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To: -R.C. & M.G. Section, Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, 366-5 JUN Recd
From: Colonel J.A.C. Pennyquick, Headquarters, Allied Military Government, Region VIII. 104
Subject: -Reconnaissance - Food dumps. 240
Reference: -R8/97/1/2.
Date: - 4th June 1944. 49-100

I attach a copy of reconnaissance notes of reconnaissance of ANZIO -
CAETA, for information.

J.A.C. Pennyquick

J.A.C. PENNYQUICK, COLONEL,
REGION VIII.

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NOTES ON VISIT TO ANZIO. - NEWTUNO. -

5 ARMY H.Q., - GAETA - CAPUA.

2/3rd June 1944.

COL. PENNYQUICK - MAJOR MCBRATNEY made at the request of Col Lago.

2nd June 44.

NAPLES - ANZIO by car - time, just over 5 hours - stopping very briefly on way at FORMIA, and passing 5th Army Civil Food dump near TERRACINA.

This has been moved from CARINOLA and is now filling up well.

ANZIO - visited docks - Liberty ship unloading civil food for 5th Army by 2 lighters.

Working party dealing with 3 lighters - comprised of Guardia Financia.

The lorries were coming to lighter to load - 3 lorries loading at a time - working party seemed to be ample (about 60).

About 1,200 tons unloaded first day and 3,000 to 4,000 more being unloaded and moved to dump, control by Major Hunt.

The food dump is about 6 miles out on road to LA FERRIERE on North side of road. Open fields - no side roads - very dusty and suitable site in dry weather only - no water for drinking.

About 1,500 to 2,000 tons being stacked. Flour - M & V - Milk - Vegetables - Sugar - No damage - tarpaulins being used in lieu.

At the site we also found the trucks of a truck Company - 100 with drivers, and about 150 Italian labour - all under the general supervision of Major Hunt. Major Kate also at dump.

From Dump to 5th Army Rear H.Q., A.M.C., being set up by a Farm at the second C of SERRAVALLE BASSIANO.

Lieut-Colonel Toscani Supply Officer 5 Army. Satisfied with progress of new food dump and GAETA.

Thence to GAETA - 5th Army Food Dump of about 800 tons established in building by Hard as suggested in our note of 25th May attached. 3 schooners alongside belonging to 8th Army. These commenced to unload on 3rd June to form a further dump on the Hard of about 200 tons - flour and M & V mostly. 2 more schooners belonging to 8 Army had already been unloaded on the Hard with 5 Army supplies. Total food supplies 5th and 8th Armies must, therefore, be about 1,000 tons.

Good additional stores are available near by but are at present mined and unsafe.

A very large Italian dump of coal is also available in a casemate store - believed to be mined.

CAPUA - 3rd June 44.

Visited Refugee Camp on return journey by courtesy of Major Dufour the O.C., Camp.

This Camp when seen had about 900 refugees.

Major Dufour drew attention to one interesting point, which was:-

The sudden increase in the number of Italian young men refugees passing through the Camp - there were very few before May. In the first 10 days of May 138 came through and this had risen to ~~138~~ a figure of 678 passed through in the last 10 days of May.

To:-- Colonel Legg (Food Controller), Food Sub-Commission, Headquarters, Allied Control Commission.

From:-- Col. J. A. C. Penryon (Headquarters, Allied Military Government, Region VIII).

Subject:--

Reference:-- R8/

Date:-- 25th May 1944.

1/ Yesterday - 24th May - I visited 5th Army, PORTA and GATE, with your Lieut. Col. Stewart. Col. Stewart will give you details of store and port facilities but the following very brief appreciation may be of use to you.

2/ The object of the visit was:-

(a) To see if PORTA and GATE would be useful ports for the supply of the area East and S.E. of ROME (Region IV).

(b) To see if these ports could be developed to act as Supply bases for sea transport to other ports further North and so relieve NAPLES.

3/ PORTA is much destroyed and the port facilities are inconvenient being squeezed between the sea and the main road running on a steep hill side above it.

Small piers exist (all much damaged) and one mole which has been mined and very thoroughly blown to pieces.

Two small stores were inspected each capable of taking 200 to 300 tons of food, road access to both was bad. Other stores can no doubt be found but the port is not suitable for any general development.

Use it for the storage of food for its own population (already about 10,000) only.

4/ GATE - Access by a narrow road 4 to 5 miles long from PORTA - this road is a dead end and even when cleared of mines and debris is a poor approach.

The town itself has not been so badly destroyed as PORTA but is still heavily mined.

There is a good "hard" in the centre of the town with deep water close in shore. This "hard" has already been cleared of mines and provided with mooring loops.

Sea mines were being swept yesterday and the mine-sweepers were moving close in shore in the afternoon. The port should be clear and the hard available for use today 25th May.

It can take schooners now, moored by the stern and off loading over the stern. With the aid of a floating dock pontoon it is probable that a liberty ship could come alongside in a few days.

Large destroyers were moored by the italians stern to shore before the war, and there is plenty of deep water in the bay for ships to anchor.

A building which could be used as a store exists on the hard. It could be cleared and enclosed by Italian labour, and probably be made to take about 1,000 tons of food very quickly.

Other stores can be cleared in the town.

5 Army want to be able to feed the country South East of PORTA from a port nearer than NAPLES - about 100,000 people - say 20-25 tons a day with 30 days storage, say 600 to 1,000 tons. This is a very urgent commitment either for 5 Army or Region III.

My opinion is that GATE is very suitable to provide the facilities for the 5th Army requirements given above, but in view of the poor road access and its relative nearness to NAPLES I do not consider that the port is worth considering as an alternative to NAPLES as a base port.

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Recommendations.

(a) A party of two officers and 4 TM or OR's from AGC, or Region IV should go to GATTA at once and take over the store building on the hard, clean it up, and enclose it, using Italian labour. They should also organise an Italian unloading party. Schooners already loaded at PORTA should be despatched now, to GATTA and off loaded by the party mentioned above so as to form a store of 1,000 tons of food and keep this supplied (20 tons a day).

(b) The Navy should be asked to improve the port facilities by the provision of a pontoon pier at the Hard - this will allow larger ships - possibly a liberty ship to come alongside at GATTA.

(c) The possibility of widening and improving the approach road PORTA-GATTA should be explored.

John
J.A.C. PENNYCOT, COLONEL.

5 Army Operations

1 JUN Recd

1. Since the attack on May 11th, 28 Communes have been taken over. The advance has been so rapid that contact with C.A.O.'s has been difficult. Communes now being occupied are less damaged than those occupied earlier in the advance. The population is slowly returning to their homes and local Government is beginning to function again.
2. Provincial Government of LIVORNA is being reorganised and 5 Communes in FIOSINQUE Province have been turned over to the Provincial Administration. The remainder of Naples Province was handed over to Region III at midday on 22 May.
3. Food has been transported to newly occupied towns, sometimes only a few hours after conquest. All requests for food have been met. 125 tons of food are now in the advanced depot at TERRACINA and schooners unloaded in GAETA on 28th May. Supplies are now on a sales basis in all communes up to the line TERRACINA - PICO (and including these towns).
4. Refugees. Now that the front is moving quickly there is no real refugee problem; the people are slowly sorting themselves out and returning to their own villages. Up to May 20 11,000 were handled in II Corps area. Since then steady decrease. Condition of refugees coming out of Pontine Marshes deplorable.
5. Public Health. There is a shortage of Hospital facilities and trained personnel. Ambulatories have been opened at LIVRI, TERRACINA, GAETA and FORMIA. Medical Supplies are ample and are being distributed. 4 Italian Doctors (Army) are working in Corps Areas. 5 Army Surgeon is very co-operative providing ambulances for evacuating civilian casualties. A few cases of typhoid reported; but general health good.
6. Public Safety. There is now serious crime in newly occupied territory except rape by GHOUSS and the latter is thought to be under control now as French authorities are believed to be taking drastic steps. CC.RR are urgently required. Usual complaints about Fascist leanings of CC.RR. Patrols on Highway 7 to keep civilians off the road.
7. Rome Provincial Administration. HQ is still concentrating at GAETA. VELLETRI district, C.A.O.s reported to SCMO VI Corps on 28th May and TIVOLI party on 29th May. CC.RR are going up under Provincial CAPOs as soon as available.
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

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28 May 44.

SUBJECT : Visits to Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS

29 MAY 1944

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Attached is (i) a Return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on Field Trips during the seven days ending 27 May 44 and (ii), a Summary of visits paid to the field in the fourteen days ending 27 May 44.

Exec Com.
Sec 31/5/44

[Signature]

R.A. Perrell
R.A. PERRELL,
Major, Inf.,
for VP Adm Sec.

WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIPS MADE DURING WEEK ENDING 18.00 HRS 27 MAY 44.

<u>RANK & NAME</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION</u>			
Major S.H. White	Palermo	23/26 May	Region I Conference.
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Lt Col G.G. Hannaford	Baia	23 May	"S" Force (proceeding to)
Major M.J. Grossman	Bari	21 May	Sitting on Allied Military Court (still at Region II)
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Lt Col T.V. Smith	Regions I & VII	7/22 May	Education.
Capt D.G. Tilroe	Region V	24 Apr	Education (still in field)
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Lt Col C. Carroll)	Sicily	22 May	Tour of Inspection (still in field)
Major E.C. King)			
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Brig. Parkinson	5th Army	27 May	Hygiene Conf. (2 nd day.)
Lt Col Williams	5th Army	21/27 May	General Survey.
Major Rushmore	Region V	26 Apr	Vet. Diseases (still in field)
Major Lewis	Region VI Region II	17/21 May) 22/23 May)	VD Control.
Col Griffin	Region VI	25 May	Medical Supplies (still in field)
Capt Wilhelmi	Region VII Region VI	18/21 May 25 May	" " (still in field)
Capt Battaglia	Region II	23/26 May	Typhus Control.
Col Russell	5th Army	27 May	Hygiene Conf. (ret'd. same day)
Major Anderson) Capt Tuzio)	Region VI	15/21 May	Malaria Control.
Lt Manzelli	Region II	16/23 May	" "
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION</u>			

Major A.F. Wilcox Bari and Lecce 20/27 May Visit CVA Replacement Depot

Court (still at Region II)

EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION

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Lt Manzelli	Region III	16/23 May	" "
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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION

Major A.F. Wilcox	Bari and Lecce	22/27 May	Visit ORR Replacement Depot, MADA and PS Officers.
Major F.J. Wilson	HQ, AAI	26 May	Discussions re Prisons (ret'd. same day).

INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION

Capt R.R. Temple	Region II	21/25 May	Local Govt re-organisation.
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RELA & A SUB COMMISSION

Major J.B. Ward Perkins	Caserta	22 May	Conference AAI (ret'd. same day)
Capt F.H.J. Maxse	Region I	7 Apr/23 May	Inspection of Admin and financial machinery under the new It. Govt and assetg. Supts with difficulties encountered.

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SUMMARY OF VISITS MADE IN THE FIELD DURING THE 14 DAYS ENDING 27 MAY 44.

REGION :-	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	5 Army	8 Army	HQ AAI	TOTALS.
Adm Sec	1/4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/4
Legal Sub Comn	1/5	1/7	-	-	-	-	-	3/10	-	-	5/22
Education do.	-	-	-	-	1/7	-	1/1	-	-	-	2/8
Property Control	2/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2/12
Public Health	1/7	6/20	-	-	1/14	5/25	1/4	3/9	-	-	17/79
Public Safety	-	2/8	1/1	-	1/2	-	1/3	-	-	1/1	6/15
Interior	-	-	1/10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/10
MEA & A	1/2	-	1/1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2/3
~~TOTALS~~	6/30	9/35	3/12	-	3/23	5/25	3/8	6/19	-	1/1	36/153

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To CAB

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

27th May, 1944.

In reply
refer to: TS/36/1/8

Subject : Visits and Tours by Officers.

To : Deputy Chief Commissioner, Rear HQ. A.C.C.

1. Reference your memo of no number dated 8th March, 1944 calling for a short report of personnel making visits into Regions.

2. Lieut. Col. H. T. W. Millar (Chief Telecomms Officer), Major Richard H. Ayre (Telecomms Officer, Region II) accompanied by Lieut. Gigli of the Ministry of Communications, left Salerno on 27th May for Lucania and Puglie for the purpose of checking Italian co-operation with Signals' staff and interviewing certain Italian officials regarding the restricted nature of services in their areas.

J. L. Henderson

J. L. HENDERSON
Colonel
Director, Communications Sub-Commission

*Sec. Com
Seen 31/5/44*

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ACC MAIN (Civil Affairs Branch)

24 May 1944

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SUBJECT: Weekly Return of Field Trips Taken By Officers, Seven Days Ending 21/5/44.

SUB-COMMISSION & OFFICERPLACES VISITEDDATEDEPRETDUTYPublic Works & UtilitiesLt. Col. Jenny }
Lt. Col. Thompson }Campobasso, Foggia, 17 May N.Y.R.
Bari, Potenza and
Salerno.Inspection of Military
Highways.

Major Chamberlin

Region VII

21 May

N.Y.R.

On temporary duty as Public
Works Officer in Region VII.Agriculture

Major Hartman

Campobasso, Foggia, 17 May N.Y.R.
Bari, Matera, Cos-
enza, Catanzaro, and
Salerno.The establishment of Field
Organization to insure suc-
cess of current agriculture
crop harvest & collection
program. 2289

Captain Merritt

Catanzaro, Taranto, 19 May N.Y.R.
Brindisi, and BariObserve distribution of Agri-
cultural Supplies; contact
Consorzi Agrari.Labor

Major Babcock

Cosenza, Catanzaro, Reggio, 15 May N.Y.R.
Messina, Palermo, Caltani-
setta, Matera, Bari, Taranto,
and Brindisi.Emergency strike measures;
inspection of Labor Offices &
industrial employment condi-
tions.FinanceMajor Bray }
Major Gits }
Captain Anderson }AFB, HQ. Naples (coming
to Naples fr different
Regions).
16 May 19 May
16 May 20 MayConference of Allied Financial
Agency Branch Managers.Food

Major Keniffman

Bari Area

20 May N.Y.R.

Inspection of Food Processing
plants in Bari Area.

Captain Darie

Campobasso, Vasto, Foggia, 17 May N.Y.R.
Bari, and Brindisi.

Inspection in connection with

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Lt. Col. Jenny Lt. Col. Thompson }	Campobasso, Foggia, 17 May Bari, Potenza and Salerno.	N.Y.R.	Inspection of Military Highways.
Major Chamberlin	Region VII	21 May	N.Y.R. On Temporary duty as Public Works Officer in Region VII.
<u>Agriculture</u>			
Major Hartman	Campobasso, Foggia, 17 May Bari, Matera, Cos- enza, Catanzaro, and Salerno.	N.Y.R.	The establishment of Field Organization to insure suc- cess of current agriculture crop harvest & collection program. 2281
Captain Merritt	Catanzaro, Taranto, 19 May Brindisi, and Bari	N.Y.R.	Observe distribution of Agri- cultural Supplies; contact Consorzi Agrari.
<u>Labor</u>			
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<u>Finance</u>			
Major Bray Major Gits Captain Anderson }	APA, HQ. Naples (coming to Naples fr different Regions).	ARR 15 May 16 May 16 May	DEP 19 May 19 May 20 May
Conference of Allied Financial Agency Branch Managers.			
<u>Food</u>			
Major Kauffman	Bari Area	20 May	N.Y.R. Inspection of Food Processing plants in Bari Area.
Captain Imrie	Campobasso, Vasto, Foggia, 17 May Bari, and Brindisi.	N.Y.R.	Inspection in connection with Food Sub-commission activities
<u>Transportation</u>			
Major Baister	Reggio & adjacent points, also Palermo & adjacent points.	20 May	N.Y.R. To make inspection of mechan- ical facilities I.S.R. in- cluding locomotives, cars & workshops in Reggio, Calabria & on the Island of Sicily.
Major Street	Reggio di Calabria & points in Calabria as necessary	20 May	N.Y.R. To become "Divisional Supt." in liaison with opposite number of Italian State Rail- way, Reggio Calabria Division.

NOTE: N.Y.R. designates NOT YET RETURNED.

J. BRUCE THOMPSON, MAJOR R.A.
G.S.O. 2, ECONOMIC SECTION

J. Bruce Thompson May 23

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Capt. Talbot
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HQ ACC, APO 394
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By *R.R.*

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21 May 44.

SUBJECT : Visits to Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner.

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22 MAG 1944
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R.R. Crisp
R.R. CRISP
Lt Colonel,
for VP Adm Sec.
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per 11/2

WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIP MADE DURING WEEK ENDING 18.00 F 20 MAY 44.

