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Subject:- Weekly Liaison Report

Liaison Officer
Hq IV Terr. Hq. (Bolzano)
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15. Oct. 45

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Herewith is summary of main activities for week ending

15. Oct. 45.

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8.

Liaison with Lt. Col. ASHMORE (O.S. 68 Regt. RA) on question of accommodation for KING'S CTR Bn now also stationed in Bolzano. Accor. involved under charge of Garibaldi Regt.

Arranged with Vet. Recovery Officer for removal of horses (24) previously CTR and now handed back to Lt. Gov. All such horses are being removed to Verona area for distribution to farmers. A second lot will be moving shortly.

Informed of explosion of ammo dump in Trento area. Arranged for Lt. Bomb Disposal Squad to look into immediately.

9.

Received visit from Capt. GAVE (I. O.O. 217 Area). Informed that inspections of CTR ammo dumps were now to take place and all Lt. ammo was to be passed to Lt. control for storage and/or destructions. Ammo will be moved by German truck Coys to established it. dumps. Arranged for locations of Lt. dumps with Arty Lto-7818

10.

Contacted KING'S CTR Bn to arrange for moving of Germans out of Mignano Bks in order that Hq IV Terr. Hq. could assume complete hand over. Inspected alternative accor. at present being received by Lt. Engineers. KING'S CTR promised to vacate the bks as soon as possible.

Herewith is summary of main activities for week ending

15. Oct. 45.

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Liaison with Lt. Col. ASHMORE (O.G. 68 Regt. RA) on question of accommodation for KING'S CBN Bn now also stationed in Bolzano. Accm. involved under charge of Carlaldi Regt.

Arranged with Vet. Recovery Officer for removal of horses (24) previously CBN and now handed back to Lt. Gov. All such horses are being removed to Verona area for distribution to farmers. A second lot will be moving shortly.

Informed of explosion of ammo dump in Trento area.

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10.

Contacted KING'S CBN Bn to arrange for moving of Germans out of Nigione Bks in order that No. IV Terr. HQ. could resume complete hand over. Inspected alternative soon. at present being repaired by Lt. Engineers. KING'S CBN promised to vacate the bks as soon as possible.

11.

Visit CBN Group personnel on question of materials of Lt. origin in CBN dumps. It appears that all CBN has been frozen pending an allotment instruction being issued by AFHQ.

Further discussion on maintenance of ammo dumps with Arty. Dto.

Lt. Col. Egerton arrives from Milan. Discussion on present situation.

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Accompany Lt. Col. Egerton to see Lt. Col. Ashmore. Local situation and future of It. Army discussed. Meeting Lt. Col. Egerton and Gen. Hegroni to discuss problems and future hand over of It. Army.

13.

Visit 50 and 51 BU's to discuss problems and future of It. Army. Principal problem in both cases was the question of petrol and oil from CIP under new scheme. This is not running smoothly as both availability and payment question did not appear to have been tied up. This has since been arranged and it is hoped to continue. CIP Bolzano still have no availability of lubricants.

14.

Lt. Col. Egerton leaves for Udine. Informed by Lt. Col. Ashmore that 60 Sub. Area are now moving into Bolzano.

Major problems in this area are now settling down but the question of It. Army material in CIP dumps still requires solving. The accommodation question has greatly been assisted by a 2 District instruction to all concerned for handling over all necessary accm. to It. tps. and treating accm. needs of It. tps as of equal priority with needs of Allied tps.

The ammo question will be greatly assisted by the handing of such to It. Army. This requires confirmation however. This would enable more careful supervision and the Arty. etc. have been impressed not to hold large stocks of ammo. This will be checked.

The arrival of 60 Sub. Area will also be a great help in solving local problems but this is not expected to function properly for some days.

[Signature]
Major

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Subject: Daily Liaison Report.

Union Officer
Lt IV Terr. HQ. (Polacco)
208/141
8 October 1945. *GA*

U.S. AIR FORCE

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S.M. ITALY MILAN

11th AF
1st Div
1st Div

Herewith is summary of main activities for week ending 7 Oct. 45.

Oct.

Accompanied Gen. Negroni (A.O.C. Lt IV Terr. HQ) on inspection of Trento area for accommodation. Present also were C.C. Trento Distretto and Gen. Signino 2 1/2 Priuli Sp.

Following Bks were visited. Charlie Bk occupied by Distretto HQ. 1 Coy 505 and Folgore w/shops. Use Desert available as w/shops because of large number of sheds.

Funzionale used as APC dump and ration dump. Following was decided upon pending confirmation:-

Charlie Bk to be left at complete disposal of Terr. HQ. and not to take unit of Priuli. These Bks will now accommodate 100 Bk. No. Folgore w/shops cannot move out in any short length of time owing to large number of repairable and derelict vehicles in their possession.

Priuli to make use of Funzionale and use Bert Bk and to cease using vehicles as accommodation in Trento.

When this is confirmed Trento accommodation will be settled.

Visit Verona area with Gen. Negroni and Major Adair.

Visited following establishments: 11th AF Hospital intended to be used as Polacco General Hospital and now no longer used by Allies. It is necessary that authority be given for General Hospital

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Oct.

accompanying Gen. Negroni (T.O.C. to IV Terr.
on inspection of Trento area for accommodation.
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Following bks were visited. Charlie the accompanied
by Distretto HQ, 1 Coy 505 and Polzone w/shops.
Use airport available as w/shops because of large num-
ber of shops.

Functional used as ammo dump and ration dump.
Following was declared upon pending confirmation:-

Charlie bks to be left at complete disposal
of Terr. HQ. and not to take unit of Priuli. There
bks will now accommodate 500 G.I. Am. Polzone w/shops
cannot move out in any short length of time owing to
large number of repairable and derelict vehicles in
their possession.

Priuli to make use of functional and use de-
sert bks and to cease using schools as accommodation
in Trento.

When this is confirmed Trento accommodation will
be settled.

Visit Verona area with Gen. Negroni and Major

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Visited following establishments: 143888-
hospital intended to be used as Polzone General Hos-
pital and now no longer used by Allies. It is ne-
cessary that authority be given for General Hospital
to be located at Verona in order that

a) release of this bkg. be obtained from Town
Major.

b) necessary repairs be carried out.

Distretto HQ. located in re mentioned bkg. in town
and cost unsuitable.

is Repair Unit. located in bombed bkg but
suitable when repairs will be completed.

Donnerstag. This now occupied by the Recovery Section and essential supplies required for 1 Feb. Park.

On Feb. 2nd, large number of it. Army vehicles are in this dump. Authority was later obtained from Brig. Haight (DUCS 2 District) for removal by it. Recovery Units and release to it. Army. Verona Station Depot. This is in suitable room, and is well kept. Essential that we be given of railway siding to allow trains to bring more direct into depot.

Verona area. is very bad and needs clearing up. All military trucks are being used by Town Major for Allied food and release of at least one is essential.

I will be spending a few days in Verona to try and settle this as soon as time permits.

Visit JJ ABU on request to discuss supply problems.

- 1) Lack of P.O.L. supplies at CIP. This later settled by direct contact with CIP Bolzano.
- 2) Supply of Hesp. Inc. and Dis. No allotment.
- 3) Request of 2000 sets of special winter alpine clothing from CEM dumps for use in mountains.
- 4) Allotment of stoves and paraffin for winter warmth. Above mentioned passed to Gen. Halk LG NW Italy.

Received visit of Brig. Haight (DUCS 2 District) to discuss it. Army stores in CEM dumps. Brig. Haight has authorized us to draw all it. Army clothing from all CEM dumps in this area. Unsettled will be communicated as soon as handed over by CEM personnel.

Leave for Milan to discuss problems and reporting to Turin.

Return to Bolzano.

Gen. Heydenreich D.C.C. 2 District visits Gen. Negroni. Gen. Heydenreich spoke of bad behavior and discipline of Volgers. He said it quite clear that the Gruppi were in this area for guarding of dumps and were in no way responsible for Internal Security. This was Gen. Negroni's responsibility. Gen. Negroni was also responsible for all admin. and discipline of the Gruppi and all moves were to be reported to Gen. Negroni for necessary action.

2 District will issue a new directive to Gruppi altering Army instructions upon which Gruppi are now acting.

From this meeting Gen. Negroni will have more confidence of Gruppi and this should be made clear to ABU's concerned.

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 - 2) Supply of Hosp. also. and Dis. no allotment.
 - 3) Request of 2000 sets of special winter clothing from the dumps for the in mountains.
 - 4) Allotment of stores and parafin for winter warmth. Above quantities passed to Gen. Villa 10 May Italy.
- Received visit of Brig. Nigh (District) to discuss it. Army stores in the dumps. Brig. Nigh has authorized me to draw all it. Army clothing from all the dumps in this area. Quantities will be communicated as soon as handled over by the personnel.

4. Leaves for Milan to discuss problems and posting to Turin.
5. Return to Bolzano.

Gen. Heydeman O.O.O. 2 District visits Gen. Negroni. Gen. Heydeman spoke of bad behaviour and discipline of Polzova. He said it quite clear that the Gruppi were in this area for clearing of dumps and were in no way responsible for Internal Security. This was Gen. Negroni's responsibility. Gen. Negroni was also responsible for all admin. and discipline of the Gruppi and all moves were to be reported to Gen. Negroni for necessary action.

- 2 District will issue a new directive to Gruppi altering Army instructions upon which Gruppi are now acting.

From this meeting Gen. Negroni will have more concern of Gruppi and this should be made clear to all concerned.

Any points have since been settled and the second question is gradually being solved. Gen. Heydeman's visit has cleared a rather delicate point regarding this area and things should work more smoothly now.

It is hoped that quite a large amount of stores and clothing will be obtained from the dumps and as now working on this. Quantities will be reported as and when released.

2 District regard this area as being most important and are helping the Terr. H. out in every possible way.

W. Heydeman
Major

Subject: Daily Report.

Union Officer
of IV Terr. No. (Bolzano)
608/1/1

1st. Det. 1945.

