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Q/15/10 Boots From Allies 1st Jacket

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ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
A.P.O. 512 - U.S. Army.

G-2(P/W)/1108/345

21 March 1945

Subject : Italian Mountain Boots & Rucksacks.

To : M.M.I.A.L.O., A.P.O., G.M.F.

Reference is made to our G-2(P/W)/1108/145 of
28 January 1945. (not to I.S.9 (G.M.F.)).

A further 40 pairs of Italian Mountain boots and
Nails are urgently required by I.S.9, BARI, also 40 Italian
Rucksacks large.

These boots, nails and rucksacks are available at
BARI and may be obtained on receipt of necessary authority from
M.M.I.A.L.O.

May such authority please be signalled to your
representative at BARI.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2,

S. I. Derry

G. I. DERRY
Lieut. Colonel, G.S.
G-2 (P/W) Section.

Copy to :- I.S.9 (G.M.F.)
c/o E.L.O.
Bari.

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NBA QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Special Materials Section

LVRE/72

Ref. AC/3134/1/Commerce

Tel. 489.081

Ext. 266

21 March 1945

SUBJECT : Repaired Boats Available to AC from NMIA

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region
Commerce Sub-Division, Major Birt

1. The following quantities of boats have been made available to AC by NMIA at the Garibaldi Repair Depot No. 599, Naples:

Lot No. 3 / Depot 599	
Boats of British Origin	2,680 pra.
" " U.S.	3,999 "
Total	6,670 pra.

2. Your office is requested to contact the NMIA, LC, Naples, Provincia Bldg., Rm. 24, Tel. N. 33622 and arrange for the withdrawal of these boats.

For the Chief Commissioner

W.F. EVANS

Colonel

Director

Commerce Sub-Commission

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BT:7

2 Copies to:

- Land-Forces Sub-Commission (NMIA)

attn. Lt. Col. Geo. A. Shipley (no incla.)

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24 Mar

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
COMMERCE SUBCOMMISSION
Materials Division

Q/15/10

TEL: 478703

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REF: AG/5000/9/Commerce

19 March 1945

SUBJECT: Leather.

TO : Regional Commissioner - Toscana Region.
(Attn. Economics and Supply Officer)

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of 5 March re the firms MENEGHINI and RANCONI.

2. This Headquarters is not aware of any authority whereby ASD is in a position to grant permission for any firms to manufacture shoes for partisans from a controlled commodity. If, on the other hand, 5th Army (G-4) has acquired the stocks of leather at the firms in question for operational purposes, then the position is understated. It would be appreciated if this point could be clarified.

3. As regards the manufacture of shoes for the Italian Army, this can be regarded as a suitable, even if not wholly correct procedure, inasmuch as present availability of leather stocks is so low that the Italian Armed Forces are being granted releases of all stocks of leather which are declared.

For the Chief Commissioner:

W. F. Evans 8847
W. F. EVANS
Colonel
Director
Commerce Sub-Commission.

Copy to: MMIA (Land Forces Sub-Commission)

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

13657/P/A.

17 March 1945

SUBJECT: Release and Distribution of
Allied Army Shoes.

TO : All concerned.

and notes s/c ✓

1. Under existing arrangements salvaged Allied Army shoes are procured by Allied Commission, and released to Ufficio Provinciale del Commercio e dell'Industria by the AC Commerce Officer of Southern Region.
2. Ufficio Provinciale del Commercio e dell'Industria or their representative when taking delivery of shoes from MIA or any salvage depot (whether British or American) will give the AC Commerce Officer a receiving report showing the number of pairs of salvage shoes received.
3. The Commerce Officer will compare the quantity shown in the receiving report with the corresponding amount shown by MIA or on the shipping ticket or issue voucher of the US or British salvage depot, to insure that full accountability is rendered for all such issues.
4. Ufficio Provinciale will not be required to make payment in lire to the AC Commerce Officer. Salvaged shoes are received by the Ufficio Provinciale on behalf of the Italian Government who will be charged in the final settlement in dollars or sterling at a predetermined scale for the salvage value.
5. Salvaged shoes when repaired will be sold by Ufficio Provinciale at prices established by the Allied Commission, notice of which will be sent to the AC Commerce Officer by the Commerce Sub-Commission.
6. On sales of repaired shoes made by Ufficio Provinciale, payment will be effected into the Banca d'Italia account No 808 for immediate transfer to Via Nazionale Branch of Banca d'Italia Rome, for credit to Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero (ICE), as accountable agent for the Italian Government.
7. Allied Army units, other than Allied Commission units hereinafter covered in par 8, may receive repaired

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7. Allied Army units, other than Allied Commission units hereinafter covered in par 8, may receive repaired shoes from Ufficio Provinciale and distribute such shoes under allocations made for workmen on their activities. In all such cases the officers of the Allied Army units concerned will effect the necessary arrangements with Ufficio Provinciale for delivery of shoes, collection from the recipients, and payment of the proceeds as arranged with Ufficio Provinciale.
8. Certain officers of the Allied Commission, upon proper authorization from AC may make free issues. This applies only to issues to refugees, displaced persons, internees, patriots, and similar beneficiaries (which the Allied Commission records as distributed free on account of the Italian Government). In all such cases the responsible officer will give Ufficio Provinciale a receiving report acknowledging the quantity received, but will not be required to make any payment thereon, since such shoes will be issued free to the beneficiaries.

9. Ufficio Provinciale in the settlement of accounts with IOE will take credit for such issues to the end that the accounting will be only for the net number of pairs of shoes on which actual sales are made.

10. AC Commerce Officer will render a monthly report to the Regional Supply Accountant of Southern Region (or elsewhere as directed by the Chief Accountant) showing as under existing procedure:
(a) Number of shoes received by classes from: (1) US Army and (2) British Army, or (3) MIA; and (b) number of shoes turned over to Ufficio Provinciale.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE

H. G. Stone

for
Chief Accountant
Joint Director,
Finance Sub-Commission.

Distribution:

All Regional Commissioners
SCAC AVG 5 and 8 Armies
Regional Supply Accountant
Regional Supply Officer
All Sub-Commissions
Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero
Ufficio Provinciale del Commercio e dell'Industria.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

18 March 1948

c/s

SUBJECT: Shipment of leather.

TO : Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MMA), Naples.

1. The following information, reference recent shipment of leather on the Cruiser Montecucoli, from Italian Salvage Depot at Naples, is furnished.

ITEM	REPORTED SHIPPED	REPORTED RECEIVED
Leather for Soles	6 bales totaling 600 kg net	6 bales totaling 579 kg net
Leather for uppers	1 bale totaling 48.7 kg net	1 bale totaling 48.2 kg net
Nails	1 keg totaling 51.3 kg net	1 kg totaling 51.3 kg net

2. In addition, it is also reported that no sacks were damaged.

P. L. SIMMONS,
Colonel, Infantry,
Senior Liaison Officer.

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Copy to: MMA Rome

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3. MMIA 0-4 16 Mar
MTOUSA

1. Enclosed is a copy of Memorandum for Col. Kerr dated 14 March 1945, which contains essential information on stocks of leather and status of boot repair.

2. Information requested in Par. 3 b, Minute 1, is submitted as follows:

- a. (Re: Par. 3-b-1): The free stock of repaired boots held in Italian Army Depots as at 15 March was approximately 40,000 prs.
- b. (Re: Par. 3-b-2): No reserve quantities are regularly held in Italian Stocks. Stocks not considered as required for current needs of ITI-ITIS are allotted to US-ITIS and BR-ITIS. 275,000 pairs have been so allotted since 1 October 1944.
- c. (Re: Par. 3-b-3): The service life of the shoes and boots being repaired varies from 2 weeks to 6 months dependant upon the state prior to repair, and the use to which any particular pair is put. The average life is estimated as from three to four months.
- d. (Re: Par. 3-b-4): Failure to receive leather has not, as a rule, been caused by cancellation of allotments. Only two actually cancellations have occurred. Collections against allotted ~~88.5~~ have been short; either because the stocks as reported were not on hand, or because such stocks may have been diverted to some other purpose.

GEO. A. WHIFLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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INFORMAL ROUTING SLIP
HQ MTOUSA
APO 512

Date : 6 March 1945

(For long memoranda, use complete width of informal routing slip)

No.	From	To	Date	APN/cvp/s
2.	G-4	MMIA	6 Mar	1. Information requested by QM in Minute 1 is desired by this Headquarters. For the AC/S, G-4: D.I. DODENHOFF, Colonel, G.S.C. Chief Military Supply Branch.

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INFORMAL ROUTING SLIP

HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

Suspense:

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SUBJECT Material for Boot Repairs, Italian Army

No.	From	To	Date	
1.	QM	G-4	4 Mar. 1945	1. Reference is made to letter MMIA, dated 25 February 1945, Subject as above, copy of which was addressed to your section. 2. Prior to this Headquarters taking any action on supply of sole leather it is suggested that information be secured from MMIA as to certain features of their boot repair program. 3. It is suggested a letter substantially as follows be sent to MMIA, with file copies furnished G-4 and QM Section (Salvage): a. Reference is made to letter, your Headquarters, dated 25 February 1945, Subject: "Material for Boot Repairs, Italian Army." b. Reference letter requested an allotment from U.S. or British sources of sole leather, sufficient for the repair of 50,000 pair of shoes and/or boots. Prior to initiating any action, request the following information be submitted this Headquarters: "1. How many repaired shoes and boots are now on hand in MMIA stocks? 2. What reserve quantity of shoes and boots is being maintained by the Italian Army? 3. What is the average life of shoes and boots being repaired?"

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INFORMAL ROUTING SLIP

Suspense:

SUBJECT Material for Boot Repairs, Italian Army

No.	From	To	Date	
				4. Why are local resource allotments of leather being cancelled?" T.H. RAMSEY Brigadier General, USA Chief Quartermaster

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FROM MJAG 151688A

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RESTRICTED PD SHOES SERVICE REURAS FOX XRAY FOUR TWO THREE NINE
FIVE REMAINING IN NMIA STOCKS FOR UNITED STATES DASH ITALIANS WILL
BE COLLECTED EARLIEST PRACTICABLE DATE PD PAREN PENSASE 3193
PD CITE BPSUP PD PENSASE TO MTGUSA FOR ACTION/TO NMIA FOR INFO
TO PENSOUTH FOR INFO PAREN IN ALL INSTANCES CITED IN NMIA RADIO
QUERATIVE NINE CMA FORMAL RELEASES REQUIRED BY ITALIAN DEPOT
FROM PENSASE QUARTERMASTER BEFORE TURNOVER IS EFFECTED CMA HAVE
NOT BEEN RECEIVED FROM NMIA OFFICE BT 151688A

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SUBJECT: Boots not suitable for use of Italian
Army available for ALCOM in Depot 599.

LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
NAPLES
AQ/4/UC

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15 March 1945

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

Attn: Deputy G-4

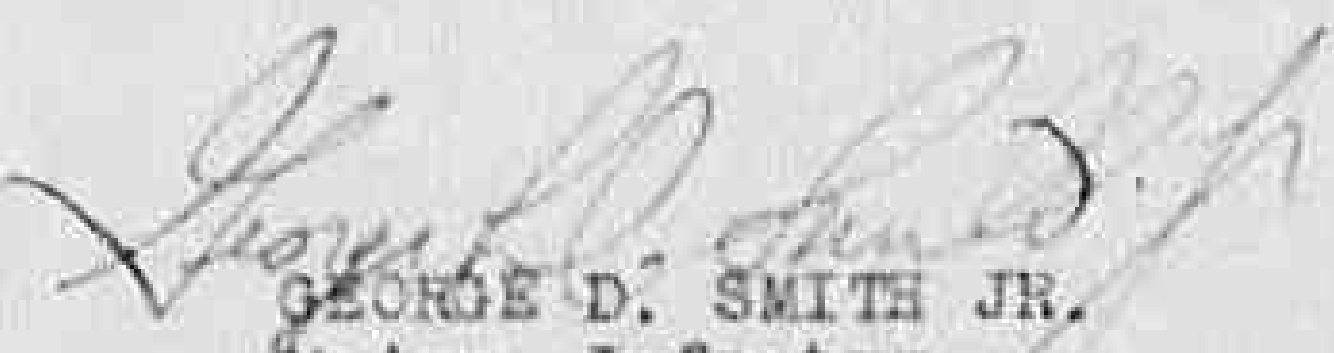
1. Boots not suitable for use of the Italian Army
available for ALCOM by lot number in depot 599.

2. Lot No. 3.

a. Boots of British origin 2680 pairs

b. Boots of U. S. origin 3990 pairs

Total 6670 pairs


GEORGE D. SMITH JR.
Major, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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SUBJECT: Boats

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
NAPLES

13 March 1945

M.M.I.A. LO, 54 Area

Copy to: Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
R.S.D. 557 B.C.D

1. 15000 pairs unrepaired boots are in the course of transportation to you.
2. They are consigned in Railway wagons from RSD 557 BCD and addressed to MMIA LO, 54 Area DIONDANO Depot Bari.
3. Please arrange reception.

George D. Smith Jr.
GEORGE D. SMITH JR.
Major, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

WHA/nl

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Subject: Stock Record--Boot Allotment--
US--ITI's.

LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
NAPLES
AQ/4/SR/1

12 March 1945

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

Attn: Ord Records--Capt. Hamilton

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Q/15/10
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1. Reference your signal Q/59, 10 March 1945.
2. Quantity of 10,000 Boots still due US--ITI's from Naples. We failed to make delivery on MMIA Signal 2234 dated 19 November.

George D. Smith, Jr.
GEORGE D. SMITH, JR.
Major, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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FROM LAKE 121946A

TO PENSABE, ADRIATIC BASE COMMAND

INFO NMIA: NMIA/LO 54 AREA : PENSOUTH FOR NMIA/LO: PENSOUTH

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RESTRICTED FX42395

SHOES CMA SERVICE PAREN OR BOOTS PAREN PREVIOUSLY RELEASED BY NMIA
 TO US ARMY FOR US DASH ITALIANS ARE REQUESTED TO BE COLLECTED EARLIEST
 POSSIBLE DATE PD CITE NAME SIGNED CG NTUSA PD NMIA REPORTS FOUR
 FOUR ZERO ZERO ZERO PAIRS RELEASED TO QUARTERMASTER CMA PENSABE AND
 QUARTERMASTER CMA ADRIATIC CMA OCTOBER THROUGH FEBRUARY STILL IN NMIA
 STOCKS AWAITING PICK UP PD ARRANGE WITH NMIA FOR COLLECTION ABOVE SHOES
 PD NOTIFY THIS HEADQUARTERS OF COMPLETED ACTION PD PARA THIS FOR PEN-
 BASE CLN REFERENCE IS NMIA CABLE QUEEN FIVE NINE CMA TEN MARCH DATE
 DT 121946A

SENT NR 5 13/0823A LM BRD

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SUBJECT: Assignment of Repairing Materials to Corps for Carrying Out Minor Repairs.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/15/10 ✓
11 March 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 1135/I/Ord dated 29 February 1945.

2. Your proposal to make a bulk monthly release of cloth and repairing materials for sub-allotments to such units as may contract with civilian agencies for the manufacture of and repair of clothing and boots appears to have the following disadvantages:-

- a. The proposed procedure would run counter to the present policy of centralized control of all repair and production operations.
- b. The majority of units and formations in the Italian Army are not in a position to enter into contracts with local civilian agencies. They are employed by the Allies, and are being moved from place to place as military operations require.
- c. It would permit the limited number of units remaining in static positions to accumulate and retain stocks surplus to their needs, while other units would be without essential items because of inavailability from depot stocks.
- d. The quantities of materials requested for release monthly would be a serious drain upon our present short supply of repairing materials. 8834
- e. The requested quantities of certain items are, without a doubt, excessive. For example; the item of 6,000 Sewing Needles is at least double the amount required for our entire repair program: The quantity of 800 Kgs. of shoemakers twine is approximately 50% of the quantity required for our entire repair program.

3. HQ WMIA has always encouraged the repair of clothing and boots by tailors and shoemakers within the units to the fullest extent possible. Repairing materials for such re-

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pair within units are, when available, released in reasonable quantities against all indents submitted. The reason that many Italian Units fail to obtain needed materials for repair is, that they do not place the proper indents or other demands for them.

4. Indents from Italian Units in ITI-ITI Categories are processed through the Ministry of War in exactly the same manner as indents for clothing and equipment. Italian Units in US-ITI and BR-ITI Categories should place their indents upon the Administrative Agencies from which they regularly secure their clothing and equipment.

5. In view of the above, the proposal to make bulk monthly allotments is unfavorably considered. Instead of adopting such a procedure, unit commanders should be instructed to submit their indents for essential items of repairing materials in the same manner as they indent for clothing and equipment. Release of all reasonable demands will be authorized to the maximum extent that available stocks will permit.

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GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission

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Copy to:

MMIA LO Naples for Capt. Bennatti
MMIA LO Bari for Capt. Castner

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM: WMLA

DATE TIME ORIGIN

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TO: PERSONE (action)
PERSOUTH (info)
ON STUSSA(")

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REF NO.:

RESTRICTED

REMAINING IN ITI-ITI DEPOTS ARE 44000 PAIRS OF SHOES FROM A
TOTAL OF 132000 PAIRS WHICH HAVE BEEN ALLOTTED TO US-ITI FROM
WMLA STOCKS (.) OUR AQ 15 DATED 3 OCT 44 GMA AQ 2202 DATED
13 NOV GMA AQ 2334 DATED 19 NOV GMA AQ 2352 DATED 12 DEC GMA
AQ 2478 DATED 28 DEC 44 GMA AQ 2501 DATED 3 JAN 45 GMA AQ 2597
DATED 18 JAN GMA AQ 2622 DATED 26 JAN AND AQ 2805 DATED 16 FEB
ALL RUFEN (.) PLEASE MOVE THESE SHOES OR ADVISE US YOU DO NOT
WANT THEM

PREFERENCE _____

AUTHENTICATION _____

INTERNAL

OUR RECORDS

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SUBJECT: Leather at S.A.M.P.A. Tannery at MOLA (BARI).

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/15/10
9 March 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 1201/1/Ord dated 3 March 1945.
2. The regulations for the control of leather require that all stocks be reported to the Commerce Sub Commission ALCOM and to AFLHS. If there is a stock of undeclared leather at S.A.M.P.A. Tannery, MOLA, it should be reported in the proper manner, and then it will become available for allotment against the bids submitted for leather required by the Italian Army.
3. All leather allotted to the Italian Army should be placed in the stocks controlled by our major Repair Program and not report not assigned to any local sub division such as Bari Military Commissariat Directorate.
4. The bid entered monthly by HQ MMIA for the Italian Army includes a reasonable portion for reassignment to unit repair shops, and more liberal quantities of leather will be allocated for such unit repair, just as soon as it is possible to secure the required amount against our monthly bids.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: Manufacture of New Boots.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/15/10
9 March 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 954/I/Ord dated 22 February 1945.
2. The proposal to contract for the production of 3,000 pairs of new infantry boots is favorably considered by this Headquarters.
3. The leather that would be required for such an operation, however, cannot be made available from the meager stocks which are at present on hand and required for our major Boot Repair Program.
4. Just as soon as sufficient leather can be made available from local resources, we shall be glad to release it for the proposed manufacturing operations.

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GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: Release of Upper Leather for Boot Repair in Sicily.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/15/10
9 March 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 986/1/Ord dated 23 February 1945.
2. The proposal to secure leather for shoe repair directly through the High Commissioner Sicily violates the policy set up for the control of all leather through APLRS and Commerce Sub Commission ALCON.
3. A reasonable quantity of leather has recently been released to the Military Headquarters Palermo for local repair.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission 8829

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FROM CO RSD 557 BOD 85

TO DCS AFHQ

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DADE ARMY SUB COMMISSION (ACC) MAIN HQ NMIA

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ORD1/2883/1(14) OF 3 (.) APPENDIX 'A' BOOTS (.) PERIOD ENDING 7 (.)

ISSUED TO NMIA 1,288 PRS (.) AWAITING ISSUE TO NMIA 4,288 PRS

BT THE 281538

SENT EM AS THE K

END LINE 2 GR 2-3-4 X

TO NMIA 1,288 PRS (.)

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SUBJECT: Materials for Boot Repair in Sardinia.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
C/15/10
8 March 1945.

TO : MMIA LO Sardinia.

