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FROM ... The Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "HAMILCAR".

DATE ... 11th December 1943.

No. PRO.196/17.

TO ... The Secretary of the Admiralty.

(Copies to:-

- Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean.
- Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "COPRA".
- Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "WESTCLIFFE".
- Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "QUEBEC".
- Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "DINOSAUR".
- Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "ARMADILLO".
- Captain Commanding Canadian Ships.
- Commanding Officer, H.M.C.S. "NIOBE".
- Senior Officer, Unallocated Landing Ships).

PERSONNEL IN MAJOR LANDING CRAFT RETURNING TO
THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Details of the personnel borne in Major Landing Craft of the fifth flight, which left Gibraltar a.m., 20th November 1943 for the United Kingdom, are shown in the enclosure hereto.

2.- All craft rendered nominal lists of personnel on board at time of sailing, but in order to ensure that "HAMILCAR'S" records are correct "COPRA" is requested to confirm that all the personnel named in the enclosure are in the craft concerned on their arrival, reporting any differences as soon as possible.

H. Banks

COMMANDER.
for CAPTAIN.

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NOMINAL LIST OF PERSONNEL BORNE MAJOR LANDING CRAFT WHILST
ON PASSAGE TO THE UNITED KINGDOM. (Contd.).

<u>NAME.</u>	<u>RATING.</u>	<u>OFFICIAL NUMBER.</u>
<u>L.C.I.(L).311.(Contd.).</u>		
HURCOMBE, Ernest E.	M.M.	D/MX.92616/CO
CASEY, Samuel	Sto.l	P/KX.120802/CO
NORMAN, John W.	Sto.l	D/KX.157113/CO
PROUDMAN, Joseph	Sto.l	D/KX.158357/CO
WEINER, Sydney	Sto.(M)	V.41556
JACKMAN, Francis A.	W/man.(LC)	D/MX.103295/CO

Additional for Ocean Passage.

HALKSWORTH, Alfred	A.B.	P/JX.235398/CO	} Ex 89th LCM.
HARRIS, Basil	A.B.	P/JX.330435/CO	
ARMSTRONG, George E.	A.B.(STN)	C/JX.319537/CO	Ex Major LC.
CULVERHOUSE, J.E.	A.B.	D/JX.370641/CO	CW Candidate
BOLESWORTH, Kenneth	Sto.l	D/KX.145789/CO	Ex 83rd LCM.

SPECIAL PARTIES TAKING PASSAGE.

<u>NAME.</u>	<u>RATING.</u>	<u>OFFICIAL NUMBER.</u>	<u>L.C.I.(L).</u>
<u>M.1 BEACH PARTY.</u>			
GRAY, J.	P.O.	C/JX.71540/CO	178
CHAPLIN, A.D.	L.Sea.	P/JX.156000/CO	306
ARCHER, J.	A.B.	C/JX.365727/CO	311
BANKS, W.W.	A.B.	D/JX.237918/CO	306
BENTLEY, G.W.	A.B.	P/JX.328390/CO	306
BONNER, J.	A.B.	D/JX.283987/CO	306
COWBURN, K.	A.B.	C/JX.300278/CO	306
GIFFORD, J.	A.B.	C/JX.354143/CO	311
GILBY, E.F.	A.B.	C/JX.354144/CO	311
JEAL, H.	A.B.	P/JX.329136/CO	306
O'HARA, F.	A.B.	P/JX.329138/CO	306
STANFORTH,	A.B.	C/JX.354022/CO	306
TENNANT, W.	A.B.	P/JX.328654/CO	306
TURNER, D.R.	A.B.	C/JX.317562/CO	306
WRIGHT, Harry	A.B.	C/JX.353295/CO	311
BEANGE, W.	O.Sea.	D/JX.363780/CO	306
GARCIA, A.	O.Sea.	D/JX.363102/CO	306
WILLIAMS, A.	O.Sea.	P/JX.329524/CO	178

M.2 BEACH PARTY.

