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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

APC/4099/T.

/rlp.
24 May 1944.

SUBJECT : Prison Conditions in Sardinia.

TO : Chief Commissioner.

1. I have to report the progress made to date in the matter of judicial personnel and prisons in Sardinia.

2. At the suggestion of the Regional Commissioner the Procuratore Generale of Cagliari and Major Alexander, RMO, Region VI, came over to the mainland and a meeting was held on 24 May at which the Minister of Justice and other Italian representatives were present with the Procuratore Generale and on the Allied side GAO, DCIO, Major Alexander and other representatives of Legal Sub-Commission and Major Wilson (Public Safety Prisons) were present.

3. Prisons. The attached list was submitted showing the prison situation as at the middle of May. This showed a very satisfactory decrease of persons in prison compared with April, but the judicial prisons (those awaiting trial) were still overcrowded. The Penal Colonies (persons serving sentences) had plenty of spare capacity.

4. The Procuratore Generale and Major Alexander stated that 500 of the persons in prison awaiting trial were soldiers and they estimated that within a month they would all be transferred to new military prison camps nearing completion.

5. Major Wilson confirmed that he was arranging to send to the Penal Colonies 500 prisoners serving long sentences on the mainland; 300 in the very near future and 200 a little later when repairs to one of the Penal Colonies are completed.

6. Persons in Prison awaiting Trial. At an earlier conference, the Minister of Justice had strongly objected to the constitution of a Prison Commission with powers to dispose of the cases of those who had served in prison, while awaiting trial, a period equal to the sentences they would have received at the trial, on the ground of its illegality under Italian law. At the conference it was further pointed out

a. That a new decree which would be published next week gave additional powers to grant provisional liberty (bail) in the cases of those awaiting trial which would substantially relieve the position in the judicial prisons.

b. A large number of cases were of a very serious character and

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as to these, the new decree would not be applicable, but equally it would be inadvisable that any Prison Commission would permit their release without trial.

After a comprehensive discussion it was agreed that the transfer of soldiers to the Military Prison Camps together with the operation of the new decree would so substantially relieve the judicial prisons of their surplus prisoners that the creation of a special Prison Commission was not essential. Taking into account also the strong objection of the Minister to the appointment of a Prison Commission with the wide powers originally envisaged, this project was therefore temporarily dropped.

7. Judicial Personnel.

The position is as follows: seven judges have been sent to Malindi with one, who is at present sick, to follow. Eleven "attorneys" have been given power to exercise judicial functions making a total of eighteen additional available judicial personnel. In addition, twenty-one new junior court officials have been appointed in Mombasa.

8. It appeared that there had been some friction between the Minister and the Executive Council as to the detailed posting of these and other judges in the island, but at the moment the Minister agreed, to give to the Executive Council a free hand in this respect and therefore full use can now be made of the services of all judicial personnel on the island.

9. For the time being this allocation of judges is probably sufficient for the judges are not at the moment sitting full time; this is due to the great lack of transport needed to serve witnesses and bring accused and witnesses to trial making impossible to bring on cases for trial. The Minister of Justice is working out a decree to enable the small cases (where fines are imposed) to be dealt with without necessitating the presence of the accused and this will relieve the position slightly. The matter can only effectively be dealt with however, by reconditioning further transport and by an improvement in the postal services so that documents can more easily be served by post.

10. General. The general position appears therefore to be very much better than was at first thought and subject to your directions it is considered that no further exceptional steps need be taken at present. Major Lazarus is in close contact with the position and will, of course, keep this HQ fully informed of the progress of events.

Gerald R. Brown
GERALD R. BROWN,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

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V, Admin Section,
Region VI,
Public Safety Unit.

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COMPART PRISONS 1 TABLE SHOWING PRISONER SITUATION
VIRIA AS GAINED SITUATION IN

PRISONS		Capacity of Prison.	Total Prisoners in May	Total Prisoners in April	Reductions or Increases since April	
PENAL COLONIES	(SARCIDANO	194	90	102		-12
	(CASTIADAS	1400	700	741		-41
	(ALOHERO	433	175	517		-42
	(TRANARULLIO	406*	270	253	17+	
	(ASINARA	1000*	1049	748		-279
	(MAKONE	550	369	406		-36
	TOTALS	3983	2353	2767		-414
JUDICIARY PRISONS	(CAGLIARI	650	828	819		-13
	(GASSARI	268	306	802		-41
	(NUORO	208	215	279		-64
	(ORISTANO	161	317	378		-61
	(TEMPIO	60	86	84	2+	
	(LANUSKI	80	59	75		-16
	TOTALS	1427	1891	2437		-646
GRAND TOTALS		5410	4244	5204		-964

NOTE: ASINARA ACCOMMODATES MINORS AND TUBERCULOSIS PRISONERS IN ADDITION TO NORMAL PR

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COMPANY TABLE SHOWING PRESENT SITUATION OF
PRISONERS IN VINHA AS AGAINST SITUATION IN APRIL.

APPENDIX to AGO/4090/L of 24 May 1944

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Prison.	Total Prisoners in May	Total Prisoners in April	Reductions or Increases since April	Numbers at Present over or under normal capacity	REMARKS
4	90	102	-12	-104	
10	700	741	-41	-700	
33	475	517	-42	42+	
66+	270	253	17+	-136	*Capacity according to April statement - 400.
100+	443	748	-299	-551	*Capacity according to April statement - 1300
50	369	406	-36	-181	
83	2353	2767	-413	-1630	
50	828	819	-134	178+	
48	386	802	-416	118+	
88	215	279	-64	7+	
21	317	378	-61	156+	
10	86	84	2+	26+	1255
10	59	75	-16	-21	
7	1891	2437	-689	464+	
8	4244	5204			

MINORS AND TUBERCULOSIS PRISONERS IN ADDITION TO NORMAL PRISONERS.

Total in Carceri Mondamentali - 269.

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 NEWSPAPERS
 ALLIED COMM. COMMISSION
 REGION 6

23 May 1944

S-3112

TO: Headquarters, A.C.C. (P.O. A.M.G. Section)

SUBJECT: Local Government in Sarawak

REFERENCE: 1/1430

24 MAY 1944

A.C.C.

1. With reference to your 64/99/CM of 12 May 44 (received 18 May 44) no positive action has been taken in this matter.
2. As soon as the report was received I discussed the matter fully with my Regional Legal Officer who also deals with interior.

The matter has been later discussed with the Provincial Commissioner and Captain HAYES with the following results:-

- (a) As regards Para.1 of the report, the source which gave the information is not considered too reliable. He is a refugee from GALLIARI and there is a woman who is said to be prepared to corroborate, but she has not been questioned.
- (b) As regards Para.3 of the report, the list of deliberations was seen by Captain HAYES and it seems to be a matter of opinion as to how much shelling there has been.
 As regards the statement that MOULI, former Prefect of NUGPO, held the opinion that NAITANA was not suitable for the important post he holds, this statement was based on hearsay and it is now agreed that it is incorrect.
- (c) As regards Para.4 of the report, Captain HAYES considers that NAITANA favours the wealthy and his friends. The Provincial Commissioner does not, however, subscribe to this.

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(c) As regards para.4 of the report, Captain HAYES considers that MATTANA favours the wealthy and his friends. The Provincial Commissioner does not, however, subscribe to this.

Captain HAYES, in support of his view, quotes an instance where an official (an alleged friend of the Prefect) applied to the Alimentation for a supplementary ration of 250 grams of bread. The Alimentation refused and the official later returned with a signed authorisation from the Prefect.

This may have been reprehensible but it is presumed that such practices may take place elsewhere in Italy. The authorisation for the supplementary ration was later cancelled.

(d) As regards para.6 of the report and the allegation about milk distribution this happened about December of last year. EGIDIO PORDU is now being prosecuted, probably owing to the pressure which has been exerted by A.C.C.

(e) As regards para.8 and the allegation about the tomato concentration, this was based on a statement made by a Major i/c a canteen who has since died.

3. It was decided that beyond reporting the matter to your Headquarters, filing Captain HAYES' report in the Prefect's confidential file in this office and watching for any confirmation of such activities (as were alleged) or incompetency in the past or future, no further action should be taken.

4. I do not feel that any further action can be taken at this stage by this Headquarters.

As stated in his covering letter and as explained above, the Provincial Commissioner is not in full sympathy with the report. He agrees, however, that the Questore, which works under the Prefettura, is inefficient, which

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matter is under investigation and will, if appropriate, the subject of a separate report.

The allegations contained in Captain HAYES' report are not borne out by previous reports on MAITANA; moreover, in a report on Interior matters made by the Interior Sub-Commission of A.C.C. H.C., the question is raised as to why MAITANA still remains as Vice-Prefect and has not been promoted to the grade of Prefect.

If Captain HAYES' report was to be passed to the High Commissioner I feel it should be with the object of inducing some specific action such as suspension from duty and a Court of Inquiry, and it is not known what is the Italian practice in this respect.

Transmission of the report to the High Commissioner in its present state merely for information might cause a bias against MAITANA through allegations which it might not be possible to substantiate.

I do not think the High Commissioner holds a great opinion of MAITANA. My impression of MAITANA is that he is not a forceful personality and is one who is likely to shelve difficult problems.

5. I am strongly in favour of full investigation with a view to proceedings and some punitive action being taken in any case of this nature where this is considered practicable and advisable.

A case with a somewhat similar background is occurring at SASSARI where the Provincial Commissioner feels that there should be a change of Prefects. He states that there is common talk about the Prefect's inefficiency and his association with the wealthy, etc. You may remember that OTTAVIANO, the Prefect of SASSARI was to be watched and that the recall of PAPPIS had connection with this matter. The High Commissioner felt that once the influence of PAPPIS was removed, OTTAVIANO would do better, and wishes to give him further trial. The situation is being watched.

I shall be glad to receive any guidance or directions you may have to give in the case of MAITANA and in these matters generally.

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M. C. Brigadier

H. GARR,
Brigadier,
Regional Commissioner.

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WILL EXPLAIN

Copy to: Legal S/Con.

L. T. MONTANT JR., 1302
1st Lieut AGD.,
ADJUTANT.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 6

C.H. R. C.H. R. 108
C.H. R. 108
21 May 1944

TO: H.B. The High Commissioner for Sardinia

SUBJECT: Congestion of Prisons in Sardinia

REFERENCE: I/14-21(A) / 446

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See 109.

1. With further reference to my letter I/1401 of 15 May 44, I have now received a further communication from H.B., A.C.C. on the subject of the proposed Mixed Commission.

It is considered that in view of the serious congestion in the prisons of Sardinia, principally caused by the number of prisoners awaiting trial, a Joint Commission should be set up at the earliest possible date.

I trust that you will see your way to give early approval to this proposal. I have already earmarked two A.C.C. Officers - one British and one American - to serve on this Commission.

2. The proposed terms of reference are as follows:-

"To review all cases of those in prison for more than one year with power to order the release of all such prisoners who would in the opinion of the Commission on the facts of the case probably have been found not guilty or have been sentenced to a term of imprisonment of about the same length as that which the prisoner has served in prison before trial".

3. The following points also arise out of the letter received from H.B., A.C.C.:-

(a) It is considered that the Judges recently sent to this Island should be used to deal with current cases.

(b) The letter states that instructions are being issued to you from the Ministry of Justice as to co-operation with me in arranging details for the prompt constitution and effective functioning of this Commission and arrangement of details. In this connection it is presumed that action is being taken by your Government to give the Commission any legal powers

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4. I understand that you have not yet received the instructions referred to in Para. 2(b) above. I feel, however, that we should lose no time in completing our preliminary arrangements and I would suggest that pending the receipt of the Ministry's instructions the following action should be taken:-

- (a) The Procuratore Generale del Re should be consulted as to the most effective modus operandi of this Commission.
- (b) That he be asked to obtain at the earliest possible moment lists of all prisoners of the category mentioned in the above terms of reference and to instruct the proper authorities to have all documents put in order ready for submission to the Commission.

5. Subject to any further instructions which may be received and to your own views and those of the Procuratore Generale del Re it seems to me that this Commission should operate as follows:-

- (a) It should sit in CAULFIELD.
- (b) It should sit continuously on every day of the week except Sunday until all the cases are disposed of.
- (c) It should have the services of an Italian legal expert at its disposal if neither of the members appointed by you is a lawyer. A secretary should also be appointed.

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- (d) Arrangements should be made for all relevant documents respecting every case to be submitted to the Commission.
- (e) Short abstracts relating to each case should be prepared on lines to be settled by our respective staffs and the Procuratore Generale del Re. These abstracts should be forwarded to this office for translation as soon as practicable and in any event as and when they are completed for each case.
- (f) Consideration should be given to the question of the necessity or otherwise for the attendance of a responsible Officer of the appropriate prison and familiar with the records thereof at the sittings of the Commission. This affects the question of priority of cases dealt with in sub-para. (g) below.
- (g) In general it would appear that priority should be given to prisoners who have served the longest sentences although this consideration may not be paramount in view of the fact that it is hoped the work of the Commission will be finished at an early date. It might be found more convenient to deal with cases prison by prison. The point, however, requires close consideration.
- (h) It would seem to be desirable that all prisoners should be medically examined and that certificates as to their state of health be submitted to the Commission.

6. In view of the very great urgency of this matter I shall be grateful if you will take the action indicated in Para. 4 above at your earliest convenience and if you will advise me as soon as you receive instructions from the Ministry of Justice.

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M. Car Brigadier
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M. CARB,
Brigadier,
Regional Commissioner.

COPY to:

H.Q., A.C.C. (Mail) (R.C. & M.G. Section). (ref 64/100/CA 7/44).
V.P. Administrative Section, A.C.C. (Rear).
Legal Sub-Commissioner, H.Q., A.C.C. (Rear).

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 6

20 May 44

TO: Headquarters, A.C.C. (P.C. & M.G. Section)

SUBJECT: Congestion of Prisons in Sardinia

REFERENCE: L/1401

1. I am in receipt of your 64/100/CA of 14 May 44 with regard to the creation of a Mixed Prison Commission in this Region.
2. I had already warned the High Commissioner on receipt of your telegram on this subject and have now addressed to him a detailed letter on the subject. I also propose to discuss the matter with him at a very early date.
3. My present reactions are that the High Commissioner will agree to this proposed Mixed Commission and that his co-operation will be prompt and effective.

I have already earmarked two suitable provincial Officers - one British Officer who is a barrister and one American Officer - to represent A.C.C. on the Commission. I understand the High Commissioner has not yet received his instructions from the Ministry of Justice. It is presumed that all action is being taken to give the Mixed Commission the necessary legal powers.

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HEADQUARTERS
22 MAY 1944
A.C.C.

M. Carr
M. Carr,
Brigadier,
Regional Commissioner.

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 SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: A 80/17
 FROM: ACC REAR FROM LEGAL SIGNAL/ MACFAHLANE CLASSIFICATION: RESTRICTED
 REFERENCE No: NR 2776 PRECEDENCE: NONE
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: MAY 17/1945 OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

JUSTICE IN SARDINIA. YOUR ACC 370 DATED 16 MAY RECEIVED. MINISTER SENDING FOR PROCURATORE GENERALE AS SUGGESTED AND WE WOULD APPRECIATE ATTENDANCE REPRESENTATIVE FROM YOUR STAFF AT SAME TIME. MINISTER HAS TWO OFFICIALS READY TO PROCEED TO SARDINIA TO FORM PRISON COMMISSION AS SUGGESTED PARA THREE IN OUR 64/100/CA DATED 14 MAY BUT IS NOW DOUBTFUL OF LEGALITY OF SUCH COMMISSION OR OF ITS NECESSITY IN VIEW OF A NEW DECREE NOT YET PUBLISHED WHICH WILL GIVE INCREASED POWERS OF GRANTING PROVISIONAL LIBERTY. WILL DISCUSS WHOLE MATTER WHEN PROCURATORE GENERALE AND YOUR REPRESENTATIVE ARRIVE

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FROM: ACC SARDINIA FROM CARR

REC'D: May 161300B

TO: ACC REAR FOR LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

via ACC Courier.

Your cable 2762 of 14 May received. Necessary arrangements being made. Alexander just completed tour of Tribunali. Transfers of Sardinian judicial officials proposed by Ministry of Justice referred to in your letter of 5 May will strengthen Preture at expense of Tribunali and Procure. General opinion of officials is that this will hinder rather than help. Would suggest your approach Minister with request that he invites Procuratore Generale to Salerno soonest to discuss position. Letter follows by air courier with specific recommendations.

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17th May 1944.

Chief Commissioner.

As instructed by you at the V.P.'s
meeting, I submit a draft aide memoire for the
Advisory Council dealing with education in
Sardinia and Southern Italy, and courts and jails
in Sardinia.

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AIDE MEMOIRE.

EPURATION OF FASCISTS AND PRISON
CONDITIONS IN SARDINIA.

I. EPURATION OF FASCISTS.

1. The Regional Commissioner reports (May 9th) that the situation is not yet satisfactory. The Prefects appear to have approached the problem of implementing the anti-Fascist decree of December 1943, which has many defects, somewhat cautiously. Their methods of enforcement are not uniform, although all have appointed the statutory commission, and the purge has not yet been made effective. The Regional Commissioner has impressed on the High Commissioner the necessity of drastic and rapid action and the latter is preparing a list of state and para-statal officials whose dismissal he intends to recommend to the various Ministers of the Italian Government. The Regional Commissioner believes that advantage is being taken of the loophole in the decree which provides for the retention of ex-Fascists who possess

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2. The High Commissioner, also at the request of the Regional Commissioner, produced a full meeting of the Main Committee of the Concentrazione Antifascista and an interesting discussion ensued. A desire was expressed for action against ex-Fascists who were outside official circles but this has not yet been translated into action.

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II. COURTS AND PRISONS.

1. The Chief Legal Officer, A.C.O. and the Regional Commissioner, Sardinia, have been instructed to urge upon the Minister of Justice and the High Commissioner respectively, the necessity of setting up immediately a Joint Commission with the following terms of reference:-

To review all cases of those in prison for more than one year with power to order the release of all such prisoners who would in the opinion of the Commission on the facts of the case probably have been found not guilty or have been sentenced to a term of imprisonment of about the same length as that which the prisoner has served in prison before tried.

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2. Small reductions have been made in the overcrowded jails but the position is not yet satisfactory. Detention camps for the accommodation of military prisoners are in course of preparation.
 3. Seven new judges have been sent to Sardinia and two more follow next week; eleven have been promoted locally. It is hoped that these and the institution of the Joint Commission will liquidate outstanding cases and enable the judiciary to keep abreast of current work.

III. EPURATION IN SOUTHERN ITALY.

1. The Advisory Council may be interested to compare the number of Fascists dealt with by Allied Military Government in Southern Italy and the Italian Government in Apulia:-

	Fled.	Interned.	Removed by by A.M.G.	Removed by Italian Govt.
MATERA	1	-	420	13
POTENZA	6	4	54	-
COSENZA	-	-	1687	-
CATANZARO	-	-	102	-
REGGIO	46	-	180	-
PARI	-	-	-	24
BRINDISI	-	-	-	-
TARANTO	-	-	-	215
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2. Although these figures cannot be regarded as a completely accurate analysis they show a sharp difference between the action taken by the Allied authorities and the Italian Government in effecting epuration.

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HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 39.

Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 64/100/CA.

14th May 1944.

SUBJECT: Congestion of Prisons in SAMBURA.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Region VI.

