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# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 304481 */C.A. Allegati* ____ *Roma,* 13 novembre 1944

*Risposta al foglio* ____ *Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N°* ____

*OGGETTO:* Ufficiali per la 1004ª Compagnia Autieri.

Ufficiali per la 1004 GT Aut

*Al* LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

R O M A

AQ/11

13/11

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 24 ottobre.

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A seguito comunicazione ufficiosa.

Con dispaccio del 4 novembre è stata disposta l'assegnazione alla 1004ª compagnia autieri dei sottonotati ufficiali

Tenente DEL BALZO Luigi

Sottotenente D'AGUINO Edoardo

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Sottotenente VACCA' Armando

in sostituzione dei sottotenenti Maissani, Chieppa e Sblendorio.

See folio 836/2 & 8 aprile

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d'ordine

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

Ref. AQ/11 dated 26th Oct. 44.
Further to unofficial information
with regard dated 4th Nov. the assignment of the ufficiali 1004 C.T. has been ordered

Ten. DEL BALZO LUIGI
S/Ten D'AGUINO EDOARDO
S/T. VACCA' ARMANDO

3 Dist unit 10/Nov
See folio 189

PA 15/11

to replace:- S/T. MAISSANI
" CHIEPPA
SBLENDORIO

replaced by Ten TOMINELLI
per 836/2

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From:- M of W
To:- Dn m/B

Ref:- 004277/04 799
Date:- 13th Nov 44

Subject:- Maggs. Matone R- 1004 G.T. Reg.

AQ/11

Ref. AQ/n/ dated 28th Oct 44 — 744
With signal dated 9th Nov, it was ordered that Maggs. Matoni Rolando be substituted by Maggs. La Valle Guido at 1004 Driver Reg.

Chief of Cabinet.

Lyt Roberts

HQ I Dist
rec'd.
DA
15/11

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# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 30k247 */C.A. Allegati* ____

*Risposta al f° del* ____

*Roma,* 13 novembre 1944

*Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N°* ____

*OGGETTO:* Maggiore Maturi Rolando-1004ª compagnia autieri.

Mag Maturi R. of 1004 GT Coy

*Al* LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION-A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

ROMA

AQ

13/11

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 28 ottobre.

Con dispaccio in data 8 novembfe è stata disposta la sostituzione presso la 1004ª Compagnia Autieri del Maggiore Maturi Rolando con il pari grado La Polla Giulio.

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Al LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION-A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

ROMA

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IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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Translation

7948/2

From SMRE

To MMIA

Ref. 12904/SP/11

Date Nov. 12, 1944

Subject Lgt FRASCA ANTONIO

A9/11

Ref. A9/11 dated 24/9/44 - 530/25th Jacket.

In answer to letter no. 11743/1 dated August 30 - NIL

On May 3, the Lt. Hq. 212 repeated that Lgt FRASCA Antonio had not yet returned to his unit.

In order to define the position of the N.C.O. please let us know the date he will be released by the Economic Section of A.C

Lgt. Gen SANNI

Cpl. R.

See also Folio 730/1

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STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO
UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

P. M. 151, 12 novembre 944

Al LA M.M.I.A. ROMA
(rif.f. AQ/11 del 24.8.1944
e,per conoscenza :
AL COMANDO ITALIANO 212
(rif.f.05/3278 del P.M. 181 3.11.)

N° 12909 / SP. /1 di prot.
Allegati N.

OGGETTO: Sergente FRASCA Antonio -

Si fa seguito al foglio n° 11343/1 in data 30 agosto.

Il comando Italiano 212,in data 3 novembre, comunica che il sergente FRASCA Antonio non ha ancora fatto ritorno al corpo.

Per regolare la posizione del sottufficiale,pregasi comunicare la data sotto la quale sarà messo in libertà dalla Sezione Economica dell'A.C..

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
(Alessandro Santi)

P. C. C.
IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO
( A. Calaresu )

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Tel.Ext. 412.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394.

REFERENCE: G-1B/610/I. 12 Nov 44.

SUBJECT: Ten. GRECHI. Domenico

TO: Director, Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMLA).

721

Reference this HQ letter G-1B/606/12/I dated 19 Oct 44.

1. The attached report on the above named Italian officer is forwarded for your information.

2. May arrangements please be made for this officer to be withdrawn, and for a suitable officer to be posted in his place.

BY COMMAND OF COMMODORE STONE.

Done
See AG.40 Log 11 NOV
2/Lt San Martano posted

R.H. Farren

R.H.FARREN.
Colonel,
Executive Officer.

RB.

Copy to RC Venezia Region.

Reported to HQ 14/11
Ltr AG/40 14/11 with
Capt Parrino 2/Lt San Martano posted
on the 11 1693/11
See Folio 61/Corr/Cont

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SECRET

SUBJECT: Italian Army Personnel - Documentation

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/11
12 November 1944

TO: O.C 16 L. of C. Signals
C. M. F.

782/11

Ref. your 5179/7324 of 7 Nov. 44.

1. The local Italian Adm. H.Q. in the case of your unit will be H.Q. 209 Division; it is suggested that the easiest method of dispatch will be through the Italian Liaison Officer to H.Q. No. 1 District.

F.J. NOAKES, Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

SPA/ri
Copy to: MMIA LO No. 1 District

1693

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel and Officers.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/11
12 November 1944

TO: O.C. Br. Cadre R.A.S.C.
1004 (1) GT Coy.
C. M. F.

2/Lt. NATY V.C.O. — 771/1

Ref. your 1004/15/2 of 3 Nov. 44.

1. It is regretted that the above named officer is not at present available for posting to the unit under your command, he is required to remain with the S.M.R.E. for the time being.

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Col DA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/r1

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SUBJECT: Italian Officers.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/11
12 November 1944

TO: Ministry of War

Capt. Dell'Aquila G.
1004 (I) GT Coy.

1. Attached is a copy of letter received from O.C. Br. Cadre 1004 (I) G.T Coy.

2. You are required to order Capt. Dell'Aquilla to report back to his unit forthwith, and also to take disciplinary action as follows:

(a) Against Capt. Dell'Aquilla either for not returning to his unit at the proper time, or if extention of leave was granted by Bari Mil. H.Q., for having obtained extention of leave knowing that this had been refused by his Allied Commander.

(b) Against O.C. Bari Mil. H.Q. if it is proved that extention of leave was granted without reference to Capt. Dell'Aquilla's Allied Commander.

3. This H.Q. will be informed of the action taken.

F.J. Noakes. 1693

F.J. NOAKES, Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

SPA/ri
Copy to: O.C. Br. Cadre (your 1004/15/2 of 3 Nov. refers)
R.A.S.C.
1004 Coy. Italian Gen Tpt.
C. M. F.

See folio 77 1/2
+ 803 & 804 attached
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COPY

SUBJECT: Officer Personnel Ref: 1004/15/2

M.M.I.A.
ROME

Capt. Dell'Aquila, G. (Italian Army)

Above named officer was given two weeks leave on compassionate grounds occasioned by the death of his father. He was due to return to the unit on 23 Oct 44.

Whilst away he asked the Italian Coy Commander for an extension of leave but this was refused because of the imminent move of the unit.

It is thought possible that permission for an extension may have been granted by Italian Military HQ, Bari.

May action please be taken for the return of this officer to the unit.

He was employed on administrative duties and his absence is most unsatisfactory.

Alternatively it is requested that another officer with sound adminstrative experience be posted to the unit as soon as possible.

Major RASC
Cmdg British Cadre RASC
1004 Coy (Italian Gen Tpt)

C.M.F.
3 Nov 44
WSL/CF

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SUBJECT: Documentation - Italian Military Personnel

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/11
12 November 1944

TO: O.C. No. 4 (Br) CRU CMF

742

Ref your 4CRU/27/533 of 27 Oct /44

1. The documentation of Italian Personnel attached to Br Units falls into two categories according to the Status of the Soldier himself.

2. These two categories are

(a) Soldiers of the Italian Army i.e. on the effective Strength of the present Army.
(b) Men of the pre-Armistice Italian Army, who were taken Prisoners of War, and have accepted the Status of Co-operator whilst remaining P.sW.

3. The documentation of the category at (a) above is done through Italian Channels (the local Ital Adm Hq) to the Ministry of War.

4. The documentation of category (b) above is done through O2E as the men concerned are still P.sW.

5. The AFsW 3012A forwarded to you by this Hq on 23 Oct received from O2E, were not required by this Hq as no records are kept of Italian Military Personnel.

6. It is suggested that the queries raised in your above quoted letter might be raised again with O2F, who may not have been aware of the significance of your Field Returns, i.e. that they refer to Italian Soldiers forming part of a diluted unit in the Field. 169

F. J. NOAKES, Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

SPA/le

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SUBJECT: Italian Officer Co-operators

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/11
12 November 1944

TO: Naval Sub Comm. A.C.
Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub Comm. A.C.

1. Ref the attached copy of O2E letter dated 21 Sep /44, will you please make enquiries concerning the officers listed, and advise GHQ 2nd Echelon of the result of your enquiries.

2. This Hq has requested the Ministry of War to forward any available information in respect of the 6 ex Army Officers, but unless they have rejoined the Colours it is not anticipated that the Ministry will have any information as to their present locations.

SPA/le

S. P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Col. DA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: GHQ 2nd Echelon C.F
(Your O2E/O(RAF)IT/12/198 of 21 Sept refers)

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Lai Falio 899/39 922

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COPY

O2E/O(R&E)IT/12/198

To:-Military Mission to the Italian Army 21 Sept 44.-

Subject: Italian Officers-co-operators

A nominal roll submitted by O.C. No. 6 Italian Administrative H.Q. shows the following lists of names of Italian Officers embarked at Porto Said on 6th Sept 44 and disembarked at Taranto on 15th Sept 44:-

ITALIAN NAVY

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 116584 | 2/Lt. | ANTEI | A. | 17672 | 2/Lt. | PERUCCA | B. |
| 240270 | Comm. | BASOLE | G. | 136511 | Comm. | PUGLIESE | S. |
| 17803 | Comm. | BRENGOLA | S. | 323401 | Lt/Ord. | TRALLORI | A. |
| 240334 | Lt/Odr. | CALDERARO | S. | | | | |
| 5 | Lt. | DE BERNARDO | V. | | | | |
| 8 | Lt. | FERRARI | M. | | | | |
| 19683 | Lt/Odr. | LANZA | E. | | | | |
| 11521 | Lt. | MOTABARTOLO DI VILLAROSA | P. | | | | |

ITALIAN ARMY

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 240066 | Capt. | NAPOSSO | G. |
| 240692 | Major | CUOZZO | G. |
| 240051 | 2/Lt. | DE BENEDICTIS | A. |
| 240020 | Lt.Col. | DI DALO | A. |
| 24001 | Capt. | GALPERTI | L. |
| 13850 | Major | SCIARRETTA | U. |

If these officers are co-operators, it would be appreciated if any information as to their destination could be supplied to this Headquarters.-

In the Field
CT/EG

Sgd (A.R.WATERHOUSE)
Brigadier
D.A.G.
G.H.Q.2nd Echelon CMF.

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SUBJECT: Italian Officer Co-operators

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/11
2 November 1944

TO: GHQ 2nd Echelon CMF

767/1

Ref your O2E/O(R&E)IT/6/262 of 3 Nov /44

1. It is regretted that your letter O2E/O(R&E)IT/12/198 of 21 Sept was not received prior to copy forwarded with your above quoted letter.

2. The Ministry of War has been asked whether they have any record of the 6 Army Officers listed in your letter, and you will be informed of their reply.

3. Copies of your letter have been forwarded to Naval Sub Comm and Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub Comm for action as shown in attached copy letter.

S. P. Archer Capt.

S. P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Col. DA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/le

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Tel. Ext. 412

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
G-1 (B)

MMIA FILE REF Date Rec'd 12 11 44

REFERENCE : G-1B/610/I

11 November 1944

SUBJECT : Ten. DE MEIS Vittorio

TO : Director, Land Forces Sub Commission (MMIA)

1. The attached report on the above named Italian Officer is forwarded for your information.

2. May arrangements please be made for this officer to be withdrawn, and for a suitable officer to be posted in his place.

BY COMMAND OF COMMODORE STONE

R.H. FARREN,
Colonel,
Executive Officer.

/pc.

See folios 8016 & 8017 & 8037

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C O P Y

TO : H.Q. A.C. (HQ Commandant)

FROM : H.Q. A.M.G/AC Abruzzi Marche Region

SUBJECT : 2006 G.D. Platoon

REF : R5/501/31

DATE : 6 November 1944.

It is considered that a change in Command of 2006 Italian G.D. Platoon, attached for duty to this Region, would be of benefit of this H.Q., and to the Italian Soldiers.

Lt De Meis is, in my opinion, unsuitably employed in that he is not sufficiently interested in his men to consider their wellbeing of importance.

He appears to seek every opportunity to absent himself from H.Q. on extended visits to Naples and Rome, claiming that these trips are necessary. This may be so. I have not sufficient knowledge of the Italian Army organisation to decide, but his lengthy visits cannot be entirely taken up with military matters.

He has also formed certain interests in this town which take up most of his time when he is here, and for this reason I consider that he should be moved to another location.

I have had cause to complain on more than one occasion of his action in running about the country with female civilians in his car, and the discipline of the platoon would be much improved if an officer with a strong character were in charge.

The men, I find, work well and are very appreciative of any interest shown by my officers.

It would be appreciated if this change can be effected.

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER.

Sgd. J.D. SCHOLTZ,
Lieut,Colonel,
Executive Officer.

/pc.

Copy to HQ AC (G-1 (B))

VE/vc

# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

Prot. N° 204391/08 Allegati

Roma, P.M. 151 11 novembre 944

Risposta al f/del AQ/11 del 26 settembre. Div. Sez. N°

OGGETTO: Capitano GAMBONI Edoardo

Scott A.

Al LA M.M.I.A. ROMA

AG
12 11

Il Capitano GAMBONI é stato sostituito con dispaccio del 10 ottobre con il Sottotenente QUINTAVALLE Virgilio e collocato in congedo.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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Al LA M.M.I.A. — ROMA

AG
12 11

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d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

Ref. AG/11 dated 26 Sept. 44 — 644 6th Armd Div
Capt. GAMBONI has been replaced by
S/T. QUINTAVALLE Virgilio, by signal dated 10th Oct, 165
and discharged from the army.

Referred-Brit Emb
14/11
in fol.

S/T. FOWLER

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel - Officers 1004 (I) G.T. Coy

Land Forces Sub Com. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
AQ/11
10 Nov 44

TO : H.Q. 3 District (2)

Further to AQ/11 of 24 October 44. — 7354

1. Information has now been received that 2/Lts CHIERA, MAIZZANI, and SBLENDORIO, of the above named unit have been replaced by Lt. DEL BALZE and 2/Lts VACCA and D'AQUINE.

2. If these postings have not been implemented within a reasonable time please advise this H.Q. when hastening action will be taken.

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F.J. NOAKES Col.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/cgl

See Yorke 804/2 & Enclos

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STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO

UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

P.M. 151, li 8 novembre 1944

Al la M. M. I. A.

LAND FORCES

SUB-COMMISSION A. C.

N° 11543 / SP. di prot.

Allegati N. .....

M.M.A.I. A.Q. 11
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OGGETTO: personale italiano alle dipendenze dell'ufficiale di collegamento M.M.I.A. di Napoli.-

Si comunica che in data odierna sono state date disposizioni al Comando Militare della Campania, perchè il personale di cui al foglio A.Q./11 del 2 corr., sia lasciato a disposizione dell'ufficiale di collegamento della M.M.I.A. di Napoli.-

IL GENERALE ADDETTO

(Alessandro Santi)

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Land Forces Sub Com. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
AQ/11
19 Nov 44

TO : MMIA. LO FIFTH Army

2/Lt FUOCO Renato

Ref H.Q. 5th Army G-2 Section letter No. 1018 of 16 October 44 forwarded by you 19 October '44. — 719

1. The Ministry of War has informed this H.Q. that the above named officer was known to have been in MILAN on 8th September 1943.

2. He is not known to be in the present army and it is regretted that no further information is available. 1680

S.P.A./ogl

S.P. ARCHER Capt.
for Col. DA. & QMG
M.M.I.A.

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RAOC TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT
Tel Pontecagnano 23 and 41
Ref TE/101
Date 9. Nov 44

Subject: Documentation. -
Italian Co-operators

To: Land Forces Sub-Comm, AC,
(MMIA),
ROME.

Copy to: GHQ 2nd Echelon (enclosed AF3012A ref TE/IT/6 refers).

NA/T 167 S/Ten. ALDANESE, E.

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|---|---|
| MMIA | AQ2 |
| File Ref | 1/1 |
| Date Recd | 14/11 |

Ref your AQ/11 dated 6 Nov 44.

1. The a/n officer is an Italian Co-operator.

2. The casualty notifying his absence was forwarded to O2E in the normal manner, and the reason for it being re-directed to you is not understood.

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In the Field

Lt. Col.
Comd.
(J.H. SCOTT)

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- Foli 90 ROME.

HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U. S. ARMY

R/2152

9 November 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel LUCERA

TO : M. M. I. A.

1. Reference the attached letter from Zone Commissioner, Foggia Zone, may we please have your reaction at an early date.

For the Regional Commissioner:

GUY I. WARREN
Lt. Col. Sp. Res. AUS
Executive Officer

Incl.

1 letter

GIW/jjf

Rpl Communications SC (Brindisi) ordered to advise action Taken

13/11

See folios 902+904 & attached

Maj. Trew (478763).

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Ref:- FP/1103.

31 Oct 44.

Ex O —

SUBJECT:- A.C.C.O's. Office, LUCERA.

TO:- HQ ACC SOUTHERN REGION.

FROM:- A.C.C. FOGGIA ZONE.

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1. May the attention of M.M.I.A. please be drawn to the excessive number of Italian Military personnel allotted to the A.C.C.O's. Office in LUCERA :-

1 Major,
1 Captain,
1 Lieut.
3 2/Lieuts.
1 W.O.

2. The average volume of Military mail is 500-600 letters per day.

3. An Examiner can normally read 100-120 letters per day, which means that 80% - 100% examination of Military Mail is being carried out instead of approx. 10% for civil mail.

Interpreters 168.

Lt.Colonel,
Zone Commissioner,
A.C.C. FOGGIA ZONE.

HNB/EGFM.

HQ SOUTHERN REGION
3 NOV 1944
Time in 1200

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

787/2

3 District,
Tel Ext 17,
142A.
9 Nov 44.

MMIA ROME

2/Lt MOTTA Antonio.

AQ
11
Declassified 12/11

Reference your AQ/11 dated 9 Oct 44. -680

1. The above named officer is in the Jugoslav Convalescent Depot attached to 11 Con Depot.

2. He is understood to be of Italian birth but to be recognised as a Partisan.

AKC/SM.

12/11

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Maj Gen.
Comd.

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AQ/11 787/1

MESSAGE FORM

FROM: MMIA

TO : 5 ARMY

REF NO: AQ 2177

DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN
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FOR MMIA LO (.) REF ITALIAN LO 5 ARMY 2659 OF 2 NOV (.) MINISTRY OF WAR INSTRUCTED TO POST ONE CAPTAIN AND TEN LIEUTENANTS REINFORCEMENTS

Routine

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File AQ/11

SIGNAL MESSAGE

DATE TIME

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From: MMIA

To: HQ AC SICILY REGION

CONFIDENTIAL

AQ 2167

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FOR MMIA LO (.) EXPEDITE REPLY TO AQ 2111 OF 31 OCT (.) HAS COSTA

BEEN CLEARED OF CHARGES (.) YOUR 866 TO CIC DET ROME REFERS

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

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AUTHENTICATED SP Rehm Capt.

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SUBJECT: Italian Officers Information.

Land Forces Sub Commission
A.C. (M. M. I. A.) R O M E
AQ/11
9 November 1944

TO: HQ International Red Cross
79 Via Sardejna, Rome.

Col. EZIO Armellini

1. This HQ has been requested to furnish information concerning Col. EZIO Armellini, who was commanding the 60th Artillery Group in SPALATO.

2. We shall be much obliged if you will kindly make inquiries and pass on any information you obtain.

S P Archer Capt.

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Col. DA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

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SPA/ri

See folio 781

f 838 Sth Jacket
15/1 9th Jacket.

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Subject: 2/Lt. GOXHO SHEMSI.

HQ FORCE 399 CMF
SE/G5/442/B8
8 Nov 44.

TO: MMIA. ✓

Atq 11
13/11

1. 2/Lt. GOXHO SHEMSI, an ALBANIAN from the village of DUKAT, Vlone, since the ITALIAN occupation of ALBANIA has been serving with the ITALIAN Army, Unit: "Battaglione Autonome," at CAGLIARY, SARDEGNA.

2. Despite the fact that the above mentioned ALBANIAN officer has asked several times to be released from his unit, the ITALIAN High Command refuse to listen and keep him in their service against his own will.

3. Can you please approach the appropriate authorities with a view to obtaining the release of the above officer.

4. Since the ITALIAN occupation of ALBANIA came to an end a long time ago, it is considered scarcely reasonable that this officer should continue to be held by the ITALIAN Army against his will.

L.R. Lewis
Major G.S.
for Lt.Col. CCMD.

Inv Slip
Detailed Comments
AFHQ for Parker
SRA 15/11

Relative See AE
Dave Kunz
SRA 19/1.

Answered
21 Mar

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MAIA

Attention SC 'A'

Will you please
see what you
can do. Let
me know the
result

Thanks

Myra Ann
3 Dec 63

[redacted]

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A.G. / 11785/1

SUBJECT : Italian Army Reinforcements - Officers.

94 Sub Area
Phone : 236
4 ST 1

8 Nov. '44

MMIA (L.O)
3 District.

→ MMIA

1. The attd copy of CC 1002 (It.) Gt Coy letter 1002/9/B/3 of 7 Nov.'44 is forwarded for information.

2. May this request have every consideration please ?

TOS. [redacted]

Major
DAIST
(R.F.GOSLING).

[redacted]

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SUBJECT : Italian Army Reinforcements - Officers.

British Cadre R.A.S.C.
1002 Italian Army G.T. Coy.
1002/9/R/3
7 Nov. '44

S & T 94 Sub Area

1. The following is submitted for favour of onward transmission to M.M.I.A.L.O. 3 Dist.

2. H.Q. Capt vacancies on the W.E. of this Company are at present filled by subalterns.

3. It would materially assist the O.C. in his administration and operation of the company if he had a captain as 2 i/c. 167

4. Application is, therefore, made for the posting to this unit of Capt FORTUNATO, at present serving with 9 RAGGRUPPAMENTO AUTIERI.

Field

(Signed)??????Major,R.A.S.C.
Coming.British Cadre

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File AQ/11 785

SIGNAL MESSAGE

DATE TIME

08 A

FROM: NMIA

TO: MTOUSA

AQ 2164

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CONFIDENTIAL

REF YOUR F 48910 CITE NAAGE OF 6 NOV (.) NMIA HAS NO RPT NO OBJECTION PROVIDED OFFICERS ARE PROPERLY ESCORTED FOR SECURITY REASONS (.) REQUEST YOU ADVISE ETA

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PRECEDENCE Routine

AUTHENTICATED

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Translation.

FROM. SMRE

TO MMIA.

Ref nr. 11543 /SP.

Data. 8 NOV. 44

Italian Personnel employed by MMIA Liason officer. NAPLES.

We inform you that to. day we have issued instruction to CAMPANIA Mil Com. for the Personnel mentionned in letter A 9/11 of the 2nd inst to be left at the disposal of MMIA Liason officer Naples.

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Rdlansfield

SANTI.

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2 l/c with SPA 12/11

[redacted]

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AQ/11783

SUBJECT: Giuseppe Bottai

CONFIDENTIAL

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
S/I/102/1
8 Nov 44

TO : Ministry of War

1. Information has been received at this H.Q. that Giuseppe BOTTAI, ex Fascist official, is now alleged to be serving as a Colonel with an Italian Combat Unit under an assumed name.

2. It is requested that you notify this H.Q. whether the above information is correct.

3. Please treat this matter as urgent.

Major General
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: "A"
Spec Sec

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QA
Cen
10/11

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SUBJEC[illegible]:- Officer Personnel

Ref: 1004/15/2

M.M.I.A.
ROME

Capt Dell'Aquila, G. (Italian Army)

Further to this office letter of even number dated 3 Nov 44 above named officer has now rejoined this unit.

C.M.F.
7 Nov 44
WSL/CF

Major RASC
Cmdg British Cadre RASC
1004 Coy (Italian Gen Tpt)

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SECR[illegible] 782/1

16 L of C Signals, CMF

S.179/ 7324

7 Nov 44.

Subject:- Italian Army Personnel - Documentation.

Land Forces Sub Commission. ROME.
(AC) M.M.I.A.

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| M.M.I.A. | AQ 11 |
| ROME | |
| Date Rec'd | 10/11 |

Ref your AQ/11 of 2 Nov 44.

Please advise the location of the local Italian Adm HQ.

This Unit's HQ is at PERUGIA and the unit is serving under command No 1 District.

Lt Col R Sigs.
Comd.
16 L of C Sigs.

P/W.

mtd 209 Div HQ Utility 9k LD HQ 1 Pow 11/11

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CONFIDENTIAL

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
AFO 392

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|---|---|
| MMIA | A2 |
| FILE REF | 1/11 |
| Declassified | 7/11/44 |

SUBJECT:- Minister Palermo. 9 Nov '44.

TO:- Land Forces Sub-Commission

Ref:- 9/1.1/CA

1. The local Committee of National Liberation at Naples are pressing strongly for AMG to appoint Palermo to be Sindaco there, and they have persuaded the Prime Minister to agree to his release from the Ministry of War for this purpose, if the Allies will appoint him.

2. There are a number of considerations against this appointment, but in particular the A/CC desires me to obtain your opinion on the question of Palermo's release from the Ministry of War.

3. It is understood that Palermo has worked well and is cooperative, and ~~it is for~~ that you would be reluctant to agree to his removal at the present time on the ground that such removal would prejudice the war effort.

4. May I have your opinion on this matter please?

His case continued in Sub-Com A4

G.R. Upjohn

G.R. UPJOHN. Brig.
VP CA Sec.
D.C.O.S.

Sec F

Please make inquiries whether we should be prejudiced by his removal from the Ministry of War

9/11

G.O.C. in C. agrees 13/11

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# ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

## INTER OFFICE MEMO

AQ. 11 7 11

From: Office of the Chief of Staff.

Tel : 735

SUBJECT: Whereabouts enquiries.

FILE No. 997/COS.

TO: Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)

7 November 1944

Attached is copy of letter dated 4 November 44 from the Aide to the Lieutenant General of the Realm.

Will you please endeavour to furnish the information asked for so that this Office can reply.

Thorden 16.5
Chief Staff Officer
To the Chief of Staff.

See folio 786

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IL PRIMO AIUTANTE DI CAMPO GENERALE
DI S.A.R. IL LUOGOTENENTE GENERALE DEL REGNO

Rome - 1944 Novem 4th.

My dear Major Quayle,

I should be very grateful if it could be possible for you to let me have some news of Colonel Ezio Armellini, who was comander of the 60 Artillery group in Spalato. Col. Armellini is the brother of General Armellini, one of the leading chiefs of epuration at the War Office.

I gather that being Spalato already liberated, the thing might perhaps be possible.

I hope this request of mine wont give you too much trouble, and thank you in advance for what you will be able to do.

Yours sincerely,
(General Adolfo Infante)

Major Tony Quayle,
A.C.C.
Palazzo delle Corporazioni.

Sent to Br. Red Cross. Italian Section 9/11 PM

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SUBJECT: Documentation - Italian Army Units

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AQ/11

7 NOV. 44.

TO (1) 769. Sta. Fraterly
(2) HQ. A.C
(3) Mountain School. RAAC.

AFSW 3012A

1. This H.Q. has received your ~~Field Return~~ dated 1944, in respect of the Italian Army Unit (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W;) under your Command.

2. The internal administration, and documentation of Italian Army Units (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.) remains a responsibility of the Italian Ministry of War, who receive strength returns through normal Italian Channels.

3. Field Returns (A FSW3009/9) are NOT, therefore, required by this H.Q. in respect of Italian Army Personnel (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.).

S.P. Archer Capt

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Lt. Col. AA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/ri

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Subject: Italian Officers - Enquiries.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
AQ/11 ROME.

MINISTRY OF WAR 7 Nov 44

S/Ten.Silvano Vittorio.

