accounting for civilian supplies Refer appendix A of report "accounting returns through 31 March 945"
Nomenclature of following commodities not sufficiently specific to enable technical services involved to identify and price these I.Cumulative quantities through 31 March 945 also given. Aromatic resistant,501 feet,and cloth cutting,4409 pounds. More adequate description requested

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FROM: TROOPERS

TO : ACTION: ALCOM INFO: FREEDOM, WASHINGTON FOR CCAC

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PAT 195. Ref TAP 165 unclassified. Repeat of cipher PAT 189 is as follows.

1. Six items of Eng supplementary demand 214 dated 26 August 44 not available for shipment during military period.

2. They are as follows. Asbestos packing sheet items 28 29 and 30 and asbestos packing coil items 42 43 and 44.

3. Please inform us as soon as possible whether still required.

4. If these items are still needed they together with items listed in TAP 158 will be financed out of U Kingdom share of Italian basic programme and shipped to Italy up to limit of funds available.

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TO : FOR ACTION AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD WAROF (LONDON)

FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FHCEG

Ref. No : 9617 Date : 23 December 1945 PRIORITY DEC 27 1945

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This is MOC 421.

Subject is RCL.

1. It is recommended that appendix A 4 of the RCL be abolished.

2. Reasons are that TAM 456 provisions for compulsory export of these commodities at stipulated prices are not invoked by US, UK and Canada. Continued necessity for Washington clearance of A4 items results in unnecessary delays which hinder Italian export trade.

3. Military supply authorities agree to abolition.

Ministry of Supply have been notified of our view.

Office of Origin: Commerce (Foreign Trade) S/C

Authenticated:

Tel. No. : 478192

G.J. LEONE
C/O US.
Asst. Adjt.

Originator's Signature:
Maj. S.K.I. SAUL

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TO: FOR ACTION TROOPERS RPTD FOR INFO AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD 3/4
AFHQ FOR FHGEG RPTD BRITISH EMBASSY ROME

Ref. No. : 9612 22 December ROUTINE

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This is TAP 166.

Subject is Program of Basic Supplies to Italy.

1. According to CLAC program of Basic Supplies to Italy, revision 4 of 19 October, UK agreed share in September to December loading-program was to be 5000 tons wool, 570 tons raw rubber and 3500 tons jute.

2. AC unable to understand absence of news of procurement or shipping of items.

3. Please advise urgently present position.

4. Lt. Col. FW Tooby visiting London shortly to discuss this and other outstanding supply and trade matters.

Office of Origin: Commerce (foreign Trade) S/C

Tel No: 461

Originators Signature: F.W. TOOBY
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3. [illegible] WE ASSUME THAT AS 30.000 TONS OF MAIZE IS IN SUBSTITUTION FOR WHEAT IT WILL BE USED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION . PLEASE CONFIRM .

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This is COM 351. Refer COM airgram 91 December shipping program
S S Woodrow Wilson, T B number 268, sailed for Italy from Hampton roads December 18 carrying 8250 tons coal

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This is COM 352. Refer COM airgram 91 December shipping program
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TO : ARMY WAR OF ALLIED COMMISSION

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FOR ACLAC. REPEATED INFORMATION AGHC, FOR ENGEX AND WAR OF FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT. REFER COM TELEGRAM 91 (DECEMBER SHIPPING PROGRAM

PARA 1. FOLLOWING SHIPS HAVE SAILED TABULATION - READ IN 6 COLUMNS FOLLOWS:

1 - TB NUMBER.
2 - NAME.
3 - CARGO.
4 -WEIGHT.
5 - PORT.
6 - SAILING DATE.

PARA 2. 253, ALEXANDRE. BROWN, COAL, 8,105, BALTIMORE, 12/17.

319, EZRA CORNELL, WHEAT, 6,750, BALTIMORE, 12/17.

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Precedence: ROUTINE

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FROM: TROOPERS

TO: ACTION: ALCOM ROME, INFO FREEDOM WASHINGOTN FOR CCAC

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PAT 198. Ref TAP 165.

1. We have repeated PAT 189 as requested.

2. ENG supplementary demand 214 followed LAC airgram 33 10 June 1944 which requested certain items for SANTA CATERI=NA power plant SARDINIA.

3. LAC airgram item numbers and description follow quantities are as given in supplementary demand.

A) Asbestos packing sheet. Item 62 - thickness I/I6 INCH 135 LBS item 63 - thickness 1/8 LBS item 64 - thickness 3/16 INCH 99 LBS

B) Asbestos packing coil. Item 78 - thickness 3/16 inch X 3/16 INCH 60 LBS item 79 - thickness 3/8 INCH X 3/8 INCH 60 LBS ITEM 80 - thickness 1-3/16 INCH X 1-3/16 INCH 90 LBS.

4. It is not certain whether these items will be available for ITALY as they may be required by the military for other purposes but it will assist if you can inform us whether they are still needed.

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Headquarters Allied Commission

Originator's Reference : C48863 Message Centre :G/6043

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FROM: AFHQ G5

TO: AGWAR WASHINGTON FOR CCS FOR CCAC INFO WAROF LONDON
FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT ALCOM ROME XIII CORPS

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Tis is LAC 1330. Civil import programme for Venezia Giulia/Udine.Ref MJT 889. No reply yet received to LAC 1320 para 7,LAC 1321, LAC 1323, LAC 1324, LAC 1327 para 2 and no information from you regarding approval of food requirement procurement action or leading for January arrival. Time is now getting very short and there is no sign of Januarys food imports. Request urgent answer to above mentioned cables

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FROM: WAR CCS CITE CCAC

TO ALLIED COMMISSION FOR ACTION

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FOR CLAC RELATED INFORMATION ..HQ FOR TIGER AND WAR OF FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT. REFER COM ..IPGRAM 91. DECEMBER SHIPPING PROGRAM

SS WOODROW WILSON, IT NUMBER 268, SAILED FOR ITALY FROM YARMTON ROADS DECEMBER 15 CARRYING 8,250 TONS COAL.

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TO (INFORMATION): WARCOF LONDON FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FOR FHGEG

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Ref.No. : 9550 Security Classification:UNCLASSIFIED .

This is MCC 416.

Subject is RCL.

1. Your COM 345 noted.

2. All Italian exports against RCL, import program and Military requirements are currently screened by ALCOM.It is responsibili ty of ALCOM or of importing country to secure clearance from combined boards for exports from Italy.

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MOC AIRGRAM ~~126~~ 129 : 21 December 1945

TO : Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(for Combined Liberated Areas Committee)
30-866 Pentagon Building
WASHINGTON, D.C. (15 copies)

SUBJECT : Italo/French negotiations for pyrites.

REFERENCE : COM 69, COM 127, COM 148.

1. For reasons which will be made apparent, it is necessary to submit to the Combined Liberated Areas Committee, an Italian claim for the upward revision of the price of 100,000 tons of pyrites which it has been agreed to deliver to France. This procedure is in accordance with the provision of para 2 of TAM 456. It is realized, of course, that pyrites are not now a controlled commodity, but they were controlled during the period of the negotiations between France and Italy.

2. Reference is made to the following allocations of phosphate rock and pyrites :

500,000 tons of phosphate rock from French North Africa to Italy for year July 1945 to June 1946.

100,000 tons of pyrites from Italy to France

3. Negotiations between the French commercial attaché in Rome and the Italian Government, were started in July of this year, but it was not until October that an agreement was finally reached.

This agreement had the following basis :

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b) The price of the 100,000 tons of pyrites would be provisionally fixed, as requested by the French commercial Attaché, at 800 lire per ton, with the understanding, however, that the fixing of the

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definite price will be referred to the appropriate authority in Washington for arbitration.

4. Here, it should be made clear that there is no dispute regarding the prices to be paid for the French phosphate rock. The Italian Government accept the prices fixed in the previous contract of 17 May, 1945. Pending the establishment of the final quantity of phosphate rock to be supplied, the French have agreed to ship 100,000 tons of phosphate rock, but it is extremely important that an early decision may be made on the question of the pyrites price so that arrangements may be made for lifting further quantities, if necessary.

5. It is considered appropriate to submit this case in the form of three parts as indicated in the following index:

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PART I

Outline of the Negotiations in connection with the Supply of Phosphate Rock from French North Africa to Italy.

1. Since the invasion of Italy, the supply of phosphate rock from French North Africa to Italy can be divided, chronologically and commercially, into three phases :

(i) The period from July 1944 through December 1944, when supplies were the subject of Allied requisition.

(ii) The period from January 1945 through June 1945. During this period, on direct orders from Paris and because of French dissatisfaction with the price being paid currently, the programme of shipments was arrested in March and, after the signing of a retroactive contract, was resumed late in May.

(iii) The period from June 1945 to date of which five months were spent in protracted negotiations between the Italian Government and the French; negotiations which have resulted so far in the loading of only 7,000 tons of phosphate rock, but which provide for a further 93,000 tons to be shipped by the end of February 1946.

2. In order to present clearly the progressive steps by which the current agreement was reached, it is considered necessary to outline briefly below the salient events of the first two phases mentioned in para.1 above, and to recount, chronologically and in rather greater detail, the actual negotiations during the third phase.

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It should be mentioned that the financial arrangements were not covered by a commercial agreement

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but by an exchange of letters between UKCC, North Africa, and the French authorities in Algiers, in the course of which it was arranged that the total value of the phosphate to be delivered up to the end of the year, charged at agreed prices, should be debited to Italy in the Italian/French Memorandum account and that the "agreement" could be cancelled immediately and at any time by either the seller or the buyer, except for the ships loading.

ii) January 1945 to June 1945

Deliveries of phosphate rock, in accordance with the exchange of letters to which reference has already been made, continued smoothly until March of 1945, when advice was received that pending an agreement on the upward revision of prices, the French Government had ordered the suspension of shipments.

On April 7, 1945, a meeting was arranged between the French Commercial Attaché, several representatives of the Italian Government, and two members of Allied Commission for the purpose of discussing the establishment of a contract which would enable shipments of phosphate rock to be resumed.

At this meeting it was decided that the Italians should make a firm bid for 100,000 tons of phosphate rock for the period Aprile '45 through June '45 at a price of 800 lire per ton f.o.b. (against the old, precontract price of 618 lire per ton).

The French Commercial Attaché undertook to cable the Italian proposal to Paris and notify the result within two or three days.

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The governing factor in settling the terms of the contract were :

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PART I

a) QUANTITY : French records available showed the following position :

100,000 tons allocated to Italy by Washington
36,500 tons shipped up to 31 of December 1944

63,500 tons balance at 1 January 1945
39,400 tons shipped between 1 January 1945 and 30 April 1945.
24,100 tons balance of allocation still to be shipped.

b) PRICE : The French stated that the increased prices came into force as from 1 January 1945 and that therefore shipments made between 1 January and 30 April should be charged at the new prices.

The contract, drawn up to conform with the above facts for the undelivered balance as at 1 January of 63,500 tons was signed on 17 May 1945. This was to complete the quantity of phosphate rock under allocation, it being stipulated that the tonnage shipped since 1 January (39,400 tons) would be applied against the total. This left a balance of 24,100 tons to be shipped before 30 June 1945 which was duly done.

During the early part of the year, the French had been making enquiries for a supply of Italian pyrites though, at that time, there was no suggestion that the pyrites was in any way connected with, or contingent upon, the supply of phosphate rock. On 13 April, the CFB and CRMB confirmed that Italy should meet French requirements for pyrites, which were interpreted to be about 50,000 tons.

iii) June 1945 to Date

After the conclusion of the phosphate contract on 17 May, the Italians immediately gave consideration to the further supplies which they would require after the expiration of the contract, while the French pursued their enquiries for pyrites. The French asked for 100,000 tons of pyrites and [illegible] authorized to obtain

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shipped.

b) PRICE : The French stated that the increased prices came into force as from 1 January 1945 and that therefore shipments made between 1 January and 30 April should be charged at the new prices.

The contract, drawn up to conform with the above facts for the undelivered balance as at 1 January of 63,500 tons was signed on 17 May 1945. This was to complete the quantity of phosphate rock under allocation, it being stipulated that the tonnage shipped since 1 January (39,400 tons) would be applied against the total. This left a balance of 24,100 tons to be shipped before 30 June 1945 which was duly done.

During the early part of the year, the French had been making enquiries for a supply of Italian pyrites though, at that time, there was no suggestion that the pyrites was in any way connected with, or contingent upon, the supply of phosphate rock. On 13 April, the CFB and CRMB confirmed that Italy should meet French requirements for pyrites, which were interpreted to be about 50,000 tons.

iii) June 1945 to Date

After the conclusion of the phosphate contract on 17 May, the Italians immediately gave consideration to the further supplies which they would require after the expiration of the contract, while the French pursued their enquiries for pyrites. The French asked for 100,000 tons of pyrites and, on 5 June were authorized to obtain 50,000 tons from Italy, while consideration would be given to their further needs.

On 13 June final estimates of the Italian phosphate rock requirements for July 1945 through June 1946 amounting to 700,000 tons were notified to the Combined Boards in MOC 171.

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On 21 June, the resultant allocation of 500,000 tons of rock from French North Africa to Italy was received in COM 127.

Accordingly, on 23 June, the French Embassy and the Italian Government were advised of this allocation and were recommended to arrange a contract without delay.

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On 9 July the increased allocation to France of Italian pyrites was confirmed to the Italian Government by A.C. which pointed out that the supply of phosphates from North Africa would be facilitated by

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reaching an agreement with the French Government regarding the pyrites and mercury in which they were interested.

On 10 July, Brig. Gen. McKinley, replying to the French Ambassador's letter of 3 July, confirmed that pyrites and mercury were available and that the Italian Government had been asked to take prompt steps to satisfy their requirements. Further, it was "assumed that no obstacle now stands in the way of agreement being reached for the supply of 500,000 tons of phosphate rock to Italy". (Appendix B).

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1) Delivery by the French, beginning 1 August of a first lot of 2/300,000 tons of phosphate

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2) Delivery by Italy, at least up to the same value as the phosphates, of commodities to be chosen among the following:

Pyrites	up to	100,000 tons
Mercury	up to	4,000 bottles
Bergamot Oil	up to	11-1/2 tons (balance still to be supplied out of 14 tons bought by Allied Commission for France).
Sulphur		quantity to be indicated further.

The significance of this letter can best be gauged by comparing the proposals apparently then agreable to the French Commercial Attache with the terms of the exchange arranged ultimately in October which, subject to a clause permitting price adjudication, gives phosphate rock a higher value per ton than pyrites.

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This arrangement was summarized by the Italian Prime Minister in a letter dated 22 August addressed to the Chief Commissioner of A.C. which is translated in full as Appendix E. An extract from this letter, which clearly states the Italian attitude, follows :

" In any case, not to delay the program of transport
" prepared by the Services of the Allied Commission,
" it has been decided, in agreement with the French

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" Delegation, to authorize at once the loading and
" transport of the phosphates from North Africa as
" well as of the Italian pyrites, while deciding that
" the negotiations for a definitive agreement would be
" actively carried on.
" For its part, the Italian Government has already
" ordered the Montecatini Co. that supplies pyrites,
" to be ready to load at Follonica - Portiglioni the
" 100,000 tons allotted to France, to assure the
" quickest possible delivery and make the best
" possible use of the shipping which will be available
" for this end. I hope that this mutual pledge will
" be considered satisfactory by the Allied Commission
" for the end it aims at ....."

This was acknowledged with satisfaction by the Chief Commissioner on 29 August.

Meanwhile, the Italian Government gave the necessary orders to the Montecatini Company to be prepared to load 100,000 tons of pyrites destined for France, and to ensure the quickest possible delivery according to the shipping which would be made available for the purpose.

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At this stage there was no doubt on the Italian side that the French would implement their undertaking of 20 August.

However, after 10 days, nothing further having been done by the French, it was necessary on the 31st of August for Allied Commission to write to their Commercial Attache, explaining the steps which had been taken by the Italian authorities to make the pyrites available, and requesting confirmation that similar action had been initiated by the French to authorize shipment of phosphate rock from North Africa.

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In a reply dated 5 September, the French Embassy stated that agreement had not been made on the phosphate-pyrites exchange, but that information was expected from Paris within a week. It was further stipulated that the pyrites should be moved before the end of the year, but no definite information about quantities and destination was given. (Appendix F.).

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This was the first direct intimation to Allied Commission by the French that they were not proposing immediately to fulfil the undertaking which they had given at the 20 August meeting.

In the meantime, on 31 August, the American Embassy in Rome received a cable from the American Embassy in Paris from which it was clear that the French, being still actively concerned over the price of pyrites, had approached the American Embassy to use its good office.

The French explained that they were not prepared to pay the Italian price of 2400 lire per ton when they could buy Spanish pyrites, of admittedly inferior quality, at 700 lire per ton. The French had offered 800 lire per ton for Italian pyrites and inferred that this might be increased to 1050 lire per ton (paraphrase of cable No. 180 as Appendix G).

