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ALLIED PROPERTY  
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ARMED SERVICES  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. AND M.G. SECTION  
APO 591

Ref: 158/35/CA

8 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Alleged loss of property.

TO : Headquarters, 14 C. R.A.S.C. (Supply Units) G.H.Q.

1. We refer to your letter of 6 September 1944,

2. The Provincial Commissioner of Provinces is located in that town.

3. However, in order to keep your request in channels it should be addressed to the Regional Commissioner Region IV, A.C.C. with the information about the location of the town. It will then be for the decision of the Regional Commissioner whether to transmit the request to the Provincial Commissioner.

W.C.S.) signed  
Major  
for NORMAN K. PARKER.  
Colonel.  
Deputy Executive Commissioner.

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SUBJECT:- Alleged loss of property.

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Headquarters,  
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units),  
C. M. F.

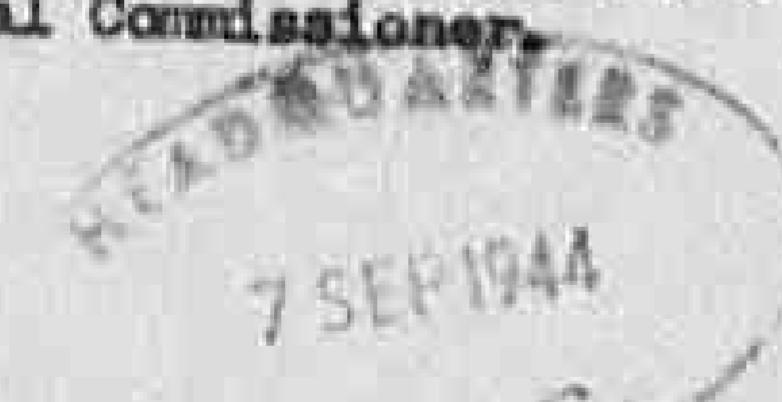
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Headquarters,  
Allied Control Commission,  
R.C. and M.G. Section,  
A.P.O. 394.

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Reference your 158/31/CA dated 26 Aug 44.

1. The town is named PICINISOO, in the Province of FROSINONE.  
Will you please advise the location of the nearest Provincial or  
Regional Commissioner.



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Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,  
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

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ROUTING

C.A.BRANCH

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HEADQUARTERS AAI INFORMED US TODAY THEY HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO TRACE THE KEY  
TO THE STRONG ROOM OF SIEMA POST OFFICE WITHOUT DETAILS OF PERSONNEL UNIT  
WHICH TOOK IT ~~ID PARADE TO AOC REGION EIGHT FROM AOC HQ ID~~ ORIGINAL REQUEST  
TO TRACE KEY MADE TO US BY AOC REGION EIGHT AND ID SUGGEST IF NOT ALREADY DONE THAT  
ROOM BE BROKEN INTO

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L.T. MONTAGUE,  
1st Lt., A.C.  
MONTAGUE

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Subject:- Key SIENA Post Office.

HQ ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY.

Tel:- FILPOT 206.

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4 Sept 44.

ACC,  
RC & MG Section.

14 5 SEP Recd

Reference your 158/14/CA dated 3 Aug., 44.

Efforts to trace this key have been made but so far have been unsuccessful. Without further details as to the unit in occupation it is difficult to make satisfactory progress.



*Kenneth L. Macaulay*  
Major-General,  
Chief Administrative Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS  
A.I.A. ✓ CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. AND M.G. SECTION  
APO 394

Ref/158/31/GA

26 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Alleged loss of property

TO : Headquarters, 14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units), G.M.F.

1. This is to acknowledge your note of 25 August 1944.

2. The original note of Miss Tobia, of which we made a copy, stated that she had left the bulk of her possessions at Pisondano.

3. We have been unable to discover the existence of any town of this name.

4. If the town should be Pisondano the enquiry might be addressed to Regional Commissioner, Region IV, A.O.C. APO 394.

W.C.S. Dalland Major  
for EDWARD H. PINEY.  
Colonel  
Deputy Executive Commissioner 560

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SUBJECT:- Alleged to if property.