Ref your 6572/AP of 8 Oct 44. 681/1

Information has now been received that the above named officer is still attached to HQ 3 Inf Bde, from whom further information can be obtained through this HQ.

F.J.NOAKES Colonel
for Major General.
M.M.I.A.

SPA/hh

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FROM MMIA

TO WAR MINISTRY 07 Nov A

RPTD MOUNTAIN SCHOOL CMF

SD 1744 718 CONFIDENTIAL

Ref our SD/2 of 19 OCT (.) Despatch accnext Col ANFOSO and the expert in repair of snow equipt to Mountain School TERMINILLO map ref B.1828

PRECEDENCE

AUTHENTICATED

Copy to: N/Q

10 Nov

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) ROME.
AQ/11

6 Nov 44

HQ 3 District (2)

2/Lt.FAZZINI E.
2/Lt.PERFUMO G.
2/Lt.PICCOLI G. } 1003 (I) GT Coy.

701/1

Ref your 159a of 14 Oct and further to our AQ/11 of 18 Oct. — 714

1. The Ministry of War has today informed this HQ that orders have been sent to 9th Raggruppamento Automobilistico to replace the three above named officers with three good Subaltern officers.

2. If these instructions are not implemented within a reasonable time, please advise this HQ, when hastening action will be taken.

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F.J.MOAKES Lt.Col.
for Major General.
M.M.I.A.

SPA/hh

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel-Officers.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
(A.C.) M. M. I. A.
R O M E
AQ/11
6 November 1944.

Hq. No. 1 District.

1005 (I) GT Coy 722

Ref. your ST/212 of 20 Oct/44 and further to our AQ/11 of 24 Oct. 1944 731

1. The Ministry of War has today informed this Hq. of the following postings of Italian Officers:-

a. Capt. Menitone-posted from 1005 (I) GT Coy.

b. Capt. Celentano - posted from 1005 (I) GT Coy.

c. Capt. Garibon Di Giuseppe - posted to 1005 (I) GT Coy to replace serial (b) above.

2. If these postings are not implemented within a reasonable time, please advise this Hq when hastening action will be taken.

16C~

F.J. NOAKES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
MMIA.

SPA/ag

Lee Folio 869/1 & at packet

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Subject: Documentation - Co-operators.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E.
AC/11

6 Nov 44

O.C.
RAOC Training Establishment,
94 Sub Area, C.M.F.

1. Ref attached AFW 3012A forwarded to this HQ by GHQ 2nd Echelon. Will you please verify the status of S/Ten.ALDANESE E.

2. If this officer is a co-operator, will you please refer the case fo O2E, as to whether the casualty is required to be reported to that HQ.

3. If, on the other hand S/Ten.ALDANESE is an officer of the Italian Army )as opposed to PsW/Co-operators) casualties should be reported to the Ministry of War through Italian channels, i.e. the local Italian Military Adm HQ.

F.J.Noakes.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
for Major General.
M.M.I.A.

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SPA/hh

Copy to: GHQ 2nd Echelon )for info)

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M 2906

LRKB V LAEE NR6

FROM MTOUSA 061227A

TO MMIA

GR 113 BT

22/6

CONFIDENTIAL

RICCARDO PELLEGRIN LIEUT AND THREE OTHER ITALIAN ARMY OFFICERS PD

F 48910

SIGNED CG MTOUSA CITE NAAGE PD

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INFORMATION NOW RECEIVED FROM DELTA BASE ADDITIONAL TO THAT CONTAINED IN OURAD FX FOUR FIVE NINE THREE EIGHT TO WHICH YOUR AQ TWO ONE ONE NAUGHT DATED THREE ONE OCTOBER WAS ANSWER IS THAT SUBJECT OFFICERS MENTIONED IN OUR FX FOUR FIVE NINE THREE EIGHT REPRESENT GENERAL MAGLIANO OF THE ARMY OF NATIONAL LIBERATION SECOND MILITARY ZONE PAREN AOSTA VALLE PAREN PD REASON FOR PROPOSED VISIT IS TO CONFER WITH ITALIAN PRIME MINISTER BONOMI AND CASATI CHA MINISTER OF WAR PD LIEUTENANT PELLEGRIN IS ALIAS FOR EINAUDI GIULIO PD REQUEST YOUR REMARKS AND RECOMMENDATION

BT 061227A

SENT NR6 06/13// 1400A FE

LAST WD IN 2ND LINE NAUGHT

TVRECD NR 6 06/1400 A AAA AR LK

No objection based on FETA

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Translation AG/10 775

From SMREO Ref. 892/SP/14

TO. [redacted] MIA Date Nov 5, 1944

Subject Renewal Arty Lt. de ASARTA GUICCIOLI ALESSANDRO.

Please let us know whether or not you approve the transfer of Lt. de ASARTA, GUICCIOLI Alessandro who is on duty with AAC in Sardegna (CAGLIARI O. FEIOLI).

Lt de ASARTA should be employed as Liaison Officer, with the Combat units of the British 8th Army

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(sgd) Gen SANTI

Col. Zabarnbini
Chief
HQ AC.
AA

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AQ 617.

N. 2909 (... del Catal.
(8. 1941 - Anno XX)

STATO MAGGIORE R.E.
-uff.segr.e pers.-
-sez. interpreti-

P.M. 151, 5 novembre 1944 - A.

Al LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

Prot. N. 892/Sp/ Allegati

Risposta al foglio del

Div. Sez. N.

OGGETTO: ten.art.compl. de ASARTA GUICCIOLI Alessandro.-

Si prega codesta M.M.I.A. far conoscere se nulla osta al trasferimento del tenente de ASARTA GUICCIOLI Alessandro, il quale presta servizio presso l'A.C.C. per la Sardegna (ufficio di Cagliari).

Il tenente de ASARTA dovrebbe essere impiegato, quale ufficiale di collegamento, presso reparti operanti dell'8^ Armata Britannica.-

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
-Alessandro Santi-

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Trattare per ogni lettera un solo argomento ed indicare nella risposta il numero di protocollo e l'ufficio cui si risponde.

Indirizzo telegrafico: ..... c/c postale n. .....

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SUBJECT: Documentation - Italian Army Units

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
A.G/11

(1) 769 Sta. Forestale Sq. 5 Nov. 44

TO: (2) 7 Armd: Bde.

AFW. 3012

1. This H.Q. has received your ~~Field Return~~ dated 25 Oct. 24 Oct. 1944, in respect of the Italian Army Unit (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W:) under your Command.

2. The internal administration, and documentation of Italian Army Units (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.) remains a responsibility of the Italian Ministry of War, who receive strength returns through normal Italian Channels.

3. Field Returns (A FsW3009/91 and AFW. 3012 are NOT, therefore, required by this H.Q. in respect of Italian Army Personnel (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.).

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Lt. Col. AA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/ri

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SUBJECT:- Officer Personnel

Ref: 1004/15/2

M.M.I.A.
ROME

A.G. 11 10-11

Capt Dell'Aquila, G. (Italian Army)

Above named officer was given two weeks leave on compassionate grounds occasioned by the death of his father. He was due to return to the unit on 23 Oct 44.

Whilst away he asked the Italian Coy Commander for an extension of leave but this was refused because of the imminent move of the unit.

It is thought possible that permission for an extension may have been granted by Italian Military HQ, BARI.

May action please be taken for the return of this officer to the unit.

He was employed on administrative duties and his absence is most unsatisfactory.

Alternatively it is requested that another officer with sound administrative experience be posted to the unit as soon as possible.

C.M.F.
3 Nov 44
WSL/CF

Copy to hand to Capt D'A if expiry leads to unit disciplinary problems
Copy to PAI 11/11

Major RASC
Cmdg British Cadre RASC
1004 Coy (Italian Gen Tpt)

1615

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See folio 796

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SUBJECT:- Officer Personnel

Ref: 1004/15/2

M.M.I.A.
ROME

A-9
11
10-11

2/Lt NATY, V.C.O. (Italian Army Tpt Corps)

Reference conversation Staff Capt M.M.I.A. - Major Newbery of 27 Oct 44.

It is requested that above named officer be posted to this Coy.

Major RASC
Cmdg British Cadre RASC
1004 Coy (Italian Gen Tpt)

C.M.F.
3 Nov 44
WSL/CF

wife - now with her husband in Newcastle.

See folio 797

PIA. 11/11.

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Translation

From M of W
to MMIA

Ref no 303733
Date 3 Nov. 44

officers for 1005 M.T. coy. Rg'dt. AP/11
24 Oct 1731

On the 20th of oct Capt MENTONI was struck off strength of 1005 M.T. coy. and transferred to 10th M.T. center.

With dispatch dated 28 oct we have ordered the replacement of CAPT CELENTANO of the same coy. by CAPT. GARIBOLDI DI GIUSEPPE.

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MICHELIS.

Returned 1 Nov
w/d
AP 5/11

VE/ps

# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 403/33/C.A. *Allegati* ____ *Roma,* 3. novembre 1944

*Risposta al f. del* ____ *Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N°* ____

*OGGETTO:* Ufficiali per 1005 compagnia autieri.

Officers for 1005 G.T Coy.

*Al* LA M. M. I. A. R O M A

M.M.I.A. AG 11
FILE REF
Date Recd 4/11

Riferimento foglio AG/11 in data 24 ottobre.

In data 20 ottobre il capitano Menitoni, esuberante all'organico della 1005ª Compagnia autieri, è stato trasferito al 10° Raggruppamento automobilistico.

Con dispaccio del 28 ottobre è stata ordinata la sostituzione del capitano Celentano, della stessa compagnia, con il parigrado Garibaldi Giuseppe.

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Al LA M. M. I. A. R O M A

M.M.I.A.
FILE REF AQ/11
Date Recd 4/11

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 in data 24 ottobre.

In data 20 ottobre il capitano Menitoni, esuberante all'organico della 1005ª Compagnia autieri, è stato trasferito al 10° Raggruppamento automobilistico.

Con dispaccio del 28 ottobre è stata ordinata la sostituzione del capitano Celentano, della stessa compagnia, con il parigrado Gariboldi Giuseppe.-

d'ordine

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

(Col. di S.M. E.De Michelis)

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Transmittal No. 770

From: MOWS
To: MMIA

Ref. 203/32/CA
03 November 44

Subject: Officers for 1003 Drivers Coy.

With ref. to letter 90/11 dated October 15th. — 712 + 714

With ref. to letter 90/11 dated October 28th

We have issued orders to the Group to arrange for replacement of 2nd Lt. FAZZI M. PERFUMO, & PICCOLI with three pool substitutes. —

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# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 30 3/32 C.A. *Allegati* ____ *Roma,* 3 novembre 1944

*Risposta al f.° del* ____ *Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N°* ____

*OGGETTO.* Ufficiali per 1003ª compagnia autieri -
Ufficiali per 1003 C.T.Co.

*Al* LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

M.M.I.A. AQ
FILE REF 11
Date Recd 4/11/

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 18 ottobre.

Con dispaccio del 28 ottobre è stato ordinato al 9° Raggruppamento automobilistico di provvedere con urgenza alla sostituzione dei sottotenenti FAZZINI, PERFUMO e PICCOLI con tre ottimi subalterni.

d'ordine

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Al LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

MMIA
FILE REF 84 11
Date Recd 4 11

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 18 ottobre.

Con dispaccio del 28 ottobre è stato ordinato al 9° Raggruppamento automobilistico di provvedere con urgenza alla sostituzione dei sottotenenti FAZZINI, PERFUMO e PICCOLI con tre ottimi subalterni.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col. di S.M.E. De Michelis)

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VE/vc

# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

Gabinetto

MM A
FILE RIF
Data ricev. 3/11

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Prot. N° 203615/Allegati

Risposta al f° del

ROMA, P.M. 151, 2 Novembre 1944

Div. Se. N°

OGGETTO: Ufficiali 1022 Compagnia autotrasporti.

Ufficiali 1022 Auto Trasporti.

Al I. M.M.I.A. - ROMA

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 18 ottobre pari oggetto. 713

Con dispaccio in data 28 ottobreb é stato disposto perché il Capitano DEL MONTE Luigi sia sostituito nel comando della 1022^ Compagnia A.A. con il pari grado s.p.e. PELLECCHIA Raffaele.

Il Capitano DEL MONTE, se residente in territorio liberato, sarà collocato in congedo.

d'ordine

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Al I. M.M.I.A. - ROMA

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 18 ottobre pari oggetto. 715

Con dispaccio in data 28 ottobreb é stato disposto perché il Capitano DEL MONTE Luigi sia sostituito nel comando della 1022ª Compagnia A.A. con il pari grado s.p.e. PELLECCHIA Raffaele.

Il Capitano DEL MONTE, se residente in territorio liberato, sarà collocato in congedo.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col. ai S.M.E. De Michelis)

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Lette H
3/11
JPH

Vedi foglio 825 S.M. fascist.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E .
AQ/11

4 Nov 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

6666/f

Ref your 301734/CA of 29 Sep 44.

1. Enquiries made through MMIA LO to 5th Army HQ, have failed to produce any information concerning the arrest of Maj. Belluomini.

2. Will you please say if this officer is still missing.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
for Major General.
M.M.I.A.

SPA/hh

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02E/O(R&E)IT/6/262

3 Nov 44

To:- Military Mission to the Italian Army

Subject:- Italian officer co-operators

Please may a reply be sent to this H.Q. letter 02E/O(R&E) IT/12/198, dated 21 Sept 44, copy of which is attached for reference.-

In the Field
CT/EG.

(A.R. WATERHOUSE)
Brigadier
D.A.G.
G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon CMF.

See Folio 793

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02E/O(R&E)IT/12/198

To:- Military Mission to the Italian Army 21 Sept 44.-

Subject: Italian Officers-co-operators

A nominal roll submitted by O.C. No.6 Italian Administrative H.Q. shows the following liste of names of Italian officers embarked at Porto Said on 6th Sept 44 and disembarked at Taranto on 15th Sept 44:-

ITALIAN NAVY

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 116584 | 2/Lt. | ANTEI A. | 17672 | 2/Lt. | PERUCCA | B. |
| 240270 | Comm. | BASOLE G. | 136511 | Comm. | PUGLIESE | S. |
| 17803 | Comm. | BRENGOLA S. | 323401 | Lt/Ord. | TRALLORI | A. |
| 240334 | Lt/Odr. | CALDERARO S. | | | | |
| 5 | Lt. | DE BERNARDO V. | | | | |
| 8 | Lt. | FERRARI M. | | | | |
| 19683 | Lt/Odr. | LANZA E. | | | | |
| 11521 | Lt. | NOTABARTOLO DI VILLAROSA P. | | | | |

ITALIAN ARMY

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 240056 | Capt. | NAFOSSO | G. |
| 240692 | Major | CUOZZO | G. |
| 240051 | 2/Lt. | DE BENEDICTIS | A. |
| 240020 | Lt.Col. | DI DALO | A. |
| 24001 | Capt. | GALPERTI | L. |
| 19850 | Major | SCIARRETTA | U. |

If these officers are co-operators, it would be appreciated if any information as to their destination could be supplied to this Headquarters.-

In the Field
CT/EG.

16/8

Sgd (A.R. WATERHOUSE)
Brigadier
D.A.G.
G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon CMF.

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# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

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*Prot. N°* 303845 C. A. *Allegati*

*Roma, 2 Novembre* 1944

*Risposta al f. del* *Div.* *Sez.* *N°*

*OGGETTO:* Capitano Artiglieria s.p.e. LEANZA Nunzio -
Artillery Captain

*Al* LA M.M.I.A. ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.ESERCITO-Uff.Segret.e Pers. SEDE

ALLA DIR.GENER.PERS.UFFICIALI SEDE

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L'Ufficiale in oggetto presta servizio presso il P.W.B. a Roma dal mese di giugno c.a.

Perchè la posizione dell'ufficiale possa essere regolarizzata, si prega far conoscere se cotesta Missione autorizza l'impiego di cui sopra.

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d'ordine 167
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col.di S.M. E.De Michelis)

The above officer (Capt. LEANZA) is working with PWB in Rome since June.

In order to clarify the officer's position, we would like to know whether MMIA authorizes his above employment.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Enquiries Officers.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) ROME.
AQ/11

2 Nov 44

Public Safety Division,
HQ AMG Lazio-Umbria Region,
A.P.O. 394

Paratroop Lt.Marchetti Alfredo.

Ref your PS/LUR/3145 of 29th Oct. — 747/1

1. The Ministry of War has informed this HQ that they have no trace of an officer named as above on their records.

2. There is, however, a 2/Lt. MARCHETTI Giovanni in 183 Para. Regt. of the Nembo Division.

F.J.Noaml

P.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

SPA/hh

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Land Forces Sub Comd. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
AG/11 ROME.

HQ 5th Army
APO 464, US Army

2 Nov 44.

Capt. Del Monte Luigi.
1022 Italian Truck Coy. 695

Ref your AG210-3 AP of 11 Oct and further to this HQ AG/11 of 13 Oct 44. 713

1. Information has been received from the Ministry of War that the above named officer has been relieved of his command of 1022 Italian Truck Coy.

2. The command of the Company will be taken over by Capt. PELLEGRINA Raffaele.

3. If these postings have not been implemented within a reasonable time, please inform this HQ, when hastening action will be taken.

F. J. Nichols

F.J.NICHOLS Lt.Col.
For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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SFA/hh

Copy to: MMIA LO 5th Army.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Joint Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
M/11. ——— ROME.

2 Nov 44.

H.Q. Adriatic Depot,
United States Army,
A. F. O. 388

729

Ref your 210.2(EDCO) of 19 Oct.
2/Lt. CATTA Guglielmo.

1. The Ministry of War have advised this HQ that particulars in respect of the above named Italian Officer have been received through the normal channels.

2. It is reported, however, that further information is required as follows :-

a) Is 2/Lt. CATTA a regular officer or on the Reserve.

b) To which regiment does he belong.

c) Date on which request for promotion was first made.

3. Will you please supply this HQ with the information required, which will be passed to the Ministry of War with instructions for investigation to be taken.

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Rec 729 A.G.L.
Log 31 Oct

F.J.MOORE Lt.Col.
for Major General.
M.M.I.A.

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Lee Carlo 8/14/2
Signature

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Land Forces Sub Commission
(A.C.) M. M. I. A.
R O M E
AQ/11

2 November 1944

MINISTRY OF WAR

Colonel Edmondo ZAVATTARI

1. This HQ has been informed that the above named officer is to be relieved from his post as Military Attache to the Turkish Government, during November 1944.

2. He has expressed a desire to become an effective member of the Italian Army, and to take an active part with the fighting troops.

3. It has been reported that since Sept 1943 Colonel Zavattari has cooperated wholeheartedly with both the British and USA Military Attaches in Turkey.

4. The above information is passed to you for guidance on any action you may consider at a later date.

F. J. Noakes

F. J. NOAKES, Lt Col,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

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Subject: Italian Army Personnel - Documentation.

Land Forces Sub Commission
(A.C.) M.M.I.A. R O M E.
AQ/11

2 Nov 44

O.C., 16 L of C Signals,
C. M. F.

Ref your S.179/6790 of 14 Oct 44 addressed GHQ 2nd Echelon.

1. Your above quoted letter together with AFW.3011B dated 17 Oct has been forwarded to this HQ by GHQ 2nd Echelon.

2. The personnel of Italian Line Sections are Italian Army personnel (as opposed to PsW/Co-operators), and as such OZE do not handle their documentation and casualties.

3. The Italian Ministry of War has its own documentation system, and, therefore, all casualties etc affecting Italian Army personnel should be reported to the Ministry, through normal Italian channels (i.e. the local Italian Adm. HQ.)

4. OZE is only interested in casualties affecting PsW/Co-operators, and not in the Italian Army personnel.

5. This HQ, being a Mission to the Italian Army, does not require to receive casualties either of Italian Army personnel or PsW/Co-operators.

for Maud. 16/11

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
A.A. & Q.M.G.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

Copy to: R.Sigs. MMIA.

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Subject: Italian Personnel on duty with MMIA LO Naples.

Land Forces
Sub Commission, AC (MMIA)
Rome
AQ/11
November 1944

To : Minister for War.

Copy to: MMIA LO, Naples

1. The following personnel has been assigned to duty with the MMIA LO Naples by Military Headquarters Campania:

1 Colonel
1 Captain
3 Sergeants
11 Other Ranks

2. It is desired that this personnel remain on their present duty and for this purpose they will be carried under category (6c) and administered by Military Headquarters Campania.

3. Please issue necessary instructions to Military Headquarters Campania.

CLAYTON F. [illegible], Colonel
for Major General
MMIA

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AP/11

# TRANSLATION

From Ministry of War Ref: 105200/1

To Circular Date: 1 11 44

Subject: Authority, qualifications and duties of officers.

The praise repeatedly given by the Allies to Italian units both operating and mobilised is well known.

But, while the army, purest expression of a people which renovates itself in the democratic atmosphere, labours along a difficult and bloody path towards the rebirth of its martyred Country, a small minority of officers, owing to incapacity or ill-will, have proved themselves unable to fulfill the high mission entrusted to them by the nation, high mission which can be said to consist merely of giving a constant example, of carrying out orders meticulously, exactly and immediately in order to thus be able to have the necessary authority to educate, instruct and lead in battle their own men.

This is no time for softness nor is there room in the Italian Army in these days for loungers and idlers.

Therefore, while I appeal to every officer to meditate on his mission in order to rise in thought and deed to highest of the missions entrusted to him, I call upon all commanders to follow closely the behaviour of their officers in order to bring the callous and indifferent back to the straight path of duty.

Nevertheless when a reprimand and later a punishment do not have the desired effect incapable and negligent officers must be eliminated immediately and without hesitation, applying the procedure set forth in Art. 36 and 97 bis of Act n 369 of May 9th, 1940 regarding status of officers of the Italian Army.

The elimination of the few unworthy will give faith to the nation and will constitute a guarantee for the Allies.

The Minister
A. CASATI

S/Sgt de Juan

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(I moved it Nov)

(To Be returned to Brig Bycroft)

# MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

## GABINETTO

N. 105200/1 prot.
110-10-11

P. M. 151, 1 novembre 1944

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| *Al Comando Militare del Lazio, Umbria e Abruzzi* | *ROMA* |
| *Al Comando Militare della Campania* | *P. M. 120* |
| *Al Comando Militare della Sardegna* | *P. M. 50* |
| *Al Comando Militare della Puglia e Lucania* | *P. M. 67* |
| *Al Comando Militare della Sicilia* | *P. M. 126* |
| *Al Comando Militare della Calabria* | *P. M. 114* |
| *Al Comando Italiano 212* | *P. M. 181* |
| *Al Comando della Delegazione "A" dello S. M. R. E.* | *P. M. 135* |
| *Al Comando della Delegazione "T" dello S. M. R. E.* | *P. M. 151* |

*(diramazione estesa fino ai Comandi di reggimento o equivalenti)*

e, per conoscenza:

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| *All'Ufficio del I° Aiutante di Campo Generale di S. M. il Re d'Italia* | *NAPOLI* |
| *All'Ufficio del I° Aiutante di Campo Generale di S. A.R. il Luogotenente Generale del Regno* | *ROMA* |
| *All'Ufficio del I° Aiutante di Campo di S. A. R. il Duca d'Aosta* | *SUA SEDE* |
| *Allo Stato Maggiore Generale* | *P. M. 151* |
| *Allo Stato Maggiore R. Esercito* | *P. M. 151* |
| *All'Ufficio dell'Alto Commissario per i Prigionieri di Guerra* | *ROMA* |
| *All'Ispettorato Arma Artiglieria* | *SEDE* |

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| *All'Ispettorato Arma Artiglieria* | *SEDE* |
| *All'Ispettorato Arma Genio* | *SEDE* |
| *Al Comando Generale dell'Arma dei CC. RR.* | *ROMA* |
| *Al Comando Generale R. Guardia di Finanza* | *ROMA* |
| *Al Tribunale Supremo Militare* | *ROMA* |
| *Alla Procura Generale presso il Tribunale Supremo Militare* | *ROMA* |
| *Al Comando Centro Raccolta e Riorganizzazione Settore Adriatico "Cersa„* | *P. M. 67-A* |
| *Al Comando Centro Raccolta e Riorganizzazione Settore Tirrenico "Cerseti„* | *ROMA* |
| *Alla Commissione per l'interrogatorio degli Ufficiali Reduci da Prigionia* | *LECCE* |
| *Alle Direzioni Generali e Uffici Autonomi del Ministero* | *SEDE* |

Oggetto: **Autorità, capacità e doveri degli ufficiali**

Sono noti i riconoscimenti che gli Alleati hanno ripetutamente espresso nei riguardi dei reparti operanti e dei reparti mobilitati.

Ma mentre l'Esercito, pura espressione del popolo che si rinnova nel clima democratico, ascende attraverso un sentiero duro e sanguinoso verso una nuova rinascita

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della Patria martoriata, una esigua minoranza di ufficiali, per incapacità o per cattiva volontà, dimostra di non trovarsi all'altezza dei compiti che il Paese loro affida e che si riassumono nell'essere di costante esempio, nella scrupolosa, esatta, sollecita esecuzione degli ordini ricevuti, per poter così, con la necessaria autorità, educare, istruire, condurre in guerra i propri dipendenti.

Non è questa l'ora del pietismo, nè in questo momento possono trovar posto nell'Esercito italiano gli infingardi ed i fannulloni.

Pertanto, mentre invito ogni ufficiale a meditare sulla sua missione, per elevarsi col pensiero e con l'azione al compito che è chiamato a svolgere, richiamo i comandanti tutti a seguire da vicino la condotta dei propri dipendenti per ricondurre subito gli insofferenti e gli insensibili sulla retta strada.

Qualora, però, una prima esortazione ed una successiva punizione non sortissero l'effetto desiderato deve, senza esitazioni, e nel modo più rapido, provvedersi alla eliminazione degli incapaci e dei negligenti applicando le procedure prescritte dagli articoli 36 e 97 bis della legge 9 maggio 1940, n. 369 sullo stato degli ufficiali del R. Esercito.

La eliminazione di pochi indegni darà fiducia al Paese e costituirà garanzia per gli Alleati.

IL MINISTRO

**A. Casati**

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

1 Nov 44.

HQ Allied Commission

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Ref your 3616/11/CCS dated 24 Oct 44.

1. General Nicola MELLONO is not known, and it is assumed that Lt.Col.Taylor's letter of 7th Sept (returned herewith) refers to Gen. BELLONO.

2. Gen.BELLONO was arrested on 28 Jan 44 on War Office orders, communicated to this HQ by HQ AAI. The Italian authorities were NOT told of the reasons for the arrest, which were as set out in the above quoted letter.

3. The Italian Ministry of War has informed this HQ that no enquiry has been held by SMRE, and that the only interest taken in this case by the Italian Government, was in the obtaining of certain concessions for this senior Officer.

4. This HQ is not aware that any trial has been conducted by the Allied Authorities, but advise could be obtained on this point from HQ AAI.

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F.J.NOARES Lt.Col.
for Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel-Officers.

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AQ/11
( November 1944.

Hq. 3 Dist. Eastern.

Capt. Marchesi Egido
1004 (I) G.T. Coy.

Further to AQ/11 of 31st Aug. addressed M of W
Copy to Hq. 6 Base Sub Area.

1. The Ministry of War have now arranged for the above named officer to continue his employment as OC 1004 (It) GT Coy.

2. The order stating that Capt. Marchesi would be given indefinite leave has now been cancelled.

F.J. Noakes

F.J. NOAKES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
MMIA.

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INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SLIP - FIELD ARMY

OFFICE G-4 FILE NO. SUSPEND DATE

Subje Officer replacements for Pack Mule Outfits

RCV/jad

| Ind. No. | From | To | Date |
|---|---|---|---|
| | ~~XXXXXX~~ ~~Gen~~ Sr MMIA LO | HQ MMIA | 1 Nov 1944 |

Urgently request you ask the Italian War Ministry to take action on the attached request for officer replacements, which are badly needed.

R.C. Van Kirk

R.C.VAN KIRK,
Major, Infantry,
Sr. (MMIA) L.O.,
5th Army

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Signal HT 5 Army LO

In 2 w ~~cabled~~ ltr
Provide rifles as requested

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F O N G R A M M A A M A N O

DA COMANDO 210° DIVISIONE FANTERIA

AT UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTO ITALIANO CON LA V° ARMATA

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NR. R/5408 DI PROT. ALT DATA I NOVEMBRE 1944 ALT

PREGO INTERESSARE M.M.I.A. V° ARMATA PERCHE' SOLLECITI MINISTERO GUERRA PER ASSEGNAZIONE AL XX° GRUPPO SALMERIE FORTEMENTE IMPEGNATO DI UN CAPITANO ET DIECI SUBALTERNI IN SOSTITUZIONE ALTRETTANTI UFFICIALI MORTI AUT FERITI ALT QUESTO COMANDO HABET GIA' INOLTRATO RICHIESTA AT MINISTERO GUERRA MEZZO FONOGRAMMA ALT.

