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In accordance with this Directorate letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 45, the total number of BR-ITI rations supplied during the month of December 46 was 3,702 rations.

s/ Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIR. GEN. SERV. COM/TO E AER/ IVI
- Divisione sussistenze -

n°.457/3/1 di prot. Roma, 11 gennaio 1947

OGGETTO : Razioni viveri ordinaria e da viaggio.

AL COMANDO GEN. ARM. A.M.A CM A INTENDENZA ROMA
AI COMANDI MILITARI DI I.GIMENTI (tutti) " LOCALITA'
AL COMANDO TRUPPA " CAL.RIA" - U.M.Tem/le CAGLIARI

e, per conoscenza :

ALLA DIREZ.NE GEN.LE SANITA' COMMISSIONE A.C. (ARMA) ROMA
ALLA CASA MILITARE DEL CAPO PROVV.RIO DELLO STATO ROMA
ALLO STATO MAGGIORE GENERALE ROMA
AL MINISTERO DELLA MARINA ROMA
AL MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA ROMA
A L G A B I N E T T O ROMA
ALLO STATO MAGGIORE ESERCITO - Ufficio Servizi ROMA
ALLA DIR.ZIONE UFFICI AUTON. MINISTERO GUERRA ROMA
ALLE DIR.DI COM/TO DEI C/DI MIL.TERR.LI (tutte) LOCALITA'
ALLE SEZIONI DI COM/TO M.M. (tutte) LOCALITA'
AL COMANDO STAZIONE CARABINIERI R.C. ROMA
AL COMANDO CENTRALE AUTOFURG.MINISTERIALE ROMA
AL COMANDO CASA REALE M.C. ROMA

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Ad integrazione di quanto disposto con la circolare n°. 10000/3/1 del 20.12.46 si precisa :

RAZIONE VIVERI ORDINARIA

a)- Frutta secca :
I 15 grammi di frutta secca sgusciata potranno essere sostituiti con gr.30 di noci o nocciole con guscio, o mandorle molli (guscio tenero) o pure con gr.50 di mandorle con guscio duro.

b)- Miscela di caffè e surrogato :
La razione di caffè resta fissata in gr.14 come indicato

ALLA IAID DI GDS ST/ COMMISSION A.C. (SICILIA) — R O M A
ALLA CASA MILITARE DEL CAP. PROVV.RIO DELLO STATO — R O M A
ALLO STATO MAGGIORE GENERALE — R O M A
AL MINISTERO DELLA MARINA — R O M A
AL MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA — R O M A
A L G A B I N E T T O — R O M A

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE ESERCITO - Ufficio Servizi — R O M A
ALLA DIV.NE UFFICI AUTON. MINISTERIALI (tutte) — R O M A
ALLE DIR.NI DI COMP/TO DEI C/DI MIL.RI.LI (tutte) — L O R O
ALLE SEZIONI DI COMP/TO M.M. (tutte) — L O R O
AL COMANDO GENERALE CARABINIERI R.G. — R O M A
AL COMANDO SUPREMO AUTOFOTO MINISTERIALI — R O M A
AL COMANDO CASA M.M.I M.F. — R O M A

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Ad integrazione di quanto disposto con la circolare n°. 19000/S/1 del 20.12.46 si precisa :

RAZIONE VIVERI CAMPAGNA

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I 15 grammi di frutta secca sgusciata potranno essere sostituiti con gr.30 di noci o nocciole con guscio, o mandorle molli (guscio tenero) o pure con gr.50 di mandorle con guscio duro.

b)- Miscela di caffè e surrogato :

La razione di caffè resta fissata in gr.14 come indicato nella circ.n°.19000 /S/1; però, continuando a sussistere le difficoltà inerenti al rifornimento della dotazione, si confermano le disposizioni impartite con la circolare n.16595/S/1 del 3.10.46 circa la miscela di caffè con surrogato nella proporzione di gr.10 di caffè e gr.4 di surrogato.

c)- Sigarette :

La spettanza di sigarette è di gr.50 settimanali; esse saranno somministrate ai corpi prelevanti in ragione di n.7 per i giorni feriali e festivi non domenicali e di n.8 per le domeniche. Parimenti nei prelevamenti quindicinali si dovrà tener conto del numero delle domeniche cadenti nella quindicina.

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RAZIONE VIVERI DA VIAGGIO

1°) Carne in scatola o pesce conservato:
Qualora a causa delle limitate disponibilità di prodotti scatolati non sia possibile distribuire la spettanza di gr.110 di carne scatolata o pesce conservato, questa potrà essere sostituita con gr.90 di mortadella o, in mancanza, con gr.90 di salsa in tavola.-
Le disposizioni impartite in data 30.12.46 con la circolare telegrafica n.29354/8/1 diretta ai Comandi Militari Terr/li e ai dipendenti Enti di Commissariato, s'intendono abrogate.-

2°) Frutta secca:
I 20 grammi di frutta secca sgusciata potranno essere sostituiti con gr.50 di noci o nocciole in guscio, o mandorle mollesi (guscio tenero) oppure con gr.90 di mandorle in guscio duro.-

p. IL MINISTRO
f.to Pelligra

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IL DIRETTORE GEN.LE DIVISIONE

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INTER-OFFICE MEMO

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
A.M.L.A. ROME

1 Jan 47

File: Q/1/17-257
Subject: Condemnation of Foodstuff
To : ADST

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1. The Italian Air Ministry has approached Air Forces Sub-Commission with a view to obtaining credit for certain foodstuffs obtained from Allied Depots and later found unfit for human consumption. The totals for which the Air Ministry CREDIT ASK submit follows:

Summary

	Kgs
Cheese	118
Pres. Tomatoes	134
Tinned Meat	732
Lentils	150
Tinned Fish	36
Flour	206
Corned Beef	110
M.&V.	2
Salmon	50
Herrings	12
Sardines	14
Jams	120
Canadian Flour	140
Rice	460
Dried Veg.	256
Dried Veg. (Peas)	60
Pasta	2[illegible]
Tinned Meats (Various	46

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2. The delay in the rendition of these reports has been pointed out to the Italian Air Ministry, and that pending the receipt of any instruction as to the method of forwarding such reports, reduction was taken by them until they were informed by the Air Ministry in May last that such reports would be accepted by AFHQ from the Italian Army, Air Forces Sub-Commission claims that AFHQ confirmed that the same ruling applied to the Italian Air Force and Air Forces Sub-Commission then carried out a ninety-four investigation period as from 30 May 1946.

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3. The "writ-off" reports which I attach are obviously incomplete. Some lack the certificate that the items were destroyed, others lack the statement that the foodstuffs were

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received within 90 days of date of condemnation, etc. However I believe the Air Ministry is willing to re-submit these in proper form, if it is insisted on.

4. Nevertheless, as the amounts are infinitesimal, when one considers the total amount of rations issued to the Air Force, do you believe credit may be issued the Italian Government without further investigation?

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Captain, C.C.
"J" Accounts

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO E AMMINISTRATIVI

DIVISIONE SUSSISTENZA

Protocollo N. 19800|S|1 — *Roma, li 20 dicembre 1946*

Al Comando Generale Arma Carabinieri	*ROMA*
Ai Comandi Militari Territoriali (tutti)	*LORO SEDI*
Al Comando Brigata "Calabria" - Ufficio Territoriale	*CAGLIARI*

e, per conoscenza:

Alla Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. (MMIA)	*ROMA*
Alla Casa Militare del Capo provvisorio dello Stato	*ROMA*
Allo Stato Maggiore Generale	*ROMA*
Al Ministero della Marina	*ROMA*
Al Ministero dell'Aeronautica	*ROMA*
Al Gabinetto	*SEDE*
Allo Stato Maggiore Esercito	*SEDE*
Alle Direzioni Generali ed Uffici Autonomi del Ministero della Guerra	*SEDE*
Alle Direzioni di Commissariato dei Comandi Militari Territoriali (tutte)	*LORO SEDI*
Alle Sezioni di Commissariato Militare (tutte)	*LORO SEDI*
Al Comando Quartier Generale Ministero Guerra	*SEDE*
Al Comando Reparto Autonomo Ministeriale	*SEDE*
Al Comando Carabinieri Ministero Guerra	*SEDE*

OGGETTO: **Razione viveri ordinaria e da viaggio.**

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a) elevare a gr. 60 l'attuale razione di gr. 56 di legumi secchi;

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c) elevare a gr. 15 l'attuale razione di gr. 14 di frutta secca sgusciata distribuita in luogo di gr. 14 di olio: tale spettanza di gr. 15 di frutta secca sgusciata può essere sostituita in caso di indisponibilità nei magazzini con gr. 100 di frutta fresca;

d) elevare a gr. 250 l'attuale razione di gr. 113 di frutta fresca;

e) elevare a n. 50 settimanali l'attuale spettanza di n. 40 fiammiferi;

f) abolire la spettanza giornaliera di gr. 28 di frutta secca sgusciata;

g) distribuire gr. 6 al giorno di formaggio da raspa, sostituibili in caso di indisponibilità nei ma-

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Alle Direzioni Generali ed Uffici Autonomi del Ministero della Guerra — *SEDE*
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RAZIONI VIVERI DA VIAGGIO

a) elevare la spettanza giornaliera di pane a gr. 700;
b) elevare la spettanza giornaliera di carne scatolata da gr. 84 a gr. 110;
c) elevare la spettanza giornaliera di frutta fresca da gr. 113 a gr. 250;
d) inserire in tabella una distribuzione giornaliera di gr. 50 di marmellata;
e) inserire in tabella una distribuzione giornaliera di n. 7 fiammiferi;
f) ridurre la spettanza giornaliera di frutta secca sgusciata a gr. 28.

In definitiva le nuove razioni viveri ordinaria e da viaggio risultano dalle allegate tabelle A) e B).
Le nuove tabelle dovranno essere applicate a decorrere dal 1° gennaio 1947.
Al riguardo, nell'intento di evitare errate interpretazioni, questo Ministero precisa che, ferme restando tutte le norme sin qui emanate per il prelevamento della razione viveri, le tabelle stesse hanno valore soltanto nell'interno dei reparti, e devono essere diramate, per la loro massima diffusione tra le truppe, mediante affissione nell'albo degli ordini del giorno.

p. IL MINISTRO
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GENERI COMPONENTI LA RAZIONE GIORNALIERA		RIPARTIZIONE DEI GENERI IN BASE AL TIPO DI RANCIO DA CONFEZIONARE IN gg. 15			
		Brodo di carne gg. 7 a.	Pasta asciutta		Giornata libera gg. 2 d.
			Con spezzatino di carne gg. 4 b.	Con gr. 75 di formagg. tavola gg. 2 c.	
Pane	gr. 417 (1)	417	417	417	417
Pasta	» 150	92.8	200	200	200
Carne fresca o congelata	» 200 (2)	200	200	—	—
Formaggio da tavola	» 24 (3)	24	24	99	24
Formaggio raspa	» 6 (4)	6	6	6	6
Legumi secchi	» 60 (5)	60	60	60	60
Riso	» 28 (6)	28	28	28	28
Conserva pomodoro	» 15	9	20	20	21
Caffè	» 14	14	14	14	14
Zucchero	» 28	28	28	28	28
Olio	» 28 (7)	20	35	35	35
Frutta fresca (di stagione, nazionale)	» 250	250	250	250	250
Verdura fresca	» 350 (8)	350	350	350	350
Frutta secca (sgusciata)	» 15 (9)	15	15	15	15
Sale	» 20 (10)	20	20	20	20
Vino	litro 1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
Tabacchi (alla settimana)	gr. 50	—	—	—	—
Fiammiferi (alla settimana)	n. 50	—	—	—	—
Quota miglioramento rancio	L. 15	15	15	15	15

(1) Pari a gr. 834,8 di farina all'85 %

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Conserva pomodoro	»	15	9	20	20	21
Caffè	»	14	14	14	14	14
Zucchero	»	28	28	28	28	28
Olio	»	28 (7)	20	35	35	35
Frutta fresca (di stagione, nazionale) .	»	250	250	250	250	250
Verdura fresca	»	350 (8)	350	350	350	350
Frutta secca (sgusciata) . . .	»	15 (9)	15	15	15	15
Sale	»	20 (10)	20	20	20	20
Vino	litro	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
Tabacchi (alla settimana) . . .	gr.	50	—	—	—	—
Fiammiferi (alla settimana) . . .	n.	50	—	—	—	—
Quota miglioramento rancio . .	L.	15	15	15	15	15

(1) Pari a gr. 378,3 di farina all'85%; se il pane è confezionato in 2 pagnottelle la razione è di gr. 407; se in un solo sfilatino la razione è di gr. 411; se in due sfilatini la razione è di gr. 401.

(2) Durante la quindicina saranno distribuiti:

— per 11 giornate: carne fresca o refrigerata o congelata;

— per 2 giornate: gr. 75 di formaggio da tavola (sostituibili a pari peso con mortadella) in aggiunta ai gr. 21 previsti dall'attuale tabella. È data facoltà alle Direzioni di Commissariato di distribuire carne fresca o refrigerata o congelata qualora necessario per difficoltà nel rifornimento del formaggio o della mortadella;

— per 2 giornate: generi vari da acquistarsi dai corpi con la somma di L. 10 pro-capite in aggiunta alle L. 15 di miglioramento rancio.

(3) Sostituibile a pari peso con mortadella.

(4) Sostituibile a pari peso con formaggio da tavola o mortadella.

(5) Da sostituire con gr. 120 di patate 2 volte alla settimana. Tale sostituzione è altresì consentita in tutti gli altri giorni in cui mancasse la disponibilità di legumi secchi presso i magazzini della sussistenza militare.

(6) Sostituibile a pari peso con pasta, in caso di indisponibilità.

(7) La razione di gr. 42, data la limitata disponibilità di olio, è attualmente ridotta a gr. 28 e integrata con gr. 15 di frutta secca sgusciata.

(8) Al lordo delle foglie secche, torsoli, ecc.

(9) Sostituibili in caso di indisponibilità nei magazzini con gr. 100 di frutta fresca.

(10) Più gr. 4 giornalieri per panificazione.

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Con i viveri di cui alla presente tabella e con l'integrazione prevista dalla quota miglioramento rancio, in una quindicina possano essere confezionati i seguenti tipi di rancio, che si segnalano a solo titolo indicativo:

PER SETTE GIORNI

mattino

una bevanda calda costituita da:

Caffè	gr. 14
Zucchero	„ 28

mezzogiorno

Pasta in brodo	gr. 92,8
Formaggio raspa	„ 3
Carne:	„ 200
con contorno di verdura	„ 150
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

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Minestrone: riso o pasta	gr. 28
„ legumi	„ 60
„ verdura	„ 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 2
Formaggio da tavola	„ 24
Frutta secca sgusciata	„ 15
„ fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

PER QUATTRO GIORNI

mattino

una bevanda calda costituita da:

Caffè	gr. 14
Zucchero	„ 28

mezzogiorno

Pasta asciutta	gr. 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 5
Carne:	„ 200
con contorno di verdura	„ 150
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

sera

Minestrone: riso o pasta	gr. 28
„ legumi	„ 60
„ verdura	„ 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 2
Formaggio da tavola	„ 24
Frutta secca sgusciata	„ 15
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

PER DUE GIORNI

mattino

una bevanda calda costituita da:

Caffè	gr. 14
Zucchero	„ 28

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mezzogiorno

Pasta asciutta	gr. 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 5
Formaggio da tavola	„ 75

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Minestrone: riso o pasta	gr. 28
„ legumi	„ 60
„ verdura	„ 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 2

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PER QUATTRO GIORNI

mattino

una bevanda calda costituita da:

Caffè . . . . . gr. 14
Zucchero . . . . . „ 28

mezzogiorno

Pasta asciutta	gr. 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 5
Carne:	„ 200
con contorno di verdura	„ 150
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

sera

Minestrone: riso o pasta	gr. 25
„ legumi	„ 60
„ verdura	„ 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 2
Formaggio da tavola	„ 24
Frutta secca sgusciata	„ 15
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

PER DUE GIORNI

mattino

una bevanda calda costituita da:

Caffè . . . . . gr. 14
Zucchero . . . . . „ 28

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mezzogiorno

Pasta asciutta	gr. 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 5
Formaggio da tavola	„ 75
Verdura	„ 150
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

sera

Minestrone: riso o pasta	gr. 25
„ legumi	„ 60
„ verdura	„ 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 2
Formaggio da tavola	„ 24
Frutta secca sgusciata	„ 15
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

PER DUE GIORNI

mattino

una bevanda calda costituita da:

Caffè . . . . . gr. 14
Zucchero . . . . . „ 28

mezzogiorno

Pasta asciutta	gr. 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 4,5
Salame, pesce, uova, e altro acquistato con la quota di L. 40 pro-capite.	
Verdura	gr. 150
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

sera

Minestrone: riso o pasta	gr. 25
„ legumi	„ 60
„ verdura	„ 200
Formaggio raspa	„ 2
Formaggio da tavola	„ 24
Frutta secca sgusciata	„ 15
Frutta fresca	„ 125
Vino	l. 1/4

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TABELLA B

RAZIONE VIVERI DA VIAGGIO

— PANE	gr.	500
oppure		
— GALLETTA	,,	400
— CARNE SCATOLATA o PESCE CONSERVATO	,,	110
— FORMAGGIO DA TAVOLA	,,	60
— VINO	l.	1/2
— FRUTTA FRESCA (di stagione, nazionale)	gr.	250
— FRUTTA SECCA SGUSCIATA	,,	28
— TABACCHI	,,	7
— FIAMMIFERI	n.	7
— MARMELLATA	gr.	50
— MIGLIORAMENTO RANCIO	L.	15

Il pane distribuito in sostituzione della galletta dovrà essere preferibilmente biscottato.

La quota miglioramento rancio di L. 15 dovrà essere corrisposta in contanti apponendo apposita dichiarazione nei documenti di viaggio.

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S.T. DIRECTORATE

SUBJECT:- Maintainance of Italian Armed Forces.

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Tel: PADUA 22295

14 December 46

ADST,
HQ, MMIA, ROME

In accordance with this Directorate letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 45, the total number of BR-ITI rations supplied during the month of November 46 was 3,056 rations.

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a/
Director of Supplies and Transport
Brigadier

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S.T. DIRECTORATE

SUBJECT:- MAINTAINANCE OF ITALIAN ARMED FORCES

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Tel: PADUA 22295

23 November 46

A.D.S.T.,
Hq, MMIA, ROME

In accordande with this Directorate's letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 45, the total number of BR-ITI rations supplied during October 46 was 3,867 rations.

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s/ Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

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S.T. DIRECTORATE

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Tel: PADUA 22295

22 October 46

ADST,
HQ, MMIA, ROME

1. Reference this Directorate letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 45, addressed to DDST, HQ 13 Corps (Rear) etc, copy to you.

2. The total number of BR-ITI rations supplied during September 1946 was:-

September 1946 - 3,544

s/ Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport

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S.T. BRANCH

SUBJECT:- Maintainance of Italian Armed Forces.

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12 September 1946

ADST,
HQ, MMIA, ROME

1. Reference this Directorate letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 1945, addressed to DDST, HQ 13 Corps (Rear) etc. copy to you.

2. The total number of BR-ITI rations supplied during August 1946 was:-

August 1946 - 9,644

a/ Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to:- F.A.A

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S.T. BRANCH

SUBJECT: Maintainance of Italian Armed Forces

64/2/C/ST6(a)

4 September 1946

ADST,
HQ, MMIA, ROME

1. Reference this Directorate letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 45 addressed to DDST, 13 Corps etc. copy to you.

2. The total number of BRI-ITI Rations supplied during July 1946 was:-

July - 32,521

a/ Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, CMF

S.T. BRANCH

SUBJECT: Maintainance of Italian Armed Forces

64/2/Q/ST6(a)

16 July 1946

ADST,
HQ, MMIA, ROME

1. Further reference this Directorate letter 64/2/Q/ST6(a) dated 10 July 1946.

2. Herewith details of number of BRI-ITI rations supplied in 15 Corps Area, which were not included in figures submitted previously.

MAY - 6,151
JUNE - 5,366

s/ Brigadier,
Director of Suplies and Transport

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T R A N S L A T I O N

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Ref : 20360

FROM : Ministry of War

TO : Military Territorial Command Palermo Date : 13/7/46

INFO : M.M.I.A. Rome
General Milit. Sanitary Direction. Rome
Terr. H.Q. Sanitary Direction = Palermo
Mil. Terr. Command Comm. Directio Palermo

SUBJECT : Coal for the General Mil. Hospital Palermo

Ref letter 3742/03 of 27/6/46, it is notified that the coal allotment is made by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce on the basis of the applications forwarded by the addressees through the Ministry (Gen. Direction)

In order to obtain a further allotment of coal you are requested to apply to Military Direction (Ministry of War Sanitary Department) so that, in the allotment assigned, they may take into account the effective necessities of General Military Hospital of Palermo.

Sgd. For the Minister
Pellegra

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TRANSLATION

From: Palermo Mil.Terr.HQ
To : MMIA

Ref: 3742/03/G
Date: 27/6/46

Subject: Coal for the main Military Hospital at Palermo. -

Palermo main Military Hospital requires for (cookhouse, bathhouses, laundries, fugimating and sterilising machines) a monthly quantity of coal not lower than 15 tons.

This has also been noted personally by the Chief of the IIth BLU during an inspection of the hospital.

The present monthly coal allotment which the hospital receives from the Palermo Chamber of Commerce never exceeds 5 tons, which is the strict amount required for the cookhouse.

The supply Directorate concerned, having, with the availability of only 3 tons of coal, to meet the requirement of numerous formations can only supply the hospital with small amounts of fuel absolutely inadequate to its requirements.

Consequently at present, patients baths are only with cold water, clothes are washed in cold water, therefore the hospital directorate cannot carry out fumigation and sterilisation of clothing, which discarded by some patients, are issued to others.

This pointed out and in view of particular contagious diseases which have broken out in the last few weeks in the Palermo Garrison, I ask your Ministry to kindly examine the possibility of ensuring that the Palermo Military Hospital

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(cookhouse, bathhouses, laundries, fugimating and sterilising machines) a monthly quantity of coal not lower than I5 tons.

This has also been noted personally by the Chief of the IIth BLU during an inspection of the hospital.

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The supply Directorate concerned, having, with the availability of only 3 tons of coal, to meet the reqmirement of numerous formations can only supply the hospital with small amounts of fuel absolutely inadequate to its requirements.

Consequently at present, patients baths are only with cold water, clothes are washed in cold water, therefore the hospital directorate cannot carry out fumigation and sterilisation of clothing, which discarded by some patients, are issued to others.

This pointed out and in view of particular contagious diseases which have broken out in the last few weeks in the Palermo Garrison, I ask your Ministry to kindly examine the possibility of ensuring that the Palermo Military Hospital receives its requirements of coal (at least I5 tons) required for the a/m purpose so as to avoid the danger of patients contracting contagious diseases, and put into effect all the hygenical regulations which are essential for a hospital.

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sgd. M.L. De Castiglioni

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S.T. BRANCH

SUBJECT: Maintainance of Italian Armed Forces

64/2/0/ST6(a)

10 July 1946

ADST,
Hq, MMIA, ROME

1. Reference this Directorate letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 1945 addressed to DDST 13 Corps etc, copy to you.

2. The total number of BRI-ITI rations supplied during May and June 1946 was:

MAY	65,315
JUNE	52,902

s/ Brigadier
Director of Supplies and Transport

TRANSLATION

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17 June 46

9712/S/1

FROM : Ministry of War

TO : BARI Commissariat Directorate
(in reply to letter 1/9596 of 20 May 46)

INFO : MMIA

SUBJECT:- Fresh Fruit and Veg to US-ITI units.

Authorisation given by you for the purchase of fresh fruit and veg by US-ITI units who are not receiving them from Allied Authorities is approved.

The BLU concerned will be informed of failing in distribution by Allied Depots.

Sgd. Gen. Pelligra

S & T, MMIA
Rcvd JUN 20 1946
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Sgd. Gen. Pelligra

'S & T, MMIA.
Recd JUN 20 1946
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Ministero della Guerra

Direz.Gen.Serv.Comm.Amm.

Divisione Suss.ze Uff. 1^
Sez. 1/9712/S/1 Allegati

St.

Roma, 17 - 6 - 46

Al LA DIREZIONE DI COMMISSA-
RIATO MILITARE DI
BARI

e, per conoscenza:
ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) ROMA

Risposta al Foglio del 20 maggio u.s.
Div. Sez. N.1/9596

OGGETTO Verdura e frutta fresca per i reparti Us-Iti.

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Si sanziona l'autorizzazione concessa da codesta Direzione per l'acquisto della verdura e della frutta fresca da parte dei reparti Us-Iti, che non le ricevono dalle Autorità Alleate.

Della mancata distribuzione da parte dei Depositi alleati dovrà essere data comunicazione al RLU competente.

p. IL MINISTRO

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance Italian Navy & Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Comn. AG.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 478207
ST/1 CE

Ministry of War.

18 June 1946.

Copy to:- Navy Sub Commission AG.
Air Force Sub Commission AG.

The undermentioned items not collected by Italian Navy/Air Force representative from the British Depot at NAPLES against Ny maintenance have now been cancelled.

Milk USA	1,573 lbs
Rice	3,010 "
Margarine	2,605 "
Meat Extract	132 "

Lt.Col. R.E.
ALT, Land Forces Sub Comn. AG.(M.M.I.A.).

ALT/gmc

ENCLOSURE:- Q (A/cs)

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Telephone conversation WELLS-SULLIVAN reveals that the commodities as listed were placed at the disposal of the Navy and Air Force but were never drawn by them. GHQ therefore assumes that they did not care to draw them and proposes to cancel their availability to those services. No credit or debit results from this action. I assume that your office will inform the Italian Navy and Air Forces that the commodities listed are no longer available for issue.

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ST BRANCH

SUBJECT:- Maintenance Italian Navy & Air Forces

64/2/ST6(b)

TEL : FREEDOM 214

13 Jun 46

HQ. 14 CRASC (Supply Units).

Reference telephone conversation SMITH/WELLS of 13 Jun 46.

1. The following items reported by you as still outstanding for collection by Italian Navy/Air Force representative against May maintenance, will be considered cancelled :-

Milk USA	1,573 lbs
Rice	3,010 lbs
Margarine	2,805 lbs
Meat Extract	132 lbs

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'S & T' MMIA.

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15 JUN 1946

Colonel
A/Director of Supplies & Transport

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S.T. BRANCH

SUBJECT: Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces

64/2/Q/ST6(a)

13 May 1946

ADST,
HQ, MGMIA, ROME

1. Reference this Directorate letter 64/ST6 dated 6 Nov 45, addressed to DDST 13 Corps etc. copy to you.

2. The total number of BRI-ITI rations supplied during April 1946 was:-

APRIL 79,177

s/ Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS

S.T. BRANCH

64/2/C/STo(a)

3 May '46

SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces.

ALST,
HQ. MMIA, R O M E.

1. Reference this Directorate letter 64/STo dated 6 Nov 45, addressed to DDST 13 Corps, etc, copy to you.

2. The total number of ER-ITI Rations supplied during March 1946 was:-

MARCH 117,461

/s/ ??????????Colonel,
A/Director of Supplies and Transport.

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Unit or Formation 10 U.S.A. (For Italian Armed Forces) Serial No. 1926 Collection On Demand.

Installation to supply 23 S.O.S.

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All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
Flour.	20605	20605		
B. Beef.	10337	10337		
Cheese Pkd.	3677	3677		
Sugar.	3677	3677		
Coffee Beans.	1953	1953		
Tomato Purée.	3471	3471		
Pepper.	125	125		
Tea.	314	314		

27 Apr 46.
23 S.O.S. (2)
10 U.S.A. (For Italian Armed Forces)
AMZI, LO, and Contractor (FSCA).
P Z Z M.

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10 U.S.A. (For Italian Armed Forces) 217

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*S & T. MEMO.

Rec'd MAY 1 1946 Due

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T/l: Bari 13869

Subject:- Italian Base Packs-
ex 22 CRASC

NMIA Liaison Office
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.,
C/o 54 Area C.M.F.

ST/10/1

30 October 1945

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Dir. Gen. Comm.
9 Terr. HQ

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Reference this office letter ST/10/1 dated 27 Oct. 45,
(copy to you),

1. Instructions have been issued by AFHQ for the suspension of all releases to the Italian Armed Forces, w. e. f. 2 November inclusive.

2. This measure is being adopted in order to effect adjustment of stocks throughout Italy.

3. Please regard my above-quoted letter, therefore, as cancelled, and make the necessary arrangements for the Italian Navy, TARANTO, to be supplied for the period 6-20 Nov, from your own stocks either at BARI or TARANTO. Rail Tpt must be requested through Delegazione Trasporti.

4. Similar arrangements for Italian Armed Forces in BRINDISI area must also be ~~[illegible]~~ made.

E.L Monck-Mason
Capt. R.A.S.C.
for Senior LO

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E.L. Munn-Mason
Capt. R.A.S.C.
for Senior LO
Eastern Italy

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Copy to:- 22 CRASC (Sup Units) - your S/74/1 dated 29 Oct is now regarded as cancelled
HQ M.M.I.A.

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"S & T, MMIA.
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SUBJECT :- Maintenance Ita[illegible] an Forces.

Headquarters,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).
C. M. F.
Ref :- ST 297/1.

Caserta - 17.

12 Apr 46.

10 B.L.N. Naples (3)

Copy to :- D.S.T., G.H.Q., C.M.F.
A.D.S.T., Land Forces Sub Comm. (M.M.I.A.) ✓
Os.C., 23 B.S.D., R.A.S.C.
30 B.S.D., R.A.S.C.
50 B.S.D., R.A.S.C.

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1. Reference conversation today Capt. Clarke RACC - Capt. Smith re May Maint Italian Navy and Air Force.

2. Herewith Release Orders in respect of supplies for maint of Naples establishments.

3. In addition to supplies for Naples establishments, instructions have been received from D.S.T., G.H.Q. under 64/2/ST6(b) of 8 Apr 46 to release to M.M.I.A. (against signature 'on the spot'), the following supplies for BARI establishments :-

		available at Torre Annunziata.	available at Caserta.	
(a) For Italian Air Force.		23 B.S.D.	30 B.S.D.	50 B.S.D.
	Sardines.	31,906 ✓	-	-
	Herrings.	-	-	19,143 incl early issue.
	Salmon.	-	9,575 ✓	-
	Rice.	-	47,857 ✓	-
	Cheese.	-	-	41,020 ✓
	Sugar.	-	47,857 ✓	-
	Coffee.	23,928 ✓	-	-
	Pepper.	-	240 ✓	-

(b) For Italian Navy.

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	available at Torre Annunziata. 23 B.S.D.	available at Casoria. 30 B.S.D.	50 B.S.D.
(a) For Italian Air Force.			
Sardines.	31,906	-	-
Herrings.	-	-	19,143 incl early issue.
Salmon.	-	9,575	-
Rice.	-	47,857	-
Cheese.	-	-	41,020
Sugar.	-	47,857	-
Coffee.	23,928	-	-
Pepper.	-	240	-
(b) For Italian Navy.			
Sardines.	34,376	-	-
Herrings.	-	-	20,924 Early Issue.
Salmon.	-	10,463	-
Rice.	-	-	52,312
Cheese.	-	-	44,338 incl early issue.
Sugar.	-	52,312	-
Coffee.	26,156	-	-
Tomato Paste.	-	-	26,156
Pepper.	-	262	-

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4. Rail Tonnage allocation was made available under a/q letter provided the supplies could be accepted before 14 Apr 46. In view of the fact that it will not be possible for you to complete the necessary adm arrangements before 14 Apr 46 it will be necessary for the necessary Rail Cars, documentation etc, to be provide by the Italian Forces as heretofore.

5. Will you please arrange that the rep appointed to sign vouchers at loading depots is in possession of a copy of this letter which will act as authority and as Pass to enter the various depots.

A.D.S.T.
D.A.D.S.T.
S.C.

S & T. MMIA.
APR 13 1946
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14 C., R.A.S.C.

A.H. Smith Capt
Major.,
i/C., R.A.S.C.,
(Supply Units).

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ISSUE ORDER

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Unit or Formation: 10 B.M.S. (for Italian Navy). May Maintenance.

Serial No. 1836
Collection On Demand.

Installation to supply As Under.

All Figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
To Supply :- 25 B.M.S.				
Sardines.	13,606	13,606 ✓		
Coffee.	27,125	27,125 ✓		
To Supply :- 30 B.M.S.				
Salmon.	5,532	5,532 ✓		
Sugar.	5½,250	5½,250 ✓		
To Supply :- 50 B.M.S.				
Herrings.	11,163	11,163 ✓		
Rice.	5½,250	5½,250 ✓		
Cheese.	16,500	16,500 ✓		
Tomato Paste.	27,125	27,125 ✓		
Pepper.	272	272 ✓		

L. H. Woods Capt

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Coffee.	27,125	27,125 ✓

To Supply :- 30 B.S.D.

Salmon.	5,532	5,532 ✓
Sugar.	54,250	54,250 ✓

To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.

Herrings.	11,163	11,163 ✓
Rice.	54,250	54,250 ✓
Cheese.	46,500	46,500 ✓
Tomato Paste.	27,125	27,125 ✓
Pepper.	272	272 ✓

Major,
A/C, R.A.F. C.,
12 C., R.A.F. (Sample Rats).

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10 Apr 46.
23 B.S.D. (2)
30 B.S.D. (2)
50 B.S.D. (2)
10 B.L.D. (For Italian Navy).
AMGOT, LO, Sub Commission AC (Area).
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Unit or Formation: 10 B.A.U. (for Italian Air Force). May Maintenance.

Serial No. Collection: 1897 On Demand.

Installation to supply: As Under.

All Figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
To Supply :- 25 A.S.H.				
Sardines.	5,555	5,555		
Coffee.	4,165	4,165		
To Supply :- 30 B.A.U.				
Salmon.	1,667	1,667		
Rice.	8,331	8,331		
Sugar.	8,331	8,331		
To Supply :- 20 B.A.U.				
Herrings.	3,333	3,333		
Cheese.	7,140	7,140		
Tomato Paste.	4,166	4,166		
Pepper.	42	42		

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Coffee.	4,166	4,156 ✓

To Supply :- 30 B.S.D.

Salmon.	1,667	1,667 ✓
Rice.	8,331	8,331 ✓
Sugar.	8,331	8,331 ✓

To Supply :- 20 B.S.D.

Herrings.	3,333	3,335 ✓
Cheese.	7,140	7,140 ✓
Tomato Paste.	4,166	4,156 ✓
Pepper.	42	42 ✓

10 Apr 46.
25 B.S.D. (2)
30 B.S.D. (2)
50 B.S.D. (2)
10 B.L.N. (for Italian War Force).
AFHQ, HP, Sub Commission AC (Area).
F I L E.

Major,
A/C., A.A.F.C.,
14 C., A.A.F.C. (Supply Bldg).

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12 Apr 45

Authorization Issued for repayment to Delilah Evans.
G (A/Sec)

Reference your G/1-127 of 8 April 1945, attached is copy of CIC letter G-2/2/166(6) of 11 April for information and necessary action.

1. Will you please notify this branch when the balance due for repayment as shown in your above quoted letter have been agreed bearing in mind the amendment now necessary due to the receipt of the attached.

[illegible]
Lt. Col. TAGO.
A.G.D.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

S. T. BRANCH

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SUBJECT: Outstanding Loans for Repayment to British Forces

64/2/ST6(b)

Tel: FREEDOM 217

11 April '46

A.D.S.T.,
Land Forces Sub. Comm. AC(MMIA)

Further to our 64/2/ST6(b) of 8 April '46, Para. 3.

1. It has now been reported by C.C., 38 B.S.D., R.A.S.C., ANCONA, that only 1,675,496 lbs of flour was released to MMIA representative at ANCONA in Feb/March 1946, against 1,702,528 lbs previously allowed for as having been issued. The difference of 27,032 lbs has therefore been deducted from the previous amount outstanding, and which will now read :-

43,296 lbs.

A.D.S.T. & T., MMIA.

12 April

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Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

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9 Apr 46

Maintenance US-TTI and UK-TTI Units

Q (A/cs)

1. Attached is Ministry of War letter 6425/8/1 of 4 April with statement of supplies issued to US-TTI and UK-TTI units from Italian Army Depots at a time when the commodities concerned should have been issued for those categories from US and British Depots respectively.

2. It is understood you will deal with the question as to whether repayment should be effected, on a Q level.

[illegible] Lt.Col.
A.D.S.T.

MPD/gc

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

S. T. BRANCH

64/2/ST6(b)

Tel: Freedom 217

8 Apr '46

SUBJECT: Maintenance Italian Navy & Air Force.

A.D.S.T.,
Land Forces Sub. Comm AC (MMIA)

1. Reference your ST/159 of 3rd April '46, relative to releases required to cover maintenance of the Italian Navy and Air Force.

2. You will note that under similar reference and date, 14 & 22 CsRASC have been instructed to release your requirements, but that stocks have not been made available in the locations requested by you. You will appreciate that the closing down programme must influence place of availability and in so far as the bulk of Bari requirements are concerned, the items are not now physically held there and cannot therefore be released from anywhere else but from Naples.

3. The quantities listed in your appendix are agreed.

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S & T. MMIA.
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10 Apr 1946

Brigadier,
Director of Supplies & Transport.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

S. T. BRANCH

64/2/ST6(b)

Tel: Freedom 217

8 Apr '46

SUBJECT: Maintenance Italian Navy and Air Force, May '46

HQ., 14 CRASC (Supply Units)
HQ., 22 CRASC (Supply Units)

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1. The following releases will be made to M.M.L.S. to cover maintenance of the Italian Navy and Air Force during May '46:-

Commodity	Italian Navy		Air Force		Total
	For Naples	For Bari	For Naples	For Bari	
Ex BARI - 22 CRASC (Sup Units)					
Pres. Meat	41,862	70,467	12,497	71,785	204,611
Tomato Paste				23,928	23,928
Ex NAPLES - 14 CRASC (Sup Units)					
Sardines	18,606	34,876	5,555	31,906	90,943
Herrings	11163	20,924	3,333	19,143	54,563
Salmon	5,582	10,463	1,667	9,575	27,287
Rice	54,250	52,312	8,331	47,857	162,750
Cheese	46,500	44,838	7,140	41,020	139,498
Sugar	54,250	52,312	8,331	47,857	162,750
Coffee	27,125	26,156	4,166	23,928	81,375
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Ex BARI - 22 CRASC (Sup Units)					
Pres. Meat	41,862	78,467	12,497	71,785	204,611
Tomato Paste				23,928	23,928
Ex NAPLES - 14 CRASC (Sup Units)					
Sardines	18,606	34,876	5,555	31,906	90,943
Herrings	11163	20,924	3,333	19,143	54,563
Salmon	5,582	10,463	1,667	9,575	27,287
Rice	54,250	52,312	8,331	47,857	162,750
Cheese	46,500	44,838	7,140	41,020	139,498
Suger	54,250	52,312	8,331	47,857	162,750
Coffee	27,125	26,156	4,166	23,928	81,375
Tomato Paste	27,125	26,156	4,166		57,447
Pepper	272	262	42	240	816

2. Despatches Bari/Naples and Naples/Bari will be covered by inter-Depot accepted rail movement for period 8/14 April; M.M.I.A. Representative will accept at loading point.

Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to: A.D.S.T., Land Forces Sub. Comm. AC(MMIA).

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D. & I. MMIA.
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STATEMENT OF LOANS & DELIVERIES OF FOODSTUFFS UNDER [illegible]

1. AND SUBSEQUENT REPAYMENTS IN RESPECT OF THOSE LOANS:

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F L O U R.

		Receipts lbs	Total lbs		lbs
Dec 1945	ex [illegible]	535,134		ex SS Lewis Keene	6,720,000
	ex 22 [illegible]	2,400,076			
	ex 13 [illegible]	112,056	3,047,266	PAID A/B FOR PERIOD	
Jan 1946	ex 14 [illegible]	3,308,924		April	2,970,000
	ex 22 [illegible]	3,314,477	6,623,401	May	2,949,499
Feb 1946	ex 14 [illegible]	1,052,800			
	ex 22 [illegible]	268,812	2,947.05		
	ex [illegible]	4,703,387 f 1,673,492	1,021,442		
			12,617.795		12,619,499
	Remains due for repayment			for July 1946	75,328 #2,276
					12,617,795
			12,617795		12,617795

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		Receipts lbs	Total lbs		lbs
Dec 1945	ex 22 [illegible]	516,033			
	ex [illegible]	57,996	574,029	MEAT/FISH PERIOD	
				April	495,000
				May	79,029
			574,029		574,029

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	Receipts	Total	REPAID

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~~12,676,827~~ ~~16,[illegible],827~~

12,667,775

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		Receipts lbs	Total lbs	REPAYED	lbs
Dec 1945	ex 22 CRAIG	516,033		NAVY/AIR FORCE	
	ex MILTON	57,996	574,029	[illegible]	495,000
				May	79,029
			574,029		574,029

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		Receipts lbs	Total lbs	REPAYED	lbs
Jan 1946	ex 14 CRAIG	374,080		NAVY/AIR FORCE	
	ex 22 CRAIG	479,370	853,450	March	167,093
				April	330,000
				May	325,500
			853,450		823,093
Rowding due for repayment					30,357
			853,450		853,450

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INTER-OFFICE MEMO

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A. RCAF

File : 97/102

Date : 2 Apr 46

SUBJECT : Maintenance Italian Navy & Air Force - MAY 1946

TO : Q (A/cs) (2)

1. In continuance of the established policy of repayment of food commodities loaned by UNRRA (SC) to the Italian Armed Forces, below are details of requirements for maintenance of Italian Navy and Air Force for the month of May 1946, which under this scheme are due to be provided from Italian Food Ministry stocks.

		NAVY		AIR FORCE	
SCALE	ITEM	MAY lbs	MONTHS lbs	MAY lbs	MONTHS lbs
15 ozs	FLOUR	79,687	815,750	717,894	124,968
3 ozs	PASTA for BALANCE	156,937	169,750	143,570	24,995
3 ozs	P. BEAT/FRESH	-	79,089	-	-
2 ozs	P/S/L	104,624	100,500	95,714	16,662

2. When the above and commitments previously notified have been met the u/m quantities will still remain due from the Ministry of Food for repayment to UNRRA.

FLOUR	75,328 lbs
P/S/L	30,357 lbs

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SCALE	ITEM	DUE Lbs	RECEIVED Lbs	DUE Lbs	RECEIVED Lbs
15 ozs	FLOUR	784,687 -	813,750 -	717,824 -	124,968 -
3 ozs	FLOUR for MACARONI	154,937 -	162,730 -	143,570 -	24,393 -
3 ozs	P.BEAT/FLOUR	- -	79,020 -	- -	- -
2 ozs	P/B/L	104,624 -	108,500 -	95,714 -	16,662 -

2. When the above end commitments previously notified have been met the u/m quantities will still remain due from the Ministry of Food for repayment to SEC.

FLOUR	75,328 lbs ✓
P/B/L	30,357 lbs ✓

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Lt.Col.
A.D.S.T.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394.
FOOD AND AGRICULTURE BRANCH.

43-1/FA. 3 April 46.

SUBJECT : Repayment of foodstuffs owed to the British Army.

TO : Alto Commissario dell' Alimentazione, ROME.

1. Reference our letter Ref. 43-1/FA dated 6 March confirming an agreement under which you agreed to undertake part repayment of food stuffs owed to the British Army by releasing supplies to the Italian Air Forces and Navy for April maintenance.

2. It is now proposed that you make a further repayment through undertaking the delivery of supplies to the Italian Air Forces and Navy for May maintenance as follows:-

3. After the above repayments the Land Forces Sub-Commission, M.M.A.C. states that the following quantities will remain due from you to the British Army,

FLOUR.....75,328 lbs.

DRIED VEGETABLES.....30,357 lbs.

4. We are asking the Above Sub-Commission to provide a statement showing how the above balances due are arrived at.

5. The above supplies should be made available by 10th April.

6. Please confirm that the above supplies can be made available.

V. R. A. OSBORN,
Lt. Colonel,
Director FOOD & AGRICULTURE.

Copies to : H.Q. A.C. Land Forces Sub-Commission, Attn. Major Nelson.
H.Q. A.C. Economic Section.
A.D.S.T. M. M. I. A.

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S. T. BRANCH.

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Tel: FRENCH 217.

3 April '45.

SUBJECT : Repayment of Flour by A.C.

S.T.

G.5., GHQ., CMF.

Reference telcon Lt. Col Seeley/Major Wells of 2 April on the subject of Flour discharged at Naples from the S.S. "LAURA KEENE" and which was accepted into RASC Depots as an offset against Midshift Meal/MMLA etc Flour Debt by A.C. to British Military stocks.

1. The following details of discharge have been notified through RASC sources :-

(a)	Amount as per Ships Manifest	180,098 Sacks x 100
(b)	Amount checked at Ships side; and agreed by RASC RS	178,663 Sacks x 100
(c)	Amount despatched ex Docks by M.T. and Rail.	178,536 Sacks x 100

It is presumed figures at Sub Para (c) will be agreed by A.C.

2. Subject to the acceptance of above figures, the following allocation against debts is agreed by this Directorate :-

Midshift Meal	8,151,353 lbs
D P's	1,593,447 "
Wheat Exchange ("Rubicon")	1,388,800 "
MMLA(Italian Army Maint)	6,720,000 "
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X agreed with our information BAW

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X agreed rate on information Hdqrs

2 Copies Lawson to me. Hdqrs

Brigadier.
Director of Supplies and Trans

Copy to : A.D.S.T., MMIA.

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TRANSLATION

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From : Ministry of War
TO : Direzione Gen; Monopoli di Stato. Dated 26 March 46
Info : MMIA

Subject: Request for Allocation of Cigarettes to the Italian Army.

SUPPLY.

Please [redacted] us with the allocation of qls 442 of cigarettes required for the Italian Army in the month of April.

The a/m amount, which is lower than the actual requirement, will be completed with the reserve that is now held in our stores due to the decrease of the Army strength.

We would greatly appreciate that the said allocation would be divided between the various Tobacco Factories as follows:

Rome	Tobacco	Factory	Qls	25	of Macedonio
"	"	"	"	25	" Pensionati.
Milan	"	"	"	75	" Nazionali
Bologna	"	"	"	25	" Nazionali
Florence	"	"	"	30	" Nazionali
Naples	"	"	"	27	" Nazionali
Palermo	"	"	"	70	" Nazionali
Bari	"	"	"	130	" Nazionali
"	"	"	"	35	" Fulli

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

Divisione Sussistenze

Sezione

Prot. N° 6076 Allegati

Risposta al f.° del

Div. Sez N.

Roma, 28 MAR 1947

Al LA DIREZ.GENERALE MONOPOLI
DI STATO
R O M A

Oggetto: Richiesta di assegnazione di sigarette per il R.Esercito.-

e per conoscenza:
ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M A

Si prega codesta Direzione Generale di compiacersi far luogo alla assegnazione di Q.li 442 di sigarette, occorrenti per fare fronte al fabbisogno dei reparti del R.Esercito durante il mese di aprile p.v.

Il quantitativo suddetto, che è inferiore al reale fabbisogno, verrà integrato attingendo alla scorta formatasi recentemente nei dipendenti magazzini in seguito alla diminuzione della forza.

Si gradirebbe che l'assegnazione di che trattasi, venisse disposta sulle varie Manifatture, come segue:

Manifatture di Roma		Q.li	25	di "Macedonia"
		"	25	" "Nazionali"
"	" Milano	"	75	" "Nazionali"
"	" Bologna	"	25	" "Nazionali"
"	" Firenze	"	30	" "Nazionali"
"	" Napoli	"	27	" "Nazionali"
"	" Palermo	"	70	" "Nazionali"
"	"" Bari	"	130	" "Nazionali"
		"	35	" "Mixed"

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance of NAVTEL Directory of Italian and Foreign.

Naval Forces Ital Corr. No.
(N.F.I.A.).
Ref: L/32237
L/A.02

29 Dec 46.

U.S.N. Office, Caserta.

Reference your 6/2/2/NFI(A) of 17 Jun 46.

This branch is unable to keep receiving any details of the number of stations issued for the months subsequent to December 46.

Any such of these details as are available be forwarded as early as possible.

[illegible] Lt. Col. A.G.D.
A.G.D., Naval Forces Ital Corr. No. (N.F.I.A.).

SPECIAL:- L/ A/cs

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SUBJECT:- Provisioning of the Italian Navy and Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Com. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 47207
ST/102

11 Mar 46.

D.A.T., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. Reference your G4/376(b) of 22 Mar arrangements are being made to submit application for maintenance of Italian Navy and Air Force for month of May 1946.

2. It is anticipated that the application in question including hospital supplies separately will be in your possession by 4 April.

Lt.Col. R.A.S.C.
AAQE, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(M.M.I.A.).

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

S.T. BRANCH

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SUBJECT:- Provisioning of the Italian Navy and Air Forces

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Tel: FREEDOM 217

22 March '46

A.D.S.T.
Land Forces Sub Commission (A.C.)
M.M.I.A. ROME

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1. It has been agreed that we shall be responsible for the provisioning of the Italian Navy and Air Forces until 31 May 1946.

2. Please notify this Directorate of your requirements for May 1946 inclusive of Hospital Supplies which will be shown seperately.

Brigadier,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

S & T. MMIA.
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RECEIVED 15 MAR 1946 3942

ISSUE ORDER

Unit or formation 10 B.L.U. (For Italian Navy and Air Force).

Serial No. 1846
Collection On demand.

Installation to supply 23 B.S.D.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
PEPPER.	436	436		

Houston Lee
Lt-Cpl., R.A.S.C.,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

14 Mar 46.
23 B.S.D. (2)
10 BLU (For Italian Navy and Air Force).
A.D.S.T., L.E., Sub Commission AC Area.
File.

Napier Terr.
Please forward to fit

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SUBJECT:- Barrels.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AG.
(M.E.I.S.).
Tel : 47207
SE/102

10 H.I.M. for H.T.

14 Mar 46.

1. Further to this branch SE/102 of 25 Feb it is confirmed that there is no necessity for this Form SE/3 to be employed for the acceptance of these barrels as it is not the intention to debit the War Ministry in this instance.

KFH/gse

Lt.Col. RAOC.
AAG, Land Forces Sub Comm. AG. (MEIS).

INITIAL:- (A/CO)

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Copy of Translation

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FROM : Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry — REF : AGR/1/935

TO : Food Sub Commission
U. N. R. A. for info. — DATE: 7/3/46

SUBJECT: Restitution of Dried Vegetables to the British Army

1 - With reference to letters 40/21/Food of 11.2.46 and 43/4/Food of 19.2.46.

2 - We note that this High Commissariat must reimburse to the British Army 388 tons of imported dry vegetables from the stocks at its disposal because of the loan made by the British Army to the Italian Army during February; also that DST,GHQ, GMF, has permitted that out of the above mentioned 388 tons the Italian Navy and Air Force be assigned 48 tons and 28 tons at Bari and Naples respectively and that the last mentioned two quantities will be considered by the DST as reimbursed to the British Army.

3 - In letter AGR/1/911/M/1 of 1st March, we pointed out to your Sub Commission that there had been assigned to the Ministry of Marine 51 tons of vegetables, 23,8 tons on Naples and 27,2 tons on Brindisi, insofar as the said Ministry inplace of the 46 tons referred to in the above quoted letter 43/4 Food has specifically requested the handing over of 51 tons, i.e. 5 tons extra.

4 - The Air Force Ministry has not so far requested the supply of the 28 tons referred to in para. 2 of this letter; this quantity has been stored however to meet the said request.

5 - Consequently, the exact amount of dried vegetables to be restored to the British Army is shown in the following account :

- to be restored for a like quantity advanced to the Italian Army in February		388 tons
- assigned to the Navy Ministry out of the above mentioned 388 tons	51 tons	
- stored to be assigned to the Air Force Ministry	28 "	79 "
Quantity still to be restored to the British Army		309 tons

6 - I kindly specify at which DST stores the 309 tons of dried vegetables referred to in the previous paragraph must be placed at disposal and whether this quantity must be increased by the 5 tons handed over extra to the Navy Ministry.

Col. Copeland - S & T, MMIA.
MAR 14 1946
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TRANSLATION

FROM : Ministry of War — 2 Mar 46

TO : All Comm Directorates
All Comm Sections — 4880/S/1

INFO : MMIA
Cabinet
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S.M.R.E. Uffisio Trasporti
All Terr Commands
Sardinia Terr Commands
Gen Inspectorate for Comm Services
Returns Office

S & T. MMIA
Recd MAR 14 1946
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SUBJECT : - Organisation of Food Items Supply Services.

Owing to new policy on the basis of which the supply of commodities needed for the maintenance of the Army takes place, we are in the position of simplifying the current rules as regards Distribution Depots. Consequently some periodical returns now in force will be cancelled.

Addressees are therefore asked to bring their attention to the following rules in order to obtain an accurate execution and to suggest such alterations as particular situations may require.

Periodical Returns-

W.e.f. 1 March 1946 the following periodical returns will be rendered:-

(1) TURIN, GENOA, MILAN, BOLZANO, UDINE. BOLOGNA, FLORENCE, ROME, NAPLES, BARI, PALERMO, Comm Directorate and VERONA, MESTRE, LEGHORN, ANCONA, CATANZARO, AND CAGLIARI. Commissariat Sections will compile as at the 20 th of each month and under a recapitulating stock state return request for dependent Food Depots as listed in Appendix 1 and in accordance to Appendix 2.

(2) MILAN , NAPLES, BARI, Comm Direct and LEGHORN and MESTRE Comm Sections will render a stock state return as at the 20th of each month, as per Appendix 3 in respect of dependent Food Depots.

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Rules for compiling of periodical returns.

(1) Foodd Items stock State - request-

Column (1) The items to be entered are those already shown in the return rendered now (letter 15983/S/1 of 26/8/45 excluding forage, grain and substitutes for which the actual returns are not attend).
The return for packing will be rendered on a seperate sheet in accordance to same rules.

It is deemed opportune to point out that meat & fish (excluding Salmon) for which the ration is of 84 grs, will be entered under a single item "Meat &Fish" . If it is a different type of fresh or tinned fish for which the ration scale is different it will be shown as a separate item. The stocks on hand of such items will therefore be taken into account in calulating the requirements (column1) in addition to Meat requirements.
The amounts of flour still existing at the pasta factories for pasta making will be included in the return under "PASTA" taking into account the increase in pastamaking.

Column (2) Remainder as at the 20th of the month previous , will be included, I

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Column (2) Remainder as at the 20th of the previous month, will be included i.e. data showing in column 9 of previous month's return.

Column 3 and 4 All quantities allocated during the month will be included even if not actually received.

Quantities received and quantities still to be consigned by contractors for purchases authorised during the month will also be included.

The month must be considered from the 20th to the 19th of the following month i.e. the period of time to which the return- request refers.

Column(5) Quantities issued for consumption during the second fortnight of the current month will be included as at the 20th the issues for such fortnight have been completed.

Commissariat Directorates and Comm Sections will enter the quantities issued as at and including the 20th of the month, in respect of dependent depots that are not able to issue fortnightly as stated (letter 15794/S/1 of 25/8/45)

They will also add an explanatory note in the column marked "Remarks" in order to let this Ministry know the period for which the supply to units is secured.

Column 6 and 7 All quantities to be despatched according to allocations, even if not yet despatched, relative to movements orders received during the month, will be included.

The instruction of including in columns 3,4,6, and 7 also the commodities allocated and not received and these allocated and not despatched has the task of having a picture in the books of commodities in transit to be drawn from contractors.

In this way the commodities despatched and not yet arrived to destination are recorded by receiving unit, while if the a/m system were not affected, they would be written- off by despatching unit and not recorded by receiving unit.

This inconvenience could occur again for commodities has received the order of allocation and not taken on charge by receiving unit in case of the latter not having received the a/m order.

The same thing could happen if the order has been rec ived by addressee and not the sender

But this lots will be easily individualised by this Ministry by allocation orders to be shown in columns 4 and 7

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Column (10) Foreseen requirements for one month

Column (11) Column (10) less (9)

Items needed to cover aon month(s requirements will be included

The difficulties will concern in the whole all Depots of the area. But in the column headed Remarks the distribution Depots in order to enable the direct allocations of commodities.

The Comm Directorates and the Comm Sections are authorised to share commodities among the depots in their area, especillay when stocks on hand in one depot are sufficient to meet on e month's requirements for the others, as the return would in this case not show a difficiency for the area.

Column (12) Surpluses to one month's requirements wil be shown in Col 9 less (10)

Column (13) It will be sho wn until which day the supply service is secured by remainders shown in Col(9), on the basis of feeding strength

For the 1st return request to be compiled as at the 20th of March date of Column 2 will be those of goods in stock already shown in the return compiled as at 20th Feb, on the old form.

In Column 3 will be shown for the first time, together with commodities allocated during last month and not received, also those allocated before and not yet received same rule can apply for commodities to be despatched and not yet received.

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Column (14) All the commodities allocated and not yet received will be shown, and those purchased and not yet consigned by contractors, up to the date when the return is compiled.

Column (15) All the commodities to be supplied and not yet despatched will be shown up to the date when the return is comlpiled,.

The signalling of commodities allocated and not yet received or purchased and not yet allocated or to be supplied and not yet despatched is only in respect of those which, at the date of the return, have not been received or have not been taken on charge or have not been despatched, even if the relative order has been issued during months previous to that which the return. refers to.

The return as said before, covers period from the 20th of each month to the 19th of the following month.

For the first retrun request to be compiled as at the 20th of March date of Column 2 will be those of goods in stock already shown in the return compiled as at 20th Feb on the old form.

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The stock state of food depots of HQ Central Mil Schools and of 8 C.A.R. Orvieto rendered by Roem Comm Directorate

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"Average feeding strength fortnight.....
Army ITI-ITI..... BR-ITI..... US-ITI.....

CC.RR willbe included in the ITI-ITI Category.

The feeding strength of Navy and Aif Force units will not be rendered as the supply of commodities to tne a/m services will be effected in bulk only by 9 and 10 Bulk Food Depot.

In case of supplementary issues to these two services, this Ministry will issue instructions for the returns time by time.

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The calculation of the average feeding strength will be made in accordance with instructions laid down in our 20433/S/1 of 22/10/45.

The Food Distribution Depots will be asked to render most accurate returns complying scrupulously with a/m scheme.

c) Rules for the running of the service.

This Ministry will allocate necessary commodities on the basis of returns request received monthly.

Allocations will normally be made ex Bulk Food Dwpots where commodities are stocked at the disposal of this Ministry this in order to effect as much as possible, moves of commodities in accordance with fluctuations of strength reationed by Dist Depots avoiding the transfer of commodities among depots in accord with variations of strength rationed by them.

The Comm Directorates and the Comm Sections are authorised to effect the transfer of commodities among dependant depots as they may deem it opportune for the equal share of stocks in hands on the basis of monthly requirements

This Ministry would not be in the position of instructing there transfers as these will only be one monthly return-request for all the depots of each area.

Despatching units will apply directly to S.M.R.E. -Ufficio Trasporti or to Delegasione trasporti for the movement orders in respect of movement of supplies

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monthly allocated by this Ministry on the basis of return-request.

Copy of this request will be forwarded to this Ministry with reference to allocation letter --

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All previous instructions in opposition to a/m rules for supply of commodities are cancelled.

Please arrange that periodical returns be rendered to this Ministry as soon as possible after compilation and, however, not after 28th of each month in order to enable us to issue necessary instructions for the supply of commodities in due time.

Sdg. Gen Pelligra

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Dir.Gen.Serv.Comm.ed Amm/vi
- Divisione Sussistenza -

Roma, lì 7 marzo 1946.-

N.4330/S/1 di prot. 45

OGGETTO: Organizzazione rifornimento viveri.

ALLE DIREZ. DI COMM/TO DEI C/DI MIL. TERR/LI (tutte) LORO SEDI
ALLE SEZ. DI COMM/TO MIL. (tutte) LORO SEDI

e,per conoscenza:
ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (
AL GABINETTO
ALLO S.M.E.P. - Uff.Serv. -
ALLO S.M.R.E. - Uff. Trasporti -
AI C/DI MIL. TERR/LI (tutti)
ALL'UFF.MIL. TERR/LI DELLA SARDEGNA
ALL'ISPETTORATO GEN. SERV. I COMM/TO MIL.
ALL'UFFICIO SITUAZIONI

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Si pregano, pertanto, gli enti in indirizzo di voler portare la loro attenzione sulle norme che seguono, sia per ottenerne la integrale e precisa attuazione, sia per proporre quelle modifiche, che particolari situazioni potessero consigliare o richiedere.

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2) Le Direz.di Comm/to Mil.di Milano, Napoli Bari e le Sez.di Comm.to Mil.di Livorno e Mestre trasmetteranno, riferita alla data suddetta (20 di ogni mese), una situazione derrate conforme al tracciato di cui all'allegato n.3 riguardante il dipendente Deposito Spac.Viv.

3) I Magazzini Distribuz.Viv. telegraferanno, il 16 ed il 30 di ogni mese, la forza vettovagliata nella quindicina decorsa. La segnalazione riferita al 15 ed all'ultimo giorno di ogni mese dovrà essere fatta direttamente e soltanto dai Mag.Distribuz.Viv.

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I - NORME PER LA COMPILAZIONE DEI DOCUMENTI PERIODICI

I) Situazione-richiesta viveri

. Colonna (1).- I generi da riportare sono quelli già indicati nella situazione in atto di cui alla circolare 15983/S/1 del 26/8/45, ad eccezione dei foraggi, delle granaglie e succedanei per i quali resta in vigore l'apposita situazione.

Per gli imballaggi la segnalazione, con le stesse modalità, dovrà essere fatta su foglio a parte.

E' opportuno mettere bene in evidenza che la carne ed il pesce (es. salmone), per i quali è stabilita la razione unica di gr. 84, debbono essere riportati in un'unica voce: - carne o pesce -. Soltanto se si tratta di un tipo di pesce, scatolato o meno, per il quale è prevista una razione diversa dovrà farsi segnalazione con apposita voce. Le giacenze di tale derrata dovranno essere allora tenute in conto per il calcolo del fabbisogno di cui alla colonna 1), in aggiunta a quelle di carne. ~~e pesce~~.

I quantitativi di farina eventualmente esistenti presso i pastifici per la confezione della pasta dovranno essere compresi nella situazione sotto la denominazione " pasta ", tenendo conto della resa di pastificazione.

. Colonna (2).- Dovrà essere riportata la rimanenza alla data del 20 del mese precedente a quello in cui viene compilata la situazione e cioè i dati risultanti dalla colonna 9 della situazione al mese precedente.

. Colonne (3) e (4).- Dovranno essere riportati tutti i quantitativi assegnati nel mese, anche se non giunti materialmente.

Vi dovranno essere compresi pure quelli ricevuti e ancora da consegnare dai fornitori per acquisti autorizzati nel mese.-

Il mese deve intendersi dal giorno 20 al giorno 19 del mese successivo: il periodo di tempo cioè al quale è riferita la richiesta situazione.

. Colonna (5).- Vi saranno riportati anche i quantitativi distribuiti per il consumo della seconda quindicina del mese in corso, dato che alla data del 20 la distribuzione per tale quindicina sarà stata ultimata.-

Le Direzioni e le Sez. di Comm/to, per i Magazzini dipendenti 1186 che non possono effettuare le distribuzioni dei viveri secondo la quindicina stabilita (~~XXXXXXX~~ circolare 15794/S/1 del 25/8/45) riporteranno i quantitativi distribuiti fino al giorno 20 del mese, ap-

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. Colonne (6) e (7). Dovranno essere ripertati tutti i quantitativi da spedire in base alle assegnazioni fatte,anche se non ancora spettati,relativi ai ordini di spedizioni ricevuti nel mese.-
La disposizione di ripertare nelle colonne 3,4,6 e 7 anche le derrate assegnate e non giunte e quelle assegnate e non spedite ha lo scopo di avere contabilmente presenti le derrate in viaggio da ritirare dai fornitori. In tal modo le derrate spedite e non anche giunte a destino sono ripertate dall'ente ricevente,mentre se non si attuasse il sistema suddetto esse sarebbero scaricate dall'ente mittente e non ripertate dal ricevente.

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Tale inconveniente potrà ancora verificarsi per le derrate sca_ricate dall'ente .ittente,che abbia ricevuto il dispaccio di assegna_zione entro il 20 del mese,e non caricate dall'ente destinatario nel caso che questi non ne abbia ricevuta comunicazione. Lo stesso potrà accadere se il dispaccio sia giunto al destinatario e non al mittente.

Tali partite saranno facilmente,però,individuate da queste Mini_ster attraverso l'indicazione dei dispacci di assegnazione da forsi nella colonna 4 e 7.-

. Colonna (8).- E' data dal totale delle colonne (5) e (6).

