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10000|120|327 6/25 Salvage 1st Jacket

Opened Dec 22, 1944 - Closed Ap 20, 1945

Dec 1944 - Ap 1945

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM: MMIA

DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN
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TO (FOR ACTION): 200 SUB AREA

TO (FOR INFO): DISTOHR FOR MMIA LO

REF. NO. Q 208

(SECURITY CLASSIFICATION): RESTRICTED

FOR SALVAGE OFFICER (.) MMIA WILL ACCEPT FOR ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY THE 15 TONS ALUMINUM SCRAP AT PESCARA OFFERED IN YOUR SAL/MM1/4 OF 10 APR

Leo Folio 184

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PRECEDENCE: Immediate

AUTHENTICATION: [illegible]

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SALVAGE BRANCH, HQ 3 DISTRICT

RELEASE NOTE

Ref: 120/1/SAL/240

To : CC ITO 21 Salvage Depot, (Base Salvage Depot, Torre Annunziata).

The items listed below are authorised for issue to :-

DADOS, MMIA Naples

20 Apr 1945.

F.A.J. Carter, Lieut., for D.A.D. Salvage.

Serial	Description		Number	Weight	Remarks
1.	Lot No TA 143.	Self-sealing aero tanks (rubber or rubber composition)	450	1½ cwts each	Price : 10,000 lire per ton
2.	Lot No TA 146.	Boots, leather poor condition	1,800 prs		Price : 60 lire per pair
					To be cleared from the Depot by 11 May 45

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Distribution :

HQ MMIA Rome
LO MMIA HQ 3 District
ASO HQ 56 Area

"S & T" AMIA.
Feed 20 Apr
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

SALVAGE DIRECTORATE

AFHQ/60/Sal/12,

19 Apr 45.

Tel: FREEDOM 805.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS - SALVAGE RETURN

1. Herewith Allied Force Headquarters Consolidated Salvage Return for the five weeks ended 30 Mar 45, incorporating details of all Salvage Disposals throughout the Mediterranean Theatre. The Return consists of the following parts :-

			Tonnage
Part I :-	RE-ISSUES		
	(a)	To Services and Units	9,815
	(b)	Items manufactured and/or repaired at Salvage Depots	68
	(c)	To Military Mission to Italian Army	95
	(d)	To Allied Commission	788
	(e)	To French Military Authorities	104
Part II :-	SALES	(Sterling value realised - £24,708)	1,845
Part III:-	SHIPMENTS		
	(a)	To U.K.	996
	(b)	To South Africa	1,328
		TOTAL :	15,039

2. Total Re-Issues, Sales and Shipments in North Africa, Italy and Sicily, from the commencement of operations to 30 March 45, are shown in consolidated form on pages 16 - 20.

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H.F. MONTAGUE, Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

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Distribution :-

Q (AE)	(1)	A.D. Salvage,	
Q (Maint)	(1)	Rear H.Q. Eighth Army.	(12)
D.O.S.	(1)	D.A.Ds Salvage,	
D.S.T.	(1)	Rear H.Q. 5 (US) Army, Dr. Incr.	(4)
D.M.E.	(1)	H.Q. No. 1 District.	(15)
M.G.R.E.	(1)	H.Q. No. 2 District.	(5)
G-2 (Tech).	(1)	H.Q. No. 3 District.	(20)
C.L.A.E. Q(AE).	(1)	H.Q. B.T.N.A.	(6)
Financial Adviser.	(1)	H.Q. Land Forces Greece.	(4)
D.F.I.C.	(1)		
D.M. & S. (S) Branch, M.A.A.F. (Rear).	(3)		
H.Q. M.M.I.A.	(1)		
H.Q. A.C.	(1)		

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Salvage Return for five weeks ended 30 March 1945

PART I - RE-ISSUES

(a) To Services & Units

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements			
	Bottles, water	943		
	Equipment, web		2½ tons	
	Helmets, steel	671		
	Nets, helmets, steel	100		
	Pouches, web	197		
	Tins, mess	1,026		3
2	Ammunition			
	Ammunition, various		11½ tons	12
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc.			
	Ammunition Empties, various		2,333 tons	2,333
4	Ammunition Components			
	Caps, safety, fuze	500		
	Charges, 4.2 Mortar	1,000		
	Exploders	1,000		
	Fuses, various	1,552		
	Plugs, hole, fuse		19 tons	20
5	Anti-Gas Stores			
	Containers, respirator, A.G.	23		
	Ointment, A.G. tins	350		
	Respirators, A.G.	431		1
6	Artillery Equipment			
	Guns, 37 mm	4		
	" 75 mm	4		
	Parts, gun, various		10 cwts	3
8	Camp Equipment			
	Bivouacs	53		
	Kettles, camp	137		
	Matchets	21		
	Sheets, ground	775		
	" " u/s	400		
	Tents	2		2
9	Carts, Wagons & Appurtenances & Bicycles			
	Wheels, bicycle	2		

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2	Ammunition					
	Ammunition, various			11½	tons	12
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc.					
	Ammunition Empties, various			2,333	tons	2,333
4	Ammunition Components					
	Caps, safety, fuze		500			
	Charges, 4.2 Mortar		1,000			
	Exploders		1,000			
	Fuses, various		1,552			
	Plugs, hole, fuse			19	tons	20
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	Bivouacs		53			
	Kettles, camp		137			
	Matchets		21			
	Sheets, ground		775			
	" " u/s		400			
	Tents		2			2
9	Carts, Wagons & Appurtenances & Bicycles					
	Wheels, bicycle		2			
10	Clothing & Necessaries					
	Blouses, B.D.		1,288			
	" Denim		356			
	Boots, ankle	pairs	8,429			
	" " u/s		6,190			
	" D.R.	pairs	29			
	" rubber	pairs	381			
	" " u/s		90			
	Braces		50			
	Buckles, K.D.		100			
	Capes, A.G.		1,562			
	Caps, comforter		13			
	" forage		514			
	" G.S.		416			
	Coats, waterproof		2			
	Clothing, mixed			3½	tons	
	" woollen			10	cwts	
				c/f		2,374

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Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
10	Clothing & Necessaries (Cont'd)			b/f	2,374
	Drawers, cotton		10		
	" woollen		165		
	Gloves, leather	pairs	62		
	" woollen	pairs	235		
	Greatcoats		1,636		
	Helmets, crash		23		
	Hosetops		30		
	Jackets, D.R.		30		
	Jerkins, leather		10		
	Overalls		61		
	Pullovers		1,102		
	Shirts, K.D.		102		
	" woollen		111		
	Shoes, canvas	pairs	701		
	" " u/s		875		
	Shorts, K.D.		70		
	Towels, hand		3		
	Trousers, B.D.		1,613		
	" " u/s		550		
	" Denim		79		
	" D.R.		31		
	" K.D.		164		
	Vests, woollen		124		39
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores				
	Batteries, dry		238		
	" " u/s		56		
	" wet		231		
	Cable	drums	93		
	" u/s			2 tons	
	" electric	yards	333		
	" rubber	miles	8		
	" signal			1½ tons	
	Drums, cable		387		
	" " u/s			9½ cwts	
	Parts, electrical, misc.		30		
	" telephone			3 cwts	
	" wireless		29		
	Sets, charging		2		
	" " u/s		1		
	Transformers		3		
	Wire, signal			4½ cwts	24
12	Empty Containers				
	Cans, oil 1 gall.		116		
	" " 4 " u/s		120		

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	Shirts, K.D.			1,102		
	" woollen			102		
	Shoes, canvas		pairs	111		
	" " u/s			701		
	Shorts, K.D.			875		
	Towels, hand			70		
	Trousers, B.D.			3		
	" " u/s			1,513		
	" Denim			550		
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	" telephone				3 cwts	
	" wireless			29		
	Sets, charging			2		
	" " u/s			1		
	Transformers			3		
	Wire, signal				4½ cwts	24
12	Empty Containers					
	Cans, oil	1 gall.		116		
	" "	4 "	u/s	120		
	" petrol	2 "	u/s	3,000		
	" "	4 "		209		
	" "	4 "	N/R	5,484		
	" "	6 "		1,476		
	" water	2 "		493		
	Drums	4 "		200		
	"	36 "		56		
	"	40/44 "		3,302		
	"	40/44 "	u/s	3,484		
	Jerricans			651		
	" u/s			8,887		
	Pellicans	2 gall.	u/s	10,256		
	"	4 "		7,155		
	"	4 "	u/s	1,475		
	Tanks, water, camel			7		
	" "	100 gall.	u/s	1		
	Tins, biscuit, u/s				9½ cwts	335
					c/f	2,772

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	2,772
13	Empty Packages, (Other than Ammunition)			
	Cartons, cardboard		4½ tons	
	Cases, wood, packing	21		
	Panniers, airborne	6		5
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Bag, sleeping	1		
	Beds	16		
	Blankets	709		
	Boxes, Ice, large	12		
	" " small	4		
	Buckets, fire	9		
	Burners, Hydrd	30		
	" " u/s	15		
	Containers, food, insulated	107		
	Cookers	248		
	" u/s	29		
	Disinfecters	1		
	Ends, bed	52		
	Extinguishers, fire	8		
	Hoses, fire	10		
	Instruments, surgical, misc.		½ ton	
	Knives	150		
	Lamps, hurricane	64		
	" pressure	1		
	Machines, mincing	2		
	Masher, potato	1		
	Nets, mosquito	44		
	Outfits, sterilising tins	80		
	Ovens, u/s	57		
	Stoves, heating	47		
	Stretchers	5		
	Tins, baking	9		
	Trays, cooking	19		10
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus			
	Block & Tackle	1		
	Chain, assorted lengths		4½ cwts	
	Hooks	7		
	Pulleys	7		
	Rollers, lifting	8		
	Rope, wire, steel		8 cwts	
	Slings, S.W.R.		11 cwts	1
18	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components			
	Barrels, rifle	5		
	Bayonets	159		

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	Burners, Hydra		30			
	" " u/s		15			
	Containers, food, insulated		107			
	Cookers		248			
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	Disinfectors		1			
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	Nets, mosquito		44			
	Outfits, sterilising	tins	80			
	Ovens, u/s		87			
	Stoves, heating		47			
	Stretchers		6			
	Tins, baking		9			
	Trays, cooking		19		10	
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus					
	Block & Tackle		1			
	Chain, assorted lengths			4¾ cwts		
	Hooks		7			
	Pulleys		7			
	Rollers, lifting		8			
	Rope, wire, steel			8 cwts		
	Slings, S.W.R.			11 cwts	1	
18	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components					
	Barrels, rifle		5			
	Bayonets		159			
	Guns, Bren		1			
	" machine		2			
	" T.S.M.		3			
	Magazines. Boyes		12			
	" Bren		130			
	" T.S.M.G.		104			
	Mountings, gun, machine		38			
	" mortar		2			
	Parts, gun, machine			6 cwts		
	Rifles		25			
	Throwers, Grenade		1		1	
19	Mining Stores & Mining Timber					
	Cylinders, gas		2		-	
				c/f	2,789	

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				2,769
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Absorbers, Shock	762		
	Accumulators	279		
	Annuters	77		
	Arms, drop	122		
	Assemblies, axle	4,611		
	" bogie	12		
	" brake	150		
	" clutch, M/C	4		
	" " M.T.	383		
	" engine, M/C	1,311		
	" " M.T.	2,222		
	" gearbox, M/C	886		
	" " M.T.	1,874		
	" steering	726		
	" suspension, A.F.V.	16		
	" towing	23		
	" transfer	327		
	" transmission	433		
	" wheel, M/C	635		
	" " M.T. complete with tyres & tubes	7,792		
	Axles, stub	9		
	Ballrades	14		
	Bars, bumper	77		
	" draw	113		
	" handle, M/C	39		
	" towing	10		
	Bearings	120		
	Belts, fan	81		
	Blocks, cylinder	20		
	Boards, tail	41		
	" running	6		
	Bodies, M.T.	146		
	Bolts, M.T.	106		
	" "U"	234		
	Bonnets	38		
	Boxes, fuze	60		
	" junction	26		
	" tool	98		
	" steering	49		
	Brackets, misc.	193		
	Brakes, hand	54		
	" Servo	10		
	Brushes, dynamo	17		
	Bushes, various	16		
	Buttons, starter & horn	33		
	Cables, control, various	896		

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"	suspension, A.F.V.	16		
"	towing	23		
"	transfer	327		
"	transmission	233		
"	wheel, M/C	635		
"	M.T. complete with tyres & tubes	7,792		
Axles, stub		9		
Ballraces		14		
Bars, bumper		77		
"	draw	113		
"	handle, M/C	59		
"	towing	10		
Bearings		120		
Belts, fan		81		
Blocks, cylinder		20		
Boards, tail		41		
"	running	6		
Bodies, M.T.		145		
Bolts, M.T.		106		
"	"U"	234		
Bonnets		38		
Boxes, fuse		60		
"	junction	26		
"	tool	98		
"	steering	49		
Brackets, misc.		193		
Brakes, hand		54		
"	Servo	10		
Brushes, dynamo		17		
Bushes, various		16		
Buttons, starter & horn		33		
Cables, control, various		696		
"	speedometer	79		
"	'Stuart' A.F.V. case	1		
Cabs, M.T.		41		
Canopies		27		
Caps, tank, petrol		67		
Carburettors		393		
Carriers, battery, M/C		27		
"	M/C	15		
"	spare wheel	12		
Cases, crank		15		
"	chain, M/C	28		
Chains, M/C		751		
"	board tail	40		
"	skid	997		
Chassis, M.T.		107		
Cleaners, air		68		
Clips, various		85		
			c/f	2,769

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	2,769
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)			
	Coils, ignition	113		
	" various	140		
	Columns, steering	107		
	Condensers	78		
	Controls, voltage	91		
	Covers, radiator	62		
	Crankshafts	16		
	Cushions, seat	52		
	Cut-outs, M.T.	142		
	Cylinders, brake	294		
	Connectors, end, Sherman Tank Track	5,700		
	Differentials	47		
	Discs, wheel	95		
	Distributors	71		
	Doors, M.T.	502		
	Drums, Brake	269		
	Dynamos	226		
	Exhausts, M.T.	55		
	Eyes, towing	30		
	Extinguishers, fire, M.T.	43		
	Fans, M.T.	47		
	Filters, air	207		
	Filters, fuel	152		
	Forks, M/C	96		
	Frames, chassis	5		
	" M/C	45		
	" seat	46		
	" window	23		
	Gaskets	20		
	Gauges, various	312		
	Generators	91		
	Glass, windscreen	61 pieces		
	Goggles, M.T.	20 pairs		
	Grills, radiator	41		
	Halfshafts	128		
	Handles, starting	20		
	Heads, cylinder	101		
	Hooks, tow	267		
	Horns, electric	603		
	Hoses, radiator	19		
	Housings, clutch	15		
	Hubs, wheel	86		
	Jacks	44		
	Joints, universal	125		
	Lamps, M.T.	367		
	Leads, battary & plug	57		
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Differentials		47			
Discs, wheel		95			
Distributors		71			
Doors, M.T.		502			
Drums, Brake		269			
Dynamos		226			
Exhausts, M.T.		35			
Eyes, towing		30			
Extinguishers, fire, M.T.		23			
Fans, M.T.		47			
Filters, air		207			
Filters, fuel		182			
Forks, M/C		96			
Frames, chassis		5			
" M/C		45			
" seat		46			
" window		23			
Gaskets		20			
Gauges, various		312			
Generators		91			
Glass, windscreen	pieces	81			
Goggles, M.T.	pairs	20			
Grills, radiator		41			
Halfshafts		128			
Handles, starting		20			
Heads, cylinder		101			
Hooks, tow		267			
Horns, electric		503			
Hoses, radiator		19			
Housings, clutch		15			
Hubs, wheel		86			
Jacks		44			
Joints, universal		135			
Lamps, M.T.		367			
Leads, battery & plug		57			
Leaves, spring			1¾ tons		
Levers		110			
Linings, brake		39			
Links, drag		75			
Locks, door		22			
Magdynos		209			
Magnetos		12			
Manifolds		36			
Motors, wiper, windscreen		265			
Mountings, engine		23			
Mudguards		96			
Mufflers		22			
Nipples, grease		40			
Nuts & Bolts, M.T.			4½ tons		
Panels, instrument		264			
Parts, A.F.V.			3 tons		
" brake		29			
Pedals		101			
			c/f	2,709	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight
			b/f	TONS 2,769
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)			
	Periscopes, A.F.V.	15		
	Pins, shackle	58		
	Pipes, brake	28		
	" exhaust	369		
	" fuel	202		
	Pistons	56		
	Plates, clutch	156		
	Plugs, sparking	61		
	Pulleys, fan	32		
	Pumps, air	50		
	" fuel	105		
	" water	58		
	Radiators	632		
	Reflectors, lamp	30		
	Regulators, voltage	71		
	Rests, foot, M/C	51		
	Rims, wheel, M.T.	176		
	Rings, piston	43		
	Rods, connecting	70		
	" track	49		
	Rollers, track support, A.F.V.	5		
	Ropes, tow	76		
	Saddles, M/C	52		
	Scrap M.T.		6½ tons	
	Screens, side	8		
	Seats	263		
	Shackles, spring	43		
	" towing	10		
	Shafts, propellor	650		
	" transmission	53		
	Shoes, brake	52		
	Sides, lorry	22		
	Silencers, M.T.	118		
	Solenoids	20		
	Speedometers	216		
	Spares, 'Stuart' A.F.V. cases	9		
	Springs, M/C	37		
	" M.T.	6,200		
	" various	2,010		
	Sprockets, driving	16		
	Stands, M/C	24		
	Starter, kick, M/C	15		
	Starter motors	131		
	Superstructure, canopy		24 tons	
	Switches, various	269		
	Tanks, fuel	417		

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" water		58		
Radiators		632		
Reflectors, lamp		30		
Regulators, voltage		71		
Rests, foot, M/C		51		
Rims, wheel, M.T.		176		
Rings, piston		43		
Rods, connecting		70		
" track		49		
Rollers, track support, A.F.V.		5		
Ropes, tow		76		
Saddles, M/C		52		
Scrap M.T.			64 tons	
Screens, side		8		
Seats		263		
Shackles, spring		43		
" towing		10		
Shafts, propellor		850		
" transmission		53		
Shoes, brake		52		
Sides, lorry		22		
Silencers, M.T.		118		
Solenoids		20		
Speedometers		216		
Spares, 'Stuart' A.F.V.	cases	9		
Springs, M/C		37		
" M.T.		6,200		
" various		2,010		
Sprockets, driving		16		
Stands, M/C		24		
Starter, kick, M/C		15		
Starter motors		131		
Superstructure, canopy			24 tons	
Switches, various		259		
Tanks, fuel		417		
" water, M.T.		32		
Taps, drain, radiator		13		
" petrol		41		
Tracks, A.F.V.			139 tons	
" semi			10 cwts	
Tubes, inner, M/C		20		
" " M.T.		9,200		
Tyres, M/C		11		
" M.T.		5,058		
" " u/s		436		
Units, Servo		134		
Valves, M.T.		93		
Wheels, bogie, A.F.V.		159		
" crown		3		
" fly		15		
" idler, A.F.V.		4		
" steering		42		
			c/f	2,789

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	2,789
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)			
	Winches	118		
	Windows	11		
	Windscreens	314		
	Wings	144		
	Wipers, windscreen	73		
	Parts, M.T. miscellaneous		50 tons	
	Vehicles			
	Ambulances, less engine & gearbox	2		
	Jeep	1		
	Tanks, 'Sherman'	2		
	Trailers	44		3,028
22	Office Equipment			
	Cases, map	6		-
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol Etc.			
	Borax		2¼ cwts	
	Chlorida of Lime		5 cwts	
	Mixture, Anti-Freeze 76-lb cans	7		
	Oil, Diesel, contaminated gells.	160		
	" linseed gells.	44		
	" waste gells.	11,483		
	Paint, camouflage, u/s gells.	390		
	Petroleum, contaminated gells.	6,330		92
25	R.E. Stores			
	Bars, iron	24		
	Bogies	17		
	" with skips	5		
	Clamps, hose	16		
	Fittings, pipe		10 cwts	
	Gates, iron	3		
	Girders, steel	6		
	Hose, armoured		3 cwts	
	" rubber feet	122		
	Iron, angle		5 tons	
	" bar feet	112		
	" corrugated, sheets		16 cwts	1903
	" round feet	115		
	" sheet		1 ton	
	Netting, wire rolls	15		
	Pickets, iron	1,500		
	Piping		1 ton	
	" copper feet	193		

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	Ambulances, less engine & gearbox		2			
	Jeep		1			
	Tanks, 'Sherman'		2			
	Trailers		44			3,028
22	Office Equipment					
	Cases, map		6			-
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol Etc.					
	Borax			2½	cwts	
	Chloride of Lime			5	cwts	
	Mixture, Anti-Freeze	76-lb cans	7			
	Oil, Diesel, contaminated	galls.	160			
	" linseed	galls.	44			
	" waste	galls.	11,483			
	Paint, camouflage, u/s	galls.	390			
	Petroleum, contaminated	galls.	6,330			92
25	R.E. Stores					
	Bars, iron		24			
	Bogies		17			
	" with skips		5			
	Clamps, hose		16			
	Fittings, pipe			10	cwts	
	Gates, iron		3			
	Girders, steel		6			
	Hose, armoured			3	cwts	
	" rubber	feet	122			
	Iron, angle			5	tons	
	" bar	feet	112			
	" corrugated, sheets			18	cwts	
	" round	feet	115			
	" sheet			1	ton	
	Netting, wire	rolls	15			
	Pickets, iron		1,600			
	Piping			1	ton	
	" copper	feet	193			
	" iron			1½	tons	
	" steel			5	cwts	
	Poles, wooden			5	cwts	
	Pump, water, u/s		1			
	Rollers, table		10			
	Spanners, ratchet, Bailey Bridge		10			
	Steel sheet			3	cwts	
	Stores, R.E. misc.			1¼	tons	
	Strainers, wire		100			
	Switches, Decauville Track		2			
	Timber			2½	tons	
	Track, Decauville with sleepers, yards		425			
	Tubing, brass	feet	100			
	Wire, barbed	reels	118			
	" mesh	rolls	6			
	" steel			8	cwts	36
				c/f		5,945

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight Tons
			b/f	5,945
26	Scrap Metal			
	Ferrous			
	Cast Iron		529 tons	
	Ferrous, misc.		31½ tons	
	Plating, Armour		2 tons	
	Steel, heavy		3,009 tons	
	" light		14¾ tons	
	Non-Ferrous			
	Aluminium Alloy		10 tons	
	" filings		1 ton	
	Brass		5 cwts	
	Bronze, mixed		19½ tons	
	Copper		3¼ tons	
	Durolumin sq ft	60		
	Phosphor Bronze		2½ tons	
	Zinc		10 cwts	3,624
27	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Canvas		31½ tons	
	Hessian, cuttings		2 cwts	
	Leather		3½ cwts	
	Matting, Coconut		3½ cwts	
	Nets, camouflage, u/s rolls	2		
	Rags, cleaning		2 tons	
	Rubber		50½ tons	
	Sacking		15 cwts	
	Sandbags	500		
	Tarpaulins		19 cwts	
	Wood		¾ ton	67
30	Tools			
	Axes	13		
	Blades, hacksaw, u/s		¼ cwt	
	Compressors, air	2		
	Croppers	3		
	Drills, various	14		
	Engine, petrol, u/s	1		
	Files	4		
	" u/s		¾ cwt	
	Forge, 'Blacksmith'	1		
	Grinder, electric	1		
	Hammers, 'Blacksmith'	12		
	Heads, pick	10		
	Motors, charging, u/s	2		
	Parts, printing machine		1 cwt	
	Picks	20		
	Shovels	146		
	" u/s	27		

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	Duralumin	sq ft	60			
	Phosphor Bronze			2½	tons	
	Zinc			10	cwts	3,624
27	Scrap Miscellaneous					
	Canvas			31½	tons	
	Hessian, cuttings			5	cwts	
	Leather			3½	cwts	
	Matting, Coconut			3½	cwts	
	Nets, camouflage, u/s	rolls	2			
	Rags, cleaning			2	tons	
	Rubber			50½	tons	
	Sacking			15	cwts	
	Sandbags		500			
	Tarpaulins			19	cwts	
	Wood			¾	ton	87
30	Tools					
	Axes		13			
	Blades, hacksaw, u/s			¾	cwt	
	Compressors, air		2			
	Croppers		3			
	Drills, various		14			
	Engine, petrol, u/s		1			
	Files		4			
	" u/s			¾	cwt	
	Forge, 'Blacksmith'		1			
	Grinder, electric		1			
	Hammers, 'Blacksmith'		12			
	Heads, pick		10			
	Motors, charging, u/s		2			
	Parts, printing machine			1	cwt	
	Picks		20			
	Shovels		146			
	" u/s		27			
	Spanners		47			
	Vices u/s		4			3
31	Waterproof Covers & Tarpaulins					
	Tarpaulins			11	cwts	1
33	R.A.F. Stores					
	Aircraft Scrap			15¾	tons	
	Cord, parachute			10	lbs	
	Tanks, Aero		20			
	Tyres, Aero		458			37
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.					
	Rope			1½	cwts	-
					c/f	9,697

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			o/f	9,697
36	Drums, Oil (5 & 10 Gall. only)			
	5 gall.	7,056		
	5 " u/s	20,704		
	10 "	126		70
37	Paper			
	Cardboard, scrap		8¼ tons	
	Rags, u/s		1 cwt	
	Mixed Waste		3 tons	11
38	Sacking & Sacks			
	Hessian		16½ tons	
	Sacking		3 tons	21
39	Sandbags			
	Sandbags	12,040		2
42	Allied Stores			
	Bags, Postal	40		
	Machine, sewing	1		
	Tanks, canvas, water, 1500 gall.	2		
43	Captured Stores			
	Ammunition Empties, Packages Etc.			
	Boxes, ammunition	400		
	Cases, Cartridge, brass, misc.	40		
	Artillery Equipment			
	Guns, A/Tk	1		
	" Field	2		
	Trailer, gun	1		
	Empty Containers			
	Drums, 200 litre	76		
	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Tins, baking	100		
	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components			
	Guns, machine	9		
	Pistols & Revolvers	2		
	Rifles	7		
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Chassis & body	1		

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39	Sandbags					
	Sandbags		12,040			2
42	Allied Stores					
	Bags, Postal		40			
	Machine, sewing		1			
	Tanks, canvas, water, 1500 gall.		2			-
43	Captured Stores					
	Ammunition Empties, Packages Etc.					
	Boxes, ammunition		400			
	Cases, Cartridge, brass, misc.		40			
	Artillery Equipment					
	Guns, A/Tk		1			
	" Field		2			
	Trailer, gun		1			
	Empty Containers					
	Drums, 200 litre		76			
	Hospital & Barrack Stores					
	Tins, baking		100			
	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components					
	Guns, machine		9			
	Pistols & Revolvers		2			
	Rifles		7			
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores					
	Chassis & Body		1			
	Motor Cycle		1			
	Trailer		1			
	Trailer Water Tank		1			
	Oils, Paints, Petrol Etc.					
	Acid	carboys	4			
	Rangefinding & Optical Stores					
	Sights, telescopic	boxes	3			
	R.E. Stores					
	Baulks, timber		44			
	Aero Stores					
	Stands, Aero engine			18 cwts		14
					TOTAL :	9,815 Tons

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(b) Items Manufactured and/or Repaired at Salvage Depots

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (Approx)	Total Weight TONS
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores			
	Batteries, dry, lamp, electric, made	4,090		1
13	Empty Packages (Other than Ammunition)			
	Cases, wood, engine (with fittings) made	498		
	" W.P., repaired	644		
	Crates, Capes, A.C., made	1,238		
	" engine, made	95		
	Tins, dressing, pre-sterilised, made	1,591		24
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Bins, swill, made	35		
	Boards, Dart, made	2		
	Bowls, wash, made	111		
	Boxes, travelling, made	2		
	" window, made	2		
	Bunks, double, made	48		
	Candlesticks, made	12		
	Chair, arm, made	1		
	Cupboard, made	1		
	Darts, made	12		
	Dippers, made	54		
	Dishes, brass, made	20		
	Forks, serving, made	34		
	Graters, made	40		
	Heater, water, made	1		
	Hooks, coat, made	36		
	Ladles, made	217		
	Lamps, made	202		
	Measures, various, made	79		
	Ovens, made	199		
	Pails, Fire, made	370		
	Peelers, potato	350		
	Plates, Hot, made	47		
	Rocks, wood, (for Coat Hooks), made	1		
	Scoops, made	5		
	Slices, egg, made	174		

