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1. On 14 October the following arms were loaded on the SS PRESIDENT GRANT:
150 Borella automatic pistols 6.35 caliber
250 Borella automatic pistols 7.7 caliber with 100 spare magazines
100 Borella automatic pistols 7 (short) caliber with 100 spare mags.
The shipment came from the Pietro LEBRERA firm of Gostone Valtrompia
and were consigned to the Norton Corporation of New York.

2. On 14 October the following arms were loaded on the Norwegian vessel
STENHOG:
70 mortars
50,000 bombs (not latter identified)
50,000 fuses
50,000 fundamental charges
150,000 additional charges
The shipment came from the Ostione Stabilimenti Industriali di Milano
and were consigned to the Sellers Co. of New York.

3. On 20 October the following arms were loaded on the Italian vessel
OTROBOLI:
100 Galeci pistols 6.35 caliber
60 Galeci revolvers 32 caliber
40 Galeci revolvers 38 caliber
The shipment came from the Galeci Arms Plant of Collecchio (Brescia)
and were consigned to George Rose, 442 South Los Angeles Street, Los
Angeles 13, California.

4. On 20 October 46 cases containing 190,000 20 mm shells were loaded on
the Dutch vessel HANJONERTO. The shells came from the Swiss firm
BRUNNEN, Industriemagazin, Dornach & Co. and were consigned to the
Indonesian Ministry of Defense, Djakarta, Indonesia.

5. On 29 October the following arms were loaded on the Danish vessel HREVID:
100 Galeci pistols 6.35 caliber from the Galeci firm of Collecchio
(Brescia) consigned to the Casga Import Co. 307 Fifth Ave., NYC.

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- 4 Beretta pistols 22 caliber from the Beretta firm of Gardone Valtrompia (Brescia) consigned to Cercallo Limiteda of Beira, Portuguese East Africa.
- 100 Bernardelli pistols 6.35 caliber from the Bernardelli plant of Gardone Valtrompia consigned to the CYNOT firm of Port Elizabeth South Africa.
- 50 Bernardelli pistols 6.35 caliber from the Bernardelli firm of Gardone Valtrompia consigned to Durban LTD, Durban, South Africa.
- 100 Bernardelli pistols 6.35 caliber from the Bernardelli firm to the CYNOT firm of Johannesburg, South Africa.

- 6. On 30 October the following arms were loaded on the SS REUBEN:
 - 500 Beretta automatic pistols 6.35 caliber
 - 200 Beretta automatic pistols 22 short caliber.

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It is reported in Canal Port circles that the International Port Congress originally scheduled for 24 October at Budapest has been postponed until 30 November at the request of the French and Italian port unions. The convention will still be held in Budapest and will take the form of a "Congress of Social Studies." It is reported that the Italian delegation will number from 12 to 15 delegates.

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