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CONCENTRATION & ADMIN OF SURRENDERED
ENEMY FORCES
JUNE-OCT. 1945

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280. Please see folio 130. A.C. enters at para 3. Is anyone else in the HQ. interested?
Guthrie

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NOT at the 5th

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108.

Chief Commissioner.

Please see 107 giving a satisfactory report on the German concentration area. The total number of Italians evacuated is only 264.

6 June 45.

109

Emilio
Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

6/6 satisfactory only as to small number of evictions. I find the rest far from satisfactory

END CC
7/6

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Ex. Com.

See 10 see 107, and minutes 108 & 109 above.

111

see letter to R.C. Emilio to issue copy to all R. 112/40

see 112

120

for front cover of [unclear]

— JWD cc
7/16

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Ex. 6m.

Sim. to see Solo 107, and minutes 108 & 109 above.

Ps. 7.

111

exo letter to R.C. Emilio to [unclear]
copy to [unclear] 11/1/40

SEE 112

120

C50

as EC wrote a DO (117) on subject
of trial of German Puss he may like
to see "18 & 119", originals to CA See

7/7/45

[Signature]

x also 121 need since. Copy to Legal Sec.

312V

VPC [unclear] 122

Letter to COS AFHQ to issue - thro OAS
11/1/47

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Ex. Comm

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SUBJECT:- German Surrendered Enemy Personnel -
Release in ITALY.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

3312/7/A2

25 Oct 45

06129 1945

TO :- Governor and Commander in Chief, MALTA.
Headquarters, B.T.A.
Headquarters, Allied Commission, ✓
Headquarters, 2 District.
Headquarters, 3 District.
Headquarters, 218 (S) Area.

COPY TO:- GHQ., 2nd Echelon.
Officer i/c PW Accounts Office, OH.

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Further to AFHQ letter G1(Br)3312/2/A2 dated 8 Sep 45.

1. "Clearance by CROWCASS" mentioned in para 2.A. of the above-quoted letter will be effected by this GHQ if it appears that it has not already been done.
2. In order that this GHQ may carry out this clearance one copy of PW forms will be forwarded with each application.



A. Dupont-Lamy
D.S. PARR,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Lieutenant General,
Commander in Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

DSE/AF

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BU to cap
✓
1702 PZ

Also
(CAPT GRAYSON) 005
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SUBJECT :- R.E.P(Ge n) Mishin Release in ITALY.

Ex Comm.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

Governor General and Commanding-in-Chief, MALTA.
Headquarters, B.T.A.

G1(HQ- 3312/2/42

Headquarters, Allied Commission.

" No 2 District (ref 1 Dist letter 1D/175/A dated 7 Aug/ 8 Sep 45)

" No 3 District

" 218 (Special) Area

SEP 11 1945

Copy to :- G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon.
Prisoner of War Accounts Office.

1. Applications from German Surrendered Enemy Personnel domiciled in ITALY prior to the war, and who are due for release, may be forwarded for consideration, subject to the procedure laid down in para 2 below.

2. Procedure will be as follows :-

A- Clearance by CROWCASE

B- Application in triplicate to this Headquarters showing

(i) Clearance by CROWCASE

(ii) Full details of previous domicile.

(iii) Reasons for application

(iv) Certificate by applicant to the effect that upon release in ITALY applicant will NOT request repatriation to Germany at either British or Italian Governments expense.

3. This Headquarters will forward such applications to Headquarters, Allied Commission for their submission to the Italian Government, for their approval.

4. It is emphasized that the final approval of such applications will rest with the Italian Government.



W. A. Goss,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

DGF/et

MAG (KRYSLER)

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Ref: 580/133/20.

31 July 1945

SUBJECT : Marina di Pisa - Evacuation of Civilians.

TO : Ministry of Interior, Italian Government.

In reply to your letter of 18 July 1945, reference 25718/13137, the following is the substance of a report received from the Commissioner, LIVORNO Zone :

1. No families have been evacuated from Marina di Pisa to accommodate German Prisoners of War.
2. The German Prisoners of War have been quartered in a badly destroyed Section of Marina di Pisa which housed twelve families before the War. These families either voluntarily left their properties or were evacuated by German orders prior to Allied occupation.
3. The Sindaco estimates that 20 families could now be housed in the area referred to but only after the buildings were repaired. "

For the Chief Commissioner :

R. X. X. X. X.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 56/283/10.

30 July 45.

Subject: ARN Paper on Surrendered Enemy Military Forces
in Italy.To: Commissioner,
Naples Command.

