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Pay - Italian Army

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SUBJECT:- Italian Army POW.

1st Corps.

ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY.

AAI/3074/A(0).
2 JUN 44.

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1. Reference your letter # 2662 of 3 May 44.
2. The question of pay for Italian soldiers is now under consideration by the Italian Authorities, and until a decision is reached changes detrimental to troops will not be made.
3. You will be notified immediately the policy has been finally decided.

JA/CC.

Copies to: RIGHTS Army;
1st Allied Control Commission; ✓
2 (D);
File: 9007/3/A(15).

585 *John May*
Brigadier,
DAB.

14-11-44
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A. C. C.

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ARMY FORM 6210 (Rev. 5-57)

MESSAGE FORM

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FROM
(A)

MMIA

Originator

Date-Time of Origin

02.09150

Office Date Stamp

TO

For Action

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(B) For Information (INFO)

COMDT DEPOT AND TRG EST CNPCH

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Message Instructions

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Operator's No.

AG 1254

RESTRICTED O FOR OFFENHAUER O COMDT DEPOT

AND TRG EST desires immediate visit from you or representative

in questions with long overdue pay for MMIALD O This message

43/23 of 1 Jan refers to PRO 94/4 NOT yet NOT received from

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Subject: Cash Advances to Italian Units.

I/4

To: Army G b-Commission,
Allied Control Commission,
Rear H.Q. (MIA).
Lequile (Lecce).

Reference your AQ/13/1 of 7 March 1944 (copy enclosed).

The total amount advanced and demanded from Italian Army was Lire 45,850.

Banca d'Italia cheque No. 0037438 forwarded with your AQ/13/1 of 7 March was for Lire 45,580 only; will you please make arrangements for the balance of Lire 270 to be paid to this office as soon as possible.

3/6 11/6
No. 8 Command Pay Office,
1st June 1944.

Balance requested for SMRE
known
Lt. Col.,
Assistant Command Paymaster,
Central Mediterranean Forces

COPY

CONFIDENTIAL

Subject: Payment to Italian Personnel

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.

Main Hq (S.M.A.)

Lequile (Lecce)

AC/13/1

7 March 44.

No. 8 Command Pay Office, C.M.P.

Copy to Stato Maggiore R Esercito.

Ref. your letter I/4 dated 14 Feb 44.

1. BANCA D'ITALIA cheque No. 0037438 for Lire 45,580 is forwarded from the Italian C.M. in settlement of the two advances made to Italian Units by No. 1 Road Construction Coy, R.E.
2. Covering letters, Stato Maggiore R Esercito 8/419/Serv dated 6 March and Military District LECCE 6/757 dated 4 March, are forwarded herewith.
3. Please acknowledge receipt.

(Signed) For Brigadier
Army Sub Com., A.C.C.

COPY TRANSLATION

From S.M.R.E.
Adm Section.

To ITALIA

Ref 8/419 /Serv dated 24 Feb 44.

Subject : Payment of Italian Soldiers.

With reference to your AQ/13/1 dated 24-2-44 we beg to send you herewith letter 6/757 dated 4th inst of the Military District LECCE together with draft No.0037438 on the BANCA D'ITALIA for the sum of 45,580 lire, being the refund of a sum paid by the British 121 Road Construction Coy., R.E. to the 1 and 2 Coys of the 556 Btn. Could you please forward above letter and draft to the address 8 Adm Office H.Q., ACMP.

Kindly acknowledged receipt.

(Sgd) Col GUERGLA.

COPY TRANSLATION

From LECCE Military District (Adm Office)

To 8 Adm Office, HQ, ACMP

Subject : Adm suspense between the 1 and 2 Coys of the 556 Btn and 121 Road Coy, R.E.

We beg to enclose herewith draft No.0037438 on the BANCA D'ITALIA for the sum of 45,580 lire being the refund of payments effected by the 121 Road Coy, R.E. to the 1st and 2nd Coys of the 556 Btn. P.M. 185

Kindly acknowledged receipt.

(Sgd) Maj. L. GEROMA.

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Subject: Cash Advances to Italian Units.

To: Army Sub-Commission,
Allied Control Commission,
Rear B. (AFIA),
Laguna (London).

Reference is made to correspondence relative to the settlement of two advances made to Italian Military Units in October 1945 by No. 121 Road Construction Coy, A.S., submitting in your No. 13/1 of 7 March 1946 (copy enclosed).

A scrutiny of the account concerned reveals that the total amount advanced was Lire 1,5050 made up as follows :-

No. 1 Coy 195 Coastal Bn of 21st Italian Div.	22200
No. 2 Coy do.	23650.

Copies of the receipts are enclosed.

When D'Italia cheque No. 0057138 forwarded with your No. 13/1 of 7 March was for Lire 4750 only; will you please make arrangements for the balance of Lire 270 to be paid to this office as soon as possible.

Lt.-Col,
Assistant Quartermaster General

Head Quartermaster's Office,
Central Mediterranean Force,
31st Coy, 1946.

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COPY CERTIFIED TRUE COPY.

Received from Capt. G.G. Coulson R.E., the sum of Twenty Three Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Lire (23650) (or BMA £59.2.6.) for payment of Italian soldiers in No.2 Company 556 Coastal Battalion of the 214 Italian Division.

Payment made through Imprest a/c HG.245, 121 Road Construction Coy, R.E. on the verbal authority of C.E. Eighth Army. Date of Payment 28 Oct. 43.

Sgd. Commandante No.2 Coy
556 Coastal Battalion.

Witness as to payment of the above Company 28-10-43

Sgd. G.G. Coulson Capt. R.E.
28-10-43.

COPY CERTIFIED TRUE COPY.

Received from Capt. G.G. Coulson R.E., the sum of Twenty Two Thousand Two Hundred Lire (Lire 22200) (BMA £55-10-0.) for payment of Italian Soldiers in No.1 Coy 556 Coastal Battalion of the 214 Italian Division.

Payment made through Imprest Account HG.245 121st Road Construction Coy, R.E. on the verbal authority of C.E. Eighth Army. Date of payment 28-10-43.

Sgd. Commandante No.1 Coy
556 Coastal Battalion.

Subject: Payment of Italian Military Personnel.

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.
Main No. (MIA)
12/13/1 (12/13/1)
12/13/1
1 June 44.

Stato Maggiore E. Esercito.

Further to our 10/13/1 dated 14 May 44.

1. On 30 Dec 43 a payment of Lire 4,450 was made by HQ 168 Inf Bde to Major Marco CERVINI.
2. It is requested that this sum, together with the sum of Lire 9,130 referred to in the above letter, be forwarded to this HQ for onward transmission to No. 8 Command Pay Office. Original Acquittance notes are attached.
3. Major Marco CERVINI has been employed by HQ 168 Inf Bde as a Liaison Officer. We have indicated a request for him to be paid through 2nd Division.

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Major CERVINI.
Army Sub Comm A.C.C.

Copy to: No. 8 Command Pay Office. (ref your 147/148 28/5/44)
MIA. 10. HQ Ninth Army.
P.S. MIA.

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Army Form C-2130

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DEPT. DEFB-OP-17-GVK1 QRX-00340/1

No. of Groups
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Office Date Stamp

TO TITLEA INFO DO HQ AB1

(ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

FROM COMMANDANT DEPT. DEFB-OP-17-GVK1

Originator's Number

Date

In Reply to Number

RE/25 0 Reflected ref PRO 7/14 from PM AB1 @ 2400000000 of GUESTS
 Deal with immediately as Italian personnel this depot not been
 paid for many weeks & may depart by visit by Col. H. F. ANHURST 25-100

Referred to Naples LO

02/6/50 See file

This message may be sent As Written
 by any means
 (except)
 Encrypted Wireless

This message must be sent in Cipher
 or be able to interception or to fall into
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~~MEG-BV MEAY 4409~~

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FROM FILPOT 311800

TO REAR 5 CORPS

INFO MMIA

Q 2382 REF YOUR ~~4244~~ Q 1450 OF 30 MAY ONE .

XXX PAYMENTS TO ITALIAN CIVILIANS

DIRECTLY EMPLOYED BY ITALIAN FIRMS WILL

BE FROM FUNDS PLACED DISPOSAL OF ITALIAN

ARMY BY THEIR OWN GOVT . ~~WILL~~ TWO . RATES TO

CONFORM TO EXISTING RATES LAID DOWN BY THIS HQ .

THREE . LABOUR EMPLOYED AT RAIL OR ROAD HEADS EVEN IF UNLOADING
ITALIAN MATERIALS WILL BE BRITISH ~~WILL~~ RESPONSIBILITY

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Subject:- Lt. Onodoo Sale.

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.
Main HQ. (MHA)
LEWIS. (LSCC)
AQ/13/1
3/ May 44.

HQ. ACC.

Reference your AQ/11.18 dated 26 May 44.

Reply was sent to HQ.ACC. on 12 May 44. A copy is attached.

W. B. G. C. V.
Major General.
Army Sub Comm A.C.C.

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(R) For Information (INFO)

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At 12:45 (a) communication (a) under 101/201/201/201 (a) under
12:45 an communication under 101/201/201 (a) problem being actively
studied by violation of law and planning (a) under 101/201/201/201 5000
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Subject : Payments Italian Military Personnel.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.,
Rear H.Q. (M.M.I.A.),
LEQUILS (LECCE).

IMP./A.

30/13/145

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31/5.

Officer Commanding 168 Inf. Bde. (HD 118) has paid 4,480 lire to an Italian Officer.

It is requested, please, that arrangements will be made with the Italian Army for the above amount to be repaid to this Office.

Original Acquittance Rolls are attached ; duplicate copies are retained and will be forwarded when settlement has been effected.

May 28th. 1944,
No. 8 Command Pay Office,
Central Mediterranean Force.

For Command Paymaster

*See 15 May W 2.542 E
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+ 205 in pocket
See folio 147/1*

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Adjutant's Department
APO 394

AQ 13/1 LTM/45

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Adj/311.18

26 May 1944

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SUBJECT: Lt. Onofredo Sale.

TO : Army Sub-Commission, Lecce.

1. Attention is invited to attached correspondence with G-5, AFHQ.
2. May reply be made, please, to 233 letter, enclosed, of 14 May, to this Hq.

30/5/44

Copy of folio 138 sent
28/5/44

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134/1

30/5/44

L. T. MONTANT, Jr.
1st Lt, AGD
Adjutant

File See folio 145

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

TBJ/jjr

G-5: 091.713-1(Italy)

24 May 1944.

SUBJECT: Lieut. Omodeo Sale.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission,
APO 394

1. Ref Adj 311.18 of 22 May.

2. The date of the original letter to you concerning the above was 2 May and the reference was MGS: 091.711(Italy).

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

T. B. Jackman
T. B. JACKMAN
Major

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Adjutant's Department
APO 394

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Adj: 311.18

22 May 1946

SUBJECT: Lieut. Victor Charles Sale

TO : AFM. (X-5 Section)

1. Reference your MSG 091.713-1 (Italy) dated 14 May 1946.
2. May the date of letter, therein referred to, be furnished please.

For the Commanding General:

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L. T. MONTANT, Jr.,
1st Lt, AGO,
Adjutant.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Military Government Section

TBJ/thh

MGS 091.713-1 (Italy)

14 May 1944

SUBJECT: Lieut. Victor Omodeo Sale

TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference is made to MGS 091.711 on the above.
2. Would you please state when it is expected that it will be possible to furnish a reply.

For the Chief of Section:

T. B. Jackman
T. B. JACKMAN,
Major.

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Subject:- Pay - Italian Personnel.

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.

Main HQ. (WHIA)

LEADS. (LRCOE)

EQ/13/1

48 May 44.

HQ. 10 Army Group. RA.

Reference your 36/103/AGRA dated 21 May 44.

1. The Italian personnel of 7, Mtn. Regt., come under IX Italian Corps For Administration, eg: pay, Clothing, etc.
2. Questions relating to pay should therefore be referred by the Italians themselves to their own higher authorities for decision.

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Major General.
Army Sub Comm A.C.C.

Copy to: OC. 7th. Mtn. Regt. RA.

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Subject:- Pay for 100-1 -1002-1003 Reparto Antieri per

Army Sub Commission A.C.C. .
Main HQ (WHIA)
LEWILLE. (LEWILLE)
AC/15/1
23 May 44.

Ministry of War.

1. It is confirmed that the above units are eligible to draw the extra 20 Lire labour pay, but are not entitled to draw Combat pay.
2. You will please issue instructions to this effect and also that the pay previously paid in error to the men shall NOT be withdrawn.

FO/FJH

F. J. Noakes
for Major General. *for*
Army Sub Comm A.C.C.

Copy to: DISTRO.
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ET. WHIA.

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Pay - Italians.

Army Sub Commission,
A.G.C. Lecce.

Copy to :- CC 7 Mtn Regt RA.

H 10 Army Group, R.A.
36/108/AGIA.

21 May 44.

Ref attached copy letter from CC 7 Mtn Regt RA.

Please confirm that Italian ORs of 7 Mtn Regt will not be requested to refund overissues of pay w.e.f. 18 Apr and that rates of pay until the unit's arrival in the front line will be as follows :-

Marescialli
Serg. Maggiore
Serg.
Artiglieri

35 Lire p.d.
30 Lire p.d.
25 Lire p.d.
20 Lire p.d.

AR/PJH.

Brig.
Comd. 10 AGIA.

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See folio 123

Pay Italians.

COPY.

Conf. Initial.
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HQ. 10 A.C.R.A.

1. My Italians have been drawing pay (additional to the basic rate of 5 Lire p.d.) of 20 lire per day since joining the Regt in February.
2. On 15 May, when my Italian Officers drew the fortnight's pay from BARI, they were informed that this additional pay would be cancelled in accordance with :-

Letter H.5800/1 - 11.1.52 Dated 18 Apr 52, which lays down additional pay solely for Italians

- (a) In the front line
- (b) Within 15 km of the front line.
- (c) Employed in labour.

although the additional 20 lire p.d. was drawn on 15 May, I.Os were told that Italians would have to refund back pay w.e.f. 18 Apr.

3. It is realised that this matter may shortly right itself as the Regt moves; but it is requested that steps may be taken to ensure that my I.Os are not subjected to back pay.
4. The pay required to be confirmed until arrival in the front line is :-

Marescialli	35 l.p.d.
Serg. Magg.	30 l.p.d.
Serg.	25 l.p.d.
Artiglieri	20 l.p.d.

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19.5.44.

Sd. J.M.L. GRAYSON,
Lt. Col. RA.
Comd. 7 Mountain Regiment RA.

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PAY

Surplus pay in the Italian Army is as follows. (140/1)

Fighting Pay	-	40 lire	(+ Basic Pay)
Up to 15 kms behind line	-	32 "	(+ " ")
Labour	-	20 "	(+ " ")

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Army Sec. (Secur.)

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SUBJECT: Pay - Italian Army

RE: ATTACHED MEMO OF 12/44

HQ/13/1

HQ/307/210

23/5

19 May 44

Army Sub-Commission, AGC

1. The attached copy letter received from Commander, 5 Corps regarding pay of Italian military personnel belonging to formations and units under command of 5 Corps is forwarded.

2. It is not considered that all those from the front line in forward areas should be the guiding factor for deciding whether or not Italian military personnel should receive 5 Lire a day or 25 Lire a day.

3. The proposal put forward by 5 Corps is agreed, and it is requested that the matter be represented to SHAG, recommending that all Italian personnel employed in Army or Corps Areas receive the higher rate of pay.

4. It is further strongly recommended that no reduction should be made retrospectively in respect of personnel of 209 Italian Div or any other unit or formation so affected.

Therrell
Brigadier,
AGC

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Copy: HQ AGC.

C(AGC)

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COPY

Subject: PAY - ITALIAN ARMY

J.2662

2 MAY 44H.Q., 5 Corps.

I have been informed by the Commander of 209 Italian Division that instructions have been received from S.M.R.S. that the rate of pay for Italian soldiers further than 10 miles from the front line has to be reduced to 9 lire per diem.

In the first place this will cause considerable hardship as the reduction is made retrospective to 1 Apr 44 that the men, already not very highly paid, will have to pay back the difference between 9 lire and 26 lire a day which they were receiving before and in the second place it will result in a considerable difference in rates of pay between men of the same rank some of whom happen to be employed forward of this line and some on equally important work further back but still within 5 Corps area.

The arrangement existing up till now has been that all troops in 5 Corps area (and in NORTH ARMY area) are treated as being in the "Combat Zone" both for pay and for their scale of rations. In my view this is a reasonable arrangement and it is therefore repeated that the arrangement continue and that representations be made to S.M.R.S. that the reduction of pay should not take effect within 5 Corps area.

(Sgd) J. Auckland, Brigadier,

for Lieutenant-General,
Commander, 5 Corps.

D.L./RB

Ninth Army

Copy to: HQ MTA
MTA 1A

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Subject: Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.
Main Hq. (MILA)
Liaison Hq. (LICO)
AD/13/1
14 May 44.

Stato Maggiore R. Esercito.

1. Payments totalling Lire 9,130 have been made by Hq, 168, Inf. Bde. to Major Marco SERVENTI, Italian Liaison Officer.
2. It is requested that the sum of Lire 9,130 be forwarded to this HQ for onward transmission to 8, Command Pay Office.
3. Original Acquittance Rolls are attached, duplicate copies will be forwarded when settlement is effected.

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ffrid, Cpt
Major General.
Army Sub Comm A.C.C.

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Copy to: No. 8 Command Pay Office.
(ref your IMP/h dated 11 May 44.)

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Subject : Payments , Italian Military Personnel. 139

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.,
Rear H.Q. (M.A.I.A.),
LEQUILLE (LSCCE).

Officer Commanding 168 Inf. Bde. (HD.118) has paid
9,130 lire to an Italian Officer.

It is requested, please, that arrangements will be
made with the Italian Army for the above amount to be re paid to
this Office.

Original acquittance rolls are attached ; duplicate
copies are retained and will be forwarded when settlement is
effected.

*Acquittance rolls sent
to HQ*

[Signature]
Lieut.
for Command Paymaster.

May, 11th., 1944,
No. 8 Command Pay Office,
Central Mediterranean Force.

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See file 140

13/5/44

SUBJECT: Lt. Victor Onofeo Sale.

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Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main Bldg (MIA)
LEQUILS (LACOSTE)
AQ/13/1.
12 May 44.

HQ. A.C.C.

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Ref AFHQ letter, MGS 091.711 (Italy) dated 2 May 44.

1. It is understood that Lt. Victor Onofeo Sale is now in ALGERIA.
2. All questions concerning his pay should therefore be referred to Gen. CASTELLANI, Italian Mission, ALGERIA.

tvs.JB.

J. Bud, Capt
Major General
Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.

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S. C. (Q)

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CF, p. 5-13 (13)

• Your query is answered in para 7 of log dated 8 May.
It will be seen that Pack Tpt bags are entitled to same
pay as CH.

✓ 9/5. CC. Filed BP 56
Rey, Fitchman. comes here on SAT

Army Sub Commission, ACC
(M M I A)
Rear H Q EIGHTH ARMY.
MM/101/28

4 May 44.

Army Sub Commission, ACC
Main H Q (M M I A)
ISQUIL (LSCCE)

Copy to:- DDPL Rear EIGHTH ARMY.
DDST Rear EIGHTH ARMY.
I F A HQ.

SUBJECT:- Pay - ITALIAN Troops.

Reference my MM/101/18 of 26 Apr 44.

I am informed by Col. BRUNO, C of S FF.AA. CAMPANIA that the Ministry of War is proposing the following additions to the basic rates of pay for ITALIAN troops in the combat zone.

ADDITIONAL PAY.
40 Lire per day.

C I L

Tps 15 Km behind the front line.

30 " " "

Tps in the combat zone.

30 " " "

There is considerable discontent among ITALIAN troops

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C I L	ADDITIONAL PAY.	
	40 Lire per day.	
Tps 15 Km behind the front line.	30	" "
Tps in the combat zone.	20	" "

There is considerable discontent among ITALIAN troops engaged on mule Pack Tpt work or front line portage at the difference in their pay and that of the C I L. Both the DDST and DDPL desire that Pack Tpt troops and labour engaged on front line portage should receive the same rates of pay as the C I L.

May the Ministry of War be asked to consider the proposal that ITALIAN troops working with or under the same conditions as the C I L receive the same rate of pay?

by J. J. J. J.

Major,
Liaison Officer.

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SUBJECT: Stationery for Italian GI Coys.

Army Sub Comm, AGC,
Main Bldg, II,
St. Paul (12002).
St. 13.

Dist. H. R. 2 District.

11 May 44.

Copy to: US Brit 2d Div, 1000 Ital GI Coy. (for inf)
" " " 1001 Ital GI Coy. (")
" " " 1002 Ital GI Coy. (")
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1. Reference copy letter H. R. 4410/2 of 25 Apr 44.

2. Notification has been received by this Sub Commission from the Italian War Ministry that their Directorate General of Administration (under its H. R. 4410 dated 25 Apr 44) has provided a grant for each of the 1000, 1001 and 1002 Italian GI Coys. of an additional cash allotment of 400 lire for stationery during the current financial period.

3. They also state it has not been possible to distribute stationery instead of cash owing to its scarcity on the market.

Handwritten signature

Dist. Colonel.

