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Subject: - A.S. 3140

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*Returned
9/6*

Herewith is (five) copies of A.S. 3140 in respect of /
referred to from your unit *14.5.47*
please sign all 5 copies and return 4 copies to this unit
immediately, retaining the 5th copy to support your own forage account.

*PF for signature
from HQ*

Major *W.D. Carter*
Commanding, No 3 Veterinary & Remount Conducting Section.

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*W.D. Carter
5.6.47*

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Army Form O1640.
(In books of 50.)**Report of Transfer of Officers' or Troop Horses and Mules**

(To accompany the animals or to be despatched not later than the day on which the animals leave the unit.)

Note.—Animals hired and taken away by officers are not to be entered on this form.

- (a) Unit from which transferred. 5 B&V BTA
- (b) Unit to which transferred. 3 V&RCS R&V BTA
- (c) Number of animals. HORSES 1 MULES —
- (d) Date last shod. To Date
- (e) Date last foraged. 14.5.47

Date 14.5.47

Officer Commanding.

Certificate of Veterinary Officer.I certify that I have inspected the 1 animal(s) about to proceed to — and that they are fit for transfer.

I further certify that these animals have not been in contact with any animals affected with contagious or infectious diseases.

Date 15.5.47

Veterinary Officer.

This portion to be completed by the Receiving Officer.

I certify that the above 1 animal(s) ^{has} _{have} been brought on charge in my account on 15.5.47 * being the day following that shown at (e) above.

Name —Date 14.5.47Rank Major

*Horse billets will, in accordance with Allowance Regulations, be shown on the F.718 of the unit at the station of arrival and not of departure.

†No. of animals to be shown.

INSTRUCTIONS.

(1) This form is to be prepared in duplicate by Officers Commanding units in every case in which animals are struck off an Army Form F.718 or F.1027 and brought on charge on another Army Form F.718 or F.1027.

(2) The Officer Commanding the unit receiving the animals will complete the Form and return one copy of it to the unit from which the animals were sent.

(3) The respective copies will be attached as sub-vouchers to the Army Forms F.718 or F.1027 concerned.

(4) The certificate of the Veterinary Officer should be completed when animals are moved from one unit to another.

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SUBJECT: Ex Italian Army HorsesTel: PADUA 22677G.H.Q., C.M.F.3313/927 May 47TO: 5 BLU

It is regretted that, as all horses held in this theatre have been disposed of, except in 24 Gds Bds where none of the horses held are of Italian origin, no action can be taken to return horses to the Italian Army.

J. Laurie
(I.L.W.D. LAURIE), Colonel,
for Brig IC Adm.

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FGRV/AH

4 MAG 1947

SEEN BY	
C.O.I.	<i>AW</i>
G.S.O. II	
DAA & G.S.	<i>AW</i>
S. C. REAME	
S. C. S. & I.	
S. G. C.F.D.	
C.F.D.	

1. 5 Gen. Command Informant
2. Copy of this letter in Italian passed to Major Mesina 14/5.
Alc. AQ.

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Major,
for Lt. Col.
G.

Signed

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5 British Liaison Unit

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38 US DIV CORDEIA for attention Major WAG

TO

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Major
for Lt Col

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
VENEZIA GIULIA
AGRICULTURE DIVISION

29 APR 1947

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GSC	<i>[initials]</i>
GSC II	
DAA & CMG	<i>[initials]</i>
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
CIFP'S	

26 April 1947

Ref. : VG/AMG/AGR/3.1

Subject : Horses

TO : BRITISH LIAISON UNIT 241130 B

Copy to : A.M.G. UDINE - Att. Maj. Russell
(Rif. your AQ/56 dated 14 March 47)
: A.M.G. VG GORIZIA - Att. Supply Officer

1. Sale of horses in Gorizia in March was purely an army affair and not an AMG matter. Hence correspondence was forwarded to 88th Division, attention of Major Ware, through the Supply Officer of A.M.G. at Gorizia.

2. This question is between 88th Division and the Italian Government. Kindly contact Major Ware for comment.

For the Senior Civil Affairs Officer



Lester Weil 5318
Lester WEIL
Capt. Inf.
Chief Agr. Officer

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5 British Liaison Unit
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Major
for Lt Col

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Major
for Lt Col

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SUBJECT:- Detac Horses.HQ. BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA. CMF.
Ref. No:- 22536/1 VR. Tele Ext:- 273-5.

23rd April 1947.

To:- OC 5 British Liaison Unit,
Udine,
C.M.F.
-----Copy To:- OC 3 V & RCS.

Reference your letter AQ/73/81 dated 19th April 1947.

Paragraph 3 does not apply provided the horse is not absent from Udine
for more than a few days at any one time.

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24 APR 1947

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	<i>[Signature]</i>
DAA & CMG	<i>[Signature]</i>
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS	

GB.

[Signature]
 Lt-Col., RAVC.,
 (A.D. SETON),
 A.D.V & R.S.,
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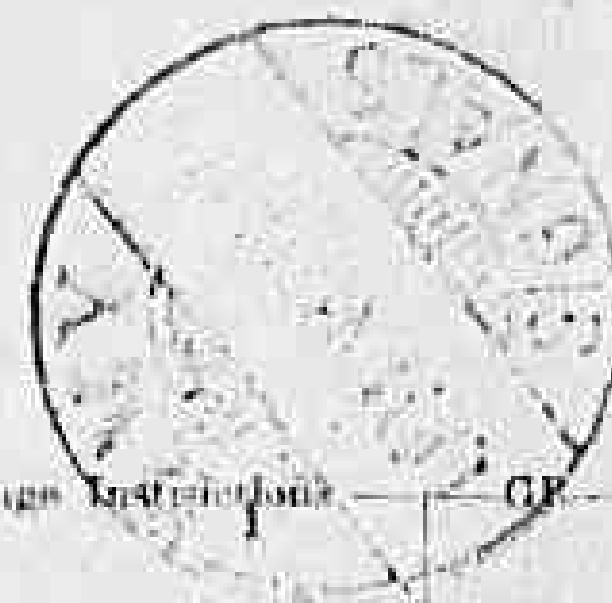
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Sent as urgent.

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Major
for Lt-Col

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Subject: Detached horses.