<u>RANK & NAME</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION</u>			
<u>NIL RETURN</u>			
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major A.R. Thackrah	Regio di Calabria Messino	14/18 May 44	Accompanying Judicial Official of Ministry of Justice for tour of insp. of Italian Courts.
Major G.G. Hannaford	Caserta	18/19 May 44	Visiting HQ AMF 5 Army for the purpose of discussing Italian judicial personnel for Rome, also the execu- tion of death sentences pronounced by AMF Courts in Army areas.
Major I.G.H. Campbell	Caserta	14/16 May 44	Attending HQ AMF 5 Army Army-Espionage Trial.
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Lt Col T.V. Smith	Regions I & VII	7 May not yet returned.	Education.
Capt Dexter G. Tilroe	Region V	24 May not yet returned	Education.
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
<u>NIL RETURN</u>			
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major Frizelle	Region I	12/20 May 44	PH Organisation.
Major Rushmore	Region V	26 Apr not yet ret'd.	Vet. Diseases.
Major Lewis	Region VI	17 May-not ret'd.	VD Control.
Col Griffin	Region II	6/14 May 44	Medical Supplies.
Capt Wilhelm	Region II Region VII	6/14 May 44 18 May-not ret'd	" "
Major Conner	Region II	11/16 May 44	Communicable Diseases.
Capt Anderson	Region VI	15 May-not ret'd.	Malaria Control.

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Attending HQ AMT 5 Army
Army-Espionage Trial.

Education.

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NOTES TO READER

Vet. Diseases.

VD Control.

Medical Supplies,

Communicable Diseases.

Malaria Control.

Accompanying AAI officer
on GL(b) duties.

day - Rations for Firemen
(Discussion)

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DATES

RANK & NAME PLACES VISITED

INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION

Capt R.R. Temple Region II

15 May-not ret'd. Survey of Local Govt re-organisation.

ME4 & A SUB COMMISSION

Major E.F. De Wald - Salerno Benevento

17 May (1 day)
18 "Weekly Conference.
Insp of Mons with PARADE correspondent preparing art. on war damage to Mons. Conference with AME 5 Army

Caserta

19 "

Capt F.H.J. Marxer Sicily

19 Apr- not ret'd.

Supervision MEAA projects in Region I.

Lt P.S. Cott

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Legal Sub Coman	1/5	-	-	-	2/2	-	-	5/10	-	-	-	-	8/17
Education	-	-	-	-	1/7	-	1/7	-	-	-	-	-	2/14
Property Control	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Safety	-	1/6	1/1	-	1/2	-	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	4/15
Public Health	3/13	6/30	10/11	1/14	3/16	1/3	2/2	-	-	-	-	-	16/78

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Interior	-	2/12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2/12
MEA & A	1/32	-	7/7	-	5/5	-	-	-	-	13/44
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LT COL SHIFF AND CAPT GILBERT RETURNING PM THURSDAY ELEVEN 080916E



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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission
APO 394.

ACC/OCG/PTU

13 May 1944.

SUBJECT: Visit to Sicily.
TO : Regional Control Commissioner, Region I.

1. Permit me first to state that I want to express to you my appreciation for the many courtesies extended to me while in Sicily by yourself and the various Public Works and Provincial officers I have contacted on my trip through Sicily.

2. When I arrived at your station I advised you that, in view of the fact that there was great need for additional personnel for this Sub-Commission to be assigned to active forward regions, it would probably be necessary for me to transfer some of the Public Works officers now assigned to your Region and that I was very anxious to see what could be done to obtain one or two officers from your Region because of the fact that, comparatively speaking, your Region had more Public Works officers than other regions, and that I wished to look into this matter carefully while on the Island.

3. Another matter discussed with you was the question of the rather long title of the engineering head in your Region and the possibility of divorcing himself of some of the functions now performed.

4. The Public Works and Utilities officers now assigned to you are as follows:

Lt. Col. G. P. Bolick, head of this Section.
Major D. A. Boyd, Public Works Officer.
Major A. Crowther, Electric Utilities Officer.
Lt. L. J. Hodges, Public Works Officer at Messina.

Yes.
5. I discussed with Col. Bolick the question of being relieved of work in connection with lighthouses and to have that work assigned to the Navy. Col. Bolick advised me that steps were already under way to that end. I hope that this change will be made very shortly so as to permit him to concentrate all of his efforts on Public Works and Utilities matters including transportation and communication duties.

6. Concerning the title of Col. Bolick, it was agreed in my conversation with you that his title would be changed to Regional Engineer Officer, which corresponds more nearly to the title of the officer in charge of engineering work in Region IV.

7. While at Messina I made a tour through the city with Major Ramsey

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✓ and Lt. Hodges in order to see just what the Public Works problems were at that point and to see if it would be possible to transfer Lt. Hodges to this Headquarters. I advised you upon my return to your station that I was satisfied that Lt. Hodges should not be removed from Messina at this time because of the very large number of important Public Works problems which still remain to be solved in that city. Very excellent work is being done at Messina and a very good record is being kept of all Public Works expenditures. I am pleased to state that things are well in hand there and that in spite of the many handicaps encountered, good progress is being made.

8. It was agreed with you that, in order to best function, the engineering work to be done on the Island would be handled as follows:

- (a) Lt. Hodges will remain as Public Works Officer at Messina and report to Lt. Col. Bolick.
- (b) Major Boyd to be in charge of all Public Works outside of Messina, throughout the Island, excepting military highways.
- (c) Major Crowther will be in charge of all electrical work all over the Island.

It is hoped that in this manner a smooth functioning organization will exist and that work can be carried out in the most efficient way.

9. In accordance with a Directive received from the D.D.W., HQ. A.A.I., dated 30 March 1944, this Sub-Commission was directed to take over military highways in Sicily and Sardinia in the same way as we were handling military highways on the mainland. One of the purposes of my trip was, therefore, to contact Col. Lindsey, Chief Engineer of District No. 1 at Catania, and to discuss with him the military highway problem and to settle the question as to which highways on the Island would be considered as military highways. It was found that, according to a map prepared by District No. 1, a very large percentage of all highways in Sicily were classed as military highways and out of these a disproportionate number of highways were considered of first priority routes. It was explained to the Chief Engineer of District No. 1 that on the mainland of Italy only principal coastal highways and occasional highly important cross-roads were considered as military highways and that we would have to follow the same principle in Sicily. It was therefore agreed, subject to confirmation by the Commanding General, District No. 1, that the following highways would be considered as military highways and be placed under the jurisdiction of Capt. Gamble, of this Sub-Commission, who has arrived at Catania and will supervise this work.

PRIORITY ONE MILITARY HIGHWAYS.

- 700 miles? (a) The coastal highway from Palermo to Messina and down to Syracuse.

PRIORITY TWO HIGHWAYS.

- (a) The road from Palermo to Catania via Enna.
(b) One of the two roads from Palermo to Agrigento, the Engineer of District No. 1 to decide which of the two roads to be so designated.

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10. Accordingly, all other highways in Sicily will be considered non-military highways and will come under the jurisdiction of the Regional Control Commissioner and his Engineering Staff.

11. While it is agreed that all highways, as well as other public works, come under the over-all jurisdiction of the military authorities and that these may from time to time designate special tasks to be performed, I cannot help but feel that the military authorities in District No. 1 have been making requests upon your officers, particularly at Messina, which is not done to such an extent in any other Region except possibly some of our Forward Regions on the mainland. While there still exists good reason for certain military control concerning some of these matters, I do feel very strongly that steps should be taken to give you and your officers more direct control over many of these matters, particularly in view of the fact that I have found this work well in hand and that there is no need for such close military supervision. After all, A.C.C. has a definite function to perform and it seems to me that it should be permitted to carry on its task in conjunction with the military authorities and in accordance with the agreement reached with the Italian Government which is now in control.

12. While there are a considerable number of bridges to be reconstructed on the military highways, particularly coastal routes, I found that, with the exception of a stretch in the vicinity of Messina, these highways are today in fairly good condition. While in Sicily, I covered the route from Palermo to Messina, Catania, Enna, Caltanissetta, Agrigento and back to Palermo. I found the roads from Catania to Palermo on the above mentioned route in fairly good condition. Work was in progress on many portions of these highways and in many places complete resurfacing of water-bound Macadam was in progress.

13. On the above mentioned trip I was accompanied by H. E. the Minister of Public Works, Sig. Taroliani, H. E. the High Commissioner for Sicily, Sig. Musotto, and the Director General of the Ministry of Public Works, Sig. Tizzano. Many problems of Italian organization were discussed and certain important decisions were reached.

- (a) For some time, your Engineering Section has been complaining about the ability of the present Italian Chief Engineer Officer on the Island and this matter had previously been taken up with the Minister of Public Works. It was decided that he would be replaced by Sig. Russo, a Sicilian, now in Calabria, and who has done good work in that Compartimento.
- (b) It was found that Sicily had been divided into two halves, the eastern half and western half, each being headed by an engineer. It was also found that both of these engineers made their headquarters at Palermo. It was agreed that the engineer in charge of the eastern half of the Island make his headquarters at Catania.
- (c) Major Boyd had pointed out to me that there were several engineering organizations which seemed to be doing certain work in Sicily, and with whom he had to deal, outside of the Genio Civile or A.A.S.S.

and named the following:-

1. Istituto Case Popolari.
2. Consorzio Bonifica.
3. Ufficio Nuove Costruzioni.

Perfected
This matter was discussed with the Minister and the High Commissioner and it was agreed that, while all of these came under the over-all direction of the Minister of Public Works, they should be made to report to the Genio Civile and that all contacts between your engineers and these agencies be made through the head of the Genio Civile. It was also found that some 70 officers of the Ufficio Nuove Costruzione were drawing salaries and doing no work. The Minister and the High Commissioner agreed that these would be transferred to the Genio Civile and assigned to various posts all over the Island so as to assist the Genio Civile in its many tasks and provide for better supervision.

- ||| (d) Upon taking office, the new Minister of Public Works started to do some housecleaning and, among other things, he has taken steps to eliminate the A.A.S.S., a fascist creation within the Ministry of Public Works placed in charge of State Highway Construction and maintenance, and to assign the officers within that organization to the Genio Civile carrying out similar tasks as heretofore but under the direction of the Genio Civile. This will eliminate one more organization with which we will have to deal and will make it necessary in all Public Works matters to deal with but one officer, the Head of the Genio Civile of the Region. While discussing engineering problems with Italian officials all over the Island, the Minister and the High Commissioner outlined this program to their people and it is hoped that these very beneficial reforms will shortly be carried out.

|| 14. This Sub-Commission had been requested by the Central Electrical Board to remove one of the power generating units near Palermo to the mainland and while I was at Palermo several officers of this Commission arrived there in charge of Lt. Col. Lapper to begin dismantling that plant and to ship it over here. I discussed this matter with you, and Lt. Col. Lapper also paid his respects upon arrival and we are working closely with your engineers in this connection. Although the Genio Civile was asked to explain to the Electric Co the reason for the removal of this plant, two of the engineers of this company complained that this would deprive them of the only spare unit they had and that they needed this. I explained to them that we were doing this on order of higher authority and that the need for this equipment was much greater over here than in Sicily, and, if need be, more rationing would have to be done in Sicily. In this connection I wish to point out that much more severe rationing is being done on the mainland than in Sicily. The plant in question is to be returned to the present owners after the war.

Tell RC
15. At the present time there is one cement plant operating in Sicily near Messina. I understand from Major Boyd that a study is being made for increasing this plant from a 400 to 600 ton capacity. I believe that everything possible should be done to assist in this so as to produce more cement.

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In this connection I would like to point out that I am surprised that cement can be purchased in the black market and that there evidently must be a leak somewhere from that plant. Since this is under the control of Lt. Hodges at Messina, I would suggest that you arrange with the Italian authorities to have a reliable Italian supervisor placed at that plant so as to control the cement supply from that plant, to keep a close record on requisitions received and cement delivered from the mill, and who will report weekly to Lt. Hodges on production and allocation of this cement.

16. In closing, I wish to state that I have found a very marked improvement all over Sicily since leaving Sicily in December. All Public Works and Utilities problems seem well in hand, work is being carried out in many sections and I have good reason to feel that within the next few months engineering rehabilitation work will have progressed to such a point where the essential facilities will have been restored to a nearly normal condition. Naturally, many problems remain to be solved but they will have to await their turn or a cessation of hostilities. I feel that my trip to Sicily has been very fruitful, and that, for the time being, it is well to leave things as they stand and to permit your officers to continue the good work they are doing, until some contingency in the forward areas will make a transfer of some officers imperative at which time I will contact you again to see what can be done.

L.A. JERRY,
Lt.-Col., C.E.,
Director.

Copy to: Vice President, Economic Section,
Brigadier M.S. Lush. ✓

How many Officers will
remain?

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Maj Gen Philip Magnum brought this
report to me on a recent visit to Calabria and
Italy.

2. It is based on so much of the impression
that I gained, I pass it on to you. It was asked
to them that it is unofficial.

W. S. W. 16.5.44

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Thank you.

W. S. W.

Col Fisher to see

See.

W. S. W.

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7 June

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TO : Lieut. Colonel G.W.I. SHIPP.
FROM : Major Sir P. M. MAGNUS.

I accompanied Major-General L. de Sevin, French representative on the A.C.C., on a tour of A.C.C. Provincial HQs in CALABRIA and SICILY between 2 May and 13 May 44. You stated you would be interested to know my personal impressions. It was obvious, of course, that these would be based on but brief observation.

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I visited this Headquarters on three separate occasions, and have gained the impression that there is no leadership here sufficient to weld a team together. The mess is in the Prefettura where the Commissioner lives, but the officers disperse immediately after dinner. Italians in the town, among whom are many soldiers, appear noisy and uncontrolled.

REGGIO.

There are three separate messes here and a very evident lack of esprit de corps. It was clear that the officers did not pull well together. We were at Reggio for one night only but the "feel" was poor, and the Italians here, occupied about the A.C.C. Headquarters in the Prefettura, wore a supercilious air. Capt. H.G. Harris, Provincial Education Officer, though diffident, was most helpful.

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AGRIGENTO.

Two London policemen are mainly responsible for the work of this HQs, which looks after a district which is largely agricultural. There is no finesse about their methods but no doubt was left in our minds that the work of the HQs is soundly and conscientiously conducted.

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GENERAL.

We were left with the general impression that a risk existed of a number of second rate people, not always with specialist qualifications, being left in small Provincial HQs. These officers will show a tendency to go to seed. We thought that these HQs might be run more efficiently with fewer people provided that the staff were all alert and well qualified.

16. May. 44.

Major.

P.M. Naguib

has a great deal of personality and

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

APO 594

FILE:RC/210.45

16 May 1944

SUBJECT: Tour - Regional Commissioner and High Commissioner

TO : Provincial Commissioners
Heads of Divisions
Duty Officer
Administrative Officer
Liaison Officer Italian Authorities & 1 DISTRICT
H.Q. A.C.C. Executive Commissioner

1. The Regional and High Commissioners will be away
from PALERMO from WED 17 0600 hrs to FRIDAY 19 1930 hrs.
MAY

2. Itinerary - 17 MAY

Depart PALERMO	0600 hrs
arr CATANIA	1100 hrs
Depart CATANIA	1445 hrs
arr AUGUSTA	1530 hrs
Depart AUGUSTA	1615 hrs
arr SIRACUSA	1645 hrs

Stay night VILLA POLITI - telephone SIRACUSA 1616.

3. Itinerary 18 MAY.

Depart SIRACUSA	0900 hrs
arr RAGUSA	1100 hrs
Depart RAGUSA	1400 hrs
arr AGRIGENTO	1930 hrs

Stay night A.C.C. H.Q. - telephone AVENGER 34

4. Itinerary 19 MAY.

Depart AGRIGENTO	1415 hrs
arr PALERMO	1700 hrs

5. Party will include

Lt Colonel Bolick
Lt Colonel Snook

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4. Itinerary 19 MAY.

Depart AGRIGENTO	1415 hrs
arr PALERMO	1600 hrs

5. Party will include

Lt Colonel Bolick
Lt Colonel Snook
Lt Colonel Lindberg
Major Morley-Fletcher

For the Regional Commissioner

Dunley Fletcher
D. MORLEY-FLETCHER
Major
EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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Chief Commissioner.

I submit an interesting report on Calabria written by Lt.Col.Shipp. Action will be taken on the various points raised and I will submit a proposal for the picking up of Region VII and for placing it bodily into Region VIII in due course - on the lines of his conclusions.

M.S.LUSH,
Brigadier.

A most interesting report. I gave my views at the V.P. meeting this morning. By all means start thinning out.

16.May.44

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieut.General.

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

HEADQUARTERS
17 MAG 1944
A. C. C.

15 May 1944

ACC/3010/PH

SUBJECT: - Field Trips.

TO : - All Officers, Public Health Sub-Commission.

While Regional Commissioners are always glad to see officers from this Sub-Commission when visiting the various Regions, there are limits to the messing facilities and sleeping accommodations they can provide. Again, officers from other Sub-Commissions may be visiting their areas at the same time and this must tax the resources to the utmost, no matter how hospitable they may wish to be.

Will officers, therefore, intending to visit Regions give the longest possible notice to the Regional Commissioners concerned and at the same time, come provided with their bedding roll and rations.

PH/GSP/ja *AMT YAM 81*

G. S. Parkinson
G. S. PARKINSON, Brigadier
Director, Public Health Sub-Commission.

Copy to: RC & MC Section.
" " : Regional Commissioners, Regions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7.
" " : SCAO, 5th Army.
" " : SCAO, 8th Army.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
ECONOMIC SECTION
APO 394

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14 May 44

SUBJECT: Weekly Return of Officers Field Trips, Seven days ending 14 May 44.