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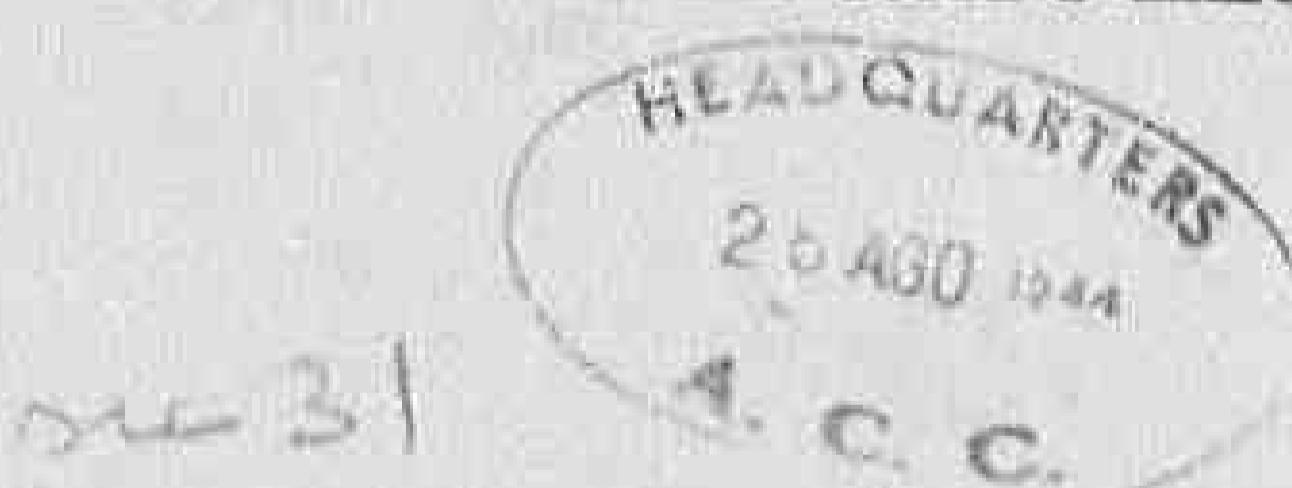
Headquarters,  
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units),  
C. M. F.

25 Aug 44.

Headquarters,  
Allied Control Commission,  
R.C. and M.G. Section,  
A.P.O. 394.

Reference your 158/25/CA dated 18 Aug 44.

1. Will you please state where the nearest Provincial or Regional Commission to Miss Tobia's address is situated.



Major [Signature]  
Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.,  
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

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ACC/NAT57B/CP

22 August 1944

22 AUG Recd

Subject : British Institute, Palermo.

To : RC & MG Section, ACC.  
(attn: Lt.Col.G.W.I.Shipp).

In view of your interest in the British Institute, attached herewith is a copy of a letter dated 17 August 44 from the Controller of Property, Region I.

*Charles Carroll*  
CHARLES CARROLL  
Lt.Col., Ord.Dept  
Acting Director

*W.D.*

*Pass to P.M. Section 58  
for info 8/16/44*

*Thru 1st  
W.D. for Mac.  
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AIRFIELD CONTROL COMMISSION  
Section I Headquarters  
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17 August 1944

SUBJECT: British Institute, Palermo

TO : Director of Property Control  
Reg'n Hqs. A.C.C.

1. Your letter AGO/RAT 578/CP dated 1 August refers.

2. The keys and inventory of the British Institute located at Via Martini N° 217, Palermo, were left with the American General Palermo, prior to departure of Mr. This inventory was later sent to the Commissario in Rome. At present the effects of the British Institute are located at Via Castriota N° 1C, which is in custody of this office. It is difficult to make an exact inventory of the effects as personal effects of Flight Lt. Winsom Hewitt (A) 1.A.Y 100756 Reg NAFW, C.M.F. together with those of Mr. Attwells (P) are located in the same storeroom.

