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HEADQUARTERS 59TH DRY CLEANING
Fukuoka, Najima, Japan

APO 929
11 April 1947

This is to certify that the HAKUYOO SHA Laundry is now under operational control of the Allied Forces.

Request that an ample amount of coal (30 TONS per month) thirty tons per month, be furnished to this firm so as to make the Laundry capable of turning out the desired services which the Allied Forces demand.

Further request electricity be furnished in sufficient-amount to operate as for said Laundry & Dry Cleaning Plant.

/s/ Billy A. Yohner
/t/ BILLY A. YOHNER
1st. Lt. F.A.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Rue S. Link
RUE S. LINK
Lt Col, AC

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HEADQUARTERS MAIN POST NUMBER SIX
Kokura, Kyushu
APO 24

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SUBJECT: Organization of Laundry

TO : Deputy Post Commander
Hakata Sub-Post 6a
APO 24

1. Confirming telephone conversation between Lt. Col. Walters and myself made at 1445, 10 April, the following information is submitted.

2. Headquarters, Eighth Army approved by telephone procurement of Japanese owned and operated laundry in Fukuoka. Captain Denning, QM Section, Eighth Army approved the procurement demand and will take care of the administrative details in connection with the procurement demand. Procurement demand will come down in about a week, can go ahead with the use of the laundry at once. Procurement demand to be ammended - par 2 to provide for owner to employ all help and to provide all supplies including coal, fuel, and power. However, to provide better materials sub-post commander willdraw from depots necessary soap and cleaning fluids for use in laundry, the cost of which is to be deducted from procurement demand payments to laundry owners. Competant military personnel is to be detailed to laundry as supervisors. Laundry is to operate in accordance with Eighth Army Circular 283. Captain Cash, QM Section, I Corps, will be in Fukuoka Wednesday or Thursday of next week to inspect laundry. G-4, I Corps, will radio Division G-4 in reference to approval of procurement demand.

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Lt. Col., F. A.
Asst Deputy Post Comdr.

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KYUSHU CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE

The Imperial Japanese Government

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TO : KYUSHU MILITARY GOVERNMENT REGIONAL OFFICE
Attention: Col Link

FROM : Kyushu Central Liaison Office

SUBJECT: Coal

1. The following is the tabulation of the amount of coal requested by Q.M. and the actual shipment made by Nippon Coal Co. to Q.M. for February and March.

	Q.M. Request	Actual Shipment
Feb	6,000	6,959
Mar	14,000	8,824
	20,000	15,783

2. For April Nippon Coal Co. is requested by Q.M. to make delivery of 14,217 tons. (The balance to cover the shortage of actual shipment for February and March in addition to the allocation for April.)

3. However, inclusive of Individual P.D. the Nippon Coal Co. has delivered 20 091$\frac{3}{4}$ tons of coal for February and March as is shown by the following tabulation.

	Troop	Individual P.D.
Feb	6,959	1,546 $\frac{3}{4}$
Mar	8,824	2,762
	15,783	4,308 $\frac{3}{4}$

Total - 20,091 $\frac{3}{4}$

4. Nippon Coal Co., having delivered 20,091 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons of coal for February and March, is given to understand that if it has to deliver 14,217 tons for April to Q.M. nearly 6,000 tons (4,217 + Individual P.D. which is expected to amount to approximately 1,500 tons) is in excess of the allocation for April. (10,000 tons)

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KYUSHU CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE
The Imperial Japanese Government

Amount of Actual Shipment of Coal to Occupation Forces in accordance with J. P. N. Z. 2877

Receiving Unit		January	February	March	Total
Kashii	QMC	1,510	454	7	1,981
Zasshonokuma	AIR CORPS	2,229	331	859	3,419
Kokura	K M A	1,585	1.224	1,654	4,463
Saitozaki	DIV ARTY	1,442	1,381	1,514	4,337
Saitozaki	JOSCO	121	0	0	121
Oita	19th INF	1,349	859	1,324	3,532
Sasebo	34th INF	1,097	1,407	1,854	4,358
Kumamoto	21st INF	1,208	1,311	1,677	4,196
Grand Total		10,541	6,977	8,889	26,407

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THE IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

Actual Shipment of Coal during January
excluding Shipment to U.M.

Classification	Prefecture	Location	Receiving Unit	Quantity	P.D. No.	Shipment requested by	Remarks
Dependat Hous-	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	Fukuoka, 87 family Units	59			
		Saitozaki	Saitozaki "	24			
		Ashiya	Ashiya "	51			
		Kokura	Kokura "	30			
				164			
Rest Hotel	Nagasaki	Unzen	Unzen Rest Hotel (Kanko, Ariake, Kyushu)	222			
				222			
Cleaning	Fukuoka	Moji	Irie Cleaning	3	P.D. FKKH 1735		
				3			
Officer's quarters	Kagoshima	Kagoshima	C I C	4	BO/1 P.D.KGSH 89 14/2 P.D.KGSH158		
	Oita	Beppu	Beppu Austrolian, Officer's quarters	32			
				36			
Projects	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	Iwasaki Gumi	253	P.D.FKKH 1633 P.D.FKKH 1385	1113th Engineer Construction	
				253			

Total 678

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THE IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

Actual Shipment of Coal during February
excluding Shipment to U.M

Classification	Prefecture	Location	Receiving Unit	Quantity	P.D. No.	Shipment requested by	Remarks
Dependent Housing	Fukuoka	Fukuoka	Dependent Housing in Fukuoka City. 87 family units	38			
		Saitozaki	Saitozaki 50 family Units	475			
		Ashiya	Ashiya 9 family units	96			
		Kokura	Kokura 40 family units	244			
		Kumamoto	Kumamoto 30 family units	148			
				999			
Rest Hotel	Kumamoto	Akamizu	Aso Rest Hotel	30			Through Kumamoto Liaison Office.
	Nagasaki	Unzen	Unzen Hotel(Kanko, Kyushu, Ariake)	0			
				30			
Officer's quarters	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	Kyoshintei and five others	341			Exterval affairs section of Prefecture.

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Classification	Prefecture	Location	Reciving Unit	Quantity	P.D. No.	Shipment requested by	Remarks
	Oita	Beppu	Beppu Australian Officer's quarters	30			
	Kagoshima	Kagoshima	Kagoshima noncommissioned Officer's quarters	38	P.D.-121-46	Cap. Evin	
	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	CIC Takamiyaso	5A			
				107 L			
Cleaning	Fukuoka	Kokura	Shineikai	22	P.D.FKKH 1729	Cap. Holder Siebert	
		Moji	Irie Cleaning	8	P.D.FKKH 1735		
				30			
Project	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	Iwasaki Gumi	237 L	P.D. 1633	DC HARKINS COL CE 1113 E.C.G.	
		"	Kashima Gumi	120	P.D. 1633	DC HARKINS COL CE 11138h E.C.G.	
		"	Kyushu Kigyo	4	P.D.NGSH 457		Maintenance and pipe-weldings.
	Nagasaki	Sasebo	Kashima Gumi	20			Work order issued by E.C.
				381 L			

TOTAL 1548 L

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KYUSHU CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE
THE IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

Amount of Actual Shipment of Coal during March
for Kyushu Area ..... Individual P. D.