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Two days later, on 21 September, the French Embassy advised Allied Commission that the Italian Government had given a negative reply to the proposal outlined

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above. They recalled that the Italians had previously offered to ship pyrites without waiting for agreement on phosphate, and they stated that they no longer considered the purchase of pyrites to be linked to the sale of phosphate. Accordingly, they had officially requested the Italian Government to deliver the 100,000 tons of pyrites allocated by the Combined Boards, at a price of 800 lire per ton, while leaving the Italian Government free to refer to Washington for arbitration on the price to be paid. Furthermore, they undertook to obtain the details necessary for the submission to U.M.A. of a bid for shipping to start the pyrites moving (Appendix K).

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However, on 4 October, a letter was addressed to Allied Commission by the French Embassy in which it was reported that as the Italian Government were prepared to effect the exchange of pyrites and phosphates on the terms already described on 19 September, Rome now opposed the shipment of phosphates from North Africa except approval by Paris. (Appendix L)

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This arrangement was confirmed by the Italian Government with letter dated 5 October, in reply to which Allied Commission stated that the necessary shipping programme for phosphate rock was ready to pass to the shipping authorities as soon as the French should confirm that the loading ofphosphate rock had been authorized.

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Finally, on 7 November, a schedule of availabilities of phosphate rock, to the total of 100,000 tons over the period November 1945 to 28 February 1946, was received from the French Commercial Attache.

All necessary arrangements for the shipping and receiving of this quantity of rock have now been agreed between the Italian interests and the concerned Sub-Commissions of Allied Commission.

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The contract prices referred to above are:

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1208 lire per ton for 65/68% quality phosphate rock
1008 lire per ton for 63/65% quality phosphate rock
898 lire per ton for 58/63% quality phosphate rock

which shows that, unless there is an upward revision of the pyrites price, phosphate rock 58% quality/pyrites price ratio is now 1-1/8:1, whereas during the years 1935/1940 it varied between 1:1.72 and 1:2.5 with an average of 1:1.92.

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i. Whatever the price of pyrites may be ultimately, there will still be a large deficit out of the total allocation of 500,000 tons of phosphate rock.

ii. The problems of assuring for Italy an adequate supply of phosphate rock has only been solved temporarily and partially. It is vital for arrangements of greater scope to be made quickly.

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However, the incidental effects are more far reaching than this for, unless phosphate rock processing is available as an outlet for sulphuric acid, it will be impossible to operate most of the chamber and sulphuric acid plants. This lack of sulphuric acid, in turn, penalizes many local chemical concerns who obtain their sulphuric acid from the surplus product of plants operating chiefly to supply the phosphate rock plants.

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APPENDIX "A"

Temporary Government

French Delegation to
the Advisory Council for Italy Rome, 3 July 1945

No. 628

Dear Admiral,

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I acknowledge this communication, and I have the honour of confirming that, on its side, the French Government has no objection against beginning such negotiations.

On the other hand, the Foreign Trade Sub-Commission informed our Commercial Adviser that the Combined Boards have already allotted Italy for the period going from July 1st 1945 to June 30th 1946, a contingent of 500,000 tons phosphates. It insisted on the interest there was in promptly concluding the contract relative to this supply, this for shipping reasons.

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s/d S.M. COUVE DE MURVILLE

Admiral STONE
Chief Commissioner
A.C.

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APPENDIX B

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ECONOMIC SECTION

ERG/eeh

Ref. AC/5127/F/Commerce 10 July 1945

My dear Mr. Ambassador,

Your letter of 3 July, No. 628, addressed to Admiral Stone, has been passed to me for action.

I am enclosing copy of a letter, dated 5 July, from which it will be seen that the question of the supply of 100,000 tons of pyrites has already been under consideration. Instructions have now been sent to the Ministry of Industry and Commerce that they should honor orders received from you to the extent of 100,000 tons.

In regard to the question of mercury, this is a matter for free negotiations between your representative and the Italian Government and it is understood that sufficient availability exists to fill the French requirements.

In view of the above, it is assumed that no obstacle now stands in the way of agreement being reached for supply of the 500,000 tons of phosphate rock allocated to Italy.

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Yours very truly,

s/d E.B. McKinley
Brigadier General, USA
Acting Vide President
Economic Section

H.E. Couve de Murville
French Delegation
Rome

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APPENDIX "C1"

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY & COMMERCE
Dir. Gen. Commercio Estero
Serv.II - Div.II

Rome, 21st July 1945

Ref. : 20595

SUBJECT : Supply of iron pyrites to France

TO : Commercial Delegation, French Embassy, Rome

In reply to letter 829-111-2 of 11 July 1945,

Reference is made to a/q letter with which your Delegation while communicating the allotment made to France of a quantity of 100,000 tons of Italian iron pyrites, asked to be informed of the price of such goods and of provisions this Ministry intend to take for a prompt delivery of same.

As to the first querry, please be informed that the Soc. An. Montecatini have stated to be ready to supply iron pyrites with 46% sulphur and 43% iron contents, practically free from arsenic, copper, lead and zinc, at the price of about 2,700 lire per ton FOB by 1,500 up to 1,800 maximum tonnage vessels, to be loaded at the sailing stage of Follonica-Postiglione.

As however the Soc.An. Montecatini in addition to the export of pyrites is interested also in the import of rock phosphates from French North Africa, it is their intention to tie the above pyrites price with that fixed in the contract of last May for rock phosphates so that the present ratio (1 of pyrites equal to 3 of phosphates) be maintained also for the future.

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SUBJECT : Supply of iron pyrites to France

TO : Commercial Delegation, French Embassy, Rome

In reply to letter 829-111-2 of 11 July 1945,

Reference is made to a/q letter with which your Delegation while communicating the allotment made to France of a quantity of 100,000 tons of Italian iron pyrites, asked to be informed of the price of such goods and of provisions this Ministry intend to take for a prompt delivery of same.

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consideration the respective prices, to each quantity of pyrites will correspond a triple quantity of rock phosphate.

As soon as the French Government declare their agreement on the above, necessary steps will be taken, in conjunction with the competent Allied Authorities, to assure the sea transport of the minerals in question.

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922-III-2-f 26 July 1945

FROM : LOUIS GABRIEL
Commercial Attaché French Embassy.

TO : Mr. CARAVALE
General Manager Foreign Trade
Ministry of Industry, Commerce & Labour
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From this letter, in which price and terms of delivery provided for the sale of 100,000 tons of pyrites to France are officially communicated for the first time, it appears that some misunderstandings have occurred and that our conversations during these last weeks, contrarily to my hopes, have not contributed to clarification.

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I thought it useful to specify these points as an answer to the assertion contained in the letter addressed on July 9th to the Allied Commission which do not appear to tell the exact story of the queried

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conversations.

I further stated that it seems difficult to me for these dealings to be continued if, from the Italian side, it should be tried to make the Allied Commission and the French Government dosagree on a matter whose solution now depends upon the conversations engaged between the French and the Italian Governments. Since our first meeting with Mr. Grazzi I pointed out that we could not agree upon certain conditions to be put in advance, as the above mentioned letter from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs seemed to entail. This has been cleared in so far it was no question of conditions but of a declaration of the Italian standpoint. Conversations could therefore be continued and a larger meeting could be held on July 13th. During this meeting I have insisted on the difficulties we would meet should the Italians ask first for settlement of balance of Algiers accounts and after that for a strictly balanced trade. I was convinced that Mr. Grazzi was aware of these difficulties and that he considered sufficient, failing an immediate settlement, a guarantee to be given by the French Government as to the possibility for Italy to make use later on of the memorandum-account balance for payment of French goods and for other payments in francs authorised by the Allied Commission. The fact that the exact amount of the balance could not yet be established and that its final utilisation is provided by para 4 of memorandum account, text of which has been communicated to you, did not leave me any other interpretation.

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Pyrites	up to	100,000 tons
Mercury	" "	4,000 bottles
Bergamot	" "	11 tons ½ (balance still to be supplied against 14 tons bought by AC for France).

Sulphur, quantity to be indicated further by Italian Government.

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TRANSLATION APPENDIX "C3"

AMBASSADE DE LA REPUBLIQUE FRANCAISE EN ITALIE

Ref. No. 928 I/A

Subject : Commercial Exchanges between France and Italy.

To : Maj. H.A. GENT
Director of Commerce S/C
Allied Commission
ROME

From : Louis Gabriel
Commercial Counsellor
Chief of French Economic Services in Italy

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At last the Allied Commission judged that the explanations given were sufficient and on 9 June informed Mr. Gronchi that nothing any longer impeded direct negotiations with France and on the same date advised Mr. Couve de Murville, of the fact.

On 4 July only, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs expressed their wish to negotiate. 4431

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Although conversations between the representatives of the competent Italian Ministries and myself took place on 11 and 13 July, a positive offer for delivery of the 100,000 tons of Pyrites was only formulated on 21 July with a letter, copy of which is enclosed, the contents of which, far from facilitating the conclusion of a provisional agreement, laid down some conditions of principle which, if maintained, would have risked compromising completely the resumption of trade exchanges.

This simple statement shows that, contrary to their assertions, the Italians have not displayed any promptness in starting negotiations with France and also that the difficulties which happen are caused by them and not by us.

Many times during the conversation I had with you and with the Chiefs of Finance Sub-Commission I drew the attention of Allied Commission to the delays caused by the Italians.

I decline therefore in the most formal manner any responsibility for the delays which may happen in the delivery of rock phosphates. We have given this deal all our care and this has not been the case on the part of the Italians, as on 21 July only they decided to offer officially the pyrites which we have unquestionally the right to receive, we too without delay, if we deliver the rock phosphates.

It is therefore on the attitude which the Italians decide to adopt that will depend the delivery of the rock phosphates.

S/d LOUIS GABRIEL

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APPENDIX "D"

655/103/tn/3

21 August 1945

Dear Mr. Ambassador,

I am seriously concerned by the fact that up to the present your Government has not yet reached an agreement with the Italian Government on the import of phosphate rock from North Africa and the export of Italian products to France during the year July 1945 to June 1946.

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It will be clear to you that a program cannot be arranged until agreement has been finally reached between your Government and the Italians.

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APPENDIX "E"

The President of the Council of Ministers

No. 588

Rome, 23 August 1945

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4 - I hope that this mutual pledge will be considered satisfactory by the Allied Commission for the ends it aims at, and I beg you, my dear Admiral, kindly to issue orders for the loading and transport of the phosphates to be carried out as fast as possible, to make up for the time that has been wasted, in the interest of Italian

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agriculture which urgently requires phosphate fertilizers.

Believe me,

Your very truly,

s/d Ferruccio Parri

Admiral Ellery W. STONE
Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
Rome

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APPENDIX "F"

DELEGATION FRANCAISE
AU CONSEIL CONSULTATIF
POUR LES AFFAIRES ITALIENNES

Rome, 5 Sept. 1945

Ref. No. 1199/11/2/f

Subject : Transport of 100,000 tons of pyrites to France

TO : HQ Allied Commission
(Attn: Maj. Saul)

1. The contemplated French ports for the landing of pyrites are: Sète - Lestaque - Saint-Louis-du-Rhône - Port-de-Bouc.

2. The pyrites will have to be delivered before the end of the year.

3. The definite designation of ports and the appointment of quantities to be landed in each of those finally chosen will depend on the rate of loadings.

4. The above statements are given only for information as the agreement concerning the pyrites-phosphate rock exchange has not yet been reached. I think however that a final reply will be obtained from Paris within a week.

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S/d (Illegible)

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PARAPHRASE

Telegram No. 180, August 29, from American Embassy, Paris received August 31. The Embassy discussed informally with the Ministry of National Economy on August 25 difficulties encountered in arranging exchange deal of phosphate rock from Tunisia against pyrites from Italy and asked U.S. to extend its good offices. Embassy officers after listening to the story told the French officers that they would submit a report to the State Department on a basis of 1200 francs, while price of Spanish pyrites is 350 francs and Portuguese 320 per metric ton. Due to quality differentials, Italian pyrites are 40 to 50 francs above Spanish. The French explained the Italian argument on basis that the phosphate-pyrite price ratio before the war was 3.5, meaning that Tunisia phosphate at 450 francs would make Italian pyrites 1575 francs. The french argued that pre-war price ratio is 1.17, making pyrites 527 francs. The French say they will pay 400 francs, but inferred that this might be increased to 525.

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FOR ACTION AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC RPTD UK BASE SECTION LONDON FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FOR FHGEG RPTD TROOPERS FOR MWT

No. 5499 15 September ROUTINE

Confidential

This is MCC 298.

Subject is allocation to Italy Rock Phosphate for year July 45 June 46.

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Para 6. Italian accept French price of phosphate but Italian price of pyrites is not acceptable to French.

Para 7. May action be taken by you to start shipment of phosphates from Tunisia or other sources of supply.

Copy to: Economic Section

NICHOLAS FIOMBINO
CWO,USA
Asst.Adjutant

From : Commerce S/C
Maj. GREEN

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APPENDIX "I"

DELEGATION FRANCAISE
AU CONSEIL CONSULTATIF
POUR LES AFFAIRES ITALIENNES

Rome, 19 Sept. 1945

HQ ALLIED COMMISSION
Commerce Sub-Commission
Foreign Trade Div.
Import Dept.

(Attn: Maj. Saul)

Subject : Import into Italy of North African phosphates and export of Italian pyrites to France.

1. Please find enclosed the note asked for yesterday by Maj. Saul on the telephone.

2. So far as the Italian pyrites are concerned, I have to inform you that my Government desires that the importation into France should be effected before the end of the present year.

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PART II

Appendix "J"

FRENCH AMBASSADOR TO ITALY
The Commercial Attaché

NOTE FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION

Subject : Supply of North African phosphatic for Italy.

1. The french point of view in the matter of delivering the 500,000 tons of North African phosphates the import of which into Italy has been adjudged necessary by the Combined Boards, can be summarised as follows :

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5. This price, having been judged prohibitive, the Italians reduced it to 1.200 francs.

6. This reduction was not considered sufficient in view of the fact that Spanish, Portughese and Swedish pyrites are actually imported into France at prices varying between 330 and 350 francs per ton. Taking into account at the same time these prices and the superior quality of Italian pyrites, the French Government has offered to purchase the latter at 400 francs per ton.

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8. The French Government has accepted this suggestion and has informed the Italian Government that in exchange for the 100,000 tons of pyrites, Italy could receive a quantity of phosphates equivalent in value to that of the pyrites.

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Rome, 19 Sept. 1945

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PART I

APPENDIX "K"

TRANSLATION OF LETTER FROM THE FRENCH EMBASSY TO HQ ALCOM

21 September 1945

SUBJECT : Export to France of Italian Pyrites.

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3. In these circumstances, this Embassy obviously is not under any obligation to tie up a purchase of pyrites with the sale of phosphates.

4. The present situation is therefore as follows:

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6. As a result, this Embassy undertakes immediately to gather the information which the Allied Commission needs to ask UMA to implement the program of shipments of the 100,000 tons of pyrites assigned to France.

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PART I

APPENDIX "L"

AMBASSADE DE LA REPUBLIQUE FRANCAISE
EN ITALIE

Rome, 4 October 1945

Le Conseiller Commercial

No. 1.446.IV-2

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Commerce Sub-Commission
Foreign Trade Division
Import Department
Rome

SUBJECT : Supply of North African Phosphates to Italy

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4. This last information will be passed to you as soon as received.

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PART II

Translation of the Italian claim for the upward revision of the provisional price of 800 lire per ton of Italian pyrites as provided for in the Italian/French agreement for the exchange of Italian pyrites and Tunisian phosphate rock.

The price relation between pyrites to be supplied to France and phosphates which have been supplied to Italy arises from the fact that compulsory quotas have been fixed by Washington for both Category "A" commodities, entailing reciprocal payment.

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By comparing the above data and considering the average price lately applied for phosphates by the French sellers, a direct quotation is arrived at for our pyrites of about L.2218 (92.64 : 198 = 1038 : X). (AC NOTE.SEE para 4 of PART III of this Airgram).

On such basis our proposals were put forward which, besides being referred to the new price of Tunisia phosphates, also correspond to the actual cost of new production pyrites. On the same basis the resumption of supplies to Swiss clients was also negotiated and concluded. (AC NOTE.ACTUALLY at 2400 lire per ton).

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In any case, even if the examination of price relation between phosphates and pyrites were extended to longer periods, the conclusion is arrived at that such relation has always been very near to 1 ton of pyrites to 2 tons of phosphates. In fact, if f.o.b. prices of Tunisia phosphates and Italian pyrites are considered for the years 1935 - 1940, the resulting ratios are as follows:

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	Italian %	Spanish %
S	47 - 48	47 - 48
Fe	44 - 44.5	43 - 44
Cu	0.02 - 0.03	0.50 - 0.60
As	0.02	0.22
Pb	0.12 - 0.15	0 - 1.10
Zn	0.08	1

The As percentage is so high in Spanish pyrites that they are thereby classified as "arsenical", and for this reason the resulting acid can be used only for the production of fertilizers, to the exclusion of industrial applications.

