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SD/77 RECALL SARDINIA

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FROM: MMIA LO SARDINIA Sgd ALBERT
TO : MMIA
REF : Y 475

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 460 DATED 29 MAY (.)
FROM 280900 MAY TO 060900 JUNE (.)
FIRST (.) RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.)
17 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM
15 MARCH OF 2545 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE
11664 AND NONE AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
SECOND (.) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.)
NONE REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD
OF 7151 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE 6629 AND NONE
AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
THIRD (.) RECALLS 1916-18 CLASSES (.) 6 REPORTED
FOR A TOTAL OF 3470 (.) 2620 SHIPPED TO DATE AND
NONE AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
FOURTH (.) THIS COMPLETES SHIPMENT OF RECALLS
AND CALL-UPS

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FROM: IMIA

Date Time

TO : IO SARDINIA

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REF : SD 2737

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REF YOUR LETTER OF 31 MAY RECALL PERSONNEL AWAITING
SHIPMENT PARA 3 (.) NO RPT NO CHANGE IS MADE
TO EXISTING INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING CALL-UPS AND RECALLS

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FROM : MMIA LO SARDINIA Sgd ALBENT 29 1500 B
 TO : MMIA SECRET
 REF : Y 460 IMPORTANT

FURTHER TO OUR Y444 DATED 22 MAY (*)
 FROM 220900 TO 280900 MAY (*) ONE (*) RECALLS 1919-24
 CLASSES (*) 63 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH
 OF 2528 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 11577 AND 119 AWAITING SHIPMENT (*)
 TWO (*) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (*) 11 REPORTED XN FOR A TOTAL
 IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 7151 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 6542 AND 86 AWAITING
 SHIPMENT (*)T THREE (*) RECALLS 1916 - 18 CLASSES (*) 10
 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF 3464 (*) 2413 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 160
 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM: MLIA
 TO : AFHQ FOR G-3 ORG
 INFO: MLIA LO SARDINIA
 MLIA LO PENSOUTH
 OC BR CADRE 802 BRD
 OC BR CADRE 803 BRD
 OC BR CADRE 804 BRD

Date Time
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REF : SD 2709SECRET

REF OUR SD 2704 DATED 21 MAY (.). NO FURTHER
 SHIPMENTS EX SARDINIA REQUIRED
 AFTER SAILING SCHEDULED FIRST WEEK JUNE WHICH
 IS 28th SHIP COMPLEMENT DESTINED ASTRONI
 VIDE A 1076 DATED 17 MAY (.). SD/61/43
 ALL AVAILABLE PHASE 2 PERSONNEL WILL THEN HAVE
 BEEN SHIPPED (.). SPECIAL REQUESTS FOR SHIPPING
 WILL BE MADE FOR PERSONNEL EX HOSP
 AND RETURNED ABSENTEES ETC WHEN NUMBERS PERMIT

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FROM: MMIA LO SARDINIA
sgt. Albert

TO : MMIA

SECRET

REF : Y 444

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 428 DATED 19 MAY (.) FROM 180900 TO
220900 MAY (.)

FIRST (.) RECALLS 1919 1924 CLASSES (.) 14 REPORTED
FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 2465 (.) SHIPPED
TO DATE 11507 AND 42 Awaiting SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 11 REPORTED FOR A
TOTAL IN A/M PERIOD OF 7140 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE 6212
AND 300 Awaiting SHIPMENT (.)

THIRD (.) RECALLS 1916/18 CLASSES (.) 45 REPORTED FOR
A TOTAL OF 3454 (.) 2143 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 120
AWAITING SHIPMENT

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462 available

Say 600 available in 20

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SALABRIA I.S. DIVISION HQ

SD
2115

No. 3541/ORD

APO 75, 15 May 1945

SUBJECT: Recall 1919-1924 Classes (Phase I) 6000
 Call-up 1925 Class (Phase III) 6000
 Recall 1916-18 (Phase II) 6000

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR
 General Draft Directorate - NCO & Troops - APO 3800