Classification	Prefecture	Location	Receiving Unit	Type of coal		Quantity	No. of P.D.	Shipment requested by
Dependent Housing	Fukuoka	Fukuoka	Dependent Housing in Fukuoka City. 87 family units.	Kameyama	We 41	45		
		Saitozaki	D.H. in Saitozaki 50 family units.	Saitozaki "	L 271 WE 321	600		
		Ashiya	D. H. in Ashiya 9 family units	Nakazuru Coke	WE 150	150		
		Kokura	D.H. in Kokura 40 family units.	Unknown		301		Major Stenner, Kokura
		Kumamoto	D.H. in Kumamoto city 30 family units.	"		146		Kumamoto Liaison Office.
						1,242		
Rest Hotel	Kumamoto	Kumamoto	Akamizu Rest Hotel	Miike	S 149	176	P.D.No. NGSH 516	1st Lt. HERBERT J. MAGNEN
	Nagasaki	Unzen	Kanko Hotel	Unknown			" 515	"
			Kyushu Hotel	"			" 517	"
			Ariake Hotel	"			" 518	
						518		
Officer's quarters	Fukuoka	Fukuoka City	Kyoshintei and other fine hotels	Kameyama	WE 232	232		External Affairs Section of Prefecture.

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Classification	Prefecture	Location	Receiving Unit	Type of coal			Quantity	No. of P.D.	Shipment requested by
	Oita	Beppu City	B.C. O F Officer's quarters	Kokura	L	15	15		Captain Elliot staying at Takasagoya Hotel
	Kagoshima	Kagoshima city	C I C	"	"	4	4		C.I.C. through Kagoshima Liaison Office.
	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	C I C	Kameyama	WE	7	7		
	Nagasaki	Sasebo city		Unknown			16		Was taken directly by Occupation Force from Stockpiles
	Fukuoka	Kokura city	Tagawa Hotel	Kokura	L	3	3		Tagawa Hotel
							689		
Cleaning	Fukuoka	Kokura city	Shineikai	Kokura	L	40	40	P.D.FKKH 1729	Captain Siehert. 24 D.
		Moji city	Irie Cleaning	Kuzuha	L	8	8	P.D.FKKH 1735	"
		Fukuoka city	Fujita "	Kameyama	WE	15	15		Fujita cleaning.
		Fukuoka city	Yachiyo "	"	"	2	2		Yachiyo cleaning.
							515		
Dance Hall	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	Hally wood Cabaret	Kameyama	WE	8	8		Cabaret Association
							8		
Projects	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	Iwasaki Gumi	Otani	S	322	322	P.D.FKKH 1633	Col. Hawkirs 1113rd Engr. Const. Gp.
		"	Kashima Gumi	"	"	150	150	"	"
		"	Kyushu Kigyo	Kameyama	WE	4	4	P.D.FKKH NGSH 457	For welding of heating pipes in 118th Sta. Hosp.

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Classification	Prefecture	Location	Receiving Unit	Type of coal			Quantity	No.of P.D.	Shipment requested by
	Kumamoto	Kumamoto city		Kishima Miike	100 L 200 L 601		901	P.D.FKKH 1160	Captain F.Smith Third Engineer for troop housing construction in Kumamoto area.
	Nagasaki	Sasebo city	Kashima Gumi	Unknown			12		Work Order issued by E.G. certified by L. W.ANDERSON CAPT 3d Eng 1113th Engr. Const. GP. (Awaiting details from Nittan Sasebo Br)
	"	"	Hashimoto Gumi	"			40		
	"	"	Yamaryo Gumi	"			5		Sasebo 24 Inf.
	"	"	Sugihara Renga				20		
	"	"	Kyushu Yogyo				15		Reconstruction Board to manufacture tiles and bricks for the construction in Sasebo area.
	"	"	Haiki Renga				15		
							1,484		
Others	Fukuoka	Fukuoka city	1113th Engr. Const. Group.	Kameyama	WE	24	24	P.D.FKKH 24A	Heating of 1113th E.C. Buldg. It is stipulated in P.D. that fuel to beprovided.
		Najime	516 Dump Truck Company	"	"	12	12	" 1673	It is stipulated in P.D. that fuel to be provided.
		Fukuoka city	Yoshinaga Iron Works.	"	"	2	2		1113th E.C.Sgt.W.Lee, to manufacture picks, and tools for asphalt plant of Itazuke airdrome.
		"	Daini Beer G arden	"	"	3	3		Daini Beer Garden.For cooking at Beer Garden (exclusivel for Occupation Forces)
		"	Prefectural civil Enginering office	"	"	4	4		For repair of Pavement at Chiyomachi Fukuoka City.
		Saitozaki	Sanken Kogyo	"	"	5	5	P.D.FKKH 1932	

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Classification	Prefecture	Location	Receiving Unit	Type of coal			Quantity	No. of P.D.	Shipment requested by
		Fukuoka city	Takagi Sangyo	Miike	L	5	5		
		Takashimaru	Koga Seisakusho	"	"	5	5		Fukuoka, Prefecture, Furniture maker's Association
		Kuruse city	Fukuoka Ken Seiyu	"	"	3	3		For refining wate oil
		"	Kurume Senshoku	"	"	3½	3½		
	Fukuoka	Saitozaki	Saitozaki Oil Tank	Saitozaki	S	30	30		
							96½		
						Total	3.468½		

Demand for April

for Dependent Housing	1,683
for Rest Hotel	496
Total	2,179

Prospective demand for April will amount to approximately 4,000 tons if the amount to be rquired for the fulfillment of Procurement Demands are added to the above figure.

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KYUSHU MILITARY GOVERNMENT REGION
HEADQUARTERS & HEADQUARTERS DETACHMENT
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

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APO 929
2 April 1947

SUBJECT: Coal Allocation for Individual Procurement Demands in Kyushu for the Months of February, March and April 1947

TO : Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343
(Attn: Mil Govt Section, Major Westenberger)

THRU : Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
(Attn: Mil Govt Section)

1. A study of coal allocations for the subject months has been completed and shows as follows:

a. Allocation to the 24th Division Quartermaster for troop housing only:

February - 10,000 Tons
March - 10,000 Tons
April - 10,000 Tons

Original allocation was only 6,000 Tons as set out in Eighth Army Radio DX99903, dtd 13 Feb 1947, (see Exhibit 6). However, this was raised to 10,000 Tons by Radio Cite DX82301, TOS, Eighth Army, 25 Feb 1947, (see Exhibit 5).