Reference your signal NC/1306 of 19 July. The portion
of the above mentioned paper dealing with property roads as
follows :-

"6(a) Buildings.

- (1) Buildings, or portions thereof, will not be used for the accommodation of surrendered enemy forces unless surplus to Allied and Civil requirements and then only with the authority of the Allied Military Commander, and with the consent of the Allied Commission.
- (2) Buildings presently used as hospitals for surrendered enemy forces may continue to be so used at the discretion of Allied Commanders.
- (3) Buildings may only be requisitioned if they are to be used for hospitals or offices. Such requisitioning will be subject to the following conditions :-
 - (a) There will be no eviction of civilian inhabitants.
 - (b) Permission must previously have been given by the appropriate Allied Commander any by Allied Commission.

K.H. Lundy

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to 580/10

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HEADQUARTERS
LIVORNO PROMISOR ZONE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

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File: Liv. 20/4736
Subject: Evacuation of Population from some areas in MARINA DI PISA.
To: Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
APO 394.
(Attn: Executive Commissioner.)

26 July 1945.

- 130
- 29 JUL 1945
1. Your ref 580/130/20., of 21 July 45.
 2. No families have been evacuated from Marina di Pisa to accommodate German P.O.W.
 3. The German P.O.W's have been quartered in a badly destroyed section of Marina di Pisa which housed twelve families before the war. These twelve families either voluntarily left their properties or were evacuated by the German orders prior to Allied occupation.
 4. The Sindaco estimates that 20 families could now be housed in the area referred to but only after repairs were made to the buildings.
 5. The local Italian authorities strongly request the evacuation of German P.O.W's from Marina di Pisa.

Harold V. Reilly
Harold V. Reilly,
Major A.U.S.,
Commissioner,
Livorno Zone A.M.G.

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(As Kinsale)

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Ref: 580/130/HC.

Tel: 470730

21 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Evacuation of Population from some areas in MARINA DI PISA.

TO : Commissioner, LIVORNO Zone.

1. Attached hereto is copy of letter we have received from the Ministry of the Interior dated 18 July 1945. In this you will see it is alleged that the military authorities have ordered the evacuation of the population from some localities in the MARINA DI PISA area in order to make room for German PW.

2. In your capacity as Liaison Officer for that area will you please investigate and submit your report as soon as possible.


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
Ltr fr Min of Interior,
No. 25728/13137 dtd 18 Jul 45.

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GA  23/4/45
A/W 30/7

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From: Ministry of Interior

To: Allied Commission - Rome

Subject: MARINA DI PISA - Evacuation.

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JUL 21 1945

It has been reported that the Allied Military Authorities have ordered the evacuation of the population from some localities in Marina di Pisa area for the purpose of placing there German prisoners of war.

As we feel sure that said population, who ^{previously} have gone through a lot of hardships caused by the war, would reluctantly abandon their homes again, we beg the Allied Commission to take into consideration the possibility of settling said prisoners of war in temporary camps in order to avoid the planned evacuation.

We would appreciate a kind information about the decision that the AC will take in that respect.

(Not Answered)

re file 126-127-130

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Ministero dell'Interno
GABINETTO DEL MINISTRO

Ex. Comm. No. 1866

Roma 18 luglio 1943

LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

R O M A

Reg. 25718/13137

Oggetto: MARINA DI PISA - Sfiollamento.

Viene segnalato che le competenti Autorità Militari Alleate hanno predisposto lo sfollamento della popolazione civile da alcune località di Marina di Pisa per alloggiarvi prigionieri tedeschi.

Perchè quelle popolazioni, già tanto provate dalla guerra, abbandonerebbero malvolentieri le loro abitazioni, se ne informa codesta On.le Commissione, perchè esamini la possibilità di intervenire disponendo la sistemazione dei prigionieri in accampamenti provvisori, in modo da evitare il progettato sfollamento.

Sarà gradita qualune notizia sulle determinazioni adottate.