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Besides, the presence of copper, lead and zinc makes desulphurization more difficult, in as much as sulphur remains alloyed to the above mentioned metals and thereby a loss in sulphur takes place corresponding to about 2/3%; this does not occur with Italian pyrites for which the loss can be reckoned as 0.5% at the most.

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PART III

Allied Commission's Recommendations on the Establishment of a Price for Italian Pyrites.

1. It will be apparent, from the outline of the negotiations between France and Italy for the exchange of Tunisian phosphate rock against Italian pyrites, that the supply of phosphate rock by France was considered to be strictly contingent upon the supply of pyrites by Italy. Since this consideration was common to both negotiating parties, it is believed that the respective values of the two commodities may be considered fairly on a ratio basis. The relevant prices of phosphate rock and pyrites for past years, as given in the Italian presentation of their case (Part II of this Airgram), are based on fact. The current phosphate rock prices are accepted by the Italians. Therefore, there is justification for the Italian claim that the price of pyrites should be very much higher than the provisional price of 800 lire per ton, which is now referred to you for revision.

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worth 1910 lire per ton, which is very considerably less than the price which the Swiss have recently agreed to pay for the same material.

3. With regard to the Italian case, Allied Commission are not of the opinion that a comparison between the 1940 price of pyrites and the 1940 price of 65/68% phosphate rock can be applied rightly to the 1945 average price of the three qualities of phosphate rock in order to arrive at the value of pyrites, (as has been done in the early part of the Italian case, Part II of this Airgram).

4. Allied Commission recommend that the pyrites price should be 1910 lire per ton which is based on the reasonable ratio quoted in para.2 above.

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Commerce (Foreign Trade) Sub-Commission
Rome, Italy

NOTES ON ITALIAN FOREIGN TRADE

PART I : INTERNATIONAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS 11 December 1945

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TABLE 1.

BELGIAN PRODUCTS TO BE EXPORTED TO ITALY

BELGIAN PROPOSALS -

Goods	Quantities (M. tons) (figures are approximate)	Value (000 Belgian francs)
Products of the iron and steel industry.	6,000	24,000
Zinc-white	1,000	14,000
Glassware	3,500	52,000
Glassware of Val. St. Lambert	30	1,000
Glasses and other glass articles (gobeleteries)		2,000
Machine tools	1,000	40,000
Textile Machinery	900	50,000
Machine and tools	100	10,000
Hunting guns		10,000
Iron rolled sheets	2,000	20,000
Iron drawn sheets	500	4,000
Telephones	15	5,000
Other products of the iron & steel industry viz:		
Wires and nails	1,000	
Cables, springs and malleable cast iron.	100	-
Galvanized and mechanical casks, electrodes.	-	-
Products for the radiography, cinematography, graphical and photographical industries:		
finished	280	30,000
unfinished	20	3,000
Sundry chemicals	-	16,000
APPROXIMATE TOTAL		281,000

Goods	Quantities (M. tons)	Value (000 Belgian francs)
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Products of the iron and steel industry.	6,000	24,000
Zinc-white	1,000	14,000
Glassware	3,500	52,000
Glassware of Val. St. Lambert	30	1,000
Glasses and other glass articles (gobeleteries)		2,000
Machine tools	1,000	40,000
Textile Machinery	900	50,000
Machine and tools	100	10,000
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ITALIAN PROPOSALS

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Shelled almonds	300	39,000
Hazelnuts	100	10,000
Nuts	50	3,500
Pistachios	1	230
Licorice roots	200	4,000
Licorice juice	200	40,000
Medicinal plants	100	6,000
Juniper berries	100	4,500
Nonoleaginous seeds for meadows (Luzerne seeds)	50	8,500
Nonoleaginous seeds for orchards	50	25,000
Laurel leaves	20	600
Mustard seeds	100	3,000
Sumac	500	20,000
Wines	1,500	90,000
Vermouth	200	40,000
Essential oils	2.5	5,000
Citrus fruits juices	100	2,000
Fruits and citrus fruits pulps	1,000	30,000
Raw Hemp	500	35,000
Raw hemp tow	200	7,000
Hat felts	200,000 units	70,000
Felt hats for gentlemen	30,000 units	18,000
Felt hats for ladies	20,000 units	14,000
Straw hats	10,000 units	3,000
Raw marble	4,000	40,000
Sulphur	1,000	8,000
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Goods	Quantities (M. tons)	Value (000 Belgian francs)
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Artificial dyes, viz: blue hydrons (alloy of lead and sodium) - sulphur blue - sulphur black - vat colors.	300	60,000
Chromium and direct acid colors.	500	1,500
Benthonite	200	800
Graphite	1,500	3,000
Pumice stone	3,000	4,200
Barium sulphate	1,000	1,500
Talc	500	1,100
Earth-colors	3,000 units	18,000
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Coffee
Farinaceous foods
Hides and boots
Trockas, madrepore, koroze for buttons
Buttons made of dum-palm core, trockas or madrepore.
(the above commodities are available in considerable quantities and at reasonable prices.)

Minor products such as : matches, beer, artificial wines, liquors, glassware, earthenware, bones mucilage, euphorbia, timber, and other less important goods.

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There is a fair demand in Eritrea for these imports.

In Egypt, on the contrary, there are considerable available funds in appreciated currencies and the following imports from Italy would therefore be in great demand.

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Wine (Castelli Romani, Chianti), vermouth, liquors
Citric Acid
Murano glasswork, chinaware, earthenware, artistic ceramics
Covers and cutlery
Natural silk threads; silk, rayon, wool, cotton, linen and hemp stuffs.
Leather gloves
Perfumes
Hats
Sicilian bergamot

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To effectuate the above transactions it is necessary to take into account the present shipping difficulties.

In this connection, it is suggested that non-perishable commodities be shipped to Ismailia (Egypt) using the monthly ship operated by the Italian Government for supplying the Italian ships interned at Ismailia. From there the goods could be transferred by railway up to the rail-head and then re-shipped to Massawa by the Knedivial Company liners.

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the Italian Ministry of Commerce and letter No. 42736/834 of 10 November 1945. The names of the Italian mills selected for this manufacturing will be furnished as soon as discussions with the industrialists regarding terms of production etc. are concluded.

All the above transactions, though resulting in a certain amount of personal profit, are very vital for the resumption of trade and commercial relations between Italy and other countries.

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SECTION : THE NETHERLANDS

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Netherlands exports :

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Electrical material	" "	350,000
Flower bulbs	" "	100,000
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SECTION : POLAND

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Recently, an Italian Trade Mission visited Warsaw to discover whether Poland was prepared to supply some of the coal required. The Mission ascertained that Poland is in a position to supply 720,000 tons yearly and that it is technically possible to move such coal into Italy.

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The commodities offered to Poland are shown in attached tables.

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TABLE 1

ITALIAN COMMODITIES TO BE EXPORTED TO POLAND

GOODS	QUANTITY (metric tons)
Lemons	12,000
Oranges	7,000
Tangerines	1,000
Almonds (shelled)	300
Hazelnuts (shelled)	150
Pistachios (shelled)	0.5
Pinones (shelled)	2
Walnuts	10
Fruit pulps	1,000
Essential oils	3
Almond oil	25
Citrus juices	50
Licorice root	5
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Medical herbs	20
Orris	5
Juniper berries	10
Monoleopincus seeds	50
Lucerne seeds and others	10
Mustard seed	10
Sumac	20
Raw cork	50
Raw silk	40
Silk waste yarn	30
Silk fabrics	1
Goods of celluloid, bakelite, and other plastic materials.	10
Pipes	1
Brushes and paint brushes	10
Zinc minerals	10,000
Mercury	25
Sulphur	500
Pumice stone	100
Magnesium sulphate	50
Marble	1,000
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Rice straw	-
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Wine	1,500	hectoliters
Vermouth	1,000	hectoliters
Accordions	300	units
Citrus peels	50	

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TABLE 2

ITALIAN COMMODITIES TO BE EXPORTED TO POLAND

Tractors.
Diesel motors, gas motors, turbines.
Optical instruments.
Nautical and navigation instruments.
Apparatus for luminous projections.
Measuring apparatus and instruments.
Low powered electric motors.
Pumps (motor-pumps and hand-pumps).
Electric apparatus for autovehicles.
Telephone and telegraph apparatus.
Apparatus for cinema projectors (talking), for radio-telephony, for radio-telegraphy, (receiving and transmitting), and spare parts for same.
Typewriters.
Calculating machines, adding machines etc.
Sewing machines.
Machines for mills and paste-making establishments.
Machines for brick manufacture.
Registrators and spare parts.
Machines for spinning, weaving, knitting etc.
Machine tools (lathes, trepans, milling-machines, planing-machines etc.)
Presses, mallets and hydraulic-hammers.
Steam generating boilers.
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Electric locomotives, motor driven engines (tramway and railway etc.)
Railway wagons (open and closed)
Naval constructions in general

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SUBJECT : Italo-Soviet Trade Negotiations

Reference is made to Allied Commission's note AC/5127/A/Commerce, dated 20 November 1945.

During the exchange of views which has taken place between the Italian ambassador in Moscow and the Soviet Government, the possibility of a resumption of Italo-Soviet trade relations has been considered.

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Commerce (Foreign Trade) Sub-Commission
Rome, Italy

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Copper	200 Tons
Shoes	3,000,000 Lire
Okoumé wood	4,000 Tons
Cocoa	400 Tons
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Cordage and hemp	50 Tons
Stuffs for panels	1,000 Tons
Essential oils and essences	50 Tons
Citric acid	50 Tons
Orchard seeds	50 Tons
Meadow seeds	40 Tons

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Figures listed are not firm. Confirmation has been requested.

In addition to the above items for which allocations have been requested, the Italian Government has negotiated for the supply, by Spain, of 8,000 to 10,000 tons of colophony (rosin). Allied Commission is unable to agree to this proposal owing to the critical world shortage. The British Commercial Attaché in Madrid has informed the Italian Commercial Attaché in Madrid that there would be objection to the export of colophony (which was already known), cocoa, and fish in oil.

It is not known whether this view will be confirmed by the Combined Boards but when application for allocation is made to Washington, a decision will be communicated to AC.

However, there is in London a rosin working group, under the auspices of the Ministry of Supply, on which are representatives of the chief European rosin-consuming countries. Their function is to allocate available supplies on an equitable basis. They work with the approval and cooperation of the Combined Raw Materials Board in Washington to whom they are subordinate in that any allocation must be formally confirmed by the Board.

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Commerce (Foreign Trade) Sub-Commission
Rome, Italy

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SECTION : SWEDEN

A trade agreement for a period of six months, renewable for further periods of six months unless terminated by either party at one month's previous notice, has been approved by the Swedish Government. The Italian and Swedish Governments are signing the agreement, which will become immediately effective, subject to the undertaking NOT to move any RCL items unless and until the allocations are made by the Combined Boards. Settlement of the old Italo-Swedish clearing has been postponed to a later date.

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See attached table 1 and table 2 concerning Italian and Swedish goods.

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TABLE 1

SWEDISH COMMODITIES TO BE IMPORTED INTO ITALY

GOODS	QUANTITY	VALUE (millions of kronor)
Iron and steel		4.5
Machinery, tools and precision instruments		4.5
Wood for packing		0.25
Insulation panels		0.25
Mechanical wood pulp, dried		0.5
Rayon cellulose	44,000 tons	26.0
Noble cellulose	2,000 tons	
Paper cellulose	15,000 tons	
Paper and paper board		3.5
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TABLE 2

ITALIAN COMMODITIES TO BE EXPORTED TO SWEDEN

GOODS	Semi-annual Quantity (in tons)	VALUE (in kronor)
Oranges	5,000	
Lemons	2,000	
Citrus fruit in brine	100	
Fruit pulps	250	
Orange peels	80	
Almonds	500	
Shelled hazelnuts	500	
Flower seeds	20	
Straw braids	10	
Licorice root	50	
Orange juice	100	
Wine, vermouth and liqueurs	3,000	
Asbestos fibre	50	
Talc	100	
Pumice stone	500	
Citric Acid	100	
Tartaric Acid	100	
Salt	10,000	
Chemicals		100,000
Almond oil	10	
Lemon oil	10	
Other volatile oils	5	
Cork	50	
Hemp	800	
Silk yarn	20	
Rayon	350	
Hemp yarn, string and cordage	10	
Artificial and natural silk tissues	350	
Tissues made entirely of fiocco or containing cotton, wool or hemp and tissues of pure cotton	350	
Hemp tissues	10	
Stockings and "bonnetteries" made of silk, rayon, and cotton	60	
Mens' hats made of hair and wool	40,000 units	
Ladies' hats and hairfelts	40,000 units	
Marble slates and panels	2,000	

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Earthenware			10,000
Glassware			10,000
Quicksilver	100		
Teleprinters			100,000
Motor-car spare parts			100,000
Typewriters and spare parts	10		
Accounting machines	5		
Other commodities			3,000,000

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Originator's Reference: 90172 CA16

Message Centre No: G/5970

Date / Time of Origin: DEC 201610A

Date Time Rec'd: DEC 201710A

Precedence: ROUTINE

DEC 21 1945

FROM: TROOPERS

TO : ALCOM ROME INFO: FREEDOM WASHINGTON (FOR CCA)

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PAT 194.

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(A) LAC Airgram 59 - 3 cases varnish (Item 23) and 2 cases (?glue?) (Item 122)

(B) LAC Airgram 60 - 10 sacks gum arabic (Item 21) and 33 drums Sodium Bichromate (Item 24)

DISTRIBUTION

ACTION DIRECTION: ECON SECTION 18
(CSO (6))
(SUPPLY GROUP)
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21 DEC 1945
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(MAJ H)

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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TO: For action AGWAR FOR OCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC Rptd WARGOF (LONDON)

FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT Rptd AFHQ FHGEG From HQ ALCOM

DEC 21 1945

Ref. No. 9452 Date: 20 December 1945 Precedence: PRIORITY

Secret.

This is MOC 415.

Reference FAN/621 of 29 Sept. 1945.

Subject is Subsistence Requirements Italian Interim Force.

1. Italian Government through Interministerial Committee for Reconstruction has agreed to use of YT Fund for purchase of subsistence requirements for Italian Interim Army and Carabinieri (Total 205,000) for period from December 1, 1945 to June 1, 1946. It is understood that action is being taken to block remainder of YT Fund necessary to cover this.

2. Basic monthly import requirements in metric tons for this Force are as follows:

Flour	2,703
Meat and Fish (Preserved)	540
Macaroni (Flour equivalent)	560
Vegetables (Dried)	360
Sugar	180
Coffee	90
Pepper	0.9

3. It is understood here that erroneous amounts were transmitted by Italian Govt. to the Italian Technical Mission. We suggest that this information (which Italian Government has agreed) be transferred to the Mission for immediate consideration and procurement action with your help. Procurement at the earliest practicable moment is necessary for the maintenance of this Force as well as repayment in kind against loans made for the month of December and possible future loans.

4. Procurement of those items possible from indigenous stocks and surplus stocks within the Theater is being and will be made. Allied Force Headquarters informs following available from US surplus stock, for payment by YT Funds:

Preserved meat/Fish	1,725 metric tons
Coffee	285 " "
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Any further availabilities here will be notified you so that procurement by Mission can be correspondingly reduced.

5. For your further information it is understood that Italian Govt. is planning subsistence requirements for Interim Army as well as for Navy of 40,000 and Air Force of 31,000. Calculations for all three Forces planned on daily ration scale as submitted by Ministries, with a 10 percent increase for eventual losses. The Plan as submitted covers one year period plus a two month reserve.

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6. Italian Govt. has been requested to confirm Plan as final. When this is received it will be forwarded to you.

7. Question of financing and procurement for this general subsistence plan for all Forces is acute as YT Funds are insufficient to cover it and as indigenous stocks cannot meet it without impairment of existing civilian ration and surplus military stocks available are insufficient.

8. Your confirmation of receipt of this message and action taken thereon is requested.

Office of Origin: Economic Section

Tel. No. 460

Originator's Signature: (CHARLES W. WALTON, COL)
Chief, Supply Group

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ACTION DIRECTION: Econ Sec 10
(CSC (6))
(Supply Gr.)
(Program Br.)
(Requisition Br.(2))

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INFO : Chief Commissioner
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CA US Rmb
AMLA (Land Forces S/C)
Air Forces S/C
Navy S/C

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

TO : FOR ACTION ACWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD WARC (LONDON)

FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FWDED FROM HQ ALCOM DEC 21 1945

Ref.N° : 9262 Date : 20 December 45 PRIORITY

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This is MOC 414.

Subject is coal charter parties.

1. Consider terms coal charter parties dated 14 September TD 47 James MCHENRY 8050 tons unacceptable as regards clause how to demurrage rate.