The full allottment has been withdrawn for the months of February and March.

The 24th Division Quartermaster does not supply coal to the following installations:

1113th Engineers (Requirements: 740 Tons per month)
C.I.C. (Requirements: 15 Tons per month)
Dependent Houses (Requirements: 1800 Tons per month)
Rest Hotels (Requirements: 495 Tons per month)
Extraordinary Request, such as Exhibit 3 - Ltr Hqs 24th Inf Div, 4 Feb 47, "Munitions Disposal Procurement" (Requirements: 420 Tons per month)

TOTAL (Est) 3470 Tons per month

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B. On 14 February 1947, Lt. Harry assigned four thousand (4,000) Tons to individual PDs in Kyushu, which was exclusive of the six thousand (6,000) Tons allocated to 24th Division Quartermaster (see Exhibit 7 - Change in Coal Allocation Plan for February). However, when Radio, Cite DX82301, TOS, Eighth Army, 25 Feb 1947, was received by 24th Division Quartermaster, that seemingly cancelled the individual PD

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allotment in Kyushu, leaving the 3,470 Tons set forth in Para 1 a above without allocation.

2. All coal consumed in Kyushu has been definitely allocated; therefore, any demands upon the Japanese for coal outside of assigned allotments means that some allocation must be reduced.

3. Procurement Demand FKKH 24, calls for six (6) Tons per day or approximately 180 Tons per month. (From what allocation is this coal to come?) Procurement Demand FKKH 1673A calls for four (4) Tons per day or approximately 120 Tons per month. (From what allocation is this coal to come?) (See exhibit 1 - Ltr Hqs 1113th Engr Const Grp, dtd 27 Nov 1947, "Material Non-Availability").

4. The 1113th Engineers require the Japanese to supply the Iwasaki-Gumi two hundred forty (240) Tons per month and the Kashima-Gumi, two hundred (200) Tons per month. (From what allocation is this coal to come?) (See Exhibit 2 - Certificate, Iwasaki & Co., Ltd. Require 60 Tons Coal Weekly, dtd 27 Aug 1946, signed by Lt. Col. Astaella).

5. The munitions disposal officer requests the Home Ministry to deliver four hundred twenty (420) Tons of coal for a clearance operation. (From what allocation is this to come?) (See Exhibit 3 - Ltr Hqs 24th Inf Div, dtd 4 Feb 1947, "Munitions Disposal Procurement").

6. C.I.C., Dependent Houses and Rest Hotels must be supplied coal but no allocations or central procurement demand covers these items at present. Total two thousand three hundred ten (2310) Tons per month. In addition, the cabarets, beer halls, laundries, officers' quarters, interpreters' dormitories and offices which are used exclusively for military personnel, are required to have coal for heat and cooking, but presently there is no allocation to take care of these requirements.

7. Enclosed as Exhibit 4 is a breakdown of coal for February and March (actual deliveries to dependents' houses, and rest hotels) and an estimate of coal deliveries for the month of April to dependents' houses and rest hotels, as well as a number of questions asked by the Japanese coal distributing company.

8. It is apparent to this headquarters that either the allocation of coal to the Division Quartermaster should be increased to fourteen thousand (14,000) Tons per month, and

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that that office be required to furnish all the activities set forth above or that Military Government Region should be allotted approximately four thousand (4,000) Tons per months from which these requirements could be filled. Unless some definite and workable plan is promulgated, the delivery of coal to non-divisional occupational troops and other activities in Kyushu will continue to be uncertain, confused and unfair to both the Japanese and to the using unit.

R. E. Coughlin.

R. E. COUGHLIN
Colonel, CE
Commanding

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Exhibits 1-7 incl.

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板付飛行場滑走路補裝工事四月分石炭由請書

1. P.D を發行せる部隊名　第一二三二作隊
2. 右　發行者名　木ーキンス大佐
3. P.D 番號　FKKH一八一五
4. P.D 發行月日　昭和三十一年十一月十五日
5. 要求品目　規格　單位　數量　摘要
   石炭　屯　二五口
6. 施行者　株式會社鹿島組九州支店

昭和三十一年三月三十八日

九州地方商工局長殿

福岡市下瓦町二六番地
株式會社鹿島組九州支店
常務取締役
支店長　村井佐八

株式 鹿島組九州支店

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1. It is desired to reduce the number of areas in which equipment and facilities are presently under custody as reparations selections in pocle[illegible] facilities. There are over one thousand dispersals of arsenal equipment; over nine hundred of which consist of less than ten machines and the items inventoried in these areas while owned by the Japanese Government were in reality part of the industry in which they were associated. Similarly, over 400 of the approximately 500 aircraft and one hundred of approximately 125 munitions plant dispersals which consist of less than 10 items were not integral parts of those facilities though owned by the companies listed for reparations. It is believed that action taken as directed in the following paragraphs will result in a drastic reduction of areas under surveillance. Most aircraft and privately owned munitions dispersals are expected to be eliminated and arsenal areas reduced to those listed in the SCAPIN's or one or more additional areas for arsenal equipment in each prefecture.

2. Equipment dispersed from arsenals, laboratories, aircraft factories, and privately owned munitions plants to other industrial installations prior to the date the above installations were taken under custody and control will be considered part of the industry with which it is now associated and will be immediately released from custody unless the installation at which it is located has been independently listed as a reparation selection. This should, in general, release equipment from all dispersal areas except those specifically set up for custody and control of idle equipment.

3. Equipment and facilities dispersed from arsenals, aircraft factories, privately owned munitions plants, and laboratories to installations independently listed as a reparations selection will be retained under custody as part of that installation at its present location.

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4. Equipment and facilities of arsenals and government owned laboratories which are not included in 1 and 2 above and which is not in authorized use will be moved to one or more contralized locations within each prefecture if such movement is practical from a viewpoint of adequate facilities for custody and if such action can be taken with due regard to transportation requirements. These equipment and facilities will normally be located in warehouse areas established for custody purposes when such equipment was removed from smaller dispersals. Contralization will, where possible without great administrative difficulty, be done at the address listed by SCAPIN or in a location where evaluation, inspection and packaging can be handled as a unit. Arsenal areas having larger segments of inventoried equipment will be used when practicable for centralization of other arsenal equipment, regardless of code number. No action will be taken to centralize equipment belonging to aircraft factories and privately owned munitions plants.

5. Equipment and facilities in authorized temporary use which has been dispersed subsequent to listing will remain in the dispersed location only as long as such use is necessary. Upon termination of such authorization, items will be returned to the centralized location selected.