1. I refer to my telegram 4355 of 12 May 1944.
2. The congestion in the prisons in SAMBURA is deplorable and the greatest pressure must be brought upon the High Commissioner to improve matters. The number of prisoners awaiting trial forms the largest contribution to this congestion. Additional judges are being despatched to the island but should be used to deal with current cases.
3. In order to liquidate the outstanding cases, the Chief Commissioner directs that you should, in conjunction with the High Commissioner, create a Mixed Prison Commission in Sambura with the following terms of reference:-

To review all cases of those in prison for more than one year with power to order the release of all such prisoners who would in the opinion of the Commission on the facts of the case probably have been found not guilty or have been sentenced to a term of imprisonment of about the same length as that which the prisoner has served in prison before tried.

4. The Chief Legal Officer has arranged for the Minister of Justice to issue orders to the High Commissioner to co-operate with you and you should thereupon arrange details with General Pinna and advise him in the strongest possible terms to make his co-operation prompt and effective.
5. The Chief Legal Officer is anxious that you should not appoint your Regional Legal Officer to be a member of this Commission and you should therefore select two suitable officers from the Provincial staffs.

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5. The Chief Legal Officer is anxious that you should not appoint your Regional Legal Officer to be a member of this Commission and you should therefore select two suitable officers from the Provincial staffs.

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(Sgd) R. S. Lush. 1252

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Administrative Section.

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FATIMA (Exec. Commissioner)

12 May 1944

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YOU SHOULD BRING STRONGEST PRESSURE TO BEAR ON HIGH COMMISSIONER TO AGREE TO
APPOINTMENT JOINT COMMISSION COMPOSED ALLIED AND ITALIAN MEMBERS TO INQUIRE INTO
ALL CASES OF PERSONS IN PRISON AWAITING TRIAL WITH A VIEW TO IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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Lieut. ADM.
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. Section
APO 394

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Ref/64/99/CA.

12 May 1944.

SUBJECT: Local Government in SARDINIA.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region VI.

Reference report by Capt. C. Hayes, C.A.P.O. NUORO
Province dated 15 April 1944, will you please let me know what
action you have taken in this matter.

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Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY
INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION
APO 394

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13 MAY 1944

SUBJECT: Acting Prefect NATANA, Nuoro Province

TO: Executive Commissioner, PC & IS Section

In connection with the discussion we had here on 29 April concerning officials in Sardinia, I am forwarding a copy of a letter from CAPO, Nuoro Province dated 15th April, 1944, for your additional information.

R. R. Spicer

R. G. B. SPICER
Lt Colonel
Director
Interior Sub-Commission

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Encl: as above

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Ask RC what he has done about this M/1215

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
HEADQUARTERS NUORO PROVINCE

15 April, 1944

TO : Regional Commissioner

SUBJECT : Acting Prefect NAITANA

REFERENCE : Confidential

1. I have been informed that NAITANA, acting Prefect of the Province made the following remark in the presence of witnesses during a discussion on the general situation in the Island. He said, "With the arrival of the Allies has come disorder and starvation. In fact the Anglo-Americans are our true enemies." I have been informed of this by a person who was present at the time, and corroboration can be obtained if necessary.

2. NAITANA is not known to have had direct Fascist connections in the past and had no rank or honours in the FIM.

3. Criticism is general throughout the Province at his lack of interest and negligence in the administration. Dr. Puligheddu, President of the Province is in possession of a list of the deliberations of the Provincial Council. This shows that in nearly every case, the Prefect has shelved the matters under discussion and it is the opinion of the President that he, NAITANA, is not suitable for the important post that he holds. This was also the opinion of Mocchi, former Prefect of Nuoro and now Prefect of Cagliari.

4. It is also a matter of general comment that NAITANA receives presents of food, etc., from the wealthy landowners in the Province, and in particular, flour from the local millers, Guiso Galisai.

5. The Alimentation Section found that the severe milk shortage in the town of Nuoro was due to the fact that the large producers were not supplying the quantity of milk that they were obliged to do. In fact, in many cases they were supplying none at all. The matter was reported to the Questore who obtained the necessary evidence, but NAITANA has withheld his consent to the prosecution. The chief offender in this matter is a certain Egidio Podda, of Orgosolo, a wealthy man and personal friend of NAITANA. The reason that the milk has not been delivered to Nuoro is that it has been used to make cheese which is a far more profitable operation.

6. Shortly after NAITANA had been appointed acting Prefect he requisitioned for his personal use 65 kgs. of tomato concentration which it had been previously determined should be assigned to the hospitals and the poor. When this was discovered NAITANA said that the concentration had been requisitioned by employees at the Prefectura without his knowledge, and that he would punish the person responsible and return the tomato to the hospital. The officer in charge of the stores stated that the requisition had been made by NAITANA.

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C. HAYES
Capt. CAPO

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 WHETHER AGENCIES IS STILL IN CHARGE

Copy to: Adm Sec.

L. T. MONTAGUE, JR.,
 1st Lieut. AGC.,
 AIRCRAFT.

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GREEK DELEGATION
TO THE
ADVISORY COUNCIL
FOR ITALY

Naples, the 4th May 1944.

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10 May AM (after C.C. by)
auth.

The Greek Representative to the I & D.P. Sub-Commission has recently reported to the Greek Delegation to the Advisory Council for Italian Affairs that, according to sworn evidences given by the formerly prisoners of war : Isaac Coen, Athanasios Kolentinis and Demetrius Servos, the Director of the Prisons in Sardinia, named Alghero, ordered that all confined persons who dared to show an admiration for the English Nation should be struck to unconsciousness.



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Is Alghero still
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PROVINCE OF SASSARI - OFFICIALS

1. GOOD

PRINCIVALLE, Senio, Cav. 1st Councillor.
GIAGU, Giovanni, Dott. of Law. 1st Secretary (Acting Councillor)
SARULLO, Salvatore, Dott. of Law. 1st Secretary

Communal Officials

LIPERI, PINNA, Gavino (Pharmacist) Sindaco, Alghero.
ANFOSSI, Guiseppe, Colonnello, Sindaco, Tempio.
SENSINI, Paolo, Avv. Sindaco, Olbia.

2. BAD

OTTAVIANO, Vincenzo, Comm. Prefect.
MUCONI, Pietro, Dott of Law. 1st Secretary.
CASTELLANI, Salvatore, Head Accountant,
Quinta Provinciale Amministrativa.

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PROVINCE OF CAGLIARI - OFFICIALS

1. GOOD

PILIA, Salvatore, Comm. Dott.	Vice-Prefect.
MAGLIOCO, Isidoro, Comm. Avv.	Vice-Prefect, Inspector.
NANIA, Mario, Dott.	2nd Councillor
COSSU, Iginio.	2nd Councillor.
CESAREO, Placido, Dott.	Councillor.

Communal Officials.

COVA, Davide, Engineer.	Commissario Prefetizio	ORISTANO
DESSI+DELLIPERI, Gavino, Avv.	"	CAGLIARI
SCANO, Guido,	"	CARBONIA
MELONI, Carlo, Mining Engineer	"	IGLESIAS

2. BAD

MOCCI, Francesco, Comm. Dott. Prefect
(Questionable-should be investigated)

Communal Officials

ARBOREA	Sindaco
PABILLONIS	Commissario Prefetizio
DONORI	Podesta

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PROVINCE OF NUORO - OFFICIALS

I. GOOD

NATTANA, Simone, Comm. Dott.
Prefect

MACLIOTTO, Isidoro, Comm. Dott (to be transferred to Cagliari Prov.. 11 April)
Vice Prefect

HUGGIERI, Emilio, Dott.
1st Councillor

FLAGIELLO, Giorgio, Dott.
2nd Councillor

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U. S. SECRET - BRITISH MOST SECRET

CIVILIAN OFFICIALS

Dr. SATTA Gino, Director, "Unione Commercianti", Sassari
 Dr. FALCHI Michele, Director, Corporations Office, Sassari
 Dr. SANNA, Staff Physician, Carbonia Mines
 Dr. PES, Official, Psychopathic Hospital, Sassari
 Dr. MUGONI Pietro, Counsellor to the Prefect, Sassari
 Dr. CARULLO Francesco, Commissioner, Forestry Militia
 Dr. MEDAS Antonio, Bank of Italy, Sassari
 FOIS Giovanni, Counsellor to the Prefect, Sassari
 DELOGU Peppe Maria, Member, Agricultural Office
 SANNA Campus, Prefect Commissioner, Nulvi
 MARCHETTA, Secretary of the Commune, Castelsardo
 PORCU DIANA Giuseppe, Director, Sassari Prison
 SANNA, Assistant director, Sassari Prison
 CARBONI, Economist, Sassari Prison
 FOIS Giovanni, Counsellor to the Prefect, Sassari
 CASTELLANI, Capo-gabinetto, Prefecture of Sassari
 ESPOSITO, Member "Istituto Agrario Credito"
 GULLI Antonio, Director, Mamone Prison
 SCANO Giuseppe, Director, Casa Mutue, Guspini
 CARLINI Luigi, President, Association of Economic Devel. for Sardinia
 CAMPUS Nino, General Secretary, Ass. for Economic Devel. of Sardinia
 GUARINO Pasquale, Vice-President, Ass. for Economic Devel. Sardinia
 TANDA, Dean of S. Donato School
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 BRANCA Ginetto, Solicitor, Bank of Italy
 PIGA Vitale President, Carbonia Mining Association
 PANI, Administrative Director, Carbonia Mining Association
 BANDIERA, Foreman, Carbonia Mines
 CARTA, Technical Secretary, Carbonia Mines
 RENZO Reale, Engineer, Carbonia Mines
 SORCINELLI, Dean, R. University
 KOVAC Vladimiro, Censor's Office

FORMER POLITICAL OFFICIALS

MARTUCCI Giovanni, Centurione, Fascist Militia
 FENU Antonio, Capo-squadra, Fascist Militia
 SORCINELLI, Consul, Fascist Militia

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FORU DIANA Giuseppe, Director, Sassari Prison
 SAUVA, Assistant director, Sassari Prison
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 MISURACCA Angelo, University Official
 ONNIS CONTI Giuseppe, Political Fascist Secretary
 PITTSU Benigno, U.P.I. and O.V.R.A. official
 PIRAS Cabiddu, Administrative Secretary of Samassi
 Dr. LAI Antonio, Political Secretary
 Dr. PAU Luigi, former Podesta
 Dr. URZI Salvatore, Vice-Commissioner, Sassari
 Dr. SPINAS Emanuele, Fascist Political Secretary
 MARCUALI Giuseppe, Professor at University
 SCIANATICO, Militia Officer
 SATTA Piero, Federal Fascist Chamber
 SALVESANO Dr., OVRA
 RASO Capt., OVRA
 SFOZZA Pasquale, Fascist Political Secretary
 SUSSARELLO, Fascist Militia
 AVV. AZARA Giuseppe, Federal
 BIGNARDELLI Lorenzo, Officer, Fascist Militia
 BANNANNO, OVRA
 PESTA Giuseppe, Prefect of Cagliari

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MATTU Francesco, OVRA.
 Dr. OFFEDDU Martino, Federal of Sassari.
 Dr. GIANUARIO Olia, Fascist Militia Official.
 PINA Gavina, Leader of Fascist Women Association, Castelsardo.
 MARTINEZ Viola, Fascist Women Leader, Castelsardo.

MILITARY

General	MAGLI	Commander, Armed Forces of Sardinia.
General	DEL PANTA	Former Commander, 4th Coastal Brigade.
General	NANNEI	Commander, 204th Division.
General	RONCO	Former Commander, Nembo Division
General	BARRACCU	On the mainland at present.
General	ZANUSSI	Vice-Commandant, Frioli Division.
Colonel	DI SPILINBERGO	General Staff, Cremona Division.
Colonel	SIMONE	16th Artillery Regiment.
Colonel	RE	Italian Pioneers Commander.
Colonel	REITANO	Director, Public Health.
Colonel	MARCHINOTTI	Sassari Division, now believed retired.
Lt Col	C-LANDRUCCIO	235th Labor Company.
Lt Col	CARLINI Pietro	Calabria Division.
Lt Col	TAPPI Primo	Director, Military Hospital, Nuoro.
Lt Col	CORTICELLI Mauro	Military Hospital, Nuoro.
Lt Col	CHILAMA Felice	
Lt Col	LIPPI	
Lt Col	GUZZANTI	
Lt Col	D'ACOSTINO	
Lt Col	DA PAZZO Luigi	Military Hospital, Carbonia.
Major	VITA	60th Infantry Regiment.
Major	CURTANI Remo	87th Sanitary Section
Major	Pieron	107th Machine Gun Battalion.
Major	CHINGHILTA	
Major	MANCA Enrico	491st Coastal Battalion.
Major	CORSI Renato	54th Artillery Regiment.
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Major	FALCHI Savino	4th Coastal Brigade.
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Major	CORSI Renato	54th Artillery Regiment.
Major	PACCIO	Royal Carabinieri.
Major	FALCHI Savino	4th Coastal Brigade.
Major	ANERIS	
Capt	CAPUT	4th Coastal Brigade
Capt	PILLA	59th Infantry Regiment.
Capt	SOLINAS	
Capt	CORDA	4th Coastal Brigade.
Capt	SAPARA	R: Carabinieri, Tempio.
Capt	VANNINI	Navy, La Maddalena.
Capt	PINNA Antonio	Military Command H.Q.
Capt	DE GAETANO	13th Vehicle Park.
Capt	DAL PINO	Cremona Division.
Capt	SBORDONE	
Capt	AIELLO	Royal Air Force.
Capt	IELLO Italo	Special Grenadier Group.
Capt	BALZANO Armando	491st Coastal Battalion.
Capt	CURZIO Milano	491st Coastal Battalion.
Capt	CONFINI	53rd Battalion at Palau.
Capt	CALVISI Giuseppe	Military Command, H.Q.
Capt	ALFIERI	
Capt	SPATORMO	

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U. S. S. RET - BRITISH MOST SECRET

Capt	PALA	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Capt	GUIA Alfonso	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Capt	ANGIONI Goffredo	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Capt	ROCELLA Giacomo	Nembo Division, Sanluri
Capt	TOZZI Luigi	92nd Coastal Battalion
Capt	OZZIANO	54th Artillery Battalion
Capt	PETRAZIONE Carlo	Royal Carabinieri, Alghero
Capt	SILMONETTI Mario	31st Air Raid Warning Center
Capt	VERDIS Pietro	
Lieut	VALLETTA	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	SEMERARO	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	MILIZIA Raffaele	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	RUBINO	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	BASURDO	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	GALOST Olivio	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	PACINI	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	SEBASTIA Riccardo	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	MENOSCHI Umberto	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	MARANGONI Vittorio	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	GUCCIONE Vito	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	MOISO Eraldo	96th Radio Company
Lieut	COMI	96th Radio Company
Lieut	CUPATI Ezio	553rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	ROTASTERI	554rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	CASALI Rosalindo	553rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	PICCHIONI Giocchino	553rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	OFFEDDU Grazio	40th Artillery Regiment
Lieut	RUSSO Giovanni	40th Artillery Regiment
Lieut	PACE	40th Artillery Regiment
Lieut	D'AMBROSIO	235th Labor Company
Lieut	FALCHI	235th Labor Company
Lieut	SARDI	235th Labor Company
Lieut	BAGELLA	235th Labor Company
Lieut	MAROGNA	235th Labor Company
Lieut	SCALABRINO Danile	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	GIORGI	59th Infantry Regiment
Lieut	GAFFONE Michele	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	TAMPONI	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	CORTICELLI	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	BELLO Emilio	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	ANGIUS Ottorino	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	BOGAZZI Franco	Military Hospital, Nuoro

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Lieut	RUBINO	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	BASURDO	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	CALOST Olivio	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	PACINI	Special Grenadier Group
Lieut	SECHEZZA Riccardo	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	MENOCCHI Umberto	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	MABANGONI Vittorio	401st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	GUCCIONE Vito	491st Coastal Battalion
Lieut	MOISO Eraldo	96th Radio Company
Lieut	COMI	96th Radio Company
Lieut	CUPATI Ezio	553rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	ROTASFERI	554rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	CASALI Rosalindo	553rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	PICCHIONI Giacchino	553rd Battalion, Palau
Lieut	OFFEDDU Grazio	40th Artillery Regiment
Lieut	RUSO Giovanni	40th Artillery Regiment
Lieut	PACE	40th Artillery Regiment
Lieut	D'AMBROSIO	235th Labor Company
Lieut	FAICHI	235th Labor Company
Lieut	SARDI	235th Labor Company
Lieut	BAGELLA	235th Labor Company
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Lieut	CORTICELLI	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	BELLO Emilio	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	ANGIUS Ottorino	Military Hospital, Nuoro
Lieut	BOGAZZI Franco	Military Hospital, Nuoro

2nd Lt	SODIA	Nembo Division
2nd Lt	REGALINI	553rd Battalion, Palau
2nd Lt	BERGAMO Guglielmo	Special Grenadier Group
2nd Lt	VALENTINI Gastone	Special Grenadier Group
2nd Lt	FORNELLO	Special Grenadier Group
2nd Lt	RINAUDI	Special Grenadier Group
2nd Lt	RACCA Eugenio	491st Coastal Battalion
2nd Lt	PAPETTI Santino	491st Coastal Battalion
2nd Lt	STEFANI Filippo	184th Infantry Regiment
2nd Lt	PORRU	59th Infantry Regiment
2nd Lt	PORCU Mario	Military Hospital, Nuoro
2nd Lt	CIOLLIA Lorenzo	Military Hospital, Nuoro

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394.

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Ref: 64/68/CA.

6th May 1944.

SUBJECT: Evacuation, etc - SARDINIA.

TO : Vice President,
Administrative Section.

I am directed by the Executive Commissioner to return to you the attached papers regarding evacuation, courts and jails in Sardinia, which you left with him on returning from your recent visit to Region VI. The originals have been received from the Regional Commissioner and our file on the subject is now complete.

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Captain,
PA to Executive Commissioner.

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Executive Commissioner

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3 May 1944

SUBJECT: Conditions in Sardinia.
 TO : Chief Commissioner.

I attach material for the proposed letter to the Marshal. I also append a summary of the considerable work already done by the Legal Subcommittee.

May I draw your attention to three matters regarding the island of Sardinia?

- (1) The first is the overcrowded state of the jails particularly at Sassari.
- (2) The second is the fact that hundreds of prisoners including many juveniles have been detained for long periods without trial.
- (3) The third concerns the OVRA organisation. I have no exact information on this point but I understand that though the late chief has been removed the other officers remain. I should be grateful if you would let me know the facts. The destruction of this organisation was a specific condition of the Armistice Terms.

Points (1) and (2) have already been the subject of discussion with the Italian ministry and I am aware of the difficulties confronting them.

Nevertheless, I feel that the circumstances are sufficiently serious to ask you to consider sending to the island, if possible, a member of the Government to confer on these matters with the High Commissioner and my own Regional Commissioner Brigadier Carr.

STANSBATE,
 Vice President
 Administrative Section.

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 RHP M.S.H.
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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

3 May 1944

SUBJECT: Summary of Mission regarding the re-establishment
of the Italian Civil Courts, in Cagliari.

TO : V. P., Admin Section.

1. I was in Sardinia from 11 March 1944 until 12 April 1944. The purpose of my mission was to consult with the officers of the Allied Commission and with the local Italian officials with a view to formulating plans for the reopening of the Italian Civil Courts in Cagliari. Since the heavy bombings in that city early in 1943, the various sections of the Italian Civil Court system in Cagliari had fled to different parts of Sardinia which were not readily accessible. The Palace of Justice had been seriously damaged and the housing, feeding and transportation problems existing in Cagliari at the time of my visit were very acute.

2. There exists in the offices of the Legal Sub-commission at Salerno, 3 reports addressed to the CAC, dated 16 March, 1 April and 12 April 1944 which set forth in detail the work which was done during my stay.

3. In a separate memorandum of 3 May 1944 addressed to V.P. Admin Sec, I have set forth the recommendations regarding the court and prison situation which should be dealt with at this time.