3 British Liaison Unit
Tel: WINE 1547
A/75/31

13 APR 47

HQ BZA

O.O. 3 V ER 0 3

Your 22536/1 VA dated 16 Apr 47.

These conditions will be complied with, viz:

1. The horse will be returned to 3 V & RUS on demand.
2. The horse is stabled in the Cavalry Barracks UDINB.
3. The horse will not be moved without authority from HQ BZA.

Will you ensure that para 3 does not apply in the case of temporary movement for competing the various Concours d'Equus.

Ed
EK/tw

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Diary

Thur 5313

Major
for Lt Col.

SUBJECT :- DETACHED HORSES.

HQ BRITISH TROOPS IN AUSTRIA
CMF.

Ref No:- 22536/1 VR, Tele Ext:273-5.

To :- O.C.,

5 British Liaison Unit,
UDINE, CMF.

16th April 1947.

Copy to:- O.C., 3 V&RCS.

Reference your letter AQ/73/79 dated 14th April 1947.

1. It is understood that authority for Major Kitcat to hold the W.D. Horse No. 2044 was previously requested from and refused by "Q" Branch, GHQ, CMF.
2. The total number of horses authorised to be held in Austria is now considerably less than the number for which applications have been received from Units. All allocations are made by "Q" Branch this HQ.
3. This office is prepared to sanction the transfer of the horse in question to No. 3 V&RCS, to remain temporarily detached to the unit under your command for the use of Major Kitcat, provided that the following conditions are complied with :-
 - (a) a signed undertaking, to the effect that the horse will be returned, under your arrangements, to No. 3 V&RCS, Lendorf, Near Klagenfurt, immediately it is called for by that unit or this office, is forwarded to this office in duplicate.
 - (b) No. 3 V&RCS and this office are informed of the exact location of the horse where it can be inspected as and when considered necessary.
 - (c) the horse is not moved from the above-mentioned location without authority from this office.

19 APR 1947

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SEEN BY	
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CSD II	
PA & CMG	
S. C. FENE	

M. L. L.

To :- O.C.,
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Lt-Col., RAVC.,
(A.D. SETON),
A.D.V. & R.S.,
H.Q., B.T.A.

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File : 4116/3/9/6

Udine 9 Apr. 47

SUBJECT: - G.E. Horses.

TO : - 5 B.L.U. - UDINE

The w/q letters regarding the assignment to the Italian Government of G.E. horses & mules, are herewith appended for your information.

No, 529/ip dated 28 Mar. 47 of War Ministry- Ispektorato Servizio Ippico Veterinario.

No, 13661/F/A of 10 Dec. 45 of Allied Forces H.Q.

No, 13661/F/A of 27 Nov. 45 of Allied Forces H.Q. - G.5 Sect.

15 APR 1947

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GSO I	aw
GSO II	/
DAA & CHG	aw
S. C. FMS	/
S. C. S & T.	/
S. C. OFD.	/
CHIEF'S	/

By order,
Sgt. A. ICARDI, Col.
Chief of Staff.

WGC/t.

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TRANSLATION

WAR MINISTRY
Ispettorato del Servizio Ippico Veterinario
Servizio Ippico

File No. 529/1p 1

Roma 28 Mar. 47

SUBJECT: -C.E. Horses- Avvocatura Distrettuale dello Stato.

TO : - 5 TERRITORIAL COMMAND - Dir.Ipp. & Vet. - UDINE
5 TERRITORIAL COMMAND - Service Office - UDINE

This Ispettorato with his 504/1p/1 of 27 Mar. 47, sent also to this Terr. Comd for info, has answered to Avvocatura Distrettuale dello Stato and gave also the proofs of the handing over to the Italian Army by Allied Authorities of all the C.E. horses & mules.

Sgd: E. DEL PANTA, Brigadier
Inspector

Certified true copy,
F. MONTENAGNO, Lt-Col.
Offr. encharged.

wcc/t.

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COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE
- Ufficio Servizi -

N.4116/S/9/6 di p. t.

Udine li 9 aprile 1947

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OGGETTO: Quadrupedi di preda bellica.-

AL COMANDO DEL 5° B.I.U.

15 APR 1947

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Si trasmettono, per opportuna comunicazione, le seguenti lettere relative alla cessione al Governo Italiano di tutti i quadrupedi di preda bellica:

- lettera n.529/ip.1 di prot.del 28/3/47 del Min.Dif.Eserc.-Ispettorato del Servizio Ippico e Veterinario;
- lettera Rif.13661/F.A. del 10 dicembre 1945 dell'Allied Force Headquarters
- lettera 13661/F/A. del 27 novembre 1945 dell'Allied Force Headquarters G.-5 Section.-

d'ordine

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Col. A. Icadi)



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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Ispettorato del Servizio Ipp. e Vet.

Servizio Ippico

N.529/ip.1 di prot.

Roma 28 marzo 1947

OGGETTO: Quadrupedi di preda bellica - Avvocatura Distrettuale dello Stato.-

AL COLONDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE - Dir.Ipp. e Vet. U D I N E
e per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE - Ufficio Servizi U D I N E

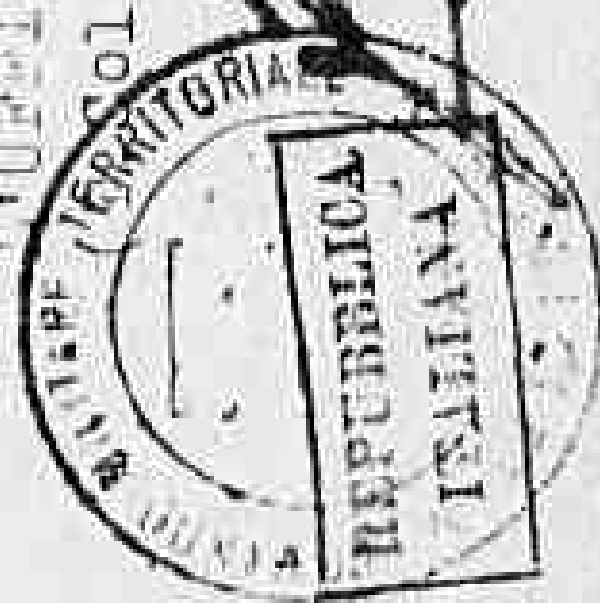
Questo Ispettorato ha disposto con foglio n.504/ip.1 in data 27 marzo 1947, inviato per conoscenza anche a code= sto Comando Territoriale, alla Avvocatura Distrettuale dello Stato fornendole le prove della cessione da parte Alleata, a tutti gli effetti, di tutti i quadrupedi di preda bellica al Governo Italiano.-

IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA ISPELTTORE
P.to Egisto Del Punta

P.E.C.