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Comando 210° Divisione

GENERALE CORTESE

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ITALIAN LIAISON OFFICE WITH FIFTH ARMY

Serial number 2659 A.P.O. 464: November, 2, 1944

Subject: Officers replacements-

TO : G-4 (info)
: Sr. MMIA LO. (info)
: QM. (info)

210 Division urgently requires:

- 1 captain

-10 lieutenants,

pack-artillery or cavalry or horse-artillery, to replace officers battle casualties of 21st Pack Group.

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Alessandro Cicogna
Capt. Artillery
Italian Liaison Officer
with Fifth Army
G-4 Section.

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From: MMIA

To: NATOUSA

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REFERENCE FX 455938 CITE NAAGE (.) NEITHER MMIA OR ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY HAVE ANY KNOWLEDGE OF OFFICERS MENTIONED OR THEIR MISSION IN COMING TO ROME

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Apr/11

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Suspense

Date 21 Oct 44

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| | Secretary General | | | Security Branch | |
| | Archivist | | | Establishments Branch | |
| | Admin Section | | | Director | |
| | Interior | | | Executive Officer (A) | |
| | Public Safety | | | Executive Officer (B) | |
| | Public Health | | | G-1 (A) | |
| | Property Control | | | G-1 (B) | |
| | Legal | | | G-4 (A) | |
| | Education | | | G-4 (B) | |
| | Monuments & Fine Arts | | | H.Q. Comdt | |
| | Economic Section | | | Adjutant | |
| | Agriculture | | | Message Center | |
| | Commerce | | | Orders & Bulletins | |
| | Finance | | | 2675th Regt | |
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| | Mining Division | | | Air | |
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| | Requisition Division | | | Civil Censorship Group | |
| | Shipping | | | W.M.D. & P.O.W. | |
| | Transportation | | | Public Relations Branch | |
| | R.C. & M.G. Section | | | U.N.R.R.A. | |
| | P.A. to Executive Commissioner | | | | |
| | Civil Affairs Branch | | | | |
| | Information Division | | | | |
| | Liaison Division | | | | |
| | I. & D.P. S.C. | | | | |
| | Italian Refugees Branch | | | | |

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Remarks & Recommendation
Information ✓
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Investigation & Report
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
POLITICAL SECTION
APO 394

Ref: 863

20 October 1944

MEMORANDUM TO: Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

SUBJECT : Decoration of Lt. General Roberto Bencivenga.

The Political Section of the Allied Commission has received through the U. S. Representative on the Advisory Council for Italy a telegram from the Department of State stating that in communication dated October 6, 1944 the U. S. War Department announced that the President has approved the award of the Legion of Merit, degree of Commander, to Lieutenant General Roberto Bencivenga, Italian Army, for his services in the resistance movement in Rome, and that the Commanding General, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, has been directed to effect the presentation.

It would be appreciated were this information to be brought to the attention of the appropriate Italian authorities.

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WILLIAM W. SCHOTT
Vice President, Political Section

Copy to: Army Sub-Commission, A.C.

Conference
3 Nov.

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INTERDEPARTMENTAL REFERENCE SHEET - WAR DEPT.

OFFICE G-4 FILE NO. SUSPENSE DATE

RCV/jad

Subject: Missing Italian Officer

| Ind. | From | To | Date |
|---|---|---|---|
| | ~~xxxxxxxx~~ ~~xxxx~~ Sr MMIA LO | HQ MMIA | 31 Oct 1944 |

For your information.

R.C.VAN KIRK,
Major, Infantry,
Sr. (MMIA) L.O.,
5th Army.

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INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET - FIFTH ARMY

OFFICE _____ FILE NO. _____ SUSPEND DATE _____

Subject: Missing Italian Officer

| Ind No. | From | To | Date | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | PM. | MMIA<br>Maj<br>VanKirk<br>(G-4) | 27Oct | Check of records of this office and of Fifth Army M.P units reveals no record of the missing officer<br><br>PM/jcc |

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Sign each indorsement with last name in full. Draw line at end of your action. Use entire width of sheet for large indorsements. If additional sheets are needed use this form, numbering all pages, use only one side. Keep attached to this correspondence to be filed therewith.

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1st Ind.

HEADQUARTERS IV CORPS, Office of the Provost Marshal, APO #304, U.S. Army, 26 October 1944.

TO: Provost Marshal, Fifth Army, APO #464, U. S. Army.

1. No knowledge in this office of the missing Italian officer, nor of the incident.

2. At the time mentioned, there were no Corps Military Police in that area. However a Fifth Army Military Police Check Station was operating in S. Vincenzo and it is possible the Military Police unit concerned may be able to furnish some information.

DAVID J. COLYER,
Lt.Col.,Infantry,
Provost Marshal.

1 Incl.
n/c

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RECEIVED (P/M) 27 OCT 1944
TO FIFTH ARMY 0930

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HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY
Office of Provost Marshal
A.P.O. #464, U. S. Army

JCL/wk
23 October 1944

Subject: Missing Italian Army Personnel.

To: Provost Marshal, IV Corps,
A. P. O. #304, U. S. Army.

Do you have any information on the missing Italian officer?

For the Provost Marshal:

James C. Littlefield

JAMES C. LITTLEFIELD,
Lt Colonel, C. M. P.,
Asst. Provost Marshal

1 Incl.
Rpt, It. Ministry of War.

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Subject:-Maj. BELLUOMINI Maurizio. REF:-301734/CA

Date:-29 Sept 44.

From:- M. of W.

To: - MMIA

We are informed that BELLUOMINI Maurizio, Inf. Major, towards the end of August, left Rome, without travel permit, to reach SOIANO (between LUCCA and LEGHORN) where his family lives. The Major was travelling on an American car of the Diplomatic Corps, of which no further details are available.

At. S.Vincenzo, which is a town a few miles away from SOIANO, the American M.P. stopped the car and arrested Maj.BELLUOMINI and another Italian officer who was travelling with him because their documents were not in order. From that time we had no further news of Maj.BELLUOMINI.

Would MMIA kindly obtain information from the M.P. concerned.

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(sgd) DE MICHELIS.

Inclt #1

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

14 Pack Tpt. Coy
Br. Increment 5th Army

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

31 October 1944

MMIA LO 5th Army

See folios 739

1. Ref attached copy translation of letter from Ministry of War, will you please make enquiries and advise this HQ whether one of the Captains can be released for service elsewhere.

2. It is presumed that Ministry of War would be willing to post a junior officer as replacement (i.e. unless one of the two Captains is surplus to W/E.

S. P. ARCHER, Capt,
for AA & QMG,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

See folio 847 et seq.

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Subject: Reinforcements - Italian Army - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

31 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

1. It is reported that officer reinforcements are required to fill the deficiencies which exist as under :-

2. Please make necessary arrangements to post officers as necessary, and inform this HQ of the action taken.

913 Reparto Lavoratori Artieri - deficient 1 Subaltern.
916 " " " " 2 Subalterns.

F J Noakes.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Copy to: RE MMIA

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

H.Q.,A.A.I.

31 Oct 44

S/Ten.CALLERI Alberto.
159(I) Pioneer Labour Coy.

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Ref Lab/1/64/3 of 3 October 44.

1. The Ministry of War has informed this HQ that the above named officer cannot yet be granted promotion.

2. 2/Lt. Calleri lost seniority as the result of his trial by the Military Tribunal of Catanzaro on charges of desertion and theft of military property.

3. Would you please say if his recent conduct has been such as would enable the Ministry of War to re-consider his case.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
for Major General.
M.M.I.A.

SPA/hh

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Mod. 505

Ho/M.

Roma, 31 Ottobre 1944 A.

*Ministero della Guerra*

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Ispettorato

Divisione Sez.
Prot. N. 3109 I/Se Allegati

Risposta al f.° del
Div. Sez. N.°

Al PROMEMORIA PER
IL SIG.MAGG.BYATT
M.M.I.A. ROMA

OGGETTO Ten.Col. commissario D'ABRUZZO.

Informo che il Ten.Col. Commissario D'ABRUZZO Vincenzo ha telegraficamente comunicato di aver riassunto servizio a Taranto in data 25 ottobre c.a.

IL TEN.COL.COMMISSARIO
- Pietro Vacca -

OK
PVA
1/Nov.

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AP/11

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FROM: NATOUSA DATE: TIME REC'D 301905A

TO : MMIA DATE: TIME SENT 301612A

NOW REQUESTED IS REMARK AND RECOMMENDATION REFERENCE CABLE
FROM CG DELTA BASE WHICH IS PARAPHRASED AS FOLLOWS
COLON FOX XRAY FOUR FIVE NINE THREE EIGHT SIGNED CG NATOUSA FROM
NATOUSA TO FOR ACTION MMIA TO FOR INFO CG DELTA BASE SECTION
CITE NAAGE REQUESTED IS AIR TRAVEL FOR LT RICCARDO
PELLEGRIN CMA SOUS SLASH LIEUTENANT YELLO CURTI CMA
SOUS SLASH LIEUTENANT ALDO CHABOD AND CAPITANE
REMO CHABOD TO TRAVEL TO ROME ITALY FROM MARSEILLE
FRANCE TO CARRY OUT MISSION OF CG SECOND ITALIAN MILITARY ZONE

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See folio 758 + 774

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LRKB V LAEE NR 19
FROM MMIA LO 52 AREA 30
TO MMIA ROME
52
DATED 29 (.) RESTRICTED (.)
YES ON 26 (.) MY SIGNAL 45 DATED 27 REFERS
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SENT NR 19 301427A WHC AR K
RECD NR 19 30/1427A J O E .....AR.....

HEADQUARTERS
30 OCT 1944

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MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AQ/11
20 October 1944.

TO: Hq. Allied Commission.

Inviting attention to attached letter dated 24 Oct. received from Regional Commissioner Lazio-Umbria Region.

1. It is not the policy to ask the Ministry of War to grant personal favors to Italian Army Officers.

2. The Italian Army Officer concerned should make request for transfer thru normal Italian Army channels.

CLAYTON P. KERR, Colonel
for Major General
MMIA.

SPA/ag

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Military Mission
Italian Army
M O M E
AQ/11
Oct 44.

To : HQ Allied Commission.

Herewith copy of letter from Regional Commissioner Lazio-Umbria Region dated 24 Oct 44, referred to ~~in~~ our AQ/11 of 30 Oct 44.

Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Attachments have been sent down to despatch centre on first floor. OK?
good.
31/10.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

Public Safety Division.
29th October, 1944.

File No. :- PS/LUR/3145.

Subject :- Paratroop Lt. MARCHETTI Alfredo.

To :- The Director, Army Sub-Commission. (Thro' Director, Public Safety Sub-Commission), HQ., A.C.C., APO 394.

A9/11
31/10

1. With further reference to communication dated 20/10/44, subject as above.

2. The investigation of the case against S.Ten. Alfredo MARCHETTI has been continued and among papers which belonged to him there has been found a'Special Official Pass'issued by the Commanding Officer, Headquarters 135th Infantry, United States Army, APO 34.

A copy of this pass is attached.

The original, which has been retained, clearly shows that the name of the Officer to whom it was issued had been erased and MARCHETTI Alfredo S. Ten. substituted. The number O-1252844 is written in ink and obviously is the personal number of an American Officer.

MARCHETTI is badly wanted

Subject :- Paratroop Lt. MARCHETTI Alfredo.

To :- The Director, Army Sub-Commission. (Thro' Director, Public Safety Sub-Commission), HQ., A.C.C., APO 394.

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MARCHETTI is badly wanted and any assistance given will be appreciated.

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For the Regional Commissioner:

W.J. Wilson Capt
for J.R. POLLOCK.
Lt. Colonel.
RPSO., LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION.

Rpt Sec War RA

Enc. 1
Copy of pass referred to.

See folio 766

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HEADQUARTERS 135TH INFANTRY
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 34

22 August 1944

SPECIAL OFFICIAL PASS

| MARCHETTI | ALFREDO | S.Ten. | O-1292844 | Hqs 3rd Bn, 135th Infantry |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (Name) | | (Rank) | (ASN) | (Organization) |

is authorized to visit the restricted area of ROME,Italy, between 0800 hours 23 August 1944, and 1300 hours 24 August 1944, for the purpose of transacting official business. This official business is of the utmost importance and cannot be transacted without his presence.

NATURE OF OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

To perform offial duties for this Regiment.

s/ A.H. MANHART
Colonel, 135th Infantry,
Commanding.

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Translation. 89/11747

Rep 2825

Date Oct 29, 1944

From: SIRE

To: MMIA

Subject: CAPT. MARCHESI EGIDIO of the 1004 Station Transport Coy

62 1/2 Enclosures

Number 11774/213 dated Sept 15, and in reference to your AQ/11 dated Aug 31, the enclosed 555 Spacht. A copy of the War Ministry's telegram entitled "Granting in favour of CAPT. MARCHESI EGIDIO" is approved.

Gen. Santi.

Cpl (2)

3 Dec '44
Enclosure
to Gen. Santi's
Confidential Letter
Note 618 - Sub Area
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STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO
UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

P. M. 151, li 29 ottobre 1944

Al LA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO M.M.I.A.
ROMA

N° 12655 / SP. /1 di prot.
Allegati N. 1

OGGETTO: Capitano MARCHESI Egidio della 1004^ Compagnia Italiana Trasporti -

Capt. Marchesi Egidio 3810

Seguito foglio nº 11774/213 in data 15 settembre e riferimento vostro AQ 11 in data 31 agosto, si trasmette copia del telegramma del Ministero della Guerra, in cui si sanziona il trattenimento in servizio del capitano MARCHESI Egidio.

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
(Alessandro Santi)

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T. Consulation 747

From Libya

To SIMRE

Ref 2836 of mar

Date Oct 26

Subject Telegram

Ref. tele. 23088/10 Please
cancel orders to the effect that
M.T. CAPTAIN MARCHESI EGIDIO, Reason
to be demobilized not
reason. Said order
is determined by a request
made by the Allies.

pol (2)

A. Calanca

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MINISTERO DELLA GUE[illegible]
Ufficio Telegrafico

FONOGRAMMA IN ARRIVO

Roma, lì 26.10.1944 - ore 15.3

Ente mittente : MIN. GUERRA DIR.GEN.PERS.UFFIC.DIV.MOV.
Ente destinatario : S.M.R.E. SEGRETERIA PERSONALE ROMA

DA GUERRA UFFICIALI NR 12836/MOV 26.IO.44 ALT DESTINATARI COMILIT PUGLIA ET LUCANIA, COMANDO NONO REGG.TO AUTIERI ET CONOSCENZA S.M.R.E. SEGRETERIA PERSONALE ALT RIFERIMENTO TELE 23088/I PREGASI DISPORRE CHE CAPITANO AUTO MOBILISTA COMPLEMENTO MARCHESI EGIDIO DELLA 1104^ COMPAGNIA AUTIERI NON DICO NON SIA COLLOCATO IN CONGEDO PER NESSUN MOTIVO ALT TALE DISPOSIZIONE EST DETERMINATA DA ESPRESSA RICHIESTA DEGLI ALLEATI ALT PROMINISTRO GENERALE DIVISIONE FALUGI ALT

P. C. C.
IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.CAPO UFFICIO
( A. Calaresu )

S.M.R.E. - 6ª Sez.

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CONFIDENTIAL

AG/11

Subject:- Italian Military Attache

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30/10

HQ.,ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY
Tel: FILPOT Ext.226
3074/9/A(O)
28 Oct. 44.

M.M.I.A.

1. The attached copy of a letter from the American Embassy at ANKARA under reference M/A T - 021 of 2 Oct 44, is forwarded in order that it may be brought to the notice of the Italian Military Authorities.

2. In forwarding the letter to this HQ CG NATOUSA has stated that according to available information the officer concerned is suitable from a security point of view.

R.S. Wardle, Major.
for Brigadier,
DAG.

MHR/VRT

Enclosure

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CONFIDENTIAL
AMERICAN EMBASSY

2 October 1944

Office of the Military Attache

M/A T-021

Subject:- Italian Military Attache, Ankara, Turkey.

To: Commanding General, NATOUSA

1. The Italian Military Attache, Colonel Edmondo Zavattari, is being relieved and will leave Turkey about 19 October. He hopes to go to Italy and has indicated a desire to get a command at the front of Italian troops.

2. Since about 8 September 1943, the Italian Military Attache has collaborated wholeheartedly with my office and I consider that his services have been extremely valuable. The British Military Attache here informs me that he shares my views in regard to Colonel Zavattari.

(Sgd) RICHARD G. TINDALL
Brigadier General, USA
Military Attache

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SIGNAL MESSAGE

DATE TIME 4Φ/11

281545

From: MMIA

To: 52 AREA

AQ 2103

RESTRICTED

FOR MMIA LO (.) MINISTRY OF WAR STATE D'ABRUZZO ORDERED TO DUTY BY 24 OCT (.) HAS HE ARRIVED.

PRECEDENCE Routine

AUTHENTICATED S P Archer Capt AC

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VE/vc

# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

T.S. Marinelli 31/10

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Prot. N° 203304/ea Allegati

Risposta al foglio

Roma, P.M. 151, 28 ottobre 1944

Div Sez N°

OGGETTO: Colonnello FAVA e Capitano MARINO

Col. Fava e Capitano Marino

Al LA M.M.I.A. - ROMA

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Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 9 ottobre.

Ref

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| M.M.I.A. | AQ |
| FILE REF | 111 |
| Date Rec'd | 30/10 |

E' stato disposto per la regolarizzazione della posizione del Colonnello FAVA GUIDO e del Capitano MARINO Rocco.

The definition of the military position of Col. FAVA GUIDO and CAPTAIN MARINO ROCCO has been ordered.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col.di S.M. E. De Michelis)

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Al LA M.M.I.A. - ROMA

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Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 9 ottobre.

Ref

M.M.I.A. AQ
FILE REF 11
Date Rec'd 20/10/1

E' stato disposto per la regolarizzazione della posizione del Colonnello FAVA GUIDO e del Capitano MARINO Rocco.

The definition of the military position of Col. FAVA GUIDO and CAPTAIN MARINO ROCCO - Grasheuandlem

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col.di S.M. E. De Michelis)

Pubblicato in Gli Stati Uniti

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Gen FERRONI

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11
28 October 1944

To : H.Q. P.B.S.

1. A copy translation of a statement made by the above named Italian officer is forwarded for information.

2. It would appear that General FERRONI has grounds for a reasonable complaint.

3. Will you please advise this H.Q. whether you are agreeable to General FERRONI being authorized to proceed to Leghorn for the purpose stated in his request.

SPArchur Capt.
~~E. J. NOAKES, Lt Col~~, A.G.D.
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

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SUBJECT:- Italian Liaison Officers.

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MMIA,
Rear HQ EIGHTH Army.

Main HQ 13 Corps.
1286/A.
27 Oct 44.

Ref your MM/112 of 21 Oct 44.

2/Lieut SILVANO still attached HQ 3 Inf Bde.

MMIA Rome letter AQ/11 of 17 Oct 44 is returned herewith.

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ET. MMIA. Rome.
Forwarded.
31 Oct. 44.

for Lieut-General.
Commander, 13 Corps.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

2/Lt.Silvano Vittorio.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

17 Oct 44

MMIA LO
8th Army

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1. The Ministry of War has requested this HQ to obtain information concerning the a/m Italian Officer who is, or was, acting as L.O. to 3rd Inf Bde, 1st British Inf Div.

2. Will you please make enquiries concerning this officer and advise this HQ of the results.

S P Archer Capt

S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Lt.Col.AA & QMG.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Subject: Documentation - Italian Army Units.

HQ RA Trg Depot, CMF.

RAD/390/73.

27 Oct 44.

G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon,
C.M.F.

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Your 025/RB/A33/11 dated 29 Sep 44, and 025/LB/A33/9 dated 11 Sep 44 refer.

Casualties in question were submitted to MMLA under the terms of your above quoted letters.

These casualties have been returned by them with the information that internal administration and documentation of Italian Army Units, (as opposed to Co-operators/P.O.W), remains a responsibility of the Italian Ministry of War, who receive strength returns through normal Italian channels. They, therefore, do NOT require AFs W3009 in respect of Italian Army personnel (as opposed to Co-operators/P.O.W).

Will you please clarify the position?

CMF.
GHP/CHt.

for Colonel.
Commander, RA Trg Depot.

Copy: MMLA., (A/Q11 dated 23 Oct 44).

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No Fwd
Sgt 2/Nov

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Translation

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Imam War Ministry

MMIA

R.G. 7033 79/6

Date Oct 27, 1944

Sergiant Capatani ROSSI. 19/11

Ref. your AG/11 dated Oct. 6-677

With letter dated Oct 15 the assignment of CAPTAIN ROSSI LUIGI to the Command of the 501 - 502 - 503 - 504 Italian Prisoners Centers, have been confirmed.

Steps are being taken for his promotion to the next highest grade, and it is hoped that these steps will have been taken within a short time

Sgt. (Col De Michelis)

(Col WD Columbia.

SD RWD Mission

PA 2/15

VE/ba. MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 203379/C. *Allegati* ____

*Risposta al f.° del* ____

*Roma,* 27 ottobre 1944

*Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N°* ____

*OGGETTO:* Capitano ROSSI -

Captain Rossi

MMIA
FILE COPY
Date Rec'd 28/10

*Al* LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 in data 6 ottobre.

Con dispaccio in data 15 ottobre è stato confermato al Comando delle Sezioni italiane guardafili 501-2-3 e 4 il Capitano ROSSI Luigi.

La pratica per la promozione al grado superiore del predetto ufficiale è in corso e si prevede che sarà conclusa fra breve.

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Alla M.M.I.A.

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d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col. di S.M.E. De Michelis)

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Maj MATURI Rolando
1004 (I) G.T. Coy

Military Mission
Italian Army,
ROME
AG/11
28 October 1944

MINISTRY OF WAR

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Further to this HQ letter AG/11 of 24 Oct/44

1. The D.C. British Cadre R.A.S.C. to 1004 (I) G.T. Coy has reported adversely on the Italian Coy Commander, Maj. MATURI Rolando.

2. It is stated that this officer is lazy, has no disciplinary powers and has little interest in the welfare of the men of his company.

3. Maj Maturi has been given three months probation and has shown no improvement.

4. It is required that you arrange for a more suitable officer to be posted to Command 1004 (I) G.T. Coy; and that Maj Maturi be posted to a suitable employment.

CLAYTON P. KERR, Colonel,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

Copy to: O.C. Br Cadre RASC
1004 (I) G.T. Coy - thru HQ 1 Dist.
S & T

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See folio 799
& 806 packet 8

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Subject: Officers 1022 Truck Company.

Military Mission
Italian Army
ROME
AQ/11
27 October 1944

To : Minister for War

1. It is necessary that we have a reply to our letter dated 18 October 1944, file AQ/11, same subject.

2. Please expedite.

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CLAYTON P. KERR, Colonel
for Major General
MMIA

CPK/lsk

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Subject:- Documentation - Italian Army Units. From (Brit) C.R.U. C.M.F.

A.A. & Q.M.G.,
M.M.I.A.,
ROME.

4 CRU/27/533

27 Oct 44.

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| M.M.I.A. | AQ |
| FILE REF | 111 |
| Date Recd | 29/10/44 |

Reference your AQ/11 dated 23 Oct 44.

It is regretted that the position is not clear.

Your enclosure consists of copies of Office Form in lieu of A.F.W. 3012A in respect of Italian personnel who arrived at this Unit as reinforcements of 7 Mountain Regt. R.A. which is a British Artillery Regt. consisting of mixed British and Italian ranks.

It is customary for these Italian personnel to be taken on strength X(iv) list attached 4 (Brit) C.R.U. and for the normal reinforcement procedure to operate, your enclosures being the casualties rendered by this unit to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon.

Is this incorrect please?

JFB/HN.
CMF.

(J.S. MAGRATH.) 159.
Lieut. Colonel,
Commanding, No. 4 (Brit) C.R.U.

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FILE

SUBJECT: Documentation - Italian Army Units

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AQ/11

26 Oct 44

TO: OC. Br. Badre 14 (Bar. Bracf)
Lt. Park T/F. Ly. RASC. 78th Div.

1. This H.Q: has received your ~~Field return~~ AFW. 3010A dated 14 Oct. 1944, in respect of the Italian Army Unit (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W;) under your Command.

2. The internal administration, and documentation of Italian Army Units (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.) remains a responsibility of the Italian Ministry of War, who receive strength returns through normal Italian Channels.

3. AFSW.3010A and A Field Returns (A FsW3009/9) are NOT, therefore; required by this H.Q. in respect of Italian Army Personnel (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.).

S.P. Archer Capt

S.P. ARCHER, Capt:
for Lt: Col: AA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/ri

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210.3-AP 2d Ind. ANM/11k/hal
HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY, A. P. O. #464, U. S. Army, 26 October 1944.

To: CG, MMLA, A. P. O. #794, U. S. Army.

Captain Torino has reported to the 13th Italian Pack Mule Company.

For the ARMY COMMANDER:

Date Recd
FILE REF
M.M. A
1 11 44

A. N. MILLER,
1st Lt., A. G. D.,
Asst. Adjutant General.

OK
SPA
28/10

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# MESSAGE FORM

File No. AG210.3-AP

Date 11 October 1944

Office of Origin: HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY

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Address: A. P. O. #464, U. S. Army

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TO:

Commanding General, MMIA,
A. P. O. #794, U. S. Army.

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| WIRE OR RADIO | | ESSENTIAL MAIL | |
| URGENT | | AIR MAIL | X |
| PRIORITY | | SPECIAL DELIVERY | |
| ROUTINE | | ORDINARY | |
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| ANY MESSAGE NOT X'd WILL BE SENT "DEFERRED" | | INITIAL | |

1. The services of an Italian Veterinarian Officer are needed by the 13th Italian Mule Pack Company presently attached to this command.

2. The Veterinarian Officer now on temporary duty with the above organization must be returned to the 130th Italian Veterinary Hospital where his services are urgently needed.

3. Request that this headquarters be informed of action taken and the expected time of arrival of the officer if one is available.

For the ARMY COMMANDER:

A. N. Miller 159

A. N. MILLER,
1st Lt., A. G. D.,
Asst. Adjutant General.

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1st IND

To: HQ Fifth Army, APO 464 US ARMY.
From: Military Mission Italian Army, ROME.

14 Oct 44.

AQ/11.

1. The Ministry of War has informed this HQ that Capt. BONI TORINO was ordered to report to 13 Italian Pack Mule Coy 3 days ago.

2. Please advise this HQ if this officer has not yet arrived.

F. J. Noakes.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M.M.I.A.

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Translation AG/11
Ag 12616
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From: M065
To : Liaison Office to Allies 24-10-1944

Subject: IMPERIALI MARIO Capt Cavalry reg. Army

It appears that at 14th Pack Cavalry Group, 13th British Army Corps, 5th Army there are 2 captains.

Capt. Cavalry reg. Army IMPERIALI MARIO
" " " " PISSAVINI ANGELO

We beg you to ask Allied HQ if it is necessary to leave both captains at disposal or if one captain will be enough. If one of them is enough we beg you to discharge Capt. IMPERIALI MARIO

Copy transmitted to Liaison Officer for information.

See folios 754, 847, 866 PTO

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# Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI

DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO - SEZ. SEGRETERIA

Prot. n° 12615 Roma, 24-10-44

OGGETTO: Capitano di cavalleria s.p. IMPERIALI Mario.

Cavalry Capt. Inf

M.M.A.A. FILE REF Date 26/10

UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTO CON GLI A.A.

SEDE

Risulta che al 14° Gruppo Salmerie Cavalleggeri Guide,, 13° C.A. Inglese, V^ Armata vi sono due capitani:

il Cap.no di cavall. s.p. IMPERIALI Mario ed

il Cap.no di cavall. cpl. PISSAVINI Angelo

Pregasi chiedere al Comando Alleato se è necessario lasciare i due sopraindicati capitani al predetto reparto o se basta uno.