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1. Referenced your C/6 dated 25 February, and Ministry of War No. 944/I/Ord dated 26 February 45, addressed to Italian Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor with a copy to MMIA.
2. Appended hereto is information copy of Authorisation Notice AQ/ITI_ITI/358 releasing a quantity of leather and nails for shipment from Naples to Sardinia.
3. Leather for our overall Boot Repair Program is in short supply at the present time, and may so continue for another 60 days or longer. Due to this condition, the quantities released are somewhat less than the amounts requested in your above reference letter.
4. The uncertainty as to quantities which may become available in the immediate future also makes it appear inadvisable to set up a fixed monthly allotment at this time. Until a more adequate supply is assured for the entire repair program, it appears advisable to review the situation monthly, and make such releases as existing stocks permit.

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GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Col. DA & QMG
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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Copy to:

MMIA LO Naples
Capt. Bennatti & MMIA LO Naples.

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FROM LANE B61943A

TO DISTONE

INFO MMIA

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REF Q2A DATED 2 MAR(.) SIGNED SAGMED CITE FHOAE (.) AUTHORITY GIVEN FOR
YOU TO ISSUE 1682 WHEELS AND SOLES WITH PROPORTION NAILS AND STUDS
FROM BRIT STOCKS FOR ~~IT~~ ITALIAN BOOT FACTORIES YOUR DISTRICT
BT

SENT NR 36 2325 A BH BD

RCD NR36 2325A HRA KK

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FROM: M M I A

DATE 5 1000 TIME A

TO(FOR ACTION) 54 AREA

Q/08/78

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FOR M M I A L O (.) D A D L REPORTS BOOT SITUATION
IN LABOUR UNITS IN 230 DIV IS DISGRACE TO M M I A ADM (.)
ISSUE BOOTS TO ALL NECESSARY FROM STOCK RELEASED IN Q/08/76
OF 2 MARCH AND REPORT COMPLETION BY SIGNAL.

PRECEDENCE: IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATION

Greenwood

Man

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SUBJECT: Requisition for Shoe Machines for Brindisi Work Shops.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/15/10
4 March 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 825/I/Ord dated 26 February 1945.
2. The proposal of the Bari Recovery Center to requisition boot repair machinery at Brindisi for expansion of the Brindisi Shoe Shop was not known to Headquarters until the receipt of the above reference letter from you.
3. No instructions were issued by Lt. Col. Shipley at the time of his recent visit to Bari that would in any way conflict with your proposed program of concentrating repair operations in the Bari area. It is believed, therefore, that the plan for acquiring additional machinery at Brindisi have been worked out by Capt. Bartone and Capt. Castner, who is the MMIA LO Repair Officer in Bari. It is entirely possible that they have some very good reasons to acquire some of these machines.
4. It is recommended that you refer the matter to Capt. Bartone for his recommendation.

Geo A Shipley
GEO.A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: Sole Leather for Italian Air Force.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/15/10
4 March 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 974/1/Ord dated 26 February 1945.
 2. All items required for the Italian Air Force from local resources should be requested through the Air Force Sub Commission, A.C., rather than through the Ministry of War and MMIA. Bids for leather should be entered by them for direct allotments from such stocks as are available from local resources.
 3. The proposal to release 5,000 Kgs. from the limited quantities now available for the Italian Army is, therefore, disallowed.

Geo A Shipley
GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

GAS/ag

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Translation
 From Min. of War
 To MMSA
 Ref. 1201/1/ORD
 Date March 3.
Subject - Assignment of leather.

10 quintals of sole leather
 are ready at the S.A.M.P.A. Tannery
 at MOLA (BARI).

The BARI Military
 Commissariat Directorate has
 requested the assignment of said
 quantity of leather which it urgently
 requires for repairing the boots
 of its troops.

Please order the relative
 assignment.

epi. v.c.

[Signature]

Ltd PELLIGRA
[Signature]
 See Folio 8822

Mod. 903

AR/Ca  Roma 3.3 1951

IN
 ALLA LAND FORCES SUB
 COMMISSIONE A.C. (MMIA)
 ROMA

Ministero della Guerra
 DIREZIONE GENERALE
 DEI SERVIZI DI COMANDAMENTO MILITARE ED AMM/VI
 Ispettorato del Serv. di COM/LO

Numero *1201/15/0001* *15/0001* *15/0001*

Oggetto *Assegnazione cuoiari.*
Assegnamento di cuoiari

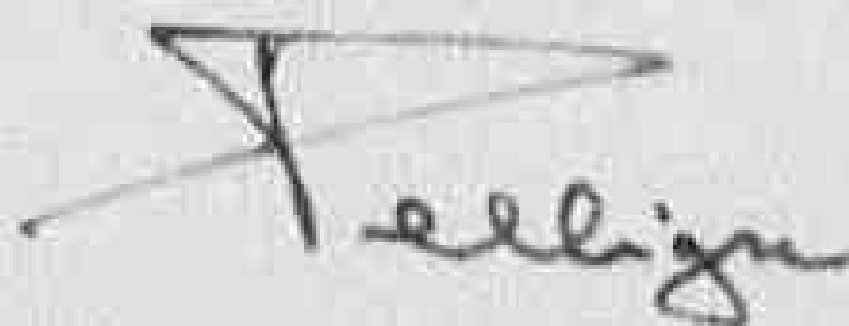
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Presso le Concerie S.A.M.F.A. di Mola di
 Bari sono già pronti Q.11 10 di cuoio suola.

La Direzione di Commissariato Militare di
 Bari ha chiesto l'assegnazione di detto quan-
 titativo di cuoiari di cui ha urgente bisogno
 per le riparazioni alle calzature della trup-
 pa.

Si prega voler disporre la relativa asse-
 gnazione.-

NEL MINISTRO



Translation

From War Ministry
to M.H.I.A.

REF: 1135/1/ORD.

DATE: 28 FEB. 1945.

(479)

Subject: Assignment of raw materials and accessories to the Corps for the carrying out of minor repairs to ~~tools & clothing~~

For the improvement of the service of recovering and repairing of troops necessities and to obtain results still more advantageous also from the economic point of view, we submit as follows to M.H.I.A. -

1) - The service of making and repairing clothes and repairing footwear in Italian Army units were in the past carried out by craftsmen with whom the Military Administration drew up appropriate contracts and to whom the principal raw materials and accessories were assigned.

2) - With the institution of ^{the} Recovery Workshops as wished by M.H.I.A. the above services were centralised in said workshops, with obvious advantages.

As a result no issues of raw materials to the corps are now being carried out, for repairs, except in exceptional cases and following previous authorisations by M.H.I.A.

3) - In the judgement of this Ministry it would be advantageous if the responsibility for minor repairs, either to clothing or footwear,

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were left to the Corps, who could use the Craftsmen, with whom they still hold the relative contracts. In this way the operations of handing in and drawing of articles requiring minor repairs, and the consequent transport, would be avoided. Moreover, the execution of such minor repairs would avoid or delay the necessity for large repairs.

The question is of a monthly assignment to the corps of small quantities of raw materials and accessories which would be drawn from available stocks in stores under command, without, however, such issues being allowed to interfere with the general recovery programme ordered by M.M.I.A.

We list as follows the maximum quantities of raw materials which would need to be issued to the Corps:-

Leather soles	kilos 4000
" for uppers	sq. ft. 1500
Shoemakers tinning	kilos 800
" pitch	" 600
" wax	" 20
Various awls	100
Bundles of bristles	1000
Shoemakers brushes trees (trees)	20
Various tacks and nails	kilos 158820
Nails (for hobnailing)	" 3000
Black g.g. (mixed types)	Metric 1000
Cotton material (.. ..)	" 6000
Grey waterproof material for tents	" 300

Strong reinforcing material	Metros 50
Material for u.s. kitbags toolbags	2000
Mixed threads	kiloo. 300
Sewing needles	6000
Mixed buttons	90,000

In the event of a favourable decision by MMIA in respect of the afm proposal, this Ministry would arrange for the issue of the raw materials month by month, confining them within the afm maximum limits. MMIA, however, would have to bear in mind the need to add the afm requirements to the monthly assignments, for the respective raw materials.

For the other raw materials, requests would be made to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce, and Labour.

Chairman.



Sgd. PERRON.



Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Transulata
Suppl.
Roma, 20 FEBBRAIO 1945

ALLA LA LANC FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (H.M.I.A.)

R.O.M.A.

A. S. R. 1135/1004
Allegati

IN
Risposta al Telex 542
del

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OCCORRENZA assegnazione di materia prima ed accessori ai Corpi per l'esecuzione di piccole riparazioni.

Rappresentanti
di
Reparti
del
Genio
ed
accessori
di
servizio

zioni alle necessità delle truppe e conseguire comodità sempre più vantaggiose anche dal punto di vista economico, si rappresenta a codesta Direzione quanto appresso:

1. - Presso i reparti dell'Esercito Italiano il servizio delle conferenze e riparazioni del vestiario e quello delle riparazioni alla calzatura era in passato assicurato a mezzo di capi operai non i quali l'Amministrazione Militare stipulava appositi contratti ed ei quelli venivano fornite le principali materie prime ed accessori.
2. - Con l'istituzione dei Laboratori Ricambi voluti da codesta Direzione i servizi suddetti sono stati concentrati, con evidenza vantaggiosa, presso detti Laboratori.

In dipendenza di ciò nessuna assunzione di materia prima viene ora effettuata ai corpi per le riparazioni, tranne casi eccezionali ed in seguito a preventiva autorizzazione di codesta Direzione.

3. - A parere di questo Ministero sarebbe conveniente che l'incarico delle piccole riparazioni, che al vestiario che esse calzature, fosse lasciato ai corpi i quali dispongono di capi operai **8818** quali hanno tutto in corso i relativi contratti. In tal modo per gli

Oggetto

Assegnazione di materia prima ed accessori ai Corpi per l'esecuzione di piccoli riparazioni.

Programma di lavoro dei Corpi per l'esecuzione di piccoli riparazioni e accessori per piccoli ripari.

Si richiede di adeguare il servizio dei ricambi e della riparazione alle necessità delle truppe e conseguire risultati sempre più vantaggiosi anche dal punto di vista economico, ed in presenza a codesta Missione quanto appresso:

1. - Presso i reparti dell'Esercito Italiano il servizio delle confezioni e riparazioni del vestiario e quello delle riparazioni alle calzature era in passato assicurato a mezzo di capi operai ed i quali l'Amministrazione Militare stipulava appositi contratti ed ai quali venivano fornite le principali materie prime ed accessori.

2. - Con l'istituzione dei Laboratori Ricambi voluti da codesta Missione i servizi suddetti sono stati concentrati, con evidenti vantaggi, presso detti laboratori.

In dipendenza di ciò nessuna cessione di materia prima viene ora effettuata ai corpi per le riparazioni, tranne casi eccezionali ed in seguito a preventiva autorizzazione di codesta Missione.

3. - A parere di questo Ministero sarebbe conveniente che l'incarico della piccole riparazioni, sia al vestiario che alle calzature, fosse lasciato ai Corpi i quali dispongono di capi operai **8818** che li hanno tuttora in corso i relativi contratti. In tal modo per gli oggetti esigibili di piccole riparazioni si eviterebbero le operazioni di versamento e prelievo ed i conseguenti trasporti.

Inoltre l'esecuzione di tali piccole riparazioni presso i Corpi eviterebbe e ritarderebbe la necessità di grandi riparazioni.

Si tratterebbe di eseguire mensilmente ai Corpi piccole quantitativi di materia prima ed accessori che verrebbero tratti

della disponibilità. A tal dipendenza sussistono peraltro che le missioni possono interferire col programma generale dei ricami, di apporto da questa Missione.

Si trascrivono qui di seguito i quantitativi mensili della materia prima che occorrerebbe cedere mensilmente ai Corpi:

- cuoio suola	kg.	4.000
- cuoio da tomaie	kg.	1.500
- spago per calzolaio	kg.	300
- paglia "	"	500
- cera "	"	20
- lacina varia	kg.	100
- setole marziali	"	1.000
- forate per calzolaio	"	20
- cerniere e chiodi vari	kg.	1.300
- chiodi vari (per chiodature)	"	3.000
- panno S.V. (tipi vari)	m.	1.000
- tela di cotone (tipi vari)	"	5.000
- tela grigia impermeabile per tenda	"	500
- " idem per riflettori	"	50
- " per secchielli esplosivi f.u.	"	2.000
- filati vari	kg.	100
- tegoli per cuoio	kg.	5.000
- bottoni vari	"	50.000

Qualora questa Missione decidesse favorevolmente nei riguardi della suddetta proposta, alle decisioni della materia prima provvederebbe mese per mese questo Ministero, contenendole nei limiti mensili suddetti. Questa Missione dovrebbe però, per le materie prime che le riguardano, tener conto del suddetto fabbisogno da aggiungere alla sua quozioni mensili.

Per le altre materie prime le richieste verrebbero fatte al Ministero dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro.

PER IL MINISTERO

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Translation

Q 15/10

(1478)

From: M. of W.

Ref: 144/1/ord

To: M.M.I.R. for information

26/2/45

Subject: Leather for repairs ^{to boots} of troops in Sardinia.

dated 14/11/44

Reference is made to this Ministry's letter No 229/172 to inform you that the Commissariat of Sardinia has found itself in grave difficulties to ensure the repair service of the troops' boots.

The latter difficulty is derived principally from the insufficient assignments of best leather disposed of by the High Commissioner for Sardinia, having also regard ^{to} the fact that the Allied Authorities have forbidden the dispatch of material from the mainland. The need of the Military administration must therefore be met by the resources of the Island exclusively.

In addition, the said Commissariat in affecting the assignments considers only the quantities of leather signaled available monthly from the tannery, not considering ~~or~~ ^{the} the ~~fact~~ ^{fact} for otherwise of the said leather for military use.

It follows that the Military administrative representative who went to the firm to carry out the selecting of the leather, having found only the quantities which were assigned, could not possibly choose, so provided ~~that~~ ^{that} they were compelled either to forfeit their withdrawal, or ~~to~~ ^{to} leather which was hardly suitable for ^{military} purpose. 8817

The above is brought to the knowledge of this Ministry, so that they can kindly interest the High Commissioner for Sardinia to:- 8815

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Sheet 2

- 1st To increase the assignment of leather for military use.
- 2nd To assign sole and upper leather that possesses if not all the requirements requested by regulations, at least those indispensable qualities, i.e. (thickness & choice) necessary for their destined use.
- 3rd To assign consequently for civilian use, the quantities of leather not fit for military use, however the assignment of quantities of leather to civilians (which are found to be unsuitable for military use), will be made after the military administration has collected their monthly assignments from the tannery.

For the Minister

PELLICERIA.

E. M. M. M. M.

HHS

Roma, 11^o febbraio 1943-MINISTERO DELL'INDUSTRIA,
COMMERIO E LAVORO

= R O L A =

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Risposta al Teleg. N.°

OGGETTO Cuoismi destinati alla ripartizione delle calzature della
truppe della Sardegna. *Lettera per l'Espresso di Torino a*

e, per conoscenza;



ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.S.I.A.)

= R O L A =

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- ALLA DIREZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO DEL COMANDO MILITARE
DELLA SARDEGNA

(Ref.f. n° 2/1046/D del 3 corr.) =CARLIANI=

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Si fa riferimento al foglio di questo Ministero
n° 229/T/To in data 14 novembre 1943 per segnalare che la Direc-
zione di Commissariato della Sardegna si trova in gravi difficoltà
per assicurare il servizio delle ripartizioni alle calzature della
truppa.

Tali difficoltà derivano principalmente dalle insufficienti
risorse materiali di cuoio di cui dispone l'Alto Commissariato per la
Sardegna, avuto riguardo anche al fatto che le autorità Alleate non
ne vieta ogni invio di materie prime del continente e quindi alle
necessità dell'Amministrazione Militare dev'essere provveduto unie-
tamente con le risorse dell'Isola.

Inoltre detto Commissariato, nell'effettuare le assegnazio-
ni, tiene conto prioritariamente delle necessità di materiali e sussistenze.

OGGETTO: Cuoiai destinati alla ripartizione delle calzature delle truppe della Sardegna. *Scatto per ripartizione di truppe a*

a. per conoscenza;



ALLA LAND FORCE COMMISSION A.O. (M.M.I.A.)

Barbina
" R O I A "

ALLA DIREZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO DEL COMANDO MILITARE DELLA SARDEGNA

(Ref. F. n° 2/1046/S del 3 corr.) "CAGLIARI"

.....

Si fa riferimento al Regio di questo ministero n° 229/I/70 in data 14 novembre 1944 per segnalare che la Direzione di Commissariato della Sardegna si trova in gravi difficoltà per assicurare il servizio delle ripartizioni alle calzature delle truppe.

Tali difficoltà derivano principalmente dalla insufficienza di magazzini di cuoi e di cuoi destinati dall'Alto Commissariato per la Sardegna, avuto riguardo anche al fatto che le autorità Alleate hanno vietato ogni invio di materie prime dal continente e quindi alle necessità dell'Amministrazione Militare dell'Isola per provvedere unicamente con le riserve dell'Isola.

Inoltre dette Commissioni, nell'effettuare le assegnazioni, tiene conto unicamente delle quantità di cuoi disponibili e non di quelle disponibili delle coperture prevedendo dall'Isola o meno dei cuoi attesi per gli usi militari.

Ne consegue che gli incaricati dell'Amministrazione Militare che si vedono presso le Ditte per effettuare il collaudo dei cuoi - trovando presso le stesse soltanto i quantitativi in peso cuoi - non hanno la possibilità di scelte in relazione alle pressioni del capitolato e quindi sono costretti a rinunciare al miglior.

ro o ad accettare materiali che per scelta e spessori non si prestano per le lavorazioni militari.

Quanto sopra si porta a conoscenza di codesto Ministero per le lavorazioni militari.

essere fornito voglia occuparsi di intere per l'Alto Comandamento per la Sardegna.

- 1°) aumentare le assegnazioni di compiti per gli usi militari;
- 2°) assegnare tutto quello che tocca che abbiano, se non al completo tutti i requisiti di ospitalità, almeno quelli (scelta e spessore) indispensabili per l'uso a cui sono

destinati;

- 3°) assegnare, conseguentemente, per gli usi civili i quantitativi di cemento non idonei agli usi militari, procedendo comunque a queste assegnazioni dopo che l'Amministrazione Militare abbia sensibilmente collaudato presso le Comandarie di materiale assegnato.

PER MINISTRO

Felix

Translation

From: War Ministry
To: M.M.I.A.

AQ/15/10

REF: 974/1/ORD.
DATE: 26.2.1945.

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Subject: Leather Soles for the Air Force.

We refer to M.M.I.A.'s letter AQ/15/10 dated 2nd December 1944 in notifying that the Air Ministry has requested the assignment of 5000 kilos of leather soles for the completion of the 5000 kilos referred to in the a/m letter.

We beg of M.M.I.A. to be so kind as to order this assignment.

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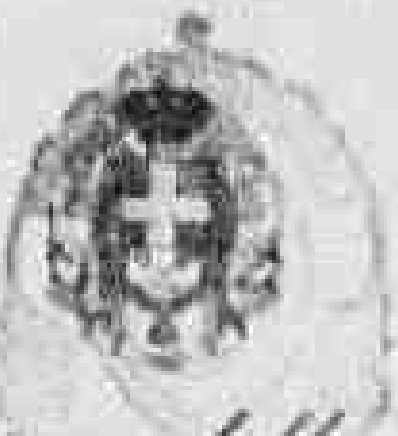
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Sgd: P. W. C. A.

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 Ministero della Guerra
 DIREZIONE GENERALE
 DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE
 -Ispezzione-

Luogotenente
 Col. 13/11/1944 *Allegato*

IN
 AREA LAVORO RINCHIUSO SUB
 COMMISSIONE A.C.
 (M.M.I.A.) ROMA

Oggetto

Scatole scarpe per l'armamento

Scatole scarpe per l'armamento

Si fa riferimento al foglio di codesta
 Missione n° 42/15/10 in data 2 dicembre 1944
 per segnalare che il Ministero dell'Aeronautica
 ha richiesto l'assegnazione di kg. 3000 di
 scarpe, e solo del quantitativo di
 kg. 3000 di cui al foglio suddetto.

Si prega codesta Missione di voler di-
 sporre per tale assegnazione.

DEL MINISTRO

Tecliga

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1426

Ref. no. 825/1/ao.
Date. 26 feb 45

Date - 26 Feb 45

The BARI recovery centre have requested the requisition of a RAPID: sole sewing machine and of a finishing lathe (complete with accessories) existing at the A. MONTANA firm of BRINDISI.

