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Name: Miho Air. Field Code No. 41-10

Date 22 JANUARY 1951

SECTION I
INVENTORY DATA

1. Total items originally inventoried: 13

2. Originally inventoried items not available for allocation:

a. EX items		
(1) Originally inventoried EX	0	
(2) Subsequently deleted from EX classification	0	
(3) Total (line a(1) less line d(2))		
b. Subsequently released from custody		
(1) Woodworking*		
(2) Others*		2 (IN USE BY OCC. FORCES)
c. Destroyed SP*		0
d. Subsequent losses from fire, theft, etc.*		0
e. Released from dispersed location*		0
f. Shipped to TID*		0
g. Removed under PD*		0
h. Removed on allocation	0	
i.		

3. Total deduction from original inventory 0

4. Item missed from original inventory-subsequently picked up 0

5. Adjusted original inventory total (line 1 less line 3, plus line 4) 13

6. Subsequent additions to inventory

a. Returned PD'd items*	0
b. Added on evaluation	0
c.	
d.	

7. Inventory total 13

8. "U" items 13

9. Total items available for allocation (line 7 less line 8) 0

SECTION II
MISCELLANEOUS

1. Non-inventoried items shipped to TID 0

2. Items inventoried under other plant code number; 0 (Not included in line 9, SEC I)

3. Authorized transformer capacity 0 KW

4. EX items subsequent to original inventory 0

* See reverse side

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DATE	SUBJECT	ISSUING HEADQUARTERS & INDORSEMENTS
28 AUG. 1948	OIL STORAGE TANKS HELD FOR REPARATIONS IN TOTTORI PREFECTURE.	TOTTORI M.G.T. BASIC
25 NOV. 1949	INVENTORY DATA, (41-10) EX-MIHO AIR BASE	TOTTORI PREF. GOV'T. BASIC
25 Apr. 1950	Reparations Equipment In Use By Occupation Forces	CCAR - Basic
27 April 1950	Reparations Equipment at Miho Air Force Base	CCAR - Basic

I.A. - INVENTORY

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HEADQUARTERS
CHUGOKU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
APO 248 (Kure, Honshu)

CCAR 386.3

D/F&L/fk
27 April 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: Hiroshima Finance Bureau, Tottori Branch

THROUGH: Chugoku Liaison and Coordination Office

SUBJECT: Reparations Equipment at Miho Air Force Base

1. Reference is letter, Tottori Branch of Hiroshima Finance Bureau, 4 April 1950, subject: "Code Numbers on Reparations Items Located at Miho Air Base".

2. Listed below are the correct code numbers of reparations equipment in use at Miho Air Force Base:

41-10-1	Oil Storage Tank
41-10-2	"
41-10-3	"
41-10-4	"
41-10-5	"
41-10-6	"
41-10-7	"
41-10-8	"
41-10-9	"
41-10-10	"
41-10-11	Turbine Pump
41-10-12	Motor 15 HP
41-10-13	Switch Panel

3. It is requested that records of your office be adjusted accordingly.

FRANK KOWALSKI, JR
Colonel, Inf
Chief

41-10 Sec. 14 Subject File 1950 RG

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TRANSLATION

4 April 1950

FROM : Chief, Tottori Branch, Hiroshima Finance Bureau

TO : Mr. Stradley, Chugoku Civil Affairs Region

SUBJECT: Code Numbers on Reparation Items Located at Miho Air Base

1. Location of the said reparation items.

Within compound of Miho Air Base at Oshinozu-Son, Seihaku-Gun, Tottori-Ken.

