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ORD/30

CARIBALDI DIVISION

Apr. - Aug 1945

41632  
41722

Subject: "5" Vehicle Census.

To: A.D.O.S., 54 Area.

For information to:

A.D.O.S., MAA3,  
(Your OS/1000/254/15 of 10th  
July 1945 refers)

"F" Division Liaison & Training

Unit, MID, ICF.

Ref: OMD/30/113

MMX August 2nd 1945.

1. Letter OMD/101 dated 17th July 1945, to Garibaldi Regiment is repeated hereunder:-

" Motor Cycle 500 cc Triumph No 2200923.

1. We have been informed by A.D.O.S., R.A.A.O., that the above Motor Cycle was issued to you by 412 Cooperator C.V.P. authority & (AM) 2371 dated 20th June 1945.

2. Will you please confirm by visual inspection the frame numbers of the above Motor Cycle.

3. A note from Garibaldi Regiment has just been received but merely confirms this motor cycle was drawn from 412 Vehicle Park, and does not constitute a reply to the above.

3. Will you please contact Garibaldi Regiment and inform A.D.O.S., R.A.A.O. of their answer to Para 2 of OMD/30/101.

is repeated hereunder:

" Motor Cycle No 320 cc Triumph No 5200752.

1. We have been informed by A.D.C., F.A.A.C., that the above Motor Cycle was issued to you by 412 Cooperator C.V.P. authority & (AS) 2371 dated 20th June 1945.
2. Will you please confirm by visual inspection the frame numbers of the above motor cycle. "
3. A note from Garibaldi Regiment has just been received but merely confirms this motor cycle was drawn from 412 Vehicle Park, and does not constitute a reply to the above.
3. Will you please contact Garibaldi Regiment and inform A.D.C., F.A.A.C. of their answer to Para 2 of ORX/30/101.

LWJ/WES

File.

*WJ*

R.W. JEFFERY.  
Major. D.A.D.O.S.  
for Colonel. Comd.  
The British Liaison & T.O.

REGGIMENTO "CARMELO"

COMANDO

30/112

R. 956/C. di prot.

Trani, li 20 Luglio 1945

OGGETTO: Motor Cycle Solo 350 cc Triumph W.D. N° 5204953. =

AL MARCH M.W. JEFFERS  
D.A.D.C.S.

C E S A R O

Riferimento Ord/30/101 del 17/7/45. =

Comunico che il motociciclo in oggetto è presente  
a questo reggimento ed è stato prelevato il 16/7/45  
dal 412 Ordnance Veh Park. =

4721

*This is not a reply  
to my original letter, see para 2  
ORD 30/101 - "Wait you please etc etc."  
An immediate reply is desired*



LORENZO COMANDANTE  
*[Signature]*

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (ITALIAN)

30/111

subject:- vehicles - demands.

ref : CS/1000/954/1B  
tel : Rome 66588  
date: 20 July 1945.

to :- D.A.D.O.S.  
1st B.L. & T.U.  
R.T.C. I.C.F.

reference your letter OM/30/103 of 24 July 1945.

1. no record is held by this branch of demand for lorry breakdown for Garibaldi Regt.
2. unit should place demand if vehicle is actually required to A.D.O.S. 54 Area.

*us/*

*A. K. S.*

lt. col.  
A.D.O.S.

DA24720  
270120

copy to:- A.D.O.S. 54 Area.

Subject:- S.S.L.

"F" British Liaison & Training  
Unit, RTC, ICF.

Major. Gribble.  
To: C i/c Garibaldi Regt,  
c. 20 Lof G Postal Unit,  
54 Area, CMF.

Ref: GRD/30/110  
July 24th 1945.

Reference your AQ/6/24/6 dated 17th July 1945.

1. Enclosed is a copy of S.S.L. used for equipping of the Garibaldi Regiment.
2. It should be noted that certain sections ~~are deleted~~ have been deleted under authority of AFHQ/6508/2/Q(AE) dated 3rd June 1945.

4719

JM/WES  
File.

M. W. JEFFERY.  
Major

D.A.D.O.S.

MSG W-1145 NR 28143 IMMEDIATE  
FROM MAJOR J.A.S. GIBBELI O I.C. GAMBALDI INF REGT.  
TO MAJOR JEFFERY  
DADOS VEX "P" BR LEAFSON AND TO UNIT  
R.P.C. I.C.P. C.M.P.

INFO - SII  
CCK BT

1. 44 RESTRICTED (.) RECEIVED AND ACK YOUR ORD/2/100 OF JULY 20 (.)  
BT 22.7.45

CHK DTS 22.7.45

SENT L N P 1 (1) K

IS NR 243 14370 GEN KRES KKKK

30/22.7.45  
- see 387106 6495  
4718  
2544  
DADOS



Subject:- Vehicle's.

To: A.D.O.S., RAAC, Rome.

For information to:  
A.D.O.S., 54 Area.

OG. Garibaldi Inf Regiment.

'F' Briti Liaison & Training  
Unit, RTC, ICF.

Ref: ORD/30/108

July 24th 1945.

1. Garibaldi Regiment still have 1 Lorry Breakdown outstanding against vehicle entitlement.
2. As this Regiment is now under 54 Area, may it be suggested the matter be pursued by that H.Q.

MWJ/WES

FILE.

4717  
M.W. JEFFERY.  
Major. D.A.D.O.S. )  
for Colonel. Comd.  
"F" British Liaison & T.U.

Subject : Return of vehicle.

To Major JEFFERY,

D.A.D.O.S.

"F" British Liaison and Tg Unit

R.T.C. I.C.F.

C.M.F.

Major J.A.G. Gribble

O i.c. GARIBALDI INF REGT.

54 AREA

C.M.F.

Ref. A & Q 6/24/6.

July 17th 45.

Dear Major Jeffery.

Ref your ORD/32/47 of 3rd July 45. I have handed a Bedford 30 cwt truck 4 X2 GS WD No 4166723 chassis No 42611 in to 409 Returned Veh Park. 38 Veh Coy R.A.9.M. as requested. The necessary Issue and Receipt Voucher is attached for your retention.

Regarding the Breakdown Lorry I would be most obliged if you could inform me as soon as you hear word about it, as it is most necessary, and I have had several enquiries about it from 54 Area that I havnt been able to answer satisfactorily.

Could you also spare me a copy of the Equipment Tables that are being used to equip the Garibaldi Inf Regt as they would be invaluable to me and though asked MIA havnt provided one as yet.

*cc. Inf Regt + Inf Battalion SEL  
also contain sections as  
per AFHQ Instructions*  
JAGG/MT

Yours sincerely  
*J.A.G. Gribble*

J.A.G. GRIBBLE

Major.

O i.c. GARIBALDI INF REGT.

4716

In the Field C.M.F.

19th July 45.

*Address to APO Rome  
A 202  
O.C. Garibaldi Regt  
Ref over vehicle Indent  
for 1 long E/don for  
Garibaldi Regt -  
if release please pass this  
54 Area  
over*

ADOS RAAC.

Info ADOS SA area  
or. Gaibaldi Inf. Rgt.

Gaibaldi Rgt. Still have 1 long B/down  
outstanding agt. Vehicle entitlement.

As this Rgt. is now under SA area, may it

be suggested the matter be <sup>the</sup> ~~presented~~ by ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~SA~~ <sup>SA</sup>

He.

4952

LEOF V MARE 10 30 OF OP  
FROM MAJOR J A G GRIERLE O I/C CARIBALDI INF REGT 13 7 45  
TO MAJOR JEFFERY B A D O S I/C RE LIAISON AND TC LIAISON  
UNIT RCI C F

QQX  
BT M 37. REF YOUR ORD/30/47. 30 CMT AND GS W D NO 4166723  
RETURNED 460 R V P. DOCUMENTATION BEING FORWARDED SOONEST.  
PLEASE CONFIRM LOCATION OF NO2 STD DEPOT. ACK  
BT 13 7 45

4715

CORR UA 4166723 RETURNED  
D SENT 19230 ME AR  
RECD 230 1652 BEE

30/105  
Ref  
RAW/192205/3

Subject:- Vehicle Release.

To: A.D.O.S.,

R.A.A.G., Rome.


"F" British Liaison & Training  
Unit, RTC, ICF.

Ref: ORD/30/104

July 20th 1945.

1. Enclosed is vehicle release No; GS/REL/551A, in respect of Truck 15-cwt 4 X 2 G.S. Quantity 1, for Br Inc Att Garibaldi Regt.
2. This truck is now not required by the unit, will you please arrange for the above-mentioned release to be cancelled.

WES/-  
File.

  
M.W. JEFFERY.  
Major. D.A.D.O.S.  
for Colonel. Comd.  
"F" British Liaison & Training  
Unit, RTC, ICF.

Subject:- Vehicle Release.

"F" British Liaison & Training  
Unit, RTC, ICF.

To: Major J.A.G. Gribble  
O i/c Garibaldi Inf Regt,

Ref: ORB/30/103

July 20th 1945.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of Vehicle Release No. OS/REL/551A, in respect of Truck 15-cwt 4 X 2 G.S. Qty 1.
2. Arrangements have been made for this to be cancelled.

WES/-

File.

  
W.W. JEFFERY.

Major

D.A.D.O.S.

4713

Subject . Vehicle Release.

To Major M.W. Jeffery  
D.A.D.O.S.  
"F" British Liaison and Training Unit  
RTC ICE

30/102  
Major J.A.G. Gribble  
O i.c. GARIBALDI INF REGT.  
c/o. 20 L of C Postal Unit  
54 Area  
C.M.F.

July 15th 45

Herewith OS/ RBL/ 550a for one truck 15cwt G.S.---

I have already collected a vehicle and would rather hang on to it rather than have to go through all the usual trouble exchanging it at Vehicle Parks.

Would you please acknowledge the receipt of the enclosed Release note.

JAGG/ MR.  
File.

In the Field C.M.F.  
QY.U.RT.

*J.A.G. Gribble Maj*

J.A.G. GRIBBLE.

Major.

O i.c. GARIBALDI INF REGT.

4712

*cc acknowledged  
of return to A.D.O. Rowell  
see 38/104*

Subject:- "B" Vehicle Census.

To: O i/c  
Caribaldi Regiment.

"F" British Liaison &  
Training Unit, REC, ICF.

Ref: ORD/30/101

July 11th 1945.

Motor Cycle Solo 350 cc Triumph W.D.No 5206953.

1. We have been informed by A.D.O.S., R.A.A.C., that the above Motor Cycle was issued to you by 412 Co-operator O.V.F. authority Q (AE) 2371 dated 20th June 1945.
2. Will you please confirm by visual inspection the frame numbers of the above Motor Cycle.

WES/-  
File.

  
H.W. JENNERY.

Major 4711  
D.A.D.O.S.



ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

30 / 100

subject:- 'B' veh. census.

Ref : OS/1000/954/1D  
Tel : Rome 66588  
Date: 9 July 1945.

TO :- D.A.D.O.S.  
F BLU IRMC ICF. ✓  
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M/cycle solo 350 cc triumph W.D. No. 5206953.

1. The above M/cycle was issued by 412 Cooperator C.V.P. authority  
2(AE) 2371 dated 20 June '45, to Garibaldi combat group.

2. please confirm by visual inspection frame numbers of above M/cycle. 4710

2196  
D.A.D.O.S.

*OK written to Garibaldi*

*[Signature]*  
Lt. Col.  
A.D.O.S.

Subject:- Indents Garibaldi Regt.

To: O.O. Sub Depot,  
557, B.O.D., C.M.F.

"F" British Liaison &  
Training Unit, RTC, ICF.

Ref: ORD/30/98

July 5th 1945.

1. Reference attached indents on behalf of Garibaldi Regiment, Nos GAR/57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, & 65.

for M.T. Spares.

2. As the quantity of stores is small and the Regiment has received its movement orders, may the stores be issued to bearer who has been sent down to collect.

3. The irregularity is regretted, but the vehicles involved cannot move without repairs and I have contacted ADOS RAAC, on the subject and obtained his verbal agreement to this action, in view of the urgency.

  
M.W. JEFFERY?

Major D.A.D.O.S.  
for Col. Comd.

4709

"F" British Liaison & Trg Ut

Subject:- Vehicle Release.

To: Major. Gribble,  
c/o Jaribaldi Regiment.

"F" British Liaison &  
Training Unit, RTC, ICF.


Ref: ORD/25/96

July 5th 1945.

Herewith OS/REL/551a for 1 Truck 15-cwt G.S. ---  
presumably for your own use --- this cancels OS/REL/551 of  
which incidentally I have no trace and presume you have received  
direct.

If a vehicle has already been collected will you  
please either arrange to exchange it for the one now released  
or return me the enclosed release note.

MWJ/WES  
File.

  
M.W. JEFFERY.  
Major  
D.A.D.O.S.

4708

Subject:--Replacement of vehicles.

To:--Major J.A.G.Gribble  
Garibaldi Inf Regt.

'2' British Liason & Training  
Unit, RTC, ICF.

Ref. ORD/30/47  
July 3rd 1945.

Dear

Reference your A & Q/5/24/6 of 2 July '45.  
You do not seem to understand what I have been driving at!

Originally the Garibaldi Regt drew--

Lorries 3 Ton-----Quantity 13  
" "-----" 10

Lorries 30 cwt (in lieu 15 cwt)-----  
This was against the Combat Scale and you would have drawn more  
had not plans been altered.

When eventually it was decided to equip you to Guards Regiment  
Scale, I took account of the vehicles you had already drawn less  
2 Lorries 3 Ton and 1 Lorry 30 cwt (WD no 218468) for which I  
had received BLR certificates. The position was as follows---

New Entitlement	Actual Holding	Qty outstanding and to be drawn.
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Lorries 3 Ton:-25	11	14
Trucks 15 cwt	9	Nil
(or 30 cwt in lieu):-9	Nil	1
Lorries Breakdown:-1	Nil	39
Motor Cycles:-39		

You drew 14 Lorries 3 Ton, 1 Truck 15 cwt and 39 Motor Cycles  
ie 1 Truck 15 cwt surplus to entitlement and that is why you  
are requested to return 1 Lorry 30 cwt. I would appreciate your  
doing this as I obtained the release for you on that understanding  
agreed verbally by you.

The matter of the Breakdown Lorry is another case- it is not  
reasonable to claim an extra 30 cwt Lorry in lieu of a Breakdown  
as it cannot possibly perform anything like the same work.  
I am pushing for the Breakdown, but so far I have no news on the  
subject.

