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Feb. Sept. 1946

7 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
FLORENCE
Tele: 293618-23

Ref: BLU/20B

14 Sept. 1946

Subject: Recruits Clothing

To : 7 Brig. Command

Copy : 12 B.L.U. (Your Progress Report No. 12 (para 32) refers.)

1. The following extract is quoted from a report by 12 B.L.U. concerning "The School of Infantry"

32. Clothing.

The condition of the recruits clothing on arrival at the Infantry School was far worse than had been expected. 30% of the boots were completely unserviceable, and some men have not even one pair but walk about in sandals. Other items are nearly as bad.

It is clear that the value of regular and thorough inspection is not fully realised by the Young Officer, and administration is considered of minor importance compared to training.

2. This is general criticism on recruits arriving at the school from all C.A.R.s and does not apply solely to 7 C.A.R.
3. It is however suggested that steps should be taken to ensure, that recruits on leaving 7 C.A.R are equipped to complete scale of clothing in serviceable condition.
4. It is further suggested that a list, of all kit issued to the recruits, should be sent to the school in order to check that the recruit actually arrives with all kit issued to him.

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY

Telephone: 66604

Ref: - 53A

13 May 46

SUBJECT: - Dress - Summer Clothing

Distribution List 'R' (British)

1. Summer Clothing will be worn by all ranks in this Command on and after 16 May 46.
2. The scale of issue this year is 2 prs KD Slacks and 1 pr KD Shorts.
3. Commanding Officers will encourage the wearing of KD Slacks as much as possible.
4. When walking out in the City of ROME, troops will wear KD Slacks.
5. Commandants of Rest Camps will ensure that personnel proceeding to ROME do not leave their camps dressed in Shorts.
6. All ranks will always wear KD Slacks between Sunset and Sunrise.
7. Shirts and Bush shirts, the sleeves of which have been cut short, will not be worn at any time by officers or other ranks unless the sleeves have been replaced or extended.
8. When Shorts KD are worn, officers :-
 - (a) if on duty with troops, will wear such dress as conforming to that of the troops;
 - (b) if not on duty with troops, may wear stockings and shoes.
9. Officers in possession of Jackets KD may wear them when not on duty with troops, but no officer will be required to purchase a Jacket KD.
10. Owing to the difficulty of obtaining the means of attachment for medal ribbons, it is not compulsory to wear ribbons on bush shirts but all ranks entitled should do so, as far as possible.
11. Bush shirts will be worn outside slacks or shorts with belts.
12. Corset patches will be worn on bush shirts by officers of the rank of Colonel or above.
13. Knexl backed worsted badges of rank, when available, will be worn on bush shirts by officers. When not available, badges of rank of other material may be worn.

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9. Officers in possession of jackets KD may wear them when not on duty with troops, but no officer will be required to purchase a jacket KD.
10. Owing to the difficulty of obtaining the means of attachment for medal ribbons, it is not compulsory to wear ribbons on bush shirts but all ranks entitled should do so, as far as possible.
11. Bush shirts will be worn outside slacks or shorts with belts.
12. Corset patches will be worn on bush shirts by officers of the rank of Colonel or above.
13. Khaki backed worsted badges of rank, when available, will be worn on bush shirts by officers. When not available, badges of rank of other material may be worn.

14. The regulations as to the wearing of distinguishing signs are laid down in GPO 135/44 as amended by GPO 369/44.

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REASON: Clothing and Equipment Depots.

12 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
for the
ITALIAN CENTRAL MILITARY SCHOOLS
(Ref: RCM 6340/2)

Ref: A/5/1501

15 May 1945

To: DAUCS, 12 British Liaison Unit.
DAUCS, 12 British Liaison Unit.

1. The following extract from Item No. 3 "3"
Administrative Notes for File, para 6.

"MAINTENANCE - CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT."

The number and size of Italian Army Clothing Depots, M.T. Repair Workshops and Spare Parts Stores vary considerably as between one Territorial Command and another. LU's should maintain a detailed list of all such installations in the territory of their affiliation. Special clearance instructions have been issued by APOB and APOB and CUD officers attached to "A" LU's.

2. APOB now requires lists of all depots of the type mentioned in the above paragraph, showing type of equipment, location and location.