. Colonna (9).- E' data dal totale delle colonne (2) e (3) meno la colonna (8).-

. Colonna (10).- Prevede il fabbisogno per un mese.

. Colonna (11). - colonna 10 meno 9.- Dovranno essere riportate le durrate occorrenti per coprire il fabbisogno di un mese.

Le deficienze riguarderanno complessivamente tutti i Magazzini della circoscrizione. Nella colonna note dovrà,però,essere riporta_ta la ripartizione tra i singoli Magazzini di Distribuz.Viv.al fine di consentire l'assegnazione diretta delle derrate.-

Le Direzioni e le Sez.di Comm/te Mil. sono autorizzate,nell'am_bito della propria circoscrizione ad effettuare le necessarie pere_quazioni di derrate tra i Magazzini,specialmente quando la giacenza presso uno di essi siano tali da coprire il fabbisogno per un mese anche degli altri,dato che dalla situazione in tal caso non emerge_rebbe una deficienza per la circoscrizione.

. Colonna (12).- Saranno indicate le eccedenze oltre il fabbisogno di un mese (colonna 9 meno 10).-

. Colonna (13). Dovrà essere indicato il giorno fino al quale,in base alla forza vettovagliata,è assicurato il servizio con le rimanenze di cui alla colonna 9.

. Colonna (14). Vi saranno riportate tutte le derrate assegnate e non ancora giunte,nonchè quelle acquistate e non ancora consegnate dai fornitori,fino alla data di compilazione della situazione.

. Colonna (15).- Vi saranno segnalate tutte le derrate da rifornire e non ancora spedite,fino alla data di compilazione della situazione.

La segnalazione delle derrate assegnate e non ancora giunte e acquistate e non ancora consegnate,oppure da rifornire e non ancora spedite deve riguardare tutte le derrate che,alla data della situazio_

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Per la prima richiesta-situazione da compilare al 20 marzo i dati della colonna 2 dovranno essere quelli dell'esistenza riportati nella situazione già redatta al giorno 20 c.m. secondo il vecchio modello.-

Nella colonna 3 dovranno essere ripartate,per la prima volta,insieme con le derrate assegnate nell'ultimo mese e non giunte,anche quelle assegnate prima e non ancora pervenute. Lo stesso criterio dovrà essere tenuto a base per le derrate da spedire e non ancora spedite.-

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Le situazioni dei Magazzini Viveri del Comando Scuola Centrale Militari di Cesano e dell'8° C.A.P. di Orvieto dovranno essere comprese nella situazione che trasmetterà la Direzione di Commissariato di Roma.

II) Situazione derrate (allegato 3) : Valgono le norme date per la situazione richiesta.

III) Segnalazione telegrafica della forza vettovagliata: Dovrà essere fatta soltanto dai Magazzini Distribuzione Viveri secondo il seguente modello:

"" FORZA MEDIA VETTOVAGLIATA QUINDICINA .....

ESERCITO CATEGORIA ITIT-ITI .....BR-ITI.....US-ITI

ALT "".-

Nella categoria ITI-ITI sono da comprendere i CC.RR., i quali appartengono a tale categoria.-

La forza vettovagliata dei reparti della R.Marina e dell'Aeronautica non dovrà essere segnalata, in quanto il rifornimento delle derrate alle FF.AA suddette sarà fatto soltanto ora in blocco dal 9° e dal 10° Deposito Speciale Viveri.

In caso di cessioni straordinarie per dette FF.AA. questo Ministero darà di volta in volta le disposizioni per le segnalazioni.

Tutte le segnalazioni riguardanti le cessioni alle predette FF.AA. ed ai CC.RR. sono quindi abolite, salvo che non verranno richieste da questo Ministero come detto sopra.

Il calcolo della forza media dovrà essere fatto con le norme dettate con la circolare 20433/S/1 del 23/10/45.-

I Magazzini Distribuzione Viveri dovranno essere invitati ad effettuare la segnalazione con la massima precisione, attenendosi scrupolosamente allo schema suddetto.

c) NORME PER IL FUNZIONAMENTO DEL SERVIZIO

Questo Ministero, in base alle situazioni-richieste che perverranno mensilmente, provvederà ad assegnare le derrate occorrenti.-

Le assegnazioni saranno disposte, di norma, sui Depositi Speciali Viveri presso i quali saranno accantonate le derrate a disposizione di questo Ministero.-

Ciò al fine di poter attuare, entro il limite delle possibilità,

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Ciò al fine di poter attuare, entro il limite delle possibilità, una manovra delle derrate in base al variare della forza vettovagliata dei Magazzini Distribuzione Viveri, senza dover ricorrere allo spostamento delle derrate tra i Magazzini in dipendenza delle variazioni della forza dagli stessi vettovagliata.

Le Direzioni e le Sezioni di Comando Militare sono autorizzate ad effettuare tra i Magazzini dipendenti quegli spostamenti di derrate che ritenessero opportuno far eseguire per la perequazione delle assegnazioni in base al fabbisogno mensile.- Tali spostamenti non potrebbero essere disposti da questo Ministero dato che la situazione-richiesta mensile sarà unica per tutti i Magazzini di ogni circoscrizione.

Per l'esecuzione dei rifornimenti che questo Ministero disporrà mensilmente in base alla situazione-richiesta, gli enti spedizionieri richiederanno direttamente alla S.M.R.E. - Ufficio Trasporti - ed alla competente Delegazione Trasporti l'ordine di movimento.-

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Copia della richiesta dovrà essere inviata a questo Ministero fa_
cendo riferimento al dispaccio di assegnazione.

Tutte le disposizioni in contrasto con le norme sopra riportate circa il rifornimento delle derrate s'intendono abrogate.

Si prega disporre perchè le situazioni periodiche pervengano a questo Ministero entro il più breve tempo possibile dalla data di com_
pilazione e, comunque, non oltre il 28 di ogni mese allo scopo di consenti_
re la tempestiva diramazione delle disposizioni per il rifornimento del_
le derrate.-

p.IL MINISTRO
f/to Palliggra

P. C. C.
IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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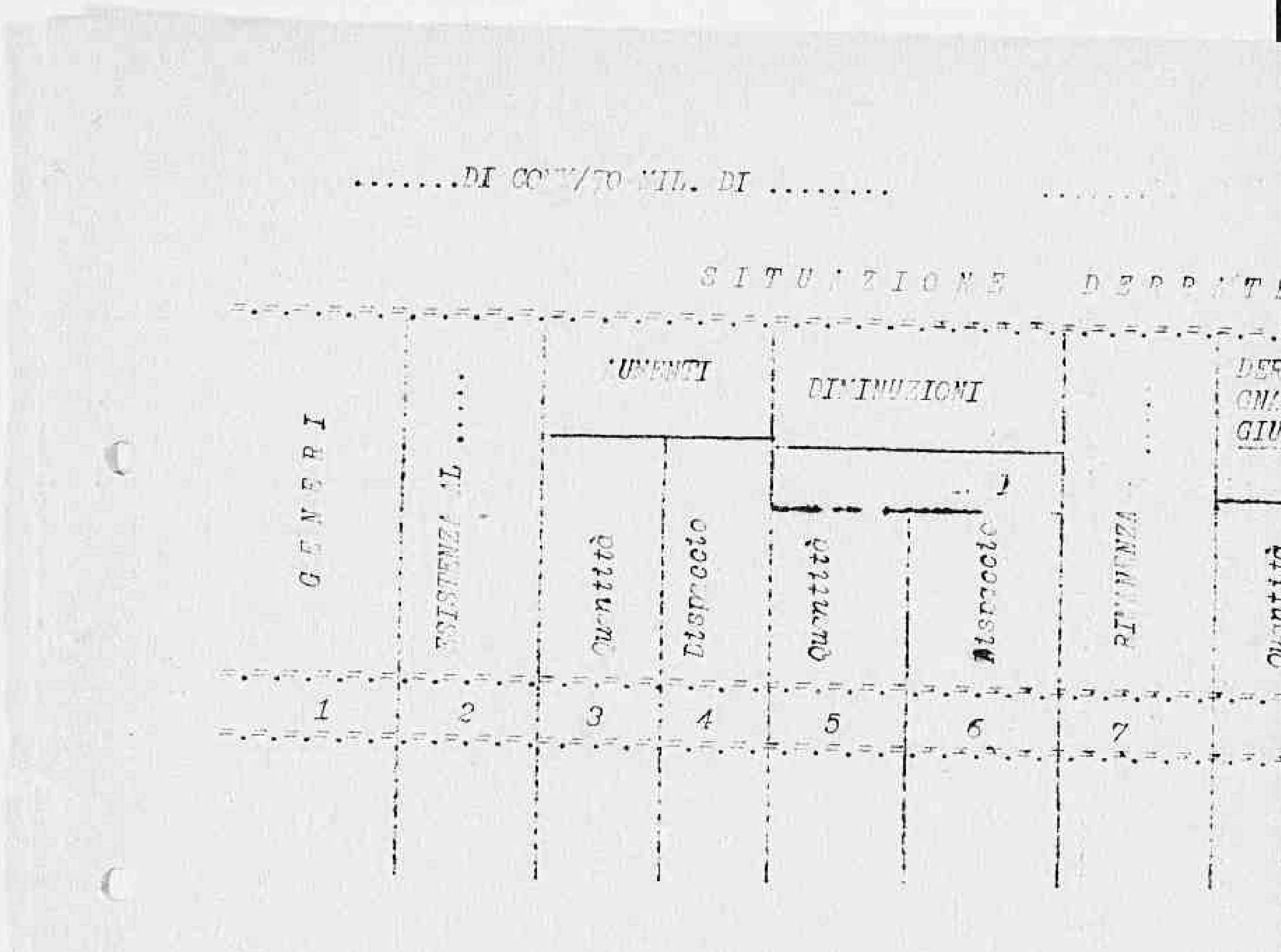
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		7	8		9	10	11	12	13	14		15		16

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MENTI	DI INUZIONI		DEBITE ANCORA GNATE E NON GIUNTE		DEBITE DA RIFORNIRE E NON ANCORA SPEDITE		
Discosto	Quantità	Discosto	Quantità	Discosto	Quantità	Discosto	NOTE
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

S.T. BRANCH

RECEIVED 9 MAR 1946
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64/2/ST6(b)

Tel: FREEDOM 214

7 MARCH '46

SUBJECT:- MAINTENANCE ITALIAN NAVY AND AIR FORCE
PERIOD APRIL '46

ADST.,
Land Forces Sub Commission AC.
(MMIA)

Reference your ST/159 and 179 dated 2 March '46 and confirming telephone conversation Hart-Dyke/Malcolm.

1. Copies of releases against these demands have already been forwarded to you under the above reference of even date.

2. Outstanding loans of Flour, P. Meat/Fish and P/B/L to the Italian Interim Army are being reduced by the amounts demanded by you for April '46 maintenance of the Navy and Air Force, leaving the following balances of these commodities still due:-

FLOUR.	9,724,827 lbs
P.MEAT/FISH.	79,029 "
P/B/L.	523,450 "

3. The provisions contained in Para 2 of this Directorate letter of even reference dated 13 Feb '46, still apply; it has therefore been necessary to detail the releases for your Naples maintenance from BARI.

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Brigadier.
Director of Supplies and Transport.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, CMF.

S.T. BRANCH.

S.T. 471

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Tel Ext FREEDOM 214.

8 Mar 46.

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance Italian Navy and Air Force Period April 46.

HQ 22 CRASC (Supply Units).

1. The following releases will be made to MMLA at BARI for the April 46 maintenance of the Italian Navy and Air Force :-

Commodity	Navy	Air Force.
Rice	54375	47438
Cheese	43335	4[illegible]660
Sugar	54375	47438
Coffee Beans	32624	28458
Tomato Paste	27187	23719
Pepper	272	237

2. The items listed below will be despatched to MMLA, NAPLES. MMLA representative will accept at loading point :-

Commodity	Navy	Air Force	Total
Rice	54375	8812	63187
Cheese	46607	7554	54161
Sugar	54375	8812	63187
Coffee Beans	32625	5287	37912

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Tomato Paste	27188	4406	31594
Pepper	272	44	316

Rail tonnage 20 tons per day during period 11-17 Mar 46 has been arranged by this Directorate, and agreed G(Mov).

"S & T, MMIA.

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Brigadier.
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Comm AC
(MMIA)

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SUBJECT:- Issue of supplies to ER-ITI Service Units.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 478207
ST/102

9 Mar 46.

Ministry of Agr.

Copy to:- 6 Bde 7 Inf.

Confirming conversation Col. STRIDARD/Major HART DYKE.

1. It is learned that 77 Distribution Depot FORLI is showing a deficiency of 220 kilos of cheese owing to the following circumstances.

2. At FORLI it was the policy for issues of Allied provided items to be made to ER-ITIs from the Italian depot and repayment was received subsequently in Bulk through HQ 82 General Transport Column.

3. ER-ITI units were issued with cheese at the scale of 1 oz by the Italian Depot up to the beginning of December. The British depot concerned received instructions from GHQ early in November to reduce the scale of issue to 6/7 oz. Repayments subsequent to that date have been made on that scale and not at the scale of 1 oz at which the issues were made.

4. It is understood that in the circumstances you are prepared to arrange for the necessary adjustment in the supply account of 77 Distribution Depot and it will be much appreciated if you will issue instructions accordingly.

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Lt.Col. HASD.
ADVT. Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MEIA).

MEDC/gmc

ENCLOSURE:- 9 (2/cs)

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SUBJECT:- ATTA for the Italian Interim Army.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(U.M.I.A.).
Tel : 478207
GS/102

7 May 46.

D.S.T., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

Reference your G/3256(a) of 5 March.

1. The Italian War Ministry has been instructed that the ATTA drawn from 11, and 22 CMBG supply Units may be returned to the respective installations and that that already drawn at ANCONA will be accepted by the Italian authorities.

2. Arrangements are being made by the Accounts Branch this HQ to debit the Italian authorities with the value of ATTA, amounting to approximately 295 tons, drawn from 30 BSD.

3. The contents of para 3 of your s/q letter are being conveyed to the Italian War Ministry.

Lt.Col. R.E.C.
AMGOT, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

MPH/gmm

INTERNAL:- Q (A/Gen)

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SUBJECT:- AMA for the Italian Interim Army.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 47/207
CH/102

Ministry of War.

7 Mar 46.

Copy to:- 9 MMJ 10 MMJ.

1. The Director of Supplies and Transport (G) has now confirmed, his letter G4/AG6(a) of 5 March 1946 refers, that the AMA drawn from 14 CRASC Supply Units amounting to 6½ tons and that drawn from 22 CRASC Supply Units totalling 20 tons may be returned forthwith to the respective installations.

2. As anticipated, DDST (E) is unable to agree to the return of 295 tons already drawn as AMA as the consignment was railed specially from BARI, but he raises no objection to this quantity being sold for animal feeding. It will of course be necessary for the normal procedure to be adopted for conversion of supplies unfit for human consumption.

MFHD/gmc

for Lt.Col. RASO.
AD/F, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(M.M.I.A.).

ENCLOSURE:- Q (A/cs)

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Tel. 478527

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
Food & Agriculture Branch

Ref. 43-4/FA

6 March 46

SUBJECT : Repayment of Foodstuffs to British Army

TO : High Commissioner for Food.

1. Confirming conversations between Prof. De Marzi, Dr. Mastromarino and Dr. Rogers of todays date.

2. DST GHQ CMF has agreed that part repayment of Food stuffs, which had been loaned to the Italian Government for the Italian Army, be effected through direct release to the Italian Air Force and Navy at Naples and Bari for April Maintennace of respective services.

3. Details of amounts required for repayment are set out below:

	UNIT	COMMODITIES FLOUR	PRES.MEAT/ FISH	VEG DRIED
a. Due DST GHQ CMF	Metric tons	2,735.9	260.9	312
b. Amount required By Navy for Naples	Lbs.	978,750	163,125	108,750
Bari	"	978,750	163,125	108,750
c. Amount required By Air Force for Naples	"	158,625	26,437	17,625
Bari		853,875	142,313	94,875
d. Balance Due DST GHQ CMF	Metric tons	1,385.9	36.4	157.8

4. Delivery has been requested by 10 March 46 by Italian Navy and Air Force.

5. Request that allocations be made as soon as possible in order that Air and Navy Ministries may effect distribution.

V.R.A. COMFER
Lt. Col.
Director.

MAR 7 1946

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Copy to: IEHA
DST GHQ CMF
Navy Sub Commission A.C.
Air Force Sub Commission A.C.

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TRANSLATION

FROM : Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry — ANR/1/911/M/1

TO : Food Sub Commission AC — 6 Mar 46
MMIA
Ministry of War

INFO : General Directorate for Rationed Food Items.

SUBJECT:- Supply of 510 qls of imported P/B/L to the Ministry of Marine.

1. Ref Food Sub Commission letter 43/4/Food dated 19 Feb, MMIA letter Q/1/119 dated 15 Feb and Ministry of War phonogramme 3757/S/1 dated 22 Jan.

2. In our letter ANR/1/910/M/1 dated 25 Feb, amended by our further ANR/1/962/M/1, 510 qls of imported P/B/L have been allocated to the Ministry of Marine to complete March requirements and to be taken from the amounts at the disposal of this High Commissariat, split up as follows:

from NAPLES Depots	238 qls
" BRINDISI "	272 "
total	510 qls

3. The above quantity will be calculated part repayment of 388 tons loan of imported P/B/L ex Allied depots for the supply of Italian Army units during February and March.

4. The Ministry of Air has not so far asked for the 28 tons already mentioned in letters quoted in para 1.

"S & T. MMIA.
Recd MAR / 1946
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Sgd. ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?
High Commissioner

Mod. M 5 A

PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI
ALTO COMMISSARIATO PER L'ALIMENTAZIONE

Ministero dell'Agricoltura e delle Foreste

DIREZIONE GENERALE

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELL'ALIMENTAZIONE
PER I GENERI ALIMENTARI RAZIONATI
PER I TRASPORTI DEI PRODOTTI ALIMENTARI
E PER L'ASSISTENZA ANNONARIA

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Roma, 1 MAG. 1946 S.I. 19

COMMISSIONE ALLEATA - Sotto=
commissione per l'Alimentazione -
R O M A

OGGETTO Fornitura di qli 510 di legumi secchi d'importazio=ne al Ministero della Marina.-

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

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA - Direzione Gen. di Commissariato Militare
R O M A

e, per conoscenza:
DIREZIONE GENERALE PER I GENERI ALIMENTARI RAZIONATI
S E D E

1 - Si fa riferimento alle note 43/4/Food datata 19 febbraio della Sottocommissione per l'Alimentazione e Q/I/119 datata 15 febbraio della Land Forces Sub Commission nonchè al fonogramma n.3757/5.1 datato 22 gennaio del Ministero della Guerra.

2 - Con nota ANR/I/910/M/I del 25 febbraio, modificata con successiva nota ANR/I/962/M/I, sono stati assegnati al Ministero della Marina, per completare il fabbisogno di marzo p.v., qli 510 di legumi d'importazione sulle disponibilità di tale prodotto a disposizione di questo Alto Commissariato, così ripartiti:

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Allegato N.-

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sui Magazzini di Napoli	qli	238.-
" " " Brindisi	"	272.-
in totale	qli	510.-

3 - Il predetto quantitativo sarà computato in conto delle Tonn. 388.- di legumi secchi d'importazione anticipate dai depositi alleati per l'approvvigionamento dei reparti dell'Esercito Italiano per i mesi di febbraio e marzo.

4 - Il Ministero dell'Areonautica non ha richiesto sino ad oggi la fornitura delle Tonn. 28.-, di cui è fatto cenno nelle note riportate al paragrafo N.1.

L'ALTO COMMISSARIO

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Ext. 761

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.F.C. 304
FOOD & AGRICULTURE SUB-COMMISSION

43-4/Food 4 March 1945

SUBJECT : Subsistence loaned of Italian Government for Interim Army.

TO : Alto Commissariato dell'Alimentazione.

1. Ref your AMP/SECR/426 dated 20 Feb 45.

2. Arrangements have been made for the payment in cash through CFLC (U.S.) and AFAR (Ital) for the following items : (All in metric tons)

Commodity	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Meat/Fish	280.4	575	575	575
Coffee	---	95	95	95
Sugar	---	190	---	---

(b) Flour from U.S. sources for Dec.(1885.9 m/tons) will be repaid in kind to U.S. QM, PBS, Leghorn.

3. The following items are to be repaid in kind to DST, QMC, CMP at Naples : (All in metric tons)

Commodity	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
Flour	1385.9	3000	1350
Pulses	---	312	---
Meat/Fish	260.9	---	---

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S & T, MMIA.
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4. Repayment the following items are due to the British Army. Actual location for these will be advised at a later date, (All in metric tons) :

Commodity	Dec.	Feb.	Mar.
Pulses	360	387.5	250.5
Coffee	112.5	---	---
Sugar	180	190	190

(All in metric tons)

/s/ V.R.A. COTTER Lt Col
Director Food & Agric.Branch

Copy to : HQ MEDUNA
HQ FTG
MMLA
ST SEC CMH (Please advise required locations as mentioned in para 4 above).
Hq 14 CRASC (Supply Units)

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, G.H.F.

S.T. BRANCH.

G.1. G4/ST6(e)

Tel Rct FREDOM 499.

SUBJECT:- Atta for the Italian Army. 5 Mar 46.

Land Forces Sub Comm AC
(MMIA)

RECEIVED 6 MAR 2581.

Reference your ST/102 dated 23 Feb 46.

1. The Atta drawn from 14 CRASC Sup Units (6½ tons) and 22 CRASC Sup Units (20 tons) may be returned.

2. We cannot agree to the return of the 295 tons drawn from 38 BSD. This was moved specially for the Italian Army. Will you please confirm that the value of this amount will be debited to the Italian Army by your Accounts Branch.

3. We hope the next time the Italian Army accepts a commodity it will not change its mind with quite so much inconvenience.

Brigadier.
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to : HQ 14 CRASC (Supply Units)
HQ 22 CRASC (Supply Units)
38 BSD.

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S & T., MMIA.
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Subject :- Analyst Report.

10 British Liaison Unit
Tel. 15744, NAPLES
6 ST

27 Feb 46

Land Forces Sub-Comm., AC.,
MMIA, ROME

Please find attached War Department Analyst Report as requested.

S & T. MMIA.
Recd MAR 1 1946
File ST/ 102

Lt-Col.
GS.

CMF
AJW/bb

1 March

WAR DEPARTMENT ANALYST
HEADQUARTERS, 14 C., R. A. S. C. SUPPLY UNITS
C. M. F.
Tel Naples 15559

No. 1158

To: - 10 B.L.U., (3).

Date 26 Feb 46.

Copies to:- HQ 14 CRASC Sup Units.
S.W.D.A., GHQ, CMF.

Ref conversation Capt. MURRAY - Lt. CROXON.

LABORATORY REPORT

ATTA, EX 10 B.L.U.

1. Three samples of atta were received for inspection and report on condition from recent deliveries to 10 B.L.U. by HQ 14 CRASC Sup Units.

2. Sample A.

Very slight infestation with Tribolium, otherwise sweet and in good condition.

Sample B.

Tribolium infestation slightly higher than in Sample A above the atta being of similar quality.

Sample C.

The atta in this sample was found to contain larvae as well as the beetle and web; there was however no sign of deterioration.

3. As can be seen from details given above the atta received is, as always, infested with Tribolium, as all other records the atta is fit for human 2167

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It is suggested that the difficulties that have given rise to the complaint on condition of the atta can be completely overcome by the normal procedure of sieving through a No.20 sieve before use.

Major RASC,
WD Analyst,
HQ 14 CRASC Sup Units.

DGC/dp

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FILE 459

SUBJECT:- ATTA Flour.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 478207
37/102

28 Feb 46.

Ministry of War.

1. Please arrange to cease acceptance of any further quantities of ATTA Flour at NAPLES or BARI. It is hoped that it will be possible to arrange return of atta already accepted at BARI and NAPLES to the respective British depots.

2. So far as the ANCONA consignment is concerned it is probable that you will be asked to accept the total quantity scheduled to be received but that no objection will be raised to your disposing of this for animal consumption.

3. It is anticipated that DSC GHQ will NOT require any replacement in kind of atta accepted, but it is considered that no replacement can be expected by you for the 650 tons originally earmarked for consumption of the Italian Interim Army.

4. A further communication will be forwarded as soon as possible when a definite statement of policy has been received from GHQ.

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADJT, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

MFTD/gr33

CONFIDENTIAL:- Q (A/os)

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SUBJECT:- Loan of Flour.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.E.L.O.).
Tel. : 478207
XX/102

28 Feb 46.

D.S.T., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

Reference conversation Col. REID/Lt.Col. WILCOX attached is copy of Food and Agricultural Sub Commission AC letter 40-21/Food of 21 February 1946 providing details of the allocation of 8032 tons flour in repayment of loans made to Italian Interim Army, civilian mildshift meals, etc.

Lt.Col. RAND.
ADSP, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. (MMIA).

MEHD/gmc

PERSONAL:- Q (A/Cm)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Food & Agriculture Sub-Commission

40-21/FOOD 21 February 1946

SUBJECT : Allocations

TO : Alto Commissariato dell'Alimentazione, Rome

1. Further to this office letter 40-21/FOOD of 14 January 1946.

2. The following allocations are made for goods arriving up to 7 March 1946.

ETA	PORT	SHIP	COMMODITY	ITEM	GOVT	BLOCKED FOR AC
20/2	GENOA	Jefferson Victory	Flour	1000	(1)	
			Evap.Milk	1000		
			Skim "	2000		
			M & V	40		
21/2	CASTELLAMMARE	Nick Stones	Bagged Wheat	166		
			Bulk Wheat	7573		
27/2	CATANIA/ CROTONE	R. Stewart	Flour	7747		
20/2	NAPLES	L. Keene	"	8032	(2)	
28/2	GENOA	J. Bidwell	Bulk Wheat	8051		
		SUBTOTAL :	Flour	16779		
			Evap.Milk	1000		
			Skim "	2000		
			M & V	40		
			Bagged Wheat	166		
			Bulk "	15624		

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20/2	GENOA	Jefferson Victory	Flour	1000	(1)
			Evap.Milk	1000	
			Skim "	2000	
			M & V	40	
21/2	CASTELLAMMARE	Mick Stones	Bagged Wheat	168	
			Bulk Wheat	7573	
27/2	CARETTA/ CROTONE	B. Stewart	Flour	7747	
28/2	NAPLES	L. Keene	"	8032	(2)
28/2	GENOA	J. Bidwell	Bulk Wheat	8051	

SUMMARY :

Flour	16779
Evap.Milk	1000
Skim "	2000
M & V	40
Bagged Wheat	168
Bulk "	15624

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3. Flour marked (1) is intended to be transferred by the Italian Government to UNRRA Italian Mission towards repaying quantities of grain/flour used by Ital. Govt. out of 1945 UNRRA grain/flour arrivals to maintain Basic Ital. Govt. ration scales.

4. Flour marked (2) is intended to be transferred by Ital. Govt. to S.T. (14 C.R.A.S.C. (Supply Units) Caserta) towards repaying quantities of Flour previously loaned to Ital. Govt. for maintenance of Italian Army, issues for midshift meals of Italian civilian employees of the Allied Forces, and issues to Desplaced Persons S/C Corps on AFHQ Scale 24.

F.T.O.

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5. 2581 tons of sugar are hereby assigned to the Ital. Govt. ex stock blocked for A.C. at Federatione Warehouses Leghorn.

/s/ T.J. LEGG
Chief

Copy to:

UNRRA Italy Mission
" " " - Bureau of requirement & distribution
Sub " of Supply Relief (Attn: C/S.C.)
" " " " " (Attn: Food Division)
Capt. Morrow & Capt. Pittman)
Economic Section (Requisition Branch)
Transportation & Shipping S/C
Federazione Warehouse (Depot 676) Naples (Attn: AC Port Liaison Officer)
(Alcom Depot) Genoa (Attn: AC Port Liaison Officer) for action as in para 5 above

HQ S Movements Naples - Genca
Commissariato Interregionale dell'Alimentazione Alta Italia - Milano

Federazione Ital. Cons. Agrari - Rome
" " " " Interregionale Office - Naples - Palermo - Milano
Food & Agriculture S/C (Attn: Major Curran - Major Haydon)

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FILE 450

SUBJECT:- ATTA for the Italian Interim Army.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 473207
ST/102

28 Feb 46.

D.S.F., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

Copy to:- 9 BLU 10 BLU

1. Reference conversation Col. BEAN/Lt.Col. WILCOX may it please be confirmed that authority is granted for the Italian War Ministry to cease acceptance of infested stocks of ATTA at NAPLES and BARI and to return any quantities already accepted at these two points.

2. Regarding the ANCONA consignment of 400 tons it is noted that in view of the fact that this has been railed from BARI it will be necessary for the Ministry of War to accept the total quantity but that there will be no objection to them disposing of this for animal consumption.

3. It is further understood that you are prepared to waive repayment in kind for ATTA accepted, and that payment will be effected by shipping ticket in the normal manner.

4. It is regretted if any inaccuracies occur in the above but this is due to indistinct telephone communication.

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Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

MFH/gmc

INTERNAL:- Q (A/cs)

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Bread baked with Italian supplied flour and sample of

'ATTA' flour received ex NAPLES

21 Field Bakery Section

Sample No.	Composition of loaf	
1	Comprises 90% Italian Flour	10% Atta
2	Comprises 90% white flour	10% Atta
3	Comprises 80% white flour	20% Atta
4	Comprises 100% Italian flour	

27 February 1946.

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TRANSLATION

From : Min of War

Ref : 4070/3/1

To : M.M.I.A.

Date : 26 Feb 46

SUBJECT :- 'ATTA' flour.

Further to verbal agreements, forwarded herewith is copy of report drawn by Chemical and Bromotelogic Laboratory of Naples Military Hospital, by which it will be noticed that the 'atta' flour drawn by Naples Commissariat is not fit for consumption.

Sgd. PELLEGRA.

"S & T. MMA.

Recd FEB 26 1946

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

DIVISIONE SUSSISTENZE

Roma, 26 - 8 - 46

Sezione 7ª

Prot. N° 160503 Allegati due

Risposta al F° del

Div. Sez. N°

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

OGGETTO: farina tipo "atta"

A seguito degli accordi verbali, si trasmette copia del verbale redatto dal Laboratorio Chimico Bromatologico dell'Ospedale Militare di Napoli, dal quale rilevasi la non commestibilità della farina tipo "atta" ritirata dalla Direzione di Commissariato Militare di Napoli.

p. IL MINISTRO

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TRANSLATION

MINUTE in respect of Analysis of 64 Qls of 'Atta' flour suspected to be damaged.

On the 16th Feb 46 at the Bulk Food Depot of Naples, further to Commissariat Directorate letter 1300, dated 4 Feb 1946 an Analysis Commission has been held at the sheds no.592 to analyne 64 Qls of 'Atta' flour not fit for bread-making.

By the examination of the lot after a certain number of sacks had been open, it has been noticed the following :

a) Innumerable insects apparently dead have been found in the flour: this fact presupposes the presence in the flour of parasites'eggs.

b) On touching the flour appears too fresh and seems to be damp.

c) The sacks are internally encrusted by flour: it is therefore thought that the item has been either wet or has absorbed excessive dampness in damp rooms.

d) On tasting the flour has a light bitterish flavour and musty smell.

e) On seeing the flour shows a noticeable percentage of bran.

In view of the above the undersigned Commission does not approve the use of this flour for bread-making.
The Commission has taken a sample from various sacks in order to analyse them chemically.
Written, read and closed on the day and at the place indicated above.

THE COMMISSION

I Capt (Chemist & Pharmacist)
Sgd. Damiano Rescigno

Commissariat Officer
Sgd. Major Antonio Testa

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VERBALE relativo accertamento qli 64 farina "atta" sospetta di avaria.

L'anno millenovecentoquarantasei, addì sedici del mese di febbraio presso il Deposito Speciale Viveri di Napoli

S I A N O T O

che la sottoscritta commissione in seguito ad ordine n.1300 della Direzione di Commissariato Militare datato 4 febbraio si è riunita presso i capannoni 592 per procedere ad accertamento di una partita di qli 64 farina "atta" non idonea alla panificazione.