UFFICIALE ADDDETTO

Col. F. Montemagno



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C o p i a

ALLIED SUPPLY ACCOUNTING AGENCY

Branch of

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-5 Section

CMP

Postal Address

c/o FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

Headquarters Allied Commission

APO 394 CMP

Ref: 13661/F/A

Date 10 December 1945

Subject : Disposal of Captured Animals
to Italian Government.

To : Ministero Agricoltura e Foreste
Via XX Settembre Roma.

I. Enclosed herewith are original Receipts and Recapitulation in respect of captured animals disposed of the United States V Army, also three copies of Receiving Report which please sign and return to this Office.

By Authority AFHG AG 454/223/Q (Maint) of 21 August 1945

2. As each consolidated receipt is signed and delivered by the Italian Government, the ownership of animals, passes to the Italian Government and they shall take whatever action they desire in the matter of sale, at whatever price they like; on reallocation of these animals.--

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Chief Accountant,

Allied Supply Accounting Agency

Recapitulation

Enclosures: Original Receipts

Receiving Report (3 copies)

Copy to: Ministero del Tesoro

Via XX Settembre Roma

Food and Agriculture Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

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Allied Supply Accounting Agency

Care Of

FIANCE SUB-COMMISSION

APC ~~XX~~ 394

13661/F/A

27 November 1945

SUBJECT: Disposal of Captured Animal to Italian Government.

To: Ministero Agricoltura e Foreste
Via ^{XX} Settembre - Roma -

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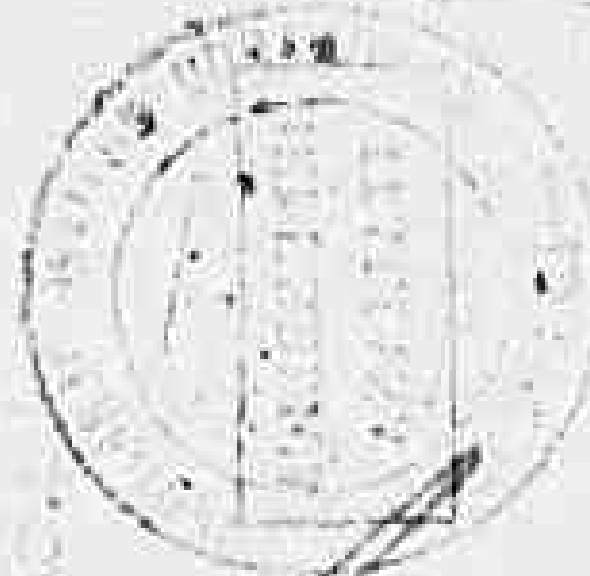
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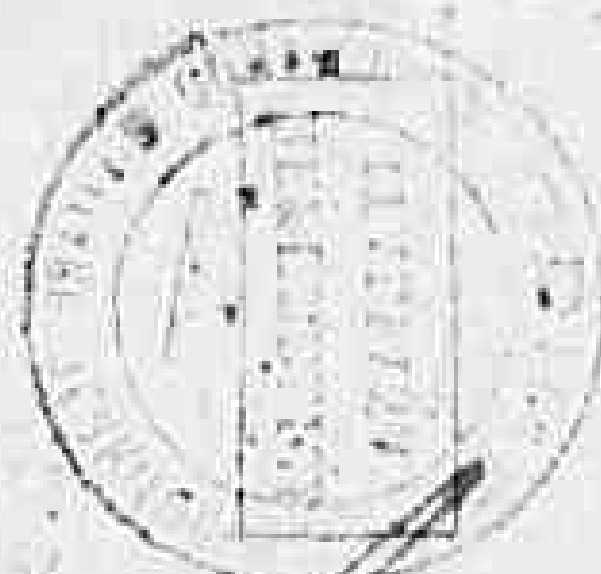
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Copy to: Ministero del Tesoro
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SUBJECT: - Detached Horses.

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: WINE 1547
28/73/79
14 Apr. 47

DDV & RS
RM BIA

No. 2044 INTERNAL SECURITY.

Authority is requested please to place the above horse on the Detached Strength of 3 V & R G S, till further notice.

Major Kilgus will forage and accommodate the horse under his own arrangements. In the event of Major Kilgus being posted away, the horse will be sent immediately to 3 V & R G S.

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Major,
G.S.

PA
/gdd

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Diary.

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5 British Liaison Unit
Tel: UNIT 1553
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1. 5 Italian cars have been seized which raised the question of the recovery of "lost" horses of Italian army origin.
2. In passing the story is as follows:
 - (i) as a result of the report submitted by this HQ in letter 45 2.6.5. HQ has sent to H.Q.S. III Corps. Copy of this HQ's letter together with copy of this HQ's reply is attached (1 and 2).
 - (ii) In consequence of this HQ's letter, V & B France, III Corps supplied this HQ with a list of ex-Italian army horses in III Corps area. List is attached (3)
 - (iii) In view of HQ's letter 3313/4 dated 6 Apr 45 (4) no more information was forthcoming from III Corps and 5 Terr Group were informed that no useful purpose could be served by pursuing this matter further.
3. The Italian War Ministry are certainly under the impression, as were HQ's and this HQ, that ex-Italian army horses captured by the Allies would be returned to the Italian army previous to or on the close down of CAS. The Army Directive on DM, No 3 6.5 (4) (a), dated 2 Oct 45 would appear to bear this out, as it is thought that horses of Italian army origin would come under the same category as vehicles for example.
Apart from the comparatively few Italian army horses shown on the 1st 1st 1st, it is known that some 600 odd were sold by the to civilians: the Italian army have of course little chance of recovering them.
4. At present the whole question is a mere point, with the Italians and they undoubtedly think that we are putting over "a fast card". I would be grateful if the position can be clarified.

