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ARREST & RELEASE, CIVILIANS
FEB. - AUG. 1944

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED OFFICIAL DISCUSSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

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Ref/214/205/CA

15 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Arrest of Arnaldo Caserio, Mayor of San Lorenzo Nuovo.

TO : Security Branch, A.C.C.

1. Attached are copies of: a) a letter from Commanding General R.A.A.C., b) a memorandum recommending the personal qualifications of Mr. Caserio, c) further information about Mr. Caserio.
2. The request has come to this Section from Headquarters A.A.I. for information about Mr. Caserio.
3. Major Dollard now in this Section, remembers that when he formerly worked in the Vatican Relations Section under Rome Region and SAAC Colonel Hulcy dealt with the request.
4. On one occasion Monsignor Federici, who made the request for his brother-in-law Mr. Caserio, was informed that Lt. Colonel Hulcy had not been able to trace any record of the whereabouts of Mr. Caserio in any of the Concentration Camps.
5. Therefore it is suggested that the enquiry might properly begin in the Comune of San Lorenzo or at Viterbo.
6. It would be appreciated if we might have this information so that we could give it to Headquarters A.A.I. to whom we have said that we should try to get the information.

W.G.S. Dollard
Major

W.G.S. DOLLARD
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

ICLs 3. Letter from Co. Johnson 5/3/44
memorandum
note from Mons. Federici.

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

Ref/314/204/CA

15 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Arrest of Arnaldo Ossorio, Mayor of San Lorenzo
Nuevo.

TO : Headquarters, A.A.I.

1. This is to acknowledge your letter of 11 August 44
Ref/AAL/3074/24/A(O).
2. We are giving copies of the letters which you for-
warded to the Security Branch with a request for whatever
information they may have.
3. When we have had their answer we shall communicate
it to you.

WAS Dillard
May 11

for
HARRIS E. PIERCE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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SUBJECT: Arrest of ANGELO CASARDO
Mayor of LIVORNO NUOVO.

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HQ ARMD 1122 IN ITALY
AAI/5574/2, (5)
11 AUG 44

Executive Commission,
AC.

20 213 AUG Recd

1. Attached in copy of letter No. V/47 of 5 Aug 44, received from HQ ROMS Allied Area Comd.
2. Can any available information on the matter be supplied to this HQ?

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13 AUG 44
A.C.

Cd P. [initials]
Brigadier,
DAG 5570

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RCMP ALLIED AREA COMMAND
A. L. 794, U.S. ARMY

HW-RA
3 August 1944

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Subject: Mr. Arnaldo Ossorio.

To: The Commanding General, Allied Area in Italy, A.P.O. 777,
U.S. Army.

1. Vatican authorities are intervening in behalf of Mr. Arnaldo Ossorio, Mayor of the Comune of S. Giovanni Lupatoto, who has been arrested by Allied authorities on 23 June 1944.

2. Copy of the original memorandum, together with a copy of the communication just received which gives additional information on the matter, are enclosed.

3. It is requested that any information obtained by your staff, or that proper reply may be made to Vatican officials.

(S20) HARRY H. JOHNSON.
Major General, U.S. Army,
Commanding.

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Incl. 1 - Original memorandum.

Incl. 2 - Note signed by Mons. Federici.

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MEMORANDUM

Arnaldo Cesario, mayor, by order of the Political Authorities of the community of San Lorenzo (Viterbo), finds himself at the disposition of the Allied Authorities in, it seems, a state of arrest since the 28th of June.

Until the present day it has not been possible to ascertain the reason for such a provision, nor -- for as much as is known -- can there be found charges of any kind against him.

Signor Cesario, a man serious and delicate in his Christian duties and those of a citizen, well loved by the people, has a wife and four children. The first son, Fortunato, was enrolled in the militia because he was of age, and was sent to northern Italy. At home have remained his wife, Signora Elena Federini, sister of Hon. Federici of the Secretariat of State of His Holiness and three little children.

Given the alarming health conditions of his wife, and the interests of the agricultural concern of Signor Cesario, it is suggested that prescribed formalities be accelerated in order to obtain the definite consummation of the proceedings so that he be let on back to his family and to his civil activities.

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TRANSLATION

(Papal seal)
Secretaria di Stato
di San Sebastiano.

Nothing has been found out about Mr. ANTONIO CASARIO, Mayor of the Commune of S. Lorenzo Nuovo, who was arrested by the Allied Authorities. In reply to the "Diplomatic Note" of the Secretariat of State the above mentioned authorities asked for further details for their investigation.

Mr. Casario was arrested in the Commune of S. Lorenzo, and therefore the local Authorities can be questioned, or the Authorities of the city of Velletri, because the town of S. Lorenzo is in the Province of Velletri.

Roma. Donato Riccardo Federici.

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

PHONE:
487459

Ref/314/200/CA

12 August 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation ex-Prefect Stanislas Caboni.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters, G-5 Section, APO 512.

1. This is to acknowledge your letter of 9 August 1944,
Ref/G-5: 014.33-31.

2. In view of the fact that Mr. Caboni's wife has had
a serious operation, that she is old, and that the application
for his repatriation has been sponsored by the Interior Sub-
Commission, we should like to renew application to you for his
repatriation.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
For Chief Commissioner.

*16/8/44
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Letter sent to Regional Council
Region I requesting letter
information re compensation grounds
WD*

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
H.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 394

PHONE:
487459

Ref/314/200/GA

12 August 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation ex-Prefect Stanislas Caboni.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters, G-5 Section, APO 512.

1. This is to acknowledge your letter of 9 August 1944, Ref/G-5: 644.33-31.
2. In view of the fact that Mr. Caboni's wife has had a serious operation, that she is old, and that the application for his repatriation has been sponsored by the Interior Sub-Commission, we should like to renew application to you for his repatriation.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. AND M.C. SECTION
APO 594

REF: 487459

Ref/314/200/CA

12 August 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation ex-Prefect Stanislas Caboni.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters, G-5 Section, APO 512.

1. This is to acknowledge your letter of 9 August 1944, Ref/G-5: 014.33-34.
2. In view of the fact that Mr. Caboni's wife has had a serious operation, that she is old, and that the application for his repatriation has been sponsored by the Interior Sub-Commission, we should like to renew application to you for his repatriation.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 014.33-31

9 August 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation - proposed - exprefact
Stanislao.

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TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission
APO 394

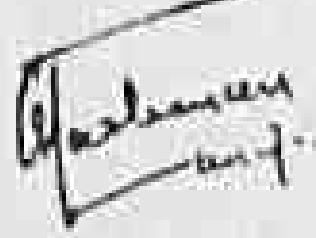
1. Reference is made to your 314/136/CA of 19 June.

2. Enquiries which have been made show that the above named was transferred to 371 P of W Camp on 23 May classified as insecure. Records of G-2 show him as being pro-fascist and anti-allied.

3. It is stated that unless the compassionate grounds are very strong indeed his repatriation cannot be considered.

4. If it is desired that this matter be taken up again please submit a further application.

For the Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:


T. B. JACKMAN
Major

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This is I think
8 AUG 1944

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION VIII

AVR/oa
29 July 1944

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-8 AUG 1944

File : R-VIII/11/P 3/4/8

SUBJECT: Arrest of Italian Nationals

To : HQ, Allied Control Commission, APC 394
(Attention: Administrative Section)

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1. With reference to 314/105/CA dated 7 June 1944 and 314/64/CA dated 20 May 1944.
2. That such a system of dealing with arrests of Italian Nationals is essential, is agreed.
3. To that end the same procedure is being adopted in Region VIII as in Region III, where it operated successfully and was understood by all police agencies, Allied Military and Italian Civil Police, prison staffs and A.M.G. Courts.
4. Supplies of arrest forms (see copy attached) were issued to all Military and Civil Police. The forms were completed in triplicate.
 - (a) One went to the goal where the prisoner was detained pending appearance at Court.
 - (b) One to the appropriate A.M.G. Court.
 - (c) One retained by the unit of the officer arresting for record.

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Robert C. Kirkwood
ROBERT C. KIRKWOOD
Colonel, P.A. U.S. Army
Regional Commissioner

Encl. 1 -- Report of Arrest form

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EVIDENCE (Description)
Refurtiva (Descrizione)

Whereabouts of evidence
Dove è adesso la refurtiva

DISPOSITION OF PERSON ARRESTED
Misure prese circa l'arrestato

Where has the person arrested been taken
Dove è stato portato l'arrestato

WITNESS No. 1
Testimone No. 1

1. Last name, first name, paternity - Cognome, nome, paternità

2. Address
Indirizzo

3. Testimony

Deposizione

WITNESS No. 2
Testimone No. 2

1. Last name, first name, paternity - Cognome, nome, paternità

2. Address
Indirizzo

3. Testimony

Deposizione

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WITNESS No. 1
Testimony No. 1

3. Testimony

Opportunities

WITNESS No. 3
Testimony No. 2.

3. Testimony

Depositions:

Name of arresting officer
Nome dell'agente o Carabiniere

Ann
Matricola

Ueli Kunz

Address of Unit of arresting officer
Station CC RR o Comissariato G.P. 3

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
GOVERN MILITARE ALLEATO

PRISON REGISTRY NUMBER
Numero di matricola del Carcere

REPORT OF ARREST
RAPPORTO D'ARRESTO

For use by the Allied and Italian Police. This form must be completed within
12 hours of the arrest.
Per uso delle Polizie Italiane ed Alleate. Questo modulo deve essere riempito entro
12 ore dall'arresto.

MILITARY POLICE CASE NUMBER
Numero del Registro della Polizia Alleata

PERSON ARRESTED
Persona arrestata

Last name, first name, paternity - Cognome, nome, paternità age - età

Address
Indirizzo

Identification Number
Tessera di Riconoscimento N.

DETAILS OF THE ARREST
Causa dettagliata dell'arresto

Violation of Proclamation No.
Violazione del Proclama N.

Article No.
Articolo N.

Subd.
Contina

Violation of Italian Law
Violazione di Legge Italiana

Place of offense
Luogo del reato

Date of offense
Data del reato

Time
ora

Place of arrest
Luogo dell'arresto

Date of arrest
Data dell'arresto

Time
ora

Facts of offense

Causa dettagliata del reato

RAPPORTO D'ARRESTO

Per uso delle Polizie Italiane ed Alleate. Questo modulo deve essere riempito entro 12 ore dall'arresto.

MILITARY POLICE CASE NUMBER
Numero del Registro della Polizia Armata

PERSON ARRESTED
Persona arrestate

Last name, first name, paternity - *Cognome, nome, paternità* age - *età*

Address

Indirizzo

Identification Number

Tessera di Riconoscimento N°

DETAILS OF THE ARREST

Causa delegata dell'articolo

Violation of Proclamation No.

Violazione del Proclama N.

Violation of Italian Law

Violazione di Legge Italiana

Place of offense:

Luogo del reato

Date of offense

Data del reato

Place of arrest

Luogo dell'arresto

Date of arrest

Data dell'arresto

Facts of offense

Subd.

Article No. 100

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Articolo N.

Time

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Cassa detagliata del regio

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION VIII

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29 July 1944

File : R-VIII/11/P 3/4/8

SUBJECT: Arrest of Italian Nationals

TO : HQ, Allied Control Commission, APO 394
(Attention: Administrative Section)

1. With reference to 314/105/GA dated 7 June 1944 and 314/64/GA dated 20 May 1944.

2. That such a system of dealing with arrests of Italian Nationals is essential is agreed.

3. To that end the same procedure is being adopted in Region VIII as in Region III where it operated successfully and was understood by all police agencies, Allied Military and Italian Civil Police, prison staffs and A.M.G. Courts.

4. Supplies of arrest forms (see copy attached) were issued to all Military and Civil Police. The forms were completed in triplicate.

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(c) One retained by the unit of the officer arresting for record.

Robert C. Kirkwood
ROBERT C. KIRKWOOD
Colonel, P.A. U.S. Army
Regional Commissioner

Encl. 1 -- Report of Arrest form

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

one:
APO 695

Ref/314/194/CA.

3 August 1944.

SUBJECT: Arrest of Avv. Pietro Lecciao.

TO : R.C. Region II.

1. In view of the information in your PS/8 dated 31 July 1944, it is not proposed to take any further action in this matter.
2. The documents sent to you yesterday with our 314/192/CA should be passed on to the authorities concerned.

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NORMAN R. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION II

31 July 1944

REF : PS/8

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SUBJECT: Arrest of App. Pietro Lecciso.

TO : Deputy Executive Commissioner, RC. & AG. Section,
APC 394.