2. Name of items.

Oil Storage Tanks	10
Turbine Pump	1
Motor (15 HP)	1
Switch Panel	1

3. Particulars regarding the code numbering of above items.

a. The inspection report dated 27 May 1948 submitted by the Koa Oil Co. Ltd. (Evaluation Committee at that time) to Tottori M.G.Team states as follows:

Oil Storage Tanks	10
Turbine Pump	1
Motor	1
Switch Panel	1

b. Since then Mr. Yamamoto of our office inspected the oil tanks on 17 August 1948 and submitted a report and a map indicating the location of each reparation items to Tottori M.G.Team. This was reported with the same numbers as was reported by the Koa Oil Co. Ltd. (Only the tanks were code numbered by the U.S. Air Force at that time).

c. On September 1, 1948 inventory sheets were made and submitted to Tottori Civil Affairs with the following code numbers.

Oil Tanks.

10-1, 10-2, 10-3, 10-4, 10-5,
10-6, 10-7, 10-8, 10-9, 10-10

Turbine Pump. (Inclusive Motor)

10-11

Switch Panel

10-12

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However at the time stated in paragraph 3b above our office was instructed by Capt Moxley, Chief of Economics Section, Tottori M.G.T. to take inventory of the above items and as a result it was reported that there are 13 items. Capt Moxley requested a detailed explanation of the items and therefore explained that the turbine pump and motor were installed on the same foundation.

Capt. Moxley then instructed us that both the pump and mortor be numbered 10-11 and to number the switch panel 10-12, therefore as stated in paragraph 3c the inventory sheets were made out as instructed.

We were furthermore informed that maintenance and custody of the reparation items will be executed by the Air Force, we have made no inspection since.

A discrepancy exists between the inventoried code numbers and the evaluation code number and we are waiting for your instruction so that we may determine which is the right number.

Inventoried Code Number		Evaluation Code Number	
41-10-1	Oil Tank	41-10-1	Oil Tank
" -2	"	" -2	"
" -3	"	" -3	"
" -4	"	" -4	"
" -5	"	" -5	"
" -6	"	" -6	"
" -7	"	" -7	"
" -8	"	" -8	"
" -9	"	" -9	"
" -10	"	" -10	"
" -11	Turbine Pump & Mortor	" -11	Turbine Pump
" -12	Switch Panel	" -12	Mortor
		" -13	Switch Panel

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昭和廿五年四月四日

廣島財務部鳥取支部長

中国民事部（連絡者吉井）

ストラドレー殿

旧英保航空基地に所在する賠償機械（オイルタンク）のコード番号について

四月三日電話連絡に依る首題について左記の通り解答する

記

一、該賠償機械所在地　鳥取縣西伯郡大篠津村

旧英保航空基地内

一、機械名

オイルタンク　一〇基

タービンポンプ　一基

モーター（一五HP）　一台

斗器盤　一基

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一、該機械にコード番號を符するまでの経由

(a) 昭和二十三年五月二十七日付に興亜石油株式会社(高時の評価委員)調査報告書を為前軍政隊(高時の)に提出して居ります。その内訳をみますれば

オイルタンク	一口基
タービンポンプ	一基
モーター	一台
斗器盤	一基

となって居ります。

(b) 其の後高支部山本係官は同年八月十七日現在に於るオイルタンクの状況を視察し配置図機械内訳を為前軍政隊長宛に報告して居る。その内訳も興亜石油株式会社の調査と同様な番號を以て報告してゐる(高時は既にタンクのみにはコード番號は記入してあった)(米空軍にて)

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Moxley

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(c) 同年九月一日付を以て賠償登録票を作成し民事部長へ報告した。

オイルタンク　一ロー一　一ロー二　一ロー三　一ロー四　一ロー五

一ロー六　一ロー七　一ロー八　一ロー九　一ロー一〇

タービンポンプ（モーター一ロ付）（含む）　一ロー一一

斗器盤　一ロー一二

(d) コード番号を付する迄の至由は大体以上の通りであるが問情において右記の通りであります。

記

(b) 項においては当時当家政隊経済課長モックスレー氏の命に依り登録番号を作る様命ぜられ現地に赴いた次第であります。調査の結果十三ヶ日として報告したところ、具体的説明を要求されたついてはタービンポンプとモーターとは同一の盤の上に固定されてゐるを説明した所