AGC, Army Sub Commission, AGC.

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Copy to: "C" DIA : Ref War Min H. R. 2014/C, 5 May 44
(in file AG/13/1)

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TRANSLATION

FROM MIN. of WA

TO MMIA

FILE

SUBJECT

Supplementary cash issue
req of stationery to 100/1/2
G.T. Cays.

The Directorate General
of Administration of the Ministry
under its no. 4143 dated 22 APRIL
has provided a grant for each
of the 1000, 1001, and 1002 G.T. Cays.
for an additional cash allotment
of 400 line for stationery during
the current financial period.
It has not been possible
to distribute stationery instead
of cash owing to the scarcity
in the market.

Info 2 Dirs at 11/1/50 By order of 20
J. D. Williams 42 Col M. R. P. 2
95 JP ST for info and 100
return Q



MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

GABINETTO

Ufficio Collegamento Missioni Alleate

2014/e P.M. 107 , *u* 5 maggio 1944.

OGGETTO: Assegnazione suppletiva spese d'ufficio per

le Compagnie Autieri 1000[^], 1001[^] e 1002[^]. =

Supplementary cash issue in lieu of stationary
Alla ARMY SUB COMMISSION, A.C.C. *to 1000/1/2 & 1001/2*

- Main HQ (MMIA) -

LEQUILE

e, per conoscenza:

Alla DIREZIONE GEN. SERVIZI AMMINISTRATIVI - SEDE
Alla DIREZIONE GEN. DELLA MOTORIZZAZIONE - SEDE

La Direzione Generale dei Servizi Amministrativi di questo Ministero, con dispaccio n°4143 in data 25 aprile u.s., ha provveduto a concedere a ciascuna delle Compagnie Autieri 1000[^], 1001[^] e 1002[^], un'assegnazione suppletiva di L.400- per spese d'ufficio durante il corrente esercizio finanziario.

Non è stato possibile distribuire generi di cancelleria, anzichè assegni in danaro, data la scarsa disponibilità che il mercato offre presentemente a questo riguardo.-

d'ordine

IL COLONNELLO ADDETTO
(M. Ravagli)

m. Ravagli

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

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Military Government Section

MGS: 691.711(Italy)

2 May 1944

SUBJECT: Lieut. Victor Onofeo Sale.

TO : H.Q., Allied Control Commission.

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- c. He escaped from prison and on 5 October he met with troops of the British 46 Division and served as an interpreter to 6 Bn. Grenadier Guards and later to 3 Bn., Coldstream Guards. He was wounded in mid-October whilst with the latter on the Volturno river and finally became attached to 1063 Italian Docks Operating Company on 4 January 1944.

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- b. G-1(B) here express the view that he is a member of the Italian Army and so cannot be paid as a civilian.

6. The suggestion has been made that it might be possible to arrange with the Italian Military authorities for him to be paid on their behalf while in North Africa. The Deputy Paymaster in Chief requires confirmation that he is actually on the strength of the Italian Army and states it is necessary to confirm:-

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Subject to such confirmation and on receipt of information as to the rate of pay issuable the paymaster will arrange cash advances whilst he is in North Africa.

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8. It is requested that you will request the Army Sub-Commission to take up the matter at once with the Italian Military authorities and obtain if at all possible the confirmations in 6 above so that payments may be made to the officer. A spare copy of this letter is attached for use of the sub-commission.

For the Chief of Section:

T. B. Jackman
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Major.

Incl: as above

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Subject: Pay - Italian.

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.
Main HQ. (MIA)
IN. U.I.A. (I.C.C.)
AQ /13/1
4 May 44.

MIA LO with HQ. Rear Eighth Army.

Reference your HQ/101/18 dated 26 April 44.

1. Extra pay for Combat troops is given to units after consideration of their claims by the Ministry of War. There is no single decree covering the whole question.
2. Gen. TOMASELLI should be instructed to forward a list of Units that he considers deserve the extra pay, together with the reasons for such increase, to the Italian Ministry of War for decision.

W. B. Smith, Capt
Major General.
Army Sub Comm A.C.C.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
This slip will NOT be removed.

To:

Laj Byatt Ref Att. Is this so

S.C. (6) See log dated 15 May 44 11/5.

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Army Sub Commission, ACC
(M M I A)
Rear H Q EIGHTH ARMY.
MM/101/18

26 Apr 44.

Army Sub Commission, ACC
Main H Q (M M I A)
LEQUILE (LECCE)

SUBJECT:- Pay for Italian Labour Troops.

Gen. Tomaselli informs me that Italian Labour troops, when working in the line of fire or close to the enemy, receive the same rates of pay as Italian Combat troops. *Are Null Gys included in this?*

Will you please confirm this and quote the authority?

M. Fieldman

Major,
Liaison Officer.

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Subject :- Pay - Italian.

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.
Main No. (8-1-1)
L. Office (L-1-1)
25 April 44.

Army Sub Commission.
ADV. No. (L-1-1)

Reference your 45 504 dated 12 April 44.

1. Under the Italian Ministry of War let of 300 dated 7 Jan. 44, the rates of pay for each working day was granted up to the rank of Corporal only, for those employed by the Allies (excluding Combat Zone) as:-

- a) unloading, transporting and unloading equipment and supplies.
- b) Road work and Aerodrome work.

2. The granting of the rates of pay rests solely with the Italian Authorities, to whom the drivers should apply if it is felt that they are entitled to the categories shown in Para. 1 above.

Op Bird, Capt

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Major General.
Army Sub Commission A.C.C.

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ARMY CONTROL COMMISSION
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18 April 1944

SUBJECT: Pay of Italian Personnel in A.C.C.

TO : Army Sub-Commission, A.C.C. Main HQ (MMIA)
LEQUILE (LECCE).

Reference Weekly Administrative Bulletin No.3.

It is noted that all Italian drivers in PSS
QM Truck Coys. are paid 20 Lire extra a day. Italian
drivers on A.C.C. strength, owing to shortage of per-
sonnel, are also driving all day long. Would it be
possible for authority to be given for some or all of
these men to be paid an extra increment? You will
agree that personnel who are driving staff cars should
be as smart as possible. It is felt that an increase
in pay would undoubtedly contribute indirectly to this
end.

G. W. Quinsmith Lt. Col.
(G. W. QUINSMITH)
Army Sub-Commission
Advanced Headquarters

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*For info HQ that pay of
Italian drivers is being
considered. It is felt that
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end.*

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(List of 100 in duplicate)

MEMORANDUM.

Sender's Reference <i>CC/PT</i>	Rec. or's Reference <i>18/13/1</i>	Date <i>18/100/100</i>
From <i>Commanding Officer</i> <i>SEPO</i>	TO : <i>ARMY SEC</i> <i>COMMISSIONER, P.C.</i> <i>MAIN HQ</i>	

Receipt is acknowledged
of your letter reference
above dated 8/10/100
regarding work charges of
SEPO

18/4/100 File *Submission*
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Commander's
of Command & Control
SEPO *6 m. 502*

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SUBJECT: Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

IMP/A.

Stato Maggiore R. Esercito,
Quartiere Generale,
Ufficio Amministrazione,
CASERTA.

MOIA letter Reference AQ/13 1 dated February 7th. 1944 refers.
Please find attached duplicate Acquittance Rolls for 4,000 Lire.

13th. April 1944.

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

56. Out.
For Command Paymaster.
No. 8 Command Pay Office.
Central Mediterranean Force.

AQ/13/1

SUBJECT: Payment to Italian Military Personnel.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MHA)
INMILS (LPCOE)
AQ/13/1.
13 Apr 44.

No. 8 Command Pay Office.

Ref your BP/A dated 8 Apr 44.

1. It is regretted that owing to insufficient details, it is not possible to forward the att receipt to the Italian authorities for payment and it is returned herewith.

2. If it is desired that further action be taken may the following information please be forwarded :

- (a) Full name, number and regt of Tenente GUGLIANO
- (b) Status at the time of payment, whether PW or not.
- (c) Copy of the authority quoted, i.e. : G1/13/2221/G2 dated 25 Oct 1943.
- (d) Copy of the acquittance roll.

3. It is further noted that payment was made greatly in excess of normal Italian rates of pay, i.e. lire 3250 per month.

tvs.JB.

Major General.
Army Sub Comm, A.C.C.

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SUBJECT: Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

DMP/A.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.,
Rear H.Q. (LMIA),
LEQUIL (LEOCE).

12/11/44 134/13/1

A payment from British Funds has been made to an Italian Officer attached to Syracuse Transit Camp.

It is requested please that arrangements be made with the Italian Authorities for the amount paid, 5,578 Lire, as per attached Voucher, to be reimbursed either to this office or the nearest British Area or Field Cashier.

No. 8 Command Pay Office,
C. M. F.

8th. April 1944.

[Signature] Lieut.
for Command Paymaster.

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SUBJECT: RATES OF PAY ITALIAN ARMY.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MMA)
LEQUILS (LECCE)
AQ/13/1.

12 Apr 44.

D.B.L. HQ AAI (Adm Ech)

Ref your signal, LAB/28923 dated 8 Apr 44.

1. Herewith schedule of rates of pay, as requested.

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9 Bud, Capt

Brig.

Army Sub Comm, A.C.C.

tvn.JB

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ITALIAN ARMY - PAY & ALLOWANCES

(From information from Ministry of War.)

RANK.	D	A	Z	L	Y	P	A	Y	Unite employed in Operational Zones.	1st Mob Bde.
	(A)					(B)		(C)	(D)	
Pte.	L.	6.00	L.	26.00	L.	26.00	L.	26.00	L.	46.00
L/Cpl.		6.25		26.25		26.25		26.25		46.25
Cpl.		6.60		26.60		26.60		26.60		46.60
L/Sjt.		28.26		-		-		53.26		73.26
L/Sjt. (married)		38.51		-		-		63.51		83.26
Sjt (reserve- single)		38.10		-		-		63.10		83.10
Sjt (reserve- married)		48.42		-		-		73.42		93.42
Sjt (regular- single)		37.91		-		-		62.91		82.91
Sjt (regular- married)		48.29		-		-		73.29		93.29

MONTHLY PAY

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W.O. 11 (Married)	2413	3468	4213
W.S.M. (Single)	2039	3039	3839
W.S.M. (Married)	2601	3651	4401
2/Lt. (Single)	2704	-	-
2/Lt. (Married)	3223	-	-
Lt. (Single)	3250	-	-
Lt. (Married)	3700	-	-
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NOTES

NOTE A. Up to the rank of Cpl includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, War Allowance and bread compensation allow. Up to the rank of Sjt includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military Allowance as compensation, cost of living bonus, War Allowance, bread allowance (paid to all troops).

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Up to the rank of Lt. includes: - Basic monthly pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military compensation allowance, War Allowance, operational allowance and family allowance (if married).

NOTE B. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of Cpl. on labour work v.o.f. 13 Dec 43.

NOTE C. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of R.S.M. who are employed in the operational zones v.o.f. 15 Dec 43. This is paid over and above the ordinary operational allowance forming part of the normal pay.

NOTE D. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of R.S.M. who are with the 1st. Nov 43 v.o.f. 12 Nov 43.

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1-64 (Rev. 10-63)

MESSAGE FORM

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OFFICE DATE:

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TO MMIA

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FROM DDL FLAMBO

LAB/28923

Date

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In Reply to Number

Ref your AQ/13/1 dated 3 April 0 Schedule of current
rates of pay Italian army not attached to
your above quoted letter 0 May copy
please be forwarded

MILITARY MESSAGE

80 per cent

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THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY

AND MEANS: RECEIVED

WIRELESS

THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER
IF LEAKED TO INTERSECTION OR TO RACE
INTO ENEMY HANDS

Signed

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS

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SUBJECT: Rates of Pay. - ITALY

From the Department, A.C.O.
 (10/1/44)
 (10/1/44)
 10/1/44

MMIA LO with 31 Italian Corps.
 MMIA LO with HQ A.C.O. MMIA.
 Army Sub Commander, A.C.O. Adv H. 1. 1. 1.
 MMIA LO with Rear Eighth Army.
 MMIA LO with No. 2 District.
 MMIA LO with 60 Sub Area.
 COL. RATIONS thru Allied Garrison. Comm. (10/1/44).

1. The Ministry of War have authorized the increase of the
 BASIC rates of pay for the following, by 4 lire per day, A.C.O.
 1 Mar 44:

Rates of Pay - 10/1/44

(a)	(Soldier)	5 Lire.
	(Sailor)	
	(Gunner, enlisted or reservist)	
(b)	(1/Opl, inf equipped at)	5.00 Lire.
	(in Navy and Air Force)	
(c)	(Corporal and equivalent ranks)	
	(in Navy and Air Force)	6.70 Lire.

2. Adm Bch.

MMIA LO with H.O. 100 with 1. 1. 1. 1.

10/1/44

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1. The Ministry of War have authorized the increase of the BASIC rates of pay for the following, by 1 line per day, i.e.,

1 Mar 64:

Basic Pay and 1 line 44.

5 line.

(a) { Soldier, 2nd. Class.
{ Soldier, 2nd. Class.
{ Soldier, enlisted or recalled.

5,700 line.

(b) { L/Cpl, and equivalent rank.
{ in Navy and Air Force.

5,700 line.

(c) { Corporal, and equivalent rank.
{ in Navy and Air Force.

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2. WMA 10 with H.Q. ACC. with 100,000, 1.1. 64

Adm Ech.

tvs.JB.

FINA
Army Sub Com, A.C.C.

For info:

H.Q. ACC. 1 District.
H.Q. No. 2 District.
H.Q. No. 3 District.
H.Q. No. 3 District.
P.B.S.

TC
TOTAL
Air Day ACC. B.M.
Army Sub Com, A.C.C.
P.B.S.
Ministry of War

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Subject: Rates of Pay - Italian Army

Militaria della Guardia R.A.F.T.

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together.

1 There are ^{also} anomalies in the present rates of pay to Italian soldiers, which have been brought to the notice of this HQ by Allied Commanders, as ^{leading} to lower morale and efficiency, and cause ~~the~~ discontent.

2 Two main ~~discrepancies~~ ^{are noted} -
a) Increases of pay to troops engaged in heavy manual labour are authorized up to the rank of Caporale Maggiore only, whereas the higher ranks, whose duty is equally essential, namely to supervise, are allowed no corresponding increase.

b) No extra pay has been authorized to specialists and tradesmen. Consequently the incentive to learn a trade is missing, and efficiency declines correspondingly.

3. It is believed that proposals to remove these anomalies in pay have been considered by the Ministry of War, but have not hitherto been approved.

4. In view however, of the increasing number of men essentially employed both as tradesmen, and in a supervisory capacity, the Ministry of War is requested to review the position afresh.

5. May the HQ please be kept informed of any decisions made.

My suggested alternative draft to that
before.

DRAFT

SUBJECT:- Rates of Pay - Italian Armed Forces

Ministry of War

Copy to: HQ AAI (Adm E&H)

1. Certain anomalies in rates of pay now received by Italian personnel of units employed by Allied Formations have been brought to the notice of this Sub Commission.
2. It is observed that both the increase of 20 lire daily payable to Italian troops employed on heavy manual labour and the further increase of 4 lire to the basic rate authorised w.e.f. 1 Mar 44 apply only to the rank of Caporale Maggiore and below.
3. This means that sergeants and above are receiving little incentive in their supervisory work. A Sergeant is in fact receiving ^{less} money than the man whom he is supervising. It appears that as they are not actively and physically employed on labour, they are excluded in the terms of the Royal Decrees from qualifying for the increment.
4. There is also the question of tradesmen's pay. At present there are no tradesmen's rates of pay so that men who take the trouble to learn a trade such as winch driver, crane driver etc. receive no more than those who do not take an interest in their own efficiency.
5. May this Sub Commission please be informed what action is intended to correct these anomalies.

ABC

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Maj Gen
Army Sub Comm., A.C.C.

SUBJECT: Italian Port Units.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main Hq. (MHA)
LHQ/HQ (LHQ/HQ)
AC/S.

Apr 44.

H.Q. AAI (Adm Ech)

Copy to: S.O.S.E. LHQ/HQ.

Ref your letter, AAI/3074/2/A (C) dated 7 Apr.

1. The question of anomalies of pay in the Italian Army is being represented to the Ministry of War.
2. With regard to administration and discipline in Italian Port Units, the responsibility lies with the Italian Comd as in the case of all other Italian units employed by the Allies.
3. Tn., should pass all orders to the units through Italian Comds and if as a result of inspections, Tn find that their administration is bad, I would be glad if you would report cases to me as they arise. I will then arrange for the Italian Comds to be replaced.
4. My S.O.S.E. has been instructed to keep in close liaison with Tn., and the units concerned.

tvs.BMCH.

Major General.
Army Sub Comm. A.C.C.

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to A/B

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reply to para 1 (2)

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reply to para 1 (b)

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Reply to page 2 is that administration is -
an Italian responsibility. Tr. can respect to
see that Italian Govt is doing her job, but
should pass all evidence & instructions, that
Italian Govt herself wrote the ¹⁹⁴² - has

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Subordinates. If they are dissolved
with Italian Cordon they should
apply to MHA for Cordon to
be changed.

They should be in close liaison with
SORE MHA

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31 Mar

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Staff

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Off the record says that you
had a letter this morning
with a TN No about pay.

ABC

Chl 600

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Subject: ITALIAN PORT UNITS

A.I. (ADM EGI),
C.M.C.
ADM/50714/2/1(0)
7 APR '44

To: (3)

Reference your TB.A.1/100 dated 31 Mar '44.

1. The question of pay of Italian Military Personnel is controlled by the Italian Military Authorities.
2. When it was decided that Italian Military Units would be employed by the Allied Forces it was agreed that the Italian Government would continue to be responsible for pay.
3. A.I.A. are being requested to represent the matter, and you will be informed of the result in due course.
4. A policy letter will shortly be issued from ADMQ defining the responsibilities and powers of British Commanders employing Italian Units, in relation to administrative and disciplinary matters affecting the latter.

17/3/44

Thur
L. *h. h. e.*
ADM/50714/2/1(0)
A.I.A.

Copy to: A.I.A. - You are requested to approach the Italian Military Authorities regarding the position in respect of COs supervising Port work, and also tradesmen's rates of pay.

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Transportation (British)H.Q., A.A.I. (Adm. Ech).TN.A. 1/10031 March 44Subject :- Italian Port Units.

To :- 'A'

H.Q., A.A.I. (Adm. Ech).

Reference conversation (Parkes - Gerreth) this morning on the subject of Administration of Italian Units formed for employment under Services.

The following points have arisen in connection with the Italian Docks Operating Units recently formed at Taranto and Brindisi; viz Reparti Portuali Nos 921, 922, 923 and 924.

1 Pay. (a) The rank and file receive 20 lire additional pay for working in the Port, whereas the Sergeants being supervisory do not.

Thus the rank and file are better paid than the Sergeants. This causes discontent and gives no incentive to the Sergeants to learn how to organise their gangs. It is important that they should take a keen interest in their work if these Units are to work efficiently.

(b) There are no tradesmens rates of pay so that men who take the trouble to learn a trade such as winch driver, crane driver etc., are no better off than those who do not take any interest in their efficiency.

2. Administration.

It is intended to place the Italian Docks Operating Coys under the Docks Group H.Qs. and Group Commanders will require to know to what extent they have authority in Unit Administration. For instance are they entitled to inspect the Italian Coy lines, cookhouse etc., and to what extent can they give orders with regard to the internal economy of the Unit in such matters as clothing, feeding,

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3. General.

The personnel of these Units as a whole have shown keenness to learn their new work and it is hoped to form efficient Companies which will be capable of replacing British Units. A good start has been made and it is hoped that, if matters of pay Administration and supervision can be satisfactorily arranged, this good progress will be maintained and that the Units will shortly be able to undertake the discharge of ships with the minimum of supervision.

(M.L. Parkes)
Colonel,
for Brig.

Director of Transportation.

Copy to :- W.M.I.A.
Tn. District.
1 Docks Group.
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SUBJECT: Pay - Liaison Personnel.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MHA)
LEQUIN (LEQUIN)
AQ/13/1.
9 Apr 44.

H.Q. Royal Air Force.
W.A.A.F.

Copy to: Air Division, A.C.C. R.A.F.
Ministry of War.

Ref your letter, WAF/2216/CA dated 2 Apr 44.

1. Italian Army personnel employed by the Allies should be paid by the Italian Army.
2. Will you please notify this Sub Commission of any Italian units at present employed by you, which are not being paid by the Italian Army, so that arrangements may be made for this to be done.

tye.JE

W. J. N. R. R. R.
W. J. N. R. R. R.
Army Sub Comm, A.C.C.

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MILITARY MISCELLANEOUS

Date 1st Apr 44 AQ/13/1

ITALIAN ARMY.

From: Headquarters, Royal Air Force,
M.A.A.F. C.S.F.

To: Allied Control Commission,
Land Forces Sub-Commission.
C.S.F.

Date: 2nd April, 1944.

Ref: WAA/2246/CA.

PAY OF ITALIAN PERSONNEL ACCEPTED FOR
D.O. OF RATION IN THE ROYAL AIR FORCE.