Dall'esame della partita, previa apertura di un congruo numero di sacchi presi dalla massa è stato riscontrato quanto appresso:

a) Che nella farina si riscontra la presenza di innumerevoli punterucli apparentemente morti, fatto questo che presuppone la presenza della farina stessa di uova di parassiti;

b) Che al tatto la farina si presenta eccessivamente fresca dando una impressione di umidità;

c) Che i sacchi internamente presentano incrostazioni di farina inconveniente questo che fa pensare che la derrata esternamente o sia stata bagnata oppure abbia assorbita una eccessiva umidità in locali umidi;

Che all'assaggio la farina ha un lontano sapore di amarognolo nonchè un lieve odore di muffa;

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Che alla vista la farina presenta una percentuale notevole di elementi cruscari.

Che per quanto precede la sottoscritta commissione si dichiara sfavorevole a che la stessa venga adoperata nella panificazione.

Che la commissione ha prelevato apposito campione proveniente da vari sacchi allo scopo di sottoporlo all'analisi chimica.

Fatto, letto e chiuso alla data e luogo di cui sopra.

LA COMMISSIONE

I.F. Capitano Chim.Farm. f.to Emiliano Nesciano

IL MAGGIORE COMMISSARIO f.to Antonio Testa

p. c. c.

IL DIRETTORE DELLA DIVISIONE

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TRANSLATION

NAPLES MILITARY HOSPITAL

Chemical and Bromologic Laboratory

Naples 12 Feb 46

226/10

Analysis of : sample of mais flour taken on 15 Feb from a lot of 64 qls laying in 10 Bulk Food Depot NAPLES.

Requesting unit : Naples Commissariat Directorate.
Date of request : 15 Feb 46.

The sample of flour taken for the analysis has all the characteristics of the damaged flour, not wholesome, altered by a long stay in depot and by bad maintenance. It appears white coloured, with evident must which gives an unpleasant smell and an acid, piquant and bitterish flavour.
Moreover it is infested by several insects.

The results of the chemical analysis are as follows:

Dampness	yes	14.60%
Strange elements	"	1.65%
Acidity (lactic acid)	"	0.51%

Clots of mais starch, cortical elements, various moulds and several insects eggs have been observed at the microscopic examination.
From the foregoing it can be deduced that the flour is infested by numerous animal and vegetal parasites and that, because of its becoming old, noticeable alterations have occurred as regards the acidity of the flour and its nourishing properties. Therefore it is no more eatable and unfit for bread-making.

I Capt Chemist and Pharmacist
Sgd. Damiano Rescigno

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Sgd. Damiano Rescigno

Major (Chemist and Pharmacist)
Sgd. Gambino d'Antonio

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Medical Director
Sgd. Lt.Col. Squillacioti Raffaele

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OSPEDALE MILITARE DI N A P O L I

Laboratorio Chimico Bromatologico -

Napoli, li 12-2-46

N.286/IO di prot.

OGGETTO DI:un campione di farina di granoturco prelevato il 15 corr. da una partita di q.li 64 esistente presso un X deposito Speciale Viveri di Napoli.-

ENTE RICHIEDENTE :Direzione Commissariato Militare - Napoli-
Data della richiesta:15-2-46....N. Prot.....Data del collaudo...
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" Il campione di farina prelevato per l'analisi ha tutte le carat-
" teristiche di una farina guasta,non sana,alterata per lunga
"giacenza e cattiva conservazione.
" Si presenta di colore bianco,con evidente ammuffimento che
" le impartisce un odore sgradevole,ed un sapore acido;piccante
" ed amarognolo.
" Inoltre è infesta da numerosi punteruoli.

Sottoposta ad analisi chimica si sono avuti i seguenti dati.

" Umidità si 14.00 %
" Ceneri sulla sost.secca " 1.65 %
" Acidità " " " in ac.lattico " 0.51 %

" All'esame microscopico si osservano granuli di amido di grano-
" turco,numerosi elementi corticali,varie muffe e numerosa uova
" di punteruoli.

Da quanto sopra si deduce che la farina invasa da numerosi
" parassiti animali e vegetali, e che,per il suo invecchiamento,
" si sono prodotte delle sensibili modificazioni nell'acidità
" e nelle sue proprietà nutritive,si giudica non più alibile ep-
" perciò inadatta alla panificazione.

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" Ceneri sulla sost.secca " 1.65 %
" Acidità " " " in ac.lattico " 0.71 %

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" turco, numerosi elementi corticali, varie muffe e numerosa prova
" di punterioli.

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IL I° CAPITANO CHIMICO FARMAC.
F/to Rescigno Dr.Damiano

IL MAGGIORE CHIMICO FARMACISTA
F/to Gambino d'Antonio

IL TEN.COLONNELLO MED. DIRETTORE
F/to Squillaciotti Raffaele

IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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Subject :- Sups. Reports on

10 British Liaison Unit
Tel. 15744 NAPLES
6 ST

24 Feb 46

Land Forces Sub-Comm., AC.,
MMIA, ROME.

S.T.

1. Herewith copy and translation of Analyst report on ATTA which has been drawn ex Allied Sources.

2. Samples of ATTA have been taken by this HQ. and submitted to WD Analyst.

3. Copy of report will be forwarded as soon as it becomes available.

Lt-Col.,
GS.

C&F
FAM /bb

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COPY

MILITARY HOSPITAL - NAPLES
Chemical - Bromatologic Laboratory

Naples, 19 Feb 46

N. 226/10

Examination of One sample of ATTA flour withdrawn on 15th February from a stock of 64 quintals stored at 10th Bulk Depot in Naples.
OFFICE ASKING FOR THE ABOVE EXAMINATION : Direzione Commissariato, Napoli.

REQUEST DATE : 15 Feb 46.

The sample of flour withdrawn for the analysis has got all caracteristics of a deteriorated flour, not in good conditions, altered by long storage and bad conservation.

Its colour appears to be almost white, with evident mould, which gives to it a bad smell and a pungent, acid and rather bitter taste. The same flour is also infested by a large quantity of insects.

Having submitted the flour to a chemical test, we got the following data :

Dampness	grams	14.00 %
Hashes on dry substance	"	1.65 %
Acidity on dry subst.in lactic acid	"	0.51 %

At the microscopic examination we could observe granules of maize starch, many cortical elements, various moulds and very many eggs of insects.

From the above, we can state that the flour , being infested by a large quantity of parasites and animals, and for reason of its old age which caused to it remarkable modifications in acidity and in nourishing qualities, is not fit for human consumption and therefore is not suitable to be made into bread.

Chemical Officer
(Sgd) GAMBINO D'ANTONIO, Major

Chemical Officer
(Sgd) RESCIGNO DAMIANO, Capt.

(Sgd) SQUILLACIOTI RAFFAELE, Lt-Col.
Director.

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OSPEDALE MILITARE DI NAPOLI
Laboratorio Chimico Bromatologico

Napoli, 12.2.46

No.226/1o

ESAME DI : un campione di farina di granoturco prelevato il 15 corrente da una partita di q.li 64 esistente presso il X deposito Speciale Viveri di Napoli.

ENTE RICHIEDENTE : Direzione Commissariato Militare, Napoli.

Data della richiesta : 15.2.1946.

" Il campione della farina prelevato per l'analisi ha tutte le caratteristiche di una farina guasta, non sana, alterata per lunga giacenza e cattiva conservazione.

Si presenta di colore quasi bianco, con evidente ammuffimento che le impartisce un odore sgradevole, ed un sapore acido, piccante ed amarognolo.

Inoltre e' invasa da numerosi punteruoli.

Sottoposta ad analisi chimica si sono avuti i seguenti dati :

Umidita'	Gr.	14.00 %
Ceneri sulla sost.secca	"	1.65 %
Acidita' " " "		
in acido lattico	"	0.51 %

All'esame microscopico si osservano granuli di amido di granoturco, numerosi elementi corticali, varie muffe e numerose uova di punteruolo.

Da quanto sopra si deduce che la farina risultanto invasa da numerosi parassiti animali e vegetali, e che, per il suo invecchiamento, si sono prodotte delle sensibili modificazioni nell'acidita' e nelle sue proprieta' nutritive, si giudica non piu' alibile eppercio' inadatta alla panificazione.

IL MAGGIORE CHIMICO FARMACISTA
F.to Sabino d'Antonio

Il Io.CAPITANO CHIMICO FARMACISTA
Rescigno Dr. Damiano

Il Ten.Colonnello Med. Direttore
F.to Squillacioti Raffaele

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FILE 452

SUBJECT:- Barrels.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 478207
ST/102

16 Feb 46.

HQ 1A CRASC (Supply Units).

Copy to:- DEF GEN CMF (47/2/ST6 of 20 Feb refers).
War Ministry
10 BLU for ST

Reference DEF letter 47/2/ST6 of 20 Feb 46, copy to you, this matter has been referred to the Italian War Ministry and they desire that arrangements for collection and disposal of the barrels as per attached should be made by their HQ Commissariato Directorate NAPLES.

Lt.Col. RASC.
AIST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

MFRD/gms

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Unit or Formation 10 B.L.U. (For Italian Navy). Serial No. Collection On Demand.

Installation to supply 25 B.S.D.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
FLOUR.	109052	109052		

23 Feb 46.
23 B.S.D. (2).
10 B.L.U. (For Italian Navy and Air Force).
ADAF, LE, Sub Commission AC (Area).
P X L E.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

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TRANSLATION

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22 Feb 46

FROM : Ministry of War

TO : High Commissariat for Food

3757/S/1

INFO : MFIA
Ministry of Marine
Ministry of Air

MFIA has instructed that 50% of P/B/L requirements for the Navy and Air Force during the month of March be issued by you in part repayment of 388 tons loan of P/B/L made ex British depots for feeding of Army units during February & March (see 24859/S/1 of 28 Dec 45). The issue will be as follows: 482.80 qls at [illegible] and 321.80 qls at [illegible].

Please issue instructions as soon as possible and notify this Ministry in order to enable us to arrange withdrawal.

Sgd. Col. Fiscaro
for the Minister

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26 Feb

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Direzione Servizi

FONOGRAMMA - URGENTE

ALTO COMMISSARIATO ALIMENTAZIONE - ROMA
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. M.M.I.A. -ROMA
MINISTERO MARINA - COMMISSARIATO - ROMA
MINISTERO AERONAUTICA - COMMISSARIATO - ROMA

S.T.

GUERRA COMMISSARIATO N.3457/S/1 DESTINATARIO ALTO COMMISSARIATO ALIMENTAZIONE ROMA ET CONOSCENZA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. MMIA ROMA ET MINISTERO MARINA ET MINISTERO AERONAUTICA ALT M.M.I.A. ROMA HABET DISPOSTO CHE CINQUANTA PER CENTO FABBISOGNO LEGUMI SECCHI PER REPARTI MARINA ET AERONAUTICA MESE MARZO SIA CEDUTO DA COTESTO ALTO COMMISSARIATO IN CONTO REINTEGRO TONNELLATE TRECENTOTTANTOTTO (388) ANTICIPATE DAI DEPOSITI ALLEATI PER VETTOVAGLIAMENTO REPARTI ESERCITO MESI FEBBRAIO ET MARZO GIUSTA COMUNICAZIONE DISPACCIO 24855/S/1 DATA 28 DICEMBRE 1945 ALT CESSIONE DEBET AVVENIRE COME SEGUE DUE PUNTI QUINTALI QUATTROCENTOTTANTADUE VIRGOLA OTTANTA (482,80) AT BARI ET QUINTALI TRECENTOVENTUNO VIRGOLA OTTANTA (321,80) AT NAPOLI ALT PREGASI IMPARTIRE URGENTISSIME DISPOSIZIONI ET INFORMARE QUESTO MINISTERO PERCHE' POSSA DISPORRE RITIRO ALT PROMINISTRO GUERRA PELLIGRA 20022

IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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DRAFT SECTION

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FROM : Ministry of War 14 Feb 46
TO : High Commissariat for Food 3857/3/1
INFO : MMIA
Food Sub Commission AC

This Ministry has not yet received instructions for release of quantities of P.Meat/Fish, Sugar, F/S/L, Pepper and 66 tons of Coffee needed to meet April requirements requested in letters 2695/3/1 and 1830/3/1 of 28/12/45 and 26/1/46 respectively and expedited.

F/S/L as per High Commissariat letter ANE/VI/174/297 dated 14 Feb will not be available for April consumption as it is an item still to be imported. Please confirm by phonogramme your decision for eventual direct provision from the market of fresh or refrigerated meat and issue urgent instructions for release of remaining items for April requirements.

Please issue these instructions with the maximum urgency considering that further delay could cause great disservices in the rationing of the Army.

Sgd. Dr. Launi
for the Minister

"S & T. Section.
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, GMF.

S.T. BRANCH.

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Tel Ext FLINDERS 422.

20 Feb 46.

SUBJECT:- Barrels.

Allied Commission,
Land Forces Sub Commission
MMLA.

1. Telephone conversation Nelson - Darlow of to-day refers.

2. Appendix 'A' gives details of barrels at present held in 14 CRASC (Supply Units) Depot Casoria; it is thought that these were initially put into British Depots by MMLA for maintenance of the Italian Army, and we are, therefore, prepared to return them.

3. Would you please indicate disposal direct to 14 CRASC (Supply Units) copy to this office.

If Nine Belo Kem presumably the field
Can go to Bari but letter
agreed with CCF on
complete distribution
Suggest be retained even though
he may not want actual pieces

W Darlow Brig

for Brigadier.
Director of Supplies and Transport.

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Copy to:- 14 CRASC (Supply Units)

26 Feb

"S & T" MMLA.

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APPENDIX 'A' to 47/2/ST6 Dated 20 Feb 45

Capacity of barrels.		No. of Barrels.
5½ gall	-	78
35 "	-	48
40 "	-	31
44 "	-	172
66 "	-	203
88 "	-	767
154 "	-	58

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90 gall	-	37
156 "	-	13

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22 gall	-	655

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S.T. 4447

M E S S A G E

FROM: 14 C RABO (SUPPLY UNITS)

TO (1) 50 B S D
(2) 205 D I D

INFO (3) 10 B L U
(4) ADVT LF SUB COMMISSION AC (ARMA)

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(•) FIRST (•) ISSUE ORDER 1771 (•) 205 DID WILL REQUEST P B L (BEST QUALITY) 52512 LBS (•) THIS WILL BE ISSUED BY 50 BSD

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(•) SECOND (•) ISSUE ORDER 1772 IN REFERCE OF 205 DID IS CANCELLED (•) NEW ISSUE ORDER No 1772 IS ATTACHED FOR 50 BSD

This message may be sent by any means except/incl wireless

Degree of Priority

BEST QUALITY?

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S. & T. MISSN.

Dated DEC 25 1946

Time sent

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ISSUE ORDER

Unit or Formation **10 B.L.U. (For Italian Air Force)**

Serial No. **1772**
Collection **On Demand.**

Installation to supply **50 B.S.D.**

S.T.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
P.B.L. (Best Quality).	8718	8718		

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12 Feb 46.
50 B.S.D. (2).
10 B.L.U., (For Italian Air Force)
ADJT. LF, Sub Commission AC (Area)
F I L E.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

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SIGNALS

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FROM AFHQ 212140A

TO HQ 14 CRASC (SUP UNITS) HQ 22 CRASC (SUP UNITS)

INFO NATA HQV BARI

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G284857 UNCLASSIFIED (.) FROM ST GHQ CNF (.)

SUBJECT IS MAINTENANCE ITALIAN ARMED FORCES (.)

FOR HQ 22 CRASC (SUPPLY UNITS) (.) DELETE FLOUR

1996562 LBS FROM THIS DIRECTORATE

SIGNAL G22852 DATED 14 FEB 46(.)

FOR HQ 14 CRASC (SUPPLY UNITS) .(.)

RELEASE 1996562 1996562 LBS FLOUR TO NMIA BULK DEPOT NAPLES

FOR MARCH MAIN T OF ITALIAN NAVY AND AIR FORCE (.)

THIS AMENDMENT TO AVOID CROSS RAIL MOVEMENT

DT 212140A

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21 Feb 46.

Major [illegible] S.T. G.H.Q. phoned. Stating that Italian authorities were not willing to sign at Bari for Supplies for Navy and Air Force to be transfered to Naples by rail.

Spoke Lt. [illegible] Navy S/C and [illegible] Evans Air Force S/C who said they would arrange for signatures to be given also to Col. Fisicaro's office requesting he also arrange accordingly

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance - April 1946.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 476207
ST/102

9 Feb 46.

Navy Sub Commission AC.
Air Force Sub Commission AC.

1. Please forward to this branch by 28 Feb 46 the respective requirements of the Italian Navy and Air Force for maintenance during April 1946.

2. Strengths of the respective arms at NAPLES and/or BARI should be indicated.

MFHD/gmc

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MEIA).

INTERNAL:- ST/159
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TRANSLATION

FROM : M. of War 2589/S/1

TO : M.M.I.A. (in reply to ST/102 of 1 Feb) 19 Feb 46

SUBJECT :- Items issued to BR-ITI and US-ITI Units.

Further to a/m letter, we notify that all data required will be forwarded as soon as we receive them from dependent Units already hastened.

Sgd. PELLIGRA.

S & T. M.M.I.A.

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

DIVISIONE SUSSISTENZE

Sezione I^

Roma, 19 - 2 - 946

Prot. N° 2689/3/1 Allegati 1 corrente

Risposta al f.° del

Div Sez. N° ST/102

AI LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.(ANMIA)

R O M A

OGGETTO: derrate distribuite a Reparti Pr-Iti ed Us-Iti.

S.T.

In esito al foglio cui si fa riferimento, si comunica che tutti i dati richiesti, non ancora in possesso di questo Ministero, saranno trasmessi appena perverranno dagli Enti periferici già sollecitati.

p.IL MINISTRO

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SECRET

I S S U E O R D E R

Serial No 1772
Collection On Demand.

Unit or Formation: 10 B.L.U. (For Italian Air Force)

Installation to supply: 205 D.I.D. (Capua).

S.T.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
F.B.L. (Best Quality)	8718	8718		

Capt Lennon
requests further
1 CRAC issue
requirements in accordance
with letter 7 & Feb/46
12 Feb 46. a 2nd amended Bill Cancel previous Bill
205 D.I.D. (Capua) (2). Please Cancel
10 B.L.U. (For Italian Air Force)
~~CF, GHQ, CMF.~~
ADST, LF, Sub Commission AC (Area).
F I L.E.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

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"S & T" MMIA.
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ISSUE ORDER

Unit or Formation 10 B.L.U. (For Italian Navy). Serial No. 1771
Collection On Demand.

Installation to supply AS UNDER.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued.
To Supply :- 34 B.S.D.				
P. Meat.	40000	40000		
Fish Pud.	70000	70000		
To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.				
P. Meat.	37303	37303		
Salmon M.K.	7302	7302		
		154605		
To Supply :- 205 D.I.D. (Cyprus)				
P.B.L. (best Quality).	~~56512~~	~~52312~~	raised by 50 030 = amended to 447	

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To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.

P. Meat.	37303	37303
Salmon M.R.	7302	7302

15460

To Supply :- 205 D.I.D. (Cyprus)

P.B.I. (Best Quality).	~~52312~~	~~52312~~

raised by 50 050
amended to 44 7

12 Feb 46.
34 B.S.D. (2).
50 B.S.D. (2).
205 D.I.D. (2).
10 B.L.U. (for Italian Navy).
ST, CMB, CBF.
ADST, LF, Sub Commission AC (Acca).
F I L E.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

"S & T. MMIA.
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FILE 434

SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Navy and Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 470207
ST/102

D.S.T., G.H.Q., C.M.F. 1 Feb 46

Reference your G4/2/ST6(b) of 13 Feb the contents of paras 2 and 3 are noted and arrangements have been made accordingly.

1. Regarding para 3 of your above quoted letter arrangements will be made to accept 50% of P/B/L in the form of sound stocks already specified as to be released at NAPLES and BARI. It is considered however that it would be preferable to arrange for the remaining 50% P/B/L to be supplied ex Italian Ministry of Food stocks in part repayment of 388 tons loan of P/B/L made ex British stocks (AFHQ signal C 47119 of 15 Dec 45 refers). It is understood that you would have no objection to this arrangement. Conversation Col. DARLOW/Maj. NELSON refers.

2. It is further understood that you will be good enough to arrange for the rail bid for wagons necessary to transfer requisite quantities from BARI to NAPLES.

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

MPHD/gmc

INTERNAL:- 'Q' (A/cs)
ST/159
ST/179

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LEOF V LASE NR 10 P P
OVR 2

FROM AFHQ 142026A
TO HQ 22 CRASC (SUP UNITS)
INFO MMIA
MOV DARI

IMPORTANT

RECEIVED 15 FEB 1946 GSV (DATE)

1800 433 MMIA 7/15 SIGNALS

S.T.

DT

C 22552
UNCLAS . FROM ST GHQ CMF . SUBJECT IS MAINTENANCE ITALIAN ARMED FORCES . DESPATCH FOLLOWING ITEMS TO MMIA BULK DEPOT NAPLES AGAINST MARCH MAINTENANCE . ALL IN LBS .
FLOUR 1,098,562 P/B/L 61,830 SUGAR 61,830 COFFEE BEANS 36,619 TOMATO PASTE 21,393 PEPPER 385 .
MMIA REP WILL ACCEPT AT LOADING POINT . RAIL TONNAGE 84 TPD DURING PERIOD 18/24 FEB HAS BEEN ARRANGED THIS DIRECTORATE AGREED MOV LOADING TO COMMENCE SOONEST
BT 142026A
RPW 10 22 22552 1098562 P/B/L 61830 61830 61830
36619 21393 385 84 18/24
SENT EF D KK

DADST (No.) S.T. 3198
Rcd FEB 15 1946
Rd. 0320 15 FEB 46 C
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1432.

Phoned 14 Feb 46.

1. NAVY SUB COMMISSION (Lt. de Maistre) informing him of :

   (a) All releases for March maintenance except P.Meat/Fish x 50% P.B.L. will be made at Bari.

   (b) Possibility of P.B.L. being of poor quality. Instructed not to accept if unfit for human consumption and advised as further.

2. AIR FORCE SUB COMMISSION

   Spoke A.F. S/C as above.

3. Spoke Major WILLIS ST G.H.Q.

   (1) Requesting real movement had by GHQ to move over requisite quantities ex Bari to Naples.

   (2) Stating that Italians might not accept P.B.L. if it is unfit for human consumption.

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" 159
" 102

MPHD/ag

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PROPOSED DRAFT OF LETTER TO EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER

1. You will be aware that this HQ is in a similar position to Allied Commission in that it is responsible for a number of small Allied units situated throughout Italy and Sicily.

2. It is very evident that the difficulty of the supply of rations to such units in outstanding areas will increase as the number of Allied troops in Italy and Sicily decreases.

3. It is suggested therefore that some joint plan might be evolved with a view to ensuring the future maintenance of all such personnel. It is thought that UNRRA may also to some measure be involved and that you may therefore consider it desirable to bear their needs in mind at the same time.

Soon proposal thanks
CC. Control 11 Feb/46
VCAS

S & T. MMIA
FEB 14 1946
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FONOGRAMMA URGENTISSIMO

ALTO COMMISSARIATO ALIMENTAZIONE — ROMA (fono)
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (MMIA) — ROMA (a mano)
FOOD SUB COMMISSION A.C. — ROMA (a mano)

GUERRA COMMISSARIATO 3857 /S/1 DESTINATARIO ALTO COMMISSARIATO ALIMENTAZIONE CONOSCENZA M.M.I.A. ROMA ET FOOD SUB COMMISSION A.C. ROMA ALT QUESTO MINISTERO NON HABET ANCORA RICEVUTO DISPOSIZIONI PER CONCESSIONE QUANTITATIVI CARNE AUT PESCE ET ZUCCHERO ET LEGUMI SECCHI ET PEPE ET CAFFE' CONCESSO QUEST'ULTIMO SOLTANTO PER SESSANTASEI TONNELLATE OCCORRENTI PER FABBISOGNO MESE APRILE RICHIESTI FOGLI 24855/S/1 ET 1830/S/1 DATATI RISPETTIVAMENTE 28/12/45 ET 26/1/46 ET SOLLECITATI VIA BREVE ALT LEGUMI SECCHI CUI FOGLIO ANR/VI/174/297 DATATO FEBBRAIO 14 CODESTO ALTO COMMISSARIATO NON RIPETESI NON POTRANNO ESSERE DISPONIBILI PER CONSUMO MESE APRILE TRATTANDOSI DI DERRATA ANCORA DA IMPORTARE ALT PREGASI CONFERMARE STESSO MEZZO DECISIONI CODESTO ALTO COMMISSARIATO PER EVENTUALE PROVVISTA DIRETTA CURA QUESTO MINISTERO CARNE FRESCA AUT CONGELATA ET DIRAMARE URGENTI DISPOSIZIONI PER CONSEGNE RIMANANENTI DERRATE OCCORRENTI FABBISOGNO APRILE ALT PREGASI DIRAMARE PURE A URGENZA DISPOSIZIONI COMPETENZA CONSIDERATO CHE ULTERIORE RINVIO POTREBBE RICVOCARE GRAVI DISSERVIZI PER VETTOVAGLIAMENTO ESERCITO ALT PRESIDENTE MINISTRO GUERRA PELLIGRA

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IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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I S S U E O R D E R

Unit or Formation 19 B.L.U. - Italian Air Force. Serial No. 1759
Collection On Demand.

Installation to supply AS UNDER.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity.	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued.
To Supply :- 23 B.S.D.				
Coffee Beans.	5231	5231		
To Supply :- 30 B.S.D.				
P.B.L. (Best Quality)	17436	17436		
Rice.	8718	8718		
Pepper.	44	44		
To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.				
Tomato Paste.	4359	4359		
P. Meat.	26156	26156		
To Supply :- 205 D.I.D.				
Flour.	156938	156938		
Sugar.	8718	8718		

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P.B.L. (Best Quality)	17436	17436
Rice.	8718	8718
Pepper.	44	44

To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.

Tomato Paste.	4359	4359
P. Meat.	26156	26156

To Supply :- 205 D.I.D.

Flour.	156938	156938
Sugar.	8718	8718

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7 Feb 46.
25 B.S.D. (2).
30 B.S.D. (2).
50 B.S.D. (2).
205 D.I.D. (2).
10 B.L.U. - Italian Air Force.
ST, GHQ, CTF.
ADST, LF, Sub Commission AC (Area).
F I L E.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

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I S S U E O R D E R

Unit or Formation 10 B.L.U. (for Italian Navy). Serial No. 1758
Collection On Demand.

Installation to supply AS UNDER.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity.	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued
To Supply :- 25 B.S.D.				
Coffee Beans.	31388	31388		
To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.				
Flour.	941624	941624		
Rice.	52312	52312		
Pepper.	261	261		
To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.				
P.B.L. (Best Quality).	12624	12624		
Tomato Paste.	17034	17034		
P. Meat.	156937	156937		

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Flour.	941624	941624
Rice.	52312	52312
Pepper.	261	261

To Supply :- 50 B.S.D.

P.B.L. (Best Quality).	12624	12624
Tomato Paste.	17034	17034
P. Meat.	156937	156937

To Supply :- 205 D.I.D.

P.B.L. (Best Quality).	92000	92000
Sugar.	52312	52312

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7 Feb 46.
23 B.S.D. (2).
30 B.S.D. (2).
50 B.S.D. (2).
205 D.I.D. (2).
10 B.L.U. (for Italian Navy).
ST, GHQ, CMF.
ADST, LF, Sub Commission AC (Area).
F I L E.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

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I S S U E O R D E R

Unit or Formation 10 B.L.U. Serial No. 1750
Collection On Demand.

Installation to supply AS UNDER.

All figures (unless otherwise stated) are in pounds

(a) Commodity.	(b) Total Demand	(c) Quantity to supply	(d) Remarks	(e) Quantity issued.
To Supply :- 23 B.S.D.				
ATTA. (Best Quality)	53000	53000		
To Supply :- 30 B.S.D.				
FLOUR.	552800	552800		
ATTA. (Best Quality)	62200	62200		
To Supply :- 34 B.S.D.				
FLOUR.	500000	500000		
ATTA. (Best Quality)	400000	400000		

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5 Feb 46.
23 B.S.D. (2).
30 B.S.D. (2).
34 B.S.D. (2).
10 B.L.U., Naples.
ST, GIC, CHF.
ADST, LF, Sub Commission AC (Area).
F I L E.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

DADST
SC 'S'

"S & T. MMIA.
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COPY OF SIGNAL

FROM : AFHQ 4 FEB 46

TO : HQ 14 CRASC (SUPPLY UNITS)
38(INDEP) BSD
HQ 22 CRASC (SUPPLY UNITS)

INFO : NMIA

C19735. UNCLASSIFIED (.) FROM ST GHQ CMF. SUBJECT IS RELEASES TO ITALIAN ARMED FORCES. FOR HQ 14 CRASC (SUP UNITS). RELEASE TO NMIA AT NAPLES FLOUR 470 TONS ATTA 230 TONS. FOR HQ 22 CRASC (SUP UNITS). RELEASE TO NMIA AT BARI FLOUR 120 TONS ATTA 20 TONS. CONSIGN DURING PERIOD 4 - 10 FEB TO 38 (INDEP) BSD FOR TRANSFER TO NMIA AT ANCONA FLOUR 760 TONS ATTA 400 TONS. RAIL TONNAGE AGREED MOV. FOR 38 (INDEP) BSD. RELEVANT VOUCHERS FROM HQ 22 CRASC (SUP UNITS) TO BE CLEARED BY YOU

Capt Pettit told
me to leave documents
on my desk before
I left on 6 Feb.
Thos
Flr.

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MESSAGE FORM

06 1020 .A.

FROM : M M I A

TO : 6 BLU 9 BLU
7 BLU 10 BLU

INFO : WAR MINISTRY
FOOD SUB COMMISSION AC
AGRICULTURE SUB COMMISSION AC
ECONOMIC SECTION AC
LIST 'E' LESS 6, 7, 9, 10

ST/1Cbk

UNCLASSIFIED (.) AFHQ SIGNAL 019735 OF 4 FEB AUTHORISES RELEASES ON LOAN TO ITALIAN INTERIM ARMY (.) EX 14 CRASC FOR DELIVERY AT NAPLES FLOUR 470 TONS ATTA FLOUR 230 TONS (.) EX 22 CRASC FOR RELEASE AT BARI FLOUR 120 TONS ATTA FLOUR 20 TONS (.) FLOUR 760 TONS AND ATTA FLOUR 400 TONS WILL ALSO BE RELEASED BY 22 CRASC FOR DESPATCH TO 38 BSD DURING PERIOD 4 - 10 FEB THIS WILL BE RELEASED AT ANCONA TO ITALIAN ARMY

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INTENDED:- G (Accounts)
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PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT.

AUTHENTICATION [signature] Lt.Col.

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MMIA
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SIGNALS

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LROF V LAEE NR 84 T - MSHO QVR4

FROM AFHQ 041955A
TO HQ 14 CRASC (SUP UNITS) : 38 (INDEP) BSD
HQ 22 CRASC (SUP UNITS)

INFO MMIA
DT
C1S735 UNCLAS . FROM ST GHQ CMF . SUBJECT IS RELEASES TO ITALIAN
ARMED FORCES . FOR HQ 14 CRASC (SUP UNITS) . RELEASE TO MMIA AT
NAPLES FLOUR 470 TONS ATTA 230 TONS . FOR HQ 22 CRASC (SUP UNITS).
RELEASE TO MMIA AT BARI FLOUR 120 TONS ATT A 20 TONS . CONSIGN
DURING PERIOD 4 - 10 FEB TO 38 (INDEP) BSD FOR TRANSFER TO MMIA
AT ANCONA FLOUR 753 TONS ATTA 400 TONS . RAIL TONNAGE AGREED MOV .
FOR 38 (INDEP) 22/1/1 BSD . RELEVANT [illegible] VOUCHERS FROM HQ 22 CRASC
(SUP UNITS) TO BE CLEARED BY YOU
BT 041955A
SENT NR 84 KM B
RD NR84 042357 & TKMMIA AR K

Read FEB 5 15-1

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Incoming Signal

PENBASE C 3186
FEB 042033 A

G/8702
FEB 050945 A

ROUTINE

PENBASE

ALCOM, Info: C-4 MTOUSA

UNCLASSIFIED

CITE BIGUE, BIGDS,

REFERENCE MTOUSA CABLE C 18946 OF 1 FEBRUARY 1946 (.)
REPAYMENT OF SUBSISTENCE RELEASED TO ITALIAN ARMY IS
SUBJECT (.) DELIVERY POINT DESIRED IS LEGHORN (.)
MTOUSA WILL BE ADVISED WHEN REPAYMENT IS COMPLETED (.)