INFO : Mil. Territory Hq of Rome - Mob. & Organization Office - Rome
 Sardinia Territorial Office " " " Section - APO 75
 MTA (Sardinia Liaison Office) CAGLIARI

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Following my letter No. 2840/Ord dated 9 April, I notify you the status as of 15 May concerning recall and call-up in Sardinia:

A) RECALL 1919-1924 CLASSES (PHASE I)

As of 15 May 11,338 men have left the island for the following destinations:

US-ITI	5495
BR-ITI	4804
ITL-ITI	1039
	<u>11,338</u>

6501

3002 (200)

3002 (200) X

6502 (200)

6502 (200)

6503 (200) X

6503 (200)

6504 (200)

The BR-ITI personnel to be shipped later:

Present	161
On furlough	126
Absent for various reasons	223
AWOL	363
	<u>863</u>

Considering that:

- those AWOL will be hard to recover and a small percentage will be recovered.
- some men of those absent for various reasons will not be recovered,

the effective yield of Phase I can be consider 11850 men, that:

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Recalls shipped	11358
Recalls to be recovered	512
	<u>11850</u>

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Consequently, the request for 10,000 men for Phase I has been completed.

The 1050 men over are to be credited to Phase II (Recalls 1916-18 classes).

B) CALLUP 1925 CLASS (PHASE III)

As of 15 May 1945 6002 men had left the island for the following destinations:

Orvieto Training Center BR-ITI	3997
Frosinone " " SMRE	2005
	6002

Consequently, the request for 6000 men concerning Phase III has been completed (the breakdown of recruits for Branches is shown in appendix 1).

The following men are now awaiting shipment (excess to the 6000 men) who will be credited to Phase II:

Present	577
On furlough	60
Absent for various reasons	66
AWOL	88
	791

We deem that 650 men can be shipped to the mainland in a short time.

C) RECALL 1916-1918 CLASSES (PHASE II)

As of 15 May 4521 men reported to the mobilization center, equal to 72% of those to be drafted (6300 men).

3461 of the 4521 have been enrolled and 889 of those already shipped to the mainland.

Reducing said strength of the 10% on the basis of data experienced during Phase I, it is expected that 5100 men can be shipped to the mainland.

Said figure might be slightly increased due to possible further reporting of the 1780 recalls not yet reported.

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D) CONCLUSION

- Phase I - completed	10,000
- Phase III - completed	6,002

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- Phase II

- Excess Phase I already shipped	1330
- Excess Phase I to be shipped	512
- Shipped to the mainland Phase II	889
- Excess Phase III to be shipped	650
- To be shipped Phase II	2211
- To be recovered from possible further reporting	398
GRAND TOTAL	22,000

As stated above, the 24,000 men requested by your Ministry to be shipped from Sardinia to the mainland are to be cut down to 22,000 men, as already anticipated and communicated in letter 2840/Ord dated 9 April 1945, due to 2000 men short in Phase II.

*The only mention of above cut to 22,000 seems to be in
to 13.8. 1st Ind. This particular point it appears was not
taken up.*

COMMANDING GENERAL OF DIVISION
Alessandro Maccario
/s/ Maccario

1st Ind.

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SARDINIA DETACHMENT, LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MNTA), 19 May 1945.

TO: Commanding General, Land Forces Sub Com A.C. (MNTA).

Forwarded for your information.

Lester R. Albert
LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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TO : NMIA

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REF : Y 428

FURTHER TO OUR Y 421 DATED 16 MAY (.) FROM 150900
TO 180900 MAY (.) 1 (.) RECALLS 1919-1924 CLASSES (.)
14 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF
2451 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE 11423 AND 31 AWAITING
SHIPMENT (.) 2 (.) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 50
REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 7140 (.)
SHIPPED TO DATE 6045 AND 515 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
3 (.) RECALLS 1916-18 CLASSES (.) 56 REPORTED FOR A
TOTAL OF 3409 (.) 1553 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 1146
AWAITING SHIPMENT

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FROM: MMIA LC SARDINIA Sgd ALBERT

TO : MMIA

REF : Y 421

FURTHER TO OUR Y 413 DATED 12 MAY (.)