Those machine will be used to increase to a maximum the repairs of boots at the BRINDISI workshop

Since according to the programme of this Ministry, the ~~former~~ ^{flatter} workshop will be closed down we beg you to let us know ^{if that} following ^{the} ~~next~~ ^{as} said ~~order~~ ^{not} by Col. SHIPLEY, ^{whether} the ^{the} programme has been submitted to any alterations.

ELLIGRA.

See Folio 482



Experimento

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMANDO E STATO MAIORI MILITARE

Instituto

prof. 4-11-15 / 15-11-15

W. Lloyd Garrison

OGGETTO

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Representative of the Nation

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Il Centro Regionale Ricordi di Bari ha chiesto la
restituzione di una macchina cucitrice "Repla" e di un banco di
finitaggio (completo di accessori) esistenti presso la Ditta A.
Montagne di Brindisi.

De tre macchine dovrebbero servire per incrementare al massimo le riparamenti delle calature presso il laboratorio di Brindisi.

Poiché secondo il programma noto a questo Ministero quest'ultimo laboratorio dovrebbe essere costruito ad opera eccedente l'azione di voler far conoscere se in seguito alla visita effettuata sul posto dal Sig. Col. Stanley vi è stata qualche variazione al suddetto programma.

DEB. INSTRUMENTO

Adeline

2 FEB 24 1945

ALLIANCE FOR THE LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (A.L.F.A.)-

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Respectfully, Taylor A. S.
dated

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No.

Il Centro Regionale Ricambi di Bari ha chiesto la
requisizione di una macchina cucitrice "Rapid" e di un banco di
rinassaggio (completo di accessori) esistenti presso la Ditta A.
Montagna di Brindisi.

Dette macchine dovrebbero servire per incrementare
al massimo le riparatrici delle calature presso il Laboratorio
di Brindisi.

Poiché secondo il programma noto a questo Ministero
quest'ultimo laboratorio dovrebbe essere soppresso, si prega
codesta Missione di voler far conoscere se in seguito alla visita
effettuata sul posto dal Sig. Col. Shiplei vi è stata qualche variabile
al suddetto programma.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.F.O. 397, U.S. Army

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25 February 1945

SUBJECT: Shoe Repair Material.

TO : Commanding General, Land Forces Sub Commission, AG, (M.M.I.A.), Rome.
Attention: Lt. Colonel Shipley.

1. In accordance with your policy of utilization of local facilities for maintenance of clothing and shoes for Italian Army units, Major Fossett has conferred with the Director of Commissary on the matter of monthly requirements of shoe repair material for troops who are to remain in Sardinia.

2. It was agreed that the shoe repair facilities at Oschiri could completely repair 1,000 pairs of shoes per month from stocks of old shoes on hand. This would require 800 kgs of sole leather, 300 kgs of upper leather and 50 kgs of wooden pegs per month. These figures are slightly lower than figures quoted to Major Fossett by Major Parone in Naples on 31 January, and are believed to be valid.

3. The High Commissioner for Sardinia, at present, assigns a limited amount of leather from local sources, but this is not even sufficient to meet the needs of cobblers of various units.

4. The aim of the present plan is to repair about 6,000 pairs of shoes in six months. After that period, it is foreseen that the repair program can be reduced to about half, because by then the general level of the condition of the soldiers shoes will have been raised.

5. Request that this matter be favorably considered and a program set up to ship regularly the monthly requirements listed in paragraph 2 (above) for at least three months. By then we can observe the progress being made and recommend any adjustments necessary.

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*assumed
and leather allotted
AQ/11/16/358*
F. L. SIMONS,
Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer.

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SUBJECT: Issue of Boots to GCHH.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/15/10
25 February 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 7655/V dated 23 February 45.
2. A check of our records of issues to GCHH indicate that the full 5,500 pairs of boots released to the GCHH on our AQ/45/ITI/13 dated 9 January 1945 have already been withdrawn, and that no further issues are due against this release or any previous release from the Naples Depots.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISS.ON

INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA ROMA ++

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No:

FROM: LONG MMIA LO SICILY 1432/1 IPICATION: 1143/24

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FROM: LONG MMIA LO SICILY 1432/1 IPICATION: 11/13/84

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TR UNO A ROMA ACC ORE 14/25 DELEO +++

DATE and Time of RECEIPT

Distribution:

RCV UNO DA ROME CENTRO ORE 14252402 MAURIZI

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From M. of W.
To: 19.12.1A.

Formulation

Ref. 905/1/ord.
23/2/45

H43/1

2/15/10

Subject: Release of Hides & Leather. *Upper Leather*

In letter 434/1/ord dated 2/2/45 this Ministry has informed the High Commissioner for Sicily to obtain the release of 700 lbs ~~the~~ hides for the A/M Recovery Depot, Gort.

The latter has wired us to say that the High Commissioner has made known verbally that the release of the A/M hides, are out of his jurisdiction, and is within the jurisdiction of ~~the~~ ^{this} Ministry.

We ask you to make provisions because the requirements of hides, are urgently required for the repair of footwears of troops stationed over the Island.

For the Minister
PELLIORIA

F. D. M. M. M.
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See Folio 407 8897

OCCETTO

Successo cuoio tomala vitello.

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.) -

ROMA

- AL CENTRO REGIONALE RICOPIRI DELLA SICILIA -

PALERMO

Con dispaccio n° 434/I/Ord. in data 2 corrente questo Ministero ha interessato l'Alto Commissario per la Sicilia per ottenere lo sblocco di pz. 700 di cuoio di tomala a favore del Centro Ricoperi in indirizzo.

Quest'ultimo ha ora telegrafato che l'Alto Commissario ha riferito verbalmente non essere di sua competenza tale assegnazione ma di codesto Ministero.

Pregasi voler provvedere tenendo presente che l'assegnazione del suddetto cuoio ha carattere d'urgenza dovendo essere impiegato per le riparazioni alle calzature delle truppe dislocate nell'Isola.

PEL MINISTRO

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Translation

From: M of W

To: M M I A

Subject: Boats

Q 15/10

Ref: 7055/V

Date: 23rd Feb 45

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Further to verbal information received, it is confirmed that M M I A L.C. Naples agreed to issue 3,452 pairs of boots in lieu of the 5,500 authorized by you for the CEKK.

Please inform Naples office in order to allow the withdrawal of the remaining 1,948 pairs of boots.

Sgt. F. H. G. C.

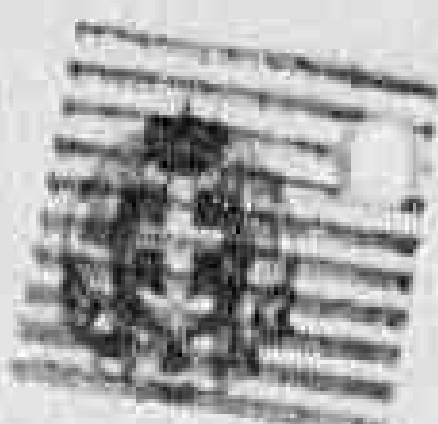
All boots 5700
have been
withdrawn by
CEKK

Answered
24/2/45

(Sgt) PELLICK

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See Log 1175



Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

R. 38004/3

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LA LAND FORCES SUB
COMMISSION A.C. (MMA)
ROMA

D. 1. 7555/V Allegato

OGGETTO Calzature.

e, per conoscenza :

AL COMANDO GENERALE ARMA CC.RR.

ROMA

A seguito di quanto comunicato verbalmente, si conferma che la M.M.I.A. - Lo - Napoli, ha consentito la cessione di 3.452 paia di scarpe in luogo delle 5.500 autorizzate da cotesta M.M.I.A. a favore dei CC.RR. -

Per quanto precede si prega voler interessare l'Ufficio periferico di Napoli affinché permetta il sollecito prelevamento delle rimanenti 1.848 paia di calzature. -

P. IL MINISTRO

785020

From: War Ministry
To: M.M.I.A.

Translation

Q/15/10

REF: 954/1/ORD.

DATE: 22 FEB. 45

1472/1

Subject: Supply of Service Boots - Boot Manufacturers
Giuseppe POSSIONI di Tuoro sul
Trasimeno (Perugia)

The R. Prefecture of Perugia has informed us that an important bootfactory exists in that Province, that of the firm of POSSIONI Giuseppe di Tuoro sul Trasimeno, adding that this firm is equipped with modern machinery, ready to start work and can turn out military equipment ensuring the employment of a considerable number of craftsmen.

Answer
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The firm of POSSIONI has in fact put forward an offer to supply 3,000 pairs of infantry boots regulation pattern, asking only for the assignment of the leather and thread, while ~~at~~ they are prepared to provide all the other accessories on their own account.

The requested price ~~for~~ each pair of boots is 275 lire.

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Taking into consideration: - See Folio 488

1) That the offer is very advantageous

- to the Military Administration in view of the low price asked.
- 2). That the ordering of a certain quantity of new boots is necessary for service needs.
 - 3). That we are dealing with a firm well equipped for satisfactory work, as we have been informed by the Perugia Prefecture:-
- this Ministry is inclined to accept the offer in question.

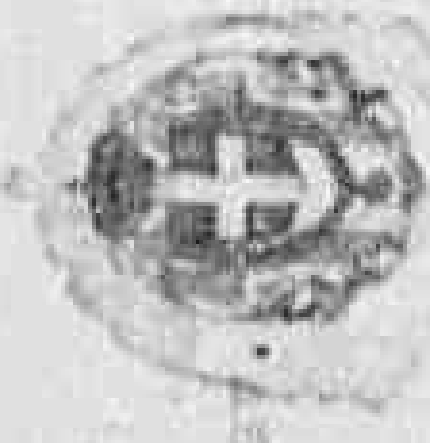
In this respect, therefore, we request the advance assignment of the following quantities of raw materials in favour of the firm in question:-

Leather	Kgs. 4,468.200
Half-leather for uppers	sq. ft. 9,900.
Chrome leather or skin for tongues	" " 1,440.
Cat-gut	Metros 3,000.
Black cotton thread for footwear	" 67.500
Black canvas thread type 16, 4 strands	Kgs. 24.
Canvas thread type 18 { 12 strands	" 26.600
{ 10 " "	" 10.800
{ 8 " "	" 6.1
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Sgd. PERUGIA.

Ammin
[Signature]

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI AMMINISTRAZIONE MILITARE
LEPESCORATO

Roma, 22 Dicembre 1945

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
(M.M.I.A.) A.C.

= R.O.M.A. =

A. d. R. 354/2/22.8.1945

Allegato

Risposta al Foglio N. 7

del

OGGETTO: Fornitura attivamenti truppe - Ditta Calzaturificio
Giuseppe FORTICCHI di Tuoro sul Trasimeno (Perugia).
Per conoscenza: Supply of troops footwear. *PSB*
- ALLA R. PREFETTURA DI
(rif. te n. 3791 - Sez. 3°, del 12 corrente)
= R.O.M.A. =

La R. Prefettura di Perugia ha qui segnalato che in quella
la Provincia esiste un importante calzaturificio, quello della Ditta
FORTICCHI Giuseppe di Tuoro sul Trasimeno, segnalando che tale
ditta è fornita di macchinario moderno, è pronta per il funziona-
mento e potrebbe espletare forniture militari assicurando il la-
voro ad un considerevole numero di operai.

La ditta FORTICCHI ha infatti presentato offerta per la
previdenza di 3.000 paia di attivamenti per erai e piedi, regolamen-
tari, offrendo soltanto l'assistenza del pellame e dei filati,
mentre per ogni altro necessario si è dichiarata disposta a pro-
vegnere direttamente a proprie spese.

Il compenso richiesto per ogni paio di attivamenti è di
L. 275. =

- ALLA R. PREFETTURA DI

(rif. n. 3792 - Sez. 3, del 12 corrente)

- F E R U I A -

La R. Prefettura di Perugia ha qui segnalato che in questa Provincia esiste un'importante calzaturificio, quello della Ditta POCCHIONI Giuseppe di Tuoro sul Trasimeno, segnalando che tale ditta è fornita di macchinario moderno, è pronta per il funzionamento e potrebbe espletare forniture militari assicurando il lavoro ad un considerevole numero di operai.

La ditta POCCHIONI ha infatti presentato offerte per le provviste di 3.000 paia di stivaletti per armi a piedi, regolamentari, chiedendo soltanto l'assunzione del pellame e dei filati, mentre per ogni altro accessorio si è dichiarata disposta e provvedervi direttamente a proprie spese.

Il compenso richiesto per ogni paio di stivaletti è di

L. 275. =

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Consigliato:

1° che l'offerta è molto vantaggiosa per l'Amministrazione Militare data l'esiguità del prezzo richiesto;

2° che vi è necessità di disporre di un certo quantitativo di stivaletti nuovi per la esigenze del servizio;

36- che trattasi di ditte bene attrezzate per una lavorazione soddisfacente, con il tutto qui segnalato nelle Previsioni di spesa.

Questo Ministero avrebbe in senso di accettare l'offerta in per
colle.

All'ing. Bert, si chiede la preventiva assegnazione del 25%
sue di quantitativi di materie prima a favore della ditta in

oggetto:

- Cuolo	4.458,250
- Vitecine per tomsia	9.500,000
- Grosse o pelli per soffianti	1.440,000
- Guardolo	3.000,000
- Filato di cotone nero per calzature	57.500,000
- Rete nero di canapa titolo 16 a 4 capi	24,000
	21.500
- Filo canapa titolo 16 a 10 capi	10.800
	8,000

PSI MILANO

Allegra

MESSAGE FORM

FROM: NMIA

DATE - TIME OF ORIGIN

22 1630

TO (FOR ACTION): 54 AREA

TO (FOR INFO): AFHQ
MINISTRY OF WAR

REF. NO. 42

(SECURITY
CLASSIFICATION): RESTRICTED

FOR NMIA LO (.) RELEASE AUTHORIZED 40 PMS ITALIAN MOUNTAIN
BOOTS FROM BARI STOCKS TO IS 9 BARI (.) CONTACT IS 9 AND
ARRANGE COLLECTION (.) AFHQ 0-2 (P/W)/1100/143 OF 23 JAN
REFERS

PRESENCE: Lortone

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ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION:

Albared May

INTERNAL:

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SUBJECT: Release of Boot Repairing Materials to CCRR.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.O. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/15/10
21 February 1945.

TO : Ministry of War. 468

1. Reference your 787/1/Ord dated 16 Feb. 45.
2. With the exception of the item of sole leather, CCRR should find it possible to procure all items requested from local resources. The available stock of sole leather is, at present, insufficient for the uninterrupted operation of our boot repair program. As part of the arrangement which we now have for repairing boots for CCRR in Italian Army work shops, it was agreed that no further issues of boot repairing material would be made to CCRR.
3. The request contained in the above reference letter is disallowed.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

GAS/ag

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SUBJECT: Allied Boots for Civilian Employees of Work Shops.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION.
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/15/10
21 February 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your N. 626/I/Ord dated 14 Feb. 1945.
2. Under no circumstances can the issue on repayment of any items of Allied Origin be made to Italian soldiers, to Italian officers, or to civilians. This requirement must be complied with regardless of existing needs.
3. The request contained in the above reference letter is disallowed.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

GAS/ag

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Translation

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From: Me of W

Ref. No. 7459/V

To: Territorial Military P. M. Directorate, Rome
M. M. I. A. for info.

Date: Feb. 17, 1945

AQ 15/10

Subject: Issue of footwear.

In place of the Allied footwear reported as unavailable with the above letter, this Ministry, in consideration of the small amount involved, authorizes the issue of shoes of Italian origin to the Military Assignments Office of Anzio Picerno.

As a result of the foregoing, letter No. 6229/V of ²⁶2/26/45 should be regarded as ~~not~~ cancelled.

Signed: Pelligrini

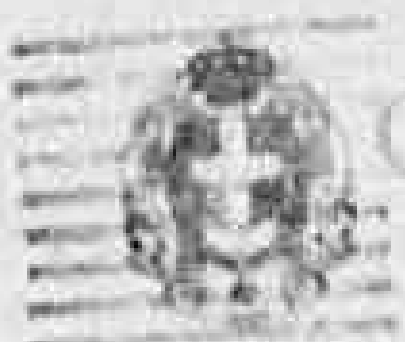
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DIREZIONE GENERALE
SERVIZIO DI COMMERCE MILITAREALLA DIREZIONE DI
COMMITO MIL. TERR. LE
DI ROMAProv. V.E.
N. 7459/1In
MiglioreRipartizione del 9 corr.
N. 893/2

OGGETTO

Cessione di calzature.
Piani di 1500

At

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e, per conoscenza:

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (MIA)
ROMA

ALL'U.F.C. - U.F. Sero. -

P.M. 3900

ALL'UFFICIO CENSURA MILITARE

ASCOLI PICENO

In sostituzione delle calzature di provenienza alleata segnalate indisponibili col foglio in riferimento, questo Ministero, tenuto anche conto dell'esiguo quantitativo, autorizza la cessione, all'Ufficio Censura Militare di Ascoli Piceno, di scarpe di provenienza italiana.

In conseguenza di quanto sopra ti dispueto 6229/V del 26/1/45 deve, considerarsi annullato.

P. Il M. 8796

Fellini

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Translation

From: M of W
To: MMIA

Ref: 70/11/Ord.
Date: 16 Feb. 45.

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Subject: Request of Raw Material for boot repair.

AG 15/10

CCRR Territorial Legion, Arizona requested the assignment of the following raw material for boot repair purposes:-

sole leather	300 Kg.
Shoemaker Thread	10 "
Brushes	10 bunches
Pitch	0.500 Kg.
Nails of sorts	60 Kg.

Although it is known that for the CCRR the apr service is carried out in handing over to the Repair Centre boots that require repair and withdrawing the corresponding amount of repaired boots, this Ministry has no objection to supply the apr raw material, those dealing with minor repair which can be more conveniently carried out by the units concerned.

May authority be given for the apr issue, please

(Sgd) PELLICER

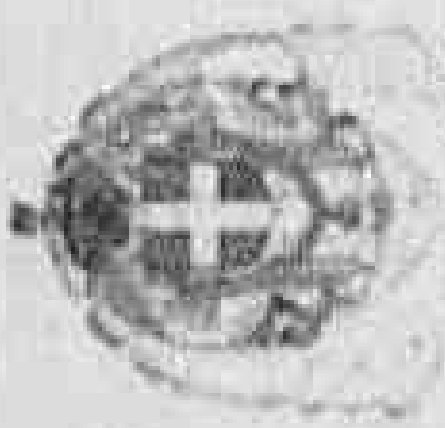
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Lester M. R.

See file 1471

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Parlati
Bozzetti

1 FEBBRAIO 1945

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(M.M.L.A.) A.C.

- R.C.M.A. -

Ministro della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

L. 20. 2. 1945

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L. 2. 2. 1945

Proposta di legge
del

OGGETTO: Richiesta materie prima per riparazione

calzature.

La Legione Territoriale dei Reali Carabinieri di Ancona
ha chiesto l'assegnazione delle seguenti materie prima per la
riparazione di calzature:

- cuoio suola	13.	300
- pezzo di cuoio	"	10
- setole	pezzi	15
- pezzi	13.	0,500
- chiodi vari	"	50

Questo Ministero, per considerando che per i CC. RR. il servizio suddetto viene effettuato con versamento ai Centri Ricupero delle calzature schioccigevoli di riparazioni e con prelevamento del corrispondente quantitativo di quelle riparate, esprime parere favorevole per l'assegnazione delle suddette materie prima in eccezioni soltanto il piccolo quantitativo che è più agevole siano effettuate presso i centri.

Si prega pertanto voler autorizzare la suddetta sezione.

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La Legione Territoriale dei Reali Carabinieri di Ascona
ha chiesto l'assegnazione delle seguenti materie prime per la
riparazione di ordinanza:

- cuoio suola	150	300
- legno da calcolino	"	10
- autole	macchinetti	15
- pace	"	0,500
- chiodi vari	"	50

Questo Ministero, per considerare che per i CC. RR. il servizio suddetto viene effettuato con versamento ai Centri Ricambi delle calzature abbisognevoli di riparazioni e con prelievo dal corrispondente magazzino di quelle riparate, saprebbe essere favorevole per l'assegnazione delle suddette materie prime trattandosi soltanto di piccole riparazioni che è più agevole siano effettuate presso i reparti.

Si prega pertanto voler autorizzare la suddetta assegnazione.