4. Briefly, the concrete results which I believe were attained by my mission to Sardinia are as follows:

a. The completion of the repairs according to plan of the 2 top floors of the Palace of Justice at Cagliari for the purpose of housing the Tribunale, the office of the Procuratore del Re, the Court of Appeal and the Procura Generale.

b. The housing of the Pretura Court in temporary quarters, pending the completion of the repairs to the lower floors of the Palace of Justice.

c. The return of all courts and judicial offices to Cagliari.

d. The establishment of a mess for the judges and court employees in the Palace of Justice. This involved the procuring

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and delivery of cooking apparatus, food and articles of furniture, all of which I was compelled to attend to personally.

e. The making of arrangements with a view to securing a telephone connection and motor transport for the courts at the earliest feasible date.

f. The establishment of a plan for expediting the hearings of criminal cases by the Italian Courts.

g. The establishment of separate custodial facilities for military prisoners so as to relieve the overcrowded conditions in certain Civil Detention Prisons.

h. The securing of specific information regarding the personnel requirements of the Italian Military Tribunal as well as the Italian Court System.

/s/ EDWARD L. PALMIERI, Major
AUS

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

AGC/4090/L

3 May 1944

SUBJECT: Recommendations regarding the Court and Prison
Situation in Sardinia.

TO : V.P. Administrative Section.

1. The prisons in Sardinia used for the detention of persons awaiting trial are seriously overcrowded for two reasons:

(a) The Italian Military Tribunal as well as the Italian Civil Courts are understaffed and unable to dispose of cases rapidly enough in the face of an increasing amount of crime committed by Italian military personnel and by civilians.

(b) The Italian military establishment in Sardinia did not possess adequate prison facilities for prisoners awaiting trial with the result that the civil jails have been burdened with military prisoners. This situation has, however been somewhat remedied by General Magli who has constructed a prison camp at Villanova Strisaili and who has secured two barracks buildings formerly used by Italian artillery at Cristano.

2. The proper administration of justice and the reduction of the populations of the detention jails cannot be achieved in Sardinia unless additional personnel are sent there immediately.

3. The Italian Civil Courts require a minimum of thirty five (35) judges and ranking officials (magistrati) and a minimum of seventy six (76) minor employees (funzionari). These figures are based on information furnished me by President Volpe of the Court of Appeal and Procuratore Generale Spallanzani. The Minister of Justice at Salerno has been furnished with the necessary details.

4. Seventeen (17) officials are required by the Italian Military Tribunal to do the work of instructional judges and assist in its administration. These officials can be drawn from Italian Prisoner of War Camps in North Africa. Two request to this effect have been made by Col. Upjohn. They should be acted on speedily.

/s/t/ EDMUND L. PALMIERI, Major AUS

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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Deputy Chief Commissioner	
Secretary General	
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Economic Section	
Reg. Control & M.G. Section	
Political Section	
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Legal Sub-Commission	
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NAVY Sub-Commission	
Land Forces Sub-Commission	
EXECUTIVE COMM. - BRIG. LUSH. ✓	
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PRC	
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 transmission to R.C. Reg. 6.

✓ Sent to Reg VI - Sent 4/12

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AIDE MEMOIRE.

SUBJECT:

Evacuation of Fascists and Prison Conditions in Sardinia.
(Reference request for information on an aide memoire on this subject made by the Advisory Council at its last meeting)

1. A.C.C. control of Sardinia commenced on 1st. February, 1944. Prior to that date the Island was under the direct control of A.F.H.C. and it is presumed that the Advisory Council informed itself of conditions in the Island through A.F.H.C..
2. Evacuation of Fascists.
Of the officials who held office under the Fascist Government 68 have been removed up to date. 25 cases are still under consideration by the Italian Government. These results are largely due to constant pressure applied by the A.C.C. representatives in Sardinia.

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To ensure the efficient working of the Carbonia coal mine the head of the mines has had to be retained in his appointment although he is known to have held Fascist views.

Colonna and Ucci, both members of the OVRA, continue to hold office though with different functions and in spite of requests to remove them.

It should be remembered that Fascism was not so strongly supported by the Sards as by the Italians on the mainland. I am satisfied that since A.C.C. took over control in Sardinia the A.C.C. representatives have done their best to urge the Italian authorities to carry out an effective purge of Fascist officials. It must be remembered that in this respect the A.C.C. representatives have no executive power and that the late Italian Government was weak.

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3. State of the Courts in Sardinia.

The state of the courts at the end of January was deplorable. It was with the greatest difficulty that the Italian judges who had taken refuge in the interior could be persuaded to return to Cagliari and the Italian officials were most lethargic in finding alternative accommodation for the courts of justice and other judicial bodies whose buildings had been destroyed or occupied by the Italian Army.

An Allied Officer of the Legal Sub-Commission who visited the island in March with the object of re-establishing the courts of justice succeeded in persuading the Italian authorities to re-open the Civil Court of Appeal and the Criminal and Civil Tribunale and Pretura courts during April. There is, however, still a grave shortage of judges which would have continued had not the Chief Legal Officer of the Allied Control Commission persuaded the Minister of Justice to promote 12 local university and despatch 6 new judges to the island.

The condition of the jails is bad, although there are slight signs of improvement. In the penal colonies there is no congestion but in the Judiciary prisons, especially at Sassari, there is considerable overcrowding, and 2497 persons are detained in prisons of which the capacity is 1427 only.

The two chief reasons for overcrowding are the stagnation in the courts and the number (564) of military personnel awaiting trial. At the beginning of April 1554 civilians were awaiting trial; 500 however were granted an amnesty during the month of the inauguration of A.C.C. Officers and the figure is probably considerably less. It is hoped that arrangements have been made through the efforts of A.C.C. officials to detain military personnel in special military camps.

During March the Officers of the Legal Sub-Commission and the Regional Commissioner held numerous meetings with the High Commissioner and his officers at which they insisted on immediate action. As will be seen some success has been achieved.

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There is no doubt that the presence in Sardinia of a very large number of Italian troops whose general conduct has been in certain instances unsatisfactory has contributed substantially and adversely to the Island's problems.

The new Italian Government is being urged to take drastic action immediately and to support effectively the efforts of the Regional Commissioner and his staff who, it must again be remembered, had and have no executive powers.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

4th. May, 1944.

TO: The Secretariat
of the Advisory Council for Italy.

*Copy to: VP, Economic Section
Rep. C. P.
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Chief Commissioner,

I submit a draft Aide Memoire for your
use in replying to folios ¹⁴⁸25 and ²⁸26 of the attached file.
The draft has been prepared after discussions with Lord Stansgate
and Colonel Upjohn.

The statistics of prison accommodation are on
folio 30.

30th April 44.

MSL
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Thank you. I
have written
attached note to
Santana at
Adv. Council

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✓ W. H. P.

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1. Sardinia came under the control of the Allied Control Commission on 1 February 1944. Before that date, by command of General Eisenhower, the Regional Commissioner took his orders direct from A.F.H.Q. (even after the establishment of the Allied Control Commission 1943). It is presumed that the Advisory Council was kept informed of conditions in Sardinia by A.F.H.Q. previous to February 1st.

2. The Regional Commissioner's directions contained the instruction that on the one hand he would not be conducting an Allied Military Government such as had been set up in Sicily and on the other hand he would not be a mere military mission to offer the Sardinian authorities suggestions and advice which they would be free to disregard. He was to be the agent of the Allied Commander-in-Chief who had the right to take any measures which in his opinion made it necessary for the protection of the interests of the Allied Forces and for the prosecution of the war. He was also instructed to speak as the Commander-in-Chief's representative to the representatives in Sardinia of the Italian Government which was bound to take such administrative or other action as the Commander-in-Chief required. He was not himself to assume the government of Sardinia but was to act upon and through the Italian administration there.

A copy of the relevant part of these directions is attached.

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4. It would however be wrong to suppose that the Allied Control Commission Officers since February let have been idle in their attempts to urge the local officials and the Italian government to take remedial action. This has been done both by the Regional Commissioner and his staff and also by the Sub-Commissions in A. C. C.

5. The results may have been disappointing but not so absent as might appear from the memorandum of the officials who held office under the Fascist Government 63 have been removed; 28 before the Italian decree of 28 December 1943 took effect and 40 under the terms of the decree. 25 cases are still under consideration. But for constant pressure by the Allied Control Commission

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officials it is doubtful whether any would have been removed.

6. The head of the Carbonia mine, who is known to have held fascist views, has been retained in his appointment with the express approval of the Allied authorities who considered that his retention was essential to the Allied war effort (see paragraph 8 of the Directive to the Regional Commissioner).

7. It should be remembered moreover that Fascism was not so firmly or strongly upheld by the Sards as by Italians in the mainland. Many of the officials were Sards, natives of the island, and although they held office under the Fascist regime they probably did not subscribe very wholeheartedly to the doctrine.

8. It is true that Colonna and Ural both members of the OVRA continue to hold office though with different functions. The new Italian Government will be requested to remove them. Attianello and Robin on the other hand have been removed as have five officers of the OVRA and 7 officers of the Fascist Militia. Two of the Prefects are Sards and innocuous, one is a Sicilian who is described as an opportunist and not particularly trustworthy. A scrutiny of the remaining provincial officials shows that an attempt has been made to appoint persons with innocuous political leanings.

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are detained in prisons of which the capacity is 1427 only.

12. The two chief reasons for overcrowding are the stagnation in the courts and the numbers (564) of military personnel awaiting trial. At the beginning of April 1954 civilians were awaiting trial; 500 however were granted an amnesty during the month at the instigation of A.C.C. Officers and the figure is probably considerably less at present. Arrangements have also been made through the efforts of A.C.C. Officers (though they are not yet complete) to detain military personnel in special military camps.

13. The officers of the Legal Sub-Commission and the Regional Commissioner held numerous meetings with the High Commissioner and his officers at which they insisted on immediate action. As will be seen some success has been achieved.

14. There is little doubt that the presence in Sardinia of 500,000 armed Italian troops whose ranks still contain a number of fascist officers and whose general conduct has been far from satisfactory influenced the Italian officials in their omissions and delay in taking drastic action to purge the island of fascism and to remedy the state of courts and justice.

15. The new Italian Government will be urged to take the drastic action immediately and to support instead of stalling the efforts of the Regional Commissioners and his staff who, it must be remembered had no executive powers and were faced with conditions worse than those existing in Apulia (the other compartment which has always been considered as liberated Italy) accompanied by Italian officials who had less vigour than the late Italian Government and in whose jurisdiction remained a large part of the armed forces in which epuration

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16. An Allied Control Commission officer working in an advisory capacity has no executive powers and has no sanctions at his disposal, except an appeal to H.Q. for assistance. The Advisory Council are aware of the small progress made in the matters in question throughout the compartmento of Apulia in which was the seat of the Italian Government who, were continually urged by A.C.C. HQ themselves to put their house of Apulia in order.

17. The above should dispose of the criticisms that Allied Control Commission officials have failed to show energy in the difficult task of advising successfully the Italian authorities to carry out the drastic operation necessary under the terms of the Armistice. It must be again pointed out that Allied Control Commission officials have no executive power and that the former Italian

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Government found it difficult to effect defascistization effectively even on the mainland. The presence in Sardinia of a considerable number of Italian troops in the officer ranks, amongst whom there is still a strong element of officers who served under the Fascist regime, was clearly a factor which influenced the civil Italian officials in their actions.

18. It is considered sufficient that the attention of the new Italian Government should be drawn to the state of affairs in Sardinia and that they should be advised to take immediate action to continue epuration if such is still necessary and to remedy the present deplorable state of the jails and courts.

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Extract from A.P. . . . Letter dated 26 September 1943: Subject: Instructions on Allied control over Bandiera addressed to Regional Allied Commander (Bandiera).

C. Mission.

5. At the outset your control over Bandiera will be of a provisional character, pending the coming into operation of the Allied Commission. On the one hand you will not be exercising an Allied Military Commission such as has been set up in Italy, and on the other hand you will not be a mere military mission to offer to Bandiera information and advice which they will be free to disregard. You will be the agents of the Allied Commission-in-Chief, who has the right to take any measure which in his opinion may be necessary for the protection of the interests of the Allied Forces for the prosecution of the war. Subject to directions which from time to time you will receive from Allied Force Headquarters, you will speak as his representative to the representatives in Bandiera of the Italian Government, which is bound to take such action as may be required. You will instruct and guide the Italian authorities in Bandiera as may seem proper for the attainment of the purposes of the Allied Government. You are not yourself to exercise the government of Bandiera, but act through the Italian administration there. You will not issue proclamations such as were posted in Italy, nor contravene the decrees of the Italian authorities. It is their function to administer the territory, and yours to direct them as the interests of the Allied Nations may require. You will not allow yourself to be drawn into any discussion as to whether the Italian High Commissioner or other authorities are legally competent to do what is required of them. That is an internal question. The Italian Government must do as it is instructed, and any refusal or belittlement failure will be properly reported to the Headquarters, which will take such steps as seem appropriate.

6. You will discuss of the members of your Commission as may be convenient for the performance of their duties, and will insist that they have complete liberty of movement and sojourn. The operations of the Allied Nations throughout Italian territory must be free from any restraint, regulation, taxation, public charge or other impediment. No Italian court shall be allowed, without the consent of the Allied Commission-in-Chief, to exercise jurisdiction over any member of the Allied Forces or person accompanying or serving with such forces, or over any official of any of the Allied Nations or any national thereof, or the property of such national. If complaint is made that a wrong has been committed by a member of the Allied Forces, you will call upon the Government to substantiate the charge with a statement of proceedings, in order that the case may be referred to the appropriate authority for any disciplinary action which inquiry may show to be necessary. It is desirable that an inquiry be held or other record be made of any incident calculated to give rise to subsequent claim or accusation. You are not authorized to settle any pecuniary claim against the Allied Nations or either of them growing out of the presence of Allied forces in Italy.

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7. In their relations with the authorities and inhabitants of Sardinia your officers will maintain a correct attitude, neither autocratic on the one hand nor familiar on the other. They will avoid any such association with local persons or groups, as would be likely to compromise their independence or otherwise impair their usefulness to the Allied Nations. They will at all times, whether on duty or off, be the official representatives of the Governments which, though well disposed towards the Italian people, has still of some peace with their Government. The relations between the Allied Governments and that of Marshal Badoglio are on the basis that the Italian people will eventually, after the German forces have been expelled, be given an opportunity to choose their own Government. It is desired that the Italian authorities act upon liberal democratic principles in their administration. Political parties not of a fascist character will be allowed freely to function, though overt acts of public commotion will be suppressed. You will see to it that the High

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Commissioner examines the situation in the local prisons, and take measures to release political prisoners and to bring others promptly to trial. You will require him to report from time to time any official whose political conduct has been objectionable to the United Nations. The subject of Marxist legislation is not a matter for local action, but will be taken up with the Italian Government by the Allied Commission.

3. It is the primary objective of the Allied Nations to see that Italy makes the fullest possible contribution to the war effort, which involves the maximum utilization of Italian national resources. In particular the operation of the Sardinian coal mines is a matter of great importance. You will encourage the substitution of liberal industrial relations for the fascist labour system, but will insist that interruptions of production cannot be permitted in circumstances where the prosecution of the war would be seriously hindered.

4. You will keep Allied War Headquarters informed of your activities, and will see that the fullest possible intelligence, military, political and economic, is collected and forwarded. It will be your duty to take such immediate steps as may be necessary for military reasons or to secure the enforcement of the conditions of the Armistice; you will so far as possible avoid long-range commitments except on instructions from the Allied Commander in Chief. Your conduct of affairs should be such that when Sardinia is brought under the Allied Commission you will be able to carry on without any marked interruption of control.

By Command of General HIX (RSM):

S/ J. B. S. HUTTON,
Major General,
Deputy Chief of Staff.

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List of People Dismissed.

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CASALIARI.

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consideration

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 6

28th April 1944.

To : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, ✓
R.C. and M.G. Section.
From : Regional Commissioner.
Subject : Law Courts in Sardinia.
Reference : L/1401



Reference your cable dated 271823B the present situation is as follows:-

The Offices of the Procuratore Generale and the Procuratore del Re re-opened in Cagliari on 19th April 1944 and 29th March 1944 respectively.

The various Courts re-opened as follows:-

Corte d'Appello	- Civil	27 April 1944
	- Criminal	26 " "
Tribunale	- Civil	14 " "
	- Criminal	12 " "
Pretura	- Civil)	11 " "
	Criminal)	

The Court of Assize presently sitting at Sassari will open at Cagliari on 23rd May 1944.

For the reasons stated in Major Palmieri's reports it is impossible for the above Criminal Courts to do more than keep abreast with current work whilst Staffs remain in their present depleted state.

M. Carr

M. CARR.
Brigadier.

Regional Commissioner.

RGSA/ajs.

Copies to: Vice-President Administrative Sec.
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 6

27th April 1944.

To : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission. ✓
R.S. and M.O. Section.

From : Regional Commissioner.

Subject : Local Government and Administration
Epuration

Reference : L/1431

Reference your cables of 23rd April and 3802 dated
25th April 1944.

1. Local Government and Administration

There are enclosed:-

- (a) Lists (4 in number) of principal Regional and Provincial officials.
- (b) Completed Pro-formas in respect of the three Provinces of Cagliari, Sassari and Nuoro giving particulars of Prefectural officials etc..
- (c) Chart showing staff of High Commissioner.

It will be noted that the names in (a) and (b) overlap to some extent.

2. Epuration

Lists of officials eliminated ^{or under examination} in each Province by the Provincial Commissions established under R.D. Law of 28th December 1943 are enclosed. Supplementary list of officials of Cagliari Province dismissed on account of their Fascist leanings before the Decree came into operation is also enclosed.

A list of Fascists dismissed otherwise than by the Provincial Commissions has been asked for from the High Commissioner's office but will not be ready for some days. It will be forwarded as soon as received. The name of Comm. FABRIS Dino the ex - Questore of Cagliari and ex-Inspector of Public Safety will be on this list.

The Regional Public Safety Section is at present engaged in the preparation of a list of more or less prominent Fascists

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who have so far escaped purging and if on completion of investigations it is thought necessary to take action thereon you will be advised.

M. Carr Brigadier

M. CARR.
Brigadier.
Regional Commissioner;

RGSA/ajs.

copy to Vice-President Administrative Sec.