Ref. 314/186/CA of July 22, 1944. Subject, as above.

Briefly the facts are as follows:

App. Lecciso had definite knowledge that an enemy agent was to be dropped behind Allied lines. He not only failed to report the fact, but advised his informant (client) to keep his mouth shut and tell no one. He did likewise after receiving definite information that the enemy agent had been dropped.

Full details can be obtained from G.S.I.(b) 2 District.

The above information is secret and highly important.

G.S.I.(b) 2 District stated that it must not be divulged to Italian authorities or civilians.

Lloyd E. Kelly

LLOYD E. KELLY.
Lt. Col. Inf.
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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2 AUG 1944
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. SECTION
APO 394

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R-2/514/192/CA

2 August 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Adv. Pietro Leoniso.

TO : R.C. Region II

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1. With reference to our letter 514/186/CA dated 22 July 44, attached hereto are translations of two further documents which have reached us concerning this case.
2. It is believed that this man has now been sent to 371 P.W. Camp and if this is so will you please forward these documents to the camp authorities.

NORMAN K. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SECURITY BRANCH
A.P.O. 394

CONFIDENTIAL

Ref. : SB/140 4/3/p.

1 August 1944

1 AUG Recd

Subject : SCHNELL Francesca

TO : CA. Branch

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1. Reference your 314/108/CA of 11 June 44 and subsequent correspondence.

2. We have now been informed by G.S.I.(b) that the release of the above named woman from 371 P.W. Camp. has been authorised by HQ 3 District.

FOR THE DIRECTOR:

11/8/44

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John A. McKay
JOHN A. MCKAY,
Major,
Security Branch.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref 314/190/CA

29th July 1944

SUBJECT: Political Prisoners
TO : Security Branch

1. There is forwarded to you letter from Public Safety Sub-Commission (Ref AGC/14029/RS) of 29th July 1944 for your attention.

2. Will you please deal with the inquiries released in that letter and the correspondence attached.

J.
HORMAN E. FINE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Copy to:

Admin. Section for information

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

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Ref/314/189/CA

27 July 1944.

SUBJECT: SCHNELL Francesco.

TO : Col. Nelson W. Montfort, AUS.

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1. With reference to your letter of the 6th June 1944, addressed to the Chief Commissioner, this case has been investigated.
2. This lady is now at 371 PW Camp. Security Branch have however asked that priority be given to this case and that it be reviewed in light of your letter.

per

NORMAN E. PIERCE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Folio 107

This lady Francisca
SCHNELL is now at
371 P.W. Camps. All
Germans are held in
these camps unless
over 80. Security
Br. have however asked
that priority be given
to this case & that it be
renewed in light of
the application.

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

Ref/314/187/CA

24 July 1944

SUBJECT: SCHINELL, Francesco.

TO : Security Branch

Reference this HQ. letter 314/108/CA of 11 June 44 can any further information now be given.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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

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Ref/XA/186/CA

22 July 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of *Avv. Pietro Loccisio*.

TO : R.C. Region II

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1. Herewith is translation in duplicate of a memorandum from the Ministry of Justice concerning the arrest of the above at LEOCH.
2. Will you please ascertain the facts of the case and let us know as soon as possible.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to:

Admin. Sect. (for Legal & Public Safety Sub-Commissions.)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, Post
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

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20 July 1944.

MEMORANDUM TO : RC & MG Section (CAP - Attn: Capt. Morden).

SUBJECT : Transmittal.

With reference our telephone conversation today I am enclosing herewith a memorandum and translation received from the Ministry of Justice. I understand that you will take this up with the military officials concerned.

Richard H. Wilmer

R. H. WILMER.
Colonel, CAC.
Acting Chief Legal Officer.

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COPY

Il giorno 14 luglio è stato fermato a Lecce dalla Polizia degli Alleati, l'Avv. PISTRO LECCISO, fiduciario provinciale del Partito Democrazia Cristiana, valoroso e stimato professionista, componente il Comitato di liberazione sin da prima della caduta del fascismo. Persona di alta e specchiata moralità sociale e politica, componente del Consiglio dell'Ordine degli Avvocati della Provincia di Lecce.

Il fermo è stato operato a seguito di una visita improvvisa eseguita da un ufficiale ed un sottufficiale della suddetta Polizia che han chiesto di sapere dall'Avv. LECCISO il contesto di un colloquio di carattere professionale da lui avuto due giorni prima con un tal PATICCHIA di Garmiano (piccola Comune della Provincia di Lecce, distante circa 7 Km. dal capoluogo).

L'Avv. Lecciso pare abbia confermato di aver ricevuto la visita del Paticchia ma pare che si fosse rifiutato di rivelare il contesto del colloquio affermando che il "segreto professionale" glielo vietasse. Dopo un'accurata perquisizione di tutte le carte di studio, senz'alcun esito positivo, ché data la persona retta dell'Avv. Lecciso, nulla avrebbe potuto in alcun caso trovarsi, i detti Ufficiali della Polizia invitarono l'Avv. Lecciso a seguirli, e da quel giorno quest'ultimo trovandosi rinchiuso nel Penitenziario di Lecce.

Si sono interessati di conoscere i motivi del fermo: S.E. il Vescovo di Lecce (che ha fatto garanzia con la sua persona della rettitudine e della figura morale e professionale dell'Avv. Lecciso), S.E. il Prefetto della Provincia; gli aderenti al Partito sono in vivo fermento per garantire sotto ogni aspetto la persona dell'Avv. Lecciso, convinti appieno che questi non debba rispondere di nulla che menomi la sua spiccata dignità di uomo e di professionista esemplare, serio e corretto.

Deve escludersi nella maniera più ferma che anche se richiesto il prelodato Avvocato (il quale si occupa di materia civile e commerciale e non di materia penale) di consiglio o di assistenza dal Paticchia in questioni men che lecite o di altra natura, abbia potuto compromettersi sotto alcun aspetto.

E' necessario, quanto mai urgente - per tantissime ragioni di carattere politico e personale - rime tere a piè libero l'Avv. Lecciso.

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TRANSLATION

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MEMORANDUM

On 12th July the Allied Police arrested at Lecce Avv. Pietro Lecciso Provincial Treasurer (Riduciario) of the Christian Democratic Party, a man courageous and highly esteemed professionally, a member of the Committee of Liberation since the first fall of fascism, a man of high and unblemished character both social and political, a member of the Consiglio dell'Ordine degli Avvocati of the Province of Lecce.

The arrest was made following a sudden visit by an Officer and an N.C.O. of the aforesaid Police who asked Avv. Lecciso for information regarding the subject matter of a conversation of a professional nature which he had had two days before with a certain Patricchia of Carmiano (a little Commune in Lecce Province about 9 Km. from the Provincial capital).

Avv. Lecciso admitted that Patricchia had visited him but refused to divulge the subject matter of the conversation claiming that professional secrecy forbids it. After a thorough search of all the papers in his office, without any success as with the opposition of Avv. Lecciso was bound to be the case - the said officers of the Police asked Avv. Lecciso to follow them and from that day he has been detained in the "Penitenziario" at Lecce.

The following wish to know the reasons for the arrest: A.E. the Archbishop of Lecce (who has personally guaranteed the integrity and the moral and professional status of Avv. Lecciso) - A.E. the Prefetto of the Province; the members of the Party are most eager to guarantee from any point of view Avv. Lecciso, being fully convinced that they will not be called upon to answer for anything in the least for a man of such outstanding worth and exemplary professional character, seriously-minded and correct.

Even if the aforesaid Avv. (whose practice is civil and commercial and not penal) was asked for advice or help by Patricchia regarding lawful or other matter, it must be most strongly denied that he could thereby compromise himself in any way at all.

It is necessary and indeed most urgent for pressing reasons of personal and political nature that Avv. Lecciso should be freed.

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

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Ref/314/182/GA

20 July 1944

SUBJECT: Record of Arrests Rome Region.

TO : Admin. Sect. (for Public Safety Sub-Comm.)

Records of arrests submitted by Rome Region are forwarded to you for information.

JW
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Sub-Commission
APO 394

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REFERENCE : ACC/4017/L.

19 Jul 44.

SUBJECT : Record of Arrests in ROME Region.

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section .

attached to Cover

1. The attached papers appear to have been sent to this Sub-Commission in error, since we have not asked for returns and cannot take any useful action on them.

2. They are accordingly forwarded to you for disposal as necessary.

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J. MORE,
Capt.,
for Acting Chief Legal Officer.

CC
Forwarded to
Adm Sec (P.S.)
H 20/7.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. Section
APO 594

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Ref/JM/180/GA.

13 July 1944.

SUBJECT: Greek Subjects.

TO : Int. & Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.

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Your letter IDP/566/101-6 of 10 July 1944 is acknowledged. Please let this Branch know the decision come to by Allied P.W. Repatriation Unit (Naples) with regard to the seven Greeks concerned, in due course.

JM

NORMAN A. PERK,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/311/179/GA

13 July 1944

SUBJECT: Greek Subjects.

TO : AFIR (G-5)

1. Reference your Signal F66599 of 30 June 44, Comdr. Mallasinos, Head of Greek Mission, has carefully investigated this case and reports that the seven Greeks concerned have been pretending to be Cypriot soldiers in order to receive better treatment whilst in captivity.

2. The head of the Greek Military Mission intends to settle this matter with Lt. Col. Robinson, Hq. Allied P.W. Repatriation Unit (Naples). You will be kept informed of the position.

Jph
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner
For Acting Chief
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SECURITY BRANCH
A.F.O. 394

Ref. : SB/500 (25)

7 July 1944

Subject: Prof. Riccardo del Giudice

To : Deputy Executive Commissioner

1. Professor Riccardo del Giudice was one of the priority arrests of O.S.S. who have investigated his case, before recommending internment. This was approved by Rome Area Command G.2. and he has been transferred to 371 P.O.W. Camp.

2. May I suggest these testimonials be sent ^{by} our representative at 371 P.O.W. camp for consideration when the case is reviewed.
or write so informed.

S. J. Harvey
S. J. HARVEY

Major

Security Branch

I have seen Major S. J. Harvey who states this letter was discussed by Col. Drake - 12/78. Put away.

JLH 12/7

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Carissimo,

mi permetto caldamente
quanti riguarda Ad. Guis-
ce e la esorto a spendere
una parola per lui - e
una persona buona - e
che ora condotti in
luogo si concentrano
a fiviterichis, auttame-
ra si deportazione!

Non lo merita -

Grati a lei

Deveny
Rosen
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INTERNEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

10 July 1944

IDP/566/101-6

SUBJECT : Greek Subjects

TO : R.C. & M.G. Section, A.C.C.

1. Reference your letter 314/154/CA dated 2 July 44.

2. Comdr MELLSSINOS Head of Greek Mission has carefully investigated this case and I am informed that the seven Greeks concerned have been pretending to be Cypriot Soldiers in order to receive better treatment whilst they were in captivity. The Head of the Greek Military Mission intends to settle this matter with Lt. Col. Robinson, H.Q. Allied P.W. Repatriation Unit (Naples).

For the Director.

(C.F. Fothergill)
C.F. FOTHERGILL
Lt. Colonel
Deputy Director

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMAND DISTRICT
R.C. & M.C. DISTRICT
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Ref/SU/175/CA

9 July 1944

SUBJECT: Case, Prince - Witnesses.

TO : R.C. Region II

Ref. your 2201/79/A of 26 June 44.

1. If Lt. R.R. Hinkley 4742, R.R. Hinkley 20122701 is required as a witness it is suggested that the District Hq. be contacted and full information given to them of the officer's number unit and last known location. The Hq. District will probably be able to trace the unit and forward instructions for the attendance of this officer as a witness.

[Signature]

HUGH H. PINE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to:

Adm. Sect. (for Legal Sub-Comm. Your 4083/1/L of 6 July 1944 refers.)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
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ACC/4083/1/L

6 Jul 44

SUBJECT: Case - Prince.

TO : RC & MC Section.

1. Reference our letter 4083/1/L of 5/4/44 to R.C. Region 2, of which a copy was sent to you.

2. Enclosed is a copy of a letter of 15/6/44 from the Avvocato Generale of the Court of Appeal at Potenza, which has been forwarded to this Subcommittee by the Ministry of Justice and which suggests that the tracing of Lt. Hilshoff may be necessary for reasons additional to those mentioned in RC's letter.

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J. MORE, Capt.
for Chief Legal Officer.

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COPY

PROCURA GENERALE DEL RE PRESSO LA SEZ. DI CORTE DI APPELLO DI POTENZA

Ref. No. 925

SUBJECT: Communication.