AC DIST

ACTION FOOD & AGRIC 2
L FORCES

INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON. 2
FILE 2
FLOAT

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ADST, MMIA

C & T, MMIA

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FEB 020845

ROUTINE

METOUSA
PBS - AICOM

UNCLASSIFIED

SUBSISTENCE FOR ITALIAN ARMY IS SUBJECT (.) ANTICIPATE REPAYMENT ON OR ABOUT 28 FEBRUARY 1946 OF 4, 100, 000 POUNDS FLOUR AND 617, 000 POUNDS PRESERVED MEAT AND FISH LOANED FROM U S MILITARY STOCKS TO ITALIAN ARMY (.) SEE MTOUSA LETTER 29 NOVEMBER 1945, SUBJECT AS ABOVE (.) PBS TO NOTIFY AICOM POINT OF DELIVERY DESIRED (.) REQUEST THIS HEADQUARTERS BE ADVISED WHEN REPAYMENT COMPLETED (.)

AC DIST

ACTION : FOOD & AGRIC 2
MMIA
INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC 2
FILE 2
FLOAT

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Copy to:
ADST, MMIA

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"G & T, MMIA.

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SUBJT:- Maintenance of Italian Navy and Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 478207
ST/102

4 Feb 46.

Ministry of War.

1. Confirming telephone conversation with Col. FISICARO will you please be prepared to release from British provided stocks still held in Italian War Ministry depots quantities of commodities as indicated below:

	Transfer at BARI to Navy lbs	Transfer at NAPLES to Navy lbs	Transfer at BARI to Air Force lbs	Transfer at NAPLES to Air Force lbs
CHEESE	51,482	44,839	39,858	7,472
SUGAR	3,272	--	--	--
TOMATO PASTE	30,031	9,122	--	--

2. A definite request for actual releases will be forwarded as early as possible.

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Lt.Col. RASC.
AD/ST. Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

MFHD/gmc

INTERNAL: ST/159
ST/179

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM: MMIA

TO : AFHQ

FOR : Q GRQ CMF

INFO: AIGCM

Feb 2 1235

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REFERENCE YOUR FX 59771 OF 30 JAN (.) CONFIRMATION IN WRITING HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM HEAD ITALIAN GOVERNMENT FOR REPAYMENT IN KIND BY 28 FEB 46 OF LOAN TO ITALIAN ARMY OF 2000 TONS FLOUR (.) REQUEST RELEASE BE MADE (.) THIS CONVEYS TRIPOM CLARK-MYASON THIS DATE (.)

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATION

INTERNAL

ADST, MMIA

DADST

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C & T, MMIA.

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FILE

(413)

SUBJECT:- Supplies for BR-ITI Units.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
Tel : 47927
ST/102

Ministry of War. (411) 1 Feb 46.

1. Reference your 2970/S/1 of 30 Jan will you please arrange to submit a consolidated statement showing all issues of supplies made from Italian Depots to BR-ITI Units which in accordance with agreement should have been issued from British Detail Distribution Depots.

2. This statement should include the figures in your above quoted letter and of course, exclude any items which have already been the subject of consideration.

3. Please arrange for a final and complete statement to be forwarded to this HQ by 15 Feb 46 so that it can be considered with a view to arranging replacement by commodities.

for Lt.Col. R.S.C.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMLA).

HPHD/gmc

INTERNAL:- 'Q' (Accounts)

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EXTRACT FROM : DADST MMA MILAN Signal of 29 Jan 46

FROM : DADST MMA MILAN

TO : M.M.I.A. ST ROSE

INFO : 1 ELU - 2 ELU - 6 ELU - 7 ELU

REF : 3/254

CHEESE MAINT JAN 60 TONS FEB 190 TONS STILL OUTSTANDING DUE TO NON-COOPERATIVE ATTITUDE OF CIVILIAN CONTRACTORS (.) 3 ELU 3/55/6 DATED 24 JAN REFERS

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IMPORTANT

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"S & T. MMIA. 3184

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

rg. Divisione Sussistenze S.T.

Sezione 1ª

Prot. N° 24940 S/1 Allegati

Risposta al f.° del

Div. Sez. N.

Roma, 30 - 1 - 46

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

Oggetto: Derrate distribuite a reparti Br-Iti-

Subsistence to BR-ITI units

The following BR-ITI units, awaiting to be returned by Allied Reports concerned w.e.f. 15 Nov 45, have drawn following quantities from 5° Distribution Depot of Udine, for period 15-20th Nov 45:

I seguenti Reparti Br-Iti, in attesa di essere vetto= vagliati a partire dal 15 novembre 1945 dai competenti Magazzini Alleati, hanno prelevato presso il 5° Magazzi= no Distribuzione Viveri di Udine, per il periodo 15-20 novembre 1945, i quantitativi di derrate come dal seguen= te specchio:

290 Med Cpg Udine — 60 Nucleo Ust. Hosp. 2 Gp. For. Arta Udine — 71 Engr Fagagna

DERRATE		290ª Cpg. Sanit.Udine	60° Nucleo 2° Gruppo For.Arta	Osp.Mil. Ud.Ricov. BR-ITI	71° Genio Fagagna	TOTALE Total
Farina	Kg.	74.200	89.040	233.200	16.960	413.400
Pasta	"	19.600	23.520	61.600	4.480	109.200
Carne	"	7.350	8.820	23.100	I.680	40.950
Salmone	"	0,980	1.176	3.080	0.224	5.460
Aringhe	"	1.960	2.352	6.160	0.448	10.920
Sardine	"	3.255	3.906	10.230	0.744	18.135
Legumi	"	9.800	11.760	30.800	2.240	54.600
Conserva	"	2.450	2.940	7.700	0.560	13.650
Caffè	"	2.450	2.940	7.700	0.560	13.650
Formaggio	"	4.900	5.880	15.400	1.120	27.300
Zucchero	"	4.900	5.880	15.400	1.120	27.300

S & T. MMIA. Inoltre i seguenti reparti Br-Iti per ordine del A.-LC di Udine hanno prelevato per il periodo 21-novembre-20dicembre 1945 i quantitativi di derrate qui

Recd JAN 31 1946

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MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

Direzione Generale dei Servizi Logistici

Roma.

N° di prot. *da Sport* 11

Allegati

Risposta al f. N°

del

OGGETTO

Following BR 171 which have already, via MMIA to [illegible] for period 21 XII - 20 Dec 45:

appresso riportati:

DERRATE	60° Nucleo 2° Gr.For. Udine	71° Genio Fagagna	TOTALE	N O T E Remarks
Farina Kg.	373.968	106.000	479.968	
Pasta "	74.088	21.000	95.088	I prelevamenti so-
Riso "	10.836	3.640	14.476	no stati sospesi a
Carne "	39.944	11.221	51.165	datare dal 21 di-
Salmone "	1.814	0.453	2.267	cembre 1945 d'ordi-
Aringhe "	9.528	2.382	11.910	ne del 5° B.L.U. -
Sardine "	17.129	5.341	22.470	LO di Mestre.-
Legumi "	49.392	14.000	63.392	[illegible] have
Conserva "	12.348	3.500	15.848	not [illegible]
caffè "	12.348	3.500	15.848	as of 21 Dec 45 by
Formaggio "	24.696	7.000	31.696	order of 5 BLU
Zucchero "	24.696	7.000	31.696	LO Mestre.

Pertanto si prega cotesta Sottocommissione di voler tener conto di tali cessioni nel definire le rimanenze di derrate.

We therefore ask MMIA to take into account the above issues in determining the requirements of commodities.

p.IL MINISTRO

Allegria

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Incoming Signal

FROM : AFHQ 30 January- 1827 A

TO : MMIA

INFO : ALCOM

FX 59771 RESTRICTED

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(SIGNAL C 47119 OF 15 DEC REFERS)

FIVE (.) FOR ALCOM AND MMIA LOANS AT PARA FOUR ABOVE ALSO REQUIRE URGENT REPAYMENT

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'S & T, MMIA.

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Translation

ref. I830/54

26/I/1946

From: M of W

To: Food High Commissariat

Copy to: MMIA

Subject: Food supplies for the Army. 352

Further to letter 24855/S/I dated 28/I2/45.

The Ministry of Foreign Commerce, with letter T-I73 dated 2I inst. (copy attached) has informed us that it is absolutely impossible to obtain ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ supplementary allotments of grain to meet the requirements of the Army.

Therefore this requirement is to be included in the general ~~xxxxxxxxxxx~~ Italian requirements.

Further to a/m information it is understood that the quantity of grain or flour needed should be supplied by this High Commissariat as it is being done for the month of February.

In view of ~~xxxxxxxx~~ providing the indispensable supplies for the Army it is absolutely necessary to ~~xxxx~~ build in the stores of the military Admin. a reserve of the food items needed, particularly grain or flour, which must be available to meet any requirement.

The present food items position which ensures supplies from day to day only should not be furthered owing to the serious troubles it may cause in the carrying out of the service.

Therefore we beg you to:

...ed for the months of March and

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Therefore we beg you to:

- allot the quantity of flour needed for the months of March and April: 72000 quintals requested with our former letter. In view of the urgency of the case only flour should be allotted for the month of March.

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- Issue instructions to stock in the ~~stores~~ of the Military Admin. at least a two months supply of grain or flour according to requirement s pointed out in letter IC393/ANR dated 3/I2/45 of the Food Ministry -inform us if April requirements will be met with grain or with flour so that this Ministry may be able to arrange for the milling service because at present military mills , also if they are efficient, work to meet civilian requirements.

We beg you moreover to arrange for the baking flour to be released ~~equal~~ 80% sifted , in order to maintain the organic qualities of the bread, which , owing to service requirements, is eaten 24hrs (or more after it has been baked.

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This same sifting percentage (see letter I0393/ANR dated 3/I2/I945 of the Food Ministry concerning grain requirements) should be allowed also for macaroni flour, whenever Allied flour is available.

We ~~shall let you know~~ shall acquaint you with such information as the Ministry of Foreign Commerce will provide us concerning the imports of the other items needed and we beg you to arrange the allotments of meat, or fish, coffee ,sugar, dried vegs, pepper for consumption during the month of April as requested with a/m letter.

We wait for the decision of this High Commissariat.

C/u

Pelligra

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

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Roma, 26 - 1 - 46

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L'ALTO COMMISSARIATO PER L'ALIMENTAZIONE

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OGGETTO: Rifornimento viveri per l'Esercito

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO DEL COMMERCIO ESTERO
(Rif.T-173 del 21 corrente)

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Seguito foglio 24855/3/1 del 28 - 12 - 1945.-

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Si prega,quindi, codesto Alto Commissariato di voler:

- provvedere all'assegnazione del quantitativo di farina occorrente per i mesi di marzo e di aprile: q.li 72.000 richiesti con il foglio al quale si fa seguito. Data l'urgenza, per il mese di marzo, dovrà essere messa a disposizione assolutamente farina;
- dare disposizioni per l'accantonamento di almeno due mesi di scorta di grano o farina nei magazzini dell'A.M. secondo i fabbisogni previsti dal foglio 10393/AMR del 3-12-45 del Ministero dell'Alimentazione;
- far conoscere se per il fabbisogno da aprile in poi sarà fornito grano o farina, affinchè questo Ministero ne possa aver norma per l'organizzazione del servizio della molitura, dato che i molini mi-

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DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

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OGGETTO:

liari attualmente, anche se efficienti, lavorano per esigenze civili.

Con l'occasione si prega poi disporre che nel caso di cessione di farina per il pane essa sia abburattata all'80% allo scopo di assicurare la conservazione delle qualità organolettiche al pane che viene consumato, per particolari esigenze di servizio, sempre dopo ventiquattro o più ore dallo sfornamento.

Analogo tasso di abburattamento, in base al quale fu stabilito il fabbisogno di grano dal Ministero dell'Alimentazione - foglio 10393/ANR del 3-12-1945 - deve essere applicato per la farina per pasta, sempre che non sia possibile fornire farina allegata.

Si fa riserva di far conoscere quanto comunicherà il Ministero del Commercio Estero circa le importazioni degli altri generi occorrenti e si prega di disporre le assegnazioni di carne e pesce, caffè, zucchero, legumi secchi per il consumo del mese di aprile, come richiesto con il foglio al quale si fa seguito.

Si resta in attesa delle decisioni di codesto Alto Commissariato.-

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Trans tion

from: Ministry of foreign Commerce — ref. I73

to: M of W — 2I January I945

Subject:. Food supplies for the Army.

After much persistence in urging also by telephone, we have been informed by Washington , that it is absolutely impossible to obtain the supplementary grain allotments requested for the Italian Army, because the total quantities which are being shipped to Italy represent the maximum quantity allotted in view of the world availability and cannot be increased in any case.

American Authorities at Washington state that Army requirements must be included in the general Italian requirements.

C/u

La Malfa

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C O P I A

..oma 21 Gennaio 1946

MINISTERO DEL COMMERCIO CON L'ESTERO

N° 173 di prot.

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Gab.Gen.Serv.Comm/to

R O M A

OGGETTO: Rifornimento viveri per l'Esercito.

Dopo vive insistenze, azioni e solleciti anche telefonici, mi è stato ieri data notificazione da Washington che è impossibile assolutamente ottenere le assegnazioni supplementari di grano chieste per i bisogni dell'Esercito, in quanto i quantitativi totali, che stanno per essere spediti all'Italia, rappresentano il massimo consentito dalle disponibilità mondiali e non possono aumentarsi per alcun titolo.-

Le Autorità americane a Washington dicono che i fabbisogni delle Forze Armate devono essere considerati compresi nei fabbisogni generali italiani.-

IL M I N I S T R O

F.to Ugo La Malfa

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Al LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION

A.C. (M.M.I.A)-

R O M A

OGGETTO: Derrate distribuite ai reparti Br-Iti.-

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L'Ufficio Stralcio del 402 Rgt.P.I.2° Btg.,in attesa di essere vettovagliato a partire dal 15 novembre 1945 dal competente Magazzino Alleato, ha prelevato presso il 78° Magazzino Distribuzione Viveri di Livorno N°160 razioni viveri per il periodo 15-20 novembre 1945.

Non essendo stato possibile recuperare le suddette razioni,perchè detto Ufficio Stralcio si è sciolto in data 28 novembre 1945,si prega di tener conto di tale cessione nel definire le rimanenze di derrate.

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TRANSLATION

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FROM : Ministry of War — 25170/3/1

TO : AMTA — 28 Jan 46

SUBJECT:- Supplies issued to BR-ITI units.

The Rear Office of 402 Rgt F.I. 2 Bn, awaiting to be rationed by the Allied depot concerned w.e.f. 15 Nov 45, has drawn from 73 Food Distribution Depot ed ESSICKW no. 160 food rations for period 15 - 20 Nov 45.

As it has not been possible to recover these rations because the Rear Office has been disbanded on 20 Nov 45, we ask you to take into account the a/m issue on determining the remainder of commodities.

"S & T. AMMA.
Recd JAN 29 1946
File ST/ 102

Sgd. Gen. Pelligra

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direzione Generale dei Servizi Logistici
Roma

Subject : Supplies - Cheese and Rice.

HQ 3 British Liaison Unit.
(Tel No. 152965 Ext 10).

Ref Q/35/6.

HQ MMIA - ST.

30 JAN 1946

24 Jan 46.

1. Ref phone conversation Maj COTTON - Capt WILTSHER.

2. Some difficulty is being experienced regarding the supply of cheese ex local production, N. Italy. In the first instance, although the Dec allocation of cheese for consumption in Jan was available and 95 tons were distributed in N. Italy, it was not until the 17 Jan that notification was received from SHAPE that transport was to hand to convey the first portion of the remaining 95 tons to the South. Constant contact was maintained by the authorities here with SHAPE regarding this tpt.

3. With regard to the Jan allotment, the hold up in notification of names of civilian firms and release to the Italian Army appears to be the fault of the Commissariato Inter-Regionale per l' Alementazionale, N. Italy. At first there appeared to be some slackness in the 'tie-up' between this body and the various S.E.P.E.R.A.Ls. It seems now that this slackness was intentional.
Inter-Regionale received instructions for the release of this commodity to the Army from the Ministry of War in December. At the beginning of Jan, a plan was made on a provincial and regional basis to release cheese produced in '45 which at that time, was still blocked.
A Meeting of the Cheese Board was held recently in ROME to discuss the freeing of the cheese market. Consequently, Inter-Regionale have been waiting for their representative to return from ROME.
If '45 cheese is freed it will be sold on the open market at prices much higher than those given by the Italian Army and '43 or '44 'vintage' cheese, which is still blocked, will be allocated to the Army.
Food Division, A.M.G. have been contacted and have instructed Inter-Regionale to effect the immediate breaking down of the present plan to the manufacturers level and submit the names of firms immediately. Major GE, Food Liason Officer of SHAPE is at present in the Emilia Region endeavouring to expedite the matter.

I am keeping in contact with A.M.G. regarding this matter and will notify you of any further developments.

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The Jan and Feb allotment of 380 tons are to hand and is in process of being distributed.

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CMP.
AHW/LGB.

Capt.
R.A.S.C.

(A.H. WILTSHER).

M.F. -S & T. JAN 29 1946
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TRANSLATION

FROM : Ministry of War

TO : High Commissariat for Food

INFO : MILAN

1623/S/1

25 Jan 46

SUBJECT:- Cheese for month of December.1945

This Ministry has not yet withdrawn the whole quantity of cheese allocated for consumption during month of December 1945, owing to delay in allocation and to firms who do not want to issue the cheese at controlled prices.

The Interregional Inspectorate of MILAN has moreover allocated 1814 qls ex 15 firms in the Lombardia area and ex 13 firms in the Emilia area. Some of these firms should release only 12 qls of cheese.

As a result of this arrangent great difficulties are encountered in checking, withdrawing and despatching.

As it has been already stated, the cheese should be drawn only from three or four firms in order to permit a quick withdrawal and despatch of the item.

We therefore ask you to issue instructions to avoid such inconveniences in order to permit the prompt withdrawal of cheese allocated for the month of January, which should have been available during the month of December 1945.

We also take the opportunity to ask you for the allocation mf for month of February, which has not yet been made and which we have already asked for by signal 2/193/S/1 dated 12 Dec 1945.

Sgd. Gen. Pelligra

"S & T. Section"

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

Divisione Sussistenze

Sezione 1ª

Prot. N° 1623 / S / 1 Allegati

Risposta al f° del

Div. Sez N.°

Roma, 25 - 1 - 46

Al [illegible]

Oggetto: Formaggi mese di dicembre.-

S.T.

e,per conoscenza:

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Questo Ministero non ha ancora potuto effettuare completamente il ritiro dei formaggi assegnati per il consumo del mese di dicembre,nè è stato del ritardo fra esso nelle assegnazioni,ma perchè i produttori non intendono fornire il formaggio al prezzo di taliere.

L'Ispettorato Interregionale di Milano ha,pertanto,disposto l'assegnazione di 150 quintali da 1a ditta della zona lodigiana e 25 della ditta della zona dell'emilia. Su alcuno di tali ditte è stata disposta l'assegnazione di soli 10 quintali di formaggio.

Come fu stabilito in via base l'assegnazione doveva essere fatta su tre o quattro ditte al fine di assicurare il ritiro e in modalità suddivisione della consegna, mentre come è stato disposto con ordine di forte aggravio per la difficoltà di ordinare, ritiro e suddivisione.-

Si prega,pertanto codesto Commissariato di voler disporre perchè siano eliminati,in quanto possibile,gli inconvenienti suddetti, in maniera da assicurare il sollecito ritiro del formaggio assegnato per il mese di dicembre che doveva essere disponibile entro il mese di dicembre u.s.

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MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

Direzione Generale dei Servizi Logistici

Roma.

N° di prot. *di Sport.* *Il*

Allegati

Risposta al f. N°

del

OGGETTO:

Con l'occasione si prega provvedere all'assegnazione anche per il mese di febbraio che non è stata ancora disposta e la richiesta con foglio n.25/ del 1-2-43.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

JAN 26 1802 A

FROM: MTOUSA

TO : PBS

INFO: Q(MAINT ALCOM PENSOUTH

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SEE LETTER LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION (MMIA)
Q/1-115 24 JANUARY 1946 (.) REQUESTED IS LOAN OF 3400
METRIC TONS FLOUR TO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT FOR INTERIM
ARMY SUBJECT TO REPAYMENT BY 31 MARCH 1946 (.)
CAN REQUIREMENT, OR ANY PORTION, BE SUPPLIED WITHOUT
JEOPARDY TO UNITED STATES POSITION?
IF POSSIBLE, AUTHORIZE RELEASE OF QUANTITY AVAILABLE,
DESIGNATING POINT OF DELIVERY

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NAVY SUB-COMMISSION APO 394

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NSC/4466
21 January 1946

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub-Commission, (MMIA),
Hq. Allied Commission.

Subject: Maintenance - March 1946.

1. With reference to letter ST/102 dated 16th January 1946, the requirements of the Italian Navy for maintenance during March 1946 should be based on the approximate figure of 65000.

Thomas C. Hart RA
Chief of Naval Mission to Italy

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G. F. MENTZ,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
FOR REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

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CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance - MARCH 1946.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102
16 Jan 46.

Navy Sub Commission AC.
Air Force Sub Commission AC.

1. Please forward to this branch by 30 Jan 46 the requirements of the Italian Navy or Air Force, for maintenance during March 1946.

2. Acceptance by the respective Arms to be at NAPLES and/or BARI.

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

AC/gmm

INTERNAL:- ST/179
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TRANSLATION

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FROM : Ministry of War 149/3/1

TO : Food & Agriculture Sub Comm 8 Jan 46

INFO ; MMIA

SUBJECT:- Supply of Tomato Paste to the Army.

Reference to Ministry of Food communication AMR/III/734 of 28 Dec 45 re difficulty in allocating quantities of tomato paste from blocked uantities to meet Army requirements, this Ministry notifies to have already met its requirements to incl Aug 46 by direct purchase from the market.

Sgd. Gen. Pelligra

"S & T. MMIA.
Recd JAN 10 1946
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21 Jan

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DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

Divisione Sussistenze

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Risposta al f.° del

Div. Sez. N°

Roma, 11 6 - 1 - 46

Alla COMMISSIONE ALLEATA-SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALIMENTAZ. E AGRICOLTURA

R O M A

OGGETTO: Approvvigionamento conserva di pomodoro per l'Esercito.-

S.T.

e per conoscenza:

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA-SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO(M.M.I.A.) R O M A

In relazione a quanto comunicato dal Ministero dell'Alimentazione con sua nota ANR/III/734 del 28 dicembre u.s. circa l'impossibilità di assegnare per le necessità dell'Esercito aliquote di concentrato di pomodoro sui quantitativi bloccati, questo Ministero informa di avere già provveduto a coprire il proprio fabbisogno di tale derrata fino a tutto agosto p.v. con acquisti diretti sul libero mercato.-

p. IL MINISTRO

MESSAGE FORM

Date - Time
JAN 08 1130

FROM: MMIA

TO : PENBASE for QM

INFO: MTOUSA for G-4, ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY, NO. 7 BLU.

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SUBJECT RATION MAINTENANCE ITALIAN INTERIM ARMY (.) REFERENCE MMIA LETTER Q/1-111 OF 18 DEC 45 AND CONFIRMING TELCON SPERRY - NELSON THIS DATE (.) FOLLOWING RELEASES SUBSISTENCE AGREED (.) COMMODITIES IN NET POUNDS FOLLOW (.) HASH, MEAT AND VEGETABLE 755,600; BACON 638,000; CHILE CON CARNE 753,000; VIENNA SAUSAGE 190,000; CORNED BEEF 198,000 (.) TOTAL NET POUNDS MEAT 2,534,600 (.) COFFEE, SOLUBLE 47.5 M/TONS; COFFEE BEANS 118.75 M/TONS (.) ALL COMMODITIES TO BE RELEASED FORTHWITH DEPOT 5L51 LEGHORN TO ITALIAN ARMY DEPOT LEGHORN (.) ABOVE RELEASES CONSTITUTE REQUIREMENTS FEBRUARY AND MARCH (.)

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S & T. MMIA: 07

Recd JAN 8 1946

File ST/

* Please buy a Nelson stew
Stove as the stable is based on
½ a pound per day stew meat
Navy ration. It was found that we could
feed a unit for 15 days with the
PBS but not for 30 days.

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(C O P Y)

ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS

AFHQ/2523/1/C (Italy).

SUBJECT :- Pooling Strength of Italian Navy.

22 Oct 45

TO :- Naval Sub Commission, Allied Commission.

1. At the present moment, we are maintaining for the Italian navy an its ceiling of 75,000 ; its actual strength during Sep has been approximately 53,000.

2. With the present shortage of food we are most anxious not to inherit for more rations than we actually require.

3. With this object in mind, you are requested to review the anticipated future pooling strength of the Italian navy in the MTO, and inform AFHQ whether we may safely provision on a lower figure than the ceiling quoted above.

(sgd) A.C. CRAWLEY, Major,
for Lt-General,
Chief Administrative Officer,
A.F.H.Q.

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

7 Jan 46.

E.A.T.O., G.H.Q.

Ref your 51/2/3/326(a) dated 29 Dec 45.

1. In order to reduce accounting may this office be informed please of the cost of the Allied portion of ration scale as issued to DR-IIIs (conversation COTTON/MOLLOY refers).

AO/gms

Lt.Col. R.SO.
for, Land Forces Sub Comm. C.C.(M.M.I.).

DISTRIBUTION:- 'C' (Accounts)

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43-9/Food

29 December 1945

SUBJECT : Quotation from Telephone Call to Washington 20 Dec 45. - Feeding Italian Army and Carabinieri.

FROM : Food & Agriculture Sub-Commission

TO : Economic Section (Supply Group)

1. Reference your memorandum of 27 Dec 45.

2. The following observations are made :

(a) So far, no flour has been signalled for arrival in January. Flour arrivals to date have been as follows :

October 1945 ..... 15,227 metric tons

November 1945 ..... 12,848 metric tons

December 1945 ..... nil

(b) Sugar can be taken out of locally produced stocks, but this would, of course, necessitate a corresponding increase in imports of sugar, unless :

(i) the ration is in the coming year increased above 260 grams per head per month, or

(ii) actual arrivals of sugar exceed present expectations.

(c) Fish could well be substituted for meat, provided that the Italian Government's deal with Norway is completed in time.

(d) It is agreed that coffee will have to come from Brazil, but it is hoped that U.S. agencies will assist the Italian Buying Mission in procurement.

(e) U.K. Authorities should be asked by the Italian Government to assist in the procurement of pepper from India. The question of payment will, however, present certain difficulties, inasmuch as YT funds can presumably only be used for dollar purchases.

- see over

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(f) It might be possible to arrange for the comparatively small quantity of dried vegetables required to be taken out of the quantity allocated for procurement in the UNRRA programme and to be paid for out of YT funds. This Sub-Commission does not at present know what proportion of the quantity programmed for purchase by UNRRA has in fact been allocated by the authorities in U.S.

W.J. Legg
Director.

Distribution
Economic Section (Requisition Branch)
Land Forces S/C
MEIA
Lt. Arensberg

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for S/

MEMORANDUM

27 December 1945

SUBJECT : Quotation from Telephone Call to Washington 26 December 1945. - Feeding Italian Army and Carabinieri

TO : Food and Agriculture Sub-Committee

1. Feeding of Italian Army and Carabinieri. On the above subject I has received, giving his figures for feeding of the Italian Army and Carabinieri, Hetzer made the following five suggestions:

(1) Take care of the flour out of the present arrivals, since all flour under basic program has actually been bought with UT money (in order not to have to pay the U.S. Government subsidy);
(2) Take the sugar out of locally produced stocks, if possible;
(3) Fish can be used as a meat substitute and should be available through an Italian Government deal with Norway; (4) Coffee will have to come from Brazil; (5) Beans would presumably come from India; (6) Dried Vegetables would have to come from the U.S., but they are almost impossible to get."

It is desired that the Food and Agriculture Sub-Committee comment on the paragraph quoted above.

CHARLES L. CARLOW
Colonel, AC
Chief, Supply Group

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Copy to: Mr. Cleveland
Requisition Branch
A.M.G.H.Q.
Wiesbaden

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SGS

A. G. O., MMIA. JAN 4 1946

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance Italian Air Force - FEBRUARY 1946.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

17 Dec 45.

Ministry of War
Air Forces Sub Commission AC.

Copy to:- 9 MLU 10 MLU.

Further to this HQ ST/102 dated 17 Dec 45 (not to all).

1. Authority has been given under CCS 64/2/ST6(b) dated 21 Dec for release as under to the Italian Air Force for maintenance February 1946, collection may be made on or about 7 Jan 46.

Commodities	Ex 14 CRASC (Supply Units) (3500 x 43) NAPLES	Ex 22 CRASC (Supply Units) (26500 x 43) BARI
FLOUR	160,313 lbs	1,281,937 lbs
RICE	9,406 "	71,219 "
P.MEAT/FISH	28,219 "	213,656 "
F/B/L	18,813 "	142,437 "
SUGAR	9,406 "	71,219 "
COFFEE BEANS	5,645 "	42,730 "
PEPPER	47 "	357 "

2. Acceptance must be on MMIA Form ST/[illegible] by a representative of the Ministry of War, who will in turn voucher supplies over direct to the Italian Air Force. The Italian Air Force will arrange for a representative to be present at the British Depot to take over supplies from Ministry of War representative, these supplies will not pass through Italian Army Depots.

3. Release in respect of reserves for SARDINIA will be notified when received.

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

AC/[illegible]

Continue Comments
on Fl. Diary
Ref. 17 Jan.

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SUBJECT:- Local Resources - Contractors N. ITALY.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

Dec 45.

Ministry of War.

Attached is list of contractors supplying cheese and rice to the Italian (Interim) Army, which has been forwarded by 3 BIU MILAN.

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

AC/gmc

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N.S.C. ROME

MARISTAT

IN REPLY TO YOUR SIGNAL 211223A OF 21st INSTANT YOU ARE INFORMED THAT THE EXPECTED NUMBER OF RATIONS WHICH CAN BE WITHDRAWN FOR THE VICTUALLING OF ITALIAN NAVY DURING FEBRUARY NEXT:

FROM NAPLES	:	21600	DAILY RATIONS	TOTALLING IN ALL	604800 ✓
FROM BARI	:	29700	" "	" "	831600 ✓
FROM GENOA	:	7200	" "	" "	201600 ✓
FROM MESTRE	:	3500	" "	" "	98000 ✓

TOTAL DAILY RATIONS : 62000. TOAL IN ALL 1,736,000.

WE UNDERTAKE TO ADVISE YOU OF THE QUANTITIES OF INDIVIDUAL RATION ITEMS EXISTING IN ITALIAN DEPOTS ON 20th INSTANT AS SOONAS THE NECESSARY DETAILS ARE RECEIVED FROM EXTERNAL AUTHORITIES THESE HAVE BEEN HASTENED.

S.T. for C. in C. MMA.

.....241030

Rec DEC 21 1945

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TRANSLATION

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From : A of War

To : Addressees & Copy to A.A.I.

Ref : 24479/3/1

Dtd : 19 Dec 45

Subject : Supply of Flour and Vegetables.

Further to telegraphic and telephonic orders.

We beg you to make arrangements for the immediate withdrawal, from Allied Depots, of the following foodstuffs:-

Military Commissariat Section-Mestre:

=Flour (About) 10.000 quintals

=Vegetables " 1.300 "

Military Commissariat Section-Ancona:

=Flour (About) 6.000 "

=Vegetables " 700 "

Military Commissariat Directorate-Naples:

=Flour (About) 9.000 "

=Vegetables " 1.100 "

Military Commissariat Directorate-Bari:

-Flour 5.000 "

=Vegetables 780 "

The food-stuffs must be despatched in the following manner:-

-from Commissariat Section-Mestre:

-to the 3rd Special Ration Depot-Milan Flour 5.000 qtls Veg 500 "

-to the 5th Ration Stores-Rome " 500 " " 100 "

-to the 5th Special Ration Depot-Le tre " 4.500 " " 550 "

-to the 7th Military Ration Stores -Florence " = " " 150 "

-from Commissariat Section-Ancone:

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The food-tuffs must be despatched in the following manner:-

-from Commissariat Section-Centre:

-to the 3rd Special Ration Depot-Milan	Flour	5.000	lbs Veg	500 "
-to the 6th Ration Stores-Rome	"	500	" "	100 "
-to the 5th Special Ration Depot-Centre	"	4.500	" "	550 "
-to the 7th Military Ration Stores -Florence	"	=	" "	150 "

-from Commissariat Section-Ancona:

-to the 77th Distribution Stores-Forli	"	450	" "	50 "
-to the 6th Military Ration Stores-Bologna	"	1.170	" "	190 "
- to the 7th " " " Florence	"	1.740	" "	120 "
-to the 78th " " " Leghorn	"	740?	" "	100 "
-to the " " " Ancona	"	850	" "	140 "
-to the ? Milan	"	310	" "	?