M. S. S. I. A. BOMAS

Copy to: Gen. 10.

II. Italy 11-1.

Herewith is summary of said activities for week ending 30 Sept. 45.

NOTE:

1.

Informed Gen. Segroni of results of Milan visit and that the main problems were being submitted to the IVIA and district.

Was informed by Gen. Segroni that the Terr. HQ would provide a firing squad for the execution of a German, found guilty of murder, on the morning of 24 Sept.

2.

Attended meeting with Lt. Col. Thompson (A.S.G.) and Major Wheeler to discuss question of military vehicles in possession of civilians. Arrangements made by Major Wheeler with local Prefettura and Terr. HQ. were agreed upon. A.S.G. are so knowledge of the A.S.G. instruction governing this and a copy is being given to them.

Weld meeting with Col. Lucas, O.C. Bolzano C.C. 28. Legion and discussed question of mobile squad, clothing and tpt. This Legion has not yet received its lot of secured vehicles and this is considered most essential in this part of Italy. The C.C. 28 in this area are badly off for winter clothing and help is required. No 17 has been assigned to this Legion except 1 motorcycle Van and they are carrying on with tpt they have found and which in any case has to be returned to owners.

The C.C. 28 in this area need and deserve some help.

3.

Leave for Levico to visit 5010 after meeting with 307814 Segroni on accommodation for Friuli in Trento. Discussed

Friuli accommodation with Lt. Col. Southby and 5010.

Was informed by Col. Southby of Gen. Segroni's interference with Friuli on grounds of lack of locations and special

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informed Gen. Serroni of results of Milan visit and that the main problems were being submitted to V. 13 and District.

was informed by Gen. Serroni that the work. He would provide a firing range for the execution of a German, found guilty of murder, on the morning of 14 Sept.

attended meeting with Lt. Col. Thompson (A. 13.) and Major Edwards to discuss question of Lt. military vehicles in possession of civilians. Arrangements made by Major Edwards with local Prefettura and Terr. Hq. were agreed upon. A. 13. was no knowledge of the 13th instruction governing this and a copy is being given to them.

held meeting with Col. Luck, C.O. Volcano CC. 28. Legion and discussed question of mobile arms, clothing and food. This Legion has not yet received its 2 of procured arms and this is considered most essential in this part of Italy. The CC. 28 in this area are badly off for winter clothing and help is required. So it has been assigned to this Legion except 1 m/cycle Van and they are carrying on with 1st three have found and which in any case has to be returned to owners.

The CC. 28 in this area need and deserve some help.

leave for Livorno to visit V. 13 after meeting with **7814** Serroni on execution for Priuli in Trento. Discussions Priuli execution with Lt. Col. Southy and V. 13. Serroni informed by Col. Southy of Gen. Serroni's interference with Priuli on ordering changes of locations and special patrols.

It was requested by 50 SIG that POLICIA w/shops be ordered to leave Trento on 20th and required.

A visit to Trento area showed that POLICIA have left their w/shops there and a small rear admin party.

Sept.
26.

Meeting with Gen. Negroni on results of visit to 30 RIV. The question of Gen. Negroni issuing orders to Priuli Op was proved incorrect. As a result of Gen. Negroni's visit to Bolzano area in early Sept., it had apparently been decided that Gen. Negroni should start getting into picture for his eventual command over Combat Ops in his area. A letter was consequently sent out by Gen. Negroni, which stated clearly was purely informative, on suggestions for locations of Op. units for internal security tasks and necessary patrols safe guarding it. Army interests and vulnerable points. This was not to be taken as going against present instructions from 2 District.

This was communicated to 30 RIV and cleared up. Arranged with Military Section of Bolzano City Command (U.S. and due to leave) that, until such time the Command ceases to function, any allotment of Lt. Military accommodation to units in Bolzano area should first be discussed with Terr. HQ and myself. This was agreed and we are now working in close co-operation. Discussed question of Lt. Army stores in DMS quays with Eng. Sec. (this was later put up to 217 Area Comd.)

Meeting with A.S.G. to discuss hand over of captured mules and horses to S. of W. and Agriculture. Question straightened out and 68 Flt Sgt requirements met. In agreement with Vet. Recovery Sec (S of W) and local Agriculture rep.

Informed by Lt. Col. Thompson (SAG) of incident between himself and Volgore type in Sluzi. The type in question had behaved scandalously and had threatened Col. Thompson. It appears that inhabitants of Sluzi are terrified of behaviour of Volgore type in the area. The matter was reported to 53 RIV.

Tour Bolzano area with Terr HQ rep to note use and allocation of accommodation. This is satisfactory and will improve as soon as conditions are available.

Meeting with Lt. Col. Kenners who informed me that the Area Comd. Brig. Tennant was going to visit Bolzano area and would see Gen. Negroni on 29 Sept.

Strightened out question of 68 RIV Regt. requirements of horses (captured enemy) and arranged that S. of W. should ^{also} receipt. 68 RIV would undertake to feed such animals. Discussed latest instructions from 217 Area on internal security for RIV type in Bolzano area.

Met Major Kenners (U.S.) of War Materials Sub. Comm. (SAG) who controls 1 dump in Bolzano area and arranged to visit with a view of removing Lt. Army clothing and equipment and stores. Received visit from Major Crawford and Capt. Craig and discuss

This was communicated to 50 Wt and cleared up. Arranged with Billeting Section of Bolzano City Corps and (U.S. and due to leave) that, until such time as the Command ceased to function, any allotment of Lt. Billeting accommodation to units in Bolzano area should first be discussed with Terr. HQ and myself.

This was agreed and we are now working in close co-operation.

Discuss question of Lt. Army stores in 2nd group with Ing. Gen. (this was later put up to 217 Area Command.)

Meeting with A.S.G. to discuss hand over of captured mules and horses to S. of W. and agriculture. Mention straightened out and 60 Pld Sgt requirements met. In agreement with Vet. Recovery Sec (A of C) and local Agriculture rep.

Informed by Lt. Col. Thompson (A.S.G.) of incident between himself and Polgore type in Siusi. The type in question had behaved peacefully and had threatened Col. Thompson. It appears that inhabitants of Siusi are terrified of behaviour of Polgore type in the area. The matter was reported to 33 Hq.

Tour Bolzano area with Terr HQ rep to note use and allocation of accommodation. This is satisfactory and will improve as soon as signposts are available.

Meeting with Lt. Col. Ashmore who informed me that the Area Command, Brig. Tennant, was going to visit Bolzano area and would see Gen. Negroni on 29 Sept.

straightened out question of 60 Wt Red. representatives of horses (captured enemy) and arranged that S. of W. should accept. 60 Wt would undertake to feed such animals. Discussed latent instructions from 217 Area on Internal Security for 50 type in Bolzano area.

Met Major Tennessee (U.S.) of War Materials Sub. Comm. A.S.G. who controls 3 dumps in Bolzano area and arranged to visit with a view of removing it. Army clothing and equipment and stores. Receive visit from Major Crawford and Capt. Craig and discuss FUL and supply questions.

Discussions with Terr. Command staff preparatory to Area Command visit.

Brig. Tennant (217 Area Command) visits Gen. Negroni.

Sections discussed:-

a) Clarification of Gen. Negroni command over C.I. for discipline and admin. Brig. Tennant will take up with 2 District.

blanco has arranged that Lt. Army technical specialist would accompany 6rd. specialists in GCM dumps for classification and examination.

c) Removal of necessary Lt. Army material and stores from GCM dumps.

Brig. Sergeant agreed to help in all these matters.

The Holzano situation is gradually clearing up and difficulties are slowly being cleared.

I hope to overcome the accommodation question by visits to areas and blocking necessary Lt. A. of V. property.

The Combat Sp question is still very delicate and Polgore behaviour does not appear to improve.

It is hoped that shortly some Lt. Army material will be forthcoming from GCM dumps.

It is strongly recommended that the CG:SR. in this area be given some help in Lt. Army's vehicle as per US and winter clothing. The CG:SR. are most efficient and most co-operative and it is in our interests to help them out.

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Major.

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Subject: Weekly Liaison Report.

Liaison officer
N.IV TerrHQ (Bolzano)
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H.Q. EMIA ROME

24 Sept 1945.

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Herewith is summary of main activities for week ending 23rd Sept.

SEPT.

16. Met Lt.Col. ASHMORE, G.O. 68 Fld.Regt., and explain my functions in this area and the relationship EMIA - Italian Army.

Long discussion on relationship Bolzano TerrHQ - 68 Fld Regt - Combat Gps.

Was informed by Lt.Col.Ashmore that it had been decided at a conference in 217 Area that Combat Gps. would control their areas as occupational tps and 68 FI responsible for Allied tps only. Role of Int.Sec.would fall upon Combat Gps also. This was to be subject of conference with 51 53 BLU.

17. Contacted 53 BLU (BRESCIANONE). Discussed Folgore position with G2, Major Markes.

53 BLU are under impression that G.O.C. Folgore is main figure head over Gen.Begroni and do not appear to regard Gen.Begroni as governing body over Folgore and Friuli for admin. and discipline. This requires clarification.

Discussed question of relief of Folgore units by Int.Sec. tps at a later date.

18. Conference with Gen.BEGRONI, G.O.C. Bolzano Terr. H.Q., on following subjects:

(a) Subsequent changes of locations of Combat Gp units to ensure proper frontier protection and int.sec.

The Arty Regt at Brenner Pass to be split up among other units.

(b) Confirmed that Gen.Begroni is responsible for Admin and discipline of Combat Gps (M. of W circular 16229/ORD of 28 Aug)

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Difficulty is that Gen. Negroni must be careful so as not to interfere with operational role of Combat Spa.

(c) Int. Sec. Bde. - Bde H.Q. is now forming and is nearly completed at VERONA (O.C. Col. FERRI). Ultimate location to be TRENTO.

Only 6d Bn under command is 505 located as follows: H.Q. Bolzano - 2 coys Bolzano - 1 coy Trento - 1 coy Verona.