FROM 11-0900 TO 15-0900 MAY (.)

FIRST (.)

RECALLS 1919=24 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 58 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MAR

OF 2437 (.)

SHIPPED TO DATE 11312 AND 90 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.)

RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.)

26 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 7090 (.)

SHIPPED TO DATE 6002 AND 577 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

THIRD (.)

RECALLS 1916=18 CLASSES (.)

48 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF 3353 (.)

TOTAL SHIPPED 889 AND 1451 AWAITING SHIPMENT

FROM 11-0900 TO 15-0900 MAY (.) *See F.23.*

FIRST (.)

RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 58 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MAR

OF 2437 (.)

SHIPPED TO DATE 11312 AND 90 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.)

RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.)

26 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 7090 (.)

SHIPPED TO DATE 6002 AND 577 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

THIRD (.)

RECALLS 1916-18 CLASSES (.)

48 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF 3353 (.)

TOTAL SHIPPED 889 AND 1451 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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TO : MMIA

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REF : Y 413

FURTHER TO OUR Y 402 DATED 7 MAY (.)

FROM 070900 TO 110900 MAY (.)

FIRST (.)

RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.) REPORTED 45 FOR A TOTAL

IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 2379 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE

11218 AND 138 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.)

RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 90 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN

ABOVE PERIOD OF 7064 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE 6002 AND 521

AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

THIRD (.)

RECALLS 1916-18 CLASSES (.) 51 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL

OF 3305 (.) TOTAL SHIPPED 308 AND 2038 AWAITING

SHIPMENT

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM : MMIA

Date Time

TO : AMIA for G-3(ORG)

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REF : SD 2664

SECRET

REF YOUR PX 62981 DATED 21 APR (.) REQUEST CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE
CRUISE FOR MAY (.) AT PRESENT 3600 APPROX MILITARY PERSONNEL
AWAIT SHIPMENT (.) MMIA LO SARDINIA ADVISES
NEXT SAILING 9 MAY

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FROM : MMIA LO SARDINIA Sgd ALBERT 07 1625 B
 TO : MMIA
 REF : Y 402

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 395 DATED 5 MAY (*) FORM 050900 TO 070900 MAY (*)
FIRST (*) RECALLS 1919 - 24 CLASSES (*) REPORTED 25 FOR A TOTAL IN
 PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 2334 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 11130 AND 202 AWAITING
 SHIPMENT (*) SECOND (*) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (*) 39 REPORTED FOR
 A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6974 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 5802 AND 620
 AWAITING SHIPMENT (*) THIRD (*) RECALLS 1916 - 18 CLASSES (*) 260
 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF 3254 (*) NONE SHIPPED TO DATE (*) 2152 AWAITING
 SHIPMENT (*)

NEW SUBJECT (*) REQUEST INFO RE SCHEDULE CRUISERS FOR MAY (*) HAVE
 APPROX 3600 MILITARY PERSONNEL WAITING FOR SHIPMENT (*) CRUISER
 GARIBOLDI ETA CAGLIARI 7 MAY EXPECT TO SAIL 9 MAY FOR DUKO

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 395 DATED 5 MAY (*) FORM 050900 TO 070900 MAY (*)
 FIRST (*) RECALLS 1919 - 24 CLASSES (*) REPORTED 25 FOR A TOTAL IN
 PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 2334 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 11150 AND 202 AWAITING
 SHIPMENT (*) SECOND (*) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (*) 39 REPORTED FOR
 A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6974 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 5802 AND 620
 AWAITING SHIPMENT (*) THIRD (*) RECALLS 1916 - 18 CLASSES (*) 260
 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF 3254 (*) NONE SHIPPED TO DATE (*) 2152 AWAITING
 SHIPMENT (*)

NEW SUBJECT (*) REQUEST INFO RE SCHEDULE CRUISERS FOR MAY (*) HAVE
 APPROX 3600 MILITARY PERSONNEL WAITING FOR SHIPMENT (*) CRUISER
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TO : MMIA

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REF : Y 395

FURTHER TO OUR Y 384 DATED 3 MAY (.)

