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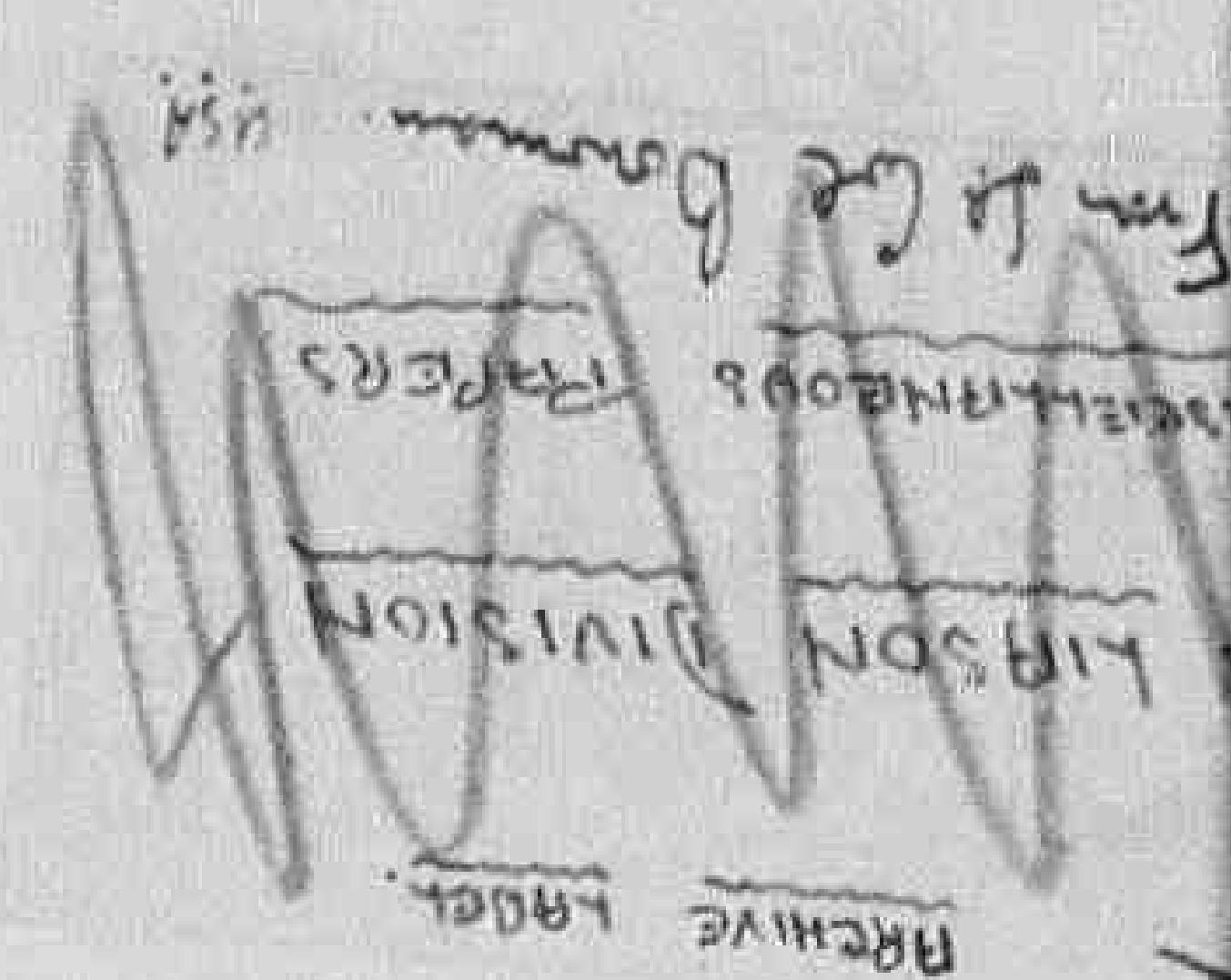
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Lt Col Brown —  
Please have done  
one call Maj But  
at 53354 and tell  
him I suggest that  
he get in touch with  
61 Div Base Depat  
and later directly to  
them — That's the  
suggestion of Div  
at PSS —

I tried a day longer to  
get him <sup>562</sup> from Lt Col Brown.  
No answer this number.

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

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11 June 1944.

SUBJECT: Cloth.

TO : Office of the Quartermaster,  
Peninsular Base Section, Reg 3  
(Thru: Liaison Officer, Reg 3)

A.C. 219

1. Reference attached copy of your letter 1 March 1944.
2. Please advise this office about the quantity of cloth still available and whether the quantity is suitable for civilian use.

*W. G. Birt Major*

W. G. BIRT, Major,  
Economics & Supply Section,  
Industrial Controller.

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HEADQUARTERS  
PENINSULAR BASE SECTION  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER  
APO 782

1 March 1944

SUBJECT: Cloth.

TO : Commanding Officer, A.M.C. Region III, Naples.

1. We have in our Dumps the following articles:

- a. Curtain material.
- b. Cloth, cotton, miscellaneous, 36"
- c. Cloth, cotton, miscellaneous, 44"
- d. Suder cloth
- e. Padding, cotton, knit,
- f. Knit, worsted, tubular

2. Information is requested whether any branch of your activities is interested in such materials.

*FWD*  
FREDERIC W. DENNIS, JR.,  
Lieut. Colonel, Q.M.C.,  
Assistant Quartermaster.

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
Food Sub-Commission

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A.P.O. 394

18 May 1944

ACC/ 53-2/FOOD

SUBJECT : Sequestrated articles belonging to Judge Testi.

TO : Lt. Col. Bowman, Chief Liaison Officer.

1. Upon examination, the item listed as " 1 box Dynamite Nobel" in the list of sequestrated articles submitted to Lt. Col. Nilmer turned out to be gun powder.

2. It is suggested that the matter of sequestration be dropped, as the Port Security Officers only did their duty well.

3. Capt. SCHARTZWALD of the Port Security Office, said that he had the basis for criminal action against the Judge and that he would press it if any difficulty was made. He likewise reported that the Judge was carrying several uncensored letters, presumably for personal delivery at his destination.

K.J. CURRAN.  
Captain.  
Food Sub-Commission.

1st Ind. ACR/eah  
LIAISON DIVISION, R.C. & M.G. SECT., HQ, ACC, 21 May 1944

TO: Deputy Chief Legal Officer, HQ, ACC, Rear.

1. Attention is invited to basic memorandum.
2. It is recommended that the effort to obtain restitution of Judge Testi's property be discontinued for the present, to be re-initiated when the situation has "cooled off".

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ALFRED C. BOWMAN  
Lt. Col.  
Chief, Liaison Division 49

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16 May 1944

FROM : J. M. RORTNER, Major, A.U.S., ADC, Port Liaison Officer, Naples.

TO : Lt. Col. R. H. WILMER, Legal Division, Rear Headquarters, ADC.

SUBJECT: Sequestered articles belonging to Judge TESTI.

1. Confirming telephone conversation, there is enclosed a receipt dated 16 May 1944, from Port Security Officer, Capt. SCHWANTZALD.
2. This receipt covers a list of the articles taken from Judge TESTI since the Port Security regulations forbids the entrance of explosives into the port area.
3. The hunting rifle reported as having been taken was not taken. However the firing pin or breach was removed so that the gun was not useable.
4. These articles are being held at the office of the port C.I. Officer.

*J. M. Rortner*  
J. M. RORTNER  
Major, A.U.S.,  
Port Liaison Officer.

1-Enccl,  
1-Receipt from Port Security Officer.