-from the Military Commissariat Directorate-Bari:

-to the 11th Special Ration Depot-Catania	"	2.800	" "	300 "
-to the 9th " " " Bari	"	1.410	" "	395 "
-to the Calabria Stores on the request of the Commissariat Section, Catanzaro	"	790	" "	85 "

-from the Military Commissariat Directorate -Naples:

-to the 14th Special Food Stores -Cagliari	"	1.200	" "	200 "
-to the 8th Distribution Stores - Rome	"	4.000	" "	450 "
-to Central Military Schools-Cesano	"	1.500	" "	170 "
-to the 10th Special Ration Depot-Naples	"	.300	" "	270 "

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- TRANSPORT SCHEDULE

Owing to the urgent need for transport, this Ministry will schedule, for the period 31 Dec 45 to the 6 Jan 46, only the following quantities:

Flour.

Quintals	2.500	from	Mestre	to Milan
"	500	"	"	" Rome
"	200	"	Ancona	" Forli
"	1.000	"	"	" Bologna
"	1.000	"	"	" Florence
"	400	"	"	" Leghorn
"	1.000	"	Bari	" Catania
"	2.000	"	Naples	" Rome
"	1.000	"	"	" Cesano

Vegetables.

Quintal	300	"	Mestre	" Milan
"	150	"	"	" Florence
"	100	"	"	" Rome
"	25	"	Ancona	" Forli
"	100	"	"	" Bologna
"	50	"	"	" Leghorn
"	150	"	Bari	" Catania
"	250	"	Naples	" Rome
"	100	"	"	" Cesano

The remaining transportation must be carried out by the means of special schedules to be requested by telegram or telephone from this Ministry, in such a way as to guarantee to arrival of the foodstuffs at their destinations by the 31st of this month. Movement orders will be

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Quintal	300	"	Mestre	" Milan
"	150	"	"	" Florence
"	100	"	"	" Rome
"	25	"	Ancona	" Forli
"	100	"	"	" Bologna
"	50	"	"	" Leghorn
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The remaining transportation must be carried out by the means of special schedules to be requested by telegraph or telephone from this Ministry, in such a way as to guarantee to arrival of the foodstuffs at their destinations by the 21st of this month. Movement orders will be requested from the Transport Office, S...., each time that foodstuffs become available.

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Receiving units are also authorised to effect withdrawals, using their own vehicles.

The Commissariat Directorate of Bari will request the movement orders for the Calabria Stores from the Transport Delegation, Naples.

The Commissariat Directorate of Milan and the Commissariat Section of Mestre will supply the Ration Distribution Stores of the sector with the quantities assigned and those already existing. Supply to the 4th Ration Distribution Stores, Bolzano will be made on a basis of 11.000 rations.

Supply to the 7 Ration Distribution Stores, Florence and the 6 Ration Distribution Stores, Rome has been arranged for respective daily ration strengths of 14.000 and 25.000.

The quantities of flour assigned cover the requirements for pasta and bread for the month of January.

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The Military Commissariat Directorate of Naples will supply pasta to:

- illegible (T.N)
- the Military Ration Stores of Cesano, on a strength of 10.000 rations daily
- the Special Ration Depot of Cagliari, " " " " 11.000 " "

deducting from the above, the quantities of flour required.

The Military Commissariat Directorate of Bari will supply pasta to:

-the Special Ration Depot of Catania, on a strength of 18.000 rations daily;
-the Stores of Calabria, on a strength of 5.000 rations daily, according to information supplied by the Military Commissariat Section of Catanzaro,

deducting from the above, the quantities of flour employed in the making of the pasta.

this line illegible (T.N.).

Having previously made agreements with the local Transport Delegation, the Military Commissariat Directorate of Naples will make supply to Sardinia with the first ship leaving.

, bearing in mind those quantities existing on the 31st of this month, the quantities of flour and vegetables assigned cover the complete requirements for the month of January 1946.

This Ministry has no further stocks available in addition to those mentioned above.

We therefore beg the Commissariat Directorates and Sections to inform us, in an exact and scrupulous manner, whether the said quantities correspond with actual requirements, and also whether the said quantities exceed the said requirements.

This information, to be made by telegram, must be received by the 31st of December 45, in order that we may be able to instruct any eventual adjustments

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We hereby confirm that in substitution of rice-eventually not available-flour and paste can not be distributed to ITI-ITI units (including the C.C.RR.) of the Italian Army.

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For the Minister,
agd. Pelligra.

Bf/Viarg

this letter has been superseded by MMIA 100 only release at Naples & Bari.

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SC 5 Ma 11 Dec

S & T, MMIA.
Recd DEC 27 1945
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direz.Gen.Serv.di Comm/to ed Amm.
-- Divisione Sussistenze --

N. 24479 /5/1 di prot.

Roma, li 19 dicembre 1945.-

OGGETTO: rifornimento farina e legumi

ALLE DIREZ. DI COM/TO MIL. DUEI
C/DI MIL. TERR./LI DI: NAPOLI - BARI
ALLE SEZ. DI COM./TO MIL. DI:
MESTRE - ANCONA

e,per conoscenza:

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

ALLO S.I.T.E. - Ufficio Trasporti - CESENA
ALLO S.A.I.E. - Ufficio Servizi -
AI C/DI MIL. TERR./LI DI: BARI - UDINE - NAPOLI - BOLOGNA -
AI C/DO SCUOLE CENTRALI MILITARI
ALLE DIREZ. DI CO../.O MIL. DI: TORINO - GENOVA - MILANO - UDINE
BOLOGNA - BOLZANO - FIRENZE - ROMA - PALERMO -
ALLE SEZ. DI COM./.O MIL. DI: ALESSANDRIA - VERONA - LIVORNO -
CARRARO - CAGLIARI

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Seguito ordini telegrafici e telefonici.-

Pregasi provvedere all'immediato ritiro dai depositi alleati delle seguenti derrate:

- SEZIONE DI COMM/TO MIL. MESTRE :
  . farina q.li 10.000 circa
  . legumi " 1.300 circa
- SEZIONE COM./TO MIL. ANCONA :
  . farina q.li 6.000 circa
  . legumi " 700 "
- BARI: Da COM./TO MIL. DI NAPOLI
  . farina q.li 5.000 circa
  . legumi " 1.100 "
- DIREZIONE DI COM./TO MIL. BARI:
  . farina q.li 5.000
  . legumi " 700

TRANSMISSION
Time 1130
Date 20/12
Time 1200
Date 21/12

Le derrate dovranno essere così spedite:

- Sezione di Com/.o MESTRE:

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AERE DIREZ. DI CO../10 MIL. DI ..ORINO - GENOVA - MILANO - UDINE
BOLOGNA - BOLZANO - FIRENZE - ROMA - PADERNO -
ALLE SEZ. DI CO../10 MIL. DI ALESSANDRIA - VERONA - LIVORNO -
CATANZARO - CAGLIARI

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Seguito ordini telegrafici e telefonici..
Pregasi provvedere all'immediato ritiro dai depositi allea
ti delle seguenti derrate:

- SEZIONE DI COM./TO MIL. MESTRE :
  . farina q.li 10.000 circa
  . legumi " 1.300 circa
- SEZIONE COM./TO MIL. ANCONA :
  . farina q.li 6.000 circa
  . legumi " 700 "
- DIREZ. DI COM./TO MIL. DI NAPOLI
  . farina q.li 9.000 circa
  . legumi " 1.100 "
- SEZIONE DI COM./TO MIL. TARI:
  . farina q.li 5.000
  . legumi " 700

TRANSPORTATION
1130
Data 20/2
Time 1200
21/2

Le derrate dovranno essere così spedite:

- Sezione di Com./to MESTRE:
  . al 3° Dep.Spec.Viv. Milano q.li 5.000 farina - q.li 500 legumi
  . all'8° Mag.Viv.Roma " 500 " " 100 "
  . al 5° Dep.Spec.Viv.Mestre " 4.500 " " 550 "
  . al 7° Mag.Mil.Viv.Firenze = " 150 "
- Sezione di Com/to di Ancona :
  al 7° Mag.Distr.Forlì q.li 450 farina q.li 50 legumi
  al 6° Mag.Mil.Viv.Bologna " 1.700 " " 190 "
  al 7° " " " Firenze " 1.[illegible] " " 120 "
  al 78° " " " Livorno " [illegible] " " 100 "
  al " " " Ancona " 850 " " 140 "
  [illegible] " [illegible] "

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- DIREZ.COMM/TO MIL. DI BARI :
  . all'11° Dep.Spec.Viv. Catania q.li 2.800 farina - q.li 300 legumi
  . al 9° " " " Bari " 1.410 " " 395 "

- Ai Magazzini della Calabria
  su richiesta della Sez.di
  Comm/to di Catanzaro .... " 790 farina " 85 legumi

- DIREZ. DI COMM/TO MIL. DI NAPOLI:
  . al 12° Dep.Spec.Viv.Cagliari q.li 1200 farina - q.li 200 legumi
  . all'8° Mag.Distr.Roma " 4000 " " 460 "
  . C/Co Scuole Centr.Mil.Cesano " 1500 " " 170 "
  . al 10° Dep.Spec.Viv. Napoli " 2300 " " 270

- PROGRAMMAZIONE TRASPORTI

Data l'urgenza dei trasporti questo Ministero programmerà per il periodo 3° dicembre - 6 gennaio soltanto i seguenti quantitativi:

• farina
  q.li 2.500 da Mestre a Milano
  " 500 " " " Roma
  " 200 " Ancona a Forlì
  " 1.000 " " " Bologna
  " 1.000 " " " Firenze
  " 400 " " " Livorno
  " 1.000 " Bari a Catania
  " 2.000 " Napoli a Roma
  " 1.000 " " " Cesano

• legumi
  q.li 300 da Mestre a Milano
  " 150 " " " Firenze
  " 100 " " " Roma
  " 25 " Ancona a Forlì
  " 100 " Ancona a Bologna
  " 50 " Ancona a Livorno
  " 150 " Bari a Catania
  " 260 " Napoli a Roma
  " 100 " Napoli a Cesano

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Gli altri trasporti dovranno essere effettuati con programmi

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Il periodo 3 dicembre - 5 gennaio soltanto i seguenti quantitativi:

- farina
  q.li 2.500 da Mestre a Milano
  " 500 " " " Roma
  " 200 " Ancona a Forlì
  " 1.000 " " " Bologna
  " 1.000 " " " Firenze
  " 400 " " " Livorno
  " 1.000 " Bari a Catania
  " 2.000 " Napoli a Roma
  " 1.000 " " " Cesano

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  q.li 300 da Mestre a Milano
  " 150 " " " Firenze
  " 100 " " " Roma
  " 25 " Ancona a Forlì
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  " 260 " Napoli a Roma
  " 100 " Napoli a Cesano

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Gli altri trasporti dovranno essere effettuati con programmi straordinari da richiedere telegraficamente o telefonicamente a questo Ministero in maniera che le derrate possano essere a destinazione entro il 31 corrente. Per lo S.E. Trasporti di fa riserva di richiedere gli ordini di movimento di volta in volta che saranno disponibili le derrate.-

Gli enti destinatari sono autorizzati anche a curarne il ritiro con propri mezzi.-

La Direz.di Comm.di Bari richiederà alla Delegazione Trasporti di Napoli gli ordini di movimento per i Magazzini della Calabria.-

La Direz.di Comm/to di Milano e la Sez.di Comm.to di Mestre, con i quantitativi assegnati e quelli esistenti provvederanno al rifornimento dei Mag.Distribuz.Viv. del Settore. I rifornimenti al 4°

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Mag. Distribuz.Viv.di Bolzano saranno fatti per 11.000 razioni.-

Il rifornimento per il 7° Mag.Distribuz.Viv.di Firenze e per l'8° Mag.Distribuz.Viv.di Roma è stato previsto rispettivamente per 14.000 e 29.000 razioni al giorno.-

I quantitativi di farina assegnati coprono il fabbisogno per il mese di gennaio occorrente per la pastificazione e la panificazione.-

La Direz.di Comm/to Mil.di Napoli rifornirà pasta:l :

- . . . . . .
- al Mag.Mil.Viv.di Cesano per n.10.000 razioni al giorno;
- al Dep.Spec.Viv.di Cagliari per n.11.000 razioni al giorno

rifornendo in meno i quantitativi di farina occorrenti.-

La Direz.di Comm/to Mil.di Bari rifornirà la pasta: l .

- al Dep.Spec.Viv.di Catania per n.18000 razioni al giorno;
- al Mag.della Calabria per n.5.000 razioni al giorno,in base a segnalazione della Sezione di Comm/to Mil.di Catanzaro;

rifornendo in meno i quantitativi di farina per impiegati per la pastificazione.-

. . . . . .

La Direz.di Comm/to Mil.di Napoli effettuerà il rifornimento in Sardegna con il primo piroscafo in partenza,previ accordi per la locale Delegazione Trasporti.-

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Questo Ministero oltre i quantitativi suddetti non dispone di alcuna scorta.

Le Direz.e le Sez.di Comm/to sono quindi pregate di segnalare in modo preciso e scrupoloso se i quantitativi stessi corrispondono all'effettivo fabbisogno e quelli ritenuti eventualmente eccedenti il fabbisogno stesso.

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- ai Mag.della Calabria per n.5.000 razioni al giorno,in base a segnalazione della Sezione di Comm/to Mil.di Catanzaro;

rifornendo in meno i quantitativi di farina pur impiegati per la pastificazione.-

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La segnalazione da farsi per telegramma dovrà pervenire entro il giorno 31 corr.,allo scopo di poter predisporre le eventuali perequazioni.-

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Si conferma che in sostituzione del riso - eventualmente non disponibile - non potrà essere distribuita farina o pasta ai reparti della categoria ITI-ITI (compresi i CC.NR.) del R.Esercito.-

P. C. C.

IL GENERALE CAPO DIVISIONE

p.IL MINISTRO
...to della...

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, C.M.F.

S.T. BRANCH.

64/2/ST5(b).
Tel Ext FINCH 214.

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21 Dec '45.

SUBJECT :- Maintenance Italian Navy and Air Force - February '46.

HQ 14 CRASC (Supply Units).
HQ 22 CRASC (Supply Units).

1. For the February maintenance of the Italian Air Force, the undermentioned releases to Italian Bulk Depots are authorised :-

Commodities.	Ex HQ 14 CRASC (Sup Units)		Ex HQ 22 CRASC (Sup Units).	
Flour	169,313	lbs.	1,281,937	lbs.
Rice	9,406	"	71,219	"
P. Meat and Fish	28,219	"	213,656	"
F/M/I.	18,813	"	142,437	"
Sugar	9,406	"	71,219	"
Coffee Beans	5,645	"	42,730	"
Pepper	47.	"	357	"

2. It is anticipated that the above items will be required on or about 7 January 1946.

3. The maintenance demand in respect of the Italian Navy will be advised in due course.

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Major General,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

COPY TO:- A.D.S.T., Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MMIA).

S & T, MMIA.
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Subject : FOOD CONTRACTORS

HQ 3 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
APO S.484
CMF

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ST/35/6

18 Dec 46

TO : HQ MMIA (ATTN Maj. Cotton)

Enclosed list as requested of contractors supplying the Italian Army with Cheese and Rice.

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Capt. RASC 2330

Contractors in Milan Area

QUINTALI 900 DI FORMAGGIO DA TAVOLA DA RITIRARE DELLE SEGUENTI DITTE:

a) FORMAGGIO FUSI

Galbani Egidio Melzo Milano
Invernizzi Giovanni Melzo Milano
Colombo Giovanni Pavia (Via R. Bricchetti, 30)

b) FORMAGGIO PROVOLONE

Amici Alfredo (Corso S. Go tardo,12) Milano
Moser Guglielmo (Via Gentilini, 9) "
Cairo Pietro Casalepusterlengo "
Ramella Marcello " " "
Pesatori Attilio Somaglia Lodigiana "
Toninelli Fratelli " " "
Rossi Fratelli Secugnano "
Rossi e Figli " "
Magnani e Carbonelli Cremona
Venosta Diego "
Negroni Fratelli Casalbuttano "
Latteria Coop. del Forcello Stagno Lombardo Cremona

c) RISO

Riseria Bianchi Enrico Vercelli

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Pesatori Attilio	Somaglia	Lodigiana
Toninelli Fratelli	"	"
Rossi Fratelli	Secugnano	"
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c) RISO

Riseria Bianchi Enrico	Vercelli
Riseria G.ppe Martinotti-Trino	"
Riseria Viazzo Ernesto Mario	"

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IMPORTANT

MMIA 5/21 SIGNALS

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FROM AFHQ 201903

TO HQ 14 CRASC (SUPPLY UNITS)

HQ 22 CRASC (SUPPLY UNITS)

INFO MMIA

GR --- BT

C45641 . UNCLASS . FROM GMQ CMF .

SUBJECT IS MAINTENANCE ITALIAN ARMED FORCES . FOLLOWING RELEASES TO MMIA BULK DEPOTS AUTHORISED .

EX 14 CRASC FLOUR 1477 PBL 167 .

EX 22 CRASC FLOUR 1477 PBL 214 . ALL IN LONG TONS .

REPORT COMPLETION WITH EXACT QUANTITES HANDED OVER

BT 201903A

SENT NR 79 E H E

"S & T" MMIA.
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TRANSLATION

FROM : Ministry of War — Ref: ????
General Directroy Military Commissariat and Account
Subsistence Div 1st Section

TO : Directorate of Military Commissariat of Naples
Section of " " Livorno

INFO : MMIA
SMRE Ufficio Servizio
" Transpott
Military Terrirorial Command Florence
Directorate of Military Commiss ariat of Turin, Milan, Genoa,
Udine, Bolzano, Bologna. Florence, Roem Bari Palermo
to Sections of Military Commissariato of Allessaddria., Verona, Mestre,
Caranzaro Cagliari Ancona.
Central Driving School HQ Cesano.

SUBJECT:- Food Furnishment.

Confirming previous orders given by telephone and signal-
Provide pleasefor the immediate withdraval from American Warehouses
the following amount of commodities.
Diretorate of Commissariat of Naples-

418,950 lbs of Sugar
Commissariat Section at Leghorn

261,844 lbs of Coffee
1167,875 " " Tinned Meat
[illegible]0,000 " " Tinned Fish

The above mentioned commodities are accordind to the foreseen use of the month of January for the following depots:-

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No 1 Food Distribution Depot	Turin "	101	63	303
" 2 " " "	Genoa "	67	42	202
" 4 " " "	Bolzano "	168	105	504
" 74 " " "	Verona "	50	31	151
" 5 " " "	Udine "	25	15	76
" 5 Special Food Depot	Mestre "	101	63	303
" 76 Food Depot	Ancona "	42	26	126
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Directorate of Commissariat of Supply

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" 78 Special Food Depot	Leghorn "	50	38	203
" 6 Food Depot	Bologna "	92	57	278
" 7 " "	Florence "	58	37	177
" 8 Special Depot	Rome "	223	139	669
" 10 Food Special Depot	Naples "	166	99	482
" 12 " " "	Cagliari "	92	57	278
" 64 Food Depot including No.67 and 68	Catanzaro"	42	26	126
No 9 Special Food Depot	Bari "	117	74	353
" 11 " " "	Catania "	151	94	454
HQ Central Mil School Ceasno		84	53	250
	Totals	1897	1186	5743

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The provision of commodities will be done directly to all depots listed except No. 12 Special Food depot Cagliari which will apply to No. 10 Special Food Depot, which will provide on orders from Directorate Commissariat Naples.

The provision of Sardinia and Sicily will have absolute priority above all the others.

The following Commissariats will provide at the successive issue.

Commissariat Directorate Milan.
to No. 75 Food Military Depot Piacenza from the quantity issued to No 3 Special Food Depot Milan

Commissariat Directorate Bari
to the Depots in their territory and to No 57 Food Distribution Depot Pescaro.

Commissariat Directorate in Palermo, Naples, and Commissariat Sections Cagliari Catanzaro to the depots in their territory (including 802 Reorganization Centre of Orvieto for the Commissariat Directorate Naples).

The orders of movement for transport will be requested as follows: Commissariat Directorate Naples : to the local Transport Delegation for the provision to 64 Food Distribution Depot Catanzaro , to No 9 Special Foood Distribution Cagliari, to this Ministry by telephone or signal on the basis of the foreseen course of consignment for the other shipping.

Commissariat Section Leghorn to the Transport Delegation Bologna for the provosion of the Depot at Florence, Bologna and Forli, to this Ministry by telephone or signal for the others shipping according to the foreseen caurse of consignment.

Unstanding the urgency of the provision we also authorise the concerned Directorates of Military Commissariates to provide, if they beleive it is necessary, the direct withdrawal of commodities with their own means, according to the shipping institutions in order to defer at the request of the orders of movement.

For the S.M. of Transport to ask extraordinary movements orders because the commodities designed foe consumption in the month of January must be at their destination by the 31st of the current month.

We beg the Military Terr Command Florence to put at the disposal of the Military Commissariat Section Leghorn the escort personal for the waggons.

The Commissariat Directorates of Florence will assist the Military Commissariat Section Leghorn, moving to Leghorn, if neccessary some personal of the No 7 Food Distribution Depot Florence.

For the Commissariat Directorate Naples and the Commissariat Section Leghorn we specify that the issued commodities will be quickly withdrawn, storing them for future issue.

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Distribution Cagliari, to this Ministry by telephone or signal on the basis of the foreseen course of consignment for the other shipping.

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All the Directorates of Commissariat and all the Commissariat Sections are informed that the above mentioned amounts are all to be used in the momnth of January.

This Ministry do not hold any reserve other than the above mentioned quantities

The Directorates and Sections are therefore requested to let us know correctly if the quantities are really according to the requirements, and if it is found that some exceed requirements.

This notice will be sent by signal, on the 31st of the current month, in order to be able to make the final allocation .

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Sug. Gen Pelligra
For the Minister.

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM : MMLA 20 15/5 .A.

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO : G.H.Q. CMF - 14 CRASC - 22 CRASC
9 BLU - 10 BLU

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UNCLASSIFIED (.) SUBJECT IS MAINTENANCE ITALIAN INTERIM ARMY (.)
DST (CONVERSATION TYRELL/COTTON REFERS) HAS AGREED RELEASE TO
10 ITALIAN BULK DEPOT NAPLES EX 14 CRASC (.) FLOUR ONE THOUSAND
FIVE HUNDRED P.B.L. ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY AND TO 9 ITALIAN
BULK FOOD DEPOT BARI EX 22 CRASC FLOUR ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED
P.B.L. TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTEEN (.) ALL FIGURES IN METRIC TONS

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AUTHENTICATION Lt.Col/LT.COL

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FOOD & AGRICULTURAL SUB COMMISSION

20/12/45

43-4/Food 388 18 December 1945

SUBJECT : Subsistence - Italian (Interim) Army

TO : Economic Commissioner Northern Italy
(Attn. Food & Agric. S/C Representative)
Ministry of Food, Rome

1. Reference this office letter 43-4/Food dated 15 December 1945.

2. The following amendment is notified :

Para 3. against Leghorn
Delete 110 Dried Vegetables
Insert 100 " "

J. Merritt per
JAMES M. MERRITT
Director

Distribution
Economic Section (Supply Group)
Land Forces S/C (MMIA)
Transportation S/C (Ports & Warehouses Div)
Federconsorzi, Rome
Federation Warehouse, (Alcom Depot), Ancona
" " Depot 12L50 ~~Bari~~ LEGHORN
" " Depot 676 Naples
" " Alcom Depot Venice
Federation Whse, Genoa

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S & T, MMIA.
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FOOD & AGRICULTURE SUB-COMMISSION

Dec 15,45

43-4/FOOD

SUBJECT : Subsistence - Italian (Interim) Army

TO : Milan Representative, Food & Agric. S/C
Ministry of Food.

1. Further to this Office 43-4/Food of 27 Nov 45.

2. Ministry of War has requested that quantities of items, as listed below, be made available at following locations :

	Sugar	Vegetables Dried
Genoa for Milan	62 metric tons	167 metric tons
Mestre	54 " "	110 " "
Ancona	20 " "	40 " "
Leghorn	48 " "	100 " "
Naples	114 " "	230 " "
Bari	62 " "	128 " "

The above represents two months supply.

3. To meet the above-mentioned requirement the under mentioned quantities are allocated, out of stocks blocked for AC, ex Federation Warehouses as stated.

	Sugar	Vegetables Dried
Genoa (for Milan)	82	167
Mestre	54	110
Ancona	20	40
Leghorn	48	110
Naples	114	230

4. The under mentioned quantities will be allocated by the Ministry of Food out of stocks assigned to the Italian Government at the following warehouses :

Bari 62 m. tons Sugar, 128 m. tons Dried Vegetables.

Equivalent quantities to those ex Bari are hereby allocated to the Italian Government from AC Stocks in Naples.

/sgd/ JAMES M. MURRAY
Director. S & T, AFHQ.

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Distribution

Economic Section (Supply Group)
Land Forces S/C (MMLA) - Your G1-109 of 14 Dec refers.
Transportation S/C (Ports & Warehouses Div)
Federconsorzi, Rome
Federation Warehouse, (Alcom Depot), Ancona
" " Depot 12150 Bari
" " Depot 676 Naples
" " Alcom Depot Venice
Federation Whse, Genoa

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FOOD & AGRICULTURE SUB-COMMISSION

43-4/FOOD 15 December, 1945

SUBJECT: Tomato Paste for the Italian Army.

TO : The Ministry of Food.

RECEIVED 18/12/45

1. Reference your letter AMG/III/592 of 11 December, 1945.

2. It is noted from the last paragraph of your letter that 75% of the tomato paste produced with allocated fuel and the whole of the production obtained with other fuel is unblocked and, therefore, available for purchase on the free market. Please inform the Italian Ministry of War without delay, in order that they may make immediately the requisite purchases for Italian army maintenance.

3. Please also inform this Sub-Commission why the requirements of the Italian Ministry of War cannot be given priority out of the blocked quantities of tomato paste in Southern Italy and Sicily.

James
JAMES M. BARNETT
Director

Distribution
Economic Section, Supply Group.
Land Forces Sub-Commission (SHAEF)
Ministry of War
Commissariato Interregionale dell'Alimentazione
per l'Alta Italia, Milan.

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance Italian Navy and Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Comm. MO.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102
19 Dec 45.

Ministry of War.

Copy to:- 9 RAI
10 RAI
Navy Sub Commission MO.
Air Force Sub Commission MO.

Ref this HQ ST/102 dated 14 Dec 45.

1. Authority is given under CCS, CAC Q4/2/26(4) dated 18 Dec 45 for the release of pepper as under for the maintenance of the Italian Navy and Air Force for January 1946.

Re	14 [illegible]	(Supply Units)	NAPLES	- Pepper 436 lbs
"	22 [illegible]	(Supply Units)	BARI	- Pepper 436 lbs

Lt.Col. RASC.
AMST, Land Forces Sub Comm. MO.(RTA)

AS/gmc

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance US-TTI Air Forces.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
SF/102

19 Dec 45.

Air Force Sub Commission.

Copy to:- Ministry of War.

1. It has been agreed that the maintenance of US-TTI Air Force units will continue as at present from US QM Depots direct.

2. This will thus be entirely separate from BR-TTI Air Force maintenance as detailed in this branch letter SF/102 of 17 Dec 45.

MPHD/gmc

Lt.Col. RASC.
AQMG, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

INTERNAL:- 'Q1' (Accounts)

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS GHF

S. T. BRANCH

64/2/3T6(b)

Ref. FREEDOM 214

28 December, 1945.

SUBJECT: Maintenance - Italian Navy and Air Force.

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H.Q., 14 C., R.A.S.C. (Sup. Units).
H.Q., 22 C., R.A.S.C. (Sup. Units).

For the January, 1946 maintenance of the Italian Navy and Air Force, please release on demand:-

Ex H.Q., 14 C., R.A.S.C. (Sup. Units)	-	Pepper	-	436 lbs.
Ex H.Q., 22 C., R.A.S.C. (Sup Units)	-	Pepper	-	436 "

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Major-General,
Director of Supplies and Transports & I. Military.

Recd DEC 19 1945

Copy to:- A.M.S.T., Land Forces Sub-Commission, A.C. (M.M.I.A.).

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM: AMMA

Dec 17 1435Z

TO : GHQ, CMF for DCT
GHQ, CMF for Q(MAINT)

INFO: 86 AMMA for AMMA LO, 7 BLU, 8 BLU, 9 BLU, 10 BLU,
ALSOM, ITALIAN MINISTRY OF WAR

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REF AMMA SIGNAL C-47119 OF 15 DEC TO ALL (.) REQUEST RELEASE
OF 3,000 METRIC TONS FLOUR AND 383 METRIC TONS VEGETABLES
DRIED AS FOLLOWS (.) ONE (.) FLOUR, MUSTRE 1,000, ANCONA
600, NAPLES 900, BARI 500,(.) TWO (.) VEGETABLES DRIED,
LEGHORN 130, ANCONA 70, NAPLES 110, BARI 76 (.) FOR Q(MAINT) (.)
CONFIRMED 3,000 AND 383 M. TONS FLOUR AND VEGETABLES DRIED RESPECTIVELY
TO BE MERGED IN KIND BY ITALIAN IMPORT PROGRAM BY 30 APRIL 46 (.)

ORIGINAL

AMMA, ALEX

PROTECTION DEPARTMENT

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OF 3,000 METRIC TONS FLOUR AND 385 METRIC TONS VEGETABLES
DRIED AS FOLLOWS (.) OIL (.) FLOUR, MESSINA 1,000, ANCONA
600, NAPLES 900, BARI 500,(.) FAT (.) VEGETABLES DRIED,
MESSINA 130, ANCONA 70, NAPLES 110, BARI 78 (.) FOR QUANTITY (.)
CONFIRMED 3,000 AND 385 M. TONS FLOUR AND VEGETABLES DRIED RESPECTIVELY
TO BE REPLACED FROM ITALIAN IMPORT PROGRAM BY 30 APRIL 46 (.)

EXTERNAL

AFHQ, G-5 Div

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATION

DAOS

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"S & T. [redacted]

Read DEC 19 1945

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TRANSLATION

From : Ministry of War

To : Direz.di Comm/to dei C/di Mil. Territ/li
Sezioni di comm/to militare

Ref 23658/S/1
7 Dec 45

for info : Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. (MMA)
Gabinetto
S.M.E.E. - Ufficio Servizi
Comandi Militari Territoriali
Ufficio Militare Territ/le Sardegna
Ufficio Situazioni

SUBJECT ; Fortnightly periods for the distribution of food rations.

This Ministry, on account of the new procedure under which the supplying of food rations will be made, and in variation of the regulations at present in force, orders that the fortnightly periods for which the distribution of rations must be made shall run as follows : -

- 1st fortnightly period : from the 1th to the 15th of each month;
- 2nd " " : " " 16th " " last day of each month.

Owing to the above-mentioned variations in the periods : 239/Vol VIII

1) Instructions issued in circular No. 15794/S/1 dtd 24 Aug 45, and concerning regulations for the drawing of rations, must be amended;
2) Distribution of rations for the present month must be distinctly made as follows :
   a) for consumption from the 6th to the 20th ;
   b) " " " " 21th to the 31th of December 1945.

With these instructions, we intend to ensure that before the 30 th or 31th of December 1945, no ration distribution stores may issue to units of the Italian Army belonging to ITI-ITI categories (and including the CC.RR.), foodstuffs for consumption on or after the 1th of January 1946.

Careful and scrupulous attention must be given to the above-mentioned regulations.

The Military Commissariat Directorates will be held responsible for the application of these regulations.

3) The necessity of setting aside on the month preceding, withdrawal requirements for the 1th to the 5th of each month, having been eliminated, units will now make withdrawals, using two, instead of three vouchers monthly.

4) The Stock Movement Schedules (Forms P) must be made out up th the 15th and the last days of each month.

The schedules still to be compiled for the present month will be made out :

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- up to the 20 December, for the period 6 to 20 ;
- up to the 31 December, for the period 21 to 31;

These must arrive at the Reports Office of this Ministry by the fourth day after the closure of the period.

