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Q 106 Controlled Stores

Oct. 1945 - Sept. 1946

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Subject:- Census of Controlled
Stores - 30 Sep 46

To:-

1. Census Forms 45 ED 6 Controlled Stores (less Vehicles and Arty) and 45C ED 3 (Arty) are being despatched to you under registered cover in the quantities indicated in Appendix 'A' to this letter. They will be used for reporting the stock position of Controlled Stores as at 30 Sep 46.

2. Forms will be completed and submitted in accordance with the Instruction Pages accompanying the forms and GHO 395/46 as amended by GHO 543/46 and 625/46.

JS/CE

Copy to:- Statocentre (Census) GHQ MEF

DDOS HQ L of C Depots

HQ BTA

HQ MIA

Senior Inspector Of Army Equipment

Q-1

DOS, GHQ MEF (3 copies for distribution, DOS, Ord 2 and Ord 3)

Directorate of Army Welfare Services, GHQ MEF

NZLO, GHQ MEF

RECEIPT FORM

Substitute A.P. AL6

To:- Q GHQ MEF

1. Receipt is acknowledged of GHQ/6510/1/Q2 dated Sep 46 (copies) and parcels of Blank Census Forms.
2. Completed returns will be despatched by the following Ordnance Officers (this information is required from addressees who distribute forms to other COs for despatch of completed forms direct to GHQ MEF).

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HQ MIL.

Senior Inspector Of Army Equipment

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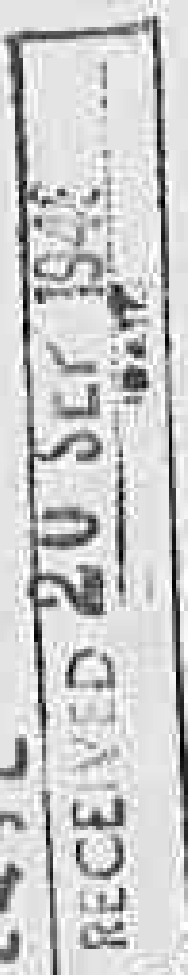
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Date.....

Signed.....

Fm or District.....

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Appendix 'A' dated 16 Sep 46

DISTRIBUTION OF GHQ/6510/1/1 DATED 16 Sep 46

Ser ial	Formation	For Dist to	45	450	No. of Parcels	Regd Nos
1	ADOS VIENNA Area	Units administered	120	-	3	100 - 102
2	ADOS 3 District	Units administered	-	100		139
3	ADOS HQ ATNA	"	N I L			
4	ADOS RAAC	"	120	-	3	103 - 105
5	ADOS XIII Corps	" Incl 86 Area, HQ 1 AGR, 1 Br Armd Div	550	300	12	127 - 138
6	ADOS 2 Polish Corps Tps	Units administered incl 2 Polcorps Sub Area	110	10	3	106 - 108
7	ADOS 46 Br Inf Div	Units administered	200	40	4	109 - 112
8	ADOS 56 Br Inf Div	" 24 Gas Bde, 167 Inf Bde Tps, 169 Inf Bde	150	50	3	113 - 115
9	ADOS 78 Br Inf Div	Units administered incl 5 Corps 219 Sub Area	160	27	4	116 - 119
10	ADOS 3 Camp Inf Div	Units administered	8	-	1	120
11	ADOS 5 Kresowa Inf Div	"	50	50	1	121
12	BOO 7 Armd Bde	"	12	-	1	122

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6	DDOS 2 Polish Corps Tps	Units administered incl 2 Polcorps Sub Area	110	10	3	106 - 108
7	ADOS 46 Br Inf Div	Units administered	200	40	4	109 - 112
8	ADOS 56 Br Inf Div	" 24 Gds Bde, 167 Inf Bde Tps, 169 Inf Bde	150	50	3	113 - 115
9	ADOS 78 Br Inf Div	Units administered incl 5 Corps 219 Sub Area	160	27	4	116 - 119
10	ADOS 3 Corp Inf Div	Units Administered	8	-	1	120
11	ADOS 5 Kresowa Inf Div	"	50	50	1	121
12	B00 7 Arm'd Bde	"	12	-	1	122
13	HQ Base 2 Pol Corps Tps	"	160	27	4	123 - 126
14	DAWS (HQ Sec)		N I L			
15	DDOS 2 Polcorps		N I L			

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Subject:- Scrap metal ex Allied
Ammunition Depot CARARA.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
Q.106

30 July 46.

To :- MINISTRY OF WAR.

Reference your 55075/11837 dated 26 July 46.

1. A decision concerning the disposal of the scrap metal found in the former Allied Ammunition Dump at CARARA (BRINDISI) was communicated to you in this HQ letter Q106 dated 21 June 46.
2. A copy of the above quoted letter is attached herewith for easy reference.

EFB/ab

W. P. Byatt
W.P. BYATT, Major,
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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TRANSLATION

From: M. of W.
To : MMIA

Ref: 55076/II837
Date: 26/7/46

Subject: Metal scrap found in a former
Allied Ammunition Dump.

This Ministry would like to know what action
is to be taken by your Mission concerning the metal
scraps found in the former Allied Ammunition Dump
at Carafa (Brindisi) referred to in letter same
subject 23786 dated 18th April 1946. -
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DAK

sgd.

Campagna
Col.

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see 53.

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TO SEE	
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TRANSLATION

FROM : MINISTRY OF WAR

REF : 4439/T

TO : DIA

DATE : 21 June 46

SUBJECT : Seals - Railway Wagons

Ref. your 2.106 dated 4 June 46.

We inform that the p/m. material has been collected on the 17.6.46 from Ordnance Dump ROME.

Sgt. Col. O. Bogliaccino

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WA

Subject:- Scrap metal ex Allied
Ammunition Depot SARAPA.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.F.A.)
A.C. 1
C.106 —

21 June 48.

To :- MINISTRY OF WAR.

Re your letter Dir.Gen Art n Lot 23785/4-132/MWA
dated 18 April 48.

Approval has now been received from Naval Sub Commission
A.C. for the material listed in your r/mentioned letter to be
used as scrap subject to confirmation that the material is of
Allied origin.

W. H. W. A. S.
W. H. W. A. S., Major,
for Major General,
M.F.A.

Copy to:- Naval Sub Commission
M.F.A.

(your NSC/5171 dated
18 June refers).

W.H.W.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub Commission APO 394

NSC/5171.
18th June, 1946.

SECOND ENDORSEMENT on
Navy Sub Commission, Headquarters
Allied Commission's letter No. NSC/5005
dated 10th May, 1946.

From : Navy Sub Commission, Hq., Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub Commission, Hq., Allied Commission
(L.M.I.A.)
(Copy to :- Flag Officer Liaison Italy.)

Subject : Scrap Material Ex Allied Armament Depot.

Forwarded in reply to paragraph 2 of your letter Q.106
dated 7th May, 1946.

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G. F. Mentz
G. F. MENTZ,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
FORREAR ADMIRAL,
CHIEF, NAVY SUB COMMISSION.

RECEIVED 2 JUN 1946
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SCRAP MATERIAL EX ALLIED ARMAMENT DEPOT

(Navy Sub Commission, Headquarters Allied
Commission's letter No. NSC/5005 dated
10th May, 1946.)

II.

Med. 46/207/5/2.
NAVY SUB COMMISSION,
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED
COMMISSION, ROME.