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モックスレー大尉は、ではそのタービンポンプを一ロー二にー配電盤を一ロー一二にーろと命ぜられ後に(C)項に記された通り登録書號を作成報告した次第であります。

なおその折タンクの保全監理は現地部隊に於て行ふ故その必要はないと言はれ、その後現在まで調査は行っていない大体以上の通りであります。なおインブントリー書號と評価書號とを別紙の通り報告致します。

なお当時の至緯は以上の如くでありますが当支部と致しましてもインベントリー書号と評価書号とに相違がある

ので何分の指示を願いたい

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賠償登録番号	評価番号（本省評価に依る）	
四一一	一	オイルタンク
〃	二	〃
〃	三	〃
〃	四	〃
〃	五	〃
〃	六	〃
〃	七	〃
〃	八	〃
〃	九	〃
〃	一〇	〃
〃	一一	タービンポンプ（一五馬力含む）
〃	一二	計器盤
〃	一三	〃
〃	一四	〃
〃	一五	モーター
〃	一六	タービンポンプ
〃	一七	〃
〃	一八	〃
〃	一九	〃
〃	二〇	〃
〃	二一	〃
〃	二二	モーター
〃	二三	計器盤

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HEADQUARTERS
CHUGOKU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
APO 248 (Kure, Honshu)

D/RPL/fk
25 April 1950

CCAR 386.3

SUBJECT: Reparations Equipment In Use By Occupation Forces

TO : Commanding Officer
Miho Air Force Base
APO 75-1

1. Reference paragraph 3b (1), (2), (3), and (4), Operational Directive Number 11, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, Civil Affairs Section, 10 April 1950, subject: "Industry".

2. A recent inspection of reparations equipment at Miho Air Force Base by a member of this headquarters revealed the lack of a code number on one of the reparations items in use by your organization.

3. The item referred to is a switch panel described as follows:

Manufacturer	-	Hitachi Co., Ltd.
Type	-	YC-12
HP	-	20
Serial No.	-	3.69178
Volt Capacity	-	600
AMP	-	60
Operating Voltage	-	200-220

4. Records of this headquarters show the reparations code number of the switch panel described above to be 41-10-13. It is therefore requested that the subject switch panel be so marked.

FRANK KOWALSKI, JR
Colonel, Inf
Chief

41-10 Sec. IA
Subject File
RBS
ZEON 963

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Name: Former Miho Air Base Code No. 41-10

Date 25 November 1949

SECTION I
INVENTORY DATA

1.	Total items originally inventoried:	12
2.	Originally inventoried items not available for allocation:	
a.	EX items	
	(1) Originally inventoried EX	2
	(2) Subsequently deleted from EX classification	
	(3) Total (Line a (1) less line a(2))	2
b.	Subsequently release from custody	
	(1) Wood working	
	(2) Others	
c.	Destroyed SP	
d.	Subsequent loses from fire, theft, etc.	
e.	Released form dispersed location	
f.	Shipped to TID	
g.	Removed under PD	
h.	Removed on allocation	
i.		
3.	Total deduction from original inventory	2
4.	Item missed from original inventory subsequently picked up	
5.	Adjusted original inventory total (line 1 less line 3, plus line 4)	10
6.	Subsequent additions to inventory	
	a. Returned PD'd items	
	b. Added on evaluation	
	c.	
	d.	
7.	Inventory total	10
8.	"U" items	
9.	Total items available for allocation (line 7 less line 8)	10

SECTION II
MISCELLANEOUS

1.	Non-inventoried items shipped to TID	
2.	Items inventoried under other plant code number, (Not Included in line 9 SEC I)	
3.	Authorized transformer capacity	KW
4.	EX items subsequent to original inventory	

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Date of E.X.	Number of E.X.	Name of Machine
Unknown	41-10-9(E.X.)	Oil Tank
"	41-10-10(E.X.)	"
Total	2	

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File Rm.