3. Please forward lists to reach this office as soon as possible.

Major SAC
DAA & CUD

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12 British Liaison Unit for the
Italian Central Military Schools

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Commission A.C.,

10 May 1946

Ref. your AQ/5/1536 of 9 May 1946.

Copy of Q.002 dated 21 Jan. 46 is forwarded as requested.

E. W. Bradley Maps.
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for Major General
M. M. I. A.

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DIRECTIVE NO. 3.

FOR ADMINISTRATIVE WORK

FOR

BRITISH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE

ATTACHED TO

SCOTTISH AIRBORNE DIVISION

ALLIED COMMISSION

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

Q.002,
January, 1946.

DIRECTIVE NO. 3.

"Q" ADMINISTRATIVE NOTES

FOR

BRITISH LIAISON UNITS

ATTACHED TO

ITALIAN TERRITORIAL COMMANDS.

INTRODUCTION.

1. This Directive is issued with the object of providing guidance to Liaison Units on "Q" administrative matters.
2. In Directive No. 2 issued under G/7 of 7 Dec 45, general instructions were issued. This contained, under paragraph "g" certain information concerning administration. The present Directive is intended to amplify the information given therein.
3. With the issue of this Directive, all M.M.I.A. Administrative Instructions (except No. 18 which is still applicable to EG-III and US-III service troops) previously issued are cancelled, and copies, if in possession, should be destroyed.

SUMMARY.

4. Details as to the scales, sources of provision and method of distribution for certain supplies to the Italian Armed Forces are attached as enclosure "A".

Authority: A.F.H.Q. AG-C91.711 6(SD)-D of 2 Nov 45.

KNOWLEDGE OF ITALIAN ARMY PROPERTY.

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5. The policy regarding the return of captured enemy material of Italian military origin to Italian military authorities is given at enclosure "B".

ITALIAN TERRITORIAL COMMANDS.

INTRODUCTION.

1. This Directive is issued with the object of providing guidance to Liaison Units on "Q" administrative matters.
2. In Directive No. 2 issued under G/7 of 7 Dec 45, general instructions were issued. This contained, under paragraph "3" certain information concerning administration. The present Directive is intended to amplify the information given therein.
3. With the issue of this Directive, all H.M.I.A. Administrative Instructions (except No. 18 which is still applicable to BR-ITI and US-ITI service troops) previously issued are cancelled, and copies, if in possession, should be destroyed.

SUPPLIES.

4. Details as to the scales, sources of provision and method of distribution for certain supplies to the Italian Armed Forces are attached as annexure "A".

Authority: A.F.H.Q. MC-031.741 G(CD)-O of 2 Nov 45.

RECOVERY OF ITALIAN ARMY PROPERTY.

5. The policy regarding the return of captured enemy material of Italian military origin to Italian military authorities is given at annexure "B".

MAINTENANCE - CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT.

6. The number and size of Italian Army Clothing Depots, M.I. Repair Workshops and Spare Parts Stores vary considerably as between one Territorial Command and another. B.I.U.'s should maintain a detailed list of all such installations in the territory of their affiliated command. Special instructions have been issued by AMS and RME to REE and ORD officers attached to "A" B.I.U.'s.

Distribution:
List "A" less serial 17 & 19
List "B" less serial 12.

N. H. I. A.
Colonel H.Q.

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Directive No. 3.
Annexure 'A'.

SUPPLIES.

1. The scales, sources of supply etc. are shown below against the various categories of the Italian Armed Forces which include the Italian Interim Army, US-III and BR-III Service Troops, Italian Navy (BR-III), Italian Air Force (BR-III, US-III).

2. Italian Interim Army.

The maintenance of the Italian Interim Army from Italian Army depots is the responsibility of the Ministry of War through the Italian Ministry of Food.

The sources of supply are from:-

- (a) Indigenous resources
- (b) Purchases from Allied Surplus Disposal Agencies.
- (c) Civil imports.

The Ministry of Food is unlikely to be able to provide flour, flour for macaroni, meat canned, fish preserved, or pepper et first, and these items for December and January requirements were loaned from Allied resources in ITALY under arrangements US Quartermaster, DSI CAG CAG and HQ MTL.

The ration scale shown at Appendix 'Y' is the current scale of issues for the Interim Army but may be subject to alterations by the War Ministry depending on availability of commodities.

3. US-III Troops.

The maintenance of US-III Troops is the responsibility of US Quartermaster in so far as items scheduled as Category '1' in the ration scale concerned. These items are issued direct to US-III units or US QM Depots.