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SARDEGNA CON FUNZIONARI REGIONALI

Primo Presidente della Corte d'Appello	: S.E. Avv. Volpe
Procuratore Generale della Corte d'Appello	: S.E. Avv. Spallanzani Alfredo
Avvocato Distrettuale dello Stato	: Grand'Uff. Avv. Amedeo Loi
Provveditore Opere Pubbliche Sardegna	: Comm. Ing. Rottini Casimiro
Ispettore Compartimentale Agricoltura	: Comm. Dr. Gregorio Carmelo
Sovrintendente Ferrovie della Sardegna	: Comm. Ing. Gerlando Sollano
Ufficio Distrettuale Miniere	: Dr. Ing. Carta Mario
Ispettore Superiore Banca d'Italia	: Dr. Barattelli Guido
Comandante Legione CC.RR.	: Col. Ravenna Comm. Giacomo
Sovrintendente Sanitario	: Prof. Brotzu Giuseppe
Ispettore per la Motorizzazione	: Ing. Severino
Direttore Regionale Alimentazione	: Dr. Bandini Piero

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ELenco DELLE PRINCIPALI AUTORITA' CIVILI DELLA
SARDEGNA CON FUNZIONARI REGIONALI

e d'Appello	: S.E. Avv. Volpe	- Capo Mag. giudicante sede in Ozieri
Corte d'Appello	: S.E. Avv. Spallanzani Alfredo	- Capo Mag. requirento sede in Ozieri
Stato	: Grand'Uff. Avv. Amedeo Loi	- con sede in Maracalagonis
e Sardegna	: Comm? Ing. Bottini Casimiro	- con sede in Nuoro
agricoltura	: Comm. Dr. Gregorio Carmelo	- con sede in Villaurbana
lla Sardegna	: Comm. Ing. Gerlando Sollano	- con sede in Borore
e	: Dr. Ing. Carta Mario	- con sede in Iglesias
'Italia	: Dr. Barattelli Guido	- con sede in Sassari
	: Col. Ravenna Comm. Giacomo	- sede Cagliari; assunto carica 3/8/43
	: Prof. Brotzu Giuseppe	- con sede in Cagliari
ione	: Ing. Severino	- con sede in Mogoro
azione	: Dr. Bandini Piero	- con sede in Nuoro

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PROVINCIA DI CAGLIARIMinistero Interchi

Prefetto	: S.E. Mucci Coma.Dr. Francesco	- sede in Cagliari - assunto la car
V. Prefetto	: Pilia Coma.Dr. Salvatore	- sede in Cagliari - con funzioni d
V. Prefetto	: Pitzurra Coma.Dr. Ovidio	- sede in Cagliari - con funzioni d
Questore Reggente	: Gioia Cav.Uff.Cr.Goffredo	-
Comand.Grupo Interno CC.RR.	: Mugg. Chiesa Cav.Ferruccio	- con sede a Cagliari
Comand.Grupo Esterno CC.RR.	: Ten.Col. Cristallo Italo	- con sede a Oristano

Ministero Giustizia

Presidente Tribunale	: Sanna Coma.Dr. Efisio	- con sede a Isili
Procuratore del Re	: Buzzi Coma.Dr. Gerolamo	- con sede a Isili

Ministero Finanze

Intendente di Finanza	: Schirru Coma.Dr. Giovanni	- con sede a S.Nicolò Gerrei
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Ministero Agricoltura

Ispettore Agrario Compartim.	: Medda Prof.Coma. Felice	- con sede a Villaurbana
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Ministero Comunicazioni

Direttore Compartim. PP.TT.	: Dr. Montixi Giuseppe	- Reggente
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Istituto Interi

S.E. Mucci Comm.Dr. Francesco	- sede in Cagliari - assunto la carica il 3/1/1944
Pilia Comm.Dr. Salvatore	- sede in Cagliari - con funzioni di Vicario
Pitzurra Comm.Dr. Ovidio	- sede in Cagliari - con funzioni di Ispettore
Gioia Cav.Uff.Cr.Goffredo	-
Magg. Chiesa Cav.Ferruccio	- con sede a Cagliari
Ten.Col. Cristallo Italo	- con sede a Cristano

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Istituto Finanze

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Istituto Agricoltura

Medda Prof.Comm. Felice	- con sede a Villaurbana
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Istituto Comunicazioni

Dr. Montixi-Giuseppe	- Reggente
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PROVINCIA DI SASSARIMinistero Interni

Prefetto : S.E. Ottaviano Coma.Dr. Vincenzo
V.Prefetto : Ladu Coma.Dr. Pietro - con funzioni di Vicario
Questore : ~~Coma Fabris Piero - Impati Gen. V. S. con incarico di reggere la Questura~~
Comand.Grupo Interno CC.RR.: Ten.Col.Mattu Francesco - ha assunto l'incarico nel Marzo 1944 (già in Ca

Ministero Giustizia

Presidente Tribunale : Pisano Coma.Dr. Tito Onorio
Procuratore del Re : Dottori Coma.Dr. Arnaldo

Ministero Finanze

Intendente di Finanza : Mura Cav.Dr. Fernando - Vice Intendente Reggente

Ministero Comunicazioni

Direttore Provino PP.TT. : Cav.Uff. Mandas Giuseppe

Ministero Agricoltura

Ispettore Provinciale : Prof. Sirotti Giovanni

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Comm.Dr. Pietro - con funzioni di Vicario

~~Fabris Pina - deputato Sar. S.C. con incarico di reggere la Questura~~

Col.Mattu Francesco - ha assunto l'incarico nel Marzo 1944 (già in Sardegna prima del 25/7/43)

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PROVINCIA DI NUORO

Ministero Interni

Prefetto : Naitana Comm.Dr. Simone - V. Prefetto Regg. dal 2/1/44, in Sardegna
V. Prefetto : Magliocco Comm. Dr. Isidoro - con funzioni di Ispettore
Questore : Gagliardo Comm.Dr. Salvatore- Commis.Capo con funzioni di Regg.dal 8/
Comand.Grupo Interno CC.RR. : MAGG. Cabigliera Antonio - dal dicembre 1943

Ministero Giustizia

Presidente del Tribunale : Pintor Cav.Uff.Dr. Antonio
Procuratore del Re : Pedroni

Ministero Finanze

Intendente di Finanza : Doglio Comm.Dr. Vladimiro

Ministero Agricoltura

Ispettore Agrario Provinciale : Bandini Prof. Piero

Ministero Comunicazioni

Direttore PP.TT. : Dr. Rutta Giuseppe

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PROVINCIA DI NUORO

o Interni

- : Naitana Coma.Dr. Simone - V. Prefetto Regg. dal 2/1/44, in Sardegna prima del 25/7/43
- : Magliocco Coma. Dr. Isidoro - con funzioni di Ispettore
- : Gagliardo Coma.Dr. Salvatore- Commiss.Capo con funzioni di Regg.dal 8/8/43, in Sardegna prima del 25/7/43
- : Magg. Cabigliera Antonio - dal dicembre 1943

o Giustizia

- : Pintor Cav.Uff.Dr. Antonio
- : Pedroni

o Finanze

- : Doglio Coma.Dr. Vladimiro

o Agricoltura

- : Bandini Prof. Piero

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- : Dr. Butta Giuseppe

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REGION VI

Sheet 1.

Province of CAGLIARI Date 4 April / 1943

GENERAL NOTE: The following information is to be entered in the blank spaces :-

- (1) Honorary or professional title, e.g. "Cav. Bruno, Giovanni", "Avv. Bianche, Giuseppe".
- (2) Surname followed by christian names (if known, if unknown, the initials)
- (3) After (1) and (2) and on the right hand side of the line in every case the date of appointment to present position.
- (4) In cases a, b, c, and h(7)-(10) also state the rank or grade of the official immediately before his appointment to present position.
- (5) If any comments are necessary, mark the case in question "See Remarks" and enter under "remarks".

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIALS OF PREFECTURE

- a. Prefect Dr. Comm. MORRI FRANCESCO - 15 giugno 1943 (Grado IV)
(Prefetto) predecessor - Vice Prefetto (Grado V)
- b. Vice-Prefect Dr. Comm. PULA SALVATORE - 1 agosto 1943 (Grado VII)
(Vice-Prefetto "vicario") predecessor - Consigliere di I. classe (Grado VII)
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector Am. Comm. MACIOTTA LUDOVICO 15 aprile 1943
(Vice Prefetto Ispettore) Grado VI predecessor Consigliere di I. classe (Grado VII)
- d. Councilors (Consiglieri)
(Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade (Secondo Grado) after each name.)
 - (1) 2 classe (Grado VIII) Dr. COSSU ENZO (Grado VIII) 30/6/1943
predecessor - Segretario (Grado IX)
 - (2) 2 classe (Grado VIII) Cav. Dr. NANA MARIO 30/6/1943 predecessor
Segretario (Grado IX)
 - (3) 2 classe (Grado VIII) Dr. CASARETO PIACINO 24/4/1943 predecessor
Segretario (Grado IX)
 - (4)
 - (5)
 - (6)
- e. Secretaries (Segretari)
(Indicate whether First Secretary, Secretary, or under Secretary.

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- (5) If any comments are necessary, mark the case in question "See Remarks" and enter under "remarks".

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIALS OF PREFECTURE

- a. Prefect Dr. Comm. MOCCI PRINCESCO - 15 giugno 1943 (Grado IV)
(Prefetto) precedentemente - Vice Prefetto (Grado V)
- b. Vice-Prefect Dr. Comm. PULIA S. M. 1943 - 15 giugno 1947 (Grado VI)
(Vice-Prefetto "Vicario") precedentemente - Consigliere di P. 1943
(Grado VII)
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector Avv. Comm. M. 1943 - 15 aprile 1947
(Vice Prefetto Ispettore) Grado VI precedentemente Consigliere di P. 1
classe (Grado VII)
- d. Councilors (Consiglieri)
(Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade
(Secondo Grado) after each name.)
- (1) 2 classe (Grado VIII) Dr. Comm. IZIO (Grado VIII) 30/3/1942
precedentemente - Segretario (Grado IX)
- (2) 2 classe (Grado VIII) Cav. Dr. M. 30/3/1943 precedentemente
1 Segretario (Grado IX)
- (3) 2 classe (Grado VIII) Dr. Comm. P. 24/4/1943 precedentemente
1 Segretario (Grado IX)
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- e. Secretaries (Segretari)
(Indicate whether First Secretary, Secretary, or under Secretary,
after each name)
- (1) Vice Segretario (Grado VI) SALOMM. Dr. C. 22/3/1941
- (2) Vice Segretario (Grado VI) T. 16/11/1942 1213
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- f. Special Secretary
(Segretario Particolare)
- g. Questor Cav. Uff. Dr. GIOLA S. 1/7/1941 precedentemente
(Questore) Commissario Capo (Grado VIII)
- h. Heads of Prefectural Divisions or Officers:
- (1) Head Accountant Comm. M. 16/6/1943
(Ragioniere Capo)
- (2) Intendente of Finance Comm. Dr. S. 1/7/1943

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- (3) Provincial Health Officer Dr. NICOLA GIOVANNI (Grado IX)
(Medico Provinciale)
- (4) Provincial Veterinary Cav. UCC. DR. SORLAI GIUSEPPE (Grado VII)
(Veterinario Provinciale)
- (5) Director of Religious Affairs _____
(Direttore Ufficio Culti)
- (6) Head Archivist Cav. AMATO LUIGI (Grado IX) 16/3/1927
(~~Archivista~~) Capo

Other senior prefectural officers (List heads of any other divisions or offices, giving office held and name of officer in each case):

- (7) _____
- (8) Cav. REG. TODDE VINCENZO - Reg. Capo (Grado VII) 4/7/1940
- (9) _____
- (10) _____

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Province of SCITARI

Sheet 2.

Date 4/1/84

See general note (1), (2), (3), and (5) on sheet 1.

ADMINISTRATIVE BODIES OF PREFECTUREa. Giunta Provinciale AmministrativaTotal number 10 members, plus 4 alternates.

Officer members (with name of office held)

- (1) Avv. Comm. MARIANO ILLIORSO Vice Prefetto Isettore
- (2) Dr. COSSU IGINO Consigliere di Prefettura
- (3) Gav. Dr. NAVA MARIO - Consigliere di Prefettura
- (4) Comm. Rag. SALLA MARIO - Ragioniere Capo Prefettura
- (5) Comm. Dr. SCURRU GIOVANNI - Intendente di Finanze
- ~~(6)~~ altre di Prefetto Presidenza

Citizen members (with occupation)

- (7) Avv. MARIO GIUSTIZIA - Libero Professionista Legale
- (8) Avv. MAESTRO CARLO " " "
- (9) Avv. USAT PIETRO FRANCESCA " " "
- (10) Ing. PANTOLA LUIGI Industriale

Alternates ("Supplementi"):

- (11) Dr. CESAREO PIACIDO - Consigliere di Prefettura
- (12) Gav. Dr. COTTICELLA MARIO Direttore di Sezione Finanze
- (13) Avv. FRATELLI LUIGI - Libero Professionista Legale
- (14) SANTACRUZ ALFREDO - Proprietario e Industriale

b. Prefectural Council (Consiglio di Prefettura - with official position held):

- (1) Prefetto - Comm. Dr. MOCCHI FRANCESCO
- (2) Consigliere Dr. COSSU IGINO

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- (4) Comm. Dr. SODIRIU GIOVANNI - Intendente di Venezia
- (5) Comm. Dr. SODIRIU GIOVANNI - Intendente di Venezia
- (6) oltre il Prefetto Presidente
- (7) Avv. MUSIC GUSEPPE - Libero Professionista Legale
- (8) Avv. MASSUDA CARLO
- (9) Avv. USAT PITTAU FRACISCO
- (10) Ing. MANIOLA INUIR Industriale

Citizen members (with occupation)

Alternates ("supplementi"):

- (11) Dr. CESAREO PIACIDO - Consigliere di Prefettura
- (12) Cav. Dr. SOTTICIA MANLIO Direttore di Pagine Gialle
- (13) Avv. TRAV. SODIRIU INUIR Libero Professionista Legale
- (14) SANTACRUZ ALFREDO - Proprietario e industriale

b. Prefectural Council (Consiglio di Prefettura - with official position held):

- (1) Prefetto - Comm. Dr. MOZZI FRACISCO
- (2) Consigliere Dr. COSSU IGINO
- (3) Consigliere Cav. Dr. MANIOLA INUIR

c. Cabinet (Cabinetto) (Excluding Prefect, State official position):

- (1) Cav. Reg. CANAS DAVIDIO - Capo di Gabinetto - 1. Regione (Grado IV)
- (2) Cav. Uff. CANTUO FRACISCO - Segretario (Grado IV) Archivista Capo
- (3) PARRA ROBERTO - Archivista (Grado XI)

- (4) 1211
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- (7)
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Province of CACHOBI

Sheet 3.

Date 4/ April 1944

See General Note (1), (2), (3), and (5) on Sheet 1.

PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION

a. President and Head of Provincial Administration (Presidente, o Capo dell'Amministrazione Provinciale)

(1) Don. ANTONIO RIVERA - Comissario Provinciale 4/11/1943

b. Vice Presidents (Vice-Presidenti):

(1) ING. CAO PINNA OTTAVIO - Vice Comissario Provinciale 10/12/1943

(2) Dr. ROBERTO RIVERA - Vice Comissario Provinciale 10/10/1943

c. Provincial Deputation (Deputazione Provinciale)

Total number (including President): _____ members, plus
_____ alternates.

(Give full name and occupation of each member):

- (1) _____
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- (7) _____
- (8) _____
- (9) _____
- (10) _____
- (11) _____
- (12) _____

Alternates ("Supplementi")

- (1) INA. CAO. PIMA. OTHAYMO. - Vice Comandante Prefectura 10/12/1942
 (2) DR. BORRERO RUIZ. - Vice Comandante Prefectura 10/12/1942

c. Provincial Deputation (Deputacion Provincial)

Total number (including President): _____ members, plus
 _____ alternates.

(Give full name and occupation of each member):

- (1) _____
 (2) _____
 (3) _____
 (4) _____
 (5) _____
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 (7) _____
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Alternates ("Suplementi")

- (13) _____
 (14) _____
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Sheet 4

Province of CAGLIARI Date 4 April 1944

Note: (1) See General Note (i), (ii), (iii), and (v) on Sheet 1.
(ii) In each case state whether the Mayor is styled "Podesta", "Sindaco", or "Commissario Prefettizio".
(iii) The present population figures should be obtained from the Segretario.

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES

(Include provincial capital and each commune having a population of 15,000 or over as of 1936 census)

a. Commune of CAGLIARI Population (1936) _____

Present estimated population _____

- (1) Mayor (and his occupation) Comm. avv. Deusi' Delinard Gavino
Commissario Prefettizio 13/11/1943
- (2) Vice-Mayor (Vice-Sindaco or Vice-Podesta)
- (a) Ing. ZOCCHEDDU OTTO - Vice-Commissario Prefettizio 10/11/1943
- (b) AVV. COCCO ORTU FRANCESCO " " 18/11/1943
- (3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Segretario Comunale):
- (a) Comm. Dr. SAURUS FRANCESCO - Segretario Generale

b. Commune of IGLESIAS Population (1936) _____

Present estimated population _____

- (1) Mayor Ferdinando MIGNON CARLO - Commissario Prefettizio
21/10/1943
- (2) Vice-Mayor:
- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk:
- (a) CONCINI BATTISTINO - Vice-Segretario Comunale

(include provincial capital and each commune having a population of 15,000 or over as of 1936 census)

- a. Commune of CANTIERI Population (1936) _____
- Present estimated population _____
- (1) Mayor (and his occupation) Comm. AVV. BESSA' DELINARI Gavino
- (2) Vice-Mayor (Vice-Sindaco or Vice-Polesta) Commissario Prefettizio 13/11/1943
- (a) ING. ZOCCHETTI NINO - Vice Commissario Prefettizio 13/11/1943
- (b) AVV. COCCO ORTU FRANCESCO " " 13/11/1943
- (3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Segretario Comunale):
- (a) Comm. DR. SANTEI FRANCESCO - Segretario Generale
- b. Commune of ICLIZIAS Population (1936) _____
- Present estimated population _____
- (1) Mayor Favito Minerario ICLIZI CALIO - Commissario Prefettizio 21/10/1943
- (2) Vice-Mayor:
- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk:
- (a) CONCEP. BATTISTINO - Vice Segretario Rappresentante
- c. Commune of OLISTANO Population (1936) 1209
- Present estimated population _____
- (1) Mayor ING. GAVA DAVIDE - Commissario Prefettizio 27/11/1943
- (2) Vice-Mayor:
- (a) ICETRANO MINICO - Vice Commissario 13/13/1943
- (b) _____
- (3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk:
- (a) CAV. DR. BEVIA FORTINO - Segretario Caon.

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Province of _____ Date _____

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OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES (continued)

d. Commune of _____ Population (1936) _____

Present estimated population _____

(1) Mayor: _____

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk: _____

(a) _____

e. Commune of _____ Population (1936) _____

Present estimated population _____

(1) Mayor: _____

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk: _____

(a) _____

f. Commune of _____ Population (1936) _____

Present estimated population _____

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(1) Mayor: _____

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk: _____

(a) _____

e. Commune of _____ Population (1936) _____

Present estimated population _____

(1) Mayor: _____

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk: _____

(a) _____

f. Commune of _____ Population (1936) _____

Present estimated population _____

(1) Mayor: _____

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk: _____

(a) _____

NOTE: If particulars for further Communes are necessary, they should be written on additional sheets, as above, and attached to this pro-forma.

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Province of _____ Date _____

Note: (1) See General Note (1), (2), (3) and (5) on Sheet 1.

(11) In each case state whether the Mayor is styled "Podesta", "Sindaco" or "Commissario Prefetizio".

(111) The present population figures should be obtained from the Segretario where possible.

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES

(Include provincial capital and each commune having a population of 15,000 or over, as of 1936 census)

a. Comune of _____ Population 1936 _____

Present estimated population _____

(1) Mayor (and his occupation) _____

(2) Vice-Mayor (Vice-Sindaco or Vice-Podesta) _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Segretario Comunale):

(a) _____

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Region VI

Sheet 1.

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(2) Surname followed by christian names (if known, if unknown, the initials)

(3) After (1) and (2) and on the right hand side of the line in every case the date of appointment to present position.

(4) In cases a, b, c, and d(7)-(10) also state the rank or grade of the official immediately before his appointment to present position.

(5) If any comments are necessary, mark the same in question "See Remarks" and enter under "Remarks".

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIALS OF PREFECTURE

- a. Prefect Comm. Dott. Ottaviano, Vincenzo 16 June 1943
(Prefetto Vice Prefectat Home Ministry)
- b. Vice-Prefect ^{10th April 1944} ~~Don. Pizzurro~~ ^{4th June 1943} ~~Don. Pizzurro~~ ^{OVIDIO}
(Vice Prefetto Vigario Vice Prefect Inspector Sassari)
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector Vacant
(Vice Prefetto Ispettore)
- d. Councilors (Consiglieri)
(Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade (Secondo Grado) after each name.)
- (1) Vacant First Grade
- (2) Cav. Dott. Princivalle, Senio II Grade 15th August 1944
- (3)
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of the official immediately before his appointment to present position.
(5) If any comments are necessary, add the name in question "see below" and enter under "Remarks".