1. It is understood that certain personnel of the Italian Armed Forces who are co-operating with the Royal Air Force are receiving pay from the Italian Army.
2. Since this fact determines whether or not remuneration should be issued to them from Royal Air Force funds, Allied Forces Headquarters was approached in an attempt to ascertain the rates of Italian pay in issue and the personnel concerned.
3. In replying, they suggested that you might have this information and any assistance which you can give in this matter will therefore be greatly appreciated.

For

(M. G. STILES. O/L.).
Air Vice Marshal,
Air Officer i/c Administration,
R.A.F. M.A.A.F. C.S.F.

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SUBJECT: Payment to Italian Personnel.

CONFIDENTIAL

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MADA)
LISQUIL (LCCS)
AQ/13/1.
8 Apr. 44.

No. 8 Command Pay Office,
C.M.F.

Copy to: Stato Maggiore R. Esercito.

Ref your H/P/A dated 19 Mar 44.

1. BANCA D'ITALIA cheque No. 0038042 for Lira 4000 is forwarded from the Italian G.H.Q. in settlement of advances of pay made to Italian Units.
2. Please acknowledge receipt.

tvs,JB.

Wright, Capt
+ Brig.
Army Sub Comm, A.C.C.

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To: M.M.I.A.

File: AODate: APR 11/68Subject: Transition of Pay for INCO & others of the 1st Mar 68

With a view to the consideration of the pay of Junior NCOs in the Army, Navy & Air Force with effect from 1 MAR 68 as follows:

- Soldier, 2nd class soldier, enlisted soldier as recalled 5 lire
- 1/cpl, 1st class soldier, similar rank in Air Force 5.70 lire
- Cpl & similar ranks in the Army & Navy 6.70 "

also pay is net of all charges.

Units are authorized to pay as from 1 MAR 68 on the new scale.

Col RAVAGLI

File MILITARY MISSION.

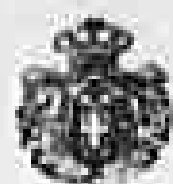
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

GABINETTO

Ufficio Collegamento Missioni Alleate

P.M. 107

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6/3/1944

N. 1491/c di prot.

OGGETTO: Aumento paga graduati e soldati della R.F.A.A. italiane.

Alla ARMY SUB COMMISSION, A.C.C.

- Main HQ (NMI) -

LEQUILE

Con decreto in corso di perfezionamento la paga dei graduati e militari di truppa del R.Esercito, della R.Marina e della R.Aeronautica viene stabilita, a datare dal 1° marzo c.a., nella seguente misura:

- soldato, comune di 2^a classe a terra, avere in servizio di leva o richiamato £. 5,00
- caporale, comune di 1^a classe a terra, avere scelto in servizio di leva o richiamato " 5,70
- caporal maggiore, sottocapo a terra, primo avere in servizio di leva o richiamato . . . " 6,70

Le paghe predette s'intendono al netto di ogni ritenuta.

Nell'attesa della pubblicazione del decreto suddetto, si autorizzano gli enti dipendenti a corrispondere senz'altro le nuove paghe a datare dal 1° marzo c.R. -

d'ordine

IL COLONNELLO ADDDETTO

(M/ Ravagli)

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ASSICURATA L. 109

N. 2100 (208) del Catal.
(B. 1941 - Anno XX)

P.M. 151- aprile 1944

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO

TO A.C.C. - Comando Principale-

L. 1000 U. I. L. E.

Risposta al foglio del 24 marzo 1944

Dire. Sez. N. AQ/13/1

MILITARY MISSION

OGGETTO : Pagamento a militari italiani.-

Pay advance to Italian military

Date 10/3/44 to 10/3/44

ITALIAN ARMY.

Si invia la lettera n. 6/1219 in data 30 s.m. del

Distretto Militare di Lecce, diretta all'Ufficio Ammini-

strazione n° 8 del Comando FF.AA. Allente del Meditera-

neo, con l'assegno della Banca d'Italia n° 0.033.042 di

L. 4.000 (quattromila), quale rimborso di ugual somma, en-

ticipata dal 4° Gruppo Salmerie RASO del XIII Corpo d'Ar-

mata, alla Sezione Italiana Salmerie dello stesso Gruppo,

con preghiera di successivo inoltramento.-

Si prega la cortesia di codesta Sottocommissione

di far tenere a questo Stato Maggiore un cenno di ricevu-

ta.-

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IL SOTTOCAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE

(Gen. di Div. G.E. Oxilia)



J. Oxilia

BR/Ab.

STATO MAGGIORE ESERCITO
SEZIONE AMMINISTRATIVA

Prot. N. 8/589/Gen. Allegati

OGGETTO : Pagamento a militari italiani.

Pay advanced to Italian military

Date 10/13/44 to ITALIAN ARMY.

Si invia la lettera n. 6/1219 in data 30 s.m. del Distretto Militare di Lecce, diretta all'Ufficio Amministrazione n° 8 del Comando FF.AA. Alleate del Mediterraneo, con l'assegno della Banca d'Italia n° 0.038.042 di L. 4.000 (quattromila), quale rimborso di ugual somma, anticipata dal 4° Gruppo Salmerie RASO del XIII Corpo d'Armata, alla Sezione Italiana Salmerie dello stesso Gruppo, con preghiera di successivo inoltrare.

Si prega le cortesia di codesta Sottocommissione di far tenere a questo Stato Maggiore un cenno di riceverta.

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IL SOTTOCAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Gen.di Div.G.B.Oxilia)



G. Oxilia

Il capo della...

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Sezione per ogni lettera con solo riferimento ad ufficio nella risposta il numero di protocollo e l'ufficio cui si risponde

Indirizzo telegrafico

DISTRETTO MILITARE DI LECCE
-Ufficio Amministrazione-

Lecce, 11 30 Marzo

1944 - Anno

1° UFFICIO AMMINISTRAZIONE N. 6
DEL COMANDO FF. AA. ALLEATE DEL MEDITER-
RANEO CENTRALE-
= C A S E R T A =

Risposta al foglio del

Prot. N. 6/1219

Allegati

Dire

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Oggetto: Pendenza amm/va Sezione Italiana Salmerie del 4° Gruppo
Salmerie RASC del XIII° Corpo d'Armata.=

*Settlement of overdue payment made by HM. Co. RASC
Pach Tp.*

Si rimette a codesto Ufficio l'assegno della Banca
d'Italia n° 0038.0421 per la somma di £ 4.000-(Quattromila),
quale pagamento per conto della Sezione Italiana Salmerie, per
il rimborso di eguale importo anticipato dal 4° Gruppo Salme-
rie RASC del XIII° Corpo d'Armata.=

Si resta in attesa della relativa quietanza n. 545
(244) del catalogo.=

IL RELATORE
MAGGIORE D'AMM/NE
(Luigi Cerrotta)

Luigi Cerrotta

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To AMMA

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4 APRIL 1944

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TO.....ACTION.....CC FINBASE FOR AMG

FROM.....SOS NATOGMA SIGNED LARKIN

DATE TIME SGD.....041402Z

DATE TIME RECD.....041953Z

REFERENCE NR.....J. 13832

CITE.....SSFIN 7

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS REPORTS THAT THERE IS DIFFICULTY IN PAYING ITALIAN UNITS IN CORFIO. REPORT IF ITALIAN FINANCE SERVICE IS AVAILABLE TO RECEIVE FUNDS AND PAY TEAMS OFF INCLUDING NAME AND LOCATION OF OFFICER CONCERNED. OUTLINE PROCEDURE FOLLOWED AND DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED IN SECURING FUNDS AND ANY RECOMMENDATIONS WHICH WILL ASSIST IN EXPEDITING PAYMENT. TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTION TO HAVE UNITS PAID.

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FROM.....SOF MATOUSA SIGNED LARKIN

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MESSAGE FORM AQ/13/1

FROM: MMIA For Action 04 0940B

TO: FATIMA Message Instructions

7 Htn Regt RA

Priority No. 897 (*) For OFFICER (*) ~~HERE~~ ref your 2729 dated 29 March (*) ~~8000~~ state (*) ONE (*) Details of conversation with Capt Vella cannot be recalled (*) TWO (*) If 7 Htn Regt still behind Combat Zone ~~personnel~~ personnel do NOT qualify for additional pay (*) THREE (*) Additional pay NOT yet legalised by Ministry of War for any troops in Combat Zone other than 1 Htn Bde (*) FOUR (*) Transfer of vchs from CALABRIA most unlikely but am investigating

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B. G. M. W. H. M. D. N. J.

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TO

Capt
Barrington

Ref attached para one
 PL engine from B. Barrington
 message to made with VELLA on
 2 Nov. 20 Nov. at 11:00 AM
 was sent to Barrington pay. Short
 by 126 or 146 of with DTR.

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Ref para two
 Can you have any transport?
 SMKE (or checkin) say NOT

Jen 2 Apr 71

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Capt Barrington's

log sheet

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FROM					FATIMA						
1st No 2729 (P) First (P) Following received from 12 March and conversation (P) quote reference and 7/10/11 date the 2 March (P) requested that instructions be forwarded to their increase of pay for Italian officers and other ranks may be implemented (P) Italian pilots still receiving pay at rate twenty five per day											
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MESSAGE FORM

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Originator's Signature Date In Reply to Number

What date has been decided they should
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second to new subject @ whatever they want
getting same fractions and also vehicle
from calculation for use in company and
while group 0 query

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T.O.R.

* Originator may delete "except" and insert "including"

Subject: Rates of Pay - Italian Army.

To : DEL. H.Q. AAI. (Adm Ech)

Copy to : MMIA. LO
with HQ. A.C.C.
DADL. MMIA.

Army Sub Commission. A.C.C.
Main H.Q. (M.M.I.A.)
LEQUILS. (LEDE)
Ref: AQ/13/1.
3 Apr 44.

Ref your signal, LAB/27124 dated 1 Apr.

1. A schedule of current rates of pay of the Italian Army is attached for your information.
2. It has been ascertained from the Ministry of War that a further increase in the pay of Ptes, L/Cpls, and Cpls has been approved by the King of Italy as under :-

Ptes	5 lire.
L/Cpls	5 lire 70.
Cpls	6 lire 70.

3. This increase is now under consideration by Ministry of Finance and is expected to operate retrospectively w.e.f. 1 Mar 44.
4. Lt.Col. OFFENHAUER, MMIA. LO with HQ. Allied Control Commission will pass you the final decision when he is informed of it.

fc. DCOH

F-3-Voam.
161 to Brig.
Army Sub Comm, A.C.C.

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ITALIAN ARMY - PAY & ALLOWANCES.

(From information from Ministry of War.)

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1st Opl.	111	(Married)	2329	-	-	-	-	3379	4129	
Opl.	11	(Single)	1845	-	-	-	-	2695	3645	
1st Sgt.	11	(Married)	2418	-	-	-	-	3468	4218	
1st Sgt.		(Single)	2639	-	-	-	-	3089	3839	
1st Sgt.		(Married)	2601	-	-	-	-	3654	4401	
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Lt.		(Married)	5768	-	-	-	-	-	-	

NOTES

NOTE A. Up to the rank of Opl includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, War Allowance and broad compensation allow.

Up to the rank of Sgt includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military Allowance as compensation, cost of living bonus, War Allowance, operational allowance (paid to all troops above rank of Opl) and family allowance (if married.)

Up to the rank of Lt. includes: - Basic monthly pay and -

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Up to the rank of Sgt includes : - Basic Pay and increase privileged by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military Allow as compensation, cost of living bonus, War Allow, operational allow (paid to all troops above rank of Cpl) and family allow (if married.)

Up to the rank of Lt. includes: - Basic monthly pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree on 1st Nov 43, Military pension, allow, War Allow, operational allow and family allow, (if awarded.)

NOTE B. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of Col on labour work in S.F.,
13 Dec 45.

NOTE C. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of P.S. 4, who are employed in the operational zones W.S.C. 15 Dec 43. This is paid over and above the ordinary operational allowance forming part of the normal pay.

NOTE D. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of P. S. M. who are with the 1st Mob Bde M.C.I. 12 Nov 43.

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ARMY FORM 1 (Rev. 10-1-50)		MESSAGE FORM		Serial No. 2211
CALL AND INSTRUCTIONS	IN	NR 401/1 GRX	No. of Groups	OFFICE DATE STAMP
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TO AMIA FOR DALL

FROM DALL FLAMBA

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
LAB/27124

Date

In Reply to Number

Please forward by air mail new rates of pay and allowances by ranks of Italian soldiers and sailors working for the allied forces

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS EXCEPT WIRELESS.

THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER IF LIABLE TO INTERCEPTION OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS.

ORIGINATOR'S ESTIMATION OF PRIORITY

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

13026/F

30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Payments to Repatriated Italian Officers.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission.

1. This Sub-Commission has been advised that the following Italian Officers have been repatriated and released for service with the Italian Government:

PW No. 69171 Generale di Divisione BELLETTI P
PW No. 69190 Generale di Divisione BOSELLI G
PW No. 69189 Generale di Divisione LA FERLA F

2. The following amounts of lire accrued to such officers during their imprisonment:

Gen. BELLETTI	-	L. 2,477
Gen. BOSELLI	-	L. 2,996
Gen. LA FERLA	-	L. 2,875

3. Please notify the appropriate Italian Army authorities of the above in order that the Italian Government may make payment to the indicated officers.

E. H. Foley Jr.
E. H. FOLEY, Jr.,
Colonel,
Joint Chief Finance Officer.

HELT/rad

MILITARY MISSION.

Date 3/4/44
to
ITALIAN ARMY

*Done
vide AR/11/1
Agent
3/4*

Subject:- Payment to Italian personnel

Army Sub Commission, ACC
Main HQ (MMIA)
LEQUILE (LECCE)
AQ/13/1
31 Mar 44

2 AGRA Rest Camp, AMALFI

Copy to:- Adv HQ Army Sub Commission
SALERNO

Ref your letter dated 6 Mar.

1. It is understood that Sgt Major CONDEN, Alberto, employed by 10 Corps as Interpreter and now attached for duty to you, has been paid from your Imprest a/c and that 8 Command Pay Office have refused to pass payment.
2. You state that he is "ex-Italian Army"; it would therefore seem that the proper authority to settle his case would be the local Civil Labour Officer.
3. If however, it is proved that the Sgt Major has not been demobilised or has not left the Italian Army for any other reason, this Sub Commission will forward his case to the Italian Ministry of War on receipt of the following details from you:-
 - a) His unit or Italian unit to which attached for Adm.
 - b) An official receipt signed by him for the sum in question.
 - c) Statement showing for what period and at what rate he was paid.
4. Italian Military personnel should normally always be paid through Italian funds.

cc/m

Ag. Laurent 559
J. Ray
Brig
Army Sub Comm, ACC

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From :- S G 2 AGRA 10000 HQ

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To :- Military Mission to the Italian Army.

Subject :- Pay re Italian Official Interpreter

Alberto Geronzi.

I wish to bring to your attention the following matter.
Major Alberto Geronzi, ex- Italian Army, employed by 10 Corps
as Interpreter and, at present attached to S AGRA for the same
purpose, was paid last month on our Transport a/c.

Payment has not been passed by the Command Paymaster. I enclose
copy of his letter HQ/MI/11/30 dated 7th Feb. 44. Would you please
give this matter your prompt attention.

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....*N. B. G.*.... Lt. Col. R. Camp Geronzi.

S AGRA 10000 HQS. AGRA.

6/3/44.

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Ref. 8/OP/AR/11/20

Imprest acc. MH/124

th. FEB. 44.

From Command Paymaster

To Camp Commandant.

S C.P.O.

2 AGRA REST CAMP.

Subject Acquittance Roll B Dated 27/1/44.

Reference payment on the a/m roll to S.M. Condemi of the Italian Army. It is regretted that this payment cannot be passed through your Imprest acc. which should be debited with 3080 lire. This sum should be recovered by you from the Military Mission to the Italian Army at Naples. Please note that in future such personnel should be attached for pay to the nearest Italian Unit.

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ACTION 441

THIS FILE WILL NOT BE REMOVED

TO

AQ/3/1

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Possible signs of interest?

For your info.

The original is being passed to New
for action

Regatt 29/3.

Noted. 11 Feb 29-44
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FROM	TO
Chief Commissioner	
Dep. Chief Commissioner	
Secy. Gen. to Chief Commissioner	
Administrative Section	
Economic Section	
RC & MG Section	
Civil Affairs Branch	
PA & Displaced Pers Sub Com	
Italian Refugees Branch	
Security Branch	
Information Branch	
Establishment Branch	
Ex Offrs	
G-1 (A)	
G-1 (B)	
G-4	
Hq Comdt (Main Hq)	
Hq Comdt (Rear Hq)	
Adjutant (Main Hq)	
Adjutant (Rear Hq)	
Archives & Library	
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Political Section	
Independent Sub-Commissions	
Navy	
~~Joint Forces~~ ARMY SC (HECCE)	
Air Forces	
Telecommunications & Posts	
War Material Disposal	
Public Relations Officer	
Liaison Section HQ A.C.M.F.	

POL:

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

TO THE ALLIED COMMISSION --THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

SALERNO

The undersigned, pensioners of the armed forces, of the commune of Mistretta (Messina) ask of this Honorable Allied Commission a more human economic treatment. During the first months of last year, the then-existing government in relation to the increases given to state personnel in service, had established also for the pensioners an adequate and more equitable financial consideration.

This treatment applied only for the personnel on duty.

The events of war and the change of government, perhaps, made forget the the most humble and silent category of the pensioners.

From that time until now, the cost of living has changed. The prices of all goods have multiplied greatly. As a result of this, the Allied Government recognized as just and human a new increase to all state and semi-state employees, beginning with November 1, 1943.

Making a rough calculation, the personnel in service, from the beginning of the war to the present time receive a quadrupled salary, while the pensioners for the same period had an increase of 15% of the ridiculous pre-war pension.

Thus, it is easy to understand in what squalid misery the above category finds itself, which after four long years of war has exhausted all their savings.

The undersigned, having given in the interests of the Nation and to the service of the country the best years of their life, humbly, in silence and faithfully, with only one intent, "To Serve faithfully and with honor".

The major part of these were at the sides of the allies in the War of 1914-18 for which many carry the scars of battle upon their bodies.

It would not be generous nor human to abandon these veterans now, who burdened with age and ailments are no longer in condition to undertake or exercise any art or occupation.

Disheartened by the spectre of hunger which threatens their families, the undersigned beg this Hon. Commission with its magnanimity to perform an act of justice, to better the disastrous economic conditions in which the humble but deserving category of old state servants find themselves.

Trusting that their complaint will not be ~~unheard~~ unheard, with respect the undersigned:

Mistretta March 6, 1944

Signatures follow:

MILITARY MISSION

Date 11/15/58

to

ITALIAN ARMY

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1944

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HEADQUARTERS
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
Office of the Provost Marshal General
APO 534, U.S. Army.

19 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Statement of Account - Prisoner of War.

TO : Director, Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U.S. Army.

1. The inclosed twenty three (23) Certificates of Credit balance were not completed at the time the Italian personnel was repatriated on 6 December 1943.

2. It is requested that these certificates be forwarded to the Italian High Command for delivery to the personnel concerned.

For the Provost Marshal General:

Roy A. Houston
ROY A. HOUSTON,
Captain C.M.P., Director,
Prisoner of War Information Bureau.

Incl:
23 Certificates of
Credit balance.

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I have AQ/13/1

To: Mr. [illegible]

As the reference is above

Twenty three certificates of credit balance are
forwarded herewith. Please acknowledge
receipt.

Recd.
for [illegible]

Very respectfully,
[illegible]

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SUBJECT: Claims: Italian PW.

HQ AAI ADM SCH,
CMF.

Date As 13/11/44

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Land Forces Sub Commission.
Headquarters Allied Control Commission.

21 Mar 44.

The attached claim in respect of TEUDORO DELUCA, received from HQ Ex. PW. Sub Commission is forwarded to you for your disposal please.

May the Ministry of War please be informed that all Italian PW, who have been released to ITALY, and have been given a statement of balance of credit, should make application to the Italian Authorities in respect of the sums due to them.

Pay is credited to PW during their captivity on behalf of their own Government and no cash payments are made from British funds.

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Donner
for Brigadier,
DAG.

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SUBJECT: Pensioni - Italian Armed Forces.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MIA)
INQUIRY (ISCCF)
AQ/13/1.
29 Mar. 44.

Ministry of War.

The attached document has been received by this Sub
Commission and is forwarded to you for necessary action.

tvs.BGCH.

R. G. Carantini
Brig.
Army Sub Comm, A.C.C.

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Commission

Suspense

Date

FROM	TO
Chief Commissioner	
Dep. Chief Commissioner	
Secy. Gen. to Chief Commissioner	
Administrative Section	
Economic Section	
HC & MC Section	
Civil Affairs Branch	
PW & Displaced Pers Sub Com	
Italian Refugee Branch	
Security Branch	
Information Branch	
Settlement Branch	
Ex Offs	
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(-2) (B)	
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Liaison Section Hq A.C.M.F.	

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Subject:- EX PW Pa Balance.

Gen HGF
9694/6/AGS.

17 Mar 44.

A.M.G.O.T., C.M.F.

Reference annexed copy letter received from ex PW 101187
LUONGO Tommaso.