Approved for the material listed in the
enclosure to your letter NSC/5005 dated 10th May,
1946 to be used as scrap by the Italian Military
authorities, subject to confirmation, which cannot
be given by the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean,
that the material is of Allied Naval origin.

MEDITERRANEAN
3rd June, 1946.

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for A D M I R A L

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub Commission APO 994

NSC/5171.
18th June, 1946.

SECOND ENDORSEMENT on
Navy Sub Commission, Headquarters
Allied Commission's letter No. NSC/5005
dated 10th May, 1946.

From : Navy Sub Commission, Hq., Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub Commission, Hq., Allied Commission
(M.M.I.A.)
(Copy to :- Flag Officer Liaison Italy.)

Subject : Scrap Material Ex Allied Armament Depot.

Forwarded in reply to paragraph 2 of your letter Q.106
dated 7th May, 1946.

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REAR ADMIRAL,
CHIEF, NAVY SUB COMMISSION.

C - O - P - Y

SCRAP MATERIALS, EX AMERICAN AIRCRAFT DEPOT

(Navy Sub Commission, Headquarters Allied
Commission's letter No. NSC/5005 dated
10th May, 1946.)

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HOFFERMAN
2nd June, 1946.

for ADMIRAL.

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Attn Maj. KING

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A month ago Col. Chiusani (M.of W., Ext. 6074) phoned to me asking if they can dispose of the 41 tons salvage metals, being at the ex-Allied ammo. Dump of Carafa (Brindisi) mentioned in the letter 23786/2132 dated 18/4/46, subject: "Salvage metals being at the ex-Allied Ammo. Dump of Carafa (Brindisi)" addressed to M.M.I.A. -

I approached the M.M.I.A. officer concerned (then Maj. Byatt) and he told me that M.M.I.A. had written to Navy Sub Co. asking for instructions; but as soon as these have been received by M.M.I.A., they will be passed to Col. Chiusani. -

For BYATT READ

BRADLEY

Capt. Cerquetti
ext. 587. -

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Naval s/c asked to reply

21/6.

Subject : Seals - Railway Wagons.

LAND FORCES SUB COMD. A.C.
(M.E.I.A.) ROME.
Tel. 478103 .

Q . 106

4 June 46

TO : Ministry of War.

1. Reference verbal request made by Major ROSSI to Major KING.

2. Under reference OS/1000/932 of 1 June 46 H.A.C. have authorized the release to you of the following:

U Shackles
U Pins

Qty. 400
" 400.

3. The above items can be collected by you immediately from DAUCS Dump ROME and completion reported to this H.Q.

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C.R. KING, Major
for Major General
M.E.I.A.

Copy to : ONE.

CHE/LM

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 SUBJECT:- Sewing Machine.

Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C.,

M.M.I.A.

R O M E

Q.106

30 May 1946

TO : GHO (for Q.1)

Reference your Q106/Q1 of 24 May 46.

1. The maintenance and administration of 10 B.L.U. and other Italian Units in ITALY after the withdrawal of British L of C Units is under consideration.

2. The issue of a sewing machine to this Unit is no more to be justified than to many others whose needs in this direction will probably be met by local contract. The Unit is being informed and no further action need be taken.

R.A.S.
 R.A. CURTIS, Lt.Col.,
 for Major General,
 M.M.I.A.

Copy to:- 10 B.L.U. (Not understood why your 22 AG of 13 May was addressed direct to DCA, GHQ).
 GHQ (for GHQ Directorate).

Internal : CSD

BAC/er

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"G" DUCK SLIP

FILE NO Q100.

DATE	SECTION OR SERVICE		ACTION REQUIRED
	FROM	TO	
29 May	Q	A/Q.	To see attached. a good idea? Should we ask for 11 for Unit repair? Under new admin arrangements laundry & seamstress work would not appear to be different to arrange but a Unit sewing machine might solve problem. <u>Rae</u>
29 May	AQ	Q	I see no reason for a sewing machine any more than many other mechanical devices. In any case it would get broken & cost more to repair. No official backing from MHIA. <u>WP</u> at AQ.

Subject: Sewing Machine.

Land Forces Sub Commission, IMA. ✓

Reference letter 22 AG dated 18 May 46 addressed to DCS this GHQ, a copy of which is enclosed herewith for your information.

Prior to authority for this release being granted by this Staff Section, it would be appreciated if you would submit a case for consideration, justifying this issue.

RMH/DY.

B.A.F. CATMILL, S/Omdr.,
for Major General,
IMA.

Copy to: Cnd Directorate.

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RECEIVED 8 MAY 1946

C O P Y

Subject: Sewing Machine.

10 British Liaison Unit,
TORONTO 100, ONTARIO
Tel: 55802 Naples.
22 AG.

18th May '46.

To: DCS, CHQ CEF
(for DADOC Ord 2/15).

1. May a release be given please for WX 0520 Sewing Machine 31125 Qty GWS, for use of British Cadre 10 BUU.
2. This unit by virtue of the nature of its work will probably be in this area for a considerable time after other units have moved out and necessary minor repairs will have to be done by the unit.

Lt. Col.
CS.

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(45)

Subject : Scrap Metal. ex Allied Ammunition Depot. CARAFA.

LAND FORCES SUB COMM.A.C.
(M.E.I.A.) HQME.
Tel. 478103

Q . 106

7 May 46

TO : A.C. (for Navy Sub-Commission).

Ref attached copy of letter 83726/URA dated 18 April 46
from Italian War Ministry.

1. It is thought that this letter refers to Allied Naval material.
2. If this is so, can disposal instructions please be issued as per para.2 of the above quoted letter.

EWB
E.W. BRADLEY,
Major Innicks
for Major General
M.E.I.A.

EWB/lm

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C O P Y of
T R A N S L A T I O N

FROM : Ministry of War
TO : M.H.I.A.

REF : 23786/UR
DATE : 18/4/46

SUBJECT : Metal scrap found in the ex Allied ammunition depot at CARAFA (Brindisi).

(1) We would inform you that the following metal scrap is held at the detached artillery section of Brindisi, discovered during clearing works carried out in the ex Allied ammunition depot at CARAFA (Brindisi) abandoned by the Allies :

- torpedo tubes with three sheet iron containers, 890 - weight approx. 41.5 tons, stored at the Carafa depot;
- 540 smooth bore torpedo tubes - approx. weight 3 tons, stored at the Carafa depot;
- 500 small sheet metal containers, weight approx. 50 tons, stored in the Carafa depot;
- 2250 corrugated sheet iron containers, weight approx. 13 tons, stored in the Carafa depot;
- large sheet metal rectangular cases, 720 - weight approx. 5 tons, stored in the Carafa depot.

(2) Please inform us as to whether there is any objection to said scrap being used ~~the~~ by this administration.

Sgd. COM ~~42~~
Col.

O. Danin Sgt.

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TRANSLATION

FROM: Ministry of War

REF: 23786/URA

TO: M.M.I.A.

DATE: 18.4.46

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Sgd. CONTE

Col. *Conte*

O. Danin Sgt.

See 50
Inform Naval S/C
have no objection and endeavor
obtain in writing approval for us
to tell War Min to collect
RAC
7 May

RQ 106

Done 7/5/46
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7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE

Q. 43
RECEIVED 17 APR 1946
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REF: BLU/13

Florence, 15 April 1946

Subject : Disposal of EquipmentTo : HQ. M.M.I.A.

