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Letters - Outside6264  
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may 15, 1944 - Sept. 5, 1944

SUBJECT. Message for Italian Army

(6)  
M.M.I.A. L.O.  
HQ No 2 District.  
C.M.F.

Ref: ST/2  
5 Sep 44

Military HQ PUGLIA AND LUCIANA

Ref attached Letter from HQ MMIA,  
may the necessary information please be supplied to this  
office.

*[Signature]*  
Maj C.S.  
Senior M.M.I.A. L.O.  
HQ No 2 District.

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5 SEP 1944

HQ, WMIA  
NAPLES SECTOR  
Ref: STB/20

30 August, 44

To: MMIA Sector Liaison Officer  
Bari

Copy to: MMIA HQ

Transmitted herewith is a copy of ltr.  
NMIA HQ, ST/69, dated 28 August 44 received by  
this office.

for *H. W. Thelsson* Capt  
ST Liaison Officer  
NFIA, Naples.

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AUG 30 1944

Subject:- Forage for Italian Army. Release for period  
13 to 22 August, 1944.

Army Sub Commission, (MIA),  
HQ, ACC, ROME.  
ST/69.

28 August 44.

Direz. Gen. Commissariato,  
Italian War Ministry.

Reference this HQ letter ST/69 of 12 August 44 -  
para 2.

1. Please confirm receipt of following at BARI from  
British depot, at BARLETTA:-

|             |          |
|-------------|----------|
| Barley      | 74 tons. |
| Horse Beans | 10 tons. |
| Bran        | 10 tons. |

*B. I. Perceval*

B.I. PERCEVAL.  
Lt.Col. RASC.

DW/bc

ADST, Army Sub Commission, (MIA).

Copy to:- MIA Sector 10, BARI. ←

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S/S/2 *22/730*  
 Subject:- Empty Wine Barrels.

21 AUG 1947

Army Sub Commission, (MEMA),  
 HQ, AGC, ROME.  
 ST/63.

MEMA Sector LO, NAPLES.  
 MEMA Sector LO, BARI.  
 MEMA Sector LO, ROME. (2)

21 August 47

1. It is notified for your information that 5th and 8th Army have been requested to backload Italian Army's empty wine barrels in any areas to:-

Italian Depot, NAPLES  
 " " CIVITA VECCHIA } for West Coast.

Italian Depot, BARI. for East Coast.

DR/CO

*S. L. Cam*  
 for R. L. PERCHIVAL.  
 Lt. Col. RASC,  
 ADST, Army Sub Commission, (MEMA).

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MMIA/ACC(Army Sub Commission

Part X Order 1  
8 August 1944

HQ 2 District

| WD NO.     | Make | Type                           | From                        | To                 | Authority                                                          |
|------------|------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 6 BSA/1073 | Fiat | 1100<br>4 door 4<br>seat sedan | DADOS<br>6 Base Sub<br>Area | MMIA LO<br>2 Dist. | Headquarters 2 Dist.<br>Letter 2401/11 6(SD2<br>Dated 31 July 1944 |
|            |      |                                |                             |                    |                                                                    |

*George C. Guthrie*  
George C. Guthrie  
Captain Infantry  
Sector LO.

Dist: 1 Q (AE) 4 GHQ REF✓  
1 Q (AE) AFHQ BNAF  
1 DADOS 6 Base Sub Area✓  
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HQ 2 District

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8 August 1944

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*George C. Guthrie*  
George C. Guthrie  
Captain Infantry  
Sector LO.

Dist: 1 Q (AE) 4 GHQ MEF ✓  
1 Q (AE) AFHQ BNAF  
1 DADOS 6 Base Sub Area ✓  
1 File

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Subject:- Disposal instructions for Cargo ex Docks.

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H.Q.  
Movements,  
B A R I

To:- Port Det  
M.M.I.A.  
Bari

MTS/77  
18 June 44

Copies to:- 62 Sect SIB (your SIB/62/A/44/952 refers)  
Docks Supt.  
A.P.M. 6 BSA  
A.P.M. 181 Ports Coy.

1. Disposal instructions for 900 tons of M M Iti. supplies ex s/s Knox were provided by your office as follows.  
(a) all flour to Piazza Garibaldi by road.  
(b) all other commodities to Via Valenzano by road.
2. Consequent on these instructions a load of beans was delivered to a warehouse in Valenzano, by a lorry driver who failed to locate your warehouse in Via Valenzano.
3. Lengthy investigation by SIB has now traced this consignment and it is understood that you have been requested to arrange collection.
4. It is no doubt obvious to you how easy it would be for black market operators to obtain delivery of your stores, in circumstances similar to the case under review.
5. Would you therefore pay particular attention to the issuing of complete addresses for all your warehouses when giving disposal instructions.

