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MARMALADE

Aug 1944 - Apr 1945

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II. (For ST use)

ST 1212.

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ST(s) ←

Reference your demand for tpt No. — dated 25/4 vehicles have been detailed as under.

No. of vehicles 4 X 3T 1 X 5T

Reported as required at 0800 hrs on 27 April

Remarks Note that names must be provided for escort.
Refer to names for Florence, Keyser + Tucca.

S. A. T. 26/4

Good 27 apr

to ST/ 103

Memorandum file

(Signed) Amundt
A.D.S.T.

1965/4.

TRANSLATION

37

FROM : Ministry of War

8181/S/1

TO : MMIA.

21 April 45.

INFO : Medical Directorate, Ministry of War.
Rome Commissariat.

SUBJECT:- Jam for military hospitals.

With reference to your ST/103 of the 10th April 1944 (?), we inform you that 10797 Kgs. of jam are in distribution depots under command of the Rome Commissariat. It can be issued in the following quantities to the hospitals in Tuscany noted below.

Location and name of hospitals	Jam Kgs.	No. of beds	
<u>FLORENCE</u>			
<i>Fluence 6 1/2 tons</i> S. Gallo Hospital	3,297	752	3 lanes
Montoliveto "	1,000	224	
Villa 'atalia "	510	110	
S. Maria Nuova C.R.I. Hospital	1,500 <i>6307</i>	350	
<u>LUGNA</u>			
<i>Lucca 2 tons</i> Military Hospital	1,800 <i>2 tons</i>	400	1 long
<u>LEGHORN</u>			
Military Hospital	2,200 <i>2 1/2 tons</i>	500	
<i>Leghorn 3 tons</i> <u>ANTIGNANO (Leghorn)</u>			1 v. large
C.R.I. Hospital	500 <i>3 tons</i>	100	
	<u>10,797</u>		

Since there is a scarcity of vehicles at the disposal of the Italian Army, we ask MMIA to kindly examine the possibility of using Allied transportation.

S. & T. MMIA.

Recd

ST/

103

AMST

KRN 2574

Check on possibility of Spec. Tpt. Alt. 1968 to transport this KRN

Gen. Celligra

See

37a

TRANSLATION.

SERIAL No

Translated by:

W. R. L. L. L.

Date

: 24 April.

FROM :

Min of War.

Ref No

: 8181/S/1

Date

: 21 April

TO : EMIA

(Info/Action)

In reply to
Info. Medical Directorate, Min of War.
Rome Commandant.

SUBJECT :-

Jam for military hospitals

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Location & name of hospital.	Jam Kgs.	No of beds.
<u>Florence.</u>		752
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Montoliveto "	1,000	110
Villa Natalia "	510	350.
S. Maria Nuova C.R.I. Hospital.	1,500	

<u>Luca</u>		
Military Hospital	1,800	400
<u>Leghorn</u>		
Military Hospital	2,200	500
<u>Antignano (Leghorn)</u>		
CRI Hospital:	<u>500</u>	<u>100</u>
	10,797	

Since there is a scarcity of vehicles at the disposal of the Italian Army, we ask MMIA to kindly examine the possibility of using Allied Transportation.

Signed Pelligrini



MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA ^{37B}

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

Divisione Sussistenze

Sezione

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P. R. 3500, 11

Prot. N° 8181/3/1 Allegati

Risposta al f.° del

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

Div.

Sez.

N.°

R O M A

Oggetto: Marmellata per ospedali militari.-

e, per conoscenza:

 AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA - Direzione Generale di Sanità
Militare (rif.f.n.1/1618 del I3-4-45)

 ALLA DIREZ. DI COMANDO DEL C/DO MILITARE TERR/LE
(Rif. fono 3022/1/850 del I4-4-45)

S E D E

R O M A

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In esito al foglio n. ST/103 del 10 aprile 1944 si comunica che nei Magazzini di Commissariato di Roma esistono complessivi Kg. 10797 di marmellata che potrebbe essere distribuita nella seguente misura ai sottoindicati Ospedali della Toscana.

| Dislocazione e nominativo degli ospedali | Marmellata Kg. | Numero dei posti-letto |
|------------------------------------------|----------------|------------------------|
| <u>FIRENZE</u>                           |                |                        |
| Ospedale Militare "S. Gallo"             | 3.297          | 752                    |
| " " "Montoliveto"                        | 1.000          | 224                    |
| " " "Villa Natalia"                      | 510            | 110                    |
| " C.R.I. "S. Maria Nuova"                | 1.500          | 350                    |
| <u>LUCCA</u>                             |                |                        |
| Ospedale Militare                        | 1.800          | 400                    |
| <u>LIVORNO</u>                           |                |                        |
| Ospedale Militare                        | 2.200          | 500                    |
| <u>ANTIGNANO (Livorno)</u>               |                |                        |
| Ospedale C.R.I.                          | 500            | 100                    |
|                                          | 10.797         |                        |

1962



MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
*Direzione Generale dei Servizi Logistici*

OM. 505

N° di prot. \_\_\_\_\_ di Sped. \_\_\_\_\_  
Allegati \_\_\_\_\_  
Risposta al f. N° \_\_\_\_\_  
del \_\_\_\_\_  
OGGETTO: \_\_\_\_\_

Roma.

*Al*

Data la nota scarsità di automezzi a disposizione  
dell'Esercito Italiano si prega cotesta Sottocommissio-  
ne di esaminare la possibilità che il trasporto venga  
effettuato con mezzi militari alleati.

P. IL MINISTRO

*Allegua*

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SUBJECT:- Supply of Comfort Rations - Marmalade.

*file*  
*35*  
Ministry of War.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.  
(M.M.I.A.).  
ST/103

10 April 45.

Reference your letter 6779/S/1 of 8 April 45.

1. Please dispose of marmalade held in your Rome Depots for requirements of hospitals in the FLORENCE and LEGHORN areas.
2. Contact should be made with Direz. Gen. Sanità for exact locations of hospitals.

*action @ 37*

KRN/gmc

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

*Lo Rome to see*

*4972 Kites on 11/4/45 in Rome Depot. 1961*

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Translation. (Original in 117)

From: Min of War

6779/S/1

To : MMIA

8 Apl 45

Info: Friuli Combat Group (Ref 1691 of 21 Mar 45)

SUBJECT: SUPPLY OF COMFORT RATIONS.

We ask MMIA to kindly give orders that the Cognac drawn by Naples from 14th CRASC for supplying to Italian units under Allied Command during the month of April, should arrive at its destinations as soon as possible, in order to avoid interruption in its distribution to the troops.