Ref enclosed copy of 7 Territorial Command letter 3968/Serv dtd 11 Apr '46.
Will you please issue disposal instructions.

D.S.L. Gregson
D.S.L. GREGSON
Major
DAA & QMG

*Dealt with by phone
Capt. DASSINGEA
Office of Foreign Reproduction
H. D. F. no memorial*

AQ 106

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*17.4.46
p.s.*

Translation7 TERRITORIAL COMMAND - FLORENCERef: 3968/ServFlorence, 11 April 1946Subject: Recovery of Runway partsTo : 7 B.L.U. FlorenceInfo to: Artillery HQ. Florence

The civilian Firm VANNUCCI charged with the work of clearance of GROSSETO Province, located in FLORENCE, Via delle Terme 5, have informed us that they have found metallic parts of runway in the territory of Comune of GROSSETO, in the field "S. ANTONIO", east of air field.

As a.m. parts are Allied property, we report the above with the request for instructions on the matter.

THE LT. COL. ASST. CHIEF OF STAFF
Sgd. A. CHIARIOTTI

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Subject:- Machinery - Ital.Mil.
Property.

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

→ 0.106

12 April 46.

To :- 2 DISTRICT.

1. Herewith attached copy of this HQ letter 0106 of 21 Mar 46 and 13 Corps reply 1013/5/Q of 8 Apr 46.
2. Please accept action in this matter.

CEK/wb

C.E. KING, Major,
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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COPYSubject:- Machinery.Rear HQ 13 Corps
CEM Section
Tel No: 29038

1013/5/2

Land Forces Comm AG
(MMIA) ROME8 Apr 46.

Reference your Q106 dated 21 Mar 46.

1. AMG Udine Province have now informed this HQ that the compressor referred to in the above letter was removed by a military unit to FELTRE.
2. HQ 2 District may, therefore, be able to give you the information.

Lt
for Brigadier IC Adm

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COPY

Subject:- Machinery - Italian Military
Property - Recovery.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
Q.106

21 March 46.

To :- 13 Corps.

1. It has been reported that during October 1945 there was a compressor in the premises at N°6, Via Beltrame UDINE, which have the following details:-

PS IX N°MO23

2. The Ministry of War declare that this compressor was originally installed on the Military powder factory at FONTANA LIRI (nr FROSINONE) and had been removed by the Germans.

3. May authority please be granted for the Italian Army Authorities to recover the above compressor.

Copy to:- 5 BLU

CHK/ab

C.E. KING, Major
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Subject: Machinery.

2. (41)
Rear HQ 13 Corps
CEM Section
Tel No: 29038

1013/5/2

8 Apr 46

Land Forces Comm AC
(MMIA) Rome

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[Signature]
Lt
for Brigadier IC Adm

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11 APR 1946

AQ 106

11/0/435

Subject : Machine Tools - Release of.

RECEIVED 28 MAR 1946
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9 British Liaison Unit,
BARI.

57/24.

25 Mar 46.

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

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Reference your Q.106 of 21 Feb 46 and our signal 57/21
of 21 Mar 46.

The machinery under reference has been collected by 9 Terr
HQ and is now awaiting despatch to CIVITAVECCHIA for forwarding to
14 Repair Unit, CAGLIARI.

No comment
AB. 29 Mar

glots
9/13


(F.J.A. Clark) Major.
DAA & QMG.

FJAC/opr

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AQ.106

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SUBJECT:- Precision Instruments from SWITZERLAND.

Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C.,
M.M.I.A.

B O M B

✓ Q.106

23 March 1946

TO : War Ministry

Reference your 207021/II of 15 Mar 46.

1. There is no objection to your proposed import of:-

1 Director
1 Altimeter
80 pairs of theodolites

being part of a contract entered into prior to 8 Sep 1943
with the Swiss firm OCHTAVES and WILD.

RAC

R.A. CURTIS, Lt.Col.,
For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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RAC/ar

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W.P.I.A.

9 B.L.V.

Q. 875

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REF OUR Q.865 OF 19 MARCH 1946 STOP REPORT COMPLETION
REQUEST.

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E.V. BRADLEY, MAJOR

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RECEIVED 22 MAR 1973
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LOG V MARE 21143
FROM 9 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT 112321
TO M.M.I.A. ROME
CSN BT

57/21 UNCLASS. REF YOUR 2335 OF 19.
MACHINERY IN 325 TSD NOW BEING CORRECTED. CONFIRMATION
FOLLOWS

BT---112321
COW:- 0/0 57/21 (R) 57/21 (R) 57/21
SENT BRJ ARAR 21
RE NR 21143(DMLD) 1426(R)

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Subject:- Machinery - Italian Military
Property - Recovery.

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

ROME

→ Q.106

21 March 46.

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C.E. KING, Major,
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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M.V.I.A.

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REF OUR Q.106 OF 21 FEB STOP EXPEDITE COLLECTION OF
MACHINERY EX 325 T.S.D. RODUGNA STOP

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SEE 37 + 38

Important

E.W. BRADLEY MAJOR

Q106 P-40

E.W. Bradley Major

Translation

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

Ref : 207021/II

Date: 15/3/46.

Subject Precision Instruments From Switzerland.

I) This ministry, in letter 22036/II dated 18/9/45, copy attached, further to previous letter, again approached your mission to kindly examine favourably the request for the introduction into Italy of the following materials committed before the 8^o Sept. 1943 to the Swiss firm Contraves and Wild.

I Director (verograph)

I Altimeter

80 Pcs of theodolites.

2) To this request, your mission replied in letter Q/108 dated 26/9/45, copy also attached.

3) In view of the fact that:

- 5 EF 39
- the a/m materials would be very useful for army unit training requirements;
 - if these stores are not withdrawn it would bring about the annulment of the contract, stipulated with the a/m firm in the past, with consequent heavy expenses for the military administration without at the same time receiving anything in exchange.

We would be very grateful if your mission would ⁴²⁸ kindly examine the request again and press the matter with the allied authorities concerned

DAK

(XXXXXXXXXXXXXX)

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1 Q.106

C O P Y

TRANSLATION

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From : M. of W/ Cabinet
To : M.M.I.A.

Ref : 220036/II
210 14 8

Date: 18/9/1945.

Subject Precision Instruments From Switzerland.

Reference letter Q/IO8 dated 9/8/45.

A mission of officers from this ministry has left during the last few days to go to Switzerland in order to settle pending contracts with the Contraves and Wild firm in respect of the suspended supply due to known events of 1943, of one director (vérograph) one altimeter and 80 prs of theodolites.

In view of the fact that:

- the breaking of the contract with thea/m firm brings about undue expence for the military administration without at the same time receiving anything in exchange;
- Theodolites are not stores for specified military employment but largely for civilian use, and therefore could be made use of for civilian engineering.

We would be grateful to your mission if it would kindly examine favorably the request for the introduction into Italy of the material in question, pointing out that any decisions concerning the matter will have to be communicated to this ministry as soon as possible, and possibly in time to bring it to the knowledge of the aforesaid mission before it returns from Switzerland.

DAK

L. Lombardi.

Translation

L.F.S.C. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

Q/IO8 26/9/1945

Min. of War.

Subject Transport of Materials from Switzerland.