HEAD UARTERS
Tottori Military Government Team
APO 317

File No.61

28 August 1948

SUBJECT: Oil Storage Tanks Held for Reparations in Tottori Prefecture.

41-10 IA

THRU: Commanding Officer
Chugoku Military Government Region
APO 317

TO: Commanding General
Headquarters Eighth Army
APO 343

1. Reference is made to letter Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343, file no. AGMGEM 386.3, subject: "Oil Storage Tanks Owned by the Japanese Army or Navy", dated 4 August 1948 and 1st Indorsement, Headquarters Chugoku Military Government Region, APO 317, CMGR 386.3 (D-No), dated 11 August 1948.

2. In compliance with above reference the following information is submitted on oil storage facilities being held for reparations in Tottori Prefecture:

a. Tanks Held for Reparations:

Code No.	Capacity
41-10-1	22,000 gal.
41-10-2	22,000 gal.
41-10-3	22,000 gal.
41-10-4	22,000 gal.
41-10-5	22,000 gal.
41-10-6	22,000 gal.
41-10-7	22,000 gal.
41-10-8	22,000 gal.

Total Capacity - 176,000 gallons

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b. In addition to the eight (8) tanks mentioned in 2a. above there are two (2) settling tanks each of 6,000 gallons capacity which are an integral part of the oil storage facility. These tanks were released from custody for reparations to the Tottori Prefectural Government by this headquarters on 23 April 1948 but continue to be held as former Japanese military property.

c. These tanks are presently being used by the 35th Fighter Squadron located at Miho Air Field, Koshinozu, Nakahama-Mura, Saihaku-gun, Tottori-ken and will be required for the storage of aviation gasoline necessary to the operation of this air field as long as it functions as an air field.

d. The eight (8) tanks mentioned in 2a. above have welded seams and cannot be dismantled for shipment but must be transported as units.

PHILLIP J. VANDER ZWIEP
Lt. Col., F. A.
Commanding

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BASIC: Ltr, Hqs 8th Army, AGMGEM 386.3, dtd 4 Aug 1948, subj: "Oil Storage Tanks Owned by the Japanese Army or Navy."

CMGR 386.3 (D-No) 1st Ind

Headquarters Chugoku Military Government Region, APO 317, Kure, Honshu, 11 August 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, Hiroshima Military Government Team, APO 317
Commanding Officer, Yamaguchi Military Government Team, APO 317
Commanding Officer, Tottori Military Government Team, APO 317

Forwarded for immediate compliance of paragraph 2 of basic letter as pretains to your prefecture.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL SNYDER:

JERRY N. TOM
1st Lt, USAF
Adjutant

1 Incl:
n/c (one copy only)

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HEADQUARTERS EIGHTH ARMY
United States Army
Office of the Commanding General
APO 343

AGMGEM 386.3

4 Aug 1948

SUBJECT: Oil Storage Tanks Owned by the Japanese Army or Navy

TO: Commanding Officer
Chugoku Military Government Region
APO 317

1. Inclosure No. 1 lists oil storage facilities formerly owned by the Japanese Army and Navy in custody for reparations within your zone of responsibility.

2. This list will be confirmed, corrected and completed as to:

a. Code Numbers.

b. Number of tanks, capacity in gallons of each and total capacity of the facility.

c. Facilities in use, to include Occupation Force Unit or Japanese authorization.

d. Availability of tanks for reparations removal to include: (1) feasibility of dismantling, packing and reassembly and (2) continued necessity for present use as shown in c.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL EICHELBERGER:

1 Incl:
As indicated (in quad)

/s/ R. Schafer
/t/ R. SCHAFER
Lt Col., AGD
Asst. Adjutant General

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CHUGOKU

CODE NO.	NAME	ADDRESS
11-30	HITOHOSE FUEL YARD	Etajima-mura, Aki-gun, Hiroshima-ken
11-31	KANOKAWA FUEL YARD	Oki-mura, Kanokawa-mura, Hiroshima-ken
11-32	TAINOUCHI FUEL STORAGE	Tainouchi, Kure, Hashijima, Hiroshima-ken
11-33	HIRO OBAN FUEL YARD	Hiro-machi, Hiroshima-ken
11-34	SHINGU FUEL YARD	Shingu-machi, Kure-shi, Hiroshima-ken
11-35	YOSHIURA OTOMARI FUEL YARD	Yoshiura-machi, Kure-shi, Hiroshima-ken
11-36	OGATA FUEL STORAGE	Ogata-mura, Saeki-gun, Hiroshima-ken
11-37	YOKOSHIMA FUEL STORAGE	Yokoshima-mura, Numaguma-gun, Hiroshima-ken
11-38	SAKAMURA WAREHOUSE MIL TRANSPORT DEPOT	Saka-mura, Aki-gun, Hiroshima-ken
11-41	HIKISHIMA OIL RESERVOIR	Okimi Mine Hikishima, Saeki-gun, Hiroshima-ken
11- (?)	MIYAJIMA FUEL STORAGE	Miyajima, Saeki-gun, Hiroshima-ken
41-10	MIHO AIR FIELD	Koshinozu, Nakahama-mura, Seihaku-gun, Tottori-ken
45-07	TOKUYAMA NAVAL FUEL DEPOT	Shingu, Tokuyama-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-28	HIROSHIMA FINANCE BUREAU (OSHIMA OIL STORAGE DEPOT OF EX-ARMY HIROSHIMA ARMS SUPPLY DEPOT)	Odomari, Agenosho-machi, Oshima-gun, Yamaguchi-ken
45-31	TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH(OSHIMA)	Oura, Tokuyama-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-33	NIPPON SEKIYU CO. LTD. KUDAMATSU DISTILLATION PLANT (TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH(OSHIMA))	Oshima, Tokuyama-shi, Yamaguchi-ken

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CODE NO.	NAME	ADDRESS
45-34	IDEMITSU KOSAN CO. LTD. (TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH (OSHIMA))	Idemitsu Kosan Workhouse, Tokuyama-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-35	TOKUYAMA TEPPAN CO. LTD. (TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH (OSHIMA))	Idemitsu Kosan Workhouse, Tokuyama-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-36	IDEMITSU KOSAN CO. LTD. (TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH (OSHIMA))	Shimonoseki-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-37	IDEMITSU KOSAN CO. LTD. (TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH (OSHIMA))	Ube-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-38	NIPPON SEKIYU CO. LTD. KUDAMATSU DISTILLATION PLANT (TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH (OSHIMA))	Kudamatsu-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-39	TAIYO FISHERY CO. LTD. (TOKUYAMA NAVAL MUNITIONS BRANCH (OSHIMA))	Shimonoseki-shi, Yamaguchi-ken
45-40	TOKUYAMA SELF SUPPLING SALT MANUFACTURE	Oshima, Tokuyama-shi, Yamaguchi-ken

(?) Oil Storage Facilities which are not on Reparations list, but have been reported by Mr. Goto to be under custody for Reparations

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MIHO AIR FIELD 41-10
Ars. (Oil St.)
Section 1B. Maps

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Section 1B. Maps

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Section 1C. Management, Guarda and Maintenance Personnel

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Section 1C. Management, Guards and Maintenance Personnel

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MIHO AIR FIELD 41-10
Ars. (Oil St.)
Section 1D. Maintenance Materials

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MIHO AIR FIELD 41-10
Ars. (Oil St.)
Section 1E. Demilitarization Certificate and Destruction of SP Machinery

DATE	SUBJECT	ISSUING HEADQUARTERS & INDORSEMENTS

Section 1E. Demilitarization Certificate and Destruction of SP Machinery

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MIHO AIR FIELD 41-10
Ars. (Oil St.)
Section 1F. T.I.D. Receipts

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Section 1F. T.I.D. Receipts

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14 Sep. 48 — Oil Storage Tanks Held for Reparations in Tottori Prefecture. — CMGR - 1st Ind.