We also ask you to let us know (Ref your ST/103 of 24 Feb) what destination to give for the jam now at the Rome Bulk Depot, so that it may eventually be allocated to the Combat Groups.

sd/ General Pelligra.

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Reply @ 36

O & T. MMIA.

Recd 9 Feb.

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KRN 10/4

1593

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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM : MMIA

*File*

13 1210 .A.

TO : 50 BLU

ST/772

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RESTRICTED

FOR ST (.) 10 HAPTES SIGNAL 9082-6TH/9E OF 25 FEB (.) HAS MARMALADE  
BEEN RECEIVED

*15/1/60  
17/1/60  
19/1/60  
21/1/60*

Wackin

(ST/403)

PRECEDENCE

IMPORTANT

1960

AUTHENTICATION

*V. Robert [signature]*  
Lt. Col.

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SUBJECT:- Marmalade and MILIT Cigarettes  
for FRIULI I.C.C.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.  
(M.M.I.A.).  
ST/103

Ministry of War.

13 March 45.

1. An investigation is at present under way to verify receipt of marmalade by FRIULI I.C.C. Shipment of marmalade by 14 GRASO to FRIULI, under special arrangements, was made on 25 February. We will advise you of our findings.

2. No action was taken concerning the provisions of your letter 4450/S/1 of 23 Feb, since your letter 4798/S/1 of 28 Feb was believed to be an amending letter. Based on the latter letter MILIT cigarettes, in amounts included in this letter, have been handed over to 14 GRASO for onward transmission to BR-ITI Administrative Divisions. MILIT cigarettes have been despatched to 228 Div for FRIULI on 11 March 45.

KRN/gmc

ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. (M.M.I.A.).

*Lt. Col. RAGC.*  
*for*  
*AC. (M.M.I.A.).*

Copy to:- File ST/60

1959

TRANSLATION

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FROM M.O.W

RefNo. 5559/S/1/

TO MMIA.

Date . 9/3/45

Jam & "MILIT" cigarettes for FRIULI C.G.

The 14 GRASC have withdrawn from the NAPLES Italian depot KGs. 4992 of jam assigned by this ministry to the FRIULI C.G. Since said group have informed us that they have not received this quota of jam <sup>of which</sup> the lack of this commodity is strongly felt by the troop, we beg MMIA to take the necessary steps to ensure the supply of same

we profit of the occasion to beg you to arrange the shipment to destination of the quantities of "MILIT" cigarettes assigned to A/M combat group with letter 4450/S/1 dated 23/2/45 from the M.O.W.

PELLIGRA.

R.M ansfield;

S & T. MMIA.

Recd 12 Mar

File ST/ 103

*Reply @ 33*

*MD S KRN 12/3*

1958

*ME*

GL



*Ministero della Guerra*

DIREZIONE GENERALE  
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE  
e *ARM/V1*

*Quart. Suss. ze* *1<sup>a</sup> I<sup>a</sup>*  
*Del. 15559/S/1* *Allegato*

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Mod. 305  
XXP.M. 3800 *9 Marto 45*  
LA LAND FORCES SUB  
COMMISSION A.C. (RMIA)  
ROMA

OGGETTO: marmellata e sigarette Milit per  
"Friuli" I.C.C.

*ST*  
*10/3*  
Il 14<sup>o</sup> CRASC ha ritirato dal deposito  
Italiano di "apoli" Kg. 4992 di marmellata  
assegnati da questo Ministero al Gruppo di  
Combattimento "Friuli". Poichè il predetto  
Gruppo comunica di non aver ancora ricevuto  
tale quantitativo di marmellata, la cui manca-  
ta distribuzione è fortemente avvertita dalla  
truppa, si prega codesta Sottocommissione di  
volersi interessare per il sollecito rifornimen-  
to del genere in parola.-

Con l'occasione pregasi voler disporre  
altresì che giungano al più presto a destina-  
zione i quantitativi di sigarette Milit asse-  
gnati al predetto Gruppo col dispaccio n. 4450/S/  
1 in data 23.2.45 di questo Ministero.-

P. IL MINISTRO

*Telega*  
1957

1597

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LROF V MEDY NR 789 QVR 3  
FROM OC 30 BSD RASC 261700A  
TO OC (2) POLISH CORPS RH DET  
AST AFHQ ; ADST MMIA ROME ;  
ST REAR 3 ARMY ; MMIA LO NAPLES  
14 CRASC ( SUPPLY UNITS )  
QQX GR AAA BT  
SAX26/1/314() SXX DESPATCHED TO YOU 25 1 ( ONE ) TRUCK FOR PACK  
13/28 ACME SEALED (.) TRUCK NO 1009988 CONTENTS MARMALED ITALIAN  
1/8000 STENCILLED FRIULI GRUPPE(.)  
BT 2140  
SENT NR 789 2245 JLH B  
RD NR 789 DML 2245 (K)

17/27

Refer

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to a T. MMIA.

Recd 27 Feb.

File ST/ 103

MAIDS KRN M

1956

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16/27  
711120  
8 refero  
LROF V MEDY NR 793 QVR 3  
FROM OC 30 BSD RASC 261700  
TO OC 5 CORPS RH DET  
ST AFHQ ; ADST MMIA ROME ;  
ST REAR 8 ARMY ; MMIA LO NAPLES  
14 CRASC ( SUPPLY UNITS (   
QQX GR -- BT  
S/26/1/315(.) DESPATCHED TO YOU 26 PACK 7/28 1 ( ONE )  
TRUCK ACME SEALED (.) TRUCK NO 1004120 CONTENTS MARMALADE DE  
ITALIAN 4484 FOR HOSPITALS MARMALADE ITALIAN  
11032 STNCILLED CREMONA GRUPPE (.)  
BT 2140  
SENT NR 793 2248 JLH B2  
RD NR 793 DML 2248 (K)

PADS KRN  
"S & T. MAHA.

Recd 27 Feb.

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# RAAC MESSAGE FORM

|                                       |                                              |                   |                           |                                    |                                |    |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----|
| CIPHER                                | CALL                                         | CIRCUIT No.<br>NR | PRIORITY<br>IMPORTANT     | TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS<br>QVR 1 | 6652                           | 29 |
|                                       | SPACES WITHIN RED LINES FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY |                   |                           |                                    | D 3354                         |    |
| FROM (A) MMIA LO NAPLES               |                                              |                   |                           |                                    | DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN<br>251730A |    |
| TO (FOR ACTION) MMIA                  |                                              |                   |                           |                                    |                                |    |
| LO REAR 8 ARMY 50 HLU 51 HLU 14 CRASC |                                              |                   |                           |                                    | MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS           | GR |
| TO (FOR INFORMATION)                  |                                              |                   |                           |                                    |                                |    |
| (REF. No.)                            | 9082-STN-9B                                  | 25                | (SECURITY CLASSIFICATION) | SECRET                             |                                |    |

REF YOUR ST/744 DATED 24 FEB. MARMALADE DESPATCHED TO 14 CRASC TODAY 25 FEB FOR  
ONWARD TRANSMISSION TO EIGHTH ARMY RAILHEAD (FORLL) FRULLI DIVISION 4992 KILOS.  
CREMONA DIVISION 5005 KILOS. ITI HOSP 2007 KILOS. ALL CASES STENCILLED +  
FRULLI CREMONA AND ITI HOSP RESPECTIVELY

"S & T, MMIA.