Items scheduled as categories 'B', 'C' and 'D' are the responsibility of the Italian War Ministry to be supplied from Italian Army depots.

4. BR-III Service Troops (Army).

The maintenance of BR-III Service Troops is the responsibility of DSI CAG OF in so far as items scheduled as categories 'A' and 'B' in the ration scale are concerned. The remainder of items on the scale are the responsibility of the Ministry of War.

5. Italian Navy (BR-III).

The maintenance of the Italian Interim Army from Italian Army depots is the responsibility of the Ministry of War through the Italian Ministry of Food.

The sources of supply are from:-

- (a) Indigenous resources
- (b) Purchases from Allied Surplus Disposal Agencies.
- (c) Civil imports.

The Ministry of Food is unlikely to be able to provide flour, flour for macaroni, meat canned, fish preserved, or pepper at first, and these items for December and January requirements were loaned from Allied resources in Italy under arrangements US Quartermaster, DSE GHQ CEF and HQ MMLA.

The ration scale shown at Appendix 'I' is the current scale of issues for the Interim Army but may be subject to alterations by the War Ministry depending on availability of commodities.

3. US-ITI Troops.

The maintenance of US-ITI Troops is the responsibility of US Quartermaster in so far as items scheduled as Category 'A' in the ration scale concerned. These items are issued direct to US-ITI units ex US QM Depots.

Items scheduled as categories 'B', 'C' and 'D' are the responsibility of the Italian War Ministry to be supplied from Italian Army depots.

4. BR-ITI Service Troops (Army).

The maintenance of BR-ITI Service Troops is the responsibility of DSE GHQ CEF in so far as items scheduled as categories 'A' and 'B' in the ration scale are concerned. The remainder of items on the scale are the responsibility of the Ministry of War.

5. Italian Navy (BR-ITI).

Maintenance of the Italian Navy is the responsibility of DSE GHQ CEF in so far as items in category 'A' of the ration scale are concerned. These items are demanded by HQ MMLA on DSE with a request for delivery to Italian depots as required for issue to Italian Navy in bulk.

Categories 'B', 'C' and 'D' of the ration scale are the responsibility of the Ministry of Marine.

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6. (a) Italian Air Force (IR-ITI).

Maintenance of the Italian Air Force (IR-ITI) is the responsibility of DSI CHQ CEF in so far as items in category 'A' of the ration scale are concerned. These items are demanded by HQ Italian DSI with a request for delivery to Italian depots as required.

Categories 'B', 'C' and 'D' of the ration scale are the responsibility of the Ministry of Air.

(b) Italian Air Force (US-ITI)

Maintenance of the Italian Air Force (US-ITI) is the responsibility of the US Quartermaster in so far as items in category 'A' of the ration scale are concerned. These items are drawn direct by the units concerned from US Depots.

Categories 'B', 'C' and 'D' of the ration scale are the responsibility of the Ministry of Air.

7. General.

Hospital, Disinfectants and Miscellaneous items together with fuel for lighting and heating, also forage are now an Italian responsibility for supply.

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Categories 'B', 'C' and 'D' of the ration scale are the responsibility of the Ministry of Air.

2. General.

Hospital, Disinfectants and Miscellaneous items together with fuel for lighting and heating, also forage are now an Italian responsibility for supply.

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Directive No. 2,
Annexure 'A',
Appendix 'Y'.

The standard ration scale for the whole of the Italian Armed Forces is:-

	ITEM	SCALE	
CATEGORY 'A'	FLOUR	15 ozs.	
	MACARONI or PASTA in lieu	3 ozs.	
	RICE or FLOUR in lieu	1 oz.	
	MEAT PRESERVED or FISH PRESERVED	3 ozs. (See note (a))	
	DRIED VEGETABLES (3/5/5)	2 ozs. (See note (b))	
	VEGETABLES DEHYDRATED	1 oz.	
	CHEESE	6/7 ozs.	
	EGG	1 oz.	
	OLIVE OIL or TOMATO PASTE	1 oz.	
	COFFEE GROUND	1/2 oz.	
CATEGORY 'B'	PEPPER	1/200 oz.	
	FRESH FRESH	4 ozs.	
	VEGETABLES FRESH (includes potatoes)	8 ozs. (See Note (b))	
	OLIVE OIL plus	1 oz.	
	NUTS SHELLLED or	1/2 oz.	
	NUTS UNSHELLLED	1 oz.	
	NUTS SHELLLED or	1/2 oz.	
	NUTS UNSHELLLED	1 oz.	
	SALT (19 grams per tin)	3 ozs.	
	5 grams for bread ration)	24 grams.	
CATEGORY 'C'	WINE	1 litre.	
	MARCHES	40 per week.	
	CIGARETTES, pisces	50 per week.	
	NOAF	(See appendix 'Z')	