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 12/1/68 12Z 221140 B (.) 12Z/1
 dated 7:18 (.) 12Z

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for: Lt-Col.

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FROM:- HQ 5 AGRA (PA)

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TO:- 5 BIN
 CAO UDINE
 654 AOP 8cn
 27 Coy RASC
 64 Coy RASC
 CAO LATISANE
 Camp — *England*

o 127/1 (.) UNCLAS (.) This HQ letter even ref dated 17 Mar 47 Subject Hand-In of
 Horses (.) Please ACK receipt of letter

Priority

GROUP 5

24 MAR 1947

Capt

DISTRIBUTION	
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CDI II	<i>/</i>
PA & CMG	<i>alc</i>
S. C. FINE	<i>/</i>
S. C. S. & T.	<i>/</i>
S. C. ORD.	<i>/</i>
CLERKS	<i>32</i>

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— Ce. Action per. AG

AG/73

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
UDINE PROVINCE

Subject: Preda Bellica animals

To : Agriculture Division

A.M.G. TRIESTE

20 Mar 1947

AGR/241

The attached copy of letter N°1291 dtd. 13 Mar. 47 of the Comando Militare Territoriale di Udine, Direzione di Ippica e Veterinaria is passed for your information and any possible action.

R. Russell
R. RUSSELL

MAJOR

AGRICULTURE

RR/CF

COPY: N°5 B.L.U. UDINE

21 MAR 1947

SECRET BY	
GSC I	<i>Per</i>
GSC II	

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Subject: Preda Bellica animals

20 Mar. 1947

To : Agriculture Division

AGR/241

A.M.G. TRIESTE

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5 British Columbia
Tel: 1911 1999
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10 Mar 67

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1. The attached copy of letter from [redacted] dated 12 Mar 67 is being forwarded for your observations and as possible action.

2. This matter be treated as urgent please.

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Per: Lt-Col,
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COPYQUINTO REGIMENTO TERRITORIALE DI INFAN-
TERIA (R.T.) DI IPICA E VERGINELLA

N. 1291 di prot. vet.

Uline 13 Marzo 47.

OGGETTO : Quadrupedi di p.b.

AL 5 B. L. U.

U.D.I.N.S.
DISP. 10/10/46

Alla Fiera di Verona - da un Espositore del Camiliter - sono stati
visti cavalli da sella, con marchi allenti ed alcuni con la sola croce di
Savoia.

I detentori hanno anticipato che detti quadrupedi vennero acquista-
ti a Conf. I. in un'asta pubblica, indetta una quindicina di giorni or sono
da Autorita' Militari Americane.

Trattavasi di circa 60 soggetti, alcuni dei quali risultano ora
messi solo perché non idonei al servizio da tiro.

E' possibile che alcuni di questi cavalli facessero parte del grup-
po di cavalli da sella del 13 Corps a cui si riferisce il foglio M.A.L. I.
(ora I.M.A.S.) n. 240 del 12 luglio 1946 trasmesso a codesto B.L.U. con
foglio 83 in data 12 agosto 1946 dal Comissario Militare Igino del Camiliter
di Uline.

Contra una altra asta del genere venga attuata f. a breve a Trieste.

Si gradirebbe cortese interessamento di codesto B.L.U. al fine di
prevenire ed eliminare l'inconveniente di cessioni di quadrupedi (marcati
croce di Savoia) in possesso degli Alleati, per i quali e' gia' stato deciso, in
linea di massima, la restituzione all'Autorita' Militare Italiana.

IL MAGGIOR V. VERGINELLA DI PONTI
- Dott. Alberto Verina -

5298

73Subject:- Hand-In of Horses

Tel UDINE MIL 1576

HQ 3 Army Gp RA (Pd)

127/1

Mar 47

Dist (as in para 5)CHO CAMP (for V & R)

1st 1 ARMED DIV

1 V & RCS

1. All horses in 3 AGRA (Pd) formation will be handed in to No 1 V & RCS on 2 April 1947.
2. It is essential that they be handed in on that day and not the day before or after.
3. Failure to comply with above ruling will be reported to the appropriate authority.
4. Horses will be accompanied by a nominal roll and classification, horse rug, headcollar and chain.
5. Units concerned are:-

HQ 3 AGRA (Pd)

5 BLU

CAO UDINE

654 AOP Sen

13 Corps Tps RE

3 Airfield Cons Gp

27 Coy RASC

64 Coy RASC

18 Veh Fk RAOC

156 Tn Stores RE

CAO Letisana

6. Please acknowledge receipt.

18 MAR 1947

SEEN BY	
CIO I	<i>Law</i>
CIO II	<i>Law</i>
MAA & QMG	<i>Law</i>
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. CIO.	<i>Law</i>
CIO III	<i>Law</i>

FJ
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DAD to CIO

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Subject:- AF C-10.

Ref:- VRC 7.
20 Feb 47.

*opened by me
in case it was urgent.*

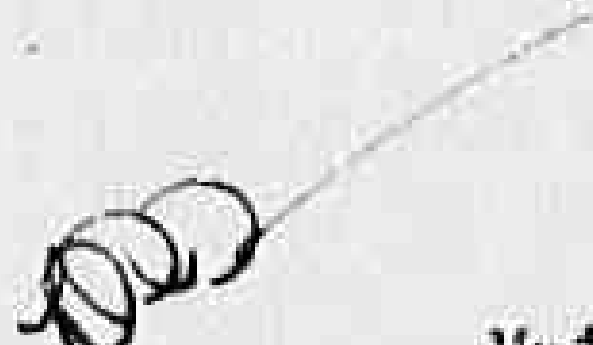
To:- Equitation Officer,
1/Bn Welch Regt.,
C.M.F.

Copy to:- Major Kitkat, DSO MC.,
5 B.L.U. CMF.

It is understood that the two horses on charge to Major Kitkat, DSO, MC., are now stabled with you. In order to bring these animals on to your forage account, the appropriate AF 01640s are required.