Please accept action, and inform this ex PW who was
repatriated in May 1943, that the balance of pay accumulated
to his credit, and which amounted to 59-13-0 (Sterling) at
the 27th May 1943, is not payable to him by the British
Authorities, but is a charge against the Italian Authorities
who have been notified of the Balances of Pay due to all
Repatriates.

LUONGO should lodge his claim with the Italian Army Pay
Authority.

MILITARY

Refer 40/3/1

*General copy passed
to HQ by 10/3/44*
Regd 10/3
Sgd) H. D. Jones General,
Commander-in-Chief,
Middle East Forces.

Encl.

SUBJECT: Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

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Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MMIA)
LEQUILE (LECCE)
AQ/13/1.
14 Mar. 44.

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Stato Maggiore R Esercito.

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Copy to: No. 8 Command Pay Office, CMF.

With reference to MMIA letter, AQ/13/1 dated 7 Feb, and your letter, 8/285/Serv dated 10th Feb addressed to HQ Italian Armed Forces, CAMPANIA.

1. Notification has been received that the sum of four thousand lire, outstanding against this account, has not yet been repaid to 8 Command Pay Office.

2. Will you please arrange for this settlement to be made as soon as possible.

tvs. EGCH.

B. G. Cantatore
for *Don*
Brig.
Army Sub Comm, A.C.C.

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SUBJECT:) Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

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Art. Sub Commission, A.C.C.,
Rear H.Q. (GIA),
LEQUE (LSCC).

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22/11/44

Payment for Acquittance Rolls totalling 13,300 Lire forwarded to you on February 14th. under Reference as above has been made by the Italian Authorities but Acquittance Rolls totalling 4,000 Lire despatched to you on February 5th. are still awaiting settlement. Will you please endeavour to expedite recovery of this amount (4,000 Lire).

Rucosta
Lieut.
For Command Paymaster.

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No. 8 Command Pay Office,
C. M. F.

19th. March 1944.

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SUBJECT:- Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

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to: Maggiore M. Sorvito,
Quartiere Generale,
Ufficio Amministrazione,
CASERTA.

12/13/11
22 June

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Your letter Ref. 500/IL/V/d - 1 dated 29th. February 1964 refers.
I enclose find attached duplicate Acquittance Rolls totalling 15,500 Lire.

No. 8 Command Pay Office,
C. A. F.

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for Command Personnel.

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PA.
Back 2/13.

17th. March 1964.

Copy to:- pay AB Commission, A.C.C. (Your letter Ref. A/13/1 of 17th. Feb. refers).

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Subject: - Payment of Italian Personnel

Stato Maggiore R Esercito

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File
Army Sub Commission, ACC
Main HQ (MIA)
LEQUILE (LECCE)
AQ/13/1
14 Mar 44

Reference your letter 8/419/Serv dated 24 Feb 44.

Receipt is acknowledged by 8 Command Pay Office of the sum of 45,580 Lire from the Stato Maggiore, in settlement of two advances made to Italian Units by No 1 Road Construction Coy., RE.

cc/mc

Brig
Army Sub Comm, ACC

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Army Form 7168
(Booklet 200)

Credit } Voucher No. 1944
Debit }

To be { paid } by the Cashier at *St. Ann's Con. Bldg.*
received }

the sum of *Twenty five hundred and no/100*

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paid for the purchase of

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Debited } in my account for
Credited }

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Date of Supply or Service

the sum of

Paymaster

the sum of

413 913

File *the sum of*

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

SUBJECT: Payment to Italian Personnel

CONFIDENTIAL

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MMIA)
LEQUILE (LECCE)
AQ/13/1
Mar 44.

No 8 Command Pay Office, CMF

Copy to: Stato Maggiore R Esercito.

Ref your letter, 1/4 dated 14 Feb 44.

1. BANCA D'ITALIA cheque No. 0037438 for Lire 45,580 is forwarded from the Italian GHQ in settlement of the two advances made to Italian Units by No. 1 Road Construction Coy., R.E.
2. Covering letters, Stato Maggiore R Esercito 8/419/Serv dated 6 March and Military District, LECCE 6/757 dated 4 March, are forwarded herewith.
3. Please acknowledge receipt.

tvs.

[Signature]
Brigadier.
Army Sub Comm. A.C.C.

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TRANSLATION.

From: S.M.R.E.
Adm Section.

To : MMIA

Ref 8/419/ Serv dated 24 Feb 44.

Subject: Payment of Italian Soldiers.

With reference to your AQ/13/1 dated 24. 2. 44 we beg to send you herewith letter 6/757 dated 4th inst of the Military District LECCE together with draft No. 0.037.438 on the BANCA D'ITALIA for the sum of 45,580 lire, being the refund of a sum paid by the British 121 Road Coy., R.E. to the 1 and 2 Coys of the 556 Bn. Could you please forward above letter and draft to the addressee: 8 Adm Office H.Q., ACMF .

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Sgd. Col. QUERCIA.

TRANSLATION.

From: LECCE Military District (Adm Office)

To : 8 Adm Office H.Q. ACMF.

Subject: Adm suspense between the 1 and 2 Coys of the 556 Bn and the 121 Road Coy., R.E.

We beg to enclose herewith draft No. 0.037.438 on the BANCA D'ITALIA for the sum of 45,580 lire being the refund of payments effected by the 121 Road Coy., R.E. to the 1st and 2nd Coys of the 556 Bn. P.M. 185

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Sgd. Maj. L. CEROTTA.

copies-tvs.

SUBJ: Payment to Italian Personnel

CONFIDENTIAL 92

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
Main HQ (MMA)
LEQUILE (LECCO)
AQ/13/1
War 44.

No 8 Command Pay Office, CME

Copy to: Stato Maggiore R Esercito.

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3. Please acknowledge receipt.

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Brigadier.
Army Sub Comd, A.C.C.

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SMBE
to Italia

TRANSACTION

Ref. 8/11/21/501
21 Feb 44

Subject: Payment of Italian soldiers

With ref to HQ 13/I we beg to send you herewith the letter 6/457 dated 4/11/44 of the Military District, LECCE together with draft No 0.037.438 on the BANCA D'ITALIA for the sum of 45580 lire being the amount of a loan paid by the British 121 Road Coy R.E. to the 1 & 2 Coy of the 556 Bn. Could you please forward above letter & draft to the addressee: 8 Admin. Office H.Q. A.C.M.F.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Col. QUERCIÀ

LECCE Military District (Admin Office)

To: 8 Admin Office H.Q. A.C.M.F.

Ref. 6/457

21 MARCH 1944

Subject: Admin. Liaison between the 1 & 2 Coys of the 556 Bn. and the 121 Road Coy R.E.

We beg to enclose herewith the draft No 0.037.438 on the BANCA D'ITALIA for the sum of 45580 lire being the amount of payment owed by the 121 Road Coy R.E. to the 1st & 2nd Coys of the 556 Bn. P.M. 185.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Maj. L. CEROTTA

C. J. J.

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STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
SEZIONE AMMINISTRATIVA

ASSICURATA 100
N. 109 (208) del Catal.
1941 Anno XXV

R.M. 151-6 marzo 1944

la SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO
TO A.C.C. - Comando Principale -

LEQUILE

Risposta al foglio del 24 / 2 / 1944 -

Dir. Sez. N. AQ/13/I

Prot. N. 87419/2000 Allegati

Oggetto : Pagamento a militari italiani.-

In riferimento al foglio sopradistinto si invia la lettera n° 6/757 in data 4 corrente del Distretto Militare di Lecce, indirizzata all'Ufficio Amministrazione n° 8 del Comando FF. AA. Alleate del Mediterraneo, unitamente all'assegno della Banca d'Italia n° 0,037,438 per la somma di lire 45.580 (quarantacinquemilacinquecentootanta), quale rimborso di ugual somma anticipata dalla 121ª Compagnia Genio Stradale Inglese R.E. alla 1ª e 2ª Compagnia del 556º Battaglione, con preghiera dell'inoltro.-

Si prega accusare ricevuta.-

d'ordine
IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.
CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI
(A. Quercia)



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Si prega accusare ricevuta.-

d'ordine

IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.

CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI

(A. Quercia)



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ASSICURATA L. 00

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Lecce, 11 4 Marzo 1944 - Anno

UFFICIO AMMINISTRAZIONE N. 8 DEL
COMANDO PF.AA. ALLEATE DEL MEDITERRANEO
CENTRALE

= C A S E R T A =

DISTRETTO MILITARE DI LECCE
-Ufficio Amministrazione-

Risposta al foglio del

Dir.

Sea.

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Allegati:

Prot. N. 6/754

Oggetto: Pendenze amministrative della 1^a e 2^a Compagnia del 556^o
Battaglione con la 121^a Compagnia Genio stradale Inglese R.E..=

Si rimette a codesto Ufficio l'assegno della Banca
d'Italia n. 0,037,438 per la somma di L. 45.580- (quaran-
tecinquemilacinquecentottanta), quale pagamento per con-
to del 556^o Battaglione-P.M. 185-, per il rimborso di e-
quale importo anticipato dalla 121^a Compagnia Genio stra-
dale Inglese R.E., alla 1^a e 2^a Compagnia del suddetto
Battaglione.-

Si resta in attesa della relativa quietanza n. 545
(244), del catalogo.-

Si prega accusare ricevuta.

IL RELATORE
MAGGIORE DAMM/NE
(Luigi Cervrotta)



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Oggetto: Pendenze amministrative della
Battaglione con la 121^a Compagnia Genio stradale Inglese R.E...=

Si rimette a codesto Ufficio l'assegno della Banca d'Italia n.0,037,438 per la somma di L.45.580-(quarantacinquemilacinquecentottanta), quale pagamento per conto del 556^o Battaglione-P.M.185-, per il rimborso di eguale importo anticipato dalla 121^a Compagnia Genio stradale Inglese R.E., alla 1^a e 2^a Compagnia del suddetto Battaglione.-

Si resta in attesa della relativa quietanza n.545 (244), del catalogo.

Si prega accusare ricevuta.

IL RELATORE
MAGGIORE DAMM/NE
(Luigi Gerrotta)



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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
A.P.O. 394
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V-605
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22 February 1944

SUBJECT : Allotments to Italian Officers wives .
To : P.W. and Displaced persons, RC M. G. Section.

- 1) There is forwarded to you herewith a communication from the International Red Cross representative with an attached petition from wives of Italian Military officers requesting resumption of the Italian Governments former practice of paying the wives a share of their Military pay.
- 2) Will you please take this matter up with the proper division of the Italian Government.
- 3) Altho this is not a matter for which we have direct responsibility, it will be appreciated if you will inform us as to the decision on this request, since we frequently have inquiries on this subject.

BY ORDER OF LT. COL. HANCOCK R.C.

Wm. H. Savin
Wm. H. SAVIN CAPT.
Reg. Welf. Off.

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1st Ind.
R.C. & M.G. SECTION, HQ, AGO, APO 394, 1 March 1944.

NEF/muh

To: Land Forces Sub-Commission, AGO.

1. The attached correspondence is forwarded to you since the matter concerns the Italian Military Authorities.

2. Please notify this section of action taken, for future guidance.

Incl
as above.

CI Fiske informed

ARY MISSION.
Date March 10/13/44
to
ITALIAN ARMY.

Edward E. Fiske
EDWARD E. FISKE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Matter arranged. See log dated 5 March 44

COMMITTEE OF THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS



DELEGATION

PALERMO
Piazza Garibaldi, 100

Palermo 17 February 44
K/ma

TO : Capt. Savin
Welfare Officer
Regional Civil Affairs
Palermo

The Delegate of the International Red Cross Committee in Sicily has recently received from the Italian Red Cross the attached petition.

This petition concerns a request from a great number of officers' wives, whose husbands (Italian officers) are either FOW, or dislocated in Northern Italy, and who beg to get their husbands' salaries paid, since they have no other income for living with their children.

The Delegate of the International Committee has also received a great many oral requests regarding the same subject; but he has not been able to do anything in their behalf, because this matter is not within his activity, and depends only of Allied Forces' Authorities in Sicily.

He therefore hands you this document, hoping that you will be able to act. - If however this matter does not concern Your services, the Delegate of the International Committee would be thankful to you if if you would kindly point out to him the name and address of the competent Authority.

George Kuhne
GEORGES KUHNÉ

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject:- Pay of tps on Labour, XXXI Corps Area

Ministry of War

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.
MAIN HQ (MMIA)
LEQUITE (LECC)
AW/13/1
2 Mar 44

Reference your 353 dated 7 Jan.

It is understood that the revised pay system for labour is not operating in all instances in XXXI Corps Area. Will you please confirm that the necessary orders have been issued to XXXI Corps.

cc/mm

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Brig
Army Sub Comm. ACC

Copy to:- MMIA LO with XXXI Corps.

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STATO MAGGIORE REGIO Esercito
SEZIONE AMMINISTRATIVA

N. 2909 (208) del Catal.
1. 1941 - Anno XX

P.M. 151 - 1 Marzo 1944 - Ann.

alla SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO
A.C.C. - Comando Principale -

LEQUELE

Risposta al foglio del 17 febbraio u.s.

Prot. N. 1/99/100. Allegati

Div.

Sez.

N. AQ/13/1

OGGETTO : Pagamenti degli Alleati ai militari italiani.

Advance payments made by the Allies to Italian Military.

In relazione al foglio sopradistinto si comunica che in data 29 febbraio u.s. è stato trasmesso all'Ufficio Amministrazione N. 8 del Comando Forze Armate Alleate Mediterraneo Centrale, l'assegno del Banco di Napoli n. 006877 della somma di L. 13.300, per rimborso dell'uguale somma anticipata dai Reparti Alleati ai militari italiani.-

ALLIED ARMY MISSION.

Date

to
ITALIAN ARMY

d'ordine
IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.
CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI
(A. Quercia)



Ref. y. AQ13/1 dated. 17 Feb.

With ref. to above we beg to inform you that on the 29 Feb. we sent to N. 8 Adm. office. HQ. ACMF draft N. 006877 on the BANCO di NAPOLI for the sum of lire 13300 being the refund of advance payments made by Allied units to Italian soldiers.

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P.N. 151.11.29 febbraio 1944 - 1944
 STATO MAJOR DELL'ESERCITO
 UFFICIO AMMINISTRAZIONE N° 2
 COMANDO FORZE ALLIATE MEDITERRANEE

UFFICIO AMMINISTRAZIONE

C A S E P T A

Risposta al foglio del

Prot. N. 580/21.11.1944

Dir.

Sec.

N.

Oggetto: Rimborso somme anticipate a militari italiani.

Request of money paid in advance to Italian soldiers

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA A.D.C. SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO

LEGGIERE

ALLO S.M.E.S. - Ufficio Servizi -
 - Sezione Amministrativa -
 (M.F.C. 6/124/Serv. del 28 c.m.)

S E D E

Si trasmette, unito, l'assegno n° 006877
 del Banco di Napoli dell'importo di L. 13.300 (tredicimila
 trecento) quale rimborso della somma anticipata da Reparti
 Alleati a militari italiani.

MILITARY MISSION.

Prognosi escusare ricevuta.

Date 11.11.44

to

ITALY

Please find herewith attached draft n° 006877

on the Banco di Napoli for the sum of 13000 lire

being refund of advance payments made

by Allied units to Italian soldiers

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO

(Roberto Griglio)

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

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Oggetto Rimborso somme anticipate a militari italiani.

Request of money paid in advance to Italian soldiers

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA A.C.C. SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'EERCITO

ISQUIE

ALLO S.A.R.E. - Ufficio Servizi -

- Sezione Amministrativa -

(M.F.S. 2/184/terv. del 28 c.m.)

S. E. D. E.

Si trasmette, qui unito, l'assegno n° 006877 del Banco di Napoli dell'importo di L. 23.300 (tredicimila trecento) quale rimborso della somma anticipata da Reparti Alleati e militari italiani.

MILITARY MISSION.

Progressi accusare ricevuta.

Date

1 March 53

to

ITALY.

Please find herewith attached draft n° 006877 on the Banco di Napoli for the sum of 13000 lire being refund of advanced payments made by Allied units to Italian soldiers.

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO
(Roberto Griglio)

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Griglio

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ITALIAN ARMY • PAY & ALLOWANCES.

(From information from Ministry of War.)

RANK.	D			A			I			L			Y			P			A			Y			1st Mob Rte.
	Ordinary pay in Rear Areas (A)			Employed on Labour (B)			Units employed in Operational Zones (C)																		
Pte.	L.	6.00		L.	26.00		L.	26.00		L.	26.00		L.	26.00		L.	26.00		L.	26.00		L.	46.00		
1/Cpl.		6.25			26.25			26.25			26.25			26.25			26.25			26.25			46.25		
Cpl.		6.60			26.60			26.60			26.60			26.60			26.60			26.60			46.60		
Lt/Sgt.		28.26			-			-			-			53.26			53.26			53.26			73.26		
1/Sgt (married)		38.51			-			-			-			63.51			63.51			63.51			83.51		
Sgt (reserve - single)		38.10			-			-			-			63.10			63.10			63.10			83.10		
Sgt (reserve - married)		48.42			-			-			-			73.42			73.42			73.42			93.42		
Sgt (regular - single)		57.97			-			-			-			62.97			62.97			62.97			82.97		
Sgt. (regular - married)		48.29			-			-			-			73.29			73.29			73.29			93.29		
H O N E H L Y P A Y																									
Sgt. 111 (single)		1751			-			-			-			2801			2801			2801			3551		
Sgt. 111 (married)		2329			-			-			-			3379			3379			3379			4129		
Sgt. 11 (single)		1345			-			-			-			2895			2895			2895			3645		
Sgt. 11 (married)		2418			-			-			-			3468			3468			3468			4218		
Sgt. 11 (single)		2639			-			-			-			3089			3089			3089			3839		
Sgt. 11 (married)		2601			-			-			-			3651			3651			3651			4401		
Sgt. 11 (single)		2701			-			-			-			-			-			-			-		
Sgt. 11 (married)		3223			-			-			-			-			-			-			-		
Sgt. 11 (single)		3250			-			-			-			-			-			-			-		
Lt. (married)		3768			-			-			-			-			-			-			-		

NOTES

NOTE A. Up to the rank of Cpl includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, War Allowance and bread compensation allow.

Up to the rank of Sgt includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military Allowance as compensation, cost of living

Sgt. (regiment) 45.29 73.29 93.29

	M	O	N	T	H	L	Y	P	A	X
Sgt. 111 (Single)	1751							2301		3551
Sgt. 111 (Married)	2329							3379		4129
Sgt. 11 (Single)	1845							2595		3645
Sgt. 11 (Married)	2418							3468		4218
R.S.M. (Single)	2839							3089		3839
R.S.M. (Married)	2601							3651		4401
2/Lt. (Single)	2704							-		-
2/Lt. (Married)	3223							-		-
Lt. (Single)	3250							-		-
Lt. (Married)	3768							-		-

NOTES

- NOTE A. Up to the rank of Cpl includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, War Allow and bread compensation allow.
Up to the rank of Sgt includes: - Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military Allow as compensation, cost of living bonus, War Allow, operational allow (paid to all troops above rank of Cpl) and family allow (if married.)
Up to the rank of Lt. includes: - Basic monthly pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree on 1st Nov 43, Military compensation allow, War Allow, operational allow and family allow, (if married.)
- NOTE B. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of Cpl on Labour work w.e.f. 15 Dec 43.
- NOTE C. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of R.S.M. who are employed in the operational zones w.e.f. 15 Dec 43. This is paid over and above the ordinary operational allow forming part of the normal pay.
- NOTE D. An allowance paid to troops up to rank of R.S.M. who are with the 1st SOB Div w.e.f. 12 Nov 43.

END.

MINISTRY OF WAR

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Ref: 353

Lecce, 1st Jan 44

Subject: Pay of troops on Labour.

This Ministry's circular No. 896/1/66 of same subject dated 13 Dec is cancelled as from 10 Jan 44.

From this date to soldiers, L/Cpls and Cpls only, not in the Anglo-American operational zones and employed under Allied control in work of unloading, transporting and arranging equipment and rations, also on road work and on aerodromes, will be paid instead, the sum of 20 lire a day for every working day.

There is no change in the indemnity for units in operational zones as laid down in letter, 742/1/16. I. 15 dated 15 Dec 43.

Necessary instructions have been issued to all units under command.

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tvs.

Sgd. Col. FIORI-VERNAZZA
Chief of Cabinet.

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C O P I A

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

= GARIBOLDI =

N. 153 di prot.
33-1-7.

Lecce, li 7 gennaio 1944

OGGETTO: Trattamento economico dei liberi addebiati a servizio di manovalanza.

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE DEL RE VICE A' INVESTIGATIVI

= S E D E =

Per norma si comunica che la circolare 796/1/56.1.4 in data 13 dicembre s.a. di questo Ministero, per l'oggetto, è abrogata dal 10 corrente mese.

Della stessa data, ai soli soldati caporali e caporali maggiori, non dislocati in zona di operazioni anglo-americane ed impiegati, alle dipendenze di comandi alleati, in lavori di servizio, trasporto e sistemazione materiali e derrate e in lavori stradali e negli aeroporti, dovrà invece essere corrisposta una indennità di lire 20 nette per ogni giornata lavorativa.