5) Telegraphic communications of the remainders in foodstuffs indicating the number of days of autosufficiency must be made out up to the new dates, and must arrive by the third day after the closure of each period.

We beg you to confirm.

For the Minister

/sgd/ PELLIGRA

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"S & T. MISSION.
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SUBJECT:- Subsistence Italian (Interim) Army.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

Ministry of War. 16 Dec 45.

1. Rice (760 metric tons) and Cheese (760 metric tons) are being made available ex local production Northern Italy in the period 1 Jan - 30 April 46.

2. Instructions have been given to the appropriate authorities for the blocking of above quoted commodities. Monthly requirements are Rice 190 tons and Cheese 190 tons.

3. Commissariat MILAN should communicate with Dott. PELLEGRINI, Comm Interregionale per l'Alimentazione, Via Palecapa 4 MILAN who will give the location of the firms from which the rice and cheese may be collected.

Lt.Col. R.S.O.
AD/T, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

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Copy to:- 3 BLU (to liaise with Lieut, CONDICT, Food Division, Adv HQ AC MILAN, in the event of any difficulties being encountered by the Comm MILAN.).

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SUBJECT :- Maintenance of Italian Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Comm A.C.
(M.E.I.C.).
57/102

17 Dec 43

MINISTRY OF WAR.

Copy to :- Air Force Sub-Commission AC.

Reference this Branch letter 57/102 of 17 Dec 43.

1. Plans arrange for the undermentioned commodities to be released to the Italian Air Force at the points indicated from British Provided Stocks. This is for February maintenance plus 15 days reserve.

Scale.	Commodity	Variant Strength 3,720	Unit Strength 25,920	Total Strength 29,640
		Tons	Tons	Tons
6/7 oz.	Cheese	2,063	61,084	63,147
1/2 oz.	Tomato Paste	1,704	35,520	37,224

2. The Air Ministry has asked that these commodities be delivered by 7 Jan 44.

J.A. Gen. Staff.
AD/T, Land Forces Sub Comm A.C.(MMIC).

MFHQ/62

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Internal copy to :- G.(Accounts.)

SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Comn. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

DMT, GHQ, CMF.

1) Dec 45.

Copy to:- Air Force Sub Commission AC.
Ministry of War.

Further to this Branch ST/102 of 14 Dec 45.

1. Details of feeding strength have now been received and application is forwarded for the release of the undermentioned commodities to the Italian Air Force at the points indicated.

2. This request covers maintenance for February plus a 15 day reserve and it is now asked that delivery be effected by 7 Jan 45.

SCALE	COMMODITY	NAPLES strength 5,500 lbs	BARI strength 26500 lbs	TOTAL strength 30000 lbs
15 ozs	FLOUR	141,094 /	1,068,281	1,209,375
3 ozs	MACARONI	28,219 /	213,656	241,875
1 ozs	RICE	9,406 /	71,219	80,625
3 ozs	P. MEAT & FISH	28,219 /	213,656	241,875
2 ozs	VEG DRIED	18,813 /	142,437	161,250
1 ozs	SUGAR	9,406 /	71,219	80,625
½ ozs	COFFEE	4,704 (+)	35,609 (+)	40,313 (+)
1/200 ozs	PEPPER	47 /	357	404

(+) increase by 20% if delivered as coffee beans.

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Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(IMIA).

MPHD/gmc

INTERNAL:- '04'

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MINISTRY OF WAR (CONVERSATION FINLAND - NELSON REPORT).

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UNCLASSIFIED (.) ARMY C 47119 15 DEC REPORT (.) RELEASE REQUESTED AS FOLLOWS (.) FLOUR MIXTURE ONE THOUSAND TONS ARDUNA SIX HUNDRED TONS NAPLES NINE HUNDRED TONS BARI FIVE HUNDRED TONS (.) DRIED VEG MIXTURE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY TONS ARDUNA SEVENTY TONS NAPLES ONE HUNDRED AND TEN TONS BARI SEVENTY EIGHT TONS (.) ALL IN METRIC TONS (.) TELEPHONE CONVERSATION BYNES/COTTON REPORTS

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IMPORTANT

(GS/102)

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Lt.Col.

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Please should be consulted

Westinghouse $1.10'000 5 15cu
Buffalo $ 6000 6 15cu
Mayrock $ 9'000 10 15cu
Barco $ 5'000 7 15cu Total $1. 30'000

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C47119
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Cullen.

Nuclear $ 1300
Bureau $ 400
Mayrock $ 1100
Barco $ 480 Totals 3'880

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Columbia Fuel Corp.

+91 60 Barco 39.9
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INCOMING SIGNAL

FROM: AFHQ from Q(Maint) CHQ CMF Dec. 15 1943A

TO : MMIA

INFO: PENBASE PEN OUTH ALCOM

C-47119 UNCLASSIFIED

ONE (.) YOUR LETTER Q/1-108 OF 12 DEC REQUESTED CERTAIN ITEMS MADE AVAILABLE FROM SURPLUS ALLIED MILITARY STOCKS FOR MAINTENANCE ITALIAN ARMY (.) TWO (.) EVIDENT PARTICULARLY IN CASE OF FLOUR AND MACARONI THAT VERY LITTLE CONTRIBUTION MADE FROM CIVIL IMPORT PROGRAMME (.) THREE (.) WORLD FOOD SITUATION HAS RESULTED IN CANCELLATION OF MANY SHIPMENTS ON MILITARY ACCOUNT CONSEQUENTLY NEGLIGIBLE SURPLUSES FOR DISPOSAL TO ANY SOURCE AND MILITARY RALYING ON STOCKS FOR CONTINUED MAINTENANCE (.) FOUR (.) PARA 11C OF AG 091.711 G(SD) OF 2 NOV 45 ALLOWS LOANS FOOD UP TO 1 JAN 46 ONLY PARA 13C ALLOWS ONLY FOR TRANSFER SURPLUS STOCKS (.) FIVE (.) ON THIS BASIS CAN MAKE AVAILABLE NOW (A) ON LOAN SUBJECT TO REPAYMENT IN KIND BEFORE 30 APR 46 FLOUR 3000 TONS VEGETABLES DRIED 388 TONS FROM BRITISH STOCKS (B) AGAINST TROOP PAY ACCOUNT PRESERVED MEAT FISH 1725 TONS COFFEE 285 TONS SUGAR 190 TONS FROM US STOCKS (C) ALL ABOVE IN METRIC TONS (.) SIX (.) DETAILS OF HANDOVER WILL BE SIGNALLED SEPARATELY BY DIST CHQ CMF AND QM MTOUSA (.) ALL COMMODITIES AVAILABLE NAPLES AREA EXCEPT MEAT FISH AND COFFEE WHICH AVAILABLE LEGHORN (.) SEVEN (.) COULD MAKE FLOUR AVAILABLE MESTRE ANCONA BARI AND NAPLES IF DESIRED (.) SIGNAL BREAKDOWN SOONEST SOT CHQ CMF (.) EIGHT (.) FURTHER QUANTITIES FLOUR CANNOT BE RELEASED WITHOUT DETRIMENT TO ALLIED

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POSITION AND COULD NOT BE CONSIDERED WITHOUT FULLEST EXAMINATION INTO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT AVAILABILITIES (.) CANNOT PROVIDE PEPPER OR MACARONI (.) AGREED MTOUSA

DEC 17 1945

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance Italian Navy and Air Force.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AG.
(M.M.I.A.).
SX/102

14 Dec 45.

Re Mss. dated.

Copy to:- Ministry of War
Navy Sub Commission AG.
Air Force Sub Commission. AG.

1. Refer the maintenance of Italian Navy and Air Force the only item required for January maintenance is 872 Tbs Kapper which it is now understood is likely to be available.

2. My therefore authority please be issued for release of this commodity as under as soon as possible.

ITEM	QUANTITY	FOR ALLOCATION BY
COPPER	436 Tns	No. 9 Italian Bulk Depot BARI
COPPER	436 Tns	No. 10 " " " NAPLES

3. Regarding conversation Col. [illegible] - Lt.Col. [illegible] the fact that it has not hitherto been necessary to demand for the maintenance of the Italian Navy and Air Force is due to the authorised reserves totalling 45 days held in Italian Bulk and Distribution Depots which were supplied ex British and US stocks. Since the Italian Interim Army has been maintained through the Italian Ministry of Food the British provided portion of these reserves has been utilised in maintaining the Italian Navy and Air Force.

4. As soon as definite breakdowns etc have been received from the Navy and Air Force Sub Commissions it is proposed to submit demands to you for February plus a 15 day reserve to be held in the respective Italian Navy and Air Force Depots. Delivery of these posts would be required on or about 20 January 1946.

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Lt.Col, R.A.S.C.
AFHQ, Land Forces Sub Comm. AG.(M.M.I.A.).

RFHQ/CMC

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102
17 Dec 45.

13 CRASC (Supply Unit).

Ref your 9093/ST dated 8 Dec 45.

1. Confirmed that Issue Vouchers enclosed in a/m letter have been received.

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

AC/gms

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces.

HQ 13 CRASC Supply Units CMF
Tel : 61 Area Exts 43 44 & 45
Ref : 9093/ST

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10/12/45

P Dec 45. 57.

A.D.S.T.
H.Q. M.M.I.A. ROME

Reference this HQ letter of even number dated 23 Nov 45.

1. May the receipt of Issue Vouchers enclosed therewith please be confirmed.

Lt Col,
13 C.R.A.S.C. Supply Units.

"S & T" MMIA.
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SUBJECT:- Maintennnce BR-ITI Service Units.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

8 Dec 45.

Ministry of War.
List "B"

1. Reference maintennnce of BR-ITI Service Units ex British depots, DST GHQ CMF has now agreed as a result of representations made by this HQ that of the 16 ozs of Vegetables Fresh issued to these units 7 ozs may be issued in the form of Potatoes Fresh if desired. No equivalents for Potatoes will however be issued.

2. For your information the GHQ authority for the issue of 16 ozs Vegetables Fresh is 64/ST6 of 13 Nov and similarly the authority for the issue of potatoes as above is 64/ST6 of 5 December 1945.

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

MPHD/gmc

INTERNAL:- 'Q'
ST/140
War Mny (2)

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TRANSLATION

Phonogram received from Ministry of War 7 Dec 45.

Ministry of Food informs MOW that they have assigned 50 tons soft cheese and 40 tons provolone cheese from Lombardi to cover 180 tons cheese requirements Iti Army .

The remaining 90 tons will be issued very shortly.

DAPS

C & T. MIN.
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

S. T. Branch

SUBJECT: Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces

64/ST6

Tel: Freedom 492

5 December 1945

DDST, 13 Corps
DDST, 2 District
DDST, 3 District
DADST, Rome Area Allied Command

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Further to my letter of even number dated 13 Nov 45.

1. Representations have been made by AMLS that the fresh veg in issue to BRI-ITI units does not include potatoes, whereas when this issue is made from Italian sources, approximately 40% is in terms of fresh potatoes.

2. Authority is therefore given to issue 7 ozs of the 16 ozs fresh veg on the scale in the form of fresh potatoes if required.

3. Addressees should include their requirements of fresh potatoes for issues to BRI-ITI units in future demands for priority releases. No equivalents for potatoes will be issued.

W. Marshall-Cornwall
Major-General,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to: ADST, MMIA
1X, 13 Corps (Sup Units)
1X, 14 Corps (Sup Units)
1X, 22 Corps (Sup Units)

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"S & T" MMIA.
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"S & T", MMIA.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
Food & Agriculture Sub-Commission

27 November 1945

43-4/Food

SUBJECT:- Subsistence Italian (Interim) Army.

TO : Economic Section (Supply Division)

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1. Reference Land Forces Sub Commission letter G/1-104 of 20 Nov 45 addressed to you and this Sub Commission.

2. The quantities of rice (760 metric tons) and cheese (760 tons) can be made available ex local production in Northern Italy in the period 1 Jan - 30 Apr 1946. Instruction to block these quantities will be issued to the appropriate agencies in Northern Italy.

3. Ministry of Food being requested to state whether 380 tons tomato paste could be made available ex local production in Southern Italy during the same period.

4. 380 tons sugar and 775 tons of dried vegetables can be made available for the same period out of imported stocks held in Feder-Consorzi Warehouse but not yet assigned to Italian Government. The balance of sugar and dried vegetables requirement will have to be found from additional imports or purchases from Allied Surplus Disposal Agencies.

/S/ JAMES M. MERRITT
Director

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Distribution

Food Sub Commission - Milan Office - For action as in para 2
Please report where quantities blocked are located.
Monthly quantities required are as follows : Rice 190 tons
Cheese 190 tons
Ministry of Food, Rome - Please answer query in para 3.
Commissario Interregionale Alimentazione per l'Alta Italia
M.M.I.A.

do the above figs incl the 30% reserve agreed?
already included in "S & T" PARMA.
Rec'd DEC 7 1945
Ref to ST/

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SUBJECT:- Subsistence - Italian (Interim) Army.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

ST LO 5 BLU c/o 86 AREA.

5 Dec 45.

Copy to:- Ministry of War.

Confirming telephone conversation Capts. TRELEAVEN/HART-DYKE.

1. The Ministry of War is in agreement with the proposal to release 34 tons F/B/L ex MESTRE Bulk Depot pending receipt of a similar quantity ex civil depot. It is also confirmed that the quantity to be despatched is required for current consumption and should be in good condition.

2. It has since been learned that authority has now been granted for release of 34 tons F/B/L ex civil depot VENICE and not at MESTRE as was previously understood.

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MCPHD/gmac

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

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TRANSLATION

FROM : Ministry of War 22690/S/1

TO : ALL Military Territorial Commands 26 Nov 45
SARDINIA Military Territorial Office

INFO : MMIA
ALL Commissariat Directorates
ALL Commissariat Sections

SUBJECT:- Food provisioning to BR-ITI units.

Further to signal 21865/S/1 of 15 Nov it is confirmed that BR-ITI units must draw from British Distribution Depots also the following items of the ration scale:

Fresh vegetables	12 ozs *
Fresh Fruit	4 "

Therefore, the said items will not be purchased by units in question from the market.

Sgd. Gen. Pelligra

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*S & T. MMIA.
Recd NOV 30 1945
File ST/ 102.

* actually 16 ozs with 6 oz bread - which would give allowance for preparation & shrinkage given by D/Ltr.

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direz.Gener.Serv.Comm/to ed Amm/vi
Div.Sussistenze Sez.I^

P.M.3800,li 26-11-1945

S.T.

N. 22690/S/1 di prot.
Oggetto:- Vettovagliamento reparti BR-ITI.-

AI COMANDI MIL. TERR/LI (tutti) LORO SEDI
ALL'UFF.MIL. TERR/LE DELLA SARDEGNA CAGLIARI
e, per conoscenza:
ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.) R O M A
ALLE DIREZ.DI COMM.MIL.TERR/RI (tutte) LORO SEDI
ALLE SEZ.DI COMM/TO MIL. (tutte) LORO SEDI

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A seguito telegramma n. 21865/S/1 del 13 corrente, si conferma che i reparti dell'Esercito della categoria BR-ITI devono prelevare presso i Magazzini Britannici di Distribuzione anche i seguenti generi costituenti la razione viveri:

- verdura fresca 12 once
- frutta fresca 4 "

Pertanto, tali generi non potranno più essere acquistati direttamente dal commercio a cura dei reparti in parola.-

p.IL MINISTRO
Fto PELLIGRA

P. C. C.
IL [illegible] DIVISIONE

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p.IL MINISTRO
Fto PELLIGRA

P. C. C.
IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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SUBJECT:- Maintenance BR-ITI Service Units.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

24 Nov 45.

D.S.T., GHQ, CMF.

Copy to:- Ministry of War.

1. Reference your letters G4/SP6 of 6 Nov 45 and G4/SP6 of 13 Nov 45, an will be appreciated the issue of 16 ozs vegetables fresh from British depots to BR-ITI Service Units excludes potatoes. Comment on this point has been received from Italian units concerned and in view of the fact that prior to the British Depots supplying them with Fresh Vegetables they had been receiving a proportion of potatoes it is asked that the matter be reexamined with a view to a proportion of the fresh vegetable issue being made in terms of potatoes.

2. For your information issues of fresh vegetables are authorised by the Italian War Ministry to Italian Armed Forces in the following approximate proportions:-

Green Vegetables	45 per cent
Root Vegetables	15 " "
Potatoes	40 " "

3. If you are unable to agree to an issue of potatoes the Italian Ministry of War would be prepared to resume responsibility for the provision of fresh fruit and vegetables for BR-ITI Service Units.

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Lt.Col. RASC.
AQMG, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

RCMD/GHC

INTERNAL: "G" HQ MMIA

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TRANSLATION

From : ... of War

To : ...In

Ref : 2295/S/1

Dtd : 22 Nov 45

Subject : Phonogram.

Comiliter Bolzano has informed us that the L.O. ...In is not able to inform us from which Allied stores BR-ITI units must draw the Allied part of their rations. We beg you to communicate locations of the British stores located in the jurisdictional area of the ~~Schenna~~ BOLZANO Territorial Hq. For the Minister Pelligra.

sgd. illegible;

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"S & T" MIBA.
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Divisione Sussidiaria

22.11.45

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

ROMA

GUERRA COMMISSARIATO N. 22205/1 AIT COMILITER BOLZANO PARTE

COMUNICATO DEL UFFICIALE COLLEGAMENTO M.M.I.A. DOT DOT TE

PRATO DI INDICARE PRESSO QUALI MAGAZZINI ALLEATI REPARTI

BR-III DEBBE PRELEVARE PARTE RAZIATA VIVERI AI PRENASI CC=

MUNICARE DISLOCAZIONE DIPENDENTI MAGAZZINI BRITANNICI DESIDERE=

TI NELLA CIRCOSCRIZIONE DEL COMANDO TERRITORIALE DI BOLZANO

AIT PROMILITARE GUERRA FRANCHA 14CO22

IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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Subject: Release of Foodstuffs for Maintenance ITI-ITI

ST MMIA LO NW ITALY
MILAN

Tel: Milan 13988
Ref: STG/14

23 November 1945

To : A.D.S.T. ←
Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

Reference telephone conversation of even date Capt. Hart.Dyke - SQMS Laing speaking.

1. Herewith for confirmation and future reference names and addresses of Officers and officials contacted to secure release of Cheese and Rice.

(a) Lieut-Col. Horn (B) Chief, Food Division AMG Milan

(b) Lieut. Condict (A) Food Division, Adv. HQ., AC. Milan

(c) Dott. Pellegrini(I) Comm.Interregionale p.l'Alimentazione
Via Paleocapa 4, Milan, Phone 81522

(d) Dott. Barozzi (I) 2nd in command to (c) above

(e) Sig. Caminada (I) Ufficio Industria Riseria,
Via Pietro Verri 8, Milan, for RICE

(f) Dott. Garoli (I) Piazza Fiume 6, Milan,(7th Floor)CHEESE.

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2. 1 (b) receives copy of HQ.AC. Rome letter, passes to 1 (c) who freezes commodities required and in the case of RICE and CHEESE, passes to 1 (e) and 1 (f) who release on demand.

3. 1 (e) stgtes that sacks will be required from War Ministry for the Rice.

4. Releases will be made forthwith of December demands.

for Alamey Hart
S/Capt. RASC.
ST MMIA LO
NW ITALY

ASL/sa

27 NOV

"S & T. MMIA.
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SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces.

HQ 13 CRASC Supply Units. C&F.
Tel : 61 Area Exts 43- 44- 45.
Ref : 9093/ST.

23 Nov 45.

ADST
HQ MAIA RCME

1. Reference AFHQ Signal C38567 of 171454A.

2. Herewith Issue Vouchers for issue of 50 Tons. Flour to Italian Bulk Depot Ancona on 20/21 Nov 1945.

Lt-Col,
13 C.R.A.S.C. Supply Units.
O & T. MAIA.

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SUBJECT:- Releases.

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Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. IA.
N.A. ITALY
c/o HQ 88 Area
ST/5

21 Nov 45.

Sezione Commissariato,
M.STATE.

Copy to:- HQ MMIA.

1. Attached herewith, copy of Memo HQ 13 Corps letter for your information and guidance.

Capt. RA.C.
Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. MMIA.

DR

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G & T, MMIA.
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COPY

SUBJECT:- Releases to MMIA.

Rear HQ 13 Corps
CMF
2001/12/ST

19 Nov 45.

OC 6 BSD (2)

Copy to:-MMIA (c/o OC 6 BSD)
File 2001/23/ST

1. Under ST GHQ authority C 38537 dated 17 Nov 45 the following releases are authorised ex 6 BSD to MMIA Italian Bulk Depot Mestre:-

Flour	-	537,000 lbs	✓
P.Meat	-	58,000 "	✓

2. OC 6 BSD will notify this HQ on completion of the above issue.

Col.
DDST.

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C O P Y

IMPORTANT

FOR ACTION AFHQ

8593 20 November 1945 PRIORITY

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PARA ONE PD REFERENCE YOUR FOX XRAY FIVE THREE FIVE ONE ZERO DATED ONE SEVEN NOVEMBER PD PAREN TO FOR ACTION AFHQ FROM HQ AICOM CITE ACFOD PAREN

PARA TWO PD CONSIDERED DESIRABLE FOR ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TO ASSURE ON FIRST FEBRUARY 1946 ONE NINE FOUR SIX RESPONSABILITY FOR PROVIDING ALLIED MILITARY ELEMENT OF RATION FOR ITALIAN NAVY AND AIR FORCE AT PRESENT PROVIDED BY ALLIED FORCES PD PARA THREE PD PRACTICABILITY DEPENDENT UPON ITALIAN GOVERNMENT BEING ABLE TO MAKE NECESSARY FINANCIAL PROVISION FOR IMPORTATION OF FOLLOWING ITEMS CMA MONTHLY IN ADDITION TO PROPOSED CIVILIAN PROGRAMME FOR ONE NINE FOUR SIX ALL METRIC TONS CM/MEAT ONE EIGHT EIGHT FIVE CMA/ PRESERVED MEAT OR FISH TWO SEVEN EIGHT/DRIED VEGETABLES ONE FIVE EIGHT CMA/ SUGAR NINE TWO CMA/PEPPER ZERO SEVEN FOUR SIX/CMA FINANCIAL COMMITMENT THREE FIVE EIGHT CMA ZERO SIX SIX DOLLARS MONTHLY PD

PARA FOUR FD REQUISITE SUPPLIES OF ALL ABOVE ITEMS COULD NOT BE MET AFTER FIRST FEBRUARY FOUR SIX OUT OF EXISTING STOCKS HELD IN ITALIAN ARMY DEPOTS EARMARKED FOR ITALIAN NAVY AND AIRFORCE PD EXISTING STOCKS OF IMPORTED CIVIL SUPPLIES NOT SUFFICIENT TO PROVIDE MAINTENANCE OF ITALIAN NAVY AND AIRFORCE IN ADDITION TO PART MAINTENANCE OF ITALIAN ARMY PD

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Ex Commissioner
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Ministry of Food
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Ministry of Reconstruction

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SUBJECT:- Despatch of Flour BARI to NAPLES.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

Ministry of War. 2/ Nov 45.

The following despatches of wagons from BARI to NAPLES, each loaded with 15 tons flour, are notified for information.

16 Nov 45 - Wagon nos 101045, 61854, 77192008.

17 Nov 45 - " " 1022461, 175530, 340534, 459, 113359, 3558102, 146265, 77193196.

19 Nov 45.- " " 25278, 21655, 8710247, 205839.

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HFC/gmc

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(M.M.I.A).

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FROM MMIA LO 84 MED 1811005
TO PRESOUTH-FOR MMIA LO
INFO MMIA ROME)
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MMIA

S.T.

S & T, Mmia.

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S.T.

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LNKR V NAED 19209
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FROM: ITALIA LO 94 NAEAI 19 1150Z NOV
TO: PENSOUTH FOR ITALIA LO
INFO: ROMA ROMA
QSN: ST

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S & T. Misc.
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FROM : MMIA LO N ITALY

19 NOV 45

TO : MMIA ROME

ST/292

Q/173 UNCLASSIFIED . YOUR ST/1035 OF 10 . IS IT INTENDED TO INCREASE FRESH VEGETABLES TO 20 OUNCES AND FRESH FRUIT TO 8 OUNCES . DISTWO CONSIDER THIS EXCESSIVE

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SUBJECT:- Supplies of Italian origin.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

Ministry of War. 20 Nov 45.

Copy to:- 9 BIU for Capt. [redacted].

1. For your information it is reported that 28,256 lbs of almonds shelled have been transferred from a Base Supply Depot under command 22 CRASC to the Italian Bulk Depot BARI.

2. This transfer took place on the order of ST Branch CMF that any stocks of Italian provided items on the ration scale for Italian Armed Forces would be returned to nearest Italian Bulk Depot.

[redacted]/ENO

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub-Comm. AC.(M.M.I.A.).

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INCOMING SIGNAL

FROM : AFHQ

TO : AIOC M ERIA

FX 53510

Date: 17 November 45

IMPORTANT

RESTRICTED. REQUEST YOU EXAMINE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH MMIA, PRACTICABILITY AND DESIRABILITY OF MAKING ITALIAN GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING ALLIED MILITARY ELEMENT OF NATION FOR ITALIAN NAVY AND AIR FORCE AT PRESENT BEING PROVIDED BY BRITISH AND US FORCES. (SIGNED SACMED CITE FWD TO AIOC FOR ECONOMIC SECTION, NAVAL SUB COMMISSION, AIR FORCE SUB COMMISSION). MAXIMUM COMMITMENT UNDER PAR 365 AND OSIED 231 WOULD BE NAVY 75000, AIR FORCE 34000. PRESENT STRENGTHS RATIONED BY ALLIES ARE NAVY 53000, AIR FORCE 31000. 2. REQUEST YOU INFORM THIS HQ BY 1200 HRS TUESDAY 20 NOVEMBER WHETHER IN THE EVENT OF THIS RESPONSIBILITY BEING TRANSFERRED TO THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT THEY COULD PROVIDE THE NECESSARY SUPPLIES EITHER ACCORDING TO EXISTING RATION SCALES OR BY SUBSTITUTION, AND WHAT EFFECT THIS WOULD HAVE ON THE ITALIAN ECONOMY.

COPY TO : ST MMIA

What is reply

J & T, MMIA.

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MMIA 19 .A.

~~MMIA LO (ST) ROME~~
86 AREA FOR MMIA LO (ST)

54 AREA FOR MMIA LO (ST)
ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY

ST/1057

UNCLASSIFIED (.) SUBJECT IS MAINTENANCE ITALIAN ARMED FORCES (.) ST CHIEF CMF SIGNAL C 38567 OF 17 NOV AUTHORISES RELEASES FOR MONTH DECEMBER AS FOLLOWS (.) BY 13 CORPS TO BULK DEPOT MESTRE FLOUR 537,000 LBS P. MEAT FISH 58,000 LBS (.) BY 22 CRASC TO BULK DEPOT BARI FLOUR 2,400,000 LBS P.MEAT/FISH 516,000 (.) BY 13 CRASC TO ITALIAN DEPOT ANCONA FLOUR 112,000 LBS (.) TRANSD MISN WILL BE ISSUED IN FORM OF RAILMOVER

(ST/191) ST/MMIA Lt.Col.

INTERNAL:- ST/102

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TRANSLATION

FROM : MINISTRY OF WAR — Ref : 22029/S/1

TO : M.M.I.A. — Date: 16 Nov 45

INFO : Cabinet (further to 21090/S/1 of 31 Oct)

SUBJECT : New organisation for supplying of foodstuff.

This Ministry, in ac ordance to arrangements raised with M.M.I.A. in meetings of 27 and 29 Oct, conbacted the Minitry of Treasury to obtain the money eventually necessary.

The a/m Ministry has now notified in letter 7475/139 of 9 Nov copy attached, that there is no availability od money for eventual payments.

/s/ PELLIGRA.

21 Nov
Spoke Mayor re Nelson
also Sup's contact
re inclusion of arrangements
for purchase can be made by MMIA

T. & T. MMIA.
Rec'd NOV 19 1945
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TRANSLATION.

FROM : MINISTRY OF TREASURY

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO : MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE

Ref : 7475/139 Gen.

Date: 9 Nov 45

SUBJECT :- Supply of commodities for rationning of Armed Forces

Further to M.M.I.A. declaration in which is stated that it will not be able to supply commodities as in the past, reference is made to letter 21089/S undated, concerning the supply of commodities necessary for provisioning of part of the Army (about 205.000 men) for period 1st Dec 45 - 30 April 46.

In particular as regards provisioning for the month of Dec, which for obvious reasons could not be ensured through Italian Government's inport programme as agreed for following month's in a meeting held at your ministry on 6 Nov, we point out the possibility of obtaining from Allies - the whole requirements on payment in free value (dollars or sterlings).

We point out on this question, confirming what has been already pointed out by our representative during a/m meeting, that actual position does not permit us to bear this monetary burden.

We therefore suggest you to contact the Ministry for Reconstruction in order to examine other possibilities as to solve this delicate and important problem.

/s/ RICCI
The Minister.

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ps/

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

DIVISIONE SUSSISTENZE

Sezione 1ª

Prot. N° 22029/S/1 Allegati 1

Risposta al f.° del

Div. Sez. N°

P.M. 3800, 11 Roma, 16-11-45

Al LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.(MMIA)

R O M A

OGGETTO: Nuova organizzazione rifornimento viveri

e, per conoscenza:

AL GABINETTO (seguito f.21090/S/1 del 31/10)

S E D E

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Questo Ministero, in relazione a quanto concordato con codesta Sottocommissione nelle riunioni dei giorni 27 e 29 ottobre, interessò il Ministero del Tesoro per ottenere la valuta eventualmente occorrente.

Il predetto Ministero ha ora fatto conoscere con la lettera 7475/139 del 9 corrente alleg. in copia, di non avere alcuna disponibilità di divise per far fronte ad eventuali pagamenti.

p.IL MINISTRO [illegible]

[signature]

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE DEI SERVIZI AMMINISTRATIVI

Roma 1916

Div. Sez. No. Fasc.

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Risposta al foglio

Div. Sez. No.

OGGETTO

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MINISTERO DEL TESORO
Direz.Gener.delle Valute

Roma 9 Novembre 1945

Prot.7475/139.Gen.
Oggetto - Rifornimento derrate per il vettovagliamento dell'Esercito.-

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA - Direz. Gener.Serv.
Comm/to ed Amministativi
R O M A

e p.c.
AL MINISTERO INDUSTRIA E COMMERCIO
Direz.Gener.Comm.Estero R O M A
ALLA RAGIONERIA GENERALE DELLO
STATO S E D E

Si fa riferimento al foglio n. 21069/S/1 senza data concernente il problema del rifornimento dei generi occorrenti per il vettovagliamento della maggior parte dell'esercito (circa 205.000 uomini), per il periodo 1° dicembre 1945 - 30 aprile 1946, in seguito alla dichiarazione della Sottocommissione Alleata per l'Esercito di non potervi provvedere come per il passato.-

Per quanto concerne in particolare il vettovagliamento per il mese di dicembre che per ovvie ragioni di tempo non potrebbe essere assicurato attraverso il normale programma di importazioni del Governo Italiano, così come è stato deciso di provvedere per i mesi successivi nella riunione tenutasi il giorno 5 c.m. presso cotesto Ministero, si segnala la possibilità di ottenere dagli Alleati stessi l'intero fabbisogno contro pagamento in valute libere (dollari o sterline).

Al riguardo questa Amministrazione deve far presente, a conferma di quanto già prospettato dal proprio rappresentante nella suddetta riunione, che l'attuale situazione purtroppo non consente assolutamente tale onere valutario.

Si ritiene opportuno pertanto suggerire a cotesto Ministero di mettersi in contatto con quello della ricostruzione per esaminare altre eventuali possibilità per risolvere il delicato ed importante problema.

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IL MINISTRO
f.to RICCI

P. C. C.
IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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TRANSLATION

FROM : Ministry of War

22095/s/1

TO : Ministry of Food
Food Commissariat North Italy

INFO : MMIA

Further to MMIA notification please indicate where 180 tons of rice and 180 tons of cheese can be drawn from ,which have been put at our disposal for provisioning of the Army during the month of December.

The Ministry of Food is also asked to let us know if the 90 tons of tomato paste can be issued from the known quantity 25% blocked up.