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISIONS OF PREFECTURE

- a. Prefect Comm. Dott. Ottaviano, Vincenzo 16 June 1943
(Prefect Vice Prefectat Home Ministry
PITZURRA OVIDIO
10th April 1944
4th June 1944)
- b. Vice-Prefect ~~Comm. Dott. Pietro~~ Vice Prefect Inspector Cassari
(Vice Prefect ~~Vicario~~)
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector Vacant
(Vice Prefect Inspector)
- d. Councillors (Consiglieri)
(Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade (Secondo Grado) after each name.)
 - (1) Vacant First Grade
 - (2) Cav. Dott. Princivalle, Senio II Grade 15th August 1944
 - (3)
 - (4)
 - (5)
 - (6)

- e. Secretaries (Segretari)
(Indicate whether First Secretary, Secretary, or Under Secretary, after each name)
 - (1) Dott. Sarullo, Salvatore 1st Sec. 4th July 1940
 - (2) Dott. Giagu, Giovanni 1st Sec. 1st May 1941
 - (3) Dott. Mugoni, Pietro 1st Sec. 9th Nov. 1943
 - (4) Secretary - Vacant 1257
 - (5) Dott. Cossu, Giovanni Vice Sec. 15th March 1941
 - (6) Dott. Giagu, Pietro Vice Sec. 1st Nov. 1943

- f. Special Secretary
(Segretario Particolare)
Sig. PISO
1st April 1944
SA/ ~~Comm. PISO~~ Temporarily Vacant 20th July 1944
(Secretary)

- h. Heads of Prefectural Divisions or Offices:
INSPECTOR OF
(1) Head Accountants Comm. Rag. Campus, Pietro 21st June 1937
(1a) HEAD ACCOUNTANT (RAGIONIERE CAPO) Cav. Uff. CASTELLANI Salvatore 7th April 1944
(2) Intendente of Finance Dott. Cav. Mura, Ferdinando Jan. 1944

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- (3) Provincial Health Officer Dott. Canalis, Antonio 14th Nov. 1941
(Medico Provinciale)
- (4) Provincial Veterinary Dott. Panichi, Giotto 23rd Aug. 1938
(Veterinario Provinciale)
- (5) Director of Religious Affairs Sq. SARULLA Salvatore 15th Aug. 1942
(Direttore Ufficio Culto) Cav. Dott. Principevalle, Senio
1st April 1944
- (6) Head Archivist Cav. Congiattu, Ludovico 16th Dec. 1940
(Trinco Archivista)

Other senior prefectural officers (list heads of any other divisions or offices, giving office held and name of officer in each case):

- (7) _____
- (8) _____
- (9) _____
- (10) _____

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Province of _____ Date _____
See General note (1), (2), (3), and (5) on sheet 1.
ADMINISTRATIVE BODIES OF PREFECTURE
a. Giunta Provinciale Amministrativa
Total number 9 members, plus 5 alternates.
Officer members (with name of office held)
(1) Comm. Dott. Ottaviano, Vincenzo Prefect 16th June 1943
(2) Comm. Dott. Iedo, Pietro Vice Prefect 4th June 1943
(3) Cav. Dott. Princivalle, Senio Councilor of Prefettura
(4) Dott. Sarullo, Salvatore " " " 4th July 44
(5) Cav. ^{UFF. CASTELLANI} Franco, Ferdinando Head Accountant of Prefettura
(6) Cav. Dott. Mura, Fernando Intendente of Finance Jan. 1944

Citizen members (with occupation)
(7) Avv. Spanedda, Francesco Lawyer
(8) Avv. Falchi, Battista "
(9) Avv. Fine, Ausonio "
(10) Dott. Cottoni, Francesco "

Alternates ("supplementi"):
(11) Appointment Pending
(12) "

b. Prefectural Council (Consiglio di Prefettura - with official position held):
(1) Prefect, President
(2) Cav. Dott. Princivalle, Senio Councilor of Prefettura
(3) Dott. Sarullo, Salvatore " " "

c. Cabinet (Gabinetto) (Excluding Prefect. State official posi-

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- Dott. Ottaviano, Vincenzo Prefect 16th June 1943
- (2) Comm. Dott. Lado, Pietro Vice Prefect 4th June 1943
- (3) Cav. Dott. Princivalle, Serio Councilor of Prefettura
- (4) Dott. Sarullo, Salvatore " " " 4th July 44
- (5) Cav. ^{UFF. CASTELLANI} ~~Asf. Fieno, Ferdinando~~ Head Accountant of Prefettura
- (6) Cav. Dott. Mura, Fernando Intendente of Finance Jan. 1944

Citizen members (with occupation)

- (7) Avv. Spanedda, Francesco Lawyer
- (8) Avv. Falchi, Battista "
- (9) Avv. Fine, Ausonio "
- (10) Dott. Cottoni, Francesco "

Alternates ("Supplementi"):

- (11) Appointment Pending
- (12) " "

b. Prefectural Council (Consiglio di Prefettura - with official position held):

- (1) Prefect, President
- (2) Cav. Dott. Princivalle, Serio Councilor of Prefettura
- (3) Dott. Sarullo, Salvatore " " "

c. Cabinet (Gabinetto) (Excluding Prefect. State official position):

- (1) Cav. ^{PRINCIVALLE} ~~Uff. Castellani~~, Salvatore ^{Temporary} Chief of Cabinet.
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____ ¹²⁰⁵
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- (7) _____
- (8) _____

Sheet 3.

Province of _____ Date _____
 See General Note (1), (2), (3), and (5) on sheet 1.

PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION

a; President and Head of Provincial Administration (Presidente, e Capo dell'Amministrazione Provinciale)

(1) Ing. Mannuzza, Bruno Commissario Prefettizio 11th Aug. 43

b. Vice Presidents (Vici-Presidenti):

(1) _____
 (2) _____

c. Provincial Diputation (Deputazione Provinciale)

Total number (including President): _____ members, plus
 _____ alternates.

(Give full name and occupation of each member):

(1) _____
 (2) For the Provincial Administration. No Provincial
diputation exists, as this Administration is held by
a Commissario Prefettizio
 (3) _____
 (4) _____
 (5) _____
 (6) _____
 (7) _____
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Alternates ("Supplementi")

(13) _____
 (14) _____
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Sheet 4.

Province of _____ Date _____

Note: (1) See General Note (1), (2), (3) and (5) on Sheet 1.

(11) In each case state whether the Mayor is styled "Podesta", "Sindaco" or Commissario Prefettizio.

(111) The present population figures should be obtained from the Segretario where possible.

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES

(Include provincial capital and each comune having a population of 15,000 or over, as of 1936 census)

a. Comune of SASSARI population 1936 55,373

Present estimated population 63,600

(1) Mayor Commissario Prefettizio

(2) Vice-Mayor Commissario Prefettizio (Podesta) 1943

(a) Ing. Coda, Giuseppe Engineer 14th Oct. 1943

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Segretario Comunale):

(a) Cav. Uff. Dott. De Fraja, Alfredo 26th Oct. 1923

	1936	1944
SASSARI	55,373	63,600
ALGHERO	15,998	19,026
TEMPIO	16,160	18,600
OLBIA	11,222	13,780
LA MADDALENA	10,968	10,032
OZIERI	9,893	11,110

a. Comune of SASSARI population 1936 55,373

Present estimated population 62,500

- (1) Mayor Commisario Prefettizio
(and his occupation) Avv. Devilla, Ignazio-Lawyer (Sept 1943)
- (2) Vice-Vice Commissario Prefettizio (Podestà)

(a) Ing. Ceca, Giuseppe Engineer 14th Oct. 1943

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Segretario Comunale):
Capo

(a) Cap. Uff. Dott. De Traja, Alfredo 26th Oct. 1936

1936 1944

SASSARI	55,373	63,600
ALCHERO	15,998	19,026
TEMPIO	16,160	18,600
OLBIA	11,222	13,780
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Sheet 5.

Province of _____ Date _____

Note: (1) See General Note (1), (2), (3) and (5) on sheet 1.

(11) In each case state whether the Mayor is styled "Podestà", "Sindaco" or Commissario Prefettizio."

(111) The present population figures should be obtained from the Segretario where possible.

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES

(Include provincial capital and each commune having a population of 15,000 or over, as of 1936 census)

a. Commune of TEMPIO population 1936 12,100Present estimated population 18,600(1) Mayor Commissario Prefettizio Col. Anfossi, Giuseppe Podestà 15th Nov. 1943

(2) Vice-Mayor (Vice-Sindaco or Vice Podestà)

(a) None

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario capo) _____

(a) Caru Carta, Gavino Oct. 1939

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Sheet 6.

Province of _____ Date _____

Note: (1) See General Note (1), (2), (3) and (5) on Sheet 1.

(11) In each case state whether the Mayor is styled "Podestà", "Sindaco" or Commissario Prefettizio."

(111) The present population figures should be obtained from the Segretario where possible.

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES

(Include provincial capital and each commune having a population of 15,000 or over, as of 1936 census)

a. Commune of ALGERO population 1936 15,998

Present estimated population 19,026

(1) Mayor (Commissario Prefettizio and his occupation) _____
Liperi, Gavino Podestà 15th Dec. 1943

(2) Vice-Mayor (Vice Commiss. Prefettizio
Vice-Sindaco or Vice-Podestà) _____

(a) None

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario Capo) _____

(a) Giau. Salvatore Jan. 1944

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REGION VI

Sheet 1.

Province of N u o r o Date 26 March, 1944

GENERAL NOTE: The following information is to be entered in the blank spaces :-

- 1) Honorary or professional title, e.g. "Cav. Bruno, Giovanni", "Avv. Bieneche, Giuseppe".
- 2) Surname followed by christian names (if known, if unknown, the initials)
- 3) After (1) and (2) and on the right hand side of the line in every case the date of appointment to present position.
- 4) In cases a, b, c, and h(7)-(17) else state the rank or grade of the official immediately before his appointment to present position.
- 5) If any comments are necessary, mark the case in question "See Remarks" and enter under "Remarks".

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIALS OF PREFECTURE

- a. Prefect (Prefetto) Comm. Dottor MAITANA Simone. Prefect regent from 31-12-1943. Prior to Prefect regency administered functions of Vice Prefect "Vicario" entered service 6-9-1924.
- b. Vice-Prefect (Vice-Prefetto "Vicario") Comm. Dottor Mucillocco Isidoro in charge of function of "Vicario" from 31-12-1943. Started his career 25-7-1905
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector (Vice Prefetto Ispettore)
- d. Councilors (Consiglieri) (Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade (Secondo Grado) after each name.
- 1) Dottor Flagiello Giorgio, Counsellor II Class from 30-6-1942 Entered service 26-9-32
- 2) Dottor Emilio Ruggeri. First Secretary from 4-7-1940 in charge of Councilor functions of "Ministero dell'Interno" from 26-11-1940. Entered service 5-12-1935
- 3)
- 4)

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIALS OF PREFECTURE

- a. Prefect (Prefetto) Comm. Dottor MAITANA Simone. Prefect regent from 31-12-1943. Prior to Prefect regency administered functions of Vice Prefect "Vicario" entered service 5-9-1924.
- b. Vice-Prefect (Vice-Prefetto "Vicario") of function of "Vicario" from 31-12-1943 started his career 25-7-1905 Comm. Dottor Merliccio Isidoro in charge
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector (Vice Prefetto Ispettore)
- d. Councilors (Consiglieri) (Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade (Secondo Grado) after each name.)
- 1) Dottor Flagiello Giorgio, Councilor II^a Class from 30-6-1942 Entered service 26-9-32
- 2) Dottor Ezidio Ruggeri, First Secretary from 4-7-1940 in charge of Councilor functions of "Ministero dell'Interno" from 26-11-1940. Entered service 5-12-1935
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____
- 6) _____
- e. Secretaries (Segretari) (Indicate whether First Secretary, Secretary, or under Secretary, after each name)
- 1) Dottor Musillo Donato First Secretary from 1-11-1932. f.d. 1939 Service 15-6-1939.
- 2) Dottor Cantone Alfonso Vice Secretary from 1-11-1942.
- 3) Dottor Corone Giovanni Vice Secretary from 1-5-1943.
- 4) _____
- 5) _____
- 6) _____
- f. Special Secretary (Segretario particolare)
- g. Questor (Questore) Dottor Selvatore Gugliardo "Commissario Capo" from 1-4-43, Questura regent from 15-9-1943. Entered service 1-29-1920.

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4. Heads of Prefectural Divisions or Officers:

- 1) Head Accountant Cav. Reg. Squinzu Enrico head accountant (Reg. Capo) IV^a Class from 4-7-1940 entered service 16-1-1913
 - 2) Intendente of Finance Cav. Dottor Deglio Vladimiro. In not part of "Prefettura" personnel.
 - 3) Provincial Health Officer Dottor Cecchi Francesco. First (Medico Provinciale) class from 1-10-1941. Started his career 14-9-1938
 - 4) Provincial Veterinary Dottor Carlo Litterio IV^a Class (Veterinario Provinciale) from 18-7-1939
 - 5) Director of Religious Affairs (Direttore Ufficio Culti)
 - 6) Head Archivist Cav. Mosia Antonio from 4-7-1940. (Primo Archivista) Started career 24-10-1912
- Other senior prefectural officers (list heads of any other divisions or officers, giving office held and name of official in each case):
- 7) Cav. Giovanni Frontello - Head Reg. IV^a class. Entered Service 5-7-1925 came from prefect in Cagliari to assist in payment of military benefits & allowances.
 - 8) Reg. Angelo Veneziano, Vice Reg. (in charge) I^a & III^a class Economy Division. Entered Service 30-3-1941.

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Sheet 2.

Province of M u o r o Date 25 March, 1944

See general note (1), (2), (3), and (5) on sheet 1.

ADMINISTRATIVE BODIES OF PREFECTUREa. Giunta Provinciale AmministrativaTotal number 6 members, plus 1 alternates.

Officer members (with name of office held)

- 1) Comm. Dottor Neltane Simone Prefect Regent, President or in event of absence, sick ness, etc. see 2 below.
- 2) Comm. Dottor Magliocco Isidoro, Vice Prefect.
- 3) Dottor Flagiello Giorgio. Councilor IInd class.
- 4) Dottor Ruggieri Emidio. Councilor
- 5) Cav. Squinza Enrico. Head Reg. IInd class
- 6) Reg. Veneziano Angelo - Secretary

b. Citizen members (with occupation)

- 7) Cav. Urf. Doglio Vladimir. Intendente of Finance
- 8) _____
- 9) _____
- 10) _____

Alternates ("Supplementi"):

- 11) Cav. Reg. Tocco Giuseppe Director of Ragioneria, Intendenza of Finance.

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Officer members (with name of office held)

- 1) Comm. Dottor Naitana Simone Prefect Regent, President or in event of absence, sick ness, etc. see 2 below.
- 2) Comm. Dottor Magliocco Isidoro, Vice Prefect.
- 3) Dottor Flaggiello Giorgio. Councillor 11th class.
- 4) Dottor Ruggieri Emilio. Councillor
- 5) Cav. Squinza Enrico. Head Reg. 11th class
- 6) Reg. Veneziano Angelo - Secretary

b. Citizen members (with occupation)

- 7) Cav. Uff. Doglio Vladimir. Intendente of Finance
- 8) _____
- 9) _____
- 10) _____

Alternates ("Supplementi"):

- 11) Cav. Reg. Tocco Giuseppe Director of Regionaria, Intendenza of Finance.
- 12) _____

b. Prefectural Council (Consiglio di Prefettura - with official position held):

- 1) Comm. Dottor Naitana Simone Prefect Regent President or in event of absence, sickness, etc. see 2 below
- 2) Dottor Magliocco Isidoro, Vice Prefect
- 3) Dottor Flaggiello Giorgio Councillor 1st class
- 4) Dottor Ruggieri Emilio. Prefect Councillor

c. Cabinet (Gabinetto) (Excluding Prefect. State official position):

- 1) Dottor Ruggieri Emilio Head of Cabinet from 31-12-1943. 1198 Prefect council
- 2) Dottor Cantone Alfonso Cabinet Secretary from 31-12-1943 Vice secretary of Prefettura. .
- 3) Cav. Onais Luigi - Archivist from 1-1-1926
- 4) Cappel Antonietta, typist from Provincial Council of Economy from 1935.
- 5) Sanna Luigina, typist, from 20-9-1939
- 6) Puddu Antonietta, typist, from 1-2-1941 from Provincial Administration Office

7) _____
8) _____

Sheet 1.

Province of N u o r o Date 26 March, 1944

See General Note (1), (2), (3), and (5) on Sheet 1.

PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION

a. President and Head of Provincial Administration (Presidente, e Capo dell'Amministrazione Provinciale)

1) Avv. Puligheddu Sebastiano - Commissario Prefettizio
from 24-10-1943

b. Vice Presidents (Vice-Presidenti):

1) _____

2) _____

c. Provincial Deputation (Deputazione Provinciale)

Total number (including President): == members, plus

== alternates.

(Give full name and occupation of each member):

1) _____

2) _____

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b. Vice Presidents (Vici-Presidenti):

- 1) _____
- 2) _____

c. Provincial Deputation (Deputazione Provinciale)

Total number (including President): == _____ members, plus

== _____ alternates.

(Give full name and occupation of each member):

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
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- 9) _____
- 10) _____
- 11) _____
- 12) _____

Alternates ("Supplementi")

- 13) _____
- 14) _____
- 15) _____

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Sheet 4.

Province of N u o r o Date 26 March, 1944

Note: (1) See General Note (1), (2), (3), and (5) on Sheet 1.
(11) In each case state whether the Mayor is styled "Proeseta"
"Sindaco" or "Comissionario Prefettizio".
(111) The present population figures should be obtained from
the Segretario where possible.

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES

(Include provincial capital and each commune having a population
of 15,000 or over, as of 1936 census)

- a. Commune of N u o r o population 1936 11459
Present estimated population 13471
- 1) Mayor (and his occupation) Dottor Ruffieri Indio Comissario
Prefettizio from 10-3-1944. Prefetto Onorati
- 2) Vice-Mayor (Vice-Sindaco or Vice-Prefetto)
a) _____
b) _____
- 3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Sindaco)
e) Dottor Ruffieri Indio - Head Secretary Prefettizio - from
1-4-1941 Entered Service 1-1-1925.

of 15,000,575 (grossed 3,613,448) in 1966 (grossed 3,613,448) in 1966.

a. Culture of W. o. v. c. population 1936 11459

Present estimated population 13473

1) Mayor (and his occupation) Doctor Hugsteter, Radio Committee
Proletariat from 10-3-1944. Proletariat Council

2) Vice-mayor (Vice-Chancellor or Vice-Chancellor)
a) _____
b) _____

3) Communal Secretary (Cagrebatorin) or Town Clerk (Cagrebatorin) (Commune):

(b) Doctor David Filipe - Had secondary in 1964 -
1964-4-1 Entered Service 1-1-1965.

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HIGH COMMISSIONER

Generale di Squadra Aerea Pietro Pinna

Civil Affairs: Ten.Colonnello Avv. Rafaele

.....
Interior and Legal Affairs,
Public Safety and Education.