2. As yet only 6 Italian ports capable regularly discharging average 1000 tons daily.

3. Coal importers Savona claim for despatchmoney for time saved has been rejected by us.

4. Recommend where charters are used for affreightment contracts, demurrage and despatch clauses should be modified.

5. Allied Commission does not repeat not accept responsibility for demurrage payment and correspondingly does not desire despatch money but will continue as in the past to expedite discharging of all ships as quickly as possible.

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Office of Origin: Industry & Utilities S/C
Coal Division

Tel. N° : 332

Originators Signature :Col. H.M. WALKER

Authenticated:

G.J.LEONS
CWO USA
Asst.Adjt.

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(Supply Group)
(Program Dr.)
(Requisition Dr. (3))

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Food Agric SC 2
Ind Utilities SC 2
Coal Div 1
Tn SC 2

INFO : Chief Commissioner
Exec Comm 2
CC Dr.Emb
CA US Emb
WSA Rome
MWTR
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OUTGOING MESSAGE

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TO : AGWAR FOR ACTION FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC FOR INFO-WAROF

(LONDON) FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FHGEG FROM HQ ALCOM

Ref. Nº 9450 Date 20 December 1945 ROUTINE

DEC 20 1945

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This is MOC 413.

1. Reference your COM 336 received 15 December MOC 410 was transmitted to you as message 9188 on 11 December.

2. New subject. Please cancel MOC 337 which was not transmitted.

Office of Origin : Economic Section

Tel. Nº : 415

Originators signature : ELWOOD HOLSTEIN
Chief of Staff Officer

G.J. LECNE
CWO USA
Asst.Adjutant

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(CSO (6))
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(Requisition Br (3))

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INFO : Chief Commissioner
Exec Comm 2

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DEC 20 1945

MOC AIRGRAM 128: 19 December 1945

From : HQ AICOM

To : Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(For Combined Liberated Areas Committee)

Reference : CIAC I-218, COM 221 and 243

Subject : Supply of Agricultural Machinery

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Item No.	Description	Unit	Quantity
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2.	Draw-Bar HP 26-30 Diesel or Distillate motor, wide track, pulley, rear lights, 10% with power take-off.	ea.	42
3.	Draw-bar HP 40-50 Diesel Motor, wide track, pulley, rear lights, 10% with power take-off.	ea.	252
4.	Draw-bar HP 40-50 Diesel Motor, wide track, pulley, rear lights, 10% with power take-off.	ea.	126
5.	Draw-bar, HP 51-70, wide track, Diesel motor, pulley, rear lights, 10% with power-take-off.	ea.	252
6.	Draw-bar, HP 71-100, Diesel Motor, standard track, pulley, rear lights,		58

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Spare parts should be supplied for each type of tractor according to the manufacturer's recommendation, the cost not to exceed 5% of the price of the tractor.

Orders for these tractors should be sub-divided so that expenditure will be approximately the same for each of the following makes, which are already in use in Italy and which have a technical and commercial organization in Italy for distribution and servicing.

"Allis Chalmers", Allis Mfg. Co. Milwaukee, Wis.
"Caterpillar" , Caterpillar Tractor Co. Cleveland, O.
"Cletrac" , Cleveland Tractor Co. of the Oliver Corp Chicago, Ill.
"International" , International Harvester Co. Chicago Ill

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8.	Wheeled tractor, rubber tires, standard width, draw-bar, HP 30-40, Distillate motor, pulley, rear lights, 10% with power take-off	ea.	94
9.	Wheeled tractor, steel wheels, standard width, draw-bar HP 30-40, Distillate motor, pulley, rear lights, 10% with power take-off	ea.	186
10.	Wheeled tractor, rubber tires, standard width, HP 41-50, Distillate motor, pulley, rear lights, 10% with power take-off	ea.	94
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Item 2 (CIAC 218) were originally planned to operate as a unit but the Ministry of Reconstruction now states that there is no need to import plows.

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Originally, CIAC 1-218 called for 6000 tractors and 3100 plows which the Italian Delegation at Washington cancelled. 1400 mechanical plows and 1400 caterpillar tractors were later on reinstated for procurement.

The plows have again been cancelled and the 1400 caterpillar tractors subdivided as follows: 840 caterpiller and 560 wheel type

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In addition to tractors reinstated for procurement by Italian Technical Delegation, following cable 8 September from Ministry of Reconstruction to them, the Ministry of Reconstruction, by their letter, File 1049 of 29 October, to Italian Technical Delegation has instituted procurement of additional items outlined below.

Items 1-11 above are included in CIAC/I/218. The Items below are new requirements. It is requested that two-thirds of the mowers, Items 12 and 13, be equipped with reaping attachment, if available.

Item No.	Descriptions	Unit	Quantity
12.	Mower, cutter bar width 1,67 meters (five feet)	ea.	800
13.	Mower, cutter bar width 1,22 (four ft)	ea.	200
14.	Binder, traction drive, 6 ft. cutter bar	ea.	1,600
15.	Binder, traction drive, 5 ft. cutter bar	ea.	300
16.	Binder, traction drive, 8 ft. cutter bar	ea.	100
	(All binders should also run with power take-off)		
17.	Combine Harvester-self-propelled 5 to 8 ft. cut 6 ft. cut	ea. ea.	55
18.	Combined Harvester-standard type 15 ft. cut 10 ft. cut	ea. ea.	15 25

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14.	Binder, traction drive, 6 ft. cutter bar	ea.	1,600
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	15 ft. cut	ea.	15
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FROM: WAR CCS CITE CCAC

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION FOR CLAC INFO AFHQ FOR PHCEC AND
UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

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This is COM 348

Refer IOM AIRGRAM 91 December shipping program

1. Following boats have sailed :

BOAT NUMBER	NAME	CARGO	WEIGHT	PORT	SAILING DATE
237	LUTHER S.KELLEY	WHEAT	8213	PORTLAND OREGON	12/14.
269	FLOYD BENNETT	COAL	8196	HAMPTON ROADS	12/17
293	GEORGE B.PORTER	COAL	8170	MOBILE (T B NUMBER 2903 SCHEDULED TO SAIL DECEMBER 16 OR AS SOON AS CREW ASSEMBLED)	
325	JOHN HATHORN	BULK WHEAT	6919	BOSTON	12/17
280	W.B.ROGERS	COAL	8517	CHARLESTON	12/14

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CUT OFF DATE FOR ISSUES OF COMBINED CIVIL AFFAIRS SUPPLIES TO ITALY.

REFERENCE AGWAR WX-86356 AND TROOPERS 87505 BOTH OF 1 DECEMBER. IN

VIEW OF THM 690 ASSUME THAT PAST AND FUTURE LOAN OF CIVIL SUPPLIES BY

ITALY TO VENEZIA GIULIA/UDINE PENDING ARRIVAL UNDER THE MILITARY PROGRAMN

FOR THIS AREA WILL CONTINUE TO BE REPAID TO ITALY OUT OF SUCH ARRIVALS

AND ARE NOT PRECLUDED BY PARA 3 OF SUBJECT SIGNALS. REQUEST CONFIRMATION.

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FROM: CCS CITE CCAG FOR CLAC SIGNED HILLDRING

TO : ACTION: ALLIED COMMISSION

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Refer COM AIRGRAMS 75 and 91. November and December shipping program.

Para 1. Following boats have sailed:

BOAT NO.	NAME	CARGO	WEIGHT	PORT	SAILING DATE
143	ALBERT A MICHELSON	GENERAL	----	HOUSTON	12/6
212	DANIEL HUGER	BULK WHEAT	6737	BALTIMORE	12/14
320	LUIS MACUELLO	BULK WHEAT	7810	BALTIMORE	12/15
247	ABIEL FOSTER	COAL	8440	BALTIMORE	12/11
262	MICHAEL J. STONE	COAL	8021	HAMPTON ROADS	12/11
292	WILLIAM PROUSE	COAL	8096	MOBILE	12/12

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TO : ACTION: ALLIED COMMISSION INFO: AFHQ FOR FRGES AND UK BASE SECTION FOR
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This is COM 349. Refer MOC 407. Italian ships now in Argentina.

The following cable despatched December 12 from United Maritime authority Washington to Uma London gives present status of negotiations concerning employment Italian ships now in Argentina: "American Embassy Buenos Aires advises as follows." : Reurtel 1710, November 30. Italian Embassy and Flota state negotiations with Argentine Government regarding redelivery of vessels should be concluded shortly main difficulty at present being question compensation respect Rio Tercero ex Fortunstella sunk by German submarine. Coal bunkers sufficient reach St. Vincent will be supplied by Flota. Vessel readiness will be delayed by repairs. Following is estimated position Rio Gueleguay ex Venetto possible ready end December. Rio Tuece ex Voluntas and Rio Chico ex Perlorum possible end December but probably first half January. Rio Primero ex Cervino first half January. Rio Diamante ex Ines Corrado and Rio Atuel ex Maristella to be surveyed and inventoried early December. Rio Secundo ex Dante cannot be surveyed until completion last voyage for Flota and December. Readiness last three vessels estimated between last half January to middle February dependent upon repairs required.

Italian Embassy has submitted following proposed cargoes to United Maritime authority in London through local office United Kingdom shipping representative; 20000 tons gift wheat per month starting January through May delivery promised by Argentine Government. 30000 tons corn purchased by Italian Government for immediate

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Vessels will be operated by Italian Government with Italian crews which have been waiting this opportunity return to Italy. Italian Embassy suggest possible difficulty with crews if vessels do not sail for Italy with proposed cargoes."

In view deficiency Uma tonnage to meet UNRRA programs December especially grain program from Argentine for which five ships originally requested for November loading, we would suggest that any Italian vessels ready December for which gift wheat is not available be used to lift UNRRA wheat rather than corn, which could be covered by other Uma tonnage later. Of five wheat cargoes requested by UNRRA two are destined for Italy as specified in UMAWA/SEPC 24. Italian vessels could be nominated against this requirement thus avoiding crew difficulty anticipated if Italian vessels proceed to other than Italian destinations. Basic priority decision as between UNRRA wheat and corn should of course rest with Italian Government, but they may not be aware of deficiency of tonnage for UNRRA wheat. Please advise your decision allocation these vessels. Most desirable for other considerations that these ships be allocated to lift Italian requirements."

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ORIGINATOR'S REFERENCE : C 47745

DATE/TIME OF ORIGIN: DEC 181453A

MESSAGE CENTRE NO: 5850

DATE TIME REC'D: DEC 190930

PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

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FROM: AFHQ G-5

TO: AGWAR WASHINGTON FOR CCS FOR CCAC ,INFO: WAROF LONDON -ALCOM ROME-XIII CORPS

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THIS IS LAC 1328.Venezia Giulia Civil import programme 1946,coal requirement Reference Lac Airgram 139 appendix B.Amend para 1 to read as follows:

A	B	D	E	F	G
1	Nil	4.7	8.4	4.2	17.3
2	Nil	0.3	4.4	Nil	4.7
3	Nil	5.0	12.8	4.2	22.0
4	Nil	15.0	38.4	12.6	66.0
5	Nil	4.7	8.4	Nil	13.1
6	Nil	0.3	4.4	Nil	4.7
7	Nil	5.0	12.8	Nil	17.8
8	Nil	15.0	38.4	Nil	53.4
9	Nil	30.0	76.8	12.6	119.4

Para 2. Justification.

A. Gas requirement 3 hours per day.

B. Steam for Industry,Hospitals,Bakeries etc.

C. Household for space heating essential in wiew winter cold Venezia Giulia.

D. No coke , local rescurces sufficient.

E. No locomotive,Railway requirements included in overall Mrs programme for Italy

Para 3. Formal amendment OT lecair 139 and full justification follows in Lac Airgram 140.

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This is COM 345, abolition CRMB and CPRB.

Para 1. It has been publicly announced that CPRB and CRMB will terminate their activities as of December 30, 1945 and International Control of Commodities previously vested in CPRB and CRMB will be limited only to tin, rubber, hide, coal and textiles, this control to be vested in five independent committees. Specific definition of commodities to be controlled by these committees is expected to be as per last RCL, namely: (A) tin metal only, (B) rubber: natural rubber, natural latex, reclaimed rubber and Butyl (GR-I) synthetic rubber, (however reclaimed rubber may be removed in the near future), (C) hides, skins and leathers: raw cattle hides and raw calf and kidskins; all cattle, calf and kidleather; raw goatskins, in all goatskin leather; East Indian tanned kids; East Indian tanned goatskins; East Indian tanned sheepskins; pickled sheepskins and pickled lambskins (this last item added November 30, 1945 and not previously reported to AC), (D) coal and coke, (E) textiles: cotton bread woven goods, cotton yarn, cotton Seine twine, cotton fish nets.

Para 2. Italian participation in some of the above committees in which Italy is either a major consumer of producer under active discussion.

Para 3. Pending revision of current policies T.M 456 and T.M 640 as of January 1, 1946 category A will consist of items controlled by above committees as per para 1 and items remaining on RCL of combined food board (refer COM AIR 60 and 79) Pad Combined Food Boar continue operations for time being.

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DEC 18 1945

Ref. No. : I9352 Date:Dec 14.45. ROUTINE

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This is MOC 412.

Subject is ability receive wheat at Italian ports refer to MOC 387 dated 27 Nov.

1. Present maximum ability receive wheat 382.000 tons per month of which 1/6 should be bagged balance can be bulk.

2. Above maximum distributed among ports as follows:Figures are ~~000 tons~~ per month

GENOA	30
PIOMBINO/LIVORNO	Subject to Military permission to use
LIVORNO	20
CIVITAVECCHIA	25
NAPLES	57
REGGIO CALABRIA	16
CROTONE	16
BARI/BRINDISI/TARANTO	40
ANCONA	16
VENICE	60
SICILIAN ports	70
SARDINIA	12
Total	382

3. Above maximum capacity is qualified as follows:
(A) Reasonably equal distribution of ships over month is assumed.

(B) Maximum quantity wheat that can be received depends upon contemporary programs importation other bulk cargoes particularly coal because certain port and transportation facilities used in common.

Our figures represent reasonable maximum other import programs permitting. Therefore advisable all wheat programs be submitted here for advance approval.

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FROM: CCS WASHINGTON

TO : MORGAN FOR FHGEG INFO ALCOM (RAAC PASS) UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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THIS IS CALBONE 503.

CIVIL SUPPLIES ON MILITARY REQUISITIONS FOR ITALY AND AUSTRIA.

1. AREQ REFERRED FX 55778, 7 DECEMBER (LAR 1325) EXTENDED FOR APPLICATION AGAINST REQUISITION Z-70, PROGRAM A-10. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION SEE SPTAA OS 3646, 4 DECEMBER TO PENBASE.

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CATEGORY A EXPORTS ALLOCATIONS TO SWEDEN.
NO ACTION CAN BE TAKEN REQUEST MOC 39 PICL BECAUSE SWEDEN CAM WHICH IS CLAIMANT COUNTRY, HAS NOT SO FAR PRESENTED ANY REQUEST.
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This is COMM 338. Refer MOC 402,364,205,204

Hemp

Cordage fibers MANILA, sisal and HENE QUEN are only cordage fibers remaining on RCL. True hemp (cannabis sativa) deleted as of December 12, 1945. Deletion of manufactured goods advised to you with COM 321.

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TO ALLIED COMMISSION FOR ACTION. INFO: AFHQ FOR FHCEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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Thi is COM 343. Refer COM air 91. December sailings

1. Following boats have sailed:

BOAT NUMBER	NAME	CARGO	WEIGHT	PORT	SAILING DATE
59	ROBERT TOOMBS	COAL	8022	HAMPTONROADS	12/12.
82	JESSE APPLEGATE	COAL	8794	PENSACOLA	12/11
283	WILLIAM BREWSTER	COAL	8232	PENSACOLA	12/9

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FROM: WAR CCS CITE CCAC

TO : AC CLAC INFO AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

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THIS IS COM 344.

COTTON SHIPMENT LISTINGS PARA COM 331

1. PARTLY ANSWERS YOUR MOC 398. PACKING LISTS ON COKE TARE SHIPMENTS HAVE BEEN SENT SO FAR TO MINISTRY OF RECOSTRUZIONE BY ITALIAN DELEGATION. FROM NOW REPEAT NOW ON WILL BE SHIPPED TO YOU BY AIRGRAM AS SOON AS RECEIVED. PACKING LIST ON SHIPMENT MARKED OUSS ABBNER NASH, TB NUMBER 73, SENT BY COM AIRGRAM TODAY.

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TO: ALLIED COMMISSION. INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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THIS IS COM 342. COTTON SHIPMENT.

1). SS ALBERT A. MICHELSON, TB NUMBER 143, HAS SAILED DECEMBER 7 FROM HOUSTON WITH CARGO OF 4039 TONS RAILS ON YT-90, 114 TONS ROSIN ON YT-80, AND 9249 BALES OF COTTON ON YT-139. AND 147. IT ALSO HAS ABOARD 7251 BALES OF COTTON AGAINST YB-7.