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PBS - APO - 782  
Office of Port C.I. Officer

16 May 1954

1. Receipt is here given to TESTI. Judge for the following items:

- a. 1 box Dynamite Nobel
- b. 1 box Polvere di Yusso
- c. 1 box Loose powder
- d. 1 box (opened) cartridges
- e. 1 box (opened) cartridge wads
- f. 3 bags shot
- g. 1 treach shotgun (firing pin)
- h. 1 clockwork mechanism

2. Item taken from shotgun to render it unusable. Gun returned ~~to~~ to TESTI.

3. Above items confiscated in accordance with port Security Instructions forbidding entrance of explosives into port Area.

/s/ John C. Schwartzwald  
/t/ John C. Schwartzwald,  
Captain, P.C.,  
Port C.I. Officer.

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Capt. Schwarzkopf

4, Piazza del Municipio

Port Security Intelligence

sequestered a number  
of articles, including a  
valuable firing pin, boxes  
of powder, hunting rifle and  
cartridges, belonging to

Judge Testi, who sailed on  
15 May, '44 for Sardinia

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Handled by  
Major Rovine who's Colmieri  
called Col W. J. Lee  
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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. & M.G. SECTION  
Liaison Division  
APO 394

28 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Enforcement of Regional Order No. 18.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region 3.

1. Colonel Chapman's report of 15 April concerning enforcement of Regional Order No. 18 (prostitution) has been forwarded to the Provost Marshal, Peninsular Base Section.

2. You ask for my comment. It follows.

3. The situation outlined by Colonel Chapman is not peculiar to "moris" offenses, nor is it confined to military courts, or to those in Naples Province. All of us who have ever served as prosecutors are familiar with the fact that policemen, like other human beings, require occasional admonition and education.

4. Insufficiency of information in police reports and inadequate investigation of cases, were subjects of a conference arranged by me about a month ago, attended on one side by Colonel Weber, Capt. (then Lt.) Correa, Lt. Benno and others. The police side was represented by Col. Hardie, PBS Provost Marshal, and his executive, Major Tolve, who control directly or indirectly most of the Military Police units to whom Lt. Col. Chapman's criticism applies. I believe that Lt. Col. Chapman himself also attended.

5. Most of those present have expressed to me since the conference their opinions that it had produced very satisfactory results and that there would be little further difficulty. The present complaint is, in fact, the first one along this line which has come to my attention since that time.

6. Colonel Hardie and his aides have been extremely cooperative, have expressed satisfaction concerning the

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results produced by our courts, and have repeatedly requested me to have our legal officers advise them if the Military Police failed at any time to perform satisfactorily the duties with which they are charged, which include the preparation of workable arrest reports, and proper investigation of cases. If further difficulty is experienced, the remedy, obviously, is not to write "hedge" memoranda to you, but to confer further with Colonel Hardie and Major Tolive with a view to correcting the deficiencies.

7. The facilities of the Liaison Division of this headquarters are always available to officers of Region 3 in matters of this kind. However, Par. 3 of Executive Memorandum 26 provides that,

"after original contact has been effected through the appropriate liaison officer, subsequent business in connection with the same subject matter may be conducted directly between officers of Headquarters, A.G.C. and the Regions, and the officers of the military formations concerned, provided the liaison officer is informed and agrees."

8. The conditions precedent to further direct relations between your legal officers and the appropriate officers of Peninsular Base Section have been satisfied as to this subject matter and this division, being informed, agreed that further business affecting this subject matter may, if desired, be carried on directly between the parties concerned.

9. No prosecuting officer anywhere can carry on his job satisfactorily without regular current consultation with the police authorities who supply his normal day-to-day witnesses. I suggest that arrangements be made for regular meetings between Col. Weber, Lt. Col. Chapman and his staff on the one side, and on the other, the officers of Peninsular Base Section who are in a position to control and direct the efforts of military witnesses. I am confident that such regular conferences would produce very beneficial results and the elimination within a comparatively short time, of most of the deficiencies in the reporting of cases complained of by Lt. Col. Chapman.

ALFRED C. BOWMAN  
Lt. Col.  
Chief, Liaison Division

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HEADQUARTERS  
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
APO 395 - US ARMY

26 April 1944

SUBJ/DT: Enforcement of Regional Order No. 18  
TO : Commanding General - MBA - PBS  
THRU : Liaison Officer RGA - HQ ACC.

I am inclosing, for your information and comment, a copy of a report made by the Regional Legal Officer concerning the enforcement of Regional Order No. 18.

CP/MF%/pm

Incls:

Enforcement of Regional Order No. 18  
16 April 1944 - Col. C. Chapman.

CHARLES POLSTPI  
Lt. Colonel  
Regional Commissioner

LIAISON DIVISION, R.C. & M.G. Sect., HQ, A.C.C. 28 April 1944.  
1st Ind. ACR/eah  
TO: Commanding General, MBA, PBS.

1. A matter pertaining to your headquarters.
2. Copy of comment on report, directed to Regional Commissioner of Region 3, attached.

2 Incls:

Incl 1 - Enf. of Reg Order No. 18, 18 Apr 44, Col. Chapman  
Incl 2 - Enf. of Reg Order No. 18, 28 Apr 44, Col. Bowman **553**

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ALFRED C. BOWMAN  
Lt. Col.  
Chief, Liaison Division.

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REGION 5, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
Legal Division  
APO 394. U.S. Army

18 April 1944

SUBJECT: Enforcement of Regional Order No. 18  
TO : Regional Commissioner Region 5

1. This morning I was called into a conference with judges and prosecutors of Allied Military Courts in Naples concerning the enforcement of Regional Order No. 18 and other laws relating to prostitutes and prostitution. The situation demands a report to you, if not to higher authority.

2. The situation is as follows: The police dragnet brings in women who are thrown into jail and eventually arrest reports find their way to the Prosecuting Office of the Allied Military Courts. These arrests reports in most cases fail to contain facts which would constitute any offense. They fail to contain the names of witnesses. They do not contain any summary or expected testimony. The judges reported to me this morning that evidence of commission of offenses is not produced in court. Cases are presented where the only statement is that the accused has a venereal disease, which is not a violation of any law or order. No medical evidence is presented & substitute even that statement. The judges are greatly concerned. They are fully aware of the general conditions which caused Order No. 18 to be issued and they are willing to do their part in enforcement but they have reached the point, and rightly so, where they must release accused against whom no legal charge is made and against whom no satisfactory evidence is produced which would justify conviction. The judges report to me that they are reluctant to take such action because they fear a storm of vitriolic criticism. They feel that they are expected to railroad accused to prison - proof or no proof.

3. I have reported to you before that investigation of criticisms of courts has disclosed in most cases a failure of the police to do their full job. I am attaching herewith for your information two arrest reports which I took from the Prosecuting Office this morning. You will notice that one shows the arrest made March 8 and the other arrest made March 9 and that both reports did not reach the Prosecuting Office until 15 April. You will also notice the complete lack of information. One is signed "Civil Police Pratamaggiore".

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4. At the conference preceding the issuance of Order No. 18, it was discussed definitely and thoroughly that women afflicted with venereal disease were not subject to arrest and jailing but should be placed in places for treatment. This is being ignored by the Police in many cases. In those cases in which women have been sent for treatment, I am informed that they are being released in ten days. However, in no case sent to AMG courts has there been either a medical certificate or other medical evidence, to indicate either that the women even had venereal disease, or had been treated for such.