Potenza 15 June 44
to Minister of Pardon and Justice
Salerno.

In the course of duty I beg to transmit to Your Excellency the following telegram dated 13th of this month from the Procuratore del Re of the Tribunale of Iagonegro, received by me this morning.

"I beg to report officially that on Friday last, 9th, American Lieutenant JETISKOFF arrived at this prison to interview prisoners PRINCE NICOZA and VINCENZO accused of theft of clothing and L70,000 from him. The prisoners persisting in their denial, said officer beat them until blood flowed, signed an order for their release on the spot, and took the two prisoners with him to the scene of the crime Castelluccio Inferiore. This morning 12th, the two prisoners were returned to prison. American officers according to his own statement regained possession of 54,000 lire and various articles of clothing retrieved from the Prince house. Details follow - Reggio Procuratore Calabrese."

I will send the details and information to Your Excellency when they come to hand.

L'Avvocato Generale -
(Signature undecipherable).

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. SECTION
APO 324

7 July 1944

Ref/324/72/CA

SUBJECT: Greek Subjects.

TO : Inter Communal Committee of Refugees, Av. Ho. ACO
Attn: Sir Heathcote Smith.

1. AFHQ are making enquires concerning the unidentified Greek subjects who were arrested and sent to prisons or concentration camps in Italy because of their pro-Allied activities.

Sgt. Major VAPLADIS ALEX
APKOURASTOS NICHOLAS
SAKELLARIOU CORINT
NICOLOPoulos HARAL

All ex Athens

STROUDOLAKIS PEN

Ex PIRAEUS

DOUAS E

Ex KALAMIS

FILIPOU CORINT

Ex SAINTONIA

2. If you can supply any information which will help in tracing these Greek subject we shall be obliged.

*See 164
BU 17 July
[Signature]*

IRVING E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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

Ref/314/1/CA

7 July 1944

SUBJECT: Internees, - Major (NAVALENG) EDMUNDO RUSSO
TO : Security Branch

The attached copy letter from The Ministry of Marine
dated 26 June 44 has been forwarded to this Headquarters by
the Naval Sub-Commission. Will you please look into the
matter and let this Headquarters have your views in due course.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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

Ref/SLA/70/0A

7 July 1944

SUBJECT: Greek Subjects.

TO : AFHQ (G-5)

1. Reference your Signal F66599 of 20 June 44.
 2. No definite information is available concerning the 7 Greek Subjects mentioned in your Signal.
 3. It is known that:
 - a. During July 1943, 13 Greek subjects were in prison at Vibo Valentia.
 - b. During August 1943 71 Greek subjects were in prison at Procida.
 - c. 25 Allied soldiers including Greeks and Yugoslavs were held in jail by the Italian authorities at Ottaviano. They were released by forward troops of 1 Canadian Div. in September, 1943.
 4. Regarding 3 c. Two of the Greeks concerned were:
 - a. PAULSON John, Canadian subject of Greek origin, British Secret Service Agent (now with HQ 13 Corps)
 - b. PUMFURA Avamandio, Greek Army officer and agent, (now with 13 Corps)
- It is possible that these two men might be in a position to give further information concerning the 7 Greek subjects of enquiry.
5. If the names of the persons concerned were circulated by the Ministry of Grace and Justice to all prisons it might be possible to obtain further information from prison records. This has not been done in view of the SECRET nature of the enquiry. If you desire this to be done we shall do so but it will take a little time to get an answer. Further enquiries are however being made and you will be informed of the result.

plc
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner
For Chief Commissioner

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- 6 JUL 1944

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MAJOR EDMONDO RUSSO.
(Ministry of Marine's letter No. 413/FC dated 21st
June 1944.)

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No. T.A. 1027/163.

R.C. & M.G. SECTION,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, NAPLES.

Forwarded. Your remarks would be
appreciated.

[Signature: O. R. Morgan]

REAR-ADMIRAL.

TARANTO.
27th June, 1944.

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- 1 JUL 1944
A. C. C.

[Handwritten: 7/7]

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From: Ministr. of Marine (Cabinet)
To: P O L I
Date: 21.6.44
Ref.: 413/FO.

Subject: Major (Naval Eng.) Edmondo RUSSO (Demobil.)

1) = In the month of Nov. last, Major (N.Eng.) Edmondo RUSSO (demobilized), who went to Vico Equense from Naples in Jan. '43, was called by an Allied Officer and told to abstain from political activities in favour of the old Fascist regime.

Major RUSSO enrolled in the Fascist Party in 1940, so as to be able to make his living, and for a short time was Instructor to the G.I.L. (Fascist Youth Movement) at V. Equense, but did not in truth take part in any political activity, so that he was immediately set at liberty without any measures being taken against him.

Seven months later, however, he was detained and interned in a concentration camp, believed to be that at Padula (Salerno).

2) = This Ministry is not aware of the reasons for RUSSO's internment, and cannot therefore express an opinion; but as he is a man who has served with I.R.N., we request your Command to kindly consider whether it would not be suitable to approach the Anglo-American Authorities so that this matter concerning RUSSO be re-examined. It is thought that in this manner - circumstances may be made known which are favourable to RUSSO and which would support a case to enable him to regain his liberty and so work to maintain his family.

DG.-)



Chief of Cabinet.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394.

5 July 1944.

REFERENCE : ACG/4083/1/L.

SUBJECT : Case - Prince.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region 2.

1. Reference your letter 2201/79/A of 26 June 1944 to R.C. & M.C. Section - copy to this Sub-Commission.

2. If, as we understand, you are asking for Lieutenant M. T. Hilshoff to be traced for the purpose of this case, may information as to his last known location please be sent to R.C. & M.C. section as soon as possible, together with any other information which would assist in tracing him?

RICHARD H. WILMER,
Colonel C.A.C.
Acting Chief Legal Officer.

JW/wcs. Copy to : R.C. & M.C. section.

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

Ref/SL4/166/CA

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6 July 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest and Release of Civilians.

TO : R.C. Rome Region.

1. The list of names of people arrested by the Allied Military Government released for the press on 27 June was, as you know, in part erroneous in that it included the names of five generals who had not been arrested.

2. A correction was published on the following day, 28 June, but meanwhile much embarrassment was caused to those whose names appeared in the list by mistake, especially to General Corica who felt it was a deliberate attempt to discredit him.

3. Executive Memorandum No. 47 which calls for reference to the Public Relations Branch on such matters was drawn up to avoid unfortunate incidents like this.

4. Would you please check into the matter of procedure that is being followed and ensure that everything is done to avoid a recurrence.

M.S. LUNN
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

Copy to:

Acting Chief Commissioner. (Your A/CC 250 of 4 July refers.)

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HEADQUARTERS,
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION,
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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 311/165/CA.

6 July 44.

SUBJECT: Arrest at Venosa (Potenza).

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Region II.

There is forwarded to you letter from Provincial Commissioner, POTENZA, with report attached and copy of Communist newspaper "Azione Proletaria". We have been unable to discover who asked for the information and it may be that the enquiries came from your HQ., and that the letter was forwarded here in error.

JFK

HORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

C.A. Room

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ACC/14073/3/PS

4th July, 1944

SUBJECT : Greek Subjects.

TO : Executive Commissioner. 154

1. Reference your 314/154/CA dated 2 July, 1944.
2. No definite information is available concerning the 7 Greek subjects mentioned in copy signal from AFHQ.
3. It is known that:
 - a) During July 1943, 13 Greek subjects were in prison at Vibo Valentia.
 - b) During August 1943 71 Greek subjects were in prison at Procida.
 - c) 25 Allied soldiers including Greeks and Jugoslavs were held in jail by the Italian authorities at Catanzaro. They were released by forward troops of 1 Canadian Div. in Sept. 1943.
4. Regarding 3 (c). Two of the Greeks concerned were:
 - a) PAULSON John. Canadian Subject of Greek origin. British Secret Service Agent (now with HQ 13 Corps)
 - b) PUMPUA Avamandio. Greek army officer and agent (now with 13 Corps)

It is possible that these two men might be in a position to give further information concerning the 7 Greeks, subject of enquiry. 72

5. If the names of the persons concerned were circulated by the Ministry of Grace and Justice to all prisons, it might be possible to obtain further information from prison records. This has not been done in view of the SECRET nature of this enquiry.

Paul G. Kirk
PAUL G. KIRK,
Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Public Safety
Sub-Commission. 3629

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

Ref/514/155/CA

3 July 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest at Venosa (Potenza)
TO : Security Branch. ✓

There is forwarded to you letter from Provincial Commissioner, POTENZA, with report attached and copy of Communist newspaper "Azione Proletaria". It is not known who made the request by phone but it may have been from your Branch. If you did not phone will you please return all documents with your comments.

See Cover
Norman E. Fiske
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to:
P.C. Potenza (Correspondence should be sent through Region II)

JBR/JR

CAB Not advised for by us. Suspect Rott
copy S/C may be interested for
the copy of newspaper should be
forwarded to the
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SECURITY BRANCH
APO 394

4 July 1944

Ref. : SB/140.I.

Subject : Greek Subjects.

To : Civil Affairs Branch.

1. Reference your 314/CA of 2 July 1944, we have no record of these men.

2. A note of the names have been taken and, should we hear of them in the course of our duties you will be informed.

For the Director:

314 57 P/A

John A. McKay
JOHN A. MCKAY,
Major,
SECURITY BRANCH.

Reference SB/140.I of 2 July 1944. It is requested that you are making investigation which report will be submitted to this branch.

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4 JUL 1944

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Office of the Acting Chief Commissioner
APO 394

LDD/hjp

A/CC 250

4 July 1944

MEMORANDUM:

TO: Executive Commissioner, Hq ACC

1. Reference to attached memo of 29 June from the Deputy Executive Commissioner, relative to release to the press of names of people arrested by AMG.

2. The Acting Chief Commissioner suggests that a letter along the following lines under signature of the Executive Commissioner be sent to the Regional Commissioner, Rome Region:

"1. The list of names of people arrested by the Allied Military Government released for the press on 27 June was, as you know, in part erroneous in that it included the names of five generals who had not been arrested.

"2. A correction was published on the following day, 28 June, but meanwhile much embarrassment was caused to those whose names appeared in the list by mistake, especially to General Cerica who felt it was a deliberate attempt to discredit him.

"3. Executive Memorandum No. 47 which calls for reference to the Public Relations Branch on such matters was drawn up to avoid unfortunate incidents like this.

"4. Would you please check into the matter of procedure that is being followed and ensure that everything is done to avoid a recurrence."

3. Will you please handle this matter.

For the Acting Chief Commissioner:

L. D. Densmore
L. D. DENSMORE
Colonel, Sig C
Chief Staff Officer

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Ltr, Adv Hq ACC, from Dep
Ex C, 29 June 1944

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Ex C, 29 June 1944*

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Ex C, 29 June 1944*

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HEADQUARTERS
(Adv.)
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

29 June 1944

Memo:

OSA 1579
- 4 JUL 1944

To : Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission

1. A very unfortunate situation has arisen due to the fact that Rome Region released to the press a list of names of people who had been arrested by the Allied Military Government. This list included the names of five generals who in fact have not been arrested, among them General Cerica who had been appointed by Marshal Badoglio as head of the Carabinieri.

2. I have released a retraction to the press and have asked Rome Region to explain inclusion of these men. General Cerica feels that it was a deliberate attempt to discredit him vis-a-vis piecemeal in order to be sure that the latter supersede him when the Italian Government moves to Rome.

3. The release of these names was made without reference to the Public Relations Branch, in violation of Executive Memorandum No. 47.

*Attached
to Cover*

Norm E. Fiske

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive Commissioner

Encl. 1 clipping

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Colonel Poletti

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PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

PRB/R1/18

28 June 1944.

Press Release - Immediate.

Owing to a misunderstanding which is much regretted, the following names were included in error in the list given out at Colonel Poletti's conference on Tuesday, June 27 and published in the press on Wednesday, June 28:

General Cerica
General Poli
General Aymonino
General Coletti
General Crimi.

The above have NOT been arrested, and due apology is made for their inclusion in the list.

In the same list the name Principe Gabriele d'Annunzio should read Gabriele Gravina Cruillas.

Comunicato Stampa

I giornali di mercoledì 28 Giugno riportando le dichiarazioni del Col. Poletti alla stampa alleata ed italiana, hanno comunicato un elenco di personalita fasciste tratte in arresto. Erroneamente in questa lista figurano i nomi dei Generali Cerica, Poli, Aymonino, Coletti e Crimi. Questi generali non sono stati affatto arrestati, e l'inclusione dei loro nomi nella predetta lista e' dovuta ad uno spiacevole malinteso. Anche la notizia dell'arresto di Gabriele D'Annunzio, il cui nome figura nel solito elenco, e' sbagliata: al posto di Gabriele D'Annunzio bisogna leggere Gabriele Gravina Cruillas.