On arrival of second Bn, this will be placed at Verona and coys of 505 withdrawn from Trento and Verona to Bolzano.

Third Bn will either be located at Trento or Merano where local situation is tricky.

Gen. Negroni's main difficulties are questions regarding accommodation.

19.

Conference Gen. Negroni - Lt. Col. Ashmore
Definition of command and duties of Combat Spa and Terr H.Q. agreed upon.

Stress was made for friendly relations between It. tps - civilian population (largely Austrian) and Allied tps. Lt. Col. Ashmore willing to lead Bt H.Q.O.'s to help train and organize local units.

Meeting held with Terr. H.Q. services to discuss main problems.

The main problem in all cases is one of accommodation particularly in view of incoming winter season. Allied units (largely American) have occupied nearly all undamaged bldgs. and even though largely decreased still do not vacate occupied bldgs. Essential that 217 Area requirements and Terr. H.Q. requirements be discussed for mutual agreement.

Medical - Stress made that Bolzano Terr. Gen. Hosp be located at Verona (where now at present split into two parts 6 miles apart) in essential bldg.: SANTO SPIRITO hospital now occupied by Allied tps.

Release of medical stores (Italian) from Captured Enemy dump at Merano (AFHQ authority required).

Engineers - Main problem accommodation and repair of bldgs. when released for winter season.

Release of machinery from dumps and classifying of It. Army property in Captured dumps at present being used ad lib by U.S. units with disregard to proper use.

Commissariats - No main difficulties except urgent problem of winter clothing. (Commissariats wheels not grinding properly yet but can be sorted out by frequent inspections).

Motorisation - Problems in efficient hands of Maj. Edwards. Main local difficulty is the obtaining of MISSIONS Wks (Bolzano) for H. Ill Repairs Units at present firmly held by American Service unit.

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DEPT

Army - Main problem is that of being allowed to clear and sort out ammo dumps scattered all over area and explode dangerous ammo. This is a constant danger to civilians and tps. For the moment dumps are being guarded by Allied tps. Essential that no of dumps be reduced. Policy regarding It. Army fixed installations as to whether these can be recovered or destroyed. Release of machinery from Eranco and Stilves (Vipiteno) dumps.

20. Leave for Milan.
21. Discuss main problems with Lt. Col. Egerton and give Bolzano picture.
22. Return to Bolzano.

The situation in Bolzano from the political point of view is very tricky indeed and communications with the outside world are very difficult.

There is great co-ordination and co-operation with the Terr.H.Q., A.H.Q. and 58 Fld. Regt. (E.A.) at the present moment but the following must be cleared up to get a smooth running area from the military point of view:

(i) That Gen. Negroni as C.O.C. N.IV Terr.H.Q. be given more power over the Combat Gps in his area and that this be made quite clear to all concerned.

(ii) That the Folgore Div. be made to realize that the war is over and that display of arms and force is not the best policy in this area particularly. It is essential that the tps behave in a manner which will give the Italian Army some prestige.

(iii) That the question of accommodation be discussed by 217 Area and Bolzano Terr.H.Q. together and a mutual agreement reached.

I have asked Gen. Negroni to prepare a list of accommodation he would require in all his territory showing each separate locality.

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(iv) That AFHQ authority be given for the release of such Lt. Army property as is essentially required from Captured Enemy dumps. This could be checked by me and bear my signature as confirmation.

(v) That the ammunition question be settled. In Bolzano area already one child has been killed and one seriously injured by playing around with stray ammo.

(vi) That winter clothing be treated as urgent.

[Signature]
Major
(E.P. HYATT)
MIA D.O.

MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON.GEN. PELLIGRA.

1. Hastened reply to Q/2/3/1/ dated 24 July dealing with Col. "Q" bill for MFI Supplies to Carabinieri Brigade.

Upon investigation Gen. Pelligra confirmed that the letter had been received in his absence and would receive immediate attention.

2. Met Gen. Primieri (GOC Cremona Div) who complained that Col. "Q" no officer's shop had yet visited his division. He pointed out that all the other divs had been served and that his officers were badly in need of clothing.

Later informed Gen. Pelligra that an officer's shop was attached to 231 Div and requested that Gen. Primieri be informed to contact 231 Div.

Gen. Primieri also requested confirmation that MAFI supplies would cease to be issue to Combat troops at the end of Aug.

Later confirmed with Gen. Pelligra that this was the case and handed in letters Q/2/3 dated 31 July (for info to M. of W.) and Q/2/3 dated 1 Aug dealing with this subject. Gen. Pelligra as a result of this communication has put out a circular to all Terr. HQ requesting that all ex MAFI items be bought by local purchase.

3. Handed in letter Q/2/3 dated 15 Aug dealing with Col. "Q" supplies to Combat forces for the months March-July to the value of 6,610,130 lire.

Gen. Pelligra assured me that this would be attended to immediately.

4. Conducted investigation with Gen. Pelligra and MFI on Col. "Q" reply given to complaint from Triuli Div re constant breakdowns in the supply of cigarettes to effect that 50 MLI should make necessary arrangements.

The only letter discovered was letter 2441/SUBV dated Aug and this letter has not yet been replied to. Neither Gen. Pelligra nor MFI have any record of such answer or any previous such complaint. It was requested that Triuli Div be

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.. MIA LOS as Bari LO did not wish to undertake this.

Informed Col. Canale that this would be confirmed to all MIA LOS in the amendment of the instructions regarding leave to be issued very shortly.

LT. COL. DELLA FORET.

7. Discussed question of formation of 25 and 26 Remount Depots for North West and NE Italy resp. 21/C
Q2
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The following points were brought out by Col. Della

Foret:-

- a) Authority to form 25 and 26 Remount Depot was authorised in MA/11/2 dated 28 April.
- b) Conference at MIA on 9 June decided that Mirandola and Asti (in lieu of Corso being prohibited area) would be the Depots.
- c) Conference at MIA on 28 June finally decided that Mirandola and Pinerolo in lieu of Asti would be Depots.
- d) Confirmed formation of 25 and 26 Depots in 1/18/2 of 22 May requesting M. of W. decisions for location.
- e) MWE requested confirmation for Pinerolo to be 26 Remount Depot as buildings of Cavalry School required to be guarded.
As a result MWF turned down Pinerolo.

Col. della Foret pointed out that MWE were not in the picture and the question of Guards did not arise. Pinerolo was considered to be the best area for a Remount Depot.

It was decided that M. of W. should inform this HQ that according to Italian Army Strength State No 2/11 page 70 Mirandola and Pinerolo (until Corso authorised) would be new 25 and 26 Remount Depot for NW and NE Italy resp.

COL. PIACENTINI.

8. Accompanied Lt. Col. Ingledav to discuss placing of Guard Battalions released by UNH into internal security Regiments for Italian Interior Army.

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It was decided that M. of W. should inform this HQ that according to Italian Army Strength State H22/11 page 70 Mirandola and Pinerolo (until Carac authorized) would be new 25 and 26 Remount Depot for KW and NE Italy resp.

COL. PIACENTINI.

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9. Accompanied Lt. Col. Ingledew to discuss placing of Guard Battalions released by AFH into internal security Regiments for Italian interim Army.

Col. Piacentini did not agree to the War Establishment of 3 bns and 1 HQ for an internal security Regt. M. of W. idea was to form internal security bdes based on the war establishment of the Int. Sec. Bde at present in Sicily. It was eventually decided that the Bdes would remain as 3 bns and 1 HQ for the time being to be turned into Italian Regt for an Inf Bde.

Col. Piacentini agreed to MIA proposals for placing of released bns with the exception of:-

i) In lieu despatching 511 Gd bn from Florence to Milan allow to remain in Florence in order to avoid movement and to keep accommodation.

ii) Remove proposed location of 502 Gd bn for Genoa

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4 leave it in Milan where now located in lieu of 511.

It was realized that 502 would not be released before 20 Sept but the time involved was not very great.

111) Col. Piacentini did not agree to transferring 210 Div into two Bde HQ but only one. This would facilitate the turning of present VI into Italian VII of one Bde HQ, two Regts, six Bns.

Col. Piacentini stated that the HQ for the Bde could be formed as and when admin Divs were dissolved.

Proposals for the VI of an Italian internal security bde will be passed to this HQ when agreed to by C of S.

COL. LOMBARDI.

9. Was requested by Col. Lombardi whether any decision had been taken on the suppression of the Patria newspaper.

Col. "Q"
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Was informed by Col. Lombardi that the M. of Finance are continually pressing M. of T. for this to take place.

COL. PIACENTINI.

10. Transfer of San Marco Bn in Folgore Div by Garibaldi. Pointed out to Col. Piacentini that according to letter 21393/MOB dated 14 Aug it appeared that 3000 were not aware that such a transfer was to take place in the near future.

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Informed Col. Piacentini that on 3rd Aug Lt. Col. Grotti was informed that this transfer would take place during the week 13/19 Aug.

Was informed by Col. Piacentini that M. of T. had been informed, and that the letter was only to point out that the complete change over to bn status would be performed by Folgore Div, in agreement with 1 Branch Bn, and would take some time.

LT. COL. MORACCO.

11. Discussed question of accommodation required by Allies from Italian Army.

Made it clear to Col. Moracco that German PW could only

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COL. LOMBARDI.

9. Was requested by Col. Lombardi whether any decision had been taken on the suppression of the Patria newspaper. Was informed by Col. Lombardi that the M. of Finance are continually pressing M. of W. for this to take place.

Col. "Q"
WELFARE

COL. PIACENTINI.

10. Transfer of San Marco to Folgore Div by Coribaldi. Pointed out to Col. Piacentini that according to letter 21393/MOB dated 14 Aug it appeared that SMH were not aware that such a transfer was to take place in the near future.

Informed Col. Piacentini that on 3rd Aug Lt. Col. Grati was informed that this transfer would take place during the week 13/18 Aug.

Was informed by Col. Piacentini that M. of W. had been informed, and that the letter was only to point out that the complete change over to bn status would be performed by Folgore Div, in agreement with A Branch MLI, and would take some time.

