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FROM(a) : H. J. LCOM

31 December 1945

TO(FOR ACTION) : AGWAR FOR CCS FOR CCAC FOR CLAC RPTD WAROF
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This is WOC 432.1. Reference WOC 422 and COM 355.

2. Our records show arrivals of 79,666 tons of wheat and 14,428 tons of flour against September loadings, 107,684 and 72 tons, respectively, against October loadings, 9665 tons of wheat against November loadings and nothing against December loadings. We have also learned that 14732 tons of wheat against November loadings and 72861 tons of wheat against December loadings are on the high seas. Total arrival plus tonnage on the high seas are 3716 long tons of wheat and 14500 tons of flour.

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MOC AIRGRAM 195

: 1 JANUARY 1946

REFERENCE

: MOC 432.

SUBJECT

: DETAILED STATISTICS ON WHEAT AND FLOUR ARRIVALS
REFERRED TO IN PARA 3, MOC 432.

FROM

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TO

: Combined Civil Affairs Committee
(for Combined Liberated Areas Committee)
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Detailed Statistics on Wheat and Flour Arrivals Referred to in para 3.

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1. Appendix A includes the detailed statistics on wheat and flour arrivals referred in Page 3 of MOC 432.

SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER

Name of ship	TB No.	Date of Arrival	Long Tons	On High Seas
M. Tilghman Wheat	1	11-4	8174	
Alban Nordica "	2	11-7	8019	
Edw. C. Knox "	3	11-14	8231	
Patrick Whelan "	4	11-2	8391	
Pecumson "	5	11-17	8183	
M. A. Eden "	6	10-23	7902	
Keith Vawter "	7	11-2	8089	
Joseph Alston "	8	10-14	7713	
James Turner "	9	10-21	7357	
James Barbour "	10	10-24	7607	
Total wheat			79666	
Joseph Hooker Flour	14	11-14	3347	
Jane G. Swisshelm "	15	11-19	3791	
William Cobb "	16	11-24	7290	
Total Flour			14428	

Wm. C. Knox "	3	11-14	231
Patrick Whelen "	4	11-2	8391
Reynolds "	5	11-17	8103
W.A. Peden "	6	10-23	7902
Keith Vawter "	7	11-2	8089
Joseph Alston "	8	10-14	7713
James Turner "	9	10-21	7357
James Barbour "	10	10-24	7607
Total wheat			79666
Joseph Hooker Flour	14	11-14	3547
Jane G. Swisshelm "	15	11-19	3791
William Cobb "	16	11-24	7290
Total Flour			14428

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SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER

Name of Ship	TB No.	Date of arrival	Long tons On high Seas
Joseph Story Wheat	59	10-31	8076
Messifetecalf "	60	11-3	8486
Lynn Salomon "	61	11-19	7527
James H. Price "	62	11-16	7969
Stephen A. Douglas "	63	11-10	7500
Isa Gray "	64	11-10	7516
A.M. Shumaker "	65	12-12	7700
Bartholomew Gasnold "	66	12-1	7921
James De Wolf "	67	11-23	8276
Edward Richardson "	68	11-11	7347
George Bancroft "	124	11-17	7366
A. Davis "	125	12-2	7200
L. Bidwell "	126	12-2	7400
John Gay "	127	11-20	7400
Total Wheat			107684
John Henry Flour	69	11-25	72

sa Gray	"	64	11-10	7516
M. Shumaker	"	65	12-12	7700
Bartholomew Gasnold	"	66	12-1	7921
James De Wolf	"	67	11-23	8276
Edward Richardson	"	68	11-11	7347
George Bancroft	"	124	11-17	7366
L. Davis	"	125	12-2	7200
T. Bidwell	"	126	12-2	7400
John Say	"	127	11-20	7400
Total Wheat				107684
John Merry	Flour	69	11-25	72

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SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER

Name of Ship	TB No.	Date of arrival	Long Tons	On high Seas
George Chamberlain Wheat	128	12-11	7848	
Thomas Cressy	129	11-26	7167	
Sulius Rosenwald	130	12-6	8063	
R.F. Bekham	131	12-15	7876	
John W. Schofield	132	12-1	7982	
Walter Raleigh	133	12-10	7581	
No record	134	No record	No record	
James H. Kinball	135	12-4	7900	
Richard Bassett	136	12-14	6749	
A.C. Muhlenberg	137	12-14	6494	
Gabrielle Fianchoso	138		8039	
John Spencer	139	12-2	7912	
Joshua Sency	207	12-19	6800	
John W. Brown	208	12-22	6200	
Total Wheat			96885	
Cancelled	209	Cancelled	Cancelled	
No record	210	No record		
No record	211	No record		
Daniel Huger	212		6737	

Walter Raleigh	133	12-10	7581
No record	134	No record	No record
James H. Kinball	135	12-4	7900
Richard Bassett	136	12-14	6749
A.C. Muhlenberg	137	12-14	5494
Gabriello Biancheso	138		3039
John Spencer	139	12-2	7912
Joshua Sency	207	12-19	6280
John M. Brown	208	12-22	6200
Petal Wheat			96885
Cancelled	209	Cancelled	Cancelled
No record	210	No record	
No record	211	No record	
Daniel Huger	212		6737
Robert Howe	213		7995
Wheat on high seas			14732

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SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER

Name of Ship	TE No.	Date of arrival	Long tons	On high Seas
Luther S. Kelly	237		8212	
No record	238	No record		
No record	239	"		
No record	240	"		
No record	241	"		
No record	242	"		
No record	296	"		
Levi Woodbury	297		6870	
No record	298	"		
No record	299	"		
No record	300	"		
No record	301	"		
No record	302	"		
No record	303	"		
No record	304	"		
No record	305	"		
No record	306	"		
No record	307	"		

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No record	298	"
No record	299	"
No record	300	"
No record	301	"
No record	302	"
No record	303	"
No record	304	"
No record	305	"
No record	306	"
No record	307	"
No record	308	"

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Name of Ship	TM No.	Date of Arrival	Long Tons	On Hogh Seas
No record	309			
No record	310			
No record	311			
Edward Livingston	312		8150	
No record	313			
No record	314			
Lincoln Steffens	315		7500	
No record	316			
No record	317			
No record	318			
Ezra Cornell	319		6750	
Luis Arguello	320		8000	
No record	321			
No record	322			
No record	323			
No record	324			
John Harhorn	325		6919	
No record	326			
No record	327			
No record	328			

No record	316	
No record	317	
No record	318	
Ezra Cornell	319	6750
Luis Arguello	320	8000
No record	321	
No record	322	
No record	323	
No record	324	
John Farhorn	325	6919
No record	326	
No record	327	
No record	328	

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Name of Ship	TB No.	Date of Arrival	Long Tons	On high Seas
Pillipe Deneve	329		6900	
George Hanley	330		6702	
No record	331			
Thomas Sumpter	332		6857	
Total Wheat on high Seas			72861	

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109 OVERALL THEATRE CIVIL REQUIREMENTS

(a) Minimum overall theatre civil requirements for arrival Jan-Jun are given below. The number of ships shown is based on an average of 8000 tons for wheat ships and 6000 tons for miscellaneous ships.

(All in thousands of net metric tons)

Commodity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total Tons	Total Ships
Wheat including wheat, ALL ITALY, SICILY and SARDINIA	104	104	212	231	231	231	1113	143
All items AUSTRIA (if approved by OCS) and dependent on current ops	-	-	45	42	42	?	171	24
Food, including wheat, BALKANS (may increase if UNRRA takes over. See para..... may decrease if present conflict continues	-	155	155	155	155	155	775	105
TOTAL TONS	104	259	412	428	428	428	2059	
TOTAL SHIPS	13	34	54	57	57	57		272

(b) The following are additional important monthly requirements but not coming within the basic essentials of sub para (c) above.