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM: NMIA

DATE - TIME OF ORIGIN
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TO (FOR ACTION): 54 AREA, PEREASE

TO (FOR INFO): PEREASE, WFOUSA

REF. NO. AQ

(SECURITY
CLASSIFICATION): RESTRICTED

FOR NMIA LG 54 AREA (.) FIRST (.) UNDER PROVISIONS PARA
53 AFHQ LETTER 43/400/105 DO DATED 22 SEPTEMBER 44 ADDITIONAL
ALLOTMENT OF 15,000 PMS BOOTS TO BR-ITIS AND 15,000 PMS BOOTS
TO US-ITIS IS MADE FROM ITALIAN DEPOTS BARI (.) SECOND (.)
NMIA LG 54 AREA WILL MOVE BOOTS FOR BR-ITIS TO GIORNARO (.)
THIRD (.) REQUEST PEREASE ARRANGE COLLECTION OF BOOTS TO
US-ITIS FROM ITALIAN DEPOT THROUGH NMIA LG 54 AREA BARI

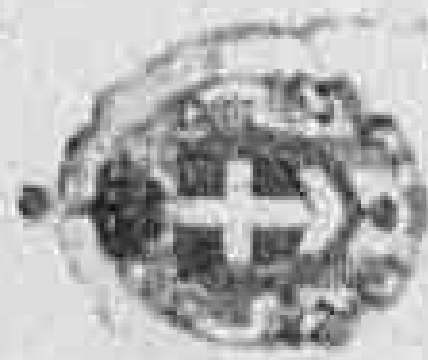
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ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION: _____

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Ispettorato

V. d. R. 626/110.000.000.000

Allegato

AQ 15/10

IN

ALLIED LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.G. (M.M.I.A.)

- ROMA -

Risposta al Teleg. N. 2
del

OGGETTO

Scorte alliate per il personale civile.

Allied boots for civilian personnel

Il Centro Regionale Recupero di Bari ha fatto presente la necessità che il Laboratorio di Acquaviva distribuisca a pagamento al dipendente personale un paio di calzature allente per ogni operaio.

Questo Ministero trattandosi di lavoratori che lavorano per la riparazione degli oggetti allentati e che si trovano in penose condizioni in fatto di calzature avanza tale proposta a questa Missione esprimendo parere favorevole per l'accoglimento.

PEL MINISTRO

The Bari Regional Recovery Centre has notified the necessity of the Acquaviva Workshops issuing on pair of allied boots, on payment. To each of the personnel under command.

The proposal dealing with personnel who are

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mento al dipendente personale un paio di calzature all'anno ogni operaio.

Questo Ministero trattandosi di maestranze che lavorano per la riparazione degli oggetti allentati e che si trovano in penose condizioni in fatto di calzature avanza tale proposta a questa Commissione esprimendo parere favorevole per l'accolgimento.

*Amministratore
10/10/40*

PEL MINISTRO

Delegato

The Bari Regional Recovery Centre has notified the necessity of the Acquarone Workshops issuing a pair of allied boots, on payment. To each of the personnel under command.

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The proposal, dealing with personnel who are truly employed repairing Allied equipment and who are truly in a painful position as regards footwear, is put forward by this Ministry to M.M.I.A., hoping for favourable agreement to the issue.

15/11/40

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

TEL. NO. NUMBER 518

SUBJECT: Leather Priorities.

AFHQ/9101/3(AE)

10 Feb. 45

AFHQ

1. Some confusion at present exists as to the priority for allocation of leather produced in Italy.
2. G-in-C, Med states that leather cannot be obtained for the Italian Navy as the entire output is reserved for Italian Military needs in accordance with Signal P.83728 FRODO of 16 Aug. 44.
3. The term 'Italian Military Forces' quoted in Priority I of the above mentioned cable is intended to include the Italian Army, Navy and Air Force. This has been agreed with G-4 (A).
4. Will you therefore, please arrange for the Italian Navy to have an equitable allotment of leather and grinkery.

BA/JS

J.J. Sloan
J.J. SLOAN, Lt.-Col.,
for Major General G-4 (B).

Copy to: G(Maint) Your AFHQ/6861/4/3(Maint)
of 1 Feb 45 refers.

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Follow-up 22/5/45. 21 January 45
2nd Follow-up 24-24-45 AAJ 24 July -

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MESSAGE FORM

AQ (1465)

FROM: NMIA

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN

08 0925 A

TO (FOR ACTION): 35 AOB
BR INCR 5 ARMY
REAR 5 ARMY FOR NMIA LO

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REF NO: Q/03/46

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REFERENCE AFHQ SIGNAL PX22089 DATED 6 (.) BOOKS ARE FOR ISSUE AS FOLLOWS (.)
3000 PAIRS FOR BR INCREMENT 5 ARMY (.) 3000 PAIRS NMIA LO 5 ARMY (.)
FOR SECOND AND THIRD ADDRESSEES (.) THESE COUNT AGAINST ALLOTMENT OF
13000 AND 12000 RESPECTIVELY (.) CAN YOU COLLECT (1) NOTIFY FIRST ADDRESSEE

PRECEDENCE

Important

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Insulation.

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From V of W
to MMIA.

Ref: 698/1/010.
Date. 13 Feb 45

AQ 15/10

"RAPID" Needles and Awls.

The Salvage Detached Office of NAPLES have ~~received a telegram~~ ^{telegraphed} stating that they have not yet received the quantities of Needles and Awls needed for boots repairs.

The Needles and Awls according to statement by Col SHIPLEY have already been shipped from England.

Owing to the urgent need of said articles to avoid suspension of work we beg MMIA to inform us of where and when those articles can be withdrawn and to arrange ^{or loan} a certain quantity of needles and awls as an assignment, of ~~part of the quota~~ to Salvage Regional Centre of NAPLES by some allied unit.

Pellonakis
[Signature]

TELLERA

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DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Importato

A. L. C. 997/033
M. R.

U.S. LAND FORCES COMMISSION A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

- ROM A -

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Respectfully at Taylor, N.C.

Occetto Agli e loine cucimola "Rapid". =

Woolly: Dark (Rapid)

e, per conoscenza;

- ALL'UFFICIO STACCATO RICUPRI DI

- МА ПОЛІ -

L'Ufficio Staccato Ricuperi di Napoli ha telegrafato di non aver ancora ricevuto i noti quantitativi di aghi e lesine cuciusola "Rapid" occorrenti per le lavorazioni delle calzature.

Trattasi delle partite che, secondo le informazioni ricevute dal Sig. Colonnello Shipley, sarebbero già state spedite dall'Inghilterra.

Data l'urgente necessità di disporre di tali lesine ed aghi onde evitare la sospensione delle lavorazioni, si prega codesta Missione di voler indicare dove e quando gli stessi potranno essere ritirati e di disporre in tanto l'urgente cessione a titolo di prestito, di un certo quantitativo al Centro Regionale Ricupero di Napoli da parte di qualche Ente Alleato.

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Translation

From M of War
To M. M. I. A.

See # 495
Lef No 709/1/ORD.
Date 7th Feb 1945.

Subject: Release of raw material to complete
the supply of military boots.

The firm of
The Giglio of Ugo and Mario Menesini,
located at N° 61 Via Gioberti, Florence, has offered
this Ministry:

1650 pairs of high boots with 7 eyelets with calf
leather uppers and greased surface.
2,000 pairs of high boots with calf leather uppers.

As the boots can be manufactured with
the leather from their own property, it is necessary
however that the material must be released by
the Allied authorities in Florence.

As this offer concerns this Ministry, we
will appreciate your interventions to grant
a release of the "raw material" to complete the
supply of the boots in question.

(L. C. Aquarini)

Sga
(PELLICORI)

See file 506
Sgt. Gaster
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Translation

From M of W
To M. H. S. R.

Ref 15/10

Ref No. 406/1/0

Dated 7 Feb 1945.

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Ref # 495

Subject: Release of leather to complete the supply of military boots.

The Rangoni boot firm located at N° 1 Viale Poggio Imperiale, Florence, has offered this morning 10,000 pairs of high boots 1939 pattern for my country men, with the leather from their own property, but this material however must be released by the Florence allied authorities.

As this offer concerns this Ministry we will appreciate your intervention to grant a release of the leather to Rangoni boot firm to complete the supply of military boots.

(P. C. Aspinini)

Original to Com S/C
referred to Com S/C
Holding up for their
report & Sga
(ELLISON)

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

MESSAGE FORM

FROM: NMIA

TIME OF ORIGIN

021140Z

TO (FOR ACTION): PENSOUTH

TO (FOR INFO): FIVE ARMY FOR BR INCH

REF NO: 2/05/34

RESTRICTED

FOR NMIA LO (.) 251 DIV REPORT ONE THOUSAND BOOTS BROGELY SENT
UNREPAIRED AND UNLESS (.) REPLACE EARLIER WITH BOUD REPAIRED
EPT REPAIRED BOOTS

PRIORITY URGENT

AUTHENTICATED ALL

INTERNAL DEST:

Q/AE
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From the H
in both

Issued from C. G. Dept Naples

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Translation

(460)

From M. of W.
To M. M. S. & Co.

10/15/10

LqN° 1595/1
Date 1st February 1945.

Subject - Request Boots

The Remount Depot of S. M. Capua
Viter hereby ~~state~~ that they were unable to withdraw
assignment of boots with letter 23062/V dated 25 Nov
1944, following an authorisation granted by M. M. S.
A with letter HQ/60/154 dated 18 November 1944,
owing to the unavailability of the said article at the
clothing & equipment Depot in Naples.

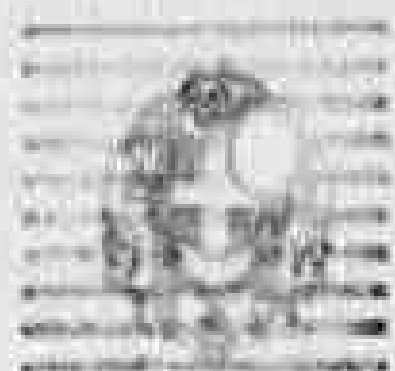
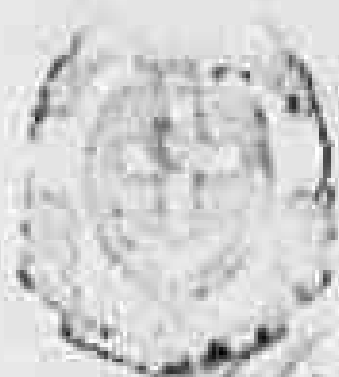
Taking the following in consideration
the stable men of the "M" Remount are due to leave
in detachments on the 1st of February, for the annual
mating season and bearing in mind the deplorable
condition of the boots for the said military, we beg
for an authorisation to grant a supply of 48 pairs of
leather boots, to substitute the Italian boots which were
assigned with the "M" letter.

(Borghesini)

Sgd.
(Palliere)

Authorisation Note
issued

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Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI ECONOMICI MILITARI

LA LAND FORCES SUB
COMMISSION A.C. (MMIA)
R O M A

Direzione Vestiario

Let. F. 6595/V

Oggetto: Richiesta scarpe.

Il Deposito Cavalli Stalloni di S.M. Capua Vetere ha fatto presente di non aver potuto ritirare le scarpe assegnate col foglio 23062/V del 25 novembre u.s. in seguito ad autorizzazione concessa da codesta MMIA col foglio AQ/60/154 del 18 novembre scorso, per indisponibilità di tale articolo presso il magazzino v.e. di Napoli.-

Nella considerazione che i palafrenieri di quel deposito dovranno partire in distaccoamento per i primi di febbraio prossimo per l'annuale stagione di monta e tenuto conto delle condizioni deplorevoli delle calzature di detti militari si prega autorizzare la distribuzione di 48 paia di scarpe alleate in sostituzione di quella di provenienza italiana assegnate col citato foglio.-

p. IL MINISTRO

Acc. 8284

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM: NMIA

TIME OF ORIGIN

01 1450 A

TO (FOR ACTION): S4 AREA

REF NO: QOS/52

RESTRICTED

FOR NMIA LO (.) MOVE 3000 PAIRS BOOTS INTO ESO DIV FROM GIORDANO

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED [Signature]

8783

8781

From Min. of ^{Translation} ~~the~~ Boot recovery detached office R.f. 367/5/9-2
 & for info to M.M.A. Date Jan 31, 1945
 Subject Boot repair service. M/15/10

The contents of letter 644/1044
 dated Jan 8, 1945 have been duly noted.

From info received from
 LT. Col. Shipley of M.M.A., it appears
 that the repair of BR-171 boots
 must assume a monthly production of 30,000
 pairs, divided into $\frac{2}{3}$ in the
 recovery establishment of NAPLES,
 and $\frac{1}{3}$ in its recovery establishment
 of BARI

ipl. v. e. *[Signature]*

(Sgd) PELLERIN 8782

Translation
 From Boat Repair Detached Office R-y. 649/1944
 To, Min. of War Date Jan 8, 1945
 Subject Boat repair service

1. The repairing of English boats destined to BR-101 (these received from Nov. 1 am) will be executed with the product of the mil. boat w/shop of Naples, and by means of ~~the~~ a contract with the C.A.M. on 11874 boat factory of NAPLES, with whom we are negotiating, and will be carried out with an accelerated speed.

We would like to know the estimated monthly requirement of said boats.

2. The repairing of ~~the~~ American and English boats destined to ITI-ITI, will be executed by means of all of the other w/shops in the NAPLES **8781** and BARI-LEONE zone, and will be carried out with an accelerated speed in such a way as to meet the

Translation 2

100,000 pairs each month, without
infringing on the repairing of boats
destined to BR-171.

3 The repairing of station boats
will be carried out, by means of
the various w/shops, with moderate
speed.

4. The selecting of American and
English boats will be carried out in
such a way as to meet the
requirements of the w/shops.

The selecting of st. boats
will be carried out as speedily as
possible. The parts which can be
repaired will be stored, and the
part which cannot be used
economically will be set aside.

(sg) Maj DORNE

cpl. VC.

1/10

8780

Roma 31 gennaio 1945

L'UFFICIO STACCATO RICUPERI
CALZATURENAPOLIRapporto al T. G. 649/1944
del 1. 8 gennaio 1945OGGETTO: Servizio riparazioni calzature.-
Per riparazione

e, per conoscenza:

A2

→ ALLA LAND FORCE SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.) 2/2
(per COL. SHIPLEY)ROMA

Preso atto di quanto comunicato col foglio
cui si risponde (allegato in copia per la M.M.I.A.),

Per informazioni assunte presso il Ten. Col.
SHIPLEY della M.M.I.A. la riparazione delle calzature DE-ITI
dovrà assicurarne un gettito mensile di circa 30.000, ripartite
per 2/3 negli stabilimenti ricuperi di Napoli ed 1/3 su quel
li di Bari.-

PEL MINISTRO



8779

C O P I A

SERVIZIO SPACCATO FICHIERI CALZATURE

Napoli

1° 649/1944 di prov.

Napoli, 11 8 gennaio 1945

Risposta al foglio 1531/T/MI. in data 28/12/44

OGGETTO: Servizio riparazioni calzature.-

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Dir. Gen. Serv. Com. to Mil. - Ispezione -

P. M. 3800

1.- La riparazione delle scarpe di provenienza inglese destinate ai BR-ITI (quelle ricevute dal primo novembre in poi) verrà esecuita con gettito del laboratorio militare calzature di Napoli e mediante contratto col subappalto P.A.M. oppure Nota, di Napoli, coi quali si è in trattativa e sarà condotta con ritmo accelerato.

Si gradirebbe conoscere il fabbisogno mensile presumibile di tali calzature.

2.- La riparazione di scarpe di provenienza americana ed inglese, destinate agli IRI-III, sarà esecuita mediante tutti gli altri laboratori della zona di Napoli e di Bari-Lecce e verrà condotta con ritmo accelerato in modo da raggiungere la 100.000 mila al mese, senza pregiudizio della riparazione delle calzature destinate ai BR-ITI.

3.- La riparazione di calzature italiane verrà condotta a mezzo dei vari laboratori con ritmo normale.

4.- La selezione delle calzature di provenienza americana ed inglese verrà condotta dalla IRI-III, senza pregiudizio delle calzature di provenienza italiana.

La selezione delle calzature italiane verrà fatta in via delegata possibile accantonando la parte riparabile e non a disposizione per l'alienazione la parte non suscettibile di ristamento economico.

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IL CAPORE COMISSARIO

1.- La riparazione delle scarpe di provenienza inglese destinate ai BR-XVI (quelle ricevute dal p.c. 10 novembre 1961) verrà assicurata con gettito del lavoro orio militare calzature di Napoli e mediante contratto col calzaturificio G.A.M. oppure Nota, di Napoli, coi quali si è in trattative e sarà condotta con ritmo accelerato.

Si gradirebbe conoscere il fabbisogno mensile prevedibile di tali calzature.

2.- La riparazione di scarpe di provenienza americana ed inglese, destinate agli ITI-IMI, sarà assicurata mediante tutti gli altri laboratori della zona di Napoli e di Bari-Lecce e verrà condotta continuo accumulato in modo da raggiungere le 100.000 paia al mese, senza pregiudizio della riparazione delle calzature destinate ai BR-IMI.

3.- La riparazione di calzature italiane verrà condotta a mezzo dei vari laboratori con ritmo moderato.

4.- La selezione delle calzature di provenienza americana ed inglese verrà condotta ^{anche} fare fronte alle esigenze dei laboratori.

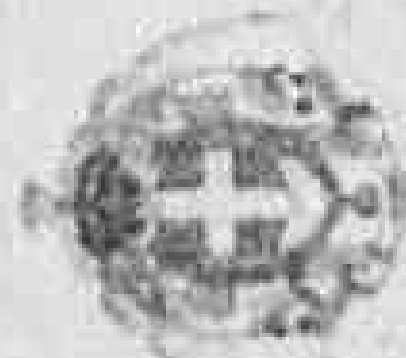
La selezione delle calzature italiane verrà fatta in più celle, tanto possibile accantonando la parte riparabile e una **8778** a disposizione per l'alienazione la parte non suscettibile di riattamento economico.

P. C. 2.
IL 1° COL. COMISSARIO
(Pastre Vacca)

[Signature]

IL SAGGIORE COMISSARIO
Capo Ufficio
(P. Farone)

VA/CO



Ministro della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEL SERVIZIO COMUNICAZIONI MILITARI
Ispektorato

364/1/Ord.

OGGETTO

Riparazione calzature italiane presso la Ditta De Risi.

e, per conoscenza;



ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.) -

ROMA

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Il cuoio occorrente alla Ditta De Risi (q.li 25) per completare la riparazione di 1727 paia di calzature per conto della Direzione di Commissariato di Napoli, potrà essere assegnato alla Ditta stessa da codesto Ufficio non appena lo consentiranno le disponibilità e quindi all'infuori del programma principale dei ricuperi.

PEL MINISTRO

Felice

S. S. M.M.A.
10/10/45
F. S. S. M.M.A.

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11 gennaio 1945-

L'UFFICIO STACCATO RICUPERI

CALZATURE

NAPOLI

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9 gennaio 1945-

Riparazione calzature italiane presso la Ditta De Risi.

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9 gennaio 1945-
Riparazione calzature italiane presso la Ditta DE Risi.
Repair of Italian boots - former name Risi

Oggetto

e. per conoscenza;



ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.) -

ROMA

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OS MTOUSA

MIA (1970)

29 0123A

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EX 16705

NAGMC

SECRET RD MIA ~~ST MIA~~ HAS NO ~~RPT~~ STOCK OF OVERSHOES FROM

WHICH TO REPLACE ISSUES MADE TO CARIBINIEMI ~~RPT CARIBINIEMI~~ CMA

REFERENCE YOUR NINE TWO EIGHT TWO JANUARY TWO FOUR ~~R/~~ CITE NAGMC

~~RPT NAGMC~~ FOX XRAY ONE SIX SEVEN ZERO FIVE ACTION TO CG FIFTH ARMY

INFORMATION TO MIA ~~RPT MIA~~ CMA CG PBS ~~RPT PBS~~ SIGNED CG MTOUSA PD

SUCH ISSUES MADE FROM FOUR STOCKS FOR OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS ARE

MADE SUBJECT TO ~~YOU RPT~~ YOUR AVAILABILITY AND ARE ~~/S~~ SUBJECT TO REPLACEMENT

BY ~~THE RPT~~ PBS ONLY FROM MAINTENANCE STOCKS FOR UNITED STATES TROOPS

WHICH ARE LOW ON ARCTIC OVERSHOES PD TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY **8776**

REQUISITION TO ~~THE RPT~~ PBS WHO WILL FILL TO ~~EXTENT~~ EXTENT STOCK AND

11215 PERMIT

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457/2

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2.

