

Shippin Future Programms

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CITE FHGDM
TO: MOV GENOA INFO MOV LEGHORN WESTMOVES, DISTWO, DEPDOKS ROME, FENBASE, 60 SUB
AREA FOR MOV SSTD GENOA, ALCOM

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Future shipping programme as follows.

VESSEL	COMMODITY	MAIN PERIOD	DWT	ESTIMATED DATE OF COMPLETION LOADING
HJALMAR WESSEL	POL	25 June/4 July	1700	Comp
LYMINGE	ORD	15/24 June 25 June/ 4 July	273	Comp
	TN	15/24 June	216	
		15 June/4 July	178	
	SUPS	25 June/4 July	1071	
	PRINTS	25 June/4 July	50	
	RE	25 June/4 July	24	
SANTA CHIARA	RE	25 June/4 July	473	Comp
	EFI	5/14 July	375	
SEA ADNER	Civil Sups		7700	Approx 2 July after discharge vehicles at NAPLES.
LINGE	SUPS	5/14 July	2300	8 July
THOS HILL	Bagged wheat		8555	4 July (Date available at NAPLES)
TORRE JARL	RE (Cement)	25 June-4	500	6 July 1031
	RE (Cement)	5/14 July	500	
	ORD	5/14 July	137	
	EFI	15/24 June	185	

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HJALMAR WESSEL	POL	5/14 July	335 11 July
	POL	15/24 July	310
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LYMINGE	SUS	15/24 July	2200 17 July
	RE	15/24 July	537
SANTA CHIARA	EFI	5/14 July	250 13 July
	EFI	15/24 July	600

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-4 (MCV & TW) 5/120-GDM

26 June 45

Tel: FREEDOM 229

Subject: - Future Commitments
of Italian Ports.

1. INTRODUCTION

The information contained in this document has been prepared in order to give to all concerned an indication, on a broad basis, of the future commitments at British controlled ports and British commitments at U.S. controlled ports. It is a planning document only based on information available at the moment.

2. IMPORTS

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	5000 tons in August.
	8000 tons in September
	7000 tons in October.

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Approx 500 "A" Vehicles and 10000 tons stores monthly. These figures represent availabilities from this Theatre. Actual items and tonnages shipped will depend on the ability of INDIA to accept and this, at the moment, is an unknown quantity.

(3) To U.K.

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Miscellaneous shipments, estimated average 5000 tons

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(2) To GREECE

450 tons per day ex BARI or BRINDISI according to circumstances existing at the time of individual loadings. This is a continuous commitment until Oct.

(3) To FAR EAST - U.S. re-deployment programme

1 Air Corps Bomb ship loading continuously at BARI. Estimated tonnage 500 tons per day.

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(3) To FAR EAST - U.S. re-deployment programme (Contd)

8/10 Air Corps Vehicle/Store ships loading at BARI each month. Estimated tonnage 600 tons per day excluding vehicles.

This commitment is likely to continue until October at the above rate.

(4) British re-deployment programme

At present no details of this programme are available but it is probable that considerable tonnages of ammunition will require to be shipped from HEEL ports. There will be miscellaneous shipments of vehicles and unit equipment ex TARANTO.

(C) ANCONATo VENICE &/or TRIESTE

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(D) VENICE & TRIESTE

Apart from the vehs of M3 Lorrried Inf Bde for which three ships are required ex TRIESTE in early July no known commitment exists for export from these ports. It is probable however that there will be a commitment to ship timber from TRIESTE at the rate of 5000 tons monthly.

(E) GENOA

It is planned to ship the vehicles and equipment of 6 S.A. Armd. Div ex GENOA but no details are yet available.

4. SUMMARY

Estimated daily average tonnages to be handled :

	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT
Import	2350	2400	900 (a)	1200 (a)
Export	750	750	750	750
	<u>3100</u>	<u>3150</u>	<u>1650</u>	<u>1950</u>

A. NAPLES

(a) May be increased by diversions of Br. military tonnages scheduled for discharge in HEEL ports

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B. BARI

Import	3750	3750	3500 (a)	3250 (a)
Export	2250	2250	2500 (b)	2750 (b)
	<u>6000</u>	<u>6000</u>	<u>6000</u>	<u>6000</u>

(a) May be decreased by diversions to NARLES.

(b) May be increased by shipments on Br. redeployment programme.

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C. BRINDISI

	<u>JULY</u>	<u>AUG</u>	<u>SEPT</u>	<u>OCT</u>
Import	1000 (a)	750 (a)	500	500
Export	1000 (b)	500 (b)	500	500
	<u>2000</u>	<u>1250</u>	<u>1000(c)</u>	<u>1000(c)</u>

(a) Includes U.N.R.R.A. tonnages from ships lightening at

BRINDISI.

(b) Includes A.C. & U.N.R.R.A. exports.

(c) Majority of tonnages at this stage will be on A.C. & U.N.R.R.A. Account.

D. TARANTO

Import	1000	1000	1000	1000
Export	200	200	200	200
	<u>1200 (a)</u>	<u>1200 (a)</u>	<u>1200 (a)</u>	<u>1200 (a)</u>

(a) Meat and coal only.

E. ANCONA

Import	1300	1300	1300	1300
Export	1000	500	500	500
	<u>2300</u>	<u>1800</u>	<u>1800</u>	<u>1800</u>

F. VENICE

Import	1700	3400	4100	4250
Export	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
	<u>1700</u>	<u>3400</u>	<u>4100</u>	<u>4250</u>

G. TRIESTE

Import	1500	1900	2100	2800
Export	150	150	150	150
	<u>1650</u>	<u>2050</u>	<u>2250</u>	<u>2950</u>

H. GENOA/SAVONA

Import	1900	6300 (a)	8300(a)	8300 (a)
Export	?	Nil	Nil	Nil
	<u>1900</u>	<u>6300</u>	<u>8300</u>	<u>8300</u>

(a) The bulk of these tonnages consist of coal and civil supplies and their discharge will not be a British military responsibility (See Schedule "A" to "D").

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Account.

D. TARANTO

Import	1000	1000	1000	1000
Export	200	200	200	200
	<u>1200</u>	<u>(a)1200</u>	<u>(a)</u>	<u>1200 (a)</u>

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E. ANCONA

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C.F. RUSSELL Lt. Col.,
for Brigadier,
D.O.M.G. (Mov & Tn).

CFR/DWC

Distribution:

C in C Med.
P.S.T.O. Med.
D. Tn ROME (6).
Tn (Br).
M.W.T.R.
W.S.A.

Movements, M.E. ITALY
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Movements, Rear Eighth Army.
Movements, VERICE.
Movements, TRIESTE.
Movements, GENOA.

Movements, BARI.
Movements, NAPLES.
Movements, TARANTO.
Movements, BRINDISI.
Tn Sub-Commission, Allied Commission.
Movements Liaison Officer, 3 District.

J U L Y

<u>USER</u>	<u>NAPLES</u>	<u>HEEL GROUP</u>	<u>ANCONA</u>	<u>GENOA/SAVONA</u>	<u>VENICE</u>
1. <u>Br. Army</u>					
R.E.	10900	1150	Nil	500	305
Survey	-	-	"	-	-
Supplies	32700	54500	"	2200	1075
Medical	300	60	"	-	-
Ord Vote	17550	3050	"	75	310
Cased Vehs	2300	2100	"	-	-
Amn	-	-	"	-	-
P. & S.S.	100	350	"	-	-
E.F.I.	6150	7600	"	600	450
	69700	68810	Nil	3375	2140
2. U.S. Army Ground Forces	14000	17700		-	-
3. U.S. Army Air Forces	5200	10300		-	-
4. R.A.F.	1600	1050		-	10
5. Civil Supplies	36000	20000	23000	21000	131
6. P.O.L. (Packed)	-	-	3000	450	7
7. Coal	30000	45000	14000	35000	87
8. Tn Stores	-	-		-	-
<u>TOTAL IMPORTS =</u>	156500	162860	40000 (a)	57825	51

(a) Excludes military tonnages in ships already in port discharging as at 1st July.

SCHEDULE "A"

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	<u>MAPLES</u>	<u>HEEL GROUP</u>	<u>ANCONA</u>	<u>GENOA/SAVONA</u>	<u>VENICE</u>	<u>TRIESTE</u>
	10900	1150	Nil	500	3050	1650
	-	-	"	-	-	-
	32700	54500	"	2200	10750	3900
	300	60	"	-	-	-
	17550	3050	"	75	3100	500
	2300	2100	"	-	-	-
	-	-	"	-	-	-
	100	350	"	-	-	-
	6150	7600	"	600	4500	-
	69700	68810	Nil	3375	21400	6050
	14000	17700		-	-	-
	5200	10300		-	35	-
	1600	1050		-	1000	-
	36000	20000	23000	21000	13100	15000
	-	-	3000	450	7750	3150
	30000	45000	14000	35000	8700	20000
	-	-		-	-	-
	156500	162860	40000 (a)	57825	51985	44200

Excludes military tonnages in ships already in port discharging as at 1st July.

AUGUST

<u>USER</u>	<u>NAPLES</u>	<u>HEEL GROUP</u>	<u>ANCONA</u>	<u>GENOA/SAVONA</u>	<u>VENICE</u>
1. <u>Br. Army.</u>					
R.E.	9500	1500		-	
Survey	-	-		-	
Supplies	39100	45200		3500	1
Medical	300	30	Nil	30	
Ord Vote	17900	-		1000	
Cased Vehs	3000	-		-	
Arm	-	-		-	
P. & S.S.	130	260		50	
E.F.I.	2800	5600		500	
	72730	52590	Nil	5080	2
2. U.S. Army Ground Forces	22000	18800	-	-	
3. " " Air Forces	1000	4000	-	-	
4. R.A.F.	650	1050	-	-	
5. Civil Sups	33000	30000	24000	82000	15
6. F.O.L. (Packed)	3000	4000	3000	4000	2
7. Coal	50000	40000	13000	100000	60
8. Tn Stores	15	975		-	1
<u>TOTAL IMPORTS =</u>	182395	151415	40000	191080	102

(a) Part of this tonnage may be diverted to TRIESTE

(b) May be increased by diversion part VENICE tonnage.

SCHEDULE "E"SECRET

	<u>NAPLES</u>	<u>HEEL GROUP</u>	<u>ANCONA</u>	<u>GENOA/SAVONA</u>	<u>VENICE</u>	<u>TRIESTE</u>
	9500	1500		-	5000	5000
	-	-		-	-	-
	39100	45200		3500	12500	5000
	300	30	Nil	30	-	-
	17900	-		1000	3500	-
	3000	-		-	-	-
	-	-		-	-	-
	130	260		50	50	60
	2800	5600		500	2800	2800
	72730	52590	Nil	5080	23850	12860
forces	22000	18800	-	-	-	-
es	1000	4000	-	-	-	-
	650	1050	-	-	300	300
	33000	30000	24000	82000	15000	30000
	3000	4000	3000	4000	2000	4000
	50000	40000	13000	100000	60000(a)	10000 (b)
	15	975		-	1000	-
	182395	151415	40000	191080	102150	57160

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SEPTEMBER

USER	NAPLES	HEEL GROUP	ANCONA	GENOA / SAVONA
1. <u>BR. ARMY</u>				
R.E.	-	11,000	N	3,000
SUPPLIES	17,500	48,500		3,500
MEDICAL	250	20	I	30
ORD	5,500	6,500 (A)		1,000
CASED VEHICLES	-	-	L	-
P. & S.S.	150	280		50
E.F.I.	2,400	4,800		400
	25,800	71,100	N I L	7,980
2. US Army Ground Forces	20,000	12,000	-	-
3. " " Air Forces	1,000	4,000	-	-
4. R.A.F.	650	1,000	-	-
5. CIVIL SUPPLIES	20,000	30,000	23,000	59,000
6. P.O.L. (Packed)	-	2,000	2,000	4,000
7. COAL	50,000	35,000	13,000	180,000
8. TN. STORES	50	450	-	-
TOTAL IMPORTS	117,500	155,550	38,000	250,980

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(A) Subject to diversion to VENICE or TRIESTE.

(B) Part tonnage may be diverted to TRIESTE. (C) Sub
of

SECRETSCHEDULE 'C'

	NAPLES	HEEL GROUP	ANCONA	GENOA / SAVONA	VENICE	TRIESTE
	-	11,000	N	3,000	4,000	4,000
	17,500	48,500		3,500	12,500	5,000
	250	20	I	30	-	-
	5,500	6,500 (A)		1,000	4,500	-
	-	-	L	-	-	-
	150	280		50	60	50
	2,400	4,800		400	2,400	2,400
	25,800	71,100	N I L	7,980	23,460	11,450
	20,000	12,000	-	-	-	-
	1,000	4,000	-	-	-	-
	650	1,000	-	-	300	300
	20,000	30,000	23,000	59,000	27,000	30,000
	-	2,000	2,000	4,000	3,000	2,000
	50,000	35,000	13,000	180,000	70,000 (B)	20,000 (C)
	50	450	-	-	-	-
	117,500	155,550	38,000	250,980	123,760	63,750

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(B) Part tonnage may be diverted to TRIESTE.

(C) Subject to increase by diversion of VENICE tonnage

OCTOBERSCHEDULE "D"

<u>USER</u>	<u>NAPLES</u>	<u>HEEL GROUP</u>	<u>ANCONA</u>	<u>GENOA/SAVOIA</u>	<u>VENICE</u>
1. <u>Br. Army</u>					
R.E.	10500	3500	Nil	2000	4000
Supplies	16500	13000	"	3500	9500
Medical	200	20	"	20	
Ord	5000	-	"	600	800
P. & S.S.	140	260	"	50	
E.F.I.	4800	7200	"	1000	6000
	37140	23980	Nil	7170	27000
2. U.S. Army Ground Forces	15240	4000	-	-	
3. " " Air Forces	1000	2000	-	-	
4. R.A.F.	750	2400	-	-	
5. Civil Supplies	22000	49000	25000	59000	37000
6. P.O.L. (Packed)	4000	2000	-	5000	2000
7. Coal	40000	40000	13000	180000	60000
8. Tn Stores	-	200	-	-	
<u>TOTAL IMPORTS =</u>	120130	123580	38000	251170	127000

(a) Part or all of this tonnage may be diverted to TRIESTE.

(b) May be increased by diversion from VENICE tonnage.

SCHEDULE "D"

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	<u>NAPLES</u>	<u>HEEL GROUP</u>	<u>ANCONA</u>	<u>GENOA/SAVONA</u>	<u>VENICE</u>	<u>TRIESTE</u>
	10500	3500	Nil	2000	4000	1500
	16500	13000	"	3500	9500	-
	200	20	"	20	20	-
	5000	-	"	600	8000	1500
	140	260	"	50	50	50
	4800	7200	"	1000	6000	-
	37140	23980	Nil	7170	27570	3050
nd Forces	15240	4000	-	-	-	-
Forces	1000	2000	-	-	-	-
	750	2400	-	-	600	600
	22000	49000	25000	59000	37000	60000
	4000	2000	-	5000	2000	2000
	40000	40000	13000	180000	60000 (a)	20000 (b)
	-	200	-	-	-	-
	120130	123580	38000	251170	127170	85650

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Her AC Rome

SEL. FREIGHT MOVEMENT ORDER No. F. 586.

S.S. "HINSHOLM" - Serial 171.

Distribution : -

AFHQ(G4 Mov & Tn)	12	Mov. Ops Room	1	MAFSC(MTO) 2 Unit	1	Eng Depot, ABC	2
Mov. Bari	12	SFTO file	1	US FLO., Bari	2	Sig Depot, ABC	2
Mov. Ancona	12	Master file	1	US Port Air Offr., Bari	1	Med Depot, ABC	2
Mov. Central Italy	12	Ship's file	1	67 EU., RAP T.S.	2	AC Tn Sub Coma(Rail)	1
SSTO., Bari	2	Tn. 5.	1	214 Gp., RAP	1	Alcon, Canosa	2
Docks Supt., Bari	3	Prostowage PSTO.	1	RAP Movements, Bari	1	Alcon, Andria	2
SSTO., Eastern Italy	1	PSTO., Med.	1	22 CRASC(SU)	4	AC Bari Zone	1
DMTR	1	AFGD No. 5	4	46 ESD	2	AC Bari Zone	
Mov. 3.	1	ABC	1	S.&T., 54 Area	1	(for Sup. Offr)	2
Joint Optg Office	1	ABC(Tpr Sec)	3	GM Depot, ABC	6		

1. S.S. "HINSHOLM" will load undementioned cargo at BARI for ANCONA.
2. Vessel is due Bari on 22 April to load.
3. All stores detailed below will be called forward for loading under arrangements Movements, Bari.
4. Attention of consignors is drawn to AFHQ Stores Shipping Instruction No. 9 dated 5 Dec., 44 and amend 5/48/GIM dated 25 Feb 45.
5. Vice Signal normal.
6. Agreed SSTO., Eastern Italy.

Index.	Stores.	DW Tons.	MV Tons.	Consignor.	FTS.
HAM/1/1	76 Serviceable engines	76	240	AFGD No. 5.	450
/2	20 Engines boxes	5.3	21	"	398
HAM/2/1	Kit 5 items	-	5	67 EU T/S	67EU/303
/2	Kit 11 items	-	-	"	"
	General Stores 6 "	-	7	"	"
/3	Kit 8 items	-	13	"	"
/4	General Stores 4 items	-	21	"	"
/5	Kit 38 items	-	-	"	"
	General Stores 3 items	2	10	"	"
HAM/3/1	PBL in sacks (period 6 - 15 Apr.)	90	0	46 B.S.D.	SR 549
	Rice in sacks	45	0	"	"
HAM/4/1	RASC Sups in cases (period 16 - 25 Apr)	345	0	46 B.S.D.	SR 564

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MOVEMENT ORDER No. F. 586.

S.S. "HINESHOIM" - Serial 171.

Mov. Ops Room	1	AMFSC(MTO) 2 Unit	1	Eng Depot, ABC	2
SPAO file	1	US FLO., Bari	2	Sig Depot, ABC	2
Master file	1	US Port Air Offr., Bari	1	Med Depot, ABC	2
Ship's file	1	67 EU., RAP T.S.	2	AC Tn Sub Comm(Rail)	1
Tn. 5.	1	214 Co., RAP	1	Alcon, Canosa	2
Prestorage PSTO.	1	RAP Movements, Bari	1	Alcon, Andria	2
ISTO., Med.	1	22 CRASC(SU)	4	AC Bari Zone	1
AFCD No. 5	4	46 BSD	2	AC Bari Zone	2
ABC	1	S.A.E., 54 Area	1	(for Sup. Offr)	6
ABC(Tpr Soc)	3	Q Depot, ABC	6		

HO Movements,
Eastern Italy.
Ref. Mov 5/401/1.

21 APR., 45.

J. Armstrong, Capt
Captain, R. E.,
(J. ARMSTRONG), M.C.O.,
HO Movements, Eastern Italy,
for Col Q (M).

" will load undementioned cargo at BARI for ANCONA.

on 22 April to load.

ed below will be called forward for loading under arrangements Movements, Bari.

signors is drawn to AFHQ Stores Shipping Instruction No. 9 dated 5 Dec., 44 and amendment AFHQ G4 (Mov & Tn)

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tern Italy.

	DW Tons.	MY Tons.	Consignor.	FTS.	Consignee.
engines	76	240	AFCD No. 5.	450	AFCD No. 7, Ancona,
	5.3	21	"	398	"
5 items	-	-	67 EU T/S	67EU/303	36 ASP (Main)
11 items	-	-	"	"	40 ASP (Main)
6 "	-	-	"	"	40 ASP (Det.)
8 items	-	-	"	"	31 ASP (Det.)
4 items	-	-	"	"	
38 items	-	-	"	"	31 ASP(Main)
3 items	2	10	"	"	HQ 13 CRASC(SU)
(period	90	0	46 B.S.D.	SR 549	"
6 - 15 Apr.)	45	0	"	"	HQ 13 CRASC(SU)
cases(period	345	0	46 B.S.D.	SR 564	

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S.F.M.O. No. P. 586 contd : -

S.S. "MINISHIM"

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Index.	Stores.	Dr. Tons.	M. Tons.	Consignor.	P.S.
HAM/5/1	QM Class I cases 6978	151.00	200.00	QM Depot, ABC	87
/2	- cancelled -			"	"
/3	QM Class II and IV bales 431	21.80	55.75	"	"
/4	" cases 1640	45.00	89.44	"	"
/5	" bbls 191	5.10	19.97	"	"
/6	" pcs 47	2.20	2.75	"	"
/7	Post Exchange.				"
	Coca Cola cases 8183	157.00	239.35	"	"
/8	Cigarettes cases 1158	23.30	72.38	"	"
/9	Misc FX cases 2752	55.00	100.64	"	"
HAM/6/1	240,000 BF lumber, 225 kegs nails	333.38	504.00	Eng Depot, ABC	90
/2	112,750 BF Rough Lumber	150.00	234.90	"	"
/3	1 box, hasp and hinges	50lbs	1 c.ft.	"	"
/4	16 bundles, plywood and pipe 3"	0.96	0.98	"	"
For Period 16 - 25 Apr., 45.					
HAM/7/1	267 pieces, Misc Signal equip, crossarms, tuning units, antennas and hardware.	23.00	41.75	Sig. Depot, ABC	91
Period 16 - 25 Apr., 45.					
HAM/8/1	22 boxes Medical Supplies	1.20	3.00	Med Depot, ABC	94
Period 16 - 25 Apr., 45.					
HAM/9/1	317 boxes Medical Supplies	15.08	46.97	Medical Depot, ABC	95
Period 16 - 25 Apr., 45.					
HAM/10/1	QM Class II & IV bales 566	23.80	79.88	QM Depot, ABC	96
/2	" drums 300	5.60	7.50	"	"
/3	" cases 90	1.40	2.25	"	"
/4	" crates 200	27.00	49.50	"	"
/5	Post Exchange Beer cases 12,500	156.00	250.00	"	"
Period 16 - 25 Apr., 45.					
HAM/11/1	267 bxs paint	9.66	11.48	Eng Depot, ABC	97
/2	15 drums paint	.47	.58	"	"
/3	1 box tank storage canvas	.22	.49	"	"
/4	1 box hypochlorination unit	.12	.30	"	"
/5	2 bxs heater water steel	1.37	4.35	"	"
HAM/12/1	Olive Oil in drums.	55	92	Alecom, Canosa.	BA/PL/30
/2	" " " "	55	92	" Andria.	"
Period 16 - 25 Apr., 45.					

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S.S. "FINISH IM"

Stores.	D. Tons.	M. Tons.	Consignor.	P.S.	Consignee.
cases 6978	151.00	200.00-	QI Depot, ABC	87	QI Depot, Adriatic(Adv).
IV bales 431	21.80	55.75	"	"	"
cases 1640	45.00	89.44	"	"	"
bills 191	5.10	19.97	"	"	"
pos 47	2.20	2.75	"	"	"
cases 8183	157.00	239.35	"	"	" All for period
cases 1158	23.30	72.36	"	"	" 16 - 25 Apr., 45.
cases 2752	55.00	100.64	"	"	"
225 kegs nails	333.38	504.00	Eng Depot, ABC	90	ESO Adriatic(Adv).
Lumber	150.00	234.90	"	"	"
hinges	50lbs	1 c.ft.	"	"	"
wood and	0.96	0.98	"	"	"
Signal equip,	23.00	41.75	Sig. Depot, ABC	91	Signal Offr., Adriatic(Adv)
ing units,	Period 16 - 25 Apr., 45.				
Supplies	1.20	3.00	Med Depot, ABC	94	7th Med Sup Platoon thru' Adriatic(Adv)
Supplies	15.08	46.97	Medical Depot, ABC	95	Medical Depot, Adriatic(Adv)
bales 566	23.80	72.80	QI Depot, ABC	96	QI Depot No. 3
drums 300	5.60	7.50	"	"	Adriatic (Adv)
cases 90	1.40	2.25	"	"	"
crates 200	27.00	49.50	"	"	"
cases 12,500	156.00	250.00	"	"	"
	9.66	11.48	Eng Depot, ABC	97	ESO Adriatic(Adv)
	.47	.58	"	"	"
go canvas	.22	.49	"	"	"
ation unit	.12	.30	"	"	" Period
or steel	1.77	4.35	"	"	" 16 - 25 Apr 45.
ms.	55	92	Alcon, Canosa.	RM/PL/30	Alcon Warehouse, Ancona.
"	55	92	" Andria.	"	"

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Subject: G-4(Mov & Tn) Weekly Report
to MEDBO on Civil Subs.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-4(Mov & Tn) 5/411/GIM

7 Apr 45

Tel: Freedom 302

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(a) Name of vessel.

(b) ETA LICITA.

(c) Ultimate destination.

This information will be advised to HQ, Allied Commission, ROME, repeated to the High Commissioner SICILY, AFHQ and INTR Med.

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- (b) ETA LICATA.
- (c) Ultimate destination.

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This information will be advised to HQ, Allied Commission, ROME, reported to the High Commissioner SICILY, AFHQ and EMTR Med.

Application has been made by the JUGOSLAVS for a supplementary 1,000 tons sulphur, but this is at present under consideration.

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V. KING, MAJ.,
for Brigadier,
DMG (Mov & Tn).

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C-4(Mov & Trn) Weekly Report
to MDDBO on Civil Subs.

Distribution: As for MDDBO Minutes PLUS -

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WAR (Attn: LT Mov Q (M)9),
 THE WAR OFFICE,
 WHITEHALL,
 LONDON, S.W.1.

(2) BY AIR

THE WAR DEPT,
 WASHINGTON,
 (HQ Army Service Forces, International Division, Civilian
 Supply Branch).

MOV HQ CENTRAL ITALY (2)
 CHQ, MEF (2)
 HQ ALLIED COMMISSION (3)
 MOV & TRN, HQ LAND FORCES, GREECE (2)
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APPENDIX 'A' / Sheet 3

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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY & SARDINIA - POSN AT 7 APR 45.

SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MMARE	REGGI CROTO
REGISTAR				7803	Ready ALEX 22 Mar	IRAQ	28 Mar				(CROTONE) 6000	
TOWER HILL	27'6"	9080			UGS 79	USA	29 "				9080	
CADUCEUS	24'6"			5649	Ready SUEZ 20 Mar	IRAQ	30 "					
STANLODGE	25'9"		7123		UGS 80	USA	4 Apr					
CHARLES G. COUTANT	27'0"	8700			UGS 80	"	2 "					
TIMOTHY DWIGHT			223 (F)		UGS 81	"	10 "					
CYRIA		3000	3398		UGS 81	"	11 "	6398				
THOS HILL			8496		UGS 81		11 "					
LESLIE H. SHAW				6173	ex MB appx 2 Apr	IRAQ	12 "					
OCEAN VAGRANT			8913		UGS 83	USA	20 "					
EPHRAIM B. UGHEM			8505		UGS 83	"						
ITERSUL	25'6"		8058		UGS 84	"	24 "					
SAMID	27'0"		8687		UGS 84	"	25 "					
S. MTANA	26'9"	8300			UGS 84	"	25 "					
BORYS LAW	26'0"	6526	324		UGS 84	"	26 "					
SAMBANKA		7667	63		UGS 84	"	26 "					
AUGUSTUS HERRIMAN	27'10"		8385 (F)		UGS 84	"	26 "					
FORT ALEXANDRIA			8500		UGS 85	"	30 "					
NOCHILAE			8500		UGS 85	"	30 "					
NOCHILAE			8500 (F)		UGS 85	"	30 "					

NOTE: (F) = Flour

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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY & SARDINIA - POSN AT 7 APR 45.

APPENDIX 'A'

BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MARE	REGGIO CROTONE	REMARKS
		7803	Ready ALEX 22 Mar	IRAQ	28 Mar				(CROTONE) 6000		Completes REGGIO Now discharging CROTONE
9080			UGS 79	USA	29 "				9080		Now discharging CASTELLAMARE + 86 US Army Stores for CIVITAVECCHIA
		5649	Ready SUEZ 20 Mar	IRAQ	30 "						MESSINA/REGGIO
	7123		UGS 80	USA	4 Apr						For GAGLIARI/CASTELLAMARE
700			UGS 80	"	2 "						For West Coast
	223(F)		UGS 81	"	10 "						PALERMO barged. CATANIA bulk.
0000	3393		UGS 81	"	11 "	6398					HEEL to lighten for further orders.
	8496		UGS 81	"	11 "						780 tons US Army stores for NAPLES thence PIOMBINO
		6173	ex ME appx 2 Apr	IRAQ	12 "						
	8913		UGS 83	USA	20 "						
	8505		UGS 83	"							
	8058		UGS 84	"	24 "						Planned for West Coast
	8607		UGS 84	"	25 "						" " " "
8000			UGS 84	"	25 "						" " East "
6526	324		UGS 84	"	26 "						DUKO
7667	633		UGS 84	"	26 "						Planned for East Coast
	8385(F)		UGS 84	"	26 "						(Planned cereal programme as advised by NYFE.
	8500		UGS 85	"	30 "						
	8500		UGS 85	"	30 "						
	8500(F)		UGS 85	"	30 "						

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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AC/607/29/TN.3

7 April 1945

SUBJECT : Information for AC Priorities Card.

TO : Chief, Movements Division.

Col. Suffo file.

1. Reference your letter 786/6/TN.3 dated 13 March.
2. Attached in duplicate are Appendix 'A' and 'B' showing tonnage lifted in March and estimates for April, May, June and July.


J.A. HANCOCK
Lt. Col.
Movements Division,
Shipping.

File
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ALL AREAS' COASTWISE AND INTER ISLAND
BY SEA

Movement March 1945 Figures Tons D.W.

Coal & Lignite	Cereals	Olive oil	Sense	Other Foodstuffs	Fertilizer	Sulphur	Milk	Misc.
34266	1260	416	—	38712	15000 (Ex W. Africa)	170	—	15342

Estimate of tonnages lifted in current month
and three subsequent months - Figures Tons D.W.

April	May	June	July
80,000	100,000	120,000	120,000

Note - A reduction in the lift for April is anticipated on account of reduction of coal and also the current stop on exports of Phosphates from North Africa. May June and July if temporary difficulties will be overcome.

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ALL AREAS' COASTWISE AND INTER ISLAND
BY SEA

Movement March 1945 Figures Tons D.W.

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Live oil	Sense	Other Foodstuffs	Fertilizer	Sulphur	Milk	Misc.	Total	Appendix 'A' Remarks
416	—	38742	16000 (Ex N. Africa)	170	—	15342	106,166	Plus 1465 cattle.

Estimate of Tonnes lifted in current month
and three subsequent months - Figures Tons D.W.

Appendix 'B'

June	July	Remarks
120,000	120,000	Plus 5,000 head of Cattle for May, June, July.

on in the lift for April is anticipated on account of reduction of coal exports from Sardinia
stop on exports of Phosphates from North Africa. May June and July figures assume that these
as will be overcome.

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26INTER OFFICE MEMO

3 April, 1945

Tel: 478807

Ref: 21-2/-74 /FOOD

SUBJECT: Supplies ex SS PROSPECTOR.

FROM : Food Sub-Commission.

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission. 29

1. Reference AFHQ signal FX51941 of 29 March.
2. Will you please bid for the PROSPECTOR to be accepted on arrival at Ancona? The meat cargo from this ship is meant to be part of our stockpile of food for the North.

*W.J. Legg*W.J. LEGG
Colonel
Director, Food Sub-Commission*G.S. G.A. [unclear] advised by phone 4 Apr. RUC.*

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SEA FREIGHT MOVEMENT ORDER No. 544.

s.s. "T A U T R A"

Sheet. 1.

Distribution:-

AFHQ (G-4 Mov & Tn)	12	IMMTR	1	557 BOD Naples	6
Movements Central Italy	12	Mov. 3.	1	Ord Stores 3 Dist.	1
Movements Ancona	12	Joint Optg Office	1	Ord Strs 3 Dist East	1
Movements Bari	15	Mov Ops Room	1	Alcon HQ Bari Zone	2
Movements West Italy	2	Tn. 5.	1	Alcon Bari Warehouse	4
Movements Foggia	2	Master File	1	67 EU RAF	2
DSTO East Italy	1	SFMO File	1	RAF Movements	1
SSTO Bari	3	Ships File	1	AC Tn Sub Commission	1
Docks Supt Bari	3	Mov LO IMRS Rome	1		

1. s.s. "T A U T R A" will load the undermentioned stores at BARI for ANCONA.
 2. Vessel will commence loading at discretion of Port Commandant and SSTO Bari, and is required to complete loading by 1000 hours.
 3. Vice Signal and Documentation normal. 4. Agreed DSTO East Italy.

Index	Stores	DW	LN	Consignor	FFS	Consignee
TAA/1/1	1916 Drums Paint-700 Irons Solu- tion Braxing-3 Drums Lubbin-12 Drums Oil-17 Brls Varnish-7 cwp Paint-10 cwp Oil-10 crates Oil 1 Bdl Oil-1 Ctn Paint-4 cwp Bees wax- 8 cwp Polish.	80	90	577 BOD 2 Sub Depot	TR/SG/S/ 190.	2 Sub Depot 35 AOD Josi Via Anco
TAA/1/2	1 Bdl Face Cream Cam - 1 Ctn Face Cream Cam-402 sks Soda Ash-20 sks Glue-1 tin Borax-6cs Ink-3 ctns Ink-11 cs Chalk & Emery Paper.	38	32	-do-	-do-	-do-
TAA/1/3	2400 cwps of Soap (To be stowed away from boilers)	65	63	-do-	-do-	-do-
TAA/1/4	400 Bdl's Empty 2 gall tins	1	12	-do-	-do-	-do-
BAM/1/1	Ord Tech Strs; 7635 coils elec wire, 19 drms wire strand.	404.16	508	577 BOD	CT/313 OSIT/2194	UDF Signal Par Rimini.
Period 27 Mar-5 Apr.						
TAA/2/1	Lard	332	450	Alcon Bari.	AC/EZ/21.	Alcon POD.
"/2	Sugar	450	500	Ex Alcon Bari or		
"/3	Lard	365	500	ss WORTH.	-do-	-do-
Period 17 - 26 March.						

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REF No. F. 544.

S.S. "T A U T R A"

Sheet. 1.

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12	DMTR	1	557 BOD Naples	6
12	Mov. 3.	1	Ord Stores 3 Dist.	1
12	Joint Optg Office	1	Ord Strs 3 Dist East	1
15	Mov Ops Room	1	Alcon HQ Bari Zone	2
2	Tn. 5.	1	Alcon Bari Warehouse	4
2	Master File	1	67 EU RAF	2
1	SFMO File	1	RAF Movements	1
3	Ships File	1	AC Tn Sub Commission	1
3	Mov LO INRS Rome	1		

HQ Movements.
Eastern Italy.-----
13 March 45.

Armstrong
Capt RE(MC)
(J. ARMSTRONG) M.C.O.
HQ Movements, Eastern Italy.
for Colonel Q(M).

will load the undermentioned stores at BARI for ANCONA.
ice loading at discretion of Port Commandant and SSTO Bari, and is required to complete soonest.

Documentation normal. 4. Agreed DSTO East Italy.

Stores	DM	IN	Consigner	FPS	Consignee	Rail/Road Arrangements.
Paint-700 drums Solu- ng-3 drums Lubbin-12 7 Brls Varnish-7 cwp Oil-10 crates Oil Ctn Paint-4 cwp Bees Polish.	80	90	577 BOD 2 Sub Depot	TR/SG/S/ 190.	2 Sub Depot 35 AOD Jesi Via Ancona.	HIGHLY INFLAMMABLE - DECK CARGO. being loaded to rail 12th and 13th Mar for arrival Bari Docks soonest, and not later than pm 16th & am 17.
Cream Cam - 1 Ctn Face 02 sks Soda Ash-20 sks Borax-6cs Ink-3 ctns bulk & Emery Paper. f Soap (To be stowed oilers)	38	32	-do-	-do-	-do-	
pty 2 gall tins	65	63	-do-	-do-	-do-	
rs; 7635 coils elec ms wire strand.	1	12	-do-	-do-	-do-	
	404.16	508	577 BOD	CT/313 OSIT/2194	UDF Signal Park Rimini.	Load to rail 9 & 10 Mar. for arrival Bari Docks pm. 13 & 14 Mar.
	332	450	Alcon Bari.	AC/EZ/21.	Alcon POD.	Arrangements Movements Bari.
	450	500	) Ex Alcon Bari or	-do-	-do-	
	365	500	+ ss WORTH.	-do-	-do-	

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Sea Freight Movement Order No. F. 540.

s.s. "STAR".

Distribution : -

AFHQ(G4 Mov & Tn)	12	Joint Optg Office	1	Mov. West Italy	1	141 M.U., Bitetto	4
Mov. Bari	12	Mov Ops Room	1	Mov. Taranto	1	67 E.U., RAP	2
Mov. Central Italy	12	SEMO file	1	Mov. Foggia	1	RAP Movements	1
Mov. Ancona	12	Master file	1	S.&T. 3 District	1	46 B.S.D.	4
DSTO., Eastern Italy	1	Ship's file	1	22 CRASC(SU)	1	14 B.A.D.	4
SSTO., Bari	3	Tn. 5.	1	Alcom, Canosa	4	DADOS(Ann) 3 Dist E. Det	1
Docks Supt., Bari	2	557 BOD	4	AC Tn Sub Com	1	DADOS(Ann) 3 District	1
IMWTR	1	Ord(Stores) 3 District	1	AC Bari Zone		Alcom, Bari	2
Mov. 3.	1	P.O.O., Bari	1	(for Sup Offr)	1	3 Sub Depot, 500 AOD, Monopoli	1
AFGD No. 5	2	ABDG(Tpn Sec)	3	AAFSC(MTO) 2 Unit	1	US FLO., Bari	1

1. s.s. "STAR" will load undermentioned stores at BARI for ANCONA.
2. Vessel is due Bari for loading 13 March 45, and is required to complete as soon as possible.
3. Vice Signal and documentation normal.
4. Agreed DSTO., Eastern Italy.

Index.	Stores.	DW Tons.	NW Tons.	Consignor.	FFS.	Consignee.
SAR/1/1	504 cwp Sulphuric acid, 1 carboy acid, 1 carboy ammonia, 3 cwp salamoniac	25	45	557 BOD	TR/SG/S/190 (part of) OSIT 2115C	COO., 35 Ancona.
SAR/2/1	Balance of RASC Supplies shut out from BORGHOLI - load No SR 520 refers Period 17 - 26 Mar., 45.	-	-	ex SAMITINGED.	SR. 520	HQ 13 CRA
SAR/3/1	Olive Oil in drums. Period 17 - 26 March 45.	208	345	Alcom, Canosa.	BA/FL/23	Alcom, Anco
SAR/4/1	Bombs American Cluster and components (fuzes, adaptors, fin assemblies)	373	261	141 M.U., Bitetto.	67EU/201	124 M.U., Ancona.
SAR/5/1	RASC Sups in cases /2 " " " cases	178 244	237 325	46 B.S.D. "	SR. 421. "	HQ 13 CRA "
SAR/6/1	SAA .303 carton /2 .303 bandolier /3 .45 auto /4 Bombs 2" Mortar HE /5 Grenades No 36 hand	2000544 2000000 2001600 100008 50004	60 66 50 170 46 1/2	36 45 25 156 69	14 B.A.D. " " " "	F. 135 " " " "

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A.C. ROMK

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IN S/c
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Movement Order No. F. 540.

S.S. "STAR".

Joint Optg Office	1	Mov. West Italy	1	141 M.U., Bitetto	4	HQ Movements,
Mov Ops Room	1	Mov. Taranto	1	67 E.U., RAF	2	Eastern Italy.
SFMO file	1	Mov. Foggia	1	RAF Movements	1	Ref. Mov 5/401/1.
Master file	1	S.&T. 3 District	1	46 B.S.D.	4	
Ship's file	1	22 CRASC(SU)	1	14 B.A.D.	4	11 MAR., 45.
Tn. 5.	1	Alcom, Canosa	4	DADOS(Ann) 3 Dist E. Det	1	
557 BOD	4	AC Tn Sub Com	1	DADOS(Ann) 3 District	1	
Ord(Stores) 3 District	1	AC Bari Zone		Alcom, Bari	2	
P.O.O., Bari	1	(for Sup Offr)	1	3 Sub Depot, 500 AOD, Monopoli	2	Mov. Monopoli
AHDG(Tpn Sec)	3	AAFSC(MTO) 2 Unit	1	US FLO., Bari	1	2

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will load undermentioned stores at BARI for ANCONA.
Bari for loading 13 March 45, and is required to complete as soon as possible.
documentation normal.
Eastern Italy.

Stores.	DW Tons.	MW Tons.	Consignor.	FFS.	Consignee.	Road/Rail Arrangements.
uric acid, 1 carboy acid, nia, 3 cwp salamoniac	25	45	557 BOD	TR/SG/S/190 (part of) OSIT 2115C	COO., 35 AOD, Ancona.	Load to rail 12 March for arrival Bari Docks pm 16 March 45.
SC Supplies shut out - load No SR 520 refers	-	-	ex SAMWINGED.	SR. 520	HQ 13 CRASC(SU)	Arrangements Mov. Bari.
drums.	208	345	Alcom, Canosa.	BA/IL/23	Alcom, Ancona.	Arrangements Mov. Bari.
in Cluster and components stors, fin assemblies)	373	261	141 M.U., Bitetto.	67EU/201	124 M.U., Ancom.	Arrangements Mov. Bari.
cases	178	237	46 B.S.D.	SR. 421.	HQ 13 CRASC(SU)	Arrangements Mov. Bari.
cases	244	325	"	"	"	"
ton	2000544	60	14 B.A.D.	F. 135	Mov. P. O. D.	Arrangements Mov. Bari.
holier	2000000	66	"	"	"	"
	2001600	50	"	"	"	"
tar HE	100008	170	"	"	"	"
36 hand	50004	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	"	"

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S.F.M.O. No. F. 540. contd.

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Index.	Stores.	DW Tons.	MW Tons.	Consignor.	FFS.	Consign
SAR/6/6	Grenades No 77 phos	10030	5	9	14 B.A.D.	F. 135
/7	Mines A/T Mk 5	13500	64 $\frac{1}{2}$	101	"	"
/8	Fuzes No. 3	13500	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	14	"	"
/9	Ctges 1" signal green	10080	1	1	"	"
Period 17 - 26 Mar., 45.						
SAR/7/1	Lard in drums	9	12	Alcon, Bari	AC/BA/22	Alcon, A
Period 17 - 26 Mar., 45.						
SAR/8/1	6 x 17 pdr gun equipments	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	197	3 Sub Depot 500 A.O.D., Monopoli.	No. 310	35 A.2 Ancom
SAR/9/1 USAF Belly Tanks to capacity : -						
Period 7 - 16 Mar., 45.						
				AFCD No. 5	No. 303	AFCD No.

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Stores.	DW Tons.	MV Tons.	Consignor.	FTS.	Consignee.	Road/Rail Arrangements.
					Mov. P. O. D.	Arrangements Mov. Bari.
77 phos	10030	5	9	14 B.A.D.	P. 135	"
5	13500	64 $\frac{1}{2}$	101	"	"	"
	13500	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	14	"	"	"
oil green	10080	1	1	"	"	"
5.		9	12	Alecm, Bari	AC/BA/22	Alecm, Ancona
						Arrangements Mov. Bari.
45.						
on equipments	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	197	3 Sub Depot 500 A.O.D., Monopoli.	No. 310	35 A.O.D., Ancona.	Arrangements Mov. Bari in conjunction with Mov. Monopoli.
Tanks to capacity : -			AFGD No. 5	No. 303	AFGD No. 7	Arrangements Mov. Bari.

J. Armstrong
 Captain, R. E.,
 (J. ARMSTRONG),
 M. C. O.,
 HQ Movements, Eastern Italy,
 for Col Q (M).

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

MJS/vb

Tel: 318

16th March, 1945.

AC/607/21/Tn.3.

SUBJECT: Weekly Report to MEDBO on Civil Supplies.

TO : Economic Section.

1. Reference your suggestion that the above Report be sent to the War Department, Washington, in addition to the other addressees, the following reply has been received from AFHQ, (Ref. No. C-29, dated 11th March, 1945).

"1. Reference your 765/3/Tn.3, dated 2nd March, 1945.

"2. The suggestion that the War Department, Washington should be added to the distribution of the Weekly Report to MEDBO on Civil Supplies has been agreed by G-4 (Mov & Tn), who are taking the necessary action."

M. H. Taylor

MERRITT H. TAYLOR,
Director,
Transportation Sub-Commission.

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G-5 Section
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11 March 1945

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SUBJECT: Weekly Report to MEDBO on Civil Supplies.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

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For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

J. G. Carver

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Major, KSLI
Economics & Supply Division.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
 ADO 324
 Transportation Sub-Commission

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File No AC/60719/TN.3.

12 March 1945

SUBJECT: A.C. Priorities Board

TO : Chief, Movement Division

1. Reference A.C. Priorities Board Procedural Bulletin No 1, Para 9 b.
 The following tonnages were lifted coastwise during the month of February 1945 :-

Commodity Tonnage Lifted

Charcoal	105
Citrus Fruit	2463
Olive Oil	100
Phosphate Rock	14621
Rations & Foodstuffs	7854
Salt	4657
Wine	2123
Wheat	165
Timber	930
Carrubeans	2575
Coal	2000
Cotton	520
Tobacco	335
Lubricating oil	120
Cork	100
Miscellaneous	3700
	<u>42368</u>
Livestock	1015
	41 horses
	132 cattle
	<u>1261 sheep</u>

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In addition the following tonnage arrived from extra Mediterranean sources :-

Cereals	116,233
Coal	20,044
Potatoes	952
Miscellaneous	9,489
	<u>146,718</u>

The following is an estimate of lifts, excluding schooner lifts, during the month of March 1945 :-

Phosphate Rock	15,200
Wine	6,000
Citrus fruit	3,000
Foodstuffs	3,300
Wheat & Flour	2,000
Salt	3,400
Lard	2,000
Rock Salt	500
Pyrites	2,400
Gypsum	500
Miscellaneous	800
	44,200
	tons

Schooner lifts during the month should be in the neighbourhood of 16000 tons, consisting mainly of foodstuffs coal and salt.

During the next three months it is estimated that approximately 50,000 tons of shipping space per month will be available for lifting civil supplies.

Andrew Ching
A.M. McClure *Wop*
Major
Movements Division
(Shipping)
R. A. M. S. (M)

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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Tel : Bat. 318

2 March 45

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SUBJECT : Weekly Report to MEDCO on Civil Supplies.

TO : ARHQ, G-5 Section.

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1. It is suggested that the Weekly Report on Civil Supplies, issued by G-4 (MOV & TN), would be of interest to the War Department, (headquarters, Army Service Forces, International Division, Civilian Supply Branch).

2. This report already goes to the War Office.

3. If you are in agreement with this suggestion will you please arrange with G-4 (MOV & TN) to include the War Department, Washington, in the distribution.

for the Chief Commissioner:

M.B. THOMAS, Colonel,
Deputy Director,
Transportation Sub-Comm.

Copy to : G-4 (MOV & TN).

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G-4(Mov & Tn) 5/411/GDM

24 Feb 45

Tele : FREEDOM 302

Subject : G-4(Mov & Tn) Weekly Report
to MEDBO on Civil Sups.

153. CIVIL SUPS - MEDITERRANEAN.

The following vessels have been nominated for cereal loading
for the MEDITERRANEAN Civil Affairs programme :-

FORT MACMURRAY
TOWER HILL
FORT TREMBLANT
FORT JASPER
FORT GEORGE

SAMTWEED
SAMDAUNTLESS
STANLODGE
SANTANA
KONG SVERRE

SANTANA will load ex WEST AFRICA. Other loading ports will
be advised later.

154. CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY.

Statement is att at Appx 'A'.

155. MAY SUBSISTENCE REQUIREMENTS - ITALY (See para 145).

AGWAR requested confirmation that wheat flour allocations for
May covered requirements, and a reply has been sent stating that all
requirements were covered taking into account the limited port
acceptance and distribution facilities.

156. SEED POTATOES - ITALY (See para 137(b)).

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Haricots have been declined as a substitute.

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Wheat equivalent	131,000	100,000	231,000
Sugar	5,482	5,910	11,392
Other Foodstuffs	17,898	20,344	38,242
TOTAL	154,380	126,254	280,634

158. CASED VEHs - ITALY.

Commencing with UGS 76, cased vehs for A.C. ITALY will be bottom stowed, in lower holds and/or tween deck wings, and will be stowed so that they can be handled by ships' gear. This should assist the consideration of PIOMBINO or CIVITAVECCHIA as a second port discharge at AFHQ diversion meetings.

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159. RELIEF TO YUGOSLAVIA.

Shipments continue to be made to SMIT (CASTEL BAY). with the opening of DUBROVNIK (PORT GRUZ) additional shipments have been set up for that port including 1 schooner, 2 MT/Store ships and 1 POL coaster from the HUEL, to arrive end Feb and early Mar. Further stores ship is due from MIDEAST by Mid Mar. It is hoped during Mar to despatch to each port 1 lightened ocean-going wheat ship.

160. SEED POTATOES - BALKANS (See para 140).

It is estimated that 600 tons of seed potatoes will be available and ready for shipment at the end of Feb at the earliest.

161. FERTILIZERS - BALKANS (See para 134).

The following arrangements had been made regarding the sup of 1,000 tons superphosphates for GALICE :-

VESSEL	TONNAGE	EX	PORT OF ORIGIN	ETA TO LOAD
MARVIA	2,600	CARTAG	1600 PIRAEUS 1000 PAT	Last week Feb
AGLA VARVARA	3,400	C RTAGENA	PIP IS	Mid Mar
TO BE NOMINATED	4,000	HUELVA	SALONIKA	Mar

It is now understood that superphosphates from CARTAGENA will not be available until probably end Mar owing to non availability of bags. The allocations of MARVIA and AGLA VARVARA are now cancelled. Further arrangements will be advised.

162. CIVIL SUPS - BALKANS.

Procurement responsibility for all BALKAN requirements for May arrival is U.S. with the exception of coffee and soap which are ex U.K.

162. CEREALS POOL - MIDDLE EAST.

The position regarding stocks of wheat and flour has been notified by M.E.S.C. as follows :-

Unallocated Stocks on Jan 31	-	20,000
Add Feb arrivals	-	35,000
		55,000
Less Minimum Feb Releases		52,000
<u>M.E.S.C.</u> Stocks on Feb 28		3,000

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U.K.C.C. Stocks on Feb 28		3,000
Add Mar arrivals		72,000
		75,000
Less Minimum Mar Releases		65,500
U.K.C.C. Stocks on Mar 31		10,000

From the above figures it is apparent that there is only a stock of 3,000 tons to meet the Mar commitment, and authority has been requested to utilise the BALKAN Stockpile on repayment, as it is unlikely that cargoes will arrive early in the month, and a serious shortage will ensue.

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162. GERLALS POOL - MIDDLE EAST (Contd).

Programmed loadings for first quarter are 186,000 tons, and in addition 12,000 ex AUSTRALIA for Jan/Feb. It is estimated that 60/70,000 tons will arrive by the end of Mar and the balance during Apr, and it has been suggested that one or more vessels be diverted for direct discharge in the BALKANS in Apr to repay this loan. This is still under consideration.

King Major

V. KING, Major,
for Brigadier,
D. Q. M. G. (Mov & Tn).

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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 23 FEB.

APPENDIX

SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MARE	REGG- CROT
WENDELL L. WILKIE	27'6"	7471	402		UGS 69	USA	10 Feb					
SAMUEL ASHE	26'10"		7282		UGS 70	USA	12 Feb	7282 (MESSINA/REGGIO)				
JOSIAH PARKER	27'2"	8008	421		UGS 69	USA	13 Feb	8429 (PALERMO)				
ROBERT R. RANDALL	27'0"	7471	694		UGS 69	USA	14 Feb					
DUDLEY F. HUGHES	27'2"		8596		UGS 67	USA	15 Feb			8596		
CLAN MCCREAN				3582	Ready	IRAQ	15 Feb			3582 (BRINDISI)		
JOHN SARGENT	27'6"		5020(F) 3398		UGS 69	USA	16 Feb			6544		
WM. WATSON	27'6"		7824(F) 464		UGS 72	USA	23 Feb		8288			
SAMHOFF	27'6"		8472		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb			8472		
WM D BLOHAM	27'0"	7785	533		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar				8318	
FLORENCE CRITTENDON	23'6"		422		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar		422			
ETHAN ALLEN			51 27(F)		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar			78		
BENALDER	22'7"		333		UGS 72	USA	4 Mar					
JOHN M. HARLAND				6200	Ready	IRAQ	5 Mar	(CATANIA/PALERMO)				
FORT CLATSOP			3538		UGS 74	USA	6 Mar					
SAMEVERON	23'0"		748		UGS 74	USA	6 Mar		748			
FORT PASKOYAC	25'0"		7370		UGS 75	USA	11 Mar			7870		
CHATHAM C LYONS	25'9"		3903		UGS 75	USA	11 Mar	8903				
KNUTE NELSON				7311	Ready	IRAQ	12 Mar					
HARLESSEN			8500		UGS 76	USA	15 Mar					
FORT SLAVE	26'0"	7703			UGS 76	USA	16 Mar				7703	

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"	7471	402		UGS 69	USA	10 Feb						Dischd 5320 tons CASTELL- AMMARE. Now dischg TORRE ANNUNZIATA
"				UGS 70	USA	12 Feb	7282 (MESSINA/REGGIO)					At REGGIO
"	8008	421		UGS 69	USA	13 Feb	8429 (PALERMO)				4282	Now discharging.
"	7471	694		UGS 69	USA	14 Feb						Dischd CATANIA 3383 tons Now dischg CROTONE.
"		8596		UGS 67	USA	15 Feb			8596			Dischd 4504 tons BARI. Now dischg TARANTO.
"			3582	Ready	IRAQ	15 Feb			3582 (TRINDISI)			Also carries 2207 tons Ann. Discharging.
"		5020(F) 3398		UGS 69	USA	16 Feb			6544			Dischd PALERMO 1874 tons. Dischg BARI.
"		7824(F) 464		UGS 72	USA	23 Feb		8208				Due NAPLES 23 Feb
"		8472		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb			8472			Arrd AUGUSTA 22 Feb
"	7785	533		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar				8318		
"		422		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar		422				
"		51 27(F)		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar			78			
"		333		UGS 72	USA	4 Mar						For ANCONA
"			6200	Ready ALE.	IRAQ	5 Mar	(CATANIA/PALERMO)					+ 398 tons US Army.
"				27 Feb								MESSINA/CATANIA.
"		8538		UGS 74	USA	6 Mar						
"		748		UGS 74	USA	6 Mar		748				
"		7370		UGS 75	USA	11 Mar			7870			
"		3903		UGS 75	USA	11 Mar	8903					LEGNORNI/CIVITAVECCHIA
"			7311	Ready ALE.	IRAQ	12 Mar						REGGIO/CROTONE
"				3 Mar								7703 tons.
"		8500		UGS 76	USA	15 Mar				7703		
"	7703			UGS 76	USA	16 Mar						

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 to: JCSO on Civil Sups.

G-4 (Gov & In) 5/411/GDI

17 Feb 45

Tele : FPHEDQM 302

144. CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY.

Statement is att at Appx 'A'.

145. MAY SUBSISTENCE REQUIREMENTS - ITALY.

Procurement responsibility for ITALIAN May subsistence requirements is given below, all in metric tons :-

ITEM	TONNAGE	RESPONSIBILITY
Flour	8,635	U.S.
Wheat (i)	155,106	25,000 CANADA 32,983 U.S.
Milk Dry Skim	2,815	U.S.
Sugar	2,700	U.S.
Milk Evaporated	5,666	4,566 U.S. 800 CANADA

146. BARLEY - ITALY (See para 132)

Advice has been received that should the import of Barley ex IRAQ be cancelled, total import grain programme will be reduced by corresponding monthly tonnages of wheat (i.e. 16,000 tons on a basis of 20,000 tons Barley equals 16,000 tons Wheat), owing to the difficulty of arranging shipping and sup of equivalent tonnage wheat/flour from other sources. In view of this it has been agreed to accept 20,000 tons barley ex IRAQ.

147. CEREALS EX N. AMERICA.

(a) The following Br controlled vessels have been nominated for Bar cereals loading ex N. AMERICA for MIDEAST & -

VESSEL	TONNAGE	ESTIMATED DATE READY TO LOAD
	7,000	20 Feb

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145. WAX SUBSISTENCE REQUIREMENTS - ITALY

Procurement responsibility for ITALIAN Wax subsistence requirements is given below, all in metric tons :-

ITEM	TONNAGE	RESPONSIBILITY
Flour	8,635	U.S.
Wheat (i)	155,106	25,000 CANADA 32,983 U.S.
Milk Dry Skim	2,815	U.S.
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147. CEREALS EX N. AMERICA

(a) The following Br controlled vessels have been nominated for their cereals loading ex N. AMERICA for MIDDLE EAST :-

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VESSEL	TONNAGE	ESTIMATED DATE READY TO LOAD
NYMORN	7,000	20 Feb
ARGOLIKOS	5,300	
KROOPINSTEIN	9,000	
SANTHILAS	8,350	1st half MARCH
LOCHDE	8,200	
ATINA OLLAND	700	
EMPIRE DEED	8,000	
PORT ST REGIS	8,000	

(b) Vessels will carry bagged cereals with up to 3,000 tons bulk per vessel.

(c) Ref para 115. PORT PASKOVLO will carry grain NOT sugar.

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148. CIVIL SUPS - BALKANS (See para 71)

Given below are estimated civil subsistence requirements for BALKANS for the period July through Jul, all weights in metric tons :-

ITEM	GREECE	JUGOSLAVIA	ALBANIA	TOTAL PER MONTH
Wheat	52,000	45,000	4,500	101,500
Other Sups	12,930	7,540	1,170	21,640
Total per Month	64,930	52,540	5,670	123,140

149. WHEAT - BALKANS.

PARABAN have been notified that bagged wheat requirement for BALKANS for Apr delivery is 44,800 ship tons.

150. CIVIL SUBSISTENCE - AUSTRIA.

Procurement responsibility for first 90 days subsistence requirements is given below :-

ITEM	TONNAGE	RESPONSIBILITY
Wheat bagged	120,000	U.S.
Other foods etc	5,650	US except 565 soap ex CANADA.

151. WHEAT FOR JUGOSLAVIA (See para 59)

Owing to the limited capacity of liberated ADRIATIC ports unconditional acceptance of RUSSIAN wheat is at present impracticable.

The following info has been requested in order to phase in with presently planned shipments :-

- Total amount of wheat now offered to JUGOSLAVIA and ready for shipment.
- Whether bagged or bulk.
- Any conditions affecting offer.
- BLACK SEA ports at which available and any navigational restrictions on vessels entering.

Other Subs	12,930	7,540	1,170	21,640
Total per month	64,930	52,540	5,670	123,140

149. WHEAT - BELGIANS.

BELGIANS have been notified that bagged wheat requirement for BELGIUM for delivery is 44,800 ship tons.

150. CIVIL SUBSISTENCE - AUSTRIA.

Procurement responsibility for first 90 days subsistence requirements is given below :-

ITEM	TONNAGE	RESPONSIBILITY
Wheat bagged	120,000	U.S.
Other foods etc	5,650	US except 565 coop ex CANADA.

151. WHEAT FOR JUGOSLAVIA (See para 59)

Owing to the limited capacity of liberated ATLANTIC ports unconditional acceptance of RUSSIAN wheat is at present impracticable.

The following info has been requested in order to phase in with presently planned shipments :-

- Total amount of wheat now offered to JUGOSLAVIA and ready for shipment.
- Whether bagged or bulk.
- Any conditions affecting offer.
- BLACK SEA ports at which available and any navigational restrictions on vessels entering.
- To whom Masters should apply.

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152. SWEDISH/STISS SHIPMENTS (See para 125)

Given below is a further statement of cargoes discharged in PHOTOS :-

SHIP	ARRIVED	WHEAT	FLOUR	OTHER FOODSTUFFS	OTHER COMMODITIES	TOTAL
SIGGAT	13 Jan	-	-	5882	1672	7554
POMOSA	14 Jan	-	-	6275	216	6491
LAARA	27 Jan	3000	-	5124	173	8297
PAREMATA	29 Jan	7500	-	-	-	7500
ARUA	29 Jan	2009	67	5029	103	7208
TOTAL		12509	67	22310	2151	37050

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135. Sugar, Italy - Kirch (See para 58)

Procurement responsibility for 2,700 tons sugar is UNITED STATES.

136. Current Wheat Ships, ITALY.

Statement is att at Appx "A".

137. Seed Potatoes - ITALY. (See para 85).

(a) Loadings of seed potatoes have been programmed as follows :-

KMS 80	952 tons
KMS 82	650 "
KMS 84	1000 "

The balance of 400 tons of the Feb requisition for 3000 tons will be shipped in KMS 86.

(b) It is understood that there is, in U.K., a surplus of seed potatoes which were originally intended for FRANCE or M. AFRICA. AGWAR has been notified that 10,000 tons can be accepted for ITALY as follows, provided delivery can be made before 7 Mar :-

NAPLES	5000
LEGHORN	3000
BAU	2000

138. Wheat for ITALY - May.

Requisition for 165,000 tons wheat has been made to AGWAR. Of this total 100,000 tons is required for liberated ITALY and 65,000 tons for the presently German occupied north. 38,000 tons will be called for as bulk wheat and 8500 tons as flour.

Allocation of sup responsibility has also been requested.

139. Fertilisers - ALBANS

The sup responsibility and availability of superphosphate and ammonium sulphate for ALBANIA has not yet been determined.

140. Seed Potatoes - BELGIUM (See para 124)

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2,000 tons seed potatoes are available from CYRUS. Of this tonnage

SECRET142. BALKANS - Civil Requirements.

(a) In view of para 116 stating that the only food arrival for BALKANS in Mar is wheat, AGWAR has been requested to ship agricultural machinery and seeds at an early opportunity in lieu of foodstuffs which are not required.

Cargoes for GREECE and JUGOSLAVIA (via SALONIKA) are to be loaded for direct sailing to PIRAEUS/SALONIKA, and cargoes for the remainder of JUGOSLAVIA and ALBANIA are to be loaded to HEEL for orders.

143. CEREALS - BALKANS.

INDIAST have reported that delays in cereal loadings ex N. AMERICA to EGYPT will cause a serious wheat/flour shortage in Mar; and in consequence have requested authority to utilise the Balkan stockpile amounting to 55,000 until early Apr.

This figure is not agreed by AFHQ as the remaining earmark in EGYPT is estimated at 46,000 tons, which it has been suggested should be allocated as follows :-

- (a) 11,000 tons for shipment half in Feb and remainder in Mar, for 4 and 5 Dists.
- (b) 10,000 tons against Yugoslav needs for Mar to cover delay caused by lightening Mar arrivals in ITALY for shallow Adriatic ports.

The remaining 25,000 tons could be made available in Mar for M.E. use, subject to a guarantee of repayment in Apr, as no stocks exist against contingencies unforeseen in the planning assumptions made for ITALY and the BALKANS. WASHINGTON approval is awaited.

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143. CEREALS - BALKANS.

REDAST have reported that delays in cereal loadings ex N. AMERICA to EGYP will cause a serious wheat/flour shortage in Mar; and in consequence have requested authority to utilise the Balkan stockpile amounting to 50,000 until early Apr.

This figure is not agreed by AFHQ as the remaining earmark in EGYP is estimated at 46,000 tons, which it has been suggested should be allocated as follows :-

(a) 11,000 tons for shipment half in Feb and remainder in Mar, for 4 and 5 Dists.

(b) 10,000 tons against Yugoslav needs for Mar to cover delay caused by lightening Mar arrivals in ITALY for shallow Adriatic ports.

The remaining 25,000 tons could be made available in Mar for M.E. use, subject to a guarantee of repayment in Apr, as no stocks exist against contingencies unforeseen in the planning assumptions made for ITALY and the BALKANS. WASHINGTON approval is awaited.

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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 9 FEB

APPENDL. 'A' (Contd)

SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MMARE	CRO
JOHN SARGENT	27'6"		5020(F) 3398		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb	8413(PALERMO/HEEL)				
JUSTIN MORRILL			71(F)		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb		71			
LOSSIBANK				4415	Sailed ex ALEX IRAQ 1 Feb		10 "			4415		
JOSHUA PARKER	27'2"	3008	421		UGS 69	USA	12 "	8429(PALERMO)				
PALERMO			1227		Ready ALEX 7 Feb	M.F.	14 "		1227			
SAMUEL ASHE	26'10"		282		UGS 70	USA	14 "	7282(MESSINA/BOGIC)				
HORACE BINNEY			70(F)		UGS 70	USA	14 "		70			
CLAN MOREAN				3582	Ready ALEX 9 Feb	IRAQ	16 "					35
SAMERVON			750		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb		750			
WM WATSON			3300		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb					
SAMHOPE			3472		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb					
REVALDER			750		UGS 72	USA	27 Feb					
WM D BLOHAM	27'0"	7785	555		Returned from UGS 69	USA	Feb	8318(PALERMO)				
FLORENCE CRITTENDON			422			USA	Feb		422			
FORT CLATSOP			8500			USA	Feb					

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FT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MARE	CROTONE	REMARKS
6"		5020(F) 3398		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb	8413(PALERMO/HECL)					Now dischg PALERMO
		71(F)		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb		71				
			4415	Sailed ex ALEX IRAQ 1 Feb		10 "			4415			ETA BRINDISI 8/2
2"	8008	4		UGS 69	USA	12 "	8429(PALERMO)					At AUGUSTA
		1227		Ready ALEX 7 Feb	M.E.	14 "		1227				Also carried 1195 tons Ord
10"		282		UGS 70	USA	14 "	7282(MESSINA/ECCL)					
		70(F)		UGS 70	USA	14 "		70				
			3582	Ready ALEX 9 Feb	IRAQ	16 "					3582	Also carries 2207 tons Amn
		750		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb		750				
		3300		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb						
		3472		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb						
		750		UGS 72	USA	27 Feb						For ANCONA
0"	7785	535		Returned from UGS 69	USA	Feb	8318(PALERMO)					At AZOR
		422			USA	Feb		422				
		3500			USA	Feb						

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SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MMARE
MARSDALE				5368	Sailed ex ME 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan				5368
JOHN H QUICK	28'6"		8764		UGS 67	USA	29 Jan	8764(PALERMO)			
ELISHA GRAVES OTIS	27'0"		2764(F) 5059		UGS 67	USA	31 Jan		7823		
GEORGE E. HALE				7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	1 Feb				
NATHAN HALE			3686		UGS 66	USA	2 Feb				5908
WILLIAM HUME	28'4"		8690		UGS 68	USA	3 Feb		8690		
NEWTON D. BAKER	28'0"		7944(F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb			7944	(BRINDI)
EDWARD SPARROW	29'0"	7740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008
CLYDE A DUNNING	27'9"		7933		UGS 67	USA	4 Feb				
CORNELIUS HARTNETT			402(F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				
DUDLEY M HUGHES	27'2"		8596		UGS 67	USA	5 Feb			8596	
ROBERT R RANDALL	27'0"	7471	694		UGS 69	USA	6 Feb	8165(CATANIA/CROTONE)			
WENDELL L WILKIE	27'6"	7471	402		UGS 69	USA	7 Feb				7873
SUL ROSS				7513	Ready ALEX 29 Jan	IRAQ	8 Feb	7513(CATANIA/PALERMO)			
CHAS. M. CONRAD	26'6"		8515		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb				

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DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST-ELLA-MMARE	REGGIO/CROTONE	REMARKS
			5368	Sailed ex ME 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan				5368		Now discharging
28'6"		8764		UGS 67	USA	29 Jan	8764(PALERMO)					Now discharging
27'0"		2764(F) 5059		UGS 67	USA	31 Jan		7823				Now discharging
			7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	1 Feb						Discharged 4000 tons LEGHORN & sailed 9 Feb for CIVITAVECCHIA
		3686		UGS 66	USA	2 Feb				5908		Discharged 2778 tons NAPLES now disch CASTELLAMMARE
28'4"		8690		UGS 68	USA	3 Feb		8690				NAPLES/SALERNO Now disch NAPLES
28'0"		7944(F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb			7944	ERINDISI/ANCONA		Disch BRINDISI to sail for ANCONA 10 Feb.
29'0"	7740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008		At CASTELLAMMARE
27'9"		7933		UGS 67	USA	4 Feb					3905 (REGGIO)	Disch 4023 tons CATANIA. Now disch REGGIO.
		402(F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb						LEGHORN Dischg.
27'2"		8596		UGS 67	USA	5 Feb			8596			Due BARI 9 Feb.
27'0"	7471	694		UGS 69	USA	6 Feb	8165(CATANIA/CROTONE)					Now dischg CATANIA
27'6"	7471	402		UGS 69	USA	7 Feb				7873		At NAPLES
			7513	Ready ALEX 29 Jan	IRAQ	8 Feb	7513(CATANIA/PALERMO)					Dischd CATANIA. Now dischg PALERMO
26'6"		8515		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb						At CAGLIARI

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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 16 FEB.

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SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO	NAPLES
✓ BENALLER	22' 7"		333		UGS 72	USA	27 Feb		
✓ WIL D. BLOXHAM	27' 0"	7785	533		Returned from UGS 69	US	Feb	8318	
✓ FLORENCE CRITLANDON			422		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar		422
✓ ETHAN ALLEN			51 27 (F)		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar		
✓ FORT CLATSOP			8500			USA	Mar		
✓ JOHN M. HARLAND						IRAQ	Mar		
✓ KUTE NELSON						IRAQ	Mar		
✓ FORT P. SKOYAG		8300			UGS 74	USA	6 Mar		

(F) = Flour

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DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO	NAPLES	REMARKS
22' 7"		333		UGS 72	USA	27 Feb			For ANCONA
27' 0"	7705	533		returned from UGS 69	US	Feb	8318		At AZORES
		422		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar		422	
		51 27(F)		UGS 73	USA	1 Mar			
		8500			USA	Mar			
					IRW	Mar			Bagged Barley + 1000 Tons Army cargo
					IRW	Mar			Bagged barley
	8300			UGS 74	USA	6 Mar			

(F) = Flour

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GENERAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 16 FEB.

SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAS- TELLA- MARE
EDWARD SPARROW	29' 0"	7740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008
JUSTIN MORRIL			71 (F)		UGS 69	USA	5 Feb		71		
SUL ROSS				7513		IRAQ	8 Feb	4052 (PALERMO)			
LOSSIERANK				4415	Sailed ex ALEX 1 Feb	IRAQ	8 Feb			4415 (BRINDISI)	
NEWTON D. RAKER	29' 0"		7944 (F)		UGS 68	USA	10 Feb			7944 (BRINDISI)	
VENDELL L. WILKIE	27' 6"	7371	402		UGS 69	USA	10 Feb				7873
WILLIAM HUME	28' 4"		8690		UGS 68	USA	11 Feb		10 (SALERNO)		
GEORGE W. HALL				7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	11 Feb				
HONAGE BUDGET			809 (F)		UGS 70	USA	11 Feb		70		
SAMUEL ASHE	26' 10"		7282		UGS 70	USA	12 Feb	70 (MESSINA/REGGIO)			
JOSIAH PARKER	27' 2"	8008	421		UGS 69	USA	13 Feb	8429 (PALERMO)			
ROBERT R. RANDALL	27' 0"	7371	694		UGS 69	USA	14 Feb				
HURLEY M HUGHES	27' 2"		8596		UGS 67	USA	15 Feb			8596	
CLAY ECHERAN				3582	Ready ALEX 9 Feb	IRAQ				3582 (BRINDISI)	
JOHN S. SARGEANT	27' 6"		5020 (F) 3338		UGS 69	USA	16 Feb			6544 (BRINDISI)	
PALERMO			1227		Ready ALEX 11 Feb	M.E.	18 Feb		1227		
SAGEVIRON			750		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb		750		
WM. WATSON	27' 6"		7624 (F) 46		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb		8288		
SANDHOPE	27' 6"		8472		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb			8472	

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T	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MMARE	REGGIO/ CROTONE	REMARKS
0"	7740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008		Now discharging
		71(F)		UGS 69	USA	5 Feb		71				Now discharging
			7513		IRAQ	8 Feb	4052 (PALERMO)					Dischd CATANIA 3461 tons Now discharging PALERMO
			4415	Sailed ex ALEX 1 Feb	IRAQ	8 Feb			4145 (BRINDISI)			Now discharging
0"		7944(F)		UGS 68	USA	10 Feb			7944 (BRINDISI/ANCONA)			Now discharging ANCONA
5"	71	402		UGS 69	USA	10 Feb				7673		Now discharging
		8690		UGS 68	USA	11 Feb		70 (SALERNO)				Dischd 4080 tons NAPLES Now discharging SALERNO
			7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	11 Feb						Dischd 30 tons LECORON Now discharging G'VE LIA
		809(F)		UGS 70	USA	11 Feb		70				Now discharging
		7282		UGS 70	USA	12 Feb	70 (MESSINA/REGGIO)					at MESSINA
	8008	421		UGS 69	USA	13 Feb	8429 (PALERMO)					Now discharging
	7471	694		UGS 69	USA	14 Feb					4282	Dischd CATANIA 3883 tons Sailed to CROTONE 13 Feb
		8596		UGS 67	USA	15 Feb			8596			Dischd 4504 tons BARI Now at TARANTO
			3582	Ready ALEX 9 Feb	IRAQ				3582 (BRINDISI)			Also carries 2207 tons Ann. Discharging.
		5020(F)		UGS 69	USA	16 Feb			6544 (BRINDISI)			Dischd PALERMO 1874 tons. Sailed for HELL 17 Feb.
		1227		Ready ALEX 11 Feb	M.E.	18 Feb		1227				Also carries 115 tons Ord. Due AUGUSTA 16 Feb.
		750		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb		750				
		7824(F)		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb		8288				
		8472		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb			8472			

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INTER OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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10 February 1945

AC/607/14/Tn.3

SUBJECT : AC. Priorities Board.

TO : Col. M.J. Sieff,
Chief Movements Division.1. Reference AC. Priorities Board Procedural Bulletin
No. 1, para 9b.The following tonnages were lifted coastwise
during the month of January 1945 :COMMODITYTONNAGE LIFTED

Citrus fruit	2998
Olive oil	210
Phosphate Rock	16560
Food Stuffs	6358
Salt	7211
Wheat	1654
Wine	6161
Cotton	568
Timber	650
Carubbeans	580
Charcoal	560
Sugar	1025
Chestnuts	350
Tobacco	72
Coal	2000
Flour	200
Miscellaneous	3164
	50321
Livestock	
	300 horses
	500 cattle
	2000 sheep

In addition the following tonnages arrived from
extra-mediterranean sources :

91,776 1005

Reference AC. Priorities Board Procedural Bulletin

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No. 1, para 9b.

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Wheat
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Cotton
Timber
Carubbeans
Charcoal
Sugar
Chestnuts
Tobacco
Coal
Flour
Miscellaneous

2998
210
16560
6358
7211
1654
6161
568
650
580
560
1025
350
72
2000
200
3164
50321

Livestock

300 horses
500 cattle
2000 sheep

In addition the following tonnages arrived from extra-mediterranean sources :

Cereals
Coal
Potatoes
Miscellaneous

91, 776
7, 334
1, 355
1, 000
101, 465

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2. The following is an estimate of lifts excluding schooner lifts during the month of February :

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Telo : FREEDOM 302

130. Apr Subsistence Requirements - ITALY.

- (a) Procurement responsibility for Italian Apr subsistence requirements is given below :-

Item	Tonnage	Responsibility
Wheat Flour	79,000	U.S.
	120,000	CANADA
	20,000 Barley	U.K.
	(but see para 132)	
Sugar	2,700	U.S.
Fats	2,250	U.S.
Milk (Dry skimmed)	2,664	U.S.
Milk (Evaporated)	3,988	U.S.
Meat or substitutes	2,400	CANADA
	3,360	

- (b) Supply responsibility for sugar requirements for Mar has not yet been allocated.

131. Supply Requirements for UNRRA Italian Relief Operations. (See para 50)

It will be remembered that the following tonnages were required to arrive NAUFES in Jan :-

Milk	800 tons
Sugar	300 "
Flour	1,600 "
Other	
Commodities	1,600 "
	<u>4,300 "</u>

of this tonnage, 600 long tons are scheduled for Jan lift on British Lend-Lease vessels, and one ship has been allocated for Feb to lift the balance.

In addition one ship has been allocated for Mar to apply against the overall UNRRA six months programme of 100,000 long tons.

132. Barley - ITALY (See para 120).

The use of barley in ITALY as an adulterant has proved unsatisfactory and CCAC has been requested to discontinue its use for

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It will be remembered that the following tonnages were required to arrive MARLES in Jan :-

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Other	
Commodities	1,600 "
	4,300 "

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of this tonnage, 600 long tons are scheduled for Jan lift on British Lend-Lease vessels, and one ship has been allocated for Feb to lift the balance.

In addition one ship has been allocated for Mar to apply against the overall UNRRA six months programme of 100,000 long tons.

132. Barley - ITALY (See para 120).

The use of barley in ITALY as an adulterant has proved unsatisfactory and CCAC has been requested to discontinue its use for the following reasons :-

(a) Distribution: There are virtually no stocks of grain suitably placed for equitable distribution. Consequently areas which are dependent upon imports may have to accept a wheat ship or barley ship, owing to lack of suitable distribution facilities.

(b) Difficulties of distribution have been aggravated by irregular arrivals as shown below :-

Month	Allocated	Arrived or set up
Oct	20,000	15,169
Nov	20,000	22,485
Dec	20,000	-
Jan	20,000	5,368
Feb	20,000	22,952
	100,000	65,274 deficit 34,026.

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(c) Unconventional use of Shipping.

130 tons barley yield 64 tons flour whereas 100 tons wheat yield 90 tons flour. On an equivalent basis 7 barley ships are required to replace 5 wheat ships.

133. Current Wheat Ships, IT.LM.

Statement is att at ppx 'A'.

134. Fertilisers - MINIS. (See para 92).

AGW.R has been notified that 1,000 tons of rock phosphate are being requisitioned from N. APIC.

With regard to the requirement of 10,000 tons superphosphate and 500 tons ammonium sulphate for ALBANIA, no supply responsibility has yet been notified, but it is presumed that this will be from N. APIC. It is not intended to call for these quantities at present

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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 2 FEB.

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SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAT- MARE	CROTONE
MARSDALE				5368	Sailed ex M.E. 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan				5368	
PORT MINGAN	26' 0"		8399		UGS 64	USA	17 Jan					8399 (REGGIO/ CROTONE)
NATHAN HALE			8686		UGS 66	USA	25 Jan		8686			
J.S. L. BRECK	27' 4" Fwd 29' 7" Aft		7738		UGS 65	USA	27 Jan			7738		
JOHN H. QUICK	28' 6"		8764		UGS 67	USA	29 Jan	8764 (PALERMO)				
CLYDE .. DUBHING	27' 9"		7933		UGS 67	USA	29 Jan	7933 (CATANIA/REGGIO)				
ELISHA GRAVES OTIS	27' 0"		2764 (F) 5059		UGS 67	USA	31 Jan		7823			
GEORGE E. HALE				7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	1 Feb					
ELWATON D. BAKER	28' 0"		7944 (F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb			7944		
WILLIAM HUE	28' 4"	8690	8690		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb		8690			
EDWARD SPARROW	29' 0"	7740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008	
DUDLEY M. HUGGESS	27' 2"		8596		UGS 67	USA	5 Feb				8596 (BRINDISI)	
W.L. 8533				7513	Ready ALEX 29 Jan	IRAQ	7 Feb	7513 (CATANIA/REGGIO)				
PALERMO			1227			M.E.	7 Feb		1227			
NIDELL L. WILKIE	27' 6"	7471	402		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb				7873	
CHAS H. CONRAD	26' 6"		8515		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb					
ROBERT R. RANDALL	27' 0"	7471	694		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb	8165 (CATANIA/CROTONE)				
JOSIA W. RIGER	27' 2"	8006	421		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb			8429		

CILY AND SARDINIA - FCSN AT 2 FEB.

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ULK HEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAS- TANA- MARE	CROTONE	REMARKS
		5368	Sailed ex M.E. 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan				5368		Now discharging
	8399		UGS 64	USA	17 Jan					8399 (REGGIO/ CROTONE)	Discharged REGGIO 906 tons. Now discharging CROTONE
	8686		UGS 66	USA	25 Jan		8686				Now discharging
	7738		UGS 65	USA	27 Jan			7738			Now discharging
	8764		UGS 67	USA	29 Jan	8764 (PALERMO)					Now discharging
	7933		UGS 67	USA	29 Jan	7933 (CATANIA/REGGIO)					Now discharging CATANIA.
	2764(F) 5059		UGS 67	USA	31 Jan		7823				At NAPLES
		7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	1 Feb						LEGHORN/CIVITAVECCHIA
	7944(F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb			7944			To BARI. Further disposal under consideration
690	8690		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb		8690				NAPLES/SALERNO. At AUGUSTA
740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008		At AUGUSTA
	8596		UGS 67	USA	5 Feb			8596 (BRINDISI)			At AUGUSTA
		7515	Ready ALEX 29 Jan	IRAQ	5 Feb	7515 (PALERMO/REGGIO)					At AUGUSTA
	1227			M.E.	7 Feb		1227				Also carried 1195 tons Ord
471	402		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb				7873		
	8515		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb						CAGLIARI
471	694		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb	8165 (CATANIA/CROTONE)					
008	421		UGS 69	USA	7 Feb			8429			

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WHEAT SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 2 FEB.

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SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DATE	PALESTINE/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAS- TELLA- MARE	GROTONI
WM. D. BLOXHAM	27' 0"	7785	533		Returned from UGS 69	USA	Feb	8318 (PALESTINE)				
LCSSTEBANK				4145	Ready ALEX 5 Feb	IRAQ	13 Feb			4145		
BENALIER			750		UGS 70	USA	14 Feb		750			
SAMUEL ASHE	26' 10"		7282		UGS 70	USA	14 Feb	7282 (MESSINA/REGGIO)				
CLAN MCHEN				3582	Ready ALEX 10 Feb	IRAQ	18 Feb			3582		
SAMERVEN			750		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb		750			
CADUCEUS				7000		IRAQ	Feb					
MICHAEL EDLSTEIN				7000		IRAQ	Feb					
VICTOR HERBERT				7000		IRAQ	Feb					
FORT CLATSOP			8500		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb					
SAMLOYAL			8500		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb					

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SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 2 FEB.

WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DATE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MARE	GROSTONE	REMARKS
785	533		Returned from UGS 69	USA	Feb	8318 (PALERMO)					
		4145	Ready ALEX 5 Feb	IRAQ	13 Feb			4145			
	750		UGS 70	USA	14 Feb		750				
	7282		UGS 70	USA	14 Feb	7282 (MESSINA/REGGIO)					
		3582	Ready ALEX 10 Feb	IRAQ	18 Feb			3582			Also carries 2207 tons Ann
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		7000		IRAQ	Feb						Temporarily withdrawn
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	8500		UGS 72	USA	24 Feb						

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26 Jan 45

Tel. : FREECOM 832

Subject : (G-4 Gov & Tn) Weekly
Report to MEDFO on
Civil Supp.

120. BARLEY - ITALY (see para 96)

A War Office analysis of barley recently shipped ex IRAQ indicated that in no case did impurity exceed 5%. Further info regarding the percentage of impurity has been requested.

In view of the fact that the Feb shipment has been planned, it is considered that from both supply and shipping aspects, the continuance of the programme is desirable.

121. FLOUR - ITALY (See para 112)

WASHINGTON has agreed to provide one ship fully loaded (i.e. 8500 tons) of flour per month.

Notification has also been given that the supply responsibility for wheat for Mar arrival is CANADA. As CANADA cannot supply flour this will be provided ex USA and wheat ex CANADA will be reduced accordingly.

122. ITALY SUBSISTENCE REQUIREMENTS - APR - JUN.

Given below are ITALIAN subsistence requirements for second quarter 1945.

ITEM	APR	MAY	JUN
Sugar	5910	5910	5910
Other commodities	29022	33242	33242
Total	34932	39152	39152

123. CURRENT WHEAT SHIPS, ITALY.

Statement is att at Annex 'A'.

124. SEED POTATOES - BALKANS (see para 100)

The posn regarding shipments of seed potatoes is as follows.
(All in nett long tons)

TO	REQUIREMENT	ACTUALLY	SHORT FALL
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(All in net long tons)

TO	REQUIREMENT	ACTUALLY LOADED	SHORT FALL
PTREBUS	2500	1995	505
SALONICA	2175	1878	297
RIEL	344	133	211
DUBROVNIK	1666	1326	340
TOTAL	6685	5332	1353

It is not anticipated that this short fall can be shipped

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direct to the ports concerned, and it is, therefore, considered that this should be cancelled as the potatoes cannot arrive in time for spring planting.

145. SPEDIS / SWISS SHIPMENTS (See para 147)

The following cargoes are reported to have been discharged in LIBRUS since A.L. P.Q. (GREECE) commenced to operate.

VESSEL	ARRIVED	WHEAT	FLOUR	OTHER FOODSTUFFS	OTHER CARGOES	TOTAL
PERLIS	11 Sep	2042	-	746	-	2788
FOROS	11 Sep	2920	-	1672	-	4592
SAGITT	14 Sep	4218	107	3545	205 lbs	7871
EL AR	3 Oct	5855	-	2771	17	8643
ALBA	11 Nov	5704	-	2255	6	7965
SUCOVA	15 Nov	871	980	5366	115	7332
BOOLONGRA	15 Nov	8050	-	-	-	8050
NIAGRA	18 Nov	7107	-	1836	6	8949
FORLAND	18 Nov	2621	-	953	6	3763
PEDRO	8 Dec	6113	-	-	-	6113
CHRISTOPHERSON		15684	1087	19145	150	66066

146. SUPER PHOSPHATES - GREECE (See para 106)

GROOPINS have notified ARMO that arrangements for the supply of 10,000 tons rock phosphate ex N. AFRICA should be made by this H.Q.

147. SOAP - FRANCE

A proposal had been approved to import soap from SPAIN through PORT VEDRES in Spanish vessels, but advice from the French authorities states that it is not intended to put this proposal into effect at present.

148. CIVIL SUPS LOADERS (See para 145)

- (a) "DULE OF SPARTA" has been replaced by "HARLESSEN".
HARLESSEN, SALOYAL and PORT 2-SKOVLO load for N. AFRICA.

- (b) The following vessels will load bagged cereals for Feb

VESSEL	ARRIVED	WHEAT	FLOUR	OTHER FOODSTUFFS	OTHER COMMODITIES	TOTAL
PHILIS	14 Sep	2012	-	746	-	2788
FORA 18	11 Sep	2920	-	1672	-	4592
SACRE	14 Sep	4213	107	3546	205 lbs	7871
ALBA	3 Oct	5855	-	2771	17	8643
	11 Nov	5704	-	2255	6	7965
SUCOVA	13 Nov	871	980	5366	115	7332
BOULONGEL	15 Nov	8050	-	-	-	8050
FLORA	16 Nov	7107	-	1836	6	8949
FORLAND	18 Nov	2824	-	953	6	3763
PEDRO CRISTOPHERSON	8 Dec	6113	-	-	-	6113
		115664	1087	19145	150	65066

126. SUPER PHOSPHATES - GREECE (See para 106)

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128. CIVIL SUPS LOADING (See para 115)

- (a) "DUKE OF SPAIN" has been replaced by "HARLESSEN".
HARLESSEN, SALLOLL and FORT PASKOVAC load for N. AFRICA.
- (b) The following vessels will load bagged cereals for Feb requirements:-

DUKE OF ATHENS
SALLOLL
SALLOLL
SALLOLL
DUKE OF SPAIN

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129. CIVIL SUPPLIES - TURKEY TO S. MALICE (See para 118)

Authority has been granted by SLAF for a Turkish ship to discharge tobacco, foodstuffs and med sups on civil account at SOULT.

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V. KING, Major,
for Brigadier,
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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 26 JAN.

SHIP	DRAFT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELIA- MMARE	TORRE ANNUN- ZIATA
RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL	25'0"		513		UGS 63	USA	2 Jan		513			
MARSDALE				5368	Sailed ex M.E. 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan				5368	
WM. LEAVITT	27'7"	8090			UGS 62	USA	16 Jan					2350
FORT MINGAN	26'0"		6399		UGS 64	USA	17 Jan					
NATHAN HALE			6396		UGS 66	USA	25 Jan		8686			
J.S. L. BRECK	27'4" Fwd 29'7" Aft		7738		UGS 65	USA	27 Jan			7738		
PALERMO			1227			M.E.	29 Jan		1227			
JOHN H. QUICK	28'6"		8764		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan	8764 (PALERMO)				
ELISHA GRAVES OTIS	27'0"		8300		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan		8300			
CLYDE A. DUNNING	27'9"		7933		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan					
DUDLEY M. HUGHES	27' 2"		8596		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan				8596 (BRINDISI)	
GEORGE E. HALE				7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	31 Jan					
SUL ROSS READE				7513	ADEN 22 Jan	IRAQ	3 Feb	7513 (PALERMO/MESSINA)				
NEWTON D. BAKER	28'0"		7944 (F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				7944	

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SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 26 JAN.

ULK HEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELIA- MMARE	TORRE ANNUN- ZIATA	CROTONE	REMARKS
	513		UGS 63	USA	2 Jan		513					Now discharging
		5368	Sailed ex M.E. 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan				5368			Now discharging
8090			UGS 62	USA	16 Jan					2350		Dischd 5740 tons CASTELL- AMMARE. Now discharging TORRE ANNUNZIATA.
	8399		UGS 64	USA	17 Jan						8399 (REGGIO/ CROTONE)	Dischd REGGIO 906 tons. Now discharging CROTONE
			UGS 66	USA	25 Jan		8686					Waiting berth
	7738		UGS 65	USA	27 Jan			7738				Ex BALKANS programme
	1227			M.E.	29 Jan		1227					Also carried 1195 tons Ord
	8764		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan	8764 (PALERMO)						
	8300		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan		8300					
	7933		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan						7933 (MESSINA/REGGIO)	Ex BALKANS Programme
	8596		UGS 67	USA	30 Jan				8596 (BRINDISI)			
		7712	Ready ALEX 24 Jan	IRAQ	31 Jan							LEGHORN/CIVITAVECCHIA
		7513	ADEN 22 Jan	IRAQ	3 Feb	7513 (PALERMO/MESSINA)						
	7944 (F)		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb			7944				Lighten to 24 ft BARI thence ANCONA

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CEREAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 26 JAN.

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SHIP	DR FT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLA- MARE	TORRE ANNUN- ZIATA
WILLIAM HUME ✓	28'4"	8690			UGS 68	USA	+ Feb		8690			
EDWARD SPARROW ✓	29'0"	7740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008	
WENDELL D. WILKIE ✓	27'6"	7471	402		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb				7873	
CHAS. M. CONRAD ✓	26'6"		851		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb					
ROBERT R. RANDALL ✓	27'0"	7472	689		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb					
JOSIAH PARKER sailing ✓	28' Fwd 29'6"	8008	421		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb			8429		
WM. D. BLOXHAM ✓	27'0"	7785	533		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb	8318 (PALERMO)				
CLAN MCGHEAN ✓				3582	Ready ALEX 4 Feb	IRAQ	10 Feb			3582		
REVALDER ✓			750		UGS 70	USA	14 Feb		750			
SAMEVERON ✓			750		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb		750			
LOSSILWATK ✓				445	Sailed BASRA 16 Jan	IRAQ	Feb			445		
CORACEUS				7000		IRAQ	Feb					
MICHAEL EDLSTEIN				7000		IRAQ	Feb					
VICTOR HERBERT				7000		IRAQ	Feb					

(F) * Flour

ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 26 JAN.

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RT	BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	B.G. BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	BARI	CAST- ELLIA- MARE	TORRE ANNUN- ZIATA	CRO- TONE	Remarks
14"	8690			UGS 68	USA	4 Feb		8690					NAPLES/S JIERNO
10"	7740	268		UGS 68	USA	4 Feb				8008			
16"	7471	402		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb				7873			
16"		8511		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb						8515	
10"	7472	689		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb							MESSINA/REGGIO
1 Fwd 16"	8008	421		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb			8429				
7'0"	7785	533		UGS 69	USA	9 Feb	8318 (PALERMO)						
			3582	Ready ALEX 4 Feb	IRAQ	10 Feb			3582				Also carries 2207 tons man
		750		UGS 70	USA	14 Feb		750					
		750		UGS 71	USA	19 Feb		750					
			445	Sailed BASRA 15 Jan	IRAQ	Feb			445				
			7000		IRAQ	Feb							
			7000		IRAQ	Feb							Temporarily withdrawn
			7000		IRAQ	Feb							" "

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TN s/c (B)ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

23 January 1945

Ref. E-4

SUBJECT: Imports - Esparto Grass

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

Here is a letter from UKCC on the above subject and our
E-4 of 23 January in reply. These are self-explanatory.

For the Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

HEADQUARTERS
24 JAN 1945
A. G.

J. RICHARDSON
J. Comd. ATS
Economics & Supply Division

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G-5 Section
APO 512

23 January 1945

Ref. F-4

SUBJECT: Shipment of Esparto Grass

TO : UKCG
c/o British Consulate General,
ALGERIA. (For W.H. HUMPHREYS, Esq.)

1. With reference to your letter of 17th January 1945, the matter of shipping the 70 tons esparto grass is in hand at this Headquarters.
2. A bid was made in the usual way for movement ALGERIA to REMOIO in period 27 December to 5 January, and shipping space was allocated. On 11 January, a signal addressed to NABIV and for information to NABIST and ALGERIA, stated the consignment to be of urgency and requested the name of the vessel concerned (PX 83380 dated 11 January 45). NABIST have been requested to ensure that AP's H.5170 have been completed. (PX 86797 dated 17 January 45).
3. When notification is received at this Headquarters concerning the vessel and NABIV, AC will be notified in the usual way, and will no doubt make arrangements to move the esparto grass to the desired locality.

For the Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

Richardson
J. RICHARDSON
J. Comd. AGS

Economics & Supply Division

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G-5 Section
APO 512

21 January 1945

Ref. P-1

SUBJECT: Shipment of Bulk and Bagged Wheat

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394 *for file.*

1. Reference our letter of the 9th, forwarding comments made by G-4 on existing port facilities at CASTELLAMARE and TORRE ANNUNZIATA.

2. Additional information has now been given by G-4 to the effect that two cranes were made available for CASTELLAMARE by American Ordnance. Though the cranes are stated to have been available since November 1944, delivery has never been taken. The result is that, if the cranes are still required, re-indents must be issued.

3. Other material is stated to be awaiting issue, but no arrangements seem to have been made to collect it.

4. As already pointed out, increased port capacity for bulk wheat is urgently needed. It is therefore requested that a reply to this Headquarter's letter of the 9th may be hastened.

For the Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

G. ELLIS, Major
Econ & Supply Div.

Working
This subject now in file 665/143

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Subject : G-4 (Mov & Tn) Weekly Report
to MEDCO on Civil Sups.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-4 (Mov & Tn) 5/411/GDM

20 Jan 45

Tel: FREEDOM 302

115. CIVIL SUPS LOADERS (See Para 105):

(a) Of the 12 Br controlled vessels, the undermentioned will load as shown -

+	'FORT SLAVE'	Wheat	Canadian Port
+	'SAMHOE'	"	BALTIMORE
+	'DUKE OF PARTA'	"	"
+	'SAMLOVAL'	"	PHILADELPHIA
+	'FORT CLIFFORD'	"	CHARLESTON
+	'FORT SOULES'	"	BALTIMORE
+	'FORT PASKOYAC'	Sugar	Not known
+	'SAMARINDA'	Wheat	

+ = Grain for ITALY or BALKANS

(b) The following vessels load coal -

'FORT SALTISH' 'FORT GLENORA' 'SAMFLORA' 'FORT GRAHAM'

116. BALKANS - MAR FOOD ARRIVALS (See Para 91):

(a) WASHINGTON has been informed that Feb food arrivals, together with SWEDISH/SWISS cargoes, will be adequate for GREECE until 1 Apr.

(b) It is considered that MTO stocks will be adequate for the needs of JUGOSLAVIA and ALBANIA until 1 Apr with the exception of wheat.

(c) The only food required for BALKANS arrival in Mar is 40,000 tons bagged wheat for JUGOSLAVIA.

117. SWEDISH/SWISS SHIPMENTS / Sheet 2

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6-4 (MOV & TN) WEEKLY REPORT
TO MEDCO ON CIVIL SUPS (Contd)

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117. SWEDISH/SWISS SHIPMENTS (See Para 52):

The present position is understood to be -

(a) En route to GREECE or recently arrived:

'FORMOSA'	left ST JOHN	20 Dec	(7,317 tons)	
'SAGGAS'	" " "	13 Dec	(6,065 "	
'TAMARA'	" " "	29 Dec	(8,538 "	
'PARRAGATTA'	BUENOS AIRES	2 Jan	(7,500 "	wheat)

(b) Now at ST JOHN:

'ANIK' loading gen cargo, due to sail 8 Jan
'BOHNLAND' repairing
'FERRIS' loaded wheat, due to sail 8 Jan
'VASABORN' repairing

118. CIVIL SHIPMENT - TURKEY to S/FRANCE:

The French Embassy, ANKARA, has asked SHAEF's permission for a Turkish ship to proceed to S. FRANCE ports to discharge a cargo of tobacco, foodstuffs and med supplies on French civil account.

119. CURRENT WHEAT SHIPS - ITALY:

Statement is att at Appx 'A'

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(V. KING) Maj.
/for Brigadier
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CERIAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 19 JAN

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SHIP	DEPT	BULK WHEAT	B.G. WHEAT	B.G. BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO GATA LA	NAPLES	BAIT	COST- ELLAND ARE.	TOTAL REVENUE ZETA
RAYMOND V INGESOLL	25'0"		513		UGS 63	USA	2 JAN		513			
PAISIAN DALTON	23'0"		1476		"	USA	3 JAN		1476			
MAISD LE				5368	Sailed ex M.E. 29 Dec	EMQ	6 JAN				5368	
SAMOLAND			6773		Sailed ex ME 27 Dec	M.E.	7 JAN	6773				
BINGER HERMAN	27'0"		1274		UGS 63	USA	11 JAN		1274	(LEGHORN)		
FORT MINGAN	26'0"		3399		UGS 64	USA	12 JAN					
THERESE DOMIGGS	14'2" Fwd 17'6" Aft		1291		Sailed ME 19 Dec	M.E.	13 JAN		1291 (SALERNO)			
WEL LEAVITT	27'7"	8090			UGS 62	USA	16 JAN					2350
G B L BRICK	27'4" Fwd 20'7" Aft		7738		UGS 65	USA	12 JAN			7738		
NATHAN HALE		8586			UGS 66	USA	25 JAN		8586			
PALERMO			1227			M.E.	29 JAN		1227			
JOHN H QUICK	28'6"		8764		UGS 67	USA	30 JAN	8764 (PALERMO)				
ELISHA GLOVES CATS	27'0"		8300		UGS 67	USA	30 JAN		8300			
CYDE A DUNNING	28'7"		8000	66 65	UGS 67	USA	30 JAN					

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BULK WHEAT	BAG WHEAT	BAG BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALERMO CATA LA	NAPLES	BASE	CAST- ELLAMA- ARE.	TONE- ALVET- ZITA	CATONE	REMARKS
	513		UGS 65	USA	2 JAN		513					Now discharging.
	1476		"	USA	3 JAN		1476					Now discharging ETC 19/1
		5368	Sailed ex M.E. 29 Dec	IRAC	6 JAN				5368			at CASTELLAMA
	6773		Sailed ex ME 27 Dec	M.E.	7 JAN	6773						Discharged 5267 tons at PALERMO. Now at C. T. M. A.
	1274		UGS 63	USA	11 JAN		1274	(L. M. M. N)				Now discharging.
	8399		UGS 64	USA	12 JAN						8399 (REGGIO/ CATONE)	Discharging REGGIO.
	1291		Sailed ME 19 Dec	M.E.	13 JAN		1291 (S. L. M. O)					At REGGIO. Bad weather preventing discharge.
	8090		UGS 62	USA	16 JAN					2350		Dischd 5700 tons CAST- ELLAMA. Now discharg- ing TONE ALVET.
	7758		UGS 65	USA	22 JAN			7758				Ex. H. K. program
	8686		UGS 66	USA	25 JAN		8686					
	1227			M.E.	29 JAN		1227					Also carried 1195 tons Ord.
	8764		UGS 67	USA	30 JAN	8764 (PALERMO)						
	8300		UGS 67	USA	30 JAN		8300					
	8000	CO CO C1	UGS 67	USA	30 JAN						8000 (REGGIO/CATONE)	Ex. H. K. program.



CEREAL SHIPS- ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 19 JAN.

APPENDIX "B" (CONTD)

SHIP	DRAFT	FULK WHEAT	B.G. WHEAT	B.G. BARLEY	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALESTINE/ CATANIA	MEPS	BARI	CAS- ELLA- ROMA	TOBRE ATTUN- ZILTA
GEORGE E HALE ✓				7712	ITA SUEZ	IRAQ	31 JAN					
NEWTON D BAKER ✓					UGS 68	USA	4 FEB					
WILLIAM HUME ✓	28'4"				UGS 68	"	4 FEB					
EDWARD SPALDON ✓	29'0"				UGS 68	"	4 FEB					
MENDEL D WILLIE					UGS 69	"	9 FEB					
CLAN MACPHEAN				3582	Loads Per- sian Gulf end Dec	IRAQ	10 FEB			3582		
BENGLER			750		UGS 70	USA	14 FEB		750			
LOSSIEBANK				4145	Loads Per- sian Gulf end Dec	IRAQ	FEB					
SUL ROSS READE				7000	Loads Per- sian Gulf latter half Jan		FEB					
UDUCAS				7000			FEB					
COLIN BRISTOL				7000		IRAQ	FEB					
VICTOR HERBERT				7000								

MICHLY AND SANDINIA - POSN AT 19 JAN.

APPENDIX "B" (CONTD)

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WHEAT	BAG	BAG	CONVOY	FROM	DUE	PALESTINE/	NAPLES	BARI	CASST-	TOURRE	CHOTONE	REMARKS
WHEAT	WHEAT	BAGLEY				CONTINIA			ELIA-	ARMUN-		
		7712	ETA SUEZ	IRAQ	31 JAN							LEGHORN/CIVITA VECCHIA.
			22 JAN									
			UGS 68	USA	4 FEB							For West Coast
			UGS 68	"	4 FEB							" " "
			UGS 68	"	4 FEB							GI for orders.
			UGS 69	"	9 FEB							For West Coast
		3582	Loads Per-	IRAQ	10 FEB			3502				Also carries 2207
			sion Gulf									tons Ann.
			end Dec									
	750		UGS 70	USA	14 FEB		750					Sailed BSR. 16 JAN
		4145	Loads Per-	IRAQ	FEB							
			sion Gulf									
			end Dec									
		7000	Loads Per-		FEB							Replaces CARUS T
			sion Gulf									LDY
		7000	latter		FEB							
			half JAN									
		7000		IRAQ	FEB							For city
												WHEAT.
		7000		"	"							"

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CERIAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY & SARDINIA - POSN AT 12 JAN

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SHIP	Draft	Bulk Wheat	Bag Wheat	Bag Barley	Convoy	From	Due	PALESTINO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	CAS- TILLAM MARE	BARI	CA IA
H.C. COSTIN ✓	27'4"		8231 (F)		UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		8231			
PEREGRINE WHITE ✓	26'0"		755		UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		755			
WM LEAVITT ✓	27'7"	8090			UGS 62	USA	26 Dec			8090		
SIDNEY WRIGHT ✓	29'0"		8653		UGS 62	USA	31 Dec					
EMPIRE COWDRAY ✓	24'6"		7789		UGS 63	USA	1 Jan					77
RAYMOND V LINTSOLL ✓	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				7598	
PETER MCGUIRE ✓	26'0"		1452		UGS 63	USA	6 Jan		1452			
MARSDALE ✓				5368	Sailed Ex ME 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan			5368		
EMOLAND ✓			6773		Sailed Ex ME 27 Dec	M.E.	7 Jan	6773				
BINGER HERMAN ✓	27'0"		1274		UGS 63	USA	11 Jan		1274			
RUFUS E FOSTER ✓	27'0"		1278		UGS 62	USA	12 Jan		1278(SALERNO)			
SAMUEL T DARLING ✓	26'8"		1270		UGS 62	USA	13 Jan	1270 (MESSINA)				

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SARDINIA - POSN AT 12 JAN

Bulk Wheat	Bag Wheat	Bag Barley	Convoy	From	Due	PALESTINO/ CATANIA	NAPLES	CAST- ELLAM MARE	BARI	CACLI IARI	TORRE ANNUN ZIATA	CROTONE	Remarks
	8231 (P)		UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		8231						also carries 38 vehs Discharging NAPLES
	755		UGS 62	USA	23 Dec		755						Now discharging
8090			UGS 62	USA	26 Dec			8090					Now discharging
	8653		UGS 62	USA	31 Dec							6211	Discharged 12310 2442 tons. Dischar- ging CROTONE ETC 12 Jan.
	7789		UGS 63	USA	1 Jan					7789			Now discharging ETC 12 Jan.
	500		UGS 63	USA	2 Jan		500						Now discharging
	1476		"	USA	3 Jan		1476						Now discharging
	7598		Sailed Ex ME 21 Dec	AUST- RALIA	5 Jan				7598				Now discharging
	1452		UGS 63	USA	6 Jan		1452						Discharging LEGHORN
		5368	Sailed Ex ME 29 Dec	IRAQ	6 Jan			5368					Discharges Barley at CASTELLAMARE & then at NAPLES. awaiting berth.
	6773		Sailed Ex ME 27 Dec	M.E.	7 Jan	6773							Discharging PALERMO
	1274		UGS 63	USA	11 Jan		1274						Arvd LEGHORN 11 Jan
	1278		UGS 62	USA	12 Jan		1278 (SALERNO)						To commence SALERNO 12 Jan
	1270		UGS 62	USA	13 Jan	1270 (MESSINA)							

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CENTRAL SHIPS - ITALY, SICILY AND SARDINIA - POSN AT 12 JAN

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SHIP	Draft	Bulk Wheat	Bag Wheat	Bag Barley	Convey	From	Due	SYLVANO/ ANTINIA	NAPLES	CAS- BILLO NAIRE	BARO	CACL LARE	TORE ANNUN ZIATA
PORT MINGAN ✓	26'0"		8399		UGS 61	USA	13 Jan						
THERESE NOMICOS ✓	14'2" Fwd 17'6" Aft		1291		Sailed ME 19 Dec	M.M.	13 Jan		1291 (1194-10)				
JAS L BRECK ✓	27'4" Fwd 29'0" Aft		7738		UGS 65	USA	23 Jan				7738		
CLAN MACBEAN ✓				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 Jan		Feb						
CAULICEUS ✓				7000			Feb						
NATHAN HALE ✓		8686			UGS 66	USA	2 Feb		8686				
JOHN H QUTCK	28'6"		8300		UGS 67	USA	2 Feb						
ELISAB GRAVES ✓ OTIS	27'0"		8300		UGS 67	USA	5 Feb				8300		
MICHAEL EDELSTEIN ✓				7000		IRAQ	Feb						
VICTOR HERBERT ✓				7000		"	"						

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SARDINIA -- POEN AT 12 JAN

Bag Wheat	Bag Barley	Convey	From	Due	YALNICO/CATANIA	NAPLES	CASABLANCA	BARCELONA	CACI	ANTUN	CROTONE	Remarks
8399		UCS 64	USA	13 Jan							8399 (NAGGIO/CROTONE)	at AUGUSTA
1291		Sailed ME 19 Dec	N.L.	13 Jan		1291 (SARDINIA)						at NAPLES 11 Jan
7738		UCS 65	USA	23 Jan				7738				Ex ELKANS program
	1000	Load Persian Gulf end Dec	IRAQ	end Jan								
	1000	" " " "	"	"								LECHORY/CIVITAVECCHIA
	7000	Sailed IRAQ 8 Jan	"	Jan								Replaces CYRUS T BRADY
	7000	Loads Persian Gulf latter half Jan		Feb								
	7000			Feb								
86		UCS 66	USA	2 Feb		8686						For West Coast
	8300	UCS 67	USA	2 Feb					8300			
	8300	UCS 67	USA	3 Feb								
	7000		IRAQ	Feb								
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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 war & 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
Food including wheat. ALL ITALY, SICILY and SARDINIA	104	104	212	231	231	231	1113	143
All items AUSURIA (if approved by OCS) and dependent on current ops	-	-	45	42	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 FOOD	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 (a) above.

Commodity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Total Tons	Total Ships
UNRRA, ITALY, if approved by OCS	-	-	-	20	20	60	10
Fertilisers etc. ITALY	-	11	11	11	-	33	5
Miscellaneous non-recurring items BALKANS	10	10	10	10	10	60	10
TOTAL	10	21	21	41	30	153	25

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

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

8000 tons for wheat ships and 5000 tons for miscellaneous ships.

(All in thousands of net metric tons)

Commodity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total Tons	Total Ships
Food including wheat. ALL ITALY, SICILY and SARDINIA	104	104	212	231	231	23	1113	143
All items AUSTRALIA (if approved by OCS) and dependent on current ops	-	-	45	42	42	42	171	24
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TOTAL	104	259	412	428	428	428	2059	
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Commodity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Total Tons	Total Ships
UNRRA, ITALY, if approved by OCS	-	-	-	20	20	60	10
Fertilizers etc. ITALY	-	11	11	11	-	33	5
Miscellaneous non- recurring items BALCONS	10	10	10	10	10	60	93
TOTAL	10	21	21	41	30	153	25

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(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	130	130	130	130	130	130	780
SICILY	23	23	28	28	28	23	168
SARDINIA	8	3	8	8	8	8	48
TOTAL WHEAT	165	216	266	309	309	309	1575
fed stocks	72	122	72	96	96	96	554
ports	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
SARDEGNA	8	8	8	8	8	3	48
TOTAL	94	94	194	213	213	213	1021

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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 convoy.

112. FLOUR, ITALY.

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113. CURRENT WHEAT SHIPS, ITALY.

Statement is att at appx A.

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(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 info 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	3.9	23.1
Medical	.5	.5	.5	1.5
Agricultural rehabilitation	25.3	13.2	6.6	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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