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	Cases, wood, engine (with fittings), made	498		
	" W.P., repaired	644		
	Crates, Capes, A.C., made	1,238		
	" engine, made	95		
	Tins, dressing, pre-sterilized, made	1,551		
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Bins, swill, made	55		
	Boards, Dart, made	2		
	Bowls, wash, made	111		
	Boxes, travelling, made	2		
	" window, made	2		
	Bunks, double, made	48		
	Candlesticks, made	12		
	Chair, arm, made	1		
	Cupboard, made	1		
	Darts, made	12		
	Dippers, made	54		
	Discs, brass, made	20		
	Forks, serving, made	34		
	Graters, made	40		
	Heater, water, made	1		
	Hooks, coat, made	36		
	Ladles, made	217		
	Lamps, made	202		
	Measures, various, made	79		
	Ovens, made	199		
	Pails, Fire, made	370		
	Peelers, potato	350		
	Plates, Hot, made	47		
	Racks, wood, (for Coat Hooks), made	1		
	Scoops, made	5		
	Slices, egg, made	174		
	" fish, made	329		
	Spoons, serving, made	232		
	Tables, coffee, made	7		
	Tins, baking, made	5		
	Whisks, egg, made	151		8
15	Harness, Saddlery, Packs, Hillery and Stable Machines			
	Troughs, feeding, made	320		5
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Funnels, petrol, made	475		
	Vehicles			
	Trailer, 3" 20-cwt. equipment, converted	1		
	Wrecker, with 5-ton Jib & winch, made	1		9
			c/f	47

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	47
22	**Office Equipment**			
	Boards, 'DATA', made	2		
	" Index, wood, made	10		
	" Sign, made	11		
	Boxes, Card Index, made	202		
	Cabinet, filing, made	1		
	Holders, label, made	3,000		
	Indices, Card Index, made sets	125		
	Stencils, Alphabet, tin, made set	1		
	" Engine case, made	1		
	Table, Conference, made	1		
	Trays, filing and paper, made	47		-
23	**Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.**			
	Wax, recovered		1 cwt	-
24	**Rangefinding & Optical Stores**			
	Talc, recovered pieces	2,808		-
25	**R.E. Stores**			
	Elbows, piping, stove, made	145		
	Hasp and Staple	1		
	Hinges, butt, made	28		
	Nuts and Bolts, engine case, made	5,268		
	Piping, stove, made feet	1,128		
	Plates, engine case, made	1,684		
	Stoves, made	226		6
26	**Scrap Metal**			
	Non-Ferrous			
	Lead, pure, recovered		1¾ tons	
	" battery, recovered		2¼ tons	
	Solder, recovered		4½ cwts	4
27	**Scrap Miscellaneous**			
	Fabric recovered ex Capes, A.G.		2⅜ tons	
	Sawdust, recovered		5½ cwts	
	Shavings, wood sacks	80		
	Wood, kindling		6¼ tons	10
30	**Tools**			
	Chisels, cold, made	129		
	" small, made	50		
	Handles, screwdriver, made	15		
	Irons, branding, type, made	5		

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	Table, Conference, made		1		
	Trays, filing and paper, made		47		-
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.				
	Wax, recovered			1 cwt	-
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores				
	Talc, recovered	pieces	2,808		-
25	R.E. Stores				
	Elbows, piping, stove, made		145		
	Hasp and Staple		1		
	Hinges, butt, made		28		
	Nuts and Bolts, engine case, made		5,268		
	Piping, stove, made	feet	1,128		
	Plates, engine case, made		1,884		
	Stoves, made		226		6
26	Scrap Metal				
	Non-Ferrous				
	Lead, pure, recovered			1¾ tons	
	" battery, recovered			2¼ tons	
	Solder, recovered			4½ cwts	4
27	Scrap Miscellaneous				
	Fabric recovered ex Capes, A.G.			2⅜ tons	
	Sawdust, recovered			5½ cwts	
	Shavings, wood	sacks	80		
	Wood, kindling			6¼ tons	10
30	Tools				
	Chisels, cold, made		129		
	" small, made		50		
	Handles, screwdriver, made		15		
	Irons, branding, tyre, made		5		
	Punches, large, made		15		
	Screwdrivers, made		271		
	Shovels, repaired		24		-
34	Bottles & Glass				
	Glasses, drinking, made		124		-
38	Sacking & Sacks				
	Haversacks, made		1,150		
	Sacks, made		200		1
				TOTAL :	68 Tons

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PART I - RE-ISSUES

(c) To Military Mission to Italian Army

Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements				
	Anklets, web, u/s	pairs	4,000		1
10	Clothing & Necessaries				
	Boots, ankle, u/s		20,000		
	Braces, u/s		7,000		19
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Seats, M.T.		250		
	Tyres		18		
	Wheels, M/C		159		4
33	R.A.F. Stores				
	Aircraft Scrap			5 tons	5
43	Captured Stores				
	Artillery Equipment				
	Guns, 120 mm, incomplete		8		
	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components				
	Parts, Breda	boxes	556		
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Autobus, 'SPA', incomplete		1		
	Car, 'Bianchi'		1		
	" 4-str., 'SPA', incomplete		1		
	Lorry, 'Bianchi', 4-ton		1		
	" 'Bianchi Miles'		2		
	" 'SPA' 38		1		
	Trailer, 5-ton		1		
	" less tyres		1		
	" Petrol Tank, 13000 litre		1		
	Troop-Carrier, 'Fiat'		1		
	Wheels, Gun & Tank		98		
	" Gun Tractor, solid tyres		12		56

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	Boots, Ankle, u/s				
	Braces, u/s	7,000		19	
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Seats, M.T.	250			
	Tyres	18			
	Wheels, M/C	159		4	
33	R.A.F. Stores				
	Aircraft Scrap		5 tons	5	
43	Captured Stores				
	Artillery Equipment				
	Guns, 120 mm, incomplete	8			
	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components				
	Parts, Breda boxes	556			
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Autobus, 'SPA', incomplete	1			
	Car, 'Bianchi'	1			
	" 4-str., 'SPA', incomplete	1			
	Lorry, 'Bianchi', 4-ton	1			
	" 'Bianchi Miles'	2			
	" 'SPA' 38	1			
	Trailer, 5-ton	1			
	" less tyres	1			
	" Petrol Tank, 13000 litre	1			
	Troop-Carrier, 'Fiat'	1			
	Wheels, Gun & Tank	98			
	" Gun Tractor, solid tyres	12		66	
			TOTAL :	95 Tons	

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PART I - RE-ISSUES

(d) To Allied Commission

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements			
	Bottles, water	10,000		5
12	Empty Containers			
	Drums, 44 gall. u/s	13,141		438
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Accumulator	1		
	Assemblies Engine, M.T. u/s	11		
	" transmission	1		
	Cups, brake	20		
	Plates, clutch	12		
	Races, bearing	7		
	Radiators	4		
	Shoes, brake	34		
	Springs, M.T.		1¼ tons	
	Tyres	118		
	Wheels, M.T.	4		5
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol Etc.			
	Petrol & Kerosene, contaminated, mixed galls.	4,400		18
26	Scrap Metal			
	Non-Ferrous			
	Brass		50 tons	
	Copper		1 ton	51
27	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Canvas		76 tons	
	Rubber		10 tons	
	Leather		½ ton	87
37	Paper			
	Cardboard		30 tons	
	Mixed Waste		42 tons	1959
	Paper & Cardboard			

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12	Empty Containers				
	Drums, 44 gll. u/s	13,141			438
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Accumulator	1			
	Assemblies Engine, M.T. u/s	11			
	" transmission	1			
	Cups, brake	20			
	Plates, clutch	12			
	Races, bearing	7			
	Radiators	4			
	Shoes, brake	34			
	Springs, M.T.		1¼	tons	
	Tyres	116			
	Wheels, M.T.	4			5
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol Etc.				
	Petrol & Kerosene, contaminated, mixed galls.	4,400			18
26	Scrap Metal				
	Non-Ferrous				
	Brass		50	tons	
	Copper		1	ton	51
27	Scrap Miscellaneous				
	Canvas		76	tons	
	Rubber		10	tons	
	Leather		½	ton	87
37	Paper				
	Cardboard		30	tons	
	Mixed waste		42½	tons	
	Paper & Cardboard		80	tons	153
38	Sacking & Sacks				
	Hessian		25	tons	25
43	Captured Stores				
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Lorry, 'Citroen', 1-ton	1			
	" 'Mercedes', 6-ton	1			6
				TOTAL :	768 Tons

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PART I - RE-ISSUES

(a) To French Military Authorities under Mutual Aid

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Container, food, insulated	1		-
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus			
	Rope, Wire, steel		8 tons	8
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Accumulators	3,000		
	Assemblies, engine, M.T.	10		
	Bodies, lorry, steel, 3-ton	36		
	Tracks, tank, heavy	6		85
26	Scrap Metal			
	Ferrous			
	Cast Iron	11		11
			TOTAL :	104 Tons

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PART II - SALES

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight Tons	QUANTITY Weight cwts	Value £	Total Weight TONS	Total Value £
1	Accoutrements						
	Equipment, web, u/s		16	6	414	16	414
7	Bridging Stores						
	Planking, bridge, u/s			3	1	-	1
8	Camp Equipment						
	Sheets, ground, u/s			14	37	1	37
10	Clothing & Necessaries						
	Boots, ankle, u/s pairs	4,528	8	5	906		
	Braces, u/s			7	10		
	Caps, F.S. u/s			5	4		
	Clothing, rubberised, u/s		9	6	579		
	Jerkins, leather, u/s			½	1		
	Kitbags, canvas, u/s		2	5	82		
	Shoes, canvas, u/s		7	6	297		
	Slippers, hospital, u/s, pairs	310		2	5	28	1,684
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores						
	Cable, electric & signal		200	-	1,750	200	1,750
12	Empty Containers						
	Pellicans, 2 gall.	328,000	656	-	650	656	650
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores						
	Bowls, hand	650	2	10	45		
	Containers, tea, insulated, 1 gall.	940	1	-	47	4	92
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores						
	Bodies, lorry, 3-ton	410	307	10	3,075		
	" " 15-cwt	162	32	8	162		
	Cars & Car bodies, u/s	75	31	-	1,710		
	Trailers, u/s	2	2	-	30	373	4,977
25	Scrap Metal						
	Ferrous						
	Iron, light		18	-	54		

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10	Clothing & Necessaries							
	Boots, ankle, u/s pairs	4,528	6	5	906			
	Braces, u/s			7	19			
	Caps, F.S. u/s			5	4			
	Clothing, rubberised, u/s		9	6	379			
	Jerkins, leather, u/s			4	1			
	Kitbags, canvas, u/s		2	5	82			
	Shoes, canvas, u/s		7	6	297			
	Slippers, hospital, u/s, pairs	310		2	5	29		1,684
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores							
	Cable, electric & signal		200	-	1,750	200		1,750
12	Empty Containers							
	Pellicans, 2 gall.	328,000	656	-	650	656		650
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores							
	Bowls, hand	650	2	10	45			
	Containers, tea, insulated, 1 gall.	940	1	-	47	4		92
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores							
	Bodies, lorry, 3-ton	410	307	10	3,075			
	" " 15-cwt	162	52	8	162			
	Cars & Car bodies, u/s	75	31	-	1,710			
	Trailers, u/s	2	2	-	30	373		4,977
25	Scrap Metal							
	Ferrous							
	Iron, light		18	-	56			
	Non-Ferrous							
	Lead, battery		4	5	54	22		110
27	Scrap Miscellaneous							
	Canvas		238	4	10,300			
	Felt			1	1			
	Leather		3	-	183			
	Netting, camouflage &							
	Textile sweepings		50	-	250			
	Sheep skins	1,004	6	-	452	297		11,186
31	Waterproof Covers & Tarpaulins							
	Tarpaulins, u/s		3	3	159	3		159
33	R.A.F. Stores							
	Aircraft Scrap		1	-	20	1		20
					c/f	1,601		21,080

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight Tons	cwts	Value £	Total Weight TONS	Total Value £
					b/f	1,601	21,060
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.						
	Rope		2	-	50	2	50
37	Paper						
	Maps, u/s		75	-	1,125		
	Newsprint, cuttings		160	6	2,064		
	Paper, waste		3	2	39	238	3,228
43	Captured Stores						
	Camp Equipment						
	Kitchens, field	4	2	-	50		
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores						
	Car, 'Citroen', u/s	1		15	100		
	Tractor, u/s	1	1	5	200	4	350
					TOTAL:	1,845 Tons	£24,708

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Salvage Return for five weeks ended 30 March 1945

PART III - SHIPMENTS

(a) Shipments to U.K.

Section	Description	Number Ctge. Cases	Boxes Ammn.	Weight Tons	cwts	Total Weight TONS
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc. 25-Pdr. fired Cartridge Cases (in C.206 boxes)	213,200	26,650	570	-	570
4	Ammunition Components No. 3 Plugs, shell, (in P.59 boxes)	464,200	8,440	421	-	
	No. 13 Plugs, shell, (in P.59 boxes)	6,500	100	5	-	426
				TOTAL:		996 Tons

(b) Shipments to South Africa

Section	Description	Number Ctge. Cases	Boxes Ammn.	Weight Tons	cwts	Total Weight TONS
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc. 25-Pdr. Fired Cartridge Cases (in C.206 boxes)	500,000	62,500	1,328	-	1,328
				TOTAL:		1,328 Tons

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	Cases (in C.206 boxes)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	
4	Ammunition Components No. 5 Plugs, shell, (in P.59 boxes)	464,200	8,440	421	-		
	No. 13 Plugs, shell, (in P.59 boxes)	6,500	100	5	-	426	
					TOTAL:	996 Tons	

(b) Shipments to South Africa

Section	Description	Number Ctns. Cases	Boxes Ann.	Weight Tons	Weight cwts	Total Weight TONS	
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc. 25-Pdr. fired Cartridge Cases (in C.206 boxes)	500,000	62,500	1,328	-	1,328	
					TOTAL:	1,328 Tons	

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Consolidated Salvage Return C.M.F. for the period November 1942 to 30 March 1945

PART I - RE - ISSUES

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements	701
2	Ammunition	1,369
3	Amn. Empties, Packages, Etc.	58,674
4	Amn. Components	1,258
5	Anti-Gas Stores	185
6	Artillery Equipment	132
7	Bridging Stores	5
8	Camp Equipment	439
9	Carts, Wagons & Appurtenances & Bicycles	1
10	Clothing & Necessaries	4,228
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores	979
12	Empty Containers	13,064
13	Empty Packages (other than Amn.)	692
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores	830
15	Harness, Saddlery, Packsaddlery & Stable Machines	25
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus	286
18	Machine Guns & Small Arms, Parts & Components	254
19	Mining Stores & Mining Timber	73
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores	17,407
22	Office Equipment	4
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.	1,392
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores	8
25	R.E. Stores	4,466
26	Scrap Metal	13,717
27	Scrap Miscellaneous	2,993
28	Supplies	229
29	Surveying & Drawing Instruments	6
30	Tools	98
31	Waterproof Covers & Tarpaulins	13
33	R.A.F. Stores	82
34	Bottles & Glass	86
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.	16
36	Drums, Oil (5 & 10 Gall. only)	2,891
37	Paper	332
38	Socking & Socks	124
39	Sandbags	74
42	Allied Stores	175
43	Captured Stores	6,693
	TOTAL	144,193

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8	Camp Equipment	499
9	Carts, Wagons & Appurtenances & Bicycles	1
10	Clothing & Necessaries	4,228
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores	979
12	Empty Containers	15,064
13	Empty Packages (other than Ammn.)	682
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(Re-issues of less than 1 ton NOT shown.)

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PART II - SALES

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS	Value £
1	Accoutrements	16	414
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc.	51	281
7	Bridging Stores	-	1
8	Camp Equipment	31	364
9	Carts, Wagons & Appurtenances & Bicycles	4	36
10	Clothing & Necessaries	453	45,568
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores	212	2,285
12	Empty Containers	4,650	48,673
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores	154	1,489
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus	1	41
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores	1,855	17,037
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.	-	5
25	R.E. Stores	420	3,729
26	Scrap Metal	6,781	18,436
27	Scrap Miscellaneous	799	16,548
30	Tools	-	4
31	Waterproof Covers & Tarpaulins	3	159
33	R.A.F. Stores	1	20
34	Bottles & Glass	43	1,004
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.	7	135
36	Drums, Oil (5 & 10 Gall. only)	549	12,595
37	Paper	2,473	22,166
41	Tins, food	-	77
42	Allied Stores	19	596
43	Captured Stores	469	21,185
	TOTAL :	19,011 Tons	£ 215,848

PART III - SHIPMENTS

(a) Shipments to U.K.

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS	
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc.	30,121	
4	Ammunition Components	675	
5	Anti-Gas Stores	6	
6	Artillery Equipment	8	
10	Clothing & Necessaries	174	
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores	56	
13	Empty Packages (other than Ammunition)	7	1947

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25	R.E. Stores	-	5
26	Scrap Metal	420	3,729
27	Scrap Miscellaneous	6,781	18,436
30	Tools	799	16,548
31	Waterproof Covers & Tarpaulins	-	4
33	R.A.F. Stores	3	159
34	Bottles & Glass	1	20
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		459	21,185
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5	Anti-Gas Stores	6
6	Artillery Equipment	8
10	Clothing & Necessaries	174
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores	56
13	Empty Packages (other than Ammunition)	7
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores	1
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores	942
26	Scrap Metal	23,253
27	Scrap Miscellaneous	1,951
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.	17
37	Paper	366
42	Allied Stores	1
	SUB TOTAL :	57,609 Tons

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(b) Shipments to South Africa

(Continued on Sheet 20.)

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PART III - SHIPMENTS

(b) Shipments to South Africa

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc.	2,339
4	Ammunition Components	7
	SUB TOTAL :	2,346 Tons

TOTAL TONNAGE OF SHIPMENTS FROM C.N.F. : 59,955 Tons

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Subject :- Local Disposals.

(180)

3 District
Sal Sxtb79
151/Sal

17 Apr 45

DADOS MMIA, Naples

1. The u/m material held at the Base Salvage Depot, Terre Annunziata is available for disposal.

2. Will you please instruct your representatives to inspect it.

3. A Demand Note for all material required by you should be sent to this office. A Release Note will then be issued.

4. OC Base Salvage Depot will hand over the material to your representatives on presentation of the Release Note.

5. All material selected by you will be cleared from the Depot within 21 days of the issue of the Release Note.

6. If this material is not requested by you before 1 May 45 the whole amount will be offered to AC.

(6)

Capt.,
for Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

FC/CR

Lot No	Item	Quantity	Price	Remarks
TA 143	Self sealing aero tanks (Rubber or rubber composition)	450	10000 lire per ton	Weight 1½ cwts each
TA 144	Rubber air beds, poor condition	183	10000 " " "	Weight 14 lbs each
TA 150	Soft rubber	150 tons	10000 " " "	

Copy to : HQ MMIA Rome
LO MMIA HQ 3 District
OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot
ASO HQ 56 Area

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SUBJECT: Salvage Materiels, Salvage Depot No. 1
(Italian) San Giovanni Teducci, Naples

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

16 April 1945

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
Attention: D.A. & Q.M.G.

1. Reference your letter Q 25 dated 9 April 1945.

2. The salvaged woolen and cotton garments from Italian Army organization are quite useless and unserviceable.

3. There are approximately 500 tons of misc. salvage. From this quantity 50 tons have been recovered for use by the Italian Army. The remaining 450 tons may be disposed under the following suggested recommendations.

a. Agencies be sought by either A.C. or Italian Government for the sale and immediate disposal of salvage.

b. Salvage materials baled and shipped to Prato where facilities exist for the reclamation of woolen items.

c. Woolen items salvaged in an unserviceable condition be reclaimed; the cotton items unserviceable be used for cleaning purposes:

(1) Wiping rags.

(2) Mop heads, etc.

d. That UNRRA be afforded the opportunity to inspect materials so that more items may be placed in the hands of charitable organizations assisting in the rehabilitation of this country.

SEE 185/1.

GEORGE D. SMITH JR.
Lt. Col. Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

CPB/nl

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Subject: Local Dispensals.

3 District
Tel Ext 79
151/Sel

14 Apr 45

DADOS MMIA Naples

Ref our 151/Sel dated 25 Mar 45.

1. As no reply has been received to date, the material is being offered to AC and our a/m letter is cancelled.

F.P.S. Passmore,
Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

/CR

Copy to : HQ MMIA Rome
LO MMIA HQ 3 District
OC CIC FSSU Naples
ASO HQ 5th Area

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SALVAGE DIRECTORATE

Q/25

APHQ/36/12/SAL/200,

14 Apr 45.

Tel: FREEDOM 806.

D.A.D. Salvage,
H.Q. No. 3 District.

SUBJECT :- Tyres u/s and Rubber Petrol Tanks.

1. M.M.I.A. have notified their I.O's at Naples and Bari that the above are to be accepted by them for use in re-soling boots.

2. In view of quantities available it is presumed they will only require the poorer quality tyres unsuitable for re-use on vehicles. In which event they will be valued by the ton and not individually.

3. All future lots of tyres will however need to be offered to M.M.I.A. and any existing arrangements to offer some direct to A.C. cancelled.

T.P.A. GALLOWAY, Major,
D.A.D. Salvage, for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

TPAG/JEP

Copy to :- Land Forces Sub-Commission,
A.C., Rome. (four Q/25 dated 13 Apr 45 refers).

(b) Move HQ 17 Apr

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SUBJECT: Salvaged Tyres and Rubber Gasoline (Petrol) Tanks.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/25
15 April 1946.

TO : MMIA LO Naples
MMIA LO 54 Area
MMIA LO 3 Dist.
MMIA LO 1 Dist.
MMIA LO 5 Army for Capt. Gastner.

1. Unserviceable tyres and rubber gasoline (petrol) tanks from Salvage are being utilized for the re-soling and heeling of boots.

2. Any such rubber items offered in the future by Sal. will be accepted by you and delivered to the Boot Repair Factory at Naples or Bari, whichever is the most convenient.

3. Quantities accepted and despatched to the repair factory will be reported to HQ MMIA with copy to LO Naples or Bari.

F. A. COLE, Major
for Col. DA & QMC
Land Forces Sub Commission.

FAC/as

Copy to:
AFHQ for Sal. - info.
AFHQ for Salvage Officer QM, US.- info.

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SUBJECT: Salvage Material at No. 1 Salvage Sub Depot - Naples.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/25
9 April 1945.

TO : MMIA LO Naples.

1. The attached copies of correspondence received from Ministry of War in respect of unserviceable materials at No. 1 Salvage Sub Depot Naples are forwarded.

2. Before any decision is made, will you please inspect, forward your recommendations, and confirm that the materials are quite useless.

F.A. COLE, Major
for Col. DA & QMG
Land Forces Sub Commission.

FAC/ag

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TRANSLATION

FROM: War Ministry Q/25 REF: 7032/01972

TO: M.M.I.A. DATE: 3 April 1945

SUBJECT: Recovery and repair of metal drums

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Reference letter Q/25 dated 9th.March 1946.

We have noted the contents of the above quoted letter, regarding confirmation that the Leghorn Recovery and Reporting Centre can recover and retain the drums of Italian origin.

The said Centre had understood order No.4 in the sense that said drums would have to be handed over to the Allied Authorities.

Sgd. PROPERZJ
Gen.

O.Danin Cpl.

1950

DG/g

Ministero della Guerra
Direz.Gener.Artigl;e Motorizz.

Divisione Motorizzaz. 2ª
Prot.N.° 7032 Allegati
1 01972

Roma, 30 MAR. 1945

IN

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

= R O M A =

Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N.°

OGGETTO:- recupero e riparazione fusti metallici.-

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Riferimento al foglio Q/25 in data 9 marzo 1945.-

Si prende atto di quanto comunicato con il foglio di cui sopra, circa la conferma che l'Ufficio Presentazioni e recuperi di Livorno può continuare a recuperare e trattenere i fusti di provenienza italiana.-

Detto Ufficio aveva interpretato l'ordinanza n°4 nel senso che detti fusti dovessero essere consegnati alle Autorità Alleate.-

P. IL MINISTRO
(Gen.P.G.Properzj)

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Prot. N.° 7032 Allegati
/0197.

Risposta al foglio del
Div. Sez. N.°

OGGETTO:- recupero e riparazione fusti metallici.-

Salvage & Repair of Metal Drums

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p. IL MINISTRO
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and Indorse
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Roma. 20-3-45

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Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE ed Amm/vi
Ispettorato Gener.Serv.Comm/to

Al la LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C.(M.M.I.A.)
= R O M A =

Divisione Sez.
Pos.N.1695 /I.C. Allegati :1

Risposta al Foglio del
Div Sez N.

OGGETTO : Materiali f.u.giacenti presso il Magazzino Succursale Ricuperi n°1 di Napoli

U.S Mediterranean

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Si trasmette copia del foglio n.2274 del 18 corrente pervenuto dal Centro Regionale Ricuperi di Bari in merito all'oggetto sopra citato.=

I materiali f.u.,ai quali il foglio stesso si riferisce,sono stati già segnalati a codesta Missione con diaframma n°1552/I.C. del 21 corrente(1° capoverso dello specchio allegato).

Poichè gli organi civili dell'A.C.,con i quali il Centro Regionale di Napoli ha già preso contatto,hanno giudicato i materiali di panno e tela non utilizzabili.nella loro quasi totalità,per gli eventuali bisogni della popolazione civile,dei patriotti ecc.e considerata l'urgenza di addivenire allo sgombero del Magazzino di S.Giovanni a Teduccio,si prega codesta Missione di voler far conoscere se ha nulla in contrario per l'alienazione dei suddetti materiali.=

PEL MINISTRO

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Risposta al foglio del

Div. Sez. N.

OGGETTO : Materiali f.u.giacenti presso il Magazzino Succursale Ricuperi n°1 di Napoli

U.S. Materiali

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Si trasmette copia del foglio n.2274 del 16 corrente pervenuto dal Centro Regionale Ricuperi di Bari in merito all'oggetto sopra citato.=

I materiali f.u.,ai quali il foglio stesso si riferisce,sono stati già segnalati a codesta Missione con dispaccio n°1563/I.C. del 21 corrente(1° capoverso dello specchio allegato).

Poichè gli organi civili dell'A.C.,con i quali il Centro Regionale di Napoli ha già preso contatto,hanno giudicato i materiali di panno e tela non utilizzabili,nella loro quasi totalità,per gli eventuali bisogni della popolazione civile,dei patrioti ecc.e considerata l'urgenza di addivenire allo sgombero del Magazzino di S.Giovanni a Teduccio,si prega codesta Missione di voler far conoscere se ha nulla in contrario per l'alienazione dei suddetti materiali.=

PEL MINISTRO

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C O P I A

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA-D.G.S.P.A.-ISTEMORACO
CENTRO REGIONALE RECUPERI
N a p o l i

n°2274 di prot. Napoli, 10 marzo 1945

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA-D.G.S.P.A.
Ufficio Centrale Recuperi ROMA

e, per conoscenza:
ALL'UFFICIO STACCATO RECUPERI
Piazza Piedigrotta NAPOLI

OGGETTO: Materiali fuori uso giacenti presso il magazzino Succursale Recuperi n°1 di Napoli.-

Seguito foglio di questo Centro n°1184/C in data 9.2.45.-

Lo scrivente ha provveduto a segnalare alla Direzione di Commissariato Militare di Napoli i quantitativi di materiali f.u.(lana-cotone-stoffe-metalli-cuoio-ecc.)in ottemperanza al dispaccio di codesto Ministero n°1000/I/Ord. del 24 febbraio 1945.

Lo sgombero del Magazzino Succursale Recuperi n°1 (Corso San Giovanni a Teduccio n°251 - Napoli) è particolarmente necessario ed urgente in quanto i quantitativi di materiali f.u. esistenti e non più impiegabili per gli usi delle Forze Armate Italiane, rappresentano un pericolo reale di incendio specie col sopravvenire della stagione più calda che accelererà il processo di fermentazione e di riscaldamento.

Questo Centro ha provveduto a prendere contatto con gli organi civili dell'A.C. che dovrebbero ritirare detti materiali in base a regolari buoni di consegna e ciò allo scopo di accelerarne le operazioni di sgombero.

I predetti organi hanno fatto presente che i materiali in genere e tele f.u. italiani non si prestano nelle quasi loro totalità ad essere impiegati per le eventuali necessità della popolazione civile, dei patrioti ecc.

Soltanto potranno essere ritirati i rottami di cuoio.

In dipendenza di quanto precede e degli inconvenienti che una tal massa di materiali può dar luogo permanendo in magazzini chiusi e non sufficientemente idonei allo scopo, si prega la cortesia di codesto Ministero voler dare disposizioni per il più immediato esito dei materiali di che trattasi.-

IL CAPO CENTRO - CAPITANO COMMISSARIO
F/to (Vincenzo Ventrella)

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[illegible] Centro Sincoli Recuperi
Piazza Piedigrotta

N A P O L I

OGGETTO: Materiali fuori uso giacenti presso il magazzino Succursale Recuperi n°1 di Napoli.-

Seguito foglio di questo Centro n°1184/C in data 9.2.45.-

Lo scrivente ha provveduto a segnalare alla Direzione di Commissariato Militare di Napoli i quantitativi di materiali f.u.(lana-cotone-misti-metalli-cuoio-ecc.)in ottemperanza al dispaccio di codesto Ministero n°1000/I/Ord. del 24 febbraio 1945.