Nel secondo caso pregasi chiedere se si può levare il capitano di cavalleria IMPERIALI Mario per trasferirlo ad un reparto del

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Cavalry Castle

FILE REF
Date 7-6-10

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IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

Saluto 1590

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AP/11. 738

Translation

203/33
311-1-1/CA

25 October 1944

From: MOWS
To: MMIA
Subject: Major D'ABRAMO ADELIO

Refer to letter 202nd/CA
311-5-1

See folios 156 Nutel
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With a/m letter I asked approval to replace & release from the army Major D'ABRAMO.
From a recent administrative inspection it has emerged that many irregularities have been committed by a/m Officer at O/C of 921st port detachment. - It was noted that contraband quantity of materials which should have been 158 issued to the troops were stocked at the Warehouse

See folios 553 & 554 for detail PTO
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The officer has been sentenced with 10 days close arrests. —

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VE/ps MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 303133/C.A. *Allegati* ____
311-I-1

*Risposta al f. del* ____

*Roma,* 25 ottobre 1944

*Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N°* ____

*OGGETTO:* Maggiore D'Abramo Adelio.

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*Al* LA M. M. I. A. ROMA

AQ

26/10

A seguito foglio 302707/C.A. 311-I-1 con cui chiedevo il benestare per la sostituzione e il collocamento in congedo dell'ufficiale in oggetto, segnalo che da una recente ispezione amministrativa effettuata al 921° Reparto portuale da lui comandato sono emerse numerose irregolarità fra cui il fatto che presso il reparto giacevano notevoli economie di viveri che avrebbero dovuto esse

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A seguito foglio 302707/C.A. 311-I-1 con cui chiedevo il benestare per la sostituzione e il collocamento in congedo dell'ufficiale in oggetto, segnalo che da una recente ispezione amministrativa effettuata al 921° Reparto portuale da lui comandato sono emerse numerose irregolarità fra cui il fatto che presso il reparto giacevano notevoli economie di viveri che avrebbero dovuto essere invece distribuiti alla truppa. 1583

L'ufficiale è stato punito con 10 giorni di arresti di rigore.

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA
(generale G.B.Oxilia)

G. Oxilia

ESENTE DA BOLLI E DIRITTI DI STATO

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AQ/11
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Translation

(674)

Ref. 20 3146 / CA
311-I-7

From: MOW
To: MMIA
Subject: 2nd Lt. CALLEJA Alberto
25 October 1944

With reference to letter AQ/11 dated Oct. 6th

A/m officer, with decree dated 12/9-1944, has been temporarily deprived of his rank owing to having been denounced to the War Military Tribunal of Catanzaro for desertion & theft of military property.

Therefore a/m officer will not be promoted until his penal & disciplinary position has been definitely settled.

By Telex AA/AA, 28/10

JE-MICHELIS.

See Folio 938 Pol/Secret

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# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 203146/311-I-1 *C.A. Allegati* ____

*Risposta al f.° del* ____

*Roma,* 28 ottobre 1944

*Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N.°* ____

*OGGETTO:* S.Ten.Calleri Alberto.

2nd Lieut A

Al LA M. M. I. A. ROMA

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Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 6 ottobre.

L'ufficiale in oggetto, con Decreto del 12-7-1944, è stato sospeso precauzionalmente dal grado in seguito a denuncia al Tribunale Militare di Guerra di Catanzaro per diserzione e furto militare.

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LA M. M. I. A. ROMA

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L'ufficiale pertanto non potrà essere preso in esame per l'avanzamento fino a quando non sarà stata definita la sua posizione penale e disciplinare.

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d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col. di S.M. E.De Michelis)

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SUBJECT: Nominal Rolls-Amendments.

Military Mission
ITALIAN ARMY
ROME
AQ/11
25 October 1944.

O.C. Br. Cadre, 14 Cavalry Group
RASC-CMF.

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Ref. your 14/PC/IT/9 of 21/10/44.

1. The list of amendments to Nominal Roll of 14 Italian Pack Tpt Coy, is returned herewith as not being required by this Hq.

2. Our letter AQ/11 of 23 October refers. 732

S P Archer Capt.

S.P.ARCHER, Capt. FOR
AA & QMG.
M.M.L.A.

SPA/ag

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SUBJECT: Documentation - Italian Army Units

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AG/11

25 Oct. 44

TO: OC. 1000 (I) ST. Sy.
OC. 1001 (I) ST. Sy.

1. This H.Q. has received your Field Return dated 23 Sept. 1944, in respect of the Italian Army Unit (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.) under your Command.

2. The internal administration, and documentation of Italian Army Units (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.) remains a responsibility of the Italian Ministry of War, who receive strength returns through normal Italian Channels.

3. Field Returns (A FsW3009/9) are NOT, therefore, required by this H.Q. in respect of Italian Army Personnel (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W.).

S. P. Archer Capt.

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Lt. Col. AA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/ri

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - officers

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11
24 October 1944

MINISTRY OF WAR

1004 (I) G. T. Coy

2/Lt CHIEPPA Pasquale
2/Lt MAIZZANI Giovanni
2/Lt SBLENDORIO Giuseppe

1. As will be seen from the attached reports, the junior officers of the above mentioned Italian Unit are far from satisfactory.

2. You will please make the necessary arrangements to post suitable officers to 1004 (I) G.T. Coy to replace the above named officers, consideration being given to the request of O.C. 1004 (I) G.T. Coy for Lt Del BALZE Luigi and 2/Lts D'AQUINE Eduardo and VACCA Armando to be posted to the unit under his comd.

3. It is recommended that 2/Lt SBLENDORIO be posted to another unit; and that 2/Lt MAIZZANI, who under no circumstances will be given 90 days leave (14 days being the maximum permissable), be demobilised forthwith.

F. J. Noakes.
F. J. NOAKES, Lt Col,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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SPA/wk

Copy to: HQ 3 Dist, Eastern Div for info
O.C. British Cadre RASC, 1004 (I) GT Coy
(your 1004/15/2 of 12 Oct refers) L97/1

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See folios 744
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+806
& 823 for details

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Translation

From: 1004th Drivers Unit HQ — Ref: 365

To : British Cadre 1004th Coy HQ — 11 October 1944

Subject: Replacement of officers.

The u/m subalterns actually attached to 10th Drivers Group - Naples, could replace 2nd Lts MAIZZANI and CHIEPPA who will be sent on leave and fill existing vacancies:

Lt DEL BALZO LUIGI
2nd Lt D'AQUINO EDUARDO
2nd Lt VACCA' ARMANDO

Maj ROLANDO MATURI

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Report on 2nd Lt. CHIEPPA PASQUALE - Class 1920.

A/m Officer is not gifted with outstanding intellectual qualities, but has sufficient technical knowledge to be a platoon commander.

He has asked a leave because he is to undergo University exams by the end of November 44, and is therefore to be replaced by another officer.

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Report on 2nd Lt. MAIZZANI GIOVANNI - Class 1919.

A/m Officer is of MT. Corps. He has shown little sense of responsibility and his work has not been satisfactory. 1581

During the months of June, July, August and September he has been severely reprimanded and has been punished 3 times with open

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During the months of June, July, August and September he has been severely reprimanded and has been punished 3 times with open arrests. A/m officer has asked a 90 day leave for serious family motives.

Leave can be granted but the a/m officer is to be replaced by another officer before he is sent on leave.

It is proposed that at the end of the leave, a/m officer be sent to another unit.

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Report on 2nd Lt. SBLENDORIO GUISEPPE - Class - 1916

A/m officer is of M.T. Corps. Generally speaking, his conduct leaves much to be desired owing to irresponsibility, in excess of familiarity with his men - an excess of love for comfort.

He has been often reprimanded and punished with 70 days close arrests.

A/m officer is actually on convalescence leave and I do not wish that at end of the leave he return to this Unit. Therefore, I ask that a/m officer be replaced.

MATURI

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CMF
Office of the Chief of Staff

Tel. 735

Ref : 3616/11/COS

AQ/11 24 October 1944
24/10

SUBJECT : General Nicola Mellomo of Bari

TO : Army Sub-Commission

1. The attached letter from CA 2 War Office is passed to you for action.

2. Please submit reply for signature of C of S.

Applied
30/10/44
for EPB Org 27/10/44
SPA
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E. Worden.
Captain.

Lee Folio 760

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

24 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

Capt. MENITONI.
Capt. CELENTANO.

1. Adverse reports, as in paras 2 and 3, have been received from the Allied Commander of 1005 (I) G.T.Coy., in respect of the above named officers.

2. Capt. Menitoni.
This officer is 51 years of age. His knowledge of M.T. is very limited and he rarely carries out in a satisfactory manner any task allotted to him. His work is very slow and muddle-headed.

3. Capt.Celentano.
This officer has proved himself to be thoroughly unreliable. He lacks disciplinary power of control. He has very limited knowledge of Administration, military cleanliness, or Hygiene.

4. You will please arrange to replace Capt. Celetano with a suitable officer as soon as possible.

5. Capt. Menitoni, who is at present surplus to the War Establishment of 1005 (I) G.T.Coy., should be demobilised on the grounds of his age.

6. Please advise this HQ of the action taken. 1578

7. This matter should be treated as urgent.

F.J.Noakes
F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

Copy to: HQ 1 Dist.(your ST/212 of 20 Oct refers) — 722

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SUBJECT: Documentation - Italian Army Units

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AQ/11

23 Oct 44

TO: (See below)

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S.P. Archer Capt.

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Lt. Col. AA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/ri

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R.A.T.D.
1002 Gt. Stlg.
4 (Bt.) C.R.U.
1001 Gt. Stlg.
1000 —do—
14 Gt Pack Lg.
250 Mule Pack Lg.
723 Const. Works. Coy RE. (for 917 Refuse Loading Unit)
786 Lg. RASC (Pack Transport).

See folios 736 + 742 + 744/2

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From SMRE To. MMIA Ref. 12443

Subject Lgt Antonio Fraasca Date Oct 22.

Ref. # 5-30/2 5th Jacket
Ref. # 9/11 dated Aug 24, 1944

Lgt Antonio FRASCA's record has reported to 212 Italian Hosp that no leave was granted to said MD.

On August 20, Lgt FRASCA went on unauthorized leave and on Sept 20 he was transferred to reception center (Military Department of CAGLIARI).

NA 26/10 AA (Lgd) Gen Staff 1570

Cpl. Colantini

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T.P.A.M. 3 pos. 30/10

**STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO**
UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

P. M. 151, li 22 ottobre 1944

Al LA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO M.M.I.A.
ROMA

N° 12493 / SP. 1 di prot.
Allegati N. .....

rif. I. AQ/11 in data 24 agosto 1944 -

OGGETTO: Sergente Antonio FRASCA -

Rgf.

M.M.I.A. AQ
FILE REF 11
Date rec'd 24/10/1

Il Comando dal quale dipende il sottufficiale in oggetto ha riferito, al Comando Italiano 212, che allo stesso non venne concessa alcuna licenza.

Il sergente FRASCA il 20 agosto 1944 si allontanò arbitrariamente e il 20 settembre u.s. venne trasferito nella forza del centro di mobilitazione (D.M. Cagliari).

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
(Alessandro Santi)

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From: 34th Engineer Regt
To: Delegation A.S.M.R.E.
for info to MMA
Subject Telegram

Ref. 340/R
Date Oct 22, 1944

AG
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Date Rec'd 25 Oct

Reference tele No. 5912 of 5/10/44.
Please note that this Hq. has not been a suitable officer available to send to the 562/4 Mine lifting Coy. in PESCARA. One will be sent as soon as possible.

(sgd) Col MESSORE

sgd. - U.S. Calamandrei

Noted.
24/10

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DA IO/° REGGIMENTO GENIO S. MARIA CAPUA VETERE

AT DELEGAZIONE 'A' S.I.S.M.E. Posta M. I85

et per conoscenza at M.M.I.A.

O 2 TM DA S. MARIA CAPUA VETERE I5I9 - 34/M 22/IO/44 I6IO

DA IC° REGT. Genio S. MARIA CAPUA VETERE
AT MINISTERO GUERRA UFFICIALI et per conoscenza at Delegazione "A"S.M.E.E.

NR° 3469/R Riferimento tele nr° 59I20/3/MOV comunicasi che questo comando non habet disponibile ufficiale subalterno da avviare at 562/A Compagnia rastrellamento mine in Pescara alt sarà provveduto non appena possibile alt Firmato Colonnello MESSORE

IN CHIARO " IN CIFRA " IMPORTAT

FIRMA _____ " FIRMA _____ "

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HEADQUARTERS
ADRIATIC DEPOT
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 388

210.2 (BDCO) 19 October 1944

SUBJECT: Promotion of Lt. GATTA Guglielmo.

TO : Commanding General, Army Sub-Commission MMIA, Hq, A.C.C. (Attn: Lt. Colonel NOAKES).

1. Information necessary to accomplish promotion of subject officer as required by letter, your headquarters, reference AQ/II, dated 13 September 1944, was submitted to Italian Liaison Officer, Headquarters, No. 2 District, 20 September 1944.

2. Request this Headquarters be advised of status of this recommendation for promotion.

For the Commanding Officer:

ROBERT A. RUEGGESGER,
1st Lt., A.G.D.,
Adjutant.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

22 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

2/Lt.FUOCO RENATO
S.P.E.Automobile Sec.

1. This HQ has been requested to obtain information and location in respect of the above named officer.

2. Will you please make investigations and inform this HQ of the results of your enquiries.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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See folio 719 + 804/2
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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

22 Oct 44

HQ 5 District, Eastern Det.
C. M. F.

Maj. D'ABRAMO Adelio.

1. Under the existing regulations the above named officer, O.C.921 Port Det. BARLETTA, is due for demobilisation on the grounds of age.

2. He will be replaced by Lt.Col. ANDRIULLI Francesco, who will take over before Maj. d'Abramo's demobilisation.

3. The replacement and demobilisation will be made under arrangements of the Ministry of War.

4. Will you please say if the above arrangements are agreeable to you.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

See folio 7167
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(2) Doc ~~21601~~ AG 11 ~~400~~ 726/2

Translation.

From M.f.O
to MMIA.

Ref n° 302602
Date 21 oct 44

Statement of Gen FERRONI.

Gen. FERRONI VITO informed us that he went to LEGHORN authorised by Allied Authorities, to visit his flat which he found occupied by officers of the P.B.S. and a great part of his furniture was missing.

he learned that some of his furniture was at present in other flats of the same propriety but was refused the permission to return it to his flat.

moreover he was treated in an humiliating way by an American Apt named "FRANCO" who even though the General was in uniform took him by the arm and sent him away.

The General request that he be allowed

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moreover he was treated in an humiliating way by an American Apt named "FRANCO" who even though the General was in uniform took him by the arm and sent him away.

The General request that he be allowed to seek and bring back to his own flat, his belongings at present dispersed in various parts of the Building and in the garage and garden

The General being an old and gallant soldier, we beg HMIA to consider the petition of General FERRONI

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1 Cr 1/2 28/10.

Cer folio 900, 8 Stadt

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VE/ba

# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

Prot. N° 302602/C. A. Allegati

Risposta al f. del

Roma, 21 ottobre 1944

Div. Sez. N°

OGGETTO Esposto del generale Ferroni -

Report of Gen Ferroni

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|---|---|
| M.M.I.A. | A-2 |
| File Ref | 6 1 |
| Date Rec'd | 22 10 |

Al LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

Il Generale Vito Ferroni mi ha presentato un esposto nel quale riferisce di essersi recato a Livorno, debitamente autorizzato dalle Autorità Alleate, per visitare il suo appartamento che trovava occupato da ufficiali del P.B.S. e mancante di gran parte dei mobili e delle masserizie.

Veniva a sapere che alcuni suoi mobili si trovavano in altri locali dello stesso fabbricato ma gli veniva negato il permesso di farne ricerca.

Veniva anche trattato in modo umiliante da un caporale americano, chiamato "Franco" che, sebbene il generale fosse in divisa,

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Il generale chiede di essere autorizzato a ricercare e raccogliere nel suo appartamento tutte le cose di sua proprietà 1536 almente sparse in vari locali e persino in un garage e in giardino.

Trattandosi di un vecchio e valoroso soldato, prego cotesta Missione di volere aderire al desiderio del Generale Ferroni -

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA
(Gen.G.B.Oxilia)

G. Oxilia

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CO 11/4 P File 724/1

Translation

From: Consorzio Agrario Provincial

To : Hq FROSINONE Military District.

Subject: Exemption from military service.

Driver SODANI CATALDO is under the command of this Consorzio Agrario Provinciale, as driver of the car which is used for services done for A. M. G.

Bearing in mind the orders in force, we request that you exempt him temporarily from recall to arms.

(sgd) The Director

OFFICIAL STAMP FROSINONE PROVINCE

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Translation

From: Hq FROSINONE Province 16/10/44

To : Hq FROSINONE Mil. District

Subject: Call to arms for military service.

1. Until further orders the drivers who work at the "CONSORZIO AUTOTRASPORTI" in FROSINONE are exempted from the obligation to report for military service.

/s/J. B. THORNHILL
Lt. Colonel
Provincial Commissioner

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11
21 October 1944

To : Civil Affairs Sub Commission
Patriots Branch, HQ ACC.

6981/1

Ref our AQ/11 of 13 Oct 44 and ref conversation Col McArthy and Capt Archer

1. Will you please amend para 2 of the above quoted letter to read; "Officers in receipt of full pay and allowances will be withdrawn within one month of the date of this letter. The remaining officers i.e., those on the active list but unemployed, may continue their work with the Patriot Groups but are liable to be recalled to military duty by the Ministry of War at any time".

F. J. NOAKES, Lt Col,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

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Copy to 'G' MMIA

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SUBJECT: Documentation - Italian Army Units.

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AQ/11
21 October 1944

TO: GHQ 2nd Echelon C.M.F.

Ref. your 02E/R8/GEN/13 of 12 Oct.

1. The nominal rolls in respect of personnel of 14 Italian Pack Tpt Coy, forwarded with your above quoted letter are NOT required by this HQ.

2. The internal administration and documentation Italian Army Units (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W) remains a responsibility of the Italian Ministry of War.

3. Strength returns in respect of Italian Army Personnel (as opposed to Co-operators/Ps.W) are therefore, forwarded through Italian channels to the Italian Ministry of War.

F.J. Noakes

F.J. NOAKES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A

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Subject: Italian [redacted] personnel. 14/PC/IT/8.

To: MMIA. CMF.

Ref. GHQ 2nd Echelon letter 02E/R8/Gen/13, dated 12 Oct 44. Casualties and amendments to Nominal roll will be forwarded to your HQ unless otherwise notified.

Any further information can be supplied from this HQ.

AQ/11
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Field.
20/10/44.

BRITISH CADRE 14 (CAV. G.P.)
REF. 14/PC/35/2.
ITALIAN PACK TPT. COY. R.A.S.C.

Major.
British Cadre 14 (Cav. Gp.)
Italian Pack Tpt. Coy. R.A.S.C.

N.A
AQ 26/10

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Lt. Col. FERRETTI

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11
20 October 1944

To : HQ 3 District, Eastern Section
for D.D. Tn (Docks).

584 bod jacket

Further to this HQ letter AQ/11 of 9th Sept (copy to you).

1. Information has now been received from, Ministry of War that Lt. Col Ferretti is to remain in command of 922 (I) Docks Operation Coy, and that the posting of Lt. Col. BOLOGNINI has been cancelled.

S P Archer Capt.

S. P. ARCHER, Capt,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

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CONFIDENTIAL 722

Subject:- Italian Officers -
1005 Coy (It.GT)

HQ 1 District CMF
Tel Ext 19

ST/212
20 Oct 44

MMIA, ROME

MMIA FILE REF A/5 1/4 Date Recd 22 10

Copy to:- MMIA LO 1 District

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Reference your AQ/11 dated 9 Oct 44.

Herewith copy of reports submitted by OC Br Cadre, RASC, 1005 Coy (Italian Gen Tpt) :-

(a) Capt MENITOMI

This officer is 51 years old and acts like a man 10 years older. He knows little or nothing of M.T. and rarely carries out satisfactorily any task allotted to him. His work is exceedingly slow and he is very muddle-headed.

He is in every way unsuitable for a Coy of this nature.

The question of replacement of this officer was originally taken up with HQ 2 District on 21 July 44.

(b) Capt CELENTANO

This officer has proved himself to be thoroughly unreliable.

The platoon of which he was in command was run exceedingly badly. He gave permission to a junior officer to go to AVEZZANO without any authority whatsoever and when the officer did not return denied for a period of three weeks both to his OC and officers of this Cadre any knowledge of the officer's whereabouts.

This officer has been a constant source of bother since he joined the unit and he knows little or nothing of discipline, administration or military cleanliness and hygiene.

attn 15 Hq N 23/10
Copy to 1 Dist See folio 731 4336

Ch. Moretti Capt
for Colonel,
Deputy Director of Supplies & Transport.

In the Field. SPH.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394.

REFERENCE: G-1B/606/12/I. 19 Oct 44.

SUBJECT: Italian Platoon Officer.

TO: M.M.I.A.

AQ 11 2010

Ten. GENCHI. Domenico

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Further to this HQ letter numbered as above dated 16 Oct 44.

1. It would be appreciated if an officer to replace the above named could be provided as early as possible. No.2000 G.D.Platoon is now located in a forward area, and a really efficient officer is necessary to look after the well-being of the men.

2. A report on Lt.Genchi has been called for and will be forwarded to you as soon as I receive it. In the meantime I should be very grateful if you could provide a replacement, as his work is not satisfactory.

R. H. Farren
~~R.H.~~FARREN,
Colonel,
Executive Officer,
For Acting Chief Commissioner.

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RS.

See folio 798/1

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T O M e l a t e x n

From War Ministry Ref 2905 2/5a

To Gen Dir. Officer Personnel Date Oct 1 1944

q for info to 2nd Sec

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– Pursuant to letter 2 Sec 3/1/5a dated
Oct 10 Please send negative letter
expressing the assignment of Capt.
AMMIRATO GIUSEPPE to LE ECOLE mentioned
Declaration marchande, mariniers de
Subsistance Reserve LT MICELI IGNAZIO
has already been declared ET TRANSITO
nation Distribution marchande
directly by Commissariat D 15 Interior
of WAR.

cpl. 20. NFR
SPA
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(Pelligra)

21 Oct 44

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CO Translation
From War Meeting
To Dmecamus B+R1
Subject Telegram.

Ref 2905/1/SE (2)
Date

Reply to your 5/2&/11/44 Date 10th inst

We enable the measures mentioned in Telegram No 2823/1/SE Dated 8th inst ①
The assignment of Lieutenant Reserve Captain ANNICCHIARICO GIUSEPPE to the LECCE station is sanctioned ① A regular letter of appointment follows from General Directorate concerned ①

Ltpl. (2)

Pellegrini

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Ref. S/28/11/44
Date 10 Oct 1944
S & T. MMA.
Rec'd 19 Oct
File ST/

Translation

From: Duncannon BARI
TO. War Monetary, Impreebonale
Subject Telegram

Reply to letter 2423/2/54 ○ LT MICELI IGNAZIO has already been declined as consignee by TARANTO motivation recommended as requested in your cited letter 5/2478 dated September 1944 ○ An exchange of orders already in progress cited as the damaged ○ Substitute Rec. Captain ANNICCHIARICO GIUSEPPE who has relinquished his 30 day convalescence leave in order to assume the position of consignee immediately, has already been 15 ... To LE CCL motor vehicles ○ Please cancel this last designation opl (25).

(Col La ZARA)

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COPIA TELEGRAMMI

DA DIRECOMMILES BARI AT GUERRA COMMISSARIATO
5/2811/4 RISPONDE 2823/I/SE ALT TENENTE MICELI IGNAZIO GIA' DESTINATO CONSEGNATARIO MAGAZZINO VIVERI TARANTO COME COMUNICATO AT CODESTO ISPET=TORATO CON FOGLIO 5/27/8 DATA 1[illegible] SETTEMBRE SEMI ALT SONO GIA' IN CORSO SCAMBIO CONSEGNE CON TENENTE DE PALO DA RICOLLOCARE CONGEDO ALT AT MA=GAZZINO VIVERI LECCE GIA'DESTINATO CAPITANO SUSSISTENZA COMPLEMENTO ANNICCHIARICO GIUSEPPE CHE ABET RINUNZIATO LICENZA CONVALESCENZA GIORNI TRENTA PER ASSUMERE SUBITO CARICA CONSEGNATARIO ALT PREGASI SANZIONARE QUESTA ULTIMA DESIGNAZIONE ALT — COLONNELLO LA ZARA

DA GUERRA COMMISSARIATO AT DIRECOMMILES BARI

N° 2905/I/SE ALT RISPONDE VOSTRO 5/28/11/4 DATA 10 CORRENTE ALT REVOCASI PROVVEDIMENTO CUI TELEGRAMMA N° 2823/I/SE DATA 8 CORRENTE ALT STA BENE DESTINAZIONE CAPITANO SUSSISTENZA COMPLEMENTO ANNICCHIARICO GIUSEPPE AT MAGAZZINO VIVERI LECCE ALT SEGUE REGOLARE DISPACCIO SANZIONE DIREZIONE GENERALE COMPETENTE ALT PROMINISTRO GUERRA PELLIGRA

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direzione Generale Servizi di Commissariato
ISPETTORATO

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N° 2905 di prot.I/Se P.M.151,li 1[illegible] ottobre 1944

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE PERS.UFFICIALI-Div.Movimento
S E D E

e per conoscenza:
ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALLEATA PER L'ESERCITO
(M.M.I.A.) R O M A

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direzione Generale Servizi di Commissariato
ISPETTORATO

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N° 2905 di prot.I/Se P.M.151,li 1° ottobre 1944

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE PERS.UFFICIALI-Div.Movimento
S E D E

e per conoscenza:
ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALLEATA PER L'ESERCITO
(M.M.I.A.) R O M A

.....a seguito attergato n.2823/I/Se data 9 corrente mese, con preghiera di far seguire regolare dispaccio sanzione di assegnazione del Capitano sussistenza complemento ANNICCHIARICO Giuseppe al magazzino distribuzione viveri di Lecce, in quanto il Tenente sussistenza compl. MICELI Ignazio è risultato già destinato al magazzino distribuzione viveri di Taranto direttamente dalla Direzione di commissariato di Bari.

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
(Gen.Div.Raffaele Pelligra)

Pelligra

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INTER-OFFICE REFERENCE SHEET - FIFTH ARMY

OFFICE G-4 FILE NO. SUSPEND DATE

Subject: Location of Soldier

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| IN No. | From | To | Date |
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| | Sr MMIA LO | HQ MMIA | 19 Oct 1944 |

For necessary action.

R.C. VanKirk
R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Infantry,
Sr. (MMIA) L.O.,
5th Army.

NO L. on 6 Nov
LO 5 Armies info
9 Nov

Ltr Dep
Ltr Rec'd Info
to 22/10

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MMIA - AG 11 10

Sign each indorsement with last name in full. Draw line at end of your action. Use entire width of sheet for large indorsements. If additional sheets are needed use this form, numbering all pages, use only one side. Keep attached to this correspondence to be filed therewith.

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REMARKS

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From B. W. Saurel

B. W SAUREL

Lt Col, A G D

(Initials & Section)

Asst. Adjutant General

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No. 1018 Date: 15 Oct 44

From: AG

To: G-2 Translation Dept.

Received: 0800 hours

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REMARKS: Please Translate.

From

B. W. SAURER
Lt Col. A.G.D.,
Asst. Adjutant General
(Initials & Section)

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HEADQUARTERS
FIFTH ARMY
G-2 SECTION
TRANSLATION DEPARTMENT

No. 1018

16 Oct 1944

Translation of attached document follows:

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MILITARY HEADQUARTERS OF CAMPANIA

File No. 12927 P.M. 120, 29 Sept 1944

SUBJECT: Information on whereabouts of soldiers

To: The Liaison Officer
with the Fifth Army

NAPLES

Mrs. FUOCO ZONA Vittoria, residing in Sessa Aurunca, Piazza Ercole No. 1, requested this headquarters to forward to her information about her son, Second Lieutenant, S.P.E. automobile section, Fuoco Renato, son of Giuseppe. In the month of May he passed the line near Anzio to visit the Headquarters of the Fifth Army.

We ask you to initiate an investigation and to report the results to this headquarters.

By order of the Chief of Staff
Col. Vincenzo d'Arcais

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Comando Militare della Campania
Uff. Terr. Sez. Assistenza

N°.1292/ di prot.Ass. P.M.120?LI 29/9/944

OGGETTO: Ricerca di militare

ALL'UFFICIALE DI COLLEGAMENTO
CON LA 5ª ARMATA AMERICANA
N A P O L I

La signora FUOCO ZONA Vittoria, domiciliata in Sessa Aurunca, Piazza Ercole N°.1 si é rivolta a questo Comando per avere notizie del proprio figlio S.Tenente Automobilistico in S.P.E. FUOCO Renato di Giuseppe, il quale nel maggio u.s. passò le linee presso Anzio e si presentò al Comando della 5ª Armata. Da tale epoca non ha dato più notizie di sé.