Recd 26786

File ST/ 103

Res: L. FORCIS C/R

27/2 JAYS

DECIPHERED 260120A RM

|                    |                             |              |      |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|------|
| LOCAL DISTRIBUTION | PRECEDENCE                  | THI OR TOR   | Opt. |
|                    | ORIGINATING SECTION         |              |      |
|                    | A. G. AUTHENTICATION        | TIME CLEARED |      |
|                    | ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION |              |      |

1954

261050

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

E. I. BRANCH

RESTRICTED

APD/64/3/326

Tel: Freesia 499

24 February, 1945

SUBJECT: Release of Marmalade

H.Q. 14 C.R.A.S.C. (Supply Units)

Confirming verbal arrangements CRAIG - WHITE - SMITH.

1. ADST, MMIA is arranging to release 10 tons Marmalade from the NAPLES Depot, for a special issue to the PHILIP & CREMONA Gruppi.

2. This will be consigned forward as soon as received on the following packs :-

Pack 7 5 tons for CREMONA Gruppi  
Pack 15 5 " " PHILIP " "

3. ADST, MMIA is arranging for the stencilling of the cases with the name of the GRUPPI to distinguish them from normal supplies of this commodity issued to British Troops.

4. Signals of despatch to consignor, repeated S.T. Rear 8 Army, will clearly indicate the nature of these consignments.

W.M. Z. White  
Major-General,  
Director of Supplies and Transport.

Copy to: DEPT 8 Army  
ADST, MMIA.

ADST  
DOP S KRAW/v

1953

S & T. MMIA.  
Recd 25 Feb.

EPs ST/ 103

SUBJECT:- Marmalade.

Liaison Officer  
Land Forces Sub Comm. AG.  
(M.M.I.A.).  
ROME  
ST/103

ROME Commissariato.

26 Feb 45.

1. No issues of Marmalade will be made from your ROME Depot without reference to this HQ.

OGGETTO:- Marmellata.

Ufficiale di Collegamento  
Land Forces Sub Comm. AG.  
(M.M.I.A.).  
ROMA.  
ST/103

Commissariato di ROMA.

28 Feb 45.

1. Nessun prelevamento di marmellata potrà essere fatto dal Vostro Deposito di ROMA senza rivolgersi prima a questo ufficio.

HDC/no

*Wm*  
Capt. RASC.  
Land Forces Sub Comm. AG. (M.M.I.A.).

1952

1602

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SUBJECT:- Fruit Marmalade.

Ministry of War.

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

ST/103

24 Feb 45.

Your letter 3097/S/1 of 11 Feb 45 refers.

1. Our signal ST/744 of 24 Feb 45 answers your query.
2. Arrangements will be made to distribute stock of marmalade now in the Rome Food Depot to forward hospitals in Florence and Leghorn areas.
3. Details of arrangements to be made will be advised presently.

*query @  
(35 refer)*

KRN

KRN/gmo

Lt. Col. RASC.  
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. (M.M.I.A.).

1951

1603

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MMIA

24 1500 A.

PENSOUTH REAR 8 ARMY for MMIA LO's  
50 HLU for ST Italian WAR MINISTRY  
51 HLU 52 HLU for ST's  
54 AREA for MMIA LO.

ST/744

(17)

*Confidential*

FIRST (.) PLEASE CANCEL OUR SIGNAL ST/579 OF 23 JAN 45<sup>CMH</sup> NOT TO  
ALL (.) SECOND (.) HANDOVER TO 14 CRASC 10 TONS MARMALADE FOR  
PRIULI AND CREMONA (.) REQUEST 14 CRASC DESPATCH QUANTITY TO 8 ARMY  
RAILHEAD (.) WHEN MARMALADE DESPATCHED SIGNAL TO REAR 8 ARMY  
STATING RAILHEAD AND DETAILS (.) THIRD (.) HANDOVER 14 CRASC TWO  
TONS MARMALADE FOR FORWARD HOSPITALS AT CESENA AND FANO (.)  
FOLLOW PROCEDURE OUTLINED PARA 2 ABOVE (.) FOR ST 50 HLU (.) ABOVE  
ANSWERS YOUR SIGNAL ST/8 OF 15 FEB 45

(27)

*all 29*

1950

(ST/103)

*Rentons*

ST MMIA

*K. H. H. H.*

Lt. Col.

SUBJECT:- Marmalade.

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

ST/103

16 Feb 45.

Ministry of War.

Copy to:- LO

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

NAPLES.

AQ.

Your letter 3475/S/1 of 11 Feb 45 refers:-

1. Marmalade stocks held by civilian producers in Naples has not been frozen by this Headquarters.
2. No authorization can be given for allocation of sugar to be used in the production of marmalade, from Italian Army stocks.

KRN/no

ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(M.M.I.A.).

KRW  
K.F.CURTIS.

Lt.Col. RASC.

1949

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LEOF V L R A R R 5704 QVR 1  
FROM STA 50 B L U 151940A  
TO ST MMIA  
INFO UFFICIO COMMISARIO  
GR 45

ST 8. RESTRICTED . WAR MINISTRY LETTER 3097/S/1 DATED 11  
AUTHORISED ISSUE OF 5000 KGS JAM TO FRIULI EX MMIA RELEASE  
FROM BARI . UNDERSTOOD JAM NOW IN TRANSIT BARI TO NAPLES .  
REQUEST YOU ARRANGE EARLIEST POSSIBLE DESPATCH FOR WARD AND  
NOTIFY ME WHEN AND WHERE AVAILABLE .  
THI 0100

SENT NR 5704 AT 0400/16 DRM AR

.5;

NR 5704 RECD

160405A PJB

AR

2039

"S & T, MMIA.

Recd

File STI

16 Feb 1948  
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TRANSLATION OF REFERENCE

FROM : Ministry of War

TO : LMA

Ref: 3097/S/1

11 Feb 45

SUBJECT: - Jam for ERIULI Combat Group  
(Ref. 807 & 3078/S/1 dated 30 Jan 45 and 9 Feb 45)

With telegramme dated 3 inst the Commissariat Directorate of EARI have informed us that according to orders issued by LMA LO EARI the EARI food Depot must ship 182 quintals of Jam to Special food Depot MAPLES.