Lorries 30 cwt (in lieu 15 cwt)----- " 10  
 This was against the Combat Scale and you would have drawn more  
 had not plans been altered.

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 subject.

AWJ/vg

File.

*W*  
 M. W. JOSEPH

Major

D.A. 47057

Subject :- Garibaldi Inf Regt Vehicles.

~~2/2/45~~  
30/46  
Major J.A.G. Gribble  
O i.c., Garibaldi Inf Regt  
I.C.F.

To: Major Jeffery

D.A.D.O.S.

"F" British Liaison and Training

Unit RTC...ICF.

Ref. ASD/ 5/24/6.

July 2nd 45.

Reference your ORD/30/45.

1. As you hold the B.L.R. Certificate for Bedford 30 cwt lorry W.D. No 216468 which is now in 688 Inf C Workshops ROME. Would it be possible to strike that off in lieu of the 15 cwt drawn from BUONERA Vehicle Park making us up to our compliment of 30cwts in lieu of 15cwt trucks.
2. Is there any news of when we can expect our Recovery vehicle as I would like to draw it prior to moving from our present area.

*J.A.G. Gribble*  
J.A.G. GRIBBLE

Major GS

O i.c. Garibaldi Inf Regt.

4706

File.

In the Field CME

2 JULY 45.

Subject;- Garibaldi Regt, Vehicles.

To: Major J.A.G. Gribble  
Garibaldi Inf Regt.

"F" British Liaison &  
Training Unit, RTC, ICF.

Ref: ORD/30/45

June 29th 1945.

Reference your A&Q/3/24/6.

1. The B.L.R. certificate for Bedford 3-ton, W.D. No 218468 has already been submitted by you on 9th June 1945.
2. The vehicle was in fact a 30-cwt lorry, and not 3-ton as stated, and you should hold your full complement of 30-cwt's in lieu of 15-cwt Trucks. In fact you hold one surplus which I would like you to return immediately, as you drew a 15-cwt Truck from Lucera Vehicle Park on that understanding.

MWJ/WES

File.

  
M.W. JEFFERY

Major

D.A.D.O.S.

4705

Subject:- Af G1043 -1540 Badford WD No 218468.

J.A.G. Gribble Major  
O i.c. Garibaldi Inf Regt.  
VITERBO.

Ref A<sup>2</sup>Q/3/24/6.

Major Jefferies  
D.A.D.O.S.  
"F" British Liaison and Training Unit  
RTC...ICF.  
CESANO.

The above mentioned vehicle has been towed into 63<sup>rd</sup> Lof C Whshp and a B.L.R. Certificate to the effect forwarded to me by Post. As it has failed to reach me after fourteen days, I have asked for a duplicate AF G 1043 to be provided. Herewith duplicate, could another vehicle be indented for to replace the Casualty.

.....*J.A.G. Gribble*.....Major

In the field

O i.c. Garibaldi Inf Regt.

H7.6.45.

4704



URGENT SPECIAL D. R.Subject:- Replacement, Vehicles.

To: A.D.O.S.,

R.A.A.C., Rome."F" British Liaison & Training  
Unit, RTC, ICF.


Ref : ORD/30/44

June 28th 1945.

1. Herewith my Indent No GAR/56 dated 28th June 1945, accompanied by relevant BLR certificate, on behalf of Garibaldi Regiment.
2. These vehicles have been condemned since this regiment drew the balance required to make up the War Establishment.
3. May new vehicles be granted speedily please, as the Regiment is due to move very shortly.

MWJ/WES

File.

  
M.W. JEFFERY. Major  
For Col. Comd. <sup>4703</sup> A.D.O.S.  
"F" British Liaison &  
Training Unit.

Major J.A.G. Gribble  
 O i.c. GARIBALDI INF REGT.  
 VITERBO. 30/43

June 26th 45.

Referance ASQ 2/24/6.

Subject : Vehicles and Equipment Garibaldi Inf Regt.

To : Major Jefferies.

D.A.D.O.S.

"F" British Liaison and Training Unit

R.T.C.....I.C.F.

CESANO.

Dear Jefferys

Ref my ASQ 1/24/6. dated 24 June 4t. herewith B.L.R.  
 Certificates for Vehicles involved. May the two new vehicles be indented  
 for quickly please in view of the move.

Could you also let me have some Brake fluid and some  
 water Steralizing Tablets for use here.

*J.A.G. Gribble*

Major C.S.

4702

In the Field CEF  
 26-6-45.

O i.c. GARIBALDI INF REGT.  
 VITERBO.

ARMY FORM 2136 (Small)			MESSAGE FORM		Register No.									
Call	Srl. No.	Priori	Transmission	uctions										
ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY					OFFICE DATE STAMP									
FROM: (A)	Originator Major J.A.G. Gribble O i.c G. RIBALDI INF REGT. VIETRIBO		Date-Time of Origin 26th June 45.		30/42									
For Action Major Jefferies DADOS "F" British Liaison and Training Unit OESANO.														
TO	(W) For Information (INEO)			Message Instructions	GR									
Nil.														
Originator's No.														
M22. Ref your ORD/S/104. ACK M5on lorry will report to your H.Q. to receive stores tomorrow morning 27-6-45.														
4701														
THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS EXCEPT BY AIR MAIL UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED		IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER		ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY										
SIGNED <i>J.A.G. Gribble</i>		SIGNED		By D.R.										
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30/41  
Major J.A.G. Gribble  
O i/c GARIBALDI INF REGT.  
VITERBO.

June 24th 45.

Ref @&Q 1/24/6.

Subject: Vehicles and Equipment Garibaldi Inf. Regt.

To: Major Jefferies.

D.A.D.O.S.

"F" B.L.U.

R.T.C.....I.C.F.

Dear *Jeffries*.

I am having the two vehicles that have had B.L.R. certificates issued for them towed into 638 L of C Wkshops tomorrow morning.

I am also sending in two other vehicles that are definitely off the road and in the same state, and hope to be in possession of the B.L.R. Certificates for them tomorrow night. I will forward these off to you immediately, and wonder if you can arrange for replacements as soon as possible in view of the shortness of time at our disposal.

4700  
Could you also let me know if there is any news yet of our proposed Breakdown Vehicle, and when we are likely to draw our special equipment ( i.e. Medical Panniers, Crash Helmets etc).

Let me know if there are any other problems and we will do our best to clear them up for you.

Incidentally if the two new vehicles released on our B.L.R.

cont. 2.

Certificates could be released from a nearby Vehicle Park it would help us a lot.

I will attach particulars of thers B.L.R.s to the bottom of the letter.

Yours aye,

*John C. ...*

Vehicles to be disposed of to 638 Lof C Wkshp ROME on 25 June 45.

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210167. Bedford Three Tonner.	(	B.L.R. Certificates have been issued for both of these vehicles.
205788. Bedford Three Tonner.	(	

---

213120. Bedford Three Tonner.	)	B.L.R. Certificates will be drawn on 25/6 45. and will be forwarded on to your H.Q.
622438. Commercial Three Tonner.)	)	

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24th June 45.

*J.C. ...*

Major G.S.

O i/c GARIBALDI INF REGT.

VITERBO.

*They've probably had it*

4699

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

subject:- vehicle release.

Ref : OS/REL/546  
Tel : 66606

To :- O.C.  
No. 13 vehicle park FOLIGNO

Release of the following vehicle(s) is authorised for issue to  
GARIBALDI DIV.

Designation	Qty.	Release No.	Remarks
M/C solo 500cc class I	20	DOS/3000	

*We have been instructed by HQ 3 vehicle group that three M/Cycles have already been collected from H1 - Veh Park*

*4698*

Copy to:- Garibaldi Div. ✓  
Vehicle(s) may be collected from 1st Addressee on presentation of this release.

*F. H. Shortness*  
Capt.  
for Lt. Col  
A.D.O.S.

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

Subject:- vehicle release.

Ref : OS/REL/546  
Tel : 66606

To :- O.C.,  
No. 10 Vehicle Park PERUGIA

Release of the following vehicle(s) is authorised for issue to

Designation	Qty.	Release No.	Remarks
1/2 500cc class I	20	507/3000	

Copy to:-

Vehicle(s) may be collected  
from 1st Addressee on  
presentation of this release.

4697  
P. H. *Hortense*  
Capt.  
for Lt. Col  
A.D.O.S.

*Handwritten:* Humboldt file

*Handwritten:* 30/39

SIGNAL

DATE: 11/25/52

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UNRECORDED

TO: SAC, SIA

FROM: (ACTION): FREDSON

RE: (FROM INFO): AMAC

**Q317**

REF ID: 78522 OF 19 MAY CITE PAGE (.) RECORDED EQUIPMENT DATED 11/25/52

AS OBTAINED ON FOLLOWING SERIALS (.) LIST (.) SET OF THE BEST SERIALS OF 15

AND 32 1/2/52 SERIALS (.) 11/25/52 (.) 15 1/2/52 (.)

SEARCH (.) CLOSING A D HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT (.) WHICH ITEMS OF EQUIPMENT

GROUPED BY EQUIPMENT LIST SERIALS 1 CAL 4 CAL 5 CAL 6 CAL 8 CAL 9

CAL 10 CAL 12 CAL 14 CAL 15 CAL 16 CAL 17 CAL 19 CAL 20 CAL 25 CAL 32 CAL

43 CAL 57 CAL 62 CAL 63 CAL 64 CAL 71 CAL 72 (.) THIRD (.) ITEMS SET

RECORDED (.) SERIALS SOURCES (.) TOTAL FOR BEST 116 SERIALS CAL 2276 SERIALS

NUMBER 1 CAL 176 CAL 184 (.) FOURTH (.) SERIAL 5/1

AND SERIAL 176/1 PART I NOT APPLICABLE AS LIKELY COVERED ABOVE (.) PART II (.)

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CONCLUSION: INFO FILE



GROUP NO. 1 ALL EQUIPMENT LICE SCALD TABLES 1 CAL. 4 CAL. 5 CAL. 6 CAL. 8 CAL. 9  
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 43 CAL. 57 CAL. 62 CAL. 64 CAL. 71 CAL. 72 (.) THIRD (.) LINES AD  
 14100 (.) INITIAL SOURCES (.) TOTAL FOR REGT 116 FIFTEEN CAL. 2276 HOURS  
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Artillery Records,  
ARTY/1

24 May 1943

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Colonel "Q"

1. On the basis of availability and other considerations, I suggest the following Special Equipment List for arms and ammunition for Garibaldi Infantry Regt.:

ARMS AND AMMUNITION

	Scale	Scale per :	
	per Bn:	Regtl HQ	Total per Regt.
<u>Personal</u>			
Pistols, Beretta, Cal. 9 Model 34	31	23	116
Rifles, Cal. 6.5 Model 41	650	326	2276
Carbines, Automatic, Beretta, Cal. 9 Mod. 38/A	48	32	176
Totals.....	729	381	2568

Unit

Light Machine Guns, Breda, Cal. 6.5 Mod. 30

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2. (a) Rifles and Pistols to be distributed among Coys as per SEL's No's 135/1 and 136/1, except as noted in para 2(b) below.

Carbines and Light MG's to be distributed as follows:

	REGT'L HQ.	HQ	3" Mortar	6 Pdr	Total
	Regtl HQ	Coy.	Coy	Gun Coy	Regtl. HQ
Carbines Automatic Beretta Cal. Mod 38/A	--	13	7	12	32
Light Machine Guns, Breda Cal 6.5 Mod 30	--	--	6	2	8

INFANTRY BN

Bn HQ	Support	3 Rifle	Total
HQ Coy	Coy	Coys ea.	Inf. Bn.

Carbines, Automatic, Beretta

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REGT'L HQ.

	Regtl HQ Staff	HQ Coy.	3" Mortar Coy	6 Pdr	Total
Carbines Automatic Beretta Cal. Mod 38/A	--	13	7	12	32
Light Machine Guns, Breda Cal 6.5 Mod 30	--	--	6	2	8

INFANTRY BN

	Bn HQ	Support Coy	3 Rifle Coys ea.	Total
Carbines, Automatic, Beretta Cal. 9 Mod 38/A	--	8	10	48
Light Machine Guns, Breda Cal. 6.5 Mod 30	--	3	7	4694

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(b) This will mean that all personnel formerly entitled to Sniper's Rifle or Carbine, Mazine, Thompson, and not now authorized a Carbine, Automatic, Beretta, will receive an ordinary rifle Cal 6.5 model 41.

3. Actual present availabilities are as follows:

Rifles, Cal 6.5 Mod 41	Naples Area
Light Machine Guns, Breda, Cal 6.5 Mod 30	Naples Area
Pistols, Beretta, Cal 9 Mod 34	Rome Area
* Carbines Automatic Beretta Cal 9 Mod 38/A	Rome Area.

\* The required amount of carbines, automatic, Beretta, (176 in all) will be available shortly on completion of servicing in Rome Artillery Depot.

4. Automatic Carbine Ammunition would be available on Guard Bn scale in Rome area. All other ammunition would be available on Guard Bn scale in Naples area. If amounts of ammunition for training are very large, shipments of certain types would have to be expedited from Sardinia.

Copy to: Q2

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JOHN J. WARD

1st Lt. CAC

Artillery Records

M.M.I.A

Internal Memo

To: Q 2

From : Q(OS)

2/03/40

7 June 45  
~~13 Apr 45~~GARIBALDI REGT

Ref your Q 336 of 5 June 45.

The approx weight of Sig Stores released by "X" Branch to  
GARIBALDI REGT(per att. release orders Nos 299 to 302) is 4½ tons. + 1 ton

This excludes apparatus cable laying, now stated to be not available.

Other stores released are all stated to be available in ROME  
except PETERS 6" - 7"(at NAPLES) the weight of which is approx  
10 lbs only.



W.A. BADCOCK, Major

Q(OS)

WAB/lc

Copy to: "X" BRANCH.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION,  
A. C. (M. M. I. A.)  
R O M E  
Q/23/7  
6 June 1945

SUBJECT: Arms and Ammunition  
for Caribaldi Infantry Regt.