6. A summary, by prefecture, of areas which will remain after the action taken above is completed will be submitted by ___(date)___ . This summary will be submitted separately for arsenals, for aircraft factories, for privately owned munitions plants, and for laboratories, even though action directed above is not completed and will include the following information:

Code number, & dispersal area
location of munitions released
location of munitions remaining

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HEADQUARTERS
1113TH ENGINEER CONSTRUCTION GROUP
APO 929 (Fukuoka, Kyushu)

27 November 1946
date

SUBJECT: Material Non-Availability.

TO : Liaison Office, Fukuoka Prefecture.

1. The following materials necessary to continue construction on PD FKKH 1633 are not available in I Corps Army Stock:

See attached list.

Remarks: Materials supplied by I Corps Engineer Stock will be as marked on attached list. Contractors will obtain fuels for Japanese owned trucks and equipment thru the Liaison Office. U. S. Army equipment will be supplied as necessary. Asphalt and Cut Back will be supplied by the U.S. Army at the mixing plant. This headquarters will initiate a letter to SCAP requesting release of required amount of coal and charcoal.

2. Under current directives on materials supply, it is your responsibility to make necessary materials available to the assigned contractor.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

CHARLES J. DAVIS
Captain, CE
Supply Officer

Exhibit #2
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Bill of Materials Required

For Runway Repairs at Itazuka Airstrip

By Kajima-Gumi Co. Ltd.

On P D. F.K.K.H. 1633

Description	Shape Size	Amount	Unit	Monthly Allotments November	December
Hemp Rope	3/4"	3.0	roll	2.0	1.0
Galvanized #6 steel Wire	110 lb	20.0	"	10 0	10 0
" #8	110 lb	5 0	"	3 0	2 0
" #10	110 lb	2 0	"	2 0	
" #12	110 lb	2 0	"	2 0	
Galvanized Sheet Iron	3' x 5'	300 0		300 0	
Nail	5"	22 0	lb	22 0	
"	4"	88 0	"	88 0	
"	3 1/2"	121 0	"	77 0	24 0
"	3"	352 0	"	176 0	176 0
"	2 1/2"	253 0	"	132 0	121 0
"	2"	132 0	"	44 0	88 0
"	1 1/2"	77 0	"	44 0	33 0
"	1"	44 0	"	22 0	22 0
Sheet Iron	3' x 6' 1/8" thick	100 0		100 0	

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Description	Shape Size	Amount	Unit	Monthly Allotments November	December
Sheet Iron	3' x 6' 1/16" thick	16.0		16.0	
"	4' x 8' 1/16" thick	40 0		40 0	
"	4' x 8' 1/8" thick	130.0		130 0	
angle	2.5" x 2.5" 1/4" thick	6,068 0	feet	6,068 0	
Bicycle		4 0		4 0	
Electric Bulb	220 V.A 500 W	20 0		20 0	
"	100 V.A 100 W	50 0		30 0	20 0
"	" 60 W	30 0		15 0	15 0
"	" 16 W	2 0		2 0	
Coal		924,000 0	lb	242,000 0	682,000 0
Charcoal	66 lb	200 0	bale	50 0	150 0
Fire-Wood	8.36 lb	1,000 0	bundle	400 0	600 0
Coke		17,600 0	lb	8,800 0	8,800 0
Gravel		46,217 25	cub ft	11,272 5	34,944 75
Mixed gravel		7,060 0	"	5,000 0	2,060 0
Gravel for foundation		188 0	"	180 0	
Chip		18,542 25	"	4,522 5	14,019775
Stone powder		9,132 75	"	2,227 5	6,905 25

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Description	Shape	Size	Amount	Unit	Monthly Allotments November	Monthly Allotments December	
Steel Octanqular Bar	L D	18' 1"	5 0		5 0		
Reinforcing Bar	L D	18' 3/8"	30 0		30 0		
"	L D	18' 1/2"	60 0		60 0		
"	L D	" 5/8"	20 0		20 0		
Steel			4,400 0	lb	4,400 0		
Round steel Bar	L D	18' 3/8"	50 0		50 0		
Cast Iron			14,520 0	lb	14,520 0		
Gasoline			6,429 8	gal	2,269 8	4,160 0	For trucks and other machinery of Kajima-gumi.
Mobile Oil			734 76	"	266 76	468 0	"
Machine Oil			167 96	"	56 16	111 8	"
Motor Oil			17 68	"	4 68	13 0	"
Grease			605 0	lb	165 0	440 0	"
Washing Oil			200 92	gl	65 52	135 2	"
Gear Oil			30 16	"	9 36	20 8	"
Lumber			4,943 4	cu ft	4,943 4		(to be furnished by (Americal (Forces
Rake			15 0		15 0		
Truck			12 0		12 0		
Grader			1 0		1 0		"
Power shovel			1 0		1 0		"
Distributor			1 0		1 0		"

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Description	Shape Size	Amount	Unit	Monthly Allotments November	December	
Opener of Drum Can		1 0		1 0		(to be fur-
Cable						
"						
Transformer	30 K.V.A.	200		2 0		
"	20 K.V.A.	1 0		1 0		
Asphalt		26,290 75	gal	6,412 0	19,878 75	for paving
Heavy Oil		3,321 0	"	810 0	2,511 0	
Oils		Required				(for U.S. cars and machinery

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I. ACTUAL QUANTITIES OF COAL SUPPLIES TO OCCUPATION FORCES AS OF 31 MARCH 1947.

	PREF.	Area.	Feb.	March.	No.of houses	Remarks.
Dependent Houses	Fukuoka	Fukuoka	T. 46	T. 45	87	Including Kurume area, and excepting Officers' Quarters.
		Saitozaki	473.5	500	50	The fignre for March is an estimation. (No information available)
		Ashiya	96	90	9	Ditto
		Kokura	248	300	40	Ditto
		Kasugabaru			27	Coal was not needed as they used. electricity in its stead.
		Total	863.5 897.9	935	208	
	Kumamoto		148	146	30	
	Saga					
	Miyazaki		10	10	4	Excepting laundries.
	Nagasaki			14	6	
	Oita		?	?	?	No information available
	Kagoshima		2	4	2	
	Grand Total		1023.5	1109	285	
Rest	Kumamoto	Kanko Hotel	30	134	1	Yunotani Teuyomura, Aso County Kumamoto Prefectural
	Saga	Sea-Side Hotel	60	50	1	Karatsu City
		Ariake Hotel	106	118	1	~~Unzen, Nagasaki Pref.~~
		Kyushu Hotel	106	118	1	Ditto

Rest Hotels	Kumamoto	Kanko Hotel	30	134	1	Yunotani Teuyomura, Aso County Kumamoto Prefectural
	Saga	Sea-Side Hotel	60	50	1	Karatsu City
	Nagasaki	Ariake Hotel	106	118	1	Unzen, Nagasaki Pref.
		Kyushu Hotel	106	118	1	Ditto
		Kanko Hotal	105	118	1	Ditto
		Total	317	354	3	
	Grand Total		407	538	5	
Gross Total			1430.5	1647	260	

N. B. 1. Above figures show the amounts of coal actually consumed by the dependent houses and rest hotels.

2. Allotments to dependent houses do not include those to troop housing, offices, Quarters, Interfreters' Dormitories, and laundris or Cabarets.