2). COTTON SHIPMENT ON THIS BOAT IS IDENTIFIED WITH SYMBOL IPG FOLLOWING FIRST 2 LETTERS WHICH DENOTE GRADE AND STAPEL. THE PART OF THE CONSIGN, WHICH IS YT IS ALSO MARKED WITH YT LETTERS TO IDENTIFY IT CLEARLY AS TO CONSIGNEE.

COTTON BREAKDOWN AS FOLLOWS (LETTERS IDENTIFY GRADE AND STAPI FIGURE NUMBER OF BALES): YB CARGO -CA 1252, EH 3620, DA 1596, SB 783. TOTAL 7251 BALES. YT CARGO-BH 368, CH 63, CT 254, CU 120, CW 140, DH 1079, DT 378, DX 97, DU 2287, DW 218, EH 2090, SB 278. TOTAL 9249 BALES.

3). SHIP DESTINATION GENOA, BUT HOU MIGHT LATER DIVERT TO LEGHORN TO UNLOAD RAILS THERE ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED HERE BY ITALIAN MISSION.

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TO: ALLIED COMMISSION. INFO: AFHQ FOR FHCEC AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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THIS IS CCM 345. ABOLITION OF CRMB AND CPRB.

1. IT HAS BEEN PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED THAT CPRB AND CRMB WILL TERMINATE THEIR ACTICITIES AS OF DECEMBER 31 1945 AND INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF COMMODITIES PREVIOUSLY VESTED IN CPRB AND CRMB WILL BE LIMITED ONLY TO TIN, RUBBER, HIDES, COAL AND TEXTILES, THIS CONTROL TO BE VESTED IN 5 INDEPENDENT COMMITTEES. SPECIFIC DEFINITION OF COMMO--DITIES TO BE CONTROLLED BY THESE COMMITTEES IS EXPECTED TO BE AS PER LAST RCL, NAMELY:

(A) TIN METAL ONLY,

(B) RUBBER: NATURAL RUBBER, NATURAL LATEX, RECLAIMED RUBBER AND BUTYL (GR-I) SYNTHETIC RUBBER, (HOWEVER RECLAIMED RUBBER MAY BE REMOVED IN THE NEAR FUTURE),

(C) HIDES, SKINS AND LEATHER; RAW CATTLE HIDES AND RAW CALF AND KIPSKINS; ALL CATTLE, CALF AND KIP LEATHER; RAW GOATSKINS; ALL GOATSKIN LEATHER; EAST INDIAN TANNED KIPS; EAST INDIAN TANNED GOATSKINS; EAST INDIAN TANNED SHEEPSKINS; PICKLED SHEEPSKINS AND PICKLED LAMBSKINS (THIS LAST ITEM ADDED NOVEMBER 30 1945 AND NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED TO AC),

(D) COAL AND COKE, (_

(E) TEXTILES: COTTON BROAD WOVEN GOODS, COTTON YARN, COTTON SEINE TWINE, COTTON FISH NETS.

2. ITALIAN PARTICIPATION IN SOME OF THE ABOVE COMMITTEES IN WHICH

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(E) TEXTILES: COTTON BROAD WOVEN GOODS, COTTON YARN, COTTON SEINE TWINE, COTTON FISH NETS.

2. ITALIAN PARTECIPATION IN SOE OF THE ABOVE COMMITTEES, IN WHICH ITALY IS EITHER A MAJOR CONSUMER OR PRODUCER UNDER ACTIVE DISCUSSION.

3. PENDING REVISION OF CURRENT EXPORT POLICIES RAM 456 AND TAM 640 AS OF JANUARY 1 1946 CATEGORY A WILL CONSIST OF ITEMS CONTROLLED BY ABOVE COMMITTEES AS PER PARA 1 AND ITEMS REMAINING CONTROLLED BY ABOVE COMMITTEES AS PER PARA 1 AND ITEMS REMAINING ON BCL OF COMBINED FOOD BOARD (REFER COM AIR 62 AND 78). COMBINED FOOD BOARD WILL CONTINUE OPERATIONS FOR TIME BEING.

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TO ALLIED COMMISSION , INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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This is COM 341. Refer COM air 91. December shipping program

SS FILIPE DENEVE, TB number 329, sailed for ITALY from NEW YORK December 3 carrying 6900 tons wheat hilldring.

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TO AGWAR WASHINGTON, INFO: WAR OF LONDON ALCOM ROME XIII CORPS
FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

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This is LAC 1327. Ref CAL 1501, LAC 1320 and LAC 1321.

Programme of essential civil imports VENEZIA GIULIA and UDINE despatched to you in LAC airgram 139 dated 15 December. This covers requirements of coal, signal stores, food, POL, Public Health, textiles and shoes. Requirements of Agriculture, Industrial raw materials and transportation will follow later. Para 2. Advance notification of food requirements sent to you in LAC 1320. Request we may be advised what procurement action has been taken for JANUARY and FEBRUARY arrival. LAC 1320 para 7 refers. Para 3. textile requirements in LAC airgram 139 include bid for 15000 bales raw cotton, for manifacture of clothing. To prevent mills closing, 4000 bales totalling 920 metric tons and urgently required for JANUARY arrival. Request this may receive advance approval and procurement, and be shipped to TRIESTE consigned to ANG XIII corps.

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TO: ALLIED COMMISSION. INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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THIS IS COM 340. REFER MOC 400. CELLULOSE AND RAYON.
FOR REASON STATED IN COM 230 PARAGRAPH 1, CLEARANCE NO LONGER NEEDED FROM COMBINED BOARDS. APPROVAL OR DISAPPROVAL OF EXPORTATION OF ESSENTIAL ITEM RESTS WITH AC UNDER TAM C40, PARAGRAPH 1 A.

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This is Com 334.Refer Com Airgram 75.November shipping program cancellations and changes in TB numbers.

1. Following TB numbers have been cancelled and will not be substituted:general cargo 144,145,146,147.Wheat 209.Coal 176,177,184,186.
2. Following boats have been given new TB numbers to indicate that they apply on the December shipping schedule and not on November:

1 Old number	2 Ship Name	3 New number	4 Sailing date
185	SS Henry Watterson	245	Blank
188	SS Benjamin M Brewster	243	December 4
199	SS Richard P.Hobfon	270	December 5
201	SS Richard Randall	272	December 3
203	SS Anne Bradstreet	273	Blank
206	SS Nathan Hale	274	December 4

3. December loadings proceeding slowly due tonweather conditions,boxcarembergoes and tugboat strikes.Present indication is that Com Air 91 shipping schedule will not be met in full.January shipping schedule under interim program will be

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November and December sailings.

1. Following boats have sailed:tabulation reads in 6 columns as follows:

BOAT NO	NAME	CARGO	WEIGHT	PORT	SAILING DATED
289	WILLIAM H. DAVIS	COAL	8247	MOBILE	12/10
315	LINCOLN STEFFENS	WHEAT	5279	BALTIMORE	12/10
261	ROBERT S. BEAN	COAL	8320	HAMPTON RDS	12/8
207	JOSHUA HENEY	WHEAT	6280	ALBANY	11/29
213	ANNE BRADSTREET	COAL	7994	HAMPTON RDS	12/11
213	ROBERT HOWE	WHEAT	7995	BALTIMORE	12/10

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213	ROBERT HOWE	WHEAT	7995	BALTIMORE	12/10

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INFO: AFHQ FOR PHOEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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This is GCM 335.

November sailings.

Para 1. Following boats have sailed: TB-250 James W. Johnson from Baltimore on December 10 with 8.202 tons coal. TB-258 Isaak S. Hopkins from Hampton roads on December 10 with 8.138 tons coal. TB-290 James Gordon Bennett from Mobile on December 6 with 8.042 tons coal.

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INFO: AFHQ FOR EXCEC AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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This is CCC 335.

November sailings.

Para 1. Following boats have sailed: TB-250 James W. Johnson from Baltimore on December 10 with 8.202 tons coal. TB-258 Isaak S. Hopkins from Hampton roads on December 10 with 8.138 tons coal. TB-290 James Gordon Bennett from Mobile on December 6 with 8.042 tons coal.

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Originator's Reference: WGL 28782 Message Centre no:G/5572
DATE TIME of Origin:150930Z Date Time Rec'd: 150930
Precedence: ROUTINE

DEC 15 1945

FROM: CCS CITS CCAC FOR CLAC
TO: ALLIED COMMISSION . INFO: AFHQ FOR FHQEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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THIS IS COM 336. HIDES ALLOCATION DECEMBER.
1. 20,000 FOREIGN HIDES HAVE BEEN ALLOCATED TO ITALY AGAINST DECEMBER REQUIREMENTS. NO SPECIFIC ORIGIN HAS BEEN DESIGNATED AND THEREFORE JOINT HIDE CONTROL OFFICE IS READY TO CONSIDER FOR CLEARANCE OFFERS MADE TO ITALY ANY TYPE OF HIDES, DRYSALTED OR WETSALTED EXCLUDING FRIGORIFICO HIDES
2. ITALIAN GOVERNMENT SHOULD DECIDE PROMPTLY METHOD OF BUYING HIDES AGAINST THIS NEW ALLOCATION INSTRUCTING MISSIONS IN UNITED STATES AND UNITED KINGDOM.
3. CRMB AGREED ITALY SHOULD NOT TO BUY IN DECEMBER 20,000 HIDES ALLOCATED FOR NOVEMBER 30,000 MIGOBEL ALLOCATED FOR NOVEMBER (REFER COM 282), BUT PLEASE ADVISE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT. ALLOCATIONS SHOULD BE PICKED UP CURRENTLY.
NEW SUBJECT: MOC 333 ANSWERED BY COM AIRGRAM 91 SENT ON 1 DECEMBER 1945
NEW SUBJECT: PLEASE FURNISH MOC NUMBER ON 9186 OF 11 DECEMBER RECEIVED AS MOC BLANK.

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NEW SUBJECT: PLEASE FURNISH MOC NUMBER ON 9186 OF 11 DECEMBER RECEIVED AS MOC BLANK.

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TO: FOR ACTION TROOPERS RPTD AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC
RPTD AFHQ FHGEG

DEC 15 1945

Ref. N° : 923I Date :I4 Dec. I945 Precedence:ROUTINE

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This is TAF 165.
Reference PAT I89.

Please repeat PAT I89. We are unable to identify requisition referred to.

Office of Origin: Requisition Branch

Telephone N°:503
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INCOMING MESSAGE

Headquarters Allied Commission

Originator's Reference: 34607 Message Centre No G/5504

Date/ Time of Origin: 131450 Date Time Rec'd 140830

Precedence PRIORITY

FROM : THE WAR OFFICE DEC 14 1945

TO: ALCOM ROME RPTD MFHQ BAS WASHINGTON FOR CCAC

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Reference MOC 403. Resumption of private trade between Italy and foreign countries.

1. Whilst we have no objection on general grounds board of trade consider it would be confusing to issue press release in London assuggested in para 6 since previous press announcements have already made position clear. 2 M arrangements are therefore being made for press release not (repeat) not to be issued in London

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DEC 13 1945

Originator's Reference : WCL 27987
Date Time of Origin : DEC.112250Z
Message Centre: G/5457
Date Time Rec'd: 130930 DEC.
Precedence : ROUTINE

FROM : WAR - CCKPQOE CCAC FOR CLAC
TO : JJJJ JBJB LRKB - ALLIED COMMISSION FOR ACTION INFO: AFHQ FOR FCHEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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This is COM 333. Reference COM airgram 72-November shipping program para the following ships have sailed for Italy: SSA Parker Upshur, TB N°. 140, from Philadelphia, 1 December carrying general cargo ; SS Thomas Paine, TB N°. 140 , from mobile, 1 December, carrying 2665 tons ammonium nitrate against YT/-136 and 3360 tons cotton ; SS Richmond P. Hobson , TB N° 270, from Norfolk, 5 December, carrying 8295 tons coal; SS Nathan hale, TB N° 206, from Norfolk, 4 December, carrying 8908 tons coal. Para new subject: Reference mov 406, cable of 1 December to which you reference was com 317.

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Originator's Reference: WCL 28369 Message Centre no: G/5484

Date Time of Origin: DEC 12253Z Date Time Rec'd: Dec 13330

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM/: WAR CCS SITE CCAC

TO/: ALEXANDER FOR FHGEC, INFO: ALCOM, AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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THIS IS CAL 1502. ISSUES OF POL TO PUBLIC UTILITIES. CLARIFICATION REQUESTED AS TO HOW TERMINATION LEND LEASE AS AT 31 AUGUST 1945 RENDERS IMPOSSIBLE CONTINUATION PRESENT METHOD ACCOUNTING FOR ISSUES OF POL TO PUBLIC UTILITIES. IS MILITARY RAILWAY SERVICE UNABLE TO SUPPLY SAME DATE AS PRIOR TO 31 AUGUST 1945 ?

NEW SUBJECT: PLEASE SEND CORRECT NUMBER C 45568 RECEIVED AS NEG 51 T HILLDRING.

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12 December 1945

DEC 13 1945

R E Q U I S I T I O N

SUBJECT : Spare Parts for Trucks

REQUISITION No. : CLAC 1-257

FROM : HQ ALCOM

TO : Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(for Combined Liberated Areas Committee)
3C-866 Pentagon Building,
Washington 25, D.C.

PERIOD : 1st and 2nd quarters 1946

SHIP TO : Naples or Leghorn

CONSIGNEE : Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero (ICE), for the Maintenance Group of the Italian Ministry of Transport.

1. The Italian Government requests for procurement and shipment to Italy:

Six month's spare parts for the following 1,100 trucks, 1 1/2 ton, 4 x 4 cargo (Chevrolet):

	Model	Year
350 less winch	G 4112	1941
200 w/winch	G 4112	1941
350 less winch	G 7107	1942
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A list in detail, with stock numbers, of the spare parts required is attached to each of the first five copies of this airgram.

2. The Italian Government authorizes payment out of the fund established pursuant to the letter addressed by the Italian Minister for the Treasury to the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury on 20 January 1945 for such of these items as shall be assigned for procurement to the United States.

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3. These trucks, which are operated by the Italian Government, are essential to the distribution of civil supplies. The spare parts on this requisition are necessary to keep the vehicles in operational condition.

HARLAN CLEVELAND
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Originator's Reference: 88737 CA 16

Date/Time of Origin: 10DEC 1600

Message Centre No: G/5349

Date/Time Rec'd : 12DEC0845

Precedence : ROUTINE

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FROM: TROOPERS

TO : AC ROME INFO FREEDOM WASHINGTON FOR CCAC

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REFERENCE LAC AIRGRAM 14.

1. OWING TO PRODUCTION DIFFICULTIES A SIZE 3 OF ITEM 9 (FLAT STEEL PLATE) CANNOT BE DELIVERED BEFORE 12 TO 14 WEEKS. B LAST 3 SIZES OF ITEM 9 AND ALL SIZES OF ITEM 10 (STRUCTURAL STEEL PLATE) NOT AVAILABLE UNTIL JUNE 1946.

2. PLEASE INFORM US WHETHER ABOVE DELIVERY DATES CAN BE ACCEPTED.

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FURTHER TO OUR MOC FOUR ZERO THREE OF SIX DECEMBER PD

PAREN TO FOR ACTION AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC FOR INFO WAROF LONDON FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FHGEG FROM ALCOM PAREN

IN VIEW OF FORMATION OF NEW ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TODAY CMA REQUEST ACTION ON OUR RECOMMENDATION FOR PRESS RELEASE BE WITHHELD PD WE WILL FORWARD NEW DRAFT RELEASE PD

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Originator's Reference: 33741 (CA16)

Date/Time of Origin: 10 DEC0950Z

Message Centre NO: G/5300 235

Date Time Rec'd : 11DEC0910A

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Originator's Reference: FX 55973

Message Centre No. G/5279

Date/Time of Origin: 10DEC1440A

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FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGEG

TO : AGWAR FOR CCA FOR CCAC INFO: WAROF LONDON FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT NYPE

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THIS IS LAC 1326. CIVIL SUPPLIES ON MILITARY REQUISITIONS FOR ITALY.

REFERENCE OUR FX 55778 DATED 7 DECEMBER THIS CABLE WAS LAC 1325.

2. FOR WAROF. THIS CABLE STATES ? CALLED FORWARD IN FX 41900 OF 8 SEPTEMBER WERE 1700 DWLT BULK WHEAT ON REQUISITION Z 78 FOR ITALY.

2. THIS WAS SUBSEQUENTLY TO BE REPLACED BY 14450 FLOUR (TWX-NYPE-5) OF 21/9).

3. FX 46354 OF 30/9 REQUESTED CANCELLATION OF SHIPMENTS OF 14450 DWLT FLOUR ON Z 71 REQUISITION AS THIS WAS TO BE MADE AVAILABLE FROM US THEATRE STOCKS SPTAA 77517 OF 11/10 REFERS.