Instructions have still not been received concerning the purchase of stores for military use from abroad, and therefore this HQ is still not in a position to authorise the importation of the instruments referred to in your letter.

for Maj. Gen. M.M.I.A.

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RECEIVED 18 MAR 1946

Subject: - CEM - Machinery

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CEF

Tele No. Freedom 971

GHQ/5072/Q(CEMS)

14 Mar 46

Q.

Land Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission, (MMA)
-----Reference Allocation Form GHQ/5045/113/Q(CEMS) dated 19
Feb 46.

1. Information has been received that the items listed in the above mentioned Allocation Form are still awaiting collection.
2. In view of the early closing down of the 325 T.S.D. MODUGNO may action be taken for speedy collection.

HRL/TMA

H.R. Lockett
H.R. LUCKETT, Capt.,
for Major General,
Major General, Administration.

Copy to: - Transportation (Br) Main CEF - Your TNA.2/127/16 dated 12 Mar refers

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"Q" BUCK SLIPFILE NO. 6106

DATE	SECTION or SERVICE		ACTION REQUIRED
	FROM	TO	
16 Mar	REME	Q	Reattached. — 31 I do not think this is a REME matter.

AB Hunt
28 Feb

Reattached
28 Feb

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A Q106

Translation

ME/33 317
Ref. 7234/DT

Date 14/3/46.

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

Subject Machinery Belonging to the Powder Factory at
Fontana Liri.

The military powder factory at Fontana Liri (Frosinone), in accordance with information received, has informed us that in the former engineer depot in Via Beltrame N° 6 at Udine, there was during Oct. 1945, in the custody of British soldiers, a compressor ES IX 9"x93 M.023 belonging to the a/n factory which in the past had been stolen by the Germans.

Due to the fact that the powder factory has urgent need of said compressor; necessary in order to begin the work activities again, we ask you to kindly grant the authority to withdraw it.

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P.G. Properzj.

DAK

Letter to Capt White, 4844?
4844-R
14/3/46 Q 106

Translation

From M. of W.
To Mil. Terr. HQ BARI
for info M.M.I.A.

Ref. 24525

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Date 8/3/46.

Subject Delivery of Machine Tools.

In the letter which we attach in copy the M.M.I.A. has allotted this ministry the following machines which are at present at the 325 T.S.D. at Modugno:

- I - ~~Cosa~~ 18 inch milling machine (Mario Bootano and Coy.) - Good
- I - Double wheeled buffing machine (Valmaggi)
 - 10 inch wheels - Excellent
- I - High velocity bench drill (Olivietti)
 - 589 down to 1/4 inch - Very Good
- I - Vertical drill down to 2 inches (Mazzini and Coy.) - Excellent.

This directorate orders the said material to be despatched to Cagliari to the 14^o Truck Repair Unit, entrusting the despatch to the Embarking and Disembarking Office at Civitavecchia.

Direct agreement to be reached between the units concerned.

Acknowledge when movement has been carried out.

DAK

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P.G. Properzj.W.F.R.
REME

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P.G.
14/3

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Subject : Machine Tools - Release of.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
Q . 106

21 February 46

To : 9 B.L.U. Bari.

Info : Transportation (Br) Main C.M.F.
Ordnance Directorate G.H.Q. C.M.F.
Ministry of War.

1. The following tools located at 325 T.S.D. MODUGNO have been released to the Italian Army under authority GHQ/5045/Q(GEMS) of 19 February 45.

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Description.</u>	<u>Condition.</u>
1	Shaping Machine (Mario Booteno & Co) 18" stroke	Good
1	Double wheel Grindstone(Valmaggi) 10" wheels.	V.Good.
1	H. Speed bench type Drill(Olivetti) 589 up to 1/4"	Fair.
1	Vertical Drill (Mazonni & Co) up to 2"	421 V Good.

2. Please arrange to collect the above listed tools in conjunction with 9 Terr.Comd., informing this H.Q. and Ministry of War on completion.

E.W. Bradley Major

E.W. BRADLEY,
Major Innisks
for Major General

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W. W. Bradley Major

W. W. BRADLEY,
Major Innisks
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

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RECEIVED 20 FEB 1946
1946 DATE

ALLOCATION FORM

Q(AE)5 - Captured Enemy Material Section - GHQ., CEF.

To: Transportation (Br) Main,
G. M. P.

Ref: GHQ/5045/113/1(CEMS)

Date: 19 February 1946

Captured Enemy Material

Quantity	Description	Condition	Location	Allocation
1	Shaping Machine Mario Bortoro & Co 1'-6" Stroke	Good	325 T.S.D. MODUKHO	To: Land Forces Sub-Commission, AG, (MRIA), for Italian Army, will arrange allocation.
1	Double wheel Grindstone Valmaggi 10" wheels	V. Good	"	
1	H. Speed Bench Type Drill Olivetti 589 up to 3"	Fair	"	
1	Vertical Drill Masommi & Co Turbigo, Milan - up to 2"	V. Good	"	

Distribution:

Transportation (Br) Main, CEF. (2)
 Ordnance Directorate, GHQ, CEF.
 Land Forces Sub-Commission AG (MRIA)

Ref: GHQ/5072/2(CEMS) dated 9 Jan 46.
 SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY - APPROVED

H. R. LOCKETT, Capt.
 for Brigadier, DCS

RECEIVED 20 FEB 1946

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LOCATION FORM

Enemy Material Section - GHQ., GMP.

Ref: GHQ/5045/113/4 (GMP)

Date: 19 February 1946

Captured Enemy Material

	Condition	Location	Allocation
325 T.S.D.	Good	325 T.S.D.	To: Land Forces
10" wheels	V. Good	"	Sub-Commission,
589 up to 1"	Fair	"	AG, (MIA), for
- up to 2"	V. Good	"	Italian Army, who
			will arrange collection.

GMP. (2)
GMP.
AG (MIA)Ref: GHQ/5072/4 (GMP)
dated 2 Jan 46.

SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY - APPROVED

H. R. Hackett
H. R. HACKETT, Capt.,
for Brigadier, DCG.

Q.106

20/2/46

(25)

Subject : Machinery the property of the Army Gunpowder
Factory -- Capua .

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.

M.M.I.A.

H O M E

Q . 106

19 February 46

To : Ministry of War. 327

Ref your 203137/11 of 13 Feb 1946.

The machinery in question was handed over three
days ago by the American Authorities to Capt. Fornico of
the Genio Militare ~~at~~ Leghorn.

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John
E.W. BRADLEY,
Major Innicks
for Major General
M . M . I . A .

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(24)

Subject : Felling of trees at PERSANO

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
M.H.I.A.
H Q M E
Q . 106

15 February 46

To : Ministry of War. 311

Ref your 2383/4.7 of 5 Feb 1946.

Assurance has been received by this H.Q. that
felling of trees on PERSANO Royal Estate will not commence.

E.W.B.

E.W. BRADLEY,
Major Inniske
for Major General
M . H . I . A .

EWB/lm

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FROM DISTKREE 141240A

TO MMIA

INFO 10 D L U NAPLES - GHQ CMF

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UNCLASSIFIED . FOR ST . REF YOUR Q/811 DATED 9. INSTRUCTIONS
ISSUED THAT FELLING OF TREES IN PERSANO ESTATE WILL NOT
COMMENCE

BT

SENT NCC 1440 AR K

45 1440A HTH BBB

RECEIVED 15 FEB 1946

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Q.106

translation.