LT. COL. MONACO.

11. Discussed question of accommodation required by Allies from Italian Army.

Made it clear to Col. Monaco that German PW could only use accommodation vacated by Italian pioneers when such PW were to replace the Pioneers/ Orsini barracks and Dues delle Puglie bns were required for such purposes. Agreed with Col. Monaco that this question should be settled on the spot by Allied and Italian Military HQ. This was agreed and Bert Herr HQ was informed accordingly.

Gave Col. Monaco list of accommodation required by Allies to be settled in a similar way.

LT. COL. SILLI.

12. Informed Col. Silli of signal from 50 BLU to effect that Lt. Massoni Angelo, I/C Crippo Workshop, was awaiting Court Martial for misappropriation of WD property.

Pointed out to Col. Silli that Lt. Massoni would be under arrest for 2 months before use would be likely to appear for trial.

Requested Col. Silli:-

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- a) to take immediate steps to ensure that this and any other cases be dealt with without unnecessary delay.
- b) if delay necessary that a substitute be provided pending the result.

Col. Silli agreed and will take this matter out.

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DEFACTION PROGRESS REPORT
(State Department)

Sub-Comm

MILITARY PERSONNEL

Return as to Ministry of

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GRADE	Employees		Expiration Proceedings		Appeals	
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I		2	2	1	1	-
II		9	13	8	5	1
III		16	17	14	8	1
IV		53	53	53	33	20
V		72	72	66	17	4
VI		966	966	718	373	15
VII		684	684	400	200	1
VIII		271	271	173	60	-
IX		1934	1934	990	47	2
TOTAL		4007	4012	2423	744	74

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INSTRUCTIONS :-

1. Cols (b) to (g) deal with proceedings: in the Ministries (b and c) before Expiration Commission of F and of appeal (f and g).
2. Cols (b) to (k) deal with the results of expiration adjusted by the results of appeals.
3. Col (b) will include only staff in the territory in which LA 159 is in full force.
4. Col (c) will include all persons against whom it is not intended to proceed.
5. All figures will show totals to date not the number of cases since the last return.

DEFASCISM PROGRESS REPORT
(State Department)

MILITARY PERSONNEL

For period ending
15 Aug 45

(For all bodies dealt with by them)

Employees Investigated	Expiration Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Retired	Punishment
	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
9	13	8	5	1	-	2	-
16	17	14	8	1	1	9	-
53	53	53	33	20	2	27	-
72	72	66	17	4	4	4	2
966	966	718	373	15	72	22	332
684	684	400	200	1	73	-	296
271	271	173	60	-	54	-	98
1934	1934	990	47	2	4	-	753
4007	4012	2423	744	74	210	64	1481

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in the Ministries (b and c) before Expiration Commission of first instance (d and e)

as of expiration adjusted by the results of appeals.
the territory in which LA 159 is in full force.
against whom it is not intended to proceed.
not the number of cases since the last return.

DETASCION PROGRESS REPORT
(State Department)

Sub-Comm:

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

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Return as to Ministry of

(Sub-Comm will make one return only for all bodies dealt with by them)

GRADE	Employees		Expiration Proceedings		Appeals	
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I						
II						
III	1	1	1	1	1	1
IV	2	9	8	7	7	7
V	27	27	24	22	11	1
VI	45	45	13	9	7	-
VII	38	38	6	5	5	-
VIII	49	49	10	7	4	1
IX	81	81	5	3	1	-
TOTAL	250	250	67	54	36	10

I am of opinion that progress may be regarded as

INSTRUCTIONS :-

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- 2 Cols (h) to (k) deal with the results of expiration adjusted by the results of appeals.
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- 5 All figures will show totals to date not the number of cases since the last return.

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DETACHMENT PROGRESS REPORT
(State Department)

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

For period ending
15 Aug

(for all bodies dealt with by them)

Employees Investigated	Epuraton Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Retired	Punishment
	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
1	1	1	1	1	-	1	-
9	8	7	7	7	1	6	1
27	24	22	11	1	1	-	-
45	13	9	7	-	-	-	1
38	6	5	5	-	-	-	3
49	10	7	4	1	-	-	7
81	5	3	1	-	-	-	1
250	67	54	36	10	2	7	13

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Results of epuration adjusted by the results of appeals.

The territory in which DL 159 is in full force.

Against whom it is not intended to proceed.

Not the number of cases since the last return.

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(State Department)

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Sub-Comm

ENQUIRY BOARDS

Return as to Ministry of _____
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GRADE	Employees		Exemption Proceedings		Appeals	
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I	427	427	108	427	-	-
II	1090	1088	85	1088	-	-
III	3453	2133	59	1307	-	-
IV	3386	1255	30	825	-	-
V	9980	2567	83	2187	-	-
VI	12534	1861	33	1582	-	-
VII	20963	1854	33	1579	-	-
VIII	16066	10910	98	8010	2	-
IX						
TOTAL	67899	22095	529	17005	2	-

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2. Cols (b) to (h) deal with the results of exemption adjusted by the results of appeals.
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DEATH SENTENCE REPORT
(State Department)

ENQUIRY BOARDS

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For period ending
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Employees		Eguration Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Retired	Lesser Punishment
Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
427	427	108	427	-	-	-	-	-
1090	1088	85	1088	-	-	-	-	-
3453	2133	59	1307	-	-	-	-	-
3386	1255	30	825	-	-	-	-	-
9980	2567	83	2187	-	-	-	-	-
12534	1861	33	1582	-	-	-	-	-
20963	1854	33	1579	-	-	-	-	-
16066	10910	98	8010	2	-	-	-	-
67899	22095	529	17005	2	-	-	-	-

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MINISTRY OF DEFENSECOL. VITTORIO

1. Obtained Defenses Progress Reports from M. of W. for period ending 4 August 45.

Appx "A" will show report on military personnel of M. of W.

Appx "B" will show report on civilian personnel of M. of W.

Appx "C" will show results of military courts on all military personnel.

COL. LOMBARDI

2. Informed Col. Lombardi of policy with regard to "Status of neo-fascist personnel" as laid down by A.D. circular AC/4076/2/E of 10 June.

Reported that signal from M. of W. to Bari Terr. to effect that personnel of Fascist Republican Army must be considered as I. of W. and handed to nearest Allied F.V. Centre be cancelled as instructed by A.D., being contrary to present policy.

Col. Lombardi requested that M. of W. be informed in writing as to present policy regarding Status of Neo-fascist personnel as many conflicting statements have been received from M. of W.

by

LT. COL. DELLA FOREST.

3. Explained and went through proposed draft of letter to M. of W. and Agriculture S/C on Recovery of Captured Animals, whereby M. of W. would be facilitated in keeping check on animals disposed of to civilians by Allied and Ministry of Agriculture reps. without actual representation and subsequent re-allocation to farmers.

Lt. Col. Della Forest agreed to this draft and stated that this procedure was being followed where possible. Letter on these lines requesting co-operation of A.D.

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VIII Corps

2. Informed Col. Lombardi of policy with regard to "Status of military personnel" as laid down by G.O. circular 20/1076/2/L of 10 June.

Requested that signal from G.O. of V. to Earl Terr. E.O. to effect that personnel of British Legionary Army must be considered as E. of V. and handed to nearest Allied E.O. Centre to be cancelled as instructed by 1783, being contrary to present policy.

Col. Lombardi requested that E. of V. be informed in writing as to present policy regarding Status of E.O. Fascist personnel as many conflicting statements have been received from E. of V.

by

LT. COL. DELLA FOREST.

3. Explained and went through proposed draft of letter to E. of V. and Agriculture 8/0 ch Recovery of Captured animals, whereby E. of V. would be facilitated in keeping check on animals disposed of to civilians by Allied and Ministry of Agriculture reps. without actual representation and subsequent re-allocation to farmers.

LT. COL. DELLA FOREST agreed to this draft and stated that this procedure was being followed where possible, letter on these lines requesting co-operation of G.O. Authorities would greatly assist E. of V. in their work. It was not quite agreed however that present needs of the Army had been met.

LT. COL. DELLA FOREST.

4. Explained and clarified this E.O. circular 1/0-1 of 17 July dealing with Control of movement of E.O. Army personnel on Duty leave and Demobilization.

E. of V. will on this Terr. E.O. to send consolidated lots of requests for permission to enter prohibited areas of Viceroy's Office to G.O.

E. of V. could like to know that E.O. will be replying E.O. Dis Army for granting of permission to enter frontier area.

LT. COL. DELLA FOREST.

5. Informed Col. Lombardi that the document for use of

all military personnel.

COL. DELLA FOREST.

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INFO della STUDIA ERM for accommodation of 1300 German P.W.s. had ruled that German P.W.s. will only be accommodated under field conditions and not in this. The request for the bks could therefore be considered as cancelled.

Has informed that in any case the bks were required by Bari Terr. H.Q.

LT. COL. CHACCHIA.

6. Informed Col. Chacchia that we desired the use as accommodation address of 258 P.W. Camp for 14 co-operators to cause in order that the It. Postal Tracing Section at SM could be wound up.

It was agreed that the following would be arranged: a circular will be passed to all H.Q.s requesting (a) returns of co-operators showing new address (b) all co-operators to send families of new address.

The civilian Post Office at Naples will be warned to forward all mail for 108 P.W. Camp to PM 3400 Naples who will receive rolls of new postal addresses.

208 P.W. should forward any co-operator mail in their possession to PM 3400.

SM. PROSPERI.

7. Informed Gen. Properzi that Col. Benito had reported from Milan that on 2/95 of 7 July dealing with method of destruction and maintenance of Ammo dumps.

Has informed by Gen. Properzi that this was despatched by H. of V. in form of circular under ref 24548/2612 dated 14 July to Genova, Milan and Turin Terr. H.Q.s and since found applicable was despatched to Bologna and Bologna Terr. H.Q.s under ref 24608/2615 dtd 17 July. A circular is now being despatched to Vaino Terr. H.Q. Genova, Milan, Turin, Bologna and Bologna Hqs have confirmed receipt.