Lo sgombero del Magazzino Succursale Recuperi n°1 (Corso San Giovanni a Teduccio n°251 - Napoli) è particolarmente necessario ed urgente in quanto i quantitativi di materiali f.u. esistenti e non più impiegabili per gli usi delle Forze Armate Italiane, rappresentano un pericolo reale di incendio specie col sopravvenire della stagione più calda che accelererà il processo di fermentazione e di riscaldamento.

Questo Centro ha provveduto a prendere contatto con gli organi civili dell'A.C. che dovrebbero ritirare detti materiali in base a regolari buoni di consegna e ciò allo scopo di accelerarne le operazioni di sgombero.

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IL CAPO CENTRO - CAPITANO COMMISSARIO
F/to (Vincenzo Ventrella)

P. C. C.
IL MAGGIORE COMMISSARIO
(. G.Arduzzo)

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION,
A. C. (M. M.I. A.)
R O M E
Q/25
20 March 1945

SUBJECT: Shell cases in Sicily

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Further to your 201416/II of 2 Feb. 45 and our AQ/25 of 15 Feb. 45, subject as above, we inform you that investigation has disclosed that the shell cases sold by Salvage Office, 56 Area, to Mondello firm were cases which came into possession of the Salvage Depot prior to the conclusion of the Armistice. They were therefore correctly classed as captured enemy material and their subsequent sale was entirely legal.

JOHN J. WARD, 1st Lt.
For Major General
M. M. I. A.

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Ref:- Sal/MMI/1

11 Mar 45

"S & T. MMIA.

Recd 16 Mar

File ST/

TO:- Liaison Officer,
Italian Army Sub Commission,
PAAIC

SUBJECT:- Salvage 209 Sub Area

1. It is understood from the Provincial Commissioner CHIETI that no MMIA Liaison Officer is operating in the CHIETI, PESCARA and TERAMO Provinces.

2. It is reported by)C 562 Italian Mine Clearance Company that, in these districts, there is at present a quantity of abandoned war material which is not required for W.D. purposes.

3. All this material is in scattered places and is of unknown condition.

4. It consists of:-

130 petrol tins, large and small. —
21 corrugated iron sheets. —
1 roll of Telphone Wire —
1 roll of barbed wire —
1 W.D. tyre for heavy truck (size unknown) —
4 Italian Military tents (" ") —
1 German Military overcoat —
14 Italian Cooking cases (type unknown) —
25 Italian boat oars —
1 Support for boat. —

5. Letter reference AFHQ/23/SAL/222 dated 27 Nov 44 states in para 1(b):-

".....'All remaining material' - (after such required for W.D. purposes has been retained) - 'will, in the first instance, be offered to M.M.I.A. (for Italian Armed Forces)'.

and in para 6(a):-

'Lists of material available ------- will be forwarded to M.M.I.A. periodically; a time limit for written acceptance will be included'.

and in para 6(c):-

'M.M.I.A. will be requested to notify, in writing, rejection of any material not required'.

6. It would be appreciated if a reply be sent to reach this office not later than Thursday 22 Mar 45.

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CLN/Rs

C.L. North 1935

(C.L. NORTH) Lt.
Salvage Officer,
209 Sub Area.

Copy to:- DAD Salvage,
HQ No. 2 District

Capt- Armstrong

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMO

From: WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Salvage of Metal Barrels.

FILE No. WMD/51/506

TO: Land Forces Sub Commission
M.M.I.A.

Q/25 13 March 1945

1 - Reference your copy letter Q/25 addressed to the Ministry of War, dated 8th March 1945.

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2 - We regret that we have no copy of order No.4 in this Office.

D.A. Campbell
Lt. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPOW Sub-Com.

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Subject:- Scrap metal.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
Q/CC/28

5th March 45.

M.M.I.A. L.O.
1 District.

Ref your LO/A4 dated 17 Feb/45. — see file 6/25 fo 152

We are interested solely in any useable or repairable materials. Scrap metal does not come within this scope and should be disposed of under directions from the Salvage Officer at District H.Q.

F.S. GREENWOOD, Major
for Col. DA & QMG,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to:- Q

FSG/ab

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Q/25

3 District Ltr. 126/1/Sal, dated 6 Mar 45

Re. 1395 1st Ind

Liaison Office, Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MMIA) % AC Sicily Region Hq., APO 394 11 March 1945

TO: G.O.C., Land Forces Sub Comm. AC (MMIA) ROME.

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Inviting your attention to basic letter. Your AQ/25s dated 8 ~~January~~ 7 Feb to this office, and 15 February to Ministry of War, refers.

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LESTER P. ALWEIN
Lt Col Inf
I C Sicily

Encl: 1 - Certified Copy of Sale

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Subject :- Release of Shell Cases to a Private Firm.

3 District
Tel Ext 79
126/1/Sal

6 Mar 45

Liaison Officer,
Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. (MMIA),
c/o A.C., Sicily Region H.Q., A.P.O. 394.

O.C., HQ 22 Salvage Depot

Ref your letter No 1395 dated 13 February 45, para 3.

1. Please find below the information required :-

(a) The Salvage Depot came into possession of this material after the clearing up of the battlefields in Sicily. Therefore it was classed as Captured Enemy Material as as that time the Italians were our enemies and all this material was in our hands before an Armistice was concluded.

(b) The amount paid for this material was 220,000 lire, paid on the 12 Sep 44. Please find certified copy of A.F. C 1680 attached.

(c) This must be regarded as a genuine sale and if now the Italian Government require these shell cases they will have to buy them off the firm of Mondelle.

F.F.S. Passmore,

Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

/JAS

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CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

~~XEROX~~ Debit } Voucher No. 56A/25 4 Sept 1944

To be { ~~XEROX~~ received } by the Cashier at No 8 Command Pay Office

the sum of Two hundred and twenty thousand lire

(220,000 lire). being

amount due in respect of the following :

Assorted collection of light steel scrap at Messina.

From : Sig L Mondello,
Caffe Trinacria,
Messina.

(Sgd) M.E. WILLIAMS, Capt
Area Salvage Officer,
HQ 56 Area.

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Debited / Credited in my account for

Date of Supply or Service

Sept 1944

No 22 F.C.O.
12 Sept 1944
(Sgd) ??????? Capt Paymaster.
C.M.F. Station.

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20534 W.O.8/5/44 10,000 pads 1/43 K. & H., Ltd. C667/135A.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

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Subject: Salvage and Repairing of Metal Barrels

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
Q/25

9 Mar 45.

MINISTRY OF WAR

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Ref your 1660 23/V/3 of 29 Jan 45

1. The Allied Authorities have issued specific instructions regarding the preservation of all material the property of the Ministry of War.

2. It is not understood what action the Mob. and Recovery Center of Leghorn require to be taken. They are authorised to recover and retain all barrels formerly of Italian origin.

R. A. CURTIES, Lt Col,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

RAC/wk

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Copy to WMD &IPW SUB COMM. A.C. - Ref your WMD/51/459 of 27 Feb 45. As requested in our Q/25 of 25 Feb 45, will you please fwd copy of the order No. 4 referred to therein.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

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-RM PALERMO 7126 56 9 17/40 - 9/25.

TO: HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA ---

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: A 1110

FROM ALBERT MMIA LO SICILY 1046/1 CLASSIFICATION: RESTRICTED

REFERENCE NO. PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OFFICE OF ORIGIN: ~~Unfortad~~

RESTRICTED PD PARA ONE DD REFERENCE YOUR QUEEN FIVE ZERO OF NINTH PD PARA TFO PD COLLETION OF [redacted] ALBERT MMIA LO SICILY TO HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA ROME CITE ONE ZERO FOUR SIX SLANT ONE [redacted] EIGHT ONE TWO ZERO MM GUNS HAS BEEN ARRANGED THOROUGH MOTOR TRASPORTT HQ PALERMO -

=9 MAR 1945 2310

IL CAPITANO ADDETTO

(Cifardi Ino)

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SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: [illegible]

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

SALVAGE DIRECTORATE

AFHQ/36/1/SAL/187.

8 Mar 45.

Tel: FREEDOM 606.

SUBJECT :- Aircraft Scrap - Local Disposal.

1. Authority is given for all existing stocks, and future arisings, of aircraft scrap held in Salvage Depots and at R.A.F. installations to be offered for local disposal.

2. Arisings in Italy and Sicily will be offered to M.M.I.A. and A.C. as laid down in AFHQ/23/SAL/222 dated 27 Nov 44, and in Greece in accordance with policy detailed in AFHQ/23/8/SAL/7 dated 6 Feb 45. 77/1 int facket

3. In event of any material being offered to civilians, all tenders obtained will be forwarded to A.F.H.Q. for approval, as will details of all proposed transfers to M.M.I.A. or A.C.

4. The following information is required in respect of all disposals effected :-

(a) Any details that can be obtained regarding the possible use to which the material will be put.

(b) Weights of each of the following categories of Aircraft Scrap included in each transaction, and in the case of tenders price per category.

(i) Aluminium Alloy Ingotted.
(ii) Aluminium and Aluminium Alloy Wrought.
(iii) Aluminium and Aluminium Alloy Cast.
(iv) Magnesium Alloy Wrought.
(v) Magnesium Alloy Cast.
(vi) Aircraft Scrap Unsorted.

5. Prices at which transfers of material will be effected to M.M.I.A. or A.C. will be notified when final authorities for transfers are issued.

6. Quarterly Returns of Aircraft Scrap will continue to be submitted.

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T.P.G. GALLOWAY, Major,
D.A.D. Salvage, for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

TPG/JKC

Distribution :-

A.D. Salvage, Rear H.Q. Eighth Army.
D.A.D. Salvage,
Rear H.Q. 5 (US) Army, Br. Incr.
H.Q. No. 1 District.
H.Q. No. 2 District.
H.Q. No. 3 District.
H.Q. L.F. & M.L.C.
Q (AE, (For information)
G - 5 (" ")
M.M.I.A. (" ")
H.Q. A.C. (" ")

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SIGNAL

FROM: MMIA

TO (FOR ACTION): ALCOM SICILY

TO (FOR INFO): 22 SAL DEPOT SICILY

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FOR MMIA LO (.) REF A42755 OF 7 FEB (.) CENTER COLLECTION EIGHT 120 MM GUNS FROM STELLA HAS BEEN ARRANGED

PRECEDENCE/CE

AUTHENTICATION

See folio 168

Subject: Disposal to A.M.I.A.

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H.Q. 22 Salvage Depot (Abroad)
Telephone - Catania I4248
223D/I20/S/24
6/3/45

To: Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (M.M.I.A.)
Copies to: L.O. M.M.I.A. H.Q. 3 District, C.M.F.
H.Q. Land Forces Sub-Commission M.M.I.A. Rome.
D.A.D. Salvage , H.Q. 3 District, C.M.F.

1. The following items are offered for disposal.

2. Any demand notes will state, Name of Officer, and Unit authorised to collect and will certify that the materials required are for the gehnine needs of the Italian Army and not for resale.

3. The materials are lying in the immediate vicity of Catania, and any authorized personnel wishing to inspect will report to this H.Q. for necessary authority.

4. Please advise in writing by 27 March acceptance or refusal.

5. In this instance materials will be removed within 3 months of date of acceptance.

6. Serial 63 is offered as one parcel as containers are all mixed together.

Serial No.

61 Approx I50/200 Tons Aircraft Scrap consisting of fuxlages Wings, Tail Planes, small tanks, and miscellaneous material all from crashed and destroyed, Allied and German aircraft.

62 I25/I50 Tons Aereo Engines, wrecked and burnt out U/S, approx 50/60 engines.

63 Approx I0,000 assorted U/S containers mainly 2 and 4 gall Pellicans approx 8,000, balance being burnt, corroded, and rusty Bitumen Drums, Jerricans, Americans, Oil drums and few 44 gall drums, all of which are in bad condition.

64 20 Tons Miscellaneous Light Scrap.

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62 125/150 Tons Aereo Engines, wrecked and burnt out U/S, approx 50/60 engines.

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64 20 Tons Miscellaneous Light Scrap.

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.....Capt.
O.C. 22 Salvage Depot.
(R.B.Pocklington).

"S & T. MMLA.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMO

WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND

From: ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Salvage and Repairing of Metal Barrels FILE No. WMD/ 51/459

TO: Land Forces Sub Commission
M.M.I.A. 27 FEB 1945

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1. Reference your Q/25 dated 25th February 1945.

2. We enclose for your information a copy of the letter ref. 360/11/CA, dated 10th August.

for J.A. Campbell
Lt. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPOW Sub-Com.

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See folio 169

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref : 360/11/CA
SUBJECT: Italian War Material etc.

10 August 1944

TO : Regional Commissioners, Region I - IX & "Z"
Provincial Commissioner, Foggia Province
S.C.A. Os 5 & 8 Armies.

1. This constitutes a full authority for Italian Armed Forces to collect all vechicles and other war material originally held on charge by them.

2. Attention is drawn to:

(a) AFHQ Circular 13 of I May 1944, which clearly states:

"Italian Material. All Italian Material belonging to all arms and services of the Italian Ground Forces and in the possession of the Italians at the time of the armistice is considered as Italian Material and, except as otherwise directed by this Head quarters is reserved for the use of the Italian Army under the direction of the Army Sub-Commission, Allied Control Commission".

(b) A.A.I. letter 2030/12/Q2 dated 1 July 1944 of which the following are extracts:

"Cases have occured (particularly in ROME and other newly occupied localities) where property, transport and materials belonging to the Italian Forces have been removed from them without proper authority and when the operational need for such action no longer existed."

"In future no buildings, real estate, trasportation or other materials belonging to the Italian Armed Forces, or in the possession of effective units of the Italian Navy, Army or Air Force, will be occupied, requisitioned, seized or made use of withouf prior reference to this H.Q.".

"The Italian Commanders concerned have been authorised to place notices on their property indicating its ownership. These notices will be respected."

This does not however preclude the rights of Operational Commanders to make such use of the items mentioned as may be necessary for operational reasons.

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3. Every assistance should be given to the Italian Armed Forces in their efforts to maintain themselves by the salving and collecting into Depots of war material scattered throughout the country.

4. When ownership of any material is in dispute the matter will immediately be referred to this HQ for investigation and final decision.

DISTRIBUTION:
Italian Ministere of War.

H.Q. A.A.I. Rome Area Command.

"C" & Group 2 List "A"

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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SUBJECT: Salvage

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

27 February 1945.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
Attention G-4 Section

Reference: 50 Tons Aircraft Scrap

1. It is suggested that the aircraft scrap at 21 Base Salvage Depot is unsuitable for making any type of messing utensils.

2. Only a very small portion (if any) is of aluminium whilst the bulk is made up of a series of alloys having a large content of magnesium, which is dangerous and may result in poisoning.

3. Before finally accepting this offer, I would appreciate your remarks and suggestions as to whether this scrap metal can be put to any other useful purpose.

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

WAH/nl

"S & T, MMIA.
R-1 22 Feb
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returned for
attention G-4
This has been accepted
and no further action
should be required
with regard
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SUBJECT: Needles for Italian Army.

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

TO : AFHQ for Q (AG) (Br).

1. The needles which were loaned from U.S. Sources to the Italian Army under arrangements made by AFHQ Q (AG) with MTOUSA have been collected. The quantities collected are:-

(1)	Needles, stitching, curved #45	- 500 Doz.
(2)	Awls Stitching Machine curved #43	- 500 Doz.
(3)	Needles, Machine Sewing Singer #21 (175 x 7)	- 500 ea.
(4)	Needles, Sewing Hand, egg eye (assorted)	-7,000 ea.

2. It is understood by HQ MMIA that these needles will be replaced in kind to U.S. Agencies when stocks to be furnished from U.K. are made available.

See Folio 210

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

GAS/ag

Copy to:
CG MTOUSA
Capt. C.P. Bennatti, % MMIA LO Naples.

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SUBJECT: Salvage WAC Clothing.

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

TO : Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section
for QM Salvage Officer.

1. It is requested that the items of WAC clothing which have accumulated in salvage be turned over to Italian Salvage Depot No. 1750, Via Ponta Frances 31, Naples.

2. Any items found to be unsuitable for use of the Italian Military will be promptly reconsigned to ALCOM for proper processing for civilians.

3. This confirms telephone conversation Lt. Vaughan to Lt. Colonel Shipley, HQ MMIA on 25 February 1945.

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

GAS/ag

Copy to:
MMIA LO Naples
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Subject: Factory Reports.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
Q/25

25 Feb 1945

To: A.F.L.I.S. R.A.A.C. 122

Reference your IR3/R-75 dated 16 Jan 45.

The Ministry of War was contacted on this subject and attached to this letter is a translated copy of their reply. It is suggested that the Navy Sub Commission should be consulted regarding the ownership of the 102/35mm "URSINO" shell cases.

PFF/lc

P. P. F.

P. P. FARRELL, J/Cond.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Ministry of War (Direzione Gener Artiglieria e Motorizzazione)
(your 2694 dated 21 Feb 45 refers)

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Subject: Salvage and Repairing of Metal Barrels.

Land Forces Sub Comn. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
V/25

25 Feb 1945

To: WMD & IPW Sub Commission, A.C. 132/1

1. Reference attached translated copy of letter received from Ministry of War - 1660 23/V/3 dated 29 Jan 45.

2. Will you please investigate the position and supply us with the necessary information with which to answer the Ministry of War's letter. This HQ has no copy of the letter quoted, ref 360/11/CA dated 10 Aug. of of Order No. 4.

PPP/le

P. P. P.
P. P. PARNELL, J/Comd.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Ministry of War.

See folio 166

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J District
Tel Ext 79
151/Sal

23 Feb 45

Subject :- Local Disposals.

DADOS, MMLA, Naples.

L.O., MMLA,
HQ 3 District.
HQ MMLA, Rome.
S.O., HQ 56 Area.
OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot.

1. The following material is held at the Base Salvage Depot, Torre Annunziata, and it would be appreciated if you would instruct one of your representatives to visit same at the earliest.

2. After inspection, a Demand Note for all material required should be addressed to this office and on receipt of same a Release Note will be sent you and on presentation of the Release Note to OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot, the material will be handed over to your representative.

3. Unless this material is inspected by you before the 6 March 45 the whole amount will be offered to A.C.

4. All material selected by you will be cleared from our Depot as soon as the Release Note is issued.

Phoned to Naples to and told them accepts for use in 3 Dist Units

F.F.S. Passmore

FEJC/CR

F.F.S. Passmore,
Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

Serial No	Description	Weight
87.	Aircraft Scrap.	50 tons.

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~~2841/3~~ 159/1

Subject: Disposal to M.M.I.A.

H.Q. 22 Salvage Depot (Abroad)
Telephone - Catania I4248
22SD/I20/R/I2
22/2/45

To: Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub- Commission A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
Copies to: L.O. M.M.I.A. H.Q. 5 District, C.M.F.
H.Q. Land Forces Sub-Commission M.M.I.A. Rome.
D.A.D. Salvage H.Q. 5 District, C.M.F.

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1. Ref your signal of 7 Feb, advising Serial 36, 8 Italian I20 mm guns will be collected by Italian Ministry of War approx [illegible] I2 Feb 45.

2. Your Official demand note stating Unit and name of Officer authorized to collect has not yet come to Hand.

3. Please instruct collecting Unit report this H.Q. with copy of demand note before collecting from Stella.

4. It was noted on visit to Stella yesterday that the guns and other items not of interest to you were being guarded by a section of 5°Comp. 45° Fanteria, who advised they had been sent to take over [illegible] materials at Stella. Please advise whether this is correct so that receipts can be obtained.

5. The Sgt. Major i/c Section was advised that we had received no intimation that the Italian Guns were to be handed over to his Unit. He was advised that the Tanks and German guns were not earmarked for the Italian Army, and he would permit removal by any party authorized to collect by Salvage Organization.

RBP/CP

R Pocklington Capt.
O.C. 22 Salvage Depot.
(R.B.Pocklington)

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R Pocklington
.....Capt.
O.C. 22 Salvage Depot.
(R.B.Pocklington).

RBP/CF
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"S & T, MMIA.
Rec'd 26 Feb
File ST/

SAST

for [illegible] and
responsibility "No" [illegible]
Lodi 2612.

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Subject: Local Disposals

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME
AQ/25

21 Feb 45.

MAIA LC 3 District

1. Ref DAD Salvage 3 District letter 151/Sal dated 14 Feb 45, copy attached.

2. It is thought that the first three items may be found very acceptable. Will you please arrange to inspect and submit demand note if the stores prove to be acceptable.

F.Greenwood

F.S.GREENWOOD, Major,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

FSG/mk

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Ord Records
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Subject: Local Disposals

5 District
Sel Ext 79
151/Sal
14 Feb 45.

LO MMIA HQ 5 DISTRICT

HQ MMIA ROME
S.O. 56 AREA
OC HQ 21 SALVAGE DEPOT

1. The following items are held at the Base Salvage Depot, Torre Annunziata, and it would be appreciated if you would instruct one of your representatives to visit same at the earliest.

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3. Unless this material is inspected by you before the 24 Feb 45 the whole amount will be offered to A.C.

4. All material selected by you will be cleared from our Depot as soon as the Release Note is issued.

F.F.S. PASSMORE
Major
D.A.D. Salvage

Lot No	Item	Quantity	Weight
80	Canvas		50 tons
81	MESS TINS	1500	
82	Camp Kettles	1500	
83	Ammunition boxes (assorted sizes)	6000	
84	Mixed Waste Paper		30 tons

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Ministero della Guerra
Direzione Gener. Artiglieria
e Motorizzazione
Ufficio Requisizioni
Div. 1ª 2534 Allegati

Al Quartier Generale SUB
COMMISSIONE A.C.
(A.M.I.A.)

Rapporto del 31-1-45
Div. 1ª N./25

OGGETTO: Richiesta di proprietà italiani.

Ref.

1 - I bicchieri da 50/53 e da 100/17 nonchè i tronchi vari ed ogive esplosivi presso la Ditta Franchi di Genova Voltri provengono da grezzi di proprietà di questo Ministero sui quali la Ditta ha eseguito, a sua spese, la lavorazione meccanica.

Tali materiali sono da ritenersi di proprietà della Ditta Franchi in quanto le verrano definitivamente ceduti, a parziale rivalorizzazione di una partita di debito che questa Amministrazione ha nei confronti della Ditta stessa.

2 - I bicchieri da 102/35 vennero ritirati dalla Ditta Franchi per conto della R.Marina.

DIREZIONE GENERALE
22 FEB 945
ARTIGLIERIA

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questo Ministero non ne risulta per l'persona
per cui siano, oppure non, di cosa proprietà
della Ditta.

P. IL MINISTRO
(D.G.Programma)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

SALVAGE DIRECTORATE

AFHQ/60/SAL/1,

20 Feb 45.

Tel: FREEDOM 806.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS - SALVAGE RETURN

Herewith Allied Force Headquarters Consolidated Salvage Return for the four weeks ended 26 Jan 45, incorporating details of all Salvage Disposals throughout the Mediterranean Theatre. The Return consists of the following parts :-

		Tonnage
Part I :- RE-ISSUES		
(a)	To Services and Units	7,817
(b)	Items manufactured and/or repaired at Salvage Depots	47
(c)	To Military Mission to Italian Army	645
(d)	To Allied Commission	313
(e)	To French Military Authorities	267
Part II :- SALES	(Sterling value realised £2,056)	179
Part III:- SHIPMENTS		Nil
TOTAL :		9,268 Tons

T.P.A. GALLOWAY, Major,
D.A.D. Salvage, for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

JS/AD.

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Distribution :-

Q (AE)	(1)	A.D. Salvage,	
D.C.S.	(1)	Rear H.Q., Eighth Army	(12)
D.S.T.	(1)	D.A.Ds. Salvage,	
D.M.E.	(1)	Rear H.Q., 5 (US) Army, Br.Incr.	(6)
M.G.R.E.	(1)	H.Q., No. 1 District.	(12)
G-2 (Tech).	(1)	H.Q., No. 2 District.	(8)
C.I.A.S. Q(AE)	(1)	H.Q., No. 3 District.	(28)
Financial Adviser	(1)	H.Q., B.C.N.A.	(6)
D.P.I.C.	(1)	H.Q., L.P. & M.L.G.	(4)
D.M. & S. (S) Branch, M.A.A.F. (Rear)	(3)		
H.Q., M.M.I.A.	(1)		
H.Q., A.C.	(1)		

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Sheet 1

Salvage Return for four weeks ended 26 January 1945

PART I - RE-ISSUES

(a) To Services & Units

Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements				
	Bottles, water		945		
	Equipment, web			2 tons	
	Helmets, steel		1,540		
	Tins, mess		895		4
2	Ammunition				
	Ammunition, various			78½ tons	78
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc				
	Ammunition Empties, various			4460 tons	4,460
4	Ammunition Components				
	Exploders		200		
	Fuses, various		3,822		
	Grummets			3 tons	
	Plugs, hole, fuze		93,200		
	Primers		300		25
5	Anti-Gas Stores				
	Paint, detector	Tins	15		
	Respirators, A.G.		1,440		3
6	Artillery Equipment				
	Gun, 2 pdr		1		
	Packing, asbestos, graphite	Sales	1		
	Parts, gun, various			5 cwts	-
8	Camp Equipment				
	Kettles, camp		26		
	Mallets		21		
	Matchets		17		
	Pegs, bivouac		40		
	Sheets, ground		175		
	" " u/s		240		
	Stoves, "Soyer"		2		
	Tents		2		5
10	Clothing & Necessaries				
	Blouses, B.D.		879		
	" " u/s		205		

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	Ammunition, various			78	tons	78
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	Tents		2			5
10	Clothing & Necessaries					
	Blouses, B.D.		679			
	" " u/s		205			
	" Denim		650			1311
	Boots, ankle	pairs	7,163			
	" " u/s		2,080			
	" D.R.	pairs	74			
	" rubber	pairs	29			
	Braces		250			
	Capes, A.C.			3¾	tons	
	Caps, forage		515			
	" G.S.		105			
	Clothing, mixed			7	tons	
	Drawers, cellular		196			
	" cotton		46			
	" woollen		186			
	Gloves, woollen	pairs	27			
	Greatcoats		679			
	" u/s		246			
				c/f		4,575

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Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
10	Clothing & Necessaries (Cont'd)			b/f	4,575
	Jackets, D.R.		20		
	Jerkins, leather		7		
	Overalls		601		
	Pullovers		620		
	Puttees		80		
	Shirts, K.D.		464		
	" " u/s		260		
	" Woollen		665		
	Shoes, canvas, u/s		100		
	Shorts, K.D.		515		
	Smocks, camouflage		17		
	Socks	pairs	2,645		
	Towels, hand		40		
	Trousers, B.D.		495		
	" " u/s		717		
	" Denim		140		
	" K.D.		1,357		
	Vests, cotton		270		
	" woollen		182		31
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores				
	Batteries, wet, u/s		62		
	Cable, electric			3½ tons	
	" rubber	feet	424		
	" signal			2 cwts	
	" " u/s	drums	7		
	Drums, cable		40		
	Generators		3		
	Headphones		1		
	Poles, signal		434		
	Sets, test		4		
	Torches, hand, u/s		65		
	Valves, W/T, u/s			2¼ tons	
	Wire, electric			2 cwts	
	" signal			2½ cwts	9
12	Empty Containers				
	Cans, oil, 2 gall, u/s		321		
	" petrol, 4 gall		485		
	" " " " N.R.		1,058		
	" water 4 gall		45		
	Drums, 4 gall		254		
	" 40/44 gall.		2,382		
	" " " " u/s		651		

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	Shorts, K.D.		949			
	Smocks, camouflage		17			
	Socks	pairs	2,645			
	Towels, hand		40			
	Trousers, B.D.		495			
	" " u/s		717			
	" Denim		140			
	" K.D.		1,357			
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	Jerricans, u/s		1,050			
	Merricans		4,900			
	Pellicans, 2 gall		2,445			
	" " " u/s		28,798			
	" 4 "		2,711			
	" " " u/s		9,800			
	Tanks, water		2			
	Tins, biscuit		1,124			221
13	Empty Packages (Other than Ammunition)					
	Chests, gun, Bren		10			-
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores					
	Bath		1			
	Benches, wood		2			
	Blankets		243			
	" u/s		611			
				c/f		4,836