3. The premises of the Institute was leased to German occupation after the British left the province. Upon occupation by the Allies, the Institute has been used by the Allies for the Regional Education Division, of which G.R. Koopman, Major, A.U.C. sub-chief of the Division. He left on July 30, and now Signora Turicco, secretary and interpreter to the Major is in charge.

By Order of Regional Commissioner.

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/s/ R.G. BOARD

R.G. BOARD  
Captain  
for  
Region I Controller of Property

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21 August 1944

ACC/NAT57B/CP

Subject : British Institute, Florence.

22 AUG Reed

To : RG & MG Section, ACC.  
(attn: Lt.Col.O.W.I.Shipp).

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In view of your interest in the British Institute,  
attached herewith is a copy of a letter dated 15 August 44  
from the Controller of Property, Region VIII.

*Charles Carroll*

CHARLES CARROLL  
Lt.Col., Ord.Dept  
Acting Director

*Paw K100 Letter to info  
Re 22 Aug 2418*

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
REGION VIII.

CP/RAT 57/B.

15 August 1944

SUBJECT : British Institute of Florence.

TO : Director of Property Control  
H.Q., A.G.C. A.P.C. 394.

1. The British Institute in Florence is still in existence as a library, in Palazzo Antinori, Piazza Antinori 3, in which it originally held a lease of the 1st, 2nd, & 3rd. floors. This lease terminated during the war but a new lease was granted letting the 2nd. & 3rd. floors. Of these the Sequesterator sub-let the 3rd. floor in order to gain funds to assist the continuance of the Institute.
2. All the library books and furnishings are now concentrated on the 2nd. floor and are in good order.
3. Prof. Piero Robora (the pre-war Curator) was appointed Sequesterator. Signa. Prof. Bianca Cavalca is still the Secretary and Signa. Giulietta Terci the librarian.
4. I have today interviewed Signa. Cavalca but the Curator and Librarian are in the part of the city still occupied by the enemy. Signa. Cavalca appears to have been a devoted servant of the Institute in her professional capacity and is now charged to continue to protect its interests pending further instructions. *5C-5*
5. The property is under control and further report will be made in due course.

/s/ A. Leadley.

A. LEADLEY,  
Lieut-Colonel R.A.  
Controller of Property,  
H.Q., Region VIII.

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED COMINT COMMISSION  
R.C. AND R.G. DIVISION  
AMC 324

AMC/MS/25/64

10 August 1964

REASON: Alleged loss of property.

TO : Headquarters, U.S. R.A.M.C. (Supply Units). C.M.P.  
(Attention Mr. Colonel Craig.)

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1. This is to acknowledge your letter of 14 August 1964 about the alleged loss of property of Miss Phyllis Tobin.

2. The statements from Miss Tobin and the appendix A and B which list the properties lost do not indicate clearly enough information needed. It would appear that this is a case of looting either by Germans or Italian civilians and that therefore there is little to be done.

3. Requests, however, might be made at the nearest Provincial or Regional Commandant through their Civil Safety Officers.

4. Accordingly we are returning the statement by Miss Tobin and the appendix A and B which you sent us.

23 was dictated 5/8/64  
by Major J. H. MASON,

Colonel,  
Deputy Executive Comint Officer.

ENCL: Statement of Miss Tobin.  
Appendix A  
Appendix B

W.B.

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SUBJECT :- Alleged lost property.

H.Q.,  
A.C.C.

The attached statement made on oath by Miss Phyllis Tobia, who stated  
that she is a British Subject is forwarded with the request that assistance  
may be given to her to regain her alleged lost property.

If you are unable to help in this matter would you please indicate the 5053  
correct department to which this statement should be addressed.

Lt-Col., R.A.S.C.  
14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Units).

2 type copies held

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R.L. Bragg

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STATEMENT made on oath by Phyllis TOBLA, of CORSO UMBERTO PRIMO 40,  
CASORIA, on 2 August 1944, and taken down by Capt. G.M. Woodman.  
R.A.S.C., 14 C., R.A.S.C. (Supply Unit).