21 JUL 1943

PEL MINISTRO

Mataro

Eos/

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ECONOMIC SECTION

ES/14.05

9 July 1945

SUBJECT : German Prisoners of War in Florence and Leghorn

TO : AFHQ, G-5 Section
Attention: Major R.V. Grady

1. Reference your cable #14097, dated 23 June, a decision as to the removal of German prisoners of war, employed in various industries in Florence is urgently requested. Their continued employment is certain to lead to serious labor unrest. Resentment among the civilian laborers is already apparent. It is strongly recommended, therefore, that Paragraph 1 of AFHQ Administrative Memorandum Number 35, be implemented immediately.

2. In a signal to this Headquarters, Prime Minister Parri of the Italian Government discussed the proposed billeting of ten thousand German prisoners of war in Leghorn. Such a move would deny shelter to the greater portion of thirty-five thousand homeless civilians in that city, which faces a critical housing shortage. It is strongly urged that measures be taken to billet these German prisoners elsewhere.

E.B. McKINLEY
Brigadier General, U.S.A.
Acting Vice President
Economic Section

Copy to : Exec Comm (ref 566/70/33 of 5 July 45)

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ROME

ALLIED COMMISSION ROME

E/7898

JULY 031630

ROUTINE

IN CLEAR.

N 17703. With reference to the conversation the Secretary of State of this presidency had to day with Admiral STONE, I wish to call the attention of the ALLIED COMMISSION of my preceding telegram dated the 24th of June last N. 20441/11862 and I seize the opportunity to beg you again to kindly examine the possibility of excluding German Prisoners of War from mechanical workshops and factories in FLORENCE in order to avoid labor disoccupation and a possible resentment among the labourers of that city. I beg you also to suspend the projected settlement of the 10.000 German Prisoners of War in the central zone of LEGHORN, which, instead, could be profitably used to shelter greater part of the 35.000 inhabitants of same city, who presently are without a roof because of the destruction of houses by aerial bombings.

The President of the Council of Ministries PARRI

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Action : Ex Comm
Info : Chief Commissioner
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M/C note

above is translation

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TO: AMIR GEORGE FIVE

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11 Jul 45

PRIORITY

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CONFIDENTIAL PD

PARA ONE PD SUBJECT IS DISCIPLINE GERMAN SUBSERVED PERSONNEL CMA
ENCLOSURE TO YOUR LETTER OF NINE JULY FOUR FIVE PD

PARA TWO AMIR GEORGE FIVE FROM ALCON CITE ACCAS PARUS

PARA TWO PD REQUEST FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS COLOR CLAUSE FIVE FIRST LINE
FOR QUOTE WILL BECAME READ QUOTE MAY UNQUOTE PD AND AT END OF CLAUSE
QUOTE SUCH OFFENSES WILL BE CHARGED UNDER ITALIAN LAW OR CMA DURING THE
CONTINUANCE OF MILITARY GOVERNMENT CMA UNDER THE PROCLAMATIONS CMA AS MAY
BE APPLICABLE UNQUOTE PD

PARA THREE PD CLAUSE SEVEN DASH DELETE SECOND AND THIRD SENTENCES PD
SUBSTITUTE QUOTE HEADQUARTERS ALCON CMA UNLESS IT IS OF OPINION THAT UPON
THE FACTS A TRIAL SHOULD NOT BE HELD CMA WILL CONVEY THE NECESSARY COURT PD
SUCH COURT WILL PROCEED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROCEDURE LAID DOWN IN
CONSOLIDATED INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALLIED MILITARY COURTS CMA COPIES OF WHICH
WILL BE SUPPLIED TO COMMANDERS CONCERNED PD UNQUOTE PD

PARA FOUR PD DELETE AND SUBSTITUTE QUOTE THE BRIGADE AREA OR SUB AREA
COMMANDER CONCERNED WILL BE REQUIRED TO RENDER ALL ASSISTANCE REQUESTED
BY HEADQUARTERS ALCON PD THIS WILL NORMALLY INCLUDE THE

SEE FILE
AC/2/2/17/24
FWD 17A

see
by hand

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11 Jul 45

PRIORITY

DETAILING OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE COURT CMA OTHER THAN THE PRESIDENT CMA AND
PROSECUTING AND DEFENDING OFFICERS CMA ALL ARRANGEMENTS FOR PROVISION OF
ACCOMMODATION AND COURT ORDINANCES AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR ATTENDANCE OF WITNESSES
PD UNQUOTE

Internal Distribution

Chief Commissioner, 
Executive Commissioner, _____
Legal Sub-Commission.