5. The present method of attack on the problem of prostitution appears to be on the way to a definite breakdown because of the absence of adequate police cooperation in the preparation of cases, because of the failure to provide adequate places of treatment of diseased women, and because of the inadequacy of prison and jail accommodation for the number of women arrested. However, and this is one of the reasons for this report, I desire to register now the fact that the breakdown will be laid at the doorstep of the Allied Military Courts and to register my protest and resentment against unjust criticism.

/a/ John W. Chapman  
JOHN W. CHAPMAN  
Lt. Col., J.A.G.D.  
Reg. Legal Officer

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REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
APO 394, U.S. NAVY

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1 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Prostitution - Venereal Disease.

TO : P.M., Metropolitan Area, P.R.C.  
P.M., P.W.S. (thru) Liaison Office, ACE)  
P.M., 57 Area (thru) Provincial Liaison Officer)  
P.M., No. 3 District (thru) Provincial Liaison Officer).

1. It is essential that Allied Military Government, in cooperation with other military formations, take all possible steps to prevent the spread of venereal disease amongst allied troops. While the matter is specifically one of discipline in the units and formations themselves, the authorities who administer the law to the civilian population have a great responsibility in ensuring that every thing is done to reduce prostitution and the evils resulting therefrom.

2. To rigorously and effectively administer the law, it is essential that Military Police know what is an offence and what is not, and this Headquarters will issue such that (if not already done) the contents of the attached General Order and Administration Instruction No 13 be brought to their attention.

3. Commandant and Agent of Public Security  
have been instructed to continue to enforce the Law in co-operation with the Military Police.

4. The Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, requests that provost controlled troops be made by the Allied Military and Italian police, and provided the Allied Courts deal with cases severely and rigidly, and all concerned with law enforcement realize the menace is now causing, much can be done to reduce the damage and assist the allied troops.

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thing is done to reduce prostitution and the evils resulting therefrom.

2. To vigorously and effectively combat the venereal offence and that is not, and thus Headquarters would seek that (if not already done) the contents of the attached Regional Green and Administration instruction No 18 be brought to their attention.
3. Careful and intelligent public education  
have been instructed to continue to enforce the law in co-operation with the Military police.
4. The Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, feels that provided a concerted drive is made by the Allied Military and Civilian police, and provided the Allied forces deal with cases severely and rapidly, to the Allied Forces which the spread of venereal disease is now causing, much can be done to reduce the disease and assist the Allied troops.

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/s/ Charles Veltel  
1/2/ CHARLES VELTEL  
Lieut. Colonel, R.A.  
Regional Commissioner.

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REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
ACO 384, U.S. Army

REGIONAL ORDER) 1a.

8 March 1944.

I, Lieutenant Colonel Charles Voletez, Regional  
Commissioner, Region 3, Allied Control Commission, by  
virtue of power conferred in me

O R D E R

Article I.  
Restrictions on Prostitution.

Section 1. It is unlawful for any female person to  
engage in, or practice, prostitution, in any place other  
than in a place of prostitution declared as such place  
under the provisions of Italian law.

Section 2. It is unlawful for any operator, or any  
occupant, of a place of prostitution whether declared as  
such or not, to permit any soldier other than a soldier  
engaged in the performance of official duty, to enter,  
or to remain in, or to have licentious connection with  
any female person in such place of prostitution.

Section 3. It is unlawful for any female person  
who is affiliated with any venereal disease, to have  
licentious connection with any soldier.

Section 4. It is unlawful for any person, in any  
manner, to permit, solicit or invite any soldier to have  
licentious connection with any female person, or invite,  
or induce, or offer to induce, any soldier to any place  
of prostitution, whether declared as a place of pros-  
titution or not.

Article II.  
Italian Law.

This Order does not revoke, amend or in anywise modify  
any provision of Italian laws relating to prostitution.

~~PROHIBITIONS ON PROSTITUTION~~  
Section 1. It is unlawful or any female person to engage in, or practice, prostitution, in any place other than in a place of prostitution declared, in any place other under the provisions of Italian Law.

Section 2. It is unlawful for any operator, or any descendant, or a place of prostitution whether declared as such or not, to permit any soldier other than a soldier engaged in the performance of official duty, to enter, or to remain in, or to have licentious connection with any female person in such place of prostitution.

Section 3. It is unlawful for any female person who is restricted with any veneer of guise, to have licentious connection with any soldier.

Section 4. It is unlawful for any person, in any manner, to permit, solicit or invite any soldier to have licentious connection with any female person, or invite, or guide, or offer to guide, any soldier to any place of prostitution, whether declared as a place of prostitution, or not.

#### Article II.

##### Italian Law.

This Order does not revoke, amend or in anywise modify any provision of Italian law relating to prostitution.

#### Article III.

##### Jurisdiction of Courts.

Any person charged with any violation of this Order may be tried either by an Al lied Military Court of the Regular Legal Officer, or by an officer empowered by his so to do, and every pretore shall have competence and jurisdiction to hear and determine, in accordance with Italian criminal procedure, all cases in which a violation of Regional Legal Officer or officer have been referred, by such tried by any such pretore. In any ---- trial by a pretore in which the accused is condemned is condemned in Article V hereof, as is provided in Article V hereof, the penalty shall be such

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Article IV.

Definition.

The word "soldier" for the purposes of this Order, shall mean any member of the armed forces or any merchant seaman of any of the United Nations, ~~temporarily~~ <sup>or permanently</sup> attached to such forces.

Article V.

Penalties.

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Order, shall, upon conviction be punished by imprisonment for not to exceed three (3) months for the first conviction and by imprisonment for not to exceed six (6) months for each subsequent conviction.

Article VI.

Extent of Order and Protective Rule.

This Order shall extend only to the provinces of Naples, Avellino and Benevento, and shall be in effect from and after the 15th day of March 1944, and until the 15th day of September 1944, or until otherwise ordered.

CHARLES POUTET,  
Lieutenant Colonel  
Penitentiary Commissioner.

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REGION 3, ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION)

NUMBER

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24 March 1944

1. Until further instructions, all cases against persons charged with violation of any of the provisions of Regional Order No. 18, will be referred to and tried by Allied Military Courts.
2. The definition of "prostitute" is "a woman who offers her person for illicit purposes for hire".

By order of Lieutenant Colonel POLITTI:

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,  
Lt. Col. J.A. G.D.,  
Reg. Legal Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS  
REGION 3, ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
APO 394 U.S. ARMY

25 April 1944

SUBJECT: Report on smallpox

TO : Lt. Col. Bowmar, Liaison Division, ACC Hq.

1. Attached is a report which I would appreciate your submitting  
to P. B. S.

/s/ Charles Poletti  
CHARLES POLETTI  
Lt. Colonel  
Regional Commissioner

1 Incl.  
report

lst Ind. ACB/eah  
LIAISON DIVISION, R.C. & M.G. Section, HQ, A.C.C. 27 Apr 44.  
TO: C.G., P.B.S.

*ACB*  
A.C.B.

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SECTION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
APO 394 U.S. Army

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24 April 1944

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SUBJECT: Smallpox

TO : Regional Commissioner

1. Cases Notified.

As far as can be ascertained the total number of verified cases of Smallpox hitherto notified is seventeen. This figure must be regarded as conservative because notification is not rigidly observed and number of suspected cases have gone into hiding to escape hospitalization.

2. Character of Disease.

The disease as manifested so far is of light form.

3. Location.

The majority of the case notified occurred in the Toledo Area (West of the Via Roma).