Valle di variato per quanto riguarda l'indennità per i reparti in zona di operazioni di cui al foglio 742/7/56.1.5 in data 15 dicembre scorso anco.

Tutta la somma deve essere data di disposizione a tutti gli

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Per nota si comunica che la circolare 886/1/86.1.4 in data 13 dicembre s.n. al prefetto Militare, per oggetto, è stata data dal 10 corrente mese.

Dalla stessa data, ai soli soldati operanti e temporali maggiori, non dislocati in zona di operazioni in Afghanistan ed impiegati, alle dipendenze di comandi alleati, in lavori di scarica, trasporto e assistenza materiali e derrate e in lavori stradali e negli aeroposti, dovrà invece essere corrisposta una indennità di lire 20 nette per ogni giornata lavorativa.

Tutte le variazioni per quanto riguarda l'indennità per i reparti in zona di operazioni di cui al foglio 742/1/86.1.5 in data 15 dicembre scorso sono.

In tale senso sono state date disposizioni a tutti gli enti dipendenti.

D'ordine
IL CAPO DI CABINETTO
(Col. R. Pirelli-Venezia)

IL CAPO DI CABINETTO
(Raffaele Pirelli)

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SUBJ: Payment to Italian Military Personnel.

Army Sub Commission. A.C.C.
Rear 47 (A 13)
Lt. Hill (H033)
12/13/1
18 Feb 44.

State Major Gen. Esposito.

Copy to: 3 Command Pay Office - CMT.

With reference to MILA letter 44/13/1 dated 28 Nov 43, and
your letter, 3/275/Serv dated 7 Feb addressed to Distratto
Militare di 7031A, copy to this Sub Commission.

(1) I am directed to enquire what action is being
taken to refund the sum of Lire 45,850 to 3 Command Pay Office.

(2) Will you please ensure that this matter,
outstanding since last November, is settled without delay.

TV .

for Brigadier.
Army Sub Comm. A.C.C.

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Subject: Cash Advances to Italian Units.

To Army Sub Commission.
A.C.C..
Rear H.Q. (M.M.I.A.),
Le Quile (Lecce).

Reference your letter AQ/13/1 dated 28/11/43 addressed to Stato Maggiore R Esercito, copy to me, regarding two advances amounting to Lire 45,850 made by No. 1 Road Construction Coy. R.E. to Italian units.

It would be appreciated if you will pursue this matter with a view to obtaining an early settlement of this long outstanding item in my accounts.

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Date 7 Feb 44

ITALIAN A.C.C.

Lt. Col.
Assistant Command Paymaster.

No. 8 Command Pay Office,
C.M.F.
14th Feb. 1944.

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SUBJECT : Rates of Pay Italian Army.

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18 Feb 44.

1. CG, 349 B.T.G. Coy, an Italian Smoke Unit which is operating smoke at TORRE ANNUNZIATA under the operational control of this Bde reports that the rates of pay for privates have recently been raised, with the result that Sgts and rates in the Italian Army are now paid the same, and Corporals are paid less than privates.
2. While the HCU's grievance is not the immediate concern of this Hq it might adversely affect operations, as it has undoubtedly affected their morale and may affect their discipline.
3. As it is considered that an error has been made, and the sooner it is put right the better, the matter is brought to your attention so that you may take such action as you think fit.

Field.
JBF/HEM.

Plancher
Lt Col Rn.
Comd 66th Bde.

*66th (HAWKS)
Where is 66th Bde?
Do you know what
concerns?*

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DATE 21 Feb 44 HQ

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P.R. 151-18 febbraio 1944 - Anno

DISTRETTO MILITARE DI FOGGIA
S. SEVERO

e per conoscenza:

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO
 - SOTTOCOMMISSIONE FORTE TIRRELLI -

LEQUITE

Risposta al foglio del

Dir.

Sez.

N.

Oggetto : Pagamento reparti Esercito Italiano.-

Seguito foglio n° 8/276 in data 7 c.m. si prega
 voler informare urgentemente questo Stato Maggiore se
 la pratica di cui all'oggetto è stata definita.-

d'ordine

IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.
 CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI
 (A. Quercia)



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Oggetto : Pagamento reparti Esercito Italiano.-

Pay of Italian units of the Army

Seguito foglio n° 8/276 in data 7 c.m. si prega
voler informare urgentemente questo Stato Maggiore se
la pratica di cui all'oggetto è stata definita.-

d'ordine
IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.
CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI
(A. Quercia)

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*Remuneration de l'Etat
L'Etat a l'honneur de vous adresser
la somme de 17000 francs
à valoir sur le solde de
l'Etat.*

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UNDERSTAND SABUDA DIVISION IN SICILY NOT YET PAID. IMMEDIATE INSTRUCTIONS
SHOULD BE ISSUED TO ADVANCE NECESSARY MONEY. YOUR TELEGRAMS 1784 OF 31 DECEMBER AND
2067 OF 21 JANUARY REFER.

For info only to us

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FROM MASH

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SUBJ: Payment by the U.S. to Italian Military Personnel

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Army Sup Comd, A.C.C.

Rear M (AMA)

ASST (ASST)

10/1/1

17 Feb 44.

State Major, A. M. M. M.

Copy to: 8 Command Pay Office (Ref HEP/A of 14 Feb)

1. Attached are original copies of receipts for cash advanced to Italian Military Personnel by the under mentioned Allied units:

135 1st Major (AMH07)	1,400
HQ 1st Landing Bde (AM 7)	1,200
HQ 1st Demolition Sqd. Pioneer Corps (AM99)	7,500
273 Field Park Coy. A.C.C.	3,200

13,000

2. Will you please arrange for the total sum of thirteen thousand, three hundred lire to be refunded to 8 Command Pay Office, Central Mediterranean Force.

3. Duplicate copies of the receipts will be forwarded to you when settlement has been made.

See Folio 291

Regt.

3rd factor

Brigade A.
Army Sup Comd, A.C.C.

TVS.

SUBJECT:- Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

IMP/4.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.,
Rear H.Q. (R.M.I.A.),
DEQUIL (LEOGE).

Payments from British Funds have been made to Italian Military Personnel by the following Units:-

235 Town Major (H.107)	1,400
H.Q. 1 Air Landing Bde. (AM.32)	1,200
No. 1 Demolition Sqd. Pioneer Corps. (A459)	7,500
273 Field Park Coy. R.E. (R.410)	3,200
	<u>13,300 Lira.</u>

MILITARY

Date 13/10/41

to
ITALIAN A.C.C.

It is requested that arrangements be made with the Italian Army for the total amount of 13,300 Lira to be repaid to this office.

Original payment rolls are attached; duplicate copies are retained and will be forwarded when settlement has been effected.

No. 8 Command Pay Office,
C.M.F.

R. W. L. Lieut. 5581
for Command Paymaster.

14th. February 1944.

Copy to No 2 Command Pay Office, BNAF.

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We forward the attached dossier regarding the payment of L.4.000 by the A.F. to men of the 13^e Corps 4^e Tpt. Pack Coy RASC, for the orders of your competence.-

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PA
Bq. Col
n/2

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ATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
Ufficio Servizi-Sez. Ammin./7

N. 2/285/sera. di prot.

P.M. 151-10 febbraio 1944

OGGETTO: Pagamenti ai militari Italiani da parte degli Alleati.

AL COMANDO PP.AA. CALABRIA

-Direzioe di Amministrazione-

P.M. 120

e per conoscenza:

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO

- Sottocommissione Forze Terrestri -

LEQUILE

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Si trasmette l'unito incarto relativo al pagamento di  
L.4.000 (quattromila) fatto dalle PP.AA. Alleate e militari del  
4° Reparto Salmorie RASC del 13° Corpo D'Armata, per i provvedi-  
menti di competenza.

d'ordine

IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.

CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI

( A. Quercia )



SUBJ: Pay and Allowances - Italian tps

MEMO TO: AFHQ Adv Adv Ech  
" " " Rear EIGHTH ARMY  
" " " HQ No 2 District  
" " " 31 Italian Corps

Army Sub Commission A.C.C.  
Rear M. (MIA)  
L. (LTCM)  
A. 12/1  
8 Feb 44

Copy for information "C"

1. Att at Appx "A" is a précis of the pay and allowances for Italian tps.
2. The extra L20 per working day as "Labour Allowance" is authorized for all tps under the rank of L/Sgt not in the operational zones who are working under Allied control in unloading, transporting and arranging equipment and rations and also work on roads and aerodromes. The necessary instructions to claim this allowance have been issued.
3. In principle this allowance should apply to units on Order of Battle 3/11/43 of 30 Jan. Will you please check up that the units do in fact know that they should be paying this allowance to their tps. In this connection Capt C.V.J. THURSP, as LO designate to 3. District, will check units in 57 Area and 94 Sub Area.
4. If there is any apparent difficulty in this scale of pay and allowances will you please report as early as possible.

F. J. Noakes  
Lt Col,  
A.A. & C.V.C.

ABC

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## APPENDIX 'A'

b. 1

## PAY &amp; ALLOWANCES

(From information from Ministry of War)

| RANK                    | D             | A     | I  | L     | Y  | P     | A    | Y     | 1st Mob |
|-------------------------|---------------|-------|----|-------|----|-------|------|-------|---------|
|                         |               |       |    |       |    |       |      |       |         |
| Ordinary Basic Pay      |               |       |    |       |    |       |      |       |         |
| Wife Allowance in       |               |       |    |       |    |       |      |       |         |
| Home Areas              |               |       |    |       |    |       |      |       |         |
|                         | (A)           |       |    |       |    |       | (B)  |       | (C)     |
| Pte                     | L.            | 5.00  | L. | 26.00 | L. | 26.00 | L.   | 46.00 |         |
| L/Sgt                   |               | 7.25  |    | 25.25 |    | 26.25 |      | 43.50 |         |
| Cpl                     |               | 6.60  |    | 26.60 |    | 26.60 |      | 43.60 |         |
| L/Sgt                   |               | 28.26 |    | =     |    | 52.26 |      | 73.26 |         |
| L/Sgt (married)         |               | 36.53 |    | =     |    | 63.53 |      | 83.26 |         |
| Sgt (reserve - single)  |               | 35.10 |    | =     |    | 62.10 |      | 83.10 |         |
| Sgt (reserve - married) |               | 48.42 |    | =     |    | 73.42 |      | 93.42 |         |
| Sgt (regular - single)  |               | 37.37 |    | =     |    | 62.37 |      | 82.37 |         |
| Sgt (regular - married) |               | 45.00 |    | =     |    | 73.00 |      | 93.00 |         |
| R.O.                    | 111 (single)  | 1751  |    |       |    | 2801  |      | 3551  |         |
| R.O.                    | 111 (married) | 2429  |    |       |    | 3779  |      | 4129  |         |
| R.O.                    | 11 (single)   | 1845  |    |       |    | 2895  |      | 3645  |         |
| R.O.                    | 11 (married)  | 2418  |    |       |    | 3408  |      | 4118  |         |
| R.S.                    | (single)      | 2030  |    |       |    | 3080  |      | 3830  |         |
| R.S.                    | (married)     | 2601  |    |       |    | 3651  |      | 4401  |         |
| 2/Lt                    | (single)      | 2704  |    |       |    | =     |      | =     |         |
| 2/Lt                    | (married)     | 3223  |    |       |    | =     |      | =     |         |
| Lt                      | (single)      | 3250  |    |       |    | =     |      | =     |         |
| Lt                      | (married)     | 3760  |    |       |    | =     |      | =     |         |
|                         |               |       |    |       |    |       | 5510 |       |         |

## NOTES

NOTE: Up to the rank of Col includes: Basic Pay and Increase  
 promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, War Allowance and  
 compensation allowance.  
 Up to the rank of Sgt includes: Basic Pay and Increase  
 promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military Allowance as  
 compensation, cost of living bonus, War Allowance, operational allowance  
 (basic to all, cost above rank of Cpl) and family allowance (if married).  
 Up to the rank of Lt includes: Basic monthly pay and increase

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|-------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|------|---|------|
| W.O. 111 (single) 1951  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 2851 |   | 3551 |
| W.O. 111 (married) 2529 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 2779 |   | 3429 |
| W.O. 11 (single) 1843   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 2893 |   | 3643 |
| W.O. 11 (married) 2418  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 3468 |   | 4118 |
| W.O. 11 (single) 2034   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 2089 |   | 2839 |
| W.O. 11 (married) 2001  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 2051 |   | 2801 |
| W.O. 11 (single) 2704   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 2754 |   | 3504 |
| W.O. 11 (married) 3223  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 3273 |   | 4023 |
| W.O. 11 (single) 3250   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 3300 |   | 4050 |
| W.O. 11 (married) 3750  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 3800 |   | 4550 |

## NOTES

NOTE 1. Up to the rank of Cpl includes: Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, for allies and bread compensation allies.

Up to the rank of Sgt includes: Basic Pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree 1st Nov 43, Military allies and compensation, cost of living bonus, for Allies, operational allies (paid to all the above rank of Cpl) and family allow (if married).

Up to the rank of Lt includes: Basic monthly pay and increase promulgated by Royal Decree on 1st Nov 43, Military compensation allies, operational allies and family allow, (if married).

NOTE 2. An allowance of L20 is paid to the up to rank of Cpl on labour work w.e.f. 13 Dec 43. Labour work includes all personnel NOT in the operational zone and are employed under Allied control in work of unloading, transport and arranging equipment and rations and also road work and on aerodromes.

NOTE 3. An allowance paid to the up to rank of L20, who are employed in the operational zones w.e.f. 13 Dec 43. This is paid over and above the ordinary operational allies forming part of the normal pay.

NOTE 4. An allowance paid to the up to rank of L20, who are with the 1st Nov 43.

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1. What is definition of "labour work" in Note B? eg. What is pay of an infantry or engineer private employed on road work?
2. What is definition of pay of an infantry or engineer private employed in the COMBAT ZONE
  - (a) with 1st Mar Bde
  - (b) with Allied Unit
3. Find out a sum which all HMMA LOS to check up on it.

Tell HMMA include ref  
 G/Battle 6/11/54 3- Jan  
 for then check  
 V. TH 2000 11/11/54 deans  
 to check 15) Area 594 5 Area  
 G/26 HQ 6/26/54  
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Brig. D. told me before he left that Marshal Plans  
had said he wanted to move up & use one battalion  
of 21 San Marcos (Marines) Regt (Strength 1st).

Whether this unit (if made up) would count as part  
of the 1st of 1st's authorized by law by the U.S. is what the  
Army would like to know for record purposes.  
is not known.

> Do you think it worth while asking the U.S.?  
Presumably the Government would not be put  
completing for discussion with Army & Air Force.

for Amworth

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**TABLE IV - PAY & ALLOWANCES**

(Data information from Ministry of War.)

| RANK      | Basic Pay |      |           |         | Incentives |           |         |          | Total     |           |         |       |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|---------|------------|-----------|---------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|-------|
|           | Grade     | Pay  | Allowance | Subsidy | Basic Pay  | Allowance | Subsidy | Subtotal | Basic Pay | Allowance | Subsidy | Total |
| 1st Lt.   | 14        | 1731 | 1345      | 2418    | 2601       | 2704      | 2925    | 3455     | 3455      | 3455      | 3455    | 3455  |
| 2nd Lt.   | 13        | 1345 | 1069      | 1939    | 2069       | 2172      | 2393    | 2874     | 2874      | 2874      | 2874    | 2874  |
| 3rd Lt.   | 12        | 1069 | 847       | 1554    | 1654       | 1757      | 1978    | 2393     | 2393      | 2393      | 2393    | 2393  |
| 4th Lt.   | 11        | 847  | 678       | 1245    | 1345       | 1448      | 1669    | 2069     | 2069      | 2069      | 2069    | 2069  |
| 5th Lt.   | 10        | 678  | 542       | 1012    | 1112       | 1215      | 1436    | 1757     | 1757      | 1757      | 1757    | 1757  |
| 6th Lt.   | 9         | 542  | 434       | 810     | 910        | 1013      | 1234    | 1448     | 1448      | 1448      | 1448    | 1448  |
| 7th Lt.   | 8         | 434  | 347       | 658     | 758        | 861       | 1082    | 1234     | 1234      | 1234      | 1234    | 1234  |
| 8th Lt.   | 7         | 347  | 278       | 525     | 625        | 728       | 949     | 1082     | 1082      | 1082      | 1082    | 1082  |
| 9th Lt.   | 6         | 278  | 223       | 424     | 524        | 627       | 848     | 949      | 949       | 949       | 949     | 949   |
| 10th Lt.  | 5         | 223  | 178       | 353     | 453        | 556       | 777     | 848      | 848       | 848       | 848     | 848   |
| 11th Lt.  | 4         | 178  | 143       | 282     | 382        | 485       | 649     | 777      | 777       | 777       | 777     | 777   |
| 12th Lt.  | 3         | 143  | 114       | 227     | 327        | 430       | 594     | 649      | 649       | 649       | 649     | 649   |
| 13th Lt.  | 2         | 114  | 91        | 182     | 282        | 385       | 549     | 594      | 594       | 594       | 594     | 594   |
| 14th Lt.  | 1         | 91   | 73        | 147     | 247        | 350       | 504     | 549      | 549       | 549       | 549     | 549   |
| 15th Lt.  | 0         | 73   | 58        | 118     | 218        | 319       | 474     | 504      | 504       | 504       | 504     | 504   |
| 16th Lt.  | -         | 58   | 46        | 95      | 193        | 294       | 449     | 474      | 474       | 474       | 474     | 474   |
| 17th Lt.  | -         | 46   | 37        | 76      | 163        | 264       | 404     | 449      | 449       | 449       | 449     | 449   |
| 18th Lt.  | -         | 37   | 29        | 61      | 133        | 215       | 374     | 404      | 404       | 404       | 404     | 404   |
| 19th Lt.  | -         | 29   | 23        | 49      | 113        | 186       | 334     | 374      | 374       | 374       | 374     | 374   |
| 20th Lt.  | -         | 23   | 18        | 39      | 93         | 157       | 314     | 334      | 334       | 334       | 334     | 334   |
| 21st Lt.  | -         | 18   | 14        | 31      | 78         | 138       | 274     | 314      | 314       | 314       | 314     | 314   |
| 22nd Lt.  | -         | 14   | 11        | 25      | 64         | 119       | 234     | 274      | 274       | 274       | 274     | 274   |
| 23rd Lt.  | -         | 11   | 9         | 20      | 54         | 100       | 204     | 234      | 234       | 234       | 234     | 234   |
| 24th Lt.  | -         | 9    | 7         | 16      | 46         | 89        | 174     | 204      | 204       | 204       | 204     | 204   |
| 25th Lt.  | -         | 7    | 6         | 13      | 39         | 78        | 154     | 174      | 174       | 174       | 174     | 174   |
| 26th Lt.  | -         | 6    | 5         | 10      | 33         | 67        | 134     | 154      | 154       | 154       | 154     | 154   |
| 27th Lt.  | -         | 5    | 4         | 8       | 28         | 58        | 114     | 134      | 134       | 134       | 134     | 134   |
| 28th Lt.  | -         | 4    | 3         | 6       | 24         | 50        | 104     | 114      | 114       | 114       | 114     | 114   |
| 29th Lt.  | -         | 3    | 3         | 5       | 20         | 43        | 94      | 104      | 104       | 104       | 104     | 104   |
| 30th Lt.  | -         | 3    | 2         | 4       | 17         | 37        | 84      | 104      | 104       | 104       | 104     | 104   |
| 31st Lt.  | -         | 2    | 2         | 3       | 14         | 31        | 74      | 84       | 84        | 84        | 84      | 84    |
| 32nd Lt.  | -         | 2    | 1         | 3       | 12         | 27        | 64      | 74       | 74        | 74        | 74      | 74    |
| 33rd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 10         | 23        | 54      | 64       | 64        | 64        | 64      | 64    |
| 34th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 9          | 21        | 50      | 54       | 54        | 54        | 54      | 54    |
| 35th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 8          | 19        | 46      | 50       | 50        | 50        | 50      | 50    |
| 36th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 7          | 17        | 43      | 46       | 46        | 46        | 46      | 46    |
| 37th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 6          | 16        | 40      | 43       | 43        | 43        | 43      | 43    |
| 38th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 5          | 15        | 37      | 40       | 40        | 40        | 40      | 40    |
| 39th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 4          | 14        | 34      | 37       | 37        | 37        | 37      | 37    |
| 40th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 3          | 13        | 31      | 34       | 34        | 34        | 34      | 34    |
| 41st Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 2          | 12        | 29      | 31       | 31        | 31        | 31      | 31    |
| 42nd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 11        | 26      | 29       | 29        | 29        | 29      | 29    |
| 43rd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 10        | 24      | 26       | 26        | 26        | 26      | 26    |
| 44th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 9         | 22      | 24       | 24        | 24        | 24      | 24    |
| 45th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 8         | 20      | 22       | 22        | 22        | 22      | 22    |
| 46th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 7         | 18      | 20       | 20        | 20        | 20      | 20    |
| 47th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 6         | 16      | 18       | 18        | 18        | 18      | 18    |
| 48th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 5         | 15      | 16       | 16        | 16        | 16      | 16    |
| 49th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 4         | 14      | 15       | 15        | 15        | 15      | 15    |
| 50th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 3         | 13      | 14       | 14        | 14        | 14      | 14    |
| 51st Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 2         | 12      | 13       | 13        | 13        | 13      | 13    |
| 52nd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 11      | 12       | 12        | 12        | 12      | 12    |
| 53rd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 10      | 11       | 11        | 11        | 11      | 11    |
| 54th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 9       | 10       | 10        | 10        | 10      | 10    |
| 55th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 8       | 9        | 9         | 9         | 9       | 9     |
| 56th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 7       | 8        | 8         | 8         | 8       | 8     |
| 57th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 6       | 7        | 7         | 7         | 7       | 7     |
| 58th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 5       | 6        | 6         | 6         | 6       | 6     |
| 59th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 4       | 5        | 5         | 5         | 5       | 5     |
| 60th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 3       | 4        | 4         | 4         | 4       | 4     |
| 61st Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 2       | 3        | 3         | 3         | 3       | 3     |
| 62nd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 2        | 2         | 2         | 2       | 2     |
| 63rd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 64th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 65th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 66th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 67th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 68th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 69th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 70th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 71st Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 72nd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 73rd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 74th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 75th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 76th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 77th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 78th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 79th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 80th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 81st Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 82nd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 83rd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 84th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 85th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 86th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 87th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 88th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 89th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 90th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 91st Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 92nd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 93rd Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 94th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 95th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 96th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 97th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 98th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 99th Lt.  | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |
| 100th Lt. | -         | 1    | 1         | 2       | 1          | 1         | 1       | 1        | 1         | 1         | 1       | 1     |

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NOTE: 1. To the rank of 1st Lt. (single) - Basic Pay and Increase (proportion) by 100% (single) 1st Lt. 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536,

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MINISTRY OF WAR

CABINET

Ref: 353

Lecce, 11 Jan 44

Subject: Pay of troops on Labour.