3. The complete figure for March for Saitozaki, Ashiya and Kokura areas being unavailable yet, those cited above are the estimations based upon the actual quantities consumed up till the middle of March.

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II. Estimated Quantities of Coal Supplies Required for Occupation Forces: A Survey as of 31 March 1947.

	Pref.	Area.	April T.	No. of houses	Remarks
Dependent Houses	Fukuoka	Fukuoka	50	87	Including Kurume area,, and exceptint Officers' Quarters.
		Saitozaki	600	105	The increase shown in March due to establishment of more dependent houses.
		Ashiya	150	42	Ditto
		Kokura	350	115	Ditto
		Kasugabaru		74	Coal was not needed as they used electricity in its stead.
		Total	1150	423	
	Kumamoto		480	83	The increase shown in March due to establishment of more dependent houses.
	Saga		5	5	Ditto
	Miyazaki		10	4	Excepting laundries
	Nagasaki		20	6	
	Oita		70	14	No information available
	Kagoshima		8	4	
	Grand Total		1673	525	
Rest Houses	Kumamoto	Kanko Hotel	90	1	Yunotani Teuyomura, Aso County Kumamoto Pref.
	Saga	Sea-side Hotel	55	1	Karatsu City
		Ariake Hotel	117	1	Unzen, Nagasaki Pref.
	Nagasaki	Kyushu Hotel	117	1	1 Ditto

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	Grand Total		1673	525	
Rest Hotels	Kumamoto	Kanko Hotel	90	1	Yunotani Teuyomura, Aso County Kumamoto Pref.
	Saga	Sea-side Hotel	55	1	Karatsu City
		Ariake Hotel	117	1	Unzen, Nagasaki Pref.
	Nagasaki	Kyushu Hotel	117	1	1 Ditto
		Kanko Hotel	118	1	1 Ditto
		Total	350	3	3
	Grand Total		495	5	5
	Gross Total		2118	550	

N. B. 1. Above figures show the amounts of coal actually consumed by the dependent houses and rest hotels.

2. Allotments to dependent houses do not include those to troop housing, affices' Quarters, Interfreters' Dormitories, and laundris or Cabarets.

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CERTIFICATE

27 August 1946.

This is to certify that the Iwasaki and Co. Ltd. will require approximately sixty (60) tons of coal weekly for the operation of an asphalt plant nefessary for U. S. construction at Itazuke Airdrome.

This coal delivery to be continuous until cancellation by proper U. S. authority or until completion of the work. Whichever first occurs.

Theodre F. Astaella
Lt. Col. CE.
Commanding.

Exhibit #3.

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HEADQUARTERS 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION
Office of the Ordnance Officer
Kokura, Kyushu, Japan

A.P.O. 24
4 February 1947

SUBJECT: Munitions Disposal Procurement

To : Home Ministry, Kumamoto Prefecture

THRU : Kumamoto Military Government Team,
(Attn Capt. Bigg)

1. In accordance with ltr Hq I Corps, file AG 400.12-EA, it is requested that you, the home ministry, arrange for supplies as needed in clearance of the Arao Factory, 2nd Arsenal of Tokyo. Four hundred and twenty additional tons of coal are needed to complete clearance operations.

2. E. F. Curry is the Technician supervising the clearance of the above-mentioned factory. Delivery of any supplies should be bought to his attention.

GEORGE E. METCALF
Director
Munitions Disposal

DISTRIBUTION:

Kumamoto MG Team (4)
File (1)

So Exhibit #4

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申請書

P.D.NGNH四五七号に依り第一一八陸軍病院の維持管理に関し左記の通り石炭必要に付配炭方申請します

記

一 使用目的 維持管理製缶鍛冶用

一 需要量 毎月八瓲

一 炭質 粉炭（三五〇〇カロリー以上）

昭和二十二年二月五日

九州起業株式會社

取締役社長 吉瀬彌[illegible]助

九州地方商工局長 殿

コクヨ

工事名	占領軍仮付飛行場擴張工事並ビー補修維持工事 P D FKKH 1633及ビ P D FKKH 1385ニ依ル
工事場所	福岡縣筑紫郡那河町仮付及ビ 福岡市内月隈 臼井ニ設ル
請負人ノ住所氏名	福岡市天神町八拾番地 株式會社 岩崎組
坪數	一階 坪 二階 數
工事ノ概要	占領軍仮付飛行場ー於ケル主滑走路ノアスファルト舗装工事 誘導路及ビエプロンノ舗装工事及ビ 自動車道路ノ新設並ビー排水溝工事其他該 飛行場擴張ニ伴フ附屬工事全部

資材名	寸法	數量	單位	摘要
石灰		420	トン	一ケ月ニ於ケル加熱砂利壹萬屯
				要加熱アスファルト壹千五百屯ニシテ 目下砂利加熱用釜00基 アスファルト熔解釜 拾 基及ビスチームローラー 二台使用中ナリ
				一日ノ使用量 拾五屯

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工事名	板付飛行場滑走路舗装工事
工事場所	福岡市下月隈寶満尾
請負人 住所氏名	福岡市下瓦町二六 株式會社鹿島組九州支店 支店長　村井佐八
坪数	一階　　坪　二階　　坪　延坪　　坪
工事概要	主滑走路改装及其他舗装 補修工事 PD番號 F.K.K.H. 1633

資材名	寸法	数量	単位	摘要
石炭		280.00	瓲	貳月所要量 10.00×28
木炭		140.00	俵	〃 5.00×28
コークス		5.00	瓲	〃
計、				

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No.

昭和二十二年三月二十一日

九州地方商工局長殿

熊本縣知事　鈴木　直人

石炭特配申請について

右について別紙寫の通り軍政府から指令を受けましたから差當り五十噸をけ至急割當をして下さい。

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No.