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores (Cont'd)		b/f	4,836
	Burners, hydra	13		
	Containers, burner, hydra	5		
	" food, insulated	14		
	Cookers, Bluff	5		
	" u/s	34		
	Lamps, hurricane	23		
	" pressure	2		
	Nets, mosquito	782		
	Ovens	7		
	Refrigerator, u/s	1		
	Sirens, hand	2		
	Stoves, heating	1		
	" primus, u/s	9		
	Stretchers	67		
	Trays, cooking	6		9
15	Harness, Saddlery, Packsaddlery and Stable Machines			
	Straps, leather	3,600		-
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus			
	Blocks, tackle sets	6		
	Hooks	18		
	Jacks, lifting	5		
	Pulleys	8		
	Rope, wire, steel		10½ cwts	
	Slings, S.W.R.	12		1
18	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components			
	Barrels, gun, machine	14		
	" mortar	1		
	Bayonets	221		
	Guns, machine	14		
	Magazines, Bren	132		
	" rifle	85		
	" T.S.M.G.	38		
	Mountings, motley	2		
	Parts, gun, machine		1 cwts	
	Pistols, signalling	1		
	Ps.I.A.T.	2		
	Rifles	170		
	Tripods, gun, Bren	8		1
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Absorbers, shock	N/A		

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	Stoves, heating	1			
	" primus, u/s	9			
	Stretchers	67			
	Trays, cooking	6		9	
15	Harness, Saddlery, Packsaddlery and Stable Machines				
	Straps, leather	3,600		-	
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus				
	Blocks, tackle sets	6			
	Hooks	18			
	Jacks, lifting	5			
	Pulleys	8			
	Rope, wire, steel		10½ cwts		
	Slings, S.W.R.	12		1	
18	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components				
	Barrels, gun, machine	14			
	" mortar	1			
	Bayonets	221			
	Guns, machine	14			
	Magazines, Bren	132			
	" rifle	85			
	" T.S.M.G.	38			
	Mountings, motley	2			
	Parts, gun, machine		1 cwts		
	Pistols, signalling	1			
	Ps.I.A.T.	2			
	Rifles	170			
	Tripods, gun, Bren	3		1	
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				910
	Absorbers, shock	344			
	Accumulators	144			
	Ammeters	239			
	Arms, drop	40			
	" rocker	22			
	" rotor	24			
	Assemblies, axle	1,159			
	" brake	30			
	" clutch, M.T.	55			
	" engine, M/C	210			
	" " M.T.	589			
	" gearbox, M/C	177			
	" " M.T.	803			
	" steering	348			
	" suspension, A.F.V.	71			
	" towing	3			
	" transfer	179			
			c/f	4,847	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	4,847
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)			
	Assemblies, transmission	5		
	" wheel, M/C	66		
	" " M.T. complete with tyres and tubes	3,064		
	Axles, stub	4		
	Ballraces		1½ tons	
	Bars, bumper	74		
	" draw	119		
	" handle, M/C	17		
	" towing	100		
	Bearings	298		
	Belts, fan	271		
	Bisectors	17		
	Blades, fan	93		
	Blocks, cylinder	92		
	Boards, floor, lorry	14		
	Boards, tail	32		
	Bodies, M.T.	66		
	Bolts, "U"	45		
	Bonnets	62		
	Boxes, Bevel	80		
	" fuze	184		
	" junction	46		
	" rocker	19		
	" steering	8		
	" switch	120		
	" tool	74		
	Braces, wheel	95		
	Brackets, misc.	85		
	Brushes, M.T., various	84		
	Cables, control, various	278		
	" speedometer	37		
	Cats, M.T.	77		
	Crankcases	18		
	Canopies	10		
	Caps, piston	47		
	" radiator	27		
	" tank, petrol	15		
	" valve	24		
	Carburettors	212		
	Carriers, can, petrol	16		
	Casings, chain, M/C	33		
	" gearbox	8		
	" shaft, driving	5		
	Chains, M/C	118		
	" skid	131		

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Blades, fan	93		
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Boards, tail	32		
Bodies, M.T.	66		
Bolts, "U"	45		
Bonnets	62		
Boxes, Bevel	80		
" fuse	184		
" junction	46		
" rocker	19		
" steering	8		
" switch	120		
" tool	74		
Braces, wheel	95		
Brackets, misc.	85		
Brushes, M.T., various	84		
Cables, control, various	278		
" speedometer	37		
Cabs, M.T.	77		
Camshafts	18		
Canopies	10		
Caps, piston	47		
" radiator	27		
" tank, petrol	15		
" valve	24		
Carburettors	212		
Carriers, can, petrol	16		
Casings, chain, M/C	33		
" gearbox	8		
" shaft, driving	5		
Chains, M/C	116		
" skid	131		
" tow	51		
" various		1	ton
Chassis, M.T.	32		
Cleaners, air	181		
Clips, hose, radiator	24		
Coils, ignition	220		
Columns, steering	56		
Condensers	40		
Covers, bonnet	22		
" engine	42		
" radiator	24		
" seat	31		
Coupling, universal	64		
Crankcases	32		
Crankshafts	32		
Cushions, seat	30		
	c/f	4,	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	4,847
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)			
	Cut-outs, M.T.	53		
	Cylinders, brake	108		
	Differentials	32		
	Distributors	61		
	Doors, M.T.	249		
	Drums, brake	264		
	Dynamos	109		
	Exhausts, M.T.	128		
	Extinguishers, fire, M.T.	45		
	Fans, M.T.	66		
	Filters, fuel	269		
	" misc.	344		
	Forks, M/C	54		
	Frames, chassis	5		
	" M/C	31		
	" window	6		
	Fuses	24		
	Gaskets	283		
	Gauges, various	275		
	Gears, various	31		
	Generators	39		
	Glass, windscreen pieces	27		
	Grills, radiator	44		
	Guides, valve	30		
	Guns, grease	18		
	Halfshafts	278		
	Handles, door	10		
	" starting	17		
	Hinges, door	41		
	Holders, lamp	25		
	Hooks, tow	65		
	Horns, electric	160		
	Hoses, radiator	18		
	Housings, clutch	13		
	Hubs, wheel	254		
	Jacks	17		
	Joints, universal	32		
	Lamps, M.T.	153		
	Leads, battery & plug	33		
	Leaves, spring	59		
	Levers, control, various	69		
	" tyre	39		
	Links, air	12		
	Linings, brake	48		
	Links, drag	11		

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	misc.		269		
Forks, M/C			34		
Frames, chassis			54		
" M/C			5		
" window			31		
Fuzes			6		
Gaskets			24		
Gauges, various			283		
Gears, various			275		
Generators			31		
Glass, windscreen		pieces	39		
Grills, radiator			27		
Guides, valve			44		
Guns, grease			30		
Half-shafts			18		
Handles, door			278		
" starting			10		
Hinges, door			17		
Holders, lamp			41		
Hooks, tow			25		
Horns, electric			65		
Hoses, radiator			160		
Housings, clutch			18		
Hubs, wheel			13		
Jacks			254		
Joints, universal			17		
Lamps, M.T.			32		
Leads, battery & plug			133		
Leaves, spring			33		
Levers, control, various			59		
" tyre			69		
Lifter, air			39		
Linings, brake			12		
Links, drag			48		
Locks, door			11		
Magdynos			17		
Magnetos			8		
Manifolds, exhaust			6		
Motors, wiper, windscreen			36		
Mountings, engine			191		
Mudguards			5		
Muffs, handle-bar			60		
Nets, camouflage			63		
Nipples, grease			45		
Nuts & Bolts, M.T.			42		
Panels, instrument			637		
Parts, electrical			65		
Paste, Carborundum		tins	36		
Pedals			8		
Pinions			39		
Pins, cotter			18		
			67		
				c/f	4,847

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Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)			c/f	4,847
	Pipes, brake		34		
	" exhaust		60		
	" fuel		538		
	Pistons		187		
	Plates, clutch		98		
	" engine		29		
	Plugs, sparking		67		
	Pulleys, fan		35		
	Pumps, air		11		
	" foot		5		
	" fuel		157		
	" water		14		
	Radiators		473		
	" u/s		32		
	Ratchets		85		
	Regulators, voltage		173		
	Resistors		30		
	Rests, foot, M/C		22		
	Rims, wheel, M.T.		436		
	Rings, piston		50		
	Rods, connecting		52		
	" push		162		
	" track		11		
	" various		30		
	Ropes, tow		8		
	Saddles, M/C		7		
	Scrim	rolls	40		
	Seats		87		
	Sets, contact		12		
	Shackles, spring		32		
	Shafts, misc.		15		
	" propellor		775		
	Shoes, brake		56		
	Sides, bonnet		12		
	" lorry		3		
	Silencers, M.T.		70		
	Spares, M.T.	cases	4		
	Speedometers		254		
	Spindles		12		
	Springs, M/C		19		
	" M.T.		2,284		
	" valve		452		
	" various		76		
	" wheel, bogie		32		
	Sprockets, driving		150		
	Stands, M/C		12		
	Starters, kick				

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	w/s		39		
	Hatchets		25		
	Regulators, voltage		173		
	Resistors		50		
	Rests, foot, M/C		22		
	Rims, wheel, M.T.		436		
	Rings, piston		50		
	Rods, connecting		52		
	" push		154		
	" track		11		
	" various		30		
	Ropes, tow		8		
	Saddles, M/C		7		
	Serim	rolls	40		
	Seats		87		
	Sets, contact		13		
	Shackles, spring		22		
	Shafts, misc.		15		
	" propellor		775		
	Shoes, brake		56		
	Sides, bonnet		11		
	" lorry		3		
	Silencers, M.T.		70		
	Spares, M.T.	cases	4		
	Speedometers		254		
	Spindles		12		
	Springs, M/C		19		
	" M.T.		2,294		
	" valve		432		
	" various		76		
	" wheel, bogie		32		
	Sprockets, driving		130		
	Stands, M/C		12		
	Starters, kick		16		
	Starter Motors		184		
	Superstructure, canopy			7½ tons	
	Switches, various		663		
	Tanks, fuel		296		
	" " w/s		62		
	" M/C		40		
	" water, M.T.		7		
	Tappets		113		
	Taps, drain, radiator		31		
	" petrol		124		
	" various		63		
	Thermostats		36		
	Tools	box	1		
	Tracks, A.F.V.			17 tons	
	" sand		17		
				c/f	4,847

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	4,847
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)			
	Tubes, inner, M/C	278		
	" " M.T.	4,216		
	Turrets, tank	3		
	Tyres, M/C	27		
	" M.T.	2,229		
	" " u/s		22 tons	
	Unions, pipe, fuel	35		
	Valves, various	336		
	Wheels, bogie, A.F.V.	77		
	" chain	41		
	" fly	76		
	" steering	20		
	Winches	4		
	Windows	31		
	Windscreens	243		
	Wings	92		
	Wipers, windscreen	181		
	Parts, M.T. Misc.		7 tons	
	Vehicles			
	Lorries, 15 cwt	2		
	" 3- ton	1		
	" 3 ton (Less engine)	1		
	Tanks (Less engines)	3		
	Trailer	1		1,062
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.			
	Oil, waste galls	5,558		
	Paint, u/s		18 cwts	
	Paraffin, waste galls	1,080		31
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores			
	Glasses, periscope	12		-
25	R.E. Stores			
	Bars, steel, reinforcing		4 cwts	
	Bolts	30		
	Coal-tar		1 ton	
	Hose lengths	8		
	Iron, angle		1 ton	
	" corrugated, sheets		6½ tons	
	Pickets, iron	2,010		

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	" Fly		76			
	" steering		28			
	Winches		4			
	Windows		31			
	Windscreens		243			
	Wings		92			
	Wipers, windscreen		181			
	Parts, M.T. Misc.			7 tons		
	Vehicles					
	Lorries, 15 cwt		2			
	" 3- ton		1			
	" 3 ton (Less engine)		1			
	Tanks (Less engines)		3			
	Trailer.		1		1,062	
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.					
	Oil, waste	galls	5,556			
	Paint, u/s			18 cwts		
	Paraffin, waste	galls	1,080		31	
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores					
	Glasses, periscope		12		-	
25	R.E. Stores					
	Bars, steel, reinforcing			4 cwts		
	Bolts		30			
	Coal-tar			1 ton		
	Hose	lengths	8			
	Iron, angle			1 ton		
	" corrugated, sheets			6½ tons		
	Pickets, iron		2,010			
	Piping			1 ton		
	" copper	feet	33			
	" iron	feet	185			
	" rubber	feet	100			
	" steel	feet	43			
	Ribs, Nissen Hut		138			1308
	Steel rod			10 cwts		
	" spring	feet	80			
	Tank, water, pressure		1			
	Timber			14 tons		
	Truck, perforated			1½ tons		
	Tubing, iron	feet	276			
	" misc.	box	1			
	Wire, darnert			13 cwts	32	
				c/f	3,772	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	5,972
26	**Scrap Metal**			
	Ferrous			
	Machinery, cast		133½ tons	
	Plating, armour		2 cwts	
	Steel, heavy		1556 tons	
	" light		21 tons	
	Non-Ferrous			
	Aluminium		2½ tons	
	" cast		3½ tons	
	Brass		4 tons	
	Bronze, mixed		20 tons	
	Copper		18 tons	
	Phosphor bronze		1½ tons	
	Zinc, ingots		2½ tons	1,762
27	**Scrap Miscellaneous**			
	Canvas		24 tons	
	Hessian, cuttings		¾ cwt	
	Leather		¼ cwt	
	Matting, u/s		1 cwt	
	Rags, cleaning		2½ tons	
	Rubber		3 tons	
	Tarpaulin, u/s		11½ cwts	
	Wood		10 tons	40
30	**Tools**			
	Augers, post	10		
	Awls, splicing	23		
	Axes	7		
	Bars, tommy	5		
	Braces, drill	10		
	Callipers	25		
	Chisels	44		
	Cutters, wire	11		
	Dies, cutting, screw	5		
	Drifts, brass	5		
	Drills, various	7		
	Engines, water-cooled	1		
	Files	10		
	Footprints	5		
	Gauges, feeler sets	7		
	Hacksaws	12		
	Hammers	13		
	Handles, file	10		

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	Brass			4	tons	
	Bronze, mixed			20	tons	
	Copper			18	tons	
	Phosphor bronze			1¼	tons	
	Zinc, ingots			2½	tons	1,762
27	Scrap Miscellaneous					
	Canvas			24	tons	
	Hessian, cuttings			[illegible]	cwt	
	Leather			[illegible]	cwt	
	Matting, u/s			[illegible]	cwt	
	Rags, cleaning			2¼	tons	
	Rubber			3	tons	
	Tarpaulin, u/s			11½	cwts	
	Wood			10	tons	40
30	Tools					
	Augers, post		10			
	Awls, splicing		23			
	Axes		7			
	Bars, tommy		5			
	Braces, drill		10			
	Callipers		25			
	Chisels		44			
	Cutters, wire		11			
	Dies, cutting, screw		5			
	Drifts, brass		5			
	Drills, various		7			
	Engines, water-cooled		1			
	Files		10			
	Footprints		3			
	Gauges, feeler	sets	7			
	Hacksaws		12			
	Hammers		13			
	Handles, file		10			
	Heads, pick		4			
	" shovel		810			
	Inflators		5			
	Injectors, oil		11			
	Irons, soldering		12			
	Lamps, brazing		4			
	Lathe		1			
	Lifters, valve		5			
	Picks		17			
	Press, screw, hand		1			
	Pliers		5			
	Punches, various		72			
	Rakes		16			
	Scrapers		6			
	Screwdrivers		30			
	Shovels		65			
	Snaps, rivet		30			
				o/f		7,774

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
30	Tools (Cont'd)		b/f	7,774
	Snips, Tinman	2		
	Spades	9		
	Spanners	180		
	" box	300		
	Stamps, screw	2		
	Stocks, drill, hand	15		
	Taps, various	32		
	Tongs, Blacksmith	19		
	Tools, lathe	25		
	" milling	14		
	Vices, hand	48		
	Wrenches	33		5
33	R.A.F. Stores			
	Plugs, sparking, aero		1¼ tons	
	Tanks, petrol, aluminium, u/s	4		
	Tyres, aero	74		4
34	Bottles & Glass			
	Bottles	2,200		
	Carboys	8		
	Glass pieces		4 cwts	1
36	Drums, Oil (5 & 10 gall only)			
	5 gall	5,686		
	5 " u/s	1,405		
	10 "	10		
	10 " u/s	20		18
37	Paper			
	Cardboard		1½ tons	
	Maps, u/s		1¼ tons	
	Paper, tarred rolls	12		3
38	Sacking & Sacks			
	Hessian		15 cwts	1
42	Allied Stores			
	Bags, postal	40		
	Guns, A.Tk.	2		
	" machine	1		
	Rifles	7		
43	Captured Stores			

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	" milling		1			
	Vices, hand		48			
	Wrenches		33			5
33	R.A.F. Stores					
	Plugs, sparking, aero			1¼ tons		
	Tanks, petrol, aluminium, u/s		4			
	Tyres, aero		74			4
34	Bottles & Glass					
	Bottles		2,200			
	Carboys		8			
	Glass	pieces		4 carts		1
36	Drums, Oil (5 & 10 gall only)					
	5 gall		5,686			
	5 " u/s		1,405			
	10 "		10			
	10 " u/s		20			18
37	Paper					
	Cardboard			1½ tons		
	Maps, u/s			1½ tons		
	Paper, tarred	reams	12			3
38	Sacking & Sacks					
	Hessian			15 carts		1
42	Allied Stores					
	Bags, postal		40			
	Guns, A.Tk.		2			
	" machine		1			
	Rifles		7			
43	Captured Stores					
	Ammunition Emptied, Packages, Etc					
	Cases, shell		50			
	Artillery Equipment					
	Guns		1			
	Trailer, gun		1			
	Wheels, gun		2			
	Camp Equipment					
	Beds, Iron		156			
	Carts, Wagons & Appurtenances, & Bicycles					
	Wheels, wooden		6			
				c/f	7,806	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
43	Captured Stores (Cont'd)		b/f	7,806
	Electrical & Signalling Stores			
	Cable, quad		1 ton	
	Climbers, pole sets	2		
	Sets, wireless	1		
	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Chests, medicine	3		
	Hangers, coat	500		
	Harness, Saddlery, Packsaddlery, & Stable Machines			
	Arches, saddlery	660		
	Bars, side, saddlery	360		
	Carriers, saddlery	900		
	Fittings, buckle, saddlery		1 cwt	
	Saddles, (horse and mule)	24		
	Trusses, saddlery	340		
	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components			
	Barrels, gun, machine	34		
	Guns, A.Tk.	1		
	" machine	45		
	Rifles	194		
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Bodies, ambulance	1		
	Lamps, heating, car, anti-freeze	85		
	Tools			
	Blowlamps	102		11
			TOTAL :	7,817 Tons

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(b) Items Manufactured and/or Repaired at Salvage Depots

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
8	Camp Equipment			
	Braziers, made	512		2
10	Clothing & Necessaries			
	Laces, boot, made	670		-
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores			
	Batteries, dry, lamp, electric, made	3,400		1
13	Empty Packages (Other than Ammunition)			
	Cases, engine, made	23		
	" " " complete with fittings	296		
	" W.P., made	61		
	" " repaired	56		
	Crates, capes, A.G., made	1,056		
	Lids, case, W.P., made	4		
	Tins, dressing, pre-sterilized, made	3,906		15
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Buckets, fire, made	275		
	Burners, tramtone, made	3		
	Chairs, arm, made	4		
	Darts, made	24		
	Lamps, warning, made	3		
	Plate, hot, made	1		
	Racks, toast, made	12		1
19	Mining Stores & Mining Timber			
	Adaptors, cylinder, made	4		-
22	Office Equipment			
	Boxes, file, made	1		
	Cabinets, filing, made	1		
	Case, typewriter, made	1		
	Desk, made	1		
	Trays, file, made	10		
	" pen, made	5		

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10	Clothing & Necessaries				
	Laces, boot, made		670		-
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores				
	Batteries, dry, lamp, electric, made		3,400		1
15	Empty Packages (Other than Ammunition)				
	Cases, engine, made		25		
	" " " complete with fittings		296		
	" w.p., made		61		
	" " repaired		36		
	Crates, capes, A.G., made		1,056		
	Lids, case, W.p., made		4		
	Tins, dressing, pre-sterilized, made		3,306		15
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores				
	Buckets, fire, made		275		
	Burners, trombone, made		3		
	Chairs, arm, made		1		
	Darts, made		24		
	Lamps, warming, made		3		
	Plate, hot, made		1		
	Racks, toast, made		12		1
19	Mining Stores & Mining Timber				
	Adaptors, cylinder, made		4		-
22	Office Equipment				
	Boxes, file, made		1		
	Cabinets, filing, made		1		
	Case, typewriter, made		1		
	Desk, made		1		
	Trays, file, made		10		
	" pen, made		5		
	Stencils, alphabet, made	set	1		
	" numerals, made	set	1		-
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc				
	Wax, recovered			1½ tons	2 1901
25	A.R. Stores				
	Elbows, pipe, stove, made		38		
	Hinges, butt, made		30		
	" " , made		28		
	Nuts & Bolts (engine case), made		2,096		
	Ovens, made		12		
	Piping, stove, made	lengths	121		
	Plates, (engine case), made		1,200		
	Signboards, made		35		
	Stoves, made		530		3
				c/f	24

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
26	Scrap Metal		b/f	24
	Solder, recovered		2¼ cwts	-
27	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Fabric, recovered from Capes A.C.		1½ tons	
	Sawdust and Shavings sacks	27		
	Wood, kindling		21 tons	23
30	Tools			
	Chisels, large, made	34		
	Funnels, petrol, made	61		
	Punches, small, made	25		
	Screwdrivers, made	500		
	Tongs, Blacksmith, made	25		-
34	Bottles & Glass			
	Glasses, drinking, made	96		-
38	Sacking & Sacks			
	Bags, mail, made	280		
	Sacks, made	520		-
			TOTAL :	47 Tons

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PART I - RE-ISSUES

(c) To Military Mission to Italian Army

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements			
	Equipment, web, u/s		112 tons	112
10	Clothing & Necessaries			
	Clothing, misc., u/s		27 tons	
	Overall, clothing, u/s		78 tons	
	Underclothing, misc.,u/s		248 tons	
	Uniform, clothing, u/s		112 tons	465
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Blankets, u/s		38 tons	38
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			615
	Accumulators	100		
	Assemblies, wheel, M.T.	51		
	" " M/C	150		
	Belts, fan	6		
	Generators, M.T., u/s	2		
	Protectors, tube, inner	40		
	Tubes, inner	279		
	Tyres, M/C	110		
	" M.T.	822		30
33	R.A.F. Stores			
	Tubes, small, aero	4		
	Tyres, " "	10		-
			TOTAL :	645 Tons

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	Overall, clothing, u/s		78 tons		
	Underclothing, misc., u/s		248 tons		
	Uniform, clothing, u/s		112 tons	465	
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores				
	Blankets, u/s		38 tons	38	
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			615	
	Accumulators	100			
	Assemblies, wheel, M.T.	51			
	" " M/C	150			
	Belts, fan	6			
	Generators, M.T., u/s	2			
	Protectors, tube, inner	40			
	Tubes, inner	279			
	Tyres, M/C	110			
	" M.T.	822		30	
33	R.A.F. Stores				
	Tubes, small, aero	4			
	Tyres, " "	10		-	
			TOTAL :	645 Tons	

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PART I - RE-ISSUES

(4) To Allied Commission

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements			
	Tins, mess	17,456		12
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc			
	Cases, shell, brass		93¾ tons	
	Containers, cardboard		25 tons	119
8	Camp Equipment			
	Kettles, camp	5,680		17
10	Clothing & Necessaries			
	Boots, a/s	700		1
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Bowls, hand	583		
	Dishes, cooking	1,576		
	Forks and spoons		½ cwt	
	Nets, mosquito, a/s		1 ton	
	Pails, tea	480		
	Plates, metal	1,040		
	Trays, cooking	100		5
26	Scrap Metal			
	Non-Ferrous			
	Copper, scrap		7½ tons	8
27	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Canvas		150 tons	150
43	Captured Stores			
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Motor Cycles	2		
	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Cuttings, cloth		1 ton	1
	TOTAL :			313 Tons

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	Cases, shell, brass		95¾ tons	
	Containers, cardboard		25 tons	119
8	Camp Equipment			
	Kettles, camp	5,680		17
10	Clothing & Necessaries			
	Boots, u/s	780		1
11	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Bowls, hand	565		
	Dishes, cooking	1,576		
	Forks and spoons		½ cwt	
	Nets, mosquito, u/s		1 ton	
	Pails, tin	480		
	Plates, metal	1,040		
	Trays, cooking	100		5
26	Scrap Metal			
	Non-Ferrous			
	Copper, scrap		7½ tons	8
27	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Canvas		150 tons	150
43	Captured Stores			
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Motor Cycles	2		
	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Cuttings, cloth		1 ton	1
	TOTAL :			319 Tons

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Salvage Return for four weeks ended 26 January 1945

PART I - RE-ISSUES

(c) To French Military Authorities under Mutual Aid

Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
10	Clothing & Necessaries				
	Boots, ankle	pairs	350		1
12	Empty Containers				
	Drums, bitumen		5,000		83
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores				
	Boilers, portable, 20 gall.		3		-
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Assemblies, axle		2		
	" gearbox		3		
	Column, steering		1		
	Tanks, petrol		378		8
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.				
	Paint, misc.			1 ton	1
25	R.E. Stores				
	Barrows, steel		10		
	Basins, lavatory		20		
	Baths		6		
	Cisterns, flushing		2		
	Closets, flushing (pans only)		10		
	Latrines, porcelain		5		
	Piping			10 tons	
	Pump, broken		1		
	Truck, Sommerfeld			7 tons	
	Wire, barbed			½ ton	19
26	Scrap Metal				
	Ferrous				
	Machinery Cast			14½ tons	
	Iron, strip, light, misc.			1 ton	15
33	R.A.F. Stores				
	Tanks, refuelling		2		-
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.				
	Cordage and rope			10 cwts	1

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14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Boilers, portable, 20 gall.	3		-
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Assemblies, axle	2		
	" gearbox	3		
	Column, steering	1		
	Tanks, petrol	378		8
23	Oils, Paints. Petrol, Etc.			
	Paint, misc.		1 ton	1
25	R.E. Stores			
	Barrows, steel	10		
	Basins, lavatory	20		
	Baths	5		
	Cisterns, flushing	2		
	Closets, flushing (pans only)	10		
	Latrines, porcelain	5		
	Piping		10 tons	
	Pump, broken	1		
	Track, Sommerfeld		7 tons	
	Wire, barbed		¼ ton	19
26	Scrap Metal			
	Ferrous			
	Machinery Cast		14½ tons	
	Iron, strip, light, misc.		1 ton	15
33	R.A.F. Stores			
	Tanks, refuelling	2		-
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.			
	Cordage and rope		10 cwts	1
37	Paper			
	Bags, paper, cement, torn	80,000		30
42	Allied Stores			
	Cars, saloon	12		9
43	Captured Stores			
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Extinguishers, fire	150		
	Lorries, 3 ton	5		
	" 6 ton	1		
	Trailers	7		
	" water, 200 gall.	2		
	" workshop	4		100
			TOTAL	267 Tons

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PART II - SALES

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight Tons cwts	Value £	Total Weight TONS	Total Value £
26	Scrap Metal Light Iron		24 -	112	24	112
35	Cordage, Ropes, Etc. Rope		1 -	25	1	25
37	Paper Cardboard Paper, waste		1 19 126 17	12 1,877	129	1,899
45	Captured Stores M.T. & A.F.V. Stores Bodies & chassis, burnt		25 -	30	25	30
				TOTAL :	179 Tons	£2,056

PART III - SHIPMENT TO U.K.

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21 FEB 1945

Subject: Salvage and Repairing of Metal Barrels.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/25

20 Feb 1945

To: Civil Affairs Sub Commission, A.C.
(for attn Lt Col WHITE)

21 FEB 1945

1. Reference conversation HARVEY - FARDELL, attached is a translated copy of a letter received from the Ministry of War - 1660 23/V/3 dated 29 Jan 45. 132/1

2. Will you please investigate the position and supply us with the necessary information with which to answer the Ministry of War's letter.

P.P. Fardell

PPF/le

P. P. FARDELL, J/Comd.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Ministry of War.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

SALVAGE DIRECTORATE

AFHQ/23/SAL/266,

20 Feb 45.

Tel: FREEDOM 806.

A.D. Salvage,
HQ. Eighth Army (Rear).

D.A.D. Salvage,
HQ. No. 1 District.
HQ. No. 2 District.
HQ. No. 3 District.
HQ. Br. Incr. Fifth Army (Rear).

AQ/25

SUBJECT: Issues of Salvage to M.M.I.A. and A.C.

1. Further to para 2 of AFHQ/23/SAL/222, dated 27 Nov 44. —— 44/1 refers

2. In future it will be necessary for the vouchers called for in sub-paras 2(a)(ii) and 2(b)(ii) to be priced with the value of the material issued.