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HEADQUARTERS,
ARMED FORCES COMMISSION,
APO 39.

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Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 74/120/91.

Adm: 1244.

SUBJECT: Civilian Arrested on Security Grounds.

TO : HMM Region.
(Attn: Lt. Col. Pollack).

1. Reference is made to your letter of 16 June 64 addressed to Colonel Fiske, copy to Executive Commissioner.
2. For your personal there is attached herewith copy of opinion by Legal Sub-Commission dated 2 July 64.

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JER/AL.

ROBERT E. FISK,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Colonel Fiske, APO Adv 34.
Lt. Col. Fletcher, G-2 Sec, HMM
Area Command.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Administrative Section

4005/L

SUBJECT: Alleged political prisoners - ROME.

TO : RCMG. Section.

Reference your 314/150/CA, dated 1 July, 1944.

1. Attached is the SLG's opinion asked for, from which you which you will see that he agrees with the views expressed by AAI that the procedure adopted is not contrary to International Law.
2. The view expressed by Lt. Col Pollock is not concurred with.

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S.H. White, Lt. Col
for A/Head Adm Sec.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394

2 Jul 44

SUBJECT: Alleged political prisoners - ROME

MEMO TO: Adm Sec

1. According to the attached correspondence there would appear to be three classes of prisoners lodged in the special wing of the prison in ROME:

- (a) persons who may have committed hostile acts against the Allied Forces such as sabotage, espionage, etc., and,
- (b) persons whose presence at large would be regarded as dangerous to military security, and,
- (c) suspected persons who may be determined to fall under neither (a) nor (b).

It also appears that reasonably prompt efforts are being made to determine in which classification these people fall so that if in classification (a) they may be tried, or if in classification (b) they may be sent to a POW camp as internees, or if in neither classification (a) nor (b) they may be released.

The above seems to be clear from the attached telegram of the 26 Jun 44. Under international law I see no objection to this procedure so long as this screening is done reasonably speedily and that as soon as a person is determined to fall merely into the internee class he is removed to a camp suitable for that purpose. International law recognizes the fact that even military prisoners of war may have to be held temporarily in jails etc. under the exigencies of a given situation. However internees like military prisoners of war should be removed to proper places of detention as quickly as possible. Certainly there can be no objection to hold in jail a person genuinely suspected of crime.

2. Lt.Col.Pollock in his attached letter of 16 Jun 44 refers to "political prisoners". This appears to be an improper description of all the classifications referred to in para 1 above. However as prospective internees are the people he particularly has in mind, I have dealt with that point at greater length. The rest is self evident anyway.

Richard H. Wilmer
RICHARD H. WILMER,
Colonel, C.A.C.
Acting Chief Legal Officer.

Copy to: File ACC/4005/7 (Legal Opinions).

Incls: Cable AAI to ACC, Ref 466 dated 26 Jun 44
Letter Rome Area Command to Col Fiske, Dated 16 Jun 44
Cable ACC to AAI, Ref 6492 dated 20 Jun 44
Letter ROME Sec to Adm Sec Ref/314/150/CA dated 1 Jul 44
(With indorsement Adm Sec to Legal dated 2 Jul 44)

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CENSORSHIP COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/304/155/GA

3 July 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest at Venosa (Potenza)

TO : Security Branch.

There is forwarded to you letter from Provincial Commissioner, POTENZA, with report attached and copy of Communist newspaper "Azione Proletaria". It is not known who made the request by phone but it may have been from your branch. If you did not phone will you please return all documents with your comments.

[Signature]
WILLIAM K. FINE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to:

P.C. Potenza (Correspondence should be sent through
Region III)

JMR/JR

[Handwritten signature]
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394.

Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 314/153/C.A.

2nd July 1944.

SUBJECT: Greek Subjects.

TO : Security Branch.

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There is attached for your information copy
signal received from A.P.H.Q. with regard to the arrest
and imprisonment of certain Greek subjects. Will you
please investigate and report as soon as possible.

B. U. 112 [unclear] [unclear] P.S. for [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear]
NORMAN B. PIRKH,

NORMAN E. PIERCE,
Colonel, Deputy
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to: Public Safety S/Com. } Can you give
Displaced Persons S/Com } any information?

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INCOMING MESSAGE

TO: ACC MAIN

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 82/01

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACHED CLASSIFICATION: SECRET

PRECEDENCE: DEFERRED

REFERENCE No: P66599

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: JUNE 30 1844 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE..PHLIA

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

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Ref/SLA/150/GA.

1 July 1944.

SUBJECT: Alleged Political Prisoners - ROME.

TO : Admin. Section.

I forward copies of letter and two telegrams on this subject and will be grateful for your opinion on the comments contained in AAI's reply to our telegram.

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NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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

Ref/314/149/GA

29 June 1944

SUBJECT: Case -- Prince.

TO : Admin. Section (for Legal Sub-Comm.)

Reference letter from Region II addressed to this
Section copy to you dated 26 June 44. Please advise this
Headquarters of the action taken.

J.M.

MORRIS E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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Ref : 2201/79/A

SUBJECT : Case - Prince.

TO : RC & MG Section H.Q., A.C.C., Naples

COPY TO : CIO Legal Sub-Commission,
H.Q., Allied Control Commission, Salerno

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 2.

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1. Two accused, named Prince, are at present under arrest at Lagonegro on a charge of theft of about L.70,000 and some documents belonging to a Lieut. M.T. Hilshoff 4742 R.E. Movmt 20122701.
2. This officer apparently went to the gaol and demanded an interview with the accused. He is then alleged to have assaulted them, and as a result of the assault it is stated that the accused disgorged about L.50,000.
3. The accused state in their verbales on the other hand that they had nothing to do with the robbery, and that the money they paid to Lieut. Hilshoff was borrowed by them from their friends, and that they paid his money because they were in fear of their lives.
4. As the case stands at the moment there is insufficient evidence to convict the accused, and it is essential that Lieut. Hilshoff should attend at the trial to give evidence.
5. The Procuratore del Re at Lagonegro says that the hearing can take place on any day (except Fridays Saturdays and Sundays) on which it will be convenient for Lieut. Hilshoff to attend.
6. In view of the accused men's defence it is thought that this is not a case which should be allowed to go by default.

*Find out if legal have
this in hand*

John T. Zellers
JOHN T. ZELLERS
Colonel INF 3013
R.O. Region 2.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

TO: ACC MATH INFO ROME AREA COMAND

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: N 67/28

FROM: ADV AAI

CLASSIFICATION: CONFIDENTIAL

REFERENCE No: I(b) 466

PRECEDENCE: NAE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: JUNE 25/1944 OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

Nº 6042 / 142

REF YOUR MESSAGE DATED 20 JUNE REGARDING INTERNEES CONFINED ROME. MESSAGE NOT PROPERLY UNDERSTOOD AS PARTIALLY CORRUPT. SPECIAL WING OF RHETICA COMLI CAOL BEING USED FOR CONFINEMENT ALL PERSONS ARRESTED BY ALLIED AUTHORITIES ON SECURITY GROUNDS. GREAT MAJORITY ARE BEING DETAINED PENDING INVESTIGATION IN CONNECTION LARGE ESPIONAGE SABOTAGE ORGANIZATION LEFT BY ENEMY IN ROME. IN THESE CASES INVESTIGATIONS PROCEEDING AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE TO DETERMINE WHETHER INDIVIDUALS ARE TO BE RELEASED INTERNED OR TRIED. SMALL PROPORTION THOSE CONFINED ARE PROMINENT FASCIST TYPE ARRESTED WITH VIEW INTERNMENT. DISPATCH OF THESE TO 371 PW CAMP IS IN PROGRESS. NO POLITICAL INTERNEES INVOLVED ALL ARE SECURITY CASES. ABOVE BELIEVED IN ACCORDANCE INTERNATIONAL LAW AND IS SIMILAR TO PROCEDURE FOLLOWED THROUGHOUT ITALIAN CAMPAIGN

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TO: ACC IN DTG ROME AREA COMMAND

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: N 67/28

FROM: ADV AAI

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REFERENCE No: I(b) 466

PRECEDENCE: NONE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: JUNE 26/1944 OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

Nº 6492 / 142

REF YOUR MESSAGE DATED 20 JUNE REGARDING INTERNEES CONFINED ROME. MESSAGE NOT PROPERLY UNDERSTOOD AS PARTIALLY CORRUPT. SPECIAL WING OF REGINA CONTI CAOL BEING USED FOR CONFINEMENT ALL PERSONS ARRESTED BY ALLIED AUTHORITIES ON SECURITY GROUNDS. GREAT MAJORITY ARE BEING DETAINED PENDING INVESTIGATION IN CONNECTION LARGE ESPIONAGE SABOTAGE ORGANIZATION LEFT BY ENEMY IN ROME. IN THESE CASES INVESTIGATIONS PROCEEDING AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE TO DETERMINE WHETHER INDIVIDUALS ARE TO BE RELEASED INTERRED OR TRIED. SMALL PROPORTION THOSE CONFINED ARE PROMINENT FASCIST TYPE ARRESTED WITH VIEW INTERMENT. DISPATCH OF THESE TO 371 PW CAMP IS IN PROGRESS. NO POLITICAL INTERNEES INVOLVED ALL ARE SECURITY CASES. ABOVE BELIEVED IN ACCORDANCE INTERNATIONAL LAW AND IS SIMILAR TO PROCEDURE FOLLOWED THROUGHOUT ITALIAN CAMPAIGN

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Executive Commissioner.

On 11th June (Folio 108) you asked Security Branch to make investigations concerning the arrest of a 60 year old German lady Francesca SCHNEEL. Security reply that they have been unable to trace the arrest of this woman but have written to 371 PW camp to find out if she is there. I shall let you know when any further communication comes in.

J. Kearney Maj.

27th June 44

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SECURITY BRANCH
APO 394

Ref : SB/14CH.

26 June 1944

SUBJECT : SCHNELL, Francesca.

TO : C.A. Branch.

1. Reference your 314/108/CA of 11 June 44.
2. Enquiry has been made of I(b) HQ., A.A.I., and of C.I.C. and F.S.S. Naples but no record of the arrest of this woman can be found.
3. I have written to 371 PW Camp to find out if the woman is, in fact, interned and the result will be communicated to you as soon as possible.

FOR THE DIRECTOR:

John A. McKay
JOHN A. MCKAY,
MAJOR,
SECURITY BRANCH.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION
APO 394

ACC/5/20/Int.

25th June, 1944.

SUBJECT: Ex-Prefect CABONI, Stanislaw.

TO : HQ & MG Section.

ACC/5/20/Int

1. With reference to this Sub-Commission's letter ACC/1/1/4/Int dated 12th June, 1944.

2. The attached copy of letter AAI/1479/1/GSI(b) dated 23rd June from HQ Allied Armies In Italy is forwarded for your further information.

Ralph J. Spicer
Capt.

for
R.G.B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Interior Sub-Commission.

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27 JUL 1944

H.Q. ALLIED ARMS IN ITALY.

SUBJECT: Ex- Prefect CARONI Stanislaw.

C O N F I D E N T I A L

AAI/1479/1/CI(b)

23 Jun 44.

Interior Sub-Commission,
Rear HQ., A.C.C.

Reference your AGC/14/1/1/INT dated 24 May 44.

1. AFHQ letter B-38,450/2-A dated 17 Jun 44 states that subject was transferred to 371 PW. Camp on 23 May 44. He was classified as "insecure" and PM, L.B.S. was so advised. No arrangements have been made for his release.

(Signed) D. Murray. Capt.
for Brigadier,
B.G.S.(I).

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

June 21st, 1944

ACC/1450/21/PS

SUBJECT : Arrest of Maggiore TERRUZI

TO : RC & MG Section. ✓

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Reference your 314/135/CA dated 19 June, 1944.

This Sub-Commission concurs in the opinion that this matter should be considered closed.