4. Preventive Measures.

- a) The Communal authorities have been supplied with an adequate quantity of fresh calf lymph for vaccination in all the offices of the Sanitazione Municipale.
- b) In addition an item of domiciliary vaccination has been instituted and it is hoped that this will be augmented by trained squads from the Typhus Control Service.
- c) The Communes have been advised to publish a press notice warning the public of the danger and inviting all those not vaccinated for three years to seek re-vaccination at the Sessions Municipal.
- d) ACC HQ have been requested to hold all available stocks of vaccine in Medical Stores for use in this area and to step up demands to minimum 250,000 doses in case mass vaccination should be required.
- e) The Communes have been advised to insist on vaccination certificates for all children attending schools.

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3. Location.

The majority of the case notified occurred in the Toledo Area (West of the Via Roma).

4. Preventive Measures.

- a) The communal authorities have been supplied with an adequate quantity of "rush calf" lymph for vaccination in all the offices of the Zone Municipali.
- b) In addition system of domiciliary vaccination has been initiated and it is hoped that this will be augmented by trained squads from the Typhus Control Service.
- c) The Communes have been advised to publish a press notice warning the public of the danger and inviting all those not vaccinated for three years to seek re-vaccination at the Sestine Municipal.
- d) MCC HQ. have been requested to hold all available stocks of vaccine in Medical Stores for use in this area and to step up demands to minimum 250,000 doses in case mass vaccination should be required.
- e) The Commune have been advised to insist on vaccination certificates for all children attending schools.

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- f) The existing law requiring affected individuals to be segregated in Infectious Disease Hospitals is being strengthened pending an order to be made by the Health Authority.
  - g) Medical and hospital services are adequate.
  - h) All Military Services have been informed.

/s/ W.H. Crichton  
W.H. Crichton  
Colonel  
Regional Public Health Officer

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LIAISON DIVISION.

MEMO TO: Major Enoch Brown.

*file*  
*EJ*

At 1215 Major Friend James called and left the following message:

"Major Friend James' compliments to Major Brown. I have spoken to Q (AE) and it is regretted that tyres for Italian use are still not available.

"If these are obtainable in the future A.C.C. Liaison will be informed.

Major Friend James.

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LIAISON DIVISION

MEMO TO:

Captain Talbot.

The request for tires and tubes for the Italian Naval Transport was again brought to the attention of C (AF) ATI (Admec h) by Major Friend James, ACC LO and he was informed that there are no tires available for this purpose -- see 37 and 38 of this file.

ENOCH BROWN, Major,  
Liaison Division.

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

3 April 1944

SUBJECT: Tyres and Tubes for Italian Vehicles.

TO : The Executive Commissioner.

This matter was passed to Major Enoch Brown. His reply is attached hereto. The following further facts were however elicited from Major Brown;

1. That the instruction precluding the issue of tyres actually exists.
2. That apart altogether from the instruction, no stocks are available other than those held in reserve for another purpose.
3. That an issue could be made from the said reserve stocks, but only after cancellation of the instruction referred to. It is understood that this would call for decision at a very high level.

*C.P. MURCHIE*  
C. P. MURCHIE Major,  
Deputy Chief Liaison Officer.

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Liaison Office, HQ, AAI, (Adm Ech)

Major Murchie -

Major Webber C (AF) AAI (Adm Ech) states that under existing instructions he cannot issue these tires and tubes to the Italian Naval Transport. He can only supply Italian Combat troops in forward areas.

Major Brown.

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To  
Secy of State ~~General~~  
Attn: ~~Proprietary~~

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CLEAN - H600 - DN. OF WEEK  
NOTICE OF CHANGE  
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MAJ KEIFFER -

TENTAGE - 18x18 PYRAMIDAL TENTS

- 20x35

- Hospital Wall Tents - SHORT SUPPLY

- CIRCUS TENTS - SHORT SUPPLY

CAPT HEILMAN

ADVISED CAPT.  
HEILMAN  
TO DOH  
GET IN PBS Q.M.  
WITH 24 HR.  
NOT LATER THAN  
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UP TO NOV 1943

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Office Name: T-2  
Mars. Number:  
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HEADQUARTERS  
REGION III ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
APO 394, U.S. Army

E - 15/62

18 April 1944

SUBJECT : Class "B" tentage for use as classrooms,  
Naples Schools.

TO : LIATISON OFFICER, Allied Control Commission

1. This office has in mind the use of Class "B" tentage on an experimental basis as classrooms to supplement the existing school building facilities. In order to be of use for this purpose, tents would need to equal in space a room with 400 to 600 sq. feet of floor space. Poles, tents pins, etc. would of course be necessary. We contemplate the use of two or three tents, if available to see if the plan is feasible on a larger scale.

2. Reports from the Provveditore agli Studi (Superintendent of Schools) show that 122 school buildings in Naples Province are occupied by Allied Military Units. In addition a large amount of damage has been done by bombing.

3. Classes are operating in many different kinds of improvised situations, even in the houses of some of the teachers. By alternating classes by half days and by days of the week, children are given only from 4 to 8 hours of educational opportunity per week.

4. Information as to the availability, size of tents, and quantity that might be secured for the purpose mentioned in paragraph 1 is desired by this office.

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*Sam V. Noe*

SAM V. NOE  
Capt. Spec. Res.  
Regional Education Officer

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AG 322 RPOB (May 14.) 3rd Ind. RMK/vb  
HEADQUARTERS, PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782, U. S. Army 14 April 1944.

TO: Headquarters, Region 3, Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U. S. Army.

Your attention is invited to the contents of 2nd Ind. from the Military Railway Service.

For the Commanding General:

L. F. NICKEL

Major, R. C.  
Adjutant General

4th Ind. ACB/vsh  
LIAISON DIVISION, R.C. & M.G. SECY., HQ, A.C.C. 14 April 1944.

TO: Regional Commissioner, Region 3, A.C.C.

1. Attention is invited to 2nd Ind.
2. Suggestions for further handling transmitted to Capt. Neufeld orally this date.

*AS*  
ALFRED C. BOWMAN  
Lt. Col.  
Chief, Liaison Division.

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Subject:- Use of Station Facilities.

HQ AAI (ADM ECH),  
C.M.P.

2030/12/Q2.

11 Apr 44.

Peninsular Base Section.

Attached correspondence from Mil. Ry. Serv. is returned for the purpose of notifying the L.O. to the ACC at your HQ of the remarks submitted by the DGMRS.

Your 1st Ind to AG.322 BPCOS Mar., 44, refers.

/s/// ? Major  
for Major-General,  
Chief Administrative Officer.

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C O P Y

AG 322 RPCOS (Mar 44) 1st Ind. RWK/vs  
HEADQUARTERS, PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782. U. S. Army  
6 April 1944.

TO: Director General, Military Railway Service, APO 400, U.S. Army  
Forwarded as a matter pertaining to your command.

For the Commanding General:

/s/ O. M. Madsen,  
/t/ O. M. MADSEN,  
1st Lt. A.G.C.,  
Asst Adjutant General.

2nd Ind.  
HQ, MIL RY SERV, A.P.O. 400, U.S.Army, 8 April 1944  
TO: C.A.O., Adm Ech A.A.I., APO 400, U.S.Army

1. Building referred to in basic is integral with the Garibaldi Station railway property and is now occupied by railway troops. Hence under provisions of GO #60, AFHQ, 22 October 1943, it would appear that it is not subject to requisition by AMG or other agency.

2. It is regretted that the AMG Italian Postal Service cannot be given this building, as to do so would necessitate moving out the railway troops engaged in essential war work, for whom there is no alternative location equally accessible to their work.