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. Hereby released from the Depots as shown to Caribaldi Infantry Regiment are the following amounts of arms and ammunition:

(a) From Rome Artillery Directorate:

Pistols, Beretta, Cal. 9 Model 34	116	Via Etruria 22
Carbines, Automatic, Beretta, Cal. 9 Mod. 38/A	176	Via Etruria 22
Cartridges, Ball, for automatic Carbine Cal. 9	50,000	Via Prenestina 420

(b) From Naples Artillery Directorate: (Capua Arms Depot)

Rifles, Cal. 6.5 Model 41	2276	
Light Machine Guns, Breda, Cal. 6.5 Mod. 30	104	
Cartridges, Ball Rifle, Cal. 6.5	100,000	(3-tons)
Cartridges, Ball, Pistol, Cal. 9	2,000	
Cartridges, Ball, LMG, Cal. 6.5	110,000	(3-tons)

2. Items will be collected directly from Depots in Rome; in Naples MMIA L/O Provincia Bldg. will direct convey to Depot.

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IRA V. FOREYCE, Capt.,  
For Major General  
M. M. I. A.

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Copy to: Hq. RAAC (2-copies)  
"F" BLU  
Q/OS, MMIA  
MMIA L/O Naples

BIENCO MATERIALE DEL GENIO PRELEVATO DAL COMANDO REGGIMENTO  
GARIBALDI PRESSO I MAGAZZINI LAVORI DI ROMA

30/39

- Carriole a barella per stendimento linee telef.	N. 3
- Pile a secco 1.5.E.10	" 82
- Ferri ramponi scomponibili	paia 5
- Cintole di sicurezza	N. 5
- Tamburi scomponibili	" 6
- Chiodi	Kg. 10
- Appareti telefonici normalizzati tipo G.A. da campo mod. 31	N. 10
- Appareti telefonici normalizzati da campo per guard afili mod. G.A.	" 5
- Scale da innestare	" 2
- Punte di filo ferro grandi	" 10
- Centralino campale a 30 linee a spine complete	" 1
- Custodia per centralino	" 1
Cordoncino telefonico per Artiglieria	m. 40.000
- Cordoncino telefonico per fanteria	m. 3.000
- Cavi gommati a 4 conduttori	m. 3.000

13/6/1945

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Garibaldi File  
Italian Material drawn  
from Rome by the Regt.  
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## ELENCO AUTOMEZZI IN DOTAZIONE AL REGGIMENTO "GARIBALDI" 30/38

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DODGE	L 4717595	3 T	Scarso rendim. non impieg. per lunghi viaggi.
COMMER	L 622418	"	Condizioni buone.
"	L 4875697	"	" "
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"	L 511305	"	" "
"	L 215947	"	" "
"	L 4878712	"	" "
"	L 513520	"	" "
"	L 231323	"	" "
"	L 213128	"	" "
"	L 513351	"	" "
BEDFORD	L 4166869	30 CNT	" "
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"	L 4158143	"	" "
"	L 50254	"	" "
"	L 500837	"	" "
"	L 219166	"	" "
"	L 218468	"	Ritirata dagli AA al 687 HEAVY RECOVER DETACH. VELLETRI 4690
BEDFORD	L 205788	3 T	Inefficiente; da versare al 408
"	L 510167	"	Parce Veicoli - Prenestino (Roma) " idem "

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Garibaldi file.  
list of vehicles held as  
at 13 June.

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MESSAGE FORM

ARMY FORM 4210E (Small)

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Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

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OFFICE DATE SPACE

From

Originator

Date/Time of Origin

Major J.A.C. Gribble  
Garibaldi Regt.

1400 hrs  
13th June 45.

TO

Major Jefferies  
D.A.D.O.S. "F" B.L.U.  
(MESSAGE)

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions

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Originator's No.

M 17. Herewith additional issue voucher for Garibaldi Regt. Hope that all went well today and that the collection of Special Stores was satisfactory, and that you received the necessary information about vehicles. Let me know if any other problems are likely to occur. You may be able to get the Release of the 35 vehicles and the 36 M.C.s from PW 86182 of June 2nd in Reply to MMIA Q 317 of 31 May. I havnt seen this letter and maybe the DAA or QMG will be able to help.

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS  
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J.A.C. Gribble  
Garibaldi Regt.

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FORM 4210E (Small) (Rev. 1-1-45) GPO: 1945 O-348-100

Subject: Equipment - Garibaldi Regiment.

to: A.D.O.S.

R.A.A.C., Rome.

For information to:

DAA & QMG WFO BLU.

Land Forces Sub Comm AG,  
FOR DADCS (MMIA).

WFO B.L.U.,

L.R.P.C., I.C.M.,

c/o Land Forces Sub Comm,

AG (MMIA) Rome.

Ref: ORD/30/36

June 12th 1945.

Further to MY ORD/30/35 dated June 12th 1945.

1. herewith Indents covering requirements for Garibaldi Regiment, covering NEL Tables 23, 43, 5, 12, 20, 9, 10, 4, and 17.
2. Will you please advise availability and when to collect.
3. Indents cover requirements for:-
  - (a) 7 Medical Officers: Panniers G.S. and Medical Comforts, Carbolic Soap, other items stated not to be required.
  - (b) 6 Cookhouses of 100 - 150 men. The Regiment states its present equipment, from Italian sources is adequate while in a static role but will not wholly cover requirements when companies etc are separated.
  - (c) Vehicle Equipment for 35 Vehicles and 39 Motor Cycles.
  - (d) Clothing for 39 Motor Cyclists.
  - (e) The Regiment states it has a total of 11 mechanics (5 at present with the regiment and 6 under instruction at Mechanics School RIC, IOP) Indent is for 5 mechanics based on NEL 63. Will you confirm this is a fair demand considering the small number of vehicles the Regiment will hold?

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M.W. JEFFERY,

Major

D.A.D.O.S.

Subjecté- Equipment, Garibaldi Regt.

To: A.D.O.S.,  
R.A.A.C., Rome.

For information to:  
DAA & QMG, "F" B.L.U.,  
Land Forces Sub Comm AO,  
(MMIA) for DADOS.

"F" B.L.U.,  
I.R.T.O., I.C.F.,  
c/o Land Forces Sub Comm,  
AO (MMIA) ROMB.  
Ref: ORD/30/35  
June 12th 1945.

Reference your signal OS/2822/1000/954/1 dated 7th June 1945.

Copy of my letter ORD/30/33 dated 11th June 45 to Garibaldi is attached.

1. Clothing and Equipment, personal. It is estimated that deficiencies can be made up from RTC stocks.
2. Possible requirements for Cooking Equipment are listed at Appendix "A".
3. Possible requirements for Medical Officers are listed at Appendix "B".
4. Possible requirements for Linesmen are listed at Appendix "C".
5. Deficiency list of Vehicle Equipment and Protective Clothing for Motor Cyclist is given at Appendix "D". This list may be taken as definite.
6. Tool Kits Mechanics: 30 Mechanics are on the Establishment of the complete regiment, according to CM/525/1 and CM/527/1. As however the number of vehicles which Garibaldi are drawing is radically less than Combat Scale, I cannot envisage the regiment needing more than say 5 mechanics. I am waiting for a reply from the regiment in this matter, NEL Table 63 would apply.

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M. W. JEFFERY.

Major

D.A.D.C.S.

APPENDIX "A"

Stores required in the eventuality of equipping 2800 men to  
 MEL Tables 5, 12, and 20.

KP 0721	Bowls Hard	19
KP 3023	Knives Cooks 6"	28
KP 3024	" " 9"	28
KP 3032	" Opening Tin 1	19
KP 3009	Ladles Cooks G.S.	19
HA 0536	Containers Tin 2 Gal	66
JA	" Cooking 6 Gal	112
	" Water 4 1/2 Gal	112
	OR	
	" " 2 Gal	224
	Cookers Portable No 1 Burner Unit	
	Hydie S.B.	22
	Burners Spare	4
	Insulators Containers Cooking 6 gal	112
	Kettles Camp Oval 12 qt	112
	Pans Frying Large	112
	Stands Cooking	112
	Plates Baffle	112
	" Levers	33
	" End	33
KP 2527	Funnels Tin 1 Pint	33
LV6/MP1		
2212	Extinguishers Fire Tetrachloride	33
4274	Refills	33

or

"	"	2 Gal	224
Cookers Portable No 1 Burner Unit			
Hydia S.B.			22
Burners Spare			4
Insulators Containers Cooking 6 gal			112
Kettles Camp Oval 12 qt			112
Pans Frying Large			112
Stands Cooking			112
Plates Baffle			112
" Levers			33
" End			33
Funnels Tin 1 Pint			33
Extinguishers Fire Tetrachloride			33
Refills			33
Containers Portable 1 Gal			12
KE 2527			
LV6/MT1			
2212			
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The above figures are not calculated on a unit by unit basis and the number of cookhouses involved. To cover this I suggest 20% be added to the above figures.

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APPENDIX "B".

Stores required in the eventuality of equipping 7 Medical Officers to

NEL Table 23.

JA	Lamps Acetylene W/box & Tins Carbide	or/	7
JA 5548	Lamps Pressure Paraffin		7
JA 1151	Panniers G.S.		7
JA 1160	Medical Comforts		7
KA 5645	Warmers Stomach		14
5646	" " Covers		14
KE 3724	Measures Tin 1 Pint		7
8025	Lamps Hurricanes Without Globes		7
3203	Globes W/lear		7
KE 0968	Cans Oil 5 1/2 Pint		7
2975	Kettles Enamelled		7
3032	Knives Opening Tin		7
3842	Pannikins		42
4364	Saucepan s F.A. 3 1/2 qt		7
4906	Stoves Oil Wickless No 5		7
4926	" " " Repair Outfits		7

Section V. 2.

Watches G.S. or T.P. or Wristlet

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Section W.

WB 1502 Batteries Dry Lamps Electric

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0066 Bulbs 2.5 Volt spare

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8025	Lamps Hurricane Without Globes	7
3203	Globes Clear	7
ZF 0968	Cans Oil 5 1/2 Pint	7
2975	Kettles Enamelled	7
3032	Knives Opening Tin	7
3842	Pannikins	7
4364	Saucepan s F.A. 3 1/2 Qt	42
4906	Stoves Oil Wickless No 5	7
4926	" " "	7
	Repair Outfits	7

Section V 2.

Watches G.S. or T.P. or Wristlet

Section W.

WB 1502	Batteries Dry Lamps Electric	7
0066	Bulbs 2.5 Volt spare	14
1501	Lamps Electric No 1	37
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APPENDIX "C".Linesmen's Equipment. NEL Table 19.

Stores required in the eventuality of equipping 29 Linesmen.

AA 0130	Belts Linesmen		29
AA 0930	Frogs Web	)	
	or	Pliers Sidecutting	)
AA 0975	Frogs Leather	)	29
FA 15877	Pliers Sidecutting		29

APPENDIX "D"Deficiencies against NEM Table 9 & 10.

WB 0967	Tape Insulating 4 lb	24
WB 1043	Wire Electric P 13 Mk I yds	
LV6/MT1		
37556	Cans Petrol 2 gal	4
4274	Extinguishers Fire Tetrachloride Refills	5
46826	Paint PVU Preservative for Rims Tins	4
12242	Pumps Tyre Foot Large Lorry Type	7
LV6/MT14		
22284	Valves Tyre Schrader Assorted Components Car Size	4
LV6/MT2		
4185	Gauge Pressure Tyre 5 to 90 lbs 0"	4
LV6/MT4		
80230	Batteries Secondary Lead Acid Type 6 v 12 amp	2
LV6/MT14		
44062	Valves Tyre Schrader Assorted Components M/Cycle size	4

Deficiencies against NEM Table 4 & 17.

AA 5306	Helmets D.R. Mk I	39
CG 0305-7	Gloves M.F. pairs	39
CG 0301-3	Goggles M.F. "	39
0357	Cases	39
GD 0231-55	Boots Motor Cyclists pairs	39
CH 0521-32	Coats Rubber proof M/Cyclist or Jackets M/Cyclist	39

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LV6/MT14	22284	Valves Tyre Schrader Assorted Components Car Size	4
LV6/MT2	4185	Gauges Pressure Tyre 5 to 90 lbs 0"	4
LV6/MT4	80230	Batteries Secondary Lead Acid Type 6 v 12 Amp	2
LV6/MT14	14062	Valves Tyre Schrader Assorted Components W/cycle size	4
<u>Deficiencies against NEI Table 4 &amp; 17.</u>			
AA	5306	Helmets D.R. Mk I	39
CC	0305-7	Gloves M.T. pairs	39
CC	0341-3	Goggles M.T. "	39
	0357	Gases	39
CD	0231-55	Boots Motor Cyclist pairs	39
CH	0521-32	Coats Rubber proof W/cyclists or jackets W/proof	683-39

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SUBJECT: Equipment of Special  
Br-Iti Service Troops  
and Garibaldi Regiment

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
Tel. No. Freedom 518  
AFHQ/6508/2/Q(AE)  
3 Jun '45

30/34.

TO : HQ RAAC  
etc.

1. This equipment instruction is designed to cover the units to be formed in accordance with G-1 (Br.) letter CR/1116/G1 (Br.) Ser 2106 of 27 Apr. against which 6508/2 has been shown as the Basic Scale in Appendix 'A' thereto.
2. Domestic and Unit Equipment will be calculated from the following scales of the Normal Equipment List for an Italian Combat Group (Ref 6508/2) Scales 1, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 23, 32, 43, 57, 62, 63, 64, 71 and 72.
3. Technical Equipment will be in accordance with the following Special Equipment Lists.

W.E.S.E.L.

SM. 988/1	To be published by Q (AE)
989/1	"
990/1	"
991/1	"
526/1	—135/1 (a)
527/1	—136/1 (a)
931/1	To be published by Q(AE)
540/1	SEL 130/1

(a) Part 1 of SEL not applicable as vehicle entitlement is covered by AFHQ/8118/6/Q(AE) of 16 May and Arms are to be supplied from Italian sources.

Part 11 of SEL is applicable less the following sections V2, V6, Y (except superimposing units coils) Z1 and Z2 which are not to be implemented except from Italian sources as required **4682**  
operational role.

Sgd. J.J. SLOAN, Lt.-Col.  
for Major General G-4 (Br.)

G-4 (Br.) RAAC DISTN: Ord  
G-1

Subject: - Equipment for Caribaldi Regt.

To: Commanding Officer  
Caribaldi Regt. by special D.R.

For information to:

Asst. Com. RA&M, Rome.

DAA & QMG "F" BLU.

Land Forces Sub Comm AC  
for D.A.D.O.S.

"F" B.L.,  
I.R.P.C., I.S.P.  
Ref ORD/30/33  
June 11th 1945.

30/33

In order to equip your regiment to authorised scale the following information is required immediately. If you can let me have this information by tomorrow 12th June 1945 or 11th June 1945 at the very latest I can take immediate steps to provide whatever is available against requirements.