Civil Affairs Section

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NICHOLAS PIGBING,
CWO ISA
Asst. Adjutant.

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Ref: 580/123/EO.

12 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Jurisdiction over Surrendered Personnel.

TO : Chief of Staff,
C-5 Section,
A.F.H.Q.

I refer to your letter dated 4 July 45.

It is proposed to hand back the Northern Regions of Italy to the Italian Government on 1 September 45. After that date A.M.G. Courts will not exist in the areas in which surrendered personnel are stationed.

For the Chief Commissioner:

M. S. LUSH

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy To: C A ~~Sec~~
(Per Lushal Sec)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

4 July 1945

Rec'd 7/Jul

Dear Maurice,

The Chief Administrative Officer yesterday asked me to reply to your A/C letter of 25 June 1945 concerning responsibility of Military Government courts for offences by surrendered personnel.

As you know, reconsideration of this subject was requested by Admiral Stone on 4 June, as a result of which the entire matter was given further careful consideration throughout this Headquarters.

Following that study, the Chief Administrative Officer decided that the only change which could be made was to provide, in respect of surrendered personnel held by MTOUSA PW Command, for an additional remedy by U. S. Courts Martial in cases in which C. G. of such command so directs. Corresponding procedures on the British side are not feasible.

The official letters from this Headquarters on the matter will have reached APO in the ordinary course.

Sincerely yours,

CHARLES E. SPOFFORD,
Brigadier General, U.S.A.,
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Brigadier Maurice S. Lash, CB, CBE, MC.

COPY PASSED TO LEGAL S/C - JUL 7 1945

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4 July 1945

JUL 5 1945

SUBJECT: Jurisdiction over Surrendered Personnel.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference is made to your letter AC/4002/17/L of 4 June 1945 and to your aide memoire for General Robertson 564/80 dated 5 May 1945.

2. It has been determined that surrendered enemy personnel in this theatre will not as a group, or solely for purpose of trial be accorded the status of prisoners of war. This determination is reflected in the provisions of the agreement of armistice which took effect on 2 May 1945 as well as in all relevant directives of this Headquarters.

3. The burden thrown upon the Allied Commission in executing the directions of this Headquarters' letter of 22 May is fully appreciated. It is hoped that with such assistance and cooperation as may be furnished the difficulties may be overcome. The establishment of MIDEUSA Prisoner of War Command to administer surrendered personnel held by U.S. Army should afford material aid. Surrendered personnel under this Command will, in addition to laws and tribunals mentioned in this Headquarters' orders of 19 May 1945 to German Commander-in-Chief, S.W., be subject to trial in U.S. Courts Martial for violations of U.S. Articles of War and laws and usages of war in any case or class of cases in which Commanding General, MIDEUSA Prisoner of War Command, so directs. In the case of British held personnel, it is not practicable to provide for any procedures other than those presently authorized.

4. In view of the fact that the Combined Chiefs of Staff have approved the policy of dealing with surrendered enemy personnel in Military Government courts it is believed to be inappropriate for this Headquarters to re-consider the question of conformity to the Geneva Convention which you state to be necessary. The other legal difficulties which are suggested in your letter can be disposed of by the issuance of appropriate orders.

By Command of Field Marshal ALEXANDER:

W. D. MORGAN
Lieutenant General
Chief of Staff

(The Name) ORIGINAL ON AC/4002/17/L

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4 July 1945

JUL 5 1945

SUBJECT: Jurisdiction over Surrendered Personnel.

TO : Commanding General, 15 Army Group.
 General Officer Commanding, 8 Army.
 Commanding General, Fifth Army.
 Commanding General, MTOUSA Prisoner of War Command.
 General Officer Commanding, No. 1 District.

1. Reference is to letter of this Headquarters dated 22 May 1945 with attached copy of orders of this Headquarters dated 19 May 1945 to German Commander-in-Chief, S.W., concerning disciplinary and other jurisdiction over surrendered personnel.