SUB-COMMISSION AND OFFICER	PLACES VISITED	DATE		DUTY
		DEP	RET	
<u>Public Works & Utilities</u>				
Major Renton Lt. Col. Lapper }	Palemo, Sicily	8 May	N.Y.R.	Inspecting Sicilian Electric Power Facilities.
Major Hyland	Bari, Brindisi, Potenza, 10 May Reggio, Salerno, and Taranto.	10 May	N.Y.R.	Inspection of Military Highway & Bridge Programme.
<u>Agriculture</u>				
Major Sutherland	Campobasso, Foggia, Bari, Taranto, Matera, Catanzaro, Salerno and vicinity.	12 May	N.Y.R.	Amasso Liaison with Italian officials in principle wheat producing areas.
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Capt. Parker	Bari	9 May	N.Y.R.	Organizing, supervising issued new ration scale for Heavy Workers.
Maj. Smallwood	Sardinia	11 May	N.Y.R.	Urgent duty for Food Sub-comm.
<u>Finance</u>				
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Major Barlow	Campobasso and Foggia	9 May	12 May	To assist in the development of accounting procedure for ESD Supplies & PGE for AMG 8th Army.
Capt. Gore-Harvey	Bari	14 May	N.Y.R.	To assist in the installation of accounting procedure for Displaced Persons S.C. & for work with Supply Accountant Region II.
Capt. Cunningham	Potenza & Matera	14 May	N.Y.R.	Revenue Stimulation.
<u>Transportation</u>				
Major Bordass	Region II, Matera.	13 May	N.Y.R.	Re-organization of transportation facilities.

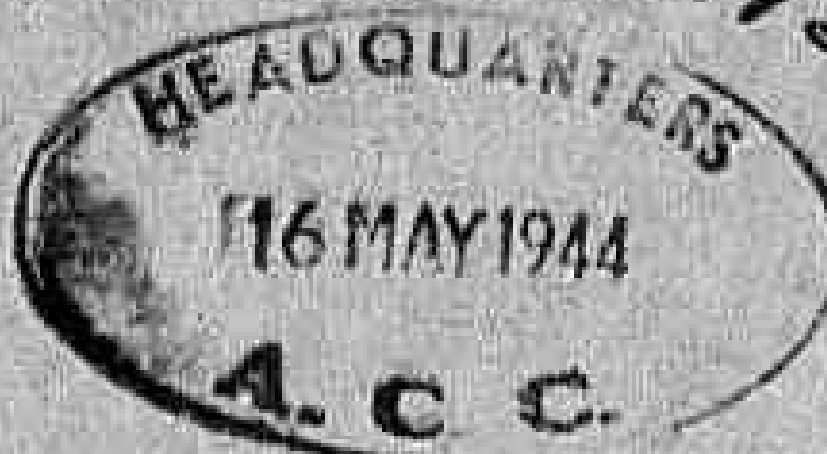
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gBm Thompson May - RA

J. BRUCE THOMPSON, MAJOR R.A.

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Catania - Syracuse

Phone: Syracuse 1616

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Ragusa - Agrigento

Phone: Agrigento 1107

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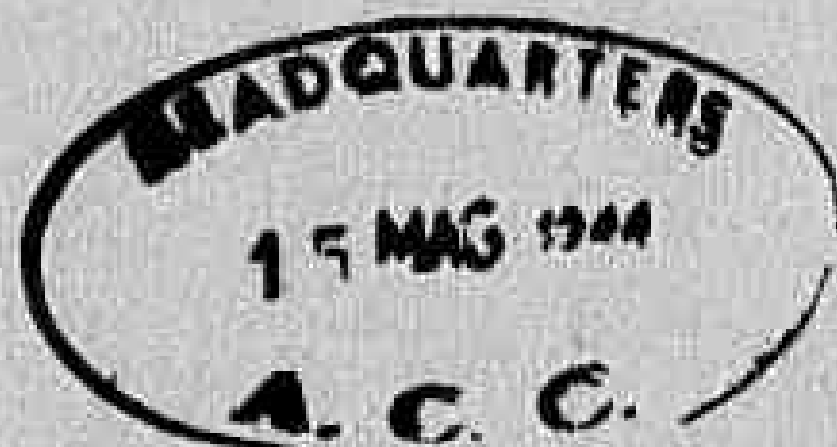
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14 May 44.

SUBJECT : Visits to Field. *75-76*

TO : Chief Commissioner.

Attached is (i) a Return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on Field Trips during the seven days ending 13 May 44, and (ii) a Summary of visits paid to the field in the fourteen days ending 13 May 44.



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WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIPS MADE DURING WEEK ENDING 18.00 HRS, 13 MAY 44.

<u>RANK & NAME</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION - NIL RETURN</u>			
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Lt Col R.L. Wilmer) Capt J. More)	HQ AMG 5 Army HQ Region V	9/10 May) 11/12 May)	Tour of Inspection.
Lt W.G. Bryce	HQ AMG 5 Army	11/14 May	Tour of Inspection.
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Lt Col Thomas V. Smith	Regions I & VII	7 May, not yet ret'd.	Education Tour.
Capt Dexter G. Tylroe	Region V	24 Aprl, not yet ret'd.	Education.
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
<u>NIL RETURN</u>			
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major Frizelle	Region I	12 May, not ret'd.	PH Organisation
Major Rushmore	Region V	26 May	Vet. diseases.
Col Griffin	Region II	6 May	Medical Supplies.
Capt Wilhelmi	Region II	6 "	"
Lt Col Williams) Col Russell)	5 Army	9 May ret'd. same day	Malaria Control
Lt Col Williams	Region II	12/13 May	Typhus Control.
Major Connor	Region II	11 May not ret'd.	Communicable Dis.
Capt Anderson	Region II	22 Aprl/7 May	Malaria Control
Capt Tuzio	Region I	23 Aprl/8 May	"
Lt Manzelli	Region I	23 Aprl/8 May	"
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Capt W.C. Ballance	Regions II & VII	11 May not ret'd.	Accompanying AAI Officer on GI(b) duties.
Major F.J. Wilson	Brindisi	11 May not ret'd.	Prison Duties

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 Capt Dexter G. Tilroe Region V
PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION
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NIL RETURN

PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION

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Major F.J. Wilson	Brindisi	11 May not ret'd.	Prison Duties

INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION

Capt C.G.R. Williams	Matera & Potenza	5/11 May	Survey of Local Govt.
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MEYER & Y. SUB COMMISSION

Major E. T. De Wald

Salerno, Paestum

8/9 MAY

Conference with State
Inspector of Monuments
and conference with
Army officials re arch-
aeological sites at
Peestum.

Capt F. H. J. Warner

Silly

19 Apr not
yet recd.

Supervision of MEA projects in Region I.

Lt P.B. Cott

Salerno Region

10 MAY

Inspection of Monuments.

Capt E Croft-Murray

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10 May
13 May

Inspection of Monuments in company with PARADE correspondent preparing article on war damage to monuments. Also (on 13 May) supervision of art objects in Caserta Palace.

Capt A.S. Pennoyer

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7 May

Delivery of copies of
Lists of Protected
Mons. Part 3.

Capt D. Keller

Salerno Region

10 May

Insp. of Mons.

Capt T.H. Brooke

**Salerno
Capua, Caserta**

10 May
13 May

Insp. of Archives.

2/Lt Hartt I.

San Gervasio

13 May not yet ret'd.

Photographic recee of
war damage to mons. in
enemy held Italy.

SUMMARY OF VISITS MADE IN THE FIELD DURING THE FOURTEEN DAYS ENDING 13 MAY 1941.

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	Capua, Caserta	13 May	
Capt A.S. Pennoyer	HQ AMG 8 Army	7 May	Delivery of copies of Lists of Protected Mons. Part 3.
Capt D. Keller	Salerno Region	10 May	Insp. of Mons.
Capt T.H. Brooks	Salerno Capua, Caserta	10 May 13 May	Insp. of Archives.
2/Lt Bartt F.	San Severo	13 May not yet ret'd.	Photographic recce of war damage to mons. in enemy held Italy.

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REGION :-	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	8 Army	9 Army	10 Army	TOTALS
Adm Sec	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2260
Legal Sub Comen	-	-	-	-	2/2	-	-	3/5	-	-	5/7
Education	1/7	-	-	-	1/7	-	-	-	-	-	2/14
Property Control	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Safety	1/3	1/3	-	-	-	1/3	-	-	-	-	3/9
Public Health	3/20	5/15	-	-	2/17	-	-	3/11	-	-	13/63
Interior	-	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/6
MEA & A	1/7	-	7/7	-	1/1	-	-	-	1/1	-	10/16
TOTALS	6/37	7/24	7/7	-	6/27	-	1/3	6/16	1/1	-	34/115

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NOTES ON TRIP TO SARDINIA 2 May 1944.

A large proportion of the seed potatoes distributed by ACC in Sardinia is reported to have rotted in the ground. I inspected one garden and found in beds of approximately 12 x 30 feet an average of 15 plants up in each bed.

Crop prospects are the best in many years in Sardinia. I visited wheat fields near Cagliari. The grain has headed out full and hard and the fields are a rich green.

The towns are plastered with Hammer and Sickle signs painted on in the last few days. Stencils were used. One hammer and sickle sign, bigger than the rest, was painted on ACC Headquarters in Cagliari. Brig. Carr ordered it unobtrusively removed. The proportion of W L R signs on walls and buildings seems much higher in Southern Sardinia than in Sicily or on the Mainland, perhaps because of the presence of armed forces. In some places "God Save the King", in Italian, is spelled out at full length.

REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS MEETING 0930 to 1215 hrs, 2 May 1944.

Brig. Carr reported that nothing of major importance has happened in Sardinia since he took over as Regional Commissioner approximately six weeks ago. The High Commissioner had recently brought together the Concentrazione Antifascista whose main demands are (a) a greater Italian war effort, (b) more newsprint for more newspapers, (c) more clothing and shoes, (d) strong action against Fascists outside as well as within official circles. Brig. Carr said he wanted his Provincial Commissioners to keep in touch with the Concentrazione Antifascista in their Provinces.

The Regional Commissioner announced that the Local Resources Board, now under AFHQ, would soon come under AAI.

AGRICULTURE - Capt Kreidler. The new Ammassi decree may be too late for the machinery to work properly this year. The Ammassi plan, which had been drawn up for Sardinia by the High Commissioner, will probably be replaced by the new Italian decree which aims at amassing a higher percentage of the total production of Italian grain than ever before. The price will probably be higher than Sardinia had hoped.

Forms to be filled in for farmers for this year's Ammassi in Sardinia alone will weigh three tons or more. If they have to come by sea they may arrive very late and so slow up the machinery of collection.

FINANCE. Lt.-Col. Waters feared the new wheat price might force up the price of bread. A great deal of new money in the hands of the farmers of Sardinia might increase inflation. Brig. Carr said the High Commissioner had power to modify the Decree for Sardinia and might do so.

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Brig. Carr declared that for security reasons all schooner sailings to and from Sardinia for the time being have been banned. This queers any prospective trade for the time being. If sulphur does not arrive soon from Sicily the wine crop is in danger.

TRANSPORT. Major Spann said the screening of applicants for petrol permits might bring out numbers of concealed motor vehicles. Col. Clough said it had revealed 1300 cars in Sicily.

Lt.-Col. Waters said the Consumer Tax, which is the stable communal tax in Sardinia, is faulty. It should be on an ad valorem rather than an ad quantum basis. Some branches of the Italian administration are badly overstaffed and should be severely pruned.

INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE. Capt. Turner said the tuna fishing season was about to begin. Another 5 tons of cork are needed in addition to 20 tons already secured. The black market price of fish in Cagliari was going down since night fishing was resumed. There are no reports on results in other areas. Brig. Carr said that if no transport were available and if the open market could not absorb all the catch, there might be gluts in some areas. He would discuss the lifting of the ban on the North Coast of Sardinia but with little hope of success. Major Dollar said the reason for the ban was the presence of unswept Axis mines in the sea between Sardinia and Corsica, but the fishermen were willing to take a chance and he thought the ban might be lifted.

FOOD. Lt.-Col. MacFee reported that soap, matches and some oil were arriving. A normal ration of meat was expected. There is no need to create a reserve of soup or beans as anticipated arrivals will meet requirements. There are 50 tons of oil on the Island with preference for the miners. ACC promises 150 tons a month but the problem is to get it shipped in. The price to the consumer is fixed at 30 lire a litre.

Col. Hale said that leakage on imports from the ship to warehouse is less than 1/20 of 1%. Col. MacFee said the credit for this belonged to the Carabinieri. * (See Note on next page).

Col. Hale said there had been instances of flagrant abuse of Sardinian sellers by buyers from the Mainland. He was taking up the question of prices on goods for export with the Local Resources Board.

Major Spann said the Italian Decree on Petroleum Permits ignored the ACC requirement that all permits be screened by the Commission.

MEDICAL. Lt. Col. Dobos said Sardinia's main problems were Malaria and supplies for malaria control. The Italian Army will furnish 2600 men for drainage and destruction of larvae and will release one camionette per province for control officers. The first shipment of medical supplies has now been distributed to the Italian provincial medical authorities but may not yet have reached all the Communes. These supplies should be distributed on a credit basis, with the financial risk assumed by the Prefectures, otherwise they will not get out

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fully. ACC medical supplies should be made available to the Italian armed services in cases of necessity. There have been regrettable instances of refusals of such material to the troops. Brig Carr instructed his Provincial Commissioners to watch this distribution and ruled that Anti-malarial supplies would be distributed without requisition from local authorities.

PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS.

CAGLIARI. Major Price reported that fishing is going strong. In getting food to the consumer, an attempt was being made to eliminate middlemen. The dock workers in Cagliari want a new leader. The Port Authorities want the present man to stay. Major Price had compromised: the man would stay ~~until 30 June~~ until 30 June but must be replaced then. The Provincial Giunta is working, but none have been set up in the Communes. The Commissioner deals as much as possible with the Prefect only.

On May Day there was a political meeting of 3000 in Cagliari. It was orderly. Later on there was a small street brawl between Communists and Fascists followed by some arrests.

NUORO. Major Shirk reported a May Day meeting by the Communists attended by 40 or 50 people. The Communists are only about one per cent of the population but are becoming very active politically. Political activity by American standards is practically non-existent, but for Sardinia it is quite lively.

SASSARI. Major Dollar reported that his Prefect is completely dominated by the Concentrazione Antifascista. Brig Carr pointed out that the Prefect's new Giunta Consultativa would probably be chosen from the same group, but pointed out that the Giunta does not dominate, it advises, and the Provincial Commissioner should advise also.

MINING. Lt. Kingery reported a Communist Field Day at Carbona on May Day. The Italian flag and an effigy of Mussolini were burned. In a recent riot a Communist was killed, and at the funeral a Vendetta against the killers was signed on the coffin. There are spasmodic strikes, but the three mines never go out at the same time; the strikers' organization is poor. But there is some trouble in getting loaded boats out.

Brig Carr said he wanted his Provincial Commissioners to inspect prisons frequently and carefully. Military prisoners must be taken out of the civilian prisons, and the Commissioner wished to be informed within a week if this had been done.

If the High Commissioner will agree, Brig Carr said, wholesalers are going to be eliminated in the handling of food to retailers in the Communes in Cagliari. The experiment will be closely watched and if it succeeds, will be extended to the other Provinces.

The next Regional Conference in Sardinia will be held about 15 June.

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Note. I asked Col. MacFree how he had cut down leakage of foodstuffs to 1/20 of %. He said the stuff is distributed in the three Provinces by three firms who take delivery and make payment at ship-side. The goods are checked four times, at a cost to ACC of 7 lire a ton: (a) by ACC; (b) by the firm taking delivery; (c) by the military port authorities and (d) by the Carabinieri. Carabinieri check the stuff into the trucks, ride on the trucks, and check the unloading. If one item is short there is a hell of a row. The Carabinieri in Sardinia are given authority and take responsibility. Their morale and reliability are of the highest. They have taken on the salvage of broken sacks and their yield is on a high percentage.

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NOTES ON TRIP TO SICILY 18 - 21 April 1944.

Major D. Morley-Fletcher, Executive Officer of Region 2, claims that in the Interior of Sicily especially, communal committees of citizens were functioning in a true democratic manner and really getting things done. Sicilians, he believes, are thinking more in terms of local autonomy under a Sicilian provincial government, with a Federal Government in Rome, than of Separatism from Italy. He said the Dutch and Belgian Consuls-General had discussed with Col. Hancock the seeming trend of Sicilian opinion away from the methods of the French revolution toward the constitutional developments of the British Commonwealth and the United States and that those officials appeared truly impressed with the strength of the current of thought in Sicily.

Britain took 10,000 tons of Sulphur from Sicily in the week beginning 24 April.

Red Cross Clothing has arrived and is being distributed in Sicily to the tune of 100 tons.

The REGIONAL COMMISSIONER'S CONFERENCE was held Wednesday 19 Apr. 44 and ran from 0830 to 1930 hrs with a break of less than one hour for lunch.

