

June 24, 1940.

MEMORANDUM

To: J. W. Adler, Chief, Division of Supplies and Printing

From: W. H. Wagner, Assistant to the Commissioner

Pursuant to recent telephone conversation had with your office, it is requested that 25 Thompson submachine guns, together with 30,000 rounds of ammunition therefor, be purchased for the Immigration and Naturalization Service and shipped to the Chief Patrol Inspectors at the locations and in the quantities indicated below:

	<u>Location</u>	<u>Guns</u>	<u>Rounds</u>
	McAllen, Texas	5	5,000
	Laredo, Texas	3	3,000
	Del Rio, Texas	2	2,000
Rec'd 7-15-40	Alpine, Texas	3	3,000
	El Paso, Texas	5	10,000
	Tucson, Arizona	3	3,000
Rec'd 7-17-40	El Centro, Calif.	2	2,000
	Chula Vista, Calif.	2	2,000
	Totals	25	30,000

The cost of the above-listed equipment will be charged to the appropriation "General Expenses, Immigration and Naturalization Service, 1940 (Border Patrol)."