This Ministry's circular No. 896/I/66 of same subject dated 13 Dec is cancelled as from 10 Jan 44.

From this date to soldiers, L/Cpls and Cpls only, not in the Anglo-American operational zones and employed under Allied control in work of unloading, transporting and arranging equipment and rations, also on road work and on aerodromes, will be paid instead, the sum of 20 lire a day for every working day.

There is no change in the indemnity for units in operational zones as laid down in letter, 742/I/16. I. 15 dated 15 Dec 43.

Necessary instructions have been issued to all units under command.

tvv.

Sgd. Col. FIORE-VERNAZZA  
Chief of Cabinet. 5544

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MINISTRY T WAR LIASON

Date 5 Feb 44

Administrative Dept

Saw Administrative Branch on pay query. The 20 lire a day for personnel on leave is paid to all personnel employed on unloading and stacking of equipment and rations for the Allies. This applies to troops not in the operational zones of 8" x 5" Areas who receive operational pay of 20 lire a day. It also applies to work on roads and aerodromes. It is paid in the normal way by each unit at the same time as ordinary pay is paid out.

Brought back the circular which gives the authority from the Hq. of W. on this special pay. The leave pay only applies to troops up to the rank of Cpl.

LIASON Branch

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H Capt

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It also requires no return on words and to which it applies  
 It is paid in the normal way by each unit at the  
 same time as ordinary pay is paid out.

Brought back the circular which gives the  
 authority from the Hq. of W. on this special pay.  
 The leave pay only applies to troops up to the  
 rank of Cpl.

Warrant Branch

55.00

= Nil =

*1st Capt.*

*7/2 MR*

*7/2*

*9th copy* *bb*  
Subject:- Payment by the Allies to  
Italian Military Personnel

Army Sub Commission, ACC  
Rear HQ (MIA)  
LEQUIN (LECCE)  
AQ/13/1  
7 Feb 44

Stato Maggiore R E

Copy to:- 8 Command Pay Office, ref I P/A of 5 Feb 44  
MIA LO att Rear EIGHTH Army

1. Attached are original copies of receipts in connection with the payment of Italian personnel of the Italian Mule Sec, 4 Pack Transport Group RASC in 13 Corps, totalling 4,000 lire.
2. Payment was made by the Allies in the absence of funds at that time from Italian sources.
3. Will you please arrange for the sum of four thousand lire to be refunded to 8 Command Pay Office, Central Mediterranean Forces notifying this office at the same time.
4. On settlement of this refund, duplicate copies of receipts will be forwarded for your retention.

EJC/cc

*Agcat*  
*for* Brig  
Army Sub Comm, ACC

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SUBJECT:- Payments to Italian Military Personnel.

Headquarters,  
Military Mission to Italian Army.

Payments from British funds have been made to Italian Military Personnel attached to No. 4 Pack Transport Group, M.A.S.C.

It is requested that arrangements be made with the Italian Army for the total amount of £,000 lire to be repaid either to this office or to the Staff Paymaster in charge No. 21 Advance Base Pay Office, Naples.

Original payment rolls are attached; duplicate copies are retained and will be forwarded when settlement has been effected.

No. 6 Command Pay Office,  
D.M.F.

MILITARY MISSION *John J. Hoff*  
Staff Paymaster. Lt. Col.

5th. February 1944.

Date 6 Feb 44 Ad/13/1

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Copy to:- D.D.S.T. 15 Corps.  
4 Pack Transport Group, RASC.

No. 21 Advance Base Pay Office, Naples.  
N°21 ABPG

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Further ~~letter~~ X Corps HQ letter 13340/7 dated 17/12/'43.  
Will you please inform urgently this S.M. the matters  
concerning the liquidation of payments issued by the 121 Coy  
British Roads Engineers to the 1 and 2 Coys of the 566 Coastal  
Bn have been ~~settled~~ settled.

Fik.  
Pay - Italian  
Bgcet.  
7/2.

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STATO MAGGIORE DELL'ESERCITO  
SEZIONE AMMINISTRATIVA

N. 2909 (208) del Catal.  
(R. 104) - Anno XX

P.M. 151- 7 febbraio 194 - Anno

Al DISTRETTO MILITARE DI FOGGIA  
S. SEVERO

e per conoscenza:  
ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLI  
Sottocommissione forze Terrestri -  
LEQUILE

Risposta al foglio del

Div.

Sez.

N.

Prot. N. 8/276/Sero. Allegati 1

OGGETTO : Pagamento reparti Esercito Italiano.

A seguito del foglio del Comando del IX° C.A.  
N° 13340/7 in data 17/12/1943, pregasi informare  
urgentemente questo Stato Maggiore se le pratiche  
relative alla liquidazione dei pagamenti fatti dal-  
la 121ª Compagnia Genio Stradale Inglese alla 1ª e  
2ª Compagnia del 556° battaglione Costiero, siano  
state definite.--

d'ordine  
IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.  
CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI  
( A. Quercia )



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MILITARY MISSION.

Subject: Cash Advances to Italian Units.

Date 28/1/44 Billy 1/4

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To: H.Q.,  
Military Mission to Italian Army.

to  
ITALIAN ARMY.

Will you kindly inform me of the present position regarding refund of Lire 45850 being two advances made to Italian units by No. 21 Road Construction Coy, R.E.

My letters of 25th Nov '43 and 28th Dec '43 and your HQ 13/1 dated 28th Nov '43 have reference.

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Lt. Col.,  
Assistant Command Paymaster.

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No. 8 Command Pay Office,  
C.M.F.

MILITARY MISSION

25th January 1944.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

PA  
Cash Disbursement 25 Jan 44  
1944

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| ARMY FORM (213) (Small)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |          | MESSAGE FORM                                                                                             |        | Register No.                                                                 |  |
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| MMIA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |          |                                                                                                          |        |                                                                              |  |
| TO                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |          | (W) For Information (INFO)                                                                               |        |                                                                              |  |
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For Action

TO

(M) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions

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SUBJECT: Pay & Allowances.

Military Mission to  
Italian Army.  
AO/13/1.  
10 Jan 44.

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Stato Maggiore R. Esercito.

With reference to Major CARLO RUFFI's visit to Col. QUERZIA on 6 Jan 44.

I return herewith the Tables showing Pay & Allowances in respect of the Italian Army. In view of the recent increases in pay, I would be glad if the Tables could be brought up to date to include information regarding supplements for those now on operations, engaged in labor etc., and other relevant amendments.

YVS/.

Bg. Caustum.  
J. Brig.  
Cor. Mar. 55

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| ACTIVITY FORM 02135 (Small)          |                            | MESSAGE FORM |                           | Register No.         |
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| TO                                   | (W) For Information (INFO) |              |                           | GP                   |
| 8 COMMAND PAY OFFICE                 |                            |              |                           |                      |

Q 318 Reference MMIA letter AQ/13/11 dated 28 Nov 0  
will you please inform MMIA what action has  
been taken to settle this matter.

THE MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN  
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B. G. Carraway  
Pay

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MAY BE SENT IN CIPHER

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COMMISSIONER'S INSTRUCTIONS  
TO BE FOLLOWED

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Subj: Cash Advances to Italian units.

To H.Q.,  
Military Mission to Italian Army.  
C.M.F.

Reference my letter number as above forwarding  
copies of correspondence regarding 3 advances totalling  
Lire 45050 made by No. 1 Road Construction Coy. R.F.,  
and your reply thereto 40/13/1 dated 23/11/43, the cash  
refund has not yet been received.

Will you kindly take such action as considered  
necessary to expedite.

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*James*  
Lt. Col.,  
Assistant Command Paymaster.

No. 3 Command Pay Office,  
C.M.F.  
23th Dec. 1943.

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G.  
A.T.

MILITARY MISSION

Date 5/1/44

ITALIAN ARMY.

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MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY LEQUINE

FROM MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY  
WINSON DEACER VIA REAR 8<sup>th</sup> ARMY

Originator's Number

MMB

Date

3/4

In Reply to Number

Cashier Kesc

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This refers to the Italian Field Signal  
who was to pay Italian money in 8<sup>th</sup> Army  
area. Field Signal.

10/31  
02/01

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T.O.R.

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1-55 (2) 5-1-1575 654, 30331 Pmd. 5-42-11 &amp; R. 1-11-51-477

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Soldiers in Park Tr. Camp & other workings 53  
with the Office in the Ojo. area.

|               |                         |
|---------------|-------------------------|
| Plas Coyendo: | 20 line a day extra pay |
| Apts          | 25                      |
| Apts. May     | 30                      |
| Manuelita     | 35                      |

This was ordered by W. M. subject to approval  
by Finance Ministry, and the pay is already given  
to the soldiers (approx starting day of extra pay 16.12.43)

Lawson in the harbours used to receive 22 line  
a day if sailors & 10 if soldiers. W.M. suggested  
to Finance Ministry to reduce the soldiers pay to  
10 line so as to make it equal to the soldiers pay.

Both cases are under consideration at the  
Finance Ministry for approval.

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as the records report security was 1/11  
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Both cases are under consideration at the  
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 Finance Ministry for approval.

Informations given to Capt. Gasparini

by Col. CORR

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MDIA

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For Action

Stato Maggiore R. Esercito

TO

Wt For Information (INFO)

MDIA 10 att Rear EIGHTH ARMY

Message Instructions

CR

Q285 ref our Q280 of 29 Dec (°) send cashier with money forthwith to Italian Force HQ (°) If cashier visited area before only units he did NOT visit require pay (°) If no previous visit ALL require pay

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IT IS OK TO RE-ENTER SPEECH TO  
CALL INTO ENEMY HANDS. THIS MESSAGE  
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ARMY FORM 02136 (Small)

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Transmission Instructions

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MMIA

Originator

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OFFICE DATE STAMP

10/13/11

For Action

STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

MMIA LO ATT DEAR EIGHTH ARMY

Message Instructions

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Originator's No.

Q 280 Report has reached MMIA that Italian Operational Troops with Eighth Army are deserting for lack of pay. Please state urgently what arrangements you have made to send cash to them.

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS  
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| ARMY FORM 2136 (Small)                |         |                            | MESSAGE FORM |                      | Register No. 219 |
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MM/8  
ITALIAN operational troops deserting @ No pay @ earnestly request  
SMRE dispatch cashier forthwith

See  
Check of two groups requested 26. 28/12

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Subject:- Pay - Italian Army Personnel

Military Mission to  
Italian Army  
AG/13/1  
27 Dec 43

MMIA LO with REAR EIGHTH ARMY

The attached copy of translation of SMRE letter 781 dated 24 Dec 43 is forwarded.

MMIA letter AG/13/1 29 Dec 43 refers.

EJC/cc

Agct.  
Brig  
Comd

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From: S.M.R.E. Services Bde Amn/Va Sect.  
To: MMHA.

Ref. 781  
29 DEC. 43

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Subject: Italian Pack Trpt. Coy. attached to Allied Troops

Ref AQ 13/1 of 9.12.43

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With ref. to above letter we beg to inform you that the two Pack Tr. Coys attached to 8 Army <sup>have</sup> withdrawn from the Administration Branch IX Corps the following amounts:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Unit formed in October: { 80000 lire for October  
50000 " " November

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Unit formed in November: 10000 lire for November  
ought to be

We ~~do~~ presume that these units <sup>have</sup> in possession of amounts necessary to effect payments to men.

For December, none of these units <sup>has</sup> ~~has~~ withdrawn any amount ~~to~~ to date.

(184) Col. A. GUERCI

AS 15/12/43  
27/12/43  
[Signature]



STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO  
Ufficio Servizi - Sez. Amm/va

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N. 2500 (208) del Cad. 18  
(R. 1947 - Anno XX)

P.M. 151 - 24 dicembre 1943 Anno

Alla MISSIONE MILITARE PRESSO  
IL R.E. ITALIANO

LEQUITE (Lecce)

Risposta al foglio del 9 dicembre 1943  
Dir. Sez. N. A.Q. 13/1

Oggetto: Reparti Salmerie Italiane al seguito truppe Alleate.

Per. N. 781 Allegati

In riferimento al foglio sopra distinto si comunica che i due reparti italiani salmerie, al seguito dell'8<sup>a</sup> Armata Britannica, hanno prelevato, dalla Direzione di Amministrazione del IX<sup>o</sup> Corpo d'Armata italiana, le seguenti somme:

- il 1<sup>o</sup> reparto, costituito nell'ottobre u.s., L. 80.000 per il mese di ottobre e L. 50.000 per il mese di novembre; **552 f**
- il 2<sup>o</sup> reparto, costituito in novembre u.s. L. 10.000 per detto mese.

Si ritiene quindi che i suddetti reparti dovevano essere in grado di pagare le competenze ai propri uomini.

Nel mese corrente nessuno dei due reparti ha effettuato, a tutt'oggi, prelevamenti di fondi.

d'ordine  
IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.  
CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI

Oggetto: Reparti Salmerie Italiane al seguito truppe Alleate.

In riferimento al foglio sopra distinto si comunica che i due reparti italiani salmerie, al seguito dell'8<sup>a</sup> Armata Britannica, hanno prelevato, dalla Direzione di Amministrazione del IX<sup>o</sup> Corpo d'Armata italiana, le seguenti somme:

- il 1<sup>o</sup> reparto, costituito nell'ottobre u.s., L. 80.000 per il mese di ottobre e L. 50.000 per il mese di 5534 vembre;
- il 2<sup>o</sup> reparto, costituito in novembre u.s. L. 10.000 per detto mese.

Si ritiene quindi che i suddetti reparti dove vano essere in grado di pagare le competenze ai propri uomini.

Nel mese corrente nessuno dei due reparti ha effettuato, a tutt'oggi, prelevamenti di fondi.

d'ordine  
IL COLONNELLO DI S.M.  
CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI  
( A. Quercia )



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# MESSAGE FORM

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TO REAR EIGHTH ARMY Cdr. K. HINDLE LT Colonel

FROM *MEMO*

Originator's Number  
Q 176

10-3

in reply to Number  
67857 A

490 CITQ 143

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4. **Write**

## SUMMARY

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SUBJECT: - Pay - Italian Personnel.

Rear H. Sig : Army, GMR.

R 18851 a.

12 Dec 43.

Military Mission to 7th Italian Army.

A number of Italian ICS are attached from SMIA to Formations and Units under this Command. There is also approximately one Italian Bn. attached for R.S. duties.

Will you please inform this R. how these men will be paid. It is not considered practicable to send to Bari for the money and it is requested that an Italian Field Cashier may visit periodically.

otto

Field  
AMW/MB

Lane, Capt. 55-AD/13/1  
Sc. Br. Brigadier,  
D... & M.G.,  
EIGHTH ARMY.

Subject:- Pay - Italian Tps

Stato Maggiore R. Esercito  
Major FIELDMAN MMIA IO with Eighth Army

Military Mission to  
Italian Army  
AQ/13/1  
9 Dec 43

1; EIGHTH ARMY report that the Italian Mule Coys have received no pay since their arrival in the Combat Zone.

2. Will SMRE please make the necessary arrangements for these men to be paid as soon as possible.

EJC/cc

*Brig, Capt*  
Brig  
Comd

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## MESSAGE FORM

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TO MILITARY MISSION TO ITALIAN ARMY RPTD. ST. REAR ARMY.

FROM

REAR EIGHTH ARMY

Original Number

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Date

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Is Reply to Number

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G.V. 124 Wt. 44027 151 602M Pads. 2/42 D. &amp; A. Ltd. 51-4304

SUBJECT: Pay of Italian Personnel  
Employed by Allied Units.

41.  
Col. Murrell,  
MIA L.O.,  
ATTN: JHQ ADV ARM LON.

29 Nov 43  
O.S.

TO: G4, ATHQ ADV ARM ECH

MIA. ✓  
Fifth Army HQ.

1. Owing to the absence of a policy for the handing over of funds to the Italian Military Authority in CAMPANIA, units of the Italian Army and single officers and men employed by Allied units in Fifth Army have not been paid for a considerable time.

2. Personnel and units in CAMPANIA which are under Gen BASCO's administrative control and therefore ought to be paid by him are:-

DAIINO R.C.I.  
113 Inf Regt  
13 Py Construction Bn  
Labour Bn  
Mule Coy  
Liaison Office and interpreters employed mainly by units in  
10 Corps.

3. In the case of the Mule Coy, as old cases of desertion occurred due to lack of funds, 10 Corps opened an impressed account for it and paid all O.S. the sum of £1 Lira per day. Officers have NOT been paid. When Gen BASCO gets his funds and therefore is in a position to pay the Mule Coy he will pay all ranks the rates they have always been used to.

If formations are of the opinion that the normal rate is insufficient to meet personal expenses, it is to be suggested that Italian troops employed on special tasks get a danger allowance large enough to cover expenses and prevent desertion.

4. Italian Officers, NCOs, men and civilians who are employed by formations as Liaison Officers, interpreters, cooks etc, will have to be recognised by the Italian General Staff and pay issued to them. If names of such people are handed in promptly their position can be regularised all the sooner.

*W. Murrell*

13 By Construction In

Labour In

Mule Coy

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10 Corps.

3. In the case of the Mule Coy, as odd cases of desertion occurred due to lack of funds, 10 Corps opened an impressed account for it and paid all the sum of 21 Lire per day. Offrs have not been paid. When Gen. [unclear] gets his funds and therefore is in a position to pay, the Mule Coy he will pay all ranks the rate they have always [unclear] used to.

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*C. J. Farrell*

Capt.

Grand

Finance Minister has delivered 'Cassegrini' to Banca d'Italia at Naples, but the American (in AMGOT) authorities will allow them to be honoured. This is being fought out between L. [unclear] Foley AMG Finance Offr and Finance Minister at the moment.

*C. J. Farrell*

18/13/11

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C. t. Murcell,  
MunA L.O.,  
att AFHQ, iv Adm Ech

17 Nov 43.

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Ad/31

To: MunA LEGUILE, (LECCE).

For inf: "A" Branch FLAMBO.

SUBJECT:- Money for Gen BASSO.

1. Italian Armed Forces CAMPANIA are urgently in need of money to pay Italian offrs and men in this area, chiefly the DAPINO Bde Gp and the 113 Regt. 10 Corps has sent down a letter requesting that the mule coy under their command also be paid, as there is a risk, owing to their lack of funds, of their deserting and attempting to go home.
2. Gen BASSO has a number of Credit Vouchers each of 500,000 Lit and totalling 11,000,000 Lit which he is unable to cash because of the AFHQ order preventing the cashing of these vouchers if dated from 7 Sep to 15 Oct.
3. I have contacted everyone I can think of with regard to this matter and I have tried to find out what policy is going to be adopted for the payment of Italian Tps, but it seems as if a policy does not exist.
4. I wish to emphasise the urgency of the matter and trust that a ruling will soon be given by 15 Army Gp regarding this question.

*C. t. Murcell*  
Capt.

*Capt. Murcell  
Discussed between SE  
Jung & Col Foley (ACI) - The Italian  
Government has arranged this  
& will in future be in a  
position to finance the  
Italian Army  
5810  
Ad/31  
18 Nov*

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Translation

Subj: Pay for It in Forces in CAMPANIA

Ref. yr A 9/15/1 of 15 NOV. 1943 39  
I inform you, according to data  
in my possession, that the  
matter of pay for the Italian  
Forces in CAMPANIA is as follows:-

H.E. JUNG, Italian Minister of  
Finance agreed with the  
American authorities that Italian  
Forces in CAMPANIA should  
make demands for funds to  
the Allied authorities on the spot.