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Paul G. Kirk

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PAUL G. KIRK
Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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ACC MAIN (Civil Affairs Branch)

20 June 1944

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ALSO FOR ROSE REGION FROM ACC MAIN PAREN UNDERSTAND THAT TWO ZED ZED POLITICAL
INTERESTS CONFINED IN CIVIL CASE. ROSE PD THIS CONTRARY TO INTERNATIONAL LAW AND
PRINCIPLES ADMINISTRATION PD IF NOT ALREADY MOVED GRATEFUL IF YOU WOULD HAVE THEM
DISPOSED OF OTHERWISE IN CONSULTATION AND ROSE REGION AND AREA COMMANDER

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Capt ASD
Deputy Adjutant

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ROME AREA COMMAND
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
A.P.O. No 398, U.S. ARMY
POLICE HEADQUARTERS

16 June, 1944

Subject: Civilians Arrested on Security Grounds.

To : Lt. Col. FISKE

1. There are over 200 civilians confined at present in Carceris Regina Coeli. They have been arrested on security grounds and the responsibility for their arrest and detention lies with Lt. Col. FISCHER, G-2 Section, Rome Area Command.

2. These political prisoners are segregated in a separate wing of the prison and they are being well looked after in the way of food and are in complete charge of C.I.C. of Rome Area Command.

3. It is contrary to International Law for political offenders to be kept in civil jails and I know that Col. FISCHER, who is alive to the problem, is doing what is possible to move them elsewhere.

4. From an A.C.C. Public Safety angle, the sooner these prisoners are moved, to other accommodations preferably out of the Rome area, the better.

J. R. Pollock
J. R. POLLOCK,
Lt. Col.,
Chief, AMG Police
ROME

Copies to :- Lt. Col. Fischer
Brig. Lush ✓

EC *we must presume*
Col. Fiske is doing all he can.

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REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394 - US ARMY

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HEADQUARTERS
19 JUN 1944
A.C.C.
17 June 1944

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SUBJECT: Arrest of Italian Nationals - Procedure

TO : Deputy Executive Commissioner
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission

In answer to your letter 20 May 1944, REF/311/64/CA, I am attaching
a copy of a letter from Colonel Francis, Regional Public Safety Officer.

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Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Colonel
Regional Commissioner

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Report from Colonel Francis
23 May 1944

Specimen - Report of Arrest

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO

PRISON REGISTRY NUMBER
Numero di matricola del Carcere

REPORT OF ARREST
RAPPORTO D'ARRESTO

For use by the Allied and Italian Police. This form must be completed
12 hours of the arrest.
Per uso delle Polizie Italiane ed Alleate. Que to modulo deve essere riempito entro
12 ore dall'arresto.

MILITARY POLICE CASE NUMBER
Numero del Registro della Polizia Alleata

PERSON ARRESTED
Persona arrestata

Last name, first name, paternity - Cognome, nome, paternità age - età

Address

Indirizzo

Identification Number

Tessera di Riconoscimento N

DETAILS OF THE ARREST

Causa dettagliata dell'arresto

Violation of Proclamation No.

Violazione del Proclama N.

Violation of Italian Law

Violazione di Legge Italiana

Place of offense

Luogo del reato

Date of offense

Data del reato

Place of arrest

Luogo dell'arresto

Date of arrest

Data dell'arresto

Facts of offense

Article No.

Articolo N.

Subd

Comma

Time

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Causa dettagliata del reato

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Facts of offense

Article No. _____ Subd
Articolo N. *Comma*

Time
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Time
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Causa dettagliata del reato

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. ARMY

23 May 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Italian Nationals - Procedure.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region 3. ✓

1. This is not a new idea, as a somewhat similar procedure has been in operation in Region 3 since December last. See specimen form attached.

2. In my monthly report for December 1943, I dealt with the necessity for prompt arrest, detention and prosecution of offenders. It was pointed out that many persons were found in prison without charges, having been placed there by numerous agencies without any report and consequently proper charges could not be brought against the individuals concerned. The following is an extract from my report:-

"Beginning on 14th December 1943, the Department of Public Safety put into effect a new form of Arrest Report designed to get all the necessary information upon the arrest of an individual so that the case could be followed from arrest to trial. This necessitated conferences with all police agencies, civilian and Military, in order that the procedure could be properly explained. In addition an Agent of the Pubblica Sicurezza was placed on duty 24 hours a day with the Military Police Booking Sergeant and the Arrest Reports were filled at the time the individual was being "booked" by the police. 3 copies were made out and distributed in the following manner: one copy stays in the files of the arresting agency, two copies accompany the offender to the prison and there one of the copies remains in the files of the prison, and the third copy goes to the Prosecuting Office where the charges are prepared, witnesses summoned and the case put in the Court Calendar.

As a result of the co-operation received from the civilian and Military agencies, this system has been successful and there have been to date no persons imprisoned without a proper arrest report. All the Prison Directors have been instructed to refuse admittance to anyone brought there by a police agency unless they have the proper reports."

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3. I see no reason why Provost officers should be bothered with all these forms being sent to them and subsequently having to make a weekly return.

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C.T. Francis

C.T. FRANCIS
Lieut. Colonel, G.L.,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. Section
APO 394

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Ref/504/136/CA.

19 June 1944.

SUBJECT: Ex-Prefect CARNI, Stanislas.

TO : C-5 Section, A.P.H.Q.

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1. The attached copies of documents in respect of the above-named are forwarded for use in respect of an application received for CARNI's release, solely on compassionate grounds, namely the serious illness of his wife.
2. May the application be placed in the appropriate quarter.
3. It is not intended that CARNI should be employed in any capacity in connection with Italian Administration.

WFF/RAC.

Incl.
as above.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
For Chief Commissioner.

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See 145
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/314/135/CA

19 June 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Maggiore TERRIZI.

TO : Admin. Sect. (Att: Public Safety Sub-Comm.)

1. Reference your ACC 14,760/21/PS of 25 March 1944 and further to this office 314/47/CA of 19 April 44 attached are complete records of the proceedings of investigation on the action of Opl. Visconti.

2. It is considered that the incident may be regarded as closed. Will you please say if you agree.

[Signature]
NORMAN B. PIERCE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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- Report of Public Safety Sub-Comm. dated 25 March 44.
 - Letter of Region III Public Safety Officer dated 21 Mar. 44.
 - Report from Regional Public Safety Officer, Reg. III dated 21 Mar. 44.
 - Report from P.C. Benevento dated 18 Mar. 44.
 - Report from PPSO Benevento dated 16 Mar. 44.
 - Statement of BRCC Maresciallo Maggiore Terrizzi of 7 Mar. 44.
 - Statement of Gastano Marotti of 7 Mar. 44.
 - Statement of Maria D'Onofrio dated 10 Mar. 44.
 - Statement dated 7 March of Anna Rhoacciato.

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INCLS (Cont'd)

- 1 Report from Cpl. Visconti dated 7 Mar. 44, with Cpl. Visconti's report.
- 2 Enclosure undated, apparently from Ettore Romolo PETTECCHIA.
- 1 Criminal record of PETTECCHIA.

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HEADQUARTERS
16 JUL 1944
A. C. C.

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO. 394
(PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION)

FILE NO: RPS/CL4.1. DATE 11 June, 1944.

SUBJECT: Arrest of Italian Nationals.

TO: Headquarters, Allied Control Commission,
R.C. & M.G. Section, APO 394, and
Public Safety and Legal Sub-Commissions.

1. With reference to your letter of May 20, 1944, 314/64/CA. The system referred to has been examined and found to be similar in principle to the one which is in operation in Region I.
2. The system in operation was agreed upon at a conference of all police and intelligence agencies of the Allied Forces in this Region. A copy of the minutes of that meeting was considered the basis of local orders in the organization concerned. (See attached). Although copies of the orders issued by the organization other than Allied Control Commission have not been received, the system has been working satisfactorily. (See attached Instructions issued by ACC).
3. The experience in this Region has proved the necessity of such a system and the one proposed appears to be satisfactory. It is however, essential that the system be supported by the Military and/or Naval authorities and to that end should be arranged with the appropriate headquarters having jurisdiction.
4. A copy of the Arrest report in use is enclosed. The adoption of the proposed form in Region I would cause considerable difficulty and inasmuch as the system is operating it would seem unwise to change.

For the Regional Commissioner.

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For the Regional Commissioner.

R. A. Snook

Russell A. SNOOK,
Lt. Colonel,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394.

FILE 014.1. 20th April, 1944.

SUBJECT : Security and Public Safety Conference at
Catania 5/6th April, 1944.

TO : Provincial Public Safety Officers,
Region 1.

1. The official record of the Security and Public Safety Conference held at Catania on April, 5/6th, 1944, is enclosed herewith. The record contains only the decisions reached. They are of a general nature, and must be implemented by instructions, which, so far as they affect Public Safety Division, are enumerated herein.

2. The purpose of the meeting was to coordinate the activities of all intelligence and police agencies to conform with the terms of the turnover. The Provincial Public Safety Officer will be the representative of ACC for the Provincial Commissioner. Contacts will be made and close liaison maintained with Intelligence and police agencies of the Allied Forces assigned to or operating in the province. (See appendix). Such matters as are authorized may be settled locally with these agencies, but in cases of disagreement of absence of instructions, reports will be made to the Regional Public Safety Officer.

3. Military Security is of the foremost importance and the terms of the turnover reserve to the Allied Forces the rights to protect its personnel, property and operations. The basic requirements of military security are cited in paragraph 5 of the official record. The means by which the security requirements will be met are shown herein.

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Provincial Public Safety Officers will contact the Allied Forces agencies in the provinces and explain the procedure. A copy of the arrest report is forwarded herewith for information.

5. Arrest and Internment of Civilians for Security Reasons. (para 8 of official record).

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The right is reserved by the Allied Forces to intern civilians for security reasons in accordance with the policies of the various intelligence agencies in collaboration with ACC. In any case of disagreement, or if it is found that further consideration should be given to any particular case, the matter should be referred to the Regional Public Safety Officer.

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6. Measures of Security and Public Safety which the Italian Officials should be required to Enforce.

The measures necessary will be presented to the Italian Government, and orders will have to be issued by the Italian Government, through the High Commissioner, to meet exigencies in any particular area.

- (a) Registration at Hotels : In connection with the registration of persons at Hotels, Allied Forces Organizations are issuing orders making it compulsory for Allied personnel to complete the registration forms. Two copies of this form must be prepared, one of which will be sent to the Quarters of the Province, and one to the Provincial Public Safety Officer. It should be made clear to Hotel keepers that any case of refusal by Allied personnel to complete the forms should be immediately notified to the nearest police agency.

- (b) Port Security. Provincial Public Safety Officers should keep in close contact with Captains of Ports to see that the proper check is maintained.

7. V.D. Control. (Paragraph 12, official record).

Provincial Public Safety Officers should check with local units and civil police so that there is close coordination. They should ensure that existing Italian laws are being enforced. The object of the campaign is to get women, suspected of suffering from V.D., off the streets, and every effort should be made to get the civil police to carry out the necessary duties with this object in view.

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Efforts should be made to secure a check on amounts of supplies arriving in the province and ensure that every endeavour is made by the various services to trace and recover supplies when reported lost or stolen. Road blocks, searching parties, etc., should be arranged on the lines laid down and both military and civil authorities encouraged to collaborate in order to secure maximum results.

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9. Coordination. (para 21, official record).

In any instance where the Provincial Public Safety Officer is of opinion that coordination is lacking between the various intelligence and police agencies, a report should be submitted to the Regional Public Safety Officer.

For the Regional Commissioner :

R. Russell
for RUSSELL A. SMOCK,
Lt. Colonel, C.M.P.,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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For the Regional Commissioner :

[Signature]
for
RUSSELL A. SNOOK,
Lt. Colonel, C.M.P.,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C.
APR 1944

TO : SAC, WASH. D.C.
SUBJECT : Conference of Agents on 6th April, 1944.
FROM : Distribution below :

1. Forwarded herewith are the minutes of the Conference held at Catania on 6th April, 1944, for your information.
2. The record contains only the official decisions reached which may be used as a basis for legislation.
3. Application is being made to the Italian Government for the introduction or re-introduction of the necessary orders or legislation, and these will reach you through your normal channels.

For the Regional Commissioner :

R. A. Stewart
MICHAEL A. STUART
LT. Colonel, G.M.C.
National Public Safety Officer.

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For the National Commissioner:

R. L. ...

MR. ...
Lt. Colonel, ...
National Public Safety Officer.

Enclosure: Minutes of Conference at ... 12/1/44.

MEMORANDUM:

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ARREST REPORT (VERBALE DI ARRESTO)

Arrest report of _____ of _____
(Verbale di arresto di) (Name of Accused) (di)
(Nome e cognome dell'accusato)

and _____ born at _____
(Mother's Name) (data di nascita)
(Nome e cognome della madre) (Città (Prov.))

