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WAR CORRESPONDENTS
SEPT. 1944

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394.

124/3/CA.

17 September 14.

Dear Mainwaring:

I see in your telegram OPS 14 of September 14 that a British war correspondent has been infiltrated. While hesitating to intrude in any operational plan, we do feel that, remembering there is no political censorship, the presence of a war correspondent may prove very embarrassing from the politico-administrative point of view. Will you see that steps are taken to check any non-military news which he may pass out.

Yours sincerely:

(Sgd) Maurice Lush. 103

Brigadier H. S. K. Mainwaring,
U.S.O.,
R.C.S. Ops.,
A.A.I. Adv.

Copy to: Patriot Branch.

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Extract from Special Ops Sitrep No. 15 (HQ AAI) dated 14. Sept. — Original
with Patriots Branch.

"F. British War Correspondent successfully infiltrated
behind enemy lines and now passing copy."

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Brighush Interesting stuff and

From Paragraph 4 (F)

Of the top cable I see that
 a British war correspondent
 has been successfully infiltrated!
 Who gave permission for this,
 after consultation with whom? ||||

In view of the time
 Mr MacKinnon & Mr Kirk took e.g.
 about withdrawing from the
 SOT OIS officers who are in
 N. Italy, would they approve?
 My own view is that it is
 damned stupid - repeat

Refect. "

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But what do we do?!

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I will deal with this.

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