DMR/RC

*J. M. Rae*  
Major R.E.  
for Lt.Col. R.E.  
Port Commandant  
(I.M. RAE)

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AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SEA FREIGHT MOVEMENT ORDER NO. 202.SECRET.H.Q. Movements,  
Eastern Italy.  
Ref: Mov 5/401/1

14 June 44.

1. The schooner "MARIETTA" will load the following additional stores at Taranto.
2. Stores will be called forward by Mov Taranto.

| Index | Stores   | D.W.<br>Tons | M.W.<br>Tons | Consignor                                              | Consignee                  | Road/Rail<br>Arrangements | Remarks |
|-------|----------|--------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| CAN/3 | Supplies | 18           | 25           | S.M.R.E.<br>Italian Special<br>Food Depot,<br>TARANTO. | Italian Depot,<br>CATANIA. | By Road                   |         |

Distribution:

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Mov Taranto          | 9. |
| Mov HQ. A.A.I.       | 2. |
| Mov. Bari.           | 2. |
| Mov. HQ. TMAF.       | 2. |
| SSTO Adriatic Ports. | 1. |
| Mov. Sicily.         | 6. |
| Mov. 3.              | 2. |
| Tn. 5.               | 1. |
| Stats.               | 1. |
| Master File          | 1. |
| EMIA No. 2 District. | 4. |
| EMIA, Lecce.         | 4. |

Colonel.  
Col. Q(M)DE/PSS.  
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MOVEMENT ORDER NO. 202.

C.C.C.

SECRET.H.Q. Movements,  
Eastern Italy.  
Ref: Mov 5/401/1

14 June 44.

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and the following additional stores at Taranto.  
by Mov Taranto.

| Consignor                                              | Consignee                  | Road/Rail Arrangements | Remarks |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| S.M.R.E.<br>Italian Special<br>Food Depot,<br>TARANTO. | Italian Depot,<br>CATANIA. | By Road                |         |

No. 202/1.

Receipt is acknowledged of your  
Mov. 5/401/1 dated 14 June, 44.  
(STED No. 202 and 1)

(sgd)

Rank

Colonel.  
Col. Q(H)DE/PSS.  
TODACKNOWLEDGMENT.

To: H.Q. Movements, Eastern Italy.

From:

Date.

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Bari Port Detachment  
Bari

30 May 1944

Subject: Manifest of S. S. Philanden C. Knox (HR-256)

TO : MMIA Port Detachment, Taranto

1. Transmitted herewith manifest of the S. S. Philanden C. Knox.
2. This ship was originally dispatched to Bari but since re-assigned to Taranto.

*GCB*  
George C. Guthrie  
Captain Infantry

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## HEADQUARTERS

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| APR | EDS |    |   |
| FIN | AD  | ✓  |   |
| MRS | EDS |    |   |
| FIN | ED  |    |   |

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10th MAY

1944.

SHIPPING ORDER NO. QS-1-3111 AUTHENTICATION MIDDLESWART  
 TO : COMMANDING GENERAL EASTERN BASE SECTION, APO 763  
 OFFICE

1. THIS ORDER IS AUTHORITY FOR MOVEMENT OF SUPPLIES LISTED IN :

SHIPPING ORDER LIST NO. QS-1-3111.

(Requisition, letter or other authority)

FROM : QUARTERMASTER - EAS AT : BLENDUE  
 TO : QUARTERMASTER - ESEA AT : TARANTO, ITALY.

DESCRIPTION : CANNED MEAT AND FISH FOR ITALIAN MILITARY.TONNAGE FOR MOVEMENT : DEADWEIGHT LONG TONS 2,412.36CUBIC FEET 126,653

2. ITEMS NOT IN STOCK OR AVAILABLE FOR SHIPMENT WILL BE REPORTED PROMPTLY IN WRITING TO THIS HEADQUARTERS (NOT TO BE BACK ORDERED.)

3. CONSIGNOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR FOLLOW UP.

4. PRIORITY : ☐ URGENT ☒ HIGH ☐ ROUTINE.NOTE: MARK ALL CASES WITH  
LETTERS "ITI", 4" HIGH.

5. TRANSPORTATION :

(a) METHOD : LOAD ON COASTER TONE JARL(b) TIME : SUPPLIES NOT TO BE AVAILABLE BY SEA ON 8th MAY 1944; ORDERED FLIGHT IN(c) REMARKS : STOCK ON 8th MAY 1944; TO BE READY FOR SHIPMENT IMMEDIATELY.6. FOR SHIPMENTS BY AIR FILL IN ADDITIONAL FORM ON REVERSE SIDE. 6267

7. IT IS REQUESTED THAT CONSIGNEE BE NOTIFIED AS TO QUANTITIES SHIPPED AND DATE AND METHOD OF SHIPMENT.

By command of Major General LARKIN :