A separate report on the Press Situation in Sicily has been filed with DPR. A verbal report, touching highlights, was made by DDPR at Brig Lush's meeting 24 Apr. 44. Some of the information brought back from Sicily was found useful at Col. Cripps' meeting in Salerno 25 Apr. 44.

SUMMARY OF REGIONAL COMMISSIONER'S CONFERENCE

The Regional Commissioner summarized for his Provincial Commissioners and Division heads the proceedings of the General Conference in Naples. He read the Summary of Press Reports on the General Conference which was prepared by DPR. It was received with great interest and DDPR was asked if material of this nature might not be incorporated in an ACC news bulletin which would circulate as widely as possible in the Regions.

Lt.-Col. Jordan reported that the atmosphere and work done at Headquarters are inspiring.

PALERMO PROVINCE. Col. Thomas reported that crime is decreasing. There had been a disturbance at Termoli and a riot at Partinico in which a boy was killed by a wild shot and the angry mob killed a Carabinieri. Grenades were used. The tax office was looted and burned. The probably leaders had been arrested. There was a little trouble at Garini, but the serious happenings at Partinico seemed to have frightened the people of other towns.

There had been a two-day strike of street cleaners in Palermo and a

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demonstration by railway employees. The cry was for more bread. Bakers' subsidies are in arrears and this aggravates the food situation.

Revenue collected in March 1944 was 30,000,000 lire as against 13,000,000 in January and 16,000,000 in March 1943 under the Fascist government. Very little duty was collected from imports, but a 2% tax on sales in shops had yielded well. Palermo bakers claim they cannot produce the required 125 kgs of bread from 100 kgs flour. There is too much adulteration of bread, too much racketeering in flour by the bakers. Tests run during the Conference in a Palermo bakery under bakery conditions and ACC supervision yielded 137 kgs of bread from 100 kgs of flour. It is not expected that this yield can be produced from all the bakeries, but it shows the claim of the bakers is largely fake.

Newly constituted civilian squads of volunteers have been organized and began to function at Easter. They check prices and quality of merchandise offered for sale in the shops. The High Commissioner is very keen on the experiment and hopes to extend it to other places. The squads are checking particularly on oil, milk, wheat, pasta and are looking for hoarding. When frightened merchants withdraw their goods from sale, other squads go out and investigate. Licences are revoked and vehicles in which goods are trucked to places of concealment are seized. The work of these squads has driven up Black Market prices. Road blocks, checking the movement of Black Market produce, have also tended to raise prices. Bread in the Partinico area for 100 lire. All confiscated produce goes to the Consorzio. The Regional Commissioner wanted a check made to find out what happens to it then. Col. French (Catania) said the squads issue it among themselves. Col. Thomas said that in Trapani a small proportion goes to the Carabinieri and Guardia di Finanza to encourage them.

An experimental order has been issued shutting off flour for baking fancy little cakes.

Forged permits for transporting seed wheat have been used in transporting Black Market grain. The forgeries carried a close facsimile of an official stamp. Some of the Italian employees of ACC have been found carrying around official rubber stamps in their pockets. The culprits have been caught and arrested.

Col. French (Catania) reported he had stopped large-scale ration card forgeries in his Province.

There is a good reception camp for refugees organized at Termini. It is being run by an Italian Colonel.

RAGUSA PROVINCE. Col. Thurburn reported that there is lack of direction from the Italian authorities to the Prefects on food for refugees. How is the small cash allowance to refugees to be used? Can food be bought with some of it? The first refugees who arrived came in rags. The second shipload was only slightly better. The American Red Cross has stocks on hand which will be sent to Syracuse and

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Termoli to cloth refugees overlooked on the mainland. Soap, which is badly needed, will be issued. Bed and blankets were found without too much difficulty for the first 1000 refugees, but it may be difficult to get more.

There was a minor brawl started in Ragusa by a Fascist who will be interned.

The asphalt mines are taking on some labor, but there are no tangible developments yet on exports of asphalt. Unemployment is still fairly acute among the miners. If outlets were available for the product, 400 more men could be employed.

The Regional Commissioner asked how crop prospects were. The Provincial Commissioners reported they were fairly good if there were no dry spell.

The Regional Commissioner said publicity which had been given by the BBC and newspapers on registration of Italians for return to Africa had done harm in Sicily. He thought the people should be fully and frankly informed that no Italians will be returning to Africa for a long time.

CATANIA PROVINCE. Col. French reported a small disturbance ten days previously. It was started by the Communists. One old man was killed. The trouble was caused by a Caltagirone crowd which travelled in trucks to a small town near the edge of Caltanissetta Province.

There was trouble over adulterated bread since the Italians had taken over. Bakers had been stopped by AMG from retailing their own output, and the number of bakeries allowed to operate had been cut down. Now the bakers were retailing again and the Prefect had been asked to explain. Col. French, if necessary, will recommend closing down all but 10 or 12 bakeries and instituting strict control.

The Regional Commissioner said some of the trouble with bread would be eliminated if the bakers could be made to bake larger loaves.

There are 49 refugees in Catania and nobody knows where they came from. Major Morley-Fletcher said that particular group claimed to have relatives in Sicily.

The Catania tramways are a disgrace and a swindle, said Col French. They have been insolvent since 1912 and have no capital. Shares in the old Belgian Company are controlled by S.E.G.S. Col Hancock said Property control must take over the company. Col French said the balance sheet was incomprehensible and that legal opinion should be sought on the actual ownership of the firm, it was one of the nastiest swindles of all time.

Carabinieri seized a printing plant which was forging ration cards wholesale.

The Italian Red Cross is issuing winter clothing. The ~~2251~~ 2251 will

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sell it, not wear it.

A VD hospital for prostitutes has been opened and the number of cases of VD has decreased slightly.

The prefect is 73 years old. He is slow and not very satisfactory.

Badoglio's visit was interesting. The reception in the morning was cold. By afternoon there was wild enthusiasm. The parties had been greatly unified. Some of the Christian Democrats in Catania, oddly enough, are Separatists.

SYRACUSE PROVINCE. Major Giles said the nominal rolls which came with the first refugees were inaccurate, and that there was still some confusion with the second draft.

In the matter of defascistization the Vice-Prefect was slow to move. The Provincial Commission had not been set up. The decree of 28 December allows too much latitude. Not even the Squadristi had been fired.

Major Ramsay (Messina) said his prefect had been told by the Minister to tread water until a new decree comes out.

The Regional Commissioner said he was taking up the situation with the High Commissioner and asking for a new decree.

Major Giles asked if the Guardia Campestre, a private police operated by the landowners, could be revived. The Carabinieri appreciated and desired their help. He thought they should be authorized. The Regional Commissioner said the way was to get the Prefect to issue a decree.

There had been considerable violence. 19 March 44 one sailor had been killed in Augusta. A Military Court had been asked for to try the accused, but no reply had come from Naples. The Garrison Commander is pressing for action. One M.P. was hit on the head with his own pistol in April. The difficulty was to get the soldiers and sailors of the Allies to realize Sicily is not an enemy country. Steps taken to preserve order included fencing off the foreshore, closing wineshops, throwing bumboats out of the harbour and putting all civilian houses out of bounds.

Unemployment is serious in the citrus belt in the north of the province. The Italian government moves very slowly, it is not possible to get even road repair estimates approved.

The Regional Commissioner warned the Conference that Sicily would not get much of the Government's 600,000,000 lire Public Works appropriation.

Some Sindaci want full collection of this year's wheat ~~225~~ 225 with the producers on ration. Others want free markets. There is strict con-

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control over flour, and very few bakeries are open. They work in rotation.

Major Giles wants a new Prefect, but says he understood Badoglio is short of some 50 career prefects already as a result of dismissals of fascists.

Red Cross winter clothing arrived only a few days ago. It was put in storage, but was being stolen fast. The local committee wants it distributed forthwith.

Syracuse is not self-supporting in grain. Almond exports are heavy - one lot went recently to Malta. On some products the Italian Army overbids ours. The Chambers of Commerce are properly set up, but they are not very strong. They fell down on one job of exporting oranges to U.K. The main cargoes sail from Syracuse.

MESSINA. PROVINCE. Major Ramsay reported the oil situation is acute, with producers selling to the Black Market and the price at 110 lire a litre.

The situation in the Lipari Islands is good. But they need a tanker to supply the island with 650 tons of water a week beginning May 1.

The Messina ferry is back on the Reggio run but the railways are not being allowed to make a charge, with the result that it is loaded with sightseers and holiday-makers to the mainland. Traffic across the Straits is terrific. Sicilian trucks are being sold on the mainland for as much as 700,000 lire. Cheap wines are pouring over. A spiral of inflation is being created. The Guardia Finanza need patrol boats. There are two in Messina which would be suitable but they have no motors. The assets of Sicily are being drained away across the Straits.

The Italian police are very weak on traffic control and need training. Schools should be set up.

The Labor Office is now channelling all army and navy employment. It is running well and its prestige is high.

Major Ramsay wants the Cathedral repaired this year for the 50th anniversary of the Archbishop. The Cathedral is a National Monument.

The biggest headache in Messina is sanitation. Clearing up will cost 25,000,000 lire. Public latrines are to be built if No. 1 District will supply the lumber.

AGRIGENTO PROVINCE. Major Waters said there had been two disturbances and others had been threatened. They were politically organized and the grouse was about food. Kidnapping for ransom has started up again. There was one murder. Eight persons had been arrested. There was a suggestion the police were not straight and nasty allegations had been made.

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A Black Market hoard of 10,000 tons of flour had been caught. Oil at 150 lire is coming out of hiding. There is a racket in fish at Porto Empedocle. The catch is not coming onto the provincial market. There was one case of adulterated bread and the shop was closed.

There are good telecommunications but some messages do not get through at all. The phones have been out for two weeks. A mile of wire had been stolen.

Refugees were due in during the week. Last Sunday 300 came in. The Prefects were not taking enough interest and there was passive resistance among the people. It is planned to put in up to 5% of the population.

ENNA PROVINCE. Major Radice reported the last month had been quiet. Black Market supplies were still plentiful. Bread was 60 to 70 lire. Some fixed prices received from Palermo were higher than free market prices which promptly rose. The Regional Commissioner said to ignore the order and instruct the Prefect and commune to fix lower prices.

There is some sulphur production from four mines. Two of the bigger mines are still flooded.

The Church, which was a National Monument, had been fully restored even to its decoration.

TRAPANI PROVINCE. Major Wilson reported a Communist demonstration on Palm Sunday with threats of violence. On the sixth the tax office at Campobello was attacked and the records burned. Three mills were attacked: one was burned, one was robbed on 10 tons of grain, the Carabinieri saved the third. Women were active in these demonstrations. On the 9th there was trouble between French paratroops and Italian, 10 were wounded and the troops had to be called in. Murder and robbery were decreasing. There was one case of the sabotage of a military copper line. A Military Court had been asked for to try the accused.

Black Market bread has risen from 60 to over 134 lire since the beginning of the month.

The prefect now goes to all political meetings and makes a speech. Then the rich citizens subscribe funds, in some cases as much as 3,000,000 lire by one individual, and food is bought for distribution by a committee. The prefect thinks this is a great scheme and he is meeting the High Commissioner to talk about it.

The Regional Commissioner said he thought if 50,000,000 lire of buying power had appeared suddenly in Trapani the money should be used to organise communal kitchens. The wheat market cannot be left free until the next drop, with a new Ammasso policy coming up.

In Trapani Province a malaria swamp is being drained. Typhoid has practically disappeared.

The prefect is being pressed for a Public Works program. Unfortunately,

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the fishermen want to fish, not to work. There are many craft yet to be raised in the harbors. The small stuff has been taken out, but machinery from Messina is needed to raise the heavy craft. Roads are being fixed and bomb damage is being cleared away.

CALTANISSETTA PROVINCE. Major Petter reported crime is decreasing. The conduct of Allied troops at Gela is none too good.

Unemployment is very high among the 12,000 sulphur miners. Only 1000 are at work. There is a shortage of explosives and timber for mining operations. The ration scale is too low for heavy work underground.

Food losses by pilferage from trains between Palermo and Caltanissetta run to 15%. The Black Market is dwindling because it is running out of produce. Road blocks are curbing outgoing wheat. In one convoy 90 quintals were caught. Prices for fish are 110 lire, bread 50 to 60, flour 70 to 80, meat 140, sugar 150. The sugar is army sugar.

Gela got 22 refugees to be going from Italy to Tripoli. They are still in Sicily.

The Red Cross is distributing pyjamas and layettes which are of no use to the Sicilians. It would be more sensible to distribute cloth and thread.

PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION. Lt-Col Macdonald reported that sanitation is very bad all over Sicily. The unemployed should be put to work on this and the necessary vehicles impressed. Back streets are often open sewers. Incinerators are badly needed. The Italian law is clear and should be enforced. There is an ordinance coming on flies. Sicily has enough typhoid vaccine for 600,000 people. The standby for fighting mosquitoes in Sicily is Paris green, of which there is none. The people have no confidence in oil. Ditches are being dug and streams cleared.

REFUGEE DIVISION. Capt Savin reported that all the money for refugees is provided by the Italian government. The Prefects administer the relief funds and spend them as they judge fit. There is no clarity on how the amounts should be allocated and the prefects have to make their own decisions. Col Legge said the Food Sub-Commission would supply certain items for communal kitchens, which would be sold, not given. Prices would be very low. The Regional cash allotment would be cleared with the High Commissioner. Capt Savin went on to say that the supply of blankets and utensils is a matter for the local population. Most of the refugees are in schools, empty houses or institutions. The houses of the local people are often too short of sanitary and kitchen facilities to allow anybody to be taken in.

VENEREAL DISEASE DIVISION. Capt Pino has opened VD hospitals in Messina, Catania and Syracuse. There is an acute shortage of hospital equipment. The VD rate has dropped slightly but is four times what was expected in the East of the island and double in the Palermo area. Beds might be found for these hospitals, but bedding and eating utensils could not be found. Major Giles suggested that the prostitutes

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should bring their own bedding to the hospital.

ECONOMICS DIVISION. Major Chayton said ACC had no legal position for stopping certain exports from Sicily complained of by Major Ramsay, but that since Port Captains will not give clearances without ACC approval ACC has only to withhold its consent and the products will not move. Major Ramsay said that was nonsense. The stuff goes in and out from little ports and coves where there are no Port Captains and runs without papers to little coves and ports on the mainland.

FINANCE DIVISION. Major Gilbertson reported that ACC civilian employees are not paying their income tax. In all riots in Sicily, the idea seems to be to attack the Tax Office and burn the current tax rolls. Island revenues for February and March were much higher than in the same period last year.

TRANSPORT DIVISION. Lieut Calvanese reported that the INT, an Island-wide motor pool, now operates 600 trucks in Region 1 and hopes soon to have 800 which should keep 600 on the road for some time. Profits from operations, if any, go to ACC, but the idea is not to make a profit and tariffs will be lowered if possible. But at least four times as many vehicles as INT has are not in INT/ACC hands. Since 1 Feb 44 INT has moved ACC goods free. This raises the tariff for others. More supervision is needed over civilian personnel in the Provinces. Though instructions from Naples setting up INT called for 10 officers to administer and supervise the organization, Lieut Calvanese is still alone. He feels there should be one officer in each province to check and supervise and help from time to time at the Head Office.

A Representative of the Red Cross informed the Conference that Provincial Commissioners could indent on them directly for clothing for refugees.

SCHOONERS. Lieut Tobey said there were only 450 schooners under 500 in the whole Theatre of War and most of them were under Army control. The Schooner Control Committee in Naples will requisition and register them as quickly as possible, and Regions must indent for their needs. Regional Commissioners will submit the cubage, description and priority of goods required to be moved. Outgoing priorities for Sicily are set in Palermo, incoming priorities in Naples. Sailboats will be allotted for the coastwise trade when the needs are known. Major Ramsay (Messina) said the plan could not work in the coastwise trade. Lieut Tobey said he had submitted the special case of Messina but doubted if anything could be done. The Regional Commissioner said the whole scheme would collapse unless there are coastguard cutters around Sicily or unless schooners are turned over to ACC Region 1 for control.

EXECUTIVE OFFICER. Major Morley-Fletcher informed the Conference that Provincial Commissioners may not authorize civilians to travel on Sicilian railways. The channel for permits is through the RTO to Military Movements.

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Major Morley-Fletcher would like to have a few rolls of 120 film so he can take pictures for us of events like the Badoglio visit. He says he can get excellent negatives and will send us either the negatives or prints as we like.

PUBLIC SAFETY. Lt-Col R.A. Snook is worried about the morale of the Italian security people and is afraid they may get involved in politics if their pride of professions is not bolstered up. He wants us to check with Col Young to see if an instruction, similar to that issued by Col Upjohn to the Legal people, might not be sent out to Public Safety Officers telling them how to go about getting publicity which build morale.

Major Morley-Fletcher says a very useful man for us to know is Col. Cesare Pettorelli-Lalatta, D.S.O., Personal Chief of Staff to Marshal Badoglio. He is strongly pro-British and got his D.S.O. for valuable services. Fletcher found him in Sicily, told the Marshal about him on Badoglio's last visit, and his present appointment followed immediately. He is very grateful to Fletcher and his gratitude might extend to others.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CO. EL. COMMISSION
R.C. & H.C. Section
ARO 394

Ref/366/58/CA.