2. Since the issuance of those orders there has been established by U.S. military authorities the MTOUSA Prisoner of War Command. Surrendered personnel under MTOUSA Prisoner of War Command will, in addition to laws and tribunals mentioned in such orders of 19 May 1945, be subject to trial in U.S. Courts Martial for violations of U.S. Articles of War and Laws and Usages of war in any case or class of cases in which Commanding General, MTOUSA Prisoner of War Command, so directs.

3. You will cause the foregoing to be brought to the attention of all surrendered personnel now under or subject to transfer to MTOUSA Prisoner of War Command.

By Command of Field Marshal ALEXANDER:

W. D. MORGAN
 Lieutenant General
 Chief of Staff

Copy to:
 — Chief Commissioner, Allied —
 Commission (Italy).
 General Officer Commanding,
 No. 2 District.
 Commanding General, Peninsular
 Base Section (through Commanding
 General, MTOUSA).

(Pres. Allen)

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ADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: AG/4002/17/L.25 June 1945.

JUN 25 1945

May I draw your attention to the correspondence ending with our letter AG/4002/17/L of 4 June, addressed to the Chief of Staff, AFHQ. Since then the 88th US Division has instructed the Provincial Commissioner to try a German soldier in BOLZANO for the manslaughter of a Russian refugee. I have managed to get G-5 to instruct G Army to have the trial delayed until the staff study which I am told is now proceeding on our letter of 4 June is finished.

In this connection I am told that the staff study is being considered from an Italian-~~own~~-Austrian point of view, but I also understand that JAG, MATOUSA feels that surrendered troops held by American troops should be tried by American court martial, while G-1(B) consider the British courts martial have no jurisdiction.

As to these points, it is fair to point out that Italy is essentially different from Austria, since in Austria German is the local language and the local law is probably the same as German law. If this man is tried under Italian law he will be tried under a law of which he has no knowledge.

We feel strongly that these surrendered German troops should be tried by military courts martial and not by Allied Military courts which are set up to deal with Italy and the Italians and under the Italian law or proclamations issued by the Field Marshal.

M. S. LUSH

Lieut. General Sir Brian H. Robertson, Bt.
 KCB, CM, CBE, DSO, MC,
 Chief Administrative Officer,
 ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS.

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Subject: Capture of Rimini.

Subject: Plan, by the Allied Military Gov't, for the evacuation of the coastal area of Rimini. 23 JUN 1945

The Allied Military Government has ordered the evacuation of the coastal zone of Rimini (from Rimini City-excluded - to Bellaria - included-) for the purpose of placing the German prisoners of war.

For the extent that order concerns only the area between Igea Marina and Bellaria, where there are:

- a. 10,000 persons approximately
- " 3 Kilns
- " 3 Sawmills
- " 3 yards for the construction of fishing motor vessels and merchant vessels

In the same area house repairing is under way:

by decree	for L. 7,000,000
by private initiative	" " 4,000,000
	L. 11,000,000

also under construction are

sewers	for L. 500,000
streets	" " 1,000,000

works in project:

Private houses	for L. 10,000,000
sewers	500,000
streets	2,000,000
public buildings	1,000,000
harbor works	2,000,000

The planned evacuation would require:

This letter is dated 23 May 45.

all now settled.

NFA

[Signature]

23/6

[Handwritten notes and signatures]
Original on file
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[Signature]
(Nas Pichard)

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- 1) the discontinuance of all above mentioned works under construction
- 2) the inactivity of sawmills, kilns, ship building yards etc;
- 3) the failing of the works in project;
- 4) The loss of most of the objects happening to be there;
- 5) the displacement of the population, which already have gone through other displacements thus forced away from their homes and employments, without hope of finding any lodging owing to shortage of facilities because of the great destruction caused by the war and without possibility ~~for~~ of making a living;
- 6) the cessation of ^{the} agricultural production (vegetable gardens) which furnish Rimini and its surroundings.
- 7) the reduction of reconstruction works in Rimini, already under way.

Therefore we beg to avoid this Commune, the most damaged of Italy, to suffer from another disaster.

This population, which even the Germans were not able to remove, cannot convince themselves that the Allies, their liberators, will be now the cause of their disgrace, while there are other zones on the same adriatic coast (before and after Ravenna), where said prisoners could be place without affecting the population.