Will you please arrange for these endorsed, to be signed by yourself and Major Kitkat and disposed of as follows:-

- 1 Copy to Major Kitkat DSO., MC.
- 1 Copy to be retained by you to support your Forage account.
- 1 Copy to D.A.Q. 3 AGRA(Fd)
- 1 Copy to Lt. Spooner, G III 1/Armd Div.
- 1 Copy to No.1 V & RCS.


CMF. No.1 Veterinary & Remount Conducting Section, R.A.V.C.
Major, R.A.V.C.

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1. It would be appreciated if you would circulate the following instructions to horse-holding units under your administration.

2. All horses in 3/AGRA(Fd) formations will be handed in to No.1 V & RCS on 2 April 47.

3. It is essential that they be handed in on that day and not the day before or after.
Conversation Mackenzie - Duncan explains necessity for this.

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5 B.L.U.
C.A.O. Udine.
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13 Corps Tps RE
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Please acknowledge receipt.

CMT.

Commanding No.1 Veterinary & Remount Conducting Section, R.A.V.C.

Major, R.A.V.C.

CLERKS

5 TERRITORIAL COMMAND - UDINE
Direzioe di Ippica e Veterinaria

File No, 1291/Vet.

13 Mar. 47.

SUBJECT: - Heavy captured horses and mules.

TO : - 5 E.L.U. - UDINE

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Proprietors ensured that said horses were bought in ORLUA at a public auction, held about 15 days ago by American Military Authorities.

About 60 horses were sold, some of them have been killed as not suitable for a drawing work.

It is possible that some of those horses belonged to the Group of riding horses of the 13 Corps which M.H.I.A. letter A 240 dated 12 July 46, sent to this E.L.U. with letter 83 of the 12 Aug. 46 by Commissario Militare Ippico of 5 Territorial Command, refers to.

It is also known that a similar public auction will be probably hold in TRIESTE.

Your interest would be greatly appreciated so that to avoid ~~the~~ sales of horses (with the Savoy cross brand) which are in possession of the Allies whose restitution to the Italian Army has been already decided.

Signed: A. MESSICA, Maj.
Vet. Director.

13 MAR 1947

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TO : - 5 L.L.U. - UDINE

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13 MAR 1947

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Copy sent to AMICA
1. Indica to V.G.
2. Then we are time
H.Q. 24/

Subject:- Purchase and conveyance to UK
of Surplus Captured Horses

Tel HDINE MIL 1576

HQ 3 Army Gp RA (RA)

Q 127/1

12 Mar 47

List 'A'

1 V & RCE (4)
- COMMANDER
BARRA

Further to this HQ letter of even ref dated 3 Mar 47.

Form 14 will be amended as follows.

Delete: From "Head collars" in line 6 to
"over" in line 7.

Substitute: "Head collars, ropes and rugs may be
retained by purchasers if so required".

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13 MAR 1947

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DAN & MG

SENT BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
MAJ	<i>all</i>
S. C. F. & E	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. C. & D.	
CLERKS	<i>all</i>

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- 4 MAR 1947

SECRET	BY
GSO I	1/1
GSO II	1/1
DAA & CMG	1/1
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. CTD.	
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Subject:- Purchase and conveyance to UK of Surplus Captured Horses

Tel UDINE MIL 1534

3 ARMY G-5 RA (Ed)

Q 127/1

3 Mar 47

List 'A'

1 V & RCS (4)

COO/INDEX

BRM

GENERAL

1. The Army Council have decided that the sale of surplus captured horses in CMT may be authorised to individuals. The conditions of purchase and arrangements for despatch to UK are set out below.

CONDITIONS OF PURCHASE

- The scheme is applicable only to personnel who are serving or have been serving in CMT and have already made application to purchase.
- No individual may purchase more than one horse.
- Horses may be sent to UK only, and resale alive is forbidden.
- The horse remains the absolute property of the WD until taken over by the Collecting Centre in CMT or BTA after which it becomes the property of the purchaser.
- The horses will be despatched to UK under arrangements made by GHA CMT. The purchaser must accept these arrangements, will make his horse available for despatch when it is called forward, and will bear the cost of transport to the UK.
- The horses will be retained for quarantine purposes at the Army Remount Depot, MELTON MOWBRAY for one month after arrival in UK. Charges for accommodation during this period will be borne by the purchaser, who will collect the horse immediately he is called on to do so.
- No claims for injury during transit to UK can be made against the WD.

METHOD OF TRANSPORT TO UK

- Horses will be collected at 1 V & RCS RAHMANOV and despatched by military train on the MEDICC 'C' route to GILLES at the rate of one specially fitted box-wagon containing six horses per train. 1 V & RCS will be responsible for :-

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4. Horses may be sent to UK only, and resale alive is forbidden.
5. The horse remains the absolute property of the OMF until taken over by the Collecting Centre in OMF or BTH after which it becomes the property of the purchaser.
6. The horses will be despatched to UK under arrangements made by GHQ OMF. The purchaser must accept these arrangements, will make his horse available for despatch when it is called forward, and will bear the cost of transport to the UK.
7. The horses will be retained for quarantine purposes at the Army Remount Depot MILTON MOVERAY for one month after arrival in UK. Charges for accommodation during this period will be borne by the purchaser, who will collect the horse immediately he is called on to do so.
8. No claims for injury during transit to UK can be made against the OMF.

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METHOD OF TRANSPORT TO UK

9. Horses will be collected at 1 V & RCS PALMANOVA and despatched by military train on the MEDVOC 'C' route to CLARK at the rate of one specially fitted box-wagon containing six horses per train. 1 V & RCS will be responsible for :-

- (a) Examining the horse and providing a veterinary Certificate as at Appendix 'C'.
 - (b) Checking the age of each horse.
 - (c) Loading batches of six to rail as called forward by Movements, providing five days forage, from Army stocks.
 - (d) Detailing two OMs per wagon to travel to BOULOGNE as escorts.
- The escort will be provided with four copies of the nominal rolls of the horses, a movement order for the journey PALMANOVA - BOULOGNE - PALMANOVA, and two day's rations for an overnight stay at BOULOGNE. Written instructions will be given to these OMs in accordance with para 13.
- (e) Completing six copies of nominal rolls of the horses as at Appendix 'C' with the aid of information which will be provided by GHQ OMF.