1. Clothing and Personal Equipment.  
Based upon War Establishment CM/526/1 and CM/527/1, the total strength of your Regiment should be approximately 2800 Officers and Men.  
(a) Up to date you have been issued with,
  - Clothing to summer scale (NEL Table 12) 2000sets
  - Personal Equipment (NEL Table 1) 1000 "
  - Steel Helmets (NEL Table 4) NIL
- (b) Please inform me of your actual strength and requirements to fully clothe and equip your troops.

2. Cooking Equipment.  
Will you please confirm whether you are fully equipped as regards utensils for cooking purposes. I understand such equipment was supplied to you from Italian sources. If incompletely equipped please state for what number of troops cooking equipment is required (NEL Tables 5, 12, and 20.)

3. Medical Officers Equipment.  
(a) According to War Establishment there is one Medical Officer with Regimental HQ and two with each Battalion: Total 7.  
Do these require any equipment or are they already equipped from Italian sources? NEL Table 23 applies in their case.

(b) Do you require any Armbands, Geneva Cross, for Medical Officers

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and Orderlies? (NEL Table 43)

1. Clothing and Personal Equipment.  
 Based upon War Establishment CW/526/1 and CW/527/1, the total strength of your Regiment should be approximately 2800 Officers and Men.
- (a) Up to date you have been issued with,
- |   |          |
|---|----------|
| Clothing to summer scale (NEL Table 72) | 2000sets |
| Personal Equipment (NEL Table 1)        | 1000 "   |
| Steel Helmets (NEL Table 4)             | NIL      |
- (b) Please inform me of your actual strength and requirements to fully clothe and equip your troops.

2. Cooking Equipment.  
 Will you please confirm whether you are fully equipped as regards utensils for cooking purposes. I understand such equipment was supplied to you from Italian sources. If incompletely equipped please state for what number of troops cooking equipment is required (NEL Tables 3, 12, and 20.)

3. Medical Officers Equipment.  
 (a) According to War Establishment there is one Medical Officer with Regimental HQ and two with each Battalion: Total 7.  
 Do these require any equipment or are they already equipped from Italian sources? NEL Table 23 applies in their case.
- (b) Do you require any Armbands, Geneva Cross, for Medical Officers and Orderlies? (NEL Table 43)
- 4681

4. Telephonists Linesmen.  
 Your Regiment is entitled to 8 Linesmen for Regimental HQ and 7 for each Battalion, total 29. Do you require Linesmen's belts, pliers and frogs? (NEL Table 19)

5. Vehicle Equipment.  
 I am given to understand your Vehicle Establishment for the whole Regiment will be 35 vehicles and 39 Motor Cycles? I am trying to obtain some maintenance equipment in accordance with NEL Tables 9 and 10 and 37.



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6. Protective Clothing M/ Cyclists

I am demanding on your behalf 39 sets, including Goggles, Gloves, Boots M/C Coats rubber proof or jackets, Helmets D.R. (NEE Tables 4, and 17) Please confirm ~~requirements~~ you will require them

7. Tool Kits Mechanics.

The present War Establishment of Mechanics on CM/526/1 and CM/527/1 was constituted to maintain and repair a very much larger quantity of vehicles than you are now being provided with. Will you please state how many mechanics you are in fact employing?

8. Special Equipment. (SEL 135/1 and 136/1)

A quantity of stores already demanded have arrived and are ready for collection from Central Storehouse (DADOS Shed) RFC, ICF. Perhaps you could arrange to collect these on the same lorries which will be returning the Training Equipment to RFC, ICF please confirm.

9. It may not be possible to obtain all your requirements as detailed above. Owing to the short notice given to this office most of the stores wanted to be supplied from local stocks and probably some items will not be available.

*M*  
M. W. JEFFERY. 4680

Major

D.A.D.O.C.

HND/550

how many mechanics you are now being provided with. Will you please state

8. Special Equipment. (SEL 132/1 and 136/1)

A quantity of stores already demanded have arrived and are ready for collection from Central Storehouse (DAPOL Shed) RTC, IOF. Perhaps you could arrange to collect these on the same lorries which will be returning the Training Equipment to RTC, IOF please confirm.

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MWJ/WBS

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*W*  
S. W. JEFFERY, 4680

Major

D.A.D.O.S.

30/32  
Army  
Army  
20/23/7

Land Forces Sub Comm,

AS (IIIA) Rome.

20/23/7

6th June 1945

*Gold*

Subject: Arms and Ammunition  
for Garibaldi Infantry Regt.

To: Ministry of War.

1. Hereby released from the Depots as shown to Garibaldi Infantry Regiments are the following amounts of arms and ammunition:-

(a) From Rome Artillery Directorate:

Pistols, Beretta, Cal 9 Model 34	115	Via Etruria	22
Carbines Automatic, Beretta Cal 9 Mod 38/A	176	"	22
Cartridges, Ball for Automatic Carbine Cal 9	50000	Via Pronestina	420

(b) From Naples Artillery Directorate: (Capua Arms Depot)

Rifles Cal 6.5 Model 41	2276
Light Machine Guns Brode Cal 6.5 Mod 30	104
Cartridges Ball Rifle Cal 6.5	100000 (3+ tons)
" " Pistol Cal 9	21000
" " LMG Cal 6.5	110000 (3+ tons)

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2. Items will be collected directly from Depots in Rome; in

herely released from the Depots as shown to Garibaldi Infantry

Regiments are the following amounts of arms and ammunition:-

(a) From Rome Artillery Directorate:

Pistols, Beretta, Cal 9 Model 34	116	Via Strada	22
Carbines Automatic, Beretta Cal 9 Mod 38/A	175	"	22
Cartridges, Ball For Automatic Carbine Cal 9	50000	Via Pronestina	420

(b) From Naples Artillery Directorate: (Capua Arms Depot)

Rifles Cal 6.5 Model 41	2275
Light Machine Guns Broda Cal 6.5 Mod 30	104
Cartridges Ball Rifle Cal 6.5	100000 (3+ tons)
" " Pistol Cal 9	21000
" " LMG Cal 6.5	110000 (3+ tons)

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2. Items will be collected directly from Depots in Rome; in Naples MMIA. L/O Provincia Bldg, will direct convoy to depots.

COPY TO: HQ RAAC

"P" BLDG

Q/OS MMIA

MMIA I/D Naples.

(SIGNED) IRA V FORDYCE Capt

For Maj Gen MMIA.

## RAAC MESSAGE FORM

6544

CALL	CIRCUIT No. NR.	PRIORITY	TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS
			8/11 30/31
SPACES WITHIN RED LINES FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY			
FROM (A) ORDNANCE (BRITISH) ROME AREA			DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN 57 11,00
TO (FOR ACTION) BOWO GARIBALDI DIV. c/o DADOS F BLU RTC ICF			
RPTD: DADOS F BLU RTC ICF			MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS GR
TO (FOR INFORMATION)			
(REF. No.)	OS/ 2822 /1000/954/1	(SECURITY CLASSIFICATION)	SECRET

SCALES OF EQUIPMENT FOR SPECIAL BRIT. ITIE SERVICE TROOPS  
AND GARIBALDI REGIMENT ARE LAID DOWN IN AFHQ/6508/2/Q(AE)  
DATED 3 JUNE PD REPORT FORTHWITH THIS HQ WITH COMPLETE  
LISTS OF DEFICIENCIES PD LIST OF SURPLUSES TO FOLLOW  
EARLIEST

*fill*

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LOCAL DISTRIBUTION	PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY	THU OR TOR	Opt.
ORD. (Br.)	ORDINATING SECTION: ORD. (Br.)	071415B	
G-4 (Br.)	A. G. AUTHENTICATION:	TIME CLEARED	
	ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION <i>Arthur Wood</i>		

COMANDO DIVISIONE "PICENO"  
C.A.C.F.I.C.  
Uff. Serv. - Sezione Auto

30/30

N° OS/775/S/ Aut. di prot. P.M. 92 li 8 giugno 1945.--

O G G E T T O : Richiesta sostituzione autocarri.--

ALL' "F" DIV -REC.-ICP--

C E S A N O

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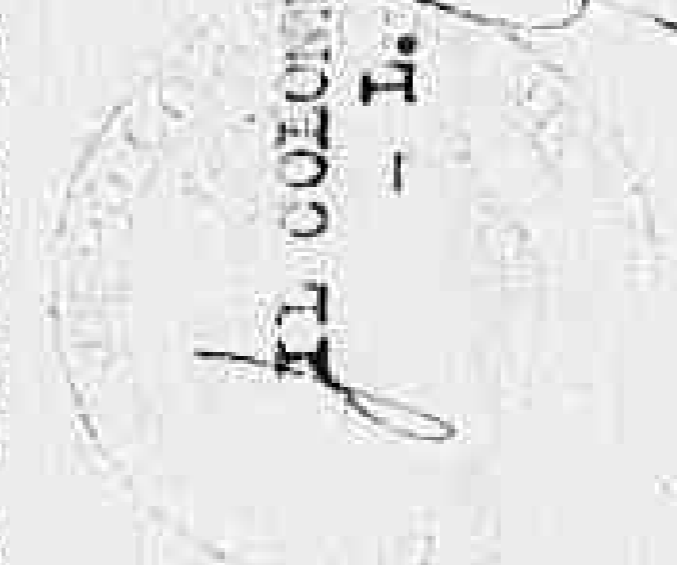
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Si trasmettono n° 2 mod. B.L.R. ABG 1043 riguardanti due autocarri.--

- Austin 3 Mod. 6 x4 L/ 98704
- Bedford. 3 Ton L/218463

Si prega la cortesia di codesto Comando interessare l'ufficio competente per avere la sostituzione di questi due autocarri. Unite alla presente si inviano le relative richieste.--

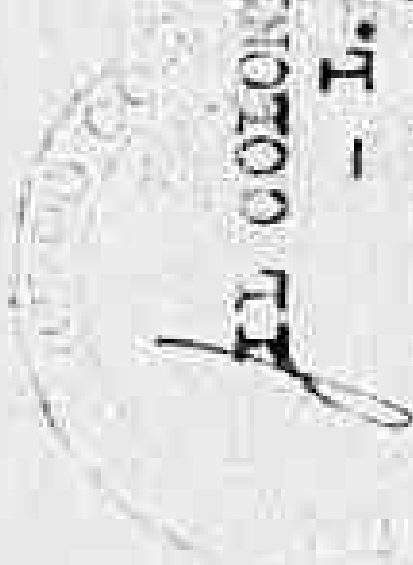
IL COLONNELLO CAPO DI S.M.A./S.  
- L. *Palavasi*



*no action*  
*no action*

- Austin 3 Toc. 6 x4 L/ 98704
- Bedford. 3 Ton L/218463

Si prega la cortesia di questo Comando interessare l'ufficio competente per avere la sostituzione di questi due autocarri. Unite alla presente si inviano le relative richieste.--



IL COLONNELLO CAPO DI S.M.A. / c.ordine

- L. Malvasi -

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REGIMENTO "GARIBOLDI"  
COMANDO

30/29

Nº 265/3. di prob. P.M. 32 11 26 Maggio 1945.-  
O.S. 3 T. 0 : Costituzione 154º Distaccamento leggero soccorso autoveicoli per re, aumento fanteria "Gariboldi".-

AL MISTERO DELLA GUERRA - S.M.S. P.M. 3800  
UFF. Ordinamento e Mobilitazione

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- Riferimento No 113 nº 1362/Ov/I in data 10 m. s.

Comando che alla data di cui è in oggetto per la costituzione del 154º Distaccamento leggero di soccorso autoveicoli per questo Reggimento, non sono ancora stati forniti.-

Con l'occasione rappresento l'assoluta necessità che questo Comando abbia a disposizione un carro officina private, da richiedere per le riparazioni dell'automezzi.-

IL COLONNELLO COMANDANTE  
T/ro Carlo Ravlich

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COMANDO REGIMENTO "PIEMONTE"  
O.S. 3. S. I. S.  
UFF. SERVIZI - 562. ALCO.

Nº 00/764/S. Aut. di prov. P.M. 32 11 7 giugno 1945.-

ALL'UFF. GEN. - RIC. - ION. C E S A I I O

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Con l'occasione rappresento l'assoluta necessit  che questo Comando abbia a disposizione un corso officina private, la richiesta per le autorizzazioni della automeccanica.

IL COLONNELLO COLMANTINI  
P/ro Carlo Ravnich

SPEDIZIONE IN ABBONAMENTO PER LE SPEDIZIONI IN POSTE E TELECOMUNICAZIONI E TELEFONIA E TELEGRAFIA

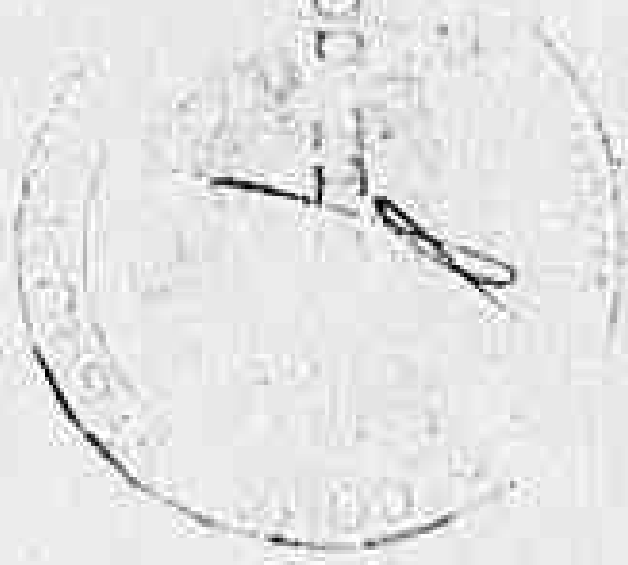
COMANDO REVISIONE "PILICHO"  
S.A.U.F.I.S.  
UFF. Servizi - Seo. Auto.