Pregasi compiacersi svolgere le opportune indagini e comunicare l'esito a questo Comando.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
Col.Vincenzo d'Arcais

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CONFIDENTIAL

AG 11

Military Mission Italian Army
R O M E

SI/2
19 Oct 44

SUBJECT:- Mountain School C.M.F.

War Ministry (by hand of LO)

Copy to:- AAI (ref 2004/5/3/C(Trg) of 15 Oct)
Mountain School CMF (ref LMT/141/3/MT.2 of 16 Oct.)

1. The Mountain School C.M.F. located at TERMINILLO B.1628 is in need of

(a) an expert in the repair of mountain snow eqpt.

(b) an expert ALPINI offr for attachment to the School.

2. The ALPINI offr would be able to demonstrate Italian ideas on Mountain Warfare, and should also obtain benefit from seeing British and U.S. methods.

3. Please inform this HQ. by L of or telephone, how soon you can make such persons available.

for Major General
M M I A

Internal copy :- A/Q

Sent PDA 21/10

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

19 Oct 44

Civil Affairs Section
Patriots Branch, ACC
709/1

Ref your 104/Pat dated 17 Oct 44. 686

1. Herewith copy of our AQ/11 dated 9 Oct, addressed to Ministry of War (copy to you), for your information.

2. No reply has been received as yet to this letter.

S.P.Archer Capt.
S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Translation AQ11 716

From: Min. of War
To: MMIA

Ref: 302 TDT/CA
311-I-1
Date: 18 Oct. 1944

Subject: Maj. d'ABRAMO, Adelio.

D'ABRAMO, Adelio, Maj., Inf., out of the Regular Army, Commanding officer 921st port detachment of BARLETTA, should be discharged for being over age.

The above officer would be replaced by Lt. Col. ANDRIULLI, Francesco, Inf., Regular Army, an officer of proved capabilities

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The MMIA is asked to authorize the replacement.

letter N°3 Annex 1

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N. a M. Vicholtypt.
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# Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO

n. 202707/C.A.
311-I-1

P.M.151, 18 ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: Maggiore d'Abramo Adelio.




Mag 71

ALLA M. M. I. A. = ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
Divisione Movimento
SEDE

Il maggiore di fanteria di complemento D'Abramo Adelio, comandante del 921° reparto portuale di Barletta, dovrà essere collocato in congedo per avere raggiunto i limiti di età.

Il predetto ufficiale verrebbe sostituito col Ten.Col.di fanteria in servizio permanente effettivo Andriulli Francesco, ufficiale di provata capacità.

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Oggetto: Maggiore di fanteria [illegible]

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Date Rec'd 19 10

ALLA M. M. I. A. = ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

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Prego codesta Missione di volere autorizzare la sostituzione.

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA
(generale G.B.Oxilia)

G. Oxilia

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SIGNAL MESSAGE

DATE TIME

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From: MEIA

To: 54 AREA

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FOR MEIA LO (.) PARIS ROME AREA _____ PARIS (.)

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

18 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

2/Lt.FAZZINI EMILIO. )
2/Lt.PERFUMO GUISEPPE.) 1003 (I) GT Coy.
2/Lt.PICCOLI GIOVANNI.) (Br-Iti)

1. This HQ has been informed that the first two officers named above have been struck off the strength of 1003 (I) GT Coy for reasons of sickness.

2. The third officer named above is due to be released from Military Service due to his age.

3. It is requested that replacements for these three officers be provided without delay.

4. Please make the necessary arrangements and inform this HQ of the action taken.

See folio 701/1 & 712
& 477047??

SPA/hh

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

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Officers 1022 Truck Company.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11
18 Oct 44

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MINISTRY FOR WAR

1. Attention is invited to attached copy of letter signed by 1st Lt.J.W.Bradham, which has been concurred in by the Commanding General, Fifth Army.

2. You will at once -

(a) Relieve Capt. Del Monte,Eugio, from command of the 1022 Truck Coy. and demobilize him from the Army.

(b) Select and send an officer of proper rank to command the 1022 Truck Company.

(c) Advise this HQ when action has been taken as indicated in (a) and (b) above.

CLAYTON F.AERR Colonel
For Major General
M. M. I. A.

CFK/hh

Copy to: CG 5 Army.

MMIA LO 5 Army.

Letter for 5th Army per AG 10 Reg 31 Ord SPA 8/11

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.
2/Lt.Fazzini Emilio.
2/Lt.Perfumo Guiseppe.
2/Lt.Piccoli Giovanni.
1003 (I)GT Coy.(Br-It1).

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

18 Oct 44

HQ 3 District (2)

701/1

Ref your 159a of 14 Oct 44.

It is confirmed that, as requested by O.C.Br Cadre 1003 (I) GT Coy, in his letter of 6th Oct, the Ministry of War has been asked to provide replacements for the a/m Italian Officers; and have been instructed to inform this HQ when they have been posted.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

See folio 714 & 720

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

18 Oct 44

H.Q.,A.A.I.
C. M. F.
5961 6th Jacket

Lt.CIRONE
Officer i/c 810 Plotone Radiocontrollo.

Ref your 2706X 15B of 11 Sept, and further to AQ/11 of 28 Sept 44. — 654 6th Jacket.

1. The Ministry of War has informed this HQ that the a/m officer is to be transferred from 810 Plotone Radiocontrollo, and replaced by Lieut. Francioni William.

2. If this posting is not implemented within a reasonable time, please advise this HQ when hastening action will be taken.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

18 Oct 44

H.Q.,56 Area,
C.M.F.

Lt.Col.CATALANO Francessco.

696 Ref your 56A/224/31/A of 8 Sept 44. 592 Lett Packet.

1. A copy translation of the Ministry of War reply to our letter, AQ/11 of 19 Sept (copy to you), is forwarded for your information. 632 Lett Packet

2. From this reply, it appears that the a/m officer should have known, that by the terms of his re-employment, he was liable to be released from Military duties at the discretion of the Ministry of War.

3. This retirement under these circumstances, therefore, shows no adverse reflection upon Lt.Col.Catalano's work or abilities, which have been appreciated by the Allied Commanders under whom he has worked.

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F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APO 394

Ref: 104/Pat.

17 October 44

SUBJECT: Liaison Officers

To: M.M.I.A.
(For the attention of Lt.Col. Ingledew)

Reference 104/Pat. of 6 October. May we have a reply to this letter please. 1527

As yet no reply has been received from Col Ingledew. *

Sgd (Mayo)

C.D. McCarthy,
Colonel
Patriot Branch.

See Folio 17

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APO 394

Ref : 104/PAT.
6 Oct. 44

SUBJECT : Liaison Officers.

TO : M.M.I.A.
(For the attention of Lt.Col. Ingledew).

Confirming conversation Lt.Col. Ingledew/Col.McCarthy.

1. The attached letter is forwarded for your action. It is hoped that Col. FAVA and Capt. ROCCO will be recalled to the Army and given full housing allowance and rations and full pay.

2. Could a copy of your letter to the Ministry of War be sent to us please.

C.D. McCarthy,
Colonel,
Patriot Branch

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Colonel,
Patriot Branch

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PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO
COMITATO NAZIONALE PER I PATRIOTI

All'A.C. PATRIOTS BRANCH
Oggetto : Ufficiali di Collegamento.

Come noto, prestano servizio presso l'A.C. - Patriots Branch - quali ufficiali di collegamento il Col. FAVA Guido ed il Cap. ROCCO Marino, il primo in Roma fin dal 5 luglio ed il secondo in Firenze dal 15 settembre c.a.

Poichè la loro posizione militare non è stata ancora regolarizzata, si prega codesto Patriots Branch di voler interessare la M.M.I.A. per il richiamo in servizio dei due ufficiali.

Il Generale ODONE
Membro Segretario.

Col. Fava.
Capt. de Rolucant

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

2/Lt. Silvano Vittorio

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
A2/11

17 Oct 44

MMIA LO
8th Army

681/1

1. The Ministry of War has requested this HQ to obtain information concerning the a/m Italian Officer who is, or was, acting as L.O. to 3rd Inf Bde, 1st British Inf Div.

2. Will you please make enquiries concerning this officer and advise this HQ of the results.

S P Archer Capt.

S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Lt.Col.AA & QMG.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Liaison War Ministry. Tomanolatein O Ref 300706/44

To MMIA Date Oct

Subject Lt Col FERRETTI

Ref AQ/11 dated Sept 9. — 584 withdrawal. AQ 11

The assignment of Lt. Col FERRETTI to 405 Inf. Regiment for the 902 Port Unit, as requested by MMIA has been approved with the letter dated Sept 16, 1944. — 621 withdrawal.

The assignment of Lt. Col. BOLOGNINI, to 405th Infantry regiment was revoked by a letter sent on same date.

(Col. De Michelis)

Lt Col (Burton)

AMG/A

15/11 PM.

VE/vc

N. 302 7/4 C.A.

# Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO
~~UFFICIO C.A.~~

P.M. 151, ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: Tenente Colonnello FERRETTI.

Ten Col F

ALLA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

AQ
17/10

Riferimento foglio AQ/II del 9 settembre

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Con dispaccio del 16 settembre é stata sanzionata l'assegnazione del Tenente Colonnello FERRETTI al 405° reggimento Fanteria per il 922 Reparto Portuale, come richiesto da cotesta Missione.

Con dispaccio del giorno stesso é stata revocata l'assegnazione

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OGGETTO: Tenente Colonnello FERRETTI.

Scusi Col →

ALLA M.M.I.A. ROMA

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d'ordine
IL CAPO GABINETTO
(Col. S.M. E. De Michelis)

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers Promotion.
Capt. Jodice Giovanni, 1001 (I)GT Coy.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

17 Oct 44

MMIA LO (2)
Rear HQ 8th Army

577/3 with jacket

595 with jacket

Ref your MM/100 of 5 Sep, and further to AQ/11 of 11 Sep (copy to you).

1. The Ministry of War has informed this HQ that under the existing regulations, it is not possible to promote the a/m officer to the rank of Major.

2. In order that Capt. Jodice may have greater authority over the officers under his command, Capts. Sforza and Cattanco have been posted to other units and replaced by Lieuts. Di Nocua Pietro and Maranelli Adolfo.

S.P. Archer Capt.
S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Lt.Col.AA & QMG.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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706

Subject: Italian Army Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AG/11

16 Oct 44

Claims & Hirings Officer,
53 Claims & Hirings,
C. M. F.

Lieut. Carlo Giovanpietro.

Ref your 53/40615/27/A of 1 Oct 44. 665/1

1. It is regretted that enquiries made at the Ministry of War in respect of the a/m officer, have failed to bring to light his identity or location.

2. This HQ has also failed to discover the significance of the vehicle marking "I.R.S.4", which is considered to be unofficial.

S.P.Archer Capt.

S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Lt.Col.AA & QMG.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

16 Oct 44

Transportation Sub Comm (2)
H.Q. A.C.C.

1024 & 1025 (I) G.T.Coys.

Ref O.C. 1024/1025 (I) G.T.Coy letter of 28 Sept forwarded by you 5th Oct.

1. Ministry of War has informed this HQ that -

(a) Capt. Comanotti Giovanni will be posted away from 1024 (I) GT Coy and will be replaced by Capt. Baldersari (ex 1025 (I) GT Coy).

(b) Lt. Egomi Suppo will be transferred to 1025 (I) GT Coy as O.C. and has been recommended for promotion.

2. You will be informed in due course whether Lt. Suppo's promotion can be granted.

S.P.Archer Capt.

S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Major General
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Tel. Ext. 412

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

REFERENCE : G-1B/606/12/I 16 October 1944

SUBJECT : Italien Platoon Officer.

TO : M.M.I.A.

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Ten. GENCHI Domenico

The above named officer is being withdrawn from N.2000 G.D. Platoon at Venezia Region, and a report will be submitted to you in the course of the next few days.

Could a replacement please be provided for this officer.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT, ESTABLISHMENTS SECTION.

for J.L.JONES,
Lt.Colonel,
G-1 (B)

/pa.

Copy to : Capt. Battioni

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

Atg/11
17/10

R/3289

15 October 1944

SUBJECT: Retention of Ten. Col. Salvatore Vece.

TO : Headquarters
Allied Control Commission
Civil Affairs Section
(Attention: Army Sub-Commission)

1. Attached hereto is translation of a letter from Ten. Col. Ugo Landolfi, who is in charge of the Control Posts of the Black Market Division of Lazio-Umbria Region under Lt. LIPSIUS.

2. This Headquarters would like to retain Ten. Col. Salvatore Vece if at all possible.

For The Regional Commissioner:

John D. Ames
JOHN D. AMES
Lt Colonel, A.G.D.
Executive Officer (Rome)

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26/10

Encl: Letter.

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T R A N S L A T I O N

HQ. AMG. - ROME REGION
Ufficio Staccato presso ASA

File No. 652 Rome, 12 October 1944

SUBJECT: Ten.Col.Salvatore VECA

TO : BLACK MARKET CONTROL DIVISION.

With reference to our letter dated 3rd September we inform you that Ten.Col.Salvatore VECA, at present charged with the organization of Control Posts, has been recalled to serve with the Army and, therefore, he would have to leave his present employment these days.

Considering the fact that the work of the above officer is essential for the functioning of our office, we request you to intervene immediately at the Ministero della Guerra-Gabinetto obtaining that the order which recalls Ten.Col.Veca on military duty be kept in suspense until a decision is issued upon the application for definitive assignment of Ten.Col.Veca to the Black Market Control Division submitted to the Allied Command.

THE OFFICER DELEGATED BY THE ALLIED COMMAND
sgd. Ten.Col.Dr. Ugo LANDOLFI

1527

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C C N.° TPA 703
11/10

VE/ba.

# Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO

N. 202561/C.A.

P.M.151, 15 ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: Capitano Cervinara -
Sostituzione Capt Cervinara - m

ALLA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

AQ
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16/10

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 2 ottobre.

Con dispaccio dell'11 ottobre è stata ordinata la sostituzione del capitano Cervinara, del magazzino distribuzione di Lecce, con il Tenente MICELI, del magazzino distribuzione di Maglie, come richiesto da cotesta Missione.-

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d'ordine

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OGGETTO: Capitano Cervinara -

Sostituzione Capt Cervinara - MI

ALLA M.M.I.A.

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d'ordine

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

(Col.di S.M. G.De Michelis) 152

Ref letter AQ/11 of the 2 oct.

With letter dated 11 oct we have ordered the replacement of Capt CERVINARA of the Depot of LECCE by Lieut. MICELI of the depot of MAGLIE as requested by MMIA

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# MESSAGE FORM

FROM (A) MMIA

Date-Time of origin
151500 A

TO (FOR ACTION) REAR 8TH ARMY

(REF. NO.) AS 2026

RESPRICTED

FOR MMIA LO (.) PAREN ROME AREA _____ PAREN (.)

MINISTRY OF WAR WILL ASK FOR MAJOR MOSCA NOW U.R.E.

210 DIV TO BE RELEASED FOR ATTACHMENT TO FOLGORE

GRUPPO (.) HE WILL BE REPLACED BY MAJOR AGNES (.)

MMIA WILL BE GRATEFUL IF NO OBJECTIONS WILL BE RAISED

TO THIS CROSS POSTING (.) PLEASE ARRANGE

PRECEDENCE Important

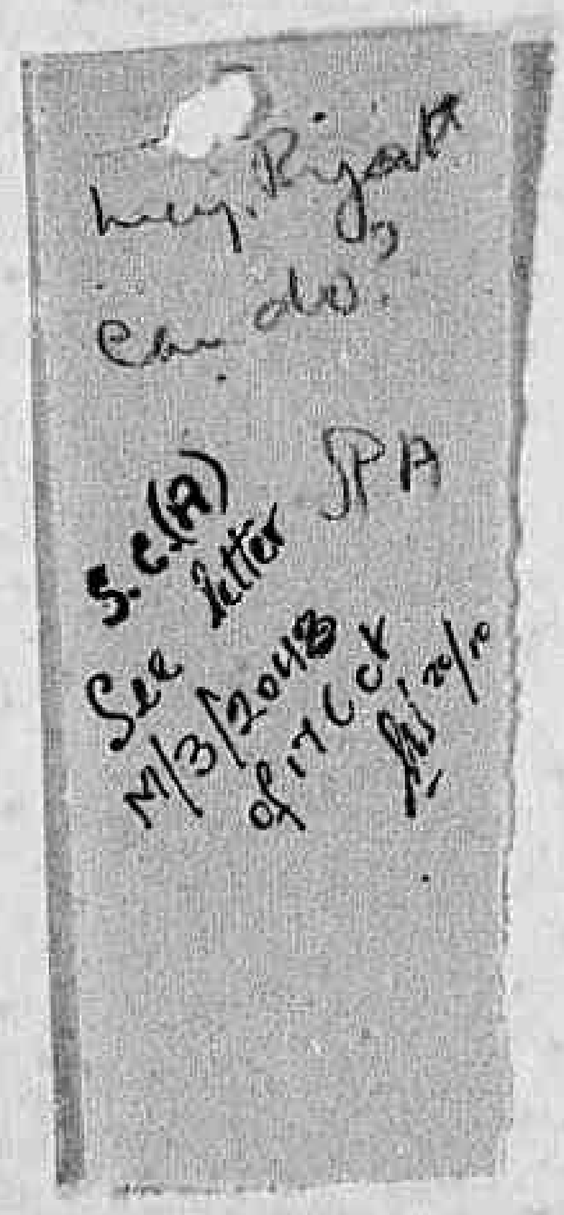
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Copy to: Spec. Branch
R.E.

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No objections from 5 Army
If Agnes regards himself
More Clear
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INTERNAL REFERENCE SLIP - AGF AAA

OF: G-4 FILE NO. SUSPEND DATE

Subject: Italian English speaking Medical Officers

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| Ind. No. | From | To | Date |
|---|---|---|---|
| | XXXXXX XXXX Sr. MMIA LO | HQ MMIA | 14 Oct 1944 |

Request either Capt. Gerosa or Lt. Mazarella, Italian English speaking Medical Officers be assigned as interpreter to 5th Army. The 5th Army Surgeon needs one of these officers in his headquarters to assist him in co-ordinating Italian Medical problems, which are increasing daily, as are the casualties. More hospital space will be needed shortly.

R.C.VAN KIRK,
Major, Infantry,
Sr. (MMIA) L.O.,
5th Army.

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Subject :- Italian Military Personnel.

HQ 55 Area.

AQ/11 55A/75/A.

14 Oct 44.

Military Mission,
Italian Army, ROME.

17/10

Ten. Guglielmo Salvatore. 688

Reference your AQ/11 dated 10 Oct 44.

At the time this HQ left Syracuse the above named officer was still in employment by CEMEC at Syracuse.

It is regretted therefore, that his present whereabouts are unknown to this HQ.

SMRE. HQ. H mm 1 A

SMB/RH.

for Brigadier,
Area Commander.

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SUBJECT: Italian Personnel.

3 District,
Tel Ext 17,
159A.
14 Oct 44.

Main HQ,
MMIA.

S/Ten FAZZINI EMILIO.
S/Ten PERFUMO GUISEPPE.
S/Ten PICCOLI GIOVANNI.

AP
16-10 11
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Reference O.C.1003(1) G.T.Coy's letter A/17/565 dated 6 Oct 44.

May it please be confirmed that replacements for the above-named officers are being provided.

Maj Gen.
Comd.

AKC/SM.

Acted in accordance with instructions Con 3 Dist 16/10/44 FPH 11/16

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A9/11

Translation

From M of W
to MMIA

Ref n° 302683/CA
Date 15 oct 44

Officers of 1024 and 1025 MT coys.

Ref letter A Q 11 of the 27 sept — 649 6th Sackt.

With letter dated 9th of oct. we have ordered the following movements of officers.

Capt. COMONOTTI from 1024 coy to 8th salvage and Repair center.

Capt. SILITTO BALDASARE from 1025 coy to 1024 coy.

Lieut EGOME SUPPE from 1024 to 1025 coy.

We have on other hands assigned a junior officer to 1024 MT coy

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and Repair center.

Capt. SILITTO BALDASARE. from 1023 coy to 1024 coy.

Lieut EGOME SUPPE from 1024 to 1023 coy.

We have on other hands assigned a junior officer to 1024 MT coy

As regards the promotion to a higher rank of Lieut EGOME, we have requested from Depot of 10th MT sqt. the copy of service record of this officer to ascertain the position of this officer as regards seniority in promotion Cadre.

OXILIA.

R Hamilton

Letter 15 C
Typist Sub
15/10
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N.° 1 JPA 15/10

# Ministero della Guerra

## GABINETTO

AQ 1/11 15/10

n. 202683 /C.A.
311-I-1

R.M. 151, 15 ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: ufficiali per 1024ª e 1025ª compagnia autieri

Offerta per 1024ª e 1025ª G.T. Coop

ALLA M.M.I.A.

R O M A

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 27 settembre.

Con dispaccio in data 9 ottobre sono stati ordinati i seguenti movimenti:

Capitano COMONOTI - dalle 1024ª Cp.A.A. all'8° Centro Riparazioni e ricuperi;

Capitano SILLITO Baldassare - dalla 1025ª alla 1024ª cp.A.A.

Tenente EGONE Suppe - dalla 1024ª alla 1025ª cp.A.A.

E' stato inoltre assegnato un Ufficiale subalterno alla 1024ª

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OGGETTO: ufficiali per 1024° e 1025° compagnia artieri

Officers for 1024 and 1025 G.T. Corps

ALLA R. .I.A.

R O M A

Riferimento foglio A0/11 del 27 settembre.

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Capitano CO ONOTTI - dalle 1024^ Cp.A.A. all'8° Centro Riparazioni e ricuperi;

Capitano SIII TO Baldassare - dalla 1025^ alla 1024^ cp.A.A.

Tenente EGOME Suppe - dalla 1024^ alla 1025^ cp.A.A.

E' stato inoltre assegnato un Ufficiale subalterno alla 1024^ cp.A.A.

In merito alla promozione al grado superiore del Tenente EGOME Suppe, è stata richiesta al Deposito 10° reggimento autieri copia dello stato di servizio dell'Ufficiale per esaminare la sua posizione agli effetti dell'avanzamento.

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA
(Generale G.B.Oxilia)

G. Oxilia

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

14 Oct 44

Liaison Officer,
P.W.B., ACC.

Capt.LEANZ NUNZIO di Salvatore.

Ref your letter of 30th Sept 44.-659 6 allegato

1. It is confirmed that the a/m officer cannot be recalled to service and continue to be employed by PWB.

2. As an officer on the Active List, but unemployed, he is liable to be recalled to service by the Ministry of War at any time.

3. Until such recall, however, it is permissible for him to be employed by PWB, as at present.

S.P.Archer Capt

S.P.ARCHER Capt
For Lt.Col. AA & QMG
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Translation.

From Military Det. of VITERBO Ref. 18 799/2

To Municipality of Vda Date Oct 13

Subject Recall to duty of officers.

Reply to lett. 2/2963 dated 21/8/42 — 528/4 5th Jacket

In reference to aforementioned letter, I enclose a copy of the information and Resume Medical Lt. BONSIGNORI LORENZO, to be sent in the address.

This Hq., in agreement with the opinion by the Carabinieri Branch, does not deem it advisable that said officer should resume his duties.

(Sgd) Col. ARMANI VITTORIO)

Cpl. (illegible)

N. 1A
GPA 26/11

DISTRETTO MILITARE DI VITERBO
-Ufficio Comando-

T.O. Mr/dundas
24/10.

nº 14 di prot. Ris.Pers. Viterbo li 13 ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: Richiamo in servizio di ufficiale.-

Recall to duty of Officer

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|---|---|
| M.M.I.A. | Aa |
| FILE REF | 111 |
| Date Recd | 24/10 |

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
-Direzione Generale Personale Ufficiali- R O M A
(risposta al foglio nº 2/2862 in data 21/8/44)

e per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO CORPO ITALIANO DI LIBERAZIONE
POSTA MIL. 155

ALL'ARMY SUB COMMISSION , A.C.C. MAIN H.Q.
R O M A

AL COMANDO DELEGAZIONE "A" S.M.R.E. P. M. 186

ALLA DIREZIONE GEN. DI SANITA' MILITARE R O M A

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In esito al foglio sopracitato, trasmetto, in copia, per l'ente in indirizzo, l'esito delle informazioni sul conto del Tenente medico di complemento BONSIGNORI dott.Lorenzo.-

Questo Comando, associandosi al parere dell'Arma dei CC.RR., non ritiene opportuna la riassunzione in servizio dell'Ufficiale predetto.-

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ALL'ARMY SUB COMMISSION ,A.C.C. [illegible]

R O M A

AL COMANDO DELEGAZIONE "A" S.M.R.E. P. M. 136

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IL COLONNELLO COMANDANTE
(Armani Vittorio)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
INFORMATION AND CENSORSHIP SECTION
**PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH**
ITALIAN THEATRE HEADQUARTERS
P.W.B. UNIT No. 12 U.S.A.P.O. 512

13 oct.44

AG/11

TO : LT.COL.KNOAKES
M.M.I.A.

FROM : LT.COL.P.E.CAYLEY - M.B.E. - K.R.R.C. -
Administrative Officer P.W.B. - Unit n.12

SUBJECT : Attachment of an Italian Officer for duty with P.W.B. - ROME

REF. CAPT.NUNZIO LEANZA - S.P.E. (Servizio Permanente Effettivo)

1. It is requested that you will be so kind as to ask the ITALIAN WAR OFFICE if they will consent to assign the above-named Officer to this Organisation for duty for an indefinite period. Capt.LEANZA has been working here on a temporary basis for some time past and I need his services which I have found most useful in many rather delicate duties.

2. I might add that I understand the WAR OFFICE is expecting this application and is most willing to accede to it on receipt of a request from you. I shall therefore be most grateful for your kind help.

P. E. Cayley
LT.COL.
Administrative Officer

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2nd Byatt. For S/C 'A'

Please ring Col Gayley and tell him your

c). Take certain please that the M/Ls

do forget to post him if they possibly

can.

S.C.(Q)✓ DONE MS 20/10. 18/10/15 151

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A.Q.

This has been subject to previous correspondence.

LEANZA is a regular officer on the Unemployed list but is liable to posting.

P.W.B. have already been informed (AQ/11 dated 14 Oct) that until such time as an officer is recalled to duty, he can be employed by them on civilian basis.

Would you like him (a) to be recalled and posted to PWB as It. officer (L.o) (b) allowed to remain until M. of W find him a job

OR (c) M. of W. told to forget to tell him for time being. leaving him on Unemployed list

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# Partito Fascista Repubblicano

## FASCIO ROMANO DI COMBATTIMENTO

*Roma, li* ..... *1943-XXI*

Il Camerata .....

Paternità ..... Maternità .....

Data e luogo di nascita .....

Residente a ..... Via ..... n. .....

Telefono ..... professione .....

si è presentato oggi ed ha chiesto l'iscrizione al Partito Fascista Repubblicano.

P. IL COMMISSARIO DEL FASCIO ROMANO
(GINO BARDI)

Firma .....

Domicilio .....

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Major Bycalt.

How is LEANZA

held now? on Mow?

1704

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# Partito Fascista Repubblicano

## FASCIO ROMANO DI COMBATTIMENTO

*Roma, li* ..... *1943 XXI*

I Camerata .....

Paternità ..... Maternità .....

Data e luogo di nascita .....

Residente a ..... Via ..... n. .....

Telefono ..... professione .....

si è presentato oggi ed ha chiesto l'iscrizione al Partito Fascista Repubblicano.

p. IL COMMISSARIO DEL FASCIO ROMANO
**(GINO BARDI)**

Firma .....

Domicilio .....

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F.C.

Subject:- Italian Military Personnel - Replacements and Leave

Military Mission Italian Army
R O M E
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13 October 44

O.C. 4 Veterinary Hospital
C.M.F.

1. Under the Terms of instructions only recently issued, the Italian Increment to your unit is under control of HQ AAI.

2. It will therefore be necessary for you to make application to AAI for reinforcements for the Italian Increment, asking for your application to be entered on priority list.

3. Under the recent policy governing the granting of leave, to Italian Military Personnel leave for farming is not permissable.

4. ~~Seven~~ Fourteen days leave, exclusive of travelling may, however be granted on compassionate groundw, with the approval of an Italian Officer of the rank of Colonel or above.