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10. On arrival at CALAIS wagons will be detached from the MEDLOC 'C' train, and attached to the civilian service despatching CALAIS 1437 arriving BOULOGNE Central 1600, under arrangements Movements CALAIS.

11. The accredited Civilian Agents, Agent G BONA, will stable and maintain the horses at BOULOGNE. On the arrival of a complete batch of 18 horses, Agent G BONA will load the batch on SS 'DELL' (Southern Railway Company) for FOLKESTONE.

12. On arrival at FOLKESTONE, the horses will be taken over by Southern Railway Agents, Messrs BURN & SONS, who will off-load, stable, pass through customs, and supply veterinary service if necessary. They will arrange rail movement to MILTON MOBRAY, loading to rail three horses per box, providing foraging and servicing.

13. The escort of 2 ORs from PALMANOVA to BOULOGNE will feed and water the horses en route. On arrival at CALAIS, they will report to Movements CALAIS for a warrant to cover the return journey from BOULOGNE to CALAIS. At BOULOGNE they will hand over the horses to Agent G BONA together with three copies of the nominal rolls of the horses and the veterinary certificates in respect of each horse.

The fourth copy of the nominal roll will be receipted by Agent G BONA, retained by the escort, to be handed to 1 V & RCS. On return to CALAIS from BOULOGNE, the escort will report to No 3 Transit Camp for return to PALMANOVA under arrangements Movements CALAIS by the next MEDLOC 'C' train.

14. The Army Remount Depot MILTON MOBRAY will hold the horses in quarantine for 28 days, notifying the person in UK nominated by the purchase to collect each horse (see para 18 below) the date on which collection should be made. Before handing over the horse, the Depot will certify the horse free from Glaniers and collect the charges due for the period for which the horse has been accommodated. Head collars, ropes and rugs will be removed before the horse is handed over.

COST AND TRANSPORT CHARGES

15. (a) The cost of the horse will be as follows:-

(i) Under 12 years of age	-	£ 25
(ii) 12 years of age and over	-	£ 10

(b) Charge for accommodation and forage at 1 V & RCS PALMANOVA and transport and forage on journey to Army Remount Depot MILTON MOBRAY is - £ 27

(c) Charge for accommodation and forage at Army Remount Depot MILTON MOBRAY - 6/- per day (minimum 8 guineas). As the accommodation at MILTON MOBRAY is very limited it is essential that horses are collected immediately when notified by Army Remount Depot. Failure to do so will make the owner liable for charges for each additional day.

(d) Charges at (a) and (b) will be paid prior to the despatch of horses to UK, and at (c) when the horses are collected from MILTON MOBRAY.

Agents, Messrs HADEN & Sons, who will arrange road, sea, and rail movement to supply veterinary service if necessary. They will arrange rail movement to MELTON MOWBRAY, loading to rail three horses per box, providing foraging and servicing.

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COST AND TRANSPORT CHARGES

15. (a) The cost of the horse will be as follows:-

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|-------------------------------|---|------|
| (i) Under 12 years of age | - | £ 25 |
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- (d) Charges at (a) and (b) will be paid prior to the despatch of horses to UK, and at (c) when the horses are collected from MELTON MOWBRAY.
- (e) Charges at (a) and (b) above will be raised on debit vouchers (APO 1630) by 'Q' Branch, GHQ CEF and will be paid by crossed sterling cheque made payable to "Command Cashier 8 BCOPO CEF".
- (f) Charges at (c) above will be paid by the owner's agent in UK to the Army Remount Depot MELTON MOWBRAY before the horse is collected at the end of the quarantine period.
- (g) All cheques at (a) above will be paid into a suspense account to be kept by the Command Paymaster, 8 BCOPO, CEF, who will pay out as directed by 'Q' Branch GHQ CEF.
- (h) Agent G BONA and Messrs HADEN and Sons will forward their accounts for payment in the first instance to 'Q' Branch, GHQ CEF, and not to the individual purchaser.

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ACTION BY THE PURCHASER

16. The purchaser will complete the form at Appendix 'A' to this Instruction, complete payment as laid down as at para 13, and forward the form, and remittance to 'A' Branch GHO CMT.
17. On receipt of a calling forward order the purchaser will arrange to deliver the horse, complete with head collar, rope and horse-rug, to the collecting centre by the time stated in the order.
18. The purchaser will make private arrangements to collect the horse from MELTON HOUSLEY and to pay the charges for accommodation at the Depot. He will nominate an agent to act on his behalf in the UK on the form at Appendix 'A'.
19. The purchaser will notify any change of address direct to 'A' Branch, GHO CMT.
20. It is the responsibility of the purchaser to ensure that the above instructions are carried out. Horses will not be despatched to the UK from the collecting Centre until the form at Appendix 'A' fully completed, has been received by and payment has been made to 'A' Branch GHO CMT, and unless horses are delivered at the collecting centre by the date notified on the calling forward order.

Ed
CJLW/vv

[Signature]
Maj
D. S. MC

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APPENDIX 'A' TO 3510/22 DATED 27 FEB 47
 (3 AGRA (PA) 127/1 of 3 MAR 47)
 APPLICATION FOR THE DEBATCH TO THE UK
 PRIVATELY PURCHASED CAPTURED HORSE

TO: Mr. Burch,
 MR. CAMP

1. I wish the following horse to be de-batched to the Army Remount Depot,
 MILTON MOULRY:

Army Number:

Name:

Colour:

Age:

Sex:

2. My address is as follows:

No. Rank. Home.

Service Address.

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Private Address.

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3. (a) I nominate the following agent to collect my horse from MILTON MOULRY:-

Name.

Address.

.....

- (b) I shall make arrangement to collect the horse from MILTON MOULRY if
 I am notified of the date of collection at my private address as at
 2 above. 5283

(Delete (a) or (b) above as appropriate).

4. I enclose a cheque for 3. in payment of charges raised on attached

Army Number:

Name:

Color:

Age:

Sex:

2. My address is as follows:

No. Rank. Name.
 Service Address.

 Private Address.

3. (a) I nominate the following agent to collect my horse from MELTON HOWLEY:-

Name.
 Address.

(b) I shall take arrangement to collect the horse from MELTON HOWLEY if
 I am notified of the date of collection at my private address as at
 5289
 2 above.