Taking into consideration that out of this assignment 50 quintals were assigned to ERIULI Combat group and as the issue, as stated above, will not now be possible and directly we inform LMA of the opportunity to consider the distribution of the a/m Jam to operating units.

We await your reply.

SA/ PELLIGRA.

S & T, LMA.

Recd 15 Feb

File ST/103

Refer to (17)

1947

With telegramme dated 3 inst the Commissariat Directorate of BARI have informed us that according to orders issued by MOIA LO BARI the BARI food Depot must ship 182 quintals of Jam to Special food Depot HAPLES.

Taking into consideration that out of this assignment 50 quintals were assigned to BULI Combat group and as the issue, as stated above, will not now be possible and directly we inform MOIA of the opportunity to consider the distribution of the a/m Jam to operating units.

We await your reply.

S & T. LAMKA.

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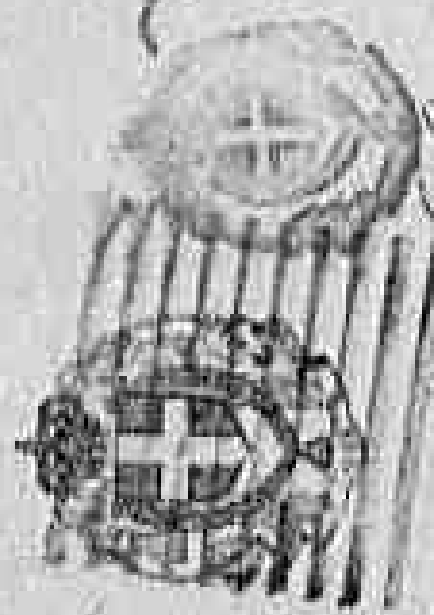
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SA/ PELLIGRA.

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AG.

*Ministero della Guerra*

DIREZIONE GENERALE  
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

-Divisione Assistenza-

*A. G. P. 3097/5/1 d. Sped.*

*Allegati*

*[Handwritten signatures and initials]*

*Roma P.M. 3900 11 febbraio 1949*

**IN**

*All the LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION  
P.C. (M.M.I.A.)*

*R.O.M.A.*

*Risposta al Foglio 3/5*

**OGGETTO:** Marmellata per il Gruppo di Combattimento "Friuli".-

e, per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "FRIULI" P.M. 79  
(sees. ff. 807 e 3078/5/1 in data 30 gennaio  
e 9 febbraio)

*13/2*

Con telegramma del 3 corrente la Direzione di Commissariato di Bari ha dato notizia che, per disposizione del LO MIA di quel Settore, il magazzino viveri di Bari deve spedire al Deposito Speciale Viveri di Napoli Q.li 182 di marmellata.

Tenuto conto che su tale quantitativo era stata fatta un'assegnazione di Q.li 50 per il Gruppo di Combattimento "Friuli" e che la relativa cessione, per quanto sopra detto, non potrà più essere effettuata in via diretta, si segnala a cotesta Sottocommissione l'opportunità di tenerne conto nella ripartizione del quantitativo di marmellata anzidetto fra le unità operanti.-

Si gradirà cortese riscontro.-

P. IL MINISTERO

e, per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO GRUPPO DI COMBATTIMENTO "TRIULI" P.M. 79

(seg. ff. 807 e 3078/S/1 in data 30 gennaio e 9 febbraio)

Con telegramma del 3 corrente la Direzione di Commissariato di Bari ha dato notizia che, per disposizione del LO MILIA di quel Settore, il magazzino viveri di Bari deve spedire al Deposito Speciale Viveri di Napoli Q.li 152 di marmellata.

Tenuto conto che su tale quantitativo era stata fatta un'assegnazione di Q.li 50 per il Gruppo di Combattimento "Triuli" e che la relativa cessione, per quanto sopra detto, non potrà più essere effettuata in via diretta, si segnala a cotesta Sottocommissione l'opportunità di tenerne conto nella ripartizione del quantitativo di marmellata anzidet- to fra le unità operanti.

Si gradirà cortese riscontro.

P. IL MINISTERO

*Telesin*

Translation.

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From Min of War.  
To M.M.S.A.

Ref No 3475/S/1  
Date 11 Feb 1945.

Subject: Marmalade.

The Directorate of commissariats of Naples, which has been entrusted with the purchasing of marmalade, has informed us that the producing firms are not in the position to supply any quantity due to the unavailability of sugar.

Please let us know whether any quantities of this item has been blocked at present by your Sub commission or any other Allied Sub commission, and also if its possible for the release of same in favour to the Italian Armed Forces.

We will appreciate a reply.

We want more  
sugar for marmalade - further at (24)

(L. Caparini)

Sgt.  
Pellisera

1946

DDP 5 Kev

Reply at (23)

S & T, MMLA.

Recd

14 Feb

File ST1

103

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*Ministero della Guerra*  
DIREZIONE GENERALE  
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

*Divisione* Suss. ze *I<sup>a</sup>*  
*Rel. V. 3475/S/1 Allegati*

*Handwritten: 90 Mod 505, 11/11/47, 3800*  
ALLA LAND FORCES SUB  
COMMISSION A.C. (MIA)  
R O M A

Oggetto: marmellata di frutta.-

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La Direzione di Commissariato di Napoli, che era stata incaricata di provvedere ad acquisti di marmellata di frutta, ha informato che le ditte produttrici non sono in grado di approntarne alcun quantitativo perchè non hanno disponibilità di zucchero.-

Nel dare notizia di quanto precede è tenuto conto che le giacenze di marmellata sono pressochè esaurite, si prega compiacersi far conoscere se esistono quantitativi di tale genere attualmente bloccati da codesta o da altra Sottocommissione Alleata e se sia possibile ottenere lo sblocco a favore delle Forze Armate Italiane.-

Si gradirà cortese riscontro.-

P. IL MINISTRO

*Handwritten signature: Pelligrin*

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LRKB V LAEE NR Ø P P  
T MEYT  
FROM MMIA LO 54 AREA 271640A  
TO MMIA  
QQX BT

ST /608 (.) CONFIDENTIAL (.) RF// REF YOUR 5/// ST/579  
DATED 23 JAN (.) THE STOCK OF MARMALADE IN BARI DIST IS  
43353 POUNDS (.) WILL YOU ARRANGE FOR 38055 POUNDS OF  
MARMALADE TO BE MOVED TO NAPLES  
BT

SENT NR 30 1937A AJW B-1  
RCD NR30 1937A HRA B-1

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LEKE V MJVL NR 10 "T" "

FROM MJVL 241830A

TO MMIA

GR 55 BT

RESTRICTED PD YOUR SUAR TARE SLASH FIVE SEVEN NINE OF TWO THREE  
REFERS PD SECTOR STOCKS MARMALADE ONE ONE EIGHT EIGHT TWO POUNDS PD  
BULK DEPOT STOCK (THREE FOUR SEVEN SIX) POUNDS PD REFERENCE NUMBER  
EIGHT EIGHT SIX THREE BASH SUGAR TARE MAN SLASH FIVE PAREN TO MMIA  
FROM PENSOUTH MMIA LIAISON OFFICER PAREN PD BT241830A

SENT NR 10 242340A CWD E2

RCD 242340A MRA KKK

"S & T," MMIA.