Thanks.

Signed: the Mayor.

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COMUNE DI RIMINI

SEGRETERIA GENERALE

Ex. Comm.

Prot. N. 5712

Allegati N.

Rimini, li 23 Maggio 1943

OGGETTO

Progetto di evacuazione
della fascia costiera
di Rimini.

Risposta e Nota del

N. Div. Sez.

Sig. ALLIATA COMMISSIONE DI CONTROLLO

10 2 3

Il Comando Militare Alliato ha ordinato la evacuazione della zona costiera del litorale di Rimini, da Rimini Città (esclusa) al confine nord (Bellaria inclusa) per collocarvi i prigionieri di guerra tedeschi.

L'ordine è ora circoscritto alla zona da Igua Marina a Bellaria, ove si trovano:

- Persone n. 10.000 circa
- Tornaci n. 3
- Serbaria n. 3
- Centieri per navi da pesca e trasporto n. 3

Nella stessa zona sono in corso lavori di riparazione
di case:

- per decreto
- per iniziativa privata

L. 7.000.000
M. 4.000.000

L. 11.000.000

sono anche in corso i seguenti lavori:

- per fogni
- per strade

L. 500.000
M. 1.000.000

L. 1.500.000

N. Div. Sez.

Sig. ALLIATA DOMINIONE DI OCCIDENTE

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fronte di avanzamento
della fascia costiera
di Rimini.

Il Comando Militare Allente ha ordinato la evacuazio-
ne della zona costiera del littorale di Rimini, da Rimini, Città (esclusa) al
confine nord (Sallarini inclusa) per collocarvi i prigionieri di guerra tedeschi.

L'ordine è ora circoscritto alla zona da Igas Marina
a Sallarini, ove si trovano:

- Persone n. 10.000 circa
- Fornaci n. 3
- Serrerie n. 3
- Cantieri per navi da pesca e trasporto n. 3

Nella stessa zona sono in corso lavori di riparazione
di case:

- per decreto
- per iniziativa privata

L. 7.000.000
" 4.000.000

L. 11.000.000

sono anche in corso i seguenti lavori:

- per fogne
- per strade

L. 500.000
" 1.000.000

L. 1.500.000

Sono in progetto lavori:

- per case private
- per fogne
- per strade
- per edifici pubblici
- portuali (Sallarini)

L. 10.000.000
" 500.000
" 2.000.000
" 1.000.000
" 2.000.000

L. 15.500.000

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COMUNE DI RIMINI

SEGRETERIA GENERALE

Prot. Gen. N. _____

Rimini, li _____

La evacuazione consisterebbe:

- 1- La cessazione di tutti i predetti lavori in corso e di quelli in progetto;
- 2- La inattività di secherie, fornaci, riparazioni navali ecc..;
- 3- L'arresto di tutti i lavori in progetto;
- 4- La perdita di gran parte delle cose vi esistenti;
- 5- Lo spostamento della popolazione, che ha già subito altri sfollamenti, fuori delle loro case e dal loro lavoro; senza possibilità di allaccio altrove per mancanza di alloggi causa la grandi distruzioni di guerra e senza possibilità di sussidio;
- 6- La cessazione della produzione soprattutto ortive che alimenta Rimini e dintorni;
- 7- La riduzione delle attività ricostruttive di Rimini in già così promettente sviluppo.

Prezzi vivamente di evitare al Comune di Rimini, il più distrutto d'Italia, questa ultima rovina.

La popolazione, che i tedeschi non riuscirebbero ad evacuare, non può rendersi conto che proprio gli alleati che l'anno liberata la vogliono arrecare tanto danno, mentre esistono altre zone nello stesso litorale adriatico, prima e dopo Anversa, ove i prigionieri possono essere colti senza danno o con piccolo danno alla popolazione.

Ritirato

IL CITTADINO

Dr. Coni

La evacuazione causerebbe:

- 1- La cessazione di tutti i predetti lavori in corso e di quelli in progetto;
- 2- La inattività di segherie, fornaci, riparazioni navali ecc.;
- 3- L'arresto di tutti i lavori in progetto;
- 4- La perdita di gran parte delle cose di sussistenza;
- 5- Lo spostamento della popolazione, che ha già subito altri sfollamenti, fuori delle loro case e del loro lavoro; senza possibilità di alloggio altrove per mancanza di allora case le grandi distruzioni di guerra e senza possibilità di rimpatrio;
- 6- La cessazione della produzione soprattutto ortiva che alimenta Rimini e dintorni;
- 7- La riduzione della attività di ricostruzione di Rimini in cui così promettevole sviluppo.