DATE	SUBJECT	ISSUING HEADQUARTERS & INDORSEMENTS
20 AUG. 1949	REPARATIONS MACHINERY IN AUTHORIZED USE BY OCCUPATION FORCES.	TOTTORI C.A.T. BASIC
15 Feb. 1950	Use of Reparation Installations	Hiroshima Finance Office (Tottori Branch)

II. -USE OF INSTALLATION AND/OR EQUIPMENT.

II

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Tottori Branch
Hiroshima Finance Office

Date 15 Feb. 1950

Use of Reparation Installations

a. Name and code number of reparation installations.
Former Miho Air Base

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b. Address of installation.

Oshinotsu-mura Seihaku-gun Tottori-ken

c. Copy of conversion or reconversion permit
None.

d. List of items in actual production.
None.

e. An application for a new or change of present conversion or reconversion is pending.
None.

f. List, by code number and name, of reparation items in authorized use.
None (But used by AP.)

g. List, by code number and name, of reparation items in use without permission for authorized use.
None

h. List, by code number and name, of reparation items on application for authorized use permission
None

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HEADQUARTERS
Tottori Civil Affairs Team
APO 248

File No 61
Econ - Ha

Tottori, Honshu
20 August 1949

SUBJECT: Reparations Machinery in Authorized Use by Occupation Forces

41-10
II

TO : The Chief
Chugoku Civil Affairs Region
APO 248

1. Reference is made to letter, Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343, file No AGMGEM 386.3, dated 11 August 1949, subject: "Reparations Machinery in Authorized Use by Occupation Forces."

2. In compliance with above reference the required information is forwarded as an inclosure hereto.

DONALD M. SENSING
Lt Col, FA
Chief

1 Incl
As Above

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CODE NUMBER	PREFECTURE	IDENTITY	UNIT ITEM WAS RELEASED	DATE OF RELEASE
41 - 10 - 1	Tottori	Horizontal, round, steel storage tank with capacity of 19,550 gal.	Miho USAF Base	22 Dec 1947
41 - 10 - 2	"	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 3	"	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 4	"	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 5	"	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 6	"	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 7	""	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 8	"	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 9 (EX)	"	Vertical, round, steel settling tank with capacity of 6,800 gal.	"	"
41 - 10 - 10 (EX)	"	"	"	"
41 - 10 - 11	"	Turbine pump 1 set 15 HP 0.75 cub ft/min	"	"
		Motor belted 15 HP 3 phase		
41 - 10 - 12	"	Panel Board	"	"

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AGMGEM 386.3

11 August 1949

SUBJECT: Reparations Machinery in Authorized Use by Occupation Forces

TO: SEE DISTRIBUTION

File No. 6

1. Reference:

a. Paragraph 5b(1), OD 21, 30 March 1948, as amended by OD 21/1, 1 March 1949.

2. Instructions have been issued to using units to verify property accountability of reparations equipment. In order to reconcile these accounts, prefectural civil affairs teams will submit lists of reparations machinery currently authorized for use by the Occupation Forces as reflected in the inventory required by the above cited reference. These lists will be submitted directly to this headquarters at the earliest practicable date.

3. The lists will be prepared in the following form:

a. By code number in numerical sequence, showing prefecture, plant and machine number.

b. The identity of each item.

c. The unit to which each item was released. Miho USAF BASE

d. The date on which each item was released. 22 Dec

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BASIC: Ltr, Hqs Tottori MG Team, APO 317, File No.61, dtd 28 Aug 1948, subj: Oil Storage Tanks Held for Reparations in Tottori Prefecture

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Headquarters, Chugoku Military Government Region, APO 317, Kure, Honshu, 14 Sep 1948

TO: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343

Forwarded in compliance with letter your headquarters file AGMGEM 386.3 subject: "Oil Storage Tanks Owned by the Japanese Army or Navy" dated 4 August 1948.