第二四歩兵師團本部
日本九州小倉軍資品處理官廳
一九四七年二月四日 (A.P.O 二四)
熊本縣内務部御中
熊本軍政官經由（ビック大尉係）

軍需品處理ニ關スル要請

一、第一軍團司令部AG四〇〇6PAニ依リ貴縣内務部ニ東京第二兵器工廠荒尾工場ノ取片付ケニ要スル物資供給ヲ取計ラレンコトヲ要請ス。取片付ケ作業ヲ完了スル爲ニ石炭四百二十トンノ增加供給ヲ要ス

二、前記工場ノ取片付ケ作業ノ監督技術官ハE、Fカレイ氏ナリ一切ノ供給物ノ引渡シハ同氏ノ世話ヲ受ケラルベシ

軍需品處理官
ジョージEメトカルフ

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No.....

本書送達先　能本軍政官（四通）
綴込整理用（一通）

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1. In compliance with G.H.Q. SCAP instruction, all the coal in Japan has been divided into two parts, one is for the use of Occupation Forces and the other is for the civil use of the Japanese people, and even the latter is strictly controlled by the anthorities.

2. The amount of coal demanded by P.D. is as follows:

	Occupation Forces	Individual P.D.	delivered to QM.
Feb.	6,000 ton	4,000 ton	6.000 ton
March	6,000 ton	4,000 ton	9,450 ton
		Remaining 4,550 ton had been used for dependent houses and other uses relating Occupation Forces.	
April.	10,000 ton	No.	

QM requests Nippon Coal Company to deliver the remaining 4,550 ton, but the amount was already consumed by the above mentioned use. Therefore the Company is obliged to furnish from the allocation in April, as there is left up allocation except for civil use. How should the problem be solved.

3. The coal which had been demanded and supplied not by P.D. to coal itself, but in relation with P.D. to other works (for example, coal to Kashima-Gumi and Iwasaki-Gumi) is included in the 4,550 ton above mentioned. If it should not be included in the frame of individual P.D., from what frame should we supply? It is the same as above in the case of coal for cabarets and laundries, and in these cases coal delivery is requested by officers concerned on verbal or written form of requisition. How should we treat those requests?
There is no allocation for them.

4. In April 10,000 tons are allocated to Occupation Forces by P.D. but no individual P.D. is issued for dependent houses and rest hotels. From what source should we furinsh coal for them? This office is of the opinion that 10,000 tons of coal, which is the same as the total amount in Feb. and March, should include that for dependent homes and rest hotels.

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BASIC: Ltr, Hq Kyushu Mil Govt Region, subj: "Coal Allocation for Individual Procurement Demands in Kyushu for the Months of February, March and April 1947", dtd 2 Apr 47.

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Hq I Corps, APO 301,

TO: CG, 24th Inf Div, APO 24

1. It appears that a certain amount of confusion exists among units as to the responsibility for the supply of coal on the island of Kyushu. Coal allocations to your headquarters are intended for the supply of all units in Kyushu.

2. It is desired that this matter be cleared up by conference with Military Government. The following information is submitted for your consideration at such conference:

a. Where a procurement demand for real estate contains a heating clause, it is the responsibility of the Japanese Government to supply the necessary fuel. The fuel is obtained through Japanese channels and not from quartermaster stocks.

b. Where a procurement demand for supplies, services or construction requires the furnishing of coal in order that the Japanese contractor may carry out his contract, it is the responsibility of the Japanese Government to supply the coal. The coal is obtained through Japanese channels and not from quartermaster stocks.

c. Coal for the operation of Occupation Force installations where no procurement demand exists for the Japanese to supply such coal is furnished from quartermaster stocks.

3. Your conference will consider surveys of future coal requirements for the three categories included in the previous paragraph. Consideration should be given to amending procurement demands for real estate where feasible to call upon the Japanese Government to supply the fuel necessary for heat and hot water.

4. The appropriate Japanese officials will be advised in advance of the forecast of coal requirements to fulfill their responsibilities under paragraph 2a and 2b, above.

5. A forecast of coal requirements for quartermaster stocks will be forwarded to this headquarters pursuant to current directives.

6. A copy of the basic letter and action taken by this headquarters

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BASIC: Ltr, Hq Kyushu Mil Govt Region, subj: "Coal Allocation for Individual Procurement Demands in Kyushu for the Months of February, March and April 1947", dtd 2 Apr 47. 1st Ind cont'd.

is being forwarded to the Commanding General, Eighth Army, attention: Major Westenberger, for information.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL WOODRUFF:

O. H. SCHMIDT
MAJOR, AGD
ASST. ADJ. GEN.

7 Incls:
n/c

cc: CG, 8th Army
Attn: Major Westenberger

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FUKUOKA PREFECTURE

The chief industry in Fukuoka Prefecture is coal mining. The Miike mines provide 14% of Kyushu coal. The Chikuho mines provide 65% of Kyushu coal. The coal production of Kyushu equals 60% of Japan's coal supply.

The Yawata Steel Mill is the largest steel mill in Japan.

The Miike Dyestuff and Mitsubishi Kurosaki plants are important for medicines and dyestuffs.

The Makiyama plant is important for its glass manufacture.

The city of Kurume is the center of rubber manufacture in Kyushu.

Moji and Hakata are principal export-import ports in Kyushu.

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ACTUAL DISTRIBUTION OF COAL IN JANUARY

Preliminary report of The Japan Coal Company, in accounting for the distribution of January coal allocation submitted to SCAP-Far East Command Requirements Committee, 19 February 1947.

Item	Plan	Actual Distribution
Mine Use	200.0	238.4
Allied Power	80.0	91.7
Export	65.5	44.0
Transportation		
Government Railway	625.0	595.4
Private Railway	5.8	6.1
Bunkering	93.0	76.6
Total	723.8	678.1
Export Electric Generation	326.0	141.2
Gas	59.0	59.1
Coke	50.0	42.7
Total	109.0	101.8
Iron and Steel	130.0	129.8
Metal Mining & Refining	20.0	12.3
Petroleum Refining	0.8	0.7
Metal Products		
Electric Wire & Copper Drawing	2.0	4.4
Carbon & Graphite Products	2.0	1.3
Metal Instruments	2.0	1.3
Total	6.0	7.0

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	Plan	Actual Distribution
Shipbuilding and Machinery		
Shipbuilding	2.0	3.3
Railway Car	-	2.4
Other Car	0.5	2.9
Electric Manufacturing Products and Communication Equipment	6.0	6.0
General Machineries	7.0	7.7
Total	15.5	22.3
Ceramics		
Cement	31.0	35.1
Lime and Dolomite	23.0	15.4
Porcelain Pipe for Agriculture	0.5	0.7
Porcelain ware	4.5	7.1
Plate Glass	3.6	5.9
Glass Ware	2.0	5.3
Fire Proof Brick	1.5	3.2
Abrasive	0.2	0.3
Ordinary Brick and Others	2.0	4.0
Total	68.3	77.0
Chemical Fertilizer		
Ammonium Calcium & Nitrate	107.5	81.9
Carbide Calcium Cyanamide	5.0	3.8
Calcium superphosphate	2.5	4.4
Total	115.0	90.1