NOTES:

- (a) Equivalents MEAT CANNED/FISH PRESERVED
MEAT PRESERVED 3 ozs. normally issued 15 days per month.
(as available).
SALMON TINGED 3 ozs. 2 days per month.
SARDINES 2 ozs. 10 days per month.
MACKERELS 1 ozs. 3 days per month.
- (b) VEGETABLES DEHYDRATED are not now normally issued. Italian Ministries of Marine, War and Air issue 4 ozs. FRESH VEGETABLES in lieu. 1/4 ozs. peeling allowance is also issued to cover the total issue of FRESH VEGETABLES.
RE-ITI Service Troops are issued with 8 ozs. VEGETABLES FRESH (including potatoes) as the equivalent of 1 oz. VEGETABLES DEHYDRATED but no peeling allowance is made.

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CATEGORY 'B'	CHEESE	1 oz.	(See note (b))
	SUGAR	6/7 oz.	
	CANNUP or TOMATO PASTE	1 oz.	
	COFFEE GROUND	1/2 oz.	
	PEPPER	1/200 oz.	
CATEGORY 'C'	FRUIT FRESH	4 ozs.	
	VEGETABLES FRESH (includes potatoes)	8 ozs.	(See Note (b))
	OLIVE OIL plus	1 oz.	
	NUTS SHELLED or	1/2 oz.	
	NUTS UNSHELLED	1/2 oz.	
CATEGORY 'D'	VEGETABLES DEHYDRATED	1/2 oz.	
	SALT (19 grams per man	1/2 oz.	
	5 grams for bread ration)	3 ozs.	
	FINZ	24 grams.	
	BATHES	1 litre.	
CATEGORY 'E'	CIGARETTES, pieces	40 per week.	
	SOAP	50 per week.	
		(See appendix '2')	

NOTES:

(a) Equivalents MEAT CANNED/FISH PRESERVED

MEAT PRESERVED	3 ozs.	normally issued 15 days per month.
SALMON TINNED	3 ozs.	(as available).
SARDINES	2 ozs.	-do-
SHRIMP	4 ozs.	-do-
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(b) VEGETABLES DEHYDRATED are not now normally issued. Italian Ministries of Marine, War and Air issue 4 ozs. FRESH VEGETABLES in lieu. A 4 ozs peeling allowance is also issued to cover the total issue of FRESH VEGETABLES.

Ex-III Service Troops are issued with 8 ozs VEGETABLES FRESH (including potatoes) as the equivalent of 1 oz VEGETABLES DEHYDRATED but no peeling allowance is made.

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Directive No. 3.
Annexure (a)
Appendix (b)

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MINISTRY OF WAR
SUPPLIES & ADMINISTRATION GENERAL DIRECTORATE,
SUPPLIES SECTION.

Ref. No. 19070/S/1

P.M. 3800 + Oct 1945.

To: All Territorial Commands,
Sardinia Territorial Office.

Info to: MELA
All Ministry of War Branches concerned.
All S.M.A.E. Branches concerned.

Subject: Allotment of cation soap containing 60-62% acid fats.

This Ministry instructs that, w.e.f. 1st November 45, no changes will be made in the allotments of:

250 grammes of soap, per man, per month, to soldiers of the Italian Army, of all ranks, who are part of the authorised F.B., of whatever category and wherever they might be located;

200 grammes of soap, per month, to all animals who are part of the authorised F.B.;

and that, to the said allotments, there will be added the following supplements:-

(a) Military Hospitals (on military rationing): 200 grammes per month, for every bed space occupied;

(b) Auxiliary Camp Hospitals: 60 Kilogrammes per hospital, per month;

(c) Medical Sections: 4 Kilogrammes per section, per month.