Finanze

Industria Commercio
e Miniere

Capitano A. Maxia

Magg S.Marcello

Magg. M. Pirola

Tenente C. De Magistris

Cap. P. Soggiu

Capitano G. Maccarrone

Cap. L. Contivecchi

2/Lt Della Santa

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HIGH COMMISSIONER

Generale di Squadra Aerea Pietro Pinna

Civil Affairs: Ten.Colonnello Avv. Raffaele Sanna

Military Affairs

Co-ordination of Army, Navy
and Air Force
Col. PEZZI, Lt Col PARENTI,
Capt. ODDONE

Finanze

Industria Commercio
e Miniere

Agricoltura e
Alimentazione

Transporti

Magg S.Marcello

Magg. M. Pirola

Capitano M. Gramolini

Cap.S.Marcialis

Cap. P. Soggiu

Cap. L. Contivecchi

2/Lt Delli Santa

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DE - BOLIVIA/ANTONIO - CASIARI MV.

List of the discriminated according to the law of R.D.I. 24/12/2015

(1)

NAME	POSITION NOW HELD
ANTONIO Antonio	Impiegato Servizio Commerciale
CASARI Dr. Antonio	Medico condotto di Tulla
CASARI Giuseppe	Impiegato Banco d'Italia
CASARI Luigi	Impiegato Banco d'Italia
CASARI Alvaro	Assiste. Istruttoria Amministrazione Prov. 12
PISANO Dr. Antonio	Farmacista Ospedale di Rimini
PUNTONI Dr. Benvenuto	Medico Condottorio C.V.M.I. di Pavia
REVA Dr. Giovanni	Amministrazione Provinciale
SIRCHI Dr. Michele	Direttore Ufficio Prov. 12 di Pavia
SEVERI Dr. Francesco	Medico Condottorio di AS Santa
SCRO TORRATO	Impiegato Banco d'Italia
TODIA Dr. Emilio	Medico condotto di Sesto
TODIA Francesco	Assistente Sanitario Prov. 12 di Pavia
ZENTONE Dr. Vittorio Hugo	Veterinario Concessionario Municipale

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(1) The above persons have not yet actually been discriminated. Their cases are under consideration.

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SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF PERSONS DISCLOSED ON ACCOUNT OF FASCIST CONNECTIONS
IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW OF 25 SEPTEMBER 1945 CONCERNING THE ICI.

NAME
BASSANO Riccardo
CARRA Giovanni
CHIESA Dr. Salvatore

CROVATO Pietro
DELUCA ANTONIO

DEBORTI Luigi

FALCHI AVV. Gavino

GENNARI ANTONIO

GERVASINI PIO Maria

GIANNOTTI RAG. Francesco
LOY DR. Paolo

MAROLA RAG. Costantino
MURCIA PROF. Antonio
NIEBU DAVIDE

PACQUINI DR. FERRUCCIO

PINNA SPADA Dr. Antonio
PINTUS PIZZI Dr. Luigi

PIRAS ENLIO

PIREN ANTONIO

POSITION NOW HELD

Immagato Periplo Complementari
Immagato Cassa Malattie Lavoratori del Soc.
Cassa Ufficio Affari Generali dell'Ufficio
Prov. di Cagliari Istituto Nazionale
per l'Assistenza di malattie del lavoro.
Immagato alla Banca di Credito Italiano
Cassa Sezione Cassa Mutua Malattie Ind. le di
Quarta San'Elia.

Immagato Miniere 3a Duchessa - Gruppo A.M.M.I

Delegato per la Sede di Telesio dell'Unione
Lavoratori dell'Industria

Comandante del Vigili Urbani del Comune di
Cagliari

Addetto al Dipartimento Provinciale di Cagliari

Immagato Unione Commercianti di Cagliari
Direttore Sanitario incaricato dell' Ospedale
Civile di Cagliari.

Immagato Consorzio Agrario Prov. di Cagliari
Direttore Laboratorio Micrografico di Cagliari
Cassa Segreteria Centro Provinciale Gioventù
Italiana.

Medico Consulente C.M.M.I. e Consorzio Ammi-
nistrazione Provinciale.

Direttore Consorzio Agrario Provinciale
Comandante Gruppo Squadre della M.F.A. di
Innesse.

Economista dell'Ufficio Provinciale di Cagliari
dell'Istituto Nazionale per l'Assistenza di
Malattie del lavoro.

Cassa contabile dell'Ufficio Prov. di Cagliari

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Impegnato Unione Cooperatori di Puglia
Direttore Ambascio incaricato dell'ospedale
Civile di Bari.

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1. *Comptrol O. M. H., a Comptrol M. H.*

1. The first step is to identify the problem or goal. This involves understanding the current situation and what you want to achieve.

zione dell'Ufficio Provinciale di Cavalieri
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Mezzogiorno del Lavoro.

Millette, C.R., L'Uffizio Prov. di Cagliari
Cagliari, Contabilità Isili, Ufficio Prov. di Cagliari
Cagliari, Istituto Nazionale Assistenza Malattia
di Lavoro.

di Leonardo,
 la Camera Capitale Parlamentare - amministrata -
 zione Provinciale
 Procuratore del Banco di Roma - Sede di Ca-
 - iari.

destinato a disposizione dell'Unione Prov.
di Napoli. (Provincia).

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**Dell'Agricoltura e Foreste:
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Dell'Istituto Naz. Assistenza Malattia ai
Renditori del**

Medico Comandato di Ales
 Medico Incaricato Consorzio Prov. Antitubercolo-
 se di Oristano
 Direttore del Convalescenziato Agiolo 11/9/23 da 522
 deana dell'Ist. Naz. Infortuni sul lavoro
 Incaricato Comune di Muravera.

新編臺灣通志

Robert L. Taylor

PALOFF, ARV. Sav. two.

CONCLUSIONS

CHRYSLER PTO UNIT

STANFORDI RAG. PROFESSO
LOW DR. PAOLO

MARTIN RUD. COLLINS
 IRENE FINE-ATON
 WEDDIE GAYLE

P. S. CHITTIL D.: FARMACOLOGICO

PINHA SPADA Dr. Antonio
PINYUS TAZZI Dr. Luigi

PUTTING IT TO

PTR: Antonio

PILL CIVILIZATION

REPORT DATE

SAY A DR. PAOLA

CLIMATE CHANGE

504 MC RAE, J. JONES AND

SCARLA DR. SILVESTRO,
TORINIA DR. RAFFAELA
TURNO AVV. GIOVANNI

VACCATION

R. PREFETTURA DI SASSARI

ELENCO DEGLI IMPIEGATI DISPENSATI DAL SERVIZIO IN BASE AL R.D.L. 22/12/1943
SULLA DEFASCISTIZZAZIONE.-

COGNOME E NOME	UFFICIO DA CUI DIPENDE	DATA DEL PROV- VEDIMENTO DI DISPENSA
Dr. ANTONIO MEDAS	Direttore Generale Istituto di Credito Agrario per la Sardegna	21/3/1944
Cav. CINGOLANI BONIFAZI Guglielmo	Segretario Provinciale Unione Lavoratori Agricoltura	21/3/1944
Dr. GEROLAMO CORDA	1.Segretario Banca d'Italia	21/3/1944
Rag. LUIGI BRANCA	1.Segretario Banca d'Italia	21/3/1944
Sig. DANTE PRATESI	Impiegato Banca d'Italia	21/3/1944
Sig. RAFFO LUIGI	Impiegato Consorzio Agrario Prov.	21/3/1944
Dr. GINO SATTA	Direttore Unione Commerciali	21/3/1944
Sig. FRANCESCO CAPITTA	Segretario Unione Commerciali	21/3/1944
Sig. AZZENA PEPPINO	Impiegato Unione Commerciali	21/3/1944
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Dr. GEROLAMO CORDA	1. Segretario Banca d'Italia	21/3/1944
Rag. LUIGI BRANCA	1. Segretario Banca d'Italia	21/3/1944
Sig. DANTE PRATESI	Impiegato Banca d'Italia	21/3/1944
Sig. RAFFO LUIGI	Impiegato Consorzio Agrario Prov.	21/3/1944
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Rag. FRANCESCO SCANO	V. Direttore Unione Provinciale Ind.	21/3/1944
Sig. MARONGIU ANTONIO INNOCENZO	Impiegato Unione Provinciale La- voratori Agricoltura	21/3/1944
Rag. RATTU GAETANO	Cassiere Banco di Napoli	21/3/1944
Dr. FRANCESCO SINI	Medico condotto Tula	21/3/1944
Dr. EMANUELE TOLA	Impiegato Consiglio Provinciale Economia	21/3/1944

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Dr. GIUSEPPE PISANO	Impiegato Istituto di Credito Agrario per la Sardegna	21/3/1944
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Dr. GUIDO POBEGA	Veterinario Comunale di Mores	29/3/1944
Sig. MARREDDA CESARE AUGUSTO	Impiegato Comune di Mores	29/3/1944
Sig. TUSACCIU PIETRINO	Impiegato Comune di Calangia	21/4/1944
Sig. CICU OVIDIO	Impiegato Consiglio Provinciale dell'Economia	21/4/1944
Sig. AUGUSTO FARINELLI	Impiegato Ente Sardo Colonizzazione Alghero	21/4/1944
Sig. MANCA GIUSEPPE	Impiegato Comune di Osilo	21/4/1944
Sig. TOSI NAPOLEONE	Impiegato Ente Sardo Colonizzazione Alghero	provvedimento in corso
Sig. FERRARESI GALEAZZO	Impiegato Ente Sardo Colonizzazione Alghero	provvedimento in corso
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La Commissione per la defascistizzazione ha dichiarato i seguenti impiegati, ai sensi dello articolo 4, lettera a) e b) del R.D.L. 28/12/1943 n.29/B:

Dr. GIACOMO COBELLI	dipendente della Cassa Mutua Malattia
Sig. NIEDDU ANGELO	dipendente della Banca d'Italia
Dr. LEONI NICOLÒ	dipendente del Comune di Tissi
Sig. PORCU STEFANO	dipendente del Comune di Budduso

Ha inoltre parere favorevole per la discriminazione, ai sensi della lettera e) del citato articolo, per i seguenti impiegati:

Dr. ANTONIO MURTINU	dipendente del Comune di Pattada
Prof. ANDREA CONTI	dipendente dell'Ospedale Civile di Sassari.-

Resta da esaminare la situazione di n.52 impiegati, per i quali è in corso l'Istruttoria.-

La Commissione si riunisce settimanalmente.-

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AGIA PREFETTURA DI NUORO

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Nuoro, 14 24 Aprile 1944

No. 299 Prot. Div/Gab.

OGGETTO: Attivita' svolta dalla Commissione Provinciale per la defascistizzazione

ALLA On. COMMISSIONE PROVINCIALE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO PER LA PROVINCIA DI

NUORO

In riferimento a richiesta verbale di cotesta On/le Commissione, comunicarsi i seguenti dati circa la attivita' svolta nel decorso mese, da questa Commissione Provinciale per la defascistizzazione:

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| 1 - Denunce esaminate | No. | 17 |
| 2 - Impiegati proposti per il provvedimento di dispensa dal servizio ai sensi dell'Art.7 del R.D.L. 28 Dicembre 1943 n.29/B : | No. | 11 |
| 3 - Impiegati discriminati ai sensi dell'Art.4 del R.D.L. succitato. | --- | |
| 4 - Sospensioni del giudizio | per ulteriori accertamenti No.: | 1 |
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	in attesa riscontro a quesito proposto alla Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri	No. 5

In base alla proposta come sopra formulate, per 8 degli impie-
gati di cui al n.2, e' in corso il relativo provvedimento di dispen-
sa dal servizio, mentre per gli altri 3, dei quali uno segretario
comunale (funzionario di Stato) e due parastatali, e' stata disposta
la rimessione degli atti ai Ministeri competenti, a norma del subdi-
tato R.D.L. sulla defascistizzazione.

La Commissione suddetta, riunitasi anche nel corrente mese, non
ha potuto tenere le sue sedute per l'assenza di uno dei suoi membri,
il presidente del locale Tribunale, Cav.Uff. Antonino PINTOR, trasfe-
rito alla Corte d'Appello per la Sardegna in Cagliari.

E' stata all'uopo tempestivamente richiesta alla prima Presiden-
za della corte predetta la designazione di altro magistrato in sostitui-
zione del membro trasferito, dopo di che, la Commissione riprendera'
immediatamente le sedute interrotte per causa di forza maggiore.

Si unisce un elenco degli impiegati, le cui denunce sono state
sinora esaminate dalla Commissione di che trattasi.

IL PREFETTO
F/to.

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DEFAL ISTIZZAZIONE PUBBLICHE AMM. ISTRUZIONI

C. 31 ESAMINATI :

- 1) Cav. ASSORO Giuseppe - Segretario Ospedale S. Francemco: Ispettore Amministrativo. Sospesa decisione in attesa risposta quesito;
- 2) Avv. Giovanni DORE - Direttore Unione Prov. Industriali: Ispettore Federale. Sospesa decisione in attesa risposta quesito;
- 3) Dr. Antonio FOIS - Direttore Mutua Malattia Lav. Agricoli: Ispettore Federale. Sospesa decisione in attesa risposta quesito;
- 4) Rag. Tancredi MEREU - Applicato Istituto Previdenza Sociale: Squadrista - marcia su Roma ecc. Proposta per la dispensa dal servizio;
- 5) Sig. DECANDIA Mario - Applicato Istituto Prev. Sociale: Sciarpa Littorio - Proposto per la dispensa dal servizio;
- 6) MANCOSU Luigi - Alunno Banco di Napoli: Vice Segretario Federale - Proposta dispensa dal servizio;
- 7) Dr. Edgardo SCHERER - Medico Condotta Bosa - Sciarpa Littorio Ispettore zona. Proposta dispensa dal servizio;
- 8) Nurchi Federico - Applicato Comune Bosa - Squadrista - Sciarpa Littorio - Proposta dispensa dal servizio.-
- 9) BULLA Guglielmo - Segretario Comunale Bosa - Sciarpa Littorio Proposta dispensa dal servizio;
- 10) Dr. RASTELLI Roberto - Veterinario Dorgali - Squadrista - Marcia su Roma - Sciarpa Littorio. Proposta dispensa dal servizio;
- 11) LATTE Antonio - Segretario Comunale Bolotana - Sciarpa Littorio Sospeso per ulteriori accertamenti;
- 12) Dr. BARRACCU Giuseppe - Medico Condotta Guglieri - Ispettore Federale - Proposta dispensa dal servizio;
- 13) Cav. Giovanni COINU - Consigliere Delegato Opera Nazionale Invalidi Guerra: Vice Segretario Federale - Sospesa decisione in attesa risposta quesito;
- 14) Dr. CONTU Mariano - Medico Condotta Desulo - Ispettore Federale Sciarpa Littorio. Proposto per la dispensa dal servizio;
- 15) Dr. BUFFONI Ferdinando - Medico Condotta Bitti: Ispettore Federale. Sospesa decisione in attesa risposta quesito;
- 16) Dr. MARRAS Francesco - Medico Condotta Arzana: Ispettore Federale Sciarpa Littorio. Proposta per la dispensa dal servizio;
- 17) Dr. CABRAS Cirillo - Veterinario Condotta di Tortoli - Ispettore Federale. Proposta per la dispensa dal servizio;

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 6

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28th April 1944.

To : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, ✓
R.C. and M.G. Section.

From : Regional Commissioner.

Subject : Offenders awaiting trial in Sardinia.

Reference : L/1401



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(f) that enquiries are being pursued regarding the status of persons detained without trial (see Col 4). It is believed that most of these are detained on grounds of public safety. They will be screened whenever particulars become available.

2. Conditions in prisons visited by me during my recent tour (April 23rd to 27th) were found to be most unsatisfactory - including the feeding of prisoners. The prison authorities are being taken seriously to task by the Brigadier. To improve the situation.

R3SA/sjs. Regional Commissioner.

Copy to: Legal Sub-Commission, A.C.C. } less copy referred to (2)
 Vice President Administration Sec. } above.

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- SITUATION OF PRISONS -
in SARDINIA - APRIL 1944.

(1) PRISONS		(2) AWAITING TRIAL	(3) CONVICTED	(4) DETAINED FOR VARIOUS REASONS WITHOUT TRIAL
Penal Colonies	(Sarcidano	9	30	63
	(Castiadas	-	707	34
	(Alghero	-	292	51
	(Tramariglio	-	194	7
	(Asinara	-	508	197
	(Mamove	-	314	-
		9	2045	352
Judiciary Prisons	(Cagliari	629	19	38
	(Sassari	429	98	26
	(Nuoro	192	59	12
	(Oristano	182	46	-
	(Tempio	62	18	-
	(Lanusei	51	10	2
		1545	250	78
GRAND TOTAL		1554	2295	430

+ Of whom 53 are convicted, but not included in the 46 prisoners in "Conv"

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in SARDINIA - APRIL 1944.

(3) CONVICTED	(4) DETAINED FOR VARIOUS REASONS WITHOUT TRIAL	(5) MILITARY PRISONERS	(6) TOTAL PRISONERS	(7) CAPACITY OF PRISON
30	63	-	102	194
707	34	-	741	1400
292	51	174	517	433
194	7	52	253	400
508	197	43	748	1300
314	-	92	406	550
2045	352	361	2767	4277
19	38	133	819	650
98	26	249	802	268
59	12	16	279	208
46	-	150 +	378	161
18	-	4	84	60
10	2	12	75	80
250	78	564	2437	1427
2295	430	925	5204	5704

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Explanatory Note Regarding
Prisons in Sardinia

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There are three types of prisons:-

1) Penal Colonies - 6 in number:-

ASINARA
SARONNO

TRAFARIOTTO
CASTIADAS

ALGHERO
SARCIDANO

These are normally for convicted persons only. At present there are prisoners in SARCIDANO Colony who are awaiting trial.

2) Judiciary Prisons - 6 in number:-

CAGLIARI
CRISTIANO

SASSARI
TEMU

NUORO
LANUSEI

ie. one at the seat of each Tribunal on the island.

These are normally for persons awaiting trial, ^{mainly} ~~only~~. At present owing to Special Circumstances they also house many convicted prisoners.

3) CARCERI FAMILIARI 36 in number ie. one at the seat of each Pretura.

These are for persons awaiting trial on minor charges Preture and also for a few persons serving short sentences.

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TO : CLO, Legal Sub-Commission, ACC

SUBJECT: Reopening of the Italian Courts in Cagliari

1. I arrived at Cagliari on 11 March 44 at approximately 4 pm and immediately established liaison with Brigadier Dunlop and Major Alexander. I had dinner with Brigadier Dunlop and had a long talk with Major Alexander the same evening. The next day, 12 March 44, I examined the Commission's correspondence files and memoranda relating to the Italian Courts.

2. The situation with respect to the Courts at Cagliari is substantially as follows:

None of the Italian Civilian Courts has functioned in this City since June, 1943. All attempts to reopen the Courts have so far proved fruitless. The Court of Appeal and the Office of the Procuratore Generale moved to Ozieri, a town difficult of access situated in north central Sardinia. The Tribunale and the Office of the Procuratore del Re moved to Isili, a town situated some 75 kilometers north of Cagliari. The Pretura moved to Sinnai, some 20 kilometers north-east of Cagliari. Practically all of the judges and court personnel moved their families and belongings to these places and established themselves in new homes. One of the difficulties in reopening the Courts of Cagliari is attributable to the considerable expense and inconvenience facing the court personnel in moving back to Cagliari. This City has suffered very extensively as a result of bombings. It has been seriously damaged, and the problems of housing and feeding are very acute. The fear of further bombings, widely entertained by Italians in this part of the Island, may also be a factor. The amount of useful work done by these Courts at Ozieri, Isili and Sinnai is open to question. The Prefect at Cagliari, Signor MCCOI, was vehement in condemning the Judges at the time of my interview with him on 14 March 44. He attributed to them a number of reasons of an uncomplimentary nature as the explanation for their failure to move back from their places of refuge. I am unable to appraise the value of the Prefect's opinion at this time. The Court officials with whom I have spoken are equally vehement in their criticism of the Prefect, and there is no doubt that

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The Prefect's relations with the judiciary have deteriorated to the point where they cannot deal with each other on a constructive basis. At any rate, difficulties of transportation and communication have rendered these places of refuge inaccessible to many persons having business before the Courts. The result is that there is a considerable back-log of work to be done by the Courts of Cagliari.