3. In order to ensure that no delay in re-issues occurs as a result of this procedure, a list of rates at which material is to be vouchered has been laid down (see Appendix 'A'), and vouchers will be endorsed with appropriate value at time of issue.

4. In the main this list consists of a rate per ton for some of the 43 categories into which Salvage material is normally recorded, and the rates are based on the average prices obtained during 1944. In addition, detailed prices for certain specific items of greater value are given. Rates for sections in which disposals are rarely made have not been included.

5. It is anticipated that there will be at times arisings of valuable material for which a specific price is not laid down. Some discretion will have to be used and when it is considered advisable a request will be made to this office on PF/21, in duplicate, for a price to be specified.

6. Amendments and additions to the price list will be issued periodically.

7. Prices at which "Lots" of material released to M.M.I.A. or A.C. are to be charged should be included on any instructions or Release Notes that are issued to C.O. Salvage Depot, care being taken to specify if it is a rate per ton or for each item.

8. No action is required in respect of re-issues that have already been made to M.M.I.A. and A.C.

9. AFHQ/23/SAL/222, dated 27 Nov 44, will accordingly be amended as follows:

(a) Para 2, sub-paras (a)(ii)

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1. Further to part 2 of AHQ/23/SAL/222, dated 27 Nov 44. —— 99/1 Defence

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8. No action is required in respect of re-issues that have already been made to M.M.I.A. and A.C.

9. AHQ/23/SAL/222, dated 27 Nov 44, will accordingly be amended as follows:

(a) Para 2, sub-para (a)(ii)

ADD: "(j) Value of material.

(b) Para 2, sub-para (b)(ii)

ADD: "and value of material.

See folio 173. 1909

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/s/ T.P.A. GALLOWAY, Major,
/t/ T.P.A. GALLOWAY, Major,
D.A.D. Salvage, for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

Copy to:- Q(AE)
Q(Maint).
Financial Adviser.
D.P.I.C.
G.5.
HQ. A.C.
HQ. M.M.I.A.

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Appendix 'A' to AG0/23/S.J/266.

VALUES OF SALVAGE MATERIAL

1. General Salvage material in the following Sections will be valued at the rates per ton quoted below.

	Section	Description	Price per Ton	Remarks
(a)	3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, etc.	2,400 lire	Other than fired brass.
(b)	8	Camp Equipment	2,600 lire	
(c)	12	Empty Containers	4,800 lire	
(d)	20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores	6,000 lire	Excluding vehicles, tyres and tubes.
(e)	25	R.E. Stores	4,000 lire	
(f)	26	Scrap Metal (Ferrous)	1,000 lire	
(g)	34	Bottles & Glass	12,800 lire	
(h)	35	Cordage, Rope	6,000 lire	
(j)	36	Drums, Oil (5 and 10 gall.)	9,200 lire	Including American 7½ gall.
(k)	37	Waste Paper & Cardboard	3,200 lire	Excluding Maps.

2. The items and materials detailed below will be charged at the specific rates quoted and not at rates in para 1 above.

	Price
Accumulators, u/s	5,000 lire per ton.
Bodies, lorry, metal, 15-cwt.	400 lire each.
" " " 3-ton.	3,000 lire each.
Cable, Signal	3,600 lire per ton.
Camouflage Netting	2,000 lire per ton.
Canvas & Tentage	12,000 lire per ton.
Captured Vehicles (Other than M/Cs)	16,000 lire each.
Captured M/Cs	3,600 lire each.
Copper Scrap.	

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(e)	25	R.S. Stores	4,000	lire
(f)	26	Scrap Metal (Ferrous)	1,000	lire
(g)	34	Bottles & Glass	12,800	lire
(h)	35	Cordage, Rope	6,000	lire
(j)	36	Drums, Oil (5 and 10 gall.)	9,200	lire Including American 7½ gall.
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Cable, Signal	3,600	lire per ton.
Camouflage Netting	2,000	lire per ton.
Canvas & Tentage	12,000	lire per ton.
Captured Vehicles (Other than M/Cs)	18,000	lire each.
Captured M/Cs	3,600	lire each.
Copper Scrap	23,000	lire per ton.
Equipment, Web	10,000	lire per ton.
Fired Brass Cartridge Cases	18,000	lire per ton.
Gaskets, Copper	18,000	lire per ton.
Hessian Cuttings, Grade I	10,000	lire per ton.
" " Grade II	2,800	lire per ton.
Kitbags	14,000	lire per ton.
Maps, u/s	6,000	lire per ton.
Nets, Sand, Canvas	6,000	lire per ton.

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	Price
Rubber Dust	5,000 lire per ton.
Rubber Scrap Soft	10,000 lire per ton.
Scrap Leather	10,000 lire per ton.
Shoes, Canvas	16,000 lire per ton.
Tanks, Water, 200 gall.	2,000 lire each.
" " 1000 gall.	3,000 lire each.
Tins, Mess	4 lire each.
Trays, Cooking	25 lire each.
Tyres, mixed	30,000 lire per ton.
Tyres, 600 - 16	400 lire each.
" 1050 - 20) " 1050 - 16)	1,700 lire each.
" M/C	150 lire each.
Cotton Rags (Includes woollen and cotton underclothing, cotton overalls and K.D., etc.)	20,000 lire per ton.
Wool Rags (Includes battledress, Greatcoats and blankets, etc.)	60,000 lire per ton.
Textiles, Misc. - T.6. unsorted	14,000 lire per ton.
Boots, u/c	60 lire per pair.

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Trays, Cooking	25	lire each.
Tyres, mixed	50,000	lire per ton.
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Textiles, Misc. - T.6. unsorted	14,000	lire per ton.
Boots, u/s	60	lire per pair.

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(Sheet 2 to Appendix 'A' to AFHQ/23/SAL/256)

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Subject :- Re-issues to Italian Red Cross.

3 District
Tel Ext 79
151/1/Sal

20 Feb 45

Land Forces Sub-Commission,
A.C., (AMILA), Rome.

178/Sal.

142 AQ/25
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Ref your AQ/25 dated 7 Feb 45.

1. It is regretted that a mistake has been made by forwarding to you the list of tyres and other material that was issued to the Italian Red Cross.

2. Information has now been received from Salvage Branch, AFHQ that this information should have been sent to AC, Rome and not to AMILA.

3. If you would be good enough to return all the AB 108s connected with this re-issue they will in due course be sent to AC, Rome.

4. This office has no copy of letter AFHQ 9187/A(AE) dated 5 Dec 44.

F.F.S. Passmore

F.F.S. Passmore,
Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

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Subject: Salvage and Repairing of Metal Barrels.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/25

2.6 Feb 1945

To: Civil Affairs Sub Commission, A.C.
(for attn Lt Col WHITE)

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1. Reference conversation HARVEY - PARDELL, attached is a translated copy of a letter received from the Ministry of War - 1660 25/V/3 dated 29 Jan 45.

2. Will you please investigate the position and supply us with the necessary information with which to answer the Ministry of War's letter.

P.P.F.

PF/lo

P. F. PARDELL, J/Comd.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Ministry of War.

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AQ/25191/2

Subject:- Scrap Metal.

Tec 19 Feb

Liaison Officer,
Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (AMIA)
c/o HQ., I District
Ref LO/A4.

17 Feb 45.

To:- Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
M. M. I. A. R O M E.

1. Would you please instruct Salvage, as to disposal or otherwise.

2. I do not know whether this material is of use to the Italian Military authorities. It is of no use to 209 Division or units in I District.

W H Bowen
Capt.
AMIA LO., I District.

Copy to:- Salvage, 55 Area.

Very Grateful
Has it no military
to Gen Ryan programme
to the ICA the Italian
of the Italian army. We
our interested in our wreckage
reparable materials but
"junk" stuff.

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Subject:- Scrap Metal. A4

HQ 55 Area
55/Sal/15
/4 Feb 45

M.M.I.A. Liaison Officer,
c/o HQ 1 District.

1. There is approx 15/20 tons of scrap panelling including old petrol tanks and doors lying at No.24 Base Salvage Unit, CASTIGLION (Map Ref: R3119) which is available for disposal.

2. If this material is required by MMIA please send me a written demand for its release and make the necessary arrangements for its disposal.

3. If the material is not required by MMIA please advise me to this effect.

V.E. Emery,
Capt,
Area Salvage Officer.

/NAC

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MINISTERO DELLA GVERR

Gabinetto

Prot. N. 203838 /II Allegati
Risposta al foglio del 227 - 5 - 45

Roma, 16 FEB. 1945

OGGETTO: Organizzazione dei recuperi nella zona liberata.-

Al LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) -
= R O M A

Riferimento lettera n.A.Q./25 del 9 corrente.

Alla lettera n. A.Q./25 del 1° febbraio c.a. di codesta Sub Commission, si è già risposto con lettera n. 202875/II del 5 corrente.

Ref. AQ/25 dated 4th inst 144
Letter AQ/25 dated Feb. 1 1945 135
annexed with lett. d'ordine
202875/II dated
5th inst. — 141/2

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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Translation

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From : Min of W
To : M.M.I.A.

AQ/25 Ref. 2721/371

Date. Feb. 15, 1945

Subject: German munitions recovered.

We hereby inform you that on the occasion of clearance work performed on the 3rd inst. at the "Pantano Macrostert" school on Via Aurelia, the Rome Artillery Directorate recovered 150 German 75 mm shells which were preventing the school from operating.

Said munitions were stored at the R 110 (Riano) Depot at the disposal of your Commission.

Signed: P. Gay

Wdy

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Traslato

Roma, 15 FEB. 1945 XXIII

Please

Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE ARTIGLIERIA E
Motorizz/ne
Ufficio Ricuperi

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

Divisione
Sez.
Fasc. N° 2721/371 Allegati

Risposta al f. del
Div. Sez. N°

OGGETTO: munizionamento tedesco ricuperato.-

NOTA

Si informa che la Direzione Artiglieria di Roma in occasione della bonifica effettuata il giorno 3 corrente presso la scuola "Pantano Monastero" sulla Via Aurelia, ha ricuperato n.150 granate tedesche da 75, che complessivamente [illegible]

Detto munizionamento è stato accantonato nel deposito di (NIBBIO) 110 a disposizione di codesta Commissione.-

d'ordine
IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO
(P. Gay)

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Subject: Shell cases in Sicily

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME
AQ/2E

15 Feb 45.

MINISTRY OF WAR

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1. Reference your 20141511 dated 2 Feb 45.

2. Investigations are being carried out regarding this matter. It would appear, however, that these shell cases were captured material of Italian and German origin and therefore not the concern of the Ministry of War. Confirmation of this fact is awaited and you will be informed accordingly.

P. P. Pardell

P. P. FARDELL, J/Comd,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

PPF/wk

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Copy MMIA LC SICILY (your 1396/1 of 13 Feb refers)

See folio 1691/1990

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN [redacted] THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO [redacted] 512

In reply
refer to

AG 400.93/258 [redacted]-G

DR/25.

13 February 1945

SUBJECT: Transfer of Salvage Items to MMIA

TO : Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, APO 782

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1. Reference is made to item, Needle, sewing, hand, assorted, as listed in paragraph 1, letter, this headquarters, file and subject as above, dated 9 February 1945. It is requested that original account of 1400 each be increased to 7000 each.

2. The Commanding General, Military Mission to the Italian Army, is being furnished a copy of this letter for his information.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MCNARNEY:

ALBERT W. KOBE
Captain, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

copy sent:
CG Tenscouth
CG MMIA

DF, ALCOM FOR: Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

+ STATO DDD ROMA PALERMO 10626 119 13 12/15 ==

TO: HQ ALCOM FOR MMIA ROME ==

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No:

FROM LONG MMIA LO SICILY 1395/1 ASSIFICATION:

REFERENCE No: PRECEDENCE: = PRIORITY

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OFFICE OF ORIGIN: 143

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13 FEB 1945 1400
IL CAPITANO ADDETTO

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FROM LONG MMIA LO SICILY 1395/1 ASSIFICATION: (P)

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13 FEB 1945 1400
IL CAPITANO ADDETTO

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Distribution: +++ RCV. TRE DSP A R.C. AT ORE 1330130245 NAL

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AQ III ✓

Div. I 203474/II Allegati 1 Roma 3800 - 10 febbr. 945
227-475

OGGETTO: Cessione a ditta privata di bossoli appartenenti all'Amministrazione militare italiana

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

Seguito lettera 20145/II del 2 febbraio c.a.-

Si trasmette copia della fattura relativa alla vendita di bossoli rilasciata alla Ditta Mondello di Messina dal Salvage Office Sicily.=

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

pr Ramsdale

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ocher n. 56 A/25 4 Spt 1944

To be revived by the Cashier n. 8 Command Pay Office
the sum of Two hundred and Twenty thousand

Lire (220,000 hire)

amount due in respect of the following:

Assorted collection of light stul scrap at Messina.

Bron: Sig. h. Monidello
Caffe Trinacria
Messina

F/to Capt.M. Williani
Area Salvage Officer
H.A. 56 Area

Debited
Credited } in my account for

Spt 1944

Date of suppley or Service
n. 22 F.C.O.
12 Spt 1944

S. Paorano Capt Paymaster
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IL TEN.COL.CAPO UFFICIO II
(Fausto MONACO)

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO [redacted] 512

8/25

In reply refer to

AG 400.98/[redacted] 6 February 1946

SUBJECT: Transfer of Salvage Items to MMIA.

TO : Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section, APO 782

1. Confirming telephone conversation 7 February 1946, request the following listed salvage repair supplies be packed and made available to a representative of MMIA in quantities and at depots as indicated:

ITEM	UNIT	QUANTITY	DEPOT
Needles, stitching, curved, No 45	doz	500	Naples
Awls, stitching, curved, No 45	doz	500	Leghorn
Needles, sewing, sewing, Singer No 21-178x7	ea	500	Leghorn
Needle, sewing, hand, assorted	ea	1400	Leghorn

2. Transfer of above listed salvage repair supplies is to be made on a loan basis. Replacement is to be made by the British Army when supplies are received from the United Kingdom.

3. It is requested that this headquarters be advised when transfer is accomplished, and when replacement from the British Army is received.

4. The Commanding General, MMIA, is being furnished a copy of this correspondence for information.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL [redacted]:

CC TO CG, MMIA

Copy furnished
CG, MMIA
CG, [redacted]
QM Sec (Salv)
G-4 (B)

NA 12/2

/A 7 Feb

ROBERT N. KASH,
Captain, AGD,
Asst Adjutant General.

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Subject: Salvage of Italian Army Material.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AC/25

1 Feb 1945

To: Transportation Sub Commission, A.C.

Reference your ACC/TN/54 dated 13 Oct 44.

A report has been received from the Italian Ministry of War - a translated copy of which is attached as requested by you. The Ministry has also confirmed verbally that they are in no way concerned with the contents of these waggons.

P.P.F.

TPF/lc

P. P. FARDELL, J/Comd.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Ministry of War - your 1854 dated 1 Feb 45 refers. — 139

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Subject: Salvage Organization in Liberated Zones.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/25

To: Ministry of War (Gabinetto)

9 Feb 45.

Ref this HQ letter AQ/25 of 1 Feb 45. 135

May this HQ please be informed whether a reply may now be given to the above quoted letter. 1883

P.P.C.
P.J.NOAKES, Colonel,
For Major General
M. M. I. A.

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Subject:- Release of shell cases belonging to Italian Ministry of War to a private firm.

Land Forces Sub-Con. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

AQ/25
8 February, 45.

To:- MMIA LO SICILY.

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1. Reference translated copy of attached letter 201415/II 227-4-5 dated 2 Feb. 45, from the Ministry of War.

2. You are requested to investigate this matter and report to this H.Q.

P. P. C.

P.P. FARUKIL, J/Cmd.
for Col. DA & QMG.
M.M.I.A.

PFF/gb

Copy to: Ministry of War.

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TRANSLATION

From: M of W
To: MMIA

Ref: 201415/II
227 - 4 - 5

Date: 2 Feb 45

Subject: Release of shell-cases belonging to the Italian military admin. to a private firm.

The Independent Arty. Sec. of the PALERMO Mil. Terr. HQ. informs us that they have frozen a lot of 1400 brass and iron shell-cases (90/53 and 75/46) together with other material belonging to the Italian Mil. Admin., which have been released to the MONDELLO firm of MESSINA by the Salvage Office SICILY for the sum of L.220,00 .

This release is in disagreement with instructions in this respect, for which reason I believe it was made without previous authorisation from MMIA.

I therefore submit the question to you, asking you to kindly have the sum paid returned to the firm, so that this Ministry may freely dispose of the a/m material which are its property.

(Sgd) A. CASATI.

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SUBJECT: Re-issues of Salvage Material

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/25
7 February 1945

TO : HQ No. 3 District
Att: D.A.D. Salvage

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1. We have your letter 151/1/Sal of 12 January, listing equipment and textiles which have been turned over to the Italian military, also, listing tires and other automotive parts which you state have been issued to the Secretary General, Italian Red Cross.

2. We are unable to locate the letter mentioned as your authority for turning these items over to the Italian Red Cross, therefore request copy of Ltr. AFHQ 9187/Q(AR) d/d of 5 Dec. 44.

3. Invite your attention to the fact that the Italian Red Cross is a separate organization from the Italian military, and that MMIA does not have any authority for dealing with the Italian Red Cross; but if you will send us a copy of the letter requested above, we will assist you in sorting the material out.

TOMMY T. ROSE, Lt. Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

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MESSAGE FORM OUT

FROM: MMIA

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
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TO:(FOR ACTION) 22 SALVAGE DEPOT CMF

TO:(FOR INFO) ALCOM SICILY FOR MMIA LO

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YOUR 22SD/120/S/12 DATED 1 FEB (.) SERIAL 36 (.) 6 ITALIAN 120 MM GUNS REQUIRED BY ITALIAN MINISTRY OF WAR WHO WILL COLLECT APPROX 12 FEB

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATION FPC 9-11 W/O

COPY TO: ITALIAN MINISTRY OF WAR

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,
AFHQ/60/1/SAL/90,
6 Feb 45,
FREEDOM 806.

Q (AE). G-2 (Tech).
D.C.S. Financial Adviser (Br).
D.S.T. C.I.A.S. Q(AE)
D.M.W. H.Q., M.M.I.A.
M.C.F.M. H.Q., A.G.
D.F. & S. (3) Branch, M.A.A.F. (Rear)

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SUBJECT :- Salvage Return.

The following Salvage Return is forwarded herewith :-

C.M.F. for five weeks ended 29 December 1944.

J. STRAWSON, Capt.,
Staff Captain, for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

JS/GAM.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Salvage Return C.M.F. for five weeks ended 29 December 1944

PART I - RE-ISSUES

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements			
	Bottles, water	1,415		
	Covers, breech, rifle	180		
	Equipment, web		4½tons	
	Helmets, steel	1,708		
	Tins, mess	3,424		
	Tins, mess, u/s	23		
	Tools, entrenching case	1		8
2	Ammunition			
	Ammunition, various		60tons	60
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, etc			
	Ammunition Empties, various		6618tons	6,618
4	Ammunition Components			
	Bolts, link, S.A.A.	140		
	Clips, Safety Fuze		10carts	
	Clips, S.A.A.		2carts	
	Covers, tail, mortar	375		
	Fuses, various	2,893		
	Plugs, hole, fuse		37½tons	
	Primers	150		
	Tubes, percussion	200		41
5	Anti-Gas Stores			
	Equipment, A.G.		½cwt	
	Ointment, A.G. tins	1,584		
	Respirators, A.G.	2,050		4
6	Artillery Equipment			
	Guns, 2 pdr	1		
	Guns, 37 mm	13		
	Guns, 75 mm	8		
	Rods, cleaning, gun	4		
	Trays, ammn 25 pdr	35		2
8	Camp Equipment			
	Bivouacs	8		

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	Tins, mess		3,424		
	Tins, mess, u/s		23		
	Tools, entrenching	case	1		8
2	Ammunition				
	Ammunition, various			60tons	60
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, etc				
	Ammunition Empties, various			6618tons	6,618
4	Ammunition Components				
	Belts, link, S.A.A.		140		
	Clips, Safety Fuze			10cwts	
	Clips, S.A.A.			2cwts	
	Covers, tail, mortar		375		
	Fuses, various		2,893		
	Plugs, hole, fuse			37½tons	
	Primers		150		
	Tubes, percussion		200		41
5	Anti-Gas Stores				
	Equipment, A.G.			½cwt	
	Ointment, A.G.	tins	1,584		
	Respirators, A.G.		2,050		4
6	Artillery Equipment				
	Guns, 2 pdr		1		
	Guns, 37 mm		13		
	Guns, 75 mm		6		
	Rods, cleaning, gun		4		
	Trays, ammo 25 pdr		35		2
8	Camp Equipment				
	Bivouacs		6		
	Kettles, camp		164		

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	Helmets, steel		1,708		
	Tins, mess		3,424		
	Tins, mess, u/s		23		
	Tools, entrenching	case	1		8
2	Ammunition				
	Ammunition, various			60tons	60
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, etc				
	Ammunition Empties, various			6618tons	6,618
4	Ammunition Components				
	Belts, link, S.A.A.		140		
	Clips, Safety Fuze			10carts	
	Clips, S.A.A.			2carts	
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	Tubes, percussion		200		41
5	Anti-Gas Stores				
	Equipment, A.G.			½cwt	
	Ointment, A.G.	tins	1,584		
	Respirators, A.G.		2,050		4
6	Artillery Equipment				
	Guns, 2 pdr		1		
	Guns, 37 mm		13		
	Guns, 75 mm		8		
	Rods, cleaning, gun		4		
	Trays, arm 25 pdr		35		2
8	Camp Equipment				
	Bivouacs		8		
	Kettles, camp		164		
	" " u/s		34		
	Sheets, ground		485		
	Stoves, "Soyer", u/s		4		18
10	Clothing & Necessaries				
	Blouses, B.D.		411		
	" " , u/s		18		
	" , Denim		330		
	Boots, ankle	pairs	14,388		
	" " , u/s		4,080		
	" D.R.	pairs	9		
	" Rubber	pairs	132		
	Braces		80		
	Brushes, mixed		150		
	Capes, A.C.		115		
	" " , u/s			2tons	
				o/f	6,734

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			lb/s	6,793
	Empty Containers (Cont'd)			
	Pellicans, 2 gall, u/s	16,762		
	" 4 "	6,077		
	Tanks, water, camel	5		
	" " u/s	12		
	Tins, Anti-freeze	175		
	" , biscuit	30		340
13	Empty Packages (Other than Ammn)			
	Chests, gun, Bren	3		
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Benches, portable	4		
	Blankets	227		
	" , u/s	463		
	Burners, charcoal	1		
	" , Hydra	37		
	Containers, food, insulated	141		
	Cookers	206		
	Cream, Anti-Mosquito tins	300		
	Extinguishers, fire	8		
	Flasks, thermos u/s	112		
	Lamps, hurricane, u/s	190		
	Mattresses, u/s	3		
	Mugs, drinking cases	5		
	Nets, mosquito	1,725		
	Ovens	1		
	Parts, burner, Hydra		3 cwts	
	Sirens, alarm	6		
	Spares, cooker boxes	3		
	Stoves, oil, cooker	5		
	Stretchers	70		
	" u/s	27		8
15	Harness, Saddlery, Packsaddlery & Stable Machines			
	Bits	30		
	Breast Pieces	15		
	Collars, head	15		
	Cruppers	15		
	Equipment, pack, mule		5 cwts	
	Fringes, Brow	15		
	Girths	7		
	Pads, 'Numna'	15		
	Ropes, mule	200		
	Rugs, mule	250		
	Straps, packsaddle	17		

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	Benches, portable		4			
	Blankets		227			
	" , w/s		463			
	Burners, charcoal		1			
	" , Hydra		37			
	Containers, food, insulated		141			
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	Cream, Anti-Mosquito	tins	500			
	Extinguishers, fire		8			
	Flasks, thermos w/s		112			
	Lamps, hurricane, w/s		190			
	Mattresses, w/s		3			
	Mugs, drinking	cases	5			
	Nets, mosquito		1,725			
	Ovens		1			
	Parts, burner, Hydra			3 cwts		
	Sirens, alarm					
	Spares, cooker	boxes	3			
	Stoves, oil, cooker		5			
	Stretchers		76			
	" w/s		27		8	
15	Harness, Saddlery, Packsaddlery & Stable Machines					
	Bits		30			
	Breast Pieces		15			
	Collars, head		15			
	Cruppers		15			
	Equipment, pack, mule			5 carts		
	Fringes, Bren		15			
	Girths		7			
	Pads, 'Numnah'		15			
	Ropes, mule		200			
	Rugs, mule		250			
	Straps, packsaddle		17			
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus				1676	
	Chain			3 carts		
	Rope, wire, steel			2 carts	-	
18	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components					
	Barrels, gun, Bren		6			
	" " machine		3			
	" mortar		3			
	Bayonets		47			
	Cases, barrel, machine gun		5			
	Guns, Bren		6			
	" , machine		22			
	" T.S.M.		6			
	Magazines, Bren		173			
	" , various	boxes	3			
			c/f	7,142		

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Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components	(Cont'd)		b/f	7,112
	Mortars 2"		1		
	" 3"		2		
	Parts, gun, machine			3 cwts	
	Pivots, Rifle, A.Tank 'Boyes'		220		
	Ps. I.A.T.		4		
	Rifles		235		
	Spares, gun, machine	box	1		
	Tripods, gun, machine		7		2
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Absorbers, Shock		647		
	Accumulators		56		
	Ammeters		63		
	Armatures, M.T. u/s		20		
	Assemblies, axle		726		
	" brake		13		
	" clutch, M.T.		17		
	" engine, H/C		9		
	" " M.T.		967		
	" gearbox, H/C		11		
	" " M.T.		639		
	" steering		369		
	" towing		46		
	" transfer		121		
	" transmission		8		
	" wheel, H/C		90		
	" " M.T. complete with tyres & tubes		2,147		
	Bars, bumper		43		
	" towing		239		
	Beadspacers		19		
	Bearings		140		
	Belts, fan		56		
	Bisectors		41		
	Bodies, M.T.		59		
	Bolts, "U"		71		
	Bonnets		23		
	Boxes, fuse		106		
	" tool		17		
	Brackets, misc		69		
	Brakes, hand		11		
	Buttons, horn		26		
	Cables, various		81		
	" speedometer		20		

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Absorbers, Shock	643		
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" steering	369		
" towing	46		
" transfer	121		
" transmission	6		
" wheel, M/C	90		
" " M.T. complete with tyres & tubes	2,147		
Bars, bumper	45		
" towing	239		
Beadspacers	19		
Bearings	140		
Belts, fan	56		
Bisectors	42		
Bodies, M.T.	59		
Bolts, "U"	71		
Bonnets	23		
Boxes, fuze	106		
" tool	17		
Brackets, misc	69		
Brakes, hand	11		
Buttons, horn	26		
Cables, various	81		
" speedometer	20		
" winch	2		
Cabs, M.T.	49		
Canopies	36		
Carburettors	572		
Casings, chain, M/C	14		
Chains, skid	122		
Chassis, M.T.	31		
Cleaners, air	7		
Clips, bonnet	30		
" hose	60		
Coils, ignition	244		
Columns, steering	25		
Condensers	101		
Controls, voltage	239		
Couplings	22		
	c/f	7,144	

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Section	Description	Number	Weight (approx) lbs.	Total Weight tons	ft. in.
	Deposits (Cont'd)				
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)				
	Covers, Distributor	21			
	" Engine	6			
	" Exhaust Pipe	38			
	" Fuel Pump	27			
	" Gearbox	101			
	" Generator	27			
	" Oil Filter	66			
	" Starter	165			
	" Water Pump	59			
	Crankcase Breathers	255			
	Cushions, seat	36			
	Cut-outs, 11 v.	104			
	Cylinders, brake	18			
	Differentials	67			
	Distributors	105			
	Dogs, drive	24			
	Drums, brake	6			
	Dynamos	47			
	Exhausters, air	11			
	Filters, air	63			
	" fuel	298			
	Forks, driving	3			
	Gaskets	45			
	Gauges, various	529			
	Gear, reversing	6			
	Generators	64			
	Glass, windscreen	18			
	Governors	236			
	Heads, cylinder	1			
	Hooks, tow	51			
	Horns, electric	30			
	Hubs, wheel	25			
	Joints, universal	160			
	Lamps, blackout	23			
	Levers, starter	72			
	Liners, cylinder	65			
	Linings, brake	19			
	Links, drag	75			
	Locks, door	67			
	Magneto	36			
	Magnetos				