(Delete (a) or (b) above as per letter).

4. I enclose a cheque for £. in payment of charges raised on attached
 (ATO 1686).

5. I agree to abide by the conditions set out at items 2 to 8 of Appendix 'A' of your letter 15/6/62 "Purchase and Conveyance to UK of Surplus Captured Horses" dated Feb 47.

Date. 47

(Signed)

NOMINAL ROLL OF CMT HORSES DESPATCHED FROM PALERNOVA ON

ARMY NO.	NAME	COLOR	AGE	SEX	NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER	NAME AND ADDRESS OF USER

+ This column not to be completed if the owner is in the United Kingdom

This form will be completed in sextuplicate. Four copies will accompany the horses to PORTUGEE where they are handed to Agents C. BOY. The latter will pass two copies to Messrs HILTON & Sons, who will in turn pass one to the Army Remount Depot, BELTON MILITARY. Two copies will be forwarded to 'D' Branch, CHQ. QHQ.

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APPENDIX 'C' 3310/02 DATED 27 FEB 47

(3 AGR) (PL) 0 127/1 of 3 March 47)

FIRST SCHEDULEIMPORTATION OF HORSES, ASSES AND MULES (GREAT BRITAIN) ORDER
OF 1938CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, being a duly authorised Veterinary Officer of the Government of _____ hereby certify:-

(1) that the animal(s) described below has/have this day been examined by a veterinary officer of the said Government who found that the animal(s) did not show symptoms of glanders (including farcy), enzootic lymphangitis, ulcerative lymphangitis, dourine, horse pox, sarcocytic mange, influenza, ringworm, strangles, infectious equine anaemia or encephalomyelitis;

(2) that (each of) the animal(s) described below was tested with mallein by a veterinary surgeon of the date (s) mentioned; that is, within 10 days before the date of intended shipment of the animal(s) to Great Britain, and that the animal(s) did not react;

(3) that during the period of six months immediately preceding the date of shipment to Great Britain the animal(s) was/were not kept on, or within a radius of 15 miles from any premises on which INFECTIONOUS EQUINE ANAEMIA then existed or had previously existed within the aforesaid period of six months; and

(4) that during the period of 28 days immediately preceding the date of shipment to Great Britain the animal(s) was/were not kept on, or within a radius of 15 miles from any premises on which ENCEPHALOMYELITIS then existed or had previously existed within the aforesaid period of 28 days.

IF RACEHORSES FOR RACING OR BREEDING, MALLEIN TEST
NOT NECESSARY.

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Subject: - Horses for recreational purposes

Tel UDINE MIL 1576

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HQ 3 Army G_o RA (Fd)

Q 127/1

28 Feb 47

5 BLU

Ref your AQ/73/59 dated 11 Feb 47.

1. It is regretted that authority cannot be given for two horses to be held on the detached strength of 1 V & RCS.
2. This is a GHQ decision (this HQ letter of even ref dated 17 Feb 47 refers). (61)

Fd
KD/wv

3 MAR 47

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	168
DAA & CMG	ah.
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. C. O.	
C. O.	

of the ... Capt
Maj
DAA & CMG

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Subject: - Detached Horses

HQ 3 Army Gp RA(Pd)

Q 127/1

Tel No Udine Mil : 1576

27 Feb 47

List 'A'

Ref this HQ letter of even ref dated 17 Feb 47, para 3,

1. The number of horses allowed in the BETFOR establishment is limited and the quota is now nearly full.
3. In consequence no horses will be moved to TRIESTE without authority of this GHQ.
3. All officers who wish to transfer horses to BETFOR will report the full details of such horses direct to 'Q' Branch GHQ by 5 Mar 47.

- 1 MAR 1947

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KD/nr

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GSO I	
GSO II	145.
DAA & CMO	all
S. C. EME	
S. C. S. & I.	
S. C. C. D.	
C. I. D.	

Capt. J. H. ...

 Maj

 DAA & CMO

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
VETERINARY & REMOUNT BRANCH
----- C M F -----

Tel:- PADUA 22310

Ref:- VR 1/12

25 Feb 47.

Subject:- Detached Horses

To:- 5 British Liaison Unit

Copy to:- HQ 3 AGRS (Pd)
DDV & RS HQ BTA
1 V & RCS

WD Horse 2044 'PRINCE REGENT'

Reference your AQ/73/62 of 18 Feb 47.

It is regretted that authority cannot be granted for the a/m horse to remain in Italy after the evacuation of other WD horses from this theatre. The horse will be sent to BAOR, and will be handed in to 1 V & RCS when called forward.

A short history of the animal will be included in the Nominal Roll to BAOR and it is possible that the horse will be re-allocated to Major KITCAT.

- See Folio 61. last Para.

PADUA
CJY/ah

27 FEB 1947

G. F. Kershaw
G.F. KERSHAW, Major,
DADV & RS.

SEEN BY	
GSO I	<i>Cum</i>
GSO II	<i>1st</i>
DAA & CMO	<i>1st</i>
S. C. FEME	<i>1st</i>
S. C. S. & T.	<i>1st</i>
S. C. C.D.	<i>1st</i>
CITIZEN	<i>1st</i>

I am sorry.

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A9/73

MESSAGE OUT

From:- HQ 3 AGRA (PA)

2. 11/10 A

To:- List 'A'

127/1 (.) UNCLASS (.) Ref this HQ letter of even ref dated 13 Jan 47 (.)
 Subject Purchase of Captured Horses (.) Purchase price £ 25 under 12 years
 or £ 40 if 12 years or over (.) Transport charges not more than £ 30 (not
 £ 44 as previously notified) (.) Quarantine charges 8 guineas

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Subject: Visit of Horses and Mules by Mil. Admin.

AGR/232

To : Comando Militare Territoriale di Udine

20 Feb. 1947

Direzione di Ippica e Veterinaria

Copy : Major Gray 5 B.I.U.