Address _____
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Charge _____
(Reato)

Date of Report _____
(Data del verbale)

Statement of Facts regarding Arrest _____
(Narrazione dei fatti che hanno condotto all'arresto)

Date of Arrest _____
(Data di arresto)

Name, Rank & Organization of arresting officer to be filled in _____
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Name & Address of Witnesses (if any)
(Cognome, nome e indirizzo di testi se ve ne sono)

Signed
(Firma)

(Arresting Officer)
(Agente che ha eseguito l'arresto) 5592

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FILE - No. RP3/317.2

14.4.44

SUBJECT - Security and Public Safety Conference,
Catania, 5th/6th April, 1944.

TO - See Distribution.

(1) Enclosed herewith are copies of the Official Record of
the Security and Public Safety Conference at Catania, April 5th
and 6th.(2) The Record contains only the official decisions reached
which may be used as the basis of local orders.(3) The matters for presentation to the Italian Government
will be officially presented through ACC channels.

A.M. LANCOCK,
Lt. Colonel,
Regional Commissioner

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SECURITY AND PUBLIC SAFETY CONFERENCE HELD AT CATANIA

ON APRIL 5/6th., 1944.

The Conference on Security and Public Safety in Sicily I was divided into two parts :-

- (1) Conference of Intelligence and Police Officers of Organisations of Allied Forces in Sicily, and
- (2) Conference of Allied Officers with the Heads of Italian Police and Security Agencies in Sicily.

PART I - ALLIED FORCES.

1. The Conference was opened at 0815 hours on 5th April, the Officers present are listed in the appendix referred to in paragraph 6 below.
2. General Heydemann, G.O.C., 1st Infantry, opened the Conference. The principle points set forth by the General were:
 - (i) Necessity for co-ordination, the activities of all agencies in the preservation of law and order and the conservation of resources.
 - (ii) The importance of particular subjects regarding law and order, viz.,
 - (a) Control of Civilian Transport.
 - (b) Black Market, or loss of supplies and equipment.
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 - (i) Announcement and definition of the subject for discussion.
 - (ii) Summary of the discussion furnished by the official decision of the Conference.
4. This record contains only the official decisions reached which are to be used as the basis for action by the various stations and formations concerned.
5. Military Security Requirements.

The basic Military Security requirements of the Allied Forces were presented by Mr. General Heydenan, G.O.C., No. 1 District as follows:-

 - (i) G.O.C., No. 1 District is responsible for the security of the whole of the theatre.

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(a) Therefore reports from AOC in previous are essential.

(ii) Decentralization is necessary and should be settled locally except for local officers appointed on a special basis and local disbursements, both of which should be referred to the AOC.

(iii) The present position regarding the status of armed forces depends to some extent and must be dealt with severely.

Under A.J. Conway, S.S.C.I., who has been with very security requirements of the AOC.

(1) Direct means, while the AOC is in District are the AOC and the AOC's Central Services. Activities are based on directives from the AOC, I.S.I., and the AOC's Central Services. Collection is collected with civil police and consular staff. Collection is collected with AOC in matters of vetting, subversive and political movements, and arrest of civilians for security purposes.

(ii) Requirements which must be considered with AOC are:

- (a) Central AOC.
- (b) Subordinate.
- (c) Local Agents.
- (d) Central of AOC and AOC's Central Services.
- (e) Port Security.
- (f) Internment.
- (g) Refugees.

6. Agencies concerned with Security and Public Safety.

(1) The agencies with official addresses and assets are shown in the attached Appendix 'A'.

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for A.J. Country, U.S.C.I., dated in the military security requirements of 1951.

(ii) Direct means available through the District Office - CIO and the District Office Service. Activities are based on directives in the A.J., E.S.I., A.M.A., and the District Office is collected with civil police and cases in ship. Collaboration is maintained with the staff of vetting, management, and political movements, and arrest in civilian for security purposes.

(iii) Requirements which must be complied with are:

- (a) Centralized and
- (b) Subordinate.
- (c) Army Agents.
- (d) Centralized and
- (e) Part Security.
- (f) Internment.
- (g) Refuges.

C. Agencies concerned with Security and Public Safety.

(i) The agencies with official documents and issues are shown in the attached appendix 'A'.

(ii) Communications and Relations between Intelligence and Police Agencies.

The District will have contact with and will report its findings to the District Office. Each agency will maintain such contacts with the District Office as may be necessary for the purpose of its mission.

Arrest and Prosecution of Civilians and Criminal Offenses.

(i) Arrest and Prosecution: All crimes will normally be tried in the District Office. The District Office will have custody of the records of the District Office and the District Office will have custody of the records of the District Office.

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- (iii) Arrest: A person found in the act of committing an offense against persons and/or property of the Allied Forces may be arrested by any member of the Allied Forces but must be immediately turned over to the civil police. A completed report must accompany the person and must be sent to the Commanding Officer of the unit in which the Provincial Public Safety Officer is assigned, ACC.
- (iii) Witnesses: The list of witnesses for the Allied Forces will be included in the completed report. If it is found that witnesses will notify the Provincial Public Safety Officer when witnesses are required to testify.
- (iv) Disposition of Evidence: Property: Property of the Allied Forces will be included in the report to the Commanding Officer and will be required to be secured. A person who is in possession of property will, however, be included in the list of witnesses.
- (v) Particulars of Property: The Allied Forces found by the Intelligence Officer will be reported to the Provincial Public Safety Officer who will arrange for its disposition.
- (vi) Results of Court Cases: Results of cases tried in the Intelligence Courts will be given to the Provincial Public Safety Officer who will arrange for the return of the information to the Intelligence Officer.
- (vii) When it is desired by the Allied Forces that cases be tried by the Intelligence Courts, such recommendations will be made in the original report whenever possible, otherwise the recommendations will be made through the Provincial Public Safety Officer.

direct report. The Provincial Public Safety Officer will identify persons involved in the case.

(iv) Disposition of Property of the Allied Forces: Property of the Allied Forces will be returned direct to the Provincial Public Safety Officer who will, however, be included in the list of witnesses.

(v) Particulars of Property of the Allied Forces found by the Provincial Public Safety Officer will be reported to the Provincial Public Safety Officer who will return it to its disposition.

(vi) Results of Court Cases: Results of cases tried in the Provincial Courts will be given to the Provincial Public Safety Officer who will return the return of the information to the Provincial Court.

(vii) When it is desired by the Allied Forces that a case be tried by Allied Military Courts, such recommendation will be made in the original report when a case is suitable, otherwise the recommendation will be made by the Provincial Public Safety Officer.

B. Arrest and Internment of Civilian War Security Personnel.

Policy was previously laid down by the Army Group that persons to be arrested should be classified as follows:

(i) Those who have committed, or are alleged to have committed, in the territory occupied by our forces, a security offence under the laws and laws of the provisions of the provisions of the laws. These should be charged with the offence and tried by military court.

(ii) Those who are not charged with a security offence but who appear to have been involved in the offence, or are alleged to have been involved in the offence, or are alleged to have been involved in the offence, or are alleged to have been involved in the offence. These should be interned.

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(iii) These must show the evidence to charge with a charge of intern, but whom it is desirable in the interests of security to detain pending further investigations.

Only the C.O.C., No. 1 District Commander in Chief. ACC is consulted at all times, except in cases of emergency. Some arrests may be made for investigation purposes. When a arrest is made an arrest slip is forwarded to ACC and the prisoner should be placed in 107 C.C.

It was pointed out that prisoners on the Western side of the Island have been held in civil prisons which is improper. This matter will be followed up by IBC.

The present policy is to remove officials from office rather than intern them; this must be done through ACC.

Measures of Security and Public Safety. Italian Officials shall be the subject of arrest.

The measures necessary for security and public safety required by the Allied Forces.

(i) Curfew: Italian Officials will be requested to impose a curfew, the hours of which will be decided having regard to the existing crime situation and the requirements of the troops.

(ii) Black-Out: Provisions for blackout have been issued and Italian Officials will be required to enforce them.

(iii) Control of Transport: The movement of transport is controlled by military patrol supplies, and is controlled by the Italian registration system. The immediate requirements of the Italian authorities is the enforcement of the following:

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(iii) Control of Transport: The amount of transport is governed by available petrol supplies, and is controlled by the Italian registration system. The immediate requirements of the Italian authorities is the enforcement of the following:-

(a) Removal from circulation by curfew, time of vehicles operating, with set per cent.

(b) Removal from possible circulation by means of confiscation, vehicles removed by permits.

(c) Strict enforcement of the limitation of use of vehicles for which permits were issued.

(iv) Control of Movement: Movement of civilians within the Island is not restricted, except enemy aliens who are banned to 10 miles radius. Movement to and from the Island is restricted.

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movement to and from the continent. Land travel for essential purposes only and approved by AGC. Travel to Sardinia is not permitted; to Malta only on approval of Fm. 30; to North Africa only on approval of AFHQ. Movement of police to the continent is considered to be in the same category as movement of military.

Sale of Liquor: The Italian laws respecting the sale of all liquors must be strictly enforced.

Harboring Deserters: Italian authorities will be asked to cooperate in the apprehension of deserters from the Allied Forces.

Registration of Persons at Hotels: The system of registration now in effect must be strictly enforced, and will include all members of Allied Forces.

Port Security: Strict enforcement of Port Security measures will be required by Port Captains and police concerned.

10. Use of Troops in Aid of Civil Power.

AMG may be re-established in an area only on direct approval of AGC HQ. The question of the use of Italian and Allied troops resolved into a discussion from which no definite conclusion could be drawn. Thus it was agreed that any plans must be laid on the directives of AGC and AGC when available.

Refugees.

Refugees are being received at two points, Siracusa and Termini Imerese. The responsibility for policing is fixed on the Italian police.

Each refugee over 15 years of age will be issued with a Refugee Identification Card.

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The Italian Counter Intelligence Services will screen the refugees in cooperation with the Italian police.

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V.D. Control.

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The V.D. Control Campaign is organized and the activities of agencies concerned - Military, Naval, Air, ACC and Italian authorities - are being co-ordinated.

The general basis of the programme is as follows:

(i) To find and properly examine all prostitutes and/or persons soliciting.

(ii) Provide proper treatment where necessary.

(iii) Control of

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- (iv) Class coordination will be appointed a VI Control Officer who will be responsible for coordinating the activities of ACC and civil authorities with the military, naval and air forces.

From the police point of view coordination with the civil police will be effected through the Provincial Public Safety Officer.

13. Protection of Supplies.

The term black market will be considered having regard to the requirements and interests of the Allied Forces. On this basis the interests are closed as follows:-

- (i) Protection of Supplies imported for use by Civilians. These supplies will at first be under the control of the Military or Naval authorities. The Responsibility will shift to ACC and thence to the Italian authorities who will be charged with preventing the supplies from being diverted to illegitimate channels in the black market.
- (ii) Protection of Supplies and Equipment of Allied Forces: While basically it is the responsibility of the forces concerned to protect their supplies and property from theft, assistance of civil authorities is required; and when property of supplies are lost the assistance of the civil authorities is required in recovering them and prosecuting the offenders.
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The general programme of enforcement will be based on the following:-

- (a) a basic record of losses will be maintained by the organisations of the Allied forces. These will be reported to the Provincial Public Safety Officer.
- (b) Arrests will be made in accordance with the procedure outlined in paragraph 7.
- (c) Methods which may be employed are -
- Road blocks will be composed of Allied personnel and civil police. Their mission will be to search for Allied property and they will be equipped at place where supplies and equipment are most likely to be found, the latter being determined by the record of types, amounts and location of losses, and from information gained from the civilian police.

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The road blocks will be of Allied forces in consultation with the Provincial Public Safety Officers, ACC. The services of the civil police will be secured through the Provincial Public Safety Officer. Procedure for arrests and disposition of property confiscated is contained in paragraph 7 above.

Searching parties, if deemed necessary, must be organized on the same principles as those set forth for road blocks.

(d) Close coordination between all police agencies concerned is an essential feature of the programme.

(e) The police of the Allied forces will submit to Provincial Public Safety Officer any special requests concerning the protection of property.

PART 2.

COMMENCEMENT OF ALLIED OFFICERS AND HEADS OF ITALIAN POLICE AND SECURITY AGENCIES IN SICILY.

- 14. The Conference opened at 0915 hours, 6th April, 1944. The following Italian Officials were present :-
 General Bracco, Commander of the Brigade Carabinieri Reali.
 Doctor Medici, Director of Public Security.
 Colonel Biondi, Commander of the Legion Guardia di Finanza.
 Colonel Fiorentino, Commander of the Legion Guardia di Finanza.
 Doctor Castellani, Chief of the Railway Police.
 Lt. Colonel Crova, representing Commander of Submarine Division.
 Colonel Cristofari, Chief of the 1st Corps.