TODD, G.	P.O.	C/JX.154858/CO	255
KIRK, A.	L.Sea.	D/SSX.174.10/CO	255
FENN, R.	A.B.	P/JX.326583/CO	255
READ, F.	A.B.	C/JX.278469/CO	255
ROGERS, M.	A.B.	C/JX.352095/CO	255
WHITE, R.	A.B.	C/JX.352825/CO	255
GARNETT, R.	O.Sea.	C/JX.354142/CO	255
HUNT, H.	O.Sea.	P/JX.329536/CO	178
PAGE, J.B.	O.Sea.	P/JX.363778/CO	255
PRESCOTT, J.	O.Sea.	C/JX.373737/CO	255
PRESCOTT, R.	O.Sea.	D/JX.364037/CO	255
SHAW, A.	O.Sea.	C/JX.373253/CO	255
UNDERDOWN, A.	O.Sea.	C/JX.315360/CO	255
WAINMAN, S.	O.Sea.	C/JX.330883/CO	255
WALTERS, W.	O.Sea.	C/JX.315364/CO	255
WEST, H.	O.Sea.	C/JX.315365/CO	255
WILLITS, D.	O.Sea.	D/JX.364563/CO	255
WINGFIELD, A.	O.Sea.	DD/JX.364392/CO	255

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ON PASSAGE TO THE UNITED KINGDOM. (Contd.).

SPECIAL PARTIES TAKING PASSAGE. (Contd.)

<u>NAME.</u>	<u>RATING.</u>	<u>OFFICIAL NUMBER.</u>	<u>L.C.I. (L).</u>
<u>M.3 BEACH PARTY.</u>			
LOCK, G.	P.O.	D/JX.154945/CO	310
POOLE, F.	P.O.	D/JX.193597/CO	288
BOWIE, R.	A.B.	D/SSX.23725/CO	310
JOLIN, A.	A.B.	C/JX.354168/CO	310
PUGH, J.S.	A.B.	C/JX.252770/CO	310
STEAD, J.	A.B.	C/JX.252793/CO	310
SKIPP, T.	A.B.	C/JX.251617/CO	310
TROLLE, N.	A.B.	D/JX.238299/CO	310
PERRY, G.	O.Sea.	D/JX.364952/CO	310
ROBINSON, T.	O.Sea.	D/JX.364546/CO	310
RUSSELL, F.	O.Sea.	C/JX.352783/CO	310
SIZER, F.	O.Sea.	C/JX.373257/CO	310
SLATER, L.	O.Sea.	C/JX.373258/CO	310
STUART, M.	O.Sea.	C/JX.373261/CO	288
TATTERSALL, R.	O.Sea.	C/JX.373267/CO	310
THOMPSON, V.	O.Sea.	D/JX.366123/CO	310
TRYER, T.	O.Sea.	C/JX.352813/CO	310
WHITE, T.	O.Sea.	C/JX.373271/CO	310
WILBY, L.	O.Sea.	C/JX.315869/CO	310

R.N.B.S.S.7.

HOLMES, Leslie C.	Yeo.Sigs.	P/JX.134547/CO	305
GRACIE, S.M.	L.Sig.	C/SSX.32367/CO	305
MINTON, H.E.	L.Sig.	D/JX.145282/CO	178
CHARD, G.	Sig.	C/JX.357317/CO	305
DAVE, A.	Sig.	C/JX.233211/CO	295
HEYWOOD, S.	Sig.	D/JX.298677/CO	100
JONES, Arthur	Sig.	P/JX.385449/CO	305
McCLUSKY, T.	Sig.	P/CD/X.2495/CO	305
SMITH, A.	Sig.	D/MD/X.2503/CO	305
TRENCH, R.D.	Sig.	C/JX.357646/CO	172
BRACEWELL, W.	Tel.	C/JX.308532/CO	181
CURRIE, J.	Tel.	C/JX.228850/CO	179
ELKINGTON, H.	Tel.	C/JX.298248/CO	288
GIDDINGS, D.H.	Tel.	C/JX.357155/CO	288
HOBBS, W.	Tel.	C/JX.325227/CO	171
HOWELL, J.E.	Tel.	D/JX.197876/CO	171
LINGARD, D.	Tel.	D/JX.246942/CO	179
PARKS, T.E.	Tel.	P/JX.309022/CO	181
SAVORY, J.G.	Tel.	C/JX.198230/CO	169
COLMAN, A.E.	Coder	C/JX.356737/CO	305
COX, R.A.	Coder	P/JX.356058/CO	305
CRERAR, I.D.	Coder	D/JX.344977/CO	305
HUBSON, J.L.	Coder	C/JX.272278/CO	305
MARTIN, H.	Coder	C/JX.293970/CO	305
WARREN, C.	Coder	P/JX.309550/CO	305

R.N.B.S.S.9.