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54 AREA for MMIA LO

PENSOUTH for MMIA LO

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*Restricted*

FIRST(.) FOR ALL HLUs(.) PAREN 51 HLU SIGNAL 05 18 REFERS PAREN(.) MARMALADE IS NOT RPT NOT ON THE ITALIAN RATION SCALE(.) SMALL STOCKS OF ITALIAN MARMALADE ARE AVAILABLE FOR PRIORITY OF ISSUE TO ITALIAN MILITARY HOSPITALS(.) SURPLUS IF ANY WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO OPERATIONAL TROOPS(.) SECOND(.) FOR LO 54 AREA(.) STOCKS TO REMAIN AT PARI 5298 LBS REPRESENTING TWO MONTHS SUPPLY FOR HOSPITAL REQUIREMENTS(.) BALANCE TO BE DESPATCHED TO NAPLES(.) THIRD(.) FOR LO PENSOUTH(.) STOCKS TO REMAIN AT NAPLES 29140 LBS REPRESENTING TWO MONTHS SUPPLY FOR HOSPITAL REQUIREMENTS NAPLES AND FORWARD MEDICAL UNITS(.) DETAILS OF DESPATCH TO FORWARD MEDICAL UNITS WILL BE NOTIFIED LATER(.) DESPATCH THROUGH 14 CRASC SUPPLY UNITS 42400 LBS MARMALADE ONE MONTH SUPPLY FOR ISSUE TO FRIULI CRENONA AND LEGnano DIVISIONS (.) ENSURE THAT CASES ARE CONSIGNED AND LABELLED CORRECTLY IN ORDER THAT EACH DIVISION RECEIVES ITS ENTITLEMENT(.) FOURTH(.) MMIA LO 54 AREA AND MMIA LO PENSOUTH WILL SIGNAL THIS HQ (A)MARMALADE STOCKS (B)AMOUNTS MOVED (C)AMOUNTS? HANDED OVER TO 14 CRASC

(ST/103)

A/Q

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*Box*

IMPORTANT

MMIA

1544

*See 1819 71*

*Sh. Carr*  
*maps*  
*lt. Col.*

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LEON V LRAZ 7155  
T. REYI QVR 1  
FROM 51 BLU 211545A  
TO HQ MMIA  
INFO C KEAR 1 CDW CORPS ST  
CCX OR 16 BT.

05. RESTRICTED. REF OUR 05 OR 13 RE MARMALADE.  
WHEN MAY WE EXPECT A REPLY PLEASE  
BT.

SENT MR 7155 1804 CT. AR. RAK  
MR 7155 1804 BP. AR. ~~RAK~~

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"S & T. M. M. M."

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LRGT V

LRAR NR 6320 "IMPORTANT"

T MEYT QVR1

FROM 51 BLU 18.1745A

TO HQ MMIA .

INFO Q REAR 1 CDN CORPS ST

QQY GR43 BT

Q5 (.) RESTRICTED(.)

YOUR ST/103 OF 30 OCT 44(.) REQUEST YOU NOW ARRANGE FOR NARMALADE TO BE  
INCL IN RATIONS FOR CREMONA (.) INSTRUCTED BY MY HIGHER FIN ~~ST/103~~ 11

~~BT~~ SUBMIT THIS TO YOU(.) PLEASE ADVISE WHEN THIS ISSUE MAY BE EXPECTED(.)  
BT

SENT 2111 BOCK. (K)

RD 2111 CACC AR "KZ"

"S & T, MMIA.

Reed

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Subject:- Marmalade for Hospital Patients

Liaison Officer  
Land Forces Sub Comm.  
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)  
C/o 54 Area  
ST/4  
2 Jan 45.

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

Ref this office ST/4 dated 23 Dec 44 addressed  
Comm. BAKI, copy to you.

Translation of reply received No 1/24872 dated  
29 Dec 44 is forwarded for your information.

Kf/baw

*K. Freeland*  
K. Freeland, Capt.  
for Senior M.M.I.A. L.O.  
C/o 54 Area

4 Jan 45

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Copy of translation

DIREZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO  
DEL COMANDO MILITARE PUGLIA E LUCANIA

N) 1/24872/ gen. di prot.

Bari 29 December 1944

AL DISTACCAMENTO M.M.I.A. L.O.

- B A R I

SUBJECT: Distribuzione marmellata.

Before the instruction of the message of Ministry of War N) 13427/S/1 on date 1st December 44, the marmalade was issued, as for the hospitals, only on payment to the hospitals which have the civilian ration. Actually on the a/m message there is no distinction between the hospitals at civilian ration and the hospitals at military ration, because it is spoken generally of military personnel in the hospitals.

Because by the same message, the Ministry of War ordered to set aside 225 quintals of marmalade in order to supply the fighting troops and the other sectors, we asked Puglia and Lucania H.Q., to which units the limited amounts which were in the Depot, had to be issued.

Puglia and Lucania H.Q. by letter 03/18840/1004 on date 15th December, gave orders that the marmalade had to be issued only to the military patients in the hospitals which have the civilian ration. In the opinion of the writer, it was fair because the hospitals at military ration drew also the allotted monthly items from Allied sources, special items from Italian source as tinned peas, lemon juice, Lucano bitter etc.

However according to what was communicated by your office, we gave instructions so that the issues of marmalade are extended also to the military patients in the hospitals which have the military rations.

IL COLONNELLO COMMISSARIO DIRETTORE  
(Angelo La Zera)

Subject:- Marmalade for Hospital Patients

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\*S. & T. MMIA.

Ref

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103

Liaison Officer  
Land Forces Sub Comm.  
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)  
C/o 54 Area  
ST/4  
23 Dec 44.

To: Commissariato, BARI

Ref your I/23393 dated 9 Dec 44. and Ministry of War  
13427/S/1 of 1 Dec 44.