(d) Field Surgical units: 2 Kilogrammes per unit, per month;

(e) Medical officers on duty with medical establishments

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To: All Territorial Commands,
Sardinia Territorial Office.

Info to: MGIA
All Ministry of War Branches concerned.
All S.M.R.E. Branches concerned.

Subject: Allotment of common soap containing 60-62% acid fat.

This Ministry instructs that, w.e.f. 1st November 45, no changes will be made in the allotments of:

250 grammes of soap, per man, per month, to soldiers of the Italian Army, of all ranks, who are part of the authorized W.E., of whatever category and wherever they might be located;

200 grammes of soap, per month, to all animals who are part of the authorized W.E.;

and that, to the said allotments, there will be added the following supplements:-

(a) Military Hospitals (on military rationing): 200 grammes per month, for every bed space occupied;

(b) Auxiliary Camp Hospitals: 60 Kilogrammes per hospital, per month;

(c) Medical Sections: 4 Kilogrammes per section, per month.

(d) Field Surgical units: 2 Kilogrammes per unit, per month;

(e) Medical officers on duty with medical establishments as described above, and also with troop units: 600 grammes per officer, per month;

(f) Veterinary officers: on duty with animal infirmaries, and also troop units: 600 grammes per officer, per month.

(g) Military personnel belonging to the following categories: Mechanicians, drivers, cooks, stable-hands, personnel on duty in the sorting of salvage materials or the distribution of rations, also to those whose duties lead to the accumulation of excessive personnel kit: 100 grammes, per man, per month.

Directive No. 3.

Annexure 'A'

Appendix 'B' continued.

Whenever there exists the availability, a piece of toilet soap weighing 100 grammes may be issued in lieu of a piece of common soap of equal weight.

The individual allotment of 250 grammes of soap will be distributed in its entirety only to military who do their own washing; however, it will be reduced to 100 grammes for those personnel who take advantage of the laundry service provided.

Quantities to be assigned to the laundries must be measured as follows:

- soap to the amount of 1% of the weight of the article to be washed, if the employment of soap in the washing be necessary;

- 2% of the weight as above, if the washing is performed by hand only, at the laundries.

The soap will be supplied by the formations of units consigning the articles for washing; it will be drawn from the quantities of cleaning materials drawn from the allotments to military personnel under command, or in the case of hospitals from the allotments made to patients.

It is still forbidden to distribute soap to personnel recalled or recruits for the very short periods which they spend with the districts or the formations which act as districts, and to which Circular No. 8566/8/1 dated 21 April 45, refers.

No drawing of soap, on payment, is permitted.

The present instructions cancel all previous orders on the subject.

The H.Q.'s. addressed above will take steps to make the contents of this circular known to all formations and units under command, or however, located in their respective territories.

For the Minister,

(signed) FELLICHA.

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It is still forbidden to distribute soap to personnel recalled or recruits for the very short periods which they spend with the districts or the formations which act as districts, and to which Circular No. 8566/3/1 dated 24 April 45, refers.

No growing of soap, on payment, is permitted.

The present instructions cancel all previous orders on the subject.

The B.C.'s, addressed above, will take steps to make the contents of this circular known to all formations and units under command, or however, located in their respective territories.

For the Minister,

(signed) HELLICRA.

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Directive No. 3.
Annexure 'B'

RECOVERY ITALIAN ARMY PROPERTY.

The Policy regarding the return of Captured Enemy Material of Italian military origin to the Italian Military Authorities is:

- (a) Material of Italian Ground Force origin not required for Allied military purposes including maintenance of POW will be turned over to M.M.I.A. for return to the War Ministry.
- (b) The decision as to what is surplus to Allied needs rests with the Allied Commander. While the majority of the material is in 2 District, 274, 3 District, and XIII Corps may be concerned. Special attention will be given to the recovery of Italian Army vehicles which may not readily be identifiable as of Italian military origin. In doubtful cases, vehicles will be turned over to M.M.I.A., who will determine the ownership and subsequent allocation.
- (c) Details as to the method by which material is to be taken over by M.M.I.A. will be obtained from the Allied HQ concerned. M.I.U's. will report any difficulty experienced in this connection. The Territorial H.Q. concerned, will be responsible for collection and distribution in accordance with instructions received by them from the War Ministry.
- (c) In the case of 2 District, full instructions are contained in 2 District Administrative Instruction No. 35 as amended by 2 District letter 1265/42 dated 29 October. Copies of which should be in the possession of all B.L.U's. in 2 District.
- (f) Captured enemy material other than of Italian military origin surplus to Allied military needs is being disposed of to the Italian Government, whose agent in this matter is Ariens Riquero Allenzine Residuti (A.R.A.R.). Where it comes to the notice of a B.L.U. that such material contains articles of military origin or of particular value to the Italian Army, the fact should be reported to M.M.I.A. who will endeavor to obtain release to the Italian Army.
- (g) Should materials of British or other United Nation origin be discovered after control has passed to M.M.I.A. such articles will at once be not anile and reported to the nearest Allied H.Q. Area, Sub Area, or District, for disposal instructions.