The transmission of money  
from PUGLIA to NAPLES  
would be contrary to such  
agreement. On the other hand  
Gen. SARNO states that his  
requests for funds from the  
American authorities have had no  
result.

As a result, H.E. JUNG  
has asked for urgent  
clarification of policy from

1956

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the Anglo - U.S. Mission  
- Thank you for yr interest  
in the matter.

Sd - ALBERTI.

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N. 29  
(B) 208(bis) del Catal.  
1 - April 1943

P.M. 151, li 15 novembre 1943. Anno 39A.

Il GENERALE DUCHESNE

Missione Militare Britannica

LEQUITE

STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO

DII REPARTO - Ufficio S.M.

Risposta al foglio del

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Sez.

Dir.

Prov. N. 367/F Allegati

Oggetto Pagamento delle forze italiane in Campania.-

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Con riferimento al vostro foglio AQ/13/I in data 15 novembre 1943 Vi informo che, secondo le notizie in mio possesso, la questione del pagamento delle forze italiane in Campania è in questi termini:

L'Ecc. Jung, Ministro delle Finanze italiano sostiene di essere d'accordo con le autorità americane che le forze italiane in Campania debbono richiedere i fondi loro occorrenti alle autorità alleate in posto. L'invio di somme dalla Puglia a Napoli sarebbe perciò contrario a tali accordi. Il Generale Basso ha invece comunicato che le sue richieste di fondi alle autorità americane non hanno avuto esito.

In seguito a ciò l'Ecc. Jung ha interessato di nuovo l'ufficiale della Missione anglo-americana per un chiarimento urgente della cosa.

Vi ringrazio del cortese interessamento al riguardo.

Il GENERALE CAPO REPARTO  
(A. Aliberti)

Prot. N. 367/P

Allegati

Risposta al foglio del

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IL GENERALE CAPO REPARTO  
(A. Aliberti)

*Aliberti*

Subject: FINANCE

A.F.H.Q. Adv. Adm. Echelon  
 Allied Control Commission  
 A.M.G. HQ Region 2 (Finance)

*File Copy*  
 Military Mission to  
 Italian Army  
 Ref A2/15/1  
30 Nov 43

Ref AMG Region 2 letter F/801/1/25 of 23 Nov reproduced at  
 Appendix 'A' below:-

1. It appears to me that the financial affairs of the Italian Army should be controlled, in common with other Italian Govt depts, on the level of the Italian Minister of Finance. This would appear to be a proper activity for the Allied Control Commission.
2. I have no staff suitable for the purpose, nor does my scope extend beyond the mainland of Italy, e.g. I have no knowledge of Italian Forces in SARDINIA. I can furnish figures of Italian Army personnel in Italy for checking purposes if required. May I please have your instructions.

GSH

*Colt*  
 Brig  
 CASH

Ref: F/801/1/25

Appendix 'A'

Office of Regional Finance Officer,  
 A.M.G. Headquarters,  
 REGION 2  
 C.M.F.

23 November 1943

Italian Forces in SARDINIA. I can furnish figures of Italian Army personnel in Italy for checking purposes if required. May I please have your instructions.

GSH

Ref: F/801/1/25

Officer Commanding,  
British Military Mission to the Italian Army.

Further to my letter F/801/1/25 of 13th inst. concerning the financing of the Italian Army I am directed to state that the R.C.A.O. has received authority to resume advances to the 31st Corps.

(2) I am to say that the amount of £0,000,000 lire a month requested by the Corps Commander appears large and to request an assurance that the British Military Mission checks the expenditure of the Italian Army to ascertain that none of the money is used for purposes contrary to the interests of the Allied Forces.

(sgd) A.S.M. Padjean Major R.A.  
Regional Chief Finance Officer.

Appendix 'A'

Office of Regional Finance Officer.

A.M.G. Headquarters,

REGION 2

C.M.F.

23 November 1943

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Office of Regional Finance  
Officer,  
A.M.G. Headquarters,  
REGION 2  
C.M.F.  
23 November 1943.

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contrary to the interests of the Allied Forces.

*A. B. Haden*

Major R.A.  
Regional Chief Finance Officer.

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BCP/I/4.

Subject: Cash Advance to Italian Units.

To Headquarters,  
Military Mission to the Italian Army,  
C.M.F.

Copies of correspondence regarding two advances totalling 45,850 Lire (Forty five thousand eight hundred and fifty) made by No. 121 Road Construction Company, R.E. to Italian units for Italian soldiers' pay, are attached.

It will be appreciated if arrangements can be made with the Italian Army for this sum to be repaid ~~to this office~~ as soon as is possible.

to No 8 Command Pay Office C.M.F.

*[Signature]*  
Colonel,  
Command Paymaster.

No. 8 Command Pay Office,  
C.M.F.  
25th Nov. 1943.

*C.L.*  
above letter to SMRE *copy to*  
8 Command Pay Office. *Send att. Enclosures*  
to SMRE as they are *we already*  
have copies at Folio 22(a) *139 Oct. 28/11.*

*Ad/3/11*  
*28/11*

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# MESSAGE FORM

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Military Mission to Italian Army

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For Action

Ministry of War

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Allied Control Commission

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Message Instructions

GP

Reference No.

113 Further to MIA Signal 4109 today now cancelled (.) Allied

control Commission confirm that conferences between S.E. JUNG and AMG

Financial officer now taking place (.) Situation in CALABRIA will be placed

before them and decisions communicated

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General MORICCA Ministero della Guerra

TO

(WY For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions

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Originator's No.

Q109

Ref INTENDENZA 7 Army letter 85/DAC of 24 Nov (.) Please

confirm this matter has been referred to JARE who are competent to deal

*MAC Mayra told me by phone that conference was held 24 Nov 1955  
between JARE and (some name) of the Army. Results will be  
submitted to JARE.*

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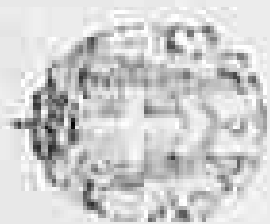
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not much. In the Corps, it was  
 estimated to give the agent about \$100  
 that MRC FORGEMAN to evidence. Of  
 last down by the 1139 of 17 Oct 43 from  
 the Civil Affairs office at the Station. Fort.  
 in a signal, ~~the~~ 5548  
 5625/25 which reached us today.  
 the Corps to a transfer. That, copy  
 to the 12th but mention MRC 17. It has  
 not been possible to draw to Corps  
 funds & that, as a result, the crisis  
 is an acute one. I would ask you  
 to arrange with AFM, ST  
 that Corps be a power to draw  
 the necessary funds for  
 payment of 17th.

2407 1501 O. Harner, Bay  
 24 Nov 43

R. H. 24 Nov 43

cd/.



URGENTE

P. M. 107 24 Novembre 1943

Intendenza 7° Armata

Direzione di Amministrazione

ALLA MISSIONE MILITARE BRITANNICA  
PRESSO L'ESERCITO ITALIANO

LEQUILE

N. di Prot. 85/D.A.C.

Risposta di

Carta annessa

OGGETTO: Fondi per il XXXI° Corpo d'Armata.-

Questa Intendenza, con il foglio n. 186/D.A. del 10 corrente, autorizzò il Comando del XXXI° Corpo d'Armata a prelevare presso la R. Tesoreria di Catanzaro la somma di £. 30.000.000,00- (ottantamilion) quale fabbisogno del mese di novembre 1943.-

Per il suddetto prelevamento il Comando di Corpo d'Armata venne informato di dare il prescritto preavviso di una settimana all'Ufficiale preposto agli affari finanziari, Maggiore Mac Forgean, giustale disposizioni contenute nel foglio n. 1139 del 17 ottobre 1943 dell'ufficio affari civili presso S.E. il Capo del Governo.-

Con telegramma 5625/25 pervenuto in data odierna, il Comando del XXXI° Corpo d'Armata informa che, a causa del veto posto dall'A.M. G.O.T., non è stato possibile finora ritirare i fondi di cui sopra, ragione per cui i reparti di truppa si trovano in forte crisi finanziaria.-

Prego, pertanto, cotesta Missione Militare di voler intervenire presso l'A.M.G.O.T. in modo che il Comando di Corpo d'Armata pos-

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IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA INTENDENTE  
(Oreste Moricca)

*O. Moricca*

*9 novembre 1943  
per Catanzaro  
dal Generale  
di Brigata  
Intendente  
Moricca  
al  
Comando  
di Corpo  
d'Armata  
di Catanzaro  
per  
prelevamento  
fondi  
per  
truppe  
in  
crisi  
finanziaria  
per  
novembre  
1943*

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James J. ...  
to B. ...

112 / 2003 30  
2 / 10 / 03

AC/31

Subject: St. ...

The ...  
was captured <sup>by the English on 10 July</sup> ...  
and is now working at our P.O.M. camp.  
in TARANTO as a medical officer, but is  
receiving no allowances <sup>from either</sup> ...

We ...  
that ...  
... reinforcement made.

645 35

AC/31

James J.

Subject: Pay of Italian Personnel

No. 2 District

Military Mission to  
Italian Army  
AQ/13/I  
24 Nov 43

1. 7 Italian Army state that Lieut PAOLUCCI SALVATORE M.O. who was captured on 10 July, near SYRACUSE, is now working as M.O. at 368 POW Camp, TARANTO. He is receiving no pay or allowances from either British or Italian Authorities.

2. May steps please be taken to regularise his position.

EJC

*Offd, Capt*  
Brig  
Comd

55,6

COMANDO DELLA 7<sup>a</sup> ARMATA  
Uff. Personale e Segreteria

P.M. 107,11 20 novembre 1943

N. 5/2233 ris. di prot.

O G G E T T O : Tenete medico cpl. Paolucci Salvatore.-

ALLA MISSIONE MILITARE BRITANNICA

= LEQUILE

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Risulta che il Tenente medico di complemento  
Paolucci Salvatore

catturato dagli inglesi il 10 luglio, nei pressi di Siracusa, è ora presso il 368 POW Camp in Taranto, dove presta la sua opera come medico, ma non riceve assegni nè dalle autorità italiane nè da quelle inglesi.

Necessitando definire la sua posizione, si prega codesta Missione di voler cortesemente interessare le autorità inglesi alla sua restituzione.

d'ordine  
IL GENERALE DI DIVISIONE CAPO DI S.M.  
Raffaele Pelligra -



*Col. G. Pudda*

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Subject:- Payment of 1st Italian Army Units.

Main #: Eighth Army  
3013 RE  
3 Nov 43

Command Paymaster.

Copy to B.M.M. to 7 Italian Army  
DCE Rear Army

Ref 83P/1/4 undated.

It is the reply from OC 121 3d Consto Coy RE. The authority given by Brig DAVY is correct.

It is suggested that the B.M.M. arrange for Italian Army funds to reimburse you with the amount paid. The matter of their future payment is being regularised by an Italian officer from 7 Italian Army.

It was only through the failure of the Italian adn arrangements that they were not paid by their own paymaster.

Encls. 22/11

B.A. Kelly Collins

for Brig 5533  
CE.

Ad/13/11

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C O P Y

Subject: Payment of Italian Army Units.

Mo. 2 C.I.B. Army Troops.  
 NICHOL ARMY. C.I.B.  
 Ref: 28/73  
 17th November 43.

SE Main HQ Plans. AMEZ.

Copy to D.C. Bear HQ. AMEZ.  
 (ref to 1090 of 12.11.43)

As instructed by D.C., herewith information concerning the payment of Italian Army Units by U.C. 1st Road Const Coy HQ.

1. One payment to certain Italian Units u/c No. 2 C.I.B. and attached to this company for work, was made on 28th Oct 43 on verbal authority of C.I.B. (Brigadier Davey) NICHOL ARMY on occasion of his visit to inspect work on Italian labour on 28th Oct 43.

Sum paid £ 114 : 12 : 6.

2. Number of troops involved : 201

(1) Lump sum payment to two units partly 1 & 2 Companies 550 Counted as 1. as these units had received no pay for apparently 3 months.

|                                        |          |
|----------------------------------------|----------|
| (ii) Rate paid.                        | 150 Lire |
| Private soldier                        |          |
| Corporal                               | 200 "    |
| Corporal Major                         | 250 "    |
| Sergeant                               | 300 "    |
| Sergeant Major                         |          |
| Rate was determined by Chief Engineer. |          |

(iii) do further payments have been not ordered or made.

not

(iv) Italian units involved are/being paid under their own arrangements.

3. herewith copy of Certificates submitted with Unit Imprest A/C for October 43. This has been the only correspondence on this subject.

attached to this company for work, was made on 28th Oct 47 on verbal authority of C.E. (Lieutenant Devey) during duty on occasion of his visit to inspect work and Italian labour on 26th Oct 47.

2. Number of troops involved: 261  
 (1) Lump sum payment to troops' names: 1 & 2 Companies  
 550 Coastal Regt. as these units had received no pay for apparently 3 months.

|                 |          |
|-----------------|----------|
| (ii) Rate paid  | 150 Lire |
| Private soldier |          |
| Corporal        | 200 "    |
| Corporal Major  | 250 "    |
| Sergeant        | 300 "    |
| Sergeant Major  |          |

Note was determined by Chief Engineer.

(iii) No further payments have been authorized or made.

(iv) Italian units involved are/being paid under their own arrangements.

5/8 for October 47. This has been the only correspondence on 55-3  
 A/C for October 47. This has been the only correspondence on 55-3  
 subject.

(Sgd) E.A. PATRICKSON  
 Lt. Col. R.E.  
 Comdr.

Field.  
 22/10/47

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ALPHABETIC COPY

Received from Capt. G.G. COULSON the sum of Twenty Three thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Lire (23650) (of BMA 155, 2.6) for payment of Italian soldiers in No. 2 Company 556 Coastal Battalion of the 214 Italian Division.

Payment made through Impresario H/O H.O. 245 121 Road Coast Coy VB on the verbal authority of C.B. HIGHTH A.M.V. Date of payment 20 Oct 43.

(2nd) XXXXXXXX Commandante No. 2 Coy  
556 Coastal Battalion

Witness as to payment of the above Company 20.10.43  
(Sgt) G.G. COULSON Capt. H.O.  
20.10.43

CHRONOLOGICAL COPY

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(BMA 155, 10.0) for payment of Italian soldiers in No. 1 Coy 556 Coastal Battalion of the 214 Italian Division.

Payment made through Impresario H.O. 245 121 Road Coast Coy VB on the verbal authority of C.B. HIGHTH A.M.V. Date of payment 20/10/43.

(Sgt) XXXXXXXX Commandante No. 1. Coy  
556 Coastal Battalion.

Witness as to payment of soldiers of the above Company 20.10.43  
(Sgt) G.G. COULSON Capt. H.O.  
20.10.43.

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COPY.

SECRET.

Subject: Imprest A/cs - Payment of Italian Personnel.

BCP/1/4

TO: CE Eighth Army.  
-----121 Road Construction Company RE.

1. The Imprest Account of above mentioned unit for the month of October 1943 includes a payment of £114. 12. 6 to Nos 1 and 2 Corps, 556 Coastal Battalion, 214 Italian Division. The payment is supported only by the receipts of the Italian Commander concerned and is said to have been made on the verbal authority of CE Eighth Army.

2. Any authority of this nature should always be given in writing and it is requested that such approval be forwarded to this office immediately.

3. The payment of Italian personnel creates a precedent and will undoubtedly require War Office covering approval, being in fact contrary to existing War Office Instructions. Will you please therefore arrange for the matter to be referred to AFHQ (British) as early as possible.

It is suggested that when submitting the case the following particulars be included:-

- (i) Reason for payment and/or employment.
- (ii) Number of Troops involved.
- (iii) Rate paid i.e. British, Italian or Special.

4. The amount concerned will be allowed provisionally in the unit Imprest Account.

(signed) ? ? ?  
for Colonel,  
Command Paymaster.

Copy to: D/Paymaster-in-Chief, AFHQ (British).

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(signed) ? ? ?  
for Colonel,  
Command Paymaster.

Copy to: D/Paymaster-in-Chief, AFHQ (British).  
DA & QMG Eighth Army.  
Imprest Section.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Pay of Italian Forces

Military Mission  
AQ/I3/I  
15 Nov 43

Al Generale ALIBERTI  
Stato Maggiore RE

During my recent visit to NAPLES Gen BASSO informed me that he had made demands on you for the pay of his troops in CAMPANIA.

I shall be glad to hear from you whether the pay situation for the Italian Army is satisfactory and if not whether I can be of any assistance.

EJC

*[Signature]*  
Brig  
Comd

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COPY

Subject: Pay of Italian Forces.

AL/20/64

8 Oct. 43.

1. If and when instructions are received to make available AMGOT funds for the payment of the Italian forces, the necessary amount of A.M. Lire will be advanced to the local Ufficio Provinciale del Tesoro. AMGOT is NOT concerned with the subsequent distribution of pay.

2. However, the Ufficio Provinciale del Tesoro will be informed by AMGOT that it is the desire of the Italian Government that if the local branch of the Banca d'Italia has available sufficient stocks of metropolitan lire, payment to the Italian forces should be effected in this currency.

AMGOT  
15 Army Group,  
C.M.F.  
AGS/jg

(Sgd) A.S.Grafftey-Smith  
Colonel  
Chief Finance Officer

*This letter was handed to me by Pagnaster (Colonel)  
at HQ 5 Army. It had come into his possession from  
for with PDS in Angak Naples. CAG  
15/11*

SUBJECT: ITALIAN PRISONERS with EIGHTH ARMY

British Military Mission

AQ/1,1

7 Nov 45

ITALIAN ARMY

1 I forward herewith a nominal roll of 57 Italian soldiers employed with the British engineer units of 13 Corps. Of the 57 men, 26 are prisoners of war as noted against their names, and 31 taken over from the Italian Army Collecting Depot at GRAVINA on 30 Sep.

2 It is desired to regularise the position of these men, but to keep them in their present employment in which they are working well: it is suggested that they be attached to 1st Coy 28 Artillery Bn which is working close by under command of 13 Corps. I should be obliged if you would arrange this.

3 Different action is required in the case of 2620045 Caporale BERTOLINO, who speaks fluent English. Would you please arrange for him to be attached to HQ 13 Corps as an interpreter.

ABC

*W. H. W. H. W.*  
Brig  
Comd

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In HQ Eighth Army  
M 3013 RE  
1 Nov 43.

Subject: Italian Army Personnel.

2 District.

Copy to H.M.M. 7 Italian Army.  
CE 13 Corps.

1. In addition to those units now under command CE Eighth Army, certain Italian Army personnel have been employed, without pay, by 576 Corps Pz Pk Coy and 578 Pz Coy from various periods in Sep 43. Nominal rolls are attached at Appx 'A'.

2. The first nine personnel employed by 576 Corps Pz Pk Coy, comprising one officer - Lt BUONOCORE M, 5 Cpls, and 3 ORs, were taken over early in the campaign. The remaining 51 personnel were taken over from an Italian Army Collecting Depot at GRAVINA and have been permanently employed in the Corps Pz Dump since the date of joining, as shown on the attached list.

As these men are completely conversant with the working of the Pz Stores and have done very good service in the past, it is requested that their services be retained. I consider, however, that they should be attached to the 1st Coy 28 Pz Artillery which is now under command 13 Corps in order that they may be administered, clothed and paid through the proper channels. All the men are prepared to carry on under existing conditions, but I feel that their position should be regularised.

3. The personnel attached to 578 Pz Coy were all PW and have done exceptionally good work with the unit since their date of joining, and again I wish to retain their services provided their position is regularised with the Italian authorities, so that they can be paid. Cpl BRUNOLINO V. speaks English fluently and has been most useful and done excellent service as an interpreter, and if it is not possible to retain all the personnel I most certainly wish to keep him. Full details concerning this man are shown at Appx 'B'.

4. It is requested that the position of the above men be regularised for pay and records, but it is definitely desired to retain them as they have now fully learnt the tasks they were doing. Any further time in the fresh Italian soldiers cannot be wasted.

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is now under command of the 578th Pz Coy. All the men are clothed and paid through the proper channels. I feel that prepared to carry on under existing conditions, but I feel that their position should be regularised.

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The personnel attached to 578 Pz Coy were all PW and have been exceptionally good work with the unit since their date of joining. I wish to retain their services provided their position is regularised with the Italian authorities, so that they can be paid.

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B. Abner C. Sullivan  
Lt Col

for  
Orig.  
GE.

Encls: Appx 'A'  
Appx 'B'

COPY.

Appx 'A' to M 3 RE dated 1 Nov 43.