Trensi vivamente di evitare al Comune di Rimini, il più distrutto d'Italia, questa ultima rovina.

La popolazione, che i tedeschi non riuscirono ad evacuare, non può rendersi conto che proprio gli alleati che l'anno liberata le togliano arretrare tanto danno, mentre esistono altre zone nello stesso litorale adriatico, prima e dopo averne, ove i prigionieri possono essere collocati senza danno o con piccolo danno alla popolazione.

Rimprozio

IL SINDACO

A. Corvi

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Ref: 580/112/SC.2 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Administration and Concentration
of Surrendered Enemy Forces.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
ECILIA REGION.

1. I attach copy of letter from Colonel Feasey.
2. You should impress on the Provincial Commissioner of NIMINI the necessity of ensuring that the Italian population conduct themselves properly. These contravening orders should be arrested and tried. The CC.RR must be stimulated to assert themselves.
3. No.1 District have done much to help the Italian population: we in our turn must ensure reciprocal assistance.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

*Copy to Col G. Feasey**St.**HA**369*

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Extract of Minutes of Executive Commissioner's Meeting held on 8 June 1945.

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Bolzano Decree.

CA Sec drew attention to a decree proposed by the Prefect of Bolzano that every German had get to leave Bolzano in three weeks. It was pointed out that this was impracticable, and Ex C directed that Fifth Army and BT should be informed. CA Sec to take action. Ex C agreed the suggestion that CC should write to the Prime Minister. CA Sec to draft.

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ROUTINE

From AND EMILIA REGION

To HQ ALCON CITE ACCAS FOR ACTION: DISTANCE FOR INFO.

JUN 1945

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Total number evacuated entire ADRIATIC Coastal Area to make room for surrendered German troops is 264 persons. Great credit due to understanding cooperation of DISTRICT I. Provincial Commissioner informed that unless area required to accept additional commitments this job is done.

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No. 2. D.O. letter from Col. G.G. Feehey.

HQ 21 Tank Bde Force
C.M.F.

2 June '45.

Dear

- The new camps between Cervia and Cesenatico have caused general satisfaction, though they may involve the moving of 6 persons: no farms are affected. Kennedy has arrived and is on the job, and Leyden is most useful.
2. The total evacuated is 364, which is extremely low, seeing that some 150,000 persons will have been accommodated in the area by the time that you receive this.
 3. U.S.R.R. have been one long headache, and have not all reported yet. All 50 of them will be in civilian clothes without boots. ADOS has supplied boots, and is trying to get uniforms for them. Region seems unable to get uniforms from any source and British battle dress, apart from its unsuitability for present weather conditions, is unobtainable. ADOS may be able to get Italian Army uniform to be worn with U.S.R.R. badges and caps.
 4. Non-Fraternisation orders have been requested, also orders prohibiting sale of commodities to enemy personnel: Region has this in hand.
 5. The only rift has been the behaviour of the Italian population, or rather a section of it:- (a) who try to loot all vehicles by adopting, amongst others, the old trick of jumping on the back of them and throwing things out. This has been stopped by having a guard on every truck.
(b) Telephone wires outside the cages have been cut.
(c) Civilians, often in parties of 50 or more, have refused to move on from prohibited places such as B.I.Ds and vehicles parks, when ordered to do so by a British guard.
 6. Region and Province have been told and asked to help, and to warn all concerned that continuance of such behaviour may make it necessary to ask for evacuation on a larger scale,

(Local Town)

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By Lt. S. G. 8/6
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7. The necessity to post so many additional men on guard duties throws a heavy strain on the Force resources; for the local CC.RR appear spineless and quite unable to control the situation. There may be an improvement when the 50 CC.RR mentioned at para.3 arrive and get to work. German vehicles including combination motor cycles are available for them.

Yours sincerely

G. G. Fashy

Brigadier G.G. Fashy, C.B., C.B.E., M.C.

Col. AGLO No.1 District.

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