8. Informed Gen. Properzi that my proclamation issued by Gen. Clark to effect that IT.MT in possession of

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The civilian Post Office at Naples will be warned to forward all mail for 208 P.F. Camp to PM 3400 Naples who will receive mails of new postal addresses. 208 P.F. should forward any co-operator mail in their possession to PM 3400.

GEN. PROPERTI

7. Informed Gen. Properi that Col. Hennes had reported Col. "QW" from Milan that our Q/15 of 7 July dealing with method of destruction and maintenance of ammo dumps.

Was informed by Gen. Properi that this was despatched by H. of E. in form of circular under ref 24548/2612 dated 14 July to Genova, Milan and Turin Terr. H.Q.s and since found applicable was despatched to Bolzano and Bologna Terr. H.Q.s under ref 24608/2615 dated 17 July. A circular is now being despatched to Udine Terr. H.Q. Genova, Milan, Turin, Bologna and Bolzano H.Qs have confirmed receipt.

8. Informed Gen. Properi that my proclamation issued 21/7 by Gen. Clark to effect that it. It in possession of partizan was to be considered as war booty was now overruled by LHM.

Recovery of vehicles from partisans, now civilians and not to be considered as anything but such, was to proceed in the normal way.

9. Conferred with Gen. Properi that the truck in possession of Mr. Luigi GATTI was to be confiscated immediately and assurance to be given when completed.

10. Conference held with Gen. Properi and C. Following 21/7 was discussed:-

1) Formation of squad of 100 men formed of 200, 1 personnel and good soldiers to act as flying squad or mobile recovery of illegally possessed vehicles.

2) It was to enforce law this could be considered as perfectly legal.

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3) Essential that Government's assistance be had for this scheme. It was pointed out that unless Government was willing to co-operate in such matters it could really not be expected that the Allies should have to help in matters of supplies.

4) Any difficulty encountered from Allied officers to be reported to MMIA who would give full support to M. of W.

Gen. Properai fully agreed in principle but doubted whether Government would support any scheme which might lead to bloodshed. This scheme will be put to Minister for approval by Council of Ministers and views will be put into writing by Minister to GOC.

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DETACHMENT PROGRESS REPORT
(State Department)

Sub-Comm

Return as to Ministry of MILITARY PERSONNEL
(Sub-Comm will make one return only for all bodies dealt with by them)

GRADE	Employees		Expiration Proceedings		Appeals	
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I		1	1	1	1	-
II		3	3	3	5	1
III		16	16	14	8	1
IV		53	53	53	33	20
V		72	72	64	17	3
VI		915	915	673	363	10
VII		643	643	304	168	1
VIII		257	257	136	53	-
IX		1869	1869	860	41	2
TOTAL		3835	3835	2207	609	38

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INSTRUCTIONS :-

1. Col's (b) to (g) deal with proceedings: in the Ministries (b and c) before Expiration Commission or file and of appeal (f and g).
2. Col's (h) to (k) deal with the results of expiration adjusted by the results of appeals.
3. Col (b) will include only staff in the territory in which DL 159 is in full force.
4. Col (c) will include all persons against whom it is not intended to proceed.
5. All figures will show totals to date not the number of cases since the last return.

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REFUGEE PROGRESS REPORT
(State Department)

MILITARY PERSONNEL

For period ending
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(All bodies dealt with by them)

Cases Investigated	Exemption Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Retired	Losses or Punishment
	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)
1	1	1	1	-	1	-	-
9	9	8	5	1	2	1	-
16	16	14	8	1	1	-	-
53	53	53	33	20	21	1	-
72	72	64	17	3	9	3	-
215	215	673	363	10	204	10	-
643	643	384	168	1	123	1	-
297	297	136	93	-	43	-	-
1869	1869	860	41	2	60	2	-
3535	3535	2207	683	38	404	18	-

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in the Ministries (b and c) before Exemption Commission of first instance (d and e)

operation adjusted by the results of appeals.
territory in which EL 159 is in full force.
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the number of cases since the last return.

DETAILS: PROGRESS REPORT
(State Department)

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ENQUIRY BOARDS

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GRADE	Employees		Expiration Proceedings		Appeals	
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I	414	414	108	414		
II	1054	1052	85	1052		
III	3325	1791	59	1296		
IV	3272	1036	30	814		
V	9704	2355	83	2004		
VI	12298	1685	33	1398		
VII	20563	1763	30	1450		
VIII	16066	10284	94	7640	2	
IX						
TOTAL	66696	20380	522	16076	2	

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- 5 All figures will show totals to date not the number of cases since the last return.

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(State Department)

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For period ending
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ENQUIRY BOARDS

For all bodies dealt with by them)

Employees Investigated	Examination Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Settled	Lesser Punishment
	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(a)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
414	108	414					
1052	85	1052					
1791	59	1296					
1036	30	814					
2355	83	2004					
1685	33	1398					
1763	30	1450					
10284	94	7646	2				
20380	522	16076	2				

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Results of operation adjusted by the results of appeals.
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against whom it is not intended to proceed.
the number of cases since the last return.

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(State Department)

Sub-Comm:

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GRADE	Employees		Expiration Proceedings		Appeals	
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I						
II						
III	1	1	1	1	1	1
IV	9	9	6	8	7	7
V	27	27	24	22	11	1
VI	45	45	13	9	7	-
VII	38	38	5	5	5	-
VIII	49	49	16	7	4	1
IX	81	81	5	2	1	-
TOTAL	250	250	65	54	36	10

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INSTRUCTIONS:-

1. Cols (b) to (g) deal with proceedings in the Ministries (b and c) before Expiration Commission of first and of appeal (f and g).
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DEFASCISM PROGRESS REPORT
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For period ending

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for all bodies dealt with by them)

Employees Investigated	Exemption Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Retired	Lesser Punishment
	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)
1	1	1	1	1	2	-	
9	8	8	7	7	14	-	
27	24	22	11	1	9	1	
43	13	9	7	-	4	-	
38	5	5	5	-	1	-	
49	10	7	4	1	-	1	
81	2	2	1	-	1	-	
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MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON.GEN. PROPERZI.

W/E 11 August

1. Informed Gen. Properzi that more space was urgently required by 1 Repair Unit (Home) for storage of spares. It was not possible to have space in any of the adjoining premises occupied by Allied Tps and therefore suggested that Arty stores in Spolettificio across the road be moved and use of vacant storage space be given to No 1 Repairs Unit.

This was accepted by Gen. Properzi.

2. Obtained from Ge. Properzi copies of instructions issue to Terr. HQ on the subject of ammo dumps.

Gen. Properzi confirmed that these instructions had been received by all HQ and were now in the course of being implemented.

3. Informed Gen. Properzi that 100 tyres had been issued from Salvage stocks to Italian Red Cross in month of June.

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Minister informed me that he had already discussed this matter at the Council of Ministers and that whereas it was agreed that vehicles in possession of individuals for personal benefit be recovered, by force if necessary, it could not be agreed that vehicles be removed where used for feeding of civilian population in view of present political strife.

The Minister stated that a considerable number of vehicles had been allotted to M. of V. for the needs of the civilian population. This would be the subject of a conference on Aug 11 for the allotting of such. As the result of this it would be found possible to recover a considerable number of vehicles and that then it might be

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possible to enter upon the mobile squad scheme.
I will be kept informed.

COL. LOMBARDI.

5. Informed Col. Lombardi that 516 Adm HQ, detachment Col. "Q" of 227 Div would be coming to Rome to administer MILIT Trs in Rome Area. Requested that Col. Lombardi instruct Rome Terr. HQ that this HQ be given attention when required.

COL. VITTORIO.

6. Handed in and explained new programme to be filled in in for showing progress of the Defences scheme.

GEN. PELLIGRA.

7. Informed Gen. Pelligra that Commissariato services Col. "Q" in North East Italy were not satisfactory. MIL Det was encountering many difficulties in the organizing of the supply system for self maintenance.

Requested Gen. Pelligra to despatch Col. Landolfi from Naples in order to assist Det in this organization.

Col. Landolfi would be attached to Udine Terr. HQ and would be principally occupied in strengthening up Mestre Depot.

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Gen. Pelligra did however lay some blame on the fact that the question of storage space had taken in a long time to be decided.

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MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON

Week ending 28 July 45

COL. LOMBARDI

1. Discussed with Col. Lombardi unsatisfactory state of motorization branch of M. of W. Pointed out the growing seriousness of lack of co-ordination amongst offices and the overvaluation of the artillery section. Requested Col. Lombardi to go into matter with a view to change heads of branches if found not up to scratch.

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Col. Lombardi stated that he would take this matter up with Military Undersecretary of State and would conduct a careful investigation.

COL. MELONI

2. Ref. request for tpt for recovery of historical military documents. DADT

Informed Col. Meloni that tpt would not be authorized for these purposes but that this be worked in with Ministry of Interior who have undertaken to perform such duties by arrangement of Fine Arts and Monuments S.C.

COL. VITTORIO

3. Handed in statements from Gen. Chirieleison and Lt. Col. Arturo Isabella pertaining to defense under Defense charges. A
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COL. CAMPAGNA

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Was informed that the vehs were required to be moved as follows:- Palermo 60, Naples 40, Rome 60, Florence 40, Bologna 40, Milan 40, Turin 40, Udine 40, and Verona 40.

GEN. PROPERZI

5. Informed Gen. Properzi that 10 5th Army had reported Q2 that the recovery commissions in 5th Army Area were receiving orders to move into different localities without ref. to MMIA LO. DADT

Informed Gen. Properzi that the MMIA LOs. were the best authority to state where recovery commissions were best required and that therefore terr. HQs should be informed that no moves should be ordered without

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prior ref. to NMIA L's.

6. CCHR vels. Informed Gen. Properzi that civilians Q2
vels in service with Carabinieri were not required to DADT
change windshield labels but in order to be allowed
into Army Workshops would be required to have labels. Such
vels would retain present civilian target nos and in
addition bear new CCHR number plates. It was necessary
that NMIA be informed of both nos of such vels when returns
were completed by legions. Any requests for additional
windshield labels should also show both target nos.