Ref:- G-2(P/W)/1109/145

28 Jan 45

Subject:- Italian Mountain Boots.

AQ 15/10

To:- M.M.I.A.L.O., A.F.H.Q., G-2. ?

22/2

40 prs ITALIAN MOUNTAIN BOOTS are urgently required by I.S.9.
BARI for use of Guides employed by that unit.

These boots are available at BARI and may be obtained on receipt
of necessary authority from M.M.I.A.L.O.

May such authority please be signalled to your representative
at BARI.

For the A.C. of S., G-2

8775

W.S. VALENTINE, Major, GS
GS02, G-2(P/W) AFHQ G-2

-/cc

24/2

See Folio 502

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22 15/10

29/7/45

Trans-tele
M. B. M. M.

COPIA TELEGRAMMA

DIREZIONE
PALERMO
GUERRA
AQ/15/10
DISTRIBUZIONE DUECENTO
CARABINIERI REALI
85/111
PELLIGRA
COMM/TO
VENTIDUE
CORRENTE
PAIA
MESSINA
CORRENTE
ALT
M.M.I.A.
HABET
STIVALETTI
CUI
CON
AUTORIZZATO
LEGIONE
TELEGRAMMA
PROMINISTRO

no. 6364/V. W. d. Lett. 48/15/10 dated 22 inst, m m d
has authorized the distribution of 200 pairs of boots to
CARABINIERI & again MESSINA maintained in telegram
85/111 dated 15 inst (1) signed PELLIGRA

cp. M. C.
MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direzione Generale Servizi Comm/te Mil.
Distribuzione Vestiario E.

Prot. N. 6364/V

P.M. 3800, 11

AL COMANDO GENERALE DELL'ARMA DEI CC. RR.
ROMA
E, per conoscenza:
ALLA LAND FORCES EUR COMMISSION A.C.
ROMA
ALLA DIREZIONE DI COMM/TO DEL COMANDO TERRITORIALE
M. P. O. L. I.

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CONFIDENTIAL

SR/871
JAN 251357A

G/9374
JAN 251831A
ROUTINE

HQ SOUTHERN REGION
AND REAR B ARMY RPTD HQ ALOOF FOR SOUTHERN SR

FOR INFORMATION ONLY

CONFIDENTIAL.

Your GA/142 of 7 January 45. Despatched today to RIMINI sealed car 1016819 containing 2000 pair repaired boots, lots 23 to 26. Delay unavoidable.

FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Dist

Action - Commarea
Info - A/Pres
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
Tr
MHA
File

MAB



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CONFIDENTIAL

Subject: Boots and Undershirts.

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
C/o 54 Area CMP
ORD/2
24 Jan. 1945

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

Ref. your AQ/15/10, dated 21 Jan. 1945.

1. The authority for issue of the items listed on I.V. 240 from La Rocca Issue Depot to the BARI BR ITI Depot should be changed to read as follows:

| ITEM | QUANTITY | AUTHORITY |
|-------------|----------|------------------|
| Boots | 1500 pr | AQ 2501 |
| Blouses | 1000 ea | AQ 2475 |
| Trousers | 1000 ea | AQ 2475 |
| Undershirts | 1000 ea | AQ/15 of 26 Dec. |

2. The balance of the Boots authorized by AQ 2501 are shown on I.V. 258. The balance of the items authorized by AQ 15, dated 26 Dec. are shown on I.V. 241 and that part of I.V. 259 which lists AQ/E/146 as the authority:

3. The limited quantity of transport available for inter-depot transfer of stock and loading of rail cars, together with unsatisfactory storage space at BARI BR ITI Depot has resulted in the necessity for making up shipments to units from La Rocca Depot before the bulk transfer could be accomplished. Sufficient competent Italian personnel to staff the BARI BR ITI Issue Depot have not been made available by the local Commissariato; results in Cpl. Brown having to actively supervise each trans-action in addition to his supervision of the Repair Depot.

Copy handed to Col

Shea V. Fordyce
IRA V. FORDYCE, Capt.

(456)

451

Ref. your AQ/15/10, dated 21 Jan. 1945.

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John V. Fordyce
IRA V. FORDYCE, Capt.
for Senior NMIA LG
C/O HQ., 54 Area.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE *e/978*

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N15/25

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Precedence

From

5 ARMY

To

MMIA



Date Time Rec'd

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Date Time Sent

242136A

Reference NR

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SECRET X OVERSHOES CMA FORTY TWO PAIR CMA FROM FIFTH ARMY UNCLE

VS ITI

SUGAR DASH ITEM TARE ITEM STOCKS HAVE BEEN ISSUED ITEM TARE ITEM

ITI

DASH ITEM TARE ITEM CARIBINIERI FOUR CORPS DETACHMENT CHARLIE

CHARLIE ROGER ROGER FIFTH ARMY CMA OPERATIONAL NECESSITY TO

ENABLE CARIBINIERI TO CONTINUE IN ~~DESIGNATED~~ DESIGNATED

MISSIONS X PAREN REF NR NINE TWO EIGHT TWO FIVE ARMY ACTION TO

MIKE MIKE ITEM ABLE CMA INFO TO CHARLIE GEORGE VTOUSA CMA CHARLIE

CODE PETER BAKER SUGAR PAREN REQUEST MIKE MIKE ITEM ABLE **8771** FORTY

TWO PAIR OVERSHOES REPLACING FIFTH ARMY STOCKS

*No Action by MMIA.
MROUSA (Lt Col Fink)
taking action
MRO*

~~SECRET~~

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SUBJECT: Boots for Carabinieri.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCON (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/18/10
22 January 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

448/1

1. Reference your No. 5572/V dated 17 January 1945.
2. The proposal to issue 200 pairs of boots, which have been manufactured by the GCHH for the Carabinieri, is approved.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

GAS/ag

See 448/1
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RAAC MESSAGE FORM

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|--|---|---------------------------|----------|---------------------------|
| CIPHER | CALL | CIRCUIT No. | PRIORITY | TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS |
| | | NR 7837 | H | |
| SPACES WITHIN RED LINES FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY | | | | |
| FROM (A) | PENSOUTH MIA LIAISON OFFICER | | | DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN |
| | CG 5 ARMY | | | 221250A |
| TO (FOR ACTION) | ORVIETO RPTS CAMP c/o 26 PD PUNISHMENT CAMP | | | |
| TO (FOR INFORMATION) | MIA
5 ARMY FOR MIA LO | | | MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS |
| (REF. No.) | 8837 | (SECURITY CLASSIFICATION) | SECRET. | |

- (1) FOR 5 ARMY LOADED 1 TRUCK WITH 692 ALPINE ROUETAIR BOOTS FOR US ITI AND BR ITI MULETEERS. MIA SIGNAL AQ 2845, 10JAN43 REFERS.
- (2) FOR ORVIETO RPTS CAMP. 1 TRUCK WITH 103 A & BOOTS, PAIRS 79.
- (3) FOR BR INCREMENT. 3 TRUCKS FOLLOWING: 109 A COMFORTORS 1018, GLOVES ITALIAN 600. CONVOY DEPARTED 0700 HRS.

Copy passed to Q(05)

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THIS MESSAGE WILL BE
CLASSIFIED AS SECRET
OR CONFIDENTIAL
UNLESS INDICATED
OTHERWISE
(Messages marked CONFIDENTIAL
or SECRET)

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| LOCAL DISTRIBUTION | PRECEDENCE | ROUTINE | deciphered 230150A | |
| MIA. | ORIGINATING SECTION | | THI OR TOR | CR |
| | A. G. AUTHENTICATION | | | |
| | ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION | | TIME CLEARED | |

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

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PENNSOUTH MMIA LIAISON
MMIA

15/10

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22/350
8837

27/22

FIRST FOR FIVE ARMY LOADED ONE TRUCK WITH SIX NINE TWO ALPINE
MOUNTAIN BOOTS FOR ~~BE~~ ~~RT~~ ~~US~~ ~~ITI~~ ~~RT~~ ~~ITI~~ AND BR ~~ITI~~ ~~RT~~ ~~ITI~~
MULTEERS PD MMIA SIGNAL ABLE QUEEN TWO FIVE FOUR FIVE CMA ONE ZERO
~~CONVOY DEPARTED~~ JANUARY FOUR FIVE/REFERS REFERENCE NUMBER EIGHT
EIGHT THREE SEVEN PAREN TO COMMANDING GENERAL FIVE ARMY CMA ORVIETO
REINFORCEMENTS CAMP CARE OF TWO SIX FIELD PUNISHMENT CAMP CMA /INFO
MMIA CMA FIVE ARMY FOR MMIA LIAISON OFFICER FROM PENNSOUTH MMIA
LIAISON OFFICER ~~MMIA~~ SECOND FOR ORVIETO REINFORCEMENTS CAV-PD
ONE TRUCK WITH ONE ZERO THREE ABLE BAKER BOOTS CMA PAIRS SEVEN SIX
NINE PD THIRD FOR BR INCREMENT PD THREE TRUCKS FOLLOWING COLON ONE
ZERO NINE ABLE ~~CONF~~ ~~ORTERS~~ ~~RT~~ CONFORTERS ONE ZERO ONE/EIGHT CMA
GLOVES ITALIAN SIX/ZERO ZERO PD/CONVOY DEPARTED ZERO SEVEN ZERO
ZERO HOURS PD

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22/605

(451)

(SUBJECT: Boots.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCON (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/15/10
21 January 1945.

TO : MMIA LO 54 Area.

1. With reference to this Hq. signal AQ 2475 dated 28 Dec. 44, it is noted that 11,500 boots have been transferred as against only 10,000 authorized. Details are as follows:-

| <u>Voucher</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Quantity</u> |
|----------------|-------------|-----------------|
| IV 235 | 5 Jan. | 1,000 |
| IV 237 | 5 Jan. | 6,000 |
| IV 240 | 6 Jan. | 1,500 |
| IV 248 | 9 Jan. | 1,000 |
| IV 250 | 9 Jan. | 1,000 |
| IV 260 | 13 Jan. | 1,000 |
| | | <u>11,500</u> |

2. It is also noted that on IV 240 dated 6 Jan., 1,000 undershirts wool (123 A) were issued using as authority AQ 2475, whereas this signal does not mention undershirts wool.

3. Will you please comment on the above discrepancies.

M.H. Banton
M.H. BANTON, Major
for Colonel DA & QMG
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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MHB/ag

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MMIA ORD

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File

AQ 2475

~~allotted to the~~

BARI

Issues to Br. Lt. Depot

Basta

Blouse BB

Trousers RD.

IV. # 237 5 Jan

6000

5000

5000

IV. # 235 5 Jan

1000

1000

1000

IV. # 240 6 Jan

1500

1000

1000

IV. # 248 9 Jan

1000

1000

500

IV. # 250 7 Jan

1000

1000

1000

IV. # 260 13 Jan

1000

1000

1500

11500

10000

10000

allotted by AQ 2475

10000

10000

10000

Also issued on IV. # 240 6 Jan with
AQ 2475 as the authority:

1000 undershirts wool. (123A).

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PENSOUTH
MMIA

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AS 15/10

SECRET PD

FOUR ONE ZERO ZERO ~~REDACTED~~ PAIRS BOOTS LOADED ON

SS ABBAZIA ~~REDACTED~~ WITH THREE ~~REDACTED~~ ESCORTS FOR GARDINIA

PD REFERENCE NUMBER EIGHT EIGHT TWO FOUR PAREN TO MMIA ~~REDACTED~~ FROM

PENSOUTH MMIA ~~REDACTED~~ LIAISON OFFICER PAREN SHIP SAILS ONE TWO ZERO

ZERO HOURS TO ZERO JANUARY PD

4600 actually shipped according to South 2/1/5

4100

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NA

2/1/

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

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From

To

N38/50
RESTCG MTOUSA
MMLA

Date/Time Rec'd

Date/Time Sent

Reference NR

Cite

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191833

FX 87771

NAME

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~~RECEIVED~~ DUBBIN IS SUBJECT CVA REFERENCE YOUR SIX FOUR FIVE THREE
CVA CITE BNQV ~~RECEIVED~~ CVA DATED TEN JANUARY ONE NINE FOUR FIVE PD
CITE NACVC ~~RECEIVED~~ FOX XRAY EIGHT SEVEN SEVEN SEVA
FOR ACTION NORBS ~~RECEIVED~~ FOR INFORMATION TO MVIA ~~RECEIVED~~ SIGNED
~~RECEIVED~~ CHARLIE GEORGE MTOUSA PD AUTHORIZED IS ISSUE OF DUBBIN
~~RECEIVED~~ US ~~RECEIVED~~ STOCKS ON BASIS TWO TWO FIVE
DASH FOUR DUNCE CANS PER ONE THOUSAND PERSONNEL PER MONTH TO ~~RECEIVED~~
US DASH ITIS ~~RECEIVED~~ IN NORBS ~~RECEIVED~~ CVA IF CONSIDERED NECESSARY
BY YOU FOR CONSERVATION OF SHOES

RESTRICTED

HEADQUARTERS

20 JAN 1945

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RESTRICTED

8607

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

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From

To

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RESTCG MTOUSA
MMLA

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~~DUBBIN~~ DUBBIN IS SUBJECT CVA REFERENCE YOUR SIX FOUR FIVE THREE
 CVA CITE BNDV ~~REST~~ CVA DATED TEN JANUARY ONE NINE FOUR FIVE PD
 CITE NAGMC ~~REST~~ FOX XRAY EIGHT SEVEN SEVEN SEVEN ONE
 FOR ACTION NORBS ~~REST~~ FOR INFORMATION TO MMLA ~~REST~~ SIGNED
~~CHARLIE~~ CHARLIE GEORGE MTOUSA PD AUTHORIZED IS ISSUE OF DUBBIN
 US ~~REST~~ FROM US ~~REST~~ STOCKS ON BASIS TWO TWO FIVE
 DASH FOUR DUNCE CANS PER ONE THOUSAND PERSONNEL PER MONTH TO ~~REST~~
 US DASH ITIS ~~REST~~ IN NORBS ~~REST~~ CVA IF CONSIDERED NECESSARY
 BY YOU FOR CONSERVATION OF SHOES

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Translation

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From M of W
to M.M.I.A

Ref No. 55-2/10

Date 17th January 45.

Subject: Boots for Carabinieri.

The Legione Sanple CC.RR. of Messina Command has stipulated a contract with a private firm for a supply of 800 pairs of boots to be distributed to their own men.

The firm has supplied 200 pairs of boots in request to the above named Command to utilize among the men who are in urgent need of boots, to enable them to carry on with their duties greatly needed in the local situation.

We beg M.M.I.A to inform us whether there are any objections to the above request, bearing in mind that the 200^{pr} of boots to be deducted from the 5500 pairs which have been recently issued to the Carabinieri H.Q.

(P. Caparone)

Approved
answering
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(P. Caparone)

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Per il

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

la LAND FORCES SUB
COMMISSION A.C. (MMIA)

= R O M A =

Per V/E
Per 15572/V

Allegato

Espresso al f. del
Per *Per* *1*

Oggetto Calzature per CC.RR. -

Basta per l'ordinazione

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Il Comando delle Legione Terr/le
CC.RR. di Messina ha stipulato un contratto con
un fornitore privato per la pràvvista di 800
paia di stivaletti da distribuire ai propri uo-
mini.

In conto di tale partita il fornitore
ha già effettuato la consegna di paio 200 di scar-
pe, che il suddetto Comando chiede di utilizzare,
avendo numerosi militari senza calzature e quin-
di materialmente impossibilitati ad eseguire qual-
siasi servizio richiesto dall'attuale situazione
locale.

Si prega codesta M.M.I.A. di far cono-
scere se abbia nulla in contrario ad aderire alla

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suddetta richiesta, facendo presente che le 200
paia di calzature verrebbero diminuite dalle 5500
paia recentemente concesse al Comando Generale del-
l'Arma CC.RR.-

PEL MINISTRO

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Translation

From: M of N.
To: MMIA for information

Ref: 5713/Y
Date: 16 Jan 45

AR 15/10

Subject: Boots for CCRB.

Herewith attached, copy of letter HQ/15 dated 9th inst from MMIA, for information and action adding that the 5500 pair of Boots referred to in the letter have been assigned on Comdt's Direct. Naples with signal 5576/Y dated 8th inst.

It is confirmed that requests for exchanging boots will be forwarded to this office who will inform you from each time from which depot these boots can be withdrawn.

(Sgt) DELLISCA

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DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

COMANDO GENERALE
ARMA CC.RR.

ROMA

Funzione Vestiario
Let. V 5713/V *Allegato*

Oggetto Scarpe per i CC.RR.-

Espresso al f. del
Gen. V.

AV

e, per conoscenza :

→ ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (MMIA)

ROMA

ALL'ISPettorato DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO

ROMA

Si trasmette, per conoscenza e norma, copia del foglio AQ/15/ in data 8 corrente della M.N.I.A., soggiungendo che le 5.500 paia di calzature di cui è oggetto il foglio stesso sono state assegnate sulla direzione di commissariato militare di Napoli con dispaccio 5576/V pari data.-

Si conferma che le richieste per la sostituzione delle calzature dovranno pervenire a questo Ministero il quale segnalerà di volta in volta i magazzini presso i quali potranno essere effettuati i prelevamenti.-

D. IL MINISTRO

Teleg. 8761

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LRMB V MEDY NR 756 A/MAJI

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FROM OO RSD 557 BOD 13NFT

TO DOS AFHQ

INFO DDOS AAI - DDOS L OF C - COO 557 BOD

DADOS ARMY SUB COMMISSION (ACC) MAIN HQ MMIA

OO 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD

QQX GR-36BT

RS/56 02 ORD1/2083/1(94) OF 3 (.) APPENDIX A BOOTS (.) PERIOD
ENDING 14 (.) ISSUES TO MMIA 4,620 PAIRS (.) READY FOR ISSUE 3,260
PAIRS (.) TO CIVILIANS NIL (.) READY FOR ISSUE TO CIVILIANS NIL (.)
BT 161030

SENT NR 756 0348A GDM AR TKS

RECD NR 756 0349A J O E AR



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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
ORINAKOS (BRITISH)

Subject - Boots Grade III

To: DEOS L of C CMF

Ref: DOS/1411 (ORD 1)

Tel: FREEDOM 808

15 January, 1945.

1. We are requested to arrange the issue of 10,000 pairs repairable Boots on the following basis:-

| | |
|--------------|-------------|
| MMIA | 5000 pairs. |
| D. of Labour | 5000 pairs. |

2. Consignment instructions are as follows:-

(a) MMIA consignment will be despatched immediately to MMIA LO, MMIA Bulk Depot, BARKERNA, GIOIARDANO, BARI.

(b) D. of Labour consignment:-
2000 pairs to 2900 GIL. Hq Florence Command.
3000 pairs to 2906 GIL. 61 Area.

Please arrange accordingly.

3. Future consignments of repairable Boots for MMIA should be despatched on the following basis:-

| | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| To Bari Depot as above | - 50% of consignment |
| Naples Depot | - 50% of consignment. |

(K. STEVENSON) Major.
D.A.D.O.S.
for Maj-Gen.
D.O.S., A.F.H.Q.

Copies to:- MMIA ✓
D. of Labour
File DOS/4363 (ORD 1)

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FOR INFO REFER FX 84581 OF 141022A (.) INIA REPAIRS BOATS FOR UNITED STATES
NAVY AND BRITISH IN NARI AND NAPLES IN FACTORIES STAFFED BY FEW ITALIAN
MILITARY AND MANY CIVILIANS (.) REQUEST DESIRABLE FOR ARMIES TO HAVE
AUTHORITY TO REPAIR BOATS IN SE COG DEPOTS WHEN ESSENTIAL FOR UNITS WHO
ARE RIGHT YND WITH SE TMS

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REFERENCE Y LK BAKEN KAN QUEN NICE 6455 DATED 11 JAN (.)
DUBIN NOT REPEAT NOT AVAILABLE FROM ITALIAN ARMY
SOURCES

INTERNAL:

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SUBJECT: Nails for Boot Repair.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCON (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/15/10
11 January 1945.

TO : Ministry of War.