3. The situation affecting the administration of criminal justice is extremely grave. On 13 March 44, I visited the Cagliari Prison and conferred with Dr. Celeste TULUI, the Director. Dr. Tului advised me that his prison population was 652. Of these, only approximately 20 were convicted prisoners and the rest awaiting trial. These awaiting trial have been in jail for periods ranging from 20 months to shorter periods of time. In many cases of recent arrests, defendants have been given provisional liberty because no custodial facilities have been available. Dr. Tului stated that the Italian Military Authorities were sending him military prisoners in that jail. He made a very earnest request that I discuss the matter at Cagliari with the proper officials with a view to having the military prisoners handled in a separate jail of their own. I requested Dr. Tului to furnish me with a list showing the names of prisoners in his Institution, the crime charged against each one, and the length of incarceration. While Cagliari Prison is not of modern construction, it is reasonably well-suited to its purpose, having a hospital and operating room, a library and school room, and separate wings for minors and female prisoners. Mattresses are provided for the prisoners, and an attempt is made to provide a better ration for minors and sick inmates. The food is reasonably good considering present dietary standards among the civilian population in Italy.

4. There is a very large Palace of Justice in Cagliari, of modern construction and design, which has been in the course of construction for approximately ten years. One wing of this building is still incomplete. The finished section of this building was visited by me on 11, 12 and 13 March 44. On two occasions I went through the building with Messrs. MAROTTA and VALENTE who are respectively, the Chief Engineer and Chief Architect assigned to the construction work at the building. I have also visited the building with Judge CANDIA, a member of the Tribunale, and have gone over the work with the chief carpenter contractor, Mr. PODDA. I have also visited the

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workshop of Mr. Podda with a view to devising a plan to speed up the work. The finished section of the Palace of Justice suffered damage from the bombings as well as from the subsequent looting. An attempt is being made, however, to reconstruct broken doors and window-frames and procure the minimum amount of glass necessary to make the two top-most floors usable in the near future for court purposes. The shortage of glass here is very critical. All of the Courts, with the exception of the Pretura, as well as the Offices of the Procuratore Generale and the Procuratore del Re, could be housed in these two floors within the next three weeks. The work of making the lower floors usable would, of course, continue, and the lower floors occupied as soon as they can be made ready.

5. It is planned to house the Pretura in a school building known as the Istituto Pintor. I visited this building on 14 March 44, and conferred with the Capo Pretore LA VMA. It is hoped to have the Pretura resume its work in Cagliari at this building before the end of March, 1944.

6. I have had several conferences with Judge Cardia and one conference with the Prefect, with a view to assisting in the establishment of suitable lodgings and mess facilities for the judges and the court personnel. The Chief Engineer, Marotta, has agreed to install cooking facilities in the basement floor of the court building, which is clean, commodious and quite suitable for mess purposes. The Prefect has agreed to make cooking apparatus available and to see that the necessary rations are procured. Several apartments have been inspected by Judge Cardia and have been found suitable for occupancy, and a plan is being worked out to permit the sharing of housing facilities by the various members of the court personnel. The Prefect has agreed to carry out the necessary requisitioning.

7. The Conservatorio is a Convent School for Girls, situated at the top of a hill and difficult of access to persons without transport. According to correspondence which I have examined at the office of the Commission, and statements made to me by Judge Cardia and the Prefect, it appears that President VOLPE of the Court of Appeal at Ozieri has chosen this building as temporary quarters for the Tribunale. I found the building to be completely inadequate, even apart from its inaccessibility. Persons having business before the Court

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would find it necessary to go through part of the school premises as well as a small waiting room reserved for the Mother Superior. The rooms intended for the use of the Tribunale are small, badly lighted and damp, and joined by long, narrow hallways. The only room that could be used as a courtroom is a small assembly hall or "Teatrino". This room, however, is a means of access to the school premises when it is not used as an assembly hall, and it is impossible to use it continuously as a courtroom if any part of the Convent is to be permitted to function as a school. At any rate, the glass that would have to be installed in the rooms reserved for the Tribunale is not available. I intend to recommend that the Tribunale be housed temporarily at the Palace of Justice. The Prefect, the Chief Engineer and Judge Cardia have all agreed that the choice of the Conservatorio as temporary quarters for the Tribunale was ill-advised. At any rate, totally apart from the reasons already set forth, it would be impossible to establish a separate mess for the Judges of the Tribunale. Inasmuch as the mess will be installed at the Palace of Justice, it will be expedient for the Tribunale to be there.

8. On 15 March 44, I went to Isili and conferred with President SANNA of the Tribunale and Sostituto Procuratore del Re, MANCA. They both appeared ready and willing to return to Cagliari. A full calendar until 30 March 44 has already been posted, but there appears to be no reason why the Tribunale should not be installed at Cagliari by the first week in April. I suggested that one or two employees in the Chief Clerk's Office be sent ahead to Cagliari to make necessary arrangements for the moving and cleaning of furniture and for the installation of the necessary court records.

9. The Court of Assise has not functioned at Cagliari since the Court of Appeal moved to Ozieri. There are at least fifty cases awaiting trial before that Court, in which the instruction has been completed. There are at least as many which are still in the instructional stage and which will ultimately come before the Court of Assise. I was able to confer with Instructional Judge DEBAY at Isili, and to arrange with him a speeding up of the cases still in the instructional stage and which are to come before the Court of Assise. When I go to Ozieri, I hope to make the necessary arrangements to have the Court of Assise open at the earliest possible moment.

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10. I intend to leave for Ozieri on 17 March 44 with a view to meeting President VOLPE of the Court of Appeal and Procuratore Generale SPALLANZANI. I expect to examine with them the entire situation regarding the reestablishment of the Courts at Cagliari and particularly (a) the office facilities to be assigned to the Courts (b) the plans for housing and feeding the Judges and the Court personnel and (c) the plans for speeding up the work of the Courts with a view to eliminating the back-log of work, especially insofar as the Criminal Courts are concerned.

I will take with me a plan of the floor space which will be available at the Palace of Justice by 30 March 44, and I hope to effect an agreement with these gentlemen as to the minimum space which can be used by each of the Courts, and by the necessary agencies which will occupy the two floors at the Palace of Justice building.

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SUBJECT: Reopening of Italian Civil Courts in Cagliari --
(Report of 16 March 1944 continued).

TO : CLO, Legal Sub-Commission, ACC.

1. On 20 March 1944, I conferred at Ozieri with the President of the Court of Appeal, Signor Volpe and the Procuratore Generale, Signor Spallanzani. I discussed with them in detail the necessity for reestablishing the Courts at Cagliari, and the various problems connected therewith. These gentlemen expressed their desire to cooperate and to resume their work at Cagliari as soon as arrangements could be made. I advised them of my adverse opinion regarding the use of the Conservatorio as a court building for the Tribunale (see paragraph 7, report of 16 March 1944). It was agreed that the Tribunale would not be sent to the Conservatorio and that they would be installed in a part of the upper two floors of the Palace of Justice Building pending their transfer to more suitable quarters in the same building. We went over the plans of the floor space which I had taken with and it was agreed that the court facilities could be assigned to the space available, in such a way as to permit the adequate functioning of the various offices. I also discussed the plans for housing and

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I was not satisfied with our discussion regarding the speeding up of the work of the courts. Both President Volpe and Signor Spallanzani complained bitterly about the loss of personnel. They attributed this to the displacements brought about by the war, and to the fact that the Italian Military Tribunal in Sardinia had taken part of their inadequate personnel to assist in the dispatch of work accumulating in that court.

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Both gentlemen stated that they would require additional personnel in order to bring about any appreciable speed-up in the work. I subsequently found this statement to be justified. (see paragraphs 4 and 7 below).

We also discussed the desirability of reestablishing the Court of Assise at Cagliari at the earliest possible moment, and general necessity for paying particular attention to the administration of criminal justice. President Volpe advised me that the next sitting of the Court of Assise had been already fixed for Sassari, and that the Court could not be expected to finish its work there before the early part of May. He promised to sign the necessary order ~~of~~ conving the court for a sitting at Cagliari on or about 15 May 1944.

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The meeting was attended by the Prefect of Cagliari, Signor Mocci, Colonel Sanna, attaché to General Pinna, President Volpe and Signor Spallanzani. General Magli was present for about forty minutes, at which time the problem of dealing with the custody of military prisoners awaiting trial was discussed. The entire matter of the return of the judiciary to Cagliari was gone into in great detail, and I came away from the meeting with the impression that General Pinna was well-informed with regard to the matter, and that he was determined to do everything possible to have the courts reopened. His understanding of the technical problems involved was gratifying.

3. The overcrowded conditions of the jails in Cagliari,

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Oristano, Nuoro and Sassari, were discussed at some length. The prisons in these cities are used mainly as detention jails for the custody of prisoners awaiting trial. This is done because these jails are easily accessible to the trial courts (including the Italian Military Tribunal of Oristano) and because they are equally accessible to the offices of the officials who are charged with conducting the preliminary interrogatories and handling the instructional phases of the cases. It was ascertained that the overcrowding was due very largely to the presence of military prisoners in these jails. It was at this point that General Pinna telephoned General Magli and requested him to attend the conference.

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5. The use of provisional liberty as a means of diminishing prison populations has been used, in my opinion, to the fullest possible extent. In fact, it has often been used when the interests of justice should have dictated otherwise, but when it was inevitable that such liberty be granted because custodial facilities were unavailable.

6. After the conference at General Pinna's office, we went together with the Judges to inspect the work at the Palace of Justice. There, we were joined by the Chief Engineer for the Italian Government, Signor Marotta. All of the work in progress was carefully inspected. In agreement with President Volpe, the space to be occupied by the various courts and offices was agreed upon. The rooms for the establishment of the mess were also inspected, and arrangements made for the procuring of the necessary cooking apparatus and dining room furniture.

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7. On 22 and 23 March 1944, I visited the courts and prisons at Oristano, Sassari and Nuoro. It was my primary purpose to determine whether a better use could be made of the Italian Civilian court personnel at these places, in view of the fact that no solution had been found for the inadequacy of that personnel. I wished, also, to ascertain the extent of the overcrowded conditions of the prisons there. As a result of my visits to these places, I came to the conclusion that the Italian Civil Courts were under-staffed, and that the jails were crowded far beyond their normal capacities. There was no question in my mind that the best possible use was being made of the personnel attached to them. I found that the court employees were helping each other without regard to the specific offices to which they were assigned, and were rendering the most ade-

quate service possible.

Incidentally, my visits to these prisons permitted me to be of service to Brigadier Dunlop by submitting to the Directors of these Institutions certain forms calling for detailed information regarding these prisons, and which were sent to Sardinia by the Public Safety Sub-Commission.

8. On 25 March 1944, I endeavored to ascertain what progress had been made with respect to the establishment of the mess at the Palace of Justice and the requisitioning of quarters for the court personnel.

I went to the court building with the Chief Architect, Signor Valente, and found that while the masonry work had been completed, no cooking facilities had been installed, nor had any messing equipment been made available. I found also, that while living quarters had been found which appeared to be suitable, the necessary requisitioning formalities had not been fulfilled. I conferred with Judge Cardia the same day. Since he was the Member of the Tribunale who had been left in Cagliari to take care of housing and feeding arrangements, it was his duty to superintend the details of these matters. I told him that he was expected to see that the requisitioning formalities were complied with; and that a more speedy effort should be made to install the mess. Judge Cardia appeared to have been occup-

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I spent a considerable amount of time with Signor Valente searching for cooking apparatus since it appeared that the apparatus previously promised by the Prefect was not available. We then determined that a coal stove made of masonry and tiles would have to be constructed, and that we could not expect to procure any cooking apparatus ready to install. In-

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"identally, we visited a number of public buildings which had been bombed, and searched through the debris for suitable kitchens and for suitable cooking fixtures, but found that whatever was left was damaged beyond repair. We subsequently visited two iron foundries where we arranged to have certain necessary stove parts and cooking utensils manufactured.

9. On 25 March 1944, I found that some effort had been made to clean the upper two floors of the Palace of Justice and that furniture and documents were being arranged and installed.

10. On 30 March 1944, I made another inspection of the Palace of Justice, and found that the personnel of the Tribunale and of the Procuratore del Re were setting up their offices. Additional laborers were required for the cleaning and moving of furniture and the transportation of files. Although the stove for the mess of the court personnel had been practically completed, the mess equipment and the necessary food rations promised by the Prefect had not yet been delivered. Urgent representations are being made immediately to the Prefect in an effort to have these matters attended to speedily.

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11. The Judges of the Tribunale complained about the lack of privacy in their offices caused by the absence of glass panes in interior doors. Signor Valente explained to me that a sufficient quantity of ply-wood was available to be installed in place of the glass, and that it would be done within 24 hours. I inspected the carpenter work shop and found that the ply-wood was there, and made arrangements to have it put in immediately.³

12. The court-rooms intended for the use of the Tribunale and the Court of Appeal required certain window frames. I found that these had been completed and were in the carpenter's work shop ready for installation. Installation was promised 1 April 1944. The masonry and plaster work planned for these rooms had been completed and the necessary cleaning work finished.

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13. I expect to be able to leave Sardinia as soon as the President of the Court of Appeal and the Procuratore Generale arrive here. It is planned that they should be able to establish themselves at Cagliari on 12 April 1944.

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12 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Reopening of Italian Civil Courts in Cagliari
(Final Report - Reports of 16 March and
1 April 1944 continued).

TO : CLO, Legal Subcommittee, AGC.

1. The Tribunale and the Pretura, as well as the Procurators del Re and their staff, have taken possession of their offices in Cagliari and have begun to do business. The Pretura has been functioning for more than one week. The first court sessions of the Tribunale took place this morning, 12 April 1944.

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In this connection, I wish to express my appreciation of the assistance given to me by Colonel McInnes, Major Alexander and Captain Sullivan. I went to the office of a number of Italian officials charged with the distribution of food, in order to complete the formalities necessary for the recognition of the mess for future allotments for foodstuffs. Captain Sullivan and I delivered to the Palace of Justice a quantity of dehydrated vegetables as an advance against the allotments about to be made, and I negotiated with a mess officer of an American regiment billeted nearby to procure some residue kitchen fats. I also procured an allowance of olive oil. I cannot overemphasize the good will and gratitude shown by the court personnel to the Commission and to us as a result of these efforts. It can now be reasonably anticipated that the mess for the Judges and court personnel will function smoothly. One of the iron foundries which I visited with Signor Valente (see Report of 1 April 1944, paragraph 4) namely, Chicca & Salvatini has made certain stove parts which will permit the installation of a more commodious cooking apparatus to supplement the stove presently in use.

3. The Palace of Justice has an existing telephone connection and no motor transport. I have dealt with both these problems and it appears that several weeks will expire before either of them can be solved. With respect to the establishment of a telephone connection, it will be necessary to repair a considerable amount of damage done by the bombings of 1943. The skilled workmen required are now being used for military purposes, and it is not anticipated that they will be available in the immediate future. In the case of the motor transport, I discussed the matter at some length with the Transportation officer of the Commission. The problem consists in procuring tires for one of the two automobiles previously used by the Court staff, and which is still in a fairly good state.

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4. Judge Pinto of the Court of Appeal has arrived at Cagliari to take possession of the necessary quarters both for the Court and for the Procura Generale. These offices will begin to function in Cagliari not later than 17th April 1944.

5. On 6 April 1944, I conferred at Ozieri with President Volpe of the Court of Appeal and Signor Spallanzani, the Procuratore Generale. They had already taken the necessary steps to remove their offices to Cagliari, and had arranged to transport their property and personnel. I secured from these gentlemen a list of personnel which they lacked. The problem of increasing the court personnel has not been solved and cannot expect to be disposed of unless personnel is forthcoming from some quarter outside Sardinia (see Report of 16 March 1944, paragraphs 4 and 7). The list furnished me indicates that all of the courts lack a total of 35 judges and ranking officials (magistrati). They are distributed as follows:

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6. The whole problem of overcrowded detention jails and the adequate functioning of the law enforcement agencies, cannot be adequately remedied unless the work of the Italian Civil Court system, as well as the Italian Military Tribunale is speeded up appreciably. This, in turn, cannot be expected unless additional personnel is provided.

7. President V...pe and Signor Spallanzani told me that they had arranged to pay particular attention to the trial of criminal cases. With this in view, steps were being taken to expedite hearings on the penal side by the Tribunale. Furthermore, the Court of Assize will be convoked for the conduct of trials in Cagliari during the month of May, after terminating its session at Sassari.

8. I secured from General Magli a list of the personnel required by the Italian Military Tribunale in order to bring it up to the minimum quota required for its efficient operation. In substance, the information furnished me reveals that 17 additional officials are required.

9. The problem of custodial facilities for military prisoners awaiting trial has been solved by the construction of a detention camp at Villa Nova Sirisali (near Villa Grande) and northeast of Lanusei in Cagliari Province. I visited this camp on 7 April 1944. It is a former prisoner of war camp in which maximum security facilities are being installed in the way of barbed wire enclosures and searchlight towers. The barracks are stone buildings which house about 100 persons each. In addition to this camp, General Magli informed me on 11 April 1944 that he had secured the transfer of two companies of Italian artillery out of Oristano. This will make available two barracks buildings at Oristano for Italian military prisoners awaiting trial. The first shipment of military prisoners out of the Italian civil prisons to their new quarters was planned for 14 April 1944.

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10. I believe that everything feasible has been done to
re-establish the courts in Cagliari. Many of the problems
afflicting the courts will not be solved until the normal tempo of
transportation and communication are re-established.

The problem requiring urgent attention, particularly in
its relation to the administration of criminal justice, is the
one of inadequate personnel.

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Extract from Instrument of Surrender of Italy
(Additional conditions of Armistice).

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION FOR SARDINIA
APO 397

U. S. ARMY

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REF: DRC/49

24 April 1944

SUBJECT: Proposed Visit to Sardinia.

TO : Brigadier M. Lush, Executive Commissioner, ACC.

1. With reference to your cable dated 231350B, the Regional Commissioner has asked me to write and say that Lord Stansgate and three staff officers arrived here on Saturday, 22 April, and that the Regional Commissioner is now away touring the Island with them.

2. The tour finishes on the 28th, but it is not known when Lord Stansgate and party will leave the Island. You will see, therefore, that the 26th is not a very convenient date for your visit, but if the business is urgent we can of course accommodate you and provide transportation if required. The Regional Legal Officer, who also deals with interior matters, appears to be the Staff Officer mainly concerned with your business, and he will be available while the Regional Commissioner is away with Lord Stansgate. The Regional Commissioner would prefer you to come about 3rd May, but he leaves the question of the date entirely to you.

For the Regional Commissioner:

Henry A. Hale

HENRY A. HALE
Col. Inf.

Deputy Regional Commissioner

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YOUR PROPOSED VISIT IS REFERENCE. DATE IS NOT VERY CONVENIENT
AS AM TOURING ISLAND WITH VICE PRESIDENT ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION
AND STAFF. IF YOU COME REGIONAL LEGAL OFFICER COULD HANDLE QU-
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LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
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23rd April 1944

ACC/4090/L

Subject: Prison Situation, Sardinia.

To : Executive Commissioner.

In compliance with your telephoned request of this morning, there are forwarded to you herewith copies of extracts from the reports of Major E.L. Palmieri, dated respectively 16 March, 1 April and 12 April 1944.