From:- M; of W.

To:- MMIA.

Ref:- A03137/11

Date:- 13th. Feb. 46

Subject:- Machinery of the Army Gun Powder Factory at Capua.

Further to letter No. 218215/11 dated 24/8/45.

Kindly inform us on the decisions taken in respect of the return of the machinery belonging to the Army Gun Powder factory at Capua. The machinery in question was moved to Leghorn by an American unit and, at present, is held at Depot No. 1 L. 50 Section CWS. In accordance with a report received, said unit is accommodated at the Industrial Technical Institute Vittorio Emanuele III in that city.

From informations received in this Ministry, the machinery still held in the a/n Allied Depot, ~~are~~^{is} as follows:-

- 1 Parallel Drill with engine, spare drive (less screw-vice)
- 1 filing machine 72 cm complete with engine.
- 1 machine for emery wheels with engine.
- 1 metal sheet rolling machine for oven cylinders.
- 1 conic engine. (?)
- 1 large anvil with block.

Valma 685
Sgt. Fabre.

Sgt. Lombardi.

Q 106

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MESSAGE FORM
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TO : DISTREE
FROM : MILA
INFO : AFHQ FOR GHQ
10 BLU NAPLES
REF : Q.811

DATE/TIME
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UNCLASSIFIED.

WAR MINISTRY HAVE INFORMED THIS HQ THAT DIRECTOR OF REMOUNT CENTRE
AT PERSANO WAS VISITED BY JUGOSLAV COL CALCEWICH AND BRITISH OFFICER
FROM POLICE ON DUTY AT JUGOSLAV CAMP AT EBOLI WHO REQUESTED FIREWOOD
FOR NEEDS OF REFUGEES(.) FELLING OF TREES FROM REMOUNT CENTRE OF
PERSANO HAS BEEN SUBJECT OF PREVIOUS CORRESPONDENCE WHEN AFHQ IN
THEIR SIGNAL C 23480 OF 28 SEPTEMBER 45 ORDERED DISCONTINUANCE CUTTING
WITH EFFECT FROM 1 OCTOBER 45(.) REQUEST NO REPEAT NO AUTHORITY
BE GIVEN BY YOU TO ALLOW JUGOSLAV FELLING OF TREES FROM REMOUNT CENTRE
PERSANO

PRECEDENCE

AUTHENTICATION

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from M. of W.
to M;M.I.A.

Translation
ref 2383/4.7
5/2/46

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Subject : Cutting of trees in the Royal estate of Persano

The Director of the Centre of remount in Persano (Salerno) informs that he has been visited by the jugoslav Col. Calcewich, accompanied by a british Lt. commanding the British Police on duty at the jugoslav Camp of Eboli who asked for firewood to face the needs of the refugges and to avoid that these (about 12000) go around to fetch it cutting olive trees in the civilian estates.

We, (with reference to the dealing that was made when Mr. Manlio Tizzani begun wood cutting, on 56 Area's account, in the a/m Royal estate, which operation was suspended by the intervention of M.M.I.A.) beg that, also in this case, be given instructions urgently in order that be avoided the damage that could be made by the a/m wood cutting.

As we have already pointed out, the cutting of trees would deprive of the natural shelter against weather the colts being bred in wild state.

C/a

Gen. Del Panta

Q1/
Phone 3 Unit
refer to 51 Q/11/8 "log off"
and ask them to log off
confirm in document copy to 10 BLD.
RAC

SEE 4

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Subject: Removal of Material from Ben Gervais Report.

LATA SERVICES AND COMM. A.C.
F.A.I.A.
NOV 11
Q. 106

21 January 16

To: R.A.A.A.2.

Info: Ministry of War.

Ref your Q. 105/2 of 4 January 1945.

1. The Italian Ministry of War has replied that they do NOT require the materials to be replaced.
2. General TRUSSI has expressed himself very grateful for your attention in this matter.

hwb.

R. V. BRADLEY,
Major General
for Major General
M. F. T. 413

2/1/45

INFO

* Ministry of War

Ref your Q.105/2 of 4 January 1945.

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Sp. B.

H. W. BRADLEY

Major General

for Major General

H. W. T. A. 413

W. H. T. A.

2/1/45

GA/Dp

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
Uff. Servizi- Sez. Art. e Genio

N.5/20/Serv.di prot.

Roma, li 15.1.1946.-

REMOVAL OF MATERIALS. S. SEVERA RANGE
OGGETTO: Rimozione di materiale - Poligono di
S. Severa.-

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

R O M A

Remy to
Risposta f° Q/106 del 7 corrente.-

We thank you for your kind interest,
Si ringrazia del cortese interessamento
it is not held necessary that the stone
di codesta M.M.I.A.; non si ravvisa la ne-
cessità che i mattoni asportati vengano
restituiti.-

D.M.

TRANSMISSION	
1.4	Date
10.4	Time



IL GENERALE ADDETTO
-Giorgio Liuzzi-

Ghiulini

R/15/46

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Proibiti (2)

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Subject : Removal of Material, San Jerna Range.

LAND FORCES SUR COMM. A.C.
M.E.I.A.
R O M E
Q.106 ✓

15 January 46

To : Ministry of War.

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Ref this office Q.106 of 7 January 46.

May a reply please be given to the above
quoted letter.

Please treat as urgent.

W.B. 411
E.W. BRADLEY,
Major Insists
for Major General
E. M. I. A.

EWB/lm

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Ministero della Guerra

Direzione Generale Centro

Divisione Mater. 3^a
Sub. V. II/20167/1 Reguli

Roma

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Al. 210 STABILIMENTO MI-
LITARE DEL GENIO (già
Off. Mil. Trasm.) Viale
Mazzini, 8 ROMA
Rappresent. del
Gen. Gen. N.

OGGETTO: Cessione alla M.M.I.A. di stufe elettriche.

*Grant to the M.M.I.A. of 2 electric
stoves*
e.p.c. ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (MMIA)
(rif. 081200 dell'8/1/46)

Q.

Pregasi disporre l'urgente cessione
alla Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. (MMIA)
di Roma, di n° 2 (due) stufe elettriche da
1 Kw - tensione 220 Volt.

*We ask you to order the immediate
grant to the L.F.S.C. (M.M.I.A.) Rome
of 2 - 220 1 Kw electric stoves.*

P. C. C.

IL CAPO SEZIONE

(Col. G. FIGUERE)

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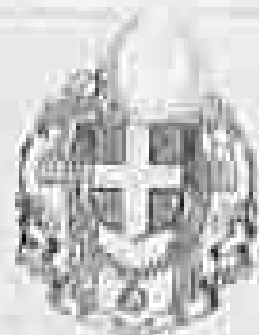
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Roma

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE ARTIGLIERIA
e Motorizzazione

Mot. Sec. 2°

Divisione
Gen. N. 286 S/DM MogaleQ. M. LAND FORCES SUB-COM-
MISSION AC. (M.M.I.A.)

ROMA

Ricevuto il 28.12.45

Per Sec. N° 9/106

OGGETTO: Ricupero di macchinario per l'O.A.R.E.