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	Plan	Actual Distribution
Chemical Industry		
Soda	9.7	14.4
Synthetic Organic Chemicals	1.9	1.6
Oil and Fat Products	1.0	1.8
Making oil from seed	0.4	0.8
Explosives	1.3	1.9
Dyestuff and Intermediates	2.0	2.5
Gum Products	5.0	11.2
Inorganic chemicals	2.0	1.7
Medicine	8.0	6.4
Alcohol	3.0	4.8
Insecticide	1.2	0.7
Sensitized Materials for photograph	0.6	0.3
Other	2.9	2.6
Total	39.0	50.7
Textile Industry		
Silk	9.2	4.5
Spining and Coloring	11.6	14.6
Artificial Fibre	9.1	11.8
Paper and Pulp	23.0	29.6
Total	52.9	60.5
Salt	--	13.2
Foodstuff Processing		
Bean Products	3.0	3.3
Milk & milk products	3.0	2.7

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	Plan	Actual Distribution
Foodstuff Processing (contd)		
Saki, Beer and Liquer	3.0	10.4
Staple Foodstuff	6.5	1.7
Other	8.0	12.7
Total	23.5	30.8
Briquette	33.0	17.7
Government and Public Use	18.0	11.7
Heating, Cooking and Bathing	170.0	99.1
Reserve for Emergency	--	--
Others	10.0	10.1
Grand Total	2,206.3	1,928.2

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OITA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM FAC/tk
APO 929

13 December 1946

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SUBJECT: Coal Supply, Oita Prefecture

TO : Commanding Officer, Kyushu Military Government Region
Hq & Hq Detachment, APO 929

1. Pursuant to instructions contained in Information Bulletin No.29, Kyushu Military Government Region Hq & Hq Detachment, APO 929, dated 29 November 1946, the following report relative to coal supply and requirements is submitted:

a. Military Supply and Needs:

The 19th Infantry reports that requirements from present date to 31 May 1947 will total three thousand and two hundred (3200) tons, and at this time there is stock piled for military use two thousand two hundred and eighty (2280) tons.

b. Civilian Supply and Needs (10 Dec 1946 to 31 March 1947):

Item	Unit	On Hand	Required Dec 1946	Jan 1947	Feb 1947	Mar 1947
Coal	Kilo Ton	5,020	24,133	36,388	36,814	36,814
Coke	"	372	1,108	1,644	1,644	1,644

(Occupation Forces needs not included).

2. For the month of December 1946 the coal requirement was twenty thousand four hundred and thirty-four (20,434) tons. Delivery was four thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (4,889) tons. For Coke the requirement was one thousand four hundred and thirty-seven (1,437) tons. Delivery amounted to about two hundred and fifty (250) tons.

Fred K Magenot
FRED K. MAGENOT
Lt. Col., INF
Commanding

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

AG 463.3 (MG-Be) 23 Nov 1946

SUBJECT: Bunker Coal for s.s. "Baron Renfrew"

TO: Commanding General
I Corps
APO 301

1. Reference is made to SCAP Memorandum for the Imperial Japanese Government (SCAPIN 1065) dated 16 July 1946, subject: "Export Procedure".

2. Four copies of SCAP Memorandum for the Board of Trade (Boeki Cho), Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Tokyo, (BT-158) dated 18 November 1946, subject: "Bunker Coal for s.s. "Baron Renfrew" are forwarded for your information.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL EICHELBERGER:

1 Incl:
BT-158, 16 July 46

R. SCHAFER
Lt Col, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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BASIC: Ltr Hq Eighth Army, file AG 463.3 (MG-Ee), subj: "Bunker Coal for s.s. "Baron Renfrew"", dtd 23 Nov 46.

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Hq I Corps, APO 301, 27 NOV 1946

TO: CO, Kyushu Mil Govt Region, APO 929

For your information.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL WOODRUFF:

FILE

H. B. TAYLOR
MAJOR, A.G.D.
ASST. ADJ. GEN.

1 Incl,
Bt-158, 16 Jul 46 (trip)

AG 463 2nd Ind ERM/yf

KYUSHU MIL GOVT REGION, HQ & HQ DET, APO 929, 2 December 1946

TO: Commanding Officer, Nagasaki Mil Govt Team, APO 929
Attn: Sasebo Detachment

For your information.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL COUGHLIN:

ROGER L. LANDRY
2nd Lt., CAV
Asst. Adjutant

Incl:
n/c

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Economic and Scientific Section

463.3 (18 Nov 46) ESS/FT
(BT-158)

APO 500
18 November 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Board of Trade (Boeki Cho), Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: Bunker Coal for S/S Baron Renfrew.

1. Pursuant to Paragraph 6 of the directive to the Imperial Japanese Government SCAPIN 854, AG 334 (3 Apr 46) ESS-IE, subject: Board of Trade (Boeki Cho), dated 3 April 1946, Boeki Cho is directed to make the necessary arrangements to supply and load the British vessel S/S Baron Renfrew with approximately 400 tons of lump coal at the port of Sasebo on or about 25 November 1946.

2. Form IE-200, "Application to Deliver for Export", properly executed will be submitted without delay.

3. Terms of payment and accountability will be decided later.

For the Chief, Economic and Scientific Section:

PETER A. McDERMOTT, Chief
Foreign Trade Division

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COPY
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC

APO 500
7 March 1946

AG 463.3 (7 Mar 46)GD

SUBJECT: Information of Genral Application Pertaining to Directive, file AG 463.3 (25 Sep 45)GD, this Headquarters, dated 25 September 1945, subject: "Provisions of Coal at Fusan, Korea for use of Commanding General, U.S. Forces in Korea". Reference Scratched

TO : Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343.

1. With reference to subject memorandum to the Imperial Japnaese Government, the following is published for the information of all concerned.

2. Due to the lack of enough coal in Korea to meet essantial needs, the Imperial Japnaese Government was directed to export 70/75000 tons of coal monthly. The coal is to be delivered at Fusan and consigned to Commanding General, United Stated Army Forces in Korea. It is to be used in the operation of the Korean railways. The monthly requirement was not shipped in either October or November due to unloading difficulties at Fusan. These difficulties were remedied in December and that port became able to handle 70/75000 tons of coal monthly.

3. Shipments during December and January were short of the quantity called for. The Japanese Government stated that the failure to meet the full committoment was due to the following:

a. Poor communications between loading ports and controlling authorities.
b. Necessity for shipp repairs.
c. Shortage of coal at loading ports.
d. Congestion at Port Miike due to priority in leading British vessels engaged in the Hong Kong coal trade.