7. Handed in Q5 of 24 July dealing with issue of labels Q2
in North Italy. Went through letter with Gen. Properzi and DADT
pointed out that this HQ was aware of difficulties involved
this scheme but that no sooner this be completed recovery
work would be much simplified. Requested Gen. Properzi to
treat this matter as urgent.

8. Informed Gen. Properzi that this HQ had written to Q2
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round up of the circulation of unauthorized vels.

Gen. Properzi is very keen that this accepted as it
would mean a great help.

9. Discussed and explain rights of M. of W. with regard 2 I/C
to requisitioning and seizing of Italian state property. Q2

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Informed Gen. Properzi that this action applied all vehs falling under such categories.

Informed Gen. Properzi further that Mr. Grillo was to buy property from PHS. Contract states that any It. state property should be returned to PHS for handing over to It. state and that therefore if any It. state property was discovered as not having been returned to PHS, this would be liable to seizure.

10. Gen. Properzi requested whether it would be possible for recovery vehs to be used for the collection of salvaged trucks when these vehs were not being used on veh recovery. M. of W. are encountering many difficulties in the collection of salvage.

11. Was informed by Gen. Properzi that information had Q2

reached M. of W. to the effect that Gen. CLARK had issued instructions that all PW in possession of It. Carisians would be considered as war booty.

Gen. Properi would like a confirmation of this as this would mean no further recovery of It. Army vehicles in North Italy.

COL. SPILINBERGO

12. Col. Spilinbergo is very worried about question of removal of ration of 475 mules recently passed to M. of W. after removal from Agriculture S/C. Q2 SAT

Col. Spilinbergo pointed out that Agr. S/C confirmed the handing back of these mules to M. of W. on 18 of July and this HQ on 21 July per Q/18/2. M. of W. requested tpt for the move of 135 mules to Passo Ceresse and 140 to Grosseto on 23 of July and pending the hurrying up of this tpt, M. of W. would not be held responsible for any retard. An extension of the rations was therefore asked for until such time as mules reached destination.

Confirmed with Col. Spilinbergo that the mules in question were the property of M. of W. and that no interference on the part of Agr. S/C or M. of Agr. should be accepted.

This was agreed.

LT. COL. MONACO.

13. Informed Col. Monaco that the Duca delle Puglie barracks were at present occupied by 404 Lt. Pioneer regt now in the course of disbandment. Q2

HQ 54 Area were requiring the use of these barracks for lodging 1200 German PW Pioneers replacing the Lt. Regt. Requested M. of W. authority for this to take place.

Was informed by Col. Monaco that M. of W. have no objection to this taking place providing that Bari Terr. HQ had no plans for consequent occupation.

M. of W. will signal Bari Terr. HQ to this effect.

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Gen. PROPERZI.

1. Took up question of 78 captured Italian Army
vehs sold to GRILLO Adamo from 408 HVF as arranged by
AFHQ. Requested Gen. PROPERZI to confirm that GRILLO
was legal possessor of the veh, that the veks were
struck off. Army records and that no attempt be made
to confiscate them. This confirmation required by AFHQ.
Gen. PROPERZI stated that this would be done as he
had now got particulars of the veks. Gen. PROPERZI stated
however that he believed GRILLO to be in possession of
illegal veks which intended to confiscate.

2. Informed Gen. PROPERZI that no intervention was
to be permitted by AME officers in the recovery of
Italian Army veks. This question fully discussed.

3. Discussed question of recovery of 110 veks.
Was informed that present position was a recovery of
25 veks from CITAN, 15 derelicts in one bunch and 10
of which 9 now derelict and 1 efficient. SAVKA was now
cooperating and was to hand over 5 veks on 30 of July.
Considerable difficulty was been encountered with Gian-
mini firm who stated that all their veks were in the North
performing civilian food transport duties. Nons however
had yet been traced. Italian Military Intelligence was
now working on this.

Gen. PROPERZI stated that some firms were taking
legal action against the War Ministry.

4. Requested Gen. PROPERZI to hurry the returns of
vehs issued with windscreen labels. Informed Gen. PRO-
PERZI that this HQ had been waiting patiently for this
returns which were coming in far too slow.

Requested Gen. PROPERZI for strong action to
stop the circulation of veks without labels in Rome
and South. Gen. PROPERZI suggested that Allied Police
would be a great help. GCHB already have orders to
confiscate all such veks. Informed Gen. PROPERZI that
this HQ intended to inform the COM that all veks

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Informed Gen. PROPERZI that no extra issues of labels would be made to units until

- a) all returns were received and
- b) target numbers for the vehs were supplied.

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5. Gen. PROPERZI assured me that strict instructions for care on maintenance of vehs, as a result of GCM letter Q/5 of 12 July, would be sent out to all concerned. Gen. PROPERZI assured that strict observance would be carried out and that strong disciplinary action taken against offenders.

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6. Met Ing. BURARDI with Gen. PROPERZI. Ing. BURARDI is manager of CLIM running ammunition factories in North Italy and has under him some 6,000 specialists now unemployed.

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7. Obtained from Col. PANCRATZ details of 12 lorries as requested for use by Ecclesiastical Commission for rebuilding and repairs to Ecclesiastical buildings as laid out in Ministry of War letter 14424/21 of 13 July.

8.	Obtained Defection Reports for Ministry of War for period ending 15 July.						
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The question of gift shops for all UNITI Troops was also discussed.

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COL. VITTORIO.

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GEN. TANASIA.

11. Requested for and obtained morale report for month of June on all Italian troops. It appears that all units forwarded a morale report on troops under their command and forward this to H. of W. monthly where this is collated. COMD
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Have requested that this report be passed to me every month.

COL. PANGHEZI.

Accompanied Maj. TAYLOR for clarification of information passed to this HQ on 19 vehs for Ecclesiastical Commission.

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Proof of lack of co-ordination between motorization offices was again shown as information was completely faulty and will be clarified in subsequent communications.

Following subjects were also discussed:-

- a) 34 tanks ex Sardinia - these have arrived and repairs are being carried out in Naples. Details submitted later.
- b) 56 vehs ex Sardinia - these are now in work shops in Naples and are being given priority for repair. All vehs require repairs. Many vehs will require new tyres.
- c) Recovery of vehs ex USAAF Cesena - this is now proceeding and vehs will be despatched to Bologna parks.
- d) Proposal was put up for transfer of Macerata IVF from under Florence jurisdiction to Terni. Owing to distance and lack of communication Florence is unable to control.
- e) Proposals for Sicily repair and recovery units discussed. Proposals in writing for the formation of such units will be passed to this HQ.

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DEWASSISM PROGRESS REPORT
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Sub-Commission

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Return as to Ministry of _____

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GRADE	Employees		Expiration Proceedings		Appeals	
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I		1	1	1	1	-
II		9	9	8	5	1
III		16	16	14	8	1
IV		53	53	53	33	20
V		72	72	64	14	3
VI		869	869	643	335	9
VII		590	590	352	132	1
VIII		257	257	122	37	-
IX		1834	1834	678	33	-
TOTAL		3701	3701	1915	598	15

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DETACHMENT PROGRESS REPORT
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MILITARY PERSONNEL

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Employees Investigated	Expiration Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Retired	Lessor Punishment
	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
1	1	1	1	-	1	-	
9	9	8	5	1	2	1	
16	16	14	8	1	1	-	
53	53	53	33	20	21	1	
72	72	64	14	3	12	3	
869	869	643	335	9	205	9	
590	590	352	132	1	112	1	
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II						
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IV	9	9	8	8	7	7
V	27	27	24	21	11	1
VI	45	45	13	8	7	-
VII	36	36	5	5	4	-
VIII	49	49	10	7	4	1
IX	81	81	5	1	-	-
TOTAL	250	250	66	51	34	10

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9	8	8	7	7	14	-	
27	24	21	11	1	9	1	
45	13	8	7	-	4	-	
38	5	5	4	-	1	-	
49	10	7	4	1	-	1	
81	5	1	-	-	-	-	
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ENQUIRY BOARDS

GRADE	Employees		Examination Proceedings		Appeals		SI
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Seard	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	
I	384	384	103	384	-	-	
II	1020	1018	72	1018	-	-	
III	2991	1779	59	1283	-	-	
IV	2963	1026	30	807	-	-	
V	9019	2062	78	1747	-	-	
VI	11431	1413	32	1156	-	-	
VII	19029	1475	19	1270	-	-	
VIII	16066	9775	94	7340	2	-	
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TOTAL	62903	18932	487	15005	2	-	

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5. All figures will show totals to date not the number of cases since the last return.

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DEPORTATION PROGRESS REPORT
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For period ending
19
30 July 45

INQUIRY BOARDS

(bodies dealt with by them)

Cases Investigated	Deportation Proceedings		Appeals		Dismissed	Results Set aside	Lesser Punishment
	Initiated	Concluded	Lodged	Heard			
(a)	(b)	(c)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
384	103	384	-	-	-	-	
1018	72	1018	-	-	-	-	
1779	59	1283	-	-	-	-	
1026	30	807	-	-	-	-	
2062	78	1747	-	-	-	-	
1413	32	1156	-	-	-	-	
1475	19	1270	-	-	-	-	
9775	94	7340	2	-	-	-	
18932	487	15005	2	-	-	-	

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the Ministries (b and c) before Deportation Commission of first instance (d and e)

Deportation adjusted by the results of appeals.
Territory in which DL 159 is in full force.
When it is not intended to proceed.
The number of cases since the last return.

COMMITTEE ON THE LIAISONCOL. VICTORIO

1. Received Defection Progress Reports from M. of V. for period ending 31 May 45. COID
Appx "A" will show Progress Reports for Military A
Personnel of M. of V. Q
Appx "B" will show Progress Report for Civilian
Personnel of M. of V.
Appx "C" will show results of Inquiry Boards
examined all Military Personnel.