- 1. Thank M.M.I.A. for the kind letter.*
- 1.- Si ringrazia codesta Sub-Commission AC (M.M.I.A.) per il cortese interessamento dimostrato circa il rilascio all'O.A.R.E. del macchinario ritirato da Brunico.
- It is pointed out that the machinery with-*
- 2.- Si precisa che le operazioni per il ritiro e trasporto del macchinario in questione hanno avuto luogo dal 1° al 25 ottobre 1945.
- drawal and transport operations have taken place from the 1st to the 25th October 1945.*

R.E. P.

p. I L MINISTRO
(Gen. P.G. Properzj)

Gen. U. Russo

TRANSMISSION

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Subject : Removal of Material, San Severo, Range.

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LAND FORCES SUP COMM. A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ROME
Q.106

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7 January 46

To : Ministry of War.

L.A.T.

Ref your 5/1210/Serv dated 5 Dec 45.

1. The matter has been investigated by the British Authorities who state that only 3 tons loads of bricks were removed and that steps have been taken to avoid future removals.
2. Will you please state whether you require the bricks replaced, and if so, where.

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See 17

J. J. LAMB, Capt.
For Major General
M. I. I. A.

JL/ML

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JL/ml

[Signature]
J. M. LAMB, Capt.
For Major General
M. J. I. A.

sent 16

sent 17

[Signature]

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY
(G-4 British Section)

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Q 105/2

Tel: 66504
4 Jan 46

SUBJECT: Removal of material San Severo Range

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission (MHA) AC

Your Q 106 of 17 Dec 45.

1. Attached is copy of a reply received from the School of Artillery regarding the removal of material from the San Severo range.
2. It will be seen that three 3 ton loads of bricks were removed. Will you please say whether these are required to be replaced.
3. School of Artillery have been instructed that no further removals of bricks will be made from the San Severo range.

JAHE/gi

Copy to: FLOAT

Q1
Ask Van Heir
where they want
replacement delivered and
let RHC
ALB

9th Bn
4 Col
ALBAN LOW
Brigadier
Commander British Troops ROE

Q 106

SEE 18

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C O P Y

Subject: Irregular Requisition

SCHOOL OF ARTILLERY
APO S. 551 CMF

To: AA & QMG
RAAC

Tel: Civitavecchia 47

Ref: A/8/638

28 Dec 45

Reference your Q 105/2 dated 21 Dec 45.

1. No materials of any sort have been removed from SANTA SEVERA A/Tank Firing Range (MR F 325807) on or about 20 Nov 45 by the trucks mentioned.
 2. Rubble has been removed from the Italian Airfield (MR F. 352790) for several weeks. It is used in the construction of the Gun Park at the A.A. Practice Camp, SANTA SEVERA.
 3. On or about 20 Nov 45 three Italian drivers loaded their trucks in error with whole bricks stacked by the Italian Military personnel working on the airfield. As soon as the British NCO i/c of working party was made aware of the incident, he reported the matter to the OC AAFC.
- Apart from these three loads nothing but rubble from damaged buildings, etc., have been collected from the airfield.
4. An Italian official contacted OC AAFC regarding the removal of stacked bricks as aforementioned. He expressed no concern over the removal of rubble. An assurance was given to him that only rubble would be removed in future.

Lt.Col. R.A. 403
Commandant, School of Artillery

Subject:- Recovery of Machinery for use by G.A.R.E.

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Land Forces Sub Commission I.C.
(M. M. I. A.) 7033.
Q.106
28 December 1945.

To:- Ministry of War.

4-A.T

Reference your 29215/024803 of 14 December 1945.

1. It is noted that you claim the machinery recovered at Brunico is identical in type with that removed during the German occupation.
2. No further action concerning the letter received from Milan office of ALAXI/OM section ~~is~~ ^{need} be taken by you.
3. You are requested to state on what date the machinery in question was withdrawn from Brunico.

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RAC

A.A. CHURLES Lt. Col.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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Subject : Railway Engines - Monopoli.

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YARD FOR THE BURNING OF
FUEL OIL
R O M
G. 105

27 December 45

To : Ministry of War.

1. There are two Diesel Engines, formerly used by the British Petrol Depot at Monopoli for starting purposes, now held by Capt. CAMASSA, Commando Deposito Combustibili Monopoli, lying unused in Monopoli yard.
2. Capt. CAMASSA has been interviewed with reference to a request from CHACC, 11 Petroleum Intelligence Unit, who urgently require these engines to enable them to carry out their commitments. He states that before he can release these engines to the British authorities, it is necessary to obtain the authority of MILM, as they are not the property of the Italian State Railways.
3. It would be appreciated if the request from CHACC could be met, and the necessary authority issued.

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Red
R.A. CURTIS, Lt. Col.
For Major General

785020

RECEIVED 24 DEC 45
505SUBJECT:- Removal of Material from
S. SEVERA Firing Range

ROME Area Allied Command

HQ AC Land Forces Sub
Commission (LWIA)3 District
BASEBALL 16
361 Q

21 Dec 45

Ref Land Forces Sub Commission AC letter Q 106 dated 17 Dec 45
(copy to you).

It is requested that you accept action.

AFB/mio

(A.B. BAKER) Capt
for Col
DA & QMG

403

Q106

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24/12

Subject:- Removal of Material from Engineer Depot at Udine.

Land Warfare Sub Commission L.O.
(M. W. I. A.) ROME.
C. 406
21 December 1945.

To:- No. 5 B.I.B. Udine.

1. It has been reported by the Ministry of War that material as listed in the attached appendices, was removed by Allied Military Units from the Engineer Depot at Udine (Via Beltrame), between 1 May - 12 Nov 45.
2. It is requested the matter be investigated and efforts made to recover for the Italian Army the material concerned.
3. It should be ascertained from the Military Territorial R. Udine on what authority the stores were removed. If by XIII Corps, the matter should be taken up with them, with the object of securing the return of such non-expendable material as can be located, when it is released.

RAC

R.A. GUNTER It. Col.
for Major General,
M. W. I. A.

RAC/ten

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1.

MATERIAL WITHDRAWN BY SOUTH AFRICA H.Q. DURING THE PERIOD 1 JUNE - 1 JULY 45.
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cm	50 (about)	Larch small and large planks.
"	100	" Fir planks 8 x 8 x 400
"	70	" Larch boards 15 x 5 x 400
n	300	" Fir planks 25 x 5 x 400
"	100	" Trestles for shelves.
pls	150	" Iron railings, various
cm	20	" beech boards, evaporated, various
N	2	Sewing machines, Moonbi make, industrial type.
N	1	Saddler's bench

Raw materials stocked in M.1 shed of unspecified value

Material from various sources, stocked in sheds 5 and 6 for an unspecified value.

Pioneer material stocked in sheds 7, 8 and 9 for an unspecified value

Barrels, various containing lubricating grease, glyxertine, vaseline, oil, tar, mineral, oil, oil varnish, diesel oil.

GALLANZO

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2.

MATERIALS WITHDRAWN FROM ENG. MATERIAL STORES BY 215 CORPS FD PV HQ
R.E. COY ON 21 May 45.