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Lt. Colonel Crevi, Representative, Commander of Submarine Division.

Colonel Colares, Chief of Staff, 1st Corps.

Captain Tirabassi, Commander Carabinieri Lt. 12 Corps. The proceedings were conducted through an interpreter, Sergeant J. Maneriac, U.S. Army.

15. Lt. Colonel Jordan, Executive Officer, AGC, Region I opened the Conference with a report on the subject of coordination. The matters discussed at the various part of the conference were presented to the Italian Officials and they gave their comments in the form of requests. The following record contains only the final decisions and changes which were made as result of further discussion.

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16. Arrest and Prosecution.

The procedure for arrest and prosecution of civilians committing offenses against property and/or personnel of the Allied Forces was outlined. The following additions were made to the previous discussion of this subject:

- (i) That a procedure be developed for those cases where Allied Force personnel violate Italian law.
- (ii) That the complete procedure be outlined in access to detail to confer with existing terms and be agreed upon in proper legal form by the Allied Forces and Italian Officials.
- (iii) Arrest for Security Reasons: The Italian Officials were informed that these rights had been reserved.

17. Measures to be enforced by Italian authorities:

The following measures to be enforced were presented to the Italian Officials:-

- (i) Liquor Laws: The Italian Officials were requested to ensure strict enforcement of the Italian laws regarding the illegal sale of wine and other liquors.
- (ii) Harboring of Deserters: The Italian police agreed to assist in every way possible in locating deserters. Reports will be furnished by the Allied Forces.
- (iii) Registration at Hotels: The present system involving registration and completion of forms at Hotels will be enforced. Allied Forces organizations will issue necessary orders to their personnel requiring compliance. One copy of the form will be sent to the Quarters and one copy to ACC Provincial Public Safety Officer. When any member of Allied Forces refuses to register the proprietor will immediately inform the nearest civilian police agency. Police

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- (iii) Registration at Hotels : The present system involving registration and completion of forms at hotels will be enforced. Allied Forces organizations will issue necessary orders to their personnel requiring compliance. One copy of the form will be sent to the Questore and one copy to ACC Provincial Public Safety Officer. When any member of Allied Forces refuses to register the proprietor will immediately inform the nearest civilian police agency, police of the Allied Forces or ACC.

- (iv) Movement : In connection with enforcement of the movement regulations the police were asked to check on all contraband movement whenever the Guardia Finanza reported lack of beats per patrolling. This requires representation to higher authorities.

- (v) Transport : The discussions respecting control of transport were agreed upon.

All ACC civilian drivers must be furnished with a permit and may be stopped by the police and held when the individual's papers or the registration of the vehicle is not in order.

18. References.

The issue of identification cards to and from

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of refugees will be done by Italian police and Italian
peace agencies.

19. V.D. Campagna.

The campaign was outlined and coordination of the
Italian officials requested. Captain Filio, also co-
ordinator was asked to consult with Iott. Office,
National Director of Public Security.

20. Protection of supplies.

The general plan was outlined as previously dis-
cussed and agreed upon.

21. Coordination.

Complete coordination of all agencies was main-
tained out of the purpose of the Conference. All
relations with Italian Office will be coordinated
through AGC.

It was also pointed out that the Italian authorities
lack the radio, telephone, transportation, weapons, clothing,
and food for police service, and that their inability
to carry out efficiently created a situation, in fact a
direct threat to security. Hence, the Italian forces
is needed in such matters as the restoration of the
telephone service.

It was agreed by all present that operations should
be based on the principles laid down at this Conference
if not in conflict with directives or required to be
changed by circumstances.

Any agreement will be coordinated with the proper
agencies.

41. Coordination.

Complete coordination of all agencies was pointed out as the purpose of the Conference. All relations with Italian Officials will be coordinated through SAC.

It was also pointed out that the Italian agencies lack the means, telephone, transport, weapons, clothing and food for police service, and that their inability to offer the consistently created an indirect, if not a direct threat to security. Thus, the so called force is needed in such matters as the restoration of the telephone service.

It was agreed by all present that operation would be based on the principles laid down at this Conference. If not in conflict with directives or required to be changed by agencies.

Any department will be coordinated with the proper agencies.

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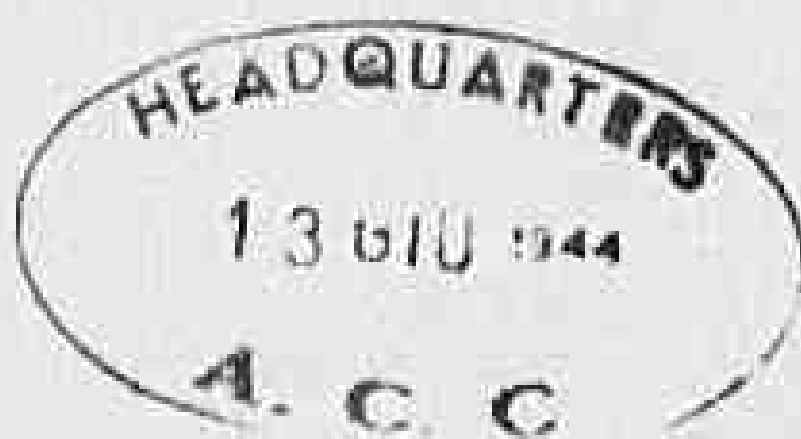
12 June 1944

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ACC/~~4/1/44~~/Int

SUBJECT: Ex-Prefect CABONI, Stanislaw

TO : Executive Commissioner, RC & MG Section

1. I am forwarding to you the attached exhibits setting forth the facts in the case of Ex-Prefect CABONI, Stanislaw, an internee whose release is being sought.
2. The application for CABONI's release should be solely on compassionate grounds, namely the serious illness of his wife.
3. Will you please make such a request for CABONI's release to the appropriate army.



Encls: as in 1, above

R.R. Temple, Capt.
for

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

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Exhibit A

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION II

Ref. A/35/17

Subj. Italian Prefects.

14 Feb. 44-

To : Interior Sub-Commission A.C.C. HQ. Salerno.

1. It might be of interest to you to know my views of the first name on the list, Dr. Stanislao CABONI, formerly Prefect of Agrigento, because I was SCAG of that Province up to the time of his removal.

2. Agrigento was captured on the 16th of July. I arrived at the Prefecture about noon on the 17th. Dr. Caboni was present and offered his assistance. I gave him copies of the Proclamations, which he read. He then stated that he was willing to cooperate with us to the best of his ability, in accordance with the terms of the proclamations. He gave me a signed statement to that effect. He lived up to his pledge. He was fully cooperative. His knowledge of conditions in the Province and of persons was placed at our disposal. He volunteered many helpful suggestions. He carried out orders promptly and effectively. He gave us valuable information about certain undesirable persons and did not attempt to interfere or protect certain officials whom we removed. It should be pointed out in his behalf that he did not destroy the currency in the provincial banks, as he had been ordered.

When I learned that the static CIC detachment in Agrigento Province was considering evacuating him as a civilian internee, I made a prompt and vigorous protest on the ground that he had been cooperating fully and effectively with AMG. I was never ^{informed of} the sources of the CIC information, or its nature, on the ground that it was confidential. Dr. CABONI was removed on or about July 30th and sent to North Africa. Subsequently, in discussing operations between the local CIC detachment and AMG with Lt. Col. Young of G-2 Headquarters, 7th Army, he volunteered the statement that the case against Dr. Caboni was rather weak.

3. In conclusion, I would personally be glad to have a man of Dr. CABONI's experience and ability as a Prefect in one of the provinces in a region under my control.

G.H. McCaffrey
Lt. Col. Inf.
R.C.

GHM/pjh

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SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
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File : REO 014.12

4 March 1944.

SUBJ: Italian Prefects

TO : Lt. Col. R.G. Spicer A/Director,
Interior Sub-Commission, ACC.

THROUGH: R.C. & M.C. Section, A.C.C. HQ.

I. With reference to your letter file ACC/42/Int, dated 8/2/44, the following report is submitted as requested, concerning the following former Prefects:

- a. Comm. Dr. Stanislao CABONI - former Prefect of Agrigento was arrested 1 August 1943 by C.I.C. authorities in Agrigento. He was considered a "strong Fascist" and detrimental to the Allied cause in Sicily. Investigation showed that he had been a "Squadrista" and an honorary member of the MUSH. He also came under the heading of "Leading Fascists". Caboni's case was reviewed by the Civilian Internees classification Board and he was placed in an A (a) category (to be interned indefinitely). His present whereabouts are believed to be North Africa. There is some doubt in my mind, as to Caboni's Fascist inclinations and therefore I recommended that a reexamination of his case would be very valuable in our arriving at a definite decision concerning him.

A.E. HANCOCK
Lt. Colonel
Regional Commissioner

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RELATION

Date: 10 th March 1944

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TO: Allied Control-Commission
Interior Sub-Commission

From: Minister of Interior

Further to your letter of 29 January 1944, in which we requested the reinstatement of the Prefects of Sicily who has been deposed or arrested, and because of the difficulty which you expressed in tracing these, we can now give you information on the Prefect of Agrigento, Dott. Stanislao CABONI, who up to 26 December last, was at Oran (North Africa) POW Camp 131.

We have had this news from his wife, Signora Giulia CABONI, who remained in Agrigento, and who, old and ill, remained far from her family who are in Rome, made appeal to Marshal Badoglio to give her back her husband.

With best regards:

The MINISTER.

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INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION
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ACC/46/5/INT

II MARCH 1944

Subject: Italian Prefects

To : His Excellency Signor REALE, Minister of Interior, Italian Government.

Your Excellency:

I. Reference to applications for admission to Italian territory and reemployment, under the Italian Government, I would inform you that the matter has been given fullest consideration and there is no objection on the part of the Allied Control-Commission to the re-employment of the undermentioned ex-Prefects, in the Administrative field, in accordance with your request, provided their services are not as Prefects or Vice-Prefects:

Comm. Dott. DEROSA Emanuele
Comm. Dott. PASSUCCI Renato
Gr. Uff. Dott. AZZARRO Salvatore.

2. It is regretted that with regard to Comm. Dott. Caboni Stanislas, your request cannot be agreed to.

R.G.S. SPICER
Lt. Colonel
Director
Interior Sub/ Commission

Your Excellency:

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Comm. Dott. DEROSA Emanuele
Comm. Dott. PASSUCCI Renato
Gr. Uff. Dott. AZZARRO Salvatore.

2. It is regretted that with regard to Comm. Dott. Gaboni Stanislao, your request cannot be agreed to.

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

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Exhibit E

? ILE : PC/014/12

26 April 1944

SUBJECT : Ex-Prefect Stanislas CABONI

TO : Executive Commissioner
PC & MG Section
ACC
for Interior Sub-Commission

1- The High Commissioner of Sicily has drawn my attention to the circumstances relating to the detention of the above former Prefect of AGRIGENTO and now in the custody of the U.S. authorities in Africa.

2- By memorandum No 1030 of 10 March 44, from Minister of Interior Reale, his wife was informed that arrangements for freeing her husband had been made from 23 Jan. 44.

3- Whether these arrangements were in fact made or not, a study of the case leads me to the conclusion that an error was made in internment this Civil Servant of 35 years service. My opinion is supported by the present Prefect of Agrigento and I might add that on our occupation he co-operated most loyally with the then S.C.A.G. Lt. Col. MacCaffrey, who reported favourably upon him.

4- His wife is in a state of poor health aggravated by anxiety for her husband, and is about to undergo a surgical operation.

5- It will be appreciated if this interment may be reviewed with a view to Dr. CABONI's early release.

A.N. HANCOCK
Colonel
Regional Commissioner

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for Interior Sub-Commission

- 1- The High Commissioner of Sicily has drawn my attention to the circumstances relating to the detention of the above former Prefect of AGRIGENTO and now in the custody of the U.S. authorities in Africa.
- 2- By memorandum No 1090 of 10 March 44, from Minister of Interior Reale, his wife was informed that arrangements for freeing her husband had been made from 29 Jan. 44.
- 3- Whether these arrangements were in fact made or not, a study of the case leads me to the conclusion that an error was made in internment this Civil Servant of 35 years service. My opinion is supported by the present Prefect of Agrigento and I might add that on our occupation he co-operated most loyally with the then S.O.A.O. Lt. Col. MacCaffrey, who reported favourably upon him.
- 4- His wife is in a state of poor health aggravated by anxiety for her husband, and is about to undergo a surgical operation.
- 5- It will be appreciated if this internment may be reviewed with a view to Dr. CASONI's early release.