Sgd. Col. Fiscaro
for the Minister

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S & T, MMIA.
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MINISTERO DELLA DIFESA

FOTOGRAMMA

MINISTERO ALIMENTAZIONE ROMA
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.(MMIA) ROMA (a mano)
QUINTA COMMISSARIATO NR. 22095/S/1 ALT DESTINATARI MINISTERO A
ROMA VIRGOLA COMMISSARIATO ALIMENTAZIONE ALTA ITALIA ET CO
MMIA ROMA ALT SEGUITO SEGNALAZIONE M.M.I.A. ROMA SIGNARSI UNDI
TA' CUI POTRANNO ESSERE RITIRATE TONNELLATE CENTOTTANTA RISO
TA CENTOTTANTA FORMAGGIO MESSO AT DISPOSIZIONE SUDDETTO PER
MENTO SCORSO MESE DICEMBRE ALT MINISTERO ALIMENTAZIONE EST
TRESI' COMUNICARE DI TONNELLATE NOVANTA CORRISPONDENTI POSSONO PO
CEDERE DA NOTA ALIQUOTA 25% (VENTICINQUE PER CENTO) BLOCCATA
STRO GUERRA PELLICIA ..190016 IL DIRETTORE CAPO DI

Ministero della Difesa

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Ufficio Servizi Comunicazioni
Distaccamento

S.T.

TELEGRAMMA

DA ALTO COMMISSARIATO ROMA
AL COMMISSARIATO SUB COMMISSION A.C.(ANZIO) ROMA (a mano)
COMMISSARIATO NR. 22095 /S/ AI DESTINATARI RIPRISTINO ALIMENTAZIONE
COMMISSARIATO ALIMENTATION ALTA ITALIA ET CORRESPONDA
IN SEGUITO SEGNALAZIONE M.M.I.A. ROMA PERVENUTA INDICANDO LOCALI-
TANTO SECCHI LITRATE TONNELLATE CENTOTTANTA RISO ET TONNELLA-
TA FORMAGGIO MESSE AT DISPOSIZIONE SOTTOSEGR PER VETTOVAGLIA-
MENTO CHE DISPONE ALT MINISTERO ALIMENTAZIONE SET PREGATO AL-
TESARE DE TONNELLATE NOVANTA CONSERVA POMODORO POTRANNO ESSERE
DATA ALIQUOTA 25% (VENTICINQUE PER CENTO) BLOCCATA ALE PECORINI-
PELLIGRA ..190016 IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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IMPORTANT

M.M.I.A.
5/15
SIGNALS

FROM X LAGE NR 132 " F (O) "

CVI 2

FROM ACHSE 171A55A

TO HQ 22 CRAFT (EUF UNITS)

INFO M M I A

SR - ET

S. T.

MM

C 38568

DECLASSIFIED (.)

ERGI ET SIR CVI (.)

REFERENCE YOUR S/155 DATED 15 NOV 45 (.)

18 Nov

TRANSFER 28,255 LBS [redacted] REMOVED FROM STORAGE IN QUESTION

TO ETHEREAL DUMP DEPOT I. 36

ACCORDANCE WITH S.38397 DATED 10 NOV 45

ET 171A55A

[redacted]

[redacted]

SENT NR 182 3 F LA K

S & T, MMA.
Recd NOV 15 1945
File ST/ 3034

Rd 1700

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

MH/ip

Tel ; 761

Ref. 48-4/63 /Food

10 November 1945

SUBJECT : Subsistance - Italian Army

TO : Land Forces S/C (MMIA) 302

1. Reference your Q/1-99 of 1 November 1945.

2. Of the items listed by you in Appendix A to a/m letter the tomato catsup could, in the opinion of the Ministry of Food, be bought on the free market by the Italian Army purchasing agency. Alternatively, this Sub-Commission suggests that it could be requisitioned. At present, the Ministry cannot estimate how much catsup will be at its disposal, for of the total production of Tomato catsup only 25% is "blocked" for the Ministry of Food, the remainder being available for sale on the free market. It is now too early to estimate the total production of this commodity for this season.

3. The cheese (180 m tons) and rice (180 m tons) can be made available ex Northern Italy production. Instructions will be issued to the Regions concerned for the "blocking" of the requisite quantities.

4. The under mentioned items can be furnished from civil imports now in stock ;

Vegetables dried	360	metric tons
Sugar	180	" "
Coffee	90	" "

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remainder being available for sale on the free market. It is now too early to estimate the total production of this commodity for this season.

3. The cheese (180 m tons) and rice (160 m tons) can be made available ex Northern Italy production. Instructions will be issued to the Regions concerned for the "blocking" of the requisite quantities.

4. The under mentioned items can be furnished from civil imports now in stock :

Vegetables dried	360	metric tons
Sugar	180	" "
Coffee	90	" "

5. The under mentioned items can be repaid to British and US Army Depots when the additional requisition [redacted] being prepared for imported foodstuffs to maintain the Italian Army has been met :

Meat/Fish preserved	541	metric tons
Flour (including maccaroni requirement)	3263	" "
Pepper	0,90	" "

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It is not expected that these items will be available until the end of January 46, at the earliest.

6. Please arrange for the Italian Ministry of War to notify the Ministry of Food where it requires the cheese, tomato paste and rice, mentioned in para 3 above.

7. If you will state where the items listed in para 4 above will be required, the requisite quantities will be assigned to the Italian government ex stocks now blocked by AC in those port ware-houses where the Ministry of Food have not(already assigned to it) sufficient stocks to meet the military requirements in those areas.

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JAMES M. MERRITT
Director

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Copy to : S & T, MMIA.
Food S/C, Milan Office - Please arrange immediately for the s/s quantities of cheese and rice to be blocked for the Italian Army each month as from 1 Dec 45. Report location of blocked stocks to this HQ.
Economic Section (Supply Div). Advance notice of the Italian Army requirements was given in MOC 107 of 31 August 45. A firm demand will be submitted as soon as agreement on financing procedure is arranged with Italian Government. Quantities involved are not large.
Ministry of Food, Rome. Your CAR/SECR/ 420-V- of 29 Oct 45 to this S/C and CAR/SECR/ 419-V of 29 Oct 45 to Ministry of War refers. You will be notified as soon as possible of the locations of the stocks of cheese and rice. Please liaise with Ministry of War as to purchasing of tomato catsup.
Commissario Interregionale dell'Alimentazione Alta Italia. Federconsorzi, Rome.

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HQ 92 ARMY ALLIED BOARD
APO No.754 U.S. ARMY

ST.202/2/3

14 November 1945

SUBJECT:- Reinforcement of Italian Armed Forces

To:- O.C. 199 D.I.D.

ST.

Copy to:- C-4 (Br)
A.D.S.T. M.M.I.A.
Col. TUCCI - 8th Deposito di Distribuzione ROMA

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Ref this office letter of even number dated 13 Nov 45.

1. Please add the list shown in para 5 the following unit and particulars:-

	Offrs	O.Rs.
510 Line Section	2	2.

Khe Hww

[signature] Capt

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"S & T. MMA.

W. T. HARRIS Capt.
for D.C. ARMY Major
D.A.D.S.T.

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S.T.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

	Date	Time
FROM: Q DISTWO	Nov. 13	2040

TO : 218 SPECIAL AREA, 217 AREA, 59 AREA, 60 SUB AREA
7 AGRA INDIA

QG 97 UNCLASSIFIED

WEF 2400 HRS 14 NOVEMBER PROVISION AND ISSUE BRITISH PORTION OF BR-ITI RATION SCALE BECOMES BRITISH RESPONSIBILITY AND ITALIAN PROVIDED PORTION THAT OF ITALIAN ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANISATION

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Have sent a copy to Sam & Comptroller and Auditor

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"S & T. MMA.
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS G

S. T. BRANCH

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SUBJECT: Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces 64/STG

Tel: Freedom 499

13 November 1945

DEST, 13 Corps
DEST, 2 District
DDST, 3 District
DEST, Rome Area Allied Command

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Reference 64/STG of 6 Nov 45.

1. The original scale for ITI Armed Forces included Veg. Dehyd 1 oz, which was not included in Appendix 'B' to the a/q letter as issue had been suspended at the request of MMA.

2. Authority is given for the issue of this item to be made in terms of Fresh Veg. 8 oz. if preferred and available, and in addition to the basic issue of Fr. Veg.

Major-General,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to: AFHQ, MMA
HQ, 13 Corps (Sup Units)
HQ, 14 Corps (Sup Units)
HQ, 22 Corps (Sup Units)

Q (Maint)
Co-ord
War Diary
64/Q/STG
64/Q(S)/STG
64/A/STG

KRN 15/11

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S & T, MMA.
NOV 15 1945
File ST/

NORTH AFRICA ALLIED COMMAND
AFO No. 394 U.S. Army

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SF.20A/2/3

SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces — 13 November 1945

To:- G.C. 199 D.I.D.
Copy to:- G-4 (Br)
A.D.A.T. N.M.I.A
Col. THOMAS - 8th Deposito di Distribuzione NOVA
G.C. British Coline, 266 Italian Service & MT Coy A.C.
Col. [illegible], 516 Magg.to di Amm.ne or 715 [illegible]
814 It. Increment to HQ. NAAG.
863 Incr. to CSDIC
85 It. E. & M. Sec.
1769 It. Tpt Platoon (Amb)

S T.

1. Wef 2400 hrs 14 Nov 45, certain changes take place in the administration of the Italian Armed Forces. At that time, responsibility for maintennance of the Italian Army passes to the Italian Government. A.D.A.T. continue to be responsible for rationing the Italian Navy, the Italian Air Force and all SU-ITI.

2. Addressee are not concerned with supplies for the Italian Navy and Air Force. These will continue to be channelled through NMIA.

3. Wef 15 Nov 45, SU-ITI units will draw from convenient RDDs the BRITISH PROVIDED PORTION ONLY of the Italian Armed Forces Scale. For convenience, the scale is shown at Appendix 'A'. The Italian provided portion will continue to be supplied to SU-ITI units through the Italian Administrative Organisation.

4. NMIA Form ST.8 will NOT be taken into use again. Instead G.C. 199 DID will report in triplicate to this Directorate on 7 of each month the total number of SU-ITI rations (British element) issued during the preceding calendar month. The figures will be forwarded to DDT GHQ CMF by this office.

5. The following list of SU-ITI service units at present drawing from No. 8 Distribution Depot of the Italian Army (Italian Base DID) has been supplied by ADST NMIA. If any additional units claim to draw SU-ITI rations the matter will be referred to this office before any action is taken.

	Offrs	O.R.s.
266 Italian Service & M.T. Coy A.C.	17	306
814 It. Increment to HQ. NAAG.	1	37
863 Incr. to CSDIC	42	134
85 It. E. & M. Sec	1	68
	2	33

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5. After 15 Nov 45, BR-ITI units will draw from convenient RHDs the RATIONS PROVIDED PORTION ONLY of the Italian Armed Forces Scale. For convenience, the scale is shown at Appendix 'A'. The Italian provided portion will continue to be supplied to BR-ITI units through the Italian Administrative Organisation.

4. AMGIA Form 8F.8 will NOT be taken into use again. Instead D.C. 199 RHD will report in triplicate to this Directorate on 7 of each month the total number of BRI-ITI rations (British element) issued during the preceding calendar month. The figures will be forwarded to DST (S&T) MMA by this office.

5. The following list of BRI-ITI service units at present drawing from No. 8 Distribution Depot of the Italian Army (Italian Base RHD) has been supplied by AMGIA AMGIA. If any additional units claim to draw BRI-ITI rations the matter will be referred to this office before any action is taken.

		Officers	O.R.S.
266	Italian Service & M.T. Coy A.S.	17	306
814	It. Increment to MG. RAD.	1	37
865	Incr. to CMPW	42	141
85	It. S. & M. Sec	1	68
199	Italian D.I.D.	2	25
1769	It. Tpt Platoon (AmL)	1	72
	School of Mil Police (WARIGHELA	1	63
	R.A.C.D.E.P.	-	180
	'B' Dog Provost Coy *		
50	Gen Hospital	1	50
546	Admin Division **	7	27
	TOTAL	73	1957

* Please refer before issue.
** Title changing to 715 Admin Div.

6. Please take early action to determine the last ration date of the above units on the Italian D.I.Ds. and confirm the strength quoted.

7. Attention is drawn to the last item in Appendix 'A' to this letter. This is an amendment to the scale in your possession.

8. It is emphasised that the only BRI-ITI units authorised to draw the scale in Appendix 'A' from your Depot are those listed in para 5.

"S & T. MMA.
Recd NOV 15 1945
File ST)

W. T. HARLEY Capt.
for D.D. ARMY Major
D.A.D.S.&T.

WT/ga

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ANNEX 'A'

ITALIAN ARMED FORCES RATION SCALE

A. RATION PLACED Portion

	Scale in use per day		per month
Flour	10		
Dried Vegetables	2		
ent Cereal or Fish ement	3	78	Fish issued
Cheese	6/7		Sardines 2 oz = 10 days
Sugar	1		Herrings 4 oz = 3 days
Beans	3		Salmon 3 oz = 2 days
Flour (in lieu of Rice)	1		
Cotton or Tomato Paste	½		
Coffee	½		
Pepper	1/200		
Fruit Fresh	4		
Vegetables Fresh	8		

B. Ration Provided Portion

Olive Oil	1
Nuts Shelled	½
or Nuts unshelled	¾
Salt	½
Wine	½ litre
Matches per 7 entries	1 box or 2 books
Cigarettes	50 pieces per week.

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Fruit Punch 4
Vegetables Punch 8

B. Italian Provided Portion

Olive Oil	1
Pasta Shelled	1½
or Pasta unshelled	3
Salt	½
Wine	¼ litre
Matches per 7 entrees	1 box or 2 books
Cigarettes	50 pieces per week.

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SUBJECT:- Vouchers AFG 1033.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

13 Nov 45.

MMIA TO BARI.

1. The attached correspondence with 46 BED vouchers 22/6, 23/3, 25/4, 27/4, 5/8, 9/3 and 31/12 have been received at this Hq in error.

2. They are forwarded to you for necessary action.

MMD/gsc

Lt.Col. RASC.
ASST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA).

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SC/102 13 Nov 45

Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces.

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1. Attached for information is a copy of the instruction forwarded by DST CMF in connection with maintenance of BA-ITI Service units w.e.f. 15 November 1945.

2. In view of the fact that the Director of Supplies and Transport is arranging supply of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables to the units concerned the scale of issue of Fresh Vegetables as shown in the attachment is being increased from 8 ozs to 12 ozs to bring it in line with the additional 4 ozs of Fresh Vegetables issued to Italian Armed Forces in lieu of 1 oz of vegetables dehydrated.

3. It will also be noted that the scale forwarded includes 6/7 oz of cheese.

4. The Italian Ministry of War has issued instructions that the units concerned will contact MMIA Liaison Officers, with a view to ascertaining the location of the nearest British Detail Issue Depot in each case.

Lt.Col.
A.D.S.T.

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LKOF V LACE NR 74 P P

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FROM AFHQ 131425A

TO HC 13 CRASC (SUP UNITS) HQ 14 CRASC (SUP UNITS)

HQ 22 CRASC (SUP UNITS)

INFO MMIA

C 36597

UNCLASSIFIED . FROM ST GHQ CMF . SUBJECT IS ITALIAN ARMED FORCES MAINTENANCE . STOCKS OF ALL ITALIAN PROVIDED ITEMS OF RATION SCALE FOR ITALIAN ARMED FORCES WILL BE RETURNED TO NEAREST BULK MMIA DEPOT

BT

SENT NR 74 HD AAK

R/5-55-AAK

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IMPORTANT

5 T.

MMA

KRN 15/11

Address this message to Military Mission Caserta

5 & T. MMA

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM:- MEA

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TO:- MEA LO MILAN FOR COTTON
201 SUB AREA FOR MEA LO
86 AREA FOR MEA LO
MEA LO TURIN
60 SUB AREA FOR MEA LO
CONOS PALERMO FOR MEA LO

PENSCOTT FOR MEA LO
PERTAS FOR MEA LO
FLORENCE CITY COMD FOR MEA LO
DISTRICT FOR MEA LO
54 AREA FOR MEA LO

SI/1035

UNCLASSIFIED (.) SUBJECT IS MAINTENANCE MT-ITI SERVICE UNITS REF 15 NOV (.) THIS HQ LETTER G/7 OF 8 NOV REFERS (.) IN ADDITION TO NORMAL ALLIED PROVISIONING ITEMS TWELVE OUNCES VEGETABLES FRESH AND FOUR OUNCES FRUIT FRESH WILL BE SUPPLIED EX BRITISH DEPOTS

AUTHENTICATION [illegible]

SIGNATURE Lt Col.

(33/292)

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(312)

3 Districts
BASEBALL 26

7 Nov 45

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5T 5C Area
ST 5A Area
ST 5B Area
CMASC 29 GS Coln
OC MAAG 211 Sub Area
OC MAAG c/o OC Fr Tps, SICILY
OC MAAG CORSICA
OC MAAG SARDINIA

SUBJECT:- Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces

TO: ADSEC 211 SUB AREA

1. As of 2400 hrs 14 Nov 45, certain changes take place in the administration of the Italian Armed Forces. At that time, responsibility for maintenance of the Italian Army passes to the Italian Government. DST continues to be responsible for rationing the Italian Navy, the Italian Air Force and all BR-ITI.

2. Addressees are not concerned with supplies for the Italian Navy and Air Force. These will continue to be channelled through ADSEC.

3. As of 15 Nov 45, BR-ITI units will draw from convenient DDs the BRITISH PROVIDED PORTION ONLY of the Italian Armed Forces Scale. For convenience, the scale is shown at Appendix "A". The Italian provided portion will continue to be supplied to BR-ITI units through the Italian Administrative Organization.

4. AMGOT Form 370 will NOT be taken into use again. Instead, DDs will report once monthly through the usual channels total number of BR-ITI rations (British element) issued by them during the month. Addressees will consolidate and report figures to this office by the 12th of the month following.

5. A list of BR-ITI units in your areas will be available from your staffs.

6. It is stressed that the supply of the Italian portion of the Ration Scale is NOT the concern of the British supplying unit.

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4. MMIA Form 376 will NOT be taken into use again. Instead, DDs will report once monthly through the usual channels total number of BR-ITI rations (British element) issued by them during the month. Addressees will consolidate and report figures to this office by the 12th of the month following.

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for Brigadier
Major
for Col.
DDST.
(Name illegible)

"S & T, MMIA.
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APPENDIX "A"

ITALIAN ARMY FORCES RATION SCALE

A. BRITISH PROVIDED PORTION

	Scale in ozs per day		per month
Flour	15		
Dried Vegetables	2		
Meat Canned or Fish Canned	3	6/7	Fish issued
Cheese			Sardines 2 ozs - 10 days
Sugar	1		Herrings 4 ozs - 3 days
Macaroni	3		Salmon 3 ozs - 2 days
Flour (in lieu of Rice)	1		
Octoug or Tomato Paste	1		
Coffee		1/200	
Pepper			
Fruit Fresh	4		
Vegetables Fresh	6		

B. Italian Provided Portion

Olive Oil	1
Nuts Shelled	1
or Nuts unshelled	2
Salt	1
Wine	litre
Matches per 7 rations	1 box or 2 books
Cigarettes	50 pieces per week

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B. Italian Provision Portion

Olive Oil	1
Nuts Shelled	1½
or Nuts unshelled	2
Salt	½
Wine	½ litre
Matches per 7 rations	1 box or 2 books
Cigarettes	50 pieces per week

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TRANSLATION

FROM: Ministry of War

REF: 21352/3/1

DATE: 5.11.45

TO: M.M.I.A. for info.

SUBJECT: Telegram

Commissariat Directorate Ministry of War 21352/3/1 addressed to Direcomiles Bari and for information to M.M.I.A. Rome and Direcomiles Naples. Following agreement with M.M.I.A. L.O., Bari for concession of railway wagons order the urgent dispatch of 330 tons of flour to Depoviverimiles Naples drawing from stocks at Depoviverimiles Bari. Said flour must arrive at destination before the 12th.inst. TELEGRA

C. Danin Cpl.

War & T. Minist.
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSIONE A.C. MMIA ROMA (a mano)

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9/11

GUERRA COMMISSARIATO N° 21352/S/1 ALT DESTINATARIO DIRECOMILTS BARI ET CONOSCENZA M.M.I.A ROMA ET DIRECOMILTS NAPOLI ALT PREVIA CCORDI UFFICIALE COLLEGAMENTO MMIA LO BARI PER CONCESSIONE VAGONI DISPONETE URGENTE SPEDIZIONE TONNELLATE TRECENTOTRENTA FARINA AT DEPOVIVERIMILES NAPOLI ATTINGENDO DISPONIBILITA' DEPOVIVERIMILES BARI ALT DERRATA DEBET GIUNGERE AT DESTINAZIONE ENTRO GIORNI DIECI CORRENTE ALT PROMINISTRO GUERRA PELLIGRA..140005

IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM : M M I A

08/1205 .A.

TO : GHQ CMF

ST/1033

UNCLASSIFIED (.) FOR ST (.) REF YOUR 64/ST6 DATED 6 NOV 45 PARA 4 (.) FIRST (.) REQUEST MORE VOUCHERS IN RESPECT OF BR-ITIS BE FORWARDED ACCOUNTS BRANCH THIS HQ (.) SECOND (.) AGREED THAT YOU SUPPLY FRESH FRUIT AND VEG TO BR-ITIS.

(ST/102)

PRECEDENCE Routine.

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AUTHENTICATION [signature] Lt.Col.

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Translation

From M. of M.

To Admiralty

Ref. 21362/S/1

Date 6/11/45

Subject Organization of Food Supplies.

The M.M.I.A. has informed us that, w.e.f. 10 Nov., food granted from allied source for Navy and Air Force units will have to be made in bulk by Italian Bulk Food Depots to the respective issue depots of the two armed forces.

Such system has not been adopted at once owing to the fact it was given at such short notice.

We have therefore ordered that the supply for the fortnight 6-20 Nov. be made through normal procedure. The same will be ordered for the fortnight 21 Nov. to 6 Dec. while waiting for you to inform us to which Italian Army Food Depot the consignment of foodstuff will be made, this being absolutely necessary in order to afterwards define the procedure for the bulk issue.

We shall inform you of M.M.I.A.'s decision.

Pelligra.

DAK

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IKRN

"S & T" MMIA.
Recd NOV 9 1945
File ST/ 102

(302)

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

S. T. BRANCH

SUBJECT: Maintenance of Italian Armed Forces

64/ST6

Tel: Freedom 499

6 November 1945

S.T.

DDST, 13 Corps
DDST, 2 District
DDST, 5 District
DADST, Rome Area Allied Command

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4. MMIA Form ST8 will NOT be taken into use again. Instead, DIDs will report once monthly through the usual channels total number of BR-ITI rations (British element) issued by them during the month. Addressees will consolidate and report figures to this Directorate by the 15th of the month following.

5. It is not possible to give an exact list of the BR-ITI units which will be entitled to draw from DIDs. Your staff will be able to give you details. As a guide it is thought that the following total strengths are minimums :

13 Corps	650
2 District	4,300

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13 Corps	650
2 District	4,300
3 District	6,500

6. It is stressed that the supply of the Italian portion of the Ration Scale is NOT the concern of the British supplying unit. 3017

ADST
DADT
DADS

KRN
HQ 7 Nov

Major-General,
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to: ADST, MMIA
HQ, 13 CMASC (Sup Units)
HQ, 14 CMASC (Sup Units)
HQ, 22 CMASC (Sup Units)

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T & T Mem.
Recd 7 Nov
File ST/ 167

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Coffee	½
Pepper	1/200
Fruit Fresh	5
Vegetables Fresh	6
	8

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Sardines 2 oz - 10 days
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B. Italian Provided Portion

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Nuts Shelled	1½
or Nuts unshelled	3
Salt	½
Wine	½ litre
Matches per 7 rations	1 box or 2 books
Cigarettes	50 pieces per week

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Vegetables Fresh	6 ~~lbs~~ kg
" "	8 kg in lieu of kg Vegetables fresh.

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FROM AFHQ 3511Ø3

TO MMIA

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UNCLASSIFIED . FROM ST GHQ CNF .

YOUR ST/1932 DATED Ø3 REFERS . DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS

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SENT NR 52 MD ARK

R 1150 BLA

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SUBJECT:- Issue Vouchers.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/102

MMIA LO c/o 54 ANDA.

6 Nov 45.

Reference conversation Capt. MONK MASON - HART-DYKE returned herewith are vouchers in question.

MPTD/gmc

Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(MMIA)L.

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TRANSLATION

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FROM : Ministry of War — 21103/S/1

TO : ALL Military Territorial Commands
SARDINIA Territorial Command — 31 Oct 45

INFO : MMA
CABINET
S.M.R.P.
Coordination Office
ALL Commissariat Directorates
ALL Commissariat Sections.

SUBJECT:- Organisation of supply service.

Following instructions have to be put into action promptly, integrally and scrupulously.

No modifications can be done and what is stated can not be altered.

W.e.f. 1st November, as notified by signal 21012/S/1 of 30 Oct, the Italian Army Units of US-ITI category will draw Allied provided items of the ration (flour, pasta, rice, P/B/L, meat/fish, tomato paste, coffee, sugar, cheese, pepper) directly from U.S. Depots.

The Allied Liaison Officer will be asked for location of these depots.

A/a units will continue to draw the Italian provided items from Italian Food Depots.

The Allied provided items which have already been drawn to be utilized after 1st November will be handed back by units to the issuing Food Depot.

We notify that w.e.f. 15th Nov a similar measure will take place for units of Italian Army under category BR-ITI, which will draw Allied provided items directly from British Depots.

The Land Forces Sub Commission AC have notified that several units actually BR-ITI will become ITI-ITI units.

The Territorial Commands are asked:-

1) to ensure that above instructions be notified to dependent Food Distribution Depots and be strictly followed;
2) to arrange that above instructions be notified to all units concerned and strictly followed by them;
3) to instruct that in column headed "Remarks" in the list of rationed units (ref circular 12451/S/1 of 27 June 45) at the side of US-ITI and BR-ITI units be noted "authorised to draw only additional items".

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Please acknowledge.

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Sgd. Col. Fisicaro
for Gen. Pellegra

ADJT
DATE KRN 6/11
KRN 6/11

To & T. MMIA.
Recd 5 Nov
File 12/

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIV.7/SEZ.SERV.COMM./UFF.MIL.../VI
- Divisione Sussistenza -

N° 21102/S/1 di prot.
OGGETTO: organizzazione servizio vettovagliamento.-

P...3000 , 31 ottobre 1945

AI C/DI MIL.TERR/LI (tutti)
LORO SEDI
ALL'UFF.MOVIM/LE MIL.DELLA SARDEGNA
CAGLIARI

e, per conoscenza.

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.(MILA) ROMA
AL GABINETTO SEDE
ALLO S...M.E. - Ufficio Servizi - SEDE
ALL'UFFICIO COORDINAMENTO SEDE
ALLE DIREZ/DI COM./TO DEI C/DI MIL.TERR/LI (tutte) LORO SEDI
ALLE SEZIONI DI COM./TO MIL. (tutte) LORO SEDI

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Le presenti disposizioni debbono avere pronta integrale e scrupolosa attuazione.-
Nessuna variante potrà essere ad esse apportata.-
I termini fissati sono da considerare tassativi.-

Dal 1° Novembre come preannunciato con telegramma 21012/S/1 del 30 corr.i reparti del R.Esercito appartenenti alla categoria US-ITI dovranno prelevare i generi di provenienza alleata costituenti la razione (farina,pasta,riso,legumi,carne o pesce,conserva,caffè,zucchero,formaggio da tavola,pepe) direttamente presso i Magazzini Americani.
La dislocazione di tali Magazzini dovrà essere richiesta all'Ufficiale Alleato di Collegamento.-
I reparti predetti continueranno a prelevare i generi di provenienza italiano presso i Magazzini Viveri italiani.-
I generi di provenienza alleata eventualmente già prelevati dai Magazzini italiani per il consumo posteriormente al 1° novembre dovranno essere restituiti a cura dei reparti al Magazzino Viveri che li aveva distribuiti.-
Si preannuncia,poi, che a partire dal 15 novembre p.v. analogo provvedimento sarà attuato per le truppe del R.Esercito della categoria R-ITI, le quali dovranno prelevare i generi di provenienza alleata direttamente presso i Magazzini Britannici.-
La Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. ha preannunciato che nulla osta

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Le Land Forces Sub Commission A.C. ha preannunciato che molti reparti attualmente della categoria R-ITI saranno transitati nella categoria ITI-ITI.

I Comandi Militari Territoriali sono pregati:

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1°) di assicurarsi che le disposizioni suddette siano a conoscenza dei Magazzini Distribuzione Viveri dipendenti e siano scrupolosamente attuate;

2°) di disporre perchè le disposizioni sopraripportate siano portate a conoscenza di tutti i reparti interessati e da essi scrupolosamente eseguito;

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3°) di disporre perchè nella colonna " Note " dell'elenco dei reparti vettovagliati di cui alla circolare 12451/S/1 del 27 giugno u.s. a fianco dei reparti del R.Esercito delle categorie US-III e IR-III sia annotato:" autorizzato a prelevare soltanto generi addizionali ".-

Si prega assicurare.-

P. IL MINISTRO
f.to Polligra

P.p.c.

IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM : M M I A

05 /2100 A.

TO : GHQ GSP

INFO :DIST/O

ST/1632

UNCLASSIFIED (.) FOR ST (.) REQUEST THAT ST DISTRICTS BE GIVEN WARNING ORDER CONCERNING PROCEDURE FOR FEEDING RR-TTLS 15 NOV ONWARDS IN ORDER FACILITATE CHANGE OVER

(ST/102)

PRECEDENCE Routine

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AUTHENTICATION Lt.Col.

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Base Packs

HQ 22 C.,R.A.S.C.(Sup Units).
54 Area CMF.
8/74/1 30 Oct 45.

B.S.D.
B.S.D.

Copy to :- D.S.T. GHQ.
ADST Land Forces Sub Commission AC., MMIA, ROME.
MMIA LO 54 Area
Mov Brindisi
File 8/74. 8/73/1. 8/73.

S T S & T. MMIA.
Recd 1 Nov.
File ST/ 102.

1. Further to this Office letter 8/74/1 dated 23 Oct 45.

2. From inclusive 2 Nov 45, Italian Base Packs will be loaded in accordance with the following instructions.

3. Period 2 - 15 Nov 45 both dates inclusive

(a) 28 BSD will consign by rail to DIREZZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE MARITTIMO DI TARANTO, REPARTO VIVERI, 363000 rtns less Coffee Beans and Tomato Paste. Pack will be loaded on 3 Nov and a representative of the Italian Navy will take over and sign for the pack as it is being loaded at 28 BSD.

Breakdown

Flour	431062 lbs	Cheese	22687 lbs
Sugar	22687 lbs	P.B.L.	45375 lbs
Pepper	113 lbs	P. Meat	34031 lbs
Sardines	15125 lbs	Herrings	9075 lbs
Salmon MR	4537 lbs		

(b) Ex 28 B.S.D.

To Italian Army Depot, Brindisi. Date and method of loading to be arranged by mutual agreement before 6 Nov 45. Italian Army representative to be present at point of acceptance, namely 28 BSD.

172500 Rtns less Coffee Beans

Flour	204843 lbs	Cheese	10781 lbs
Sugar	10781 lbs	P.B.L.	21562 lbs

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Pepper	54 lbs	Tomato Paste	5390 lbs
P. Meat	16171 lbs	Sardines	7187 lbs
Herrings	4312 lbs	Salmon MR	2156 lbs

(c) 27 BSD will deliver to Italian Army Bulk Depot, 187 Via Re David, BARI, 668500 rtns plus 363000 rtns Tomato Paste and 535500 rtns Coffee Beans.

Breakdown

Flour	793843 lbs	Cheese	41781 lbs
Sugar	41781 lbs	P.B.L.	83562 lbs
Coffee Beans	45149 lbs	Pepper	209 lbs
Tomato Paste	32234 lbs	P. Meat	62671 lbs
Sardines	27854 lbs	Herrings	16712 lbs
Salmon MR	8356 lbs		

Loadings of Vegs Dehyd still held in abeyance.

5. The above breakdowns are based on a daily strength of 86000. BSDs to note maintenance is now for 14 day period.

6. Signal advice of all despatches to MMIA LO 54 Area.
7. Further instructions regarding the loadings of these packs from 16 Nov 45 onwards will be issued as early as possible.
8. Will Mov Brindisi please arrange rail tonnage Brindisi-Taranto as follows :-

Nov 3rd. 280 Tons.

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