1. I am a British Subject, born in GLASGOW, I came to ITALY in February 1940, to bring my sister who had been ordered to visit ITALY on medical grounds, and we stayed at PISONICO. Whilst there war was declared between ENGLAND and ITALY, and we had to remain in PISONICO until I moved on 18 January 1944.
2. On the 18 January 1944, I evacuated from PISONICO and went to Palestrina, in the province of Rome. I left the bulk of my possessions at Pisonico being unable to take them with me when I evacuated. The articles I left in the custody of a friend, Antonio Arcari of Casale, (details of which are given at Appx "B").
3. Since handing over these articles to the care of Antonio Arcari, I have not seen them. I remained in Palestrina until 18 June 44., on which day I arrived in Casoria.
4. On about 19 July 44., my sister Elisabeth Grasso, of Corso Umberto Primo 40, Casoria accompanied by my cousin, Jean Capaldi, went to visit my friend Antonio Arcari, at Casale. They told him that they had come to collect both their own belongings (detailed at Appx "A") and mine (which are detailed at Appx. "B"). He replied that there was not even a rag left.
5. Signora Belcastro Carmela, Via Tribonale Presso, Tabaccheria Cioffi, Naples, told me that she had been told by a person, whose name she would not reveal, that a civilian lorry had been seen near Casale several times apparently doing the journey between Rome and Casale with Antonio Arcari in the lorry.

signed: Phyllis Tobla.

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APPENDIX "A".

Sheets	30
Blankets	6
Curtains	4
Towels	30
Pillow Case	40
Table Cloth	10
Servietten	20
Silk Stockings	15
Suits. (mens)	4
Shirts "	6
Shirts (women)	15
Underdress	6
Dressing gown	4
Dresses	15
Dress material	7
Coats	4
Shoes	8
Matresses	4
Knives forks and spoons	24
camera	1

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APPENDIX "B"

Sheets	30
Woolen blankets	6
bed covers	8
bed quilt	1
4 sets of cutlery (each set consisting of 12 of each type of article).	
ladies overcoats	2
raincoat	1
fox fur	1
sets of underwear	
dressing gowns	3
ladies shoes	5 Pcs.
table linen	
towels	
lime	2000.
sugar	5 Kilo
salt	5 Kilo
fLOUR	150 Kilo
other foodstuffs	
ladies winter frocks	
ladies summer frocks	
silk stockings	15 pair.
handbag	1
ladies handkerchiefs	
radio	1. (Taken by Germans in my presence)

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.G. AND N.G. SHOTTON  
APO 394

Ref/158/20/CA

16 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Key of Siena Post Office.

To : Headquarters A.A.I.

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1. I refer to our letter of 3 August 1944 Ref/158/14/CA to your Headquarters.
2. The letter of the G.C.A.O. A.M.C. Eighth Army of which we previously sent you a copy indicated that there was some urgency in the matter.
3. May we please know if the boy has since been found so that we may inform G.C.A.O. A.M.C. Eighth Army.

W. S. Dallard  
Key "

Brigadier,  
Executive Commissioner,  
For A/Chief Commissioner.

Copy to: G.C.A.O. A.M.C. Eighth Army.

W. S. Dallard  
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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. AND M.G. SECTION  
APO 594

Ref/158/19/CA

15 August 1944.

SUBJECT: British Institute of Florence.

To : Political Section, A.C.C.

15 A  
1. We refer to a letter of which you sent us a copy, Ref/IT/2/1, this letter from A.J.S. White to Sir Noel Charles on the subject of the British Institute in Florence and similar Institutes in Milan and Genoa.

2. We are sending you copies of two letters from the Acting Director, Property Control Sub-Commission on this subject, Ref/HAP57B/CP, for your answer to Sir Noel Charles.

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W. E. Fiske  
M.A.  
NORMAN E. FISKE,  
Colonel,  
Deputy Executive  
Commissioner.

INCL: letter from Col Carroll 12/8/44.  
letter from Col Carroll 14/8/44.