4. SHIPMENTS HAVE HOWEVER BEEN RECEIVED AS FOLLOWS ON THIS REQUISITION ALTHOUGH T E COMPLETE TONNAGE WAS RECEIVED FROM THEATRE STOCKS.

A. JAMES MANNING ETA LATE NOV 754 DWLT.

B. JESSE BILLINGSLEY (MINED PART CARGO SALVAGED) 3829 DWLT

C. ROBERT HARRISON ETA 19/20 NOV 74 DWLT.

5. FOR WHOM IS THIS CARGO INTENDED AND AGAINST WHAT PROGRAMME QUERY "

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TO : TROOPERS RPTD AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD AFHQ FOR FHGEG

REF. No: 9197 DATE: 11 DECEMBER 1945 PRECEDENCE : ROUTINE

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PAREN TO TROOPERS RPTD AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD AFHQ FOR FHGEG FROM HQ ALCOM PAREN

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PARA TWO PD ITALIAN GOVERNMENT WISH TO JOIN ROSIN WORKING GROUP AND HAVE NOTIFIED ITALIAN EMBASSY IN LONDON THAT SIGNORELLI WILL BE ITALIAN REPRESENTATIVE.

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FROM: WAR FROM CCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION FOR ACTION , INFO AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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TO AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD WARGF FOR CABINET SECRETA
PAREN LONDON PAREN RPTD APHQ FHGEG

DEC 10 1945

Ref. No 9119 Date 10 DECEMBER 1945 Precedence PRIORITY

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MCC AIRGRAM 124: 8 December 1945

REFERENCE : MCC 401

SUBJECT : January loadings of P.C.U. for Italy

FROM : AFCOM CITE AGREQ

DEC 10 1945

TO : Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(for Combined Liberated Areas Committee)
30-866 Pentagon Building
Washington D.C. (15 copies)

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ITALIAN NATIONAL STATE

"PETROLEUM PRODUCTS"

(Fuels, Lubricants, Greases and Misc Petroleum Products)

(Required for

Importation into Italy in February 1946

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No. 2

ROME, ITALY

November 10, 1945

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BULK FUELS

1. "Undelivered C.I.P. Stocks in Military Depots" cover the difference between the October releases granted by Pet.Sec. and the quantities actually received by C.I.P.

2. Balance of October Dues in cover the difference between the October releases granted by Pet.Sec. and the October dues in plus balance of September dues in.

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	100	House Brand	Kero	A C	Fuel
Genova-Vado	5.000	54.500	18.000	54.000	182.000
Venezia	--	25.000	20.000	45.500	58.000
Livorno	--	21.000	3.400	17.000	56.000
Ancona	--	21.000	7.000	25.000	75.000
Napoli	10.000	60.500	9.000	47.000	148.000
Bari-Monopoli	--	12.500	3.500	14.500	63.000
Sicilia	--	12.500	4.500	20.000	20.000
Sardegna	--	2.000	600	4.000	10.000
	15.000	209.000	66.000	227.000	612.000

FEBRUARY

Genova-Vado	20.000	89?000	14.000	66.000	330.000
Venezia	5.000	41.000	15.000	56.000	104.500
Livorno	--	34.000	2.500	21.000	93.000
Ancona	--	34.000	5.000	30.000	132.000
Napoli	40.000	100.000	7.000	58.000	275.000
Bari-Monopoli	10.000	20.000	2.500	18.000	110.000
Sicilia	--	20.000	3.500	24.000	33.000
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LUBRICANTS

1. The new grade called for on this Stat. is :

   150 Steam refined Stock

   S.G. .9210 - .9395
   Flash Clev. open cup - 260°C Min.
   Visc. -150 - 170" Seybolt - 60cc - 100°C
   Pour - Not specified
   Moist 5% Max.
   Foreign Matters - None

2. As indicated in the preamble (3) of Stat. 1 the requirements for the Italian Armed Forces did not include those of the Italian Combat Groups. Additions to cover have therefore been made on Stat N. 2.

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	Bbls.	Bbls.	Bbls.	Bbls.
SAE 30	13250	4305	2650	6055
SAE 50	1680	665	245	910
N.S.6135 & O.600	258	210	35	196
Grease N. 1	479	464	232	725
Grease N. 2 e 3	432	104	56	208
Brake Fluid	94	40	10	56
100 Visc. Pale	2064	240	72	24
1200 Visc. Pale	65	19	4	14
Cutting Oil VV-O-251 Grade 1	418	660	11	11
Soluble cutting Oil AXS 1455	1050	210	30	210
Transformer Oil VV-O-401	5850	3450	1200	4500
150 Steam Refined Stock	-	-	-	168
N. S. 2150 T	583	209	22	286
Pet. Liquid light	2332	2350	53	265
Red Cup Grease	19	22	19	40
Graphited Greases	3	-	-	1
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
White Scale 119/121 "F" Emp.	231	33	5	30
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Refined Wax 122/124 "F" Emp.	385	55	10	50
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1. New grades called for in this stat are:

Light Solvent Naphta
Distillation range from 40 to 100° C
Medium Solvent Naphta
Distillation range from 80 - 120° C
Heavy Solvent Naphta
Distillation range from 100 - 140° C
White Spirit
Distillation range from 150 - 200° C
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ITALIAN NATIONAL PROGRAMME
BULK FUELS

SRA E	100	80	House Brand	Kero	Jes Oil 702 Diesel	Total White	Navy Special
Opening Stocks as of 1 Oct.	-	-	116850	73848	103126	293824	39555
Receipts from US Sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Receipts from Br.Sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military	7919	125	177189	72341	93266	350840	264130
Rel.to It. Navy by C in C med.	-	-	-	-	16500	16500	121000
CIP Stocks in transit 1 Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL RECEIPTS	7919	125	177189	72341	109766	367340	385130
Issues to : Civil	-	-	113773	79267	101603	294643	262646
Army	-	-	27839	120	3806	31765	-
Airforce	6670	24	3130	24	1435	11283	-
Navy by CIP	130	-	1107	127	1370	2754	-
Navy by C in C med.	-	-	-	-	16500	16500	121000
Total Issues	6800	24	145849	79538	124714	356925	383646
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	1119	101	151190	66651	88178	307238	3499
Under iv.CIP Stocks in Mil. Dep.	-	-	-	14087	5167	19284	-
Balance of Oct. Dues In	-	8875	-	-	11377	20252	98410
Nov. Dues In as per Stat 32	10000	-	110000	54000	93000	267000	476000
Bal. ct.Rel.from Mil. c/p Stat 1	12081	-	48043	5080	103000	168204	240000
Nov.Rel. from Mil. as per Stat 1	-	-	74000	17000	103000	194000	240000
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER	22081	8875	232043	90167	315574	668740	1054410
Est. Cons. Civil	-	-	121210	66801	111638	301649	327500
Army	-	-	25660	255	4390	30305	-
Airforce	9000	24	1776	25	1200	12025	-
Navy	346	-	2384	287	7000	10017	114118
Total Est. Cons. November	9346	24	151030	69368	124228	353996	441618
ESTIMATED STOCKS 30 NOVEMBER	13854	8952	232203	87450	279524	621983	618291
Dec. Dues In as per Stat 32	10000	-	118000	57000	95000	280000	486000
Releases from Military	-	-	74000	17000	103000	194000	240000
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS DECEMBER	10000	-	192000	74000	198000	474000	726000
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EST STOCK 31 DECEMBER	14508	8928	273173	92082	353246	741987	902673
Jan. Dues In as per Stat 1	15000	-	209000	66000	227000	517000	612000
Est. Cons. Civil	-	-	201700	66000	211400	479100	501700
Army	-	-	25660	255	4390	30305	-
Airforce	9000	24	1776	25	1200	12025	-
Navy	346	-	2384	287	7000	10017	114118
Total Est. Cons. January	9346	24	231520	66567	223990	531447	615818
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JANUARY	20162	3904	250653	91515	356306	727540	898855

	–	–	27839	120	3806	31765	–
Airforce	6670	24	3130	24	1435	11283	–
Navy by CIP	130	–	1107	127	1370	2734	–
Navy by C in C med.	–	–	–	–	16500	16500	121000
Total Issues	6800	24	145849	79538	124714	356925	383546
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	[illegible]	101	151110	66651	88 78	30723	3499
Under iv.CIP Stocks in Mil. Dep.	–	–	–	14087	5197	19284	–
Balance of Oct. Dues In	–	8875	–	–	11377	20252	98410
Nov. Dues In as per Stat 32	10000	–	110000	54000	93000	267000	476000
Bal. ct.Rel.from Mil. a/p Stat 1	12081	–	48043	5080	103000	168204	240000
Nov.Rel. from Mil. as per Stat 1	–	–	74000	17000	103000	194000	240000
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER	22081	8875	232043	90167	315574	668740	1054410
Est. Cons. Civil	–	–	121210	68801	111638	301649	327500
Army	–	–	25660	255	4390	30305	–
AirForce	9000	24	1776	25	1200	12025	–
Navy	346	–	2384	287	7000	10017	114118
Total Est. Cons. November	9346	24	151030	69368	124228	353996	441618
ESTIMATED STOCKS 30 NOVEMBER	13854	8952	232203	87450	279524	621983	618291
Dec. Dues In as per Stat 32	10000	–	118000	57000	95000	280000	486000
Releases from Military	–	–	74000	17000	103000	194000	240000
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS DECEMBER	10000	–	192000	74000	198000	474000	726000
Est. Cons. Civil	–	–	121210	68801	111638	301649	327500
Army	–	–	25660	255	4390	30305	–
Airforce	9000	24	1776	25	1200	12025	
Navy	346	–	2384	287	7000	10017	114118
Total Est. Cons. December	9346	24	151030	69368	124228	353996	441618
EST STOCK 31 DECEMBER	14508	8928	273173	92082	353296	741987	902673
Jan. Dues In as per Stat 1	15000	–	209000	66000	227000	517000	612000
Est. Cons. Civil	–	–	201700	66000	211400	479100	501700
Army	–	–	25660	255	4390	30305	–
Airforce	9000	24	1776	25	1200	12025	–
Navy	346	–	2384	287	7000	10017	114118
Total Est. Cons. January	9346	24	231520	66567	223990	531447	615818
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JANUARY	20162	8904	250653	91515	356306	727540	898855

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BULK FUEL

GRADE	100	80	House Brand	Kero	Gas Oil 702 Diesel	Total White	Navy Special
Dues in February	76000	-	342000	47000	280000	744000	1100000
Est. Cons. Civil	24400	-	201136	54451	240208	520195	676500
Army	-	-	25660	255	4390	30305	-
AirForce	9000	24	1776	25	1200	12025	-
Navy	346	-	2384	287	7000	10017	114118
Diplomatic Corp	-	-	220	-	-	220	-
Vatican	-	-	944	7	1008	1959	3000
UNRRA	-	-	4900	30	-	4930	-
Inter.Civil Aviation	4530	-	-	-	-	4530	-
Total Est. Cons. February	38276	24	237020	55055	253806	584181	793618
ESTIMATED STOCK 28 FEBRUARY	56886	8880	355633	83640	382500	887553	1205237
TARGET 45 DAYS SUPPLY	57000	36	355500	83000	381600	877136	1191000

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GRADE	1 20 Av Oil	SAE 10	SAE 30	SAE 50	Hyp. 90	N/S 6135 & 0.600	Grease No. 1
Opening Stock as of 1 Oct.	-	3334	9841	19042	2299	1425	1329
Receipts from US Sources	-	-	1553	802	-	-	-
Receipts from Gr. Sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military	309	611	438	51	155	77	215
Rel. to It. Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIP Stocks in transit 1 Oct.	-	441	1251	-	-	86	426
TOTAL RECEIPTS	309	1052	3242	853	155	163	641
Issues to: Civil	-	404	2944	5250	50	319	314
Army	-	-	552	241	18	86	14
Airforce	76	8	22	54	-	16	1
Navy by CIP	-	-	24	58	3	12	2
Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issues	76	412	3542	7103	71	433	331
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	233	3974	9541	12792	2383	1155	1639
Undeliv.CIP Stocks in Mil.Dep.				1059			
Balance of Oct.Dues In	-	-	1247	1198	-	-	-
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	2000	1000	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil.a/p Stat 1	-	1054	-	-	-	52	-
Releases from Mil.as per Stat 1	1800	4200	13000	-	-	2000	2500
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER	1800	5254	16247	3257	-	2052	2500
Est. Cons. : Civil	-	1301	6383	5713	169	480	764
Army	-	10	115	216	-	24	14
Airforce	300	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. November	300	1311	6498	5929	169	504	778
ESTIMATED STOCKS NOVEMBER	1733	7917	19290	10120	2214	2703	3361
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	3000	4500	-	-	-
Releases from Military	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPT DEC.	-	-	3000	4500	-	-	-
Est. Cons. Civil	-	1301	6383	5713	169	480	764
Army	-	10	115	216	-	24	14
Airforce	300	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons. Dec.	300	1311	6498	5929	169	504	778
EST. STOCK 31 DECEMBER	1433	5606	15792	8691	2045	2199	2583
Jan.Dues In as per Stat 1	-	4400	13000	6500	- (NS6135)700		1500
Est. Cons. Civil	-	2410	5350	5438	170	547	1230
Army	-	-	700	351	-	150	37
Airforce	300	-	50	24	-	15	3
Navy	-	-	400	187	-	18	10
Total Est.Cons. January	300	2410	6500	6000	170	730	1280
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JAN.	1133	8596	25292	9191	1875	2169	2803
Dues in February	-	-	26500	3500	-	700	2900
Est. Cons. Civil	-	1547	9038	2550	88	501	1350
Army	-	-	700	351	-	150	37
Airforce	150	-	50	24	-	15	3

Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issues	76	412	3542	7103	71	433	331
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	233	3974	9541	12792	2383	1955	1639
Undeliv.CIP Stocks in Mil.Dep.				1059			
Balance of Oct.Dues In	-	-	1247	1198	-	-	-
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	2000	1000	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil.a/p Stat 1	-	1054	-	-	-	52	-
Releases from Mil.as per Stat 1	1800	4200	13000	-	-	2000	2500
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER	1800	5254	16247	3257	-	2052	2500
Est. Cons. : Civil	-	1301	6383	5713	169	480	764
Army	-	10	115	216	-	24	14
Airforce	300	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. November	300	1311	6498	5929	169	504	778
ESTIMATED STOCKS NOVEMBER	1733	7917	19290	10 20	2214	2703	3361
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	3000	4500	-	-	-
Releases from Military	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPT DEC.	-	-	3000	4500	-	-	-
Est. Cons. Civil	-	1301	6383	5713	169	480	764
Army	-	10	115	216	-	24	14
Airforce	300	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons. Dec.	300	1311	6498	5929	169	504	778
EST. STOCK 31 DECEMBER	1433	5606	12792	8691	2045	2199	2583
Jan.Dues In as per Stat 1	-	4400	15000	6500	- (NS6132)700		1500
Est. Cons. Civil	-	2410	5350	5438	170	547	1230
Army	-	-	700	351	-	150	37
Airforce	300	-	50	24	-	15	3
Navy	-	-	400	187	-	18	10
Total Est.Cons. January	300	2410	6500	6000	170	730	1280
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JAN.	1133	8596	25292	9191	1875	2165	2803
Dues in February	-	-	26500	3500	-	700	2900
Est. Cons. Civil	-	1547	9038	2550	86	501	1350
Army	-	-	700	351	-	150	37
Airforce	150	-	50	24	-	15	3
Navy	-	-	400	187	-	18	10
Diplomatic Corps	-	-	6	-	-	1	-
Vaticans	-	-	52	-	-	6	-
U.N.R.R.A.	-	-	154	-	-	17	-
Internat Civil Aviat.	74	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons.February	224	1547	10400	3122	88	708	1400
ESTIMATED STOCK 28 FEBRUARY	909	7049	41392	9569	1787	2151	4303
TARGET 90 DAYS SUPPLY	672	4641	41200	9366	264	2124	4200