N  CC/764/S. Aut. d. prot. P.M. 92 li 7 giugno 1945.-

ALL'UFF. EIU -REC.-IOP- C E S A N O

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mesto "Garibaldi".-



Il Colonnello Capo di R.M. *afp*  
*Ravnich*

*Garibaldi*

# RAAC MESSAGE FORM 5206

CALL	CIRCUIT No. NR	PRIORITY	TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS
SPACES WITHIN RED LINES FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY			30/28
FROM (A) ORD (Br) ROME AREA			DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN 3-1200
TO (FOR ACTION) DADOS F BLU RTC ICF			MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS GR
TO (FOR INFORMATION)			
(REF. No.) OS/ 2758/1000/954/1	(SECURITY CLASSIFICATION)	RESTRICTED	

REFERENCE MY PREVIOUS SIGNALS PD APPROX 1x3 TON  
 LOAD STORES FOR GARIBALDI DIV HELD ADOS STORES PD  
 REQUEST EARLY COLLECTION

4675

LOCAL DISTRIBUTION	PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE	THI OR TOR	OR
ORD (Br).	ORIGINATING SECTION: ORD (BRITISH)		
	A. G. AUTHENTICATION:	TIME CLEARED	
	ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION: <i>AK... Capt</i>		

LROF

V MAED 26048 QVR2

FROM ORD DEPOT BARI 250950B.

TO 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD

INFO DADOS 'F' BLN CESANO (R) DOS (ORD.1) AFHQ (R) HQ 557 BOD

QQX BT

2/2411 RESTRICTED . YOUR OS2/JOB/124/174 . ~~AVAILABLE XXXX~~

AVAILABILITIES DESPATCHED BY ROAD 23/5 VEHICLES NOS. 9106451

91036629 . I.V.S. 3/5158/9 REFER

BT 260950B.

SENT. 48 1120B. VRH AR K

RD NR 48 AT 1125 CACC "BBBBB 6 "

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To: O.C.

N° 9 Vehicle Park, CMP.

For information to:

A.D.O.S.,

R.A.A.C., Rome.

"F" B...U.,

I.R.T.C., I.C.F.,

c/o Land Forces Sub Comm,

AC (MMTA) Rome.

Ref: ORD/30/26

May 25th 1945.

Reference Vehicle Release OS/REL/451, dated  
2nd May 1945, will you please cancel as these are not required now.

JM/WES

File.

M.W. JEFFERY.

Major

D.A.D.O.I.

4673

Subject :- Vehicles.

"F" BLD, IRFC, ICF.

To: British Increment  
Geribaldi Regt.

Ref ORD/30/11

Date May 4th 1945.

3/25

Herewith Vehicle Release OS/REL/451 dated 2 May 1945,  
Two Motor Cycles to be collected by you from 9 Vehicle Park, Capua.

These are for use of British Increment.

SWJ/MES  
file.

*banquet*

*cc  
- Inc 9 VP.  
not required.*

M.W. JEFFERY.

Major

D.A.D.C.S. 4672

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

Subject: Vehicle Release.

Ref.: OS/REL/

Tel: 66606

To : O.C. 9 Capua  
No. Vehicle Park.

451

2 May 45Release of the following vehicle (s) is authorized for  
issue to \_\_\_\_\_

DESIGNATION	Qty.	Release No.	REMARKS
<u>m/c sub 350cc</u> <u>Class 1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>12462</u>	<u>see PAPP</u> <u>Pool</u>
<u>PAPP: FFLU for [unclear] to Unit.</u>			

Copy to

vehicle (s) may be collected  
from 1st Addressee on  
presentation of this release  
collector with 9 VP

~~W.W. WOODALL~~  
(W.W. WOODALL) Capt.  
for Lt. Col.  
A.D.O.S.

4671



(c) EX 16 VP 403033

Serials 8926, 8927, 8928, 8929, 8930, 8931, 8932, 8933, 8934,

8935, 8936, 8937, 8938.

(d) EX 408 OP-CP 372 0000

Serial 8833

(e) EX 416 THE 1100000000

Serial 6105

(f) EX 409 OP-CP 372 0000

Serial 8833

(g) EX 23 VP 403033

Serial 8505

HR/TRA

Orgs to: 10 Army Group  
Sixth Eighth Army  
With Army (or Iraq)

- AMT
- IMC
- 3 District
- Rome Area Allied Command
- AMTA
- VP 403033
- Rome HQ 57 Military Division
- School of Army CGM
- Gen Csg AMBQ
- Army Sec AMBQ
- AMTB
- RAC
- AMTB (ISS)
- AMTB
- ETALICH

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## RAAC MESSAGE FORM 6564

CALL	CIRCUIT No. NR	PRIORITY	TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS 30/23
SPACES WITHIN RED LINES FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY			DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN 19/200
FROM (A) ORDNANCE (BRITISH) ROME AREA			
TO (FOR ACTION) DADOS "F" BLU			MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS GR
TO (FOR INFORMATION)			
(REF. No.) OS/ 2488 /600/16	(SECURITY CLASSIFICATION)	RESTRICTED	

CLOTHING FOR GARIBALDI DIV. HELD IN TRANSIT ADCS DUMP

ROME PD APPROX 3 TON LOAD PD REQUEST COLLECTION

SOONEST

*cc Collect, test Storehouse  
Informed 21/5/51*

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LOCAL DISTRIBUTION	PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE	THI OR TOR	DN
ORD. (Br.)	ORIGINATING SECTION: ORD. (Br.)	19/200	
	A. G. AUTHENTICATION:	TIME CLEARED	
	ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION: <i>W. Woodhouse</i>		

Subject:- Rifles.

To: Garibaldi Regt,  
British Increment, (for BOWO).

"F" B.L.U.,  
I.R.T.C., I.C.F.,  
c/o Land Forces Sub Comm,  
AC (MMIA) Rome.

Ref : ORD/30/23

May 16th 1945

Return forthwith to D.A.D.O.S. Shed Central Storehouse,  
RTC, ICF, Rifles Quantity 202, in possession Garibaldi Regt.

MWJ/WES  
File.

  
M.W. JEFFERY.

Major

D.A.D.O.S.

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NO 557 300  
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SIGN NR 72 AMT 25

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COM: 3/1 052/102/124/174 LHM 052/102/124/174 PLS R  
RESD 2 72 AT 25330 US 12 R

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
Q (AE) BRANCH

30/21

VEHICLE RELEASE NOTE

Ref. VR/2371

Date 19 Apr. 45

To: Rome Area Allied Command for  
Garibaldi Regt (thru' AFHQ BLU).

Release of the undermentioned vehicles is authorized.

Quantity	Serial	Description of Vehicles		
19	6003/00	M/Cycles Solo 350 cc	Cl 1	6 Veh Gp Bari
2	6010/10	Cars Lt Utility 4 x 2	Cl 1	" "
3	6050/00	Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS	Cl 1	" "
4	6050/00	" " " "	Cl 1 D	417 Veh Pk Rome
4	6090/00	Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 Water	Cl 1 D	6 Veh Gp Bari
3	6090/00	Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 Water In lieu Trailers Water	Cl 1	" "
1	6070/00	Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 Office	Cl 1 D	" "
15	6200/00	Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 GS	Cl 1 D	" "
10	6170/00	Lorries 10 cwt 4 x 2 GS	Cl 1 D	4 Veh Gp Naples
10	6170/00	" " " "	Cl 1 D	6 Veh Gp Bari
		Both in lieu Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS		

AA & QMG	.....
DA & OMG	.....
SC & "O"	.....
LOGS	.....
DAIGS	.....
DDME	.....
For Incident	
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Remarks : For ORD(B). Above is part release of vehicles earmarked under our AFHQ/3113/6/9(43) dated 20 Apr. 45. Remaining vehicles will continue to be earmarked under VR/2371.

RELEASE INSTRUCTIONS

- On receipt of this release authority, the unit or formation will await release instructions from Ord (Br).
- AFHQ Q (AE) release and Ord(Br) release will both be handed to the Vehicle Park at the time of collection. The Vehicle Company have been instructed that release will not be made unless both copies of release voucher are presented.

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L. H. Tom Capt.  
Brigadier,  
Q (AE)

DISTRIBUTION : G-3 Org (Your WSD/31/3 dated 27 Apr. 45 refers).  
Ord (Br)  
File

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAN  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

30/20.

Subject:- Vehicles.

Ref : OS/300/14  
Tel : Rome 66588  
Date: 8 May '45

To :- D.A.D.O.S. 'F' BLU ✓  
R.T.C., I.C.F.  
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1. We are informed that there are outstanding demands for vehicles for 'F' BLU and the Garibaldi Division.
2. All demands submitted by the former have been met. No record is held in this office of submission of demands in respect of the latter unit.
3. Would you please submit a return to this office showing the W.E., holdings, and deficiencies and also covering demands for any deficiencies in respect of 'F' BLU and the Garibaldi Division.

B/F 14 mar.

*Wood*  
Lt. Col. *Lupt*  
A.D.O.S.

SUBJECT: Formation of Italian Units - Infantry.

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'F' BLU. IRETC. ICF.

Ref: AM/5/514.

8 May 1945.

To: H.Q.  
R.T.G., I.C.F.

1. With further reference to this H.Q. letter AM/6/472 dated 2 May 1945, herewith please find W.E. CM/527/1 - - applicable to an Italian Infantry Bn., GARBALDI Infantry Regiment. W.E. CM/526/1 will be forwarded as soon as received.

2. It has been notified from Rome Area Allied Command that as soon as the War Establishment CM/526/1 is received, an interim progress report will be forwarded within 7 to 10 days. A firm date will therefore be notified from this H.Q. for the rendering of the first Progress Report.

*Francis Capet-Ru*

Major R.A.  
DAA & QMC.

BNH/ah.

Internal.

DADOS (1 copy of CM/527/1)  
Major Miskin (Garibaldi, Viterbo)  
(1 copy of CM/527/1)  
File - 1 copy of CM 527/1.  
Float.

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RESTRICTED

Effective date 1 September 1944

NA/527/1

AN INFANTRY BATTALION FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP

(Un Battaglione di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

(For an Infantry Regiment excluding Infantry Battalions see NA/526/1)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT

(ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

(Un Battaglione di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

(Italian Army personnel)

(For an Infantry Regiment excluding Infantry Battalions see MA/526/4)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT

(ORGANICO DI GUERRA.)

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AN INFANTRY BATTALION FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP  
 (Un Battaglione di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)  
 WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued  
 (i) Personnel (Personale)

Detail (Descrizione)	Headquarters company (Compagnia comando)				
	Battalion headquarters (Comando del battaglione)	Headquarters platoon (Platone comando)	Signals platoon. (Platone collegamento)	Scouts platoon (Platone di pattuglia)	Total, headquarters company (Totale, compagnia comando)
Officer commanding (lieutenant-colonel). (Comandante (tenente-colonello))	1	-	-	-	-
Adjutant (captain or subaltern). (Aiutante maggiore (capitano o subalterno))	1	-	-	-	-
Medical officers (subalterns). (Ufficiali medici (subalterni))	2	-	-	-	-
Captain (Capitani)	-	1	-	-	1
Subalterns. (Subalterni)	2	1	1	1	3
Total, officers. (Totale, ufficiali)	6	2	1	1	4
Warrant officer. (Marescialli)	-	1	-	-	1
Serjeants for. (Sergenti per) -	-	1	-	-	1
Pay and accounts. (paga e contabilita)	-	-	-	-	-
Rations (Raioni)	-	-	3	-	3
Signals (Collegamenti)	-	1	-	-	1
Armourers. (Armaiuoli)	-	1	-	-	1
M.T. (Trasporti)	-	-	-	-	-

AN INFANTRY BATTALION FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP  
 (Battaglione di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)  
 WAR ESTABLISHMENT (ORGANICO DI GUERRA) - continued  
 (i) Personnel (Personale)

	Headquarters company (Compagnia comando)					Support company (Compagnia appoggio)					3 Rifle companies (each) (3 Compagnia carabine)			Total, infantry battalion (Totale, battaglione fanteria)	
	Battalion headquarters (Comando del battaglione)	Headquarters platoon (Platone comando)	Signals platoon. (Platone collegamento)	Scouts platoon (Platone di pattuglia)	Total, headquarters company (Totale, compagnia comando)	Headquarters, platoon (Platone, comando)	3" mortar platoon (Platone mortar 3")	Carrier platoon (Platone carrelli)	Anti-tank platoon (Platone A Tk)	Pioneer Platoon (Platone pionieri)	Total, company (Totale, compagnia)	Headquarters, platoon (Platone, comando)	3 Rifle platoons (each) (3 platon con carabine)		Total, each rifle company (Totale, compagnia carabine)
Commander (tenente-colonnello)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Company commander (capitano o maggiore)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Subalterns (subalterni)	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	5
	2	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	4	22	
	6	2	1	1	4	2	1	1	1	6	2	1	5	31	
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	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	5	
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	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	6	
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	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	

Serjeant-majors or serjeants. (Sargenti maggiori e sergenti).	-	-	-	3	3	1
Total, warrant officers and serjeants. (Totale, marescialli e sergenti)	-	4	3	3	10	2
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	6	8	9	23	9
Privates. (Soldati)	-	17	35	30	82	22
Total, other ranks. (Totale, graduati e soldati)	-	27	46	42	115	33
Total, an infantry battalion for an Italian combat group. (Totale, un battaglione di fanteria per un gruppo combattente Italiano)	6	29	47	43	119	35

## (ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties. (Distribuzione di servizio per

Ammunition corporals. (Caporali, munizione)	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ammunition numbers. (Soldati, munizione)	-	-	-	-	-	2
Armourers mechanics. (Armiuoli meccanici)	-	-	-	-	-	2
Blacksmiths. (Fabbri)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carpenters. (Carpentieri) -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Privates. (Soldati)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clerks (Scritturali) -	-	1	-	-	1	-
Corporal. (Caporale)	-	1	-	-	1	-
Private (Soldato)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cooks (Cuochi) -	-	1	-	-	1	1
Corporals (Caporali)	-	2	-	-	2	3
Privates. (Soldati)	-	1	5	-	6	1
Motor-cyclists. (Motociclisti)	-	10	5	5	18	3
Drivers. (Autisti)	-	2	-	-	2	-
Driver-mechanics. (Autisti-meccanici)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Electricians. (Elettricisti)	-	2	-	-	2	3
General dutymen. (Servizi generali)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Geometrist	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gun numbers. (Cannonieri) -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Privates (Soldati)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Masons. (Muratori) -	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Privates. (Soldati)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mechanics. (Meccanici)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical orderlies corporals. (Aitanti di sanità caporali)	-	1	-	-	1	-
Stretcher bearers. (Porta barelle)	-	1	-	-	1	-

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...ri e sergenti).	-	-	-	3	3	1	5	2	3	2	13	-	2	6	34
...tale, marescialli e sergenti)	-	4	3	3	10	2	5	2	3	2	14	3	2	9	34
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	-	17	35	30	82	22	23	39	16	15	115	23	30	113	536
...soldati)	-	27	46	42	115	33	32	53	23	21	162	32	41	155	742
...an combat group. ...un gruppo combattente	6	29	47	43	119	35	33	54	24	22	168	34	42	160	773

and file by duties. (Distribuzione di servizio per graduati e truppa).