E. S. TURNER  
 Major, A. G. S.,  
 Asst. Adjutant General.

I. C. MAULDING  
 Asst. Adjutant General.

See Instructions on Reverse Side

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SHIPMENT OF SUPPLIES BY AIR

1. SHOW NAME AND RANK OF INDIVIDUAL HANDLING THE SHIPMENT IN THE CONSIGNEE BASE SECTION, AND HOW HE MAY BE CONTACTED :

- (a) NAME AND RANK \_\_\_\_\_
- (b) CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_

2. DESCRIPTION OF SHIPMENT MUST INCLUDE, ADDITION TO CONTENTS, THE DEAD WEIGHT (IN LBS) AND DIMENSIONS (IN CUBIC FT) OF EACH PACKAGE :

| NO. OF<br>PIECES | KIND OF<br>PACKAGE | CONTENTS | WEIGHT OF<br>EACH PKG. | CUBIC FT EACH PACKAGE |
|------------------|--------------------|----------|------------------------|-----------------------|
|------------------|--------------------|----------|------------------------|-----------------------|

(If shipment is composed of numerous pkgs of various weights & sizes attach additional sheet to show specifications of each package.)

3. STATE WHETHER OR NOT THIS SHIPMENT MAY BE MOVED IN SPLIT LOTS IF NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH AIR MOVEMENT :

4. SHOW LATEST ARRIVAL DATE AND HOUR NECESSARY FOR ACCOMPLISHMENT OF MISSION.  
DATE \_\_\_\_\_ HOUR \_\_\_\_\_

5. SHOW DEFINITE INFORMATION TO JUSTIFY THE NEED FOR PRIORITY AND PASSAGE BY AIR :

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF SHIPPING ORDER

- 1. Prepare six copies.
- 2. Service originating Shipping Order will enter all information except that required by paragraph 5.
- 3. Geographical location of Consignor and Consignee will be stated in paragraph 1.
- 4. Paragraph 5 will be completed by the Transportation Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY HATOUSA  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER  
APO #760

## SHIPPING ORDER LIST

DATE 10th MAY 1944

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TO QUARTERMASTER EASTERN BASE SECTION, APO 763.S.O. NO. QM-I-3111SHIP TO QM, MMIAAT TARANTO, ITALY.SHEET NO. 1 of 1BASIS: DISTRIBUTION FOR ITALIAN MILITARY.

( ) SHIP EXACT QUANTITY

NOTE: MARKING -- LETTERS "ITI", 1" HIGH.

( \* ) SHIP TO NEAREST CASE

| QUANTITY  | UNIT | DESCRIPTION                   |
|-----------|------|-------------------------------|
| 1,532,908 | LB.  | BEEF, CORNED                  |
| 336,895   | LB.  | CHILI CON CARNE WITHOUT BEANS |
| 300,931   | LB.  | SALMON                        |
| 842,908   | LB.  | HASH, CORNED BEEF             |
| 23,124    | LB.  | LUNCHEON MEAT                 |
| 398,267   | LB.  | HASH, MEAT & VEGETABLE        |
| 993,195   | LB.  | STEAK, MEAT & VEGETABLE       |
| 558,280   | LB.  | SAUSAGE, VIENNA               |

ABOVE QUANTITIES EXPRESSED  
IN POUNDS NET WEIGHT.

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MMIA PORT DETACHMENT  
Bari

21 May 1944

SUBJECT : Manifest of S. S. LOWNSDALE (HR-222)  
TO : MMIA Port Detachment, Taranto

1. Transmitted herewith manifest and allied papers of the S. S. LOWNSDALE.
2. This ship was originally dispatched to BARI but since receipt of manifest its destination has been changed to TARANTO.

*Ray*  
RAYMOND W. SELLERS  
Captain, Infantry  
LNO

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JOINT CONTROL COMMISSION  
PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONERS OF ICE  
BARI

15/5/44  
PCP/5/

Subject: Convoy Notes.

Tolson Officer

Army Sub Commission (M.R.I.A.)

H.Q. 2 District

1. Orders have been issued by 6 Base Sub Area that all installations will return to second copy of Convoy notes accompanying lorries, duly receipted, to the Docks for checking.

2. These orders have the object of checking pilferage and reducing loss of stores by theft to a minimum.

3. 6 Base Sub Area report that the following installations constantly fail to return the second copy of Convoy Notes:-

Italian Ration Dump.

Italian Clothing Dump.

4. As these are presumably Italian- Army installations will you take up this matter immediately and urgently with the Italian Army, as a concentrated and united effort is required to check the present loss by pilferage.

*A. J. J. J.*  
PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER  
PALAZZO DEL GOVERNO  
BARI

Copy to: Provincial Supply Officer - for strict check in  
A.S.C. system.

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PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER  
PALAZZO DEL GOVERNO  
BARI