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...UBRICANTS in barrels

GRADE	Grease 2 & 3	Brake Fluid	Neut. Oil 60/65 Visc. at 100°F	100 Visc. Pale	Eng. Oil VV-O-526 Mil.30	500 Visc. Pale	1200 Visc. Pale
...ening Stock as of 1 Oct.	921	60	352	484	5247	15346	108
Receipts from US Sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Receipts from Br. Sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military	17	-	-	800	7	-	-
Rel.to It.Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIP Stocks in transit 1 Oct.	23	24	-	-	-	1426	15
TOTAL RECEIPTS	40	24	-	800	7	1426	15
Issues to : Civil	146	8	37	674	552	2002	8
Army	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy by CIP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issues	160	8	37	674	552	2002	8
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	801	84	315	610	4702	14770	115
Undeliv.Cip Stocks in Mil.Dep.	300	-	-	240	35	215	-
Balance of Oct. Dues In	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil.c/p Stat 1	-	-	-	2648 ✓	1293	-	-
Releases from Milit. c/p Stat 1	3000	-	900	1600	6500	5000	-
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER	3300	-	900	4488	7928	5215	-
Est. Cons. : Civil	845	22	349	2638	3430	1390	-
Army	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.November	853	22	349	2638	3430	1390	-
ESTIMATED STOCKS NOVEMBER	3248	66	866	2460	9200	18595	115
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	50	-	-	-	-	-
Additional Dues In Request.Dec.	-	100	-	6400	5000	-	-
Releases from Military	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS DECEMBER	-	150	-	6400	5000	-	-
Est. Cons. : Civil	345	30	349	2638	3430	1390	-
Army	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons. Dec.	353	30	349	2638	3430	1390	-
EST. STOCK 31 DECEMBER	2895	186	517	6222	10770	17205	115
Jan. Dues In as per Stat 1	500	40	1000	6000	13000	-	1200
Est..Cons. : Civil	850	22	350	2916	5100	1165	290
Army	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons. January	850	40	350	2916	5100	1165	290
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JAN.	2145	186	1167	9306	20670	16041	1025
Dues in February	800	200	-	2400	-	-	100
Est. Cons. : Civil	728	70	212	2916	4638	1165	290
-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-

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TOTAL RECEIPTS	40	24	-	800	7	1426	15
Issues to : Civil	148	8	37	674	552	2002	8
Army	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy by CIP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issues	160	8	37	674	552	2002	8
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	801	84	315	610	4702	14770	115
Undeliv.Cip Stocks in Mil.Dep.	300	-	-	240	35	215	-
Balance of Oct. Dues In	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil.a/p Stat 1	-	-	-	2648 ✓	1293	-	-
Releases from Milit. a/p Stat 1	3000	-	900	1600	6600	5000	-
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER	3300	-	900	4488	7928	5215	-
Est. Cons. : Civil	846	22	349	2638	3430	1390	-
Army	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.November	853	22	349	2638	3430	1390	-
ESTIMATED STOCKS NOVEMBER	3248	66	866	2460	9200	18505	115
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	30	-	-	-	-	-
Additional Dues In Request.Dec.	-	100	-	6400	5000	-	-
Releases from Military	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS DECEMBER	-	130	-	6400	5000	-	-
Est. Cons. : Civil	846	30	349	2638	3430	1390	-
Army	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons. Dec.	853	30	349	2638	3430	1390	-
EST. STOCK 31 DECEMBER	2395	166	517	6222	10770	17205	115
Jan. Dues In as per Stat 1	600	40	1000	6000	15000	-	1200
Est. Cons. : Civil	850	22	350	2916	5100	1165	200
Army	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons. January	850	40	350	2916	5100	1165	200
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JAN.	2145	166	1167	9306	20670	16041	1025
Dues in February	600	200	-	2400	-	-	100
Est. Cons. : Civil	729	70	252	2916	4638	1165	200
Army	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. February	729	88	252	2916	4638	1165	200
ESTIMATED ST OCK 28 FEBRUARY	2216	298	875	8790	16032	14876	835
TARGET 90 DAYS SUPPLY	2187	264	876	8748	15914	5495	870

✓ Obtained from blending AN-0-6 and 500 Visc. Pale.

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LUBRICANTS in barrels

GRADE		Cutting Oil VV-O-251 Grade 1	Soluble Cutting Oil AXS 1469	SAE 30 STM CYL Grade 1	Super HD ST CYL Grade 2	Black Oil 80 Visc at 210 830 Visc at 100	Transformer Oil VV-O-401	Chain & Wire rope lub
Opening Stocks as of 1 Oct.		583	609	3601	3165	7484	5214	286
Receipts from US Sources		-	-	2663	-	1693	-	-
Receipts from Br.Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military		-	268	125	429	24	37	269
Rel. to It.Navy by C in C Med.		-	-	-	56	-	-	-
CIF Stocks in transit 1 Oct.		125	632	595	295	80	-	-
TOTAL RECEIPTS		123	900	3383	780	1797	37	269
Issues to :	Civil	12	211	293	765	1150	2333	60
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by CIF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	56	-	-	-
Total Issues		12	211	293	821	1150	2333	60
TOTAL STOCK 31 OCT.		694	1298	6691	5124	8131	5918	515
Undeliv. CIF Stocks in Mil.Dep.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct. Dues In		-	-	267	-	37	-	-
Nov. Dues In as per Stat 52		-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Rel. Oct Rel.from Mil.s/p Stat 1		-	232	835	2804	480	391	-
Releases from Mil. as per Stat 1		-	-	-	-	1000	4000	30
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER		-	232	1102	2804	1517	4391	130
Est. Cons. :	Civil	216	234	576	687	2844	8309	130
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	54	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. November		216	234	576	741	2844	8309	130
ESTIMATED STOCK NOVEMBER		478	1296	7217	5187	6804	-	515
Dec. Dues In as per Stat 52		500	900	-	-	-	-	40
Additional Dues In Request.Dec.		-	2000	-	-	3000	6000	200
Releases from Military		-	-	-	-	-	5000	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS DECEMBER		500	2900	-	-	3000	11000	240
Est. Cons. :	Civil	216	1170	576	692	2844	11000	130
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	49	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.Dec.		216	1170	576	741	2844	11000	130
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 DECEMBER		762	3023	5641	4446	6960	-	625
Jan. Dues In as per Stat 1		1500	5500	-	-	12000	16000	400
Est. Cons. :	Civil	465	1875	825	775	3400	10000	130
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	25	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. January		465	1875	825	800	3400	10000	130
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JANUARY		797	3651	5816	3646	15560	6000	895
Dues in February		1100	1500	-	-	-	16000	-
Est. Cons. :	Civil	467	2042	553	775	2217	10000	200
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

		123	900	3383	780	1797	37	289
Issues to :	Civil	12	211	293	765	1150	2333	60
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	- -	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by CIP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	56	-	-	-
Total Issues		12	211	293	821	1150	2333	60
TOTAL STOCK 31 OCT.		694	1298	6691	5124	8131	3918	515
Undeliv. CIP Stocks in Mil.Dep.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct. Dues In		-	-	267	-	37	-	-
Nov. Dues In as per Stat 32		-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Bal. Oct Rel.from Mil.a/p Stat 1		-	232	835	2804	480	391	-
Releases from Mil. as per Stat 1		-	-	-	-	1000	4000	30
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER		-	232	1102	2804	1517	4391	130
Est. Cons. :	Civil	216	234	576	687	2844	8309	130
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	54	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. November		216	234	576	741	2844	8309	130
ESTIMATED STOCK NOVEMBER		478	1296	7217	5187	6804	-	515
Doc. Dues In as per Stat 32		500	900	-	-	-	-	40
Additional Dues In Request.Dec.		-	2000	-	-	3000	6000	200
Releases from Military		-	-	-	-	-	5000	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS DECEMBER		500	2900	-	-	3000	11000	240
Est. Cons. :	Civil	216	1170	576	692	2844	11000	130
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	49	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.Dec.		216	1170	576	741	2844	11000	130
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 DECEMBER		762	3026	6641	4446	6960	-	625
Jan. Dues In as per Stat 1		1500	3500	-	-	12000	16000	400
Est. Cons. :	Civil	465	1875	825	775	3400	10000	130
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	25	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. January		465	1875	825	800	3400	10000	130
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JANUARY		797	3651	5816	3646	15560	6000	895
Dues in February		1100	1500	-	-	-	16000	-
Est. Cons. :	Civil	467	2042	583	775	2217	10000	200
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	25	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. February		467	2042	583	800	2217	10000	200
ESTIMATED STOCK 28 FEBRUARY		1430	5109	5233	2846	13343	12000	695
TARGET 90 DAYS SUPPLY		1401	5126	1749	2400	6651	10500	500

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LUBRICANTS in barrels

GRADE		AN-O 6	150 Steam Refined Stock	N/S 4065	N/S 9250	N/S 9570	S/S 2190	N/S 2190 T
Opening Stock as of 1 Oct.		-	-	182	-	-	504	-
Receipts from US Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Receipts from Br. Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Receipts from Military		800	-	10	-	-	1037	-
Rel. to It.Navy by C in C Med.		-	-	169	449	224	-	224
CIF stocks in transit 1 Oct.		-	-	441	-	-	226	-
TOTAL RECEIPTS		800	-	620	449	224	1263	224
Issues to :	Civil	800	-	33	-	-	69	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by CIF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	169	449	224	-	224
Total Issues		800	-	202	449	224	69	224
TOTAL STOCK 31 OCTOBER		-	-	600	-	-	1698	-
Undeliv.CIF Stocks in Mil.Dep.		-	-	70	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct.Dues In		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 32		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rel. Oct.Rel.from Mil.s/p Stat 1		1200	-	614	-	-	-	-
Releases from Mil.as per Stat 1		-	-	1400	825	413	1500	1200
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER		1200	-	2084	825	413	1500	1200
Est. Cons. :	Civil	1200	-	[illegible]	-	-	500	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	161	431	216	-	216
Total Est.Cons. November		1200	-	382	431	216	500	216
ESTIMATED STOCK NOVEMBER		-	-	2302	394	197	2698	984
Dec. Dues In as per Stat 32		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST. RECEIPTS DECEMBER		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Est. Cons. :	Civil	-	-	221	-	-	500	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	148	394	197	-	197
Total Est.Cons. December		-	-	369	394	197	500	197
EST. STOCK 31 DECEMBER		-	-	1933	-	-	2198	787
Jan. Dues In as per Stat 1		-	-	-	1600	800	-	-
Est. Cons. :	Civil	-	-	60	-	-	450	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	233	-	-	-	373
Total Est Cons. January		-	-	293	-	-	450	373
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JANUARY		-	-	1640	1600	800	1748	414
Dues in February		-	168	-	-	-	-	1100
Est. Cons. :	Civil	-	168	146	-	-	350	-

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LUBRICANTS in barrels

GRADE		Pet Liquid Light	Pet Liquid Heavy	Rod Cup Grease	Loc Gear Grease	Paper Mill Grease	Grease Graphite
Opening Stock as of 1 Oct.		355	1394	67	-	96	-
Receipts from US Sources		-	30	-	-	-	-
Receipts from Br.Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military		-	-	2	-	-	-
Rel.to It.Navy by C in C Med.		-	-	-	-	-	-
CIP Stocks in transit 1 Oct.		338	-	19	-	-	2
TOTAL RECEIPTS		338	30	21	-	-	2
Issues to ;	Civil	4	12	32	-	7	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by CIP	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issues		4	12	32	-	7	-
TOTAL STOCK 31 OCTOBER		689	1412	56	-	89	2
Unreliv.CIP Stocks in Mil.Dep.		-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct. Dues In		-	270	-	-	-	-
Nov. Dues In as per Stat 32		500	-	-	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil.a/c Stat1		-	-	-	1000	-	-
Releases from Mil.as per Stat1		-	-	-	-	-	36
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS NOVEMBER		500	270	-	1000	-	36
Est.Cons. :	Civil	229	335	37	200	-	6
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est. Cons. November		229	335	37	200	-	6
ESTIMATED STOCK NOVEMBER		960	1347	19	800	89	32
Dec. Dues In as per Stat32		100	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military		-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS DECEMBER		100	-	-	-	-	-
Est.Cons. ;	Civil	229	335	37	200	-	6
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.December		229	335	37	200	-	6
EST.STOCK 31 DECEMBER		831	1012	-	600	89	26
Jan.Dues In as per Stat 1		1400	1200	-	400	-	-
Additional Dues In Request.Jan		-	-	100	-	-	-
Est.Cons. :	Civil	416	386	37	200	-	6
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.January		416	386	37	200	-	6
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JANUARY		1815	1826	63	800	89	20
Dues in February		5300	-	100	-	-	4
Est.Cons. :	Civil	1772	417	40	200	-	6
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LUBRICANTS

GRADE		Bbls. Anti-Freeze Ortho Kleen	Bbls. Citrus Spray Wax	Tons. Un-sweetable Crank 'F' Emp.	Tons. White Scale 119/121	Tons. Refined Wax 118/120 'F' Emp.	Tons. Refined Wax 122/124 'F' Emp.	Tons. Refined Wax 130o Emp.
Opening Stock as of 1 Oct.		4	1546	-	744	-	-	-
Receipts from US Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Receipts from Br. Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rel.to Lt.Navy by C in C Med.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIF Stocks in transit 1Oct		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL RECEIPTS								
Issues to:	Civil	-	-	-	52	-	-	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by CIF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issued		-	-	-	52	-	-	-
TOTAL STOCKS 31 OCTOBER		4	1546	-	692	-	-	-
Undeliv.CIF Stocks in Mil. Dep.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct.Dues In		-	-	-	54	-	-	-
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 32		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil c/p Stat 1		-	-	-	10	-	-	-
Releases from Mil.as per stat 1		-	-	-	600	400	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS NOVEMBER		-	-	-	664	400	-	-
Est.Cons.:	Civil	-	-	-	176	-	-	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.November		-	-	-	176	-	-	-
ESTIMATED STOCK 30 NOVEMBER		4	1546	-	1180	400	-	-
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32		-	-	30	-	-	-	-
Additional Dues In Request. Dec.		1500	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS DEC.		1500	-	30	-	-	-	-
Est.Cons.:	Civil	300	-	30	176	-	-	-
	Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.December		300	-	30	176	-	-	-

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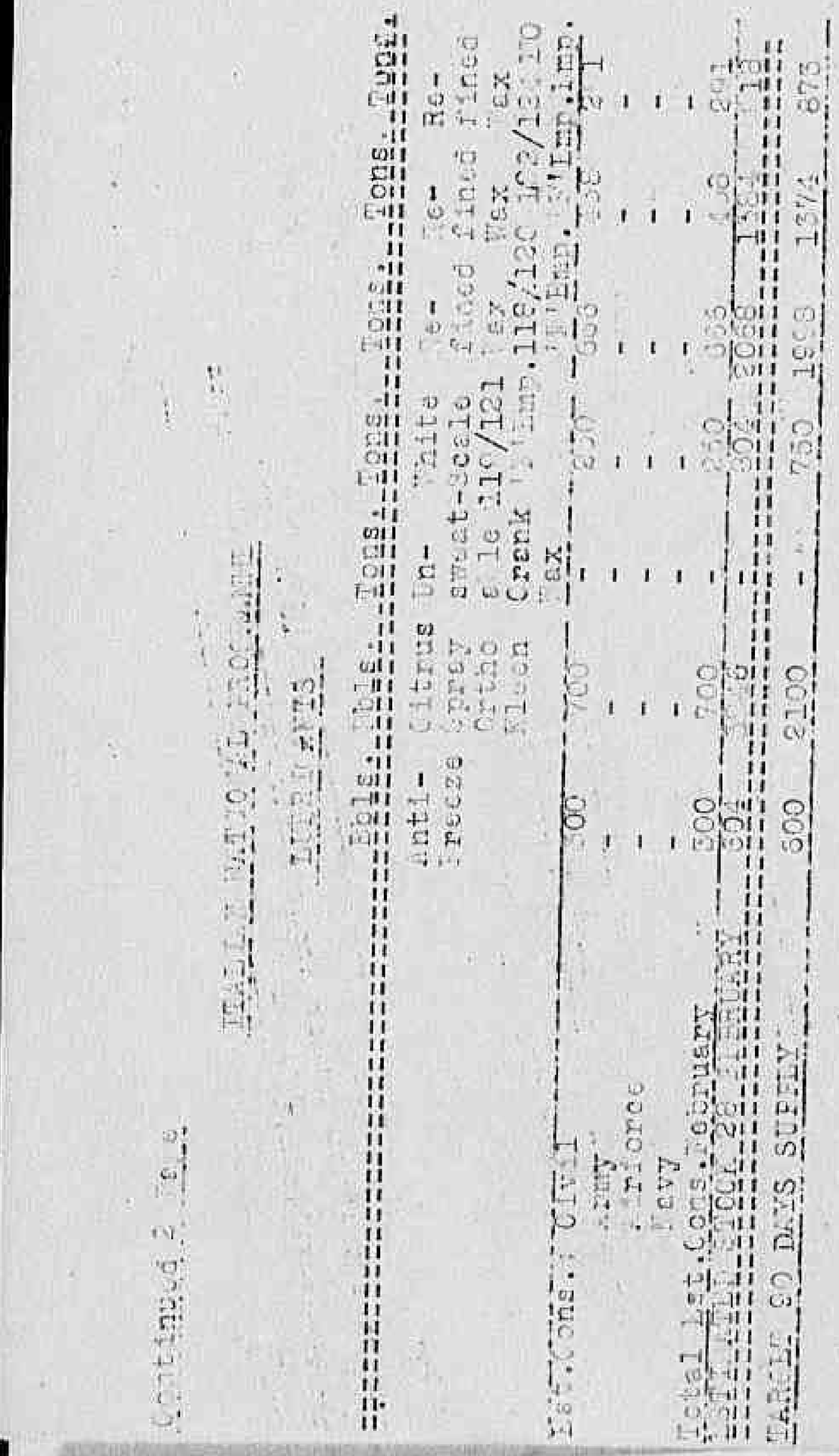
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C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIF Stocks in transit 1Oct-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL RECEIPTS							
Issues to: Civil	-	-	-	52	-	-	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy by CIF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy by C in C Med.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issued	-	-	-	52	-	-	-
TOTAL STOCKS 31 OCTOBER	4	1546	-	892	-	-	-
Undeliv.CIF Stocks in Mil. Dep.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct.Dues In	-	-	-	54	-	-	-
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil c/p Stat 1	-	-	-	10	-	-	-
Releases from Mil.as per stat 1	-	-	-	600	400	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS NOVEMBER	-	-	-	664	400	-	-
Est.Cons.: Civil	-	-	-	176	-	-	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.November	-	-	-	176	-	-	-
ESTIMATED STOCK 30 NOVEMBER	4	1546	-	1180	400	-	-
Rec.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	30	-	-	-	-
Additional Dues In Request. Dec.	1500	-	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST.RECEIPTS DEC.	1500	-	30	-	-	-	-
Est.Cons.: Civil	300	-	30	176	-	-	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.December	300	-	30	176	-	-	-
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 DEC.	1204	1546	-	1004	400	-	-
Jan.Dues Ins per Stat 1	-	6500	-	-	2000	1800	1200
Est.Cons.: Civil	300	1400	-	250	666	438	291
Army	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons. January	300	1400	-	250	666	438	291
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JAN.	904	1546	-	754	1734	1362	909
Dues in February	-	-	-	700	1000	500	300