1. Reference your 84342/7 dated 24 December 1944.
2. With the above reference letter, you returned to us the Release Order No. AGC/1707 dated 6 November, which authorized collection of Shoe Nails for Soles and Heels from S.A. FERRIERE GIOVANNI GEROSA, Naples-Via Arenaccio 32 on the grounds that it was a duplicate of a similar release for the previous month.
3. As you know, nails are no longer controlled by Allied Force Local Resources Board, and it is understood that a supply necessary for our Boot Repair Program is assured. If there is any doubt about this, it is considered advisable that effort still be made to collect the nails authorized by the above named release. We are, therefore, returning Release Order in duplicate hereto attached to you.

✓
GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Comd 2756.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

MSG Center No
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From
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Date Time Rec'd
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Reference NR
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AQ 11/10

12 Jan

IT IS REQUESTED THAT AN ALLOWANCE OF DUBBIN ~~BE~~ BE SET UP FOR

US ~~IN~~ DASH ITS ~~IN~~ IN NORBS PD PAREN TO COMMANDING GENERAL

WTOUSA INFORMATION COMMANDING OFFICER MMIA ~~FROM~~ FROM COMMANDING

OFFICER ~~IN~~ NORBASE ~~OF~~ BAKER NAM QUEEN MIKE REFERENCE NUMBER SIX FOUR FIVE

THREE PAREN DUBBIN IS DEEMED NECESSARY IN THE CONSERVATION ~~AND~~ AND

~~THE~~ PRESERVATION OF SHOES FURNISHED BY US ~~ARMY~~ ARMY TO US

DASH ITIS ~~THE~~

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Answer
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MMIA

FIVE ARMY, PERSOUTH for MMIA LO

AFHQ for Q (AS) and QM U.S.,

BRITISH INCR. 5 ARMY for MMIA LO

FIVE ARMY for MMIA LO

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SMALL QUANTITY ALPINE MOUNTAIN BOOTS BEING SENT FROM
 NAPLES TO FIVE ARMY FOR USE US-ITI AND BR-ITI MULETEERS
 AS DECIDED BY FIVE ARMY (.) FOR MMIA LO NAPLES (.)
 SEND COMPLETE STOCK AVAILABLE AT NAPLES OR BY ARRANGED
 TO MOVE OTHER STOCKS TO BR INCR FIVE ARMY

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Geo. A. Shupler

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Subject:- Correspondence.

Liaison Officer,
Land Forces Sub Comm.,
A.C., (MIA).
c/o HQ., 1 District.
Ref. 12/24.

9 January 49.

To:- HQ., 109 Division.

1. On 19 December and on 30 December I wrote to you asking for proposals re boat repairing centres. I have still not got any answer. In view of the urgency of the boat problem, I am surprised at the delay. I have now got available for your collection 10 lbs of shoemaker's thread and 3,000 half soles. It is useless for me to press this matter with 1 District if you are not quicker with your proposals to utilise this material.
2. On 10 December, I asked you to notify me by quantities when medical comforts for hospitals had been drawn. On 20 December, I repeated this request. I am still waiting for the answer.
3. I have asked you for a weekly return of vehicles received by you from 38 O.S.P. The last one received from you was for week ending 19 December. I am at a loss to know why the succeeding ones have not been sent.
4. From the above, it is evident that the question of prompter attention to correspondence is most essential. If the personnel concerned is inadequate or inefficient, will you please take the necessary steps.

8258 Capt.
MIA., 10., 1 District.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Comm., A.C.
M.I.A. —

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FOR QUIN (.) REFERENCE MYOCHA RINUAL PRINCE OF 7 JAN TO MEMO (.)
MAY HAVE FACILITIES BE RETURNED TO RE-ITIN BY REITIN INSTALLATIONS

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FROM MJAD 081726A
TO NMIA
INFO LATE - MJVL
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CONFIDENTIAL PD REQUEST FIVE ZERO ZERO ZERO PAIR BOOTS REURAD ABLE
QUEREN TWO FIVE ZERO ONE AND OUR RADIO TWO TWO FOUR BE DELIVERED TO
QUARTERMASTER ADRIATIC DEPOT INSTEAD OF QUARTERMASTER PENBASE PD/PAREN
PENBASE 363 PL SITE BRUP PD PENBASE TO NMIA FOR ACTION TO MTOUNA FOR
INFO TO PENSOUTH FOR INFO PAREN ADVISE UPON COMPLETED ACTION
BT 081726A FOR

CCN: 2/1 QUEN IMI QUEN 3/A FOR ~~MTT~~ IMI FOR IMI FOR
SENT NR3 08/2210A GND AN
RECD NR 3 08:2210A USA BDF

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C O F Y

DATE 7 JAN 45

FROM CG MTOUSA

REF FX 80659

TO MMIA PENBASE 5TH ARMY ADRIATIC DEPOT
ARMY AIR FORCE SERVICE CMD

RESTRICTED . WHEN ITALIAN ARMY REPAIR FACILITIES ARE NOT AVAILABLE FOR THE
REPAIR OF SERVICE SHOES ISSUED US-ITIS SUCH SHOES WILL BE REPAIRED BY US
ARMY INSTALLATIONS. PRICED SHIPPING TICKETS FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS WILL
BE SENT TO CHIEF ACCOUNTANT ALLIED COMMISSION THROUGH MMIA

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FOR MMIA LG (.) REFER BY SIGNAL AR 2501 OF 03 (.) CONSIDER AND
DELIVER ^{the} 5000 DOTS ALLOTTED US ITIS TO ON PENHAGE INFOY Q FIVE
NAN SIX ZERO AT AVERAGE ADVISORY SEA (.) PENHAGE SIGNAL MESSAGE
REF 224 WITH GROUP OF 03 REFERS

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SECRETALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

MSG Center No

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From

To

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PENBASE

CMIA FOR ACTION

MTGUSA + PENSOUTH INFO

Date Time Rec'd

Date Time Sent

Reference NR

Cite

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AQ 15/10

SECRET PD ESTIMATED DATE OF SHIPMENT FURNISHED THIS HEADQUARTERS
 AND PENSOUTH 0000 REQUEST BOOTS REURAD ABLE QUEEN TWO FIVE ZERO
 ONE BE SHIPPED TO QUARTERMASTER PENBASE DEPOT QUEEN FIVE NAN SIX
 ZERO AT AVERVA/PAREN PENBASE TWO TWO FOUR PD CITE BRGUP ~~RT BRGUP~~
 PD PENBASE TO WRIA ~~RT WRIA~~ FOR ACTION TO MTGUSA ~~RT MTGUSA~~ FOR
 INFO TO PENSOUTH FOR INFO/PAREN WITH INFORMATION CONCERNING

SECRET

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AFIN: Q (AE)

WFOSEA PERSONS for WALA LO
PBO 04 AREA for WALA LO

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UNDER PROVISIONS OF PAR 3-4 AFHQ LETTER DATED 22
SEPT FILE 400/105/10 5,000 BOMBS AVAILABLE TO US ITI
FROM SAH1 DEPOT AND 5,000 BOMBS AVAILABLE TO US ITI
FROM SA-1 DEPOT (.) FOR PBO REQUEST SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS (

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From: Air Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission, Bari.

To : Ministero (Rome).
(for the urgent attention of Col. RUCCIA).

Date: 2nd. January, 1945.

Ref.: AFSC/S.640/EG.

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AQ 15/10

AQ 5/1

BOOT SUPPLIES.

Request Immediate reply to this Office letter
AFSC/S.640/EG. dated 14th. December, 1944, regarding
the return of unserviceable Boots to Magazine Militare
Recuperi, Via Pasubio 127, Bari.

R. W. BROOMHEAD S/LDR.
AIR VICE-MARSHAL,
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING.

Copy to:

Comando Militare della Puglia and Lucania.
Direzione di Commissariato - 2° Sezione. -

Land Forces Sub Commission,
Alcom (M.M.I.A.) Rome.
(Letter AQ/15/10 - 26/12/44. refers).

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BR INCH 5 ARMY
BR INCH 5 ARMY FOR MMIA LO
AFHQ (Q (AE))

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FOR DEGREE FOUR (.) IN REPLY TO YOUR 2920 OF 31 (.) (8.689)
CONFIRMED THAT GRINDERY NOT RPT NOT AVAILABLE FROM
SOURCE UNDER CONTROL OF MMIA (.) BY AQ/13 OF 5 DEC.
SUBJECT REPAIRING MATERIALS FOR BOOTS AND CLOTHING REPAIRS (.)
MATTER DISCUSSED FULLY WITH NEWTON ON HIS RECENT VISIT HERE

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LRPF V MEDY NR 590 QVR 3
FROM OO RSD 557 BOD 01 NFI
TO (1) DOS AFHQ
INFO. (2) DDOS AAI (3) DDOS L OF C (4) COO 557 BOD
(5) DADOS ARMY SUB COMMISSION (ACC) MAIN HQ MMIA
(6) OO 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD
QQX GR. BT
RS/56 . ORD1/2083/1/94 . OF 3
APPENDIX "A" BOOTS .
PERIOD ENDING 31 . ISSUES TO MMIA 2000 PAIRS READY FOR
ISSUE 3260 PRS . TO CIVILIANS NIL READY FOR ISSUE NIL
BT THI 011645
SENT 5877 590 JKW AR K TKS VM
RECD 590 2110 RES AR TNX

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Translation.

Thru. H of W

Ref. 510 615

to H.M.I.A. for information.

Date 31 Dec 44.

Assignment of prime material for boot repair
by shops of SARDEGNA and SICILIA.

Owing to orders from H.M.I.A. we cannot
send either in SARDEGNA or SICILY the
prime material requested for repair of boots.

Therefore all the assignment granted up to
this day are to be cancelled.

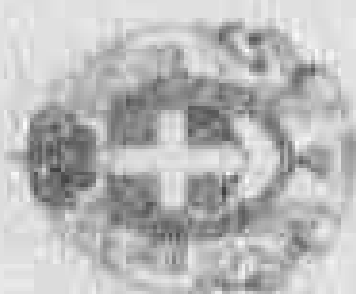
The competent regional centres must
apply for their needs, to local branches and
try to procure the material indispensable to
carry out repair work. in case of absolute
impossibility to obtain some material, report
in due course the difficulties to the office
so that H.M.I.A. can be informed, each time,
so as to enable them to authorize shipment
of material required for the other hand.

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DIVISIONE GENERALE
 SERVIZIO COMUNICAZIONE MULTIMEDIALE

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO PRESS

Schizothorax sinensis Steadman, 1960
Yunnan, China, 28° 30' N, 102° 30' E.

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OGGETTO

Esposizione universale del 1876

alla Tarjossa e della Motta.

Organisms of the same material for *Protococcus* & *Thalassia* A2

presso (roast) (1) 4 gaudens (1) 4

0. per gallon!

1. *Phragmites australis* (Cav.) Trin. ex Steud.

Figure 1. The effect of the concentration of the *Agrobacterium* suspension on the transformation efficiency of *Agrobacterium* strains.

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violate né la leggenda né la storia, materia prima di racconti per ripresagiali esaltate. pertanto devono essere lette e ascoltate, sic-
to la maggioranza fanno il resto.

representational structure. Further, we have given several examples of how the same information can be represented in different ways.

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I centri regionali interessati dovranno rivolgersi, per i loro fabbisogni, agli uffici competenti locali, precisando che tutto questo è irrinunciabile per il mantenimento della sovranità. In caso di necessità, si deve ricorrere al livello nazionale, attraverso l'intermediazione o quasi diretta della rivista "L'Espresso". Per ogni cosa in S. E. A. prima essere informato, non per caso, e cooperative riflettenti del Confido.

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Ref - 24452/8
Dtd - 28 Dec 60

Subject - Waste for book repair

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Ref HQ/15-10 dated 15/11/60

The Detached Book repair office has withdrawn ⁴⁰ from the 4/11/60, waste required for Oct & Nov (2,800 kg of books)

The above quantity of waste has been stored at Confield 140 Dept 599.

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15.11.44
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Chiodi per riparazione delle scarpe.-

Per la Sect. Ripara

ACQ
29/11

Riferimento foglio sopradistinto
si comunica che l'Ufficio Staccato Recupero
Calzature ha ritirato fin dal 9.11.44 i
Kg. 2.800 di semenze (fabbisogno ottobre e
novembre c.a.).

Detti chiodi sono stati immagazzinati
nella Caserma "Garibaldi" - Depot 599/-

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Subject:- Boat Repairing Material for
BRI-ITI Units in I District.

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 Liaison Officer,
 Land Forces Sub Comm.,
 A.C., (BMIA).,
 o/o HQ., I District.
 Ref. LO/Q4.

28 December 44.

To:- "Q", I District.

Reference my LO/Q4 of 12 December asking for 1,500 lbs
of leather.

I. Your ID/2701/Q of 18 December gave authority for issue of
this quantity.
ID/13/4(157)05 of 21 December notified me of the future release
of Soles Half Plain 3,000 pairs.
As this does not take into account the heels, will you please authorize
the release of 3,000 pairs of heels.
I should be grateful for a proportional allocation of studs
and nails as I am now informed that they are not available
in any quantity from local resources.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Comm. (BMIA).

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BMIA., LO., I District.

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
A.F.L.R.S.

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HQ 15/10

Postal Address :
AFHQ, ROAD, CMF

TEL : RRM 66275

28 December 1944

100/ 330/54

SUBJECT : Leather for the repair of boots by the Italian Army.

TO : Commerce Sub-Commission, HQ, AG.

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1. Reference Land Forces Sub-Commission letter AQ/15/10 dated 24 DEC 44.
2. Enclosed herewith is a copy of this Section's reply of today's date.
3. As the availabilities against which allocations are made by the Miscellaneous Purpose Committee in accordance with the AFHQ priorities are reported by you it is requested that you please forward the replies called for in paras 5 and 6 of the above quoted letter.

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S.J.B. LORREN, Major, DPMO,
for Chief of Section,
A.F.L.R.S.

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Copies to:- AFHQ for 2-4, G(AR) & G(1); CG, STORRA

Land Forces Sub-Commission, HQ, AG.

ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
A.F.H.Q.

REF/330/53.

AD 15/10 Postal Address :
AFHQ, RAAC, GMP

29/12 TEL : ROME 66275

28 December 1944

SUBJECT : Leather for the repair of boots by the Italian Army.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your AQ/15/10 dated 24 DEC 44.
2. The releases of Sole and Upper Leather made at the meetings of the Miscellaneous Purposes Committee to AQ are as follows :-

| <u>For the Month of:</u> | <u>Sole Leather</u> | <u>Upper Leather</u> |
|--------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| September | 67,000 Kgs | 40,000 sq.ft. |
| October | 53,500 Kgs | 53,225 sq.ft. |
| November | 35,144 Kgs | 28,000 sq.ft. |
| December | 23,000 Kgs | NIL |
| January | - 41,444 Kgs | - 6,708 sq.ft. |

3. The above allocations have been made strictly in accordance with the priorities established by AFHQ, and were based on availabilities reported by Commerce Sub-Commission HQ AQ.

4. Copy of letter sent to Commerce Sub-Commission today is enclosed herewith for your information.

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A. A. CURRY

A. A. CURRY, Brigadier,
Chief of Section (Br),
A.F.L.R.S.

SJBL/ga.

Copies to:- AFHQ for G-4, Q(AE) & Q4; CG, MTOUSA

Commerce Sub-Commission, HQ, AQ.

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Translation

From HQ
to MMIA

Ref: 24918/0

Date: 27 Dec 44

Boots requiring repair

Further to verbal approval by MMIA this officer asked Gen HQ C.C.R. to inform us of their needs should the benefit of exchanges of boots, to be repaired for boots already repaired, which is now functioning for other branches of the service, be extended to them.

C.C.R. has pointed out the following.

It would be advisable to assign to each of the 13 C.C.R. Regiments 1500 pairs of repaired boots to be distributed when required. The boots for repairs would be kept there until the full quota of 1500 pairs is issued and the whole be sent for exchange for repaired boots.

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The above requirement is calculated for legions consisting of 4200 men each and at the rate of one repair every 4 months per man.

as for above the following 10^{th} of boots would be required 19500 immediately so as to build up stock in legion Depots

31900 P. During the period of 6 months to replace the boots requiring repairs (since the repairs would be done

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Return to CDR Shipley

Col Shipley -

The number asked for in the book - The
Leopards all to not have the same number
of men.

I would agree on 1070 of the Leopards
Leopards, regardless of what it is.
However, C.E.R.R. would have to understand
that at any time they might be called
on to return all the 1070 in 5 hours,
and if that happened and ~~the~~ any were
not returned, there would be a
charge against the C.E.R.R. that Leopards
therefore Public Safety would have to
agree.

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gradually in time the quantities of boots needed would become less accordingly with the speed at which the repairs of boots will be made at the repair W/shops.

This Ministry regards this scheme favourably and begy MAHA to authorize its initiation especially as at the time being the CC 22 regions have no facilities to repair the boots of their personnel because of deficiency of prime material, and thus their boots are deteriorating and this will shorten their life.

R. Mansfield

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THE LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

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Ministero della Guerra
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Div. 1/2

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Risposta al foglio N. 10

OGGETTO Scarpe bisognevoli di riparazioni.

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28/12

In seguito a benestare verbale di codesta M.M.I.A., questo Ministero aveva dato incarico al Comando Generale CC.M. di compilare il fascicolo di calzature che avrebbe comportato l'eventuale estensione al CC.M. del provvedimento, attualmente in atto per le altre truppe, di sostituire le scarpe logore con altre già riparate.

Il suddetto Comando ha ora riferito sull'argomento, facendo conoscere che:

- sarebbe opportuno assegnare subito a ciascuna delle 13 regioni dipendenti n. 1500 paia di scarpe riparate, da distribuire man mano che si presentassero la necessità di sostituire le calzature logore (8732 ultime verrebbero di volta in volta ritirate al militare e versate al laboratorio ricupero solo quando sia stata esaurita la suddetta scorta, con tutto il resto di altrettante scarpe riparate);
- il fascicolo è da compilare sulla base delle 13 suddette regioni, ciascuna della forza di 4200 uomini, e di una riparazione per militare ogni 4 mesi.

In base a tali criteri si calcola che occorrono le

28/12

In seguito a benestare verbale di codesta M.M.I.A., questo Ministero aveva dato incarico al Comando Generale CC.MA. di compiere il fabbisogno di calzature che avrebbe comportato l'eventuale estensione al CC.MA. dei provvedimenti, attualmente in atto per le altre truppe, di sostituire le scarpe logore con altre già riparate.

Il suddetto Comando ha ora riferito sull'argomento, facendo conoscere che:

- sarebbe opportuno assegnare subito a ciascuna delle 13 legioni dipendenti n. 1500 paia di scarpe riparate, da distribuire man mano che si presenta la necessità di sostituire le calzature logore (8732 ultime verrebbero di volta in volta ritirate al militari e versate ai ricattori ricuperati solo quando sia stata esaurita la suddetta scorta, con tre rinvii di altrettante scarpe riparate);

- il fabbisogno è da calcolare sulla base delle 13 suddette legioni, ciascuna della forza di 4200 uomini, e di una riparazione per militare ogni 4 mesi.

In base a tali criteri si calcola che occorrono le seguenti calzature riparate:

- P. 19200 subito, per costituire l'accennata scorta presso i magazzini delle singole legioni;
- P. 61200 nel giro di sei mesi, per sostituire le calzature assorbite dalla riparazione (poiché le riparazioni si avvicenderanno gradualmente nel tempo, il quantitativo di calzature che assorbirà l'esigenza sarà naturalmente inferiore, in relazione anche al ritmo con il quale si provvederà al riattamento

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delle calzature stesse presso i laboratori recuperati).

Questo Ministero conferma il parere favorevole espresso in merito al provvedimento in parola e prega onesta M.M.I.A. di autorizzarne l'attuazione; fa all'odopresente che, mancando la possibilità da parte delle Legioni C.C.N.N. di far eseguire tempestivamente le riparazioni, per deficienza delle necessarie materie prime, le calzature si deteriorano con maggiore facilità e minore durata la loro durata.

PER MINISTRO

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: Q(AE) 7382
Date of Origin: DEC 26

Message Centre No: C/5495
Date Time Recd: DEC 26 1825A
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: 15 ARMY GROUP
TO: ALCOM INFO AFHQ Q (AE) DISTONE

12/15/10

22/27

RESTRICTED.

ONE DISTRICT have urgent need for boots for civil labour.
55 AREA and 61 AREA require 6,000 pairs each. Can you assist.

Dist

ACTION

Action - Land Forces (2)
Info - Chief Commissioner
CA Sect
Ecgn
Labor
File (2)
Fleat



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RESTRICTED

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SUBJECT: Supply of Boots for Italian Air Force.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. S. I. A.)
E J M E
AQ/15/10
20 December 1944.