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14 AUGUST 1944

Subject: British Institute of Genoa and Milan.

To : RC & HO Section, ACG.  
(attn: Lt.Col.G.W.I.Shipp).

1. To substantiate in writing the telephonic conversation between Major Pollard and myself, I assure you that upon activation of the AMG teams for regions X and XI, the Regional Controller of Property of each team will have with him all the necessary information concerning the British Institute of Genoa and Milan, which will permit the safeguarding of the Institute and, in due course, to report on its condition, together with enabling its re-opening.

2. We have taken up this matter with monuments, Fine Arts & Archives sub-commission, supplying them with all available information regarding the subject matter.

*Charles Carroll*  
CHARLES CARROLL  
Lt.Col., Ord.dept  
Acting Director  
Property Control sub-Commission

Lt. Shipp:

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As soon as we received  
your memo of 9/8/44, we wrote  
our property controllers about  
the institutes in Genoa, Milan,  
Rome and Palermo. The matter  
has been taken care of.  
*Charles Carroll*

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. AND M.G. SECTION  
APO 394

14 August 1944.

Memorandum to Lt. Colonel Shipp.

I telephoned Colonel Carroll as you suggested to ask him about the properties of the British Institute in Genoa and Milan.

Lt. Colonel Carroll said that since Regions have not yet been formed for those two places it has not been possible for him to forward instructions to officers who would do the work there. Lt. Colonel Carroll says, however, that we may assume that plans are being made and that he will communicate with you at once on the subject.

Therefore we shall have to hold this file until we hear from Lt. Colonel Carroll.

Should the answer to 15, when we have the facts, be addressed to Sir Howell Charles or to the British Consul?

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W.D.

WILLIAM A.S. DOLLARD.  
Major.  
Civil Affairs Branch.

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12 AUGUST 1944

ACC/RKT57B/GP

Subject: British Institute of Florence.

To : RG & MG Section, ACC.  
(attn: Lt.Col.G.W.I.Shipp).

1. Reference your communication 158/15/CA dated 9 Aug 44.

2. I assure you that the regional controller of property of Region VIII has with him all the necessary information concerning the British Institute of Florence, which will permit the safeguarding of the Institute and, in due course, to report on its condition, together with enabling its re-opening.

3. In this connection we have taken up the matter with the Monuments, Fine Arts & Archives sub-Commission, supplying them with all available information regarding the subject.

Charles Carroll

CHARLES CARROLL  
Lt.Col., Ord.dept  
acting director  
Property Control sub-Commission

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Carroll

Replies to yours at 15

me; Robert

Pl ring up to confirm about Geno's letter.

Then draft reply to 15A

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
P.O. & M.G. SPOTLIG  
APO 394

Ref 138/95/DA

9th August 1944

SUBJECT: Buildings used by the British Council  
TO : Property Control Sub-Commission

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1. I refer to conversation between Lt. Col. Gammon and Lt. Col. Shipp. I forward copy of a letter from the British Council addressed to the High Commissioner in Italy together with some addresses of the properties of this British Institute in towns not yet liberated.

2. In accordance with the first paragraph of the British Council's letter, I should be glad if you could advise me that you are now in possession of all the necessary information to regard the Institute, to report on its condition and to enable its re-opening at the first possible moment when the time comes.

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G. W. L. SHIPP  
Lt. Colonel  
For Deputy Executive Commissioner

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COPY

THE BRITISH COUNCIL

Ref: IT/2/1

HV RAG

3 Hanover Street,  
London, W.1.

18th July 1944

My dear Charles,

The British Institute of Florence.

We have recently been in touch with Mrs. G.M. Trevelyan, Hon. Secretary to the Council of the British Institute, Florence, regarding the future of the Institute. It is, of course, hoped to re-open the Institute as soon as practicable, and now that the liberation of Florence is more closely in sight, Mrs. Trevelyan is anxious that the appropriate Allied Authorities in Italy should be in possession of all the necessary information to enable them to safe-guard the Institute and to report on its condition and on the question of its re-opening when the time comes. In particular, Mrs. Trevelyan wished it to be made clear to those concerned that the premises are the lease-hold property of the Institute.