A.M. HANCOCK
Colonel
Regional Commissioner

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MINISTER OF INTERIOR

Exhibit F

SUBJECT: Prefect Stanislas CABONI

23rd May 1944.

TO : Allied Control-Commission
Interior Sub. Commission

Reference to previous correspondence relative to Doct. Stanislas CABONI, exPrefect of Agrigento, who is still interned in a Concentration Camp, at Orano, it is learned that his wife has had a breast-operation, in Agrigento, and that her state of health is becoming very bad.

We ask that you examine Prefect CABONI's position benevolently and come to a decision as to his being eventually liberated, if his actions are not of great gravity.

THE Minister

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SUBJECT:- Arrest of Italian Nationals - Procedure.

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12 Jun 44

EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER'S BRANCH,
HQ, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION.

Copy to : ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION,
HQ, ACC.

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1. Reference your 314/105/CA of 7 Jun 44 and 314/64/CA of 20 May 44 the general procedure referred to in the enclosure with the letter of 20 May 44 is inapplicable in Army Area.

2. ACC Form J I is, however, being adopted.

Col. Brown
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P. G. Runka

Lt. Col., RA,
SO I,

for Group Captain
Officer Commanding 370
AMG EIGHTH ARMY.

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RE: A MC Section.

Ref: 314/108/CA.

11th June 1944.

SUBJECT: SCHWELL Francisco.

TO : Security Branch.

I am directed by the Executive Commissioner
to forward you copy of the attached memo and to request
you to investigate the matter and submit a prompt report.

Lga Aylward

/JC.

Major,
PA to Executive Commissioner.

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MEMORANDUM:

TO: Chief Commissioner.

SUBJECT: SCHNELL Francesca.

6th. June, 1944.

1. This woman is a German subject, aged 60, who has lived 36 years in Italy, 14 of which she spent in the home of S. De Nicola, Corso Umberto 36, Naples, employed as De Nicola's housekeeper.
2. De Nicola tells me that when the Allied forces arrived in Naples some eight months ago he personally went to the Questura to tell them that he had this German subject in his home and suggested that she be sent off to some small hotel in the country where she would be safe.
3. He was subsequently advised by the Questura that the American Security officials had recommended that she remain in his home. Since that day eight months ago she has never left his house night or day.
4. Yesterday British Security Police came to his home and removed Miss Schnell to a detention camp at PAJULA.
5. De Nicola says that if there is any good reason why the woman should be removed to a detention camp at this time he would be the first to agree. He is convinced, however, that she is violently anti-Nazi and absolutely harmless. He feels that her removal is due to a change of security command and wishes you to know that according to his views action such as this is a political error.
6. De Nicola asked me to ignore his personal interest in this case and bring it to your attention from the broader political aspect. He did not ask for you to intercede personally but I am sure he would be very grateful if you would.

Ex. Com.

Please ask
Public Inquiries
to look into this

Security. Action & prompt report please 28/6/44

Nelson
NELSON W. MONFORT,
Colonel, AUS.

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(Date)

FROM	TO
Chief Commissioner	
Dep. Chief Commissioner	
Dep. Secretary General	
H.C. & M. S. Section	✓
Political Section	
✓ Administrative Section	
Education	
Interior	
Legal	
Monument, Fine Arts	
Property Control	
Public Health	
Public Safety	
Economic Section	
Agriculture	
Finance	
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Navy	
War Materials	
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HQ 2675th Regt	
HQ Comdt (Main)	
HQ Comdt (Rear)	
Adjutant (Main)	
Adjutant (Rear)	
Det Hq & Hq Co	
O.C. British Det	
Translators Pool	
Civil Censorship Group	
Medical Officer	
Security Officer	
Transportation Officer	

FOR:

Signature
Remarks/Recommendation
Information & Status
Approval/Disapproval
Appropriate Action
Investigation & Report

REMARKS:

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

Ref/314/105/CA

7 June 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Italian Nationals - Procedure.

TO : Admin. Section (for Public Safety and Legal Sub-Commissions)
R.C.'s. Regions I, III, VI and VII.

Reference my letter of 20 May 44 - 314/64/CA as this subject was not discussed at the last Regional Commissioners' Conference it would be appreciated if you would let me have your views in writing as soon as possible.

04.10.44
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to:

R.C.'s Regions II, IV, VIII and IX.
S.C.A.O.'s AMG 5th & 8th Armies.

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RCMD Section.

The above matter was discussed and procedure was approved see para 10 page 6 of minutes of Regional Commissioners Conference, Wednesday, 31 May 44

Admin Sec.
8 June 44.

file 107 with Maj DND
J.H. WHITE Lt Col.
for VP Adm Sec.

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Ref/314/105/CA

9 June 1944

SUBJECT: Arrest of Italian Nationals - Procedure.

TO : Admin. Section (for Public Safety and Legal Sub-Commissions)
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TO HQ ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
FROM HQ REGION 5 ANG
SUBJECT Arrest of Italian Nationals - Procedure
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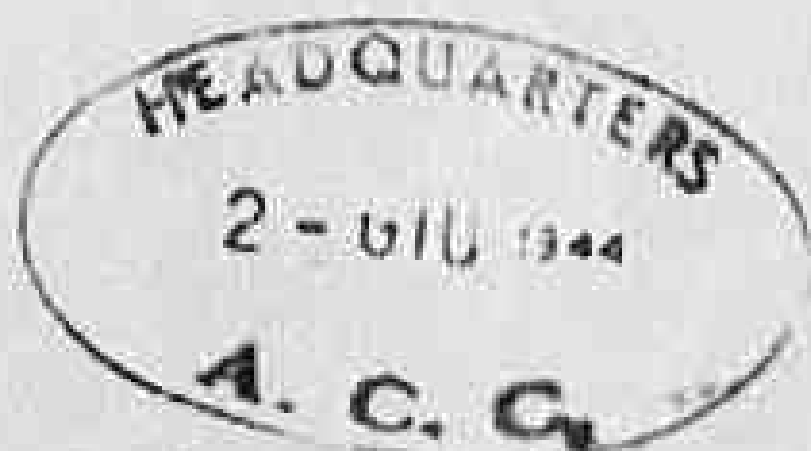
28 May 1944.

1. In reply to your letter dated 20 May 1944 Ref/314/64/CA the form J1 is considered to be a large and cumbersome document, the completion of which involves much time and trouble. The use of it has been discontinued in this Region.
2. There are two forms now in use of which actual used copies are attached for reference. The use of these forms has proved quite satisfactory.
3. It is suggested that the person making the arrest should complete three of these forms; one should be delivered to the CC.RR. to whom the prisoner is entrusted; one should be retained for reference; one should be delivered to the Provincial HQ ANG (or ACC).
4. The third copy should be dealt with as follows:-
In ACC territory Province HQ will forward all copies weekly to LIA at Region HQ.
In ANG territory it will be retained by PRSO at Provincial HQ.
5. It is suggested that, since more than one copy of the report is required, the larger of the two forms attached is the more suitable; these forms should be made up in books of 25 in each of three colours, gay white for delivery to the CC.RR, red for retention, and yellow for delivery to ACC/ANG.

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F. L. Whitley
F. L. WHITLEY
Colonel
Regional Commissioner

See by 29.
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Foggia
ARREST REPORT
RELAZIONE DI ARRESTO

TO: ALLIED MILITARY PERSONNEL.
A: Personale Militare Alleato.
THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND HANDED TO THE ITALIAN POLICE AT THE TIME YOU DELIVER AN ARRESTED CIVILIAN.
Siete incaricati di riempire questo modulo per la Polizia Italiana, ogni qualvolta consegnate ad essa un arrestato civile.

NAME Nome	AGE anni
ADDRESS Indirizzo	
DATE Data	TIME Ora
DETAILS OF INCIDENT LEADING TO ARREST: Cause dettagliata dell'arresto:	

All individuals picked up for being out after curfew and are to be held for further investigation regarding the possession of a electric motor.

OTHER PERSONS ARRESTED
Altre persone arrestate

Genzani Pasquale, 41, Via Tenente Iorio #78, Foggia
Capitani Vincenzo, 51, Via Umberto Garofalo, #52, Foggia
Palladino Vincenzo, 56, Via Gabrielle Peppe #56, Foggia

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x. 101*

WITNESSES WITH ADDRESSES:
Testimoni e loro indirizzi:

Pfc Leovardo Rodriguez, serial #59850786, 1055 MP Co Avn

PROPERTY AVAILABLE AS EVIDENCE: 1 electric motor
Refertiva:

DESCRIPTION:
Descrizione:

Alarge electric motor apparently used to pump water for a water system

WHEREABOUTS: Carabinieri Jail
Dove è adesso la refertiva:

NAME OF MILITARY PERSONNEL MAKING ARREST:
Nome del militare che esegui l'arresto:

NAME Rosignello Agostino
Nome

AGE 21
anni

ADDRESS Via Gabrielle Peppe #36, Foggia
Indirizzo

DATE 9 April
Data

TIME 2:00 hrs PLACE OF ARREST Manfredonia Road
Ora Luogo dell'arresto

DETAILS OF INCIDENT LEADING TO ARREST:
Causa dell'arresto

All individuals picked up for being out after curfew and are to be held for further investigation regarding the possession of a electric motor.

OTHER PERSONS ARRESTED

Altre persone arrestate

Genzani Pasquale, 41, Via Tenente Iorio #75, Foggia
Capitani Vincenzo, 31, Via Umberto Garofalo, #52, Foggia
Palladino Vincenzo, 36, Via Gabrielle Peppe #36, Foggia

WITNESSES WITH ADDRESSES:

Testimoni e loro indirizzi:

Pfc Leovardo Rodriguez, serial #39650786, 1055 MP Co Avn

PROPERTY AVAILABLE AS EVIDENCE: 1 electric motor

Refertiva:

DESCRIPTION:

Descrizione:

Large electric motor apparently used to pump water for a water system

WHEREABOUTS: Carabinieri Jail

Dove è adesso la refertiva:

NAME OF MILITARY PERSONNEL MAKING ARREST:

Nome del militare che esegui l'arresto:

Cpl Richard D. Brown

UNIT 1055 MP Co Avn
Reparto

ASN 35356490
Matricola

ITALIAN POLICE TO WHOM PRISONER DELIVERED:

A quale Commissario italiano l'arrestato è stato consegnato:

NAME:

Nome:

ORGANIZATION:

Organizzazione:

STATION

Commissariato di P. S.

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ARREST REPORT**RELAZIONE DI ARRESTO**

TO: ALLIED MILITARY PERSONNEL

At: Personale Militare Alleato.

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volta consegnate ad essa un arrestato civile.

NAME OF PRISONER

Nome dell'arresto

Caputo Tommaso

PLACE OF ARREST

Luogo dell'arresto

Giardinello Isola

DATE

Data

20. 3. 44

TIME

Ora

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DETAILS OF INCIDENT LEADING TO ARREST:

Causa dettagliata dell'arresto:

*possesso illecito proprietà militari**(Vedi rapporti)*

NAME OF MILITARY PERSONNEL MAKING ARREST:

Nome del Militare che esegui l'arresto:

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Reparto

Posio Virgilio
Questura Foggia

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WITNESSES WITH ADDRESSES:
Testimoni e loro indirizzo:

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PROPERTY AVAILABLE AS EVIDENCE:
Refurtiva:

DESCRIPTION:
Descrizione:

WHEREABOUTS:
Dove è adesso la refurtiva:

ITALIAN POLICE TO WHOM PRISONER DELIVERED:
A quale commissariato Italiano l'arrestato è stato consegnato:
NAME:

Nome:

ORGANIZATION:
Organizzazione:

STATION:
Commissariato di P. S.

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REAR H. ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

SUBJECT :- Release of Civilian - Giovanni BARCHI

ASG/

TO :- Regional Commissioner, Region 1, A.C.C.

29 May 1944

1. Application for release of a/c civilian internee was included under cover of your letter, R1/575/CP3/JEM dated 2 Mar, addressed to Provost Marshal, Natoussa, through Secretary General, A.C.C.
2. Upon reference from this office, this application was prosecuted by RC & MG Section through A.P.H.Q.
3. We have now received a signal from MBS that this civilian was embarked from North Africa, ETA Naples 27 May, then to be transhipped to Palermo for release to P.M., IBS.

HEADQUARTERS
31 MAY 1944
A. C. C.

J.A. Campbell
J.A. CAMPBELL,
Major,
Army Sub-Commission.

Copy to:- RC & MG Section. ✓
(your 314/58/CA dated 4 May, refers)

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