/s/ Carl R. Gray, Jr.  
/t/ CARL R. GRAY, JR  
Brigadier General, USA  
Director General

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ROUTING SLIP  
HEADQUARTERS  
PENINSULAR BASE SECTION

Liaison Section  
2/6/53

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No. Date From To

1. 19 April 53  
GFS

Lt Col Brown  
ACC Co. C

Returned per our telephone conversation.  
PLX.



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*Col Bowman* 2/6/44

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

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TP.11/96

13 April 1944

SUBJECT: Sorting Office at Naples Ferrovia.

TO : Hq A.C.C. (Attn: Liaison Officer for PBS)

1. Has it yet been possible to approach PBS on the matter referred to in TP.11/53 of 30 March 1944.
2. Particulars concerning any Italian Post Office equipment, such as hand carts for the conveyance of mail, which is in possession of any unit is also required.

For the Regional Commissioner:

*O.W. Campbell*  
O.W. CAMPBELL,  
Captain, AUS,  
Adjutant

Copy to:  
Telecom & Post Sub-Comm.

HEADQUARTERS  
13 APR 1944  
A. C. C.

1st Ind. CPM/eah  
Liaison Div., R.C. & M.G. Sect., HQ, A.C.C. 14 April 1944  
TO: Commanding General, P.B.S.  
(Attn: Major Kiefer)

Passed to you for your early attention please.

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*C. P. Murchie*  
C. P. MURCHIE, Major  
for Chief Liaison Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS  
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
ATO 394, U.S. Army

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For the Regional Commissioner:

*J.W. Campbell*  
J.W. CAMPBELL,  
Captain, AUS,  
Adjutant

Copy to:  
Telecom & Post Sub-Comm.

1st Ind.  
Liaison Div., P.C. & M.O. Sect., HQ, A.C.C. 14 April 1944  
TO: Commanding General, P.B.S.  
(Attn: Major Kiefer) 534

Passed to you for your early attention please.

C. P. MURCHIE, Major  
for Chief Liaison Officer.

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

TP. 11/96

13 April 1944

SUBJECT: Sorting Of Ice At Naples Ferrovia.

TO : H. A.C.C. (Attn: Liaison Officer for PBS)

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2. Particulars concerning any Italian Post Office equipment, such as hand carts for the conveyance of mail, which is in possession of any unit is also required.

For the Regional Commissioner:

/s/ O. W. Campbell  
/t/ O. W. CAMPBELL,  
Captain, AUS,  
Adjutant.

Copy to:

Telecom & Post Sub-Comm.

Liaison Div., R.C. & M.G. Sect., H., A.C.C. 1st Ind. 14 April 1944  
TO: Commanding General, P.B.S.  
(Attn: Major Kiefer) CPM/each

Passed to you for your early attention please.

/s/ C.P. Murchie  
/t/ C.P. MURCHIE, Major  
for Chief Liaison Officer. J2

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C O P Y

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

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SUBJECT : Sorting Office at Stationone Rerporto, Naples.

TO : The Liaison Officer with PBS,  
Allied Control Commission.

1. I should be glad if you would raise with the PBS  
the question of finding alternative accommodation for the  
713rd Railway Operating Battalion which at present occupies  
half of the Post Office Sorting Office at the Stationone Ferro-  
via.

2. I am sorry to have to disturb the unit concerned  
but this request is made necessary by the reestablishment  
of civilian inland and foreign Postal Services which came  
into effect on the 20th March and which makes essential the  
restoration of the Sorting Office to its former purpose.
3. The increased postal traffic which will require to  
be dealt with by the Italian Post Office at Naples as the  
service develops will be altogether beyond the capacity of  
the unsatisfactory temporary premises in the via Indipendenza  
where the Sorting and despatching work is at present  
performed.
4. Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission state  
that a registered letter system will shortly be approved while  
the introduction of parcel post service is contemplated.  
Moreover, it is proposed by APM that the incoming foreign mail  
work for the whole of liberated Italy shall be dealt with at  
Naples.
5. It is also very desirable that the Allied Censor  
Control Staff, at present housed in its flatless, should now  
be accommodated in the Sorting Office building in order to  
avoid the loss of time and wastage of transport which is  
incurred under the present arrangement.
6. The other portion of the Statione Ferrovia sorting  
office is occupied by the British Army Base Post Office  
which is using the building for the purpose for which it  
was designed, and, therefore, has a prior claim to be left  
in possession.

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5. It is also very desirable that the Allied Censor Control Staff, at present housed in Via d'Avilas, should now be accommodated in the Sorting Office building in order to avoid the loss of time and wastage of transport which is incurred under the present arrangement.

6. The other portion of the Stazione Ferroviaria Sorting Office is occupied by the British Army Post Office which is using the building for the purpose for which it was designed, and, therefore, has a prior claim to be left in possession.

/s/ Charles Polletti  
/t/ CHARLES POLLETTI  
Lt. Col. AUS  
Regional Commissioner,

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

15 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Professor Imbo  
TO. : Information Division.

1. The requests for additional telephone facilities and for the provision of extra transport do not appear quite reasonable.
2. Enquiry from Capt. Petrie of 12th Weather Region Vesuvius, elicited the fact that:
  - a. Two telephones are available at the Observatory, both of which are at the service of the Professor.
  - b. The Professor and his wife are constantly being ferried into town by 12th Weather Region, who express their intention of continuing to render this service to the maximum degree possible.

C. P. MUNCHIN, Major,  
for  
Chief, Liaison Division.

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MEMORANDUM

27 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Professor Imbo.  
TO : Information Division.  
FROM : Liaison Division.

The accommodation asked for by the Professor has now been arranged satisfactorily. The wireless set has also been returned as requested by the Professor.

Original correspondence returned herewith.

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C. P. MURCHIE, Major  
for  
Chief Liaison Officer.

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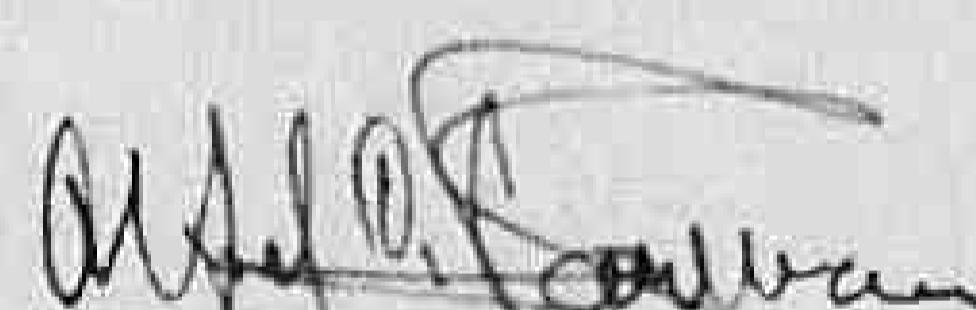
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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
R.C. & M.G. SECTION  
Liaison Division  
APO 394

25 March 1944.

TO: Whom It May Concern.

1. The bearer, Major C.P. MURCHIE, has permission to proceed to the Observatory on Mt. Vesuvius on official business.

  
ALFRED C. BOWMAN  
Lieutenant Colonel  
Chief Liaison Officer.

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given at Squ Mats - Sheld Professor  
Cassius ~~suspect~~. If not -  
I would beg. will pursue further  
accuse. Have also fixed  
ref. up with a label on  
the map.