1. It is clearly specified in the latter letter that  
patients of military hospitals are entitled to receive the  
issue of Marmalade.

Para 3 of your letter a/m denies this fact. Will you  
please therefore, give an explanation.

2. Confirming conversation Capt BETTINARDI/Capt FREELAND  
of even date.

Extract of MMIA Admin. Instruction No 18, para 17 (c)  
(d) (e) (f) is enclosed for your personal information.

It will be observed that personnel classed under para  
17 (c) are no longer MILITARY patients.

K. Freeland, Capt. 1938  
for Senior M.M.I.A. L.O.  
C/o 54 Area

KF/baw

Copy to: HQ, Land Forces Sub Comm (without enclosure) ✓  
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

Further  
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SUBJECT:- Marmalade. Issue of

LO  
Land Forces Sub Comm.AC  
(MMIA) c/o 54 Area.

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

ST/103

19 Dec 44.

Reference your ST/4 dated 10 Dec 44.

1. You are requested to refer the Commissariato BARI to Italian War Ministry, letter 13427/S/1 of 1 Dec 44, regarding the issue of Marmalade and Jam.

ELM/nc

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

*E. L. Marmalade*  
Capt

B.L. PERCEVAL.  
Lt.Col. RASC.

1937

SERIAL 56

Date : 16 Dec. 44.

Doc No : 13427/S/1

Date : 1 Dec. 44.

In reply to :

11 Dec 48

SUBJECT:-Jam.

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- "S & T, MMIA.

Recd 16 Dec 54  
File ST/ 103

File ST/ 102

SERIES No.

Date : 16 Dec. 44.

Ref No : 13427/S/1

DATE : 1 Dec. 44.

In reply to :

Commissariat Directorates LATIUM UMBRIA ABRUZZI, APULIA LUCANIA,  
CAMPANIA, CALABRIA, SICILY, SARDINIA, Commto. Office TARANTO.  
info: Dir. Gen. Sanità at W/M, HQs LATIUM UMBRIA ABRUZZI, APULIA  
LUCANIA, CAMPANIA, CALABRIA, SICILY, SARDINIA.

ADST R  
DADS Hg

M.M.I.A. has informed us that the amounts of jam stocked in each Area must be passed for consumption according to the following order of precedence in the issue:-

- S** - ...

Re: 17 Geo

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So as to get this working we send you the following instructions:-

- a) APULIA & LUCANIA Commissariat and CAMPANIA Commissariat will see to the storage of 225 and 150 quintals of jam respectively which will remain at the disposal of this Ministry for sending to operational troops and for supply to other Areas.
- b) As this Ministry will therefore look after the supply of operational troops, the Commissariat Directorate will see that the amounts left over be consumed, bearing in mind that ~~100~~ <sup>140</sup> thirds must be issued to patients in military hospitals and that the other third must be reserved for soldiers doing heavy labour and for those that are suffering from particularly unfavourable conditions.
- "S & T. MMIA.

"S & T, MMIA.

Recd 16 Dec 54

File ST/ 102

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The designation of units benefitting from this last concession is left to individual H.Q.s, to whom the Commissariat Directorates will inform of the amounts left over after the storage of the amounts put at the disposal of this Ministry and of the amounts needed for issue to Hospitals.

As information we inform you that the following despatches will be made by the Ministry:-

30 quintals from BARI to CATANZARO

50 " " " NAPLES" ROME

40 " " " BARI " PALERMO

For the information of the SARDINIA Commissariat Directorate we add that the needs of the Island will have to be met with the 43 quintals you informed this Office of in your ration situation request on 20 Oct. 44.

The rations of 40 grams 4 times a week remains the same. As a change to what was said in our letter 9640/S/1 of 14 Sep. 44. we give instructions that the ration be issued in the same scale to the hospital patients on civilian rations as well.

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Dir. Gen. Serv. Comm. to Military

Divisione Assistenza

N. I3427/S/I

P.M. 5802, li 19 Dicembre 1944

Oggetto: - Mammellata  
Mammellata

ALLA DREZ, DI COM/TO DEL COM/DO INT. DEL LANC, UBERIA

| REGIONE  | PROVINCIA | COMUNE    | INDICAZIONE | NUMERO | DATA | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |
|----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|--------|------|-----------|----------|------|
| ABRUZZO  | TERAMO    | TERAMO    | INDICAZIONE | 1      | 1911 | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |
| PUGLIA   | BARI      | BARI      | INDICAZIONE | 2      | 1912 | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |
| LUCANIA  | POTENZA   | POTENZA   | INDICAZIONE | 3      | 1913 | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |
| CAMPANIA | NAPOLI    | NAPOLI    | INDICAZIONE | 4      | 1914 | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |
| CALABRIA | CATANZARO | CATANZARO | INDICAZIONE | 5      | 1915 | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |
| SICILIA  | PALERMO   | PALERMO   | INDICAZIONE | 6      | 1916 | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |
| SARDEGNA | CAGLIARI  | CAGLIARI  | INDICAZIONE | 7      | 1917 | REDAZIONE | VERIFICA | NOTE |

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

c, per c.a. 1000 anni:

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE DI SINITA' MILITARE  
AL COMANDO MILITARE DEL LANC., UFFERIA E ABRUZZI  
" " " DELLA FIGLIA E DUCANI:  
" " "

|   |   |   |   |            |
|---|---|---|---|------------|
| " | " | " | " | CALIFORNIA |
| " | " | " | " | KALABRIA   |
| " | " | " | " | SICILY     |
| " | " | " | " | SARDINIA   |

SECRET  
R. M. 3400  
CATANZARO  
R. M. 72  
R. M. 75-A

La Settecommissione Alleata per l'Esercito ha comunicato che i quantitativi di marmellata esistenti in ciascuna circoscrizione dovranno essere passati al consumo secondo il seguente ordine di precedenza nelle distribuzioni:

- 1) personale militare riuoverato negli (spedali
- 2) Truppe Italiane operanti nelle zone avanzate
- 3) personale militare addeato a lavori pesanti
- 4) altri militari.

Per l'attuazione di quanto sopra si dispone:

- a) La Direzione di Commissariato Militare della Puglia e Lucania, 25 della Compagnia provvederanno all'accantonamento rispettivamente di 2.11 225 e 150 di mazzellata che resteranno a disposizione di questo Ministero per la spedizione alle truppe operanti e per il rifornimento ad altre.



La designazione dei reparti beneficiari di quest'ultima concessione resta a cura dei Comandi militari, ai quali le Direzioni di Commissariato comunicheranno i quantitativi residuati dopo l'accantonamento dei quantitativi a disposizione di questo Ministero e dei quantitativi occorrenti per le distribuzioni ai degenti.