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ASPHALT & MISC. PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

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GRADE	Asphal RC 3 MC 3	Asphalt Solid	Asphalt Water-proofing	Long Time Burning oil	Petroleum Cools Tons
Opening Stock as 1 Oct.	2400	-	3000	-	-
Receipts from US Sources	-	-	-	-	-
Receipts from Br.Sources	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military	23185	255	-	-	-
Rel. to it.Navy by C-in-C med.	-	-	-	-	-
CIP Stocks in transit 1 Oct.	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL RECEIPTS	23185	255	-	-	-
Issues to:Civil	9370	255	-	-	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy by C in C med.	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issues	9370	255	-	-	-
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	16215	=	3000	-	-
Undeliv.CIP in Mil.Dep.	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct.Dues In	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	-	-	-
Rel.Oct.Rel.from Mil.a/p Stat 1	8914	11631	-	1334	-
Release from Mil.as per Stat 1	50000	-	3000	-	-
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOV.	58914	11631	3000	1334	-
Est Cons. Civil	10000	5000	-	80	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est Cons.November	10000	5000	-	80	-
ESTIMATED STOCKS NOVEM.	48914	6631	3000	1254	-
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS DEC.	-	-	-	-	-
Est.Cons. Civil	25000	5000	-	80	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.December	25000	5000	-	80	-
EST STOCK 31 DECEMBER	23914	1631	3000	1174	-
Jan.Dues In as per Stat 1	20000	20000	4500	-	-
Est.Cons. Civil	30000	10000	3750	80	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.January	20000	10000	3750	80	-
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JAN.	23914	11631	3750	1094	-

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Navy by C in C med.	-	-	-	-	-
Total Issues	9870	255	-	-	-
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.	13215	=	3000	-	-
Undeliv.CIP in Mil.Dep.	-	-	-	-	-
Balance of Oct.Dues In	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	-	-	-
Bal.Oct.Rel.from Mil.a/c Stat 1	8914	11631	-	1334	-
Release from Mil.as per Stat 1	50000	-	3000	-	-
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOV.	58914	11631	3000	1334	-
Est Cons. Civil	10000	5000	-	80	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est Cons.November	10000	5000	-	80	-
ESTIMATED STOCKS NOVEM.	48914	6631	3000	1254	-
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32	-	-	-	-	-
Releases from Military	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS DEC.	-	-	-	-	-
Est.Cons. Civil	25000	5000	-	80	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.December	25000	5000	-	80	-
EST STOCK 31 DECEMBER	23914	1631	3000	1174	-
Jan.Dues In as per Stat 1	20000	20000	4500	-	-
Est.Cons. Civil	20000	10000	3750	80	-
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.January	20000	10000	3750	80	-
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JAN.	23914	11631	3750	1094	-
Dues in February	29000	84000	11500	-	10700
Est.Cons. Civil	13000	86250	3750	80	9250
Army	-	-	-	-	-
Airforce	-	-	-	-	-
Navy	-	-	-	-	-
Total Est.Cons.February	13000	86250	3750	80	9250
ESTIMATED STOCK 28 FEB.	39914	79381	11500	1014	10450
TARGET 90 DAYS SUPPLY	39000	79000	11500	240	10450

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SOLVENTS

GRADE	Light Solvent Naphta	Medium Solvent Naphta	Heavy Solvent Naphta	White Spirit
Opening Stock as of 1 Oct.				
Receipts from US Sources				
Receipts from Br.Sources				
Releases from Military				
Rel.to It.Navy by C in C med.				
CIP Stocks in transit 1 Oct.				
TOTAL RECEIPTS				
Issues to: Civil				
Army				
Airforce				
Navy by CIP				
Navy by C in C med.				
Total Issues				
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.				
Undeliv,CIP Stocks in Mil. Dep.				
Balance of Oct. Dues In				
Nov.Dues In as per Stat 32				
Rel.Oct.Rel.from Mil.a/p Stat 1				
Releases from Mil,as per Stat 1				
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS NOVEMBER				
Est Cons. Civil				
Army				
Airforce				
Navy				
Total Est.Cons. November				
ESTIMATED STOCKS NOVEMBER				
Dec.Dues In as per Stat 32				
Releases from Military				
TOTAL EST RECEIPTS DECEMBER				
Est.Cons.Civil				
Army				
Airforce				
Navy				
Total Est.Cons.December				
EST STOCK 31 DECEMBER				
Jan.Dues In as per Stat 1				
Est.Cons. Civil				
Army				
Airforce				
Navy				
Total Est.Cons.January				
ESTIMATED STOCK 31 JANUARY				
Dues in February	1200	3400	9000	2000
Est.Cons. Civil				

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Air Force
Navy by CIT
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Total Issues
TOTAL STOCKS 31 Oct.
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Balances from Mil. Acct.
Est. Cons. Civil
Civil Est Receipts
Dec. Dues In as per Stat
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Civil Est Receipts
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Air Force
Navy
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REFER CCM AIRGRAM 75 NOVEMBER SHIPPING PROGRAM PARA SS GABRIELLE FRANCHINI, TB N° 136, SAILED FOR ITALY FROM PORT ARTHUR ON 4 DECEMBER CARRYING 8303 TONS WHEAT

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REF. No: 9107 DATE: 8 DECEMBER 1945 PRECEDENCE : PRIORITY

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SUBJECT IS PAT ONE EIGHT ONE NOVEMBER ONE NINE PD

PARA ONE PD OUR SEVEN FOUR SIX SIX OF TWO ONE OCTOBER TO CHARLIE FOX BAKER REQUIRES FROM UNITED KINGDOM TOTAL ONE SEVEN FIVE ZERO ZERO TONS OF SPECIFIED VARIETIES SEED POTATOES FOR ITALIAN GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT PD

PAREN TO TROOPERS RPTD AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD AFHQ FHGEG FROM HQ ALCOM PAREN

PARA TWO PD OWING CONTINENTAL SEED VARIETIES NOT AVAILABLE ONE ZERO ZERO ZERO ZERO UNRRA PROGRAMME SHOULD BE DESPATCHED IN ADDITION MAKING TOTAL TWENTI SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED PD

PARA THREE PD VARITIES REQUIRED FOR TOTAL TONNAGE ABOVE ARE FOLLOWING CIN MAJOESTIC, KIND EDWARD, ARAN BANNER AND ROYAL KIDNEY PLUS ANY UP TO DATES AVAILABLE CMA IN PROPORTIONS GIVEN OUR SEVEN FOUR SIX SIX PD SPORTAGES UP TO DATES TO BE COVERED EQUAL PROPORTIONS OTHER VARIETIES PD

PARA FOUR PD ITALIAN GOVERNMENT HAS CLEARED FUNDS LONDON FOR ONE SEVEN FIVE ZERO ZERO TONS IN SACKS PD

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CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ, EHGEG

9075 6 DECEMBER '45 PRIORITY

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SUBJECT IS REOPENING OF PRIVATE TRADE BETWEEN ITALY AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES PD

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PARA ONE PD BOTH UNITED STATES AND UNITED KINGDOM EMBASSIES IN ROME HAVE INFORMED THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT THAT NECESSARY STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY THEIR GOVERNMENTS TO PERMIT REOPENING OF PRIVATE TRADE BETWEEN ITALY AND THEIR RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES SUBJECT TO SUCH CONTROLS AS THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT MAY FIND NECESSARY PAREN ABLE PAREN TO ENSURE THE USE OF ITALIAN FOREIGN EXCHANGE ONLY FOR PURCHASE OF ESSENTIAL IMPORTS COMMA AND PAREN BAKER PAREN TO PREVENT THE EXPORT OF PRODUCTS NEEDED IN THE ITALIAN ECONOMY PD
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PARA SIX PD ALLIED COMMISSION COMMA THEREFORE COMMA PROPOSES TO ISSUE THE FOLLOWING PRESS RELEASE ON ONE FIVE DECEMBER IF NO NOTICE OF OBJECTION IS RECEIVED BEFORE THAT DATE PD IT IS SUGGESTED THAT SIMULTANEOUS RELEASES SHOULD BE MADE IN WASHINGTON AND IN LONDON IN THE SAME TERMS PD QUOTE THE ALLIED COMMISSION ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT AS SOON AS THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT PROMULGATES THE NECESSARY LEGISLATION COMMA ITALY IS FREE TO RESUME PRIVATE FOREIGN TRADE BETWEEN FIRMS IN ITALY AND FIRMS IN OTHER COUNTRIES PD THE UNITED STATES AND UNITED KINGDOM GOVERNMENTS INFORMED THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT AT THE BEGINNING OF NOVEMBER THAT THEY HAD LIFTED PRATICALLY ALL OF THEIR REGULATIONS WHICH UNTIL THAT TIME HAD PREVENTED DIRECT PRIVATE TRADE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN ITALY AND THE UNITED KINGDOM AND UNITED STATES PD IN THE GENERAL

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TO: ALLIED COMMISSION FOR ACTION, INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEC AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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This is COM 329. Refer COM air 75, 91 November and December shipping program para the following coal boats have sailed for ITALY:

SS ever agra, TB number 153, from BALTIMORE, carrying 5115 tons,

SS ANDREW PICKENS, TB number 246, from BALTIMORE, carrying 8053 tons. (TB number 153 and TB number 246 sere loaded December 1 and 3 respectively . Anticipated will sail within next 2 days as soon as crew is assembles.

SS HIRAM BINGHAM, TB number 175 from MOBILE, november 30, carrying 8541 tons,

SS CHARLES PADDOCK, TB number 187, from PHILADELPHIA, November 29, carrying 7896 tons,

SSRICHARD RANDALL, TB number 201, from HAMPTON ROADS, December 3, carrying 8411 tons.

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TO : ALLIED COMMISSION - AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

This is COM 328.

Refer COM 314. Allocations category A exports.

Para 1. CFB recommended five tons lemon oil to Switzerland against 1945 requirements (MOO 353) full amount Tangerine and orange oil as requested.

Para 2. Refer MOO 364, 5 tons lemon oil to sweden, 5 tons other oils as requested. Balance lemon oil to Switzerland and sweden is being held for 1946.

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PAREN FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT RPTD AFHQ FHGEG

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DEC 7 1945

Ref. No: 9039 Date: 6 DEC 45 Precedence ROUTINE

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SUBJECT IS RESERVED COMMODITY LIST PD
PARA ONE PD COM THREE TWO ONE REFERS PD
PARA TWO PD PLEASE CONFIRM THAT RAW HEMP AND OTHER CORDAGE FIBRES HAVE ALSO BEEN DELETED FROM RESERVED COMMODITY LIST.

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REF. No: 8993 DATE: 4 DEC 1945 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE.

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THIS IS MOC THREE NINE SIX PD

COM THREE ONE FOUR CMA ORIGINATORS REFERENCE WILLIAM CHARLIE LOVE TWO FOUR EIGHT THREE SIX DATED THREE ZERO NOVEMBER RECEIVED IN GARBLED CONDITION PD PLEASE REPEAT

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REF. NO: 9033 DATE: 5 DECEMBER 1945 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

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THIS IS MOC FOUR ZERO ZERO PD

SUBJECT IS RAYON AND CELLULOSE PD

PARA ONE PD MOC TWO EIGHT EIGHT COM TWO TWO NINE MOC THREE THREE NINE COM TWO SIX ZERO REFER PD

PARA TWO PD ITALIAN GOVERNMENT STATE NO FOREIGN EXCHANGE AVAILABLE TO PAY WAREHOUSING CHARGES PD

PARA THREE PD PLEASE CONFIRM THAT THERE IS NOW NO OBJECTION TO RECOVERY OF SEVEN FIVE ZERO TONS CELLULOSE AGAINST EXPORT OF SIX AND HALF TON RAYON THREAD.

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SUBJECT JANUARY LOADINGS OF PETER OBOE LOVE FOR ITALY PD
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Originator's Reference: WCL 26210

Message Centre No: G/4994

Date/Time of Origin : 5DEC2212Z

Date Time Rec'd : 6DEC0845

Precedence : ROUTINE

FROM : WAR WASHINGTON DC OOS CITE CCAC

TO : AC INFO AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT

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REFERENCE MCC 378 (BERIARWOOD) HAS ICE ANY FINANCIAL INTEREST IN THIS TRANSACTION. WOULD LIKE TO PAY OWNER WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY.

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Originator's Reference: 32442 NA16 — Message Centre No/ G/4979
Date Time of Origin : DEC.052207 — Date Time Rec'd : DEC.060830A
Precedence : ROUTINE

DEC 6 1945

FROM : WAR OFFICE
TO : ALLIED COMMISSION ROME AFHQ BAS WASHINGTON

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PAT 190 REFERENCE TAP 161 UNCLASSIFIED LATEST INFORMATION IS THAT SEED CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AMSTERDAM 15 JANUARY AND NOT LONDON JID DECEMBER WOULD WELCOME ITALIAN OBSERVER AS TECHNICAL ADVISER ACCOMPANYING ALLIED COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVE GENERAL QUESTION OF ITALIAN REPRESENTATION ON EUROPEAN ORGANISATIONS STILL UNDER DISCUSSION.

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FROM: WAR WASHINGTON DC CCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC
TO: ALCOM INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT•

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THIS IS COM 325• REFER COM AIRGRAM 75) NOVEMBER SHIPPING PROGRAM.

SS AMERICAN PRESS, T B NUMBER 167, SAILED FOR ITALY FROM PENSACOLA, NOVEMBER 30, CARRYING 5929 TONS COAL

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Date Time of Origin: DEC 052212 Z Date Time Rec'd: DEC 060845 A

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FROM: WAR OCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC

TO : AFHQ RADIO ALCOM ROME INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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Refer MOC 385, 11/24/45 (trout eggs).

Para 1. Firm arrangements mad on 2 occasions recently to ship trout eggs but each time potential fertility of eggs was so questionable that shipment was cancelled.

Para 2. At present time effort being made to find other sources of eggs of acceptable condition and quality. If we are successful you will be cabled immediately.

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Date Time of Origin : DEC.052212Z — Date Time Rec'd : DEC.060850

Precedence : ROUTINE

FROM : WAR FROM CCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC

TO : JJSK JJMT JBJB ALCOM INFO: AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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This is com 3203. Reference moc 36609 (Rosin from Greece to Italy)

Allocation 160026 tons rosin from Greece to Italy approved.

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Date/Time of Origin: 052212Z

Message Centre No: G/4995
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Precedence : ROUTINE

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FROM : WAR, CCS CITE CCAC FOR CLAC

TO : ALCOM, INFO : AFHQ FOR FHGEG AND UK BASE SECTION
FOR CABINET SECRETARIAT.

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REFER MOC 384/S.

1. BOAT SCHEDULED TO LEAVE CUBA AROUND DECEMBER 15 with APPROXIMATELY 8400 METRIC TONS OF SUGAR FOR ITALY.
2. FIRST QUARTER 1946 SUGAR ALLOCATION FOR ITALY FROM UNITED STATES 34000 METRIC TONS PRESENTLY ASSIGNED TO UNRRA. SHIPMENTS MOST LIKELY CONCENTRATED TOWARD END OF QUARTER.
3. GIVE LATEST ESTIMATE OF 1945-46 SUGAR PRODUCTION.

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PARA ONE PD PLEASE EXPEDITE REPLY TO MOC THREE EIGHT FIVE PD

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