Commodity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total Tons	Total Ships
UNRRA, ITALY, if approved by CCS	-	-	-	20	20	20	60	3
TOTAL	17	14	14	24	24	24	123	5

All items AUSTRIA (if approved by OCS) and dependent on current ones	-	-	45	42	42	171	24
Food, including wheat, BALKANS (may increase if UNHRA takes over. See para..... may decrease if present conflict continues)	-	155	155	155	155	775	105
TOTAL TONS	104	259	412	428	428	2059	
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(b) The following are additional important monthly requirements but not coming within the basic essentials of sub para (a) above.

Commodity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total Tons	Total Ships
UNHRA, ITALY, if approved by OCS	-	-	-	20	20	20	60	9
Penicillins etc, ITALY	-	11	11	11	-	-	33	5
Miscellaneous items BALKANS	10	10	10	10	10	10	60	10
TOTAL	10	21	21	41	30	30	153	25

110. WHEAT REQUIREMENT, ITALY, SICILY and SARDEGNA, Jan - Jun 45.

(a) Wheat requirements are given below in thousands of net metric tons.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	TOTAL
North ITALY		50	100	143	143	143	579
South ITALY	100	130	130	130	130	130	730
SICILY	23	23	23	23	23	23	153
SARDEGNA	8	8	8	8	8	8	63
TOTAL WHEAT	166	216	266	309	309	309	1575
Red from stocks	72	122	72	96	96	96	554
Imports	94	94	194	213	213	213	1021

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(b) Discharge areas for imports are:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	TOTAL
North ITALY	-	-	100	119	119	119	457
South ITALY	58	58	58	58	58	58	348
SICILY	28	28	28	28	23	23	168
SARDINIA	8	8	8	8	3	3	48
TOTAL	94	94	194	213	213	213	1021

111. BULK WHEAT DISCHARGE, ITALY.

PEMBARK have been notified that the most expeditious turn round of bulk wheat ships for ITALY can be effected if no more than 1 bulk wheat ship is included in any 5 day convey.

112. FLOUR, ITALY.

WASHINGTON has been asked to provide 7000 tons flour (in one vessel) per month for NAPLES in lieu of an equivalent tonnage of wheat.

113. CURRENT WHEAT SHIPS, ITALY.

Statement is att at appx a.

114. UNRRA PRELIMINARY SHIPPING PROGRAMME, GREECE May, Jun and Jul 45.

(a) Although no directive has yet been issued governing the date on which UNRRA will commence operations in GREECE, their requirements have been estimated by that body but have not yet been submitted to WASHINGTON for consideration as to:-

(i) availability of supply in produced countries

(ii) availability of shipping to lift.

(b) Their estimates are given below for infra in thousands of metric tons.

Commodity	May	Jun	Jul	Total May - Jul
Cereals	109.0	109.0	109.0	327.0
Other food	35.0	35.0	34.9	104.9
Textile & footwear	10.8	8.4	7.9	23.1
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Statement is att at appx 4

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Commodity	May	Jun	Jul	Total May - Jul
Cereals	109.0	109.0	109.0	327.0
Other food	35.0	35.0	34.9	104.9
Textile & footwear	10.8	8.4	3.9	23.1
Medical	.5	.5	.5	1.5
Agricultural rehabilitation	25.3	13.2	60.6	99.1
Industrial rehabilitation	78.0	73.0	59.0	215.0
TOTAL	258.6	244.1	257.9	770.6

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GENERAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY & SARDINIA - POSE AT 12 JAN

SHIP	Draft	Bulk Wheat	Bag Wheat	Barley	Convoy	From	Due	PALESTINE/ CATANIA	NAPLES
H.C. COSTIN	27'4"		8231 (F)		UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		8231
PERCIVAL WHITE	26'0"		755		UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		755
WM LEAVITT	27'7"	8090			UGS 62	USA	26 Dec		
SIDNEY WRIGHT	29'0"		8653		UGS 62	USA	31 Dec		
EMPIRE COWDRAY	24'6"		7789		UGS 63	USA	1 Jan		
RAYMOND V INVERSOLE	25'0"		500		UGS 63	USA	2 Jan		500
THISTLE DALTON	23'0"		1476		"	USA	3 Jan		1476
SKAGERAK			7598		Sailed Ex ME 21 Dec	AUST- RALIA	5 Jan		
PETER MCQUIRE	26'0"		1452		UGS 63	USA	6 Jan		1452
HARSDALE				5368	Sailed Ex ME 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan		
SAMOLAND			6773		Sailed Ex ME 27 Dec	N.E.	7 Jan	6773	
BINGER HERRAN	27'0"		1274		UGS 63	USA	11 Jan		1274
RUFUS E FOSTER	27'0"		1278		UGS 62	USA	12 Jan		1278(SA)
SAMUEL T DARLING	26'8"		1270		UGS 62	USA	13 Jan	1270 (MISSING)	

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Key	Convoy	From	Dus	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	CAST- ELLAM HARE	BARI	CAGL IARI	TORRE ANNUN ZIATA	CROTONE	Remarks
	UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		8231						Also carries 38 vhs Discharging NAPLES
	UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		755						Now discharging
	UGS 62	USA	26 Dec			8090					Now discharging
	UGS 62	USA	31 Dec							6211	Discharged REGGIO 2442 tons. Dis- charging CROTONE ETC 12 Jan.
	UGS 63	USA	1 Jan					7789			Now discharging ETC 12 Jan.
	UGS 63	USA	2 Jan		500						Now discharging
	"	USA	3 Jan		1476						Now discharging
	Sailed Ex ME 21 Dec	AUST- RALIA	5 Jan				7598				Now discharging
	UGS 63	USA	6 Jan		1452						Discharging LECHORN
P	Sailed Ex ME 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan			5368					Discharges Barley at CASTELLAMARE & Ann at NAPLES. Awaiting berth.
	Sailed Ex ME 27 Dec	H.E.	7 Jan	6773							Discharging PLEMO
	UGS 63	USA	11 Jan		1274						Arrvd LECHORN 11 Jan
	UGS 62	USA	12 Jan		1278 (SALERNO)						To commence SALERNO 12 Jan
	UGS 62	USA	13 Jan	1270 (ESSTNA)							

CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDEGNA - POEN AT 12 JAN

SHIP	Draft	Bulk Wheat	Bag Wheat	Bag Barley	Convoy	From	Due	RAISED/ CAPTIVITY	NO. OF TONS	CAPT- IVITY DATE	BA RE
FORT MINGAN	26 0"		8399		UGS 64	USA	13 Jan				
THERESE NOMIOS	14'2" Fwd 17'6" Aft		1291		Sailed ME 19 Dec	M.E.	13 Jan		1291 (SARDEGNA)		
JAS L BRECK	27'4" Fwd 29'7" Aft		7738		UGS 65	USA	23 Jan				
CLAN MACLEAN				1000	Load Persian Iraq Gulf end Dec		end Jan				
LOSSIEBANK				1000	" " " "		" "				
GEORGE E HALE				7000	Sailed IRAQ 8 Jan	"	Jan				
SUL ROSS READE				7000	Loads Per- sian Gulf latter half		Feb				
CAUDUCEUS				7000	Jan		Feb				
NATHAN HALE		8686			UGS 66	USA	2 Feb		8686		
JOHN H QUICK	28'6"		8300		UGS 67	USA	2 Feb				
ELISAB. GRAVES CHIS	27'5"		8300		UGS 67	USA	3 Feb				
MICHAEL EDELSTEIN				7000		IRAQ	Feb				
VICTOR HERBERT				7000		"	"				

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Convey	From	Due	RAIPIRO/ CAPITOLI	NAPLES	CAST- ELLAM MARE	BARO	CAGLIARI	TORRE AMUN ZLATA	CROTONE	Remarks
UGS 64	USA	13 Jan							8399 (REGGIO/ CROTONE)	at AUGUSTA
Sailed 19 Dec	N.M.	13 Jan		1291 (SALERNO)						at NAPLES 14 Jan
UGS 65	USA	23 Jan				7738				Ex BALKANS programme
Load Persian Gulf and Dec		and Jan								
" " " "	"	" "								
Sailed IRAQ 8 Jan	"	Jan								LECHORN/CIVITAVECCHIA
Loads Persian Gulf latter half Jan		Feb Feb								Replaces CYRUS T BRADY
UGS 66	USA	2 Feb		8686						
UGS 67	USA	2 Feb								For West Coast
UGS 67	USA	3 Feb					8300			
	IRAQ	Feb								
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Report to MEDBO on
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54. CEREALS - N. AFRICA:

The first vessel in the N. AFRICA programme is the 'HARRIET TUDMAN' in UGS 59 carrying 7,590 tons bagged wheat. This vessel sailed without prior advice having been received by NAJEM or this HQ. This point and the sailing of the 29 ft vessel to BIZERTA is being taken up specially with the responsible authorities in ALGERIA.

UGS 60 - It is assumed that a further two vessels are sailing in

<u>Vessel</u>	<u>Required at</u>
ORLEANS CITY	ALGERIA
HOPFLANGE	BIZERTA

If the 'WITHEROW PARK' is in the same convoy, this vessel is required at ORAN.

55. CEREALS - GENERAL:

Appendix 'A' shows current ships.

56. CEREALS - S. FRANCE:

The position of cereal ships en MIDEAST for S. FRANCE is as follows -

FORT GASPAREAU	awaiting berth
CHERTSEY	due 18 Nov
HARLESDEN	due 25 Nov
SAMCOHAN	to sail 16 Nov ex ME
BARON MACLAY	" " 20 " "
1 vessel	" " 25 " "
FORT LATOUR	" " 29 " "

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CHEATSEY	due 18 Nov
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SAMOUHAN	to sail 16 Nov ex LE
BARN MACLAY	" " 20 " "
1 vessel	" " 25 " "
PORT LATOUR	" " 29 " "

These are in addition to vessels arriving from USA.

In view of past discharge figures, DELTAISE has been asked if the above can be discharged without delay or if diversion or suspension of loading is recommended.

57. MANUFACTURE OF SOAP IN S. FRANCE:

Ref para 51:

(a) COMZONE TOUSA has agreed port clearance for TOULON and DELTADASE has been asked to advise TROOPERS accordingly.

(b) Since this, however, TROOPERS are now arranging shipment of only 2,200 tons palm kernels and 2,300 tons ground nuts. These will be sufficient to meet the LAC 779 requirements of 3,000 tons.

(c) Arrangements for shipment of balance of 10,000 tons palm kernels, namely 7,800 tons, will be made by FRENCH authorities and included in FRENCH civil programme.

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58. SUGAR - ITALY, JAN TO JUN 45:

A monthly requirement of 2,700 metric tons has been approved.

59. REFUELING OF YUGO-SLAV MERCHANT SHIPPING:

Marshal TITO has requested release of 4 YUGO-SLAV merchant ships (totalling 20,000 tons), now sailing in Allied convoys. These vessels are required for the transport of wheat made available by RUSSIA from Black Sea to Dalmatian ports.

AGWAR has been requested to clarify the policy with regard to Russian participation in the supply of cereals to BALKAN countries.