We are naturally in sympathy with the Institute's desire to resume their work at the earliest possible date and, although the question has not yet come up for consideration here, it is probable that the Council will resume, at any rate to some extent, <sup>Ita</sup> financial assistance. We should, therefore, be grateful if the relevant information about the premises could be passed on to the right quarter and I am enclosing two copies of the particulars given to us, and forwarded by us to the Foreign Office for the benefit of the American embassy in Rome, in 1940.

It may, at the same time, be helpful for you to have, for the same purpose, similar particulars about the Council's Institutes, particularly those at Rome, Milan and Genoa, which are on the same sheet.

Yours sincerely,  
(Sgd) A.J.S. White

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His Excellency Sir Noel Charles, Bt., K.C.M.G., M.C.,  
Office of the High Commissioner in Italy,  
Naples.

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. & H.C. Section  
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Ref/158/24/CA.

3 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Key of Siena Post Office.

TO : HQ. Allied Armies in Italy.

1. Attached is copy of letter from SCACO Eighth Army.
2. It would be appreciated if efforts to trace the missing key could be made as soon as possible.

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Brigadier,  
Executive Commissioner,  
For Chief Commissioner:

Incl

OA/4 dated 31 Jul 44.

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Copy to: ABC Eighth Army (Ref OA/4 dated 31 Jul 44)

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Object: Strong Box Key.

Main H.Q., A.M.G.  
Eighth Army.

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31 Jul 44.

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R.C. & M.G. Section,  
Main H.Q., A.C.C.  
A.P.O. 394.

1. I have received a communication from the Provincial Commissioner of Siena Province to the effect that the French after leaving Siena took with them the key to the strong room of the Post-Office containing the insured letters.

2. The newly appointed Censor Officer is anxious for this room to be opened. It would be appreciated if enquiry could be made and the key returned. It is regretted that there is no further information as to which unit in French Corps enquiries should be made.

By [initials]

Group Captain,  
Officer Commanding,  
H.Q., A.M.G. Eighth Army Main.

Copy to: P.C. Siena Province.

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ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION  
REGION 2

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12 June 1944

Ref: A/ 55/ 55

SUBJECT: - Safe belonging to British Consulate

TO : - R.G. & M.G. Section  
HQ. A.C.C. APO 394 ✓

with reference to your letter 155/4/CA. of 29 May 1944,  
enquiry has been made by the R. Questura criminisi to trace the  
safe referred to, without success.

They have only been able to trace one man who was in any  
way interested in the former British Consulate, others having  
left or died. The one remaining, Prof. ZONGOLI Giuseppe, has no  
knowledge of the article, neither has search at the former offices  
been successful.

Thank you. High Commissioner's office  
Financial 2d Colored Inf  
Liberia 14/c

JOHN T. ZELLIARS  
Col. Inf.  
Regional Commissioner

HEADQUARTERS  
13 JUN 1944  
A/C

John T. Zelliars  
Regional Commissioner  
Treasurer  
Treasurer

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. & H.C. SECTION  
APO 394

13 June 1944

Ref/150/11/2A

SUBJECT: Safe belonging to British Consulate.

TO : R.C. Region II

On the 29 May 44 you were requested in our Ref/150/11/2A to make enquiries regarding a safe belonging to the British Consulate. A reminder was sent to you on 7 June our ref. 150/5/2A but no reply has yet been received. Please treat this matter as urgent.

ROBERT K. FISKE  
Colonel 5639  
Deputy Executive  
Commissioner

Ref/2B

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RECORDED  
ALLIED COMMISSION  
R.D. & R.O. SECTION

Ref/3/13a

6 June 1944

SUBJECT: Property of J. M. Bell.  
(R.D. & R.O. Control)

TO : Major, Section for  
Property Control Sub-Commission.

Letter from H.B.M. Consul, British Consulate,  
Madrid, dated 5 May 1944, is forwarded to you for  
attention. The inventory of personal effects is  
also enclosed.