GERMAN, R.	A/Yeo.Sigs.(Ty)	C/JX.150073/CO	302
HOWELL, T.U.	A/Yeo.Sigs.(Ty)	D/JX.145774/CO	276
GIBSON, H.W.	L.Sig.	D/JX.132246/CO	276
EVANS, B.J.	Ty.A/L.Sea.CO (Sig.LC)	C/JX.243199/CO	276
BENNETT, F.S.	Sig.	P/JX.159794/CO	302
CARR, J.R.	Sig.	D/JX.251034/CO	306
SMYTH, H.	Sig.	D/UD/X.1385/CO	165

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SPECIAL PARTIES TAKING PASSAGE. (Contd.)

<u>NAME.</u>	<u>RATING.</u>	<u>OFFICIAL NUMBER.</u>	<u>L.C.I(L).</u>
<u>R.N.B.S.S.9. (Contd.)</u>			
AINSWORTH, J.S.	O.Sig.	C/JX.358929/CO	288
ASHTON, J.A.	O.Sig.	C/JX.358931/CO	276
CRUICKSHANKS, G.H.	O.Sig.	D/JX.340221/CO	302
HOLLAND, J.E.	O.Sig.	P/JX.162971/CO	276
JACKSON, A.	O.Sig.	C/JX.358954/CO	255
RAYNOR, H.	O.Sig.	D/JX.340210/CO	276
BURKE, W.	Tel.	C/JX.216109/CO	276
ACKROYD, D.E.	O.Tel.	D/JX.308699/CO	276
BARKER, J.	O.Tel.	P/JX.357184/CO	302
DOVE, R.E.	O.Tel.	D/JX.328974/CO	276
GILLINGS, W.C.	O.Tel.	P/JX.321653/CO	302
JENNINGS, R.W.	O.Tel.	P/JX.300956/CO	276
PITTS, L.C.	O.Tel.	C/JX.245607/CO	276
BROWN, F.G.	Coder	P/JX.262484/CO	302
SWAILLES, H.V.	Coder	C/JX.225326/CO	302
GASCOIGNE, J.	O.Coder	D/JX.293557/CO	302
MACKENZIE, D.A.	D.Coder	C/JX.356208/CO	302
RICHMOND, J.E.	O.Coder	C/JX.356549/CO	302
ROWELL, M.	O.Coder	C/JX.356653/CO	302
THORN, K.T.H.	O.Coder	D/JX.356687/CO	302
THOMPSON, H.A.	L.Radio Mech.	P/MX.125058/CO	178

The following additional ratings took passage in the Craft indicated.

EARNSHAW, George	A.B.	C/JX.374345/CO	305	
HAY, Herbert W.	A.B.	P/JX.322080/CO	100	Ex 91st LCM.
ABRAHAM, Dennis	O.Sea.	D/JX.366550/CO	310	Ex Major LC.
MASON, L.	O.Sea.	P/JX.327022/CO	305	Ex 123rd LCA.
STONES, William	O.Sea.	C/JX.352801/CO	305	Invalidated.
HALE, Kenneth G.	Tel.	D/JX.308767/CO	305	Invalidated.
HOPKINSON, Laurence	Tel.	D/JX.309067/CO	305	Ex F.O.O.Party
WILSON, M.	Tel.	D/JX.273391/CO	165	Ex F.O.O.Party
LORD, J.F.	C.M.M.4	P/MX.99174/CO	306	Ex Major LC.
HARRIS, R.H.	L.Sto.	P/KX.119125/CO	178	C.W.Candidate.
				21st LCI(L) Flot.
GILMOUR, J.	Mne.	Ch/X.108921/CO	305	Staff.
				Ex Major LC.