TO : Air Forces Sub Commission, ALCOM, Bari.

1. Appended hereto is copy of translation of letter from the War Ministry Italian Army, their No. 24507/V of 22 Dec. 1944. — 407

2. It will be noted that the worn boots have not been returned as specified in our letter of release AQ/15/10 dated 9 June 1944 addressed to your Headquarters.

CNO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
For Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

623/AG

Copy to:
Ministry of War.

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SUBJECT: Boot Repair at Naples.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. N. I. A.)
R O M E
AG/15/10
26 December 1944.

TO : WHIA LO British Increment Fifth Army.

4/16

1. Reference your letter SLO/8/2 dated 22 December 1944.
2. All boots repaired in Italian Army Shops to date, have been either US Boots or Italian Boots, and with the exception of a small experimental run in one shop, all soles have been sewed and not nailed.
3. It is believed therefore, that the Boots about which you complained in the above reference letter are boots which were repaired in British Shops either in Italy or M.E. There is, of course, a possibility that you may have received some of the small experimental run referred to in the paragraph above.
4. We are quite confident that any boots which you may receive from stocks repaired in Italian Shops will have sewed soles.

GAS/AG

GEN. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Colonel DA & QMG
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: Boots for 141 Italian Pioneer Coy.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/15/10
26 December 1944.

TO : WHIA LO 54 Area
(Attn: Capt. Fordyce.)

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1. Reference your letter GED/4/2 dated 22 December 1944.
 2. The situation in regards to boot repairing materials for US-ITIS and BR-ITIS is set forth in our letter AQ/15 dated 6 December 1944, duplicate copies of which are hereto attached.
 3. It is suggested that you send a copy of our AQ/15 dated 6 December to the inquiring Officer with the 141 Italian Pioneer Coy. Obviously, his requirements for the grindery should be indicated against British Supply Agencies.
 4. With the exception of one or two special units, the authorized scale of boots still is one pair per man, and issues beyond the authorized scale requires special authorization from AFHQ. Such authorizations are made against requests from the employing British Agency and not by WHIA.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Colonel DA & QMG
Land Forces Sub Commission.

GED/EG

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from M.O.W.
to M.M.14.

11/15/10.

Transliteration 1120/2

of 24542/c
24 Dec 44
Full

Subject: Assignment of nails for
boot repairs.

Enclosed please find Release order
n. 1707 dated November 6th, concerning
assignment of nails for boot repairs,
with reference to information given
by the Detached boot-recovery office
Maples, with letter 435 dated 10th inst.
copy to M.M.14. -

facility.

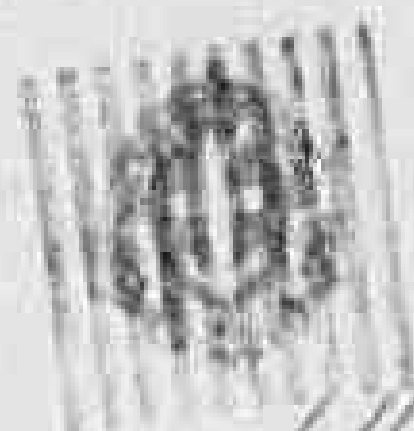
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See Folio 443



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Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEL SERVIZIO DI LEGGI E ORDINAMENTI MILITARI

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
SION A.C.(MMIA) = ROMA =

DIV. V.E.
24342/V
Allegati

Assegnazione di chiodi per riparazione scarpe.--

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Si restituisce l'unito Release order
1707 del 6 novembre c.a., relativo all'asse-
gnazione dei chiodi per riparazione scarpe,
con riferimento alle comunicazioni fatte
dall'Ufficio Staccato Recupero Calzature di
Napoli con il suo foglio n. 435 del 10 corr.,
inviato per conoscenza anche a cedeata M.M.
I.A.-

p. IL MINISTRO

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SUBJECT: Leather for Repair of Boots by the Italian Army.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M.M. I. A.)
2025
18/10/10
24 December 1946.

TO : AFHQ, AFHQ, AFHQ, AFHQ, AFHQ
Commerce Sub Commission ALCOM. 2

AFHQ for G-4, G (AFHQ) and G-4, G (AFHQ) - for info.

1. During the latter part of June and the month of July 1946, a staff study of the potential possibilities for the repair of boots by the Italian Army was made by this HQ. It was concluded that:

- The Italian Army possessed facilities, including civilian shops, sufficient to repair boots at the rate of 100,000 to 150,000 pairs per month.
- Leather, thread and nails required for the repair of boots at a rate of 100,000 pairs per month, can be made available from local resources. Existing stocks of leather were then considered sufficient to ensure a supply for 90 days and more was to be manufactured. These conclusions were based upon information furnished by Industry and Commerce Sub Commission AC and by AFHQ and by representatives of both agencies. The situation was being reviewed and agreed by Lt. Col. WILLIS of G-4 Section AFHQ.

2. Demand for leather, thread and nails from local resources were to be made upon Commerce Sub Commission AC.

3. Italian military requirements were to be given First Priority. 87200

4. Demand for repairing materials required for a 90 day period were submitted to Commerce Sub Commission on 25 July 46. The quantities of leather requested were:-

| SOLE LEATHER | UPPER LEATHER |
|--------------|---------------|
| 40,000 yds. | 5,000 yds. |
| 45,000 yds. | 5,000 yds. |
| 45,000 yds. | 5,000 yds. |

An additional request for delivery in December was made to AFHQ on 10 Nov 46:-

1. During the latter part of June and the month of July 1944, a staff study of the potential possibilities for the repair of boots by the Italian Army was made by this HQ. It was concluded that:
 - a. The Italian Army possessed facilities, including civilian shops, sufficient to repair boots at the rate of 100,000 to 150,000 pairs per month.
 - b. Leather, thread and nails required for the repair of boots at a rate of 100,000 pairs per month can be made available from local resources. Existing stocks of leather were then considered sufficient to ensure a supply for 90 days and were not to be manufactured. These conclusions were based upon information furnished by industry and Commerce Sub Commission AC and by AFMGS and by representatives of both agencies. The situation was since reviewed and agreed by Lt. Col. WHITE of G-4 Section AFMGS.
 - c. Demands for leather, thread and nails from local resources were to be made upon Commerce Sub Commission AC.
 - d. Italian Military requirements were to be given first priority.

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2. Demands for repairing materials required for a 90 day period were submitted to Commerce Sub Commission on 28 July 44. The quantity of leather requested was:-

| | SOLE LEATHER | UPPER LEATHER |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| For COMBAT | 45,000 Sgs. | 8,000 Sgs. |
| " SEPTEMBER | 45,000 " | 8,000 " |
| " OCTOBER | 45,000 " | 8,000 " |

An additional request for delivery in December was made to AFMGS on 10 Nov 44:-

| | |
|---------------|-------------|
| SOLE LEATHER | 45,000 Sgs. |
| UPPER LEATHER | 27,000 Sgs. |

3. Attached as Appendix "A" is a report of leather allotted against demands, quantities which have been actually released to the Italian Army and balances still in against allotment. It will be noted that deliveries are substantially less than the quantities requested and quantities allotted.
4. This short stock of leather as made available from local resources has been supplemented by approximately 150,000 pairs of leather half sole and 50,000 pairs of composition soles and heels furnished to the Italian Army from AFMGS stocks. The resultant combined stock has made it possible to repair boots at approximately 100,000 pairs of 100,000 pairs per month and to provide a working stock sufficient to continue repairs during December and January.
5. For the Italian Army shops are to repair all boots for AFMGS and AFMGS as well as AFMGS. It has become necessary to increase repairs beyond a rate of 100,000 pairs per month. This can only be done by...

the Italian Army was made by this HQ. It was concluded that:

- a. The Italian Army possessed facilities for the repair of boots by sufficient to repair boots at the rate of 100,000 to 150,000 pairs per month.
- b. Leather, thread and nails required for the repair of boots at a rate of 100,000 pairs per month can be made available from local resources. Existing stocks of leather were then considered sufficient to ensure a supply for 90 days and were not to be manufactured. These conclusions were based upon information furnished by Industry and Commerce Sub Commission HQ and by AFHQ and by representatives of both agencies. The situation was also reviewed and agreed by Lt. Col. WHITE of G-3 Section HQ AFHQ.

- c. Demands for leather, thread and nails from total resources were to be made upon Commerce Sub Commission HQ.

- d. Italian military requirements were to be given first priority.
- e. Demands for repairing materials required for a 90 day period were submitted to Commerce Sub Commission on 28 July 44. The quantities of leather requested were:-

| | SUBS LEATHER | UPPER LEATHER |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|
| SEPTEMBER | 46,000 Kgs. | 8,000 Kgs. |
| OCTOBER | 46,000 " | 8,000 " |
| | 46,000 " | 8,000 " |

An additional request for delivery in December was made to AFHQ on 10 Nov 44.

SUBS LEATHER - 46,000 Kgs.
UPPER LEATHER - 17,000 Sq Ft.

3. Attached as Appendix "A" is a report of leather allotted against demands, quantities, etc which have been actually released to the Italian Army and balance still due against allotment. It will be noted that deliveries are substantially less than the quantities requested and quantities allotted.

4. This short stock of leather as made available from local resources had been supplemented by approximately 100,000 pairs of leather half sole and 50,000 sets of composition soles and heels furnished to the Italian Army from US Army stocks. The resultant combined stock has made it possible to repair boots at approximately 50% of the intended rate of 100,000 pairs per month and to provide a working stock sufficient to continue repairs during December and January.

5. Now that the Italian Army shops are to repair all boots for 38 ITHS and US-1213 as well as ITH-1216, it has become necessary to increase repairs beyond a rate of 100,000 pairs per month. This can only be accomplished if the necessary leather is made available. The monthly requirements are:-

- 1 - (See Over)

See Section 426, 427, 428, 429

(Cont'd):-

ments beginning with February 1946 will be from 20% to 40% greater than the monthly quantities requested in the past. Immediate additional deliveries are needed from the quantities still due on unfilled releases.

6. It is requested that this Hq be advised without delay the quantities of leather that can be assured monthly beginning with February 1946. It is further requested that not less than 45,000 lbs, of sole leather and 27,000 Sq ft of upper leather be made available during January 1946.

GAS/AG

Walter H. Hays
R20. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Colonel
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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APPENDIX "A" to letter
12/5/44 - 24 December 44.

ALLOCATIONS & RELEASES OF LEATHER

| | AMOUNT
ESTABLISHED | AMOUNT
OBTAINED | BAL. DUE |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| No. 748 - 21/8/44
For September: | | | |
| Sole Leather | 45,896 Kgs. | 8,500 Kgs. | 37,396 Kgs. |
| Upper Leather | 27,122 Sq Ft | 7,000 Sq Ft. | 20,122 Sq Ft |
| No. 1021 - 9/9/44
Additional for Sept. | | | |
| Sole Leather | 7,000 Kgs | NIL | 7,000 Kgs |
| Upper Leather | 10,750 Sq Ft. | NIL | 10,750 Sq Ft. |
| No. 1048 - 16/9/44
For October: | | | |
| Sole Leather | 48,050 Kgs | 35,225 Kgs. | 10,774 Kgs |
| Upper Leather | 28,000 Sq Ft | 13,000 Sq Ft | 16,000 Sq Ft |
| No. 1424 - 18/10/44
For November: | | | |
| Sole Leather | 35,146 Kgs | 6,000 Kgs | 29,146 Kgs |
| Upper Leather | 25,000 Sq Ft | 3,900 Sq Ft | 24,100 Sq Ft |
| No. ACC 1021 - 24/11/44
For December: | | | |
| Sole Leather | 23,000 Kgs | 17,000 Kgs. | 6,000 Kgs. |
| TOTALS: | | | |
| Sole Leather | 157,040 Kgs. | 57,025 Kgs. | 90,014 Kgs. |
| Upper Leather | 94,372 Sq Ft | 23,900 Sq Ft | 70,972 Sq Ft |

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Upper Leather 27,122 Sq Ft 5,500 Kgs. 37,086 Kgs.
20,122 Sq Ft 7,000 Sq Ft. 20,122 Sq Ft

No. 1021 - 8/8/44
Additional for Sept.

Sole Leather 7,000 Kgs. 511 7,000 Kgs.
Upper Leather 10,750 Sq Ft. 212 10,750 Sq Ft.

No. 1045 - 14/9/44
For October:

Sole Leather 16,000 Kgs. 35,225 Kgs. 10,774 Kgs.
Upper Leather 20,000 Sq Ft 13,000 Sq Ft 16,000 Sq Ft

No. 1434 - 18/9/44
For November:

Sole Leather 55,144 Kgs. 6,000 Kgs. 25,144 Kgs.
Upper Leather 28,000 Sq Ft 3,900 Sq Ft 24,100 Sq Ft

No. 1021 - 22/11/44
For December:

Sole Leather 23,000 Kgs. 17,000 Kgs. 6,000 Kgs.

TOTALS:

Sole Leather 157,040 Kgs. 57,025 Kgs. 90,014 Kgs.
Upper Leather 96,872 Sq Ft 23,000 Sq Ft 70,972 Sq Ft

Note:- HQ MMIA requests against which above releases were made are:-

a. 6 95 day supply requested on 28 July 44.

Sole Leather 134,000 Kgs. @ 46,000 Kgs per month
Upper Leather 24,000 Kgs. @ 5,000 Kgs per month

b. 6 30 day supply requested on 10 Nov 44.

Sole Leather 1 46,000 Kgs.
Upper Leather 27,000 Sq Ft.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION ARMY COMMISSION
COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC SERVICE
APR 1944

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103.771/7/ST 2.

23 December 1944

SUBJECT: Mail.

*Rec'd 15/16
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TO : Ufficio Provinciale dell'Industria
e del Commercio - Corso Vico, Naples.

1. Attached letter dated 23 Dec. '44
from German Plant, asking to have the premises
kept under surveillance during the night in
accordance with the request for necessary
action, as the executive control of this
factory is now carried on by your office.

For the Regional Commissioner:

M. B. R. R. R.
S. O. R. R.,
Major R. R.,
General Sub-Section.

RE/ST.

1 encl.

Copy to: S. O. R. R.

German Plant.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION ALLIED COMMISSION
ECONOMICS & SUPPLY SECTION
APO 394

RBS.773/7/46 E.

23 December 1944

SUBJECT: Nails.

TO : HQ. Allied Commission
For attention of:
Sub-Commission Industry.

1. Reference our letter ES.703 PS 2a of 8 August 44 by which we submitted costing statements for nails produced by Gerosa Plant.
2. Attached please find letter dated 21 Dec. '44 from Gerosa Plant claiming that until the prices for the shoemakers' tacks is not fixed, Gerosa cannot obtain payment from MMIA for the supplies already made.
3. Your attention to this matter would be appreciated in consideration of the rather high amounts Gerosa has outstanding.

For the Regional Commissioner:

W.C. Birt
W.C. BIRT,
Major R.A.
Commerce Sub-Section.

1 encl.

Copy to: MMIA.
Gerosa Plant, Via Arenaccio 32, Naples.

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Subject:- Boots, Ankle for 141 Italian Pioneer Coy. (4/8)

A 215/10
Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (M.M.I.A.).
C/o 54 Area. CMF.
ORD/4/2
22 Dec 44

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (MMIA)

1. Forwarded herewith for consideration is copy of inquiry concerning extra boots and / or grindery for 141 Italian Pioneer Coy.

IVF/jmr

I.V. Fordyce
I.V. Fordyce. Capt.
for Senior MMIA LO.
C/o H.Q. 54 Area.

Received
22/12/44

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C O P Y

Subject:- Boots, Ankle.

Ref: 141/AG/17

To : Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm.,
A.C. (MMIA),
C/o 54 Area, C.M.F.

1. MMIA letter reference AQ/8, dated 27.9.44 states that an additional pair of boots may possibly be issued in winter..
2. In view of the nature of the work personnel of this unit have to perform, boots soon become unserviceable.
3. Please may we, therefore, know the position regarding:-
 - i. a further issue of boots, and/or
 - ii. a supply of grindery, etc.

In the field.

12 Dec 44

?????????????Capt.
Liaison Officer
141 Italian Pioneer Coy.

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Translation

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From: M of W
To: MMH

Ref: 2450218

Date: 24 Dec 60

AQ15/10

Subject: Boat supply for the Italian Army.

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Further to attention from MMH (Ref: 245/15-10 243)
dated 4/10/60, this Ministry arranged to hand over 1476 pairs
of boots ^(allied) to the Air Force and asked that unit to return the
same number of Italian boots to be repaired.

From information received from Comdte District HQ
Puglia & Lucania, who was supposed to draw & issue the above
boots, it ^{was reported} ~~has been pointed out~~ that no Italian boots were landed in.
These were used by the Air Force workshops to repair boots drawn and
needing repairs.

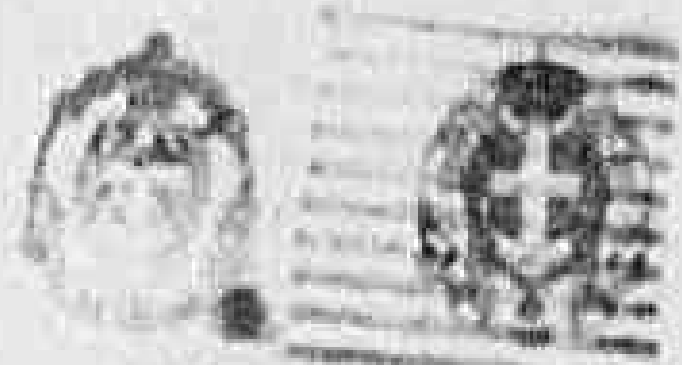
The above is forwarded for ^{your} information.

(Sgt) PELL 1500

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Answered
22/12/60

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Provvisoria V/E
del 124507/V

Allegato

Ind. 22.5.44
Reg. 195-1
41a LAND FORCES SUB
COMMISSION A.C.(M.M.I.A.)
= ROMA =

Oggetto: *Rifornimento di scarpe per le FF.AA.
Italiane.*

Aut.

In seguito ad autorizzazione di codesta M.M.I.A. (foglio n. AQ/15-10 del 9/6/44) questo Ministero dispose per la cessione alla R. Aeronautica di n. 1986 paia di scarpe di provenienza alleata ed invitò l'ente interessato a versare altrettante calzature italiane da recuperare.

Da notizia ora trasmessa dalla Direzione di Com. del Comando Militare della Puglia e Lucania, incaricata della consegna e del ritiro delle suddette calzature, risulta che nessun versamento di scarpe italiane è stato effettuato, perchè, a detta dell'ente aeronautico interessato, dal cambio furono ricavate scarpe totalmente fuori uso che vennero disfatte e passate ai laboratori aeroportuali per la riparazione di altre scarpe.

Quanto sopra, per opportuna conoscenza di codesta M.M.I.A. -

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British Increment (A Branch)
Rear HQ Fifth Army.
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Capt
MIA L.O.
British Increment
Fifth Army

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FROM OO R S 3 557 BOD 22 NPT

TO DOS AFHQ

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FROM HRIA LO NAPLES 221633A
TO SA AREA FOR HRIA LO
INFO HRIA

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8642-STM-17B DESPATCHED TODAY FOR LEUCE SHOES IN RAIL CARS 172434
159686 PLEASE ARRANGE COLLECTION

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FOR MMIA LO

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MMIA

8638-578/26. DESPATCHED TODAY SHOES FOR LSCOE RAIL CARS 172382, 1189826.
PLEASE ARRANGE COLLECTION.

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LEKB V LOGU NR3 QVR1

FROM G-4 BR INC 5 ARMY 181413A
TO NMIA LO
INFO AFHQ Q(AE)
G-56 BT

REFNR 9735

CLEAR X QUEEN SIX FOUR FOUR X PAREN FROM GEORGE FOUR BRITISH INCREMENT
FIVEARMY TO MIKE MIKE ITEM ABLE LOVX /// LOVE OBOE FOR ACTION CMA
ABLE FOX NOW QUEEN QUEEN ABLE EASY FOR INFORMATION PAREN MIKE MIKE
ITEM ABLE LOVE OBOE STATES GRINDERY AND TOOLS NOT AVAILABLE FOR
LOCAL BOOT REPAIRS BRITISH HYPHEN ITALIANS FIVEARMY X REQUEST
STATE PROPOSALS FOR BOOT REPAIRS FORWARD AREA

SENT NR3 181535A DC AR X
RCD NR3 181535A HRA

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Translation

From: M of N.