GEN. BUSINO

2. Informed Gen. Busino that one Italian Army Officer, with Transportation, qualified to inspect ammunition was required for same. at disposal in Genoa Turin and Milan. I/R
Such officer was to report to M. of V. I. O. at Milan.
Was informed by Gen. Busino that Col. Pasquini would be the officer selected.

COL. CANALE

3. Received leave papers for Personnel in Sardinia to proceed on leave to mainland on trip 1952/11.

LT. COL. CANONNI

4. Informed Col. Canone that GSC Triuli Contact Group had requested that Capt. Carlo Bruno, at present at Genoa be posted to Triuli ICG.

Subsequent enquiries from Canone revealed that Capt. Carlo is an permanent staff as instructor at Genoa and could therefore not be posted away unless specifically ordered to do so.

5. Added in copy of signal from this M. of V. to H.Q. 8
Gen Div informing that Italian Liaison officers on completion of duty were to report to Italian Territorial H.Q. at port of embarkation and to wait dismissal instructions from M. of

1/2 June 45

BF 1/2 June 45

2. Informed Gen. Busso that one Italian Army Officer, 2 I/C with transportation, qualified to inspect a mission was required for same. at disposal in Genoa Turin and Milan. Each officer was to report to M.S.I. I.C. at Milan.
was informed by Gen. Busso that Col. Pennocci would be the officer selected.

COL. CANALE

3. Received leave passes for Personnel in Bardonia to proceed on leave to mainland on trip 8987/11.

LT. COL. MANZONI

4. Informed Col. Sansone that 500 Triuli Combat Group A had requested that Capt. Carlo Bruni, at present at Cassino be posted to Brindisi 106.

Subsequent enquiries from Cassino revealed that Capt. Carlo is on permanent staff as instructor at Cassino and could therefore not be posted away unless specifically ordered to do so.

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5. Mailed in copy of signal from this H.Q. to H.Q. 8 A IHD Div informing that Italian Liaison officers on completion of duty were to report to Italian Territorial H.Q. at port of embarkation and to wait disposal instructions from H. of W. Commander of Italian officers to report to H. of W. Rome for disposal instructions of completion of duty.

Informed Col. Sansone that necessary action should be taken on this question.

6. Was informed by Col. Sansone that the withdrawal of documents from Ferdinando di Savoia barracks, as originally requested by Gen. Palligra had now being completed.

7. Informed Col. Sansone that IHD had recommended the possible promotion of Lt. William Giovanni who had performed very good work for 15/5 organization of IHD. action to be taken as required.

LT. COL. MILLI

8. Was informed by Col. MillI that IHD had been in 2 I/C

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endeavouring to obtain information on release of republican troops. Col. Silli had refused to give such information and had informed PNB that any communications regarding the Italian Army should come from or be authorized by this H.Q.

Informed Col. Silli that this was correct policy.

LT. COL. GUIDA.

5. Discussed question of formation of two teams, each of twelve officers and men to perform the necessary for the transfer of co-operators into the Italian Army. Was informed by Col. Guida that the first team had already gone to Macalono for such work with 02H.

Informed Col. Guida that the second team should now be got ready and an officer sent in advance to Leghorn to contact M.M.I.. L.O. with PNB to make necessary arrangements for arrival of second team and method of working with PNB.

Col. LOREBAARDI.

10. Reference change of officers in Cremona Group as put forward by this H.Q.

Was informed by Col. Lorebaardi that the officers to be replaced would be given a trial in administrative jobs as in many cases officers not efficient as commanders have proved to be suitable in administration.

Gen. BRUNETTI.

11. Discussed question of promotion of three COBR for Q 2 gullantry at Salerno, handed in Command DO letter on this subject.

Was informed by Gen. Brunetti that this question is still under discussion by higher authority. The question of promoting these men to the rank of Lieutenant di Battaglia is originally promised by former GOC COBR and under Secretary of State for War had been turned down by the Commission convened to investigate and pass such promotion, owing to the fact that the work performed by

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Informed Col. Guida that the second team should now be set ready and an officer sent in advance to Leghorn to contact S. I. L. C. with PBS to make necessary arrangements for arrival of second team and method of working with PBS.

Col. Lombardi.

10. Reference change of officers in Cremona Group as put forward by this R.Q.

Was informed by Col. Lombardi that the officers to be replaced would be given a trial in administrative jobs as in many cases officers not efficient as commanders have proved to be suitable in administration.

Gen. Brunetti.

11. Discussed question of promotion of three COOs for Q 2 Gallantry at Salerno, banded in Comdr D's letter on this subject.

Was informed by Gen. Brunetti that this question is still under discussion by higher authority. The question of promoting these men to the rank of Lieutenant di Battaglia as originally proposed by former COO COO and under Secretary of State for War had been turned down by the Commission convened to investigate and pass such promotion, owing to the fact that the work performed by the men was not of a nature to warrant such high promotion. The question has now been re-opened on a different basis for promotion to a senior rank for efficient work. Difficulties have also arisen owing to post armistice political tendencies of the men concerned which have not proved completely clear. Gen. Brunetti however stated that the men would be promoted but not to the rank of Lieutenant di Battaglia unless documents would be forwarded by Allied formation testifying their gallantry.

Gen. Brunetti regretted that this question had dragged for so long and stated that he was under the impression that this question had arisen from premature promises but nevertheless would give the matter his full and personal attention.

Lt. Col. Della Forest.

12. Conference held with Lt. Col. Curtiss, Lt. Gen.

Lt. Col. della Forest, Lt. Col. Boigrensch and Maj. Somenai
to discuss:-

- a) Future Italian Army animals strength and facilities
- b) Paye the way for a high level conference to be held at a future date

Points arising from the conference were as follows:-

1. Ministry of War estimated animal requirements

Internal Security Divs at 300 per Div.

CCMR	900
99 Military District at 10 per District	2,638
86 Military Depots at 20 per Depot	990
R.E.S. (including the new proposed one)	1,720
Territorial Units (services)	410
Frontier Guards	2,280
10% Reserve	2,400
	1,100
	12,458

2. H. of C. considered they would be able to feed from their own resources approx 1/3 of the total.

3. Pinerolo school near Turin suggested as equitation school for US troops.

4. Proposed that further remount depot be opened at Asti to serve provinces of Piedmont, Liguria and Lombardy.

5. Insistence made on necessity for Sardinia horses for military academy lease. Tpm of each possible under arrangements with Ministry of Marine.

6. Possibility of manufacture of ordery if raw materials provided.

7. Reduction of forage ration for CCMR Sardinia by 1/3 when rest of CCMR animals on full ration. Request

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Territorial Units (services)
Frontier Guards
10% Remounts

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2,280
2,400
1,100

12,458

2. H. of U. considered they would be able to feed from their own resources approx 4/3 of the total.

3. Finestre school near Turin suggested as equitation school for US troops.

4. Proposed that further remount depot be opened at Asti to serve provinces of Piedmont, Liguria and Lombardy.

5. Insistence made on necessity for Sardinia horses for military academy lease. Typn of such possible under arrangements with Ministry of Marine.

6. Possibility of manufacture of saddlery if raw materials provided.

7. Reduction of forage ration for CCMR Sardinia by 1/3 when rest of CCMR animals on full ration. Request that full ration be conceded to CCMR animals in Sardinia owing to great shortage of forage.

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MILITARY PERSONNEL

Return as to Ministry of

ENQUIRY BOARDS

GRADE	Employees		Epuraton Proceedings			Appeals Lodged Re
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered.	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I		1		1	1	1
II		8		8	8	2
III		14		14	14	9
IV		57		57	57	18
V		69		69	61	8
VI		838		838	455	130
VII		537		537	142	52
VIII		240		240	44	44
IX		1592		1592	316	31
TOTAL		3356		3356	1096	301

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MILITARY PRISONERS
ENQUIRY BOARDS

For period ending

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31 maggio 1945

Reported	Examination Proceedings			Appeals		Decisions Reversed			TOTAL EX- AMINATION
	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered.	Lodged	Heard	Dismissals Cancelled	Dismissals Ordered		
	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)		
1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
8	8	8	8	2	5	1	1	-	2
14	14	14	14	9	8	1	-	1	10
57	57	57	57	18	33	12	1	11	23
69	69	69	61	8	12	1	1	-	8
838	838	838	455	138	214	3	3	-	54
537	537	537	142	52	57	-	-	-	52
240	240	240	44	44	12	-	-	-	44
1592	1592	1592	316	31	13	-	-	-	4
3356	3356	3356	1098	301	355	18	5	12	203

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CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

Return as to Ministry of

ENQUIRY BOARDS

GRADE	Employees		Expurgation Proceedings			Appeal Lodged
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered,	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1						
II						
III	1	1	1	1	1	1
IV	9	9	8	8	7	7
V	27	27	21	16	8	11
VI	45	45	12	7	4	4
VII	38	38	4	4	-	3
VIII	49	49	6	5	-	1
IX	81	81	3	1	-	-
TOTAL	250	250	57	42	20	27

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CIVILIAN FEDERAL
ENQUIRY BOARDS

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Investigated	Epuraton Proceedings			Appeals		Decisions Reversed		Total
	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered.	Lodged	Heard	Dismissals Cancelled	Dismissals Ordered	
(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	
1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	1
9	8	8	7	7	6	-	6	6
47	21	16	8	11	1	1	-	1
45	12	7	4	4	-	-	-	-
38	4	4	-	3	-	-	-	-
40	5	5	-	1	-	-	-	-
81	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	27	12	20	21	8	1	7	8

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ENQUIRY BOARDS

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GRADE	Employees Number	Investigated	Epuration Proceedings			Appeals	
			Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	Lodged	Hear
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)
I	357	357	102	357	-	-	-
II	941	939	69	939	-	-	-
III	1588	1526	99	1067	-	-	-
IV	1967	932	29	585	-	-	-
V	5229	1703	93	1307	-	-	-
VI	6438	1053	15	878	-	-	-
VII	11663	1123	16	945	-	-	-
VIII	10360	7375	33	5750	2	-	-
IX							
TOTAL	10111	19708	376	11918	2		

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ENQUIRY BOARDS

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	Initiated	Concluded		(e)	(h)	Dismissals Cancelled	Dismissals Ordered
	(d)	(e)	(f)	(e)	(h)	(i)	(j)
	102	357	-	-	-	-	-
	69	939	-	-	-	-	-
	59	1067	-	-	-	-	-
	29	559	-	-	-	-	-
	53	1387	-	-	-	-	-
	15	878	-	-	-	-	-
	16	945	-	-	-	-	-
	33	5760	2	-	-	-	-
	376	11218	2				

MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON.