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...caporali)

AN INFANTRY BATTALION FOR AN ITALIAN COMBAT GROUP. (Un Battaglione di Fanteria)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT - continued). (ORGANICO DI

(ii) Distribution of rank and file by duties - continued. (Distribuzione

Detail (Descrizione)	Headquarter company (Compagnia comando)			
	Battalion headquarters (Comando del battaglione)	Headquarters platoon (Platone comando)	Signals platoon (Platone collegamento)	Scouts platoon (Platone di pattuglia)
Mortarmen (2") (Mortai (2")) -				
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	-	-
Privates. (Soldati)	-	-	-	-
Mortarmen (3") (Mortai (3")) -				
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	-	-
Privates. (Soldati)	-	-	-	-
Orderlies. (Piautoni)	-	-	-	-
Pay and accounts corporals. (Caporali, paga e contabilita)	-	1	-	-
Riflemen and L.M.G. numbers. (Fucilieri e soldati L.M.G.) -				
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	-	6
Privates. (Soldati)	-	-	-	21
Saboteurs. (Saboteurs)	-	-	-	9
Signallers. (Collegamenti) -				
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	1	-
Privates. (Soldati)	-	-	2	-

COMBAT GROUP. (Un Battaglione di Fanteria per un Gruppo Combattente Italiano)

ESTABLISHMENT - continued). (ORGANICO DI GUERRA)

by duties - continued. (Distribuzione di servizio per graduati e truppa)

	Headquarters company (Compagnia comando)		Support company (Compagnia appoggio)		3 Rifle companies (each) (3 compagnie carabine)								
Battalion headquarters (Comando del battaglione)													
Headquarters platoon (Platone comando)													
Signals platoon (Platone collegamento)													
Scouts platoon (Platone di pattuglia)													
Total, headquarters company (Totale, compagnia comando)													
Headquarters, platoon (Platone, comando)													
3" mortar platoon (Platone mortar 3")													
Carrier platoon (Platone carrelli)													
Anti-tank platoon (Platone A Tk)													
Pioneer platoon (Platone pionieri)													
Total, company (Totale, compagnia)													
Headquarters, platoon (Platone comando)													
3 rifle platoons (each) (3 Platoni con carabine)													
Total, each rifle company (Totale, compagnia carabine)													
Total, infantry battalion (Totale, battaglione fanteria)													

a e contabilita)  
soldati I.M.G.) -

Switchboard and fullerphone operators. (Telefonisti e operatori telefonici)	-	-	7	-	7
Telephonist-linesmen. (Telefonisti-porta linee)	-	-	7	-	7
Wireless operators. (Telegrafisti) -					
Corporals. (Caporali)	-	-	8	-	8
Privates. (Soldati)	-	-	8	-	8
Total, rank and file. (Totale, graduati e truppa)	-	23	43	39	105

(iii) Transport. (Trasporto).

Motor-cycles, solo	-	1	5	3	9
Cars, 2-seater, 4 x 2 (Auto, 2-posti 4 x 2)	1	-	-	-	1
Car, 4-seater, 4 x 2 (Auto, 2-posti, 4 x 2)	1	-	-	-	1
Trucks, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2 G.S.-	-	3	3	-	6
Truck, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, water. (Autocarri, 15-cwt, 4 x 2, acqua)	-	1	-	-	1
Lorries, 5-ton, 4 x 2, G.S. (Autocarri, 3-ton, 4 x 2, G.S.)	-	8	-	-	8
Trailer, water (Avantreno, acqua)	-	1	-	-	1
Carriers, universal. (Carrelle, universal)	-	-	-	-	-
Carriers, mortar. (Carrelle, mortai)	-	-	-	-	-
Carriers, lloyd. (Carrelle, lloyd)	-	-	-	-	-
Recco cars. (Auto, recco)	-	-	-	3	3

NOTES.

1. An infantry platoon is organized as follows :-

- (a) Platoon headquarters consisting of one officer, one runner, 2" mortar W.C.O.,
- (b) Two rifle squads, each divided into a rifle section of seven men and a L.M.G.
- (c)

(Un plotone di fanteria e così composto -

- (a) Platone, comando, consisti di 1 ufficiale, 1 portaordini, 2 sotto-ufficiali mo
- (b) 2 squadre di fucilieri, ciascuno diviso in una sotto squadra di 7 uomini e un

This establishment will NOT be implemented without A.P.H.Q. authority.

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e truppa)	-	23	43	39	105	31	27	51	20	19	148	29	39	146	691

(iii) Transport. (Trasporto).

	-	1	5	3	9	1	2	2	1	-	6	2	-	2	21
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t, 4 x 2 C.S.-	-	3	3	-	6	1	3	2	1	1	8	3	-	3	23
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on, 4 x 2, C.S.)	-	8	-	-	8	1	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	11
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NOTES.

follows :-

of one officer, one runner, 2<sup>nd</sup> mortar N.C.O., and three mortar men.  
 into a rifle section of seven men and a L.M.G. section of 11 men and 4 L.M.Gs.

compoto -

ufficiale, 1 portaordini, 2 sotto-ufficiali mortai (2<sup>nd</sup>), e 3 soldati mortai.  
 o diviso in una sotto squadra di 7 uomini e un'altra di 11 uomini e 4 L.M.Gs.

e implemented without A.P.H.Q. authority.

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Ufficio Serv.-Sez. Com. to

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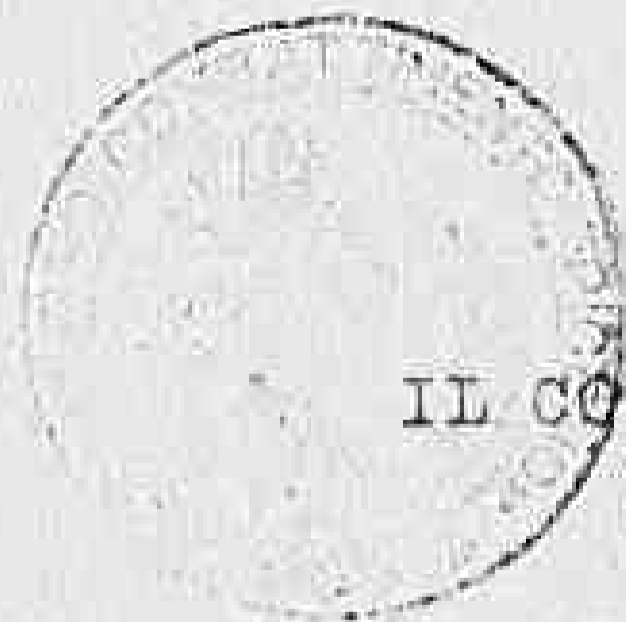
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OGGETTO: Trasmissione verbali.=

AL "F" - RIM + IRTG - ICE - DADOS -

S e d e-----  
Si trasmettono, in originale :

- un verbale in data 21/4/45 relativo alle esuberanze e deficienze riscontrate nell'apertura colli contenenti materiali di v.e. prelevati presso il Magazzino v.e. del Centro da parte del Reggimento "Garibaldi".=
- un verbale in data 1° corrente relativo alle deficienze e deterioramenti di 80 colli di coperte riscontrati dal Reggimento Garibaldi e prelevate presso il Magazzino v.e. del Centro.=
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- .....con preghiera di volersi compiacere autorizzare i relativi movimenti contabili di carico e scarico.=



d'ordine  
IL COLONNELLO CAPO DI S. 4660  
(L. Malavasi)

*Malavasi*

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## COMANDO NUCLEO DIVISIONE "GARIBALDI"

VERBALE COSTATANTE L'APERTURA COLLI ES<sup>E</sup>GUITA IL GIORNO 21 APRILE 1945.=

L'anno millenovecentoquarantacinque addì ventuno del mese di aprile nei locali dei magazzini del Nucleo Divisione "Garibaldi" in Viterbo, si è riunita la sottototata Commissione (nominata con foglio n. 115 del 17/4/45) composta dei seguenti ufficiali:

- |                       |           |                     |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| 1)- Capitano GHIZZI   | Gualtiero | - Presidente        |
| 2)- Tenente AGRADI    | T. Livio  | - Membro            |
| 3)- S.Ten. PASSAVANTI | Giorgio   | - Membro Segretario |

S I A N O T O

a chi di ragione che in ottemperanza a quanto disposto dal Comando Nucleo Divisione "Garibaldi" con foglio n. 115 del 17/4/45, si è riunita la Commissione sopraddetta ed ha proceduto all'apertura colli ed alla verifica dei materiali del gruppo "A" prelevati presso i Magazzini V.E. del Centro Addestramento Complementi per le Forze Italiane di combattimento, constatando quanto appresso:

N. COLLO	N. Cat.	DENOMINAZIONE	DEF.	ESUB.	NOTE
2/RO - 4270	0131=37	mutande lana	25		
OF 335	0521=28	pullover	4		
QC 2 S.D.	0710=14	calze lana	13		
2.607.426	" "	" "	37		
2.607.428	" "	" "	41		
2.604.270	" "	" "	31		
senza numero illeggibile	0901	asciugamani	27		
	"	"	23		
2.RO.270	0941=43	maglie lana	19		
2.00.270	" "	" "	37		
illeggibile	" "	" "	28		
4705	CE 0219=43	cappotti	4		
7997	" " "	"	1		
senza numero	CG 0081=84	ghette	6		
OF 133	CG 0467=89	giubbe panno	9		
3130	" " "	" "	14		
485	" " "	" "	7		
			50		mancanti perchè consegnato collo di pantaloni in luogo di giubbetti.
senza numero		fascie cintur.	39		
" "		borracce	2		
" "		custodie borrac.	3		
illeggibile		giberne armi v.	20		
senza numero		spall.zaino d.	55		
" "		" " s.	115		
" "		cinghie zaino	31		
illeggibile		tazze	1		

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N. COLLO	N. CATEG.	DESCRIZIONE	Quantità	Stato	NOTE
2/3223	OF I60	coperte	20		
3716		"	1		
3545		"	-	1	strappata
3460		"	-	1	"
3444		"	1	1	"
2312		"	1		
1154		"	1	2	"
3207		"	1		
3662		"	2	1	bruciata
1887		"	1	1	macchiata
3677		"	3		
3339		"	1	1	strappata
61	CC 0044=71	stivaletti	5		
I02	" " "	"	4		
7025	" " "	"	1		
1062	" " "	"	1		
4234	" " "	"	5		
illeggibile	" " "	"	4		
7883	" " "	"	1		
senza num.	" " "	"	2		
" "	" " "	"	4		
" "	" " "	tascapani	16		
illeggibile	" " "	"		25	rosicchiati dai topi
senza num.	CC 0581=69	camicie flan.	14		
" "	CC 0177	forchette	125		
		pantaloni p.	52		(esub. perchè avuto collo di pantaloni in luogo di giubbotti).
senza num.		giberne buc.	92		

La Commissione ha proceduto alla compilazione del presente verbale affinché il Consegnatario del Magazzino del Nucleo Divisione "Garibaldi" possa averne scarico dopo l'approvazione delle Autorità Alleate e per l'autorizzazione all'assunzione in carico regolare del materiale esuberante.  
Fatto, letto e confermato, si sottoscrivono,

Membro  
(Ten. Agzadi Tito Livio)  
*[Signature]*

Presidente  
(Capitano Ghizzi Gualtiero)  
*[Signature]*

Membro Segretario  
(s/ten. Passavanti Giorgio)  
*[Signature]*  
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VISTO:  
IL COLONNELLO COMANDANTE  
(Carlo Ravnich)  
*[Signature]*

COMANDO REGIONALE "GARIBALDI"

VERBALE COSTANTE L'APERTURA COLLI ESEGUITA IL GIORNO 1 MAGGIO 1945.

L'anno milionovecentoquarantacinque, addì due del mese di maggio, nei locali dei Magazzini del Reggimento "Garibaldi" in Viterbo, si è riunita la sottototata commissione (nominata con ordine del giorno n.3 del 1/5/45) composta dei seguenti ufficiali:

- 1°- capitano GHIZZI Gualtiero
  - 2°- tenente AGRADI Tito Livio
  - 3°- s/tenente ZANDA Fernando
- presidente
  - membro
  - membro segretario

S I A N O T O

a chi di ragione che in ottemperanza a quanto disposto dal Comando Reggimento Garibaldi con ord. del giorno n.3 del 1/5/1945, si è riunita la commissione sopradetta ed ha proceduto all'apertura colli del materiale del gruppo "A" prelevato presso i Magazzini V.E.del Centro Addestramento complementi per le Forze Italiane di Combattimento, constatando quanto appresso:

collo n.	denominazione	deficienze	deterio- ramenti	note
879	coperte	2		
6030	"		4	strappate
289	"		2	"
6288	"		10	"
616	"		2	"
6329	"		11	1 ammuffita -10 strapp.
6149	"		3	strappate
974	"		1	"
534	"		1	ammuffita
2789	"		3	strappate

La commissione ha proceduto alla compilazione del presente verbale, affinché il Consegnatario dei Magazzini del Regg.to "Garibaldi" possa averne scaricodopo l'approvazione delle Autorità Alleate. 4657  
Fatto, letto e confermato, si sottoscrivono

Presidente  
Membro Segretario

a chi di ragione che in ottemperanza a quanto disposto dal Comando Reggimento Garibaldi con ord. del giorno n.3 del 1/5/1945, si è riunita la commissione sopradetta ed ha proceduto all'apertura colli del materiale del gruppo "A" prelevato presso i Magazzini V.E.del Centro Addestramento complementi per le Forze Italiane di Combattimento, constatando quanto appresso:

collo n.	denominazione dificienze famelfiti	coperte	note
879		2	
6030		"	strappate
289		"	"
6288		"	"
616		"	"
6329		"	1 ammuffita -10 strapp.
6149		"	strappate
974		"	"
534		"	ammuffita
2789		"	strappate

La commissione ha proceduto alla compilazione del presente verbale, affinché il Consegnatario dei Magazzini del Regg.to "Garibaldi" possa averne scaricodopo l'approvazione delle Autorità Alleate.