RUSSELL C. SNYDER
Colonel, FA
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HEADQUARTERS
Tottori Military Government Team
APO 317

File No.61

28 August 1948

SUBJECT: Oil Storage Tanks Held for Reparations in Tottori Prefecture

THRU : Commanding Officer
Chugoku Military Government Region
APO 317

TO : Commanding General
Headquarters Eighth Army
APO 343

1. Reference is made to letter Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343, file no. AGMGEM 386.3, subject: "Oil Storage Tanks Owned by the Japanese Army or Navy", dated 4 August 1948 and 1st Indorsement, Headquarters Chugoku Military Government Region, APO 317, CMGR 386.3 (D-No), dated 11 August 1948.

2. In compliance with above reference the following information is submitted on oil storage facilities being held for reparations in Tottori Prefecture:

a. Tanks Held for Reparations:

Code No.	Capacity
41-10-1	22,000 gal
41-10-2	22,000 gal
41-10-3	22,000 gal
41-10-4	22,000 gal
41-10-5	22,000 gal
41-10-6	22,000 gal
41-10-7	22,000 gal
41-10-8	22,000 gal

Total Capacity - 176,000 gallons

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b. In addition to the eight (8) tanks mentioned in 2a. above there are two (2) settling tanks each of 6,000 gallons capacity which are an integral part of the oil storage facility. These tanks were released from custody for reparations to the Tottori Prefectural Government by this headquarters on 23 April 1948 but continue to be held as former Japanese military property.

c. These tanks are presently being used by the 35th Fighter Squadron located at Miho Air Field, Koshirazu, Nakahama-Mura, Saihaku-gun, Tottori-ken and will be required for the storage of aviation gasoline necessary to the operation of this air field as long as it functions as an air field.

d. The eight (8) tanks mentioned in 2a. above have welded seams and cannot be dismantled for shipment but must be transported as units.

/s/t/ PHILLIP J. VANDER ZWIEP
Lt Col, F.A.
Commanding

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MIHO AIR FIELD 41-10
Ars. (Oil St.)
Section III. Exemption of Installation and/or Equipment

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Section III. Exemption of Installation and/or Equipment

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Section IV. A. Transfers of Equipment into Installation

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Section IV. B. Transfers of Equipment out of Installation

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Section IV. B. Transfers of Equipment out of Installation

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Section IV. C. Dispersal Areas

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DATE	SUBJECT	ISSUING HEADQUARTERS & INDORSEMENTS
21 March 1950	Inspection of Oil Storage on Reparation at Miho Air Base, 41-10	C.C.A.R. - Basic
20 July 1950	Inspection of Oil Storage Tanks at Miho Air Force Base, Code No. 41-10, Tottori Prefecture	C.C.A.R. - Basic

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FIELD TRIP REPORT

R. P. LORD

20 July 1950

1. Purpose:

Inspection of Oil Storage Tanks at Miho Air Force Base, Codo No. 41-10, Tottori Prefecture.

2. Background:

Surveillance in accordance with O.D. 11, 10 April 1950.

3. Discussion:

Thirteen (13) reparations items at this location consisting of ten (10) oil storage tanks and three (3) pieces of auxiliary equipment. All equipment is in use.

4. Conclusion:

Only two (2) items were assigned code number - these are 41-10-11 (turbine pump) 41-10-11 (15 HP motor). Reason given for lack of code numbers on storage tanks is that they were recently repainted and code number were painted out. A switch panel uncoded at time of March inspection remains uncoded although Miho Air Base was informed by letter this headquarters dated 25 April 1950 to assign this item code number 41-10-13.

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5. Recommendations:

Advised officer in charge of this equipment to repaint proper code numbers on all equipment.