- | | | |
|-----|----|---|
| 1. | 4 | Anvils, Kgs. 50 w/ wood blocks. |
| 2. | 1 | Machine for bending iron tyres for cart wheels. |
| 3. | 1 | Machine for molding iron tyres for cart wheels. |
| 4. | 1 | Machine for bending and sheet rolling iron for plumbers. |
| 5. | 1. | Machine, balancing, complete, w/ electric motor. |
| 6. | 2 | Ganometres, complete, w/pipes, welding. |
| 7. | 1 | Plane, metals, cm. 65, w/electric motor. |
| 8. | 5 | Drills, bunch, for metal, complete, w/electric motor and screw machine. |
| 9. | 2 | Saws, circular, for timber, w/motor. |
| 10 | 2 | Lathes, vertical, for timber (tounge), complete w/ electric motor. |
| 11. | 1 | Lathe, for timber, complete w/motor. |
| 12 | 1 | Drill, for timber, complete w/motor. |
| 13. | 1 | Plane, for timber, mm 400 w/electric motor. |
| 14. | 1. | Plane, for timber, mm. 700 w/motor. |
| 15 | 1 | Crusher, compressed air Kgs. 50 w/motor. |

Received the above machines.

Authority 5 Corps Tps (three illegible signatures follow)

WCA:AOO

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3.

MATERIALS WITHDRAWN BY 12 SAIG DURING THE PERIOD 1 MAY - 31 MAY 1945.

- 1. Plans, double, complete, for timber.
- 1. Plans, complete, for timber.
- 1. Drill for timber.
- 2. Cupboards, wood, office.
- 4. Tables, wood, office.

CALUKO.

MATERIALS WITHDRAWN FROM SIG. STORES UNDER BY 866 STORES HQ DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JULY - 12 NOVEMBER 1945.

1.	Plane double uno.
1	Band saw
1	Motor electric, 13 HP
1	Motor electric, 7 HP
2	Wagon loads of Decaulville rails.
100	Aerials, aluminum, diameter ca. 13, lengths n.8
200	Pipes, iron, for water, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4
135	Beams, reinforced, M.6. bridge n.1.
150	Planks for bridge n. 1
38	Trestles, bridge n.1.
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50	rolls of metal netting.
200	corrugated iron sheets, n. 1 x 2

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ROSC AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 DE ARMY
(G-4 British Section)

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22 Dec 45
(DATE)

Tel: 66304
21 Dec 45

Q 105/2

SUBJECT: Irregular requisition

TO : School of Artillery

1. It has been reported to this Headquarters that certain tiles, bricks and other materials were removed on or about 20 Nov 45 from the Santa Severa Firing Range and taken to the School of Artillery. No receipts were given for the material.

2. The following trucks were identified as being used for this purpose:

L. 4717387	L. 5318058
L. 4573861	L. 5318120
L. 4822148	L. 5318092
L. 4719400	L. 5318125

3. Will you please submit immediately a full explanation of this irregular removal of Italian Military Property together with confirmation that steps have been taken to ensure that further seizures of this nature will not occur.

J.A.H. BATES

J.A.H. BATES
Lt-Col
AG & CHG

24/11/45

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Subject : Removal of Material from S. SEVERA Firing Range.

HAND TONKES SUB COMP. A.C.
M.N.I.A.
H O B E
G. 186

17 December 45

To : HQ 3 District.

1. It has been reported by the Ministry of War that tiles bricks and other materials were removed on or about 20 Nov 45, from the S. SEVERA Firing Range to the British Artillery School, Civitavecchia. No receipts were given for this material.

2. The following trucks were identified as used for this purpose:-

L. 4717587	L. 5318058
L. 4675861	L. 5318120
L. 3822140	L. 5318084
L. 4719400	L. 5318126

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3. May the matter please be investigated and steps taken with the Unit concerned to avoid a repetition of this irregular acquisition of Italian Army Property.

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RAC
M.A. GUTHRIE, Lt. Col.
for Major General
M.N.I.A.

Copy to :-
Rome Area Allied Command.

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SEE 9

Subject:- Railway Engines - MONOPOLI.

S.I. *Q/18* 9 British Liaison Unit
BARI

58/17

15 Dec 45.

HQ Land Forces Sub Comm.AC.(MMIA).

Reference attached copy of MMIA LO 54 Area letter ST/46 dated 27 Oct 45.

1. This office has been approached by CRASC 11 Pet, Installation to find out if these engines in question can be released to them.
2. It is stated that these engines, which would be of the greatest value to CRASC, are lying unused in MONOPOLI yard.
3. May this office please be informed if the Italian Military Authorities are willing to release them, as they are NOT the property of ISR.

ED/bc

Copy to:- CRASC, 11 Pet. Installation.

60 Donnell
(E.O'DONNELL) Major
DAA & QMG.

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C O P Y

Tel : Bari 13869

Subject :- Railway Engines - MONOPOLIMMIA Liaison Office
Land Forces Sub Comm AC
c/o 54 Area CMF

ST/46

27 October 1945HQ Land Forces Sub Comm AC
(MMIA)

1. There are 2 Diesel Engines, formerly used by the British Petrol Depot at MONOPOLI for shunting purposes, now held by Capt CAMASSA, Comando Deposito Carburanti, MONOPOLI.
2. This officer has been interviewed, with reference to a request from CRASC, 11 Petroleum Installation, BARI, who urgently require these engines to enable them to carry out their commitments.
3. He states that, before he can release these engines to the British Authorities, it is necessary to obtain the authority of SMRE.
4. It is pointed out that these engines are rarely used at the moment, and would be of inestimable assistance in BARI, if released as requested.
5. You are therefore requested to contact SMRE with a view to obtaining the necessary authority to release them.

ELMM/ac

E.L. Monck-Mason Capt RASC
for Senior IO
Eastern ItalyCopy to :- CRASC 11 Pet Installation
Capitano CAMASSA
Comando Dep. Carburanti, MONOPOLI.

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Translation

From M.O.F. W. M.T. Dir.

Refero M.M.I.A.

Ref. 29215/024803

Date 14/12/45

Subject Machinery belonging to the O.A.R.E. recovered
at Brunico.

- 1 - The 6° Repair Unit at Bologna has forwarded us the letter
CEM/BZ/3160 dated 20/II/45 (copy attached) received from
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION - Milan Office - War Materials
Sub-Commission Captured Enemy Material Section - Bolzano.

- 2 - In the said letter documentation is requested proving the
ownership of some machines included amongst those recovered
at Brunico and taken to the O.A.R.E. following the concession
made by you who have always been most interested in the work of
the Italian Army M.T. Service.

- 3 - As a matter of fact, with the exception of the Matra drilling
machine and the Berco polisher, they were purchased by the
O.A.R.E., as can be shown by the invoices, the following operating
machines are identical to those shown in the attached letter.

- a) - during 1942 two drilling machines Berco AV.1750
registration No 103 and 104.
- b) - one grinder Berco RGT 510/1700 registration No 270
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- c) - one grinder RGT 600/2000 - registration No 297
- d) - four lathes (3 by 1500mm) - registration No 9-11-15 and 10
- e) - one filing machine Mazzoni;
- f) - one parallel lathe Berco 1500 installed in the workshop
after 8/9/43.

- 4 - Said machines were stolen by the Germans and that explains the
reason for which - maybe without paying attention to the
registration number ¹⁰⁵ were withdrawn from Brunico by the O.A.R.E.
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5 - Now, apart from the possible differences in the registration number, it is certain and possible to show that the O.A.R.E. was in possession of the a/m machines and that these were stolen by the Germans. It is unknown where they have ended up, yet since the Germans had some of their own of the same type and name, it seems that those released to the O.A.R.E. in replacement are identical to those stolen from them.