Howard L. Winkler, Major

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HOWARD L. WINKLER  
Colonel,  
Property Executive  
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. & M.G. Section

Ref/3/ /OA

6 June 1946.

SUBJECT: Property.

J. R. M. Neill, Esq.  
R.A.M. Donald,  
British Consulate,  
Madrid.

Your letter of the 5th May is addressed to Palermo, Sicily, has been forwarded to this HQ. The matter is being taken up by the Property Controller and you will be hearing from him in due course.

*Thomas Keeler May*

MORRIS H. PINEK  
Colonel,  
Deputy Executive  
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
APO 594

Regional Control and Military Government Section.  
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RE: 158/ /GA.

7th June 1946.

SUBJECT: Allied Property - Property Little at Giuliano, Naples.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III.

1. I am directed by the Executive Commissioner to enclose copy of a letter received from the War Office together with copy of a letter from Mr. G.E. Little regarding his property in MALES.
2. Will you please instruct Major Hitchcock in future not to correspond direct with members of the public but that such correspondence should pass through the usual channels.

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(sgd) A J Stewart

Major,  
PA to Executive Commissioner.

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Tel. No.—

Any further communication on the  
subject should be addressed to—  
The Under-Secretary of State,  
The War Office  
(as approved),  
and the following numbers quoted:

C.A. 2/BM/65.

Your Reference.—



1/6 ✓ 7 JUN Recd  
THE WAR OFFICE. (C.A.2).  
HOTEL VICTORIA,  
NORTHUMBERLAND AVENUE,  
LONDON, W.C.2.

27th April, 1944.

SIR,

I am directed to forward to you the attached letter addressed to the Property Controller by Mr. G.E. Little, referring to his property in Naples, and to ask you that the necessary steps should be taken to deal with the request therein.

I am to point out that up to the present date no arrangements have been made whereby members of the public may correspond direct with officials working in Italy, and I am to request that you will ensure that such correspondence should in future be passed through this office.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

J.S. French 5605

M DIRECTOR OF CIVIL AFFAIRS.

Brigadier M.S. Lush, C.B.E., M.C.,  
Executive Commissioner,  
Regional Control & Military Government Section,  
Main H.Q.,  
Allied Control Commission,  
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Yours very sincerely, Yours very sincerely,  
John C. Calhoun John C. Calhoun

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that the author has been compelled to give up his original plan of publishing the book in two volumes, and to issue it in one volume, in consequence of the large number of illustrations which he has added to the work. The author has also made some changes in the text, and has added a new chapter, "The Author's Note," which gives an account of the origin of the book, and of the author's intentions in writing it. The author has also added a new chapter, "The Author's Note," which gives an account of the origin of the book, and of the author's intentions in writing it.

Mr. Hubert Little - Giuliano, 1938.

Your welcome letter of the 2nd instant with enclosed report of the bank of Naples advised the court in effect almost 4 years of complete silence as to the property and chattels abandoned in Neapel and ask you to accept my grateful thanks for the interest you have taken on my behalf for the recovery of the property to which I have devoted the best years of my life.

With reference to my service. Since perforce this news is very distressing and in view of the report the only conclusion I can assume is to recall his appointment as it sadly concerns his administration and a betrayal of trust.

For your guidance previous to our departure on the 11th June, 1900, he was handed a bank book with a credit of Lire. 75,000 in the name of Sylvestre Giuliano on the bank d'America e Italia via St. Raimondo, Naples, together with some titles of exchange which were returning, further the entire production of my cultivation on the 12 acre farm via Cimana, Pezzouli, whereof 1/2 acre was ready for gathering as everything was done even to the sprouting of the apples and pears and under these circumstances I cannot understand how he has established a credit of Lire. 5,406.36 which the bank of Naples refused to recognise for the absence of the necessary documentary evidence.