Wireless set will be  
returned - but may be of little  
service until power station repaired.  
In case it repaired - but set may  
be used by odd persons then  
guarantee running.

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C O P Y

HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
INFORMATION DIVISION.

To : Chief Liaison Officer

Re: the attached request

1. Prof. Giuseppe Iubo is in charge of the Observatory on Vesuvius.
2. Most of the Observatory is occupied by the Ninth Weather Region HQ and the professor has been left with only one room.
3. The Professor has been most helpful in assisting the Info Div to select and remove from the Observatory library what material which it is thought might, be of value to the war effort and fulfill a request received indirectly from Washington.
4. It is understood that the Professor's radio set was requisitioned by an Officer and put in a nearby cafe. - such action is not understood and the professor is very disturbed on this account.
5. Can anything done in this matter?

/s/ F. P. G.  
/t/ F. P. GIBBETT  
Capt S Innis D.G  
Deputy Director  
Information Division

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C O P Y

Minimum requests for operation of only the seismographic apparatus  
 of the Vesuvian Observatory.

Under present conditions, the Observatory cannot carry on any work. We would, therefore, have a void during a most critical period in the Vesuvian eruptive activity, that is in a period near a certain violent eruption, ensuing the eruptive period begun in July 1913. To follow the events of the Colosno during that phase, incorporates the very highest interest not only from a scientific point of view (never up to now has it been possible to follow with continuity the life of the volcano either through direct observation or through registration on the various apparatus in operation at the Observatory, or through observation of various characteristics suggested by circumstances and events), but also from a practical point of view, in relation therefore to the possibility of prediction of the paroxysm phases. Even to limit observations to seismology, makes attendance in the Observatory indispensable, the most continuous possible, of one of the scientific personnel who obviously cannot stay in the same room where the seismographical instruments are located, while there can never be a profitable recording without effective supervision.

It is therefore requested that for operation of only the seismographic apparatus, the Observatory be authorized at least another room which for instance might be the adjoining one to the one where the seismographic apparatus is set up, and left at the disposal of the Observatory.

The selection of this room would also present the advantage of sun observations and therefore other important observations could be carried on, among which those already in progress on absorption of solar radiation by vesuvian fume.

Furthermore, it is vital that, always for the operation of the seismographic functions (and for the carrying on of any activity) and specifically for clock control (knowledge of the exact time is indeed a basic element for analysis of seismograms), the requisitioned radio apparatus be returned to the Observatory, or at least that for short wave medium wave (the main transmissions are carried on short wave), be. Incidentally, I was assured by the officer who carried out the requisition.

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Prof. Giuseppe Imbo

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

X/2.33  
14 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Horses for Vaccine Production.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region 3.  
(Attn: Regional Agricultural Officer)

1. Memorandum of 12 April 1944 and attached request from Stazione Sperimentale Zooprofilattica del Mezzogiorno, for horses for vaccine production, has been received.

2. Under current directives, Industry & Commerce sub-Commission is the agency through which all civilian supplies and equipment must be obtained. The memorandum has therefore been forwarded to that sub-commission, attention Lt. Col. Fred W. Reiter.

3. This office will, if called upon, assist Industry & Commerce to obtain the desired animals through the proper procurement channels.

*Jeff*  
ALFRED C. BOYD  
Lt. Col.  
Chief, Liaison Division.

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

SUBJECT: Horses for Vaccine Production. 12 April 1944

TO : Colonel Bowman,  
Liaison Officer,  
P.B.S.

I attach request for 20 horses to be used for vaccine production by the Stazione Sperimentale Zooprofilattica del Mezzogiorno, and I believe it might be possible to obtain these from the American Army.

This Experimental Station is a National concern and is the only one at present in existence in occupied Italy, consequently they are having increased demands on their products. If animal disease should break out and increase through lack of vaccines it will have very serious effects on the already depleted stocks of livestock in the country.

I would be much obliged if you would take this matter up with the proper authorities.

/s/ T.O.S. White  
/t/ T.O.S. WHITE,  
Major,  
R.R.C.  
Regional Agricultural Officer.

1st Ind. ACB/esh  
Liaison Division, R.C. & M.O. Sect, ACC. 13 April 1944

TO: Industry & Commerce Sub-Commission, A.C.C.  
(Attn: Lt. Col. F.M. Reiter)

A matter pertaining to your sub-commission.

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*On file*  
ALFRED C. BOWMAN  
Lt. Col.  
Chief, Liaison Division.

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C O P Y

R. Istituto d'Incoraggiamento di Napoli

STAZIONE Sperimentale ZOOPROFILATTICA DEL MEZZOGIORNO  
"Nicola Miraglia"

Via Salute -- Portici (Napoli) -- Telefono 55383

Prot. n. 220

OGGETTO

Portici, 11 Aprile 1944.

Cavalli sieroproduttori.

Maggiore WHITE

Sezione Agricoltura

cell' A.M.G.

VALORI

Dovendo intensificare la preparazione dei prodotti immunizzanti (sieri e vaccini) per potere fronteggiare le numerose richieste che ci pervengono dalle regioni liberate, è necessario aumentare di molto il numero di cavalli sieroproduttori.

Le sarebbe pertanto molto grata se, in conformità degli accordi stabiliti col Maggiore Kennedy, Ella vorrà provvedere a farci fornire, possibilmente al più presto, una ventina di cavalli dalle Forze Alienate.

Con i ringraziamenti anticipati e con la massima osservanza

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IL DIRETTORE

(prof. Carlo Cerruti)

/s/ Carlo Cerruti. 15

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

UNOFFICIAL

12 April 1944

SUBJECT: Letter from Parochial Church of Cardito.

TO : Captain John V. Lummus.

1. A visit to Cardito, followed by an interview with Commandant de Fournel, in charge of the French troops in Cardito, produced negative results.

2. The following comments are offered:

a. Commandant de Fournel, maintains that he is as fervent a Catholic as the Parish Priest of Cardito, that the Tricolour of France has never been considered sacrilegious, and that it must stay where it is.

b. The entry and exit of Italian worshippers to the Church is in no way affected by the guard post referred to.

c. Commandant de Fournel flatly refutes the allegation that "threats and blows" have been administered. Very severe disciplinary action would be taken should any such incidents occur.

d. The references made to the Atlantic Charter appear slightly out of place when studied in relation to the trivial nature of the complaints.

e. It is suggested that the parish Priest of Cardito be orally advised:

(1) That it has not been found possible to remedy the state of affairs to which he takes exception;

(2) That the matter can only be remedied by a speedy termination of the war; and

(3) That the cooperation of the Church in refraining from complaints of a comparatively trivial nature, would contribute materially to this end.

*Answered 523*

C. P. MURCHIE, Major  
Deputy Chief Liaison Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION  
APO 394

13002/P

4 April 1944.

SUBJECT: AM Lime Storage vaults - Royal Palace, Naples.

TO : Executive Officer,  
Economic Section.

1. The attached letter in connection with additional safeguards for the currency stored at the Royal Palace, Naples, is self-explanatory.
2. If you are in agreement will you please send it on to Lieutenant General Mason MacFarlane for signature.

*E.W. Foley Jr.*  
Colonel,  
Joint Director,  
Finance Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION  
APO 394

13002/P

3 April 1944.

SUBJECT: AM Lire Storage vaults - Royal Palace, Naples.

TO : Commanding General,  
Peninsular Base Section.