*Confirmed
actual in progress.*

Ref. your Memo undated, same subject;

*Memo. received by
hand from COMINT.*

1. Authority is hereby given for the inspection and census of horses and mules by the Direzione Ippica Veterinaria and the Ispettorato dell'Agricoltura.
2. Horses and mules to be inspected are those of Preda Bellica which have already been legally sold, by the Commission arranged by this H.Q. on behalf of the Italian Ministry of Agriculture and those of the Italian Army given out on temporary custody. Prices of horses and mules already sold will not be altered unless it is proved they are Italian Army property and were sold in error.
3. It must however remain clear that horses already sold which bear the broad arrow and the C and also have the Cross of Savoy brand are the property of the present owners if in possession of the official receipt as issued by the Cassa di Sarmio on behalf of the Italian Ministry of Agriculture.

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AGR/232

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20 Feb. 1947

To : Comando Militare Territoriale di Udine

Direzione di Ippica e Veterinaria

Copy : Major Gray 5 B.L.U.

*Confirmed
actual in progress.*

Ref. your Memo undated, same subject; *Memo. received by hand from S. COMELETTER.*

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2. Horses and mules to be inspected are those of Preda Bellica which have already been legally sold, by the Commission arranged by this H.Q. on behalf of the Italian Ministry of Agriculture and those of the Italian Army given out on temporary custody. Prices of horses and mules already sold will not be altered unless it is proved they are Italian Army property and were sold in error.

3. It must however remain clear that horses already sold which bear the broad arrow and the C and also have the Cross of Savoy brand are the property of the present owners if in possession of the official receipt as issued by the Cassa di Risparmio on behalf of the Italian Ministry of Agriculture.

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22 FEB 1947

R. Russell
R. RUSSELL

MAJOR

AGRICULTURE

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hand. 20 Feb 47. AR.*

5 TERRITORIAL QUARTER - UDINE.

Direzione di Ippica Veterinaria.

Memo for 5 PDJ to be sent to Maj RUSSELL.

SUBJECT : - Visit of Horses and Mules of Mil Admin - Udine Province.

In accordance with agreements and dispositions given by Maj Russell, a letter from Agricultural Officer AMG Udine would be necessary in order to specify:-

1. Direzione di Ippica e Veterinaria, together with Ispettorato Provinciale di Agricoltura is authorized to visit horses and mules of the Province in order to state their origin and to act in accordance with the dispositions in force, in respect to persons in possession of enemy captured horses and mules belonging to Mil Admin, and in respect of persons who have not denounced them or have sold them without authority.
2. For all the horses and mules which are of AMG property, estimates will be done with Mil Admin methods. Naturally the amounts will be given to Ispettorato Provinciale di Agricoltura.
3. All the difficulties and doubts in regard to the above quoted operations, will be overcome by direct agreement between Direzione Ippica e Veterinaria and Ispettorato Provinciale di Agricoltura.
4. Ispettorato Provinciale will put at disposition of the a/q Direzione, the documents regarding sales of enemy capt. horses and mules already done by AMG.

Signed Doct A Masirca Maj Director.

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to Maj Russell 20/2. by
hand. HQ 20/2.

Subject :- Detached homes.

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele : WDINE 1547
22/73/62

13 Feb 47

MQ 3 AGIL (M)

DOI: 10.1002/eqm2

1 V. & S. PALANOVÁ

Florida No 2014-000110X-23892 with ref to your 0127/1 dated 17 Feb 47

1. The a/w horse was issued to Major KIRKMAN as a Potential Show Jumper, in September 46. His performance at VINCENNA after only brief schooling showed that potentially, he was of international standard. Major KIRKMAN is, in fact, certain of this. Unfortunately an injury at INDIANAPOLIS in October, has delayed his training until now, when he is again coming into work.
 2. Major KIRKMAN will be in this country till June, after which he thinks it probable that he will go to B.A.O.R.
- He is most anxious to continue with this horse's training, as he is too good to be wasted, and is prepared to accept responsibility for stabling, forage and grooming till he leaves the country. May this please be arranged.

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TK/tw

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Signed: T. Wit CAT Mages

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Subject - Detached Horses
Tel UDINE MIL 1576

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18 FEB 1947

Reg 3 Army Op RA (RA)

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Feb 47

1. All units holding horses must be ordered to return their horses to V & R units by 15 Mar 47. The reason for this is the complete run-down of V & R units in April and consequent disposal of horses from the theatre. Orders calling in horses will be issued by the veterinary unit on whose detached strength horses are now held.

2. The following will accompany all horses returned:-

- (a) Nominal roll with classification.
- (b) Head collar.
- (c) Chain or rope.
- (d) Horse rug.

3. No further authority will be given by this HQ for :-

- (a) Issue of horses to units (except DETFOR)
- (b) Interchange of horses between units.

4. No replacements will now be made for horses returning sick to V & R units.

5. A considerable number of horses are being sent to BAOR.

Any individual who has knowledge of his ultimate posting to BAOR should inform V & R Branch GHO of this fact so that the information may be passed on to BAOR. The latter have stated that where possible they will try and reallot the same horse to its previous owner.

PA
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Maj
DVA & GHO

Subject :- Forage w/c

5 British Liaison Unit
 Date : 1947 ADMS
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17 Feb 47

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As the w/c horse who has been on the
 forage strength of 4 Medium Regt A.A. please be 10,000
 over to the Welsh Regt who have replaced 4 Medium in the
 barracks and stables. It remains, of course, Major
 KING's horse and is foraged as above for convenience.
 Yours faithfully, as from 17 Feb 47.

Field
 CR/68


Major G.E.

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SUBJECT : - Horses for recreational purposes.

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: URM 1555

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11 Feb. 47

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3 A.G.R.A.

1. Application is herewith submitted for authority for two horses to be held by this U.L. on the detached strength of 1 V & ACS.

2. The names are requested for the use of the following officers.

66402 Major R.L.L. JOHNSONE

66079 Major L. GRAY

under the existing regulations.

Major,
For Lt. Col.
C. SO.

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C O P YSUBJECT: Disposal of HorsesTel: PADUA 22271G.H.Q., C.M.F.3313/424 Feb 47To: Land Forces Sub Commission
MMIA

With reference to your 240 Q dated 25 Jan 47.

All horses surplus to British Army requirements are disposed of through AMG VENEZIA GIULIA. 5 BLU can obtain particulars of such horses from AMG.

A.J.B. TARRANY,
Lt Colonel.
for Brig IC Adm.

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