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Italian Military INSTALLATIONS

MAR. . JUNE 1945

SUBJECT:- Accon Italian Co-operators

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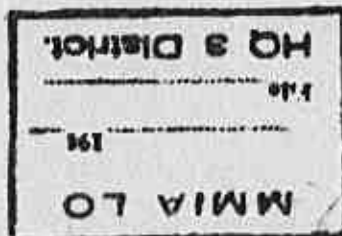
MMIA LO

GRANATELLO Bty

This is to inform you that 150 Italian co-operators have been accommodated today on land surrounding the GRANATELLO Bty Buildings.

The consent of the Italian Army who own this property has been obtained.

It is understood that these co-operators are to be employed at No 2 Sub Depot.

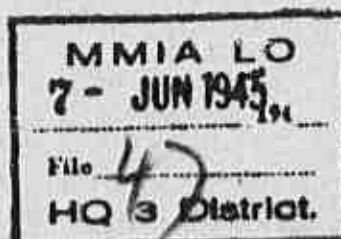


Philip Jones

Major
20 Town Major

Copy to:-

2 Sub Depot
Comd General, Comando Territoriale Napoli



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Subject:- Timber from PERSANO estate.

3DIO/47

Baseball 2
5 June 45.

Land Forces Sub Comm., AC.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M N.

Ref your Q/37/7 dated 28 May 45.

1. Returned herewith is translation of War Ministry letter 11/22894/M dated 17 May as requested.
2. E Branch, 3 District have no interest in the estate in question and are not cutting timber in any surrounding area. They cannot explain why War Ministry should have communicated with them direct on this subject.
3. The original of the War Ministry letter, passed to this office by E Branch, 3 District, is passed to you for retention.

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(M.M.I.A.)
R O W E.

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Major,
WMIA IO,
3 District.

General Direction of the Genio

Div. Materials
Prot. No 11/22894/M.

Roma May 45

Subject: Wood of the Tenuta di Persano
Firm SADA - PONTECORVO

To : 3 District - Naples

(For information Land Forces Sub-Commission A/C. (124A) (Roma)

1. ~~Recounter~~ sheet of April 23 1945 No 3700/6.-
2. The matter about the cutting of the Marked timber the Mandrianiello's Forestry Land of the National land Estates of Persano (Salerno) has been notified to the M.M.S.A. -Roma-
3. In agreement with the Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. we have thought to sell the wood by auction among several competitor Firms in order to obtain the best possible conditions; For there are other Firms Equipped as well as the SADA Firm, that, for a long time have asked to get the direct allotment of the wood, or to be called on to tender. It is understood that the same SADA Firm will be called on to tender.
4. The wood obtained by cutting will be utilised in the most rational way for the needs of the National reconstitution.-
5. Meantime the SADA Firm for urgent needs will be able to try to get wood from other sources.-

MMIA LO
30 MAY 1945 194
File 47
HQ 3 District.

Subject : Timber from Persano Estate

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
Q/57/1

28 May, 1945. *MIN 8*

To : 3 District, M.M.I.A. L.O.

The attached copy of a letter received from War Ministry is forwarded. Please return with your comments stating what is the present position. It is not understood why the War Ministry are communicating direct with H.Q. 3 District nor are we in the possession of letter II/22590/M dated 26 April 45.

R.A. Curties

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

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/DGC

SUBJECT: Granatello Battery.

MMIA LO
23 APR 1945
File <u>147</u>
HQ 3 District

LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C.
(M.E.I.A.)
NAPLES
AQ/5

21 April 1945

35 Town Major

Copy to: MMIA LO 3 District ✓
Commanding General, Comando Territoriale Napoli
(reference your 2/1780/2 of 3 April)

1. Reference the agreement reached in a visit paid you by Captain Clark of this office.
2. It is confirmed that Naples Territorial HQ wishes to retain possession of the Granatello Battery buildings, which are Italian military property.

George D. Smith Jr.
GEORGE D. SMITH JR.
Lt. Col. Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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FJAC/nl

SUBJECT:- Italian Military Warehouses.

3DIO/47
Baseball 2
20 Apr 45

Land Forces Sub Comm. AG.
(M M I A) Rome.