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Doors, M.T.			165		
Drums, Brake			59		
Dynamos			165		
Exhausts, M.T.			36		
Extinguishers, fire, M.T.			106		
Fans, M.T.			18		
Filters, air			54		
" fuel			103		
Forks, R/C			54		
Frames, chassis			9		
" R/C			17		
" windscreen, u/s			11		
Gaskets			69		
Gauges, various			299		
Gear, Traversing			1		
" winch & cable			2		
Generators			35		
Glass, window		pieces	72		
Halfshafts			6		
Heads, cylinder			64		
Hooks, tow			18		
Horns, electric			256		
Hoses, radiator			7		
Housings, clutch			7		
Hubs, wheel			31		
Jacks			30		
Joints, Universal			23		
Lamps, M.T.			160		
Leaves, spring			23		
Levers, tyre			72		
Linings, brake			63		
Links, drag			19		
Locks, door, M.T.			73		
Magdynos			67		
Magnetos			36		
Motors, various			55		
Motors, wiper, windscreen			369		
Mountings, engine			7		
Nets, camouflage			29		
Nipples, grease			50		
Nuts & bolts, M.T.			293		
Panels, instrument			249		
Pedals, brake			27		
" clutch			26		
Pins, cotter			48		
Pipes, exhaust			23		
" fuel			239		
Pistons			84		
Plates, clutch			59		
Plugs, sparking			56		
Pulleys, fan			20		
			c/f	7,144	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS	
			b/f	7,144	
	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores (Cont'd)				
	Pumps, air	21			
	" fuel	78			
	" grease	23			
	" water	41			
	Radiators	256			
	" u/s	222			
	Reflectors, lamp	29			
	Regulators, voltage	73			
	Rims, wheel, M.T.	142			
	Rings, piston	21			
	Rods, connecting	10			
	" track	28			
	Saddles, H/C	19			
	Scrim rolls	5			
	Seats, M.T.	96			
	Shackles, spring		6cwts		
	Shafts, propeller	323			
	Shoes, brake	64			
	Sidescreens	9			
	Sides, lorry	8			
	Silencers, M.T.	93			
	Speedometers	178			
	Springs, M.T.	2,042			
	Starters, M.T.	76			
	Superstructure, canopy		8tons		
	Suspensions, bogie	40			
	Switches, various	162			
	Tailboards	21			
	Tanks, fuel	257			
	" " u/s	61			
	Taps, drain, radiator	34			
	Terminals, battery	180			
	Thermostats	6			
	Tracks, A.F.V.		12tons		
	Tubes, inner, M.T.	295			
	Tyres, M.T.	863			
	" u/s	260			
	Valves, various	282			
	Wheels, bogie, AFV	37			
	" idler, AFV	18			
	Winches	6			
	Windscreens	141			
	Wings	175			
	Wipers, windscreen	39			

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Section	Description		QUANTITY Number	Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
22	Office Equipment			b/f	8,079
	Boxes, typewriter		1		
	Covers, map, small		4		
	Paper, duplicating,	reams	144		
	Teleprinters, u/s		1		
	Trays, filing		8		-
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc				
	Oil, waste	galls	2,128		10
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores				
	Compasses, liquid, Pioneer		1		-
25	R.E. Stores				
	Bins, storage		3		
	Cables, winch		1		
	Clips, wire		140		
	Elbows, pipe, steve		18		
	Engines, "Petter" No.4		1		
	Hose	Lengths	15		
	" rubber	feet	82		
	Iron, angle			3¼ tons	
	" channel	foot	36		
	" flat			2 cwts	
	" strip	feet	200		
	Ladders		5		
	Pickets, iron, screw		450		
	Piping, copper	feet	88		
	" iron			1 ton	
	" steel			5 cwts	
	Steel plate	feet	50		
	" rod, mild	feet	320		
	" sheet			10cwts	
	Stoves		161		
	Tanks, water, 200 gall		2		
	Tubing, steel	feet	50		
	Wheels, gantry		4		
	" pulley		2		
	Wire, barbed			2 tons	
	" dannert	coils	211		
	" steel			3 cwts	12
26	Scrap Metal				
	Ferrous				

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24	Range Finding & Optical Stores					
	Compasses, liquid, Pioneer		1			
25	R.E. Stores					
	Bins, storage		3			
	Cables, winch		1			
	Clips, wire		140			
	Elbows, pipe, stove		18			
	Engines, "Petter" No.4		1			
	Hose	lengths	13			
	" rubber	feet	82			
	Iron, angle			3½ tons		
	" channel	feet	36			
	" flat			2 cwts		
	" strip	feet	200			
	Ladders		5			
	Pickets, iron, screw		450			
	Piping, copper	feet	88			
	" iron			1 ton		
	" steel			5 cwts		
	Steel plate	feet	50			
	" rod, mild	feet	320			
	" sheet			10cwts		
	Stoves		181			
	Tanks, water, 200 gall		2			
	Tubing, steel	feet	50			
	Wheels, gantry		4			
	" pulley		2			
	Wire, barbed			2 tons		
	" dannert	coils	211			
	" steel			3 cwts	12	
26	Scrap Metal					
	Ferrous					
	Machinery Cast			208tons		
	Metal, scrap, misc			258tons		
	Plating, Armour			1cwt		
	Steel, heavy			2318tons		
	Non-Ferrous					
	Aluminium			5tons		
	Brass			1ton	1875	
	Bronze, mixed			5tons		
	Copper			13tons	2,808	
27	Scrap Miscellaneous					
	Canvas			160tons		
	Film, X Ray			1cwt		
	Hessian, cuttings			3cwts		
	Matting, coconut			¼cwt		
	Nets, camouflage, u/s			10½cwts		
				c/f	10,909	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
	Scrap Miscellaneous (cont'd)		b/f	10,909
	Rags, cleaning		7tons	
	Rubber, scrap		12tons	
	Tarpaulin, scrap		7cwts	160
30	Tools			
	Awls, splicing	11		
	Axes	11		
	Bars, Tommy	65		
	Braces, misc.	124		
	Callipers	18		
	Chisels, misc.	244		
	Compressors	12		
	Covers, shovel	15		
	Cutters, tree	1		
	" wire pairs	30		
	Dies, cutting, screw	27		
	Dividers	12		
	Drifts, brass	20		
	Drills, twist, various	60		
	Extractors, chain, rivet	9		
	Files, misc.	488		
	Footprints	3		
	Forks, digging	4		
	Frames, hacksaw	3		
	Gauges, feeler	6		
	Hammers, copper	6		
	" engineers	56		
	" lead	5		
	" sledge	28		
	Handles, file	30		
	Heads, pick	10		
	Hooks, bill	3		
	Iron, soldering	14		
	Jacks, lifting	4		
	Lamps, bracing	6		
	Lifters, valve	11		
	Pliers, round nose pairs	142		
	Punches, Large	30		
	" leather	11		
	Rules, steel, assorted	39		
	Saws, hack	16		
	Scrapers, misc.	22		
	Screwdrivers	65		
	Setsquares	14		
	Shears, pinking	5		

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	Callipers		18			
	Chisels, misc.		244			
	Compressors		12			
	Covers, shovel		19			
	Cutters, tree		1			
	" wire	pairs	30			
	Dies, cutting, screw		27			
	Dividers		12			
	Drifts, brass		20			
	Drills, twist, various		60			
	Extractors, chain, rivet		9			
	Files, misc.		488			
	Footprints		3			
	Forks, digging		4			
	Frames, hacksaw		5			
	Gauges, feeler		6			
	Hammers, copper		6			
	" engineers		56			
	" lead		5			
	" sledge		28			
	Handles, file		30			
	Heads, pick		10			
	Hooks, bill		3			
	Iron, soldering		14			
	Jacks, lifting		4			
	Lamps, brazing		6			
	Lifters, valve		11			
	Pliers, round nose	pairs	142			
	Punches, large		30			
	" leather		11			
	Rules, steel, assorted		39			
	Saws, hack		16			
	Scrapers, misc.		22			
	Screwdrivers		65			
	Setsquares		14			
	Shears, pinking		5			
	Shovels		42			
	Sickles		3			
	Snaps, rivet		50			
	Spades		18			
	Spanners, misc.		2,023			
	Stocks & Dies		13			
	" , drill, hand		21			
	Tape, various		94			
	" wrench		1			
	Tongs, Blacksmith	pairs	76			
	Vices, misc.		13			
	Wrenches, misc.		146			7
32	Allies' Stores					
	Barrels, gun, machine		1			
					c/f	11,096

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
	Allies' Stores (Cont'd)		B/F	11,096
	Rifles	10		
	Tanks, water, canvas	1		-
33	Captured Stores			
	Bombs, mortar	3		
	Frames, bed, iron	12		
	Grenades, hand	2		
	Guns, machine	43		
	Piping		5cwts	
	Pistols & revolvers	1		
	Rifles	294		
	" u/s	33		
	Teller-mines	2		
	Trailers, gun	11		3
34	Bottles & Glass			
	Carboys, u/s	3		
	Jars, rum	88		-
35	Cordage, Rope, etc			
	Rope "		8¼cwts	-
36	Drums, oil, (5 & 10 gall only)			
	5 gall	72,705		
	5 gall u/s	2,736		
	10 "	5		189
37	Paper			
	Cardboard		2¼tons	
	Maps, u/s		15cwts	3
38	Sacking & Sacks			
	Hessian		1¼tons	
	Sacking		1¾tons	3
		TOTAL :		11,294 Tons

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	Piping		5carts		
	Pistols & revolvers	1			
	Rifles	294			
	" u/s	33			
	Teller-mines	2			
	Trailers, gun	11		3	
34	Bottles & Glass				
	Carboys, u/s	3			
	Jars, rum	88		-	
35	Cordage, Rope, etc				
	Rope		8½carts	-	
36	Drums, oil, (5 & 10 gall only)				
	5 gall	72,705			
	5 gall u/s	2,736			
	10 "	5		189	
37	Paper				
	Cardboard		2½tons		
	Maps, u/s		15carts	3	
38	Sacking & Sacks				
	Hessian		1½tons		
	Sacking		1½tons	3	
			TOTAL :	11,294 Tons	

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PART II - S A L E S

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight Tons Cwts	Value £	Total Weight TONS	Total Value £
12	Empty Containers					
	Containers, petrol, u/s	175,254	404 -	525		
	Drums, 44 gall	287	7 3	165	411	690
26	Scrap Metal					
	Ferrous					
	Light iron, misc		144 10	200	145	200
27	Scrap Miscellaneous					
	Sheepskins	825	4 19	371	5	371
33	Captured Stores					
	Tractor, u/s	1	2 -	50	2	50
37	Paper					
	Cartons, cardboard, u/s		100 -	625		
	Paper, waste		3 15	47	104	672
				TOTAL :	667 Tons	£1,983

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26	Scrap Metal						
	Ferrous						
	Light iron, misc		144	10	200	145	200
27	Scrap Miscellaneous						
	Sheepskins	825	4	19	371	5	371
33	Captured Stores						
	Tractor, u/s	1	2	-	50	2	50
37	Paper						
	Cartons, cardboard, u/s		100	-	625		
	Paper, waste		3	15	47	104	672
					TOTAL :	667 Tons	£1,983

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PART IV - Re-issues of Items Manufactured and/or Repaired at Base Salvage Depots

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
10	Clothing & Necessaries			
	Laces, boot, made	4,000		-
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores			
	Batteries, dry, lamp, electric, made	8,100		
	Dynamos, repaired	34		
	Sets, generating, repaired	5		3
13	Empty Packages (Other than Ammunition)			
	Cases, engine, made	379		
	" W.P., made	26		
	" " repaired	717		
	Crates, capes, A.G., made	862		
	Tins, dressing, pre-sterilized, made	3,254		17
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores			
	Beds, made	18		
	Pipes, stove, made	5		
	Racks, toast, made	10		
	Stoves, made	220		
	Tin, with lid to fit container, food, 6 gall, made'	1		-
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Funnels, petrol, made	3		
	Valves, exhaust, made	60		-
22	Office Equipment			
	Cupboards, file, made	2		
	Signboards, office, made	2		
	Trays, file, made	27		
	Unit, letter, made	1		-
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, etc			
	Wax, recovered		15½ cwts	1
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores			
	Talc, recovered pieces	1,642		-
25	R.E. Stores			
	Hinges, made	1,253		

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	Dynamos, repaired		54		
	Sets, generating, repaired		5		3
13	Empty Packages (Other than Ammunition)				
	Cases, engine, made		379		
	" w.p., made		26		
	" " repaired		717		
	Crates, capes, A.G., made		862		
	Tins, dressing, pre-sterilized, made		3,254		17
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores				
	Beds, made		18		
	Pipes, stove, made		5		
	Racks, toast, made		10		
	Stoves, made		220		
	Tin, with lid to fit container, food, 6 gall, made		1		-
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Funnels, petrol, made		3		
	Valves, exhaust, made		60		-
22	Office Equipment				
	Cupboards, file, made		2		
	Signboards, office, made		2		
	Trays, file, made		27		
	Unit, letter, made		1		-
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, etc				
	Wax, recovered			25½ cwts	1
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores				
	Telc, recovered	pieces	1,642		-
25	R.E. Stores				
	Hinges, made		1,253		
	Nuts & Bolts (Engine Case), made		450		
	Plates, (Engine Case), made		300		3
26	Scrap Metal				
	Lead, pure, recovered			14¼ tons	
	Solder, recovered			5½ cwts	15
27	Scrap Miscellaneous				
	Fabric, recovered from Capes, A.G.			1½ cwts	
	Sawdust			2½ tons	
	Wood, kindling			13 tons	15
				c/f	54

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
			b/f	54
30	Tools			
	Chisels, made	400		
	Handles, file, made	100		
	Punches, made	350		
	Screwdrivers, made	196		
	Tongs, Blacksmith, large, made pairs	45		-
38	Sacking & Sacks			
	Bags, mail, made	770		-
			TOTAL :	54

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PART V - Re-issues to M.M.I.A.

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements			
	Equipment, web		50½ tons	50
10	Clothing & Necessaries			
	Outer Uniform, clothing, u/s		11 tons	
	Overall, clothing, u/s		55 tons	
	Overalls, u/s		18 tons	
	Underclothing, u/s		9¼ tons	178
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores			
	Cable, electric		12½ cwts	
	" " drums	45		
	Wire, electric		1½ cwts	2
12	Empty Containers			
	Drums, 44 gall	100		
	Merricans, 4 gall	1,500		
	Pellicans, 4 gall	500		11
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores			
	Accumulators, u/s	120		
	Dynamo, M.T.	1		
	Ropes, Towing, u/s		8 cwts	
	Springs, M.T.	100		
	Tyres, M.T., u/s	322		20
25	R.E. Stores			
	Tubing, u/s		2 cwts	
	Wire, galvanised		1 cwt	-
27	Scrap Miscellaneous			
	Scrim, u/s		1 ton	1
30	Tools			
	Heads, pick	24		
	Shovels	26		-
33	Captured Stores			
	Ambulance, Fiat, 4 x 2	1		
	Containers, chemical, Anti-Gas cases	103		

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	Overalls, u/s			16	tons		
	Underclothing, u/s			94	tons	178	
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores						
	Cable, electric			12½	cwts		
	" "	drums	45				
	Wire, electric			1½	cwts	2	
12	Empty Containers						
	Drums, 44 gall		100				
	Herricans, 4 gall		1,500				
	Pellicans, 4 gall		500			11	
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores						
	Accumulators, u/s		120				
	Dynamo, M.T.		1				
	Ropes, Towing, u/s			8	cwts		
	Springs, M.T.		100				
	Tyres, M.T., u/s		322			20	
25	R.E. Stores						
	Tubing, u/s			2	cwts		
	Wire, galvanised			1	cwt.	-	
27	Scrap Miscellaneous						
	Scrim, u/s			1	ton	1	
30	Tools						
	Heads, pick		24				
	Shovels		26			-	
33	Captured Stores						
	Ambulance, Fiat, 4 x 2		1				
	Containers, chemical, Anti-Gas	cases	103				
	Cylinders, Oxygen, small, cases		4				
	Extinguishers, fire		3				
	Face-pieces, respirator			3	tons		
	Lorry, 3 ton		2				
	" 30 cwts		1				
	Motor Cycles, Italian, u/s		3				
	Spares, M.T., Italian	cases	4				
	Tubes, connecting, respirator			9	cwts	32	1871
					c/f	294	

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Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS
35	Cordage, Rope, String & Twine Coring		b/f	294
			10 cwts	1
			TOTAL :	295 Tons

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PART VI - Re-issues to A.C.

Section	Description	QUANTITY Number	QUANTITY Weight (approx)	Total Weight TONS	
1	Accoutrements				
	Bottles, water	1,000			
	Tins, mess	300		1	
10	Clothing & Necessaries				
	Outer Uniform, clothing, u/s		3 tons		
	Underclothing, u/s		6 tons	9	
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Assemblies, axle	5			
	Springs, M.T.	10			
	" A.F.V.	10			
	Tyres, M/C, u/s	5		1	
33	Captured Stores				
	Ambulance, 6 x 6, 5 ton	1			
	Lorry, 5 ton	1			
	" 4 ton	1			
	" 3 ton	2		18	
			TOTAL :	29 Tons	

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	Outer Uniform, clothing, u/s		3 tons		
	Underclothing, u/s		6 tons	9	
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores				
	Assemblies, axle	5			
	Springs, M.T.	10			
	" A.F.V.	10			
	Tyres, M/C, u/s	6		1	
33	Captured Stores				
	Ambulance, 6 x 6, 5 ton	1			
	Lorry, 5 ton	1			
	" 4 ton	1			
	" 3 ton	2		18	
			TOTAL :	29 Tons	

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PART I - RE - ISSUES

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS
1	Accoutrements	424
2	Ammunition	979
3	Ammn. Empties, Packages, Etc.	59,491
4	Ammunition Components	1,140
5	Anti-Gas Stores	157
6	Artillery Equipment	84
7	Bridging Stores	5
8	Camp Equipment	333
9	Carts, Wagons & Appurtenances & Bicycles	1
10	Clothing & Necessaries	2,240
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores	567
12	Empty Containers	9,950
13	Empty Packages (Other than Ammunition)	101
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores	613
15	Harness, Saddlery, Packsaddlery & Stable Machines	15
17	Lifting & Transporting Apparatus	46
18	Machine Guns, Small Arms, Parts & Components	214
19	Mining Stores & Mining Timber	69
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores	7,761
22	Office Equipment	1
23	Oils, Paints, Petrol, Etc.	574
24	Rangefinding & Optical Stores	1
25	R.E. Stores	2,860
26	Scrap Metal	5,215
27	Scrap Miscellaneous	929
29	Surveying & Drawing Instruments	6
30	Tools	45
31	Waterproof Covers & Tarpaulins	8
32	Allies' Stores	25
33	Captured Stores	2,703
34	Bottles & Glass	25
35	Cordage, Rope, Etc.	15
36	Drums, Oil	2,059
37	Paper	108
38	Sacking & Sacks	58
39	Sandbags	70
	TOTAL	98,890 Tons

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7	Bridging Stores	5
8	Camp Equipment	333
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PART II - SALES

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS	Value £
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc	2	38
10	Clothing & Necessaries	2	10
11	Electrical & Signalling Stores	12	530
12	Empty Containers	1,420	4,879
14	Hospital & Barrack Stores	-	3
20	M.T. & A.F.V. Stores	41	517
25	R.E. Stores	1	12
26	Scrap Metal	697	6,788
27	Scrap Miscellaneous	264	2,863
33	Captured Stores	409	19,875
34	Bottles & Glass	2	57
36	Drums, Oil	110	971
37	Paper	546	6,681
	TOTAL :	3,506 Tons	£ 43,224

PART III - SHIPMENTS

Shipments to U.K.

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc.	10,703
4	Ammunition Components	21
26	Scrap Metal	2,779
27	Scrap Miscellaneous	5
	TOTAL :	13,508 Tons

Shipments to South Africa

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc	521
4	Ammunition Components	7
	TOTAL :	528 Tons

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34	Bottles & Glass	2	57
36	Drums, Oil	110	971
37	Paper	546	6,681
	TOTAL :	3,506 Tons	£ 43,224

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Shipments to South Africa

Section	Description	Total Weight TONS
3	Ammunition Empties, Packages, Etc	521
4	Ammunition Components	7
	TOTAL :	528 Tons

TOTAL TONNAGE OF SHIPMENTS FROM C.M.F. : 14,036 Tons

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In relazione alla richiesta di cui alla lettera a riferimento, si trasmette copia della lettera n.303621/C.A. in data 30 ottobre 1944.-

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Gabinetto

N° 303621/C.A. 313-V-7 di prot. All.2 P.M.151, 30 ottobre 1945

O G G E T T O.: - Organizzazione recupero materiali nelle zone liberate.-

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA - SOTTOCOMMISSIONE RECUPERI E P.G.

= R O M A

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Per l'attuazione di tale progetto è indispensabile che la M.M.I.A. autorizzi l'aumento di circa 800 unità nella forza vettovagliata attualmente prevista per i servizi ed autorizzi il trasporto in continente di una cinquantina di autocarri da trarre dall'aliquota bloccata in Sardegna.-

Ove tale trasporto non sia possibile la M.M.I.A. vorrà suggerire una soluzione diversa.-

Il servizio dei recuperi, nella situazione attuale, riveste un carattere di particolare importanza e la sua organizzazione è urgente; confido che codesta A.C. non mancherà di concedere tutto il suo aiuto perché il servizio possa al più presto ed efficacemente cominciare.-

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO ALLA GUERRA
F/to G.B.Oxilia

P. C. C.
IL CAPO UFFICIO II
(Col.Guido de Fonzo)

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SUBJECT: Salvage Returns

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Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Com. A.C.
MMIA
ORD/2
4 February, 1945

TO: Land Forces Sub Com. A;C;
(MMIA)

1. Herewith are weekly salvage returns recieved from Hq. 23 Salvage Depot (Abroad) for information.

2; Is it desired that these returns be forwarded weekly?

Ira V. Fordyce, Capt.
For Senior L. O.
c/o Hq. 54 Area

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MESSAGE FORM

DA 25

FROM: MMIA

DATE:TIME:ORIGIN
031000A

TO: DISTHREE

REF NO. AQ 2729 136 — 91 1st Jacket.

CONFIDENTIAL

YOUR QG 22B OF 1 FEB (.) OUR AQ2406 OF 17 DEC TO ALCOM SICILY RPTD DISTHREE FOR SALVAGE FOLLOWS (.) QUOTE (.)

"FOR MAJOR LONG MMIA LO (.) SUBJECT IS WITHDRAWAL OF SALVAGE FROM BRITISH ARMY SALVAGE DEPOT CATANIA BY ITALIAN MILITARY (.) WHOLE SITUATION SMELLS BAD (.) POSSIBLE MATERIAL IS WITHDRAWN FROM BRITISH SALVAGE BY MEANS OF PHONEY RFT PHONEY MMIA REQUESTS AND IS THEN SOLD TO CIVILIANS (.) SALVAGE DRAWN FROM BRITISH SALVAGE DEPOTS ON MMIA ACCOUNT SHOULD BE USED FOR GENUINE ITALIAN ARMY PURPOSES ONLY (.) ARRANGE THAT BR SALVAGE DEPOT ISSUES ONLY ON REQUESTS SIGNED BY YOU OR SNIDER (.) OBTAIN FULL DETAILS OF ALL ITEMS RECENTLY DRAWN BY MMIA OR ITALIAN ARMY FROM BR SALVAGE DEPOT AND REPORT FOR WHAT USED (.) FOR DAD SALVAGEXXXX DISTHREE (.) APPRECIATE IF YOU WOULD ARRANGE FOR OC SALVAGE CATANIA TO CO-OPERATE WITH MAJOR LONG.(.) UNQUOTE

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PRECEDENCE _____

AUTHENTICATED K Thwaites Lam Maj

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Translation.

From:- M of W. K 8
To:- M.M. 10.

Ref:- 20.45/D.
227.4.5
Date.- 2nd Feb. 45.

Subject:- Handing over of shell cases belonging to the Italian Mil. Adm. to private firms.

The Independant Port Section of Palermo Territorial Hd informed this office to have forged a quantity of 1400 brass and iron shell cases (for 90/53 and 75/46 guns) together with other materials belonging to the Italian Mil. Adm., which were bought by MONDELLO firm, messina from Salvage Office Sicily for the sum of 220.000 Lire.

Such transaction is contrary to what has been laid down, wherefore I have reason to believe that this has been carried out without obtaining prior authority from you.

This question is brought to your notice in order that you may kindly arrange for ~~reimbursement~~ reimbursement of the sum paid by MONDELLO firm so that this Ministry can freely dispose of the esp material under its concern.

(Sgd) D. CHIANTI.
The Minister.

Lt. Andre

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MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

Gabinetto

Prot. N. 201415/U Allegati
227-4-5

Roma,

Risposta al foglio

OGGETTO: Cessione a ditta privata di bossoli appartenenti all'amministrazione militare italiana.-

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

ROMA

La Sezione Autonoma d'Artiglieria del Comando Militare Territoriale di Palermo informa di aver posto il blocco ad una partita di 1400 bossoli di ottone e di ferro (da 90/53 e da 75/46) assieme ad altro materiale, appartenenti all'amministrazione militare italiana, che la ditta Mondello di Messina ha avuto in cessione dal Salvage Office Sicily per la somma di L. 220.000.

Tale cessione è in contrasto con quanto è stato sancito al riguardo, per cui ho motivo di ritenere che essa sia stata effettuata senza la prescritta autorizzazione di codesta Missione.

Segnalo pertanto la questione a codesta Missione medesima, perchè voglia compiacersi far rimborsare la somma pagata dalla ditta Mondello, affinchè questo Ministero possa disporre liberamente dei suindicati materiali di sua pertinenza.

IL MINISTRO

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Direzione Generale Artiglieria
Sezione Lavorazioni

Div. Prot. N. 3800, 1 FEB.

Divisione
Gab. N. 1854 Allegati
Risposta al foglio
Div. N.

OGGETTO: Recupero materiali dell'Esercito Italiano.-

A Q
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All'la LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
(M. M. I. A.)
R O M A

In riferimento al foglio A Q/ 15 del 15 ottobre 1944 si comunica che i materiali contenuti nei vagoni giacenti alla stazione di Castiglione Fiorentino non sono di pertinenza del Polverificio R.E. di Fontana Liri.-

Si deve, pertanto, ritenere che le etichette con l'indicazione della suddetta località esistevano già apposte sulle fiancate dei vagoni prima del carico del materiale, che sembra rientri nella competenza dell'Ufficio Recuperi di Arezzo.-

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
(Gen. P.G.Properzj)

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Subject: Material for disposal to NMIA

No 62 Salvage Depot
Telephone Catania 14248
22 SD/120/W/12
Date 1/2/45

AR/25
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To: Liason Office
Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.(NMIA)
c/o A.C. Sicily Region H.Q.

L.O. NMIA, H.Q. 3 Dist.
H.Q. Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. (NMIA) Rome
D.A.D. Salvage H.Q. 3 Dist.

Herewith listed below future material for disposal by Salvage.

Serial 35.

2 Guns, German, 90 to 93mm
No wheels, barrels destorted, breech blocks missing.

Serial 36

6 Guns Italian 120 mm
In badly dismantled state, No wheels.

Being collected by (2 Bde Gp area) 8th Army

Serial 37

26 Tanks, British,
No engines, inside of tank cleared of fittings, some with bogies some without, no rubber on remaining bogies, no tracks.

The above material is lying at Stella station Sicily. Map reference Italian road Map 1,200000 Sheet 27 Square. H. 7974

Serial 38

Long tracks

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D.A.D. Salvage H.Q. 3 Dist.

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by Salvage. Herewith listed below future material for disposal

Serial 35.

2 Guns, German, 80 to 88mm

No wheels, barrels deatorted, breach blocks missing.

Serial 36

6 Guns Italian 120 mm

In badly dismantled state, No wheels.

Serial 37

28 Tanks, British.
No engines, inside of tank cleared of fittings, some with bogies some without, no rubber on remaining bogies, no tracks.

The above material is lying at Stella station Sicily. Map reference Italian road Map 1,200000 Sheet 27 Square. M. 7974

Serial 38

Aeroplane Tyres U/S various sizes
Number available 20

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Serial 38, is lying at the Salvage Depot Catania.

Will you please notify this office requirements, if any, of the above material, by a demand letter to this office.

If no reply is received by the 12 Feb. 1943 it will take it that none of the above serials are required by you, and they can be disposed of through other channels.

R.L.J/L.A.
TOS: 1130

.....CAPT.
O.C. 22 SALVAGE DEPOT.
(R.L. Jeffcutt)

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FROM DISTHREE Ø11517 A

TO MMIA ROME

QQX GR --- BT

QG 2213 . RESTRICTED . REF YOUR AQ/25 OF 28 JAN . NO TRACE YOUR AQ 2406 OF 17 DEC . REQUEST COPY OR FURTHER DETAILS

BT Ø11517 A

SENT RWW Ø10574

RD NR 574 DML (K) 1745 (K)

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Subject: Salvage Organisation in Liberated Zones.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/25

FEB
1 ~~Jan~~ 1945

To: Ministry of War (Gabinetto) 121

Reference your 201037 dated 15 Jan 45.