A titolo orientativo si precisa che a cura di questo Ministero saranno disposte le seguenti spedizioni:

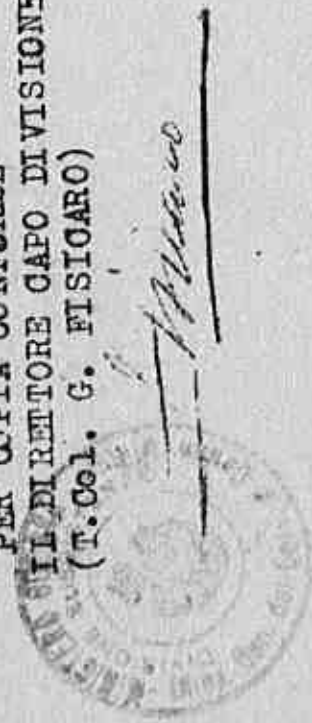
Q.li 30 da Bari a Catanzaro  
" 50 da Napoli a Roma  
" 40 da Bari a Palermo

Per la Direzione di Commissariato della Sardegna si soggiunge che al fabbisogno dell'Isola dovrà essere provveduto con i Q.li 43 segnalati con la situazione richiesta derivate al 20 ottobre u.s.

La razione resta ferma in gr. 40 per 4 distribuzioni alla settimana. A modifica del dispaccio n. 9640/S/1 in data 14 settembre si dispone che la razione va distribuita in tale misura anche ai degenti degli Ospedali a razionamento civile.

P. IL MINISTRO  
Fto PELLIGRA

PER COPIA CONFORME  
IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE  
(T. Cel. G. FISIOARO)



1934

Subject:- Issue to Hospitals of Italian JAM/MARMALADE

Liaison Officer  
Land Forces Sub Comm.  
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)  
C/o 54 Area  
ST/4  
10 Dec 44.

TO: H.Q. Land Forces Sub Comm A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

1. Copy of Commissariato BARI letter I/23393 dated 9 Dec 44 is forwarded for your information.
2. The instructions issued by the Italian War Ministry do not appear to include issues of MARMALADE to Italian MILITARY patients (as authorised by your ST/103 dated 3 Nov 44.
3. This query arose as a result of a recent visit by me to CENTRO ORTOPEDICO, BARI, the patients of which are all ex. 5th or 8th Army. They are receiving only the single ration scale.

KF/baw

K; Freeland, Capt.  
for Senior M.M.I.A. L.O.  
C/o 54 Area

\*S & T, MMIA.

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LT state that marmalade Lt. Norlick is raising with 179 as was included in their instructions and find out why marmalade and are sending us a copy was not included in their instructions.

15 Dec 44.

LT.  
Cobbler, 14/12

1933

COMANDO MILITARE DELLA PUGLIA E DELLA LUCANIA  
DIREZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO

n. I/23393 di prot.

Bari 9 December 1944

SUBJECT: Hospital Items

Reference to a verbal request.

1. This Direction, since 15 November 1944, with the note No. 1/21625 put at disposition of the local Direzione di Sanita, the following quantities of the special items from Italian source, which were in the Magazzino Militare Viveri of Bari, according to the message of the Ministry of War D.G.S.C.M. - Div. Suss No; 11663/S of the 3rd of November 1944.

|                      |       |      |
|----------------------|-------|------|
| Tinned Peas          | kg.   | 388  |
| Lemon Juice          | lt.   | 47   |
| Mineral Water        | lt.   | 248  |
| Syrup and Liquors    | lt;   | 1362 |
| Mineral Water Powder | boxes | 158  |

Until now we did not receive the relative division among the hospitals of the district.

2. With regard to the patients in the hospitals, according to the Ministerial disposition circular No; 9640/S/1 of the 14th September 1944, marmalade is issued only to the patients in the Hospital who have the civilian ration, at the rate of the 25% of the strength.

The ration, which before, was fixed at 40 grammes daily, with the message 13427/1 of the 1st December 1944, was reduced to four issues weekly, and this last modification was stated to the interested authority. We add that the hospitals which have the civilian ration, draw, on payment the rations of marmalade.

3. The Ortopedic Hospital of Bari, does not draw the marmalade, because it gets the military rations. 1932

4. The chocolate and sweets are reserved for ex P.O.W.s. (message 11633/S of the 3rd November 1944) and were put to disposition of Puglia e Lucania - H.Q. Assistance Office.

IL COLONNELLO COMMISSARIA DIRETTORE  
(Angelo La Zera)

SUBJECT:- Italian Jam/Marmalade.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.).  
ST/103

Direz. Gen. Commissariato,  
Italian War Ministry.

3 November 1944.

Copy to:- ALL Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.) Liaison Officers.  
A/Q.

(5)

Reference our ST/103 dated 25 Aug 44. (Not to all IOs).

1. Jam/Marmalade will be issued to Italian troops and priority will be given as follows :-

- (a) Military personnel in hospitals.
- (b) Italian troops operating in forward areas.
- (c) Military personnel on Heavy Manual Work.
- (d) Other Military.

2. Scale of issue will be 40 grammes per man, per issue, 4 times per week.

*B. L. Perceval.*

B. L. PERCEVAL.  
Lt. Col. 1944.  
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.).

SWC/jc

*see 24.*

SUBJECT:- Transit Rations.

Military Mission Italian Army,  
ROME.  
ST/103.

30th Oct 44.

MMIA LO:- Naples (your STN/18../24a, 26 Oct 44 refers).

50 HLU (your ST/5/10, 24 Oct 44 refers).

51 HLU

52 HLU

53 HLU

1. For your information and compliance where applicable, Marmalade will only be issued to Italian operational troops in forward areas.

2. It is regretted therefore, that it will not be available for issue to Gruppi di Combattimento until they assume an operational role.

E.L. Marmalade  
Capt

R.L. PERCEVAL,  
Lt. Col, RASC,

SWC/dvm.

ADST, Military Mission Italian Army.

send (15) Refers

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Subject: Transit Rations.

ST 2/8 7  
LIAISON OFFICER  
MMIA  
NAPLES SECTOR  
STN/18  
STN/24a

26 October 1944.

To: MMIA  
Rome

Copy: DADST, 50 BLU (Your ST/5/10, 24 Oct 44).

1. Forwarded herewith letter, ST/5/10 of 24 October 1944 from DADST, 50 BLU.

2. The policy followed by this office, based on your ST/103 of 18 August, is that marmalade is available only to Italian Combat Troops forward of Rear Fifth and Eight Army boundaries.

3  
George D. Smith, Jr.  
Major, Infantry  
Senior Liaison Officer

Incl: Ltr, ST/5/10, 24 Oct 44

KRV/jlm

S & T, MMIA.

