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HEADQUARTERS
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 534

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25 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Jewish High Holy Days.

TO : All Concerned.

1. This year the Jewish High Holy Days will be observed as follows:

- a. New Year - (Beginning at sunset of September 17).
18 and 19 September.
- b. Day of Atonement - (Beginning at sunset of September 26).
27 September.

The Jewish Holy Day begins at sunset and ends at sunset.

2. Within military expediency, appropriate commanders may grant officers and enlisted men time off to observe these holidays and wherever necessary, transportation to the nearest available place where services are held.

3. It is desired that the above be brought to the attention of all concerned.

By command of Lieutenant General DEVERS:

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R. H. CHRISTIE,
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29 March 1944

AG 000.3 BFCNP

Subject: The Festival of Passover.

To : All Concerned.

1. The Jewish festival of Passover begins Friday night 7 April 1944 and extends through Saturday night 15 April 1944. It is a biblical holiday commemorating the deliverance of the Jews from Egyptian bondage and affirms the great truth that liberty is the inalienable right of every human being. It bears special significance during this global struggle for human freedom and justice.
2. During the eight day period of the Festival a number of traditional rites are observed. The principal ones of these are:
 - a. Seder Service, a traditional feast, on the first and second nights.
 - b. The most distinctive custom during the festival is the eating of Matzoths, unleavened bread.
3. For the Jewish personnel of PES units two Sedarim will be conducted as follows:
 - a. Friday night, 7 April at 1900 for the Medical Center personnel and patients at the 182nd Station Hospital.
 - b. Saturday night, 8 April at 1900 at the Politeano Theatre (Madison Square Garden), Via Monte di Dio, for Jewish personnel of all other PES units.
4. Unit chaplains should assist Jewish men in organizing their own unit or area Seder Services when desired on the first night. Where possible, Commanding Officers will assist Jewish personnel to hold the Seder by arranging for the use of mess and quartermaster facilities.
5. Within military expediency, appropriate commanders may grant officers and enlisted men of the Jewish faith time off to attend Seder and other Passover worship assemblies. Government transportation to these services is authorized, and groups accompanied by a commissioned officer may be authorized to remain in Naples after curfew.
6. Such personnel as will attend the general Seder on 8 April will bring their mess equipment.

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7. Other Passover services will be conducted the first two and last two days of the festival. A schedule of these services will be available at a later date.

By command of Major General WILSON:

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22 March 1944

SUBJECT: Jewish Holyday of Passover.

TO : All Concerned.

1. This year the first two days of the Jewish Holyday of Passover begin the evening of April 7th, and the last two days begin the evening of April 13th. The Jewish Holyday begins at sunset and ends at sunset. Passover is celebrated by a Table Service, the Seder, and by worship assembly.

2. Where possible, commanding officers will assist Jewish personnel to hold the Seder by arranging for the use of mess and quartermaster facilities. The Jewish Welfare Board is providing unleavened bread throughout the theater. Chaplains will be acquainted with the procedure of drawing these rations.

3. Within military expediency, appropriate commanders may grant officers and enlisted men of the Jewish faith time off to attend Seder and other Passover worship assemblies.

4. It is desired that the above be brought to the attention of all concerned.

By command of Lieutenant General DEVERS:

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APO 394

28 January 1944.

DAILY BULLETIN)

NUMBER 2)

O F F I C I A L

1. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER:

a. The Headquarters Night Staff Duty Officer will be Capt A. J. PARKER and can be located in Room F, Provincia Building, Mezzanine Floor, telephone - - Vapor 8.

b. Night Staff Duty Clerk Pfc B. E. Rodella, will eat supper at 1630 hours and report to the Duty Officer at 1730 hours. (AG)

2. CHANGE OF LOCATION - INSURANCE SECTION OF C.F.I., FINANCE SUB-COM -

The Insurance Section of C.F.I., Finance Sub-Commission will close at 51, Via S. Brigida at 1000 hours on Friday, 28th January and will reopen in the Banca Nazionale del Lavoro, 30, Via Guglielmo Oberdan, Mezzanine Floor, at 1000 hours on the same day.

The following Officers will move with this Section:

Major J. OSMON (B)

Major E. S. ROBINSON (B)

Capt. A. H. REEDE (A)

The new telephone number will be VAPOUR 56. (Fin Sub-Com)

3. SPECIAL RELIGIOUS SERVICES:

Section I, War Department Circular No.

244, 1941, is quoted for the information of all concerned:

"Attendance at special religious services.--In addition to services on the Sabbath, commanding officers are authorized to excuse from duty, soldiers who desire to attend religious services on other days which in the liturgical churches carry the ecclesiastical obligations of Sunday, or on occasions recognized as of special religious importance in non-liturgical churches. Those desiring to attend such services, either on the post or in adjacent communities, may be absent for such period as will enable them to be at their place of worship as publicly announced, provided no serious interference with their military training is occasioned thereby." (AG)

4. PAYMENT OF TROOPS:

All enlisted personnel (American) of Hq Co (Fwd Ech) 2675 Regt ACC will be paid at 1000 31 January 1944 at 61 Via Medina. Enlisted Personnel (American) at Det S, 2675 Regt ACC will be paid at 1100 1 February 1944. (AG Pers)

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5. EXCHANGE OF CURRENCY - NEWLY ARRIVED PERSONNEL:

Current theatre regulations require that regular U. S. and British currency and North African francs be exchanged for Allied Military currency by all military personnel in Italy. Exchanges may be made by commissioned officers but cannot be made by enlisted men.

Unit commanders are reminded that it is their responsibility to collect all such currency in the hands of personnel of their units, and to effect exchange for Allied Military currency at the Disbursing Office serving their unit. At time of exchange the officer will certify that such currency was legitimately brought into this area.
(AG)

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6. AMENDMENT - ADMIN ORDER NO. 4 (APPENDIX "A"):
 Order No 4, dated 25 January 1944, is amended as follows:

ADD:
 Capt R. R. TEMPLE, 0523284, Interior Sub-Commission, (A)
 S/Sgt P. Wright, S/6205794, Interior Sub-Commission, (B)

DELETE:
 2nd Lt R. R. WADLEIGH, 01823526, Interior Sub-Commission (A)
 T/5 N. J. Defino, 32914959, Monuments & Fine Arts (A)

All Sections concerned will make the appropriate changes. (AG)

7. OFFICERS PAY: Capt JUNEIWIOW will pay Officers of this Headquarters between the hours of 1600 and 1800 31 January 1944 at 61 Via Medina. (AG)

By command of Lieut General MACFARLANE:

L. W. STEARNS
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APO 782

AG 000.3 BPCHP (25 Jan 44)

25 January 1944

Subject: Attendance at Religious Services.

To : See Distribution.

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2. Unit commanders and chiefs of staff sections will endeavor to arrange duty schedules in such a manner that personnel who so desire may attend religious services.

3. In instances where it is impossible to provide religious services in the troop areas, commanding officers will, in so far as practicable, provide transportation for personnel to and from designated places of worship.

By command of Brigadier General PENCE:

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