FROM 020900 TO 050900 MAY (.)

FIRST (.) RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 98 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH

OF 2309 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE 11130 AND 207

AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.) RECALLS 1925 CLASS (.)

183 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD 6935 (.)

5802 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 608 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

THIRD (.) RECALLS 1916-18 CLASSES (.)

1072 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF 2994 (.) NONE SHIPPED

TO DATE (.) 1904 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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FROM: MMIA LO SARDINIA Sgd ALBERT

031100 B

TO : MMIA

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REF : Y384

FURTHER TO OUR Y 374 DATED 1 MAY (*)

FROM 300900 APRIL TO 020900 MAY (*)

FIRST (*) RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (*)

REPORTED 52 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH

OF 2211 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 11012 AND 267

AWAITING SHIPMENT (*)

SECOND (*) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (*)

152 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF

6752 (*) 5714 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 383

AWAITING SHIPMENT (*)

THIRD (*) RECALLS 1916-18 CLASSES (*)

798 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL 1922. (*)

NONE SHIPPED TO DATE (*) 1153 AWAITING SHIPMENT (*)

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TO : MMIA

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REF : Y374

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 354 DATED 24 APRIL (.)

FROM 250900 TO 300900 APRIL (.)

1 (.) RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.) REPORTED 94 FOR A TOTAL
IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 2159 (.) SHIPPED TO DATE 11012
AND 237 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

2 (.) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 158 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL
IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6600 (.) 5714 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 280
AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

3 (.) CLASSES 1916-18 (.) 1055 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF
1124 (.) NONE SHIPPED TO DATE (.) 733 AWAITING SHIPMENT /

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FROM: LIA
 TO : LO SARDINIA
 INFO: LIA LO PLANSOUTH

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REF : SD 2640SECRET

FOR M M I A L O (.)

FIRST (.)

REF YOUR LETTER 23 APR AND CONFIRMING CONVERSATION

ALBERT - STANTON 28 1045

TARGET PHASE II OLDER CLASS RECALLS IS

SIX THOUSAND (.)

SECOND (.)

CONFIRM NEW DELAYED ETA DUKO OF NEXT

SHIP (.) EXPECTED LOAD IS 500 MILITARY 350

REMARKS (.)

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

FIRST (.)

REF YOUR LETTER 23 APR AND CONTINUING CONVERSATION

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TARGET PHASE II OLDER CLASS RECALLS IS

SIX THOUSAND (.)

SECOND (.)

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SHIP (.) EXPECTED LOAD IS 500 MILITARY 350

REMARKS (.)

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

23 April 1945

SUBJECT: Callups - Phase II

TO : Commanding General, Land Forces Sub Com A.C. (MMIA)
Attention Major Stainton

1. Reference telephone conversation between Albert and Stainton 22 April re availability of Phase II callups.
2. Contacted Lt Col Costantino, Deputy Chief of Staff, CMS, and he stated they planned to call up 6300 and estimated approx 5000 would be obtained from this number. Allowing 1300 for physical rejects, hospital, AWOL etc. He also stated that the Ministry of War advised him to call up a total of 6000 and the Ministry of War would advise him if a further number should be called up.
3. He further stated there were sufficient personnel in Sardinia to obtain the full 6000 for Phase II if required.
4. Request to be advised soonest full number required in Phase II.
5. Again informed Col Costantino to have the first 1000 Phase II ready for shipment 3 May and 1000 every four days thereafter until Phase II is completed.

Lester R. Albert
LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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FROM: MMIA LO SARDINIA SGD ALBERT

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TO : MMIA

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 348 DATED 24 APRIL (*) FROM 240900
TO 250900 APRIL (*) FIRST (*) RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES
(*) REPORTED 10 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF
2065 (*) SHIPPED TO DATE 11012 AND 72 AWAITING SHIPMENT (*)
SECOND (*) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (*) 7 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL
IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6409 (*) 5714 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 100
AWAITING SHIPMENT (*) THIRD (*) CLASS 1918 PHASE II (*)
69 MEN REPORTED FOR A TOTAL OF 69 (*) NONE SHIPPED TO
DATE

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X Phase II started 24 Feb.