Ref your Q/24 dated 8 Mar 45.

1. Investigations at 23 PSD have revealed the following facts.

2. Prior to 14 Nov 44 23 PSD was unaware of any instructions on the issue of the material in question. They therefore released a certain amount of eqpt to RN for which there are no receipts.

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14-23 Nov 44 - 6 Foster type lathes. 1 plane.
Some vertical type old drills.
1 Precimax lathe.

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14-23 Nov 44	-	6 Foster type lathes. 1 Plane. Some vertical type old drills. 1 Precimax lathe.
24 Nov 44	-	1 lathe, service No. 125 and another lathe of recent manufacture. Some machine parts and various scraps.
28 Nov 44	-	1 Webbilo lathe. 2 Caser lathes.
29 Nov 44	-	3 Counter-sinking machines.
30 Nov 44	-	3 Caser lathes. 1 Foster lathe.
1 Dec 44	-	5 Caser lathes. 5 Caser lathes and various scraps.
2 Dec 44	-	3 Caser lathes. 4 lathes.
5 Dec 44	-	1 U.T.I.T.A. drill without base.
6 Dec 44	-	Base for U.T.I.T.A. drill. 2 Ingots of alloy RE. and anticoncoral base.

regarding

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4. After 6 Dec 44 23 BSD were informed that AFHQ authority was needed before materials could be ceded. Such authority was obtained by BEO for those articles withdrawn after that date.

5. There is no trace of items incl in your letter, but not incl in the above list.

6. 23 BSD point out that all the eqpt was in broken or ruined condition, and that it could only be considered as salvage.

RE
Major,
MMIA LO,
3 District.

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R E P O R T

SUBJECT:- Removal of Plant & Material - Italian Shell
Factory, TORRE ANNUNZIATA.

Ref MMIA letter Q/24 dated 8 Mar 45.

It has been ascertained from 23 BSD, RASC, who are still in occupation of the a/n factory, that the following machines, eqpt and raw materials were removed by R.M.- B.E.O. under the signature of "C.S.WOOD".

14-23 Nov 44.	-	5 Foster type lathes. 1 Plane Some vertical types old drills. 1 Precimax lathe.
24 Nov 44.	-	1 Lathe service No.125 and an- other lathe of recent manufacture. Some machine parts and various scraps.
28 Nov 44.	-	1 Webbilo lathe. 2 Caser lathes.
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6 Dec 44.	-	Base for U.T.I.T.A. drill. 2 Ingots of alloy RE, and anticorrosional bare.

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Receipts for the a/m withdrawals are held by 23
BSD., but no trace can be found of any withdrawals
not listed above, or which took place.

24 Nov 44.	-	1 lathe service No. 125 and another lathe of recent manufacture. Some machine parts and various scraps.
28 Nov 44.	-	1 Nebbiolo lathe. 2 Caser lathes.
29 Nov 44.	-	3 Counter-sinking machines.
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5 Dec 44.	-	1 U.T.I.T.A. drill without base.
6 Dec 44.	-	Base for U.T.I.T.A. drill. 2 Ingots of alloy RE, and antiferroal bars.

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Receipts for the a/m withdrawals are held by 23 ESD., but no trace can be found of any withdrawals not listed above, or which took place prior to 14 Nov 44.

19 Apr 45

S/Sgt.

SUBJECT A B 108 - Engineer Fitt)ge.

3DLO/47
Baseball 2
14 Apr 45

Lt (QM)
23 B S D, R A S C.

The attached A B 108 loaned to this office
is returned with thanks.


Major,
- MIA LO,
3 District.

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Subject:- Italian Military Buildings

MMIA, 3 District.

MMIA LO
16 MAR 1945
File 42
HQ 3 District.

1/35TM.

GRANATELLO Battery, PORTICI.

With reference to telephone conversation of 12 Mar 45, Major Thrupp MMIA LO, 3 Dist. - Major Kenyon, Town Major, PORTICI, concerning the GRANATELLO Battery.

The few buildings there and the ground space can be well used by me for accommodation.

The attached letter from Genio Militare refers.

I have instructed TARALLO that nothing will be removed from the place without further instructions.

I would be grateful if Major Thrupp could come and see the place with me.

Field,
15 Mar 45.