30 MAY - 2 JUNE

MAJOR. GAKALE.

1. Received leave passes for Italian personnel in Sardinia to come over to mainland on Trip S.S. 10.
 Received leave passes for Italian personnel on mainland to Sardinia on Trip T.S. 10.
 Trip T.S. 10 leaves mainland on 17 June.

2. Cleared up question of Sardinia leave passes for 209 SC "A" Div and Orvieto Camp. M.M.I.A. L.O. Dr. Inc. 3 Army report that 9 passes (T.S. 9) allotted to Florence Terr. H.Q. were sub-allotted to 210, 231 and 228 Divs was stated by M. of W. to be incorrect.

Going to move of 210, 231 and 228 Divs, Florence H.Q. are now unable to get into touch. Passes for T.S. 9 were all allotted to 209 Div. and will therefore not get an allotment for T.S. 10.

M. of W. would like us to forward passes for T.S. 10 and subsequent direct to 210, 231 and 228 Divs.

Was informed that M. of W. are now going to take a new census of Sardinians in the It. Army and re-allot passes to all units.

COURT CASATI.

3. Received proposals for Interim It. Army from Minister. COMD
 Was informed by Minister that he has yet to discuss this with Gen. GORDON, Chief of It. Gen. Staff, and this might result in some changes which the Minister would immediately forward to Comd.

COL. LOMBARDI

4. Requested what action had been taken as to conditions for the enrolment of volunteers into the Italian Army. *Az/ BF Lyne*
 Pointed out that this was affecting the number of volunteers coming forward and the dissolving of patriot

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by M. of W. to be incorrect.

Owing to move of 210, 231 and 228 Divs, Florence 2.0. are now unable to get into touch. Passes for T.S. 9 were all allotted to 209 Div. and will therefore not get an allotment for T.S. 10.

M. of W. would like us to forward passes for T.S. 10 and subsequent direct to 210, 231 and 228 Divs.

Ent. informed that M. of W. are now going to take a new census of Sardinians in the It. Army and re-allot passes to all units.

COUNT CASATI.

3. Received proposals for Interim It. Army from Minister. COMD Was informed by Minister that he has yet to discuss this with Gen. CADORENA, Chief of It. Gen. Staff, and this might result in some changes which the Minister would immediately forward to Comd.

COL. LOMBARDI

4. Requested what action had been taken as to conditions for the enrolment of volunteers into the Italian Army. A2/ BF by me
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UP

Pointed out that this was affecting the number of volunteers coming forward and the dissolving of patriot bands.

Was informed by Col. Lombardi that only thing holding this up was question of pay. The Treasury was not prepared to spend the millions involved. Col. Lombardi will press the matter and will get some kind of conditions out in the very near future.

GEN. RUSSO.

5. Discussed question of recovery of It. M.T. with particular reference to M. of W. letter 3001/ME of 28 May 44.

Gen. Russo's explanation that payment for recovered Army vehicles in civilian shops were in many cases of no use to the Army was very weak heard in that apparently many of the vehicles were repaired with poor spares, weak engines etc for which expenses were high and which Army

drivers soon ruined.

Informed Gen. Buono that policy was that all vehicles are to be recovered from all civilian firms and that this was final. Gen. Buono fully understood and promised full co-operation.

GEN. PELLIGRA.

6. Informed Gen. Pelligra ref cloth for officers from North Italy, that system to be adopted was for officers to be sent north or for arrangements to be made with Terr. H.Q.'s for cloth to be bought. For question of transporting South arrangements should be made through M.M.I.A. L.O.'s.

All arrangements for this purpose to be done through L.O.'s and Terr. H.Q.'s.

LT. COL. NABISSI.

7. Informed Col. Nabissi that M.M.I.A. L.O. 1 District had reported that M. of W. had ordered 1069 It. Blankets from 209 Depot, Perugia to Rome. Asked under what authority this transfer was ordered.

Was informed that M. of W. know nothing of this and have not ordered any transfer. Col. Nabissi stated that this was probably as a result of M.M.I.A. instructions for concentration of all surplus stores.

LT. COL. VACCA.

8. Informed Col. Vacca of unsatisfactory position regarding printing of Nation Cards for It. Officer Shops.

Col. Vacca has been awaiting official notification, not having received our Q/OS/30 dated 25 May.

Col. Vacca will send for a surplus copy of this and will issue immediate instructions for printing of the cards.

[Signature]
Major.

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MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON.

21/24 May.

COL. LOMBARDI

1. Informed Col. Lombardi that U.S.C. required explanation for lack of action on letter Q/8 of 30 Jan re handing over of machinery in Cassino chemical works to Ministry of Ind. Comm and Labour. Pointed out seriousness of matter owing to fact that works was used for manufacture of poison gas.

COND
AQ

Informed Col. Lombardi that U.S.C. required to know reason why no action was taken and what action will be taken by the 23 May.

2. Answer to Cassino Chemical Works question received 18.45 hrs on 21 May.

COND
AQ

Was informed by Col. Lombardi that Cassino question was a complicated one involving contracts with 15 firms with difficulties set in by Ministry of Ind Comm. and Labour and Ministry of Finance.

Suggested solution was an inventory by a Commission with reps from Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour to be completed in 15 days, followed by handing over of machinery to Ministry of Industry and Commerce, administrative problems to be settled later.

COL. CASATI.

3. Handed in and explained fully Cond's D.C. letter COND laying out plans for a discussion on an Interim Italian Army.

Made it clear that it was necessary to know the Ministers essentialities to run Italian security and guard Italian frontiers against possible minor aggressions.

The Minister fully understood but requested that meeting be held on Friday 25 June at 1700 hrs in lieu Thursday 24.

This was later confirmed.

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action will be taken by the 21 May.

2. Answer to German Chemical Works question COMB 14

received 18.45 hrs on 23 May.

Was informed by Col. Lombardi that German question was a complicated one involving contracts with 15 firms with difficulties set in by Ministry of Ind Comm. and Labor and Ministry of Finance.

Suggested solution was an inventory by a Commission with reps from Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor to be completed in 15 days, followed by handing over of machinery to Ministry of Industry and Commerce, administrative problems to be settled later.

COURT CASES:

3. Handed in and explained fully Comd's D.O. letter COMB laying out plans for a discussion on an interim Italian Army.

Made it clear that it was necessary to know the Ministers' essentialities to run Italian security and guard Italian frontiers against possible minor aggressions.

The Minister fully understood but requested that meeting be held on Friday 25 June at 1700 hrs in lieu Thursday 24. 7775

This was later confirmed.

COL. BALANZINO.

4. Discussed question of recovery of vehicles in North Italy. Q2 DATED

Col. Balazino informed me that the majority of Italian Army vehicles in the North were used by Germans and consequently carry German markings. 5 Army have allowed Italians to recover all tpt marked as belonging to It. Army and tpt with German markings is considered to be war booty.

Recovery of It. Army vehicles in the North will as a result produce far less than anticipated as partisans, holding majority of It. marked tpt, do not hold much.

Col. Balazino suggested that some plans be considered for retaining German marked It. vehs.

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LT. COL. MAURO,

5. Enquired as to how recovery of illegally possessed Lt. Army vehs was proceeding.

Q2
MAURO

Was informed that this was proceeding very satisfactorily and that so far some 300 vehs had been reported.

Principal difficulty being encountered was that withdrawal of such vehs from civilian w/shops and firms was holding procedure as there was not sufficient running tpt at disposal.

Major contractors in possession of largest amount of vehs had not been touched yet.

GEN. PALLIGRA,

6. Discussed question of shortage of cigarettes and consequent reduction to be made in the issue.

Gen. Palligra stated that a decrease was likely to cause trouble and suggested that system to be adopted should be that cigarettes on repayment be annulled and that as a gesture Combat Gps be given 5 free and 5 repayment cigs.

MAJOR DELLA ROBERT,

7. Handed in letter Q/12/7 dated 20 May on for Q2 di Quinto Cavalry School.

Pointed out forcibly that the premises could not and would not be released and that the whole question should now be considered as being closed.

PALEOMO,

8. Saw Undersecretary on behalf of Comd.

COMD

Paleomo had requested a meeting with Comd in order to try and obtain permission to despatch 40 400,000 francs to Albania to help out Lt. civilians and military in Albania.

Informed Paleomo that this H.Q. could not intervene in sort of this kind and more especially

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5. Discussed question of shortage of cigarettes to and consequent reduction to be made in the issue.

Gen. Pelligrè stated that a decrease was likely to cause trouble and suggested that system to be adopted should be that cigarettes on repayment be unrolled and that as a gesture Combat Spas be given 5 free and 5 repayment cigs.

MAJOR DELLA FORESTI.

7. Handed in letter Q/12/7 dated 20 May on for Q2 di Quinto Cavalry School.

Pointed out forcibly that the premises could not and would not be released and that the whole question should now be considered as being closed.

PALERMO.

COMM

8. Saw Undersecretary on behalf of Comd. Palermo had requested a meeting with Comd in order to try and obtain permission to despatch 40 400,000 francs to Albania to help out It. civilians and military in Albania.

Informed Palermo that this M.O. could not intervene in most of this kind and more especially outside Italy. This was to be a matter to be dealt with by Ministry of Foreign Affairs through political channels.

Palermo agreed to this and attributed his difficulties to

- 1) a mission not being allowed to go to Albania.
- ii) Gen. PICINI having responsibility of both military and civilian personnel.

LT. COