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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
FAR EAST COMMAND  
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Subject: *Handwritten notes*

File No:

Date: 12 Sept 1950

To: Chief of Staff

From: *Handwritten initials*

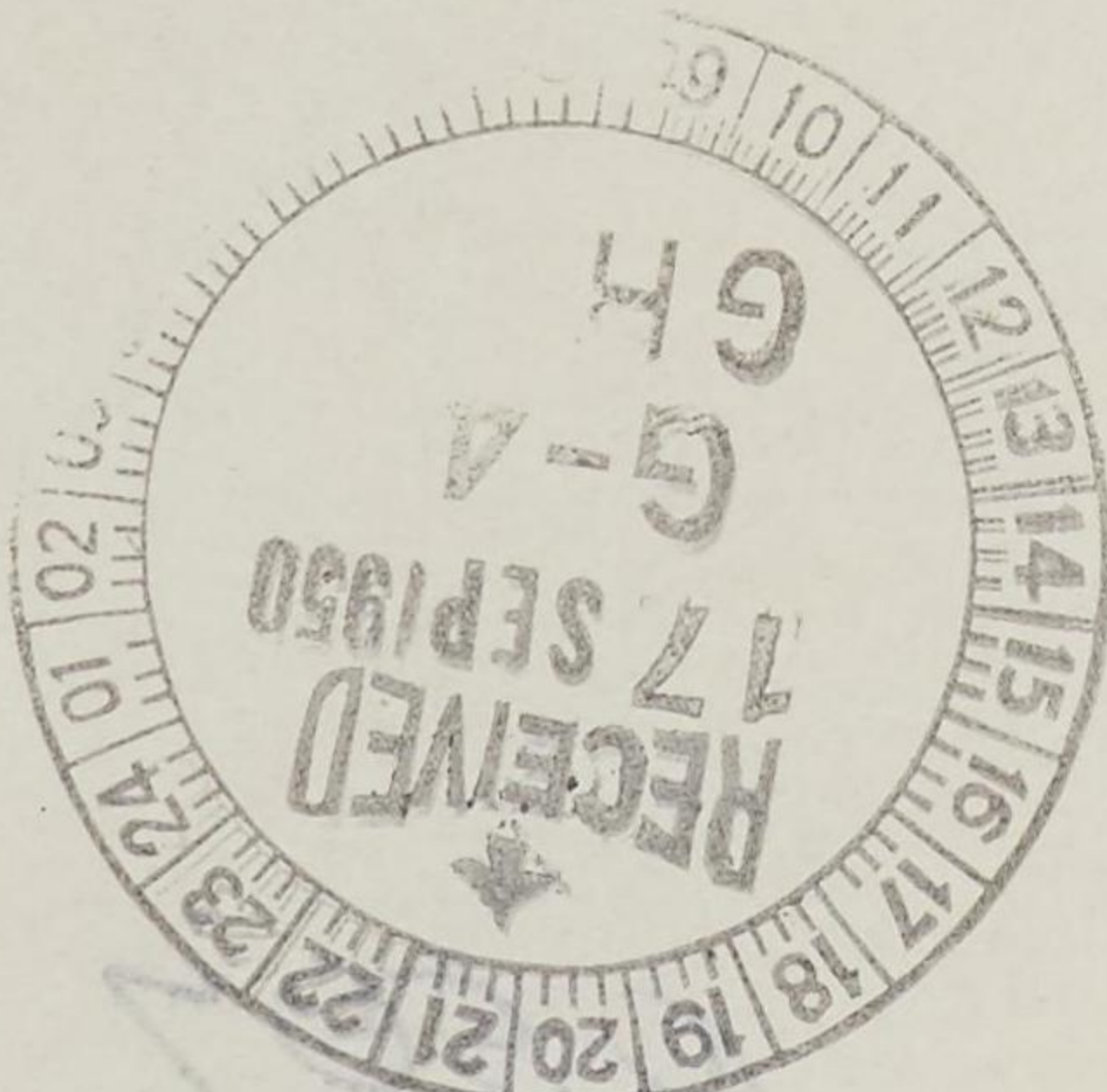
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- 1. TAB 1 - CG 1st MARDIV
- 2. TAB 2 - G-4 1st MARDIV
- 3. TAB 3 - CX 1st MARDIV





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Major Kreutzer 26-6456

Ammo Reports

G-4

Chief of Staff

12 Sept 1950

(1) 1. Re your comment "Telephone msg from Gen. Allen says 'Report required by Collins' msg (W 90818) was sent to SFPE and copy to CINCPAC but not to DA.' EUSAK Ord Off is bringing us a copy. Call JLCOM on it." (TAB A) the following information is furnished:

a. Gen. Allen is correct in his statement that a copy of the "Weapons List, Projected Tonnages and Projected Troop Deployment" has been sent to SFPE, however, the ZI requires additional information in the form of daily ammo status reports and past expenditure rates.

b. A recent msg from ARMY EIGHT, G 21913 KODO (TAB B), indicates that command is taking action to comply with the provisions of CX 62561 (TAB C). Receipt of the required information from ARMY EIGHT will enable this headquarters to reply in full to DA msg W 90818.

c. CG JLCOM has been directed by CX 62561 to furnish DA with a copy of the "Weapons List, Projected Tonnages and Projected Troop Deployment" and further to insure that these reports are maintained on a current and accurate basis.

2. Your comment on TAB A "See Attached" refers to a separate query concerning the shortage of 105mm How ammo in ARMY EIGHT and whether the shortage would be alleviated by the arrival of ammo ships from the ZI. This query was the subject of a separate C/N to you.

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1. TAB A - C/S Memo
2. TAB B - G 21913 KODO
3. TAB C - CX 62561

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CHIEF OF STAFF  
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Date \_\_\_\_\_ 1950

MEMORANDUM For: Gen. Eberle

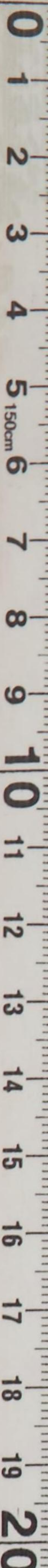
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1. See attached  
 2. Telephone msg fr.  
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 & copy to CINCDEF sent out to  
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EDWARD M. ALMOND  
 Major General, GSC  
 Chief of Staff





TAB B - G 21913 KODO

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

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11 Sep 50 *RT*

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT  
TO : CINCPAC  
INFO : CG JLCOM  
NR : O 21913 KODO

A. CINCPAC msg CX 62561.  
B. Ltr GHQ FEC, AG 471 (3 Sep 50) OR, subj: Tentative Standing Operating procedure for Army theater ammo service in the Far East Comd in support of the Armed Forces of the United Nations, 3 Sep 50. Initial ammo stock status report required by ref B above will be fwd by air courier 11 Sep. Ammo expenditure data by cal for the period 15 to 31 Jul and the month of Aug will be fwd by 12 Sep. Report by type would not reflect true percentage due to the limited availabilities of many types filed.

NO SIG

REVISED (11 Sep 50)

ACTION : ORDNANCE

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, JLCOM LNO

NOTE : This msg received direct from CG ARMY EIGHT via Courier.

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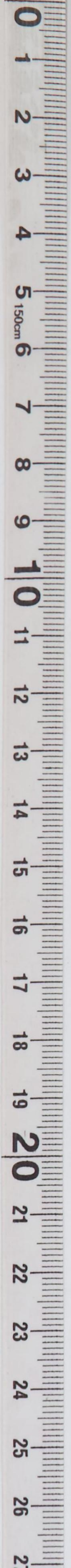
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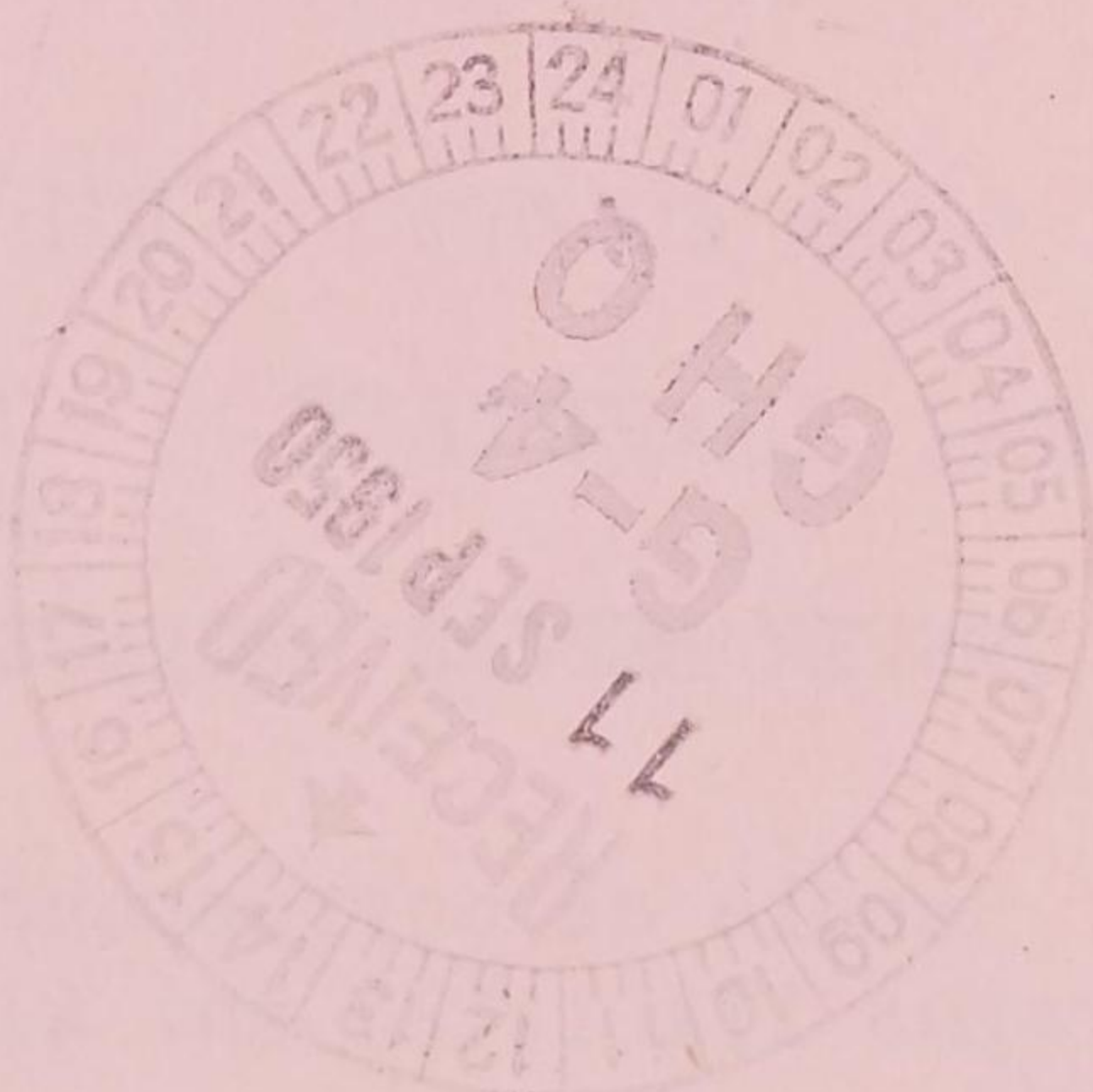


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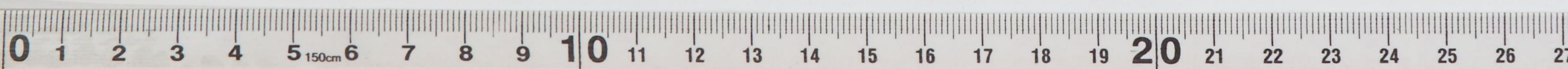
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TAB C - CX 62561

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 17a(1)(2) and 41e(2)(b) and (c), AR 380-5, 15 Nov 49.

OUTGOING MESSAGE

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FROM: CINCFE TOKYO JAPAN

TO: DEPT OF ARMY WASH DC. . . . . PRIORITY

CG ARMY EIGHT KOREA . . . . . PRIORITY

CG JLCOM. . . . . PRIORITY

CX 62561

References (notal):

- a. Letter, GHQ, FEC, AG 461 (25 Jul 50)OR, subject: Draft Field Manual 9-6, Ordnance Ammunition Service in the Field, 25 July 1950.
- b. Letter, GHQ, FEC, AG 400 (31 Jul 50)GD, subject: Logistics Reports, 31 July 1950.
- c. CINCFE msg CX 59059, 31 July 1950.
- d. CINCFE msg CX 61323, 27 August 1950.
- e. CINCFE msg CX 60341, 17 August 1950.
- f. CINCFE msg CX 61627, 30 August 1950.
- g. CINCFE msg CX 61778, 1 September 1950.
- h. Letter, GHQ, FEC, AG 471 (3 Sep 50)OR, subject: Tentative Standing Operating Procedure for Army Theater Ammunition Service in the Far East Command in Support of the Armed Forces of the United Nations, 3 September 1950.

RETURN COPY.

This msg in three parts.

Part I to CG ARMY EIGHT. Absolutely essential that ARMY EIGHT submit without delay Ammo Stock Status Reports as required in reference h above. Initial report will include the daily status of stocks from 1 Sept to current date and on a daily basis hereafter. Also urgently required is best info available on ammo expenditures for the months of July and August, by type and caliber. Desire this headquarters be informed immediately as to when the initial report may be expected and to what extent expenditure data can be furnished.

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FROM: CINCFE TO DEPT OF ARMY WASH DC, CG ARMY EIGHT KOREA, CG JLCOM,  
GD SP RBK/BH/lg

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Part II to CG JLCOM. Upon receipt of daily ammo reports from ARMY EIGHT immediate action must be taken to comply with the reporting procedures outlined in reference h. It is imperative that the requirements contained in paragraphs 1 and 2, Part V of reference h be met and kept current with complete and accurate information. Desire you forward soonest to Dept of Army, Attention G-4, an information copy of "Weapons and Troop List" and "Projected Ammo Level of Supply" which you furnished SFPE on 27 August 1950.

Part III to Dept of Army. A study of past expenditures is currently being conducted by this headquarters, you will be furnished the results thereof ASAP by priority msg. This is a reply to your W 90565 and an interim reply to W 90818.

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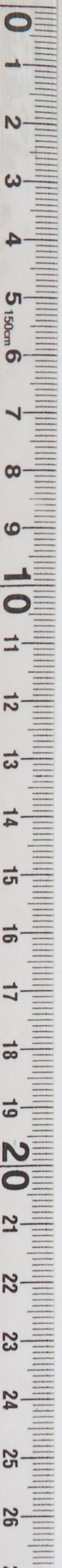
K. B. BUSH  
Brigadier General, AGD  
Adjutant General

G. L. EBERLE  
Major General, General Staff Corps  
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS FAR EAST COMMAND  
G-4 STAFF SECTION  
INFORMATION ROUTING SLIP

File No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date 18 Sept 50

SUBJECT: Ammo Reports

CHIEF OF STAFF  
CORRESPONDENCE

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Gen. Eberle \_\_\_\_\_

Col. Forsyth \_\_\_\_\_

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Plans & Opns \_\_\_\_\_

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Ltr, RYCOM, AIO 471, subj: Waiver on Ammunition Storage, 5 Sep 50

AG 471 (5 Sep 50)OR 1st Ind

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND, APO 500 12 SEP 50

TO: Commanding General, Far East Air Forces, APO 925

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12 Sep 50

1. The basic letter from Commanding General, Ryukyus Command requests a waiver for certain violations of inhabited building distances for ammunition stored in the vicinity of the Antiaircraft Artillery gun positions.

2. Since the Air Forces have assumed operational control of the Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion on Okinawa, request your concurrence and/or comments.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

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Captain, AGO  
Asst. Adj. Gen.  
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M/R: 1. The basic ltr reports certain violations of the QD Tables as shown in TM 9-1900 and requests a waiver.

2. OI #1 places the AAA units under the operational control of the AF's.

3. This ind fwds the ltr to FEAF requesting their comments and/or concurrence.

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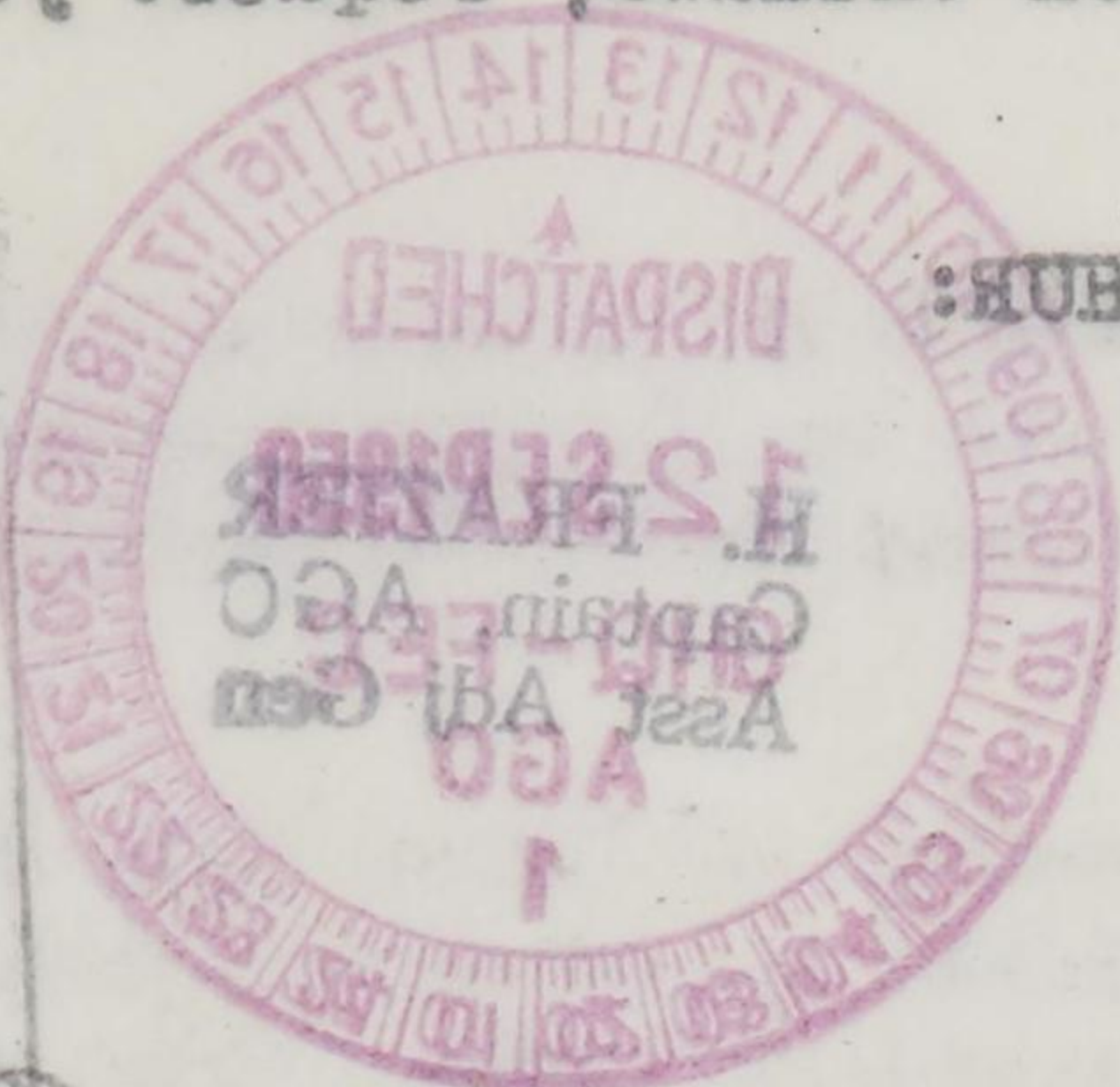
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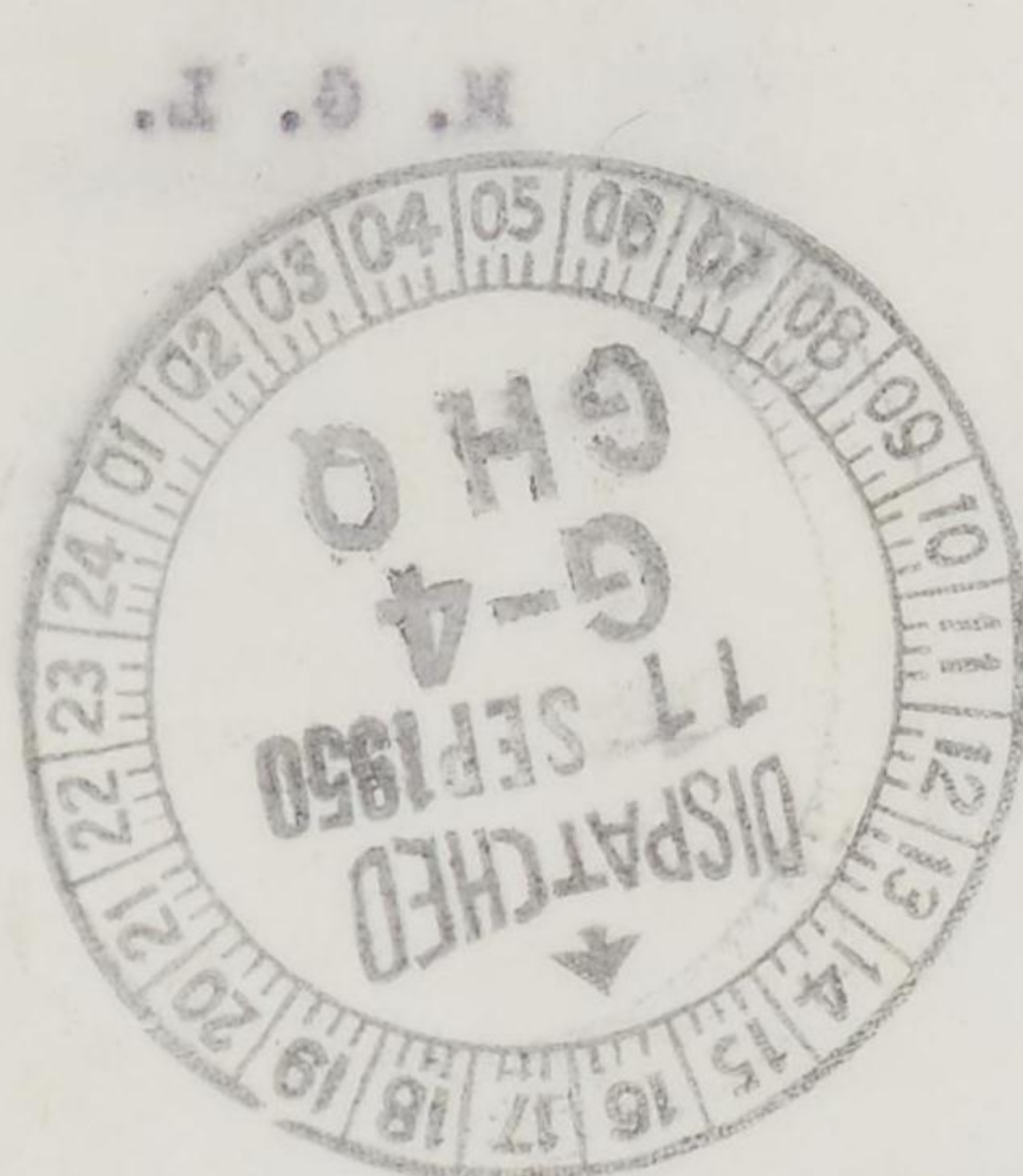


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HEADQUARTERS  
RYUKYUS COMMAND  
APO 331

AIO 471

5 September 1950

SUBJECT: Waiver on Ammunition Storage

TO: Commander-in-Chief  
Far East Command  
APO 500

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3. Request a waiver of quantity-distance allowances be granted for ammunition stored in areas mentioned above.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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1. Kawasaki Area Map  
2. Sobe Area "A" Map

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Capt AGC  
Asst Adj General

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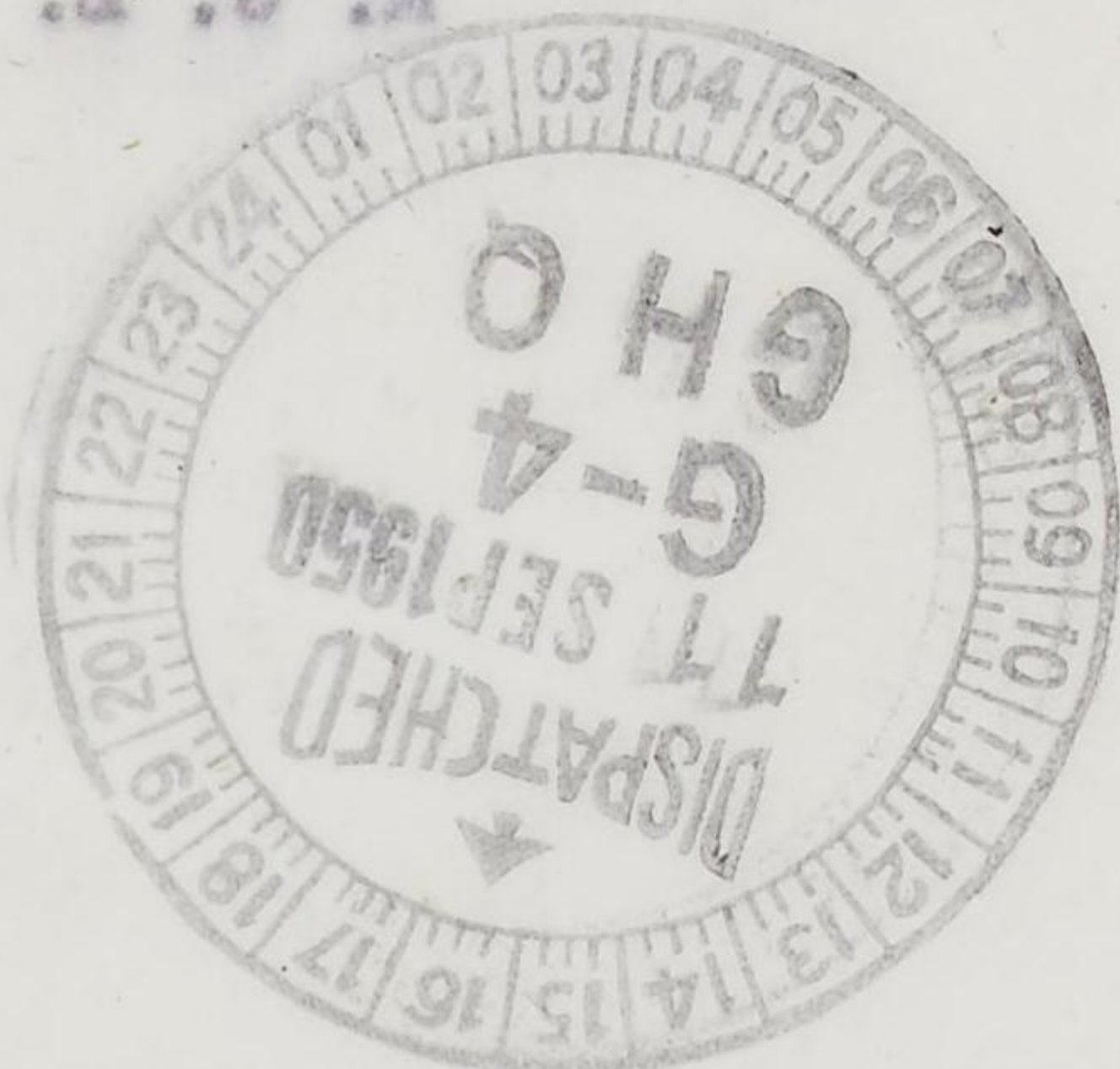
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2. OI 41 places the AAA units under the operational control of the AF's.

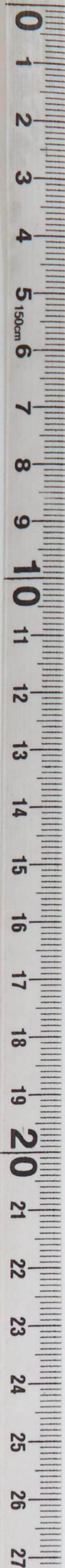
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RYUKYUS COMMAND  
APO 331

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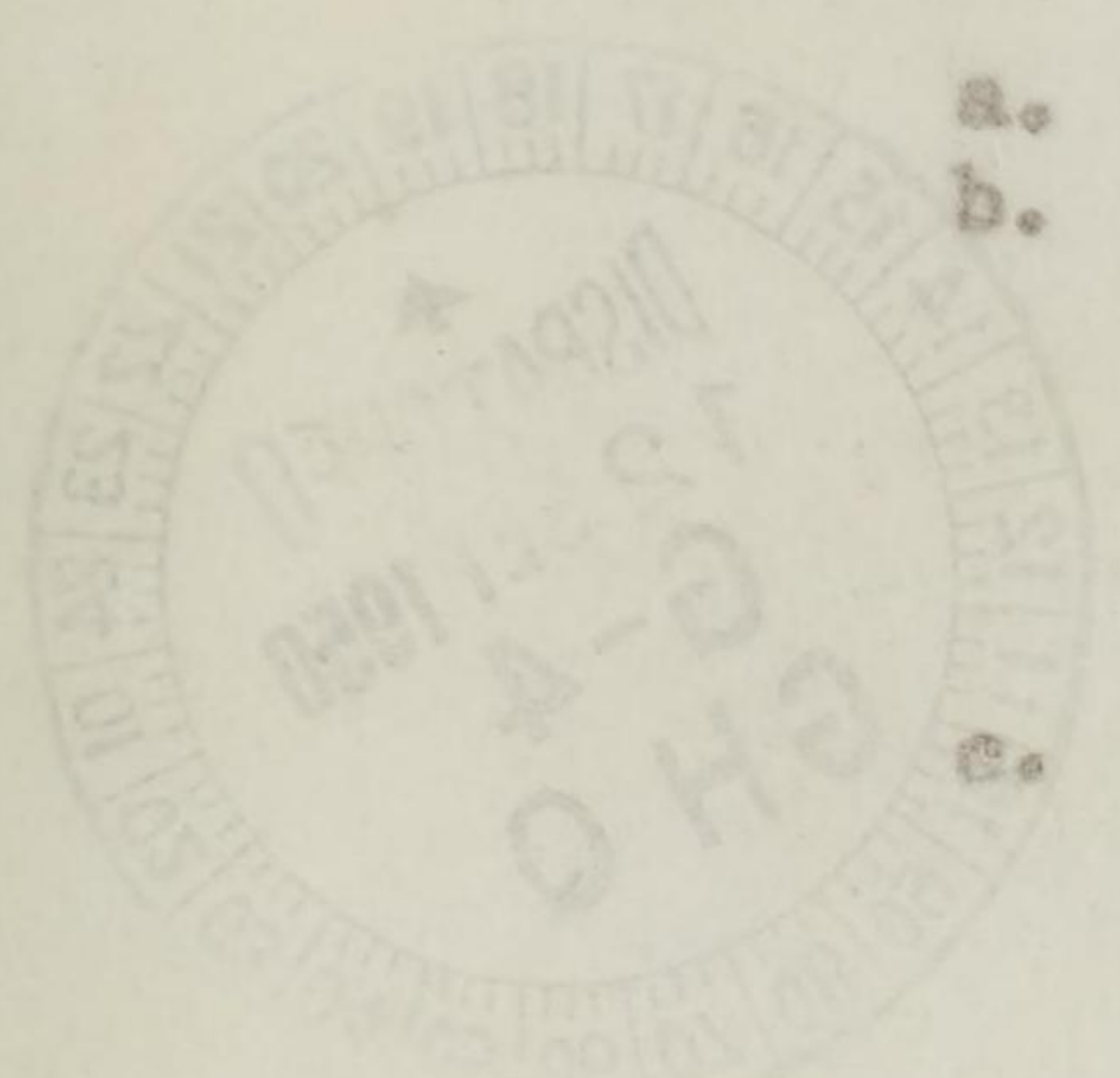
75mm How Ammo for 187th AB

G-4

CofS

12 Sept 1950

1. Reference your query on G-3 memorandum, 10 Sept 50, (Tab A) concerning allotment of ammo for 187th Airborne RCT, the following points are pertinent.
  2. The C.O. of 187th AB RCT advises that his artillery battalion will use 105mm Howitzers but since he anticipates no need for his AAA battalion in their primary role and, since they have been trained to use 75mm Howitzers in ground support roles, he intends to utilize them in that capacity.
  3. Status of 75mm Howitzer ammunition is as follows:
    - a. 187th AB RCT has one basic load - 3000 rds.
    - b. 13200 rds are available in Japan (G-4 JLCOM, Col Thompson) disposed as follows:
      - (1) 2000 rds, Project EAGER, at Ashiya.
      - (2) 4000 rds, en route to Ashiya for Project EAGER.
      - (3) 7200 rds, depot stocks.
    - c. In addition, 38,500 rds are en route to Japan with an MTA of 18 Sept 50 (probably deliverable to 187th AB RCT on an air lift basis by 25 Sept 50.
  4. a. Of the 7200 rds available in depot stocks, JLCOM has been directed to earmark one basic load (3000 rds EG) for resupply to 187th AB RCT.
    - b. The 6000 rounds established for Project EAGER are being held for the use of I Corps, primarily for emergency supply of the Marines, but since that action will precede the action of the 187th AB RCT, there is a strong possibility that some of this may be available for the later action.
  5. The 187th AB RCT will thus be definitely supported with a 6-day supply based upon present expenditure rates. Later resupply will be entirely dependent upon the timely arrival of the Pioneer Lake, scheduled for 18 Sept, which will greatly relieve the tension caused by the present critical supply of this type of ammunition.

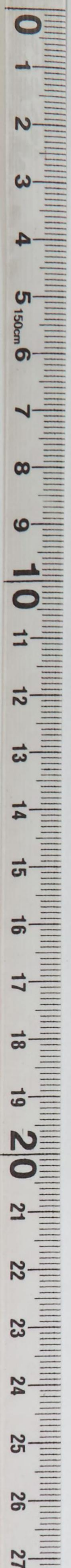


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Col Bitter 28-6438

1st Air Div for 187th AB

18 Sept 1950

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1. Reference your query on 6-3 memorandum, 18 Sept 50, (Tab A) concerning assignment of cases for 187th Airborne RCT, the following points are pertinent.

2. The G.O. of 187th AB RCT advises that his auxiliary battalion will use 10th Airborne but since he anticipates no need for his AAA battalion in their primary role and, since they have been trained to use 7th Airborne in ground support roles, he intends to utilize them in that capacity.

3. Status of 7th Airborne ammunition is as follows:

- a. 187th AB RCT has one basic load - 3000 rds.
- b. 1300 rds are available in Japan (0-4 JICOR, Col Thompson)

dispensed as follows:

- (1) 2000 rds, Project EAGER, at Asbya.
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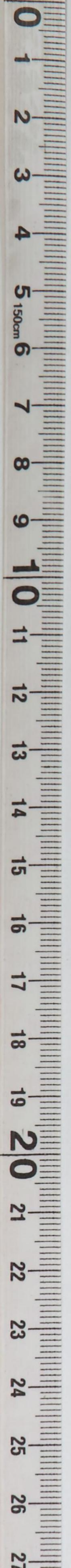
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Maj Kreutzer 26-6456

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Arrival of Ammunition Ships

G-4

Chief of Staff

12 Sept 1950

(p) 1. In compliance with your request, "Please go over this TAB B and how: (1) Totals (2) Expended since 2 Sept (3) Rate day expended (4) What we will have on hand at the end of the period." (TAB A), G-4 has prepared on separate sheets, by type of ammo, the information desired. (See TABS B THRU K attached).

2. Of particular importance is the status of the 4.2" mortar, 60mm mortar, 81mm mortar and 105mm How ammunition. Using approved FEC expenditure rates, it is noted that these types of ammo will be expended prior to the end of the period or exist in small quantities at that time unless conservation is effected throughout the period. It is further noted an expenditure rate for the 3.5" rocket of .2 rds/weapon/day cannot be exceeded if we are to stay within the quantities being made available from the ZI.

3. It appears that the weapons list for 30 cal machine guns, 155mm How, 90mm guns, and 4.2 mortars submitted by the Ordnance Officer X Corps are not reconcilable with the list submitted by 8th Army for the same weapons. For example, the 8th Army with four US divisions and five ROK divisions lists 2877 machine guns, 30 cal while X Corps with two divisions lists 2978; another example is the number of 155 How: 8th Army lists 54, while X Corps lists 90. The only possible way for X Corps to arrive at the figure of 90 is to include the medium battalion of the 3rd Div. G-4 is taking steps to determine why X Corps weapons list differs from a T/O&E basis.

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1. TAB A CofS Memo
2. TAB B list, 105 How
3. TAB C list, 81MM Mortar
4. TAB D list, 4.2" Mortar
5. TAB E list, 60mm Mortar
6. TAB F list, Launcher Rocket 3.5"
7. TAB G list, 90mm Tank
8. TAB H list, 30 cal Machine Guns
9. TAB I list, 155mm How
10. TAB J list, 8" How
11. TAB K list, 30 cal Carbine

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Arrival of Ammunition Ships

12 Sept 1950

Chief of Staff

G-4

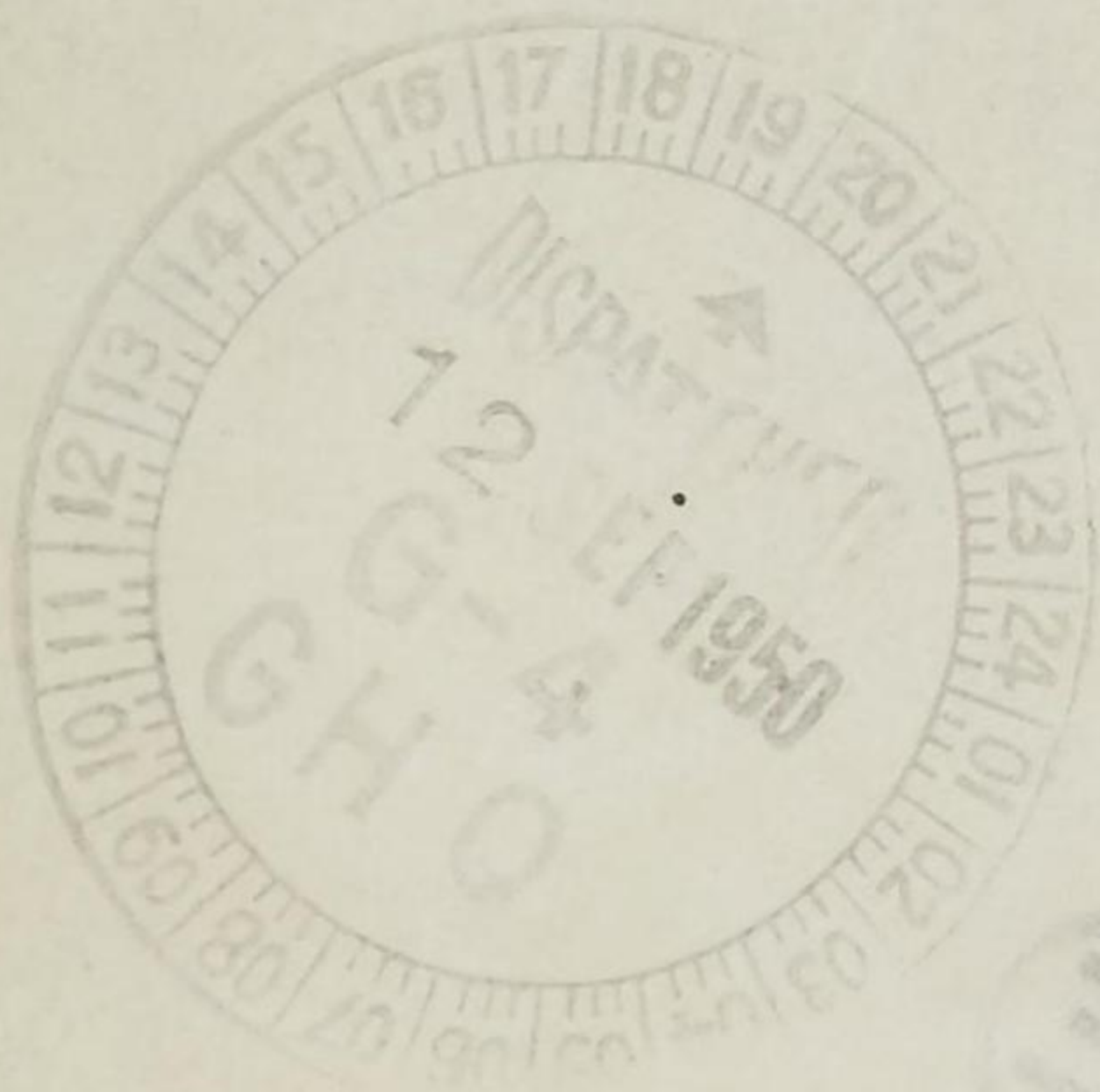
1. In compliance with your request, please go over this TAB B and show: (1) Total (2) Expanded since 2 Sept (3) Rate day expended (4) What we will have on hand at the end of the period. (TAB A). G-4 has prepared on separate sheets, by type of ammo, the information desired. (See TABS B THRU K attached).

2. Of particular importance is the status of the A.2 mortar, 60mm mortar, 81mm mortar and 105mm How ammunition. Using approved POC expenditure rates, it is noted that these types of ammo will be expended prior to the end of the period or exist in small quantities at that time unless conservation is effected throughout the period. It is further noted an expenditure rate for the 2.2" rocket of 2.75 being made available from the 31.

3. It appears that the weapons list for 30 cal machine guns, 155mm How, 90mm gun, and 4.2 mortar submitted by the Ordnance Officer X Corps are not reconcilable with the list submitted by 8th Army for the same weapons. For example, the 8th Army with four US divisions and five BOM divisions lists 2377 machine guns, 30 cal while X Corps with two divisions lists 2978; another example is the number of 155 How: 8th Army lists 24, while X Corps lists 90. The only possible way for X Corps to arrive at the figure of 90 is to include the medium battalion of the 3rd Div. G-4 is taking steps to determine why X Corps weapons list differs from a T/O&E basis.

If Incls

1. TAB A G-4 Memo
2. TAB B List, 105 How
3. TAB C List, 60mm mortar
4. TAB D List, 4.2" mortar
5. TAB E List, 60mm mortar
6. TAB F List, Launcher Rocket 2.2"
7. TAB G List, 90mm tank
8. TAB H List, 30 cal Machine Gun
9. TAB I List, 155mm How
10. TAB J List, 8" How
11. TAB K List, 30 cal Carbine



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Maj Kreutzer 26-6456

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File No:

Subject: Arrival of Ammunition Ships

Note  
No.

From: G-4

To: Chief of Staff

Date: 10 Sept 1950

(1)

1. In reply to your query "what is the status of this today?" (TAB A) regarding the arrival of certain ammunition ships during the period 20 - 26 Sept the following information is furnished:

a. The Ord Section GHQ at the request of G-4 has prepared a complete analysis of the on-hand stock status of ammunition both in Japan and Korea as of 2 Sept and in addition has tabulated the known dues-in for the month of Sept and as much of Oct as is currently available. The study is attached hereto as TAB B.

b. Because of the tight supply situation in 105 How ammo, it is the opinion of G-4 that 8th A will still be required to maintain rationing on this type of ammunition until such time as ZI shipments increase materially.

c. The 81mm mortar situation appears to be somewhat better in Korea than initially anticipated. Shipments from the ZI, while small, will further alleviate the critical shortage of this type of ammunition.

d. The 8-inch howitzer ammunition due in on the SANTA CLARA on the 29th of Sept and the DRURY VICTORY on the same date should allow the employment of this weapon in its normal role.

e. The small arms ammo supply does not appear to be critical at this time. In addition to the cal 30 MG and carbine ammunition itemized on the attached chart, additional amounts of small arms ammunition in presently unknown quantities are due in from USARPAC during the month of Sept.

2. G-4 has instructed the Ord O to maintain the complete status of dues-in from the ZI and USARPAC. You will be kept informed of the status from time to time.

2 Incls

1. TAB A - C/S query
2. TAB B - tabulation

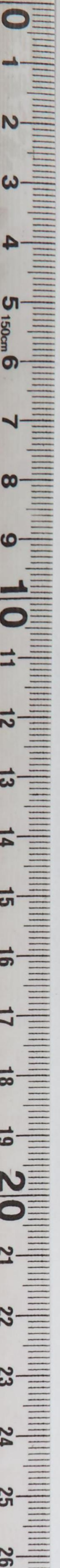
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Subject: Arrival of Ammunition Ships  
Date: 10 Sept 1950



1. In reply to your query "what is the status of this today?" (TAB A) regarding the arrival of certain ammunition ships during the period 20-26 Sept the following information is furnished:

a. The Ord Section (OS) at the request of G-4 has prepared a complete analysis of the on-hand stock status of ammunition both in Japan and Korea as of 2 Sept and in addition has tabulated the known data for the month of Sept and as much of Oct as is currently available. The study is attached hereto as TAB B.

b. Because of the tight supply situation in JCFM area, it is the opinion of G-4 that G-1 will still be required to maintain rationing on this type of ammunition until such time as it becomes materially better in Korea than initially anticipated. Statements from the XI, which shall, will further illustrate the critical shortage of this type of ammunition.

c. The 3-inch howitzer ammunition due in on the GAMMA GIARA on the 29th of Sept and the BERRY VICTORY on the same date should allow the employment of this weapon in its normal role.

d. The small arms ammo supply does not appear to be critical at this time. In addition to the 3000 and certain ammunition identified on the attached chart, additional amounts of small arms ammunition in presently unknown quantities are due in from USMC during the month of Sept.



2. G-4 has instructed the Ord O to maintain these in from the XI and USARMC. You will be kept from time to time.

S. T. Jones  
I. TAB A - 10 Sept  
S. TAB B - 10 Sept



*As per 510 Sept*

**GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
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Major R. B. Kreuzer, 26-6456/1g

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File No:

Subject: Arrival of Ammo Ships

Note  
No.  
(1)

From: G-4

To: Chief of Staff

Date: 5 Sept 50

1. As a result of a telecon held early this morning between this headquarters; SFPE and USARPAC, the following information concerning the current status of ammunition ship arrivals in FEC is considered noteworthy:

a. The port could not confirm the types and amounts of ammo aboard the four ships loading out of SFPE during period 5 - 13 September and due here during period 20 - 26 September. The port stated they would contact their outports and would give planned vessel consists at this morning's telecon with JLC. G-4 has requested JLC give us the information as soon as received.

b. The best advice that either SFPE or USARPAC could give on the three ammo ships scheduled out of USARPAC was that they would load during period 5 - 14 September and that all are due in Japan by 1 October. G-4 has knowledge of the complete loading both by type and amounts of ammo aboard the USARPAC ships.

2. You will be notified immediately upon receipt of any information concerning the loadings or arrivals of the above ships.

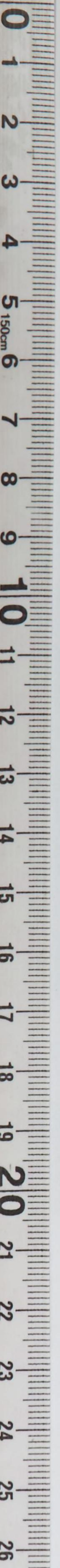
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*Major R. B. Kewster, Co-6501*  
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Subject: Arrival of Ammunition Ships

File No:

Date: 5 Sept 50

To: Chief of Staff

From: G-4

Note No.

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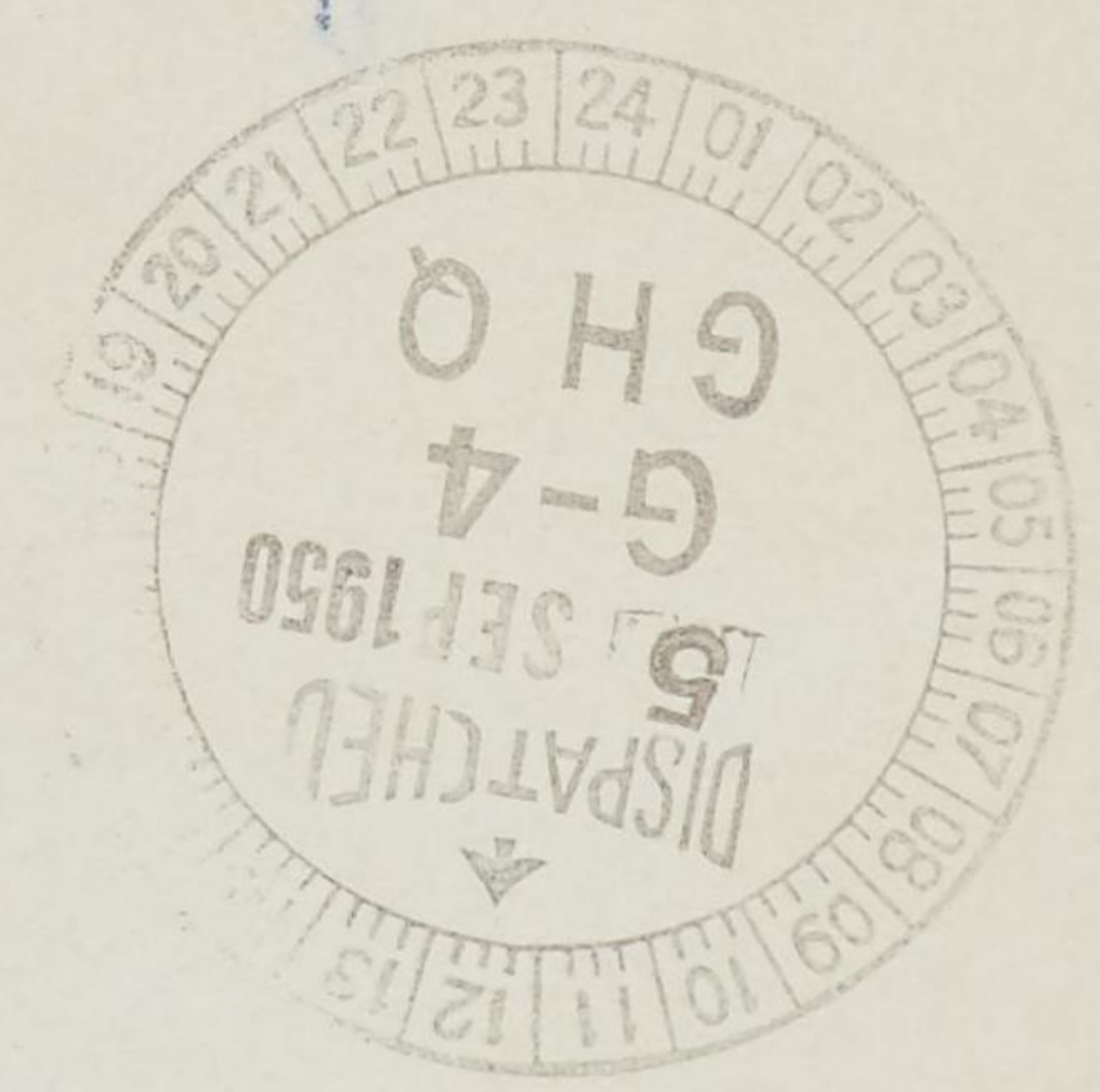
1. As a result of a telecon held early this morning between this headquarters, SEPF and USARPAC, the following information concerning the current status of ammunition ship arrivals in TBC is considered noteworthy:

a. The port could not confirm the types and amounts of ammo aboard the four ships loading out of SEPF during period 5 - 13 September and due here during period 20 - 28 September. The port stated they would contact their contacts and would give planned vessel consists at this morning's telecon with JIC. G-4 has requested JIC give us the information as soon as received.

b. The best advice that either SEPF or USARPAC could give on the three ammo ships scheduled out of USARPAC was that they would load during period 5 - 13 September and that all are due in Japan by 1 October. G-4 has knowledge of the complete loading both by type and amounts of ammo aboard the USARPAC ships.

2. You will be notified immediately upon receipt of any information concerning the loadings or arrivals of the above ships.

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HEADQUARTERS EIGHTH ARMY  
 ORDNANCE SECTION

ORDNANCE SECTION  
 (Division)

10 Sept 1950  
 (Date)

STATUS OF AMMO  
 (Subject)

Compiled By: \_\_\_\_\_

1	On Hand: As of 2 SEPTEMBER	8" HOW	155 HOW (400s)	105 HOW	90mm Tk	4.2" Mortar	81mm Mortar	60mm Mortar	3.5" Rkt	Cal. .30 MG	Carbine	75mm How	76mm	1
2														2
3	JAPAN		66,049	107,121	51,173	63,460	91,235	181,855	12,695	3,298,000	6,296,000			3
4	KOREA		119,068	155,755	52,548	25,642	209,704	182,120	4,209	18,663,000	3,227,000			4
5	TOTAL		179,117	262,876	103,721	89,102	300,939	363,975	16,904	21,961,000	9,523,000			5
6														6
7	Due in: Sept; in order of ETA (21)													7
8	Robin Trent 3 Sept IXUR	720												8
9	City of Alma 6 " IXUR		3,115	11,883						89,000				9
10	Arizpa 10 " IXUR			107,000	4,320		10,168	67,036						10
11	Denise 11 " EVIL			65,790	3,657	42,474								11
12	Columbia Trader 10 " EVIL		5,011	202,114	6,320		6,579							12
13	Green Valley 13 " IXUR									6,900,000	2,064,000			13
14	Wacosta 16 " IXUR		43,360	115,695	27,435	216	6,192	15,118						14
15	Digby Cnty Island Side 20 " EVIL									19,300,000	8,914,000	5,630,000		15
16	Murmac Sun 20 " EVIL		22,790	236,250			24,560							16
17	M. J. Goulandris California 19 " EVIL		55,600	49,400	13,950					44,892,250				17
18	Hoosier State 22 " EVIL			16,155	6,725		25,112							18
19	Drury Vict 29 " EVIL	7,200	169,300	49,296										19
20	Santa Clara 24 " EVIL	22,000			8,000				6,843				41,000	20
21	Madaket 29 " EVIL													21
22	Loyola Vict 8 Oct (P)		58,800	109,000						11,223,750				22
23	? (unnamed as yet)	7,200												23
24														24
25	Due In (USARPAC)													25
26	SS Pioneer Mail 18 Sep EVIL			25,300			27,600					37,450		26
27	USNS Sgt Miller 27 Sep EVIL													27
28	SS China Transport 28 Sept EVIL													28
29	SS Pioneer Tide 6 Oct EVIL													29
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39	TOTAL	29,920	587,093	1,250,759	166,128	131,792	401,150	446,129	16,904	113,280,000	17,217,000	37,450		39



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ROUTINE

12 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT  
 TO : CG JLCOM  
 INFO : CINCFE  
 NR : GX 21941 KODA

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Rqst shpmt of 1,000 increments and ignition cart for 4.2 mortar. Inspection revealed rds packed without these items. Believed to be Navy's.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL

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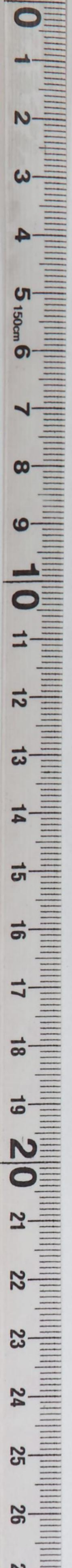
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MCN : 77669

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22 Sep 50

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FROM : DA (G-3/D-3)  
TO : JUSMAG  
INFO : CINCPAC, CG SFPE (CH OSD)  
NR : W 91115

2 part msg. *MM*  
URMSG 10202-A NOTAL.  
Part 1. SFPE. Rqst you advise JUSMAG Philippines info G-4 status rqns PH-3-20/0 and line Item 1 PH-3-10/0.  
Part 2. JUSMAG Philippines. Rqst for 60 MM and 105 MM shells subject to action by G-4/G-3 allocation working gp. Will advise status soonest.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : G-3, G-4, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL

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TOO : 111408 Z  
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FROM : SA (A-3-2-3)

TO : JAGAG

INFO : CIVILIAN, CO STATE (OR ORD)

RE : W 2118

Part 1. This part is for you advise. JAGAG Philippines info  
Part 2. JAGAG Philippines. Part for SA and JAG  
Part 3. Status from SA-3-20/0 and line item 1 SA-3-10/0.  
Status subject to action by SA-3-10/0-3 allocation working on  
\* All related status records.

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JAGAG, CIVILIAN, SA



NO : 11108  
NO : 11001

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MEMO FOR RECORD:

SP GD RBK/BH/cs  
11 Sept 1950

Subject: Unfuzed 105mm Howitzer Shell

1. The above C/N giving information on the reported shortage of fuses and supplementary charges for 105 ammunition is informative in nature only.

2. By personal visit to headquarters JLCOM this date, a representative of G-4 Supply, Major Kreutzer, was informed that the fuses mentioned in paragraph #6 of the above C/N have in fact been shipped to Pusan and that 80,000 supplementary charges have arrived in this theatre and are currently being air lifted to Korea.

3. In view of the above information, no further G-4 action is required in this matter.

4. Action complete on G-4 Journal No. 12182.

RHK *(Signature)* (266456)

BH *(Signature)* (Div Chief)

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File No:

Subject: Unfuzed 105mm Howitzer Shell

Note  
No.

From: Ord O

To: G-4

Date: 9 Sept 1950

1

1. Reference is made to report concerning shipment from ZI of 107,000 rds of 105mm howitzer ammunition without fuze and without supplementary charge.

2. Eighth Army radio requisition EX 43151 OK, 16 July 1950, covers this item as follows:

a. 825,120 rds R 1 QNS.

3. Code R 1 QNS calls for SHELL, semifixed, HE, M1, steel case, w/o fuze, for VT fuze, for 105mm howitzers, M2A1 and M4. Shell designated for VT fuzes does not have supplementary charge. (Ref. ORD 11 SNL R-1, p 73)

4. In view of this, it is expected that the 107,000 rds referred to above will be without fuze and without supplementary charges.

5. Upon inquiry, Eighth Army explained that this was done in order to utilize the fuzes and supplementary charges reclaimed from the other 3,407,402 rds on the same order, all of which were to be shipped complete with fuzes. Use of VT fuzes in any of these rounds would provide excess supplementary charges and fuzes for the R 1 QNS.

6. However, in view of the fact that these unfuzed rds were shipped first, 120,000 fuzes have already been shipped to Pusan by Eighth Army and 80,000 supplementary charges have been ordered airlifted from the ZI. Also, instructions have gone forward to the effect that all 105mm shell is to be shipped fuzed.

7. It is recommended that no further action be taken in this matter as any corrective action necessary has already been initiated and no error is indicated.

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U. N.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
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(Do not remove from attached sheets) Col Masters 57-8123

File No: Subject: *Unpacked 105mm Howitzer Shell*

From: Ord O To: G-4 Date: 9 Sept 1950

Note No. 1

1. Reference is made to report concerning shipment from SI of 107,000 rds of 105mm howitzer ammunition without fuses and without supplementary charges.

2. Eighth Army radio requisition EX 43151 OK, 16 July 1950, covers this item as follows:

a. 825,150 rds R 1 QNS.

3. Code R 1 QNS calls for SHELL, semifixed, M1, M1, steel case, w/o fuse, for VT fuse, for 105mm howitzers, MSAI and MA, Shell designated for VT fuses does not have supplementary charge. (Ref. ORD 11 SWL R-1, p. 73)

4. In view of this, it is expected that the 107,000 rds referred to above will be without fuse and without supplementary charges.

5. Upon inquiry, Eighth Army explained that this was done in order to utilize the fuses and supplementary charges retained from the other 3,407,402 rds on the same order, all of which were to be shipped complete with fuses. Use of VT fuses in any of these rounds would provide excess supplementary charges and fuses for the R 1 QNS.

6. However, in view of the fact that these unfused rds were shipped first, 150,000 fuses have already been shipped to Pusan by Eighth Army and 80,000 supplementary charges have been ordered shipped from the SI. Also, instructions have gone forward to the effect that all 105mm shells to be shipped fused.

7. It is recommended that no further action be taken in this matter as any corrective action necessary has already been initiated and no error is indicated.

*AWD*





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11 Sep 50 *[initials]*

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ROUTINE

*471*

FROM : CG 1ST MAR DIV

TO : CG JLCOM

INFO : CG 1ST PROV MAR BRIG, CINCFE (PASS TO CG X CORPS)

NR : 110158 Z

Re TELECON Col Hendricks and Cove of 9th Regt 1st Prov Mar Brig 082230 Z NOTAL.

Request following be prepared for air drop at objective marked for Corp Co 11th Marines.

- 6 fuze wrenches M 18.
- 6 sets night lighting devices complete.
- 6 sight night range quadrant.
- 6 sights panoramic M 12 A 2.
- 6 sets lights aiming stake.
- 6 sight elbow M 23.
- 6 aiming posts sets.
- 6 gun chests comp live.

All for 105mm How. Time and place drop requested will be advised later.

NO SIG

NOTE : This msg passed to Comm Center for electrical transmission to CG X CORPS for action.

NOTE : CINCFE not addee.

ADDED DIST : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3, G-4, AG, ORDNANCE (12 Sep 50)

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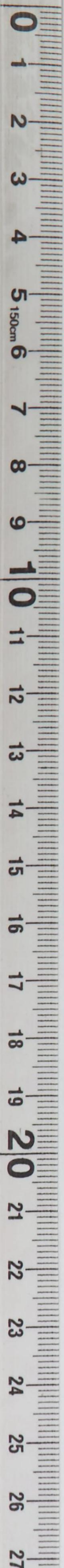
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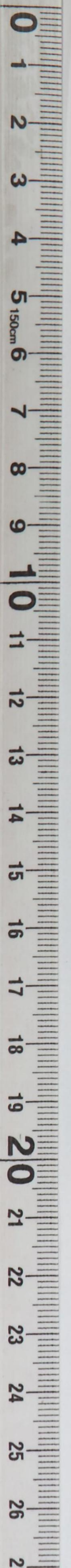
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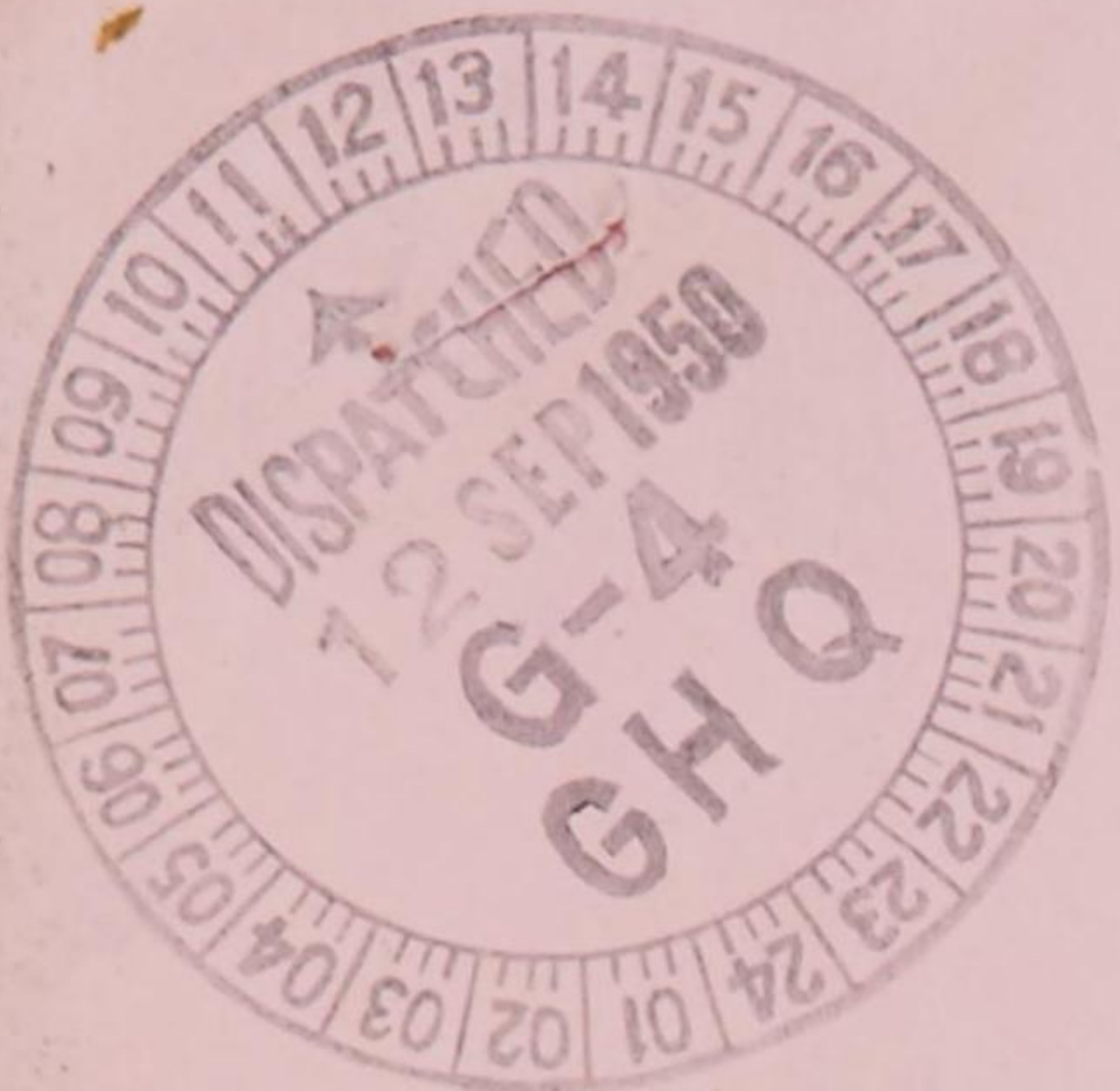
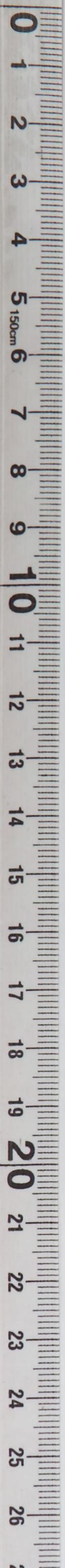
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12 SEP 1950  
G-4  
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CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3, G-4, AG  
(12 Sep 50)





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## ACTION COPY

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COURIER

11 Sep 50

FROM : CG JLCOM  
TO : CINCFE  
NR : E 30414 GS

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The following msg received on classified telecon from SFPE 10 Sep passed for your information.  
Fol shpmt rockets lifted Fairfield, Suisun AF Base, 63 each 1,260 lb Panamer Plane 0445 at 0815 hour, 8 Sep.  
516 each 10 320 lb Panamer Plane 0434 at 1618 hour 9 Sep.  
540 each 10,800 lb Northwest Plane 5804 at 1755 hour 9 Sep.  
Rqn Ord RB 359.

NO SIG

ACTION : G-4

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, TRANS

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TOO : 110114  
MCN : NONE

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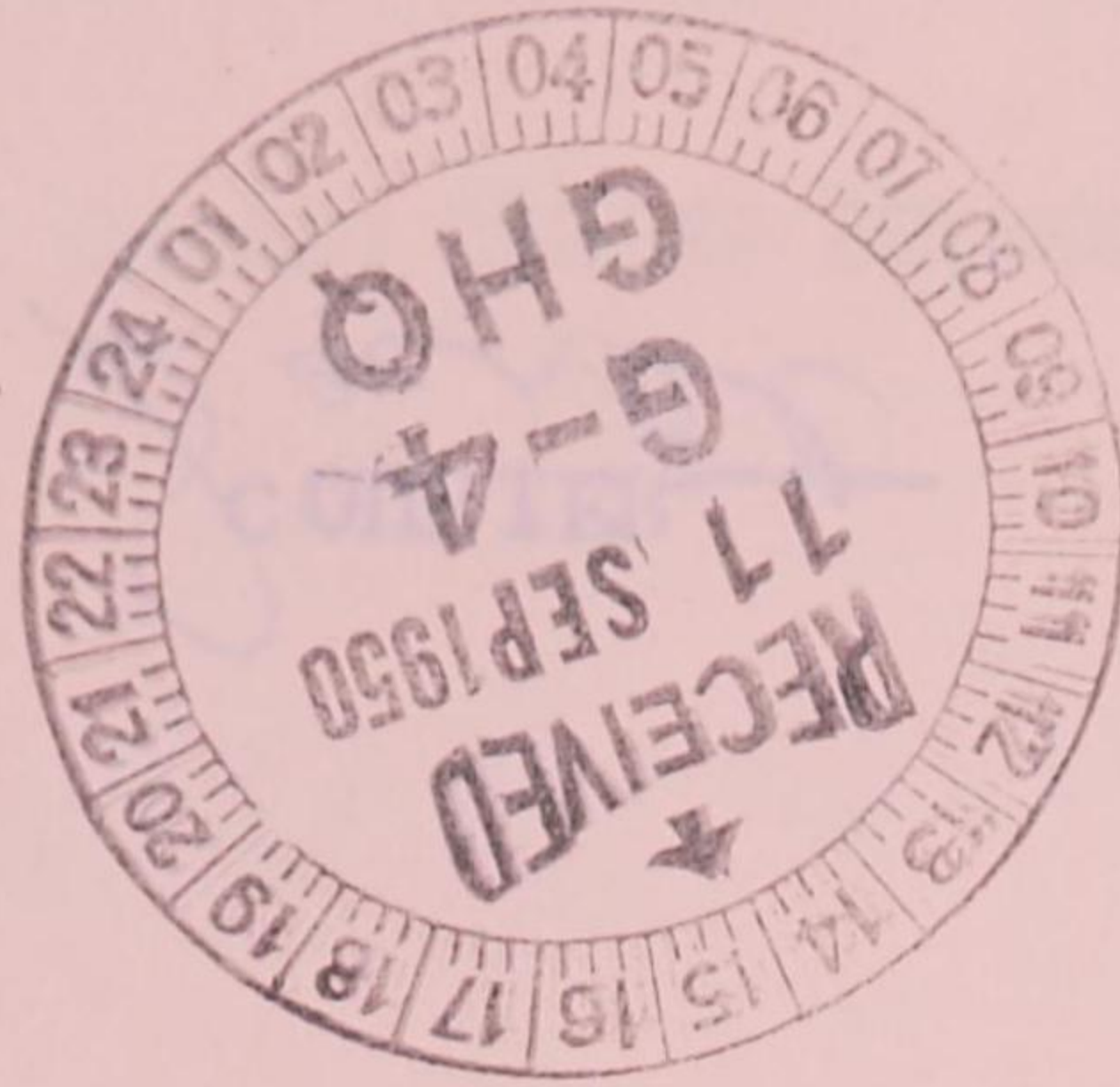
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1. Instant message contains data of informational value only. No G-4 action is necessary.
2. Coordination: G-4 P&O (Lt Col Cooper)  
(Major White)
3. Action complete on G-4 Journal No. 12249

RMA *[Signature]* (266044)

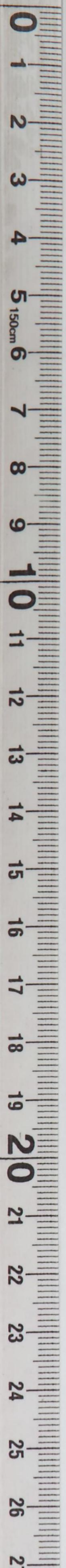
ELT                      (266044)

BH *[Signature]* (266043) (Div Chief)

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G-4 ROUTING

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

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PRIORITY

WAG/bjf

11 Sep 50

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FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT *471*

TO : CG 2D DIV, CG 25TH DIV, CG 24TH DIV

INFO : CINCPAC, CG PUSAN LOG COMD

NR : GX 21932 KODA

MYMSG *471* GX 21727 KODA dtd 2 Sep 1950. Subj, Recapitulation of VT fuzes lost to enemy forces since 1 July to current date. No Reply recd to date. Rqst info be expedited.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, SIGNAL, ORDNANCE

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MCN : 77601

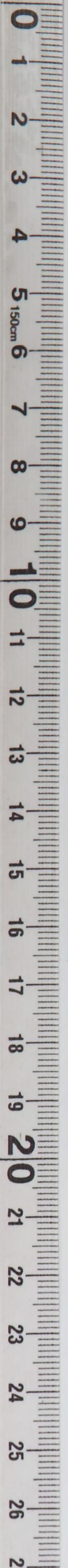
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Maj Kreutzer 26-6456

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Shortage of 105mm Ammo

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1. Re your query "Will new ammo ship arrivals ease this any?" regarding the ammo shortage in 8th Army as outlined in their msg G 21899 KOLS (TAB A) the following information is furnished:

a. The Arizpa, ETA Pusan, 11 Sept 50, is carrying 107,000 rounds of 105mm Howitzer ammo and the Wacosta, ETA Pusan, 16 Sept 50, is carrying 115,695 rounds.

b. The above ships, if they are on schedule, will give the Eighth Army a total of 3 days of supply on hand as of the 16th of September.



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COM, AND  
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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

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10 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHTH  
TO : CINCPAC  
INFO : CG JLCOM, CG PUSAN LOG COM  
NR : 21899 KALS

Sup 105mm ammo increasingly critical. Effective this date  
ration reduced to 50 rounds per gun per day except in emergency.

*Will new ammo ships  
arrivals lose this day?  
G-4*

NO SIG

ACTION : ~~G-3~~

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-4,  
AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, JLCOM LNO,  
AIR MARSHAL BOUCHIER

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TOO : 101645 I  
MCN : 77373

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MEMORANDUM FOR: General Hickey

SUBJECT: Supply of 105 Ammunition to ARMY EIGHT

1. The following information regarding JLCOM's current plans to alleviate shortages of 105 ammunition in 8th Army are furnished herewith.

a. As you already know, the Arizpa due in Pusan on or about 11 September is carrying 107,000 rounds of 105 ammunition. Initially it was thought that only 15% of this ammo could be utilized immediately, due to the ammo having been shipped from the ZI without fuzes or supplementary charges. Information obtained this date from JLCOM indicates however that 100% of the ammunition aboard this vessel will be usable since over 100,000 fuzes have been shipped to Korea in the last 10 days and 80,000 supplementary charges are in process of being airlifted this date.

b. In addition to the above ship and ammunition carried thereon, the Wacosta, carrying 115,695 rds of 105 ammunition, ETA Pusan 16 September, will further alleviate the shortages of this type of ammunition in 8th Army.

c. Using the current status of 105 ammunition in 8th Army as outlined in ARMY EIGHT msg G 21827 KGLS (TAB A) and totalling the above amounts of ammunition, it can be seen that 8th Army will have approximately 9 days of supply available to them on the 16th of September.

2. It is believed that nine days of supply of 105mm How ammo on hand as of 16 Sept meets with your desires and is as much as can be built up under the present circumstances.

3. In regard to the days of supply on other types of ammo on hand as of the 15th of Sept in 8th Army, the following is considered pertinent:

155mm Howitzer	--	40 D/S
90mm Tank	---	20 D/S
4.2" Mortar	---	0
81mm Mortar	--	2 D/S
60mm Mortar	---	9 D/S
3.5" Rocket	---	5000 /wk fr ZI
30mm Cal MG	---	100 D/S
Carbine, 30 Cal	---	6 D/S

Above days of supply were computed using approved D/A rates and Korean experience rates where known.

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4. As you know the ammunition resupply situation will be for all practical purposes dependent on and based on dues-in which in turn are predicated on ETA's of the ships involved. The possibility of delay in arrival of the ships due to circumstances beyond our control -- i.e., weather or ship's mechanical difficulties -- may adversely affect the amounts and phasing of ammunition for 8th Army and/or GHQ Reserve, a situation of which JLCOM is fully aware.

5. It is the opinion of G-4 that the commanders of all major units should be apprised of the situation outlined in para 4 above.

G. L. EBERLE  
Major General, General Staff Corps  
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4

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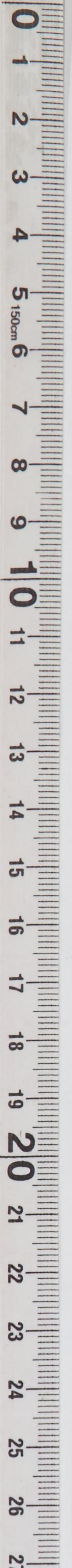
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ADMIN TO:	RF

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
FAR EAST COMMAND

OUTGOING MESSAGE

SP CD RHA/3H/cs

11 Sept 1950

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CG JLCOM . . . . . PRIORITY

COMNAVFF . . . . . ROUTINE (COURIER)

INFO: COMFLTACT SASBBO . . . . . ROUTINE

CTG 96.7 . . . . . ROUTINE

COMSERVPAC . . . . . ROUTINE

COMSERDIV 31 . . . . . ROUTINE

COMSERVRON 3 . . . . . ROUTINE

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**CX62760** This msg is in two parts.

Part I to CG JLCOM. Desire action be taken to ship to COMFLTACT SASBBO ASAP 1800 rds 37 mm HE AA ammo.

Part II to COMNAVFF. Part I answers urmsg 100146 Z.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

K. B. BUSH  
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Adjutant General

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Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4

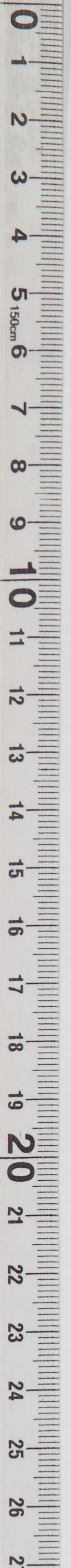
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MEMO FOR RECORD:

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SP GD RHA/ELT/BH/cs  
11 Sept 1950

1. COMNAVFE msg 100146Z requests 1800 rds 37 mm HE ammo for use ROK Navy, and further requests ammo be shipped COMFLTACT Sasebo earliest for further shipment COMFLTACT Pusan.

2. Ord (Lt Col Motz) furnished the following info 11 Sept 50:

a. 37 mm ammo has been restricted for use by Chief Ord except for use in emergency. Use in Korea is considered to meet above requirement.

b. Availability 37 mm AA

43903 rds - Japan  
5875 rds - Korea

c. Most advisable to furnish requirement from Japan.

3. COMNAVFE (Lt Miller) 11 Sept 50 confirmed that 37 mm AA was type required, and when advised of par 2a above, agreed to accept ammo on that basis.

4. Instant self explanatory msg directs CG JLCOM to take necessary action to supply ammo requested. COMNAVFE msg 100146Z is passed to JLCOM for info.

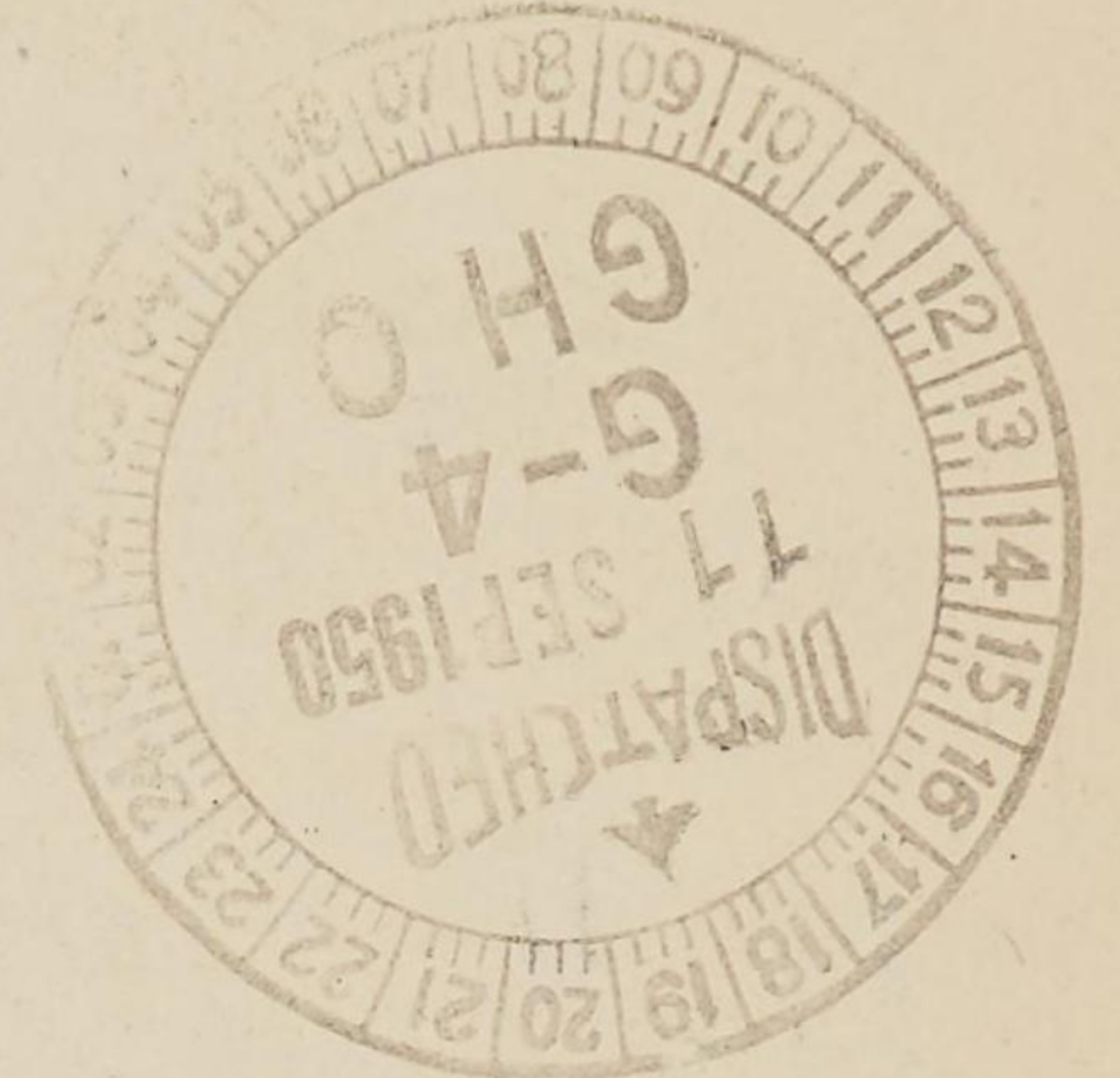
5. Coordination: Ord (Lt Col Motz)  
COMNAVFE (Lt Miller)

6. Action complete on G-4 Journal No. 12202.

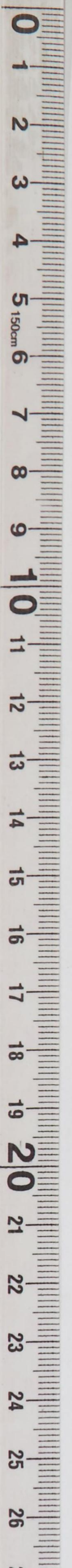
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ELT \_\_\_\_\_ (266043)

BH \_\_\_\_\_ (Div Chief)



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*CX 62760*

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10 Sep 50

FROM : COMNAVFE

TO : CINCFE

INFO : COMFLTACT SASEBO, CTG 96.7, COMSERVPAC, COMSERDIV 31,  
COMSERVRON 3

NR : 100146 Z

Request 1800 rnds 37mm HE ammo be made available for use  
ROK Navy. Further request ammo be shipped COMFLTACT Sasebo  
earliest for further shipment COMFLTACT Pusan.

NO SIG

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ACTION : G-4

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3,  
AG, JSPOG, SIGNAL, ORDNANCE

NOTE : This msg rec dir from COMNAVFE via courier.

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TOO : 100146 Z

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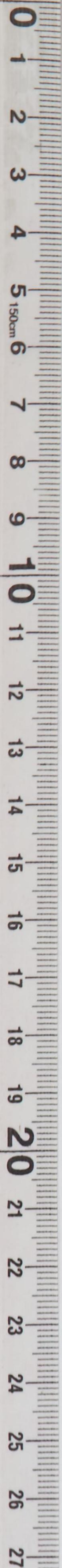
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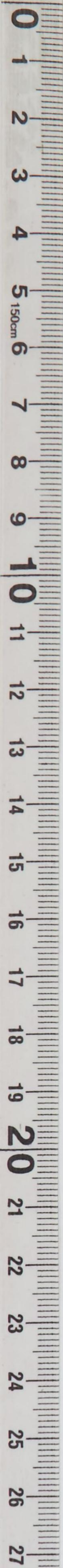
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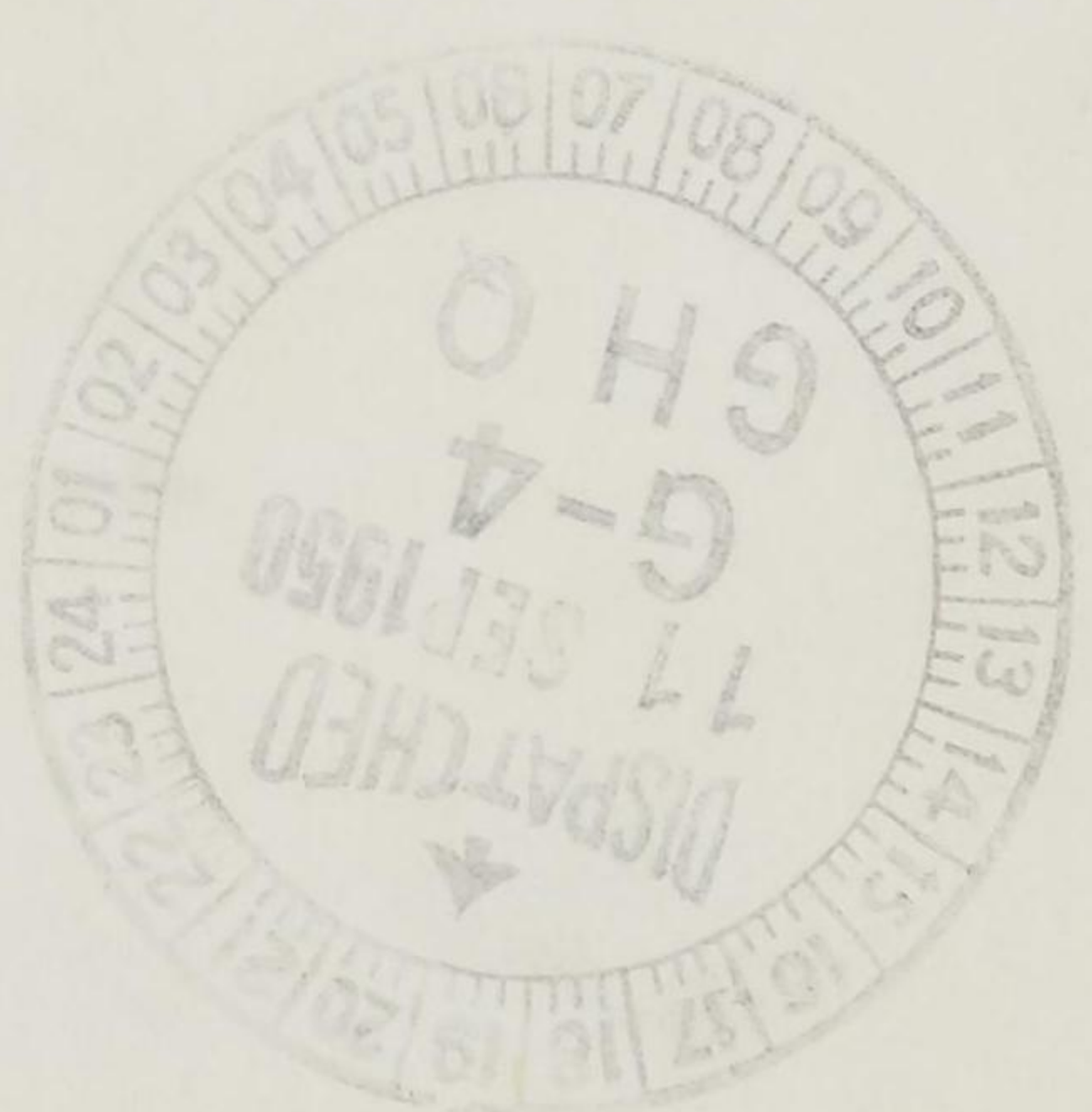
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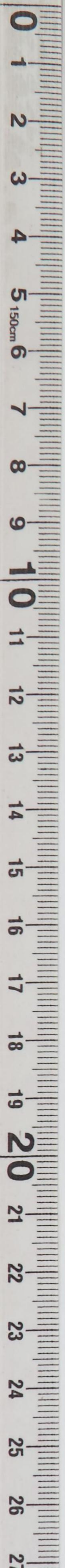
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11 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT  
 TO : CINCPAC  
 INFO : CG JLCOM  
 NR : G 21913 KODO

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A. CINCPAC msg CX 62561.  
 B. Ltr GHQ WEC, AG 471 (3 Sep 50) OR, subj: Tentative Standing Operating procedure for Army theater ammo service in the Far East Comd in support of the Armed Forces of the United Nations, 3 Sep 50. Initial ammo stock status report required by ref B above will be fwd by air courier 11 Sep. Ammo expenditure data by cal for the period 15 to 31 Jul and the month of Aug will be fwd by 12 Sep. Report by type would not reflect true percentage due to the limited availabilities of many types filed.

NO SIG

## ACTION COPY

ACTION : G-4

Information : Action transferred to Ord. (WOJG Smith concurs)  
 COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3,  
 AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST,  
 JLCOM LNO

NOTE : This msg received direct from CG ARMY EIGHT via Courier.

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TOO : 110400 I  
MCN : NONE

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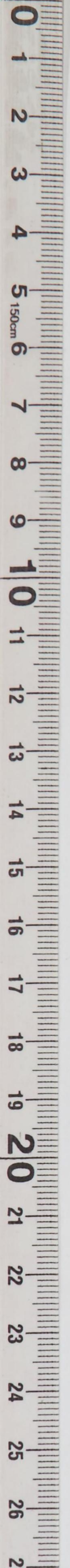
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
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G-4 Supply Division  
(Office of Origin)

Date 11 Sept 50

Memorandum to Radio & Cable Unit, AGO.

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G 21913 KODO	40588	CG ARMY EIGHT	

1. \*Request that Action on above message be revised as follows:

FROM G-4 TO Ordnance

2. \*Request that the above message be passed as designated below:

	ACTION	INFO		ACTION	INFO
CG EIGHTH ARMY	( )	( )	CG, 1503d ATW, PAC DIV, MATC	( )	( )
CG USAFIK	( )	( )	CO, 1808th AACS WG	( )	( )
CG PHILCOM	( )	( )	CO, 2043d AIR WEA WG	( )	( )
CG MARBO	( )	( )	CHIEF, ASA, PAC	( )	( )
CG RYCOM	( )	( )	_____	( )	( )
COMNAVFE	( )	( )	_____	( )	( )
CG FEAF	( )	( )	_____	( )	( )
DEPT OF ARMY	( )	( )	_____	( )	( )

3. \*Request that the following sections be given info distribution on the above message:

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Requested by: *B. Hamlett* 26-6043  
Signature Telephone

B. HAMLETT Col GSC

\*Use 1, 2, or 3 as appropriate.

WOJG Smith concurs





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WAGB JF	<i>[initials]</i>
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SUPPLY	<i>[initials]</i>
PETROLEUM	<i>[initials]</i>
ADMIN	<i>[initials]</i>

*[Signature]*  
COURIER

11 Sep 50  
*(3)*

FROM : CG JLCOM  
TO : CINCPAC  
NR : E 30416

*477*

The following msg passed for your info at request of OSD, SFPE, OSD Item 2-8, Official-Secret-Ord-JLO/CML. REUR radio CX 62065.

Information requested furnished on conf Nbr 4 subjs 13, 14, 15 to cover California Victory, Mormacsun, Lakeland Victory. The following is proposed load for the Santa Clara Victory ETD 11 Sept from San Fran ETA 24 Sept. Load is subj to change pending arrival of more critical items. Pass info to CINCPAC to cover CX-62065. Pass info to FEAMCOM to cover AF items.

- P 5 RFA shot fixed HVAP-T, M 304 smkless F/90mm gun 8,000.
- S 9 JMA rocket, HE, AT, 3.5", 6,843.
- P 5 MJA cartridge, AP-T, M 81 A 1, F/40mm gun, 5,016.
- R 1 JCB cartridge, smk, WP, M 308, W/F, F/75mm rifle, 3,300.
- P 1 PAA shell, HE, M 106, F/8" How, M 2, 996.
- P 20 BB charge, prop, M 2 (white bag) F/8" How, M 2, 18,000.
- P 20 AB charge, prop, M 1, F/8" How, M 2, 4,900.
- R 1 TEA shell fixed HE, M 42 A 1, W/F, PD, .05 sec delay F/76mm gun, 41,000.
- R 1 QLB shell semifixed, smk, HC BE, M 84, W/F, TSQ F/105mm How, 8,000.
- R 3 FBA fuze, VT, T 80 E t, 60,510.
- R 2 MAD charge, prop, M 3, F/155mm How, 7,098; grenade, hand, no further description avial 23,000.
- Cml: R 4-6-96 fuze, M 157, w/burster, C 8 % 1, 42,579.

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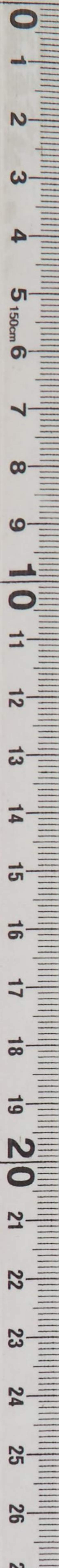
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FROM : CG JICOM NR : E 30416 11 SEP 50 CONT'D

- 222620 grenade, smk, yellow, M 18, 3,000.
- 215438 pot, smk, HC, M 5, 30 lbs, 6,020.
- 27134 igniter, NA (less fuze & burster) M 15 4,000.
- 257140 igniter NA (less fuze & burster) M 16, 2,887.
- 212415 grenade, smk, white, HC, AN-M 8, 6,000.
- 257143 igniter, WP, M 15 (less fuze & burster), 11,264.
- 257139 igniter, WP, M 16 (less fuze & burster), 9,858.

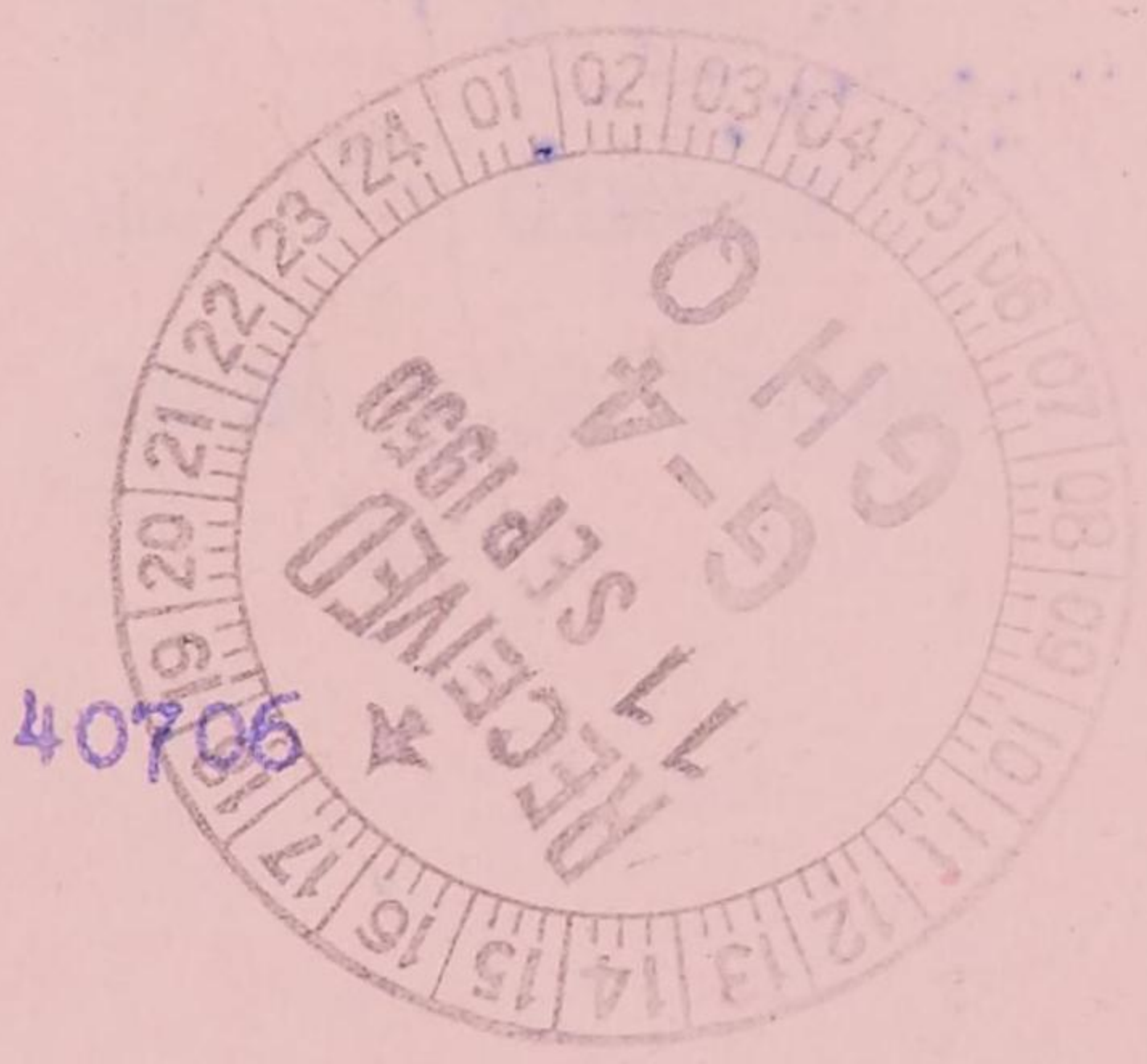
Air Force:

- S 1 HTA bomb, GP, TNT, AN-M 64 A 1, 19,232.
- S 1 CTA bomb, LC, TNT 4,000 lb, M 56 (AN-M 56), 140.
- S 2 OXA fuze, bomb, mech time, M 155, 6,700.
- S 2 FGN fuze, bomb, tail, M 124 A 1, 24 hr delay, 504.
- S 2 FNM fuze, bomb, tail, M 125 A 1, 25 hour delay, 48.
- S 2 FOO fuze, bomb, tail, M 125 A 1, 36 hr delay, 100.
- S 2 FPO fuze, bomb, tail, M 125 A 1, 36 hr delay, 56.
- S 2 NRA fuze, bomb, nose, AN, M 103 A 1, 75.
- S 2 QRA fuze, bomb, tail, AN, M 102 A 2, w/primer detonator, M 14, non-delay, 75.
- S 2 NLA fuze, bomb, nose, AM, M 126 A 1 985.
- S 3 JVA fin assy AN M 109, R/ror 500 lb bomb, 10,000.
- Rocket, 6.5", RH, live rd, fuze w/detonator, comp "B", 400.
- Rocket, 6.5", TH, live rd, fuze w/detonator, comp "B", 480.

NO SIG

ACTION : G-4

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, AG, JSPOG, SIGNAL, ORDNANCE, TRANS



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TOO : 090600 Z  
MCN : NONE



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10 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT

TO : CHIEF KMAG

INFO : CG JLCOM, CG PUSAN LOG COM, CINCPE

NR : G 21899 KOLS

Sup 105mm ammo increasingly critical. Effective this date  
ration reduced to 50 rounds per gun per day except in emergency.

NO SIG

ACTION : *G-4*

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-4,  
AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, JLCOM LNO,  
AIR MARSHAL DOUCHIER

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

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**OPERATIONAL IMMEDIATE**

10 Sep 50

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FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT  
TO : CINCPAC  
INFO : CG JLCOM, CG PUSAN LOG COM  
NR : G 21899 KCLS

Sup 105mm ammo increasingly critical. Effective this date  
ration reduced to 50 rounds per gun per day except in emergency.

NO SIG

ACTION : G-3

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-4,  
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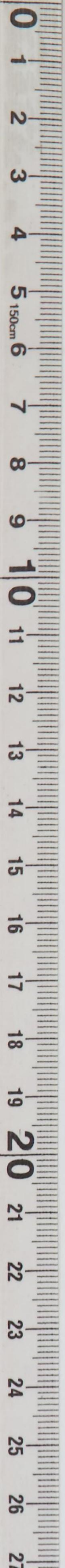
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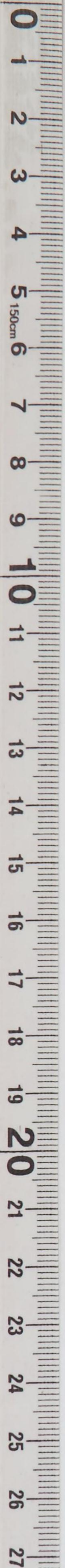




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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
FAR EAST COMMAND

OUTGOING MESSAGE

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**00413**

FROM: CINCFE TOKYO JAPAN

TO : CG RYCOM OKINAWA . . . . . PRIORITY

**C-62659**

Urmsg Y 21608 states improvements ammo discharge impossible. Request type equipment and reasons deadlined. If due lack spare parts or unit assemblies provide detailed info soonest by type of vehicle, item number and nomenclature. Include amounts spare parts or unit assemblies needed. If requisition has been forwarded request date, to whom, and means of transmission.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

K. B. BUSH  
Brigadier General, AGD  
Adjutant General

H. T. MILLER  
Colonel TC  
Transportation Officer

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17a(1)(2) and 41c(2)(3) and g(1), AR 380-5, 15 Nov 49.*

MEMO FOR RECORD:

9 September 1950

1. Radio, CINCFE, CX 60240, 16 Aug. to CG RYCOM, in part, requested that a study be initiated immediately, from a Transportation, Ordnance and Air Force standpoint, to determine the maximum ammo handling capacity at Okinawa with equipment facilities and labor available, and that CINCFE be advised as soon as possible.

2. Due to no reply, radio, CINCFE, CX 61561, 29 Aug, requested results of study be furnished, advising maximum ammo handling capacity.

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MEMO FOR RECORD: (continued)

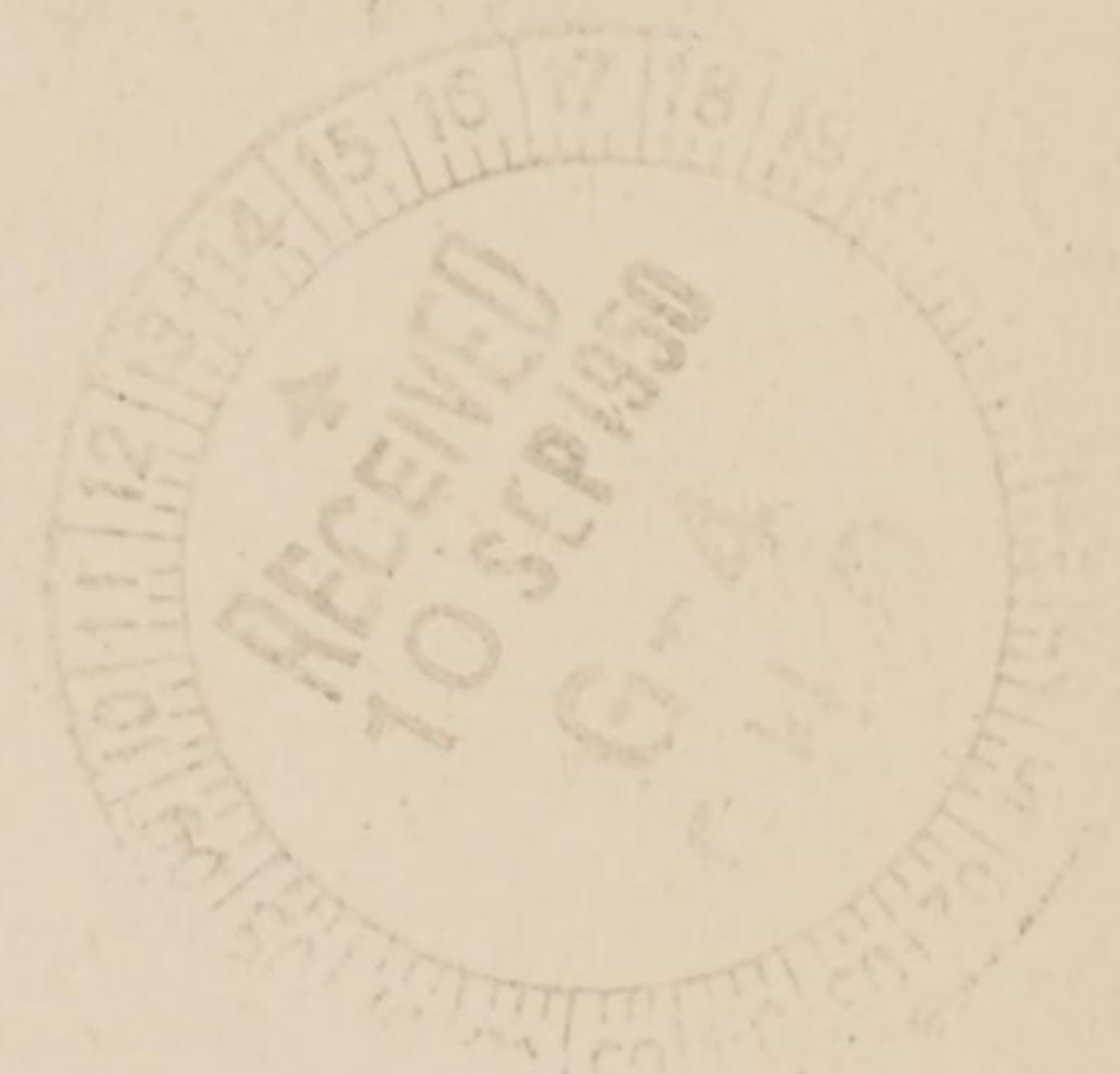
3. Radio, CG RYCOM, Y 21608, 5 Sep, advises as follows: "Due to present 37 deadline of all available land transportation, and no immediate indication of improvement, impossible to handle more than 30,000 tons ammo per month."

4. Reasons for deadline are not known. Major Doriot, Ord Section, advises that requisitions for spare parts needed by FEC major commands are now placed on the ZI instead of on JLCOM. Ordnance may be able to supply a limited quantity of a particular item as an emergency measure from JLCOM stocks, if sufficient quantities are on hand to fully supply the needs of Korea and Japan.

5. Coordination: Major Doriot, Ordnance Section, GHQ;  
Concurrence: None.

6. Action completed on Trans Jo #19928 (Radio, CINCFE, CX 60240, 16 Aug), and suspended until 18 Sep on Trans Jo #20691 (Radio, CG RYCOM, Y 21608, 5 Sep 50).

C.B.S. QZ 26-6556



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
FAR EAST COMMAND

CUTGOING MESSAGE TO-M ELR/LAH/CEP/am

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FROM: CINCFE TOKYO JAPAN

- TO:
- CG JLCOM YOKOHAMA JAPAN . . . . . ROUTINE (COURIER)
  - CG MARBO GUAM . . . . . ROUTINE
  - CG FEAF TOKYO JAPAN . . . . . ROUTINE (COURIER)
  - DEPCOMSTSWESPAC TOKYO JAPAN . . . . . ROUTINE (COURIER)
- INFO:
- COMSTS WASH DC . . . . . ROUTINE
  - CG ARMY EIGHT KOREA . . . . . ROUTINE
  - CG FEAMCOM TACHIKAWA JAPAN . . . . . ROUTINE (COURIER)
  - COMNAVFE TOKYO JAPAN . . . . . ROUTINE (COURIER)
  - CG 2D T MED PORT YOKOHAMA JAPAN . . . . . ROUTINE (COURIER)
  - MSTS REP GUAM . . . . . ROUTINE

**CX62660**

This msg in 4 parts.

Part 1 to JLCOM. SS Rutgers Victory ETA Yokohama 15 Sep to discharge 9,000 M/T ammo. On completion discharge plan order vessel return Guam for loading to ZI. Request sheathing and dunnage be left on board.

Part 2 to CG FEAF. Urmsg AX 4918 MAT-SUP-T of 29 Aug. SS Yankee Pioneer ETA Guam 14 Sep nominated to lift 10,000 M/T avammo to Okinawa.

Part 3 to DEPCOMSTSWESPAC. Urmsg 050512Z. Due to present shortage of sheathing and dunnage materials at Guam, request ves nominated for planned ammo lift from Guam be selected from among those fully sheathed and having sufficient dunnage aboard. If such vessel not available the Commanding Officer of the port at which the nominated vessel is berthed will be directed by CINCFE to make materials available.

Part 4 to CG MARBO. SS Yankee Pioneer ETA 14 Sep nominated to lift 10,000 M/T avammo to Okinawa. To facilitate discharge request cargo be block stowed whenever possible.

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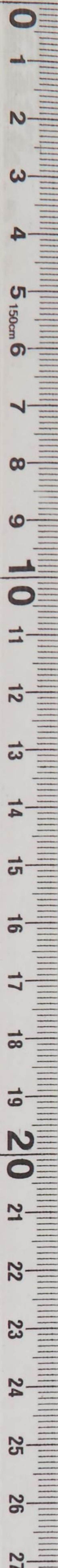
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Adjutant General

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Colonel, TC  
Transportation Officer

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TO-M ELR/LAH/CEP/am  
8 September 1950

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. CG FEAF msg AX 4918 MAT-SUP-T of 29 Aug requested shipping to lift approximately 10,000 M/T avammo from Guam to Okinawa.
2. CINCFE msg CX 61947 of 2 Sep advised FEAF that shipping would be provided as soon as possible.
3. CINCFE msg CX 61561 of 29 Aug requested RYCCM to advise the date they could handle this shipment.
4. RYCCM msg YX 21573 of 2 Sep recommended the shipment of avammo be scheduled to arrive Okinawa 30 Sep, msg further requested that cargo be block stowed wherever possible to facilitate discharge.
5. Request for lift placed with MSTSWESPAC on 2 Sep. MSTSWESPAC on 6 Sep nominated the Yankee Pioneer ETA Guam ~~14~~ Sep.
6. PORDIR GUAM msg 040448Z to DEPCOMSTSWESPAC advised that due to the shortage at Guam of dunnage and sheathing lumber for ammo lift it was recommended that:
  - a. Additional ammo ships scheduled Guam be fully sheathed and supplied with dunnage.
  - b. That SS Rutgers Victory be returned Guam for removal of lumber supplied. This vessel lifted AF bombs from Guam to Yokohama.
7. DEPCOMSTSWESPAC msg 050512Z requested that 2d T Med Port be directed to leave all dunnage aboard Rutgers Victory since vessel would return to Guam for lift to ZI. Msg requested clarification dunnage situation Guam and advised the Yankee Pioneer ETA Guam 14 Sep was scheduled to lift ammo to Okinawa.
8. Action completed on Trans Jo. Nos. 20695, 20524.

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OPERATIONAL IMMEDIATE

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10 Sep 50

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FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT

TO : CG 1ST CAV DIV, CG 2D INF DIV, CG 24TH INF DIV, CG 25TH INF DIV, CHF KMAG

INFO : CINCPAC, CG PUSAN BASE COMD, CG JICOM

NR : GK 21900 KGLS

Carbine ammo in critical sup. Every effort will be made to conserve this type ammo.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, JICOM  
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TOO : 101650 Z  
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**OPERATIONAL IMMEDIATE**

10 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT

TO : CG 1ST CAV DIV, CG 24TH INF DIV, CG 25TH INF DIV, CG 2D INF DIV

INFO : CINCFE, CG JLCOM, CG PUSAN LOG COMD

NR : GX 21901 KGLS

Sup 105mm ammo increasingly critical. Effective this date ration reduced to 25 rounds per gun per day except in emergency.

*See other msg-50*

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, JLCOM INO, AIR MARSHAL BOUCHIER

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TOO : 101655 I  
MCN : 77391

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WAG/bjf

10 Sep 50

FROM : CG PUSAN LOG COMD (LT COL MOCKFORD ORD LN OFF)  
 TO : CINCFE (DOS GHQ FARELF) (PASS TO SENIOR BRITISH LN OFF)  
 INFO : CG ARMY EIGHT  
 NR : 100250 Z

1. Ammo air drop now in Japan and comprises:
  - A. 1st line for 3 rifle companies.
  - B. 1 1st line 3 inch mortar in 2 lifts.
  - C. 1 lift MMG mixed with rifle
2. Have met Australian reps who are sending 1 bn about 24 Sept. And maint for 180 days. Have arranged joint Ord set-up. We may get space but not covered. Australians have store tents. We require 2 for our expansion. They have ample 3 inch mortar ammo and are sending me 4,000 rds.
3. Few urgent demands from units yet apart from 31 and 38 sets and mine detector btys.
4. Have arranged storage for 3,000 kit bags and unwanted stores from units.
5. Please brief personnel for Korea to segregate kit bags into winter clothing and personal effects. They will leave both at Pusan if going forward.
6. Am sending maps and locations earliest. This and future signals will be through American channels and Senior British Liaison Officer GHQ FEC.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, ORDNANCE

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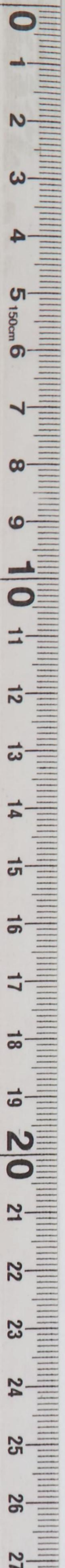
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TOO : 100250 Z  
MCN : 77364

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WG/jjc

10 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT  
 TO : CHP KMAG  
 INFO : CINCFE, CG JICOM, CG PUSAN BASE COMD  
 NR : G 21898 KGLS

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Effective immediately expenditure of 75mm Pack How ammo is rationed at 50 rounds per gun per day except in emergency. Desire you take necessary action to limit expenditures accordingly.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, SP PLAN ST, JICOM LNO, AIR MARSHAL BOUCHIER

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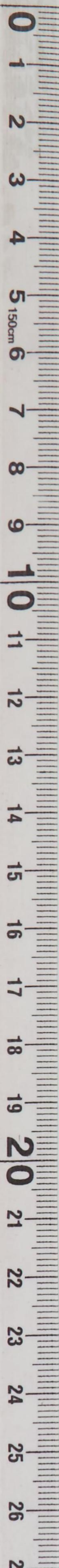
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WE/11  
10 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY RIFLE

TO : CMC KMA

INFO : CIMP, CG JICOM, CG PUSAN BASE COM

NR : 9 21808 KOLS

Effective immediately expenditure of 7mm Pack How ammo is  
rationed at 50 rounds per gun per day except in emergency. Desire  
you take necessary action to limit expenditures accordingly.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3,  
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Maj Kreuzer 26-9456

Arrival of Ammunition Ships

G-4

Chief of Staff

10 Sept 1950

(1)

1. In reply to your query "what is the status of this today?" (TAB A) regarding the arrival of certain ammunition ships during the period 20 - 26 Sept the following information is furnished:

a. The Ord Section (HQ) at the request of G-4 has prepared a complete analysis of the on-hand stock status of ammunition both in Japan and Korea as of 2 Sept and in addition has tabulated the known dues-in for the month of Sept and as much of Oct as is currently available. The study is attached hereto as TAB B.

b. Because of the tight supply situation in 105 How ammo, it is the opinion of G-4 that 8th A will still be required to maintain rationing on this type of ammunition until such time as XI shipments increase materially.

c. The 81mm mortar situation appears to be somewhat better in Korea than initially anticipated. Shipments from the XI, while small, will further alleviate the critical shortage of this type of ammunition.

d. The 8-inch howitzer ammunition due in on the SANTA CLARA on the 29th of Sept and the DERRY VICTORY on the same date should allow the employment of this weapon in its normal role.

e. The small arms ammo supply does not appear to be critical at this time. In addition to the cal 30 MG and carbine ammunition itemized on the attached chart, additional amounts of small arms ammunition in presently unknown quantities are due in from USARPAC during the month of Sept.

2. G-4 has instructed the Ord S to maintain the complete status of dues-in from the XI and USARPAC. You will be kept informed of the status from time to time.

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- 1. TAB A - C/S query
- 2. TAB B - tabulation

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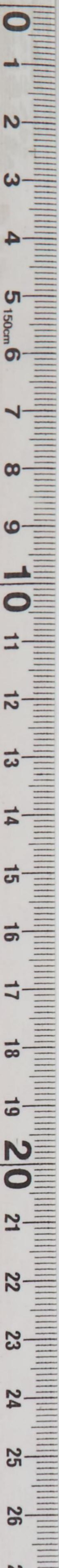
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10 Sept 1950

Chief of Staff

G-4

1. In reply to your query "What is the status of this today?" (TAB A) regarding the arrival of certain ammunition ships during the period 20 - 26 Sept the following information is furnished:

(1)

a. The G-4 Section (G-4) of the request of G-4 has prepared a complete analysis of the on-hand stock status of ammunition both in Japan and Korea as of 2 Sept and in addition has tabulated the known data in the month of Sept and as much of Oct as is currently available. The copy is attached hereto as Tab B.

b. Because of the slight supply situation in 1950 now same, it is the opinion of G-4 that Tab A will still be required to maintain readiness on this type of ammunition until such time as it becomes necessary.

c. The time cover situation appears to be somewhat better in Korea than initially anticipated. Shipments from the II, while small, will further alleviate the critical shortage of this type of ammunition.

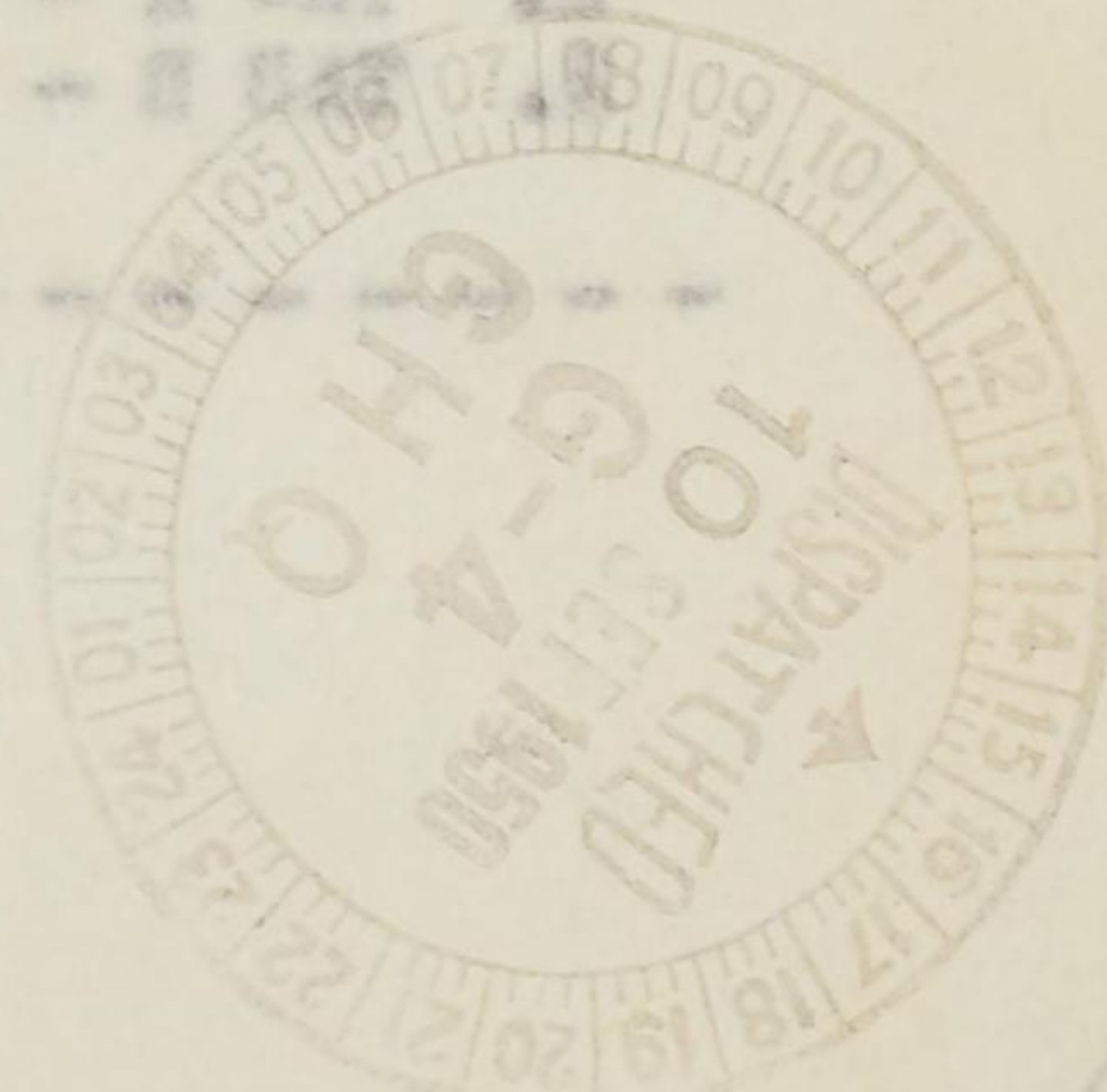
d. The E-4 Section (E-4) has been advised that in the BATA DIANA on the 20th of Sept and the USSRY VICTORY on the same date should allow the employment of this weapon in the normal role.

e. The small size same supply does not appear to be critical at this time. In addition to the 30 MI and certain ammunition loaded on the attached chart, additional amounts of small size ammunition is presently unknown quantities are due in from [illegible] during the month of Sept.

f. G-4 has instructed the G-2 to maintain the complete status of this-in from the II and USAMIC. You will be kept informed of the status from time to time.

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1. TAB A - G-4 query  
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Maj Kreutzer 26-6456

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Arrival of Ammunition Ships

G-4

Chief of Staff

10 Sept 1950

(1) 1. In reply to your query "what is the status of this today?" (TAB A) regarding the arrival of certain ammunition ships during the period 20 - 26 Sept the following information is furnished:

a. The Ord Section GHQ at the request of G-4 has prepared a complete analysis of the on-hand stock status of ammunition both in Japan and Korea as of 2 Sept and in addition has tabulated the known dues-in for the month of Sept and as much of Oct as is currently available. The study is attached hereto as TAB B.

b. Because of the tight supply situation in 105 How ammo, it is the opinion of G-4 that 8th A will still be required to maintain rationing on this type of ammunition until such time as ZI shipments increase materially.

c. The 81mm mortar situation appears to be somewhat better in Korea than initially anticipated. Shipments from the ZI, while small, will further alleviate the critical shortage of this type of ammunition.

d. The 8-inch howitzer ammunition due in on the SANTA CLARA on the 29th of Sept and the DRURY VICTORY on the same date should allow the employment of this weapon in its normal role.

e. The small arms ammo supply does not appear to be critical at this time. In addition to the cal 30 MG and carbine ammunition itemized on the attached chart, additional amounts of small arms ammunition in presently unknown quantities are due in from USARPAC during the month of Sept.

2. G-4 has instructed the Ord O to maintain the complete status of dues-in from the ZI and USARPAC. You will be kept informed of the status from time to time.

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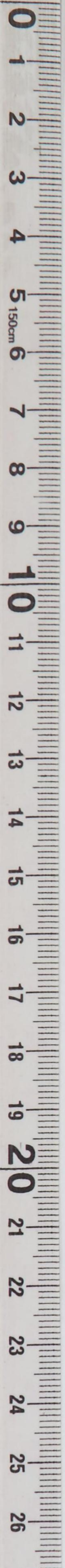
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Arrival of Ammunition Ships

19 Sept 1950

Chief of Staff

G-4

1. In reply to your query "what is the status of this today?" (TAB A) regarding the arrival of certain ammunition ships during the period 20 - 25 Sept the following information is furnished:

a. The 6th Section (G-4) at the request of G-4 has prepared a complete analysis of the on-hand stock status of ammunition both in Japan and Korea as of 2 Sept and in addition has tabulated the known due-in for the month of Sept and as much of Oct as is currently available. The study is attached hereto as TAB B.

b. Because of the tight supply situation in 1950 now same, it is the opinion of G-4 that 20th A will still be required to maintain retention on this type of ammunition until such time as EI shipments increase materially.

c. The 6th Section (G-4) situation appears to be somewhat better in Korea than initially anticipated. Shipments from the EI, while small, will further alleviate the critical shortage of this type of ammunition.

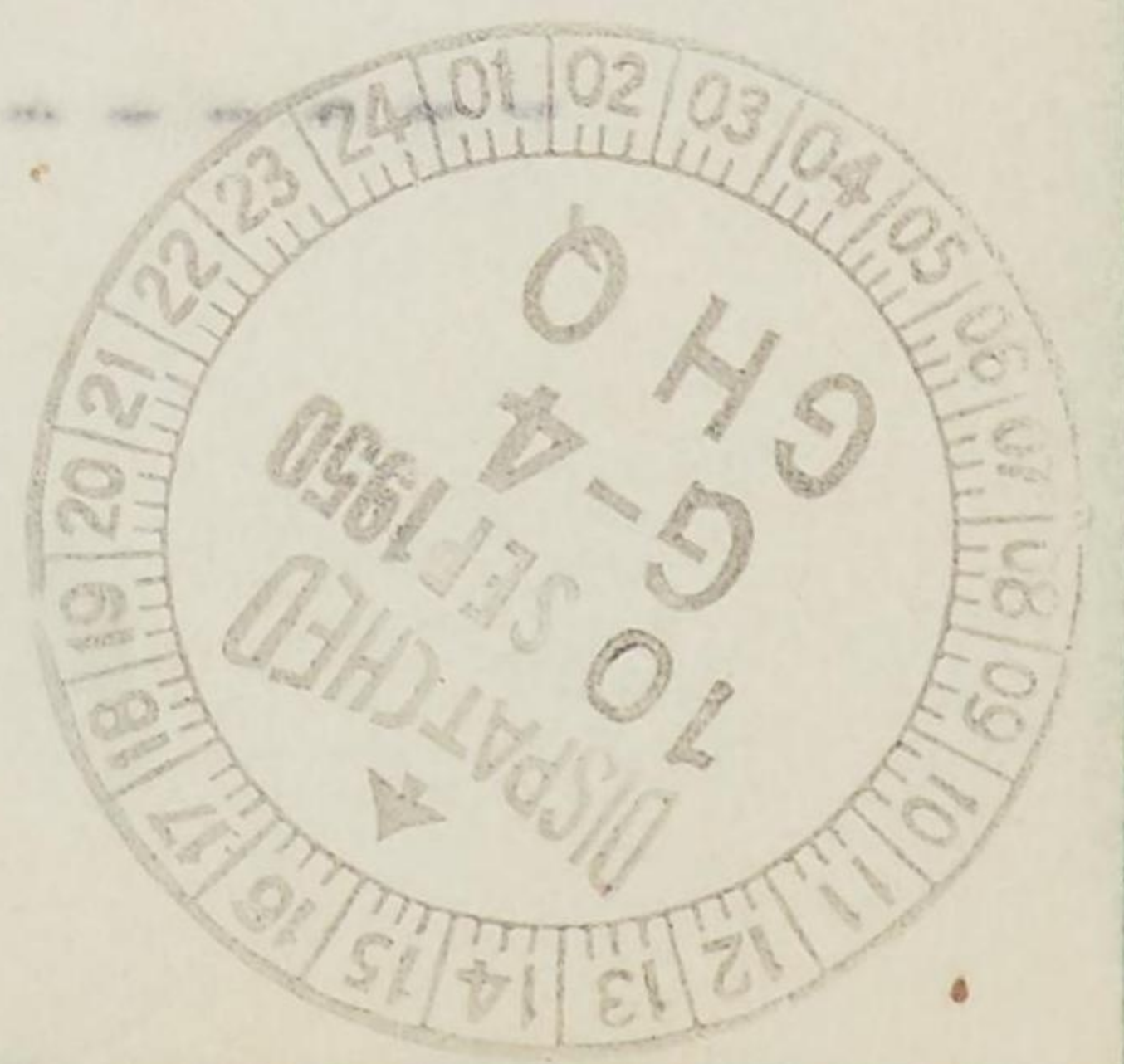
d. The 6-inch howitzer ammunition due in on the SANTA CLARA on the 20th of Sept and the DREWRY VICTORY on the same date should allow the employment of this weapon in its normal role.

e. The small arms supply does not appear to be critical at this time. In addition to the cal 30 SM and carbine ammunition itemized on the attached chart, additional amounts of small arms ammunition in presently unknown quantities are due in from USARPAC during the month of Sept.

2. G-4 has instructed the 6th G to maintain the complete status of due-in from the EI and USARPAC. You will be kept informed of the status from time to time.

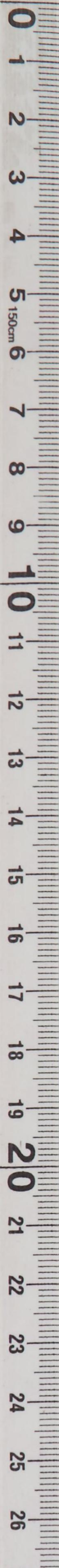
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FROM: CINCFE TOKYO JAPAN

TO : CG JLCOM YOKOHAMA JAPAN . . . . . PRIORITY (COURIER)

INFO: DEPT OF ARMY, WASH DC . . . . . PRIORITY

**CX62731** Reference is made to DA msg W 90816, 7 Sept 50, copy furnished your headquarters. Desire information requested in part 3B, 3C, 3D and 3E of reference msg be submitted to CINCFE soonest.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

K. B. BUSH  
Brigadier General, USA  
Adjutant General

*Urban Niblo*  
URBAN NIBLO  
Brigadier General, Ord Corps  
Ordnance Officer

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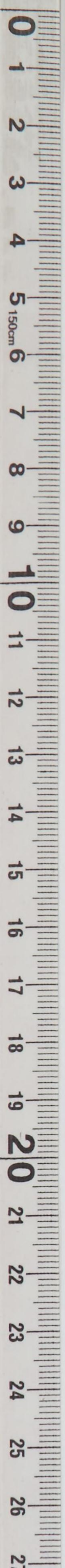
- ROK
- Sp Plan Gp (2)
- Signal
- Ord Return (4)

- 471*
- M/R; 1. DA msg W 90816 refers to telecon JLCOM - SFPE, 2 Sept 50, subj, Ammo Requirements, which firms shipping info for certain critical items and also furnishes info relative to certain items that are not aval. However, the DA requests certain info in part 3 of the msg.
2. Inst msg notifies CG JLCOM that the info should be furnished CINCFE soonest. This info is necessary before an answer can be prepared by the Ord Sec, GHQ, to the DA.

M. G. L.

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*J.V. 12225*





GENERAL HEADQUARTERS FAR EAST COMMAND  
 ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
 RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

INCOMING MESSAGE

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 ROUTINE

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G-1 ROUTING	
A C/S G-4	_____
DA C/S G-4	_____
EXECUTIVE	_____
P+O	_____
C+RE	_____
SUPPLY	_____
PETROLEUM	_____
ADMIN	_____

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FROM : DA (TCTOI OP 735)  
 TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG ARMY EIGHT AND CG RYCOM FOR INFO)  
 INFO : CG SEPE, CG SPPE, CG NYPE, CG NOPE, CG USARPAC  
 NR : W 90913

471

This msg initiates weekly rept ammo vessels sailed, loading and scdd to load. This initial rept covers all vessels sailed not yet arrived FECOM. Subsequent rept will show vessel sailed during week preceding date of rept. Weekly Rept Nr 1 ammo loading for FECOM. Read in 7 colms: Colm 1 loading port, Col 2 start loading date, Col 3 ves name, Col 4 sailing date, Col 5 tons lifted or booked, Col 6 dest, Col 7 ETA dest.

Part 1. Vessels sailed thru 6 Sep:

Mukilteo	11 Aug	Lake Siemous	25 Aug	6802	Okinawa	17 Sep
Bangor	20 Aug	Columbia Trader	29 Aug	8845	Yokohama	16 Sep
Mukilteo	25 Aug	Ocean Navigator	5 Sep	aprx 6255	Okinawa	27 Sep
Bangor	29 Aug	California	6 Sep	aprx 7950	Yokohama	18 Sep
Port Chicago	1 Aug	Denise	14 Aug	6086 Army & 15 Navy	Yokohama	7 Sep
Port Chicago	7 Aug	Denise	24 Aug	6122 Army & 674 Navy	Yokohama	11 Sep

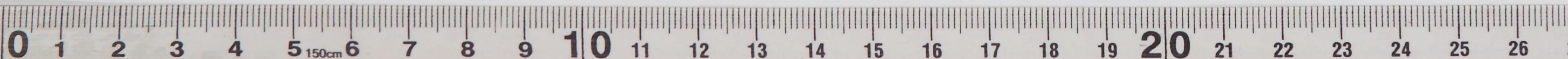
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND  
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RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

# INCOMING MESSAGE

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FROM : DA

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Port Chicago	17 Aug	Hoosier State	1 Sep	aprx 5600	Yokohama	21 Sep
Port Chicago	20 Aug	Waco Sta	3 Sep	aprx 8078	Pusan	17 Sep
Earle	6 Aug	Groton Trails	21 Aug	7454	Okinawa	3 Oct
Braithwaite	10 Aug	West Port	18 Aug	7859	Yokohama	27 Sep
Braithwaite	25 Aug	Drury Victory	31 Aug	8356	Yokohama	28 Sep

Honolulu expected start loading 1 Sep, Pioneer Mail expected sail 3 Sep, 1600 Yokohama, 12 Sep.

Part 2. Vessels loading as of 6 Sep:

Bangor	30 Aug	Mormacsun	10 Sep	9150	Yokohama	22 Sep
Bangor	6 Sep	Arcadia Victory	14 Sep	8000	Yokohama	26 Sep
Mukilteo	4 Sep	Navajo Victory	15 Sep	8000	Okinawa	29 Sep
Beaver	6 Sep	Sioux Falls Victory				
		Reune	15 Sep	7500	Okinawa	14 ***
Mukilteo	6 Sep	Lakeland Victory	16 Sep	7500	Pusan	1 Oct
Port Chicago	28 Aug	Santa Clara Victory	10 Sep	8200	Yokohama	23 Sep
Braithwaite	1 Sep	Loyola Victory	7 Sep	7500	Yokohama	5 Oct

Honolulu expected start loading 6 Sep, Sgt Andrew Miller 12 Sep, 6600, Yokohama, 21 Sep.

Part 3. Vessels scdd to load:

Blake	8 Sep	Carolinian	22 Sep	7500	Yokohama	11 Oct
Blake	8 Sep	Wake Forest Victory	22 Sep	7500	Yokohama	5 Oct
Dupont	8 Sep	Linfield Victory	22 Sep	7500	Yokohama	4 Oct
Port Chicago	10 Sep	Alamo Victory	22 Sep	7500	Pusan	6 Oct
Port Chicago	11 Sep	Adrian Victory	13 Sep	867	Pusan	27 Sep
Port Chicago	14 Sep	Bluefield Victory	16 Sep	1100 basic 4040	Sasebo	30 Sep

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ROUTINE

FROM : DA ----- NR : W 90913 ----- 9 SEP 50 ----- CONTINUED

Port Chicago	16 ***	Allegheny Victory	28 Sep	7000	Yokohama & Pusan	11 Oct
Port Chicago	21 ***	Selma Victory	3 Oct	7000 60 day resupply 4040	Sasebo	17 Oct
Earle	7 Sep	Pacific Victory	15 Sep	7650 incld 150 trans ship to Keelung	Yokohama	16 Oct
Earle	9 Sep	Hunter Victory	17 Sep	7500	Pusan	18 Oct
Earle	11 Sep	Loma Victory	19 Sep	7500	Pusan	17 Oct
Norfolk	13 Sep	Niantic Victory	23 Sep	7500	Yokohama	20 Oct
Braithwaite	7 Sep	Southbend Victory	14 Sep	7500	Yokohama	10 Oct
Braithwaite	15 Sep	Depauw Victory	22 Sep	7500	Yokohama	20 Oct
Braithwaite	22 Sep	Clarksburg Victory	29 Sep	7500	Yokohama	27 Oct
Braithwaite	29 Sep	Bowdoin Victory	6 Oct	7500	Yokohama	3 Nov
Theodore	11 Sep	Caroll Victory	19 Sep	7500	Gokohafk	15 Oct
Theodore	20 Sep	Yugoslavia Victory	28 Sep	7500	Yokohama	24 Oct
Theodore	28 Sep	Baylor Victory	6 Oct	7500	Yokohama	** Nov
Honolulu	9 Sep	China Transport	11 Sep	400	Yokohama	19 Sep
Honolulu	14 Sep	Pioneer Mail	18 Sep	5500	Yokohama	27 Sep

All vessels are time charter except Honolulu vessels, Pioneer Mail, China Transport and Pioneer Tide are space charter and Sgt Andrew Miller is USNS. Arixpa sld via Honolulu. All dates in Part 1 are actual. Start loading date Part 2 actual and sailing date estd. All dates Part 3 are estd. Do you have any suggestions to change this rept to better serve your needs? Do you anticipate much difficulties, particularly Okinawa? Also rqst any suggestions or corrections from info adees.

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ROUTINE

FROM : DA ----- NR : WCL 90913 ----- 9 SEP 50 ----- CONTINUED

ACTION : ORDNANCE

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG,  
SIGNAL, TRANS, JLCOM LNO

NOTE : This msg passed to Comm Cen for electrical transmission to CG RYCOM,  
CG ARMY EIGHT for info.

NOTE : This msg passed by AG Radio Br via courier to CG JLCOM for info.

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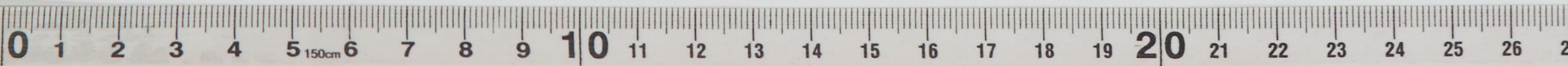
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TOO : 072346 Z  
MCN : 76934

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Authority: AWD 975029





GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

G-4 ROUTING	
A C/S G-4	_____
DA C/S G-4	_____
EXECUTIVE	_____
P+O	_____
C+RE	_____
SUPPLY	_____
PETROLEUM	_____
ADMIN	_____

# INCOMING MESSAGE

EFF/bch

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ROUTINE

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9 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT

TO : CG 1ST CAV DIV, CG 2D INF DIV, CG 24TH INF DIV, CG 25TH INF DIV

INFO : CINCFE

NR : HX 51754 KODA

SR 385-310-1 dtd 4 Mar 48, requires a preliminary rpt on all accidents invol the use of ammo in combt sub immediately by most expeditious means and fol up with a detailed written rpt. Rqst immediate compliance with above ref msg.

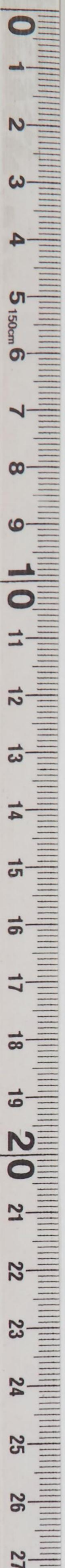
NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSPOG, SIGNAL, ORDNANCE, JLCOM LNO

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ROUTINE  
UNCLASSIFIED

TOO : 091515 K  
MCN : AUA 121/09







INCOMING MESSAGE

RRP/BGH

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ROUTINE

9 Sep 50

FROM : CG ARMY EIGHT

TO : CG 1ST CAV DIV, CG 2D INF DIV, CG 3RD INF DIV, CG 4TH INF DIV, CG 5TH INF DIV

INFO : CINCPAC

NR : HX 51754 KODA

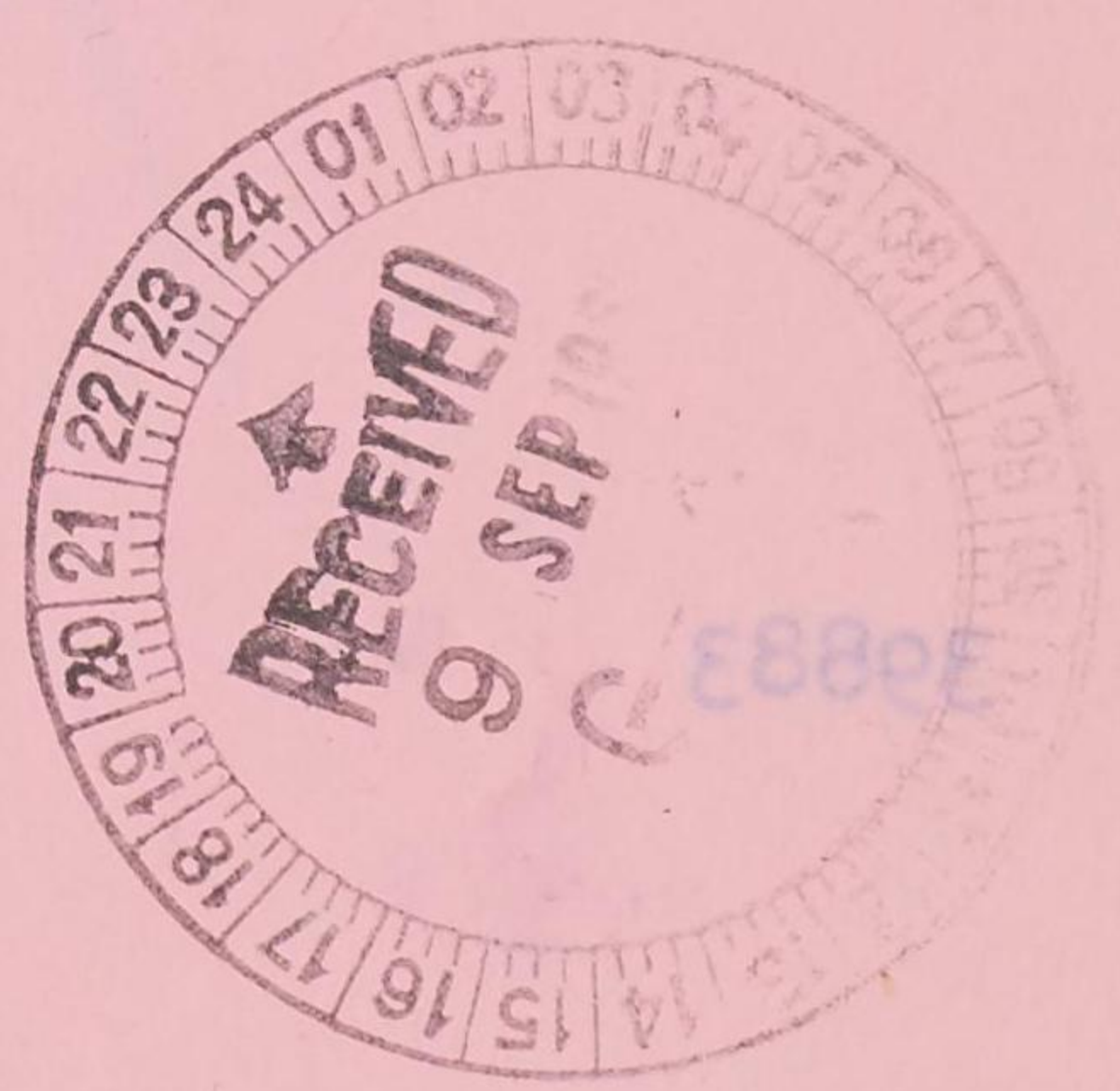
SR 385-310-1 dtd 4 Mar 48, requires a preliminary rpt on all accidents involving the use of ammo in combat and immediately by most expeditious means and fol up with a detailed written rpt. Rpt immediate compliance with above rel msg.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, JSP03, SIGNAL, ORDANCE, JCOM LNO

TOO : 091515 K  
MON : 091517 CG

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ROUTINE





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G ROUTING	
A C / S G-4	<i>[Signature]</i>
DA C / S G-4	<i>[Signature]</i>
EXECUTIVE	<i>[Signature]</i>
P + O	<i>[Signature]</i>
C + RE	<i>[Signature]</i>
SUPPLY	<i>[Signature]</i>
PETROLEUM	<i>[Signature]</i>
ADMIN	<i>[Signature]</i>

# INCOMING MESSAGE

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PRIORITY

JA 1fm

9 Sep 50

FROM : CG 1ST PROV MAR BRIG *471*

TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG X CORPS), CG 1ST MAR DIV

INFO : CG PUSAN LOG COMD

NR : 082300 Z

Ammunition deficiencies which cannot be supplied locally are as follows:

5th RCT 4.2 mortar have 500 rds HE. Short 2700. 4.2 mortar have 150 rds WP. Short 650. 3.5 rocket have 500 rds. Short 2775.

ROK Marines have 1 basic load. Short 4 U/F.

73rd Tk Bn have 1 basic load. Short 4 U/F.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : G-4, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL

NOTE : This msg passed by AG RAD BR via Courier to SP PLANNING STAFF for action.

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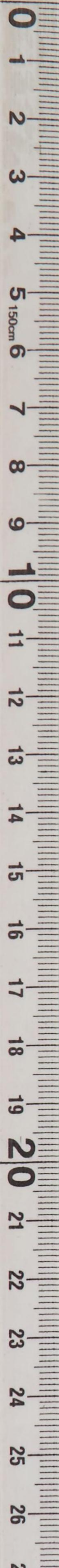
PRIORITY  
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TOO : 082300 Z  
MCN : 77018

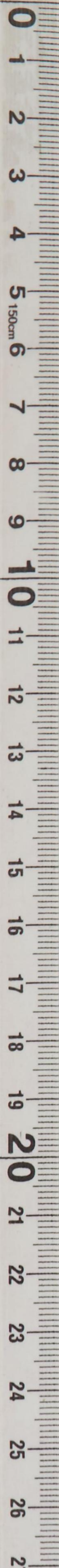
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PRIORITY

9 SEP 50

FROM : DE 1ST MAR DIV

TO : GINORE (PASS TO CO 1ST MAR DIV)

INFO : CO 1ST MAR DIV

NR : 002300 Z

Information follows which should be supplied locally  
as follows:  
1st Lt & 2nd Lt have 500 lbs. Short 2700. 4.2. 4.3. 4.4. 4.5. 4.6. 4.7. 4.8. 4.9. 4.10. 4.11. 4.12. 4.13. 4.14. 4.15. 4.16. 4.17. 4.18. 4.19. 4.20. 4.21. 4.22. 4.23. 4.24. 4.25. 4.26. 4.27. 4.28. 4.29. 4.30. 4.31. 4.32. 4.33. 4.34. 4.35. 4.36. 4.37. 4.38. 4.39. 4.40. 4.41. 4.42. 4.43. 4.44. 4.45. 4.46. 4.47. 4.48. 4.49. 4.50. 4.51. 4.52. 4.53. 4.54. 4.55. 4.56. 4.57. 4.58. 4.59. 4.60. 4.61. 4.62. 4.63. 4.64. 4.65. 4.66. 4.67. 4.68. 4.69. 4.70. 4.71. 4.72. 4.73. 4.74. 4.75. 4.76. 4.77. 4.78. 4.79. 4.80. 4.81. 4.82. 4.83. 4.84. 4.85. 4.86. 4.87. 4.88. 4.89. 4.90. 4.91. 4.92. 4.93. 4.94. 4.95. 4.96. 4.97. 4.98. 4.99. 4.100.

1st Lt & 2nd Lt have 1 pack load. Short 4.1. 4.2. 4.3. 4.4. 4.5. 4.6. 4.7. 4.8. 4.9. 4.10. 4.11. 4.12. 4.13. 4.14. 4.15. 4.16. 4.17. 4.18. 4.19. 4.20. 4.21. 4.22. 4.23. 4.24. 4.25. 4.26. 4.27. 4.28. 4.29. 4.30. 4.31. 4.32. 4.33. 4.34. 4.35. 4.36. 4.37. 4.38. 4.39. 4.40. 4.41. 4.42. 4.43. 4.44. 4.45. 4.46. 4.47. 4.48. 4.49. 4.50. 4.51. 4.52. 4.53. 4.54. 4.55. 4.56. 4.57. 4.58. 4.59. 4.60. 4.61. 4.62. 4.63. 4.64. 4.65. 4.66. 4.67. 4.68. 4.69. 4.70. 4.71. 4.72. 4.73. 4.74. 4.75. 4.76. 4.77. 4.78. 4.79. 4.80. 4.81. 4.82. 4.83. 4.84. 4.85. 4.86. 4.87. 4.88. 4.89. 4.90. 4.91. 4.92. 4.93. 4.94. 4.95. 4.96. 4.97. 4.98. 4.99. 4.100.

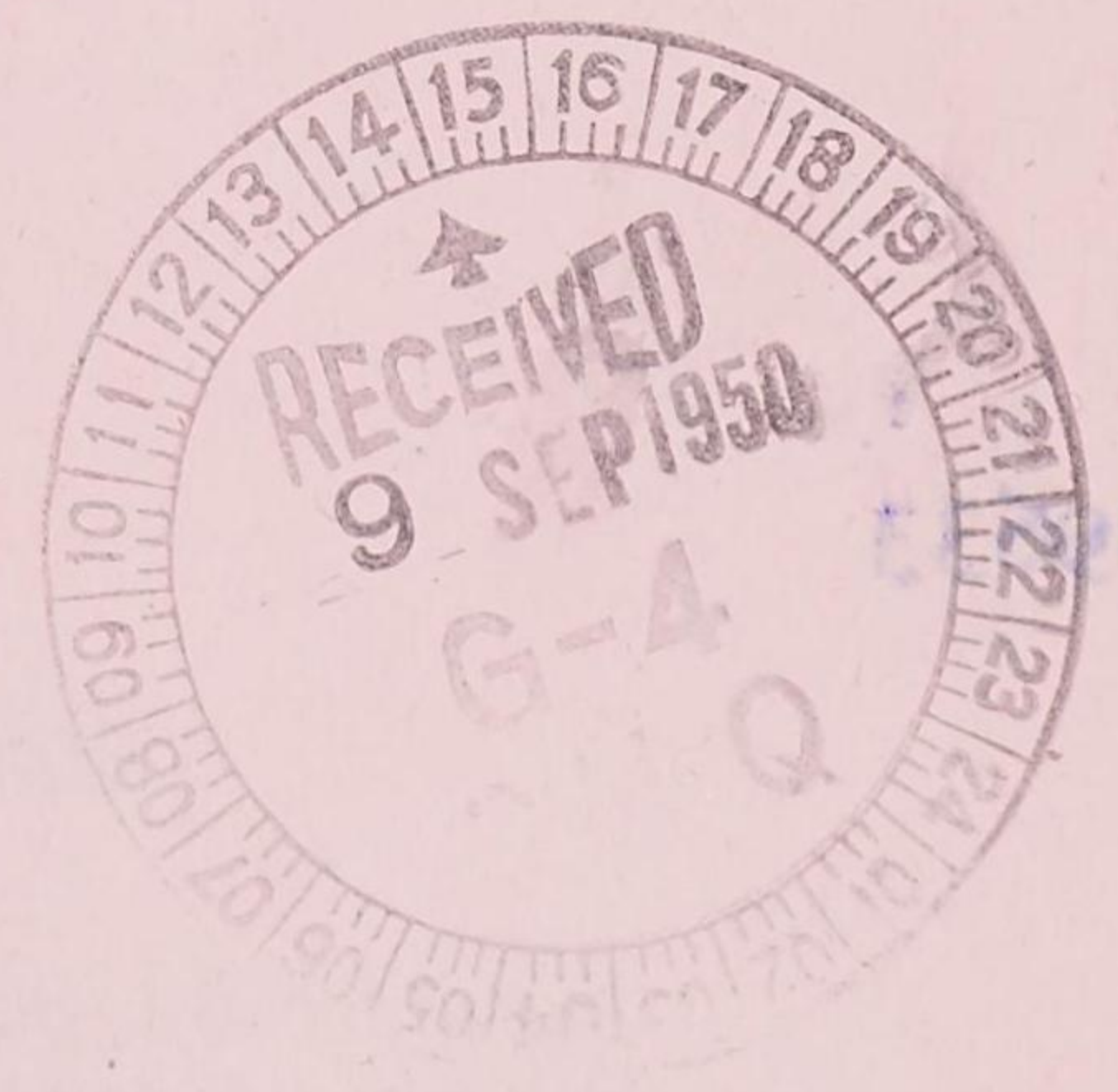
NO SIG

INFORMATION & G-4 ORDINANCE, SIGNAL

NOTE: This was passed by AG RAD BR via Computer to SP TRAINING  
START for action.

TOO - 002300 Z  
NRN - 11018

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PRIORITY





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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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G ROUTING	
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DA C S G-4	<input type="checkbox"/>
EXECUTIVE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
P + O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
C + RE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SUPPLY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
JAN PETROLEUM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ADMIN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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ROUTINE

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9 Sep 50

FROM : DA (COFORD) (ORJLR)  
 TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG ARMY EIGHT) (FOR ORD OFF)  
 NR : WCL 42552

New ammo made for your 105 mm How M 2 A 2 requires use of elbow telescope M 16 A 1 D. Do you have them? Cite ORD-TR.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : 3-3, G-4, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL

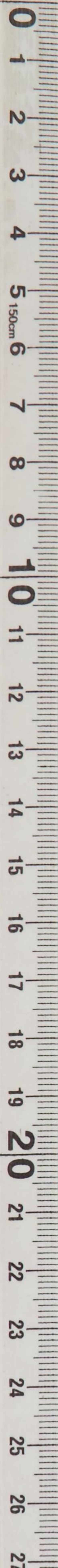
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NOTE : This msg passed to Comm Center for electrical transmission to ARMY EIGHT for action.

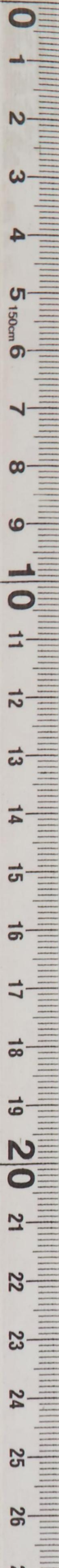
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ROUTINE  
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TOO : 082100 Z  
MCN : AUB 4/09







GENERAL HEADQUARTERS FAR EAST COMMAND  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S CENTER  
BAGONG HANG AND CALOOCAN

INCOMING MESSAGE

ROUTING  
TO : [illegible]  
FROM : [illegible]  
SUBJECT : [illegible]

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ROUTINE

9 SEP 50

FROM : DA (CORROD) (OALIR)  
TO : GINCKE (PASS TO CG ARMY RIGHT) (FOR ORD ORP)  
NR : WOL 4355

New memo made for your 105 mm How M 2 A 2 requires  
use of elbow telescope M 16 A 1 B. Do you have them? Cite  
ORD-17

NO SIG

INFORMATION : 1-3, 0-4, ORDANCE, SIGNAL

NOTE : This was passed by AG Rad Br via Courier to CG JECOM  
for info

NOTE : This was passed to Comm Center for electrical transmission  
to ARMY RIGHT for action.



TTO : 08100 X  
MCM : AUB #09

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 ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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G-4 ROUTING	
A C, S G-4	_____
DA C, S G-4	_____
EXECUTIVE	_____
P + O	_____
C + RE	_____
WAG/ewj LY.	_____
PETROLEUM	_____
ADMIN	_____

# INCOMING MESSAGE

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 PRIORITY

9 Sep 50

FROM : CG USARPAC (GPTR0) 471  
 TO : CINCPC  
 INFO : DA (COT), CG SFPE (OSD), CG ARMY EIGHT, CG JLCOM,  
 CG 55TH TRANS MED PORT  
 NR : RJ 64805

URMSG CX 62063. This msg in 4 parts.  
 Part 1. List in 5 columns: First-vessel name; second-sailing date; third-long ton lifted or booked; fourth-destination; fifth-ETA destination:

1	2	3	4	5
SS Pioneer Mail	8 Sep	2300	EVIL	18 Sep
USNS Sgt Miller	17 Sep	7500	EVIL	27 Sep
SS China Transport	18 Sep	4000	EVIL	28 Sep
SS Pioneer Tide	26 Sep	4500	EVIL	6 Oct

Part 2. Ammo by type. List in 2 columns: Description, long ton:

SS Pioneer Mail:	
155mm gun	221
105mm HE	348
105mm HE	294
76mm HR	495
81mm mortar	308
75mm mortar <i>How(?)</i>	418
Charges prop 155 HE	147
Firing devices	6
TNT	5

(See Close-Out Memo for Record on reverse side)

Part 3. Planned load for:  
 USNS Sgt Miller-7457 tons of 90mm shell and 105mm shell;  
 China Transport-4000 tons cartridge ball, carbine cal 30 and cartridge ball cal 45, shell 105 HE and smoke;

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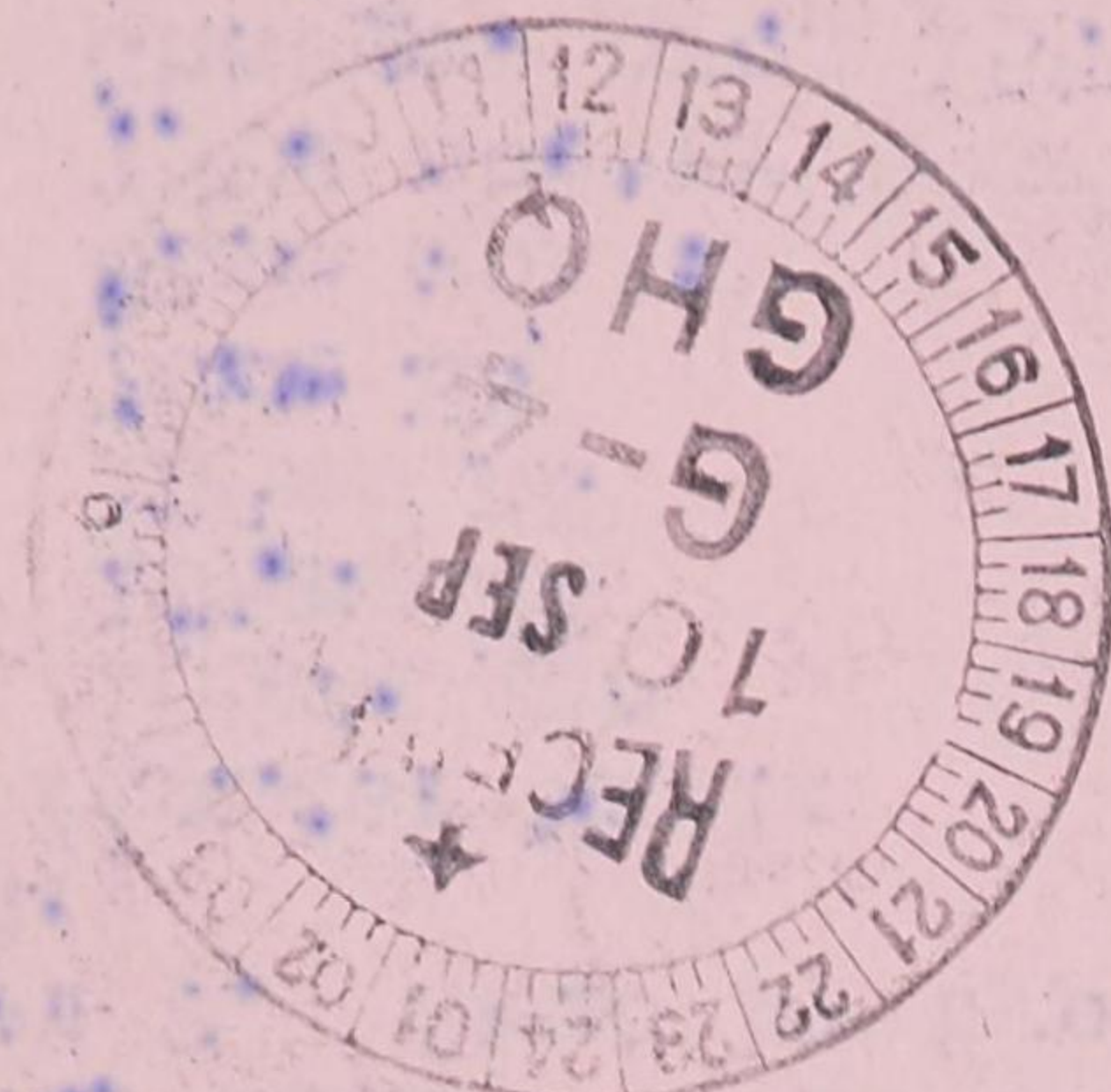
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FROM : CG USARPAC (GPTR) NR : RJ 64805 DTD 9 SEP 50 CONT'D

Pioneer Tide-4500 tons of ammo assorted-demolition blocks, firing devices-fuzes-cord, detonating. This shpmt will be the balance of Ord items directed to be shipped by OSD SPPE.

Part 4. Detail lists of cargo lifted these ves will fol by air mail.

NO SIG



ACTION : G-4

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, AG, JSPOG, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL, TRANS

CLOSE-OUT MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD: GD SP RBK/BH/lg 10 Sept 50

1. Information contained on this msg has been extracted by G-4 Sup for the "status of ammo dues in" kept by this division.
2. In view of the fact JLCOM, 8th Army and GHQ Ord have received copies of this msg and since the necessary info has been extracted for future use, no further G-4 action is required.
3. Action complete on G-4 Journal 12147.

RBK 26-6456 BH *H* 26-6043  
(Div Chief)

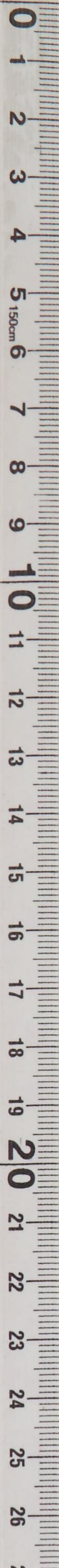
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PRIORITY

TOO : 090400 Z  
MCN : 77152



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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G-4 ROUTING	
A C/S G-4	<i>[Signature]</i>
DA C/S G-4	<i>[Signature]</i>
EXECUTIVE	<i>[Signature]</i>
P + O	<i>[Signature]</i>
C + RE	<i>[Signature]</i>
SUPPLY	<i>[Signature]</i>
W/O PETROLEUM	<i>[Signature]</i>
ADMIN	<i>[Signature]</i>

# INCOMING MESSAGE

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PRIORITY

9 Sep 50

FROM : CG JLCOM  
TO : CG BCOF  
INFO : GINCFE  
NR : EX 30355 OM

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*[Signature]*

URMSG Q# 3555. Action has been taken to sup 18 each 3.5 inch rocket launchers to BCOF Base Ord Depot.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : G-3, G-4, ORDNANCE, SIGNAL

NOTE : This msg rec dir fr CG JLCOM via Courier.

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PRIORITY

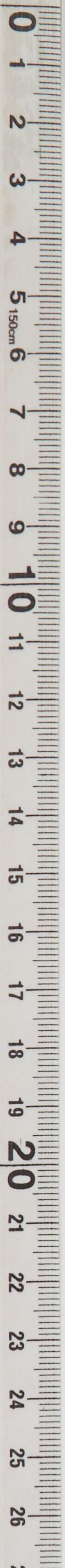
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MCN : NONE

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PRIORITY

FROM: CG JASON  
TO: CG BOP  
INFO: CINCOP  
MR: EX 3035 ON

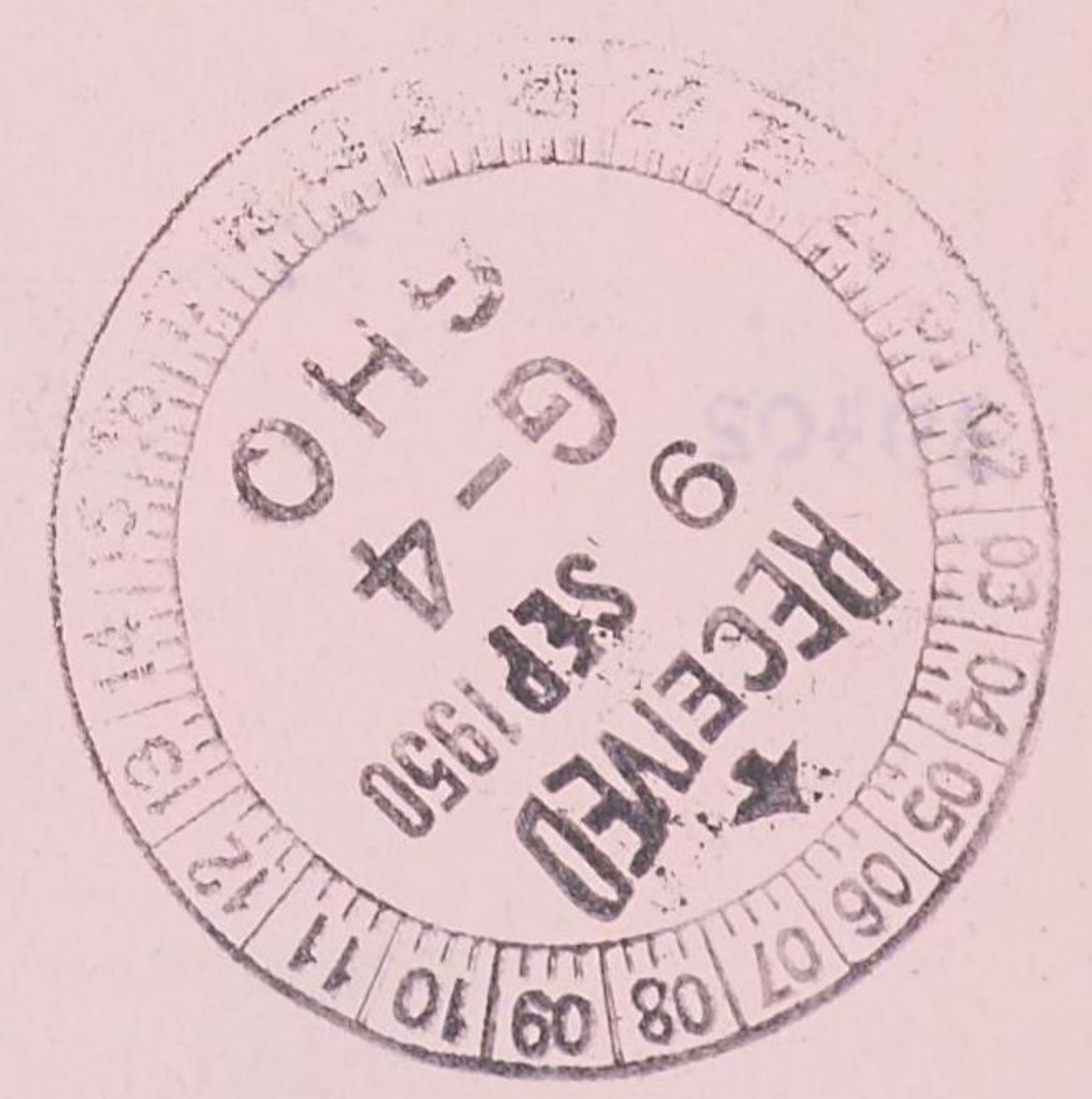
URGENT 03 3555 Action has been taken to sup 18 each 3.5  
from rocket launchers to HOP Base Ord Depot.

NO 210

REMARKS: This was rec dir fr CG JASON via Courier.  
INFORMATION: G-3, G-4, ORDWAY, SIGNAL

TO: CG BOP  
FROM: JASON

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PRIORITY





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Authority AWD 975029

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AG STAMP: File AG 580

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HEADQUARTERS  
JAPAN LOGISTICAL COMMAND  
Office of the Commanding General  
APO 343

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3 Sep 1950

AGGS 581.21

SUBJECT: Request for Air Shipment of Ammunition from Zone of Interior

TO: Commander-in-Chief  
Far East  
APO 500

1. Reference is made to X Corps Embarkation Order No. 1-1950.
2. It is requested that 10,000,000 rounds of caliber 30 machine gun ammunition, belted, be air lifted from the Zone of Interior to arrive Japan by 8 September 1950 and not later than 10 September 1950.
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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ Frank L. Hickisch

/t/ FRANK L. HICKISCH  
Lt Colonel AGD  
Asst Adj General

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7 Sept 1950

MEMO FOR RECORD:

SUBJECT: Request for Air Shipment of Ammunition from Zone of Interior

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5. Coordinated with: G-4 JLCOM (Lt Col Thompson)  
G-4 SPS (Lt Col Murray)

6. Action complete on G-4 Journal No. 11729.

RBK [Signature] 26-6456

BH [Signature] 26-643 (Div Chief)

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND, APO 500,

TO: Commanding General, Japan Logistical Command, APO 343

1. The request contained in the basic letter is not favorably considered. It is not believed that airlift of the ammunition from the zone of the interior can be effected in time to meet the target date.

2. It is felt that the 5,000,000 rounds of caliber 30 machine gun ammunition, belted, which is being supplied from Japan Logistical Command stocks will be sufficient to meet the General Headquarters Reserve outloading requirements.

3. It is desired that your resupply capabilities for all types of small arms ammunition, considered to be in critical short supply, be reviewed immediately.

4. If after an analysis of all known dues-in and time and space factors it is determined that an emergency requirement exists for certain types of small arms ammunition, this headquarters should be notified as soon as possible as to the types, amounts and the critical time phasing for each increment of each type.

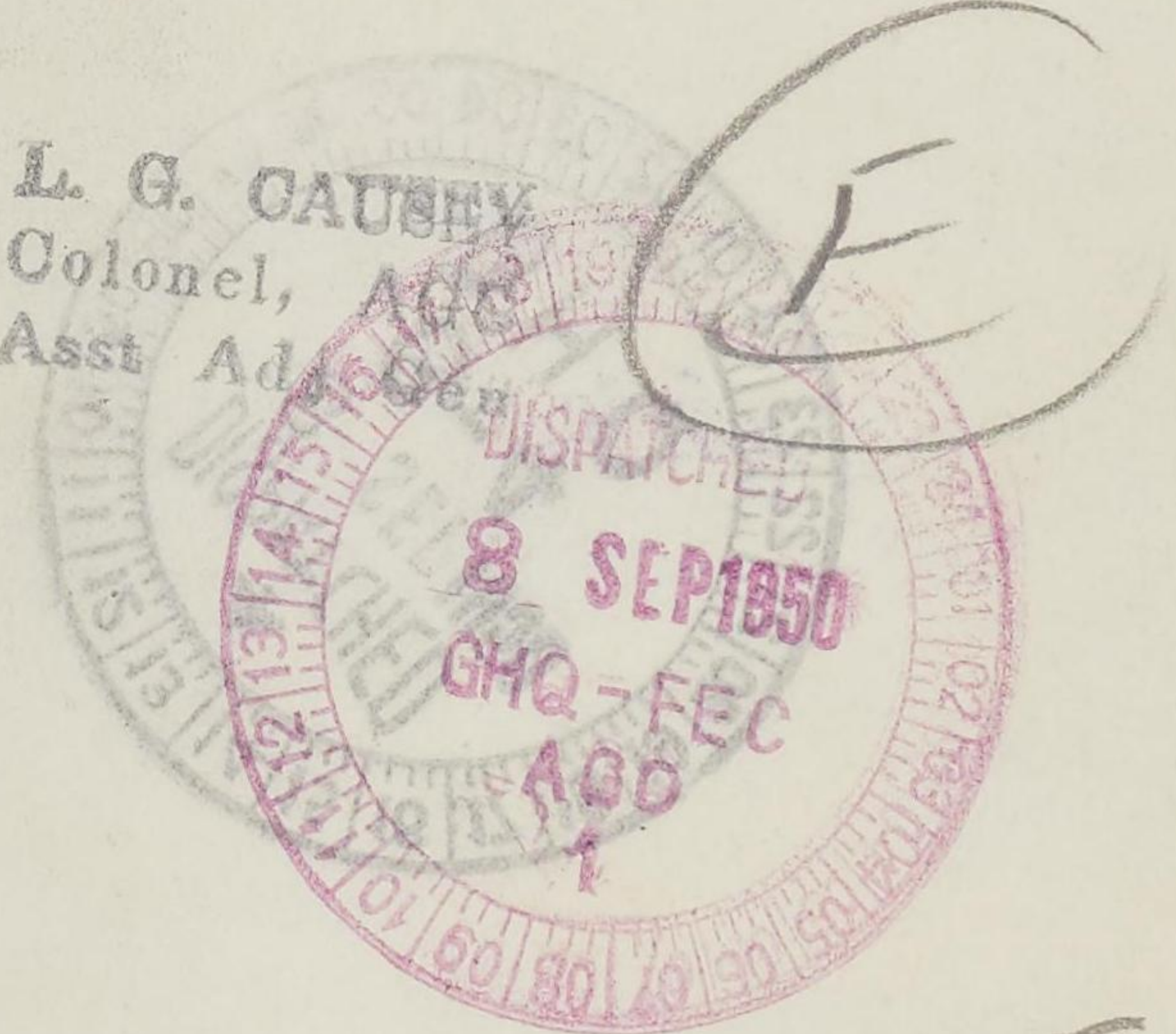
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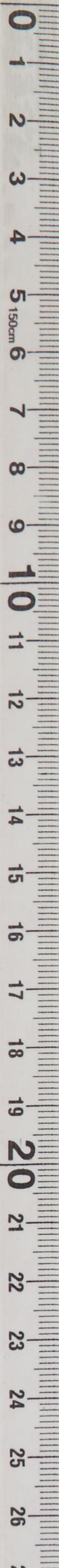


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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND, APO 200,  
TO: Commanding General, Japan Technical Command, APO 313

1. The request contained in the memo letter is not favorably considered. It is not believed that skills of the examination from the name of the inventor can be effected in time to meet the target date.

2. It is felt that the 2,000,000 rounds of caliber 30 machine gun ammunition, which is being supplied from Japan Legation Demand Station will be sufficient to meet the General Headquarters Reserve outstanding requirements.

3. It is desired that your supply capabilities for all types of small arms ammunition, considered to be in critical short supply, be reviewed immediately.

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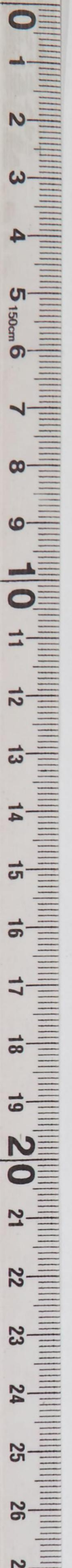
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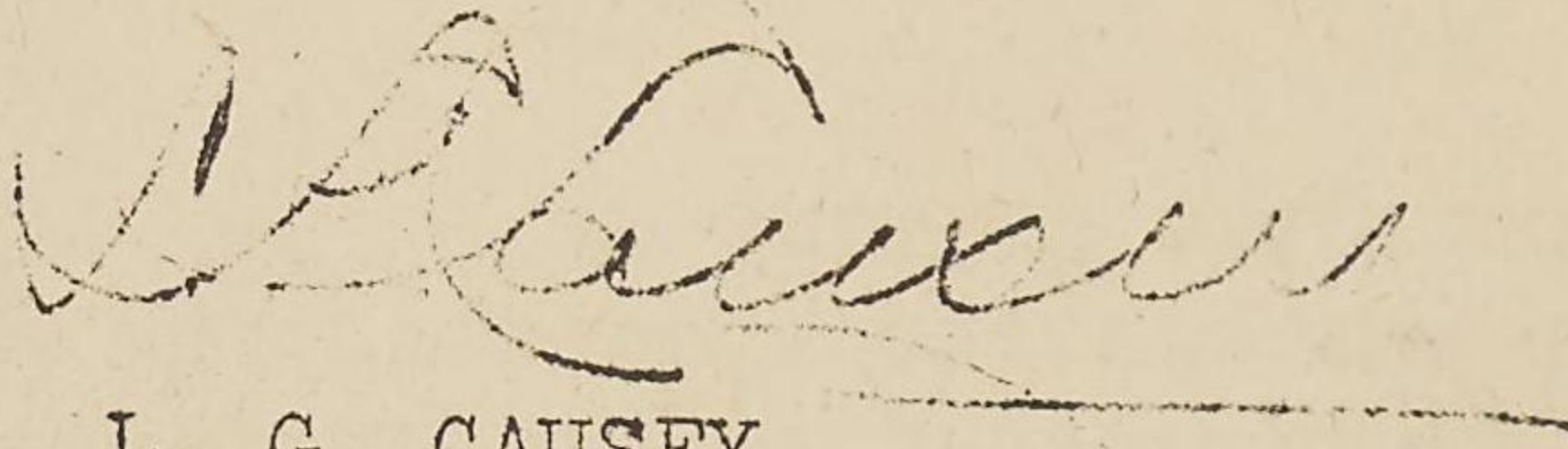
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JAPAN LOGISTICAL COMMAND  
Office of the Commanding General  
APO 343

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3 Sep 1950

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TO: Commander-in-Chief  
Far East  
APO 500

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