This HQ cannot trace the previous letter referred to by you ref 303621/CA dated 30 Oct 44. Will you please forward a copy of it.

P.P.C.

PPF/lo

P. P. FARDELL, J/Comd.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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Subject: Italian Shell Cases.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/25

31 Jan 1945

To: Ministry of War.

1. Information has been received that at the firm of FILI FRANCI, BASTIA, in the province of Perugia (Engineers and Manufacturers of Agricultural Machinery), there is a dump of approximately 450 tons of cast iron shell cases. These had been cast at TERNI and sent to this firm at BASTIA for machining. The descriptions are as follows:-

(a) 90/53 mm "CONTRAINER" approx 12,000 rusty
(b) 102/35 mm "URSINO" approx 13,000 painted
(c) 100/17 mm "R.M.CIBOV" approx 13,000 rusty
(d) Assorted bases and nose caps - approx 10 tons.

2. The proprietor of this firm states that all these items have been purchased by him. Will you please confirm that is so and that they no longer belong to the Italian Army.

P. P. Pardell

PPP/le

P. P. PARDELL, J/Comd.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Special Materials Section

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Ref. AC/5134/Commerce
Tel. 475.192

LVRT/PZ

30 January 1945

SUBJECT : Clothing Available from M.M.I.A.

TO : Allied Commission - Bari Zone
(attn. Port Liaison Officer - Lt. O'Leary)

1. Attached please find list of salvaged clothing available to A.C. and now in the MMIA La Rocca Depot n.2, 127 Via Fanubio, Bari.

2. You are requested to contact the MMIA, LO Bari, 161 Corso Vittorio Emanuele II, Telephone n.11438 and arrange for the withdrawal of this equipment.

3. You are also requested to arrange rail transport to Naples for this equipment addressed to Regional Commissioner Southern Region, Commerce Sub-Section, Major Birt.

4. It has also been brought to the attention of this Sub-Commission that equipment reported on 23 January has not been withdrawn. May this matter please have your immediate attention.

For the Chief Commissioner

W.P. EVANS
Colonel-Director
Commerce Sub-Commission

Copies to :
- Regional Commissioner, Southern Region
  Commerce Sub-Section, Major Birt (with incls.)
- 2 - Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)

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TO : Allied Commission - Bari Zone
(attn. Port Liaison Officer - Lt.C'Leary)

1. Attached please find list of salvaged clothing available to A.C. and now in the ENIA Le Bocce Depot n.2, 127 Via Fanubio, Bari.

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  (attn.Lt.Col.Geo.A.Shipley) (without incls.)

Copy extracted for Office Information and forwarding to ENIA Bari

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Tr.

Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA MOTORIZZAZIONE
- Divisione II^ - Sezione III^ -

N° 1660 23/V/3 di prot. P.M. 3800, li 29 GEN 1945

29/1745

OGGETTO: - ricupero e riparazioni fusti metallici.-

Salvage & Repairs to Metal Drums or Barrels

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

e, per conoscenza:
AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA- GABINETTO - SEDE
ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Uff.Servizi - SEDE
AL COMANDO DELEGAZIONE "T" DELLO S.M.R.E.
- Uff.Servizi - (rif.f.n.1663/Ric. del 24/12/44) P.M. 3800

Il Generale ...

E' stato segnalato dall'Ufficio Presentazioni e Ricuperi di Livorno che le Autorità Alleate con ordinanza n.4, affissa sulle pubbliche vie, hanno disposto il ritiro di tutti i fusti, sia delle FF.AA. Italiane che Tedesche.-

In base al foglio n.360/11/C.A. in data 10/8/1944 del Comando A.C.C. R.E. e M.G. Secturi APO 394 secondo il quale tutto il materiale Italiano appartenente a qualsiasi Arma o Servizio delle Forze Armate Italiane e in possesso degli Italiani all'atto dell'Armistizio è considerato materiale Italiano e riservato all'Esercito Italiano, questo Ministero aveva dato disposizioni alla Delegazione "T" dello S.M.R.E. anche per il ricupero di tutto il fustame esistente nella zona di Firenze.-

Poichè quanto ora segnalato è in contrasto con il citato foglio 360/11 C.A. si rappresenta la questione a codesta Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. (M.M.I.A.) con preghiera di voler interv...

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IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO

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SUBJECT: Salvage.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/25
28 January 1945.

TO : 3 District.

91 not packed.

1. With reference to this HQ Signal AQ 2406 dated 17 Dec, attached is copy of reply from MMIA LO SICILY. — 129

2. It is stated that no salvage other than the vehicles listed has been handed over to the Italians, whereas it was understood from you that the CATANIA Salvage Depot had made other issues.

3. Will you please comment on the above.

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

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SUBJECT: Sheepskins.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/25
25 Jan. 1945.

TO : 3 District.

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With reference to your 127/23/Sal dated 9 Jan, your offer is appreciated, but after discussion with the Italian War Ministry it has been decided that the skins cannot be used.

M.H. BARTON, Major
for Col. DA & QMG
Land ForcesSub Commission.

MHB/ag
Copy to:
MMIA LO 3 Dist.

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LIAISON OFFICE
LAND FORCES SUB COMM. AC (MMIA)
% AC SICILY REGION HQ
APO 394

No.1046

B4/28.

28 January 1945

SUBJECT: Withdrawl of Salvage - 22nd Salvage Depot Catania

TO : G.O.C., Land Forces Sub Comm. AC (MMIA), ROME

Q1 1st Jacket

1. Reference your AQ 2406 of 17 December 44.

2. Except for the vehicles set forth below no other salvage has been handed over to the Italian Military in Sicily:

SPA	Engine	No.	18-300689
Fiat	"	"	153624
Fiat	"	"	2114409
Lancia	"	"	889378
Fiat	"	"	213389
Fiat Balilla	"	"	057392
Fiat	"	"	200073
Alfa Romeo	"	"	15- 75540

3. All the above vehicles are reported to be in the 28th M/T Sec. Aosta Div. except the Alfa Romeo and it is in the Acireale Salvage Center, but is being sent to the 28th M/T Section.

4. All the above vehicles are unservicable and are to be repaired or parts salvaged.

5. With exception of the first vehicle above, I am unable to find them listed on the Vehicle Census. I am asking M/T Hq. for an explanation of this.

/ Homer E Long
HOMER E LONG
Major QMC
L O Sicily

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Special Materials Section

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A/Q

Ref. AC/5134/Commerce
Tel. 478.192

LVDW/FZ

A/12

23 January 1945

SUBJECT : Salvage Clothing Available to A.C.

TO : Bari Zone
Port Liaison Officer, Lt. O'Leary

1. Attached please find list of salvaged army clothing available to AC from MMIA as of 19 January at the Bari Depot.

2. It is requested that you contact MMIA, LO, Bari, 161 Corso Vittorio Emanuele II, Telephone N.11458 and arrange the withdrawal of these materials.

3. Further it is requested that transport be arranged and this lot of equipment be shipped to Southern Region H.Q., Naples, Commerce Sub-Section, Major Birt.

For the Chief Commissioner

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

Copies to:
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(attn.Lt.Col.Geo.A.Shipley)
- Regional Commissioner, Southern Region
(Commerce Sub-Section, Major Birt)

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(Commerce Sub-Section, Major Birt)

Incls. as per para 1.

copy to MMIA Bari

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SUBJECT: Miscellaneous Salvage

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

21 January 1945

AA/25

Industry & Commerce Sub Comm. ____
Attn: Major Birt

Copy to: Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.) ✓

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1. There is approximately 100 tons of miscellaneous salvage that has accumulated in R.S.D. 557 B.C.D. which is of no use to MMIA and is therefore offered to you.

2. This consists of battle dress blouses and trousers, shirts etc.

3. All lots were inspected by Major Charles Birt (A) who states that he can make use of this salvage.

4. Will you please arrange collection direct from R.S.D. 557 B.C.D. at an early date.

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

Seen by Lt Norton (MMIA).

This is not a matter of the clothing was sent to Naples to be inspected by officers to see if any of it was serviceable. It was returned to this HQ & distributed to the various units. It is not our business.

18.1.45

Subject :- **Local Disposals.**

AQ/25.

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3 District
Tel Ext 79
151/Sal

12 Jan 45

L.O., U.M.I.A.,
HQ 3 District.

A.Q., MMLA, Rome
S.O., HQ 56 Area
OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot

1. The following items are held at the Base Salvage Depot, Torre Annunziata, and it would be appreciated if you would instruct one of your representatives to visit same at the earliest.

2. After inspection, a Demand Note for all material required should be addressed to this office and on receipt of same a Release Note will be sent you and on presentation of the Release Note to OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot, the material will be handed over to your representative.

3. Unless this material is inspected by you before the 1 Feb 45, the whole amount will be offered to A.C.

4. All material selected by you will be cleared from our Depot as soon as the Release Note is issued.

AQ/25 Ufs

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F.F.S. Passmore,
Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

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74.	Respirator filters (Italian)		
75.	" canisters (Italian)	16,000	-
76.		2,000	

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same at the earliest.

2. After inspection, a Demand Note for all material required should be addressed to this office and on receipt of same a Release Note will be sent you and on presentation of the Release Note to OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot, the material will be handed over to your representative.

3. Unless this material is inspected by you before the 1 Feb 45, the whole amount will be offered to A.C.

4. All material selected by you will be cleared from our Depot as soon as the Release Note is issued.

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F.F.S. Passmore,
Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

/JMS

74.	Respirator filters (Italian)	16,000 —
75.	" canisters (Italian)	2,000
76.	Mess tins	1,500 —
77.	Water bottles (British)	10,000 —
78.	Groundsheets (T.6.)	30 tons
79.	Equipment (British) (T.6.)	30 tons

S & T, MMIA.
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Subject: Rags for Italian Navy.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/25

21 Jan 1945

To: Commerce Sub Commission, A.C. for Special Materials Branch.

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Reference your AC/5105/Commerce dated 26 Dec 44 and further to this HQ AQ/25 of 27 Dec to Ministry of War (copy to you). 105

1. Enclosed is copy translation of a letter from Ministry of War confirming the conditions laid down in your above quoted letter.

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D.S.L.GREGSON, Major,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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HEAD QUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
ALLIED LAND FORCES
APO 394

AG 370.2/1/GC(M) A.

15 January 1945

SUBJECT : Salvaged Clothing.

TO : O.C. Depot A. 1770
Via Route Col Romagna, 1
A.P.O. 394

AQ 25
24/1

1. The bearer of this letter

[illegible]

is authorized to collect from your depot in pieces of each item of Salvage Clothing available not to be specially selected.

For the Regional Commissioner:

R.D. Butt Maj.

R.D. Butt
Major R.A.
Commerce Sub Division

RF/lsa

Copy to: O.C.I.S.

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AQ/25-124

SUBJECT: Authority for Italian Army Recovery Detachments to operate in the forward areas

LAND FORCES SUB-COM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
File No. I/161/1
18 Jan 45

TO : EIGHTH ARMY

Copy to: AFHQ
MINISTRY OF WAR (your 200532/II 221-1-6 of 11 Jan refers)

115/1

1. The Ministry of War, under the direction of this HQ has set up two Recovery Detachments - CERSETI 7 & 8 - for the purpose of recovering Italian Army property and materials located in recently liberated territory.

2. The function of these detachments is to evacuate Italian Army materials as soon as possible to Army Depots in the rear areas, thus avoiding pilferage and theft by unauthorised persons. It is therefore vital that these detachments operate as far forward as the operational situation allowes.

3. Authorisation is therefore requested for CERSETI No 8 to operate as far forward as possible in view of the fact that, up to the present, this detachment has not been allowed to function north of the Security Control Line.

F. K. Selby Capt
Major General
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: A/Q 25 ref folio 115/1

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SUBJECT: Recovery of Salvage for the Italian Army.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/25
17 January 1945.

TO : MMIA LO 3 District.

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1. Further to our letter AQ/25 of 11 January 1945, and Salvage Branch Hq. 3 District Release Note No. 120/1/ Sal dated 9 January 1945.

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2. Please make necessary arrangements for collecting material for which you are indenting.

A.J. HEAD, Major
for Colonel DA & QMG
Land Forces Sub Commission.

AJH/ag

Copy to:
MMIA LO Naples.

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

Postal Address:
A.F.L.R.S.,
Rome Area Allied Command,
C. M. F.

Telephone: ROME 66429

LRS/R-75.

SUBJECT : Factory Reports.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission, AC,
(M.M.I.A.)

16 January 1945.

1. It is notified for information that at the firm of FILI FRANCI, BASTIA, in the province of PERUGIA (Engineers & Manufacturers of Agricultural Machinery) there is a dump of approximately 450 tons of Cast Iron Shell Cases, which were cast at TERNI and sent to BASTIA for machining by this firm. The descriptions are as follows:-

1. 90/55 mm "CONTRAINER" approx. 12,000 rusty condition.
2. 102/35 mm "URSINO" approx. 13,000 painted.
3. 100/17 mm "R.E.CISOV" approx. 13,000 rusty.
4. Assorted bases and nosecaps. Approx. 10 tons.

2. The proprietor states that all the above-mentioned items have been paid for by him.

G.M. Braham
Major

G.M.BRAHAM,
Major, DAQMG.
for Chiefs of Section.
A.F.L.R.S.

GMB/dght

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Copy 5/ Folio 121

From: Ministry of War

To : M. M. I. A.

Ref: 201037/II

Date: 15 Jan 45

Subject: Organisation to Salvage Materials in Liberated Zones.

Ref this office letter 303621/CA dated 30 Oct 44.

1. This Ministry has greatly appreciated your constant support tending to solve the problems of materials belonging to the Italian Army. A number of official communications have been received, in respect of these materials, from Allied HQs through your office or forwarded directly by you.

2. But the salvage service does not appear to make any progress and the main reasons are:-

Absolute insuffiency of personnel and means suitable to carry out such services.

Impossibility to carry out large scale and profitable work especially in zones liberated recently.

3. It would therefore be a great advantage and would be greatly appreciated if approval of the scheme for the organisation for recovery of materials in liberated zones contained in letter referred to above, were granted.

4. Specially since one of the authorities requested in the proposal i.e. to move to Italy lorries needed for such services drawing same from the number frozen in Sardinia, is being acted upon since these vehicles are being dispatched to Italy.

5. We await, therefore, your favourable decisions on the above considering that in the present situation, it is essential that an important problem be solved urgently.

Sgd. Chief of Cabinet

deferred pending reorganisation of Salvage Directorate and Salvage Research in the Italian Army

20 Feb. 12:5

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From: Ministry of War

To : M. M. I. A.

Ref: 303621/CA
313-V-7
Date: 30 Oct 44.

Subject: Organization for the Recovery of Materials in Liberated Zones.

1. For your approval, I enclose the plan for the organization of the service of recovery of materials in the liberated zones.

2. For the carrying out of said plan, it is necessary that MMIA authorizes the increase of about [illegible] in the strength [illegible] which at present is planned for the services and that it authorizes the transport to the Mainland of about 50 lorries which are to be drawn from those which are frozen in SARDINIA.

3. If said transport is impossible MMIA will suggest some other solution.

4. The recovery services in the present situation, is of particular importance and its organization is urgent. I trust that you will not fail to give all of your aid in order that the a/m service may start as soon as possible.

Sgd. (Gen. [illegible]XILIA)

SC/ac

MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

Gabinetto

Gral N° 201037 /II Allegati
221-1-15
Risposta al f. del

Roma, 15 gennaio 1945

Div Sez N°

OGGETTO: Organizzazione ricupero materiali nelle zone liberate.

Material Salvage Organization in Liberated Zone

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

Riferimento lettera di questo Gabinetto n. 303621/C.A. del 30 ottobre 1944.

Questo Ministero ha molto apprezzato il costante interessamento posto da codesta Missione nella soluzione della questione riguardante i materiali di proprietà dell'Esercito italiano. E sono ormai numerose le comunicazioni ufficiali pervenute, in merito, dal comando alleato tramite codesta Missione o date direttamente da codesta Missione stessa.

Ciò nonostante, il servizio dei recuperi, non riesce a progredire a causa soprattutto:

- dell'assoluta insufficienza di personale e di mezzi a tale servizio adibiti;
- dell'impossibilità di potere effettuare, specie nelle zone da poco liberate, un lavoro proficuo e redditizio.

Giungerebbe, pertanto, assai opportuna e sommamente gradita, l'approvazione del progetto di organizzazione del servizio recuperi di materiale nelle zone liberate, trasmesso con lettera in riferimento.

Tantopiù che, una delle autorizzazioni in detto progetto richieste, e cioè il trasporto in continente degli autocarri occorrenti da trarre dall'aliquota bloccata in Sardegna, è - come noto - in

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OGGETTO: Organizzazione ricupero materiali nelle zone liberate.

Material Salvage Organization in Liberated Zones

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

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Si resta, quindi, in attesa delle favorevoli decisioni che codesta Missione vorrà compiacersi prendere in merito, tenuto conto della assoluta necessità di risolvere un problema che, nella situazione attuale, riveste carattere di particolare importanza e urgenza.

CERSETTI
CERSA

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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Subject: Recovery of Salvage for Italian Army

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

15 January 1945

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

Attn: G-4 Section

AQ/25

Copy to: MMIA LO 3 District

1. Reference your AQ/25 dated 11/1/45. — 115

2. No action taken. Pending Major Airey's decision as to the acceptability of items.

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

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Subject:- Demand Note - Sal for Italian Army.

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15 Jan 45.

Sal.

Copy: MMIA (ref your AQ/25 of 11 Jan;)
MMIA NAPLES (please arrange collection asonent by Comando
(Territoriale Naples from 21 Sal Depot.)

Ref your 151/Sal/92 dated 21 Dec 44.

1. May a release note be issued to this office in respect of the items as under, please:-

Lot No.	Material.	Qty Accptd.	Remarks.
39.	Jerricans & Americans, 4 gal.	3,500.	Only Jerricans with caps are accptd.
40.	Corrugated Drums, 4 gal.	10,000.	Only Drums with caps or bungs accptd.
41.	Field Ovens.	500.	Only those in serviceable condition accptd.
43.	Jerricans & Americans, 4 gal.	8, 000.	Only Jerricans with caps are accptd.
46.	Armd veh pet tanks.	70.	Lot accptd.

2. It is requested that permission be granted to the Italian Army reps collecting the material to select such items as are accepted in the above list.

Major,
MMIALO,
3 District.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,
AFHQ/36/27/SAL/49,
13 Jan 45,
FREEDOM 306.

A.D. Salvage,
H.Q., Eighth Army (Rear).
D.A.D. Salvage,
Hr. Incr. Fifth (US) Army (Rear).

AG/25

SUBJECT :- Disposals to M.M.I.A.

1. In the event of any disposals being effected to M.M.I.A. in Army Areas the instructions contained in para. 2 (a) of AFHQ/23/SAL/222 dated 27 Nov 44 as amended by AFHQ/36/27/SAL/47 dated 8 Jan 45 will be adhered to. Copies of letters in question are attached.

2. It is not anticipated that local disposals other than to M.M.I.A. will normally be effected in Army Areas, but in the event of special circumstances arising necessitating local disposal being made special application will be made to this office. Instructions will then be issued regarding procedure to be adopted.

T.P.A. GALLOWAY, Major,
D.A.D. Salvage, for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

TPAG/CAM.

Copy to :- M.M.I.A.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,
AFHQ/23/SAL/219,
12 Jan 45,
FREEDOM 806.

D.A.D. Salvage,
H.Q., No. 1 District.
H.Q., No. 2 District (Rear).
H.Q., No. 3 District.

SUBJECT :- Local Disposal of British Army Salvage.

1. Reference AFHQ/23/SAL/222 dated 27 Nov 44. — 77/1

2. (a) The following paragraphs will be amended by DELETION of all reference to "A.D. Salvage, A.A.I."

(b) Paras. 2 (a) (iii) and 2 (a) (iv)
2 (b) (iii) and 2 (b) (iv)
7 (b) and 7 (d).

T.P.A. GALLOWAY, Major,
D.A.D. Salvage, for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Salvage.

TPAG/CAM.

Distribution :- A.D. Salvage, H.Q., Eighth Army (Rear).
D.A.D. Salvage, Dr. Incr., Fifth Army (Rear).
Q (AE).
Q (Maint).
Financial Advisor,
D.P.I.C.
A.C.
M.M.I.A.
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Subject :- Re-issues of Material to MMIA.

3 District
Tel Ext 79
151/1/Sal

12 Jan 45

Land Forces Sub-Commission AC,
(MMIA) Rome.

Ref AFHQ/23/SAL/222.

1. In accordance with a/q Instruction, signed receipts (AF B 108) Nos R1 - R99 as per attached lists, are forwarded herewith.

2. These receipts are for items issued during December 1944 to :-

(a) MMIA Southern Region, from HQ 21 Salvage Depot.

(b) Secretary General, Italian Red Cross, Rome from HQ 21 Salvage Depot.

(c) MMIA Southern Region from HQ 22 Salvage Depot.

3. Authorities for issues are shown on attached lists.

F.E.J. Carter,
Lieut.,
for Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

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Issued from HQ 21 Salvage Depot, Torre Annunziata.

DECEMBER

Authority	Receipt No	Date	Item		No	Tons
	R1	1	Textiles, T3		225	3
	R2	2	" "		225	3
	R3	"	" "		40	2½
	R4	3	" "		225	3
AFHQ/36/6/ SAL/132 d/d 3 Nov 44.	R5	4	" "		214	3
	R6	"	" "		222	3
	R7	"	" "		225	3
	R8	5	" "		225	3
	R9	"	" "		134	2
	R10	"	" "		50	2½
	R11	"	" "		80	2
	R12	6	" "		7	½
			" T2		170	2
	R13	"	" "		210	3
AFHQ/36/27/ SAL/19 d/d 29 Oct 44.	R14	"	" "		225	3
	R15	7	" "		240	2½
	R16	"	" "		240	2½
	R17	"	" "		232	2½
	R18	8	" "		162	1½
	R19	"	" "		150	1½
	R20	"	" "		154	1½
LO MMIA 3 Dist ref 3DLO/10 d/d 27 Nov 44.	R21	9	Chemical containers, A/G	cases 103		12
			Respirator facepieces	sacks 53		
	R22	"	Textiles, T2		180	1½
	R23	"	" "		176	1½
	R24	"	" "		186	1½
	R25	10	" "		185	1½
	R26	11	" "		180	1½
	R27	"	" "		180	1½
	R28	"	" "		185	1½
	R29	12	" "		290	3
AFHQ/36/27/	R30	"	" "			

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	R1	1	Textiles, T3		225	3
	R2	2	" "		225	3
	R3	"	" "		40	2½
	R4	3	" "		225	3
AFHQ/36/6/SAL/132 d/d 3 Nov 44.	R5	4	" "		214	3
	R6	"	" "		222	3
	R7	"	" "		225	3
	R8	5	" "		225	3
	R9	"	" "		134	2½
	R10	"	" "		50	2½
	R11	"	" "		80	2
	R12	6	" "		7	½
			" T2		170	2
	R13	"	" "		210	3
AFHQ/36/27/SAL/19 d/d 29 Oct 44.	R14	"	" "		225	3
	R15	7	" "		240	2½
	R16	"	" "		240	2½
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	R25	10	" "		185	1½
	R26	11	" "		180	1½
	R27	""	" "		180	1½
	R28	""	" "		185	1½
	R29	12	" "		290	3
AFHQ/36/27/	R30	""	" "		300	3

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	R8	5	"	"		225	3	
	R9	"	"	"		134	2½	
	R10	"	"	"		50	2½	
	R11	"	"	"		80	2	
	R12	6	"	"		7	½	
	R13	"	"	T2		170	2	
AFHQ/36/27/SAL/19 d/d 29 Oct 44.	R14	"	"	"		210	3	
						225	3	
	R15	7	"	"		240	2½	
	R16	"	"	"		240	2½	
	R17	"	"	"		232	2½	
	R18	8	"	"		162	1½	
	R19	"	"	"		150	1½	
	R20	"	"	"		154	1½	
LO MMTA 3 Dist ref 3DLO/10 d/d 27 Nov 44.	R21	9	Chemical containers, A/C		cases 103		12	
			Respirator facepieces		sacks 53			
	R22	"	Textiles, T2			180	1½	
	R23	"	"	"		176	1½	
	R24	"	"	"		186	1½	
	R25	10	"	"		185	1½	
	R26	11	"	"		180	1½	
	R27	"	"	"		180	1½	
	R28	"	"	"		185	1½	
	R29	12	"	"		290	3	
AFHQ/36/27/SAL/19 d/d 29 Oct 44.	R30	"	"	"		300	3	
	R31	"	"	"		300	3	
	R32	13	"	"		300	3	
	R33	"	"	"		300	3	
	R34	"	"	"		300	3	
	R35	14	"	"		300	3	
	R36	"	"	"		290	3	
	R37	"	"	"		310	3	
	R38	15	"	"		2037	2½	
	R39	"	"	T2x		70	2	
	R40	"	"	"		63	2	
	R41	16	"	"		67	2	
	R42	"	"	"		70	2	

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Authority	Receipt No	Date	Item		No	Tons
AFHQ/36/27/SAL/19 d/d 29 Oct 44.	R43	18	Textiles, T2x		70	2
	R44	"	" "		70	2
	R45	"	" "		70	2
	R46	19	" "		70	2
	R47	"	" "		70	2
	R48	"	" "		70	2
120/1/Sal d/d 14 Dec	R49	"	Alfa Romeo lorry, No WDL 641		1	
			MT Parts (Italian)	cases	4	
			Fire Extinguishers (Italian)		3	
			M/cycles (Italian, incomplete)		3	
	R50	20	Fiat Ambulance, No WDL 365		1	
			" 3 ton " 226-0-1-416		1	
			" 30 cwt " WH 1953492		1	
			Cordage			½
			Respirator corrugated connection tubes (Italian)	sacks	13	
			Oxygen bottles (French small)	cases	4	
AFHQ/36/27/SAL/19 d/d 29 Oct 44.	R51	20	Textiles, T2x		70	2
	R52	"	" "		70	2
	R53	"	" "		70	2
	R54	21	" "		50	1½
	R55	"	" "		50	1½
	R56	"	" "		50	1½
	R57	"	" "		50	1½
	R58	22	" "		50	1½
	R59	"	" "		35	1½
	R60	"	" "		40	1½
	R61	23	" "		60	2
	R62	"	" "		60	2
	R63	"	" "		65	2
	R64	26	" "		58	2

Issued direct to Secretary General, Italian Red Cross, Rome, from HQ 21 Salvage Depot, Torre Annunziata.

	R65	11	Tyres, m/c 600 x 16		192	

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			Fire Extinguishers (Italian)	cases	4	
			M/cycles (Italian, incomplete)		3	
					3	
120/1/Sal d/d 14 Dec	R50	20	Fiat Ambulance, No WDL 365		1	
			" 3 ton " 226-0-1-416		1	
			" 30 cwt " WH 1953492		1	
			Cordage			½
			Respirator corrugated connection tubes (Italian)	sacks	13	
			Oxygen bottles (French small)	cases	4	
	R51	20	Textiles, T2x		70	2
	R52	"	" "		70	2
	R53	"	" "		70	2
	R54	21	" "		50	1½
	R55	"	" "		50	1½
	R56	"	" "		50	1½
AFHQ/36/27/SAL/19 d/d 29 Oct 44.	R57	"	" "		50	1½
	R58	22	" "		50	1½
	R59	"	" "		35	1½
	R60	"	" "		40	1½
	R61	23	" "		60	2
	R62	"	" "		60	2
	R63	"	" "		65	2
	R64	26	" "		58	2

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	R65	11	Tyres, u/s, 600 x 16	100	
			" " m/c	32	
	R66	12	" " 600 x 16	100	
			" " m/c	30	
	R67	13	" " 600 x 16	100	
Q(AE) AFHQ ref AFHQ/9187/ Q(AE) d/d 5 Dec 44.			Inner tubes, u/s, various	108	
			Aircraft tyres, u/s, small	4	
			" inner tubes, u/s, small	14	
			Fan belts, MT, u/s	6	
	R68	14	Tyres, u/s, 600 x 16	100	
			Inner tubes, various	8	
	R69	"	Tyres, u/s, 600 x 16	33	
	R70	"	" " "	100	
	R71	"	Batteries, wet, various, u/s	100	

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Issued direct to Secretary General, Italian Red Cross, Rome, from HQ 21 Salvage Depot, Torre Annunziata.

DECEMBER

Authority	Receipt No	Date	Item		No	Tons
	R72	15	Tyres, u/s 600 x 16		52	
			" " m/c		28	
			Inner tubes, various		163	
			" " protectors		40	
			Tyres, large, MT, various, u/s		91	
			" aircraft, small, u/s		6	
Q(AE) AFHQ ref	R73	""	Wheels, MT		50	
AFHQ/9187/			" m/c		150	
Q(AE) d/d	R74	16	Tyres, u/s 1050 x 16		29	
5 Dec 44.	R75	""	" " 600 x 16		11	
			" " 1050 x 20		6	
			Generators, u/s		2	
	R76	""	Tyres, u/s, 600 x 16		100	
			" " m/c		20	
			Wheels, MT		1	

Issued from HQ 23 Salvage Depot, Adelfia.