SHIP POSITIONS - BALKANS:

(a) The civil ship's programme envisages import of the following tonnages -

Dec arrival	GREECE	4,000
" "	ROMANIA	100
Jan "	GREECE	5,000
" "	YUGO-SLAVIA	5,000
" "	DODUCATSE	300
" "	ALBANIA	600
Feb "	YUGO-SLAVIA	9,000
" "	ALBANIA	1,000

(b) III Corps, BALKANS and YUGALD have been asked to confirm their ability not only to accept these tonnages, if agreed, but also to deliver inland to planting areas at time of arrival. Quantities called for will only be those for which complete assurance is given.

(c) Supplies from YUGALD and BALKANS are omitted. Meantime, port acceptance for GREECE has been given as under. The possibility of inland transportation will be made known later.

PORT	Jan	Feb
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YUGALD	2,530 (1)	2,140
BALKANS	360 (1)	

(b) III Corps, BALIKID and INKALID have been asked to confirm their ability not only to accept these tonnages, if agreed, but also to deliver inland to planting areas at time of arrival. Quantities called fwd will only be those for which complete assurance is given.

(c) Berries from YUGALID and BALIKID are awaited. Meantime, port acceptance for GREECE has been given as under. The possibility of inland transportation will be made known later.

PORT	Jan	Feb
PERALUS	2,530 (i)	2,140
LAUTLAS	860 (ii)	350
CHICS	160 (iii)	-
IRALLION	450 (iv)	400
SALAMINA	-	2,110
	4,000	5,000

(i) = Can be accepted any time owing to large unallocated port capacity.

(ii) = Can be accepted 7 - 16 Dec.

(iii) = Subject to MIDWEST confirmation.

(iv) = Dependent on shipment of an relief to CRETE in Dec.

61. CIVIL SUPS REQUIREMENTS, GREECE / Sheet 3.

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G-4 (MOV & TN) WEEKLY REPORT
 TO MEDCO ON CIVIL SUPS (Contd.)

61. CIVIL SUPS REQUIREMENTS - GREECE:

(a) Inflation has prevented effective purchase of local supplies, particularly olive oil. This and other causes, including complete dislocation of internal distribution by the destruction of the entire railway system, has led to a situation where, for the time being, at least, the cities must be supported almost entirely by imported supplies. The provinces will require approx 50% imported supplies.

(b) III Corps has recommended the following increases in food allocations for at least two months, subject to review at the end of that period -

	<u>Present</u>	<u>III Corps Recommendation</u>
Grain / Flour	52,050	63,000
Sugar	3,213	6,492
Other Foods	3,472	8,920
TOTALS =	58,735	78,412

(c) The additional tonnages can be handled and the recommendations are being considered.

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TOTALS = 53,735 78,442

(c) The additional tonnages can be handled and the recommendations are being considered.

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APPENDIX 'A' / Sheet 4.

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APPENDIX 'A'

From	Due	Draft	BARI	NAP- LES	CAST- ELL- MARE	BRIN- DISI	CIVIT- AVEC- HIA	LEC- HORN	CAG- LIARI	CATANIA /CROTONE	ANCONA
IRAQ	27 Oct	21' Fyd 25' 6" Aft					3855				3000 disch'd CROTONE
AUST- RALIA	6 Nov	24' 6"						8800			
"	11 "	27'			9443						
ME	11 "		7975								(Discharge BARI to 2) & suitable for CROTONE
IRAQ	16 "	27'			1330			7162			Also carried for NAPLES
ME	16 "							5818			" " " " "
USA	21 "		7764								7052 wheat & 712 Flour
IRAQ	21 "	26'			7468						Also carried for
ME	23 "					7290					" " "
ME	23 "									2237	Top loaded empty stores
AUST- RALIA	27 "	25' 6"					7468				
ME	29 "									8000	
AUST- RALIA	30 "						3500				Transhipped in FOREST top loaded empty stores
USA	1 Dec				8000						
"	11 "				8000						
"	11 "				8000						
"	11 "				8300						
"	11 "				8300						
"	21 "				8000						
"	21 "				8000						
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