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TO : MMIA
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FURTHER TO (?) OUR Y 330 DATED 20 APRIL (.)
FROM 200900 TO 240900 APRIL (.)
FIRST (.)
RECALLS 1919-1924 CLASSES (.) REPORTED 60 FOR A
TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 2055 (.)
SHIPPED TO DATE 11015 AND 73 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
SECOND (.)
RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 18 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL
IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6402 (.)
5714 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 70 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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FROM: MMIA LO SARDINIA SIGNED ALBERT

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TO : MMIA

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 325 DATED 19 APRIL (.) FROM 100900
TO 200900 APRIL (.) FIRST (.) RECALLS 1919-1924 CLASSES
(.) REPORTED 5 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF
1995 (.) SHIPPED 10816 AND 272 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
SECOND (.) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 20 REPORTED FOR A
TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6384 (.) 5569 SHIPPED TO DATE
AND 103 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.) 712 A W O L, HOSPITAL,
PHYSICAL REJECTS ETC

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TO : MMIA LO SARDINIA

INFO : MMIA LO PENSOUTH

REF : SD 2611

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YOUR Y 321 OF 18 (.) REF PARA SECOND WE REQUESTED

AFHQ TO ARRANGE SEVENTH APRIL SHIPMENT FOR 27 VIDE MMIA SD 2606 AND

SD 2610 BOTH OF 19 (.) REF PARA THIRD (.) ALL NAVAL ARMY

AIR FORCE CORP PERSONNEL BELONGING TO ANY ESTABLISHMENT EITHER

CALL UPS OR SURPLUS TO AUTHORIZED GARRISON MUST BE SHIPPED BEFORE

REFUGEES (.) DO NOT WANT REFUGEES SHIPPED IF AT ALL POSSIBLE

HOWEVER IF IMPOSSIBLE TO FILL TO CAPACITY APPROVAL IS GIVEN FOR BAL

PERSONNEL IN THIS INSTANCE ONLY TO BE MADE UP OF REFUGEES PROVIDED

THEY HAVE HOMES TO GO TO ON ARRIVAL N A P L E S (.) THIS LATTER

MATTER IS BEING COMMUNICATED TO HIGH COMMISSIONER S A R D I N I A

BY A C (.) REF PARA FOURTH (.) AWAIT AFHQ REPLY OUR SIGNALS

SD 2606 JNS SD 2610 (.) SIGNAL SAILING DATE NEXT SHIP SOONEST

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SARDINIA CALLUP

Please

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YOUR Y 321 OF 18 (.) REF PARA SECOND WE REQUESTED
 AFHQ TO ARRANGE SEVENTH APRIL SHIPMENT FOR 27 VIDE NMIA SD 2606 AND
 SD 2610 BOTH OF 19 (.) REF PARA THIRD (.) ALL NAVAL ARMY
 AIR FORCE OCCRR PERSONNEL BELONGING TO ANY ESTABLISHMENT EITHER
 CALL UPS OR SURELUS TO AUTHORIZED GARRISON MUST BE SHIPPED BEFORE
 REFUGEES (.) DO NOT WANT REFUGEES SHIPPED IF AT ALL POSSIBLE
 HOWEVER IF IMPOSSIBLE TO FILL TO CAPACITY APPROVAL IS GIVEN FOR BAL
 PERSONNEL IN THIS INSTANCE ONLY TO BE MADE UP OF REFUGEES PROVIDED
 THEY HAVE HOMES TO GO TO ON ARRIVAL NAPLES (.) THIS LATTER
 MATTER IS BEING COMMUNICATED TO HIGH COMMISSIONER SARDINIA
 BY AC (.) REF PARA FOURTH (.) WAIT AFHQ REPLY OUR SIGNALS
 SD 2606 JMS SD 2610 (.) SIGNAL SAILING DATE NEXT SHIP SOONEST

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 320 DATED 18 APR (.)

FROM 180900 TO 190900 APRIL (.)

FIRST (.)

RECALLS 1919-1924 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 10 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH
OF 1990 (.)