To: M M A for information

FIC 20/15/10

Ref: 552

Date: 18th Dec. 66.

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Subject: Despatch of Raw Material to Sardinia

Owing to the present difficulties of sea transport please send the following quantities of stores to the Salongo Regional Centre, Sardinia -

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Sole leather | 1500 lbs |
| Cobbler's Thread | 150 " |
| Tacks | 150 " |
| Paraffin | 60 " |
| Shoemaker's nails | 60 " |
| Bed reinforcement nails | 60 " |

in lieu of those mentioned in signal 508 of 15th inst.

~~It~~ Such supply is to be considered as required for the needs of the Centre up to Feb 45 unless absolute requirement are necessary for which you will please report.

The despatch of the ⁴ stores will be considered urgent as Sardinia workshops is completely without stores.

(Sgd) F. PERONE.

FF. PERONE

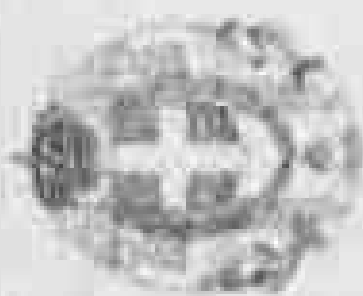
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Ministro della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Ufficio Recupero Calabro

Roma 4.3.52

Allegato

OGGETTO

Spedizione materie prime in Sardegna.

AQ

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTRO DELLA GUERRA - D. D. D. - DIRETTORE

ALLA S. S. I. A.

ALLA S. S. I. A. (Sig. Capitano Bonatti)

AL CENTRO REGIONALE RECUPERO DELLA CALABRIA

AL CASALE V. S. - REGIONALE CASALE GASTELLINO

19/12

P. 1.800

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Stante difficoltà avere con frequenza mezzi di trasporto marittimi perenni spedire al Centro Regionale Recupero della Calabria:

| | Kg. | 1.500 |
|------------------|-----|-------|
| Cuoio suola | " | 150 |
| Spago a mano | " | 150 |
| Guarnasc | " | 50 |
| Terzofina | " | 50 |
| Chiodi montacelo | " | 50 |
| " rinforzo tacco | " | 50 |

amabili le quantità di cui al tale n. 508 del 13 corrente.

Con tali invii debbono interdermi soddisfatte le esigenze di detto Centro fino a tutto il prossimo febbraio, salvo assolute altre eventuali necessità che detto centro è pronto di raggiungere.

La spedizione è da eseguire con tutta urgenza emendo i laboratori della Calabria totalmente sprovisti.

IL CAPO UFFICIO

Cape Ufficio

(R. Perone)

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Roma 18 Dicembre 1944

CENTRO REGIONALE RECUPERO

DELLA CALABRIA

R. E. A. I.

Risposta al foglio del

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Abstract

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IL SACERDOTE V.D. NICCOLLELLA CAMMINA CANTABRIT

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molto difficile avere dati precisi sull'età dei trasportati
 presenti perché il Centro Nazionale per i diritti delle
 persone:

| | kg. |
|---------------|------|
| Chilo austral | 1300 |
| Chilo a. nana | 150 |
| Chilo | 150 |
| Paraffina | 60 |
| Chilo montana | 60 |
| Chilo | 60 |

comunicó la cantidad de café al total de 508 del 13 corriente.

Con tali titoli debbono intendersi soddisfatto le esigenze di detto Centro fino a tutto il prossimo febbraio, salvo assoluto alle tre eventuali necessità che detto centro è pregato di rappresentare.

La decisione è da prendere con tutta urgenza essendo che l'approvazione della legge è assolutamente necessaria.

RESEARCHERS CONCLUDE

Can you use Leto

(附註: 本報社址: 香港中環皇后大道中 10 號)

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AA/15/10

From: LO 54 Area

181700A

To: MMIA

Info: MMIA LO DISTONE

AQ/10

RESTRICTED

FROM ALLOTMENT 1000 BOOTS TO 209 DIV 500 DESPATCHED TO
OSIMO TODAY IN 3 TONNER WITH CAPT MOSE LO 225 I P L CCY .
PHONE BIRD - COLE REVERES

*Adm HAO
13/10
[Signature]*

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IMPORTANT

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FROM NMIA LG 54 AREA 181700A

TO NMIA

INFO NMIA LG DISTONE

GR -- BT

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18/11 (.) RESTRICTED (.)

FROM ALLOTMENT ONE THOUSAND BOOTS TO

289 DIV FIVE HUNDRED DESPATCHED TO U S I M O TODAY

IN 3-TONNER WITH CAPT M O S S LG 225 1 P L COY (.)

PHONE BIRD - COLE REFERS

BT 1520

FBI 1820

SENT NR 80

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RD NR (80) " D LOR " (2106) (K)

RECORD OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION.

Date of Call 17 DecTime 10:30 AM 10:30 AMCaller Capt. Hinton Appointment L. O. B. 5 amPerson called Mr. Hinton Appointment S. C. B.

Subject of Conversation.

Action to be taken
or Decisions arrived at.

Can I get up and
repair shop? Is any
further ground work
needed?

No objection to setting
up shop. No question
would be here. If shop
no cut up no question
can be obtained from here
but will have to be
obtained from Ordnance
there

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Action to be taken
or Decisions arrived at.

Subject of Conversation.

No objection to setting
up shop. No questions
submitted here. If shop
is set up no questions
can be obtained from here
but will have to be
obtained from Ordnance
there - 8708

Can I set up a subunit
upon shop? Is any
guiding Ordnance from
MIRA

Signature of Officer receiving call

Sgt 5th

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MMIA LO NAPLES

181730

54 AREA

FOR MMIA LO

15/10

INFO MMIA

8596-JTH/25. DISPATCHED TODAY FOR LEACH SHOWS IN MAIL CARS 155674, 1004848.
PLEASE ARRANGE COLLECTION.

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18 Aug

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FROM: OO RSD 557 BOD 15NFT
TO (1) DOS AFHQ INFO (2) DDOS AAI (3) DDOS L OF C (4) OO 557 BOD
(5) OO 2 SUB DEPOT (6) DADOS ARMY SUB COMMISSION (ACC) MAIN HQ MMIA
QQX GR--- BT
RS/56 . ORD1/2283/1(94) OF 3 . APPENDIX A BOOTS. PERIOD ENDING 15 .
ISSUES DURING PERIOD TO MMIA 22,000 PAIRS. READY FOR ISSUE NIL.
TO CIVILIANS NIL. RADY FOR ISSUE TO CIVILIANS NIL
XXXXXXXXXX
BT THI 151213
AMORT "B" 2 "K"
RECD 1550A JOE BB PIP

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MMIA

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XXXXX PRESSOUTH, 54 AREA
APHQ Q (AE) 04, QM.U.S. GOMONE
XZOUZA, XXXXXXXX DE XXXXXXXX

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FOR MMIA LO (.)

UNDER PROVISIONS OF PARA 5 C APHQ LETTER AD/400/105 DO
DATED 22 SEP ADDITIONAL ALLOCMENTS OF BOOTS ARE MADE
AVAILABLE (.) FIRST (.) TO BE ITIS TO BE ISSUED FROM
NAPLES DEPOT BOOTS QUANTITY 10000 PAIRS (.) SECOND (.)
TO BE ITIS TO BE ISSUED FROM NAPLES DEPOT BOOTS QUANTITY
3000 PAIRS (.) THIRD (.) TO BE ITIS TO BE ISSUED FROM
BARI DEPOT BOOTS QUANTITY 7,000 PAIRS (.) EARLY COLLEC-
TION IS REQUESTED

INTERNAL:

Q (AE)
ORD

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Important

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407

Subject: Imports of Boots.

DATE: 10/1/50
TO: Wick/Is

TO: Ministry of War.

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1. The above boots are being imported from the United States and are being sold at a profit of 10%.

2. The boots are being imported from the United States and are being sold at a profit of 10%.

3. The boots are being imported from the United States and are being sold at a profit of 10%.

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6. The boots are being imported from the United States and are being sold at a profit of 10%.

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SECRET - Report of [redacted] (Continued)

6. Helicopter units, such as the 1st Helicopter Squadron, are being organized for the purpose of providing support for the 1st Infantry Division. The 1st Helicopter Squadron is being organized for the purpose of providing support for the 1st Infantry Division. The 1st Helicopter Squadron is being organized for the purpose of providing support for the 1st Infantry Division.

7. In the future, it is expected that the 1st Helicopter Squadron will be expanded to include all types of helicopters. This will be done by the addition of new helicopters and the training of new pilots. The 1st Helicopter Squadron is being organized for the purpose of providing support for the 1st Infantry Division. The 1st Helicopter Squadron is being organized for the purpose of providing support for the 1st Infantry Division.

Major General [redacted]
Adjutant General
Land Forces Sub-Committee

2/23/54

Distribution:

- 1. 1A 12 (Vandenberg)
- 2. 1A 10 (HRL)
- 3. 1A 10 (HRL)
- 4. 1A 10 (HRL)
- 5. 1A 10 (HRL)
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- 7. 1A 10 (HRL)
- 8. 1A 10 (HRL)
- 9. 1A 10 (HRL)
- 10. 1A 10 (HRL)

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TRANSLATION.

A4/15/10 406

From: M of W.
To: MMIA

Ref: 3449/18R1
Date: 9 Dec. 1944

SUBJECT: Repair of Italian shoes.

The repairs being done on Italian shoes consist now almost in every case of the complete rebuilding of the shoe utilizing of the old shoes- only ~~the~~ part of the uppers that can be recovered by a long and difficult undoing process.

This is due to the fact that the shoes in question are in such conditions as not to consent other repair work.

This kind of repair is altogether uneconomical, ~~the~~ considering the high cost of the labor involved, and especially because it consumes large quantities of raw materials from the already meager stocks on hand, and is thus a great handicap for ~~the~~ possibilities of more advantageous repairs, such as those to be done on Allied shoes.

In view of the above it appears evident that to further continue repairing Italian boots would be nothing but a drop in the bucket of the pressing needs, while employing a large amount of scarce and expensive labor and wasting considerable quantities of precious raw materials. On the other hand, ever growing amounts of shoes will have to be gradually excluded from repair, one reason being the impossibility to further utilize the extreme uppers.

Therefore, in order to cover the needs of the troops who are at present depending upon repaired shoes and in order to be able to include among the mass of Italian shoes a certain number of boots which can be further repaired after a first period of use, it would be necessary that MMIA kindly allot, upon requests from the M of W from time to time, a certain quantity of Allied shoes to the number of shoes assigned to our workshops. This quantity could be figured at about 10,000 pairs per month.

Awaiting your kind reply

s/ PELLIGRA.

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KBS

*answered
17/12/44
See memo 407*



PS/00

Donato

Roma, 11 dicembre 1945



ALLIED FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

Ministro della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE
Ispettorato

= R U M A =

L. de. R. P. 17/12/45
Allegato

Richiesta al Regio A.C.
del

OGGETTO Riparazioni calature italiane.

AA

Referenza al

16/12

e, per conoscenza;

- ALL'UFFICIO STAGIONE INQUANTO CALATURE -

= M A P C I I =

Le riparazioni che vengono eseguite sulle calature italiane consistono ormai quasi esclusivamente nel com-
pletto rifacimento della struttura utilizzando delle vecchie calature
re-saltate i cuboletti ricostruibili mediante un lungo e impo-
no lavoro di disassamento.

Quanto sopra possono le calature di cui trattasi, sono in
condizioni tali da non permettere altro lavoro di risistemazione.

Detto genere di riparazione e del tutto antieconomico anche
in difesa dell'alto costo della mano d'opera che viene a gravare
sulle calature, ma soprattutto perchè disastrosa sotto l'aspetto
prima delle già esagerate disponibilità che si riesce ad avere
ed infine, oculi, ormai sfavillanti sulle possibilità di riparazione
ni più convenienti quali quelle da farsi sulla calatura di prova
niente all'esta.

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NAPOLE

Le calzature che vengono eseguite sulla calzatura italiana consistono ormai quasi esclusivamente nel completo rifacimento della suola utilizzando delle vecchie calzature soltanto i gambi che ricevono un lungo e lungo lavoro di disinquinamento.

Quando sopra percosse le calzature di cui trattasi, sono in condizioni tali da non permettere alcun lavoro di rifacimento.

Detto genere di riparazione e del tutto antieconomico anche in conseguenza dell'alto costo della mano d'opera una volta e gravata, ma soprattutto perchè dispendio notevole quando si tratta di materie prime delle già menzionate disponibilità che si riesce ad avere ed anche, così, assai convenientemente sulla possibilità di riparazione più conveniente quella quella da farsi sulle calzature di provenienza all'estero.

Per quanto sopra, risulta evidente che l'alternativa presentata nella riparazione di calzature italiane non rappresenta che un tentativo di presentarsi bisogni mentre comporta un notevole aumento di mano d'opera, assai superiore a quanto, ed una spesa non indifferente di preziose materie prime, mentre, d'altra parte, quantita' non sono crescenti di calzature dovranno escludersi dalle

riparazioni, anche per inutilizzabilità del materiale.
Pertanto, per far fronte alle necessità della truppa che attende
mente al superamento al servizio delle riparazioni stesse e per innanzi
tutto nella massa della coltura italiana una quantità di sementi
sufficientemente vistabili dopo un primo periodo di uso, sarebbe neces-
sario una qualche missione di complessive assegnare, mi richiede che
di volta in volta sarebbe questo ministro, un certo numero di col-
ture alleate sulle quantità assegnate ai nostri laboratori, quan-
tà calcolabile sulle 10.000 più al mese.

Si resta in attesa di cortesi comunicazioni in merito.

PER MINISTRO

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FROM OO RSD 557 ~~DA~~ BOD

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TO DOS AFHQ

INFO DDOS AAI : DDOS L OF C : COO 557 BOD :

DADOS ARMY SUB COMMISSION (ACC MAIN HQ) :

MMIA : OO 2 SUB, DEPOT 557 BOD

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RS/56 ORD1/2083/1(94) OF 3 .

APPENDIX A BOOTS . PERIOD ENDING 30 . ISSUES DURING PERIOD TO MMIA

NIL READY FOR ISSUE 20000 PAIRS . TO CIVILIANS NIL READY

FOR ISSUE 5

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SENT NR 11 0231 CS B K

RD 0231 A F A

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9 DEC 1944

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SUBJECT: Boot Repairing Materials for 205 Division.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/15/10
6 December 1944.

TO : Ministry of War.

1. Reference Comando 205 Division letter 2547/Rif.I.7 dated 28 November 1944.
2. As stated in our letter AQ/15 dated 6 December, addressed to the Ministry of War, Subject - Repairing Materials for Boots and Clothing, all available repairing materials are urgently required for our major Repair Program, and no stocks are at present available for allotment to either US-ITIS or BR-ITIS.
3. The 205 Division should demand their requirements for boot repairing materials from U.S. Sources. In as much as, their demand was placed prior to the announcement of the present policy, a reduced quantity of all the items requested is being authorized in accordance with our Authorization Notice No. AQ 60/US/7 enclosed herewith. This reduced issue will enable the 205 Division to carry on repairs until additional stock can be secured from U.S. Sources.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

GAS/ag

Copy to:

HQ AAF SC/MTO
MMIA ORD
MMIA LO Naples.

TO: MINISTRY OF WAR (D)

FROM: MMIA

DATE: 6 December 1944

SERIAL NO. AQ 60/US/7

AUTHORIZATION NOTICE

1. Reference ~~XXX~~ letter 205 Div. H. 2347/Rif. I. 7 dated 28 Nov. 44 to Ministry of War.

2. Authority is granted to issue the v.n. items from ~~XXXXXX~~ SOURCES

TO: 205 Division (US-1715) (Cat. 3)

Stationed at:

Employed by: U.S. Air Forces

STOCK NO.

STANDARD NOMENCLATURE

AMOUNT

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Sole Leather | 100 Kgs. |
| Leather for uppers | 100 Sq. Ft. |
| Tacks (Shoe Nails) | 25 Kgs. |
| Nails (Large Shoe Nails) | 50 Kgs. |
| String (Thread Hand Sewing) | 5 Kgs. |
| Shoemakers Glue | 1 Kg. |

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|----------------------------|-------------|
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| String (Thread and Sewing) | 5 Kgs. |
| Shoemakers Glue | 1 Kg. |

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1. Purpose of loan for use for emergency repair by 205 Div

2. In compliance with para 4 MMIA A/Im Inst, No. 1. Items will be withdrawn in exchange for items listed.

3. REMARKS

DISTRIBUTION

MMIA LO Naples 2/
MMIA ORD
FILE

ASPEC/REG (For Info. only)

1/25 Items MMIA ORD 2

For Major General
Military Mission Italian Army

A. C. Nov 1949

SUBJECT: German Half Soles and Rubber Heels.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/15/10
2 December 1944.

TO : Ministry of War.

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1. Reference your 3010/1/RI dated 5 November 1944.
2. The quantity of half soles and heels of German origin reported in the above reference letter should be employed for the repair of boots for the Italian Army. They may be used in our regular Boot Repair Program, or issued to troops for Unit repair as you see fit.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

GAS/ag

SUBJECT: Shoemaker's Thread.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCON (M. M. I. A.)
R G M E
AQ/15/10
2 December 1944.

TO : Ministry of War.

1. Attached hereto is Release Order No. A20/1909 dated 25 November 1944, releasing two items of Shoemaker's thread in the total amount of 890 Yds.
2. It will be noted that you are to apply to Ramp Control Office, Naples, 15 Via Cesare Battisti for particulars concerning delivery.
3. Please arrange for the collection of this material at the earliest date practicable, and advise this Headquarters when collection is made.

GEN. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
for Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: Sole Leather for Boot Repair.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R J M E
AQ/15/10
2 December 1944.

TO : Ministry of War.

1. Attached hereto is Release Order No. AGO 1821 dated 28 November 1944, which allots 23,000 Egs of Sole Leather to the Italian Army.
2. It will be noted that this allotment is released against our request for 38,000 Egs of Sole Leather, and also the request of the Air Force Sub-Commission for 5,000 Egs of Sole Leather. The allotment as requested is therefore, approximately 45 per cent of the combined requests. The pro-rata share which the Italian Air Corps is entitled is therefore 2250 Egs. In other words, 2250 Egs of the 23,000 allotted are for the Air Corps, and the balance for the Italian Army.
3. It will be noted further that this leather is to be selected from tanneries designated by Major Mirt, HQ Southern Region, Commerce Sub-Section, Naples, and the collection must be made on or before 31 December 1944.
4. Will you please arrange collection at the earliest date practicable, and advise this Headquarters when collection has been made.

GEO. A. SHIPLEY, Lt. Col.
For Major General
Land Forces Sub Commission.

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Copy to:

Air Force Sub Commission.

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See folio 471

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M. S. D. 557 300

D.O.E. AFHQ INFO: DDCS, AAI, DDCS I OF C, CWP (MY NAME) DADCS
ARMY SG, C.O.O. 557, BGD, (ACC) MAIN HQ, ASIA, C.O. 2 SUB DETCH

FOR INFORMATION ONLY

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ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

RETURNED.

Ord 1/2603/1(94) of J. Appendix A boats. Period ending 30th. Issued during period to MIA nil ready for issue 17680 pro. To civilians nil ready for issue to civilians nil.

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Info-Action - Commerce (2)
Info - Chief Commissioner
Land Forces (2)
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File (2)
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Chas. J. O'Connell

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Ord 1/2082/1(94) of 3. Appendix A boots. Period ending 30th.
Issued during period to 2212 nil ready for issue 17680 pms. To civ-
ilians nil ready for issue to civilians nil.

List

Info-action - Commerce (2)
Info - Chief Commissioner
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for Mr. [unclear]*

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From:- Air-Forces Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission, Bari.

To:- Officer Commanding,
No. 310 B.F.S.S. C.M.F.

Date:- 1st. December, 1944.

Ref:- AFSC/S.64/EG.

BOOTS FOR ITALIAN AIR FORCE PERSONNEL AT
IL FORTI PETROL INSTALLATION.

With reference to your letter 14/1 dated
5th. November, 1944, the supply of boots is a BR - ITI
commitment, and issue should be made by the Unit employing
the personnel.

R.W. Broomfield
R.W. BROOMFIELD, S/LDR.
AIR VICE-MARSHAL,
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING.

Copy to:-

M.M.I.A. Rome.

(Letter AQ/15/10 dated 30th. October, 1944 refers).

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