Richard H. Wilmer
RICHARD H. WILMER,
Lt. Col. C.A.C.
Deputy Chief Legal Officer.

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ACC/4090/L.

SUBJECT : Prison Situation in Sardinia.

EXTRACT FROM MAJOR PALMIERI'S REPORT DATED 16 MARCH 1944.

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"3. The situation affecting the administration of criminal justice is extremely grave. On 13 March 44, I visited the Cagliari Prison and conferred with Dr. Celeste TULI, the Director. Dr. Tului advised me that his prison population was 652. Of these, only approximately 20 were convicted prisoners and the rest awaiting trial. Those awaiting trial have been in jail for periods ranging from 20 months to shorter periods of time. In many cases of recent arrests, defendants have been given provisional liberty because no custodial facilities have been available. Dr. Tului stated that the Italian Military Authorities were sending him military prisoners to that jail. He made a very earnest request that I discuss the matter at Ozieri with the proper officials with a view to having the military prisoners handled in a separate jail of their own. I requested Dr. Tului to furnish me with a list showing the names of prisoners in his Institution, the crime charged against each one, and the length of incarceration. While Cagliari Prison is not of modern construction, it is reasonably well-suited to its purpose, having a hospital and operating room, a library and school room, and separate wings for minors and female prisoners. Mattresses are provided for the prisoners, and an attempt is made to provide a better ration for minors and sick inmates. The food is reasonably good considering present dietary standards among the civilian population in Italy."

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SUBJECT : Prison Situation in Sardinia.

EXTRACTS FROM MAJOR PAINIERI'S REPORT DATED 1st APRIL 1944.

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"2. On 21 March 1944, a long conference was held at the Office of the Italian High Commissioner for Sardinia, General Pinna. The purpose of this meeting was to establish a general agreement between the judiciary and the other branches of the Italian Government with regard to the prompt reestablishment of the Courts at Cagliari. It was also intended that this meeting should bring about a better coordination of the efforts which were expected of the various Italian Government officers in regard to this matter.

The meeting was attended by the Prefect of Cagliari, Signor Mocci, Colonel Sanna, attache' to General Pinna, President Volpe and Signor Spallanzani. General Magli was present for about forty minutes, at which time the problem of dealing with the custody of military prisoners awaiting trial was discussed."

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"The problem of providing separate custodial facilities for military prisoners was discussed in the presence of General Magli. He appeared to be well informed regarding the problem, and as a result of our discussion he agreed to undertake immediately the construction of a prison camp which would be under the direct supervision of military authorities and which would absorb the custodial responsibility for military prisoners which was now falling upon the civil prisons hereinabove referred to. Several sites for this camp were discussed. The necessity for avoiding malarial areas, and the further necessity of eliminating transport difficulties so far as possible, narrowed the choice down to the area close to Oristano. (On 24 March 1944, I had a conference with General Magli who advised me that the camp for military prisoners was to be set up at Villa Grande-Cagliari Province). It should be noted that there is no lack of penal institutions in Sardinia for convicted prisoners. In fact, a large suitable prison for convicted military prisoners has already been set up at Asinara. The overcrowded conditions relate entirely to the institutions used as detention prisons at Cagliari, Nuoro, Oristano and Sassari."

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SUBJECT : Prison Situation in Sardinia.

EXTRACT FROM MAJOR PALMIERI'S REPORT DATED 12 APRIL 1944

"9. The problem of custodial facilities for military prisoners awaiting trial has been solved by the construction of a detention camp at Villa Nova Strisaili (near Villa Grande) and northeast of Lanusei in Cagliari Province. I visited this camp on 7 April 1944. It is a former prisoner of war camp in which maximum security facilities are being installed in the way of barbed wire enclosures and searchlight towers. The barracks are stone buildings which house about 100 persons each. In addition to this camp, General Magli informed me on 11 April 1944 that he had secured the transfer of two companies of Italian artillery out of Oristano. This will make available two barracks buildings at Oristano for Italian Military prisoners awaiting trial. The first shipment of military prisoners out of the Italian civil prisons to their new quarters was planned for 14 April 1944."

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24th April 1944.

Subject: Expiration in Sardinia.

1. I discussed expiration in Sardinia with Brig. Dunlop.

2. Brigadier Dunlop got rid of no one except one General, un-named, and the Prefect of Cagliari. The High Commissioner, PINNA, got rid of a number of junior Italian Fascists under the Italian circular of December 1943 but the chief bother has been about the three men mentioned in the memorandum. Of these, two have been suspended but have not yet left the island and the other is still subjudice. One eminent Fascist remains, that is the chief engineer of the Carlosard Mines. Every effort was made to get rid of him but the mining Department insisted on his retention.

3. Brigadier Dunlop made the point that with regard to civilian officials no native of Sardinia can be properly termed a Fascist and that the Italian officials in the Island number only 50 to 60, ~~all~~ of whom some have already been removed. The real trouble lies in the Italian Army and in part Div. which is notoriously Fascist and from which no purge has been made. The state of jails is admittedly extremely bad and in spite of efforts made by Brigadier Dunlop to get PINNA to improve these.

Efforts to have special powers granted to the High Commissioner to release accused persons on bail without reference to the Minister of Justice have failed.

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1. Officials who held office under the Fascist Govt., or under a regime in the majority of cases. No person has been made of record a Fascist collaborator on the old system.
2. Since the Allied occupied Germans the prisons have not been controlled and they contain thousands of arrested persons. As regards in the persons of the majority of the prisoners await trial but the persons of the following have not been decided.
3. Officials of the Fascist Govt. do not show the enemy attributable to a "rehabilitation" of the political order in various countries with the Armistice terms. Any action taken must comply with Articles 25, 30 and 31 of the Armistice of 25 Aug. 43.
4. As this subject the Advisory Council for Italian Affairs recommends to the Allied ~~United~~ Commanders:-
- (a) That they make the following proposals to the Italian Govt. for the execution of Articles 25, 30 and 31 of the Armistice of 25 Aug. 43:-
- (1) To proceed immediately with the purging of Fascist officials still concerned in local administration in various and various ways officials in the local councils, judges, prosecutors, justices, and
- (2) To arrange to AVAILABILITY, report of the persons of interest, who held this position since the time of the Fascist Govt., (and) to remove, arrest and bring to trial, and officials who continue to hold office in various, e.g., in various, Commissioner of 1405 of Justice, and 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768,

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the following have not been isolated.

3. Officials of AUI in America do not show the necessary indisposition to a "demonstration" of the political order in America conforming with the American terms. Any action taken must comply with Articles 29, 30 and 31 of the Constitution of 26 Aug. 48.

4. On this subject the Advisory Council for Italy, having expressed its views, the Allied Commanders-in-Chief:

(a) That they follow the following procedure to the Italian Govt. for the execution of Articles 29, 30 and 31 of the Constitution of 26 Aug. 48:

(1) To proceed immediately with the purging of fascist officials still concerned in local administration in various and various offices established in the local provinces, regions, departments, districts, and

(2) To remove M. ARVANTI, prefect of the Province of Sassari,

who holds this position since the time of the Fascist Govt.,

(iii) To remove, arrest and bring to trial, with officials the activities

to hold office in America, S.O., S. MARI, Commissioner of Sassari,

at Sassari, and M. M. MARIANO MARIANO and MARIANO MARIANO, vice

commissioners of the police.

(iv) Conduct a police enquiry as rapidly as possible into the cases of persons arrested at Sassari on 15 Jan. 1948 on the occasion of a demonstration.

(b) To direct that AUI will supervise the execution on the part of the Italian Govt of the terms of points (a) (1) (ii) (iii) & (iv) above.

TRANSLATION OF PAPERS AT FERRIS 748

La situation politique en Sardaigne d'après des informations qui nous avons à notre disposition, peut être caractérisée de la façon suivante:

1. Les fonctionnaires de toutes dignités, lesquels occupaient ses postes lors du gouvernement fasciste de MUS-SOLINI, gardent en grande majorité ses places. On ne fait aucune épuration en ce qui concerne ces fonctionnaires fascistes travaillant par des anciens méthodes.

2. Depuis l'occupation de la Sardaigne par les Alliés, les prisons de la Sardaigne n'étaient pas contrôlées, bien que dans les prisons étaient incarcérés des milliers de détenus. Actuellement par exemple dans la prison de Cagliari la plupart des prisonniers attendent de la justice, mais les termes des procès judiciaires ne sont pas fixés.

3. Les fonctionnaires de "Allied Control Commission" en Sardaigne ne manifestent pas de l'énergie indispensable à l'égard de la démocratisation conformément aux conditions de l'armistice, de régime politique en Sardaigne.

Cette énergie serait impossible sans la mise à exécution de façon dure et catégorique des articles 29, 30 et 31 de l'Armistice du 26 août 1943.

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§ b. Destituer M. ATTAVIALI préfet de la province Sassari, qui a occupé cette poste lors du gouvernement de MUSSOLINI.

§ c. Destituer, arrêter et traduire en justice les anciens fonctionnaires d'O.V.R.A., lesquels gardent maintenant ses places dans l'administration de la Sardaigne:

M. FABRIS commissaire de la police à Sassari et M. M. Eugenio COLONNA et Salvatore URZI vice-commissaires de la police.

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§ d. Faire dans le plus court délai possible le procès public avec des analyses des causes personnelles, aux personnes arrêtées à Sassari le 15 janvier 1944 à l'occasion de la manifestation, laquelle y avait lieu.

II// Charger " Allied Commission" de contrôler de l'exécution de la côté du gouvernement italien des exigences formulées dans le point I//, § a, b, c et d de ce document.

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10: Chief Commissioner.

21 April 1944.

Fascist Activities in Sardinia.

1. In February Major-General Solodovnik made inquiries regarding five Fascists in Sardinia on the lines that they should be removed from office.
2. The Regional Commissioner discussed this with General Pinna who told him that he intended to consider the removal of two of the Police Officers mentioned above and to consider the Prefect of Sassari also named.
3. One of the Police Officers had been Chief of the OVRA.
4. In April Brig. Carr reported that the two Police Officers had been suspended but had not yet left the Island. The High Commissioner had decided that the Prefect should remain.
5. At the Regional Commissioners Meeting it was decided to adopt forthwith the system of ~~expatriation~~ ^{expatriation} in AMG territory based on Italian Committees and to endeavour to persuade the Italian Government to adopt something of the same type in liberated Italy, where since the de-fascistization Decree of December and the appointment of Zaniboni, nothing very much has been done.
6. The Regional Commissioner has been instructed to press the High Commissioner for more drastic action with regard to any Fascists which may be left on the Island.

1. *Paras. marked in attached reports are interest.*

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Needham, A.C.C.
Allied Control Commission, Region 6.
Monthly Report.
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18 Feb. 44.

1. POLITICAL

The political situation is satisfactory. The two most important developments of the past month have been the appointment of a civil Commissioner for Sardinia and the holding of a meeting of the Concentrazione Anti-Fascists on 13 February 1944.

Generale di Squadra Aerea, Pietro Bini, himself a SSgt, arrived in the island on Friday 11 Feb. to join up the Office of Alto Convegno. He has now completed a preliminary tour of the island, has established his headquarters in Cellini and is gathering the necessary staff. We are in daily and cordial contact with him and others.

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The Concentrazione Anti-Fascists of Sardinia met at Aristano on Sunday 13 Feb. The meeting was, in some respects, an effort, etc. of the last conference. After considerable debate, the Order of the Day was adopted (by 11 votes to 2 with one abstention) agreeing to collaboration with the Italian Government. On the whole the tone of the conference was realistic and the positions of the Island are easier for the two other noted events.

2. Food

The food situation should show marked improvement. Unfortunately, delays in arrival of food supplies have caused continuing anxiety. It was hoped that, by this time, the large number of Italian soldiers on the Island would be subsisted on the "Chief of Base's" ration through the military authorities. The necessary food has not yet arrived and the Italian Army is still being fed on A.C.C. wheat and flour. The position at the time of writing was that the first bread and more provisions have enough wheat to last the end of the month, and that supplies for Cagliari (excluding the Italian Army) (150 tons per day) will be exhausted on the 1st. The 3.3. Andrew Moore and the Tessa, etc. have arrived at Cagliari today, having been at sea for some days.

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It will be realized that such a hand to mouth existence is not satisfactory. As soon as adequate supplies are in hand and the responsibility for feeding the Italian Army is removed, we hope to raise the basic food ration from 180 to 200 grams.

There is still a serious shortage of olive oil and sugar.

3. INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE

As from 14 Feb, the former Civil Supply Division was separated into (1) FOOD (2) INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE. This new Division, concerned with export trade, has been busy and a number of shipments of Island produce are now in hand to both the mainland and U.S.

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The Mining Division continues to be engaged in the export of coal and has not undertaken the export of pig Lead and Cadmium.

A comprehensive conference of Allied and Italian Authorities concerned was held on 16 Feb under Chairmanship of the Regional Commissioner to decide upon measures to be taken in connection with the re-opening of Commercial Traffic between Sardinia and Sicily and the Mainland.

4. CELTIC

The situation is satisfactory. The definite acceleration in the movement of Italian Military units to Corsica and the Continent, as well as of Soldiers for discharge to Sicily, has had a good effect on local morale.

5. UNITED

The present position is satisfactory. A U.S. Medical Unit has arrived in the Island. The Commanding Officer of the Unit is now in Algiers discussing the supplies needed for his unit. It has therefore been considered desirable to postpone till the 10th February the proposed co-ordinating conference on Anti-Airborne program for the Island.

Lt. Cols. Dobos and Shields from Headquarters / D.O. have visited the Island.

Medical Supplies have arrived but their type and proportions are not exactly what are needed here. It is hoped that an early visit by Colonel Graham will clear up certain outstanding points in connection with Medical Supplies.

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5. REVIEW

The present position is satisfactory. A U.S. Anti-Island Unit has arrived at the Island. The Commanding Officer of the Unit is now in Officers Messing, the supplies needed for his Unit. It has therefore been considered desirable to postpone till the 30th February the proposed co-ordinating conference on Anti-Island program for the Island.

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7. PRISONERS

It is hoped to dispatch today, to Porton, 201 British Prisoners of War etc. One man has been left behind dangerously ill.

8. PRICE STABILIZATION

Prices for Consumer Goods are rising. Complaints are, however, predominantly agricultural and, in the interior of the Island, commodities change hands by a system of barter.

9. CIVILIAN COMMITTEES

(1) Rehabilitation of the City of Cardiff continued to make good progress. One local treasury line has been opened.

(2) Detailed arrangements for the opening of Foreign Postal Services are held up pending the arrival of Lieut Allen, advised in your telegram of 18 Feb.

JMD/tb

T. M. DUNLOP
Prisoner
of War

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TO: H.Q., A.C.C. (R.C. & M.O. Section)

FROM: Regional Commissioner, Region 6.

REFERENCE: HQ/1052

DATE: 10 April 1944

REGION 6
REPORT FOR MARCH 1944

HEADQUARTERS

19 APR 1944

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(b) There has been some slight underground Fascist activity in the North. Some copies of a Fascist underground leaflet appeared. Ten arrests, including some Italian Army personnel were made in connection with an attempt made to get into communication with and escape to Germany occupied Italy. The underground paper was found to be connected with these individuals. It has since disappeared under another title. Investigation is proceeding.

(c) Relations between the active political groups and the Allied authorities continue to be smooth.

2. LEGAL

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Both the Italian Civil Courts and Military Tribunals are seriously under-staffed in the face of a large amount of accumulated work. The position is not improved by increasing crime on the island.

Institutions used as detention prisons are overcrowded but the position will be improved by the provision of separate custodial facilities for military prisoners and by other measures in hand. The President of the Court of Appeal and the Procuratore Generale are due to establish themselves in CAGLIARI on April 12th and arrangements are in hand for a sitting of the Court of Cassation at CAGLIARI on or about May 15th.

The High Commissioner who is exceptionally well informed on the technical problems is co-operative to the full. Detailed progress reports are being submitted weekly.

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3. FOOD

(a) Grain

During the month, wheat and flour arrivals amounted to 8,991 long tons. These substantial arrivals have permitted a thorough distribution to all parts of the island. Grain movements on the State Railway for the month amount to 5,680 tons while 573 tons were moved by narrow gauge lines. These movements have enabled Army Commanders that have previously existed on a day to day basis, to build up adequate reserve stocks.

(b) Pasta

In addition to the basic ration of 150 grams of bread daily a pasta ration of 1 kilo per month for all normal ration-card holders and 2 kilos for heavy-workers was established on the first of the month and has been well received by the population. Due to lack of factories on the island it has been necessary to issue flour or bread in lieu of pasta to a certain percentage of ration-card holders.

(c) Ration-Card Holders

The considerable increase in the number of card holders estimated at 83% of the population at the end of the month is attributed to the following:-

- (i) The discharge of soldiers.
- (ii) Civilian stocks consumed by the Italian Army prior to 26 Feb 44.
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Dehydrated soup was distributed to Communes during the month. Although the price is high it has been extremely popular and an excellent supplement to the ration. Soup Kitchens have been established in some communes.

(f) Olive Oil

Arrival from the mainland is still awaited. The supply on the island is now practically exhausted and even in the Black Market where the price is increasing daily it is now difficult to obtain.

4. INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCE

(a) Refrigeration Plant

This plant at CHILIVANT is being put into operation for

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PERSONALHEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION FOR SARDINIACONFIDENTIAL

3rd April 1944

DO/PS/1524FROM: Brigadier M. CARR, C.B.E., M.C.

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My Dear Lush,

SALVASTANO.

In continuation of Brigadier DUNLOP'S letter of 16th March on the subject of the visit of the Russian Delegation and the question of Empurazione, General PINNA has informed me that FABRIS and SALVASTANO have been recalled by the Italian Government.

General PINNA informs me that these two officials have ceased to perform the function of their offices and that though they are still on the island he expects them to leave shortly.

As regards the question of OTAVIANO, the Prefect of SASSARI, I have discussed the matter with General PINNA who considers that he is good man and should do well now that the influence of the two above mentioned officials has been removed.

I expect to meet OTAVIANO in the very near future. We shall continue to keep the case under review.

Yours

M Carr

Brigadier.

P.S. I have relayed this information to
May. Gen. Solodovnik.

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Brigadier M. S. LUSH,
H.Q., Allied Control Commission (R.C. & M.G. Section)
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TOP SECRET

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, REGION 6.

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16 March 1944

FROM: Brigadier J. K. DUNLOP, O.B.E., M.C., T.D.

John Dush.

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I am convinced that the move away of FABRIS is very desirable. He is undoubtedly efficient but he was the Chief of OVRA in the island under the Fascist Regime and his continuance in office would be a perpetual source of difficulty to the High Commissioner and would certainly cause justifiable doubts as to the sincerity of the Government's intentions in respect of Empurazione.

Approved by J. K. D.

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*Yours faithfully,
M. LUSE*

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Ragusa for Secretariat. I leave that to your
discretion.*

Brigadier M. LUSE,
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission,
(R.C. & M.G. Section).

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MEMORANDUM,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 32.

19th February 1944

Ref: DP/2/34

Major General H. B. Salodowski, Soviet Representative on the Allied Control Commission, has been making enquiries regarding certain Fascists in Sardinia on the lines that they should be removed from office.

The names are:-

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| 1. Palmis, Dino | -- | Police |
| 2. Dr. Colonna | -- | " |
| 3. Salvatore | -- | " |
| 4. Ottaviano | -- | Prefect |
| 5. Berlinguer | -- | Anti-Fascist but stated to be in prison. |

I am told that No. 1 is a first class man and has been most helpful to the A.C.C.

I should be glad to have your comments.

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Brigadier P. E. Dunlop, O.B.E., M.C.,
Regional Commissioner,
Allied Control Commission,
SARDINIA.

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