SHIPPED 10752 AND 79 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.)

RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.)

20 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN A/M PERIOD OF
6364 (.) 5569 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 24
AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 312 OF 17 APRIL (.) FROM 170900 TO
180900 APRIL (.) FIRST (.) RECALLS 1919 - 1924 CLASSES (.)
REPORTED 16 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 1980 (.)
SHIPPED 10572 AND 400 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
SECOND (.)
RECALLS 1925 CLASS (.) 8 REPORTED FOR TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD
OF 6344 (.) 4887 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 686 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 311 OF 16 APRIL (.)
FROM 160900 TO 170900 APRIL
FIRST (.)
RECALLS 1919 - 1924 CLASSES (.)
REPORTED 10 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH
OF 1964 (.)
SHIPPED 10572 AND 321 Awaiting SHIPMENT (.)
SECOND (.)
RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 10 REPORTED FOR A
TOTAL IN A/M PERIOD OF 6336 (.)
4887 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 1449 Awaiting SHIPMENT

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 309 OF 15 APRIL (.)

FROM 150900 TO 160900 APRIL (.)

FIRST (.)

RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 20 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH
OF 1954 (.)

SHIPPED 10572 AND 374 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.)

RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.)

5 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6326 (.)

3928 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 2398 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 303 OF 14 APRIL (.)

FROM 140900 TO 150900 APRIL (.)

FIRST (.)

RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 18 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 1934 (.)

SHIPPED 10572 AND 362 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.)

RECRUITS 1 925 CLASS (.)

10 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN A/M PERIOD OF 6321 (.)

3928 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 2393 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 297 OF 13 APRIL (.)

FROM 130900 to 140900 APRIL (.)

FIRST(.)RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 13 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 1916 (.)

SHIPPED 10572 AND 345 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND(.)RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.)

7 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN A/M PERIOD OF 6311 (.)

3928 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 2383 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 294 OF 12 APRIL (.)

FROM 120900 TO 130900 APRIL (.)

FIRST (.)

RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (.)

REPORTED 15 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MAR OF
1903 (.) SHIPPED 10572 AND 298 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)

SECOND (.)

RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.)

62 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN A/M PERIOD OF 6304 (.)

3928 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 2376 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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TO : MMIA

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FURTHER TO OUR Y 291 OF 12 APRIL (*) FROM 110900 TO
120900 APRIL (*) FIRST (*) RECALLS 1919-24 CLASSES (*)
REPORTED 9 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 1888 (*)
SHIPPED 10572 AND 300 AWAITING SHIPMENT (*) SECOND (*)
RECRUITS 1925 (*) 49 REPORTED FOR A TOTAL IN ABOVE PERIOD
OF 6242 (*) 3928 SHIPPED TO DATE AND 2314 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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ADVISED THIS OFFICE THIS DATE THAT INCORRECT
RECRUITING STATION 1919-1924 CLASSES INTAKE
REPORTED FOR PERIOD 080900 TO 090900 CONSEQUENTLY
ACCUMULATIVE TOTAL FROM THAT DATE INCORRECT (.)
AMEND OUR Y 280 DATED 9 APRIL TO READ AS FOLLOWS :
RECALLS 1919-1924 CLASSES REPORTED 16 FOR A TOTAL
IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 1853 (.)
A CUMULATIVE TOTAL CORRECTION OF 54 MEN (70 LESS 16)
MUST BE CARRIED DOWN FROM THAT DATE (.)
NEW SUBJECT (.) FURTHER TO OUR Y 287 DATED 10 APRIL (.)
FROM 100900 TO 110900 APRIL (.)
FIRST (.) RECALLS 1919-1924 CLASSES (.) REPORTED
17 FOR A TOTAL IN PERIOD FROM 15 MARCH OF 1879 (.)
SHIPPED 10441 AND 548 AWAITING SHIPMENT (.)
SECOND (.) RECRUITS 1925 CLASS (.) 66 REPORTED FOR
A WEEK IN ABOVE PERIOD OF 6193 (.) 3164 SHIPPED **132**
DATE AND ³2029 AWAITING SHIPMENT

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