4. The following comments are made in connection with the above difficulties:

a. Civil Communications Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, has been requested to investigate communication conditions with a view to bringing about inprovements. Arrangements have been made to have Korea report daily ship arrivals and departurss at Fusan. This information is furnished Japnaese authorities daily.

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b. An evaluation of performance during February, and discussions with Shipping Control Administration for Japan disclosed that Japanese shipping is in a serious state of disrepair. The closest coordination of Japanese efforts is required to obtain maximum use of the vessels in service.

c. Coal production at the present time is sufficient to permit loading at most ports, if Japanese efforts to ship coal to such ports are vigorous enough. Proper surveillance will assist in accomplishing this.

d. Conditions at Port Miike are being surveyed by the Eighth Army to ascertain causes of congestion and means of relief. The use of other coal loading ports in Kyushu is being developed by the Eighth Army as a means of relieving the overcrowding of Miike. The British have been requested to cease all priority demands on Japanese facilities in the case of the Hong Kong coal movement. They have also agreed to limit vessel arrivals to two monthly.

5. Advice from the Commanding General, XXIV Corps states that coal shipped to date has had a large percentage of dirt. stones and other matter making it unsatiafactory for railway use. It is desired that an inspection service be established to insure that coal loaded and shipped is of a suitable quality and size, and sufficiently free from foreign material to permit satisfactory use.

6. A close survey of Japanese efforts for February indicated that a sincere effort is being made by central Japanese authorities to meet the committment. The shipping schedule is adequate. Delays are caused by mechanical failures, coal shortages, labor troubles, and so forth. It is desired that the Eighth Army insure thority to overcome these difficulties.

7. The full schedules established and the necessity for their substantial execution require early receipt of infornation on current performance and adverse conditions which can not be overcome locally so that necessary timely action can be taken by central Japanese authorities. Routine Japanese communications are inadequate for this purpose. Therefore it is desired that Eighth Army submit by telephone daily to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers the following:

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a. Ship sailings for the previous day.

b. Actual and anticipated variations from the established shipping schedule, causes thereof, and action taken locally to eliminated these causes. This information will be furnished the Japanese authorities concerned.

8. Eighth Army Headquarters will furnished forward shipping schedules, information on loading ports and such other date as will assist in performing proper surveillance.

9. There are inclosed copies of directives and communications pertaining to this matter.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL Mac ARTHUR:

/t/ E.D. Law, Jr.
for HAROLD FAIR
Asst Adjutant Gen.

2 Incls:
Incl 1 - Memo for Imperial Japanese Government dtd 26 January 1946
Incl 2 - Memo for Imperial Japanese Government dtd 15 February

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(SCAPIN - 656)

MEMORANDUM FOR : IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT.

THROUGH : Central liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Weekly Report on Coal Shipment to Korea.

1. Reference is made to your letter dated 18 January 1946, file C.L.O. Number 283 (3.2), subject as above. It is noted on this accompanying report that the shipments of coal to Korea for December total 49,056 tons and to date for January only 6,564 tons.

2. The unloading difficulties which hampered the discharge of coal at Fusan during the months of October and November have been elimintated and since early December, that port has been in a position to handle 70/75000 tons per month. You will take immediate stops to insure full compliance with Memorandum from Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers to the Imperial Japanese Government dated 25 September 1945, file AG 463.3 (25 Sep 45)GD, subject: "Provision of Coal at Fusan, Korea for use of Commanding General, United States Forces in Korea.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

H. W. ALLEN,
Colonel, AGD,
Asst. Adjutant General.

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A.P.O. 500
15 February 1946

AG 463.3 (15 Feb 46) GD
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MEMORANDER FOR: THE IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT.

THROUGH : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: : Loading of Coal for Export at Miike.

Reference is made to your letter dated 12 Fobruary 1946. file C.L.O. No. 645 (2.23), subject as above. The loading of all vessels at Port Miike with coal will be in order of the date of arrival. No priorities will be given to class or category of shipments pending further instructions from this headquarters.

FOR THE SUPRENE COMMANDER:

F. J. FITCH,
Brigadier General, AGD,
Adjutant General.

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Reference letter from I. J. G. to SCAP dated 12 Feb 46. file C.L.O. No. 645 (2.23), subject: "Loading of Coal for Export at Miike", in which the Japanese Government advises that British vessels arriving at Port Miike to load coal for export to Hong Kong had been demanding Priotity over all other loadings.

2. Due to the limited facilities at Port Miike, there has been a congestion of shipping with some repercussions on the meeting of the commitment of 75,000 tons monthly to Korea. The congestion has been due in part to the demands of British ship masters that their vessels be given priority in loading over any other vessels in the harbor. In some instances this has resulted in a cessation of loading operations already under way on Japanese freighters with resultant delay in their ultimate ETCs and ATDs.

3. The 8th Army has been requested by letter dated 30 Jan 1946, file AG 463.3 (30 Jan 36)GD, subject: "Coal Bunkering and Shipping", to investigate the facilities at Port Miike to determine the actual situation and incidently to recommend measures to improve the conditions at that harbor. The survey is under way and it is not desirable to establish any control measures until the facts are known.

4. The United Kingdom Liaison Mission has been advised to take the necessary steps to prevent the demanding of a priority on the part of British ship masters and, in addition, to develop the possibilities of insuring that British ships arrive at evenly spaced intervals so that something approaching a regularity in shipping and loading schedules can be established for all vessels.

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Ltr to I.J.G. subject: "Loading of Coal for Export at Miike".

5. This completes G-4 action.

6. G-3 Repatriation (Col. Watson) concurs informally.

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MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Refer ltr from IJG dtd Jan 46, file CLO No. 1 283 (3.2) subj: "Weekly Report on Coal Shipment to Korea". Figure on coal shipment to Korea show that the requirements of 70/75000 tons monthly is not being approached as follows:

October	6,564 tons
November	53,597 tons
December	49,056 tons

The October and November totals were to some extent the result of inadequate unloading facilities and desorganization at Fusan. However, evaluation of a report from Korea indicates that unloading Major Cosgray, T.C. of the Military Government Section in Korea disclosed that the difficulties formerly hampering unloading had been eliminated and the capacity of the port was sufficient to handle in excess of 70,000 tons monthly.

2. Representatives of the Japanese Coal Company, which is handling the shipments, were interviewed on the failure to meet the required totals and stated that the crux was the inadequacy of shipping due among other things to the necessity for repairs and inability to schedule loadings properly because of communication difficulties. It appears from their statements concerned with this matter.

3. Coordination of the various elements which would bring about the increase is a responsibility of the Japanese Government under the provisions of SCAP Memorandum mentioned above, therefore, no singling out of any one factor as needing correction is necessary.

4. This completes G-4 action on this case.

Concurrences:

ESS: N.L. Eaton
G.S: Comdr. R.E. Stevens.

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