15 May 1944.

SUBJECT: Report on Visit to Calabria.

TO : Economic Section.
Admin. Section.
Establishment Branch.

Copy of a report made by an officer of
Civil Affairs Branch and of the Information
Division is forwarded for your information.

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MORRIS N. FISCH,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

HQ ACC, APO 394

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SUBJECT : Visits to Field.
TO : Chief Commissioner

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Attached is (i) a Return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on Field Trips during the seven days ending 6 May 44. And (ii) a summary of visits paid to the field in the fourteen days ending 29 Apr. 44.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIPS MADE DURING WEEK ENDING 18.00 HRS 6 MAY 44.

<u>RANK & NAME</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION</u>			
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Col G.B. Upjohn) Lt Col R.E. Wilmer)	Potenza	4 May ret'd same day.	Inspection.
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major T.G. Hergin	Naples	13 Mpl not yet ret'd.	University
Capt D.G. Tilroe	Region V	24 Apl not yet ret'd	Education
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major E.C. King	Naples	5 May not yet ret'd.	Visit of Inspection.
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Brig Parkinson	5th Army	3/4 May	Malaria Control.
Maj Rushmore	Region V	26 Apl not yet ret'd.	Vet. Disease.
Capt Wilhelm	Region V	27 Apl/ 3 May	Med. Supplies.
Lt Col Williams	5th Army	3/6 May	Malaria & Typhus.
Col Russell	5th Army	3/4 & 6 May	Malarial Control.
Capt Anderson	Region II	22 Apl not yet ret'd.	" "
Capt Tuzio	Region I	23 " " "	2242
Lt Manzelli	Region I	23 " " "	" "
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Capt H. Young	Augusta via Reggio	24 Apl/3 May	Inspection of Prisons.
<u>INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Capt G.G.B. Williams	Matera & Potenza	5 May not yet ret'd.	Survey of local Government.
<u>M.F. & A SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Major E.T. De Wald 2/Lt F. Hartt	Caserta "	1 May ret'd same day 5 " " "	Liaison with MAAY. " "

Salerno) 5th Army) 24th May 44) 18.00 HRS 6 MAY 44)

Officer	Location	Activity	Date	Remarks
Capt D.G. Tilroe	Naples	University	13 Apl not yet ret'd.	
	Region V	Education	24 Apl not yet ret'd	
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION</u>				
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Major J.B. Ward Perkins Lt P.B. Cott Capt D. Keller	Salerno) Region)	Insp. of Monuments.	2 May ret'd. same day 30 Apl ret'd. same day	
Capt F.H.J. Maize	Sicily	Supervision of MFAA projects in Reg. I.	19 Apl not yet ret'd	

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SUMMARY OF VISITS MADE IN THE FIELD IN THE 14 DAY PERIOD ENDING 6 MAY 44.

REGION:-	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	5 Army	8 Army	AAI	TOTALS.
Adm Sec.	-	-	-	-	-	2/7	-	-	-	-	2/7
Legal Sub Comen-	-	-	2/1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2/1
Education do	-	-	1/7	-	1/7	-	-	-	-	-	2/14
Property Control	-	-	4/5	-	-	-	-	3/3	-	-	7/8
Public Health	3/33	4/25	-	-	3/21	1/7	-	3/9	-	-	14/95
Public Safety	1/9	-	1/1	-	-	1/6	-	-	-	2/1	5/17
Interior	-	1/3	1/2	-	-	-	-	1/3	-	-	3/8
M.F.A & A	1/7	-	5/5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6/12
TOTALS	5/49	5/28	14/21	-	4/28	4/20	1/3	6/12	-	2/1	21/162

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

ECONOMIC SECTION

APO 394

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7 May 44

SUBJECT: Weekly Return of Officers Field Trips. Week ending 7 May 44.

SUB-COMMISSION & OFFICER	PLACE VISITED	DATE	RET	DUTY
<u>Finance</u>				
Lt. Verel	Cosenza	6 May	N.Y.R.	To assist Major Hall at present carrying out accounting inspection of Regions II and VII.
<u>Mining</u>				
Major Williamson	Palermo, Sicily and mining areas on Island of Sicily	4 May	N.Y.R.	To secure technical data on equipment and supplies used by Sicilian sulphur mines.
<u>Food</u>				
Capt. Bowes	Palermo, Sicily	2 May	N.Y.R.	Checking stocks at Palermo Warehouses.
<u>Labor</u>				
Lt. Giammarco	Avellino & Tufo (in Province of Avellino)	1 May	2 May	Investigate Labor Situation at Tufo.
Lt. Giammarco	(Same as above)	5 May	6 May	Investigation of threatened Labor Strike in Mines.
Capt. Scicluna	Bari & Taranto	1 May	N.Y.R.	Settling of Labor Trouble at Taranto Docks.
<u>Agriculture</u>				
Lt. Arnold	Spezzani, Lagonegro	5 May	N.Y.R.	To arrange for sawing of logs for bridge timbers at Montesano & inspect operations at three additional mills.
Capt. Newburg (AMG 5 Army)	Praia Citraro, Paola, Amantea in Calabria.	3 May	N.Y.R.	To visit fishing villages to inspect accommodations for fishermen who may move from Naples to Calabria area

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<u>Public Works & Utilities</u>				
Lt. Col. Jenny	Palermo, Sicily	5 May	N.Y.R.	To discuss policy, organization and finance with Public Works officials in Sicily.
Capt. Gamble	Catania, Sicily	4 May	N.Y.R.	Assigned a Liaison Officer of P.W. & U. S.C. ACC to Region I, Sicily on the Military Highway program.

Industry and Commerce

Colonel Todd	Catanzaro	4 May	N.Y.R.	Investigate timber industry in Catanzaro Province.
Capt. Elliott	Monte Giordano	2 May	5 May	To inspect cement factory at Monte Giordano.
Capt. Haas	Algiers	4 May	N.Y.R.	Urgent Mission in connection with paper & printing matters of policy concerning allied publications board.

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J. BRUCE THOMPSON, MAJOR R.A.
G.S.O. 2, ECONOMIC SECTION

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Ref/366/49/CA.

7 May 1944.

SUBJECT: Visit of Col. Wilmer to Region V, 5th and 8th Armies,
Tues. & Wed., 9th and 10th May 1944.

TO : Legal Sub-Commission - Attention : Capt. Moore.

1. Reference to telephone conversations (Capt. Moore - Capt. Baker) on morning of 7 May.

2. Capt. Talbot of this Branch on 6th May confirmed by telephone with 5th Army HQ that leave had been obtained for Col. Wilmer to visit 5th Army AMG HQ on Tuesday, 9th May. For this Col. Wilmer needs no permit and they can provide bed and bedding.

3. Capt. Talbot also telephoned to Capt. Malatesta of 8th Army. Undersigned received following reply by telephone from Capt. Malatesta this morning :

If Col. Wilmer proceeds direct to 8th Army HQ he will not be stopped, but if he goes up the road towards the Monastery he will be stopped unless he is with an 8th Army AMG Officer. From Naples Col. Wilmer should follow Route 6 for about two hours driving (48 miles). When he will come to a Military Policeman at a signpost M.35. He turns to the right here and follows M.35 sign-posting. Must supply own bed and bedding.

4. This confirmation of telephone messages is forwarded to you in response to ultimate request on telephone at 14.45 hours, 7 May 1944.

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NORMAN E. FINE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 6

REF: MC/33/32

30th April 1944

FROM:

Brigadier M. CARR, CBE., MC.

Dear *Stewart,*

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With reference to your 366/35/CA of 24th April I am not quite clear as to the intention of your letter.

As regards communications, if delay is to be avoided it is essential that any communication for me should be addressed to Regional H.Q. when I am away on tour. Telegraphic communication with our Provincial Headquarters is over the civil telegraph lines and it might lead to considerable delay and would certainly serve no good purpose if a cable were addressed to me care of a Provincial H.Q.

In the recent instance when the Executive Commissioner sent a cable to me stating that he wished to visit this Island on 16th April and it happened that I was away on tour, the information was immediately telephoned through to me at Provincial Headquarters, Sassari, where I was at the time.

As regards keeping you Headquarters informed of the exact place I shall be at on certain days when on tour, this is not always easy. For instance, during Lord Stansgate's tour I could not settle exact details until he had approved of the tour programme after his arrival. By the time a copy of the tour programme would have reached your desk the tour would have been over, having regard to the slowness of communications.

I will, however, whenever possible, keep your H.Q. informed as to my whereabouts.

Yours

Sincerely
M Carr

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Yours Sincerely
M. J. J.

Captain A. J. STEWART,
P.A. to Executive Commissioner,
H.Q., Allied Control Commission.

Capt Stewart
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HQ ACC. TO
Secy Gen.
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BY DFE

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30 Apr 44.

SUBJECT : Visits to Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner

Attached is (i) a Return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on Field Trips during the seven days ending 29 Apr 44 and (ii) a summary of visits paid to the field in the fourteen days ending 29 Apr 44.

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R.R. CRIPPS,
LT COLONEL,
for VP ADM SEC.

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To Capt. Talbot
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WEEKLY REPORT OF FIELD TRIPS MADE WEEK ENDING 29 APR 44 (18.00 HRS)

<u>RANK & NAME</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION</u>			
Air Commodore, The Viscount) Stansgate.) Capt R.W. Buckley)	Sardinia	21/29 Apr	Tour of Inspection.
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Col G.R. Upjohn	Region II	17/23 Apr	Tour of Inspection.
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major Thomas G. Bergin	Naples	23 Apr not yet returned.	University.
Capt Dexter G. Tilroe	Region V	24 Apr not yet returned.	Education
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major E.B. Evans	Naples	24 Apr returned same day.	Tour of Inspection.
Lt Col C.R.S. Harris) Lt Col C. Carroll) Capt G.H. Hewett)	5 Army (CAS)	26 Apr returned same day.	Tour of Inspection.
Lt Col C. Carroll) Major E.C. King)	Naples	29 Apr returned same day	Tour of Inspection
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Brig Parkinson	Region VI	21/29 Apr	General Survey.
Major Rushmore	Region V	26 Apr not yet returned	Infectious Vet. Disease
Capt Wilhelmi	Region V	27 Apr not yet returned	Medical Supplies
Capt Marks	Region I	25/29 Apr	Medical Supplies
Col Williams	Region V	25/27 Apr	Typhus Control
Major Conner	Region II	24/28 Apr	Typhus Control
Major Cherry) Capt Elliot)	Region II	25/27 Apr	Small Pox Situation
Capt Anderson	Region II	22 Apr not yet ret'd.	Malaria Control

1/23 Apl Tour of Inspection.

Region II

EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION

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Lt Manzelli)	Region I	23 Apl not yet ret'd.	Malaria Control
Capt Tuzio)			

PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION

Col Paul G. Kirk	Sardinia	21/27 Apl	Inspection
Major A. Willcox)	Caserta	23 Apl ret'd. same day.	Discussion on Prison matters.
Capt H. Young)			
Capt H. Young	Augusta via Reggio	24 Apl not yet ret'd.	To inspect prisons at Augusta.
Major G.H. L. Mason	Naples	25 Apl ret'd same day.	To discuss Rome flying column with Commandant Naples Fire Brigade

FIELD TRIPS (Continued)

<u>RANK & NAME</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Capt G.C.R. Williams	Cosenza, Catanzaro and Reggio	18/27 Apl	Inspection
Lt Col R.G.B. Spicer) Lt W.V.M. Lewis)	Vasto, Forward Areas and Caserta	21/25 Apl	Inspection
<u>MFA & A SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major E.T. De Weld	Caserta	28 Apl ret'd. same day	Attendance at G.2 conference, HQ AMF 5 Army (CAS)
Capt F.H.J. Marse	Sicily	19 Apl not yet returned	Supervision of MFAA projects in Reg.I.
Capt T.H. Brooke H. Jenkinson (Civilian)	) Region VII (Cosenza, 17/20 Apl)) Catanzaro & Reggio)) Reg.I (Palermo, Trepani, 21/28 Apl)) Catania, Acireale & Siracusa)		Inspection of Archives.
Capt D. Keller	Carano (prov. Napoli)	25/26 Apl	Determination of action required to safeguard library deposit at Minturno, which Capt Keller was prevented from visiting by tactical considerations.
F.W. Shipman (Civilian)	Extensive tour through S. Italy and Islands -	18 Apl not yet ret'd.	Inspection of Archives.

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SUMMARY OF VISITS MADE IN THE FIELD IN THE 14 DAYS ENDING 29 APR 44.

<u>REGION:-</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>V</u>	<u>VI</u>	<u>VII</u>	<u>5 Army</u>	<u>8 Army</u>	<u>HQ</u>	<u>TOTALS.</u>
Adm Sec	-	-	-	-	-	2/9	-	-	-	-	2/9
Legal Sub Comn	-	1/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/7
Education Sub Comn	-	-	1/7	-	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	2/13

Major E.T. De Wold	Caserta	28 Apl ret'd. same day	Attendance at G.2 conference, HQ AME 5 Army (CAS)
Capt F.E.J. Marze	Sicily	19 Apl not yet returned	Supervision of MEAA projects in Reg. I.
Capt T.H. Brooke H. Jenkinson (Civilian)	) Region VII (Cosenza, 17/20 Apl)) Catanzaro & Reggio)		Inspection of Archives.
	) Reg. I (Palermo, Trepani, 21/28 Apl)) Catania, Acireale & Siracusa)		
Capt D. Keller	Carano (prov. Napoli)	25/26 Apl	Determination of action required to safeguard library deposit at Minturno, which Capt Keller was prevented from visiting by tactical considerations.
F.W. Shipman (Civilian)	Extensive tour through S. Italy and Islands -	18 Apl not yet ret'd.	Inspection of Archives.

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SUMMARY OF VISITS MADE IN THE FIELD IN THE 14 DAYS ENDING 29 APR 44.

REGION:-	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	5 Army	8 Army	HQ AME	TOTALS.
Adm Sec	-	-	-	-	-	2/9	-	-	-	-	2/9
Legal Sub Comn	-	1/7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/7
Education Sub Comn-	-	-	1/7	-	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	2/13
Property Control do-	-	-	3/3	2/2	-	1/7	-	3/3	9/15	-	18/30
Public Health do	3/19	5/30	7/31	-	3/15	1/9	-	1/1	1/1	-	21/106
Public Safety do	1/5	-	1/1	-	-	1/6	-	-	-	2/1	5/23
Interior do	-	-	1/4	-	-	-	1/8	-	-	-	2/12
MEA & A do do	2/23	-	1/2	-	-	-	2/7	1/1	-	-	6/33
TOTALS I-	6/47	6/37	14/48	2/2	4/21	5/31	3/15	5/5	10/16	2/1	57/223

HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394.

Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 166/41/CA.

2nd May 1946.

SUBJECT: Absence of Regional Commissioners from Regions.

TO : Regional Commissioners, Regions I, II, III, IV, V, VI, & VII.
Senior Civil Affairs Officers, 5th and 8th Armies.

1. Regional Commissioners when wishing to leave their Regions will obtain approval from HQ. ACC and, in emergencies, will inform HQ. ACC stating in every case the name of the officer who will act for them.

2. It would be appreciated if S.C.A.O's 5th and 8th Armies will do the same.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Est. Offr.

Please see above

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PERSONAL

ADVANCED
HEADQUARTERS REGION IV
Allied Control Commission
APO 394

26 April 1944

Dear Stewart,

Many thanks for your letter of the 21st. I entirely agree with the Executive Commissioner that he must know how to get in touch with me. I am sorry that for a couple of days this camp had no telephone. However, we are now connected and you have a note of how to reach me. It is possible that, as a result of the present rain, communication will not be too good, but H.Q. 55 Area will always relay messages, if you cannot hear on the camp line. I shall take care that the duty officer in the camp always knows my proposed itinerary actions.

Yours ever,

JKD/am

Brig. J. K. ~~242207~~,
- Regional Commissioner,
Region IV

Capt. A.J. Stewart
PA to Exec. Comm.

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*This sent out in
your file 36/ea*

HQ ACC, APO 994
Sec'y Gen.
HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION BY
ACTION SHEET

23 Apr. 44

Date

Suspense

FROM	TO
Chief Commissioner	
Deputy Chief Commissioner	
Secretary General	
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION	
Economic Section	
Reg. Control & M.G. Section	
Political Section	
Interior Sub-Commission	
Public Safety Sub-Commission	
Public Health Sub-Commission	
Property Control Sub-Comm.	
Legal Sub-Commission	
Education Sub-Commission	
Monuments, Fine Arts & Archives	
NAVY Sub-Commission	
Land Force Sub-Commission	
AIR	
Telecommunications & Posts	
War Material Disposal S.C.	
PRO	
Liaison Section	
Finance Sub-Commission	
G-1	
G-4	
Adjutant General	
Files	
Personnel	
Publications	
Message Centre	
Miscellaneous	
Pool of Interpreters	
Archives & Ref. Library	
Cables	
HQ. Commandant	
Sub-Commission	

FOR:

Signature _____
Remarks/Recommendation _____
Information only _____
Approval/Disapproval _____
Appropriation to Action _____
Investigation & Report _____
Dispatch _____

- Secretary General
- ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION
- Economic Section
- Reg. Control & M.G. Section
- Political Section
- Interior Sub-Commission
- Public Safety Sub-Commission
- Public Health Sub-Commission
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RESULTS

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

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23 Apr 44.

SUBJECT : Visits to the Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner.

HQ ACC. APO 394
Rec'd. 24 Apr 44
By DFE

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Attached is (i) a Return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on Field Trips during the seven days ending 22 Apr 44 and (ii) a summary of visits paid to the field in the fourteen days ending 22 Apr 44.

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R.R. Griffiths
R.R. GRIFFS, Jr.
Lt Colonel,
for VP Adm Sec.

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HEADQUARTERS

24 APR 1944

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WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIPS MADE WEEK ENDING 18.00 HRS 22 Apr 44.

<u>RANK & NAME</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION</u>			
Air Commodore, The Viscount) Stenagate) Capt R.W. Buckley	Sardinia	21 Apr not yet returned	Tour of inspection.
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Col G.R. Upjohn	Region II	17 Apr not yet returned.	Tour of inspection.
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major T.G. Bergin	Naples	13 Apr not yet returned.	University Activities.
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major E.C. King	Sardinia	6/22 Apr	Tour of inspection.
Lt Col C.R.S. Harris) Lt Col C. Carroll)	Caserta	19 Apr departed 19 Apr returned	Tour of inspection.
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Brig Parkinson	Sardinia	21 Apr not yet returned.	General Survey.
Major Rushmore	Region V	18/22 Apr	Vet. Activities
Major Lewis	Region II	9/21 Apr	VD Control.
Capt Wilhelm	Region II	12/21 Apr	Medical Supply.
Capt Bushard	5 & 8 Armies	20/21 Apr	Medical Supply.
Capt Anderson	Region II	22 Apr not yet returned.	Sanitation and Malarial Control
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Col Paul G. Kirk	Sardinia	21 Apr not yet returned.	Inspection.
Col A.E. Young) Lt Col Pickering) Major Mason)	Caserta	18 Apr returned same day.	Conference on Control of Civil Movement.
<u>INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Capt G.C.R. Williams	Cosenza	18 Apr not yet returned.	Tour of inspection.
Lt Col R.G.B. Smicer	Vasto, Pomerio		

Col G.R. Upjohn	Region II	17 Apl not yet returned.	Tour of Inspection.
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major T.G. Bergin	Naples	13 Apl not yet returned.	University Activities.
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<u>INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Capt G.C.R. Williams	Cosenza	18 Apl not yet returned.	Tour of inspection.
Lt Col R.G.B. Spicer) Lt W.V.M. Lewis)	Vasto, Forward Areas & Caserta	21 Apl not yet returned	Tour of inspection.
<u>MFA & A SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Major E.T. De Wald	Pompeii Benevento Caserta Cuma, Pozzuoli	16 Apl (one day) 17 Apl (one day) 19 Apl (one day) 20 Apl (one day inspection of monuments)	(Assistance to LIFE (photographer pre-paring article on war-damaged monuments in Italy.
Major J.B. Ward Perkins	Cuma, Pozzuoli	20 Apl (one day)	Insp-ection of monument
Capt F.H.J. Marse	Sicily	19 Apl not yet returned.	Supervision of MFA & A projects in Region I.

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RANK & NAME	PLACE VISITED	DATES	DUTY
<u>MPA & A SUB COMMISSION (contin)</u>			
Lt P.B. Cott	Pompeii Benevento Caserta Nola, Avellino & Benevento	16 Apl (one day) 17 Apl (one day) 19 Apl (one day) 21 Apl (one day)	Assistance to LIFE photographer - preparing article on war-damaged monuments.
Capt E. Croft Murray	Caserta	18 Apl (one day)	Supervision of requisition of Royal Palace and its furnishings.
Capt T.H. Brook (Jenkinson H. Civilian)	Sardinia, Sicily, Regions 2 & 7 details later	17 Apl not yet returned.	Inspection of Archives.
Capt D. Keller	Cuma	16 Apl (one day)	Insp. of monuments.
Shipman F.W. Civilian	Extensive Tour through S. Italy and Islands Details later.	18 Apl not yet returned.	Inspection of Archives.

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SUMMARY OF VISITS MADE IN THE 14 DAYS ENDING 22 APR 44.

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REGION :-	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	5 Army	8 Army	TOTALS
Adm Sec	-	-	-	-	-	2/2	-	-	2/2
Legal Sub Commission -	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/6
Education do do	-	-	1/9	-	-	-	-	-	1/9
Property Control do do	-	-	4/4	-	-	1/14	-	-	5/18
Public Health do do	3/24	-	-	-	1/5	1/2	3/3	1/1	9/35
Public Safety do do	1/2	1/2	1/1	-	-	-	-	-	3/5
Interior do do	-	-	1/1	-	-	1/4	-	-	2/5
MPA & A DO DO	1/4	-	11/11	-	-	-	-	-	15/15
TOTALS :-	5/6	5/32	10/26	-	1/5	5/22	3/3	1/1	38/95

its furnishings.

Capt T.H. Brock Jenkinson H. Civilian)	Sardinia, Sicily, Regions 2 & 7 details later	17 Apl not yet returned.	Inspection of Archives.
Capt D. Keller	Cuma	16 Apl (one day)	Insp. of monuments.
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Legal Sub Commission -	1/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/6
Education do do	-	-	1/9	-	-	-	-	-	1/9
Property Control do.-	-	-	1/4	-	-	1/14	-	-	5/18
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Public Safety do do 1/2	1/2	1/2	1/1	-	-	-	-	-	3/5
Interior do do	-	-	1/1	-	-	1/4	-	-	2/5
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Chief Commissioner

SUB-COMMISSION & OFFICER	PLACES VISITED	RETURN		DATE	RET	III
		DEP	RET			
<u>FOOD</u>						
T/Major Duncan -----	North Africa -----	21 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	Ascertain avail seed oil for ble maintenance requ Inspection of and planning fut
Colonel Legg -----	Palermo, Sicily -----	18 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	-----
<u>LABOR</u>						
Lt. Col. Smith -----	Malta -----	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	Inspecting Lab
<u>MINING DIVISION</u>						
Lt. Col. Carter -----	Palermo -----	20 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	To perform dut sulphur mining p Inspect mangar vicinity of Camp
Lt. Col. Branner -----	Campobasso -----	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	-----
<u>FINANCE</u>						
Major Prigmore -----	San Angelo Alife -----	20 Apr 44	21 Apr 44	-----	-----	To carry out i warehouse in AMG
Major A.J. Baxter -----	Campobasso, Foggia, Benevento and Bari -----	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	Revenue Stimul Inspection of with officers i/ Investigations wheat.
Major Meachin -----	Bari -----	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	-----
Lt. (J.G.) Hicks -----	Bari, Matera and Salerno -----	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	-----
<u>PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES</u>						
Major Hyland -----	Salerno, Potenza, Ogliostro & Bari --	20 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	-----	-----	Field inspecti Military Highway Inspection and Dickson re Progr covered by itine
Lt. Col. Laboon -----	" " " " " " " " --	20 Apr 44	22 Apr 44	-----	-----	-----
<u>TRANSPORTATION</u>						
Lt. Philby -----	Reggio and Crotona -----	23 Apr 44	Permanent Change -----	-----	-----	To take up dut.

NOTE: N.Y.R. designates NOT YET RETURNED.

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RETURN

WEEKLY FIELD TRIPS BY OFFICERS, SEVEN DAYS ENDING 23 APRIL 44

PLACES VISITED

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h Africa	21 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Ascertain availability and quantities of cotton seed oil for blending with olive oil for the maintenance requirements of the mainland.
ermo, Sicily	18 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Inspection of Civilian Supplies Warehouses and planning future programs.
ca	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Inspecting Labor Exchanges.
ORMO	20 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	To perform duty in connection with the sulphur mining program in Region I.
obasso	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Inspect manganese mines and workings in vicinity of Campobasso.
Angelo Alife	20 Apr 44	21 Apr 44	To carry out inspection of medical supply warehouse in AMG 5 Army area.
obasso, Foggia, Benevento and	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Revenue Stimulation Tour.
	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Inspection of Bari office and conference with officers.i/c.
, Matera and Salerno	22 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Investigations in connection with price of wheat.
arno, Potenza, Ogliostro & Bari	20 Apr 44	N.Y.R.	Field inspection and supervision of Military Highway Program.
" " " " " "	20 Apr 44	22 Apr 44	Inspection and interview with Brigadier Dickson re Progress on roads and bridges covered by itinerary.
o and Crotone	23 Apr 44	Permanent Change	To take up duties at new station.

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J. BRUCE THOMPSON, MAJOR R.A.
G. S. O. 2, ECONOMIC SECTION

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HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394.

Ref: 366/35/CA.

24th April 1944.

I have been asked by the Executive Commissioner if you will be good enough to let this office know when you go on tour and the places you will be available at on certain days when you are away from your Headquarters, so that if necessary the Executive Commissioner can communicate with you without undue delay.

AJS/JC.

Captain,
PA to Executive Commissioner.

Lieut. Colonel A. N. Hancock,
Regional Commissioner,
Region I,
Allied Control Commission.

and all other Regional Commissioners
plus, SCAO, 5 Army
SCAO, 8 Army.

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HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
(PROVISIONAL)
APO 394

GMP/pf

20 April 1944

INFORMAL MEMO :

TO : The Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission.

I am pleased to inform you that 95% of the enlisted men assigned to the 2675th Regiment have been paid in full to include 31 March 1944. The remaining 5% consist of personnel whose records we do not have at the present time. However, these men have been given a partial payment and will be paid in full upon the receipt of their Service Records or when temporary Service Records are made. Also included in this 5% are men who are at the present on duty at the Anzio beach head and with the 5th and 8th Armies.

CMP

C. M. PARKIN
Colonel, Infantry

*Copy for
Colonel Fiske
USA*

*Good - I found a number on
my last trip who had not
been paid - 2*

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Attention Capt. Talbot

HQ ACC. AND SVS
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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATION SECTION

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SUBJECT : Visits to Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner.

Attached is (i) a return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on Field Trips during the seven days ending 15 Apr 44 and (ii), a summary of visits paid to the field in the fourteen days ending 15 Apr 44.



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R.R. CRIPPS,
Lt Colonel,
for VP Adm Sec.

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Rec'd 17 Apr 1944

By *[Signature]*

16 Apr 44.

FIELD TRIPS.SUMMARY OF VISITS MADE IN THE 14 DAYS ENDING 15 APR 44.

REGION :-	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	5Army.	8 Army.	TOTAL.
Adm Sec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Legal Sub Comn.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education Sub Comn.	1/5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/5
Property Control Sub Comn.	-	-	3/3	-	-	1/10	-	-	4/13
Public Health do do	2/7	2/11	1/2	-	-	1/5	2/2	-	8/27
Public Safety do do	-	1/2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/2
INTERIOR Sub Comn.	-	-	-	-	-	1/9	-	-	1/9
MFA & A Sub Comn	-	-	10/10	-	1/1	-	-	1/2	12/13
TOTALS :-	3/12	3/13	14/15	-	1/1	3/24	2/2	1/2	27/69

Explanation :- 3/5 - 3 visits involving a total of 5 days.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIPS MADE WEEK ENDING 18.00 HRS 15 APR 44.

NAME & NAME.	PLACES VISITED.	DATES.	DUTY.
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION.</u>			

NIL RETURN.

MILITARY SUB COMMISSION.

(Note: Major E.L. Palmieri shown on return dated 13 Apr, now permanently assigned to Region 6.)

EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION.

NIL RETURN.

PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION.

Lt Col C.R.S. Harris } Resina -

Lt Col C. Carroll }

Major E.C. King Sardinia

PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION.

Col Russell) 5th Army

Lt Col Williams)

Major Lewis Region II

Capt Wilhelm Region II

PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION.

Col A.E. Young Potenza

INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION.

NIL RETURN.

MFA & A SUB COMMISSION.

Major E.T. De Wald Caserta, Capua

Major J.B. Ward Perkins) do.

) Capua, St Angelo

) in Formis.

13 Apr 44. One day tour of Inspection.

6 Apr, not yet returned. Tour of Inspection.

11 Apr, returned same day. Malaria Control.

9 Apr, not yet returned. VD Control.

12 Apr, not yet returned. Medical Supplies.

11/12 Apr 2217 Investigating a Fascist Tribunal.

12 Apr (1 day) do. Indicating to "LIFE" photographer points to be photographed for

EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION.

NIL RETURN.

PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION.

Lt Col C.R.S. Harris) Resina -
 Lt Col C. Carroll)

13 Apl 44. One day tour of Inspection.

Major E.C. King Sardinia

6 Apl, not yet returned. Tour of Inspection.

PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION.

Col Russell) 5th Army
 Lt Col Williams)

11 Apl, returned same day. Malaria Control.

Major Lewis Region II

9 Apl, not yet returned. VD Control.

Capt Wilhelmi Region II

12 Apl, not yet returned. Medical Supplies.

PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION.

Col A.E. Young Potenza

11/12 Apl ²²¹⁷ Investigating a Fascist Tribunal.INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION.

NIL RETURN.

MFA & A SUB COMMISSION.

Major E.T. De Wald Caserta, Capua
 Major J.B. Ward Perkins) do. do.
) Capua, St Angelo
) in Formis.

12apl (1 day) Indicating to "LIFE" photographer points to be photographed for forthcoming article on war-damaged monuments in Italy.
 14apl (1 day) do. do. do.

Lt P.B. Cott Caserta, Capua
 Capua, S. Angelo in)
 Formis, S. Maria)
 Capua Vetere)

Major J.B. Ward Perkins - 8 Army Area:
 Mignano, Campobasso,
 Ferrazzano, Lucera,
 S. Severo, Riccia,
 Jelsi, Baranello & Bojano.
 For Reg. 5: Isernia.

1/10 Apl Tour of inspection and reconnaissance, early phases reported without detail, in returns of 1st & 8th Apl.

Capt E. Croft Murray Herculaneum

12apl (1 day) Inspection of Monuments.

Capt F.H.J. Maseo Pompeii

12, 13, 14 & 15th Apl. Detailed examination of bomb-damage in excavations.

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WEEKLY FIELD TRIPS BY OFFICERS, SEVEN DAYS ENDING 16 APRIL 44

<u>Sub-commission & Offr.</u>	<u>Places Visited</u>	<u>Date</u> <u>Dep</u> <u>Ret</u>	<u>Duty</u>
<u>Food</u>			
Capt. Imrie	Bari & Brindisi	9 Apr 12 Apr	Immediate and urgent duties in connection with Bulk Grain Imports.
<u>Agriculture</u>			
Maj. Andrews	Reg. II & Reg.V.	10 Apr N.Y.R.	Conferences and surveying crop prospects.
Lt. Arnold	Cervinaria Avel- lino Province	16 Apr N.Y.R.	Locate source of fuel wood for the 57 Base Area (B).
<u>Public Works & Utilities</u>			
Capt. Laughlin	Bari, Foggia & Campobasso	12 Apr N.Y.R.	Reference Control of Electric Power in Eastern Italy.
<u>Labor</u>			
Col. Bain Capt. Scioluna }	Foggia & Bari	16 Apr N.Y.R.	Inspection tour of Region II.
<u>Industry & Commerce</u>			
Col. Evans	Palermo & Bari	16 Apr N.Y.R.	To inspect operations of Industry & Commerce in Regions I & II.
<u>CCC Combined Supply Group</u>			
Lt.Col. Thibodeaux Mr. Casey }	Reggio di Cal- abria & Reg. I.	15 Apr N.Y.R.	A field survey of the supply situation and status of local resources in the presently occupied areas of the Italian Mainland and Sicily.
Lt.Col. Campbell Lt.Col. Patrick Major Waters Mr. Nalder }	Palermo and Vicinity	16 Apr N.Y.R.	A field survey of the supply situation and status of local resources in Region I

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J. Bruce Thompson Major RA

J. BRUCE THOMPSON, MAJOR R.A.
G.S.O. 2, ECONOMIC SECTIONNOTE: N.Y.R. designates Not yet returned.

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✓ — FLOAT

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17 APR 1944 2215
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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

HQ ACC, APO 394

Sec'y Gen.

Rec'd 10 APR 1610

By DFE

9 April 44.

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SUBJECT : Visits to Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner. *26*

Attached is a return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on Field Trips during the seven days ending 8 April 44.

[Signature]
R.R. CRIPPS,
Lt Col for VP, Adm Sec.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIPS MADE WEEK ENDING 18.00 HRS 8 APRIL 44

<u>RANK & NAME.</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED.</u>	<u>DATES.</u>	<u>DUTY.</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION.</u>			
NIL RETURN.			
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Major A.L. Palmieri	BA, Region 6.	10 March, not yet returned.	In connection with Ital. Courts in Sardinia.
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Major W.H. Sherwood	Palermo, Algiers.	25 Mar/5 April.	Education.
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Major S.C. King	Sardinia.	6 Apr, not yet returned.	Tour of Inspection.
Major E.B. Evans	Ravello.	3 April.	One day tour of Inspection.
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Col Griffin	Region 1, Palermo.	28 Mar to 2 Apr	Medical Supplies.
Capt Wilhelmi	Sardinia	27 Mar to 6 Apr	Medical Supplies.
Capt Wilcox	Region 1	28 Mar to 7 Apr	Welfare Institutions.
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
NIL RETURN.			
<u>INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Capt R.R. Temple	Sardinia.	1 Apr, not yet returned.	Organisation and Administration of local Government.
<u>M.F.A. & A. SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Major J.B. Ward Perkins	8 Army Area & Region 5.	1 Apr, not yet returned.	Tour of inspection & Reconnaissance for S.C.
Capt F.H.J. Morse	Mignano.	31 Mar to 3 Apr.	Salvaging Art objects found under ruins of Castle.
	Tano.	3 April	Inspection of monuments Returned same day.
Major F.K. Baillie Reynolds	HERCULANEUM	4 April	Inspection of monuments Returned same day.

Major W.H. Sherwood	Palermo, Algiers.	25 Mar/5 April	Education.
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Capt E. Croft Murray	Casserta.	4, 5 & 7 Apr.	Supervision of the requisition of Royal Palace and its furnishings.
Lt P.B. Cott	Casserta	3 April	As Capt E. Croft Murray, above.

Gen. H. G. Farlane
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Chief
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By JH/epc

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

In reply refer
to: TFS/36/1/4

Brief Lush
4th April, 1944.

Subject: Tours by officers.

To: Deputy Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission. ✓

Reference D.C.C. office memo dated 8th March, 1944.

Major L. G. Hawker, Telecommunications Officer of Region IV has just completed a tour of several days in Region V area at the request of this Sub-Commission, for the purpose of providing Region V officers and this Sub-Commission with up-to-date information as to the condition of the plant in the area, and the possibility of preparing it for future use.

J. L. Henderson

J. L. Henderson
Colonel,
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.
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THRETURNWEEKLY FIELD TRIPS BY OFFICERS, SEVEN DAYS ENDING 8 APRIL

<u>sub-commission and officer</u>	<u>Place Visited</u>	<u>Dates</u> <u>/Dep/ - /Ret/</u>	
<u>PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES</u>			
Lt. Col. G. E. RHODES) Lt. Col. W. M. LAPPER)	CAGLIARI, SARDINIA	5 Apr. 9 April N.Y.R.	To investigate with public
Major HYLAND	POTENZA, BARI, TAPANTO, CATANZARO, AND REGGIO	3 Apr. N.Y.R.	Supervision Italy.
Captain GAMBLE	VIBO, VALENTIA, CROTONE, REGGIO, AND MESSINA.	8 Apr. N.Y.R.	Inspection of
Captain WALKER	LUCERA	5 Apr. N.Y. R.	To assist Ma this Sub-com
<u>AGRICULTURE</u>			
Lt. MULIERI (USCGR)	Region I and II	30 Mar. 5 Apr.	Interview Ita
<u>MINING DIVISION</u>			
Lt. CORWIN	Carbonia, Sardinia	3 Apr. N.Y. R.	Locating misc
Lt. Col. KOENIG	ALGIERS	7 Apr. N. Y. R.	To discuss co requisitions.
<u>FINANCE</u>			
Major PENICK Lieut. WILLIS }	PALERMO	7 Apr. N. Y. R.	Inspect Paler storing new s

NOTE : N. Y. R. designates NOT YET RETURNED.J. Bruce
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WEEKLY FIELD TRIPS BY OFFICERS, SEVEN DAYS ENDING 8 APRIL

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Place Visited

Dates
/Dep/ - /Ret/

Duty

- - CAGLIARI, SARDINIA - - - - -	5 APR. 9 April N.Y.R.	- To investigate and report on activities concerned with Public Works and Utilities.
- - POTENZA, BARI, TARANTO, CATANZARO, AND REGGIO	3 APR. N.Y.R.	- Supervision of Highway Program through Southern Italy.
- - VIBO, VALENTIA, CROTONE, REGGIO, AND MESSINA.	8 Apr. N.Y.R.	- Inspection of Port Salvage Operations.
- - LUCERA - - - - -	5 APR. N.Y. R.	- To assist Major PERLEY, Public Works Division of this Sub-commission.
- - Region I and II - - - - -	30 Mar. 5 Apr.	- Interview Italian and Allied Naval Authorities.
- - Carbonia, Sardinia - - - - -	3 Apr. N.Y. R.	- Locating miscellaneous supplies for Sardinian Mines.
- - ALGIERS - - - - -	7 APR. N. Y. R.	- To discuss coal production and mine supply requisitions.
- - PALERMO - - - - -	7 Apr. N. Y. R.	- Inspect Palermo branch of AFA and arrange for storing new shipments of currency.

NOT RETURNED.

Handwritten signature and initials.

J. Bruce Thompson Major R A
J. BRUCE THOMPSON, MAJOR R.A.
G.S.O. 2, ECONOMIC SECTION

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Food Sub-Commission
A.P.O. 394

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9 April 1944

AGC/10-44/FOOD

SUBJECT: Civil Food Supplies

TO : Economic Section for Deputy Executive Commissioner

1. Reference para 2 of RC & MG Section letter Ref/366/18/CA dated 7 April 1944.

2. On information being received from Executive Commissioner that olive oil was being prepared for export to Sicily, immediate action was taken to cancel the project.

3. Further, all olive oil stocks in Region II have been frozen by Food Sub-Commission.

W. J. LEAG
Colonel
Chief, Food Sub-Commission

Ex Comm. to see memo 11/4

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Sir,
any further action
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HEADQUARTERS
ITALIAN REFUGEE BRANCH
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

8 April 1944.

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SUBJECT: Refugees.

TO: The Deputy Executive Commissioner, A.C.C.

1. Reference your letter Ref/366/17/CA. of the 7th April 1944. Extract of report made by Col. FARREN is hereby acknowledged.

2. This is most useful and I wish we could get more from people on tour. It is specific information of this kind which will enable us to bring pressure on the Italians to do their jobs.

L. R. HULLS
L. R. HULLS,
Lt. Col.
Commanding.

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

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Ref/36619/0A

8 April 1944

SUBJECT: Visit to 8 Army Area.

TO : S.C.A.O. 8 Army AMG

19 refs

1. This is to confirm request made by telephone (Major Driffeld White - Sqd/Ldr Beer speaking) for Major Stanley Andrews, Agricultural Sub-Commission, to visit 8 Army Area to confer with Major Spencer.
2. Permission was given with the proviso that Major Andrews should if possible, confine his visit to one day or, that not being possible, should make his own arrangement for accommodation and rations.
3. Proposed date of visit - on or about 8 April.

Maj Driffeld White

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
Commissioner

Copy to:

Economic Section
Major Andrews.

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7 April 1944

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Chief Commissioner	
Dep. Chief Commissioner	
Secy. Gen. to Chief Commissioner	
Administrative Section	
Economic Section	
RC & MG Section	☒
Civil Affairs Branch	
PW & Displaced Pers Sub Com	
Italian Refugees Branch	
Security Branch	
Information Branch	
Establishment Branch	
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Liaison Section Hq A.C.M.F.	
☒ Agriculture Sub-Comm.	

FOR:

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

REMARKS:

7 APR 20

0915 - Phoned
repeated (taken by
Chief Clerk) and to
receive reply in
a couple of hours.

All Officers at a
conference. *all*

1900 hrs. no
message having been
received, phoned
again. Spoke S/Lt.
Bier who gave the
permission.

0900 hrs 8 Apr.
Maj Bruce Thompson
ECOR Sect. informed

Conform in writing

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Agriculture Sub-Commission
APO 394

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AGR/SA/11
6 April 1944

AGR/10010

SUBJECT: Travel In AMG 8th Army Territory.

TO : Regional Commissioner and Military Government Section ACC.
ATT: Civilian Officers Branch, Major De White.

1. Permission is requested for Major Stanley Andrews to visit AMG 8th Army and to visit such other areas of 8th Army territory as might be recommended and suggested by Major Spencer, Civilian Supply Officer AMG 8th Army Rear who requests the proposed trip be made.

2. The object of the trip is to confer with Major Spencer on seed supplies, fertilizer, binder twine, and other agricultural supplies which may be needed in the area, to determine local sources of such supplies and to make a quick survey of crop conditions. Proposed trip will start on or about 8 April 1944. The officer will have his own transportation and rations.

W. A. Hartman
W. A. HARTMAN
Major
Director

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED OFFICIAL COMMISSION
R.G. & M.C. Section
APO 394

Ref/366/18/CA.

7 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Civil Food Supplies.

TO : Economic Section - For Food Sub-Commission.

1. Extracts of a report made by Col. Warren on a recent visit to Region II are forwarded for your information. *16 para. 1,254*
2. With reference to para. 4, it is suggested that the 19,000 quintals of Olive Oil obtained by Capt. Bailey may form part of the surplus Olive Oil which Executive Commissioner mentioned today at the Conference as having been sent to Sicily.

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Incl.
Extracts as above.

Copy to: Establishments Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. Section
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Ref/366/17/CA.

7 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Refugees.

TO : Italian Refugee Branch.

16, para 3.

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Incl.

Extracts as above.

ROSLAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: Establishments Branch.

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NOTES ON VISIT TO H.Q. REGION II

GENERAL:

- (1) Demonstrations have occurred in Bari due to the retention of Fascists in Office. The appearance of a British Officer at once caused spontaneous vociferous and apparently genuine cheers.
- (2) Ostensible reason for demonstrations is food. Flour, Sugar, Dried Vegetables, Milk etc, have reached the Commune but have not been distributed. Some food found in the Mayor's house was taken charge of by the populace and handed over to the British Officer in command of the troops in the town. Correct procedure would have been to hand it to the Carabinieri.
- (3) Refugees evacuated to Cosenza Province are not being properly cared for by the residents, nor are they being taken into families that should take them. One girl of 4 years of age is housed in the Prefects house, but no others in the town (it is understood) Medical Stores and comforts, including Milk, which have been handed over to Italian Medical Authorities (against cash) have in many cases not been distributed. In cases where they have been distributed, the price charged has been much above the 30% above cost price allowed, in some cases it has been up 100% above cost price. Provincial Officer brought Milk himself back from the Italian Medical Authorities and distributed it.
- (4) Olive Oil - Catanzaro Province - C.A.O. (Captain Bailey) wanted Olive Oil. He got 6000 quintals by raising the price and was told that no more was available. Knowing that a ship load of Milk, sugar, dried veg etc was arriving at Reggio he called a meeting of Sindacos. A good attendance resulted from a threat to reduce the Bread Ration of those who failed to turn up. Bailey announced the arrival of the ship but regretted his ability to distribute food stuffs unless more Olive Oil was brought in. 19000 more quintals arrived. *(and went to Sicily instead of Naples. EC reports 7/4)*
- (5) Officers - Morale of Officers is decreasing slightly. Two reasons.
 - (a) Change from A.M.G. to A.C.C. British Officers of junior rank (Capt and Subaltern) were able to assert their authority when A.M.G. was functioning as they were in a position to give orders which the Italians obeyed. Under A.C.C. conditions they can only give advice which is not so readily accepted from Junior Officers.
 - (b) Promotion - "Hope deferred maketh the heart sick" British promotion is felt to be now in a worse position than American.

PERSONNEL - O.R's.

- (6) Drivers - 11 short. Some rather undesirable characters who would be better under more discipline. Only Driver H.C.O's are U/I/Cpls who would really be happier and no worse off financially as drivers. No vehicles on which to train more drivers.

Suggested Remedies

- (a) Send down a M.T. Sgt. or Cpl. recommended for promotion.
- (b) Get a dozen drivers from H.Q. and send back 5. Region would be 7 up on balance and would get rid of 7 "difficult" cases.

NOTE If all Regions did this, driver standard at H.Q. would be poor.

- (c) Send them 5 or 6 decent ones. Conjunction of (a) and (b) sounds best. Can it be done?

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- (7) Clerks - Some cases which merit promotion.
 4 British are doing Clerks work but not being P.A.S.C. cannot get tradesmans rate of pay. I think we should trade test, transfer to R.A.S.C. any fit and then promote. Any reason against this? Region would gladly send up for testing.
 Others - One Cook (A.C.C.) now in detention. Letter sent to ask that he may be returned to Army Catering Corps or G.R.T.D. on release from detention. (No 3053504 Pte Cutt) Letter No A/4/27 dated 28 March.
- (8) O.R's (continued)
 S/Sgt (C/Sgt) Keen - Worestershire Regt No 5247835
 Trade tested as Clerk at Civil Affairs Branch G.H.Q. M.E.F. Passed as Class C Group II but still gets no pay as a Clerk. Regular soldier. Willing to transfer to the R.A.S.C.
- (9) Driver N.C.O's.
 4 wanted. One for each Province where there is sufficient M.T. to warrant an N.C.O. among the drivers.
- (10) Officers.
 M.W. Morgan (Education) still being paid as a 2/Lt. Matter has been referred to H.Q. A.C.C. twice.
- (11) Major Mearning } still on list. our 16004/2/G-I of 16 Feb.
 Watts } A/2/126 of 9 March replied.
- (12) Captain Alden (British) Leicestershire Regt (age 56)
 (a) Re-employed June 1940 as Lieut, rank at end of last war Captain. Promoted A/Captain June 1943 and claims that under provisions of A.C.I. 917/41 and 1324/42 after 3 months as A/Captain he should be given W/S rank of Captain. Applied December 1943. No reply to date.
 (b) Young for his age and appears fit, and keen to do something more active and closer to where bullets are flying.
 No special knowledge France or Germany but would like E.T.O.
 Suggest A.M.G. 8 Army.
- (13) Major. Fricker sick. Can we get leave for Captain Drummond-Young, now acting for him, to remain for another month. Drummond-Young ²²⁰³ should have gone to R.A.T.D. on 14 March.
- (14) Italian Soldiers.
 One platoon for Guard Duties at Reggio and Crotone would be of great assistance (would not save E/M's or O.R's)
- (15) "Q" Problems
 Authority for drawing of daily mid-day meal rations for civilians employed. Send at once.
- (16) Clothing - At present obtained rather by favour from No 6 Base Sub-Area Bari. Can we help to get a freer issue?
- (17) Union Jack required to match U.S. flag - 9x11.
- (18) Very little accounting of stores has been done. Visit of Q.M. will be useful and welcomed.

(19)

Civilian Transport for Food Distribution etc.

255 vehicles due () initiative allocation given to () transportation Sub-Commission)

150 ready and waiting at CORATO

No drivers yet available.

Arrangements previously made by Region with SITA that latter would run these lorries. Whole business now taken in hand by Italian Government, who may or may not take on some of the SITA organisation, but who say they will not give it all to SITA and create a monopoly.

Consordios arranged by Region II for Catanzaro - Lecce - Reggio - Matera and Potenza.

Italian Government not yet ready to receive any vehicles.

Transport specially required in Potenza Province to draw and distribute potatoe seed which should now be sown.

NOTE - Spoke Colonel Adams - Italian Government has now fixed rates and is going into arrangements for garages - spare parts etc.

Spoke also R.E.M.E. who will supervise maintainance of the 500 British trucks expected.

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Administrative Section.

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By H.D.

2 April 44.

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R. H. Cripps
R.H. CRIPPS, Lt Col
for VP, Admin Section.

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MONTHLY RETURN OF FIELD THIS MADE WEEK ENDING 13.00 HOURS 1st APRIL 44

<u>RANK & NAME.</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED.</u>	<u>DATES.</u>	<u>DUTY.</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION.</u>			
Air Commodore, The Viscount Stanagate.	5th Army Areas.	23 to 30 Mar 44.	Visiting SCAG's, forward areas.
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Lt Col R.H. Wilmer	Tour of Region 1.	22 to 27 Mar 44.	Inspection trip.
Lt Col Willis	AMG 5th Army.		Attd temp duty still at 5th Army.
Major E.L. Palmieri	HQ Region 6	10 Mar, not yet returned.	In connection with Ital. Courts in Sardinia.
Lt Correa	Region 3		Attd temp duty (still at Region 3).
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Major W.H. Sherwood	Palermo, Algiers	25 Mar. Not yet returned.	Education.
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Lt Col J. Bennett	Capri, Ischia etc.	22/23 Mar 44.	Tour of Inspection.
Major E.B. Evans	Ravello	27 Mar 44.	One day tour of inspection.
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Capt Wilhelm	Sardinia	26 Mar, not yet returned.	Medical Supplies.
Lt Col Williams	Caserta, Sessa Aurunca Venafro, 5th Army Area.	26/27 Mar 44.	Study of PH problems.
Capt Trager	Region 111 North of Naples.	29 Mar 44.	Inspection of Mussel beds.
Col Russell) Lt Manzelli)	Caserta and 5th Army area.	25/29 Mar 44.	Malaria Control.
Capt Willcox	Region 1	23 Mar 44. Not yet returned	Welfare Institutes in Sicily.
Col Griffin	Region 1 - Palermo	25th Mar 44. Not yet returned	Medical Supplies.

Lt Col Willis	AMG 5th Army.		Att'd temp duty Still at 5th Army.
Major E.L. Palmieri	Hq Region 6	10 Mar, not yet returned.	In connection with Ital. Courts in Sardin.
Lt Correa	Region 3		Att'd temp duty (Still at Region 3).
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Col Griffin	Region 1 -Palermo	25th Mar 44. Not yet returned.	Medical Supplies.
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Col A.E. Young, Capt. W. Ronnie.	P.O.W. Camp. Padula	Departed 30 March Returned same day	Inspection.
Col P.G. Kirk	Forward A.M.O. Areas.	Departed 23 March Returned 30 March	Inspections.

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<u>RANK & NAME.</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED.</u>	<u>DATES.</u>	<u>DUTY.</u>
<u>M.F.A. & A. SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
De Wald, Major E.A. Director	) Loreto Abbey, Mercogliano	27 Mar 44. retd. same day	Inspection of de- pository of art objects endangered by requisition.
	) Nocera Superiore	31 Mar 44. retd. same day	Inspection of col- lapsed cupola of Early Christian Basilica.
	) Caserta	1 April 44 retd. same day	Conference with GOC, AMG, 5 Army, CAS.
	) Migliano	29 Mar 44. retd. same day	Protective measures against looting of art deposits newly discovered in ruins of castle; action requested by SChO, AMG, 8 Army.
J.B. Ward Perkins Major, Deputy Director	3 Army Area & Region 5	1 April 44 Still in field	Tour of inspection and reconnaissance for S/C.
	3 Army Area	1 Will remain	Taking up assignment as M344 Officer with 3 Army.
P.B. Cott Lieut. (USAR)	Loreto Abbey, Mercogliano	27 Mar 44 retd. same day	As for Major De Wald, above
	Caserta	26/28 Mar also 1 April 44	Supervision of the requisition of Royal Palace and its fur- nishings.
E. Croft-Murray, Captain	Calvi Risorta & Sessa	30 Mar 44 retd. same day	Inspection of monu- ments.
	Migliano	31 Mar Still in field	Continuation of project begun by Maj- or Ward Perkins (above).
F.H.J. Maxse,			
H. Jerkinson, Civi-	Lucera, Foggia,	20/27 Mar 44	Inspection of ar-

De Wald, Major E.P. Director	Nocera Superiore	31 Mar 44. retd. same day	Inspection of col- lapsed cupola of Early Christian Basilica.
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N.T. Newton,	5 Army Area & Region 5	1 April 44 Still in field	Tour of inspection and reconnaissance for S/C.
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E. Croft-Murray, Captain	Loreto Abbey, Marcegliano	27 Mar 44 retd. same day	As for Major De Wald, above
D.E. Keller, Cap- tain	Caserta	26/23 Mar also 1 April 44	Supervision of the requisition of Royal Palace and its fur- nishings.
R.H.J. Maxse,	Calvi Risorta & Sessa	30 Mar 44 retd. same day	Inspection of monu- ments.
H. Jenkinson, Civi- lian Archivist	Mignano	31 Mar Still in field	Continuation of project begun by Maj- or Ward Perkins (above).
	Lucera, Foggia, Trani, Bari, Lecce, Ostuni, Taranto, Matera, Potenza.	20/27 Mar 44	Inspection of ar- chives.--Early phase of this trip recorded, without detail, in report of 25 Mar 44
<u>INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Lt Col R.C.B. Spicer Lieut W.F.M. Lewis	Benevento, Avellino Campobasso, Caserta San Vittore, and AD K.Z. Main Hq's Liaison Officer.	24 Mar 44 retd. 28 Mar 44	On tour
Capt. R.R. Temple	Sardinia	1 April 44	Organization and Admin- istration of Local Government.

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SUBJECT : Field Trips.

TO : Chief Commissioner, HQ ACC APO 394.

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Attached is a return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on field trips during the seven days ending 1800 hours, 25 March 1944.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF FIELD TRIPS MADE WEEK ENDING 1800 HOURS 25 MAR 44.

<u>NAME & RANK</u>	<u>PLACES VISITED</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>DUTY</u>
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION.</u>			
Air Commodore, The Viscount Stanegate.	5th Army Areas.	Left 23 Mar 44	Visiting SCMO's, not yet returned. forward areas.
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
		Return on Page 2.	
<u>EDUCATION SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
		NIL RETURN.	
<u>PROPERTY CONTROL SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Lt. Col. J. Bennett	Capri, Ischia etc.	22 March 44, not yet returned.	Tour of inspection.
Major E.B. Evans.	Ravello	24 Mar, one day visit.	-do-
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Capt. Wilhelm	Campobasso, Vasto, Termoli, Foggia, Lucercia, Matera.	9 to 20 Mar 44.	Co-ordinating of Med. Supplies & Warehousing.
Major Lewis	Region 1, Palermo, Sicily.	14 - 20 Mar 44.	VD Control problems.
Capt. Trager) Lt. Manzelli)	Avellino & Benevento.	24 Mar 44.	Sanitation & Malaria problems, & control.
Lt. Col. Dobos.	Naples.	22 Mar 44.	Lab 219393 probas.
<u>PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Col. P.G. Kirk	Forward AMG Areas.	Dep. 23 Mar 44, not yet returned.	Inspection.
Lt. Col. RMJ Martin	Region 1.	21 - 23 Mar 44.	Discussion of P.S. problems in Sicily.
Capt. W Ronnie.	Savignano	25 Mar 44, day visit.	Enquiry into fatal railway accident.
<u>MONUMENTS, FINE ARTS & ARCHIVES SUB COMMISSION.</u>			
Major J.B. Ward Perkins.	Pompeii	23 Mar 44, one day visit.	Inspection of monuments, subsequent to eruption of Vesuvius.

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<u>Rank & Name.</u>	<u>Places Visited.</u>	<u>Dates.</u>	<u>Duty.</u>
<u>LEGAL SUB COMMISSION</u>			
Lt.Col.R.H.Wilmer	Tour of Region I	Commenced 22 Mar 44. Not yet ret'd.	Inspection trip.
Lt.Col.Willis	AMG 5th Army.		Att'd temp. duty. Still at 5th Army.
Major E.L.Palmieri	HQ Region 6.	10 Mar 44 Not yet ret'd.	In connection with Ital.Courts in Sardinia.
Lieut. Correa	Region 3		Att'd. temp duty still at Region 3.

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19 Mar 44

SUBJECT: Visits to Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner.

Attached is a return showing officers of this Section who have been engaged on field trips during the seven days ending 1800 13 Mar 44.

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R.R. CRIPS, Lt. Colonel
for VP Adm Sec.

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Weekly Return of Officer's Field Trips, Seven Days, ending 13 Mar 44
Public Health Sub-Commission.

Name & Rank.	Places Visited.	Dates		Duty
		Arr.	Dep.	
Brig. Parkinson	Potenza, Bari, Santa Maria di Bagna, Maglie, Foggia, Cam-pobasso, Benevento, Naples.	13-13 Mar		Conferences with R.C.'s & Medical Officers & survey of work done by D.P. Sub-Comm.
Capt. Savage	Same as above.	Same as above.		Same as above.
Lt. Col. Dobos	Naples	11-13 Mar		Visit to laboratories.
Capt. Trager	Sardinia	7-13 Mar		Survey Sanitation activity.
1st Lt. Manzelli	Sardinia	7-13 Mar		Survey Malaria Control Activity.
Major Rushmore	Cosenza, Reggio, Messina Catania, Syracuse, Ragusa, Agrigento, Cal-tanissetta, Palermo, Trapani.	26 Feb-15 Mar		Survey of Vet. Activities
Lt. Col. Williams	Sardinia	15-17 Mar		General Survey.

Property Control Sub-Commission.

No field trips were made by this Sub-Commission.

Legal Sub-Commission.

Col. G. Upjohn.	Tour of 5th & 8th Army Areas & Region 5.	Returned to HQ. ACC 14/3/44	Inspection trip.
Major E.L. Palmieri	HQ. Region 6.	Departed HQ. ACC 10/3/44	Duty in connection with Italian Courts in Sardinia (Still at Region 6)

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Col. G. Pollock.	Tour of 5th Army Area	13-16 Mar	Trial of Cases.
<u>Education Sub-Commission</u>			
Major T.G. Bergin	HQ Region 6	Departed HQ. ACC 8/3/44	Inspection (Still in Region 6)

Public Safety Sub-Commission.

Lt. Col. R.M.J. Martin	Forward AMG	14-17 Mar	Visit of Inspection and Liaison.
Lt. Col. S. Pickering	areas		

Capt. Trager Sardinia 7-13 Mar Survey Sanitation activity.

1st Lt. Manzelli Sardinia 7-13 Mar Survey Malaria Control Activity.

Major Rushmore Cosenza, Reggio, Messina
Catania, Syracuse,
Ragusa, Agrigento, Cal-
tanissetta, Palermo,
Trapani. 26 Feb-15 Mar Survey of Vet. Activities

Lt. Col. Williams Sardinia 15-17 Mar General Survey.

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Lt. Col. S. Pickering areas

Interior Sub Commission.

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Monuments, Fine Arts & Archives Sub-Commission
Major J.B. Ward Perkins Salerno, Cave & 13-16
other points in Salerno Prov.

Major P.F. Reynolds Salerno, Cava, Paes-
tum, Eboli, Nocera
Inferiore, Temple at
mouth of river Sele. 14-16
entire week
Inspection of Monuments
Supervision of the requisition
of Royal Palace and its furnish-
ings.

Capt. Croft Murray

Capt. D. Keller

Foggia, Lucera, Troia, 6-16
Barletta, Bari, Brindisi
Matera, Potenza
Inspection of Monuments

<u>OFFICER'S NAME</u>	<u>MISSION</u>	<u>ECONOMIC SECTION</u>	<u>WEEK ENDING - MARCH</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>AS</u>
MAJOR HUMPHREYS, L.M.	To coordinate with Reg. II on urgent distribution of Supplies from Naples.	366 20 MAR Recd 5 days		Matera, Bari & Potenza	For
CAPT. ADAMS, W. G.	Procurement of silk for export.	4 days		Cosenza & Reggio	In
LT. COL. RHODES, G. E.	Matters of organisation, procedure, staffing etc. - Public Works in Sicily.	2/3 days		Palermo	P.
MAJOR HARTMAN, W. A.	For conference with R.C. Reg. I, regarding instructions to Chief Italian Agriculture officials in Sicily and to Allied Agricultural Officer. (Accompanied by His Highness Falcone Lucifero, Minister of Agriculture)	3 days		Palermo	Dis AG
CAPT. JAMES F. KEIM (Same transport as Capt. Laughlin)	To check up on the situation with reference to the livestock industry in southern Italy.	6 days		Salerno, Matera, Bari, Taranto, Brindisi, Foggia, Lucero.	AG
CAPT. P.S. GURNEY	Necessary supervision of transport of Turkish silk worm eggs from Brindisi to Reggio. (The silk is required for parachute manufacture & is given highest priority by C.G.S.)	7/8 days		Brindisi - Reggio	In
MAJOR FRANCIS SANBORN FULLER	To inspect oak timber on Buonabitacola State Forest in Lagonegro and contact Forestale at Lagonegro. Also to inspect sawmills at Francarilla, Paola, Fuscaldo and Belvedere for the purpose of obtaining sources of timber for civilian needs.	8 days		Lagonegro, Paola, Fuscaldo, and Belvedere.	AG
MAJOR WORTH N. YODER	To inspect & protect the Adriatica - Sanguitana Railway, a private enterprise operating between the Adriatic & Tyrrhenian slopes with view of operating it in the soonest time possible for military usage.	7/10 days		Ortano	In

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ECONOMIC SECTION

WEEK ENDING - MARCH 20, 1944

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To coordinate with Reg. II on urgent distribution of Supplies from Naples.

5 days

Matera, Bari & Potenza

Food Sub-Com.

14 March

Procurement of silk for export.

4 days

Cosenza & Reggio

Ind. & Com. S.C. 14 March

Matters of organisation, procedure, staffing etc. - Public Works in Sicily.

2/3 days

Palermo

P.W. & U. S.C. 20 March

For conference with R.C. Reg. I, regarding instructions to Chief Italian Agriculture officials in Sicily and to Allied Agricultural Officer. (Accompanied by His Highness Falcone Lucifero, Minister of Agriculture)

3 days

Palermo

Direc. of Agric. S.C.

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Agric. Sub-Com.

21 March

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Internal Transportation Sub-Com. 21 March

J. BRUCE THOMPSON MAJOR R. A.
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Col. H. M. Fort
Brig. Gen. R. H. Kersh
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13 Mar 44

SUBJECT : Visits to Field.

TO : Chief Commissioner.

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Weekly Return of Officer's Field Trips, Seven Days ending 11 Mar 44.Public Health Sub-Commission.

Name & Rank.	Places Visited.	Dates		Duty.
		Arr.	Dep.	
Major Rushmore	Sicily	Left 26 Feb.		Re Veterinary activities.
Captain Treger	Full report on return.			
	Sardinia	Left 7 Mar		Re Sanitation activities.
1st.Lt. Manzelli	Full report on return.			
	Sardinia	Left 7 Mar		Re Malaria control activities
Major Lewis	Full report on return.			
	Cagliari, Sassari, Fertilla (Sardinia)	8 to 10 Mar.		Re V.D. activities.
Lt Col Dobos	Naples (twice)	3 to 5 Mar.		Re Hospitals & Laboratories.
		Left 11 Mar.		
		not yet returned.		
Major McSweeney	Balvano	5 to 6 Mar		Re Train wreck.
Major Norman	Anzio	Not yet returned.		Re Planning.
Major Bizzozero	Sicily	-do-		-do-
Col. Cheyne	5th. Army	8 to 9 Mar		Re Liaison.
Captain Wilhemi	Region II	Left 9 Mar,		Re Medical Supplies.
		not yet returned		
Lt.Col. Williams	AFHQ	3 to 6 Mar		Re Typhus.

MONUMENTS, FINE ARTS & ARCHIVES SUB-COMMISSION.

Major De Wald	Benevento	9 to 10 Mar	Inspection of Cathedral & photographing panels of war damaged doors.
Capt. Croft-Murray	Caserta	Entire week	Supervision of requisition of Royal Palace & its furnishings.
Capt. Keller	Bari & other places in Reg II	6 Mar, not yet returned.	General inspection of monuments, Reg II especially those not yet inspected by Reg I. MFA & A Officer Reg II.

PROPERTY CONTROL SUB -COMMISSION.

Lt.Col. Bennett	Campobasso	7 to 11 Mar	Tour of inspection.
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LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION.

Col. Upjohn	Tour of 5th & 8th Army Areas & Reg V.		Inspection trip, not yet returned.
Major Palmieri	Hq Reg VI	10 Mar	Duty in connection with Italian Courts in Sardinia. (still at Reg VI).

EDUCATION SUB-COMMISSION.

Major Bergin	Sardinia	Dep 9 Mar.	Inspection of Schools & Universities.
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for Sizozero	Sicily	Not yet returned.	Re Planning.
Col. Cheyne	5th. Army	-do-	-do-
Captain Wilhemi	Region II	8 to 9 Mar	Re Liaison.
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Lt.Col. Bennett Campobasso

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LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION.

Col. Upjohn

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Major Palmieri

10 Mar

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Sardinia

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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB-COMMISSION.

Lt.Col. Pickering)
Lt. Mastroianni)

Region II.

Col. Young

Region III

INTERIOR SUB-COMMISSION.

No field trips were made by this Sub-Commission. This Sub-Commission is very short staffed and has been engaged in preparing a course of instruction for officers from Regions, to be held at this HQ.

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SUBJECT: Interchange of Visits, Public Safety Personnel.

TO : Chief Commissioner, ACC, through Secretary General.

1. During the week beginning March 5, 1944, Lt. Col. Pickering (B) and Lt. Mastroianni (A) visited Region II. Col. A. E. Young visited Region III. During the preceding week, Lt. Col. Martin (B) had visited Regions III, IV and V and the Armies.

2. On Wednesday, March 8, an all day conference of Regional Public Safety officers from Regions II - VI inclusive, and of Public Safety officers from the 5th and 8th Armies was conducted by the Chief of Public Safety in Salerno. Simultaneously a conference of Prison officers from Regions II and III was conducted by the Prison officer of the Public Safety Sub-Commission.

3. On Thursday, March 9, the Regional Public Safety Officer of Region I was in conference with the Chief and Deputy Chief of the Public Safety Sub-Commission; and with other officers of the Public Safety Sub-Commissions.

Paul G. Kirk

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

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8th March, 1945.

Subject: Tours by officers.

To: Deputy Chief Commissioner, Allied Control Commission. ✓

Lieut.-Colonel H.T.W. Millar of the headquarters of this Sub-Commission left Salerno on 7th March, accompanied by Lieut. Gigli of the Ministry of Communications, for a tour of the South of Italy and Sicily.

The tour is expected to take about a fortnight.

J. L. Henderson

J. L. Henderson
Colonel,
Director, Telecommunications and posts Sub-Commission.

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