5. Copy of recent instructions on the subject of Leave for Italian Military Personnel is attached for easy reference.

S P Archer Capt

~~P.J. NOAKES Lt Col~~ for
AA & QMG
M. M. I. A

SPA/jrp

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O.C. Advised of letter sent
13/10 SPA

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Subject:- Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Military Mission Italian Army
R O M E
AQ/11

13. October 44

Civil Affairs Sub Commission
Patriots Branch
HQ A.C.C.

Ref correspondence from Presidency of the Council of Ministers (returned herewith).

1. It has been decided that the Officers listed in the a/m correspondence cannot be employed as Regular Officers of the Italian Army, whilst serving with Patriot Groups.

2. These officers must be withdrawn within one month of the date of this letter.

3. The Ministry of War have been informed of the above decisions.

4. The only Italian Army Personnel authorised to work in conjunction with the Patriot Groups are the Screening Agencies as confirmed in this HQ letter TS/G/19 of 29 Sep and amended by TS/G/19 of 12 Oct.

S P Archer Capt.

~~P.J. NOAKES Lt Col~~ A.A.G.
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

SPA/jrp

Copy to:- "G" MMIA

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Para 2 amended by letter 19/10 SPA

See Folio 679/1 + 726

Translation AQ/11 (98)

From War Ministry Ref. 30230 7/CA

To MM 14 Date 12 Oct.

Largest Officers for 1001 M.T Coy

595 6 of 7 Sht

Ref AQ/11 dated 11 September.

This Ministry is sorry not to be able to adhere to the recommendation of MM 14 in regard to the promotion of Capt. GIOVANNI IODICE, inasmuch as the regulations now in force do not permit it.

In order to avoid having three Captains in the same Coy, we have seen to the substitution of Captains S.FORZA and CATELLO

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Cpl (22).

(Gen OXILIA)

altro WO bio 8 AA Army
16/10 SPA.

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# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

SPA
13/10

*Prot. N°* 302307 /C. *Allegati*

*Roma,* 12 ottobre 1944 Col.

*Risposta al f.del*

*Div.* *Sez.* *N°*

*OGGETTO:* Ufficiali per 1001 compagnia automobilisti -

Ufficiali per 1001 Q.T. Bor/

*Al* LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

(rif.fogl.AQ/11 dell'11 settembre)

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Questo Ministero è spiacente di non poter aderire alla raccomandazione di cotesta Missione in merito alla promozione al grado superiore del capitano Giovanni Iodice, in quanto le disposizioni in vigore non lo consentono.

Per evitare che nella stessa compagnia si trovino tre capitani, è stato provveduto, con dispaccio del 6 ottobre, a sostituire i Capitani SFORZA e CATTANEO con i tenenti DI NOCERA Pietro e MARANELLI Adolfo .-

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ROMA

(rif.fogl.AQ/11 dell'11 settembre)

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IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA
(Gen.G.B.Oxilia)

G. Oxilia

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CONFIDENTIAL 697/1

Ref: 1004/15/2

SUBJECT:- Italian Officers

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| Date Rec'd | 19 10 |

M.M. I.A.
ROME

I beg to forward the attached reports on Italian officers in 1004 Coy (Italian Gen Tpt) submitted to me by the O.C. Coy.

I fully concur with the remarks made by the O.C. Coy.

It is requested that replacement officers may be posted at an early date. The standard of N.C.Os. in the Coy is very low and it is therefore considered that it is essential for the officers to be of a very high standard.

O.C. Italian Coy has nominated three officers whom he would like to have posted to the Coy and his letter is also attached.

Reports on two of the officers concerned (Lt Balzzani and Lt Sblendorio) and a request for them to be removed, have already been forwarded to 2 District under cover of this office letter ref 1004/15/2 dated 23 Aug 44 addressed to CRASC 12 Gen Tpt Coln.

C.M.F.
12 Oct 44
JAV/CF

Major RASC
Cmdg British Cadre RASC
1004 Coy (Italian Gen Tpt)

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VE/ba MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 302485/E.A *Allegati* ____

*Risposta al f.° del* ____

*Roma,* 12 ottobre 1944

*Div.* ____ *Sez.* ____ *N°* ____

*OGGETTO:* Ten. Cirone -

*Al* LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 28 settembre.

Il Ten.Cirone, dell'810° Plotone Radiocontrollo, è stato sostituito con dispaccio odierno con il Tenente s.p. e. Francioni William .-

d'ordine

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ROMA

654, 6th Sqt

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Ref. AQ/11 dated Sept 28
Lt. CIRONE of 810
Radio Control Platoon
has been substituted
(not today's letter) by
Lt. FRANCIONI WILLIAM

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col.di S.M.E. De Michelis)

Lt. to
AAI 15/10
SPA

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from: MOUSO

to: MMIA

Translation AQ/11 (696)

ref. 202251/CA

October 12th, 44

Subject: Lt. Col CATALANO FRANCESCO

With ref. to your letter AQ/11 632 6th Sqt dated Sept. 19th

(1) Lt. Col. CATALANO Francesco in 1926 requested to be temporarily released from the Army with the rank of Captain & was later on recalled to duty.

(2) Under present regulations, Officers unemployed, due to strength reductions, even though they may belong to the Regular Army, remain without a definite employment & can only be recalled to duty in a new

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(2) Under present regulations, officers unemployed, due to strength reductions, even though they may belong to the Regular Army, remain without a definite employment + can only be recalled to duty on a temporary basis. Military administration is empowered to order release of such officers, regardless of whether they have reached the age limit or not, immediately the duty for which they were recalled has ceased to be necessary

See folio 10

P.T.O.

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(3) Lt Col CATALANO was released in accordance with para. 2 + he cannot claim to be unaware of the regulations, derived from the policy which tends to reduce the number of officers on duty, re parolees of age + health.

OXILIA.

I know and will do this/action SPA 15/10

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N.° 1 STA 12/10

# Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO

CaN

n.302251 /C.A.

P.M.151, 12 ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: Tenente colonnello CATALANO Francesco

Sf. 601 7

ALLA M. M. I. A.

R O M A

AQ 11 13/10

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 del 19 settembre.

1 - Il Ten.Col.CATALANO Francesco nel 1926 fu collocato a sua domanda in aspettativa per riduzione quadri col grado di capitano e fu successivamente richiamato in servizio.

2 - Per le disposizioni vigenti, gli Ufficiali in aspettativa per riduzione di quadri, pur appartenendo ai ruoli del servizio permanente, sono sprovvisti di impiego in via definitiva e possono essere richiamati in servizio solo temporaneamente. L'amministrazione ha cioè la facoltà di ordinarne il ricollocamento in congedo, indipendentemente dal raggiungimento dei limiti di età, quando non sussistano più le esigenze di servizio che determinarono il richiamo.

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OGGETTO: Tenente Colonnello [illegible]

Ff. Gol 71

ALLA M. M. I. A.

ROMA

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3 - Il Ten.Col.CATALANO è stato collocato in congedo per quanto detto al precedente n°2 ed egli non può ignorare che il provvedimento, dettato dal criterio di ridurre il numero di ufficiali attualmente in servizio, è indipendente dalla sua età.

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA

(generale G.B.Oxilia)

G. Oxilia

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Date Rec'd 13 Oct

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1st Ind.

HEADQUARTERS, 235TH QM BN, MOBILE, APO 464, U.S. Army, 5 October 1944

To: Chief of Transportation, Headquarters Fifth Army, APO 464,
U. S. Army

1. Request any assistance possible toward obtaining an Italian officer who will actually run the 1022 Truck Company (Italian).

2. Conditions as indicated in basic letter are true and have been for the past month.

3. Colonel Fermi of the 525 Inf. Regt and also the Italian Liaison Section of G-4 assured me that he would be replaced some weeks ago and as yet he has not been although at present absent without knowledge or consent of this headquarters.

John M. Kennedy 3rd.

JOHN M. KENNEDY 3rd
Lt. Colonel, QMC.,
Commanding

AG 210.3-AP 2d Ind. ANM/jhb/hal

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY, A. P. O. #464, U. S. Army, 11 October 1944.

To: CG, MMIA, A. P. O. #794, U. S. Army.

Forwarded for consideration and such action as may be deemed advisable.

For the ARMY COMMANDER:

A. N. Miller 1st

A. N. MILLER,
1st Lt., A. G. D.,
Asst. Adjutant General.

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AG 210.3-AP 2d Ind. ADM/jbb/hal
HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY, A. P. O. #464, U. S. Army, 11 October 1944.

To: CO, MILA, A. P. O. #734, U. S. Army.

Forwarded for consideration and such action as may be deemed advisable.

For the ARMY COMMANDER:

A. N. MILLER,
1st Lt., A. G. D.,
Asst. Adjutant General.

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1022 TRUCK COMPANY (ITALIAN)
ATTACHED: 235th QUARTERMASTER BATTALION, MOBILE
APO 464, U. S. ARMY

4 October 1944

SUBJECT: Relief of Commanding Officer.

TO : Commanding Officer, Fifth Army Truck Group, APO 464, U.S.Army.

1. For the good of the orgenization concerned, it is requested that the captain commanding this organization, 1022 Truck Company, (Italian), be relieved of his command.

2. The officer concerned, Del Monte, Lugie, is very inattentive to his duties as company commander. He is absent from the company area on the average of three to four days a week, and is not interested enough to handle competently an organization of this type.

3. On the evening of October 2, 1944, he left for Naples without permission from the headquarters under which he is tactically operating, and without any word as to when he would return.

4. He used as transportation a vehicle (1½ton, 4x4, Chev.) from the 1022 Truck Company (It), and took with him soldiers (Italian) that he has taken on other trips he has made to Naples.

5. This officer has shown his disinterest in this company and its operations, in this zone, by requests to his administrative headquarters (525 Infantry Reg't., Italian) for a transfer back to the Naples area.

6. It has been asked, repeatedly, that action be taken on this matter and as yet none is in the offering.

7. It is the firm belief of the undersigned officer that a change of company commanders will greatly aid the morale of the men and officers, and help the operation of the company as a whole.

J. W. Bradham Jr.
J. W. BRADHAM, Jr.
1st Lt., 235th QM Bn, Mobile
Liaison Officer



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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Military Mission Italian Army
R O M E
AQ/11
11 October 1944

TO: ADV HQ 2 District (for C.S.O) C.M.F.

Lt. FIORI FRANCESCO

1. The Italian Ministry of War has informed this H.Q. that the records of the a/m Italian Officer are being checked and investigated, with regards to the possibility of his promotion to rank of Capt., as requested by you through Maj. Murceil, who was at that time attached to HQ 2 District.

2. You will be informed when further information comes to hand.

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F.J.NOAKES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

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Tramite M M I A

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA=GABINETTO 11 ore 19.30

DELEGAZIONE "A" STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO

CHIETI

106/RP/III DA GUERRA GABINETTO AT DELEGAZIONE "A" STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO (.) PREGO DISPORRE PERCHE' GENERALE BRIGATA RISERVA MARINO ETTORE RESIDENTE AT CASALBORDINO PROV. CHIETI SIA AT ROMA GIORNO VENTITRE' CORRENTE AT ORE NOVE AT DISPOSIZIONE ALTA CORTE GIUSTIZIA PER ESSERE INTESO QUALE TESTIMONE PROCEDIMENTO PENALE CONTRO GENERALI PENTIMALLI ET DEL TETTO (.) ASSICURARE (.) MINISTRO CASATI .....111044

| IN CHIARO | IN CIFRA | GRADO D'URGENZA |
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| = | d'ordine<br>IL CAPO DI GABINETTO<br>(Col. E. De Michelis) | URGENTISSIMO |

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| | IL CAPO DI GABINETTO (Col. E. De Michelis) | |

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA * GABINETTO

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106/RP/III - Urgent War Min to Delegation A 14990

Please arrest Br. Brigade Gen. MARINO ETTORE, who resides at CASALBORDINO - Province of Chieti - to be in Rome on 23rd inst 9 a.m. at the disposal of High Court of Justice to undergo to be examined as witness of the penal proceedings against General Pentimalli and General Del Tetto.

Please confirm.

(Casati)

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11
11 October 1944

To : HQ 3 District CMF

Capt BARRANCO - 906 Lav. Art. Coy 673/1

Ref your C.E. 1010/1 of 5 Oct addressed 227 Italian Coastal Div (copy to this HQ).

1. If unreasonable delay is experienced in the replacement of the a/m officer, please advise this HQ; giving full particulars of your application made in July, in order that the Ministry of War may be asked to hasten action in this matter.

F. J. NOAKES, Lt Col,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11
11 October 1944

To : Ministry of War

Maj ALTERIO - 1051 Tank Drivers Unit

Ref your 301876/CA of 5 Oct. — 643/2

1. In view of the reasons given by the a/m officer for his being away from his Unit, and the Allied Comd's satisfaction with his work, it is agreed that it is not necessary to take disciplinary action against Maj ALTERIO.

F. J. NOAKES, Lt Col,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

SPA/wk

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Military Mission Italian Army
R O M E
AG/11
11 October 1944

TO: Transportation Sub Comm. A.C.C.

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2/Lt. FRANCINE 1025 (I) G.T. Coy.

Ref. your ACC/Tn/2103 of 7 Oct. and conversation Col. Meaney - Capt. Archer.

1. Before action is taken on the request contained in Penbase Fwd. Signal, forwarded with your a/q letter, will you please verify that the a/m Italian Officer has been given a "fair trial".

2. This officer has been with 1025 (I) G.T Coy. only just over one month, and it is felt that it is rather early to recommend his removal, unless there are some specific grounds for doing so.

3. If the Allied Cond. considers that the circumstances warrant the replacement of 2/Lt. FRANCINE, will you please arrange for a detailed adverse report, together with full particulars of the officer's name, rank, personal number and present Unit, to be forwarded to this Hq, when the necessary action will be taken.

F.T. Road.

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F.J. NOAKES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

10 Oct 44

H.Q., 55 AREA

Ten. Guglielmo Salvatore.

1. The a/m Italian officer was employed with C.E.M.E.C. in SYRACUSE, when your HQ was located in that Area.

2. Are you please able to say whether this officer is now employed in your Area, or where he was posted to after leaving SYRACUSE.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Correspondence.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

4 Oct 44

MMIA LO Rear Eight Army (10)
MMIA LO Rear Five Army (10)
MMIA LO HQ No.1 District (10)
MMIA LO HQ No.2 District (10)
MMIA LO HQ No.3 District (10)
MMIA LO NAPLES (10)

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1. Due to lack of detailed information, the Italian Ministry of War is slow in tracing individual Italian Officers and soldiers, concerning whom reports or information has been requested by Allied Units.

2. It is requested that the maximum information including full details of rank, name, initials, regimental or personal number, and parent unit be quoted in correspondence referring to individual Italian Military Personnel. This will enable more rapid action to be taken.

3. The enclosed copies will be circulated to the formation to whom you are attached.

F J Noakes

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
A.A. & Q.M.G.
M.M.I.A.

SPA/hh

Copy to: AFHQ for info.
HQ AAI " "
Ministry of War.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

9 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

1. This HQ has been informed that Col. Guido FAVO has been assigned to the Patriots Branch, ACC, ROME with effect 5th July 1944, and that Capt. Marino ROCCO has been assigned to the Patriots Branch, ACC, FLORENCE, w.e.f. 15 Sept 44.

2. It is understood that the status of these two officers has not been regularised.

3. You are required to recall these two Officers, granting to duty them the rates of pay and allowances due to them in their respective ranks with effect the date of their appointments.

4. Please advise this HQ of the action taken.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Copy to: Civil Affairs Section,
Patriots Branch, ACC ( your 104/PAT of 6 Oct refers)

'G' MMIA.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Officers of 1005 (I)GT Coy.

Military Mission
Italian Army.
R O M E
AQ/11

9 Oct 44

H.Q.,No.1 District

665/2

Ref your ST/212 of 2nd Oct 44.

1. Para 2 of your a/q letter is not understood as this HQ letter of even reference dated 15 Sept referred to a Capt. Giordano, who is reported to have been with 1005 (I) GT Coy for a short time. It is presumed that subsequently this officer has been incorrectly referred to as Giordino.

2. Capt. PIANTANIDE has now been posted to a unit not under Allied Control.

3. Before the Ministry of War is asked to take action in the case of Capts MENITONI and CELANTANO, will you please forward reports giving particulars of their unsuitability for employment in 1005(I) GT Coy.

4. Upon receipt of these reports Ministry of War will be asked to post these two officers away, and to replace with one suitable Capt to fill the vacancy which would then exist. Ministry of War will also be asked to post two Subaltern officers to fill existing vacancies.

/-T.Noakes

T.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SFA/hh

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel.

Renzo Bigagli.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

9 Oct 44

485 5.th Jacket.

HQ 52 Area (2)

483 5th Jacket.

Ref your A 121 of 4 Aug 44, and further to our letter AQ/11 of 7 Aug (addressed Ministry of War, copy to you).

1. The Italian Ministry of War has informed this HQ that the sentence of Bari Military Tribunal which reduced the a/m ex Italian Officer to the ranks, does not appear to have been cancelled.

2. However, if Renzo Bagagli is desirous of claiming restitution of his rank, he must make formal application to the Ministry of War, on official paper, through normal channels (HQ Mil. District), to which must be attached the following documents :-

(a) Legalised copy on stamped paper of the sentence of the Supreme Military Tribunal, cancelling sentence 15 Oct 1942 of the Bari Military War Tribunal.

(b) Copy of the Military Record Sheet, dated after Supreme Military Tribunal issued their sentence.

(c) Penal Certificate, duly legalised and stamped, issued not more than one month ago by the Legal Registrar.

(d) Certificate, duly legalised and stamped, of pending charges.

(e) Good conduct certificate, duly legalised and stamped (issued by the Mayor/s of the town or towns of residence) covering period from date of sentence to date.

3. The above information should enable Renzo Bigagli to reclaim his commissioned rank. If, however, any difficulty is experienced, please advise this HQ.

F.J.Noakes 483

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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From War Ministry OD Reg. O 7194/E.4

To Mil. Hq. Phelps and Tarawa Date Oct. 1944

and for info to WWSA

Subject / Lt. FIORI FRANCESCO

WWSA has approached the Cabinet in regard to the promotion of Provisional Engineer Lt. FIORI FRANCESCO of your Hq. to the next highest grade.

If the officer has the requirements foreseen for promotion (two years of service with present grade, six months as commander of a vessel or a provisional vessel and duty during a war or a declaration for military value) please send letter proposing him directly to Directorate General of Officer Personnel and to us.

We enclose our info in regard to the officer. 1488

Sgd (illegible)
C.S. of
Administration
in Chief
Gen. Staff
(illegible)

(Col. De Machele)

Information on Lt. FIORI

Reserve Engineer Lt. FIORI FRANCESCO -
Father's name VINCENZO — Class of 1915
District of THRANTO

1) Appointed Reserve Engineer Lt with
Official Bulletin No. 71 (Page 5102) dated Aug 5, 942
with seniority as from 13/1/42.
2) Has rendered service at Engineer Dep 9TH
Army Corps and subsequently at
Engineer Hq. 51ST Army Corps.
3) With SIMRE 100/mot dated Oct 6TH 1943
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C SO. No 2 District
4) At present he is on the effective strength
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Information and duties performed may be requested from His Excellency Marco FANO, Undersecretary at Ministry of Communications, from Capitano di Fregata BARBERA or from Maj di Marzio of the Telecommunication Office of the State Maggiore Generale

6) His personal booklet and state of service are at the Dereclarate of Engineer Works of Comiliet Puglia and Lucania, since he was on duty at Eng. Hq. 9th Army Corps

Bari, Sept 17, 1944.

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# Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO

N. 302194/C.A.

P.M.151, 9 ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: Ten.FIORI Francesco
All. n.1

Fait Fiori f

AL COMANDO MILITARE PUGLIA E LUCANIA — P.M.67
e.per conoscenza:
→ ALLA M.M.I.A.
(rif.f.AQ/11 del 22 sett.)
ALLA DIREZ.GENER.PERS.UFFICIALI — ROMA SEDE

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MMIA AQ
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Si unisce un foglio notizie relativo all'Ufficiale.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col.di S.M.E.De Michelis)

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Sig. onorevole Sf Fiori

NOTIZIE INFORMATIVE SUL TEN.FIORI

TENENTE COMPLEMENTO ARMA GENIO FIORI FRANCESCO DI VINCENZO - CLASSE 1915 - DISTRETTO TARANTO

1°) - Nominato Tenente Compl.Arma Genio con Bollettino Ufficiale disp. n.71 (pag.5102) in data 5 agosto 1942 con anzianità 13.1.942.

2°) - Ha prestato servizio presso il Comando Genio IX° C.A. e susseguentemente presso il Comando Genio 51° C.A.

3°) - Con foglio 100/mov. data 16 ottobre 1943 dello S.M.R.E. fu designato ufficiale di collegamento con C.S.O. 2 District.

4°) - Attualmente è nella forza effettiva del Quartier Generale dello S.M.R.E. (tessera di riconoscimento dello S.M.R.E. n.150 data 1 novembre 1943 rilasciata in Brindisi).

5°) - Presta servizio in qualità di ufficiale di collegamento dello Ufficio Telecomunicazioni dello Stato Maggiore Generale e del Ministero delle Comunicazioni Poste - Gen.Telecomunicazioni, con C.S.O. 2 District.

Dati informativi sul servizio svolto vanno richiesti a S.E.Mario Fano, Sottosegretario al Ministero Comunicazioni,al Capitano di Fregata sig.Barbera o al Maggiore di Marzo dell'ufficio Telegomuricazioni dello Stato Maggiore Generale.

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municazioni dello Stato Maggiore Generale.

6°) - Il libretto personale e lo stato di servizio sono presso la
Direzione Lavori Genio del Comilit.Puglia e Lucania, da quando
prestava servizio presso il Comando Genio IX° C.A.

Bari, 17 settembre 1944.

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AQ/11 682

Translation.

From N of W
to M M I H copy.

Ref N° 2823/I/SE
Date 9-10-44

Subject Replacement of officer.

Ref to letter 302187/CA dated 6 oct 44 from the Cabinet. we inform, that Substitute Lieut. MICELI IGNAZIO as the ex running officer of the food depot of MAGLIE now closed

Please send proper sanctionning documents.

TELLIERA.

copy of telegram.

2823/1/SE War Commissariat ⊙ Please arrange urgent replacement of Capt CERVINARA, running officer of food depot of LECCE by Lieut MICELI IGNAZIO without giving any particular reason ⊙ proper sanctionning documents will be sent by General Directorate

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TELLFRA

copy of telegram.

2823/1/SE War Commissariat ⊙ Please arrange urgent replacement of Capt CERVINARA running officer of food depot of LECCE by Lieut MICELI IGNAZIO without giving any particular reason ⊙ proper sanctioning documents will be sent by General Directorate concerned. Acknowledge by telegram - FOR MINISTER

PELLFRA.
1485

Rutherford.

Noted 15/10
Lamm.

(File ST/61 refers.)

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M.M.T.A. AQ
FILE REF
Date Recd 16 10

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COPIA TELEGRAMMA

P.M.151,8 Ottobre 1944

DIRECOMMILES = B A R I

2823/I/Se GUERRA COMMISSARIATO ALT PREGASI DISPORRE URGENTE SOSTITUZIONE CAPITANO CERVINARA CONSEGNATARIO MAGAZZINO DI= STRIBUZIONE VIVERI LECCE CON TENENTE SUSSISTENZA COMPLEMENTO MICELI IGNAZIO QUALORA NON OSTINO PARTICOLARI MOTIVI ALT SEGUE REGOLARE DISPACCIO SANZIONE DIREZIONE GENERALE COMPE= TENTE ALT ASSICURARE TELEGRAFO ALT PROMINISTRO GUERRA PELLIGRA.

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE
Ispettorato

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N° 2823/I/Se di prot. P.M.151,li 9 Ottobre 1944

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALI UFFICIALI-Div.Mov.-

S E D E

e,per conoscenza:

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALLEATA PER L'ESERCITO (M.M.I.A.)
(Riferimento n. AQ/11-data 2 ottobre c.a.)

R O M A

.....riferimento attergato n.302187/C.A. data 6 corrente del Gabinetto,facendo presente che il Tenente Sussistenza Compl. MICELI Ignazio,come richiesto dalla M.M.I.A.,è l'ex consegnata=

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Pregasi far seguire regolare dispaccio di sanzione.-

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE



MMIA
FILE REF
Date Recd

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Translation 681/1

From SIMTE 8
To SIMIA 1/11 Ref. G-3 2/1 P.
Date October 8, 1944
Subject 2nd Lt. SILVANO VITTORIO L.O.

Inasmuch as I believe it a similar request
we beg you to request info on the
officer mentioned above now
on duty as liaison officer at
Genet Brutel Inf. Div. Hq.
3rd Inf. Bde.

C.M.F.
and command the result to
the SIMTE.

(Gen. Sant)

Cpl. (2C)

Lieut to SIMIA L.O.
8th Army
APO 16/10

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Translate SIA

STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
-Uff.Assistenza e Propaganda-

n. 2572 /A.P. di prot. P.M. 151,li 8 ottobre 1944

OGGETTO: S.Ten. SILVANO Vittorio L.O.-

Ref Sect 7

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO
A.C.C.
ROMA

Per aderire ad analoga richiesta si prega compiacersi richiedere notizie dell'Ufficiale in oggetto indicato, in servizio di collegamento presso la

First British Infantry Division H.Q.
3/d. Infantry Brigade
C.M.F.

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e comunicare l'esito a questo S.M.-

S.M.R.E. Ufficio Assistenza Propaganda

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
(Alessandro Santi)

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ARMY EORM C2136 (Small) **MESSAGE FORM** 47/8 Register No. 681

Call | Srl. No. | Priority | Transmission Instructions

**ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY**

FROM (A) Originator: PBS MMIA LO | Date-Time of Origin: 081725A

Office Date Stamp: MM I A. FILE REF A29 / 11 Date Recd 9/10

For Action: MMIA

TO (W) For Information (INFO):

Message Instructions | GR

Originator's No.

8133 (.) RESTRICTED (.) 812 BASE REMOUNT DEPOT REQUIRE 1 CAPTAIN AND 2 SUBALTERNS TO COMPLETE WE OF ITALIAN INCREMENT (.) NOW HAVE ONLY 1 SUBALTERN (.) SHOULD BE CAVALRY OFFICERS IF POSSIBLE

(GV326) Wt. 953/194. 2,000,000 Pads. 5/43. B. & S. Ltd. 51-575/6.

| This Message may be sent **AS WRITTEN** by any means {except / wireless} | If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent **IN CIPHER** | Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority | Time | System | Op. |
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| | | | **TNI** or **TOR** | | |
| Signed | Signed | | Time cleared | | |

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel - Officers

Military Mission Italian Army
R O M E
AQ/11
1 October 1944

TO: HQ 2 District CMF

2/Lt. Motta Antonio

1. The Italian Red Cross is seeking information concerning the a/m Italian Officer.

2. It is known that on 28 June 1944, he was transferred from the South African Wing of the Polyclinic at Bari, to 1st. Mobile General Hospital.

3. Are you able to give any information as to his subsequent or present location, please.

F.J. Noakes

SPA/ri

F.J. NOAKES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Ministry of War -Your 302020/CA of 4 Oct refers.

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Translation

679/1
17/9/11

From: Presidency of the Cabinet. Ref. 7.
To: ACC, Patriots Branch. Date 7.10.44.
Subject: Regular Army officers

Enclosed please find nominal roll of regular army officers sent to Army Corps and Regional Commissars as representatives of the Patriots, with the request that you obtain MMIA's decision on their military and administrative position.

We would point out that should their position not be defined it will be necessary to recall them to base and replace them by others prepared to carry out their duties without being recalled to arms, which replacement is to be considered as very problematic.

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(Sgd) Fenwal A. O'DONE.