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SUBJECT :- A.F. G. 994 No. 25.

12 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
for the
ITALIAN CENTRAL MILITARY SCHOOLS
(Tel : HOME 66515/2)

Ref : AQ/5/1302

10 April 1946.

To: Comande,
Scuola Centrali Militari.

Reference your 05/1267/S/SM dated 23 March '46.

No trace of your letter 05/570/S/SM of 7 March can be found at this H.Q. and it would be appreciated if a copy could be supplied, when the matter will receive immediate attention.

Apb.

Major RAO
MA & QM
12 British Liaison Unit for the
Italian Central Military Schools

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COMANDO SCUOLE CENTRALI MILITARI
Ufficio Servizi - Sezione S.M.

N° 05/1207/S/SM di prot.

Cesano di Roma
, 11 28 marzo 1946

OGGETTO: Buono A.P.G. 994 n° 25.-

AL COMANDO 12° B.L.U.

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Seguito foglio n° 05/970/S/SM del 7 corrente.-

Si prega cotesto Comando voler cortesemente restituire, se approvate, le copie del buono in oggetto trasmesse col foglio cui si fa seguito.-

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IL CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI
(Ten. Col. S. Campa)

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SUBJECT: Spares for Infantry School.

12 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
for the
ITALIAN CENTRAL MILITARY SCHOOLS
(Tel: ROME 6619)

Ref: AQ/5/1160

7 March 46.

To: Comando
Scuola Centrale Militari.

Reference your 05/894/8/IM dated 1 March 46.

Herewith A.Fs. G.994, duly authorized, for transmission
by you to the appropriate authority.


Major R.A.C.
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COMANDO SCUOLA CENTRALI MILITARI
Ufficio Servizi - Servizio S.M.

Sp. 09/844/5/31 di prot.

Cesano di Roma
11 marzo 1945

OGGETTO: Richiesta di rimborsamento per rimborsamento armi di guerra
ria.

AL COMANDO 12° S.I.T.

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In risposta a quanto comunicato con foglio n° 34/5/593
in data 8 febbraio n. 2. Al l'invia, in cinque copie, il suo-
no 4.3.3. 294 n° 28 inoltrato dal dipendente Comando 3mo
1° di artiglieria relativo a parti di rimborsamento per la ri-
parazione delle armi.

Si prega voler cortesemente restituire a questo Co-
mando quattro copie, siglate per l'approvazione, del buono
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Ufficio: Tutti di seguito per ripartizione armi di fronte
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AL COMANDO 120 B.L.7.

M. S. E. D. E. =

In risposta a quanto comunicato con foglio n° 44/5533
in data 6 febbraio S.A. al invia, in cinque copie, al tuo-
no 4.2.5. 994 n° 28 inoltrato del dipendente Commune Bro-
24 di Artiglieria relativo a parti di ricambio per la ri-
parazione delle armi.

Si prega voler cortesemente restituire a questo Co-
mando quattro copie, siglate per l'approvazione, del buono
di cui sopra.-



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SUBJECT: Barrels auto-frettaged 17 pr.

12 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
for the
ITALIAN CENTRAL MILITARY SCHOOLS.
(Tel: ROMA 66319)

Ref: RA/1/1057

18 Feb. 46.

To: Comando
Scuole Centrali Militari.

Reference your 05/652/S/SM of 16 Feb. 46, authority
was received from G.H.Q. on 15 Feb. 46 for the release of the
three 17 pr. Barrels required. The barrels are available at
557 E.O.H.
3 Sub-Depot, NAPLES, and are being sent by rail to BRACCIANO
under arrangements made by M.M.I.A.