Italian 5. Men employed by 576 Corp. Rd pk Coy RE.

| <u>No.</u> | <u>Name.</u>                          | <u>Unit.</u>                    |
|------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 12.9.43    | Sgt Buonocore Mario                   | 515 Battaglione Autonomo Fanter |
| 12.9.43    | Cpl Stefanelli Giovanni               | ditto                           |
| 18.9.43    | Sol Zandron Vittorio                  | 556 Battaglione 2 Compagnia     |
| 18.9.43    | Sol Lordini Zefirino                  | ditto                           |
| 18.9.43    | Sol Menozzi Luigi                     | ditto                           |
| 22.9.43    | Cpl Galliani Mario                    | 52 Gruppo C.A. Reparto MV       |
| 22.9.43    | Cpl Montorfano Renzo                  | ditto                           |
| 26.9.43    | Cpl Ferroni Alberto                   | 343 Battaglione Custerio        |
| 28.9.43    | <del>XXXX</del> <del>XXXXXXXXXX</del> |                                 |
| 28.9.43    | Cpl Renzi Fausto                      | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sgt Fanagalli Bruno                   | Baccarolo Totenza 254 Com       |
| 30.9.43    | Sgt Stoppari Giordano                 | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Cpl Sila Stanislao                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Rodolovich Pacifico               | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Raulik Angelo                     | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Moscat Francesco                  | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Spazzapan Flaurano                | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Cerna Giovanni                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Padletti Pietro                   | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Velenic Giovanni                  | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Muciniet Erminio                  | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Guerin Giovanni                   | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Marassi Agostino                  | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Gobbi Stanislas                   | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Padobnik Filippo                  | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Nocnik Pietro                     | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Principe Oscar                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Petreulich Leopoldo               | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Stanz Carlo                       | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Trich Guiseppe                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Visintin Dante                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Diviacchi Mario                   | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Coraz Vittorio                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Chereini Luigi                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Maras Vittorio                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Pausich Emacore                   | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Laurecch Vitale                   | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Pakor Erminio                     | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Mersi Giovanni                    | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Gianietiz Antonio                 | ditto                           |
| 30.9.43    | Sol Citter Antonio                    | ditto                           |

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Italian Soldiers employed by 576 rd Coy RE



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APX 'B' to M 30

dated 1 Nov 43.

Subject:- Retention of Italian Soldier.

Ref. M 14138.

To: CRE 13 Corps Troops.

2620045 Corporale BERTOLINO V.

1. The s/n Italian Soldier was found by this unit in the neighbourhood of MELITO CALABRO on the 9th Sep 43.

2. He stated that his unit was the 24th Coy, 8th Battalion of the Italian Parachutists, NEMO Division.

3. It was found that he could speak fluent English and on being questioned, he gave the following story:-

- (a) He was born in England on the 13th June 1923 of an English Mother and Italian Father.
- (b) He lived in England until 1935 as his father was working in the English Film Industry and later owned a hotel in London.
- (c) He then lived in France and Belgium for 3 1/2 yrs and arrived in Italy in 1936.
- (d) On the outbreak of war in 1940, his father attempted to <sup>549</sup> register both Corporale BERTOLINO and his sister as British subjects.
- (e) The sister was accepted as a British subject, but the British Consul stated that the son could not be accepted as he was due to be called up for military service with the Italian Army.
- (f) Corporale BERTOLINO states, however, that he signed a document stating that he would always be faithful to the English King and Government but that he was obliged to fight with the Italian Army.
- (g) His parents' home is in TURIN.

4. Since the day he joined my unit I have used him as an interpreter and he has been of invaluable assistance to me. He finds and helps in the requisitioning of RE Stores, such as timber, REJs, water supply stores, etc. He has frequently controlled and organised Italian Civilian labourers on RE works with excellent results. He is well educated and is now as efficient as many of my senior NCOs.

5. In view of the above I suggest that application be made for his retention.

- 1983
- (a) He was born in England on the 15th June 1933 of an English Mother and Italian Father.
- (b) He lived in England until 1933 as his father was working in the English Film Industry and later owned a hotel in London.
- (c) He then lived in France and Belgium for 3 1/2 yrs and arrived in Italy in 1936.
- (d) On the outbreak of war in 1940, his father attempted to register both Corporale PERTOLINO and his sister as British subjects.
- (e) The sister was accepted as a British Subject, but the British Consul stated that the son could not be accepted as he was due to be called up for military service with the Italian Army.
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- (g) His parents' home is in TUNIS.
4. Since the day he joined my unit I have used him as an interpreter and he has been of invaluable assistance to me. He finds and helps in the requisitioning of RE Stores, such as timber, ADS, water supply stores, etc. He has frequently controlled and organized Italian Civilian labourers on RE works with excellent results. He is well educated and is now as efficient as many of my senior NCOs.
5. In view of the above I suggest that application be made for this soldier to be detached from the Italian Army and permanently attached to my unit as an Interpreter.

19 Oct 43.  
CMF.

(signed) J.C. West, Major RE  
OC 578 Pz Coy RE

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SUBJECT: Labour = Italian Service Personnel

British Military Mission to  
7th Italian Army.  
Ref No AQ/13  
6 Nov 43

No 2 District

Reference your 212A dated 3 Nov

It is confirmed that we shall <sup>have notified</sup> be notifying Capt. BOCCACCI  
through 7th Italian Army channels.

GSH

*W. G. Alexander*  
for Brig  
Comd

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SUBJECT:- Letter - Italian Service Personnel

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22/3/19

HQ No.2 District,  
C.M.F.  
212 A.  
3 Nov 43.

Br. Mil. Mission to 7th Italian Army.

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Reference DDL this HQ letter S4/PL, dated 18 Oct 43,  
copy to you.

1. It is presumed that you will be notifying Capt. BOCCACCI  
through 7th Italian Army channels. Would you be good enough  
to confirm.

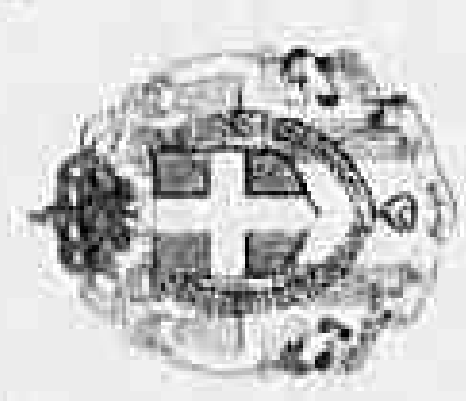
T.O.O. 1730

To HQ 2 District  
Ref above  
confirmed

Agreed 8/11

For Col.  
A/Q.  
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R. Professore di Italiano

Quaranta

Disposizione

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British Military Mission  
7th Italian Army

Allynt Pay & allowances

3rd Italian Corps have approached me re payment of their monthly account. Enclosed are lists for October and the Dept numbers.

I went into a few details with the Deputy Chief of Staff but the whole thing is an enigma to me. He asked & said he informed me they buy this from B&B but as I said must leave you to pay & sort it out. I will clear up any details you may require. Rather an expensive thing at 80 million lire/month. If over news & necessary for an informant talk with you.

Lists find to 7 Army.  
Lentigen too enough  
money released to bands  
to cover all needs & that  
that situation has been  
allowed to be  
opened to  
AFTR. direct visit  
Eng for Italian outfit  
from in front center.  
B&B  
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B.M.M. L.O.  
3rd Italian Corps.

19-10- 43 Ref G1

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Myne Pay allowances

31st Italian corps have approached me re payment of their monthly account. Enclosed are lists for October and the Department.

I went into a few details with the Deputy Chief of Staff but the whole thing is an enigma to me. He refused to let he explained me they buy their own petrol but so I said must leave you to figure out it out. I will clear up any details you may require. Rather an expensive army at 80 million lire/month. My over was I necessary for an informal talk with you.

Further the question of payment of allotments to wives & families was raised. I could give no answer. Please advise.

Argent have advanced the amount 17 1/2 million lire but they state this was paid to hide things over until we were established & had a good banking account. They further state that we should handle the whole matter

Yehentzen May

W.F.H.R. did not  
Sufficiently  
from  
Bogot 10/10

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SUBJECT: rates of pay of Italian Forces.

British Military Mission to  
7 (M) B. 1. 1.  
Ref No. 14/13.

D.D.L. No. 2 District.

13. 2 Oct 45.

Ref your letter 84/21 dated 16 Oct 45.

1. The basic rates of pay of Italian soldiers are irrespective of arm of service and are shown in Appendix 'A' attached.
2. Numerous grants and allowances are admissible but are too complicated to be shown unless you specially require them.
3. The responsibility of paying their troops rests solely with the Italian Military Authorities.
4. The rates are shown in monthly amounts & lire

Yr Obedt.

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Brigadier,  
Comd. British Military Mission.

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Appendix 'A'

TOTAL  
(excl. Family Allowance,  
Grant for children, State  
Allowance and pensions  
for certain decorations)

17A

| <u>Rank</u>          | <u>Wartime Basic Pay</u>   | <u>Unmarried</u> | <u>Married</u> |
|----------------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Maresciallo Maggiore | (min) 740.<br>(max) 1.037. | 1.632<br>1.949   | 1.756<br>2.113 |
| Maresciallo Capo     | (min) 633.<br>(max) 738.   | 1.515<br>1.551   | 1.679<br>1.815 |
| Maresciallo Ordin.   | (min) 569.<br>(max) 655.   | 1.459<br>1.551   | 1.683<br>1.715 |
| Sergente Maggiore    | (min) 418.<br>(max) 568.   | 1.306<br>1.173   | 1.190<br>1.337 |
| Sergente             | (min) 303.<br>(max) 402.   | 787<br>893       | 351<br>1.063   |
| Caporel Maggiore     | 40.50                      | -----            | 370.50         |
| Caporale             | 34.50                      | -----            | 364.50         |
| Appuntato Promot.    | 21.50                      | -----            | 361.50         |
| Soldato              | 30.50                      | -----            | 360.50         |

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Subject:- Pay.

To: H.Q., XXXI Corps  
B.M.M. ( for information)

From:- G Ops  
H.Q., 7th: Army

Reference B.M.M. letter A2/13 dated 20 Oct 43.

The B.M.M. has informed us that certain labour personnel under Capt: G. BOCCACCI in REGGIO CALABRIA have asked the British H.Q. to pay them their outstanding pay.

As you know the British Authorities are under no obligation to pay any Italian Military labour parties. Will you therefore inform the troops in question of this, and let us know of any developments.

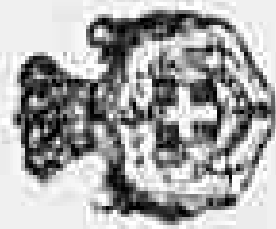
Sgd: Gen. R. PELLIGRA  
C of S 7th: Army.

22 Oct 43.

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LE/MP



SEGRETO

24 ottobre 1943

15A

AQ/13

Comando della 7<sup>a</sup> Armata

Stato Maggiore - Ufficio Operazioni

AL COMANDO DEL XXI CORPO D'ARMATA = P.M. 114

e, per conoscenza :

ALLA MISSIONE MILITARE BRITANNICA = LEQUILLÉ  
presso Comando 7<sup>a</sup> Armata

- rif. suo f° AQ/13 in data 20 corr.--

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M. di B. 2/

Risposta al

Capo ufficio

Oggetto: Corresponsione del soldo alle truppe impiegate in  
Lavori.

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La Missione Militare Britannica ha segnalato che in Reg-
gio Calabria alcuni militari lavoratori, alle dipendenze del ca-
pitano G. Boccacchi, hanno richiesto ai comandi britannici la cor-
responsione del soldo loro spettante.

Com'è noto le autorità britanniche non hanno obbligo di re-
spondere alcun indennità alle truppe italiane adibite a lavori e,
pertanto, preghi dar conoscenza di ciò alle truppe in questione.

Si gradiranno notizie al riguardo.

d'ordine

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Com'è noto le autorità britanniche non hanno obbligo di rispondere alcun'indennità alle truppe italiane adibite a lavori e, pertanto, pregasi dar conoscenza di ciò alle truppe in questione.

Si gradiranno notizie al riguardo.

d'ordine

IL GENERALE DI DIVISIONE CAPO DI S.M.

- Raffaele Pelligrà -

Raffaele Pelligrà

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Subject:- Pay of Italian Troops.

British Military Mission
AD/13

H.Q., 7th: Italian Army.

It has been reported to this Mission that Italian Pioneers under command of Capt. G. BOCCACCI at REGGIO DI CALABRIA are claiming their pay from the local British authorities.

It has been laid down that Italian forces will be paid as normally by Italian Military Authorities. Will you please cause this ruling to be made known to those responsible for paying Capt. BOCCACCI's unit.

(See H.P. 13)

20 Oct 43.

J. G. G. G.
for Brigadier,
Commanding,
British Military Mission

Subject:- Labour - Italian Service Personnel.

DDL. No. 2 District.
(FORTEBASE.) C.M.F.
Tel: Ext: 42
Ref: 84/PL
Date 18 Oct 43.

To:- "A" Branch, No. 2 District.
British Military Mission to
7th Italian Army .

Reference attached correspondence.

I have seen DDPL Eighth Army on this matter.
He informs me that no monetary or rationing arrange-
ment of any kind was agreed to and it has always
been recognised that Italian Services Personnel is
paid by the Italian Army.

Would you be good enough to have this explained
to Capt G. BOCCACCI.

JP/RN

Colonel.
DDL.

Absent on Duty

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Subject:- Labour - Italian Service Personnel

SECRET.

DDL. No. 2 District.
(FORTBASE.) C.M.E.
Tel: Ext: 42
Ref: 84/PL
Date 14 Oct 43.

To:- DDPL. Eighth Army.

Reference attached correspondence re
wages due to Italian Service personnel.

Will you please confirm that no
agreement with regard to pay and conditions was
arrived at with the Italian Service personnel
being employed by 8th Army and now taken over by
2 District at REGGIO?

TR/RN

(SD) T.E. PEARSON.
Colonel.
DDL.

C O P Y .

C O P Y .

Subject:- Italian Pioneers

Ref: 1PU/3

From:- O.C. Italian Pioneer Unit,
New Italian Barracks REGGIO.

To:- D.D.P.I.
Rear 8th. Army.

"Ref attached applications from Italian Pioneer Personnel under my command requesting payment of wages due to them, forwarded to you for action.

Reggio. 8.10.43

(SD) Lieut?????????
O.C. Italian Pioneer Unit.

Copy - True Translation.

Subject:- Payment of Wages Due to Pioneers

To:- English Pioneers Unit
REGGIO. CALABRIA.

Pioneer Unit.
REGGIO, CALABRIA.
7th Oct 43.

When the company of "BERSAGLIERI" was constituted for volunteer consent, your Commands fixed the following terms in account of the work lent be volunteer Pioneers.

Copy - True Translation.

Subject:- Payment of Wages Due to Pioneers

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Pioneer Unit.
REGGIO, CALABRIA.
7th Oct 43.

To:- English Pioneers Unit
REGGIO, CALABRIA.

When the company of "BERSAGLIERI" was constituted for volunteer consent, your Commands fixed the following terms in account of the work lent be volunteer Pioneers.

1. Free going out in the break time.
2. Treatment, as to eating and sleeping, conforming to that used to English Troops.
3. Daily wages to be established, however not lower than the one received by Italian soldiers in War Time.

Until now only the first two terms have been filled up. As all the soldiers and some Officers are quite penniless we beg you to provide for the third term.

The Captain Commander
(G. BOCCACCIA)

COPY - TRUE TRANSLATION.

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- 2 -
Subject:- Payment of Wages due to Pioneers.

PIONEERS UNIT
REGGIO CALABRIA
7th Oct 43

To:- English Pioneers Unit
REGGIO, CALABRIA.

The Officers and soldiers of this Company ask for the payment which they are entitled to receive according to the terms fixed by your Company.

We beg to inform you that almost all Officers and soldiers are quite penniless.

The Captain Commander.
(ALFREDO CILIONE.)

Subject: Rates of .

British Military Mission to
VII Italian Army.

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VII Italian Army:

Will you please forward details of daily rates of
pay and allowances to other ranks of the Italian Army.

It is suggested that if a spare copy of the official
Regulations regarding pay is available, it would be most useful to
this Mission.

18 Oct 43.

BqCaumont
for Brigadier. 18 Oct 43

Subject:- Rates of pay - Italian Forces

SECRET.

DDI. No. 2 District.

(FORBASK.) C.M.F.

Tel: Ext: 42

Ref: 84/PL

Date 16 Oct 43

To:- Brigadier Commanding
British Military Mission
to 7th Italian Army, LECCE.

Will you kindly supply me with
particulars of rates of pay appertaining to the
Italian Army.

I am a little confused at present
as there appears to be a wide divergence.

I am particularly interested in the
rates being paid to Italian Pioneer or Labour
Units.

Have written to 7th
Army Bgdt
18/10

T. E. Selman

Colonel.
DDI.

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Subject:- Pay - 31 Italian Corps.

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Rear HQ Eighth Army,
C.M.F.
R 18967 A.
23 Sep 43.
Received 9/10/43

British Military Mission to the
Italian Government.

Copy to:- 31 Italian Corps Control ✓

Reference the attached copy of Italian Corps Control
letter dated 24 Sep 43.

It is requested that you take this matter up and inform
31 Italian Corps Control direct of the arrangements made with a
copy to this HQ.

Attached herewith is copy of 15 Army Group signal
A 175 dated 23 Sep 43.

Field
HBP/AHW.

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J. S. Richards. Lieut-Col.
General,
G.O.C.
EIGHTH ARMY.

2005

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FROM 15 ARMY GROUP 23 1905B
TO MAIN EIGHTH ARMY
8 COMD PAY OFFICE through FORTBASE

Originator's No. A 175

REF YOUR A 1585 OF 13 X ASSUME 31 ITALIAN CORPS PAID
ON NORMAL RATES BY ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

sgd. W.BAGNALL
Lt.Col.

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Subject: - Italian CurrencyXXXI Italian Corps Control
C.I.F.

Ref No: 31/C/AQ/14

28 Sep 43.

CFAO AMGOT, CATANZARO

Further to my letter reference 31C/AQ/14 dated
26 Sep 43.

I visited Lt-Col. CAROPRESE yesterday evening,
and in connection with the question of advance of Italian
currency, he tells me that the five million lire first asked
for were solely for the use of the Corps Territoriale di
XXXI C.A. In addition XXXI Corps require for themselves
a further twelve million lire, making a total of seventeen
million.

It would be a great help if this sum could be
advanced by AMGOT until normal funds are released to them.

Bgmt.

+ Brig. Comd.

XXXI Italian Corps Control.

/EWR.

*Lentini informs that
17 million lire
were lent by
the office*

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Subject:- Italian Currency

XXXI Italian Corps Control.
C.M.F.

Ref No:- 31C/AQ/14
26 Sep 43.

P.C.A.O. AMDOT, CATANZARO.

1. XXXI Corpo d'Armata is in urgent need of currency for the purpose of settling certain bills incurred before the recent Armistice and of paying the troops.
2. All Regimental Funds are, as you are aware, blocked for the moment, and until the policy is decided, it will be impossible to check the existing tendency amongst troops to desert. The morale of the Corps on the whole depends on a speedy resumption of mutual confidence between the Italian Armed Forces and local contractors.
3. I would be grateful therefore if the possibility may be considered of advancing a loan of five million lire to General MASCALDI, Commander XXXI Corps for this purpose. It will be reimbursed as soon as other funds are released.

/EWR.

Bgcet.

Brig. Comd.
XXXI Italian Corps Control.

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Subject: Pay.

'A' Main EIGHTH ARMY.

XXXI Italian Corps Control.
C.M.F.

Ref No: 31C/AI/12

24 Sep 43.

The question of releasing Military funds from Italian Banks to settle outstanding bills incurred by XXXI Corps, and for paying the tps of that formation becomes daily more pressing.

It is essential to evolve a satisfactory financial system in the very near future; the morale of Italian Tps in XXXI Corps must be kept high, and it is feared that the present rate of desertion may increase if pay is not forthcoming.

General MERCANTI, Commander XXXI Corps has visited me today, and is most anxious to draw enough Italian Lire to pay his Corps until the end of September. He requires 12 million Lire.

An early decision is awaited.

/ENR.


Brig. Genl.
XXXI Italian Corps Control.

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SUBJECT: Pay - Italian Army

Headquarters,
86 Area.
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18 Sep 43.

General KIRKMAN'S HQ
31 Italian Corps Control
CANTANZARO

The attached letter from the Commander
214 Italian Coastal Division ref 05/2495/Serv
dated 17 Sep 43 is forwarded for your attention
please.

DWM

H.W. T. Ellop
Brigadier.
Commanding 86 Area.

NA

Have written to Army re policy
+ AMBET re law.

Agree

27/9

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No 05/2495/Send

P.M.114, 17/9/1943

From the Command of the 214 th Coastal Division

To the Command of the 86 th Area = Crotone

Object : Request of funds .-

Referring to the verbal request made yesterday by the Command of the 86 th Area to the liaison officer of this Division; I beg to inform you that the sum needed for the balance of the arrear payments and the payment of what is due to depending parties up to the 15 th inst., is of £ 6.000.000 (six millions lire).-

THE GENERAL COMMANDING THE DIVISION

(Guido Rana)

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DO DELLA 214^a DIVISIONE COSTIERA
Stato Maggiore - 1^a Sezione

15/2495/ser di prot.

P.M. 114, 11 17 Settembre 1943

O g g e t t o : Richiesta fondi.-

AL COMANDO 86 AREA

= C R O T O N E

In riferimento alla richiesta verbale fatta ieri da cotesto
Comando all'ufficiale di collegamento di questa Divisione, comunico
che il finanziamento necessario per il saldo degli arretrati ed il
pagamento delle competenze, relative ai reparti dipendenti, fino al
15 del corrente mese è di lire 6.000.000 (sei milioni).-

IL GENERALE
COMANDANTE LA DIVISIONE
(Guido Lama)

G. Lama

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