1. The Allied Financial Agency of the Allied Control Commission has stored several billion lire in AM currency in vaults in the Royal Palace, Naples. No other storage space is available.
2. From this and other AFA currency stockpiles, funds are made available to finance officers and paymasters of the Allied forces in Italy for the pay of officers and men. The protection of such stockpiles from fire, theft, and riots is vital.
3. We have just received a visit from a Finance Mission sent over from Washington. The members of the mission were critical of the manner in which the currency stores were guarded. Substantial additional amounts of currency are enroute and most of this money will be stored in the Royal Palace, Naples.
4. The manager of the AFA branch in Naples has been instructed to strengthen the security of the Palace vaults as follows:
  - " You are instructed to secure guards for your "Palace" storage vault in sufficient number to ensure that the vault will be securely guarded at all times. A guard must be maintained on both front and rear of these vaults at all hours of the day and night in sufficient number, and with communication to large troop units by phone, signal, or radio, so that a mob, a gang or a riot would not endanger the large amounts of currency stored there.
  - The rear barred windows should be bricked up to prevent the ingress of incendiary matter, and fireproof doors with double lock protection should be installed on the front side. "
5. I should appreciate it if you would give instructions to the appropriate sections under your command that the requests of AFA for additional guards and the indicated construction work be given prompt attention.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,  
Lieutenant-General,  
Chief Commissioner.

ENP/rad

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HEADQUARTERS  
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
 APO 394  
 Public Relations Branch

2 April 1946

SUBJECT: PIAZZA DANTE BATHS

TO : Lt.-Col. A. C. BOWMAN

*Charles Taylor*  
 1. There is a section in the Public Baths just off Piazza Dante which, until recently, bore a sign "RESERVED FOR OFFICERS". There are half a dozen tubs in the section. It is the only place I know of in Naples where British officers could get a hot bath without having to wait for long periods.

2. Even while the sign was still up, the owners began ~~the~~ practice of admitting British Other Ranks and American enlisted men and it was often necessary to wait 15 or 20 minutes to get a bath. Now the sign has been taken down and that section is a free-for-all admitting even coloured American troops.

3. This afternoon the place was crowded with at least a dozen waiting Other Ranks who had been sold tickets and I was informed I might get in if I came back in half an hour.

4. Has P.B.S. any control over these baths? If so, could consideration be given to restoring the restriction on that section and enforcing it?

5. American personnel are generously provided with bath facilities reserved exclusively to them. We are, at best, pretty much out in the cold.

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P.B.S. do not control

*M. Howell*

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16. Cannot enforce ruling - brings up question of personnel. We, the British, may enforce if we wish - let the same personnel pursue will assist in connection with enforcement

P.B.S. in process of collaborating with British + French for purpose of subsequent pamphlet for all

*Tilly*

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TABLE 3. ALLIED COUNTRY. GROWTHS

NOTE ETHERY 1

47. The following statement is made by Mr. J. H. Parker, owner of the "Parker's Hotel,"  
and is copied from his letter to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue:

THE PAPER OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE

LAWRENCE, KANSAS, MAY 1, 1900.  
TESTIMONY OF JAMES C. COOPER  
OF THE CITY OF LAWRENCE,  
KANSAS, TO THE POINTS  
IN THE PETITION FOR  
THE RELEASING OF THE  
DRAFTSMAN, JOHN D. COOPER.

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To : Major, General Patrol, D.M.C.  
Commanding General, Metropolitan Area  
TDCU : P.D.S. Mission Officer - ABC Headquarters

1. Year in which or 21 March 1961, according to the public in the office of the Director, State Supply & Services Bureau, Bureau of Materials and Supplies, Division of Materiel, which was renamed to the Supply Department, Bureau of Materiel, in 1962.
2. Name works have performed the same pursuant to the original contract.

Contract relative  
to, dated 20th  
September 1961

Letter from Captain, A.C.C.  
To: Major, General, D.M.C., Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii, U.S.A.

Basic communication noted and passed on to you for information.

C. T. Murphy, Major  
Director Office, Division Director.

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

2 April 1944.

SUBJECT: Cable Repairs; Rations for Workmen.

TO : H.Q.R. P.B.S. Mr. MOYER Exec. Signal Off.

The accompanying letter from Headquarters, Region 3,  
is passed to you for action.

C. P. MURCHIE, Major  
for  
Chief of Liaison Division.

Ref: attached. P.B.S. acted  
in view of para 9. with  
reference to Para 8 - rations  
referred to should be carried  
of Region III Area. b18  
Col Hussey advised and agrees.  
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HEADQUARTERS  
REGION 3, ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
APO 394, U.S.Army

25 March 1944

SUBJECT: REPAIRS TO NAPLES - GALLILEO FERRARIS  
TELEGRAPH CABLES. RATIONS FOR WORKMAN

TO : EXECUTIVE OFFICER, HQ ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
(for transmission through Liaison Officer to PBS)

1. A letter of 22 Jan.44 File X/21 - to Signal Officer A.M.G. - and C.S.O. A.C.C. authorized the rehabilitation of two under ground cables between the Naples Post Office Bldg. and Gallileo Ferraris (at the east edge of Naples).
2. The work consists of repairing or replacing sections damaged by earlier military operations in 6 or 7 places effecting each cable.
3. The work authorized has not been started. It would be highly desirable to complete the work at an early date in order to provide wire paths for state telegraph service for civilian purposes to connect with networks already working in other portions of southern Italy.
4. Work is in progress to provide some limited wire paths between Salerno and Naples for which the cables referred to will be used for entrance to Naples state Telegraph equipment.
5. After the cables are repaired, some portions or even all of them, may be used for military purposes.
6. The Circolo Constructors Co. who do this type of work for the State Telegraph system have the needed material at hand but not the specialist needed for cable splicing.
7. A cable splicer specialist is available in Caserta but would require transport to and from Caserta - Naples daily, or rations for sustenance while working in Naples.
8. Will you please request that P.B.S. signals wire Officer arrange for provision of army rations for one specialist employee (cable splicer) on basis of Military ~~desirability~~ ability of completing the cable repairs for future possible Military use of the cables.

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9. Also please inform the P.B.S. Signals Wire Officer that Region III Telecommunications Officer - Capt. Bridgeman had the said cables checked out and is informed, that the two cables are not in use in any portion of the route and that each cable contains 50 pairs, unquadded and unloaded.

10. In order to coordinate with other parts of telegraph service restoral, early action will be appreciated.

*Lester J. Hensley*  
LESTER J. HENSLEY  
Lt. Col. C.E.  
Regional C. & U. Officer  
Region 3

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

26 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Division of Responsibility - Education.

TO : Deputy Executive Commissioner.

1. The attached proposed policy directive is of interest to this division as a potential aid in controlling contacts between the Education Sub-Commission, Education officers of Region III, P.B.S., and other commands with whom we maintain liaison. Attention is particularly directed to Item 3 of the list of Responsibilities of Regional Education Officers.

2. There has been a pronounced inclination on the part of certain officers of the Education Sub-Commission to insist that all matters of whatever nature affecting the universities should be reserved to the sub-commission. This has resulted in duplication of effort and contacts which it has been impossible to explain in any logical fashion to our "lissisees".

3. This division has resisted the cited tendency as being contrary to the general rule relating to allocation of functions between levels, but a definitive statement such as that contained in the proposed directive would strengthen our position materially.

4. The director of the sub-commission informs us that the original copy of the proposed directive has been in the hands of the Executive Commissioner for some time.

5. Can you assist in expediting final disposition?

ALFRED C. BOWMAN  
 Lieutenant Colonel  
 Chief, Liaison Division

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
Education Subcommission  
Policy Directive N.I.