Fatto, letto e confermato, si sottoscrivono

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Membro

(Ten.AGRADI Tito Livio)

Presidente

(Cap.GHIZZI Gualtiero)

Membro Segretario

(S/ten.ZANDA Fernando)

*Caprini*

*Chippigualter*

*Zanda Fernando*

IL COLONNELLO COMANDANTE

(Carlo RAVNICH)



*Ravnich*

The undermentioned Vehicle Releases received and passed to  
Garibaldi Division 6th May 1945. 30/17

408 Vehicle Park Rome; OS/REL/450  
4th May 1945.  
For Garibaldi Regt  
Lorries 3 ton 4 X 2 G.S. Class II or V Qty 20 DOS/2475

9 Vehicle Park Capua, OS/REL/454  
4th May 1945.  
For Garibaldi Regt  
Lorries 30 cwt. 4 x 2 G.S. Class Id Qty 10 DOS/2371

In lieu of truck 15 cwt 4 x 2.

412 Vehicle Park Lucerna, OS/REL/455  
4th May 1945.

For Garibaldi Regt  
Motor Cycle Solo 350 cc Class I Qty 19  
Car Light Utility 4 x 2 " " 2  
Trucks 15 cwt 4 x2 " G.S. 3  
" " " Water 3  
" " " Class ID " 4  
" " " Office 1

4th May 1945.

For Garibaldi Regt

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" " " " Class ID " 4

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Lorries 3 Ton 4 x 2 G.S. " 15

" 30 cwt 4 x 2 G.S. " 10 --- In lieu of 15 cwt

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LROF V MAJI NR 16  
 QVR4  
 FROM 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD 04 NFT  
 TO 2 SUB DEPOT 35 AOD  
 INFO DOS (ORD1) AFHQ :: HQ 557 BOD :: DADOS F BLU CESANO  
 QOX CR-- BT  
 OS2/JOB/124/174 RESTRICTED (.) ARRANGE IMMEDIATE ISSUE TO  
 DADOS F BLU CESANO THE FOLLOWING (.) JERSEYS PULLOVER SIZE 1 QTY  
 650 SIZE 2 QTY 940 SIZE 3 QTY 900 (.) GREATCOATS SIZE 8 QTY 320  
 SIZE 9 QTY 200 SIZE 10 QTY 100 SIZE 11 QTY 25 SIZE 12 QTY 30 (.)  
 TREAT AS EXTREMELY URGENT AND CONFIRM ISSUE AND DESPATCH PARTICULARS  
 TO ALL CONCERNED (.) 2ND ADDRESSEE THIS ~~CONFIRMS~~ CONFIRMS TELECON  
 SIDNEY-PEGG OF TODAY AND REFERS TO DOS/1255(95)(ORD1) OF 3/5  
 BT THI 041200  
 SENT EH AR TKS K  
 RD NR 16 - AT LROF - 041210B - E.C.W - AR. TKS.....



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OF V MAJI NR 57  
 QVR4  
 FROM 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD 4/5  
 TO ORD DEPOT BARI  
 INFO DOS (ORD1) AFHQ ::: HQ 557 BOD  
 DADOS "F" BLU CESANO

QQX GR-- BT  
 OS2/JOB/124/175 (.) RESTD (.) ARRANGE IMMEDIATE ISSUE TO DADOS  
 "F" BLU CESANO FOR GARIBALDI COMBAT GROUP (.) TINS ~~MESS~~ MESS QTY  
 3000 IF RECONDITIONED ARE NA ISSUE FROM THOSE AWAITING RECONDITIONING (.)  
 HELMETS STEEL SIZE 6-5/8 QTY 40 SIZE 6-7/8 QTY 426 SIZE 7-1/8  
 QTY 855 SIZE 7-3/8 QTY 315 ~~3000~~ SIZE 7-5/8 QTY 39 (.) HELMETS  
 STEEL COVERS CAN QTY 3000 (.) TREAT AS EXTREMELY URGENT AND NOTIFY  
 ALL CONCERNED (.) 2ND ADDRESSEE THIS CONFIRMS TELECON SIDNEY - PEGG  
 AND REFERS TO DOS/1255(95)(ORD1) OF 3/5

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 CCN: LINE 5 READ QTY 315 7-5/8 IMI 7-5/8 QTY 39 PSE  
 SENT NR 57 1805 RF AR TKS K  
 RC'D - 041835B - B.W. - AR. TKS.

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LROF V MAJI NR 60

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FROM 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD 4/5

TO ORD BRIT A F N Q

INFO HQ 557 BOD ::: DADOS "F" BLU CESANO

CCX GR-- BT

OS2/JOB/124/174 (.) RESTD (.)// (.) YOUR DOS/1255(95)(ORD1) OF 3/5 (.)

INABILITIES ARE AS FOLLOWS (.) TINS MESS QTY 3000 (.) GREATCOATS

QTY 675 (.) SHIRTS BUSH BELTS WAIST QTY 2300 (.) JERSEYS PULLOVER

QTY 2490 (.) SPOONS DESSERT QTY 3000 (.) SHIRTS BUSH QTY 3900 (.)

VESTS TROPICAL QTY 5190 (.) DRAWR// DRAWERS CELLULAR QTY 6000 (.)

HOUSEWIVES QTYVEPPP TROUSERS KD 5280 (.) HELMETS STEEL QTY 1675 (.)

HELMETS STEEL COVERS CAM QTY 3000 (.) BRUSHES SHOE BLACKING QTY 3000 (.)

RESPIRATORS A.G. QTY 500 (.) FURTHER ISSUES OF GRADE III

CLOTHING WILL BE MADE VIDE TELECON SIDNEY - PEGG OF TODAY (.) ALSO

FOLLOWING EXTRACTED TO BARI TINS MESS AND HELMETS STEEL (.) EXTRACTED

TO 35 AOD GREATCOATS AND JERSEYS PULLOVER (.) RESPIRATORS A.G.

NORMAL WILL BE ISSUED IN LIEU OF LARGE M.A.

BT

CCX: LINE 4 WA DESSERT QTY 3000 IMI 3000 PSE

LINE 10 WA SIDNEY - PEGG IMI PEGG PSE LINE 11 WA AOD GREATCOATS

IMI GRAXX GREATCOATS PSE

SENT NR 60 2117 RE (AR) TKS K

RECD NR 60 2117 MMH A AT AR TKS

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LROF V MEEZ NR 82 QVR 2  
 FROM ORD DEPOT BARI Ø2NFT  
 TO 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD  
 INFO DADOS 'F' BLU  
 QOX GR 29 BT

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2/2241 RESTRKCTED (.) YOUR OS2/JOB/199/77 (.) SUMMER CLOTHING FOR  
 GARIBALDI COMBAT GROUP C/O DADOS 'F' BLU AVAILABLE (.)  
 ISSUE PROCEEDING (.) DESPATCH DETAILS FOLLOW (.)

YOUR IVS 610908 610909 REFER (.) YOU//// OUR IN 3/5044 FOLIO 4199  
 BT THI Ø21500

SENT NR RD RD RED Ø2/1550 AR TKS K

RD NR 1550B LOU AR

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MEUP V ADOS NR 58 GVR 2  
 FRC CRD BRIT AFHQ 251810B  
 TO 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD  
 INFO HQ 557 BOD ::: ADOS (P) CNF :::  
 ADOS RAAC ::: DADOS 'F' BLU CESANO

QQX GR-- ET

DOS/1255(ORD1) (.) RESTRICTED (.) EQUIPMENT GARIBALDI COMBAT  
 GROUP (.) REF MY X DOS/1255(ORD1) DATED 21 APRIL 45 DO NOT REPEAT  
 NOT SEND FORWARD BLANKETS QTY 6000 (.) 5TH ADDRESSEE YOUR CRD/S/4651  
 DATED 23 APRIL REFERS

ET

SENT NR 58 LAM E1

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copy to stores  
30/5

DROS

WJ

Subject :- Vehicles.

"F" BLU, ATC, ICF.

To: British Increment  
Garibaldi Regt.

Ref ORD/30/11

Date May 4th 1945.

Herewith Vehicle Release OS/REL/451 dated 2 May 1945,  
Two Motor Cycles to be collected by you from 9 Vehicle Park, Capua.

These are for use of British Increment.

MMJ/WES  
File.

  
M.W. JEFFERY.

Major

D.A.D.O.S.

*Lee*

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
APO No. 794 US Army

Q 242/4

SC/rwt  
1 May 1945

SUBJECT: Vehicle Release

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission AG (MHA) NR.

Further to this HQ letter Q 242/4 of 28 Apr 45, copy to you.

- The following release ex RAC Pool was made today:

<u>Release No</u>	<u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Veh. Plc</u>
VR 2462	Motorcycles Sole 350 cc Cl 1	2	Br Inx attd Garibaldi Inf Regt (Arthy AMHQ FX 64795 of 24 April 1945)	9

- Vehicles will be handed on to Garibaldi Inf Regt by British personnel as soon as possible.

*W.H. Hughes*  
for

W.H. HUGHES  
Major  
DASH

Copy to: F HQ RTC ICF  
38 Veh Coy  
9 Veh Plc  
File Q 136

AA & QMG	.....
DAA & QMG	.....
SC "A" & "O"	<i>dx</i> .....
DADST	.....
DADOS	.....
DADMS	.....
Tr. Increment	.....
Schools	.....
Lot	.....
KA	.....
RE	.....
RCS	.....
PRO	.....
1 May 1945	File 161

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Subject: - 1st Lt. Gregory

URGENT.

To: SAC, ICA.

"M" B. 10/10.

L. A. C. S. T. C. S.

o/oland Forces-sub down

NO (MIA) R. 10/10.

for information to

UNSUB, "M" B. 10/10.

British Incident Veribeld. 10/10.

ref 10/10/10

of 10/10/10.

1. The Southall Regiment is being mobilized and equipped under AFM, authority in 1972 dated 10/10/10. It will be under operational priority for 10/10/10.

2. For this purpose, British military personnel officer has been attached to this Regiment and will act under authority of this office.

3. All stores required by the Regiment, in accordance with normal and Special Equipment Lists, will be demanded through the Finance warrant officer and such demands passed by him direct to this office.

4. All bills stores including clothing and equipment will be issued to the Regiment from AFM Central Storehouse against normal stores release notes, copies of which will be passed to the AFM, ICA, for information.

5. All other stores will be provided direct by AFM.

Operational Priority for Ordnance Stores.

- 2. For all stores in British Columbia and at Officer's Base attached to this command and will act under authority of this office.
- 3. All stores required by the command, in accordance with normal and special requirements, will be demanded through the Ordnance warrant officer and stock demands passed by him direct to this office.
- 4. All bulk stores including and equipment will be issued to the extent from RFO Central storerooms against normal stock release notes, copies of which will be passed to the RFO, IOP, for information.
- 5. All other stores will be provided direct by RFO.

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SECRETSUBJECT: Formation of Italian Units - Infantry

'F' BLU, RTC; ICF.

A2/6/472

2 May 45

HQ RTC, ICF

1. Under authority AFHQ FX 64793 dated 24 Apr 45, the following units will be formed forthwith:

Designation	WE	SEL	Location for Formation	Supervising Authority
HQ GARIBALDI Italian Infantry Regiment	CM/526/1	135/1	VITERBO	RAAC & 'F' BLU
1 Ital Inf Bn GARIBALDI	CM/527/1	136/1	"	"
2 Inf Regt "	"	"	"	"
3 " "	"	"	"	"

Effective date of formation is 25 Apr 45.

2. Personnel will be provided from Brigades of the GARIBALDI Division under arrangements MMIA.
3. The primary role of these units will be operational. Training will commence as early as possible under arrangements and direction of the Directorate of Military Training.
4. Equipment will be provided to basic scale 6508/2 (less 2" and 3" mortars and snipers' rifles) plus Italian 81 mm and 45 mm mortars.
5. Indents for and enquiries regarding clothing, equipment and transport should be submitted to ADCS RAAC. Vehicles will be allotted as available in accordance with existing priorities.
6. Copies of War Establishments will be forwarded as soon as

HQ GARIBALDI Italian	CM/526/1	135/1	VITERBO	RAAC & 'F' BLU
Infantry Regiment				
1 Ital Inf Bn GARIBALDI	CM/527/1	136/1	"	"
Inf Regt	"	"	"	"
2 "	"	"	"	"
3 "	"	"	"	"

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6. Copies of War Establishments will be forwarded as soon as received.
7. Progress Reports in duplicate :
  - (a) Deficiencies - personnel (by ranks and trades) **eg 4647**  
WE will be submitted by HQ KTC ICF on 13 May 1945.
  - (b) Deficiencies - equipment and transport will be submitted by DADOS - 13 May 1945

AS/ATS

Internal: DADOS: File: Float

Major RA  
DAA& QMG

6/F 12 May 1945  
*[Signature]*

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

30/7

Subject: - vehicle - issues.

Ref : CS/300/14  
Tel : Rome 66588  
Date: 28 April 1945.

TO : - B.A.D.G.S. 'F' BLD  
IRMC ICF.  
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Enclosed herewith is correspondence and release notes for issue of 'A' vehicles to Garibaldi Combat Group.

please issue release instruction to unit concerned.

*W. W. ...* 1615

Lt. Col.  
A.D.G.S.

30/8

MEUP V ADOS NR 55 IMMEDIATE QVR 2

FROM ORD BRIT AFHQ 281830E

TO CO 2 SUB DEPOT 557 EOD

INFO CCO 557 EOD ::: ADOS RAAC :::

ADOS (P) ::: DADOS 'F' ELU CESANO *DEAS*

OOX GR-- BT

DOS/1255(ORD1) (.) RESTRICTED (.) FURTHER TO MY DOS/1255(ORD 1)  
 DATED 21 APRIL (.) IN ADDITION TO ITEMS SHOWN ON LIST ATTACHED  
 TO A/M LETTER ISSUE THE FOLLOWING IMMEDIATELY AND REPORT  
 INABILITIES TO THIS OFFICE (.)

GROUND SHEETS QTY 3000. HELMETS STEEL QTY 3000.

COVERS CAMOUFLAGE HELMET STEEL QTY 3000. BRUSHES HAIR QTY 3000.

BRUSHES SHAVING QTY 3000. BRUSHES SHOV QTY 3000. COMBS HAIR QTY 3000.

DISCS IDENTITY RED QTY 3000. DISCS IDENTITY GREEN QTY 3000.

DRESSINGS FIELD QTY 3000. HOLDALLS QTY 3000. TOWELS QTY 3000.

KNIVES CLASP QTY 3000. LANYARD QTY 3000. EYESHIELDS AG CASES OF 6

QTY 3000. QINTMENT AG QTY 6000. RESPIRATORS AG COMPLETE QTY 3000.