Major H.A.
GSO.II RA.

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Copy to: Comando Scuole di Artiglieria,
BRACCIANO.

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Subject: - Repairs to British Fire Control.

To: - Commander.

12 British Liaison Unit.

12 British Liaison Unit for
Italian Central Military Schools.
(Tel: ROME 66312)

Ref: 25/27

18 Feb 46

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1. On Saturday 16 Feb 46, acting on instructions by A.B.M.M., M.E.L.A. I visited the Laboratory Previsione di Seale Artigliieri, Viale Protoriana, ROME.

2. I understand that this establishment is the only one of its kind in Italy and has always dealt with the major repairs and inspections of Instruments Fire Control for the Italian Army.

3. I explained the services we require to Col. DE COLA, who is the Commanding Officer and summarized them into three questions:-

- (a) Can he undertake the work? - Yes
- (b) Will he undertake the work? - Yes
- (c) What authority does he require? - None

4. I have therefore arranged that he will not accept instruments for repair unless they are accompanied by a detailed list signed by myself or representative detailed by you.

5. Col. DE COLA and the Director took me over the workshops, and I am satisfied that they can give us one hundred per cent efficient repairs of mechanical faults and adjustments; but replacement of optical components will be very difficult, if not impossible. Fortunately complete failure in training of these components is a rare occurrence.

6. Lt. Col. Jones, Inst. Mech. will carry out an instructional inspection at the Italian School of Artillery commencing Monday 25 Feb. He will at that time also instruct in maintenance and very limited minor repairs, taking a record of all instruments which he considers should be sent to the above laboratory for major repairs and optical cleaning.

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Arthur J. Evans

Major RMC
RMC

ATT/abt.

12 British Liaison Unit for Italian Central Military Schools.

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6. L/Cpl. Jones, Inst. Tech. will carry out an instructional inspection at the Italian School of Artillery commencing Monday 25 Feb. He will at that time also instruct in maintenance and very limited minor repairs, taking a record of all instruments which he considers should be sent to the above laboratory for major repairs and optical cleaning.

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Arthur J. Yousse

Major
DAME

ATT/Inf. 12 British Liaison Unit for Italian Central Military Schools.

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REVIEW: Collection of Stores.

To: Commando
Scots Guards Military.

1. It is understood that you have arranged for one 3-ton lorry to proceed to PORTUGAL on Monday, 18 Feb. 46, for the purpose of collecting various stores as under:

- (1) Miscellaneous R.A.M.C. Stores.
- (2) W/T Sets No. 19 Std. Mils. - 10.
- (3) Mils No. 1. 10.
- (4) Batteries 8000 Pz. 6 v. 195 AM. 40

2. This H.Q. will send one representative (Cdn. SSM. J.) who will act in an advisory capacity to the representative of C.O. 155 Hastings.

3. Authority for collection of items 2, 3 and 4 above is: Cdn. C.M. (C.O. 2/13) MEM 6307 dated 8 Feb. 46.

4. Please ensure that the vehicle detailed to collect the stores in question, reports to this H.Q. at 07.00 hrs. on Monday, 18 Feb. 46, in order to collect the British representative.

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Major R.A.C.
D.A. & C.M.

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12 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT
for the
ITALIAN GENERAL MILITARY SCHOOL.
(Ref: MEM 66319)

Ref: AM/5/1024

14 Feb. 46.

1. It is understood that you have arranged for one 3-ton lorry to proceed to PUTHUAGANNO on Monday, 18 Feb. 46, for the purpose of collecting various stores as under:

- (1) Miscellaneous R.A.A.F. Stores.
- (2) W/T Sets No. 19 Std. Kits. - 10.
- (3) Kits No. 1. 10.
- (4) Batteries Army Part. 6 v. 05 AH. 40

2. This H.Q. will send one representative (Capt. WINDS, J.) who will act in an advisory capacity to the representative of O.G. 155 Westbury.

3. Authority for collection of items 2, 3 and 4 above is: OGD. GHQ. CEF (ORD. 2/15) RHQS 657 dated 6 Feb. 46.

4. Please ensure that the vehicle detailed to collect the stores in question, reports to this H.Q. at 07.00 hrs. on Monday, 18 Feb. 46, in order to collect the British representative.

ASJ/ah.

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Maj. Dolan,
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Major R.A.A.F.
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