R. P. LORD
Price, Distribution
and Industry Division

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FIELD TRIP REPORT

R.G. STRADLEY

21 March 1950

1. Purpose:

Inspection of oil storage on reparation at Miho Air Base, 41-10.

2. Background:

Surveillance in accordance with C.C. 51.

3. Discussion:

Items on reparation are as described below:

Facility	Capacity	No. of Items	Code No.
Storage tanks	22,000 gallons	8	41-10-1 to 8
Storage tanks	6,000 gallons	2	41-10-9 and 10
Turbin Pump		1	41-10-11
Electric Motor		1	41-10-12
Switch Panel		1	No code number

The two 6,000 gallon storage tanks were marked EX while the switch panel had no code numbers showing no identification of it's status, which is contrary to the representative of Tottori Branch Hiroshima Finance Bureau's statement that all items including the switch panel were code numbered with the motor and pump having same code numbers.

4. Conclusion:

Although the switch panel did not have any code number on it, it apparently is part of the reparation facilities.

The basis of the two 6,000 gallon tanks being marked EX is unknown.

The descriptions on the switch panel are YC12 type, 20HP serial number 3.69178, August 1938, 600 Volt capacity, AC250V 60AMP. Operating voltage, 200-220 volt Maker Hidachi Co.Ltd.

5. Recommendation:

Finance Bureau was instructed to investigate the status of this switch panel and the two "EX" items and report to Chugoku Civil Affairs Region.

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R.G. STRADLEY.

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MIHO AIR FIELD 41-10
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Section VI. A. Release of Real Property

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Section VI. B. Release of Materials

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15 APR. 1948	RELEASE OF OIL INSTALLATIONS AND FACILITIES	TOTTORI M.G.T. BASIC.
23 APR. 1948	RELEASE OF GASOLINE STORAGE TANKS AT MIHO	T. M.G.T. BASIC

VI.C - RELEASE OF MACHINERY.

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H E A D Q U A R T E R S
Tottori Mil Govt Team
APO 317

File No.58

23 April 1948

MEMORANDUM FOR: Tottori Prefectural Government

THRU: Tottori Prefectural Liaison Office

SUBJECT: Release of Gasoline Storage Tanks at Miho

41-10 VIC

The gasoline storage tanks located at MIHO AIR FIELD, Koshinozu, Nakahama-son, Saihaku-gun, Tottori Prefecture with the following code numbers are hereby released from custody and control for reparations by this headquarters, but will continue to be held as ex-Japanese Military Property since these tanks are being used by Occupation Forces.

41-10-9
41-10-10

PHILLIP J. VANDER ZNIEP
Lt. Col., F.A.
Commanding

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H E A D Q U A R T E R S
Tottori Mil Govt Team
APO 317

File No.58

15 April 1948

SUBJECT: Release of Oil Installations and Facilities

THRU: Commanding Officer
Chugoku Mil Govt Region
APO 317

TO: Commanding General
Headquarters Eighth Army
APO 343

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1. References:

a. Paragraph 2j, Operational Directive No.21, Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343, subject: "Japanese Industrial Reparations Facilities," dated 30 March 1948.

b. Letter, Headquarters Chugoku Mil. Govt. Region, APO 317, file CMGR 386.3 (D-NO), subject: "Release of Oil Installations and Facilities", dated 9 April 1948.

2. There are ten (10) oil storage tanks in Tottori prefecture, code No.41-10-1 thru 10 presently under custody of this headquarters and being used by BCAIR Station, Miho. Of these ten (10) tanks, eight (8) have a capacity of 22,000 gallons each and two setting tanks of 6,000 gallons each. The two (2) 6,000 gallon tanks, code number 41-10-9 and 41-10-10 can be released by this headquarters from reparations but cannot be returned to the Japanese Government as they are being used by the Occupation Forces.

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Lt. Col., F.A.
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Section VII. Miscellaneous

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