CAPES AG QTY 3000. COTTON WASTE 6000 OZS.

THIS MUST REACH DESTINATION BY 3 WAY

BT

SENT NR 55 LAM B1

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ROSE AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
APO No 794 U.S. MILITARY

S. 24/4

SI/ty

500/14  
25/4

SUBJECT: Vehicle Releases

23 Apr 45

TO : G-3

1. Herewith AFM Vehicle Release Note AFM/8597 dated 23 Apr 45 forwarded to you for necessary action:

<u>Qty</u>	<u>Description of Vehicle</u>	<u>Unit</u>
48	Carriers Universal	CARIBOLDI Combat Group
15	Carriers 3 inch Mortar	" " "
15	Carriers Trac ed Towing	" " "

Remarks: Ex 12 Vehicle Park. With complete kit. Rail lift to CIVITA CASTELLANA.

2. Please issue relative release note and collection instructions to the Unit.

*Cancelled  
see 30/24*

*Shore Capt RA  
for*  
W. H. HUGHES  
Major  
DAVT

Copy to: G-3 Br

SI	BY
ADCS	
DADCS	
CO	
1FD	
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CC	
ACTION	<i>L. Thurson</i>

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
Q (AE) BRANCH

VEHICLE RELEASE NOTE

Ref. A VR/ 8597

Date 23 Apr 45

To: Rome Area Allied Command

for GARIBALDI Combat Group

Release of the undermentioned vehicles is authorized.

Quantity	Description of Vehicles
48	Carriers Universal
15	Carriers 3 inch Mortar
15	Carriers Tracked Towing

*Cancelled  
see 30/24*

Remarks : Ex 12 Vehicle Park. With complete kit. Rail lift to CIVITA  
CASTELLANA.

RELEASE INSTRUCTIONS

- On receipt of this release authority, the unit or formation will await release instructions from Ord (Br).
- AFHQ Q (AE) release and Ord (Br) release will both be handed to the Vehicle Park at the time of collection. The Vehicle Company have been instructed that release will not be made unless both copies of release voucher are presented.

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*for* *Donker Capt*  
Brigadier,  
Q (AE)

DISTRIBUTION :

Ord (Br)  
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FROM: FREEDOM SIGNED SACRED CITE WFOAE WROD

TO FOR ACTION: RAAC

F BLU 1200 15 ARMY GP MAIN 8 ARMY HQ 38 VEH COY 4 VEH GP  
38 VEH COY 12 VEH PARK 38 VEH COY

REF: FX 64623

SECRET

RELEASED TO YOU FOR GARIBOLDI COMBAT GROUP IN FULL SATISFACTION

"A" VEHICLES ENTITLEMENT . UNDER SERIAL AVR 8597 EX 12 VEH PARK .

UNIVERSAL CARRIERS QTY 48 . CARRIERS 3" MORTAR QTY 15 . CARRIERS TRACKED

TOWING QTY 15 . ALL CARRIERS WITH COMPLETE KIT. RAIL LIFT TO CIVERA

CASTELLANA PROBABLY DURING PERIOD 7 MAY TO 13 MAY

G-4 ER DISTRIBUTION

Ord ✓  
G-3

TO	BY
ADOS	ADOS
PADES	PADES
CO	
EPO	
CC	
ACTION	Johnson

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

## ORDNANCE (BRIT)

Release No. DOS/ A/VR/0091

Date 24th April, 1945

300/14  
26/4

To 38 VEHICLE COY. C.M.F.

12 Vehicle Park, 4

VEHICLE GRP.

The undermentioned vehicles will be issued from

FROM AREA ALLIED COMMAND for GERIBADI Combat Group

to

Qty	DESIGNATION	Serial No.	REMARKS
48	Carriers Universal		With complete kit. Roll left to CIVISA CASTELLANA.
15	Carriers 3' motor		
15	Carriers Tracked Towing		

SEEN	BY
ADCS	
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ACTION	

## Distribution :

Q (AE) A.F.H.Q.

Formation District as above

4 Vehicle Grp.

12 Vehicle Park.

T. M. ROBINSON, Major, ADCS, 'A' Veh

For

MAJ. GEN.

D.O.S.

A.F.H.Q.

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## ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

## ORDNANCE (BRIT)

Release No, DOS/ 8/11/397

Date 24th April, 1945

To 38 VEHICLE COY. C.M.F.

12 Vehicle Park, 4

VEHICLE GRP.

The undermentioned vehicles will be issued from

THE AREA ALLIED ORDNANCE FOR GERMANY Combat Group

to

Qty	DESIGNATION	Serial No.	REMARKS
48	Carriers 4x4		All complete. Will list to CIVILIAN SERVICES.
15	Carriers 6x6		
17	Carriers Tracked Towing		

ADOS	
DADOS	
CO	
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ACTION	

## Distribution :

Q (AE) A.F.H.Q.

Formation District as above

4 Vehicle Grp.

12 Vehicle Park.

T. S. HARRISON, Major, 25000, 1st Army

for

MAJ.-GEN.

D.O.S.

A.F.H.Q.

ROF V MAJI NR 107

QVR3/5

FROM 2 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD 28/4

TO ORD BRIT AFHQ

INFO COO 557 BOD : : : ADOS R.A.A.C.

ADOS (P) CME : : : DADOS 'F' BLU CESANO

QQX GR-- BT

OS2/JOB/124/174 (.) RESTRICTED (.) YOUR DOS/1255(ORD1) OF 25 (.)

BLANKETS QTY 6000 FOR GARIBALDI COMBAT GROUP ALREADY DESPATCHED

RAIL WAGONS 251234 AND 121932 ON 26

BT 281800B

SENT NR 107 2030 RF B1 K

RCD NR 107 2030 B C W - K

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ORDNANCE (BRITISH) ROME AREA

D.O.S. (ORD.1) A.F.H.Q.

D.A.D.O.S., "F.B.I.D., R.T.C., I.C.F.

OS/ 2151/1000/354/1A

RESTRICTED

CONFIRMING PHONE CONVERSATION OF 28 PD SUBJECT IS CLOTHING AND  
 EQUIPMENT GARIBALDI DIVISION PD ITEMS OMITTED FROM APPENDIX YOUR  
 1255 (ORD.1) OF 21 LISTED BELOW PD NEL TABLE 1 PD  
 GROUND SHEETS 3000 HELMETS STEEL 3000 COVERS CAMOUFLAGE HELMET  
 STEEL 3000 PD NEL TABLE 72 PD BRACES 3000 BRUSHES HAIR 3000  
 BRUSHES SHAVING 3000 BRUSHES SHOE POLISHING 3000 BRUSHES TOOTH 3000  
 COMBS HAIR 3000 DISCS IDENTITY RED AND GREEN EACH 3000 DRESSINGS  
 FIELD 3000 HOLDALL 3000 TOWELS (AFHQ HAVE RELEASED ONLY HALF SCALE)  
 3000 KNIVES CLASP 3000 LANYARDS 3000 PD NEL TABLE 74 PD  
 EYESHIELDS ANTI GAS CASES OF 6 3000 OINTMENT ANTI GAS JARS OR  
 BOXES 6000 RESPIRATORS ANTI GAS COMPLETE 3000 COTTON WASTE OZS. 3000  
 CAPS ANTI GAS 3000 PD SUPPLY OF THESE ITEMS NECESSARY TO  
 PROVIDE FULL SCALE FOR COMBAT TROOPS PD

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PRIORITY

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ORD. (Br.)

ORD. (Br.)

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*19/10/54*

LROF V MAJI NR 128

QVR2

FROM 2 S/D 557 BOD 27/4

~~59~~ TO ORD DEPOT BARI

INFO LADOS "F" B L U

QQX GR-- BT

OS2/JOB/199/77 (.) RESTRICTED (.) SUMMER CLOTHING GARIBALDI COMBAT

GP C/O DADOS "F" BLU (.) INABILITIES AS FOLLOWS SHIRTS BUSH BELTS

WAIST SIZES 38-40-42 QTY 150-350-300 EACH (.) JERSEY PULLOVER SIZES

1 AND 2 QTY 650 AND 940 EACH (.) ISSUE IF AVAILABLE ADVISING AL L (.)

OUR V IV'S 610908 AND 6190// 610909 REFER

BT 271700B

SENT NR 128 2320 RF (AR) TKU K

RD NR 128 DML 2320 (B)

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URGENT BY D.R.

30/3

Subject: Garibaldi Division- Clothing and Equipment.

"F" B.L.U.,

I.R.F.C., I.C.F.,

c/o Land Forces Sub Comm,

R.A.A.C.,

AC (AMIA) Rome.

Rome.

Ref: OND 30/3

April 25th 1945

Reference DOS/1255 (ORD 1) dated 21st April 1945.

1. List of items attached, <sup>to above</sup> does not comprise full scale for personal clothing and equipment for Italian Combat Groups. Items omitted or released to partial scale only are listed below, quantities stated are to bring up to full scale for 3000 men.

2. Can it be ascertained <sup>to above</sup> whether provision for these items will be initiated by AFHQ or locally?

N.E.L. Table 1.

Groundsneets	3000	X
Helmets Steel	3000	X
Covers Cam, Helmets Steel	3000	
<u>N.E.L. Table 72.</u>		
Braces	3000	
Brushes hair	3000	
" Shaving	3000	
" Shoe Polishing	3000	
" Tooth	3000	
Combs Hair	3000	
Discs Identity Red & Green each	3000	
Dressings Field	3000	
Holdalls	3000	X
Tools (AFHQ have released only half)	3000	

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1. personal clothing and equipment for Italian Combat Troops. Items omitted or released to partial scale only are listed below, quantities stated are to bring up to full scale for 3000 men.
2. Can it be ascertained soonest whether provision for these items will be initiated by AFHQ or locally?

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Dressings Field	3000	
Holdalls	3000	
Towels (AFHQ have released, only half)	3000	X
Knives Clasp	3000	
Lanyards	3000	
<u>N.E.L. Table 74.</u>		
Eyeshields Anti Gas, cases of 6	3000	X
Ointment Anti Gas, Jars or Boxes	6000	X
Respirators Anti Gas complete	3000	
Cotton Waste	3000	
Capes Anti Gas	3000	

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Items marked X can be provided from HHC resources

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M. W. J. JERRY.

Major

D. A. D. O. S.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

U R G E N T.

SUBJECT: EQUIPMENT - GARIBALDI  
COMBAT GROUP.

REF: DOS. 1255 (ORD 1)

TEL: FREEDOM 808.

To: O.O. 2 SUB DEPOT,  
557 B.O.D.

21 APRIL, 1945.

1. ITEMS LISTED ATTACHED ARE URGENTLY REQUIRED BY A.D.O.S., R.A.A.C. FOR GARIBALDI COMBAT GROUP. THIS REQUIREMENT IS AN OPERATIONAL PRIORITY.
2. PLEASE ARRANGE IMMEDIATE ISSUE AND CONSIGN STORES TO D.A.D.O.S. "F" B.L.U. CESANO. STORES MUST REACH DESTINATION BY 3 MAY 1945.
3. REPORT DESPATCH PARTICULARS TO ALL CONCERNED AND CONFIRM COMPLETION TO THIS OFFICE.

*Stevenson*

(K. STEVENSON) MAJOR.  
D.A.D.O.S.  
FOR MAJ-GEN.  
D.O.S., A.F.H.Q.

COPY TO: - C.O.O. 557 B.O.D.  
" " A.D.O.S. (P).  
" " A.D.O.S. R.A.A.C.  
" " D.A.D.O.S. "F" B.L.U. CESANO. ✓

T.O.O. 1545 B

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APPENDIX TO DGS 1255 (ORD 4) DATED APRIL, 45.

TROUSERS K.D. PRS.	6000
SHIRTS BUSH	6000
SHORTS K.D. PRS. W/BUCKLES	3000
VESTS TROPICAL	6000
DRAWERS CELLULAR PRS.	6000
HOSETOPS DRAB PRS.	3000
BELTS FOR BUSH SHIRTS	3000
JERSEYS PULLOVER	3000
TOWELS	3000
GREATCOATS D.M.	3000
BOOTS C/W LACES PRS.	6000
SOCKS WORSTED PRS.	9000
ANKLETS WEB PRS.	3000
HOUSEWIVES	3000
BLANKETS	6000
TINS MESS	3000
KNIFE FORK SPOON EACH	3000
BRACES PRS.	3000
MUG DRINKING	3000
BOTTLES WATER	3000
E. C/W VALISE AND PACK, SETS	3000

ject :- Clothing And Equipment.  
 : HQ. RTC, ICF.  
 copy to : O i/c R.T.C.  
Central Storehouse.

"F" B.L.U.  
I.R.T.C., I.C.F.  
 Ref ORD/30/1  
 April 23rd 1945.

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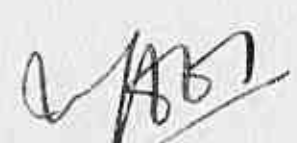
Reference my Release notes Nos 257 & 258 dated 23/4/45

Please cancel all stores released to Garibaldi Division, except Blankets.

Separate action on behalf of this division has been taken by AFHQ to equip them to scale.

Particulars will be notified later.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
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SECRET

Ref:- DCS/7603  
Tel:- Freedom 810  
Date:- 20th Apr '45.

Subject:- Equipment - Garibaldi Combat  
Group.

Distribution :- See Below.

1. The Garibaldi Combat Group is to be formed as part of the Italian Combat Forces.
2. The Group will concentrate in the Viterbo area within the next week.
3. An issue of clothing and personal equipment to the appropriate summer scale for 3,000 will be made forthwith.
4. Issue Orders will be prepared at AFHQ and copies will be passed to all concerned.
5. Stores will be issued on operational priority and will be consigned to DADOS 'F' B.L.U., CERANO for ADOS RMAC. These stores should reach CERANO not later than 3rd May '45.
6. Issues to the Garibaldi Combat Group will be made through 152 Italian Clothing Store, under the supervision of DADOS 'F' B.L.U.
7. Indents for other non-controlled Ord. stores within approved scales will be prepared by the Garibaldi Group, under the supervision of DADOS 'F' B.L.U. and passed to ADOS R.A.A.C. for action.
8. One W.O.I, BOWO, to be attached to the Group will report earliest to DADOS 'F' BLU. He may be retained for the period of re-equipping.

*[Signature]*  
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for Maj-Gen,  
D.O.S.

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