S/S/GD

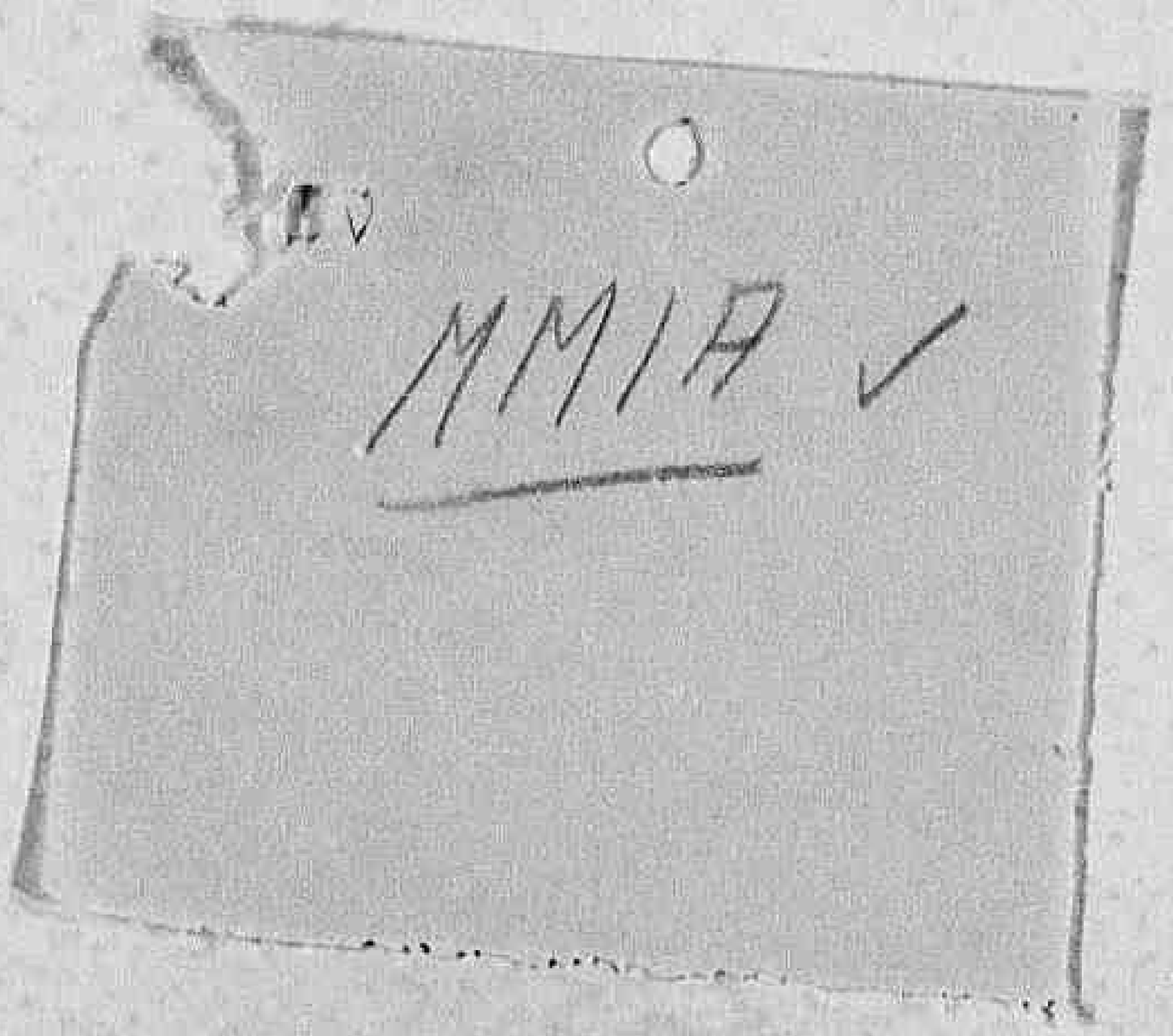
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Transportation Sub-Commission
APO 394

MHM/aa

ACC/Tn/ 210.3

Tele: 220

Date: 7 Oct. 1944.

SUBJECT: Assignment of Officer.

TO : C.O. 1024-25 Italian Truck Co.

MAIL & FILE BR. ACC 11
Date Rec'd 8 10

1. Forwarded herewith is cable from Penbase reg. no. Penbase Fwd 542 dtd Oct. 4 for information and action.

Martin H. Meaney
MARTIN H. MEANEY
Colonel, Infantry
Admin. O., Tn. S/C

copy to:

H M I A (for action)

Letter to Italian Sub Comm of Finance [illegible] as arranged with Col Meaney AM

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MMIA Adv
File No. 11
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copy to:

M M I A (for action)

Letter H Tch Sub
copies of Francesco
Journal Journal
1 to be handed up SPB
10/10

Cl Meaney
AM

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RESTRICTED

HQ ACC TRANSPORTATION SC ATTN COL D S ADAMS

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ACC LEGHORN
PENBASE FWD 542

NONE

OCT 041115A

RESTRICTED. ITALIAN TRUCK COMPANIES 1024 AND 1025. REF YOUR LETTER ACC-TN-R-27 REPLACEMENTS FOR LT PUCCARELLI WITWEBER AND 2LT NAPPO GIOVANNI BATTISTA HAVE BEEN RECEIVED. LT SUPPI EGONE AND LT FRANCINI. BOTH REPLACEMENTS REPORTED TO THE 1025 COMPANY ON THE FIRST OF SEPT 1944. IT IS REQUESTED THAT 2LT FRANCINE BE RELIEVED.

why?

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ACTION - Tn SC (2)
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FILE (M)

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Subject Italian Personnel M/17/561

HQ
64 Garrison
C.M.F.

The u/m Italian Officers have been S.O.S. the Italian Company by reason of sickness. May replacements be provided please.

S/Ten Fazzini Emilio
S/Ten Perfumo Guiseppe

The u/m officer is due to be released from military service because he is the only son of a widow aged over 50. May a replacement be provided please, before he is released, so that his duties may be learnt.

S/Ten Piccoli Giovanni.

Major R.A.S.C.
Commanding British Base R.A.S.C.
1003 (I)G.T.Company.

Field
6.10.44.

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Address To Main Personnel. M/S 565

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A/Brewer
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Commanding British Cadre R.A.S.C.
1003 (I)G.T.Company.

Field
6.10.44.

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2 Copies to M.I.A.

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HQ. ARMD REPLACEMENT GROUP, RAC., C.M.F.

Tel:- Via Main Eighth Army.

SUBJECT:- Officer Replacements.

File:- 176A/40

Date:- 6 Oct, 44.

TO:- M.M.I.A., ROME.

AQ 11 9 11

Further to our letter of 5 Oct ref 176A/38. 673/3

1. It has been reported that 2/Lt COTELLESE, TITO, has today arrived to replace 2/Lt VALENTE RENATO.

Good SPA 10/10

Field.

WHDG/CWBM.

for Colonel, Comd.

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SUBJECT: Deserters - Italian Army

Hq 'Z' Military Mission, CMF

A/223/1

6 Oct 44

HQ AAI

MMLA 10 2 District
HQ 3 District
MMLA

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643/1

Reference you 3074/9/A(O) of 27 Aug 44 and this Hq A/223/1 of 25 Sep 44.

1. On 5 Oct 44 the Italian authorities sent over an officer to collect the eighteen deserters mentioned in our previous correspondence. The Partisans now refuse to hand over these men without specific orders from Marshall Tito, to whose Hq they have signalled asking for the matter to be taken up by them with the Allied authorities.

2. Their refusal to hand these men over is based on the fact that they are Jugoslav by birth, having been born in the border provinces of ISTRIA, GORIZIA etc, despite the fact that they are Italian citizens and members of the Italian Armed Forces.

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10 Oct

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W.E. Lohmann

Lt Col
G2nd

/CJE

PA 18/10

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"A" Also for please see A.S.L. 678

HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION,
PATRIOT BRANCH,
APO 394.

M.M.I.A. No.
FILE REF 114
Date Recd 7/10/44

Ministry of War.

GI
Mod-

Ref: 104/PAT.

6 Oct. 44

SUBJECT: Liaison Officers.

To M.M.I.A.
(For the attention of Lt.Col. Ingledew.)

Confirming conversation Lt.Col. Ingledew/Col. McCarthy.

The attached letter is forwarded for your action. It is hoped that Col. FAVA and Capt. ROCCO will be recalled to the Army and given full housing allowance and rations and full pay.

2. Could a copy of your letter to the Ministry of War be sent to us please.

C.D. McCarthy,
Colonel,
Patriot Branch

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PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO

COMITATO NAZIONALE PER I PATRIOTI

All'A.C. PATRIOTS BRANCH. Roma, 5 ottobre 1944.

Oggetto: Ufficiali di Collegamento.

Come noto, prestano servizio presso l'A.C. - Patriots Branch quali Ufficiali di Collegamento il Col. FAVA Guido ed il Cap. ROCCO Marino, il primo in Roma fin dal 5 luglio ed il Secondo in Firenze dal 15 settembre c.a. -

Poiché la loro posizione militare non é stata ancora regolarizzata, si prega codesto Patriot Branch di voler interessare la M.M.I.A. per il richiamo in servizio dei due ufficiali.

Il Generale ODDONE
Membro Segretario.

A. Oddone

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Il Generale ODONE
Membro Segretario.

TRANSLATION.

Col Guido FAVA has been assigned to Patriots Branch A.C.C. Rome as from 5th July 44 and Capt Marino ROCCO to Patriots Branch Florence as from 15th Sept.

As their military status has not been regularised I should be grateful if Patriots Branch would request MMIA to recall these 2 officers for duty.

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CONFIDENTIAL

Military Mission Italian Army.
R O M E
AQ/11
6 Oct 44

Subject:- Transfer of Officers.

Ministry of War.

Cap. ROSSI

1. The above named officer is at present employed as O.C., 501/2/3/4 Italian Line Sections now working on the East Coast on line maintenance.

2. Some time ago this officer was recommended for promotion to the rank of Major and to command the Sections as above.

3. It is understood that you have agreed to the promotion but that you propose replacing ROSSI with another Major.

4. Will you please arrange for ROSSI to remain in command of the Sections 501, 502, 503 and 504, as he knows the men, the work and the country.

F. J. HEATHES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
MMIA.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.
1024 & 1025 (I) G.T.Coys.

Military Mission
Italian Army.
H O M E
AQ/11

6 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

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Ref this HQ letter AQ/11 of 27 Sept.

1. This HQ has now been informed that two of the Officers names mentioned in the a/q letter are incorrect.

2. The name of the Officer required to take over Comd of 1024 G.T.Coy should read Capt. SILITTO BALDASSARI (see para 1 of the a/q letter).

3. The name of the officer required to be promoted to Captain and transferred to Comd 1025 Coy should read - Lt. EGOME SUPPE.

4. Please advise this HQ of the action taken.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Subject: Italian Officers - Transfers.

Military Mission
Italian Army.
R O M E
AQ/11

6 Oct 44

H.Q.,
2nd Polish Corps

Ten.D'Artiglieri Fiori.
S/Ten. Di Grugno.
Ten. Della Rovere Enrico.

Ref your letters 1325, 1326 and 1321 of 14 Sep 44.

1. Your requests in respect of transfer of the first two officers above mentioned have been passed to the Ministry of War for their decision.

2. Your request in respect of transfer of Ten. Della Rovere Enrico of the CC.RR cannot be granted, as transfer from CC.RR to Italian Army is not at present authorised.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

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SUBJECT: Italian Military Personnel - Officers
S/Ten CALLERI Alberto 159 (I) Pioneer
Labour Coy.

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY
R O M E
AQ/11
6 October 1944.

Ministry of War.

1. A report has been received from the Allied Comd of the A/M Italian Officer, in which it states "He has carried out his duties with ability, is keen, willing and commands high respect from his men."

2. This officer has been a Sotto Tenente for approximately 6 years, and, in view of his work for the Allies, is strongly recommended for promotion.

3. Please examine the records of S/Ten Calleri and advise this Hq whether he can now be promoted to rank of Tenente.

F.J. HOAKES, Lt. Col.
for Major General
MMIA.

SPA/ag

Copy to:
HQ AAI (2) Your LAB/1/64/3 of 3 October refers. 667/2

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HQ 1 A[illegible]D REPLACEMENT GROUP, RAC.,
C.M.F.

Tel:- Via Main Eighth Army.

TO:- M.M.I.A.,
ROME.

File:- 176A/38

Date:- 5 Oct, 44.

SUBECT:- Postings - Italian Officers - 2/Lt. VALENTE RENATO.

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Reference your AQ 11 of 22 Sep 44.

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1. The above named officer has not yet been replaced.

2. Will you please take hastening action.

for Colonel,
Comd.

Field.

WHDG/CWBM.

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Translation
ref. 30187G/CA
5 October 44

from MOW
to: MMIA.
Subject: Major ALTERIO of 1057 Tank Destroyer Bat. 639

Further to letter 30137G/CA dated Sept. 22 nd I inform you that Maj. ALTERIO has been traced.

He has replied to the charges made by MMIA against him with the report copy of which is attached hereto

I think that Maj. ALTERIO's explications are satisfactory / MMIA can check his statements by asking information from the Allied officers with whom he has had contact / & in my opinion disciplinary action cannot be taken against him

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COPY

To: SMRE - Secretary Office PM 151

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On request by SMRE - Secretary Office - I give
you the following information:
My Unit HQ 1051st Tank destroyer Battalion on
Request 2nd-3rd was transferred from the
1st Armoured Delivery Regt at TAVERNE D'AR
BIA, to the Armd Replacement Group at
ABBADIA (route of COLLE VAL D'ELSA)
On that same day I reported to ARG, HQ with my
adjutant Capt BISIGNANT ANTONIO + with Sgt VIGONI
DAMO, interpreter.
A British Capt of the Admin. Office, of whom
Lee Folio 691

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I cannot remember the name, enformed me that neither Col LIARDET nor Major Amil were there and stated that it was not necessary to give them a warning all the times that I was leaving on Sluty Since six detachments actually at TAVERNS D'ARBIA (near SIENA) & at SINIGALLIA and in the area between the 2 a/m localities are depending from me & since it is necessary to inspect a/m detachments very often to ascertain their needs, to pay them etc. frequently I am compelled to leave my normal residency. This has always taken place during the 5 months that I have been in command of the unit without any objection from the Allied officers I am working with. I added that many times both Col Smith & other senior British officers have praised me for the efficiency & discipline of my unit. Enclosed please find copy of a letter of Col Smith dated 12/8.

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On August 10th I went to inspect my units which were located in the Upper Valley.

1) A detachment attached to 273 Squadron at TAVERNE DI RAGO
2) B " " " 274 " " MONTICCHIO
3) C " " " B.C Section near ASSISI)
4) D " " " 276 Squadron at SINIGALLIA
5) E " " " REMÉ (Section A) half of the detach South of PERUGIA & half at Rome (MONTE SACRO)

On the 13th I stopped at a/cr detachment.

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On the 14th in the morning I was to leave to return to my HQ but the Allied vehicle I was travelling with had a break-down (rear box broken). It is to be borne in mind that when the vehicle was given me it had already covered 25.000 miles + was therefore in a very poor condition.
When the break down occurred I was at the outskirts of Rome.
Capt. Lowe, REME C/O, stated that he would have had the car repaired + ask me to return. On the same day the a/cn officer informed me that, owing to lack of spares, the vehicle could not be repaired in Rome + that he would arrange to have it towed to PERUGIA, where his Unit was moving to, + where the vehicle would be repaired.
In the morning on the 16th we left + arrived on the 17th at PERUGIA where our "E" Detachment

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have had the car repaired & returned to return. On the same day the a/cu officer informed me that, owing to lack of spares, the vehicle could not be repaired in Rome & that he would arrange to have it towed to PERUGIA, where his Unit was moving to, & where the vehicle would be repaired.
In the morning on the 16th we left & arrived on the 17th at PERUGIA where my "E" Detachment was stationed
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On the 18th, 19th, 20th I stayed with a/cu detachment waiting to have the car repaired.
On the 21st the car was returned to me & I left for ABBADIA to reach my HQ, which in the meantime, as I was told on reaching my A Detachment at TAVERNE D'ARBIA on the way to ABBADIA, had been transferred to MONTE S.VITO (north of CHIARAVALLE).
I was therefore compelled to return back to reach MONTE S.VITO through the shortest route: SIENA, AREZZO, PERUGIA, FOLIGNO, JESI.-
On the 23rd in the evening I stayed at ASSISI at 'C' Detachment (whose O/C and Lt

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. STORELLI informed me that 4 soldiers had recently been posted to his unit, ex a Services.

I decided to go personally to Rome in order to trace them. I arrived at Rome on the 24th & while on my way to obtain POL supplies the left rear half axle broke for no apparent reason.

I asked immediately the British Police Command at PORTA MAGGIORE

- to tow the vehicle to the W/S of OSTIENSE
- to telephone to ASSISI & inform "B" Section of what had happened (the telephone call did not get through owing to the great distance)
- to trace the four ~~a~~ Servicemen whose and addresses & description I gave to the M.P.

The British officer i/c of the W/S informed me that it would have taken 4 or 5 days to repair the vehicle. On the 26th I asked SMRE to give me a motorcycle & with it I reached ASSISI at 1 1/4 pm

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to repair the vehicle. On the 26th I
asked SHAEF to give me a motorcycle
& with it I reached ASSISI at about 1300 hrs.
There I spoke with Capt Stark of "B" Section
& asked him to send a message to ARG
HQ & to my H.Q. explaining what had
happened. The signal was regularly sent
but in the same evening Capt Stark in-
formed me that ARG had sent a
message asking news about me & requesting
that I should be sent back to my HQ
On the 27th in the morning I finally reached
with the Allied Officer my HQ which
as I have already pointed out was located
at MONTE S. VITO.

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Once there I found out that my adjutant on the 25th had informed AR&G of my absence + had sent finals & the various attachments to trace me up. That's why AR&G has written & MMIB. On my arrival there I was cleared + on visiting Col. CLARGET on the 10th inst. (It has not been possible for me to see him before that time because he was out on duty) I explained to him how the incident took place - Col. CLARGET stated on that occasion that he was very satisfied with my unit & to confirm he sent me a letter (copy attached) After a short time the vehicle which had been repaired reached HSS/SR 1461 PTO

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was given in care of the Major Commanding
"B" Section

Maj. ACTERIO

(Sealed)

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VL/ca. *Ministero della Guerra*

GABINETTO

TSPT 6/10

N. 301826/C.A. F.M 151, 5 ottobre 1944

Maj Alterio of 1051 Tank Destroyer Unit

OGGETTO: Maggiore Alterio del 1051° Reparto Autieri carristi -

Allegn.1

ALLA M.M.I.A.

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| M.M.I.A. | AO |
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| Date Rec'd | 6/10/1 |

A seguito foglio n.301371/C.A. in data 22 settembre, comunico che il Magg.Alterio è stato rintracciato.

Egli ha risposto agli addebiti messigli da codesta Missione con il rapporto che unisco in copia.

Ritengo esaurienti le spiegazioni fornite dal Magg. Alterio - le cui asserzioni possono essere controllate da cotesta Missione presso gli ufficiali alleati con i quali egli ha avuto contatto - e non ravviso nel suo operato gli estremi per un provvedimento disciplinare.-

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IL MINISTRO

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ALLEGATO AL F[illegible]LIO N° /C.A.

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ALLO S.M.R.E. - Ufficio Segreteria P.M.151

In seguito a richiesta di codesta Segreteria S.M.R.E., comunico quanto appresso:

Il Comando del mio reparto (1051° reparto autieri carristi), fra il giorno 3 -4 agosto fu trasferito dal 1° Armoured Delivery Regt con Sede a Taverne d'Arbia, presso il Comando Armd Replacement Group con sede ad Abbadia (strada di colle Val d'Elsa).

Nello stesso giorno, accompagnato dal mio aiutante maggiore capitano in s.p.e. Bisignant Antonio e dall'interprete serg.all.uff.Vigoni Damo, mi recai al comando dell'A.R.G. per la visita di presentazione.

In detta, un capitano inglese dell'Admin Office, del quale ignoro sul momento il nome, mi informò che non erano presenti né il sig.colonnello Liardet, né il suo a.m. Maggiore Amil ed a mia richiesta precisò di non essere necessario che io avvertissi ogni qualvolta che mi allontanavo per servizio.

Poiché da me dipendono sei distaccamenti dislocati ora da Taverne d'Arbia (pressi Siena) a Sinigallia, distaccamenti che abbisognano, dato l'inquadramento, di frequenti mie ispezioni per accertarne l'andamento complessivo, per far sentire la mia indispensabile azione di comando e per la distribuzione di fondi, competenze, ecc., il mio allontanamento dalla normale sede é frequente. Ciò é sempre avvenuto nei cinque mesi di vita del reparto che comando dalla sua costituzione senza alcun incidente od obiezione da parte degli ufficiali alleati con i quali ho avuto dipendenze o rapporti di servizio. Aggiungo che in più occasioni, sia da parte del Colonnello Smith, sia da parte degli ufficiali superiori inglesi comandanti i vari squadroni, mi sono state fatte esplicite dichiarazioni di compiacimento per il rendimento e la disciplina del reparto. Allego copia stralcio di una lettera del col Smith in data 12/8/ c.a. (allegato n.1).

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Il giorno 10 agosto u.s. partii per uno dei consueti giri d'ispezione ai miei distaccamenti dislocati come appresso:

1) - distaccamento A presso il 273 squadrone a Taverne d'Arbia
2) - " B " " 274 " " Monticchio
3) - " C " " B.Ø Section (pressi Assisi)
4) - " D " " 276 squadrone a Senigallia
5) - " E " " R.E.M.E. (Section A) suddiviso in mezzo distaccamento a sud di Perugia e mezzo distaccamento a Roma in Monte Sacro.-

Il giorno 13 sostai presso detto distaccamento. Il mattino del 14 dovevo partire per rientrare al mio comando, senonché l'automezzo alleato a me in consegna si rese inefficiente per la rottura del cambio di velocità (da tener presente che detto automezzo allorché fu messo a mia disposizione aveva già percorso 25.000 miglia e conseguentemente era fin d'allora in precarie condizioni di efficenza).

Solo le ripetute cure e manutenzione rendevano possibile il movimento.

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All'atto dell'incidente mi trovavo allo sbocco della città di Roma.
Interessai il capitano inglese Lowe, comandante del R.E.M.E. il quale mi assicurò che avrebbe provveduto alle necessarie riparazioni e mi disse di ritornare. Senonché in detto giorno l'ufficiale ebbe a comunicarmi che con suo rincrescimento, per mancanza di ricambi, il mezzo non poteva essere riparato a Roma e sarebbe stato, a sua cura, rimorchiato a Sud di Perugia ove si stava trasferendo il suo reparto, per essere rimesso in efficienza in detta località.
Il 16 mattina avvenne il rimorchio dell'automezzo nel quale presi posto anch'io. Il 17 giunse nella nuova sede ove era anche il mio distaccamento E al completo.
Nei giorni 18-19-20 sostai presso detto distaccamento in attesa della riparazione. Il giorno 21 l'automezzo mi fu restituito assicurandomi che era efficiente e partii per l'Abbadia, sempre nell'intento di rientrare al mio comando, che, nel frattempo, a mia insaputa, era stato trasferito a Monte San Vito (nord di Chiaravalle) come seppi il giorno 22 allorché raggiunsi il mio distaccamento A a Taverne d'Arbia, sull'itinerario per l'Abbadia.
Dovetti pertanto ritornare indietro per raggiungere Monte San Vito lungo l'itinerario più breve: Siena - Arezzo - Perugia - Foligno - Jesi.
La sera del 23 ho sostato ad Assisi presso il distaccamento C ove appresi dal comandante stesso - sottotenente Storelli - che quattro suoi soldati di Roma, di recente assegnati, si erano resi assenti arbitrari.
Decisi allora di recarmi di persona a Roma per rilevarli. Ivi
giunto il giorno 24 l'[illegible]

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Interessai subito il posto di Polizia inglese di Porta Maggiore per fare:

- rimorchiare l'automezzo al Worck Shop di via Ostiense;
- telefonare ad Assisi alla sezione B quanto mi era accaduto (e la telefonata non fu possibile a cagione della grande distanza);
- rintracciare i quattro militari assenti dei quali fornii generalità e recapito.

La riparazione dell'automezzo, come mi venne riferito dall'Ufficiale inglese direttore dell'Work Shop, non poteva essere fatta prima di 4 o 5 giorni. Allora chiesi subito ed ottenni per il giorno 26 dall'Ufficio dello S.M.R.E. di essere accompagnato in motociclo ad Assisi ove giunsi verso le ore 13. Ivi conferii col capitano inglese Stark della Sezione B interessando anzitutto di fare un radio allo scopo di dare mie notizie al Comando dell'"A.R.G. ed al mio Comando. Detto radio fu trasmesso regolarmente, senonché la sera stessa il capitano Stark mi comunicò che era giunta dall'A.R.G. comunicazione chiedente mie notizie e di farmi riaccompagnare in sede. Il mattino del 27 accompagnato da detto Ufficiale sono finalmente rientrato al mio comando che, come ho detto sopra, si trovava a Monte San Vito.

Colà ho accertato che il mio aiutante maggiore, il giorno 25, preoccupato della mia assenza prolungata, l'aveva, solo allora, segnalata all'A.R.G. che, in conseguenza, aveva telegrafato ai vari distaccamenti

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per rintracciarmi.

Sempre in seguito a detta segnalazione é stato scritto alla M.M.I.A. -

Col mio rientro cessarono subito i motivi di preoccupazione circa la mia assenza ed in occasione di mia visita al sig.colonnello Liardet, fattagli il giorno 10 c.m. (prima non potetti vederlo perché fuori sede) chiarii l'incidente.

In questa occasione si dichiarò molto soddisfatto del mio reparto ed a conferma mi ha dato esplicito atto con lettera che allego in copia (allegato n.2) -

L'automezzo, rimasto a Roma, dopo alcuni giorni, fu riparata, raggiunse Assisi e quivi fu ritirato dal maggiore comandante la sezione B.

Roma, lì 23 settembre 1944

F.to( Magg. ALTERIO)

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Roma, lì 23 settembre 1944

F.to( Magg. ALTERIO)

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Allet to N° 1

Headquarters

DC/ADR/8/3

1 Armoured Delivery Rgt.
(R.A.C.) C.M.F.
12 Aug.44

Dear ALTERIC

..... omissis

You and your men have been a great help to us and I want to thank you for the cooperation you have alwais shown towards my HQ, and for the good work done by All Ranks.

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Good Luck to you in your naw Location.

Yours sincered

F/t. Col. [illegible]

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F/to Col.Smith

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Major Michele ALTERIO
Comd.1051 ITALIAN Tank Unit
IFCS/CD

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Allegat[illegible] N° 1

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HQ 1 ARMD REPLACEMENT GROUP RAC

C.M.F.

Tel. Via Main Eighth Army
F-ile 176A/6
Date: 10.Sept.44

SUBJECT: 1051 Tk Bn (Italien) CONFIDENTIAL

TO- F.M.I.A. :CORTONA

COPY TO - M.M.I.A. HQ AAI
1051 Tk Bn (Italian)

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3. I desire however to take this opportunity of expressing my sattisfaction the working of this Tk BN.All section particularly

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TO- F.M.I.A. :CORTONA

COPY TO - M.M.I.A. HQ AAI

1051 Tk Bn (Italian)

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3. I desire however to take this opportunity of expressing my sattisfaction the working of this Tk BN.All section particularly those attached to ARG WKsps have performed valuable work and the assistance they have given in the preparation and maintenance of tanks for battle has been considerable.

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F/to Colonel Comd.
LIARDET

Fieldt

HLL/CWM

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MJA AQ
FILE REF 11
Date Rec'd 8 Oct 44

Chief Engineer
3 District CMF
Tel: Ext. 92
CE 1010/1.

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5 Oct 1944

Subject:- Officers - 906 Lav Art Coy

227 Italian Coastal Div (through
Liaison Officer for translation)

MMIA
Lt.Col. A. BLANCO

1. This HQ has been advised by Lt.Col. BLANCO to make a request to you for a Capt of the active service to be posted to command 906 Lav Art Coy.

2. Previous steps were taken by this HQ in Jul for Capt. BARRANCO to be replaced as OC of this Coy and for Lt. CHYURLA to be put in his place. Lt. CHYURLA is a satisfactory officer and it is desired that he should be retained in the Coy. It is considered that in the present circumstances a more senior officer is required to command the Coy.

3. Could you please take action to provide a Captain of proved ability to command this Coy.

(G.H.LAWRENCE)
Major, R.E.,
for Brigadier,
Chief Engineer.

GHL/VH.

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File
SPH

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E.
AG/11

5 Oct 44

Public Safety Sub Commission,
A. C. C.

Subject: Carabinieri - Officers.

1. The attached Request received at this HQs from Comd. 2 Polcorps is forwarded to you for information and necessary action.