DIVISION OF RESPONSIBILITY

Education Subcommission and Regional Education Officers

The following division of responsibility between the Education Sub-Commission ACC, AMG and Regional Education Officers, applies to all regions while they are under Allied Military Government. It also indicates the general lines of responsibility for advice and assistance to be given to Italian officials in territory under the Italian Government and ACC.

Responsibilities of the Education Sub-Commission will include the following:

1. Establishment of general policies, applicable to more than one region, in regard to:
  - a. Conditions of appointment or approval of all school personnel.
  - b. Conditions under which schools and universities may be opened or closed.
  - c. Matters of school progress, text books, and organization.
2. Any alterations in the existing types of schools.
3. Production, approval or disapproval of all text books or parts thereof.
4. Appointment and approval, in all universities and institutions of university rank, of:
  - a. Rectors and heads;
  - b. Presidents of faculties;
  - c. Titular professors, all members of the senate academic, and personnel of equivalent rank.
5. Establishment and abolition of charters in universities and other institutions of similar rank.

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2. Any alterations in the existing types of schools.
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  - b. Presidents of faculties;
  - c. Titular professors, all members of the senate, academic council, and personnel of a university rank.
5. Establishment and abolition of entire in universities and other institutions of similar rank.

Responsibilities of Regional Education Officers will include the following:

1. Approval and appointment of all provosts, inspectors, directors, teachers and other personnel for schools below university rank, subject only to the policies as to conditions affecting appointment.

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2. Approval and appointment of all personnel for universities and institutions of University rank, except:
  - a. Rectors or heads of such institutions;
  - b. Presidents of faculties;

- c. Titular, professors, members of the senatus academico-Hq., and persons of corresponding rank subject only to Hq. policies as to conditions affecting such appointments.
- 3. All local provincial or regional administrative matters connected with universities, and other higher institutions, elementary and secondary schools, kindergartens, and general framework of headquarter's education programs, within the general framework of headquarters policies.
- 4. All arrangements for covering "ordinary" expenses of educational institutions, heretofore paid on a provincial level.
- 5. All arrangements for covering "extraordinary" expenses for repair of bombed or damaged buildings, etc. subject to approval of this plan by the CGO.
- 6. The opening of state and church schools, under general policies of HQ.
- 7. The opening of establishments of new state or church schools subject only to conformity with HQ. policies.
- 8. Determination of date<sup>o</sup> opening and closing schools, (HQ to be kept informed)
- 9. Same for opening and closing of universities (names to be added).

By order of Brigadier LUSH:

/t/ R. V. SMITH  
Lt. Col., AUS  
Director Education SubCommission

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TO:- FLAMBO  
FROM:- FREEDOM

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SECRET. UNDERSTAND THERE IS "DELAY" IN ACQUISING 6 VILLAS CASTELAMARE -----  
SELECTED LT COL REGIS FOR ACCOMODATION DELEGATIONS OF UNITED NATIONS  
TO ADVISORY COUNCIL. YOUR IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE REQUESTED IN SECURING  
THESE OR SIMILAR SUITABLE ACCOMODATION AND PROMPT REPORT PRESENT STATUS  
DESIRED. IF NECESSARY WILL DESPATCH REGIS TO ASSIST. PROVISION WILL BE  
MADE FOR LOCAL PURCHASE THROUGH ACC/ANG OR ARMY CHANNELS AS YOU MAY  
DETERMINE FOR PURPOSE OF MAKING UP ANY DEFICIENCIES IN HOUSEHOLD EQUIP-  
MENT OR OTHER EQUIPMENT OBTAINABLE LOCALLY. RATIONS. LT COL REGIS WILL  
INFORM YOU WHAT QUANTITIES OF BRITISH AND UNITED STATES RATIONS HE  
REQUIRES ON A 50 - 50 BASIS OF 1 RATION PER HEAD TO BE ISSUED BY YOU ON  
REPAYMENT. PX/EFI SUPPLIES, OFFICERS SHOP AND AMERICAN EQUIVALENT. THESE  
ARE NOT AVAILABLE EXCEPT TO BRITISH AND AMERICAN PERSONNEL UNDER EXISTING  
RULINGS. TRANSPORT. BRITISH ARE SHIPPING YOU 5 STAFF CARS AND 1 UTILITY  
FOR POOL USE. ALL OTHER LOAD - CARRYING TRANSPORT REQUIREMENTS OF THESE  
DELEGATIONS WILL BE MET FROM POOL OF LOCAL TRANSPORT AS NECESSARY. 5 US  
SEDANS ARE BEING REQUISITIONED THIS DATE FROM UNITED STATES. IN  
MEANTIME PBS SHOULD MAKE BEST ARRANGEMENTS POSSIBLE TO MEET US SHARE  
OF TOTAL COMMITMENT. BRITISH MOTOR TRANSPORT ALLOTTED FOR THIS PURPOSE  
WILL BE SUBJECT TO NORMAL ARMY MAINTENANCE RULES IT BEING FOR ACC/ANG  
TO ALLOT NAMED DRIVERS TO THE CARS SO THAT THE UNIT TO WHICH THEY ARE  
AFFILIATED FOR MAINTENANCE MAY KEEP ADEQUATE RECORDS

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ALH/rjs  
8 March 1944

SUBJECT: Supplies and Equipment for Advisory Council.

TO : Commanding General, Peninsular Base Section.

1. In conformity with instructions contained in Secret Radio 60560 AFHQ, it is desired that all articles of fuel, light and rations, including sanitary supplies, shall be furnished by PRS to the Membership of the Advisory Council for Italy. British affected Services are being directed to furnish all domestic labor.
2. The liaison representative of the Advisory Council for Italy is being directed to report direct to you to make mutually agreeable arrangements for the drawing and distribution of the items to be furnished by you.
3. Your attention is invited to the reference radio as to method of accounting for supplies, equipment and services furnished the Council.

A. L. HAMBLEN  
Brigadier General, U. S. A.  
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SUPPLIES FOR  
ADVISORY COUNCIL

HEADQUARTERS PENINSULAR BASE SECTION

6 MARCH 1944

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ROUTINE

TO (ACTION) : FLAMBO  
(INFORMATION) : CG PBS, CG SOS NATOUS  
FROM : SIGNED CINC  
DATE TIME SIGNED : 051919A  
DATE TIME REC'D : 060517A  
REF NR : 60560  
CITE : FHSUP

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THE ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR ITALY ESTABLISHED BY THE MOSCOW CONFERENCE TO BE LOCATED IN NAPLES WILL REQUIRE CERTAIN NEEDS WHICH MAY BE SUPPLIED BY THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN ON AN EQUITABLE BASIS. AS AN INTERIM MEASURE AND UNTIL DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS ARE PUBLISHED BY THIS HEADQUARTERS, REQUEST FOR ESSENTIAL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT WILL BE REFERRED TO FLAMBO. THAT HEADQUARTERS UPON RECEIPT OF SUCH REQUESTS WILL PLACE NECESSARY AND ESSENTIAL DEMANDS ON AN EQUITABLE BASIS TO THE COMMANDING GENERAL PBS AND BRITISH SUPPLY SERVICES, ACMF. COST OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT DELIVERED WILL BE CHARGED TO A SUSPENSE ACCOUNT, IF REPAYMENT FOR SUCH NOT MADE, UNTIL CHARGING UP IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIRECTIONS WHICH MAY BE RECEIVED FROM LONDON AND WASHINGTON CAN BE MADE.

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