LO MMIA 54 Area MF/118 d/d 2 Dec 44.	R77	4	Springs, road, MT		100	
LO MMIA 54 Area MF/118 d/d 15 Dec 44.	R78	17	Electric cable	cwts		12½
			Tubing, u/s	"		2
			Heads, pick		24	
			Shovels		26	
AFHQ/36/6/ SAL/132 d/d 3 Nov 44.	R79	""	Textiles, T1	tons		5½
	R80	18	" "	"		5½
LO MMIA 54 Area MF/118 d/d 2 Dec 44.	R81	""	Electric cable	coils	45	
	R82	19	Textiles, T2	tons		6
	R83	20	" "	"		4
	R84	""	" T3	"		4½
	R85	21	" "	"		2
	R86	""	" T6	"		1½
	R87	""	" "	"		6
	R88	22	" "	"		12½
	R89	""	" "	"		1½
AFHQ/36/6/	R90	23	" "	"		2
SAL/132 d/d	R91	""	" "	"		1½
3 Nov 44.	R92	""	" "	"		1½
	R93	27	" "	"		3

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AFHQ/9167/ Q(AE) d/d 5 Dec 44.	R74	16	Tyres, u/s 1050 x 16		29	
	R75	""	" " 600 x 16		11	
			" " 1050 x 20		6	
			Generators, u/s		2	
	R76	""	Tyres, u/s, 600 x 16		100	
			" " m/c		20	
			Wheels, MT		1	

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	R84	""	" T3	"		4½
	R85	21	" "	"		2½
	R86	""	" T6	"		1½
	R87	""	" "	"		6
	R88	22	" "	"		12½
	R89	""	" "	"		1½
	R90	23	" "	"		2½
	R91	""	" "	"		1½
	R92	""	" "	"		1½
	R93	27	" "	"		4½
	R94	""	" "	"		7
	R95	28	" "	"		3½
	R96	""	" "	"		4
	R97	29	" "	"		4¼
	R98	30	" "	"		4
	R99	""	" "	"		

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TRANSLATION.

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From: M of S
T. NMIA

Ref: 200532/II
Number: 221-1-5
Date: 11 Jan. 1945.

SUBJECT: Recovery of Material- 8th CERSETI Det.

While awaiting to carry out the recovery of Italian military material in the liberated areas according to project submitted to NMIA for approval (1), the 7th and 8th CERSETI Detchments are taking care of the recovery, as you know.

These recoveries can, for obvious reasons, only give good results if carried out in time and if carried to the farthest possible advanced areas, before more or less legal activities or undue appropriations, especially by civilians, result in the dispersal or hiding of the material in question.

We therefore ask NMIA to kindly use your good offices to have the 8th Army, just as the 5th Army has done, which latter has not imposed any limitations upon the radius of action of the 7th CERSETI Det., authorize the 8th CERSETI Det. to pass the Northern boundaries of the "Restricted Area" (Rome 1st District).

s/ DE MICHELIS.

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(1) see:
letter 303621/CA of the 30 Oct. 1944.
last Para. of letter 305228/2/CA of the 25 Nov. 1944;
only for NMIA.

cts Spoke Selby - he is writing 8 Army NMIS

See folio 124

MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

SO/ac

Gabinetto

Prot. N. 200532/II *Allegati*
221-1-5
(Riservato al dirigente)

Roma 11 gennaio 1945

Div. [illegible]

OGGETTO Recuperi materiali - Distaccamento "Cerseti" n.8.

Salvage Material Detachment 8

Ale
12 Jan

→ All LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION - A.C. (MMIA) — ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.ESERCITO - Uff. servizi - (rif.att. 1/13/serv. del 4 c.m.) — P.M.3800

AL COMANDO DELEGAZIONE "T" DELLO S.M.R.E. (rif.lettera 163/ric del 16 dicembre u.s.) — P.M.3800

ALLA MISSIONE DI COLLEGAMENTO CON IL COMANDO 15 GRUPPO ARMATE ANGLO AMERICANE (rif.lettera 5214/E/1 del 22 dicembre u.s.) — P.M. 3800

In attesa di potere effettuare i recuperi di materiale militare italiano nelle zone liberate, secondo il progetto sottoposto all'approvazione di codesta Missione (1), provvedono - come noto - ai recuperi stessi, i distaccamenti "Cerseti" n.7 e n.8.

Tali recuperi, per ovvie considerazioni, possono dare buoni risultati solo se eseguiti tempestivamente e se spinti nelle zone quanto più possibile avanzate, prima che più o meno lecite attività o appropriazioni indebite, specie da parte dei civili, portino alla dispersione o all'imboscamento del materiale di cui trattasi.

Si prega, pertanto, codesta Missione di compiacersi porre il suo autorevole interessamento affinché, analogamente a quanto praticato dalla 5ª armata che non ha posto alcuna delimitazione alla zona d'azione del distaccamento "Cerseti" n.7, anche l'8ª armata voglia autorizzare il distaccamento "Cerseti" n.8 ad oltrepassare i limiti settentrionali della "zona limitata" (I distretto).

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IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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11 LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION - A.C. (MEDIA) — R O M A

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p. Il Ten. Col. [illegible]

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(1) - vedere:
- lettera 303621/C.A. del 30 ottobre 1944;
- ultimo capoverso lettera 305228/2/C.A. del 25 [illegible] 1944;
solo per la L.F.S.C.- A.C. (MEDIA).

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SUBJECT: Recovery of Salvage for Italian Army.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/25
11 January 1945.

TO : MMIA LO 3 District.

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1. Reference your 3 DLO/30 dated 6/1/45.

2. Your proposals are confirmed, and it is requested that indents be submitted for items which you recommend to be accepted.

J. HEAD, Major
for Colonel DA & QMG
Land Forces Sub Commission.

JH/ag

Copy to:
MMIA LO Naples.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
ECONOMICS & SUPPLY DIVISION
APO 394

RRR: 717/13/187 D 10 January 1945

SUBJECT : Salvaged Clothing available to AC.

TO : N.M.I.A. Warehouse,
Corso S.Giovanni N° 251,
Naples.

AP 15 - 527/2

1. Reference letter AC/3134/Commerce of 4 January 1945.

2. This letter is to introduce Sig. Pa-squale Faggiano, contractor of this Sub-Division, who is authorized to collect the 50,000 Kgs of salvaged Clothing made available at your warehouse as by a/m letter.

For the Regional Commissioner:

W.C. Butt Major
U.S. AAF,
Major A.G.D.,
Commerce Sub-Div.

WB/AG

DISTRIBUTION:
- N.M.I.A. -
- Sig. Faggiano -

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff

Ref/9006/31/COS. 8825 9 January 1945

SUBJECT: Disposal of Salvage, Scrap, and Other War Material

TO : Economic Section
Civil Affairs Section
War Material Disposal & Prisoner of War
Sub-Commission

1. Reference is to memorandum 5.10/WS, of 19 December 1944, from the Acting Deputy Chief of Staff, Economic Section, and memorandum WMD/51/267, of 23 December 1944, from the Director of the War Material Disposal and Prisoner of War Sub-Commission. Subject of both memoranda is the disposal of salvage, scrap and other war material reported to the Allied Commission for disposition.

2. Decision on this matter is as follows:

a. War Material Disposal Sub-Commission will be the central organization within the Allied Commission to deal with all supplies of salvage, scrap and war material reported to the Allied Commission by military services for disposition.

b. The War Material Disposal Sub-Commission will collate all such availabilities and will report them to whatever agencies of the Economic Section are designated by that Section. (For the time being, reports on such availabilities will in every case be transmitted to the Commerce Sub-Commission; the Economic Section may make exceptions to this general practice from time to time.)

c. The Commerce Sub-Commission (or other Sub-Commissions in the case of the exceptions mentioned in paragraph 2 b.) will handle claims on such availabilities from all units within the Allied Commission, and from the Italian Government. All claimants will bid for materials through the Commerce Sub-Commission, except where they are advised to do otherwise by the Economic Section.

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e. All dealings with the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor on the disposal of this type of material will be handled through the Commerce Sub-Commission.

/s/ M. S. Lush
Brigadier
Chief of Staff

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Subject :- Sheepskins.

3 District
Tel Ext 79
127/23/Sal

9th Jan 45

H.Q., A.C.,
Land Forces Sub-
Commission (MMIA).

MMIA LO,
HQ 3 District.

AQ/25
12 Jan

1. In the past the sale of sheep or goat skins that have accrued in the British Army have been disposed of by tender either by S & T or Salvage.

2. The existing contracts come to an end at the end of January 45.

3. Before further contracts are entered into will you please state whether you are interested in them or if not they will be offered to AC.

4. In order to give you an idea of the skins available and location please find below a statement of same :-

Naples Area	1,000 skins per month
Bari "	450 " " "
Taranto "	900 " " "

5. In the event of you requiring these skins, detailed arrangements for collection will need to be made and in the event of you not adhering to same your right to the skins will have to be considered terminated.

6. Please treat this matter as urgent.

Referred to us on
May pursuant to your
Cablegram on 21 Jan (8)

F. F. S. Lassmore

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Refer to us re
Army Comment dispatch
Answer on 31 Jan (E)

/HB

A/T
HH3

F.F.S. Passmore

F.F.S. Passmore,

Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Direzione Vestiario
Sez. 1ª 5346/V Allegati

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

Risposta al foglio 27/12/44
N. 1AQ/25

OGGETTO Stracci per la Marina Italiana.

Navy Ex Italian

AQ
10 Jan

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Si assicura cotesta M.I.A. di aver impartito alla Direzione di Commissariato della Sardegna le disposizioni per la cessione di stracci alla R.Marina alle condizioni comunicate con il foglio in riferimento.

p. IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
L'ISPETTORE DEI SERVIZI DI COMM/TO

per Facsimile

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SALVAGE BRANCH, HQ NO 3 DISTRICT, CMF

RELEASE NOTE.

To :- HQ No 21 Salvage Depot

AQ/25 120/1/Sal

The items listed below are authorised for issue to :- MMIA HQ 3 District.

1 Jan

9 Jan 1945.

J.J.S. Saumur Major, D.A.D. Salvage

Serial	Description	Number	Weight	Remarks
1.	Lot 43. Rubberised ground sheets		20 - 30 tons (by selection)	MMIA will arrange necessary labour for selecting material required.
2.	Lot 49. Shoes, canvas		10 tons approx	

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Copy to :- MMIA LO Naples
Land Forces Sub-Commission, A.C.
(MMIA) Rome.
151/Sal

Ref folio 128

who will do this.

Subject:- Recovery of salvage for Italian Army.

3DLO/30
6 Jan. 45.

Land Forces Sub-Commission AC,
M.M.I.A.
ROME.

Copy: MMIALO.Naples.

AQ/25.

Ref. your AQ/25 dated 4 Jan. 45.

I inspected the material in question on 3 Jan 45 and found it to be as follows:-

Lot No.	Material.	Condition.	Accepted/ Refused.
48	Headgear.) Braces.) Anklets.) Web Eqpt.) Kit-bags.) Holdalls.)	Mostly web eqpt., rest in poor condition and in uneconomically small quantities.	Refused.
	Rubberized Groundsheets.	One lot of 20-30 tons in reasonable condition.	Accepted.
49	Shoes, canvas.	Only fair, 10 tons good.	10 tons Accepted.

I am arranging for the shoes to be selected by Comando Territoriale Napoli after which shoes and groundsheets may be moved by rail direct from 21 Sal Depot.

As regards 3 District letter 151/Sal/92 dated 21 Dec 44, a copy of which you should have received by now. I inspected the material offered and report as follows:-

Lot No;	Material.	Condition.	Propasal.
33 } 34 } 35 }	5-gall oil drums. (Brit and US)	Bad. No bungs.	Refuse.
36			
37 } 38 }	2&4 gall Palli-cans.	Rusty inside. No bungs.	Refuse.
39	Jerri- & Ameri-cans. 4 gall.	10% are Jerri-cans & are good. Remainder rusty.	Accept Jerri-cans.
40	4-gall corrugated drums.	10,000 serviceable.	Accept 10,000.
41	Field Ovens.	50% serviceable.	Accept 500.
42	Oxy-acet. bottles	n/s.	Refuse

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	Web Eqpt.) Kit-bags.) Holdalls.)	small quantities.	
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Lot No;	Material.	Condition.	Propasal.
33 34 35	5-gall oil drums. (Brit and US)	Bad. No bungs.	Refuse.
36 37 38	2&4 gall Palli-cans.	Rusty inside. No bungs.	Refuse.
39	Jerri- & Ameri-cans. 4 gall.	10% are Jerri-cans & are good. Remainder rusty.	Accept Jerri-cans.
40	4-gall corrugated drums.	10,000 serviceable.	Accept 10,000.
41	Field Ovens.	50% serviceable.	Accept 500.
42	Oxy-acet. bottles	u/s.	Refuse.
43	Jerri- & Ameri-cans.	10% are Jerri-cans & are good. Remainder rusty.	Accept Jerri-cans.
44 45	Veh petrol tanks. (small)	Too small to be of use.	Refuse.
46	" " " (armd vehs)	Capacity 30-50 galls. Good condition - Useful.	Accept.

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If you will confirm these proposals the items will immediately be indented for on 3 District.

Attached is duplicate, as instructed, of the Demand Note for the required items in Lots 48 and 49.

Le Folio 15

Major
MMIALO - 3 District.

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Subject:- Demand Note. Sal for Italian Army.

3DLO/30
6 Jan. 45.

Sal.

Copy:- Land Forces Sub-Comm., AC.
T.M.I.A.
Rome.
M.M.I.A.L.O. Naples.

Ref your 15¹/Sal/94 dated 24 Dec 44.

May the u/m be released from 21 Sal Depot to the Italian Army:-

Lot No.	Material.	Weight.
48 (part)	Rubberized ground-sheets.	Lot of 20-30 tons.
49 (part)	Shoes, canvas.	Approx. 10 tons. (by selection, Italian Army.)

Major,
MMIAIO,
3 District.

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SUBJECT: Textiles - Category T.6.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALCOM (M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
AQ/25
4 January 1945.

TO: MMIA LO 3 District.

1. Reference letter 3 District 151/SAL/94 dated 24 December 1944.

2. The copy of the above reference letter was received by this office on the late afternoon of 3 January 1945. This copy is forwarded to you herewith for action as indicated below. We still do not know what happened to the original, which was mailed to us on the 24 December 1944.

3. Will you please inspect the items reported as available, and determine if they can be used for supply of BR-ITIS. Among the items listed under lot No. 48, the items of caps, anklets web, and oil skins are of special interest and are needed for BR-ITIS, provided they are capable of being repaired for issued to Italian troops. The canvas shoes listed under lot No. 49 will be of no value, unless they are repairable or capable of some service in the present condition.

4. After you have inspected this material, will you please notify Hq. 3 District of the items which you consider to be of value, and which we would like to have available for BR-ITIS. Your notice to them will constitute acceptance by MMIA.

5. Any items accepted should be delivered to BR-ITI Depot No. 8 Frattamaggiore which is located just outside of Naples. Furnish this Hq. with a report of your action with copy of notice to 3 District of items you decide to accept.

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

GAS/wtr

Copy to: MMIA LO NAPLES

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SUBJECT: Letter of Transmittal

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

29 December 1944

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.
(Attn: Lt. Col. Shipley)

1. Transmitted herewith letter received from Headquarters Southern Region, A.C. Economics & Supply Section.

2. For your information and record.

GEORGE D. SMITH JR.
Major Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

GDS/nl

Incl:- Copy letter Hq. Southern Region
RES: 717/13/158 B

HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
ECONOMICS & SUPPLY SECTION
APO 394

RES: 717/13/158 B 28 December '44

SUBJECT : Salvaged Garments.

TO : HQ. Allied Commission.
Attn.for Commerce Sub-Commission
(attn: Col. EVANS).

1. Although lists have been submitted by M.M.I.A. showing quantities of garments by piece, it was understood that prices are quoted lb.weight.

2. It is pointed out that great confusion will result from this contrary procedure, especially as it is impossible to exercise anything approaching a control when issuing garments to contractors for repair.

3. If such issues are made by weight the contractors must show any lose though cannibalization in weight of residue rags.

4. When repaired garments are withdrawn from the contractors the quantities will be stated in both weight and piece.

5. It would be appreciated if this important point could be taken up with M.M.I.A. immediately as, also a considerable amount of labour is employed at the MMIA Warehouse N° 1750 in counting, which ultimately will be of no avail.

For the Regional Commissioner:

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For the Regional Commissioner:

WGB/AC

W.G. BIRT,
Major R.A.,
Commerce Sub-Dept.

Copy to: M.M.I.A.

We charge them out the same way they are charged to us. Some one way and some the other. We can't help this

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APO 394
COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Special Materials Section

AG 10/12

LVRW/FZ

Ref.AC/5105/Commerce
Tel. 478.192

27 December 1944

AG/25

SUBJECT : Issue of Rags

TO : Land-Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)
(attn.Major Gregson)

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1. Reference your AG/25 of 26 December 1944 and our AC/5105/Commerce of 26 December 1944.

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2. We has no objection to the issuance of rags to the Italian Navy subject to the following condition:

a. "The issuance of rags should be done with extreme caution and under strict control. Rags are an extremely valuable item being particularly useful in the manufacture of such critical items as blankets. They must not be wasted".

For the Chief Commissioner

W.P. EVANS
Colonel-Director
Commerce Sub-Commission

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Subject: Bags for Italian Navy.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME
AG/25

27 Dec 1944.

To: Ministry of War

Ref your 21001/V dated 11 Dec 1944.

1. Enclosed is copy of a letter received from Commerce Sub Comm. A.C.

2. Will you please forward to this HQ an assurance that the conditions laid down in para 2 (a) and 2 (b) of the enclosed letter will be strictly adhered to.

D.S.L.GRESSON, Major,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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Copy to: Commerce Sub Comm. A.C. for
Special Materials Section (your AC/5105/Commerce of 26 Dec refers)

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Subject: Italian Military Material on MLBA.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/25

26 Dec 1944.

To: MINISTRY OF WAR.

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Further to this HQ letter AQ/25 dated 17 Dec 1944.

Enclosed is copy of a letter received from A.F.H.Q.

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D.S.L.GREGSON, Major,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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Subject: Issue of Rags to Italian Navy.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME
AG/25

26 Dec 1944

To: Commerce Sub Commission, A.C.

1. Enclosed is copy translation of a letter received from the Ministry of War.

2. For your comments please.

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D.S.L. GRIERSON, Major,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Special Materials Section

Ref. AC/5105/Commerce
Tel. 478.192

LVRW/PZ

26 December 1944

AG/25

SUBJECT : Rags

TO : Land-Forces Sub-Commission (M.M.I.A.)
(attn. Major Gregson)

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1. Reference your AG/25 of 17 December and the request of the Ministry of War for waste rags needed to clean ships.

2. In view of the fact that rags are an absolute necessity for the cleaning of brasswork and guns on ships the Commerce Sub-Commission has no objections to the issuance of US clothing for this purpose subject to the following conditions:

a. Absolutely no clothing which could be repaired should be issued.

b. The issuance of rags should be done with extreme caution and under strict control. Rags are an extremely valuable item being particularly useful in the manufacture of such critical items as blankets. They must not be wasted.

For the Chief Commissioner

Coordinated
Maj Cole
27/12

for
W.F. EVANS
Colonel - Director
Commerce Sub-Commission

Maj. Mus.

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COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Special Materials Section

Ref.AC/5134/Commerce
Tel. 478.192

LVRW/FZ
22 December 1944

SUBJECT : Salvage Clothes

TO : AFHQ
G-5 Section

1. Reference your G-57 of 12 December 1944.

2. Further to your inquiry in regards the reprocessing of salvage clothing, a copy of a report submitted to the Economic Section is attached herewith which is felt to be self-explanatory.

For the Chief Commissioner

W.P. EVANS
Colonel-Director
Commerce Sub-Commission

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COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Special Materials Section

Ref.AC/5134/Commerce
Tel. 478.192

LVRW/FZ
27 December 1944

SUBJECT: Report on Salvaged Clothing

TO : Economic Section

Introduction.- The object of this review of the salvaged clothing situation is to acquaint the Economic Section and other interested agencies with steps that have been taken and those envisaged for the future.

For purposes of clarification, this report on salvaged clothing- how it is obtained, reprocessed, and distributed-will be divided into three parts:

1.- Background of the present situation;
2.- The present operation;
3.- Procedure of allocation.

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1. In accordance with the directive that AC was to become less operational and assume an advisory function, the Industry Sub-Commission by terms of the letter AC/5569/Ind of 3 October 1944 made arrangements for the transfer of the control of repairing and dyeing of salvaged uniforms to the Italian Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour to take effect at the expiration of then existing contracts made by AC.

During the month of November MTOUSA (cable L-50304 of 8 Nov.) ordered that all salvage clothing and equipment of a similar nature should be made available to AC from MMIA from both American and British armies. The reprocessing operation was thus considerably enlarged as heretofore only British battledress and shoes has been transferred to AC. In the following weeks approximately 200 tons of salvaged garments were placed at the disposal of the Commerce Sub-Commission.

However, it was felt that Italian Government should assume the responsability of repairing and dyeing these items particularly in view of the fact that all equipment had been debited to the Government when passed to MMIA.

After conferences with the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor it was decided that since the larger part of the salvaged

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items were available in Naples, the Ufficio Provinciale in that city should undertake the job. Instructions were given by the Ministry to the director of that office to begin operations and particularly to find a warehouse and take possession of the items available. MMLA was pressed for warehouse space since they were holdingall the salvage for AC and if action was not immediate would be forced to dispose of these items in another way.

Two weeks elapsed in which the Ufficio Provinciale was unable to make any progress, owing to the inability to find premises, transport, or repairing facilities. The director of this Sub-Commission then proceeded to Naples.

On arrival it was apparent that if the army clothing was to be reprocessed by the Italian Government it would be av ailable only after many months had elapsed. Further it became obvious that the distribution of the repaired items was of paramount interest to the authorities and that AC agencies in the and could have expectad but a fraction of the reprocessed garments.

It was therefore decided that the entire operational process of dyeing and repairing and the allocation of completed items must come under the immediate control of Commerce Sub-Commission AC. The urgency of the demand for clothing by the different Sub-Commissions of AC and Allied agencies necessitated prompt action.

A conference was held between the director of this Sub-Commission and Mr.Antolini who was in Naples at this time en route to Washington. The latter comprehending the Situation gave immediate authority for the Commerce Sub-Commission acting through its Sub-Section in Southern Region to make all necessary arrangements for this operation. Permission was granted to use AFA funds and it was further agreed that all costs would be debited to the Italian Government. Industry Sub-Commission was relieved of all responsability in the matter and it became entirely a Commerce Sub-Commission project.

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2. To date the following steps have been taken:

(a) A warehouse has been requisition in Naples where salvaged clothing has been collected from MMLA for sorting and distribution to contractors for repair.

(b) The first contract for repairing has been completed with the firm of P. & A. Saggiomo with fixed prices and a guaranteed daily output of 2,000 pieces.

(c) Further contractors have been approached with a view to taking on work and more contracts should be placed shortly. Also AFHQ has been contracted with a view to gaining authority to have work placed with the "C" Clothing Factory in Naples operated by DADOS and also the 557 B.O.D.,R.S.D.

(d) The possibility of repairing and dyeing garments

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available to AC in Bari is also being investigated in that city.

(e) Dyes have been allocated to the Manifatture Cotoniere Meridionali and sample garments have been submitted to this firm for costings for dyeing prior to drawing up a contract.
(1) It is felt that if a bottleneck exists in the entire operation it will be due to the lack of efficient dyeing facilities which are very scarce in Liberated Italy.

(f) The question of the repair of shoes is distinct from that of clothing. A system of operation which has been eminently successfull has been in force for some months in Naples whereby all salvaged shoes available to AC have been turned over to the Firm Nota. These are repaired by this firm and a wookly return of availabilities forwarded to the AC Office in Southern Region. As of 1 December the supervision of this operation rests with the Ufficio Provinciale in Naples. However all allocation of repaired shoes is reservad to AC.

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3. The procedure of allocation:

(A) A Disposal Committ ee will be set up comprised of member of the various SubpCommissions or agencies of AC interested in procuring clothing for sale or distribution to Italian Civilians.

(B) All demands for salvaged clothing will be submitted directly to this committee by its members or through Commerce Sub-Commission (acting as a secretariat) on AC Form Mat.10.

(C) Weekly or fortnightly returns on the availability of repaired clothing, shoes and extra equipage (cartridge belts, webbing, etc) will be forwarded to Commerce Sub-Commission by Southern Region, AC, in the case of clothing and by the Ufficio Provinciale in the case of shoes.

(D) Availability reports will be submitted to the Disposal Committee for action. All allocations will be made by iton the basis of determined priorities and availabilities. Further, this group will decide if clothing is to be distributed with or without payment by receiving agency.

(E) Releases will be made by Commerce Sub-Commission according to allocations of the Disposal Committee.

(F) Scrap rags left over from the reprocessing operatapn will be separated as to whether they are action or wool, baled, and turned over to the Ufficio Provinciale (since they are already the property of the Italian Government)and allocated to the textile industry of Prato or to the paper mills.

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Conclusion.- The following are the aims of the Commerce 1811

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Sub-Commission for the future:

A) To expand the operation taking on more and more repairing facilities particularly in other cities liks Rome until it is possible to absorb all the backing of available garments and to be in a position to immediately reprocess all garments as they curreantly become available.

B) It is further hoped that it may be possible when the organization is functioning properly to transfer the supervision of the same to the Italian Government reserving the right of allocation to the Disposal Committee of AC.

For the Chief Commissioner

W. P. EVANS
Colonel-Director
Commerce Sub-Commission.

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Subject :- Local Disposals - Textiles - Category T.6.

3 District
Tel Ext 79
151/Sal/94

24 Dec 44

HQ 3/1/J AQ/25

L.O., M.M.I.A.,
HQ 3 District.

HQ MMIA Rome
SO HQ 56 Area
OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot

1. The following items are held at the Base Salvage Depot, Terre Annunziata, and it would be appreciated if you would instruct one of your representatives to visit same at the earliest.

2. After inspection, a Demand Note for all material required should be addressed to this office and on receipt of same a Release Note will be sent you and on presentation of the Release Note to OC HQ 21 Salvage Depot, the material will be handed over to your representative.

3. Unless this material is inspected by you before the 30 Dec 44, the whole account will be offered to A.C.

4. All material selected by you will be cleared from our Depot as soon as this Release Note is issued.

Original returned
to you through
for implementation action
Brigade

F.P.S. Passmore

/JAS

F.P.S. Passmore,
Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

Lot No	Material	Weight
48.	Textiles, T.6. Including headgear of all types, braces, rubberised clothing, anklets, web, web equipment, [illegible]	85 tons

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Original returned to Maj Thorpe for information and action

Original

F. F. S. Passmore

F.F.S. Passmore,
Major,
D.A.D. Salvage

/JAS

Lot No	Material	Weight
48.	Textiles, T.6. Including headgear of all types, braces, rubberised clothing, anklets, web, web equipment, oilskins, kitbags and cotton holdalls.	85 tons
49.	T.6. Shoes, canvas	50 tons

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By Authority of
C.G.S.T.
Initials
Date 23 December 1944

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AQ/25

SUBJECT: Italian Military Material on ELBA.

TO : President, Allied Commission
FOR: Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)

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Reference your AQ/25 of 17 December 1944, the result of the investigation with the French authorities concerning the disposal of material captured on the Island of ELBA is not yet available.

By command of Field Marshal ALEXANDER:

HEADQUARTERS
24 DEC 1944
A. C.

R. H. RUSS,
Captain, AUS
Asst Adjutant General.

24 Dec

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Allegati

Risposta al Foglio N.°
del

Al la LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
C.A. (M.M.I.A.)
= R O M A =

OGGETTO: Cessione stracci di tela alla R.Marina.

Issue of rags to R. Navy

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Il Comando della R.Marina di Cagliari ha chiesto la cessione di alcuni quantitativi di stracci di tela esistenti presso il magazzino ricuperi di Macomer (Sardegna), che non sono in condizioni di essere impiegati per le riparazioni.=

Si prega, pertanto, voler comunicare se nulla osti per la cessione di cui sopra.=

PEL MINISTRO

The HQ of Italian Navy have requested the assignment of a quantity of rags which are in the MacComer depot and that cannot be ~~used~~ used for repairs of clothing articles.

We beg you to let us know if they

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Addressed to Maj Gen T U Navy

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We beg you to let us know if they have any objection to the assignment.

Rdamsfield

Awd to Lt Commander Pelligra 6/12

Awd to SecR 96/102

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