2. For your information the Mailla Bde is an authorised Formation within the Italian Army.

F-J Noakes

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

Cancelled
su Telie
Comd 2 Pol Corps

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2° CORPO POLACCO
Patrioti della Maiella

N° 1325 di prot. P.M. 185, 14/9/1944

Oggetto: Tenente DELLA ROVERE Enrico fu Francesco
classe 1920 Legione dei RR.CC. Abruzzi

All' M.M.I.A. SEDE

M.M.I.A.
FILE REF.
Date Recd

Prego voler dare disponibile il Tenente in oggetto, attualmente Comandante la Tenenza dei RR.CC. di Chieti, perchè - come da suo espresso desiderio - possa essere preso in forza da questa Banda di Patrioti dove dovrebbe assumere il Comando di una sezione di plotoni.-

IL COMANDANTE DELLA BANDA PATRIOTI DELLA MAIELLA
(Colonnello Lewiski)
2° Corpo Polacco

PATRIOTI DELLA MAIELLA · COMANDO · UFFICIO PROTOCOLLO

M.M.I.A. Aug
FILE REF 11
Date Recd 26/9/

Will you please release the a/m Lt. at present O.C. CC RR. station at Chieti, in order that, in accordance with his own wishes, he may be taken on strength by this Patriot Band which would appoint him C.O. of a Section of Platoons.

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TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

M.M.I.A. FILE REF Date Rec'd

28 Sept 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Officer Personnel.

TO : Director, Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

1. Enclosed find statement of service of Ten. Suppi, Egone.

2. Ten. Suppi; Egone, reported for duty on one (1) Sept. 1944 and has acted as Company Commander of 1025 Italian Truck Company since that time.

3. Ten. Suppi, Egone, has commanded 1025 Truck Company in a very efficient manner, has enforced discipline and in an energetic organizer.

4. It is requested that Ten. Supoi, Egone, continue to command the 1025 Company.

5. It is also requested that Ten. Suppi be promoted to the grade of Captain.

No action required - 676 Info SPA 9/10

O. C. Jessup
O. C. JESSUP,
Captain, CMP.

1st IND.

HQ ACC Transportation Sub-Commission 5 October 1944 1451

TO / MMIA (Attn. Lt. Col. Noakes)

For appropriate action.

Morton Mearney Colonel
D.S. ADAMS
Colonel C.E.
Director Tn. S.C.

Frombois - Sept 16th 44

To Oliver C. Jessup - Cpl - CMP - Tn S/comm. - ACC -

Undersigned 1st Lt Suppl Egons of late Pacts - born in 1911 - mil Terr district of Tricots - belonging to the drivers' Corp, points out what follows:

- promoted 1st lt with seniority Apr. 1st 1940. he has always been on duty, uninterruptedly, till today.
- since, according to present laws, the promotion up to an higher rank can be applied for after (having been) at least two years on duty in the lower rank with a mobilized unit and since the undersigned has always been, since June 10th 40, either with operative one or with mobilized units, he has attained the right to apply for the promotion since Apr. 1st 42
- seen that he is actually charged with the command of a Drivers' Company operating on Allies' behalf, he asks you, dear Sir, to kindly take matters into your hands and to order that Polish High Military Authorities take his promotion into consideration

He begs to send to you, herewith attached copy of a statement of

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- seen that he is actually charged with the command of a Drivers' Company operating on Allies' behalf, he asks you, dear Sir, to kindly take matters into your hands ~~and~~ in order that Italian Higher Military Authorities take his promotion into consideration

He begs to send to you, herewith attached, ~~copy of~~ a statement of his service -

Thanking in advance he remains

Yours truly

Sgtol. 1st Lt Suppl Egone

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Continuation of 39th Infantry Rgt "Bologna" Depot
Officers' restricted office

Extract from the statement of service of 1st Lt Luppi Egone (compiled according to the rules of para 30 of General Rules of the Register of Italian Army and to circ. 258/922) for the period from 12-3-932 to 14-6-944.

Soldier - of conscription - Levy of 1911 - military district of Turin
Drafted into service arrived at Turin mil. distr. on 12-3-32
Sent to Collecting Center - 3rd Aerial Zone - Foggia - 15-3-32
Arrived at above Center 16-3-32
Sent to Typist and clerk school at Benevento 17-3-32
Appointed clerk aircraftman 27-6-32
Transferred to 4th Battalion Aerial Presidio of Rome for 3rd Territorial Aerial Zone HQ 30-6-32
Discharged for having accomplished his period of enlistment 15-5-33
Transferred to 4th discharged force of 4th 1st Territorial Aerial Zone of Padua 7-8-37
Admitted to Temporary Territorial Garrison School and assigned

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Arrived at above Center 16-3-32

Sent to Typist and clerk school at Benevento 17-3-32

Appointed chosen airman 27-6-32

Transferred to 4th Battalion Aerial Presidio of Rome for 3rd Territorial Aerial Zone HQ 30-6-32

Discharged for having accomplished his period of enlistment 15-5-33

Transferred to the discharged force of the 1st Territorial Aerial Zone of Padua 7-8-33

Admitted to the Infantry Officers School and assigned to the School of Palermo 1-5-32

Appointed in above School 15-5-32

Appointed cadet (Lance corporal) 1-8-32

Sent on unlimited leave while awaiting to be appointed temporary officer 30-11-37

Appointed aspirant Temporary officer - Drivers' Corps and assigned to 5th Car Center to accomplish his duty as aspirant officer - seniority 1-3-38 1-3-38

Arrived at said Center 10-3-38

Assigned to the 20th Center Autogruppo Mareotte - Tripoli 2-4-38

Embarked at Naples on S/S Lombardia 5-4-38

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L. T. MORLAND
1ST LIEUT. AGD
ADJUTANT

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Disembarked at Inpoth on 8-4-38 (2)

Arrived at 20th Centre Autogruppo Manovre . 8-4-38

Re-Assigned to 5th Car Center at Trieste . 18-5-38

Embarked at Trieste on S/S Garibaldi . 18-5-38

Disembarked at Syracuse . 20-5-38

Arrived at 5th Car Center at Trieste . 23-5-38

Appointed 2nd Lt - Drivers Corps - and assigned to 5th Car Center - Trieste - to fulfill his first-appointment duty; seniority 1-6-38 . 1-6-38

Recalled upon his request for one year . 1-9-38

Transferred upon his request, to O.M.S. . 8-9-38

Embarked at Civitavecchia upon HMS Gradisca . 9-9-38

Disembarked at Cavalire . 12-9-38

Taken into the effective strength of the Volunteer Corps and assigned to the Manoeuver Car Group . 13-9-38

Arrived into zone of operations . 14-9-38

Partakeing of the war operations in Spain . 14-9-38

Transferred to Green Armored Division (center formation) . 10-11-38

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Disembarked at Cavalier 12-9-38

Taken into the effective strength of the Volunteer Corps and assigned to the Manoeuver Car Group 13-9-38

Arrived with zone of operations 14-9-38

Partakeing of the war operations in Spain 16-9-38

Transferred to Green Arrows Division (under formation) 10-11-38

Partakeing in above Division of the war operations till the end of the campaigne 30-5-39

Terminates his service in zone of operations 28-6-39

Embarked on HMS Piemonte to come to fatherland again 14:39-6-39

Disembarked at Naples 1-7-39

Sent to the Demobilization Center at Salerno 3-7-39

Effected the payment of the demobilization - price £ 2920 4-7-39

Assigned to the 5th Car Center of Trieste and arrived there 7-7-39

Re-enlisted upon his request, for one year (2nd re-enlistment) 1-9-39

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L. T. MORGAN
1ST LIEUT. AGD
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| Assigned | to the indeptendent Section of 5th Cavalry at Villa del Nevoso (FIUME) | 1-10-39 |
| Mobilized | and Taken into the effective Strength of 26th Battalion Camicie Nere Command Gr. of 26th Special Anti-aircraft | 10-6-40 |
| Arrived | in zone of operations | 10-6-40 |
| Appointed | 1st Lt - Drivers' Corps - seniority 1-6-40 | 1-7-41 |
| Transferred | to the Depot of 82nd Infantry Rgt (Brescia) and assigned to the Arditi (under formation) | 25-5-42 |
| Terminated | his service in zone of operations | 25-5-42 |
| Arrived | in above Arditi battalion | 27-5-42 |
| Sent | to the 1st Battalion Arditi at S. Severa (Rome) | 29-5-42 |
| Sent | to the Royal Naval Academy of Leghorn to follow a special course regarding towing means | 1-8-42 |
| Sent | to the Submarine Base of Pola to follow a course regarding submarines | 30-8-42 |
| Arrived | back at 1st batt. Arditi having accomplished above course | 10/10/42 |
| Embarked | at Civitavecchia upon HM Auxiliary Ship Garibaldi | 1-2-43 |
| Disembarked | at Tripoli Panigaglia | 3-2-43 |
| Considered | as in zone of operations and as a substitute (cfr. Cmd. 005000/1 of 4-12-42 - SMRE 4·7 Uffici Ordinamento) | 3-2-43 |
| Terminated | his duty in zone of operations | 10-2-44 |
| Embarked | at Cagliari on HMS Scipione Africano | 11-2-44 |
| Disembarked | at Naples | 13-2-44 |

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Sent to Settore di Costa Nuova (Comando Sector) 13-2

Arrived there 14-2-44

Arrived in zone of operations 14-2-44

Terminated his duty in zone of operations 13-4-44

Transferred to 4th Depot of 3rd Infantry Rgt 13-4-44

Arrived there 14-4-44

Taken with 4 effective strength of 3rd Inf. Rgt Depot 14-4-44

The Chief of the office

Lgd Capt. Primo Del Deposi

Coscia - May 9th 44

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394.

M.M.I.A. | 671
File Ref. | AQI 11
Date Recd | 5/10/1

REFERENCE: G-1B/610/I. 5 Oct 44.

SUBJECT: Italian Liaison Officers.

TO: Director, Army Sub-Commission.

2/Lt. Sebastiani. Italian Army. 553 5.ch. jacket.

Reference this HQ letter 16080/G-1 dated 30 Aug 44 to Main HQ, AMG 8th Army, copy to you.

1. The following facts regarding the above named officer are forwarded for your information.

2. 2/Lt.Sebastiani was instructed to report to AMG 8th Army in Florence on 10 Aug 44. His English was imperfect, and he was informed that he would be required to return to the authority in Rome by whom he had been sent, as soon as transport could be arranged.

3. Without waiting for a movement order however, he obtained a lift on W.D. transport returning to Rome. His present whereabouts are unknown.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT, ESTABLISHMENTS SECTION.

L. Pans Capt.
for J.L.JONES,
Lt-Col.
G-1 (B).

RS.

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Translation

Main War Ministry Ref. 302020/LA.

To MMIA Date Oct. 4, 1944

Subject 2nd Lt MOTTA ANTONIO

The Int Red Cross has asked us to get info on 2nd Lt. MOTTA ANTONIO who was at the South African Pavilion of the Palazzina of Bam.

The Combined General Hospital U.D.F.C.M.F has informed us that on June 28, said officer was transferred to 1st Mobile General Hospital.

We would be grateful to MMIA if it would kindly forward us information on the officer in question.

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(Col. De Machis)

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See folio 6850

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# Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO

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n. 302020/C.A. P.M. 151, 4 ottobre 1944

ALLA M. M. I. A. ROMA

OGGETTO: Sottotenente MOTTA Antonio

Dno' Seg.to

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La Croce Rossa Italiana ha interessato questo Ministero per la ricerca di notizie del Sottotenente MOTTA Antonio, che risultava

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n. 302020/C.A. P.M. 151, 4 ottobre 1944

ALLA M. M. I. A. ROMA

OGGETTO: Sottotenente MOTTA Antonio

(Ord' Seit)

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La Croce Rossa Italiana ha interessato questo Ministero per la ricerca di notizie del Sottotenente MOTTA Antonio, che risultava ricoverato al Padiglione Sud Africano del Policlinico di Bari.

Il Combined General Hospital U.D.F.C.M.F., ha fatto conoscere che il 28 giugno c.a. l'ufficiale é stato trasferito al 1° Mobile General Hospital.

Si sarà grati a cotesta Missione se vorrà compiacersi fornire notizie dell'Ufficiale in questione.

d'ordine

IL CAPO GABINETTO

(Col. S.M. E. De Michelis)

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From: M. of W. Ref: 302023/C.A.
To: M.M.I.A. Date: 3.10.44.
Subject: Interpreter Rengo BIGAGHI 485 5th Jacket AQ/11

Re your AQ/11 dated August 7th.

By Emergency Mf 2nd. Lt. BIGAGHI Rengo was sentenced to the loss of his rank by Royal Decree dated 15-4-43 as a result of his having been found guilty of theft of Italian W.D. property according to sentence dated 15.10.42 passed by the Bari Military War Tribunal.

This sentence does not appear as cancelled. Nevertheless should this be the case and should the a/n wish to claim restitution of his rank, he may send an application to this Ministry on official paper and through the proper channels (Mil. district) in order that a revision of his case may take place. The following documents must be attached to his application:-

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- Legalised copy on stamped paper of the Supreme Mil. Tribunal sentence cancelling sentence N. 101942 of the Bari Mil. War Tribunal.
- Copy of his mil. Identity card, dated after Supreme Mil. ~~Tribunal~~ Tribunal issued their sentence.
- Certificate duly legalised and stamped issued not more than one month ago by the Legal Registrar.
- Certificate of pending charges, legalised and stamped.
- Good conduct certificate (issued by mayor of town of residence) covering period from date of sentence, legalised and stamped.

(Sgd) Col DE MICHELIS

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# Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO

n° 302023/C.A. P.M.151, 3 settembre 1944

OGGETTO : Interprete Renzo BIGAGLI.-

Ufficio Stralcio AQ. 11 4 b

ALLA M. M. I. A.

ROMA

Riferimento foglio AQ/11 in data 7 agosto.

L'ex sottotenente di ftr.compl. BIGAGLI Renzo con R.D. 15.4.1943 fu dichiarato incorso nella perdita del grado, in seguito a condanna per furto in danno dell'amministrazione militare, riportata con sentenza 15.10.1942 del Tribunale Militare Territoriale di Guerra di Bari.

Non risulta che detta sentenza sia stata annullata. Qualora ciò sia avvenuto ed il BIGAGLI intenda ottenere la reintegrazione nel grado, può inoltrare a questo Ministero regolare domanda in carta legale e per via gerarchica (distretto militare), per la revisione della sua posizione disciplinare, unendovi i se

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- copia autentica in bollo della sentenza del Trib.Mil.Supremo che annulla la sentenza 15.101942 del T.M.T.G. di Bari;
- copia del suo foglio matricolare, posteriore alla sentenza del Tribunale Supremo Militare;
- certificato del Casellario giudiziale, in bollo e legalizzato, di data non anteriore ad un mese;
- certificato dei carichi pendenti, in bollo e legalizzato;
- certificato (del comune o dei comuni di residenza) di buona condotta tenuta dall'interessato dopo la condanna, in bollo e legalizzato.-

p.IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA a.p.s.
(Generale G.B. Oxilia)
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col. di S.M. E. De Michelis)

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SUBJECT :- Recommendations - Italian Officers.

HQ ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY

Tel:- FILPOT 282

LAB/I/64/3

3 Oct 44

D.A.D.L., M.M.I.A.

1. The attached correspondence is forwarded for any action you deem necessary.

2. The recommendation for promotion of S/Ten. CALLERI, A., 159 Italian Pioneer Labour Company, to the rank of Tenente, contained therein, is endorsed.

/ACC

/s. Adam Brigadier,
Deputy Director of Labour.
(Absent on Leave)

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See Fol 4674

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SUBJECT :- Recommendations - Italian Officers.

British Increment (Lab Branch)
Rear HQ Fifth Army
CMF

Phone No. Lightning Rear 159

DDL HQ AAI

48/I/LAB

30 Sep 44

S/Ten CALLERI A. -159 It Pnr Lab Coy

1. Attached copy recommendation for the promotion of the a/n Italian Officer is enclosed for onward transmission, please, through the appropriate Italian Staff Channels.

2. In view of the considerable service this Officer has given in his present rank of S/Tenente, this recommendation for promotion to the rank of Tenente is supported.

(Sgd) S.C.W. DISNEY Lt-Col.,
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF LABOUR.

MT/AS

Copy to OC 46 Group PC.

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C O P Y

SUBJECT :- Officers - Italian Units. A/59

To :- C.O.,
46 Group HQ,
Pioneer Corps.

SOTTO TENENTE CALLERI, ALBERTO

The a/n Officer has been in charge of a detachment of approx 100 men for a period of about 12 months.

He has carried out his duties with ability, is extremely keen and willing, and commands a very high degree of respect from the men working under him.

He has been a S. Ten. for about six years and is considerably overdue for promotion.

I would recommend that he be granted the rank of Tenente within the establishment of this unit.

? ? ? Capt.
O.C. Br Cadre 159 IPL Co 1439

Field.
22 Sept 44.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army.
R O M E
AO/11

3 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

Ten. di Giugno.
Ten.D'Artiglieri Fiori

1. The attached requests received from the Comd. 2 Polcorps are forwarded to you for any action you deem necessary.

2. As the Maiella Bde is an authorised Formation (see this HQ letter ref. 3/B/2 dated 20 Sep 44), the authorisation of the transfer of the above mentioned Officer to this Formation, depends on your approval.

3. The attached Requests are therefore forwarded to you for necessary action.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Subject: Postings - Italian Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

3 Oct 44

H.Q.3 District

503/3 5th Jacket

Ten. La Nunziata.

Ref your C.E.3244 of 12 Aug.

1. The Ministry of War has today informed this HQ that the orders have been issued for the a/m officer, of 911 (I) Pioneer Coy., to be replaced by a more suitable officer.

2. If these instructions are not implemented within a reasonable time, please advise this HQ, when hastening action will be taken.

F. J. Noakes

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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Subject:-Italian Officers - Discipline.

Major.BELLUOMINI Maurizio.

Military Mission
Italian Army.
R O M E.
AQ/II.

3 Oct 44.

M.M.I.A.,L.O.,
5th. Army.

I. The attached copy translation of letter from M. of W. is forwarded for information.

2. Will you please endeavour to obtain further information as to present location of the a/m officer, and advise this H.Q., in order that M.of W. may be informed, and instructed to take disciplinary action.

F.J.NOAKES,Lt.Col.,
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/wvj.

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COPY OF TRANSLATION.

Subject:-Maj.BELLUOMINI Maurizio.

Ref:-301734/CA.

Date:-29 Sept 44.

From:-M.of W.

To:- MMIA.

We are informed that BELLUOMINI Maurizio, Inf. Major, towards the end of August, left Rome, without travel permit, to reach SOIANO (between LUCCA and LEGHORN) where his family lives. The Major was travelling on an American car of the Diplomatic Corps, of which no further details are available.

At S.VINCENZO, which is a town a few miles away from SOIANO, the American M.P. stopped the car and arrested Maj.BELLUOMINI and another Italian officer who was travelling with him because their documents were not in order. From that time we had no further news of Maj.BELLUOMINI.

Would MMIA kindly obtain information from the M.P. concerned.

(sgd) DE MICHELIS.

See folio 768

from: MOW
to: MMIA

Translation
ref. 301/34/CA
29 Sept 44

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DE MICHELIS

Lt. Col.

Copy MMIA
AO
5th Army
3/Oct.

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# MINISTERO DELLA GVERRA

*Gabinetto*

*Prot. N°* 301734/C. *Allegati*

*Risposta al f.° del*

*Roma,* 29 settembre 1944

*Div.* *Sez.* *N.°*

***OGGETTO:*** Maggiore Belluomini Maurizio -

Mag 71

AQ

*Al* LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

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Risulta che il Maggiore di fanteria BELLUOMINI Maurizio, verso la fine dello scorso agosto, si recava di sua iniziativa da Roma a Soiana (tra Lucca e Livorno), luogo di residenza della famiglia, approfittando di una autovettura americana del Corpo Diplomatico, non meglio precisata.

A S.Vincenzo, pochi chilometri da Soiano, la Polizia americana fermava l'autovettura e tratteneva il Maggiore BELLUOMINI e altro ufficiale italiano che con lui viaggiava, perchè

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Al LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

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Da allora nulla si è più saputo del Maggiore BELLUOMINI.

Sarò grato a cotesta Missione se vorrà chiedere sue notizie ai competenti organi di polizia.-

p. IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO ALLA GUERRA a.p.s.

(Gen.C.B.Oxilia)

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

(Col. E. de Michelis)

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:- Employment - Italian Officers

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HQ 1 District CMF
Tel Ext 15

ST/212
2 Oct 44

Army Sub Commission (MMIA),
HQ ACC, ROME.

Copy to :- MMIA LO, HQ 1 District
DADST 71 Sub Area
OC Br Cadre 1005 It GT Coy RASC.

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Reference your AQ/11 dated 15 Sep 44.

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1. Capt NERVI has reported to 1005 Italian GT Coy.

2. OC Br Cadre RASC 1005 Coy thinks that Capt GIORDINO may be an officer named GIORDANO who was with the unit for about two weeks, but was posted away to be discharged. May this be confirmed or otherwise please ?

Yes

3. OC Br Cadre also states that there was a Capt PIANTANIDE with the unit at PALO DEL COLLE, who was sent away as he was too old and lacked drive and initiative.

Naturally, OC Br Cadre does not wish to have him back.

4. Another Capt is required by the Coy in replacement of Capt CELETANO who has proved himself to be unsatisfactory.

Two subalterns are also required to fill vacancies on WE.

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Colonel,
Deputy Director of Supplies and Transport.

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OFFICERS WITH 1005 Italian GT Coy

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| OC | Maj COSTI | W/S Offr | Capt MENEAS |
| HQ Capt | Capt NERVI | 'A' Pl Offr | Lt TONELLI |
| HQ Capt | Capt GARRUTI | 'B' Pl Offr | Lt TOSSI |
| HQ Capt | Capt CELENTANO (replacement required) | 'C' PL Offr | Deficient |
| | | 'D' Pl Offr | Lt JENTILE |
| HQ Sub | Deficient | | |

Also with Coy Capt MENITONI (Surplus - posting order required).

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Subject: Traffic Accident.
Time and Date: 1930 hrs 15 Jun 44
Place: Corso d'Italia.
Vehicle: marked I.R.S.4.
Driver: Lieut. Carlio Giovanpietro.

Ref: 53/40615/27/A

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H.Q.,
Military Mission to Italian Army,
C.M.F.

1. This office isinvestigating the circumstances of a traffic accident as above.

2. Can you please advise from your records any information regarding personal number,unit etc., of a Lieut Carlio Giovanpietro. It is stated that at the date of the accident this officer was resident at Hotel Flora, Rome, but there is no trace through that source.

3. Further, the vehicle marking I.R.S,4. conveys nothing to this office. Have you any advice on this point, please?

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Lieut,
for Captain,
Claims and Hirings Officer,
53 Claims and Hirings, CMF.

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Subject: Italian Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
AQ/11

3 Oct 44

MMIA LO
5th Army

1. The question of assignment of officers to Units of 210 Div as detailed in your memorandums dated 25th Sept were referred to Ministry of War on 30 Sept.

2. If no action has been taken within a reasonable time, please advise this HQ when hastening action will be taken.

S P Archer Capt.

S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Lt.Col.AA & QMG.
M. M. I. A.

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
R O M E
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2 Oct 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

Capt. CERVINARA FRANCESCO, 47 Inf.Regt.
O.C.Lecce Distribution Depot.

1. An adverse report has been received concerning the a/m officer.

2. It is considered that he is inefficient, in that he has not got proper control of the supplies in the Depot, which he commands, and is not sufficiently energetic in organising and checking up on the work of his Staff.

3. Please arrange for Capt. Cervinara to be posted to a more suitable employment and for him to be replaced by a more energetic and competent officer.

4. The Distribution Depot at Maglie closed down on 30 Sept, and it is suggested that the O.C. of that Depot could now be posted to take over the Lecce Distribution Depot on the posting of the a/m officer.

F.J.NOAKES Lt.Col.
For Major General.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

Copy to: S & T. MMIA (2 copies)

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SUBJECT: Application Mrs. ALBERTI Francesca.

Military Mission Italian Army.
ROME.

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Oct 44.

Political Section, A.C.C.

Copy to: Col. H. SIMMONS, SARDINIA.

Herewith correspondence in connection with the case of Mr. ALBERTI Aldo, ex Italian Consul in CORSICA.

The matter is not really the function of M.M.I.A. so I pass it to you for action please.

Would you let me know the result in due course in order that I may inform Col. SIMMONS in SARDINIA, who was approached originally by Mrs. ALBERTI.

A.B.

Major General.
M.M.I.A.

E.C.

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COMANDO MILITARE DELLA SARDEGNA.
Chief of Staff Operations Office

No. 11900/23/2/OP APO 50, 26 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Application of Mrs. ALBERTI Francesca.

TO : Colonel SIMMONS, ACC, ELMAS.

In returning the attached letter to you, I deeply thank you for the kind interest you have taken in this matter.

In spite of all the interest displayed by our authorities in CORSICA+ the imprisonment of Mr. ALBERTI Aldo, ex Italian Consul in CORSICA, has continued since last February, and to date the French authorities have not even informed the defence attorney, Marcel Mirtil, of the charges made against the accused.

It would be desirable to determine for what reasons ALBERTI has been arrested, to hasten as much as possible the eventual trial and to free him, if he is found not guilty, instead of sending him to a concentration camp at ALGIERS, as rumoured.

If you could, and would deem it opportune and possible to accomplish this, peace would undoubtedly be brought back to a family already hardly tried by fate.

The Commanding General.
- Brunetto Brunetti-
/s/ Brunetti.

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Headquarters A.A.I.
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION.
Army Sub Commission,
A.P.O. 534, U.S. Army.

16 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Application, Mrs. ALBERTI Francesca.

TO : Commanding General, Italian Forces in SARDINIA.

1. The attached letter is referred to you for remark and recommendation as to what action you believe this office can take.

F.L. SIMMONS.
Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS VII ARMY CORP.
Personnel Office

Appendix No. 1
No. 04/7663/prot

APO 112, 14 September 1944.

SUBJECT: Application Mrs. ALBERTI Francesca

TO .: COLONEL SIMMONS,
Chief Army Sub Commission in SARDINIA, CAGLIARI

The attached application by Mrs. ALBERTI Francesca asking for the assistance of the Allied Commission for the liberation of her husband, Italian Citizen arrested in CORSICA last February by order of French Authorities, is herewith forwarded with the kind request to consider the application with benevolence.

THE COLONEL CHIEF OF STAFF
/t/ A. Pederzani.
/s/ Pederzani

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Sassari, 5 September 1944.

TO THE ALLIED HEADQUARTERS OF SARDINIA

I, the undersigned ALBERTI Francesca, wife of ALBERTI Aldo, Italian Consul of Portovecchio (Corsica) who until lately performed welfare and repatriation functions for countrymen, am taking the liberty of informing your Headquarters, on which I place confidence of my painful situation:

"On the 17 February 1944 my husband, agent of the Italien Foreign Affairs Ministry, was arrested by order of French authorities and confined in the jail of AJACCIO, where he is at present. I wish you to be aware of the fact that my husband never committed misdeeds during the performance of his duties; he just complied with orders received from his superiors. When I left my husband upon his arrest, he was sick, and he has already been confined for 6 months and I have not heard from him since that date. I interested some people in AJACCIO in order to have news concerning his health. I learned by these people who were able to contact my husband, that he is hospitalized at the AJACCIO Civil Hospital owing to the mistreatments suffered during questioning, and after which he was found no guilty, and that he was tortured twice; it is to be noted that my husband is 60 years old, sick, with a family composed of 4 children and me to support.

I have reason to believe as a result of what I learned, that when trial is closed, it is their intention not to free him but to send him to ALGERI in order not to allow him to tell about the mistreatments he suffered. That means to losse him forever.

I deeply beg the benevolence of the Allied Headquarters of taking an interest in this case in order to have my husband back in SASSARI, where I live and am waiting for him, as soon as possible.

Hoping that my application will be accepted with the greatest comprehension, I give you my thanks and regards.

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/t/s/ Francesca ALBERTI)
Francesca ALBERTI+
Via Dell' Insinuazione No. 2

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Subject: Italian Military Personnel - Officers.

Military Mission
Italian Army,
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AQ/11

2 Oct 44

MMIA LO 2 District

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Maj.Bottacini Vito, 404 Regt.

Ref your MF/102 of 27 Sept.

1. In view of the age and previous record of the above mentioned officer, it is regretted that no exception to the policy for demobilisation can be made in his case.

S.P.ARCHER Capt.
For Lt.Col. A.A. & Q.M.G.
M. M. I. A.

SPA/hh

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