P. T.O.

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24/10/46
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TRANSMISSION

From : M of War

Ref : 11/29930/M

To : Military Engineers Works Directorate

Dtd : 11 Dec 45

Copy to Addressees and MMIA.

Subject : Issue of a telephone Booth

HT

We hereby confirm orders given over the telephone on 7 Dec 45.

We beg you urgently to order the issue to the MMIA (Major Newton) of 1 telephone booth which we are informed is stored at your Magliana Engineers Stores.

This booth will be withdrawn from the said Engineers Stores at Magliana, by the MMIA.

For the Minister,
Col. C. Picone.

D.S. [Signature]

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Translation

From M. of W.

To M. I. A.

(3.7)

Ref. 226647/II

Date 10/12/45.

Subject Military Eng. Materials withdrawn by Allied Units.

The Military Territorial H^q. of Udine has forwarded us the four attached lists of materials ~~which~~ have been removed from the Eng. Material Depot of Udine (Via Beltrame) by Allied Military ~~units~~ units, from the 10 May to the 12 Nov. 1945.

We report the matter in order that you ~~may~~ make any enquiries you deem necessary concerning the authority for the removal of the a/m materials.

DAK

14/12
Ref G. 106

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Translation

ref. App/1

MATERIAL WITHDRAWN BY SOUTH AFRICA HQ DURING THE PERIOD
1 JUNE + 1 JULY 1945

cm 50 (about)		larch small and big large planks
" 100	"	fir planks 8x8x400
" 70	"	larch boards 15x5x400
N.300		fir planks 25x5x400
"100 (about)		trestles for shelves
Q1s150	"	iron railings, various
cm mm 20	"	beech boards, evaporated, various
N 2		Sewing machines, Necchi make, industrial type
N 1		Saddler's bench

Raw materials stocked in N.I shed of unspecified value

Material from various sources, stocked in sheds 5 and 6 for an unspecified value.

Pioneer material stocked in sheds 7 8 and 9 for an unspecified value

Barrels, various containing lubricating grease, glycerine, vaseline oil, tar, mineral oil, oil varnish, diesel oil.

C/u

Galluzzo

App. 2

MATERIALS WITHDRAWN FROM ENG. MATERIAL STORES BY 215 CORPS FD PV HQ

RE COY ON 21/5/45

- | | | |
|-----|---|--|
| 1) | 4 | Anvils, Kgs 50, w/ wood blocks |
| 2) | 1 | Machine for bending iron tyres for cart wheels |
| 3) | 1 | " " molding " " " |
| 4) | 1 | " " bending and sheet rolling iron for plumber: |
| 5) | 1 | " , balancing, complete, w/electric motor |
| 6) | 2 | Manometres, complete, w/pipes, welding |
| 7) | 1 | Plane, metals, cm.65 , w/electric motor |
| 8) | 5 | Drills, bench, for metal, complete, w/electric motor +
screw machine |
| 9) | 2 | Saws, circular, for wood timber, w/motor |
| 10) | 2 | Lathes, vertical , for wood timber (toupie) , complete,
w/ electric motor |
| 11) | 1 | Lathe, for timber, complete w/motor |
| 12) | 1 | Drill, for timber, complete w/motor |
| 13) | 1 | Plane, for timber , mm 400, w/electric motor |
| 14) | 1 | Plane, for timber, , mm 700, w/motor |
| 15) | 1 | Crusher, compressed air, Kgs 50, w/ motor 389 |

Received the above machines

Authority 5 Corps Tps(three illeg. signatures follow)

C/u

Monaco

App.3

MATERIALS WITHDRAWN BY 12 SAIC DURING THE PERIOD 1 MAY+ 31 MAY 1945

1	Latex Plane, double, complete, for timber
1	" ,complete, for timber
1	Drill, for timber
2	Cupboards, wood, Office.
4	Tables, wood, Office

C/u

Galuzzo

MATERIALS WITHDRAWN FROM ENG.STORES-UDINE BY 866 STORES HQ DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JULY 12/11/1945

1	Plane, double use.
1	Band saw
1	Motor, electric, 13 HP
1	" " "
2	Waggon loads of Decauville rails
100	Aerials, aluminium, diametre cm 13, length m.8
200	Pipes, iron, for water, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4
135	Beams, reinforced, M.6, bridge n.1
150	Planks for orlage n.1
38	Trestles, bridge n.1
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Garuzzo

c/u

TRANSLATION

(2T)

FROM: Ministry of War

REF: 30333/VC

TO: "F" BLTU, RTC, ICF.
M.M.I.A. for info.

DATE: 8.11.45

SUBJECT: Request for armour plated lockers (Safes ?)

NT

Request No. 07/2314/S/Comm., dated 27.7.45, of H.Q.
"Piceno" Division, relating to 6 armour plated lockers (?)
does not appear to have reached this Ministry.

We would add, however, that for the time being,
we have no stock of such articles, and that negotiations
are in course for their purchase; the request made by the
Cassano Training Centre will be met as soon as possible.

Sgd. PELLIGRA

Gen. 386

O. Danin Cpl.

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GP

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TRANSLATION

FROM: Ministry of War

REF: 5/1210/Serv.

TO: M.M.I.A.

DATE: 5.12.45

SUBJECT: Removal of materials from the S. Severa Firing
Range by Allied troops.

We have been informed by the Rome Military Territorial M.Q., that tiles, bricks, metallic and hard core materials, were removed from the S. Severa Firing Range in trucks driven by English drivers in the name of the English Artillery School of Civitavecchia. No receipt was made for the drawing.

The trucks engaged in the transport bore the following numbers:

- L.4717587 - L.4675861 - L.4822148 - L.4719400 - L.5318058
- L.5318120 - L.5318084 - L.5318126.

We bring the above to the attention of your Mission, asking you to be so kind as to examine the possibility of this kind of inconvenience being avoided in the future.

Sgd. LIUZZI

General.

in the name of the English Artillery School of Civitavecchia.
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General.

O. Danin Cpl.

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

LPS/233/226.

Postal Address :
AFHQ, ROME AREA
ALLIED COMMAND,
C. M. F.

TEL : 66275 ROME

23 October 1945

SUBJECT : Local Resources in Italy, Mainland and Islands - Controlled and Restricted Items.

TO : All Concerned.

Reference AFHQ Administrative Memorandum No 52 of 1944.

1. The following are deleted from the list of Controlled Items:-

I. MATERIALS COMMITTEE

2. Timber

DELETE Item 14.

"14. Plywood of a thickness of 6 mm or more, except Plywood specifically produced for aircraft construction. (Plywood of less than 6 mm thickness and all plywood specifically produced for aircraft construction cease to be controlled materials.)"

II. MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES COMMITTEE

DELETE

1. Controlled Items

"34. Hemp, raw, tow and manufactured (excluding binder twine and 3rd, 4th and 5th quality rope)."

Under paragraph:

III. FOOD SUPPLY COMMITTEE

DELETE Controlled Items

"39. Brewers Malt."

2. This instruction is issued in accordance with AFHQ letter AG 383.8/159 CAO-0 dated 7 JUN 1945.

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John J. H. H. H. H.
THOMAS R. GIBSON, Colonel, AUS,
Chief of Section (US),
A.F.L.R.S.

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