Recd

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DADST

Reply NO for combat  
area troops only

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SUBJECT: Transit Rations

50 Brit Liaison Unit

ST/5/10

24 Oct 44

*S/T*  
MMIA, NAPLES

FRIULI Div have asked that they should receive a stock of jam to be used as a substitute issue in place of fresh fruit with transit rations.

Fresh fruit is an undesirable item to carry in transit rations both on account of its bulk and its perishable nature, and there is no jam or tinned or dried fruit item in the present ration scale that can be substituted for fresh fruit.

It is not considered that there would be any difficulty in assuring that the jam was used only for transit rations.

CMF  
GAB/SYB

*J. P. D. Lock*  
Maj  
DADST

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Translation

From - M of W.  
To - V X X X  
for information -  
MMIA.

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Ref. - 8615/1/5.  
Date - 25 Aug. 46.

Subject: Marmelade Ration - Special ration for  
operational troops.

Following agreement with MMIA, it  
is repeated that, contrary to what was communicated  
by MMIA to liaison offices, marmelade ration to  
be issued, as available, remains fixed to 40 gr  
at every alternative day.

O.K.

The Minister

Sgt FAISRE

ADST

ADST

AS & T. MMIA.

Recd

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N. 2615/115, di prot.

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
Diret. Gen. del Serv. di Comm. Mil.  
- Divisione Russiniana -

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| M.M. A.   | 21      |
| FILE REF  | 1103    |
| Date Recd | 16/8/44 |

P.N. 167, 11 25 agosto 1944.

OGGETTO: Razione giornaliera quale genere di conforto alla truppa ero-  
ranti. - *Supply Ration of Warlike for operations troops.*

ALLA DELEGAZIONE "A" dello S.M.R.E. - P.N. 165  
AL COMANDO DEL CORPO ITALIANO DI LIBERAZIONE  
- Ufficio Servizi -  
AL COMANDO RACCOMENDATO FORSE ITALIANE 8<sup>a</sup> ARMATA P.N. 155  
- Ufficio Servizi -  
AL COMANDO DELLA 210<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE DI VENTURA P.N. 16  
P.N. 173

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ASSEGNO DELLA A.C.C. R O M A  
ALLA DIRET. DI COM/TO DEL C/DO MIL. RUSSIA E LUGANIA P.N. 97  
ALLA DIREZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO MIL. DEL C/DO MIL.  
NELLA GUERRA P.N. 120

A seguito accordi intercorsi con la Sottocommissione  
de Alleanza per l'Esercito, si ribadisce che, contrariamen-  
te a quanto comunicato dalla predetta Sottocommissione Al-  
leanza ai suoi organi di collegamento, la razione della mar-  
mellata da distribuirsi, quando disponibile, quale genere di  
conforto alle truppe operanti, resta fissata in gr. 40 per  
distribuzioni a giorni alterni.

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P. IL MINISTRO

It. Pelligrà

Questa copia conforme



AL COMANDO DEL CORPO ITALIANO DI LIBERAZIONE  
 - Ufficio Servizi -  
 AL COMANDO RACCOMANDATO FORCES ITALIANES 2<sup>a</sup> ARMATA  
 - Ufficio Servizi -  
 AL COMANDO DELLA 210<sup>a</sup> DIVISIONE MANIFATTURA  
 e, per conoscenza

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO DELLA A.C.S.  
 ALLA DIREZIONE DI COMANDO DEL C/DO MIL. RUSSIA E LUSANIA  
 ALLA DIREZIONE DI COMANDO MIL. DEL C/DO MIL.  
 DELLA GARIBOLDI

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 distribuzioni a giorni alterni.

1927

Gen. del Sen. di Torino  
 11 Direttore Cess. Divisione II.  
 Con copia conforme

IL MINISTRO  
 R. Pelligrini

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SUBJECT:- Marmalade.

File  
Army Sub Commission, (MMIA),  
Hq, ACC, Rome.  
ST/103.

25 August, 1944.

MMIA LO, Rear HQ Eighth Army.

Copy to:- MMIA LO, Rear HQ Fifth Army.  
"Q" MMIA.

Your MM/103 of 20 Aug 44, refers.

1. Marmalade may be issued to all Italian troops forward of Rear Army boundaries, priority of issue being given to troops engaged in combat, should stocks not arrive in sufficient quantity to permit a general issue.

2. The Ministry of War now state that the scale of issue should be 40 grammes, NOT 50 grammes as previously stated.

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Lt. Col, RASC,  
ADST, Army Sub Commission, (MMIA).

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Army Sub Commission, MMIA  
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Reference your letter ST/103 dated 18 Aug 44.

May it please be specified whether the term " combat troops " applies only to the C I L, or if it covers other Italian troops employed in forward operational areas under fire, and if so, which?

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Lt-Col. G.S.  
MMIA Rear HQ EIGHTH ARMY 1925

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Army Sub Commission, (MMIA).  
Hq, ACC, Rome.  
ST/103.

18th August, 1944.

Dires. Gen. Commissariato,  
Italian War Ministry.

Copy to:- MMIA Sector LC - Bari, Naples, Taranto,  
Catanzaro.

MMIA LC

- Rear 8th Army.

MMIA LC

- Rear 5th Army.

1. Authority has been given for the stocks of Italian marmalade, at present in various Italian Army Depots to be issued to Italian combat troops forward of Rear Fifth and Eighth Army boundaries at following scale:-

90 grammes marmalade per man, per issue.

To be issued four times per week.

2. Authority for above is Hq MMIA letter AQ/2/8 dated 16th August, 1944.

3. Please keep this Hq informed of action taken in this matter.

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ADST, Army Sub Commission, (MMIA).

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Lt Col, RASC,

AQ. MMIA.

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MARMALADE.

1. As at 24 Jul. 1944 there were stocks of Italian marmalade amounting to 141,896 lbs in various Italian Army Depots.
2. This stock is Italian Army property and was NOT supplied by the Allies.
3. The whole stock is frozen, as no issues are being made, and will eventually deteriorate by fermentation.
4. Previously the Italian Army issued marmalade to combat troops and troops engaged in exceptionally arduous work at a scale of 50 grams per man per day.  
These are thus in excess of 1½ million rations available which it is recommended should be utilized.
5. It is suggested authority be obtained to issue this marmalade to Italian combat troops forward of Rear 5th and 8th Army boundaries at an issue rate of 1/4 issues a week at a scale of 50 grams per man.  
This may serve to compensate the combat troops in some degree for the reduced scale of rations consequently upon the introduction of the new single scale.

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ADST, Army Sub Commission, (MMIA).

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