Copy to:-

Direzione Lavori Genio Mil. RE, Territoriale di Napoli
Sezione Lav. Operativi.

W.P. Kenyon
Major,
No 35 Town Major.

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DIREZIONE LAVORI GENIO MIL. RE
TERRITORIALE DI NAPOLI
Sezione Lav. Operativi

N. 2610 (208-bis) del Catal.

Napoli 12 marzo 1945

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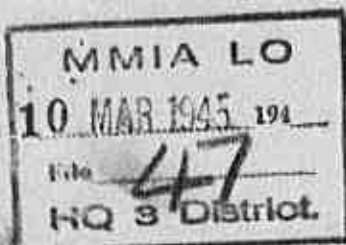
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OGGETTOAUTORIZZAZIONE.....

L'assistente TARALLO Raffaele, in servizio presso questa
Direzione, è autorizzato ad avere libero accesso presso le ex
btr. C.A. della zona di Napoli e dintorni, per lo smontaggio delle
baracche e recupero materiali ivi esistenti.

IL DIRETTORE
(Ten. Col. Giuseppe Riccio)

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Subject: Italian Military Warehouses.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME
Q/24

8 Mar 1945

To: MMIA LO 3 District.

1. The attached communication received from the Ministry of War relating to the removal of plant and material from the Shell Factory at TORRE ANNUNZIATA during November and December is forwarded for investigation and report.

2. It is understood 23 B.S.D. were in occupation at the time. There is no record of this HQ having authorized the removal of any of the items listed.

RAC/le

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. A. Curties".

R. A. CURTIES, Lt. Col.
for Colonel, DAAQMG
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Ministry of War (Gabinetto)
(your 202286/11 of 14 Feb 45 refers)
227-4-6

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COPY TRANSLATION

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From: Ministry of War

Ref: 202286/11
227-4-6

To : MMIA

Date: 14 Feb 45

Subject: Italian Military Warehouses.

Further to letter 303561/C.A. dated 7 Nov 44.

1. During the months of November and December several withdrawals of machines, equipment, and raw materials (see enclosed list) were effected from the Italian Army Shell Factory for further consignment to various establishments.
2. In regard to this please note that it is impossible for us to state whether or not these movements were authorized by MMIA according to the orders in force.
3. If said movements were ordered by MMIA, we beg you to let us know, if possible, where said materials have been stored in order to facilitate eventual salvage operations.

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Sgd. ?????????

COPY TRANSLATION

Drawings of Machines, Tools, and Raw Materials carried out during the months of November and December 1944 from the units and depots of the R.E. Shell Factory at Torre Annunziata.

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- 1 Cascia
- 1 old type parallel lathe and motor 10 Cav.
- 6 Foster Type lathes, 1 plane, some vertical drills old type, 1 recimax lathe, machine parts.
- 1 lathe service number 125, and another lathe of recent manufacture, machine parts and various scraps.
- 1 parallel lathe old type with 6 metre platform and various scraps.
- 2 new type counter-sinking machines, 1 counter-sinking device and 1 eccentric press with sledge damaged.
- 1 vertical drill old type, machine parts and various scraps.
- 1 Nebbiolo lathe, 2 caser lathes, 2 Revolver lathes old type, machine parts and various scraps.
- 3 Counter-sinking machines, 4 Caser lathes, and various scraps.
- Machine parts, various electrical materials and 3 u.s. motors.
- 3 Caser lathes, 1 Foster lathe, 1 vertical drill old type, 2 aspirator.
- 5 Caser lathes, 1 Garvin lathe, 3 burnt electric-aspirators, 1 burnt motor, 5 Caser lathes and various scraps.
- 3 Caser lathes, 1 vertical drill old type, machine parts and various scraps, 4 lathes and 1 Gaia lathe.
- 3 wood planes complete with motors and burnt coils.
- 3 vertical drills old type, and transmission parts.
- Aluminium hinges 1.5mm thick.
- 1 U.T.I.T.A. drill without base, 1 Garvin lathe, and transmission parts.
- 1 Regulator, the base for U.T.I.T.A. drill, 2 ingots of alloy R.E., and anticorodal bars.
- 2 washing basins
- Anticorodal bars.

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