I would suggest that under the circumstances that you obtain an interview and no doubt he will be able to explain the situation and surrender all the documents, title deeds, contracts and bills of exchange, also the account of the crops sold as aforementioned as I have entered my claim with the Board of Trade giving an approximate estimated value for Lire. 50,000 covering the following crops:-

2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> acres Apples, Pears and Walnuts,	
2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " Potatoes (Royal Midney),	
2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " Chestnut,	
1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " House rooms, slate and brick 3000,	

Further on this farm I have claimed for the store of Suburb of Cosenza, Gubbiate di Amantea, Marte, 30 Chestnut Beans, 2000, Small Kew Beets, and seasoned timber (timber) Astrone, Pezzouli, where a Chestnut Grove which he could have should have been plenty of money in hand on the 10th of June, 1900 so that there to pay the taxes and all expenses.

With regards to a closing another man perhaps some of the British residents who remain here at present would be able to devote some of their time to the administration of this property but farlin? that you could contact the following Gentlemen:-

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the first time, and the author's name is given as "John D. Morris". The book is described as "A Manual of the Geology of the State of New Mexico" and is published by the State Geological Survey. The title page also includes the date "1890".

I am sending you a copy of the Charlotte 2000 article which I think you will find interesting. Let me know what you think of it.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. & M.C. SECTION  
APO 394

Ref/158/6/CA

7 June 1944

SUBJECT: Safe belonging to British Consulate.

TO : R.C. Region II.

Have you yet had an opportunity of making  
enquiries in respect to my 158/4/CA dated 29  
May 1944.

MCGREGOR R. FISKE  
Colonel  
Deputy Executive  
Commissioner

MM/JR

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APO 394.

R.C. & M.G. Section.

Ref: 158/4/OL

29 May 44.

SUBJECT: Safe belonging to British Consulate.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region II.

The attached enquiry regarding a safe, the  
property of the old British Consulate at Brindisi, has  
been passed to this office by Political Section. I am  
directed by the Executive Commissioner to ask you to make  
enquiries and submit a report as soon as possible.

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Re to Executive Commissioner.

(Sgd) E. S. Horan

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Captain,

for Executive Commissioner.

Noted 8/11/44  
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TO: Mr. Caccia, Acting Vice-President, Political Sub-Commission,  
Allied Control Commission.  
FROM: Mr. Garnett, Office of the British High Commissioner in Italy,  
Naples.  
DATE: May 23rd. 1944.

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We have received an enquiry from the Foreign Office  
regarding the availability of a large Milner combination safe  
belonging to the old British Consulate at Brindisi.

I shall be very grateful if the competent Sub-Commission  
of the Allied Control Commission would assist me by enquiring at  
Brindisi as to the present whereabouts of this safe, which is  
urgently required.



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MEMORANDUM.

A Mr. Gale was sent to see me by Brig. Lush today on the subject of his house which was sequestered by the Italians at the beginning of the war and is now requisitioned by the American Air Force and occupied by American officers.

The house is No.13 Via Luigi San Felice, Valero, (it has an entry in Via Giarrusso 37). I rang up an American Captain in the Property Control Sub-Commission and gave him the above details which he promised to pass on to the Property Control Officer in Region III. Meanwhile Mr. Gale is pursuing the matter with 57 Area and if he is unable to get his house back, will come and see me again.

If I am away he should be informed of the above and sent to the Property Control representative in Region III.

1 April 44.

G.W.I. SHARP,  
Lieut. Col.

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16 February 1944

SUBJECT: Property of U.S. National  
TO : Regional Commissioner, Region III

1. An inquiry has been received as to the status of the personal property and household effects of Mrs. Virginia McCleod, an American Citizen, widow of former American Counsel in Naples, Robert McCleod.

2. Mrs. McCleod left Naples at the outbreak of war between the United States and Italy and was subsequently evacuated to the United States with the American official party from Rome. The property was left in a house which she leased at No. 90 Dicessa Marchiaro, Naples.

3. Please advise this Headquarters as to the present status of the property.

By Command of Lieutenant General MASON MacFARLANE:

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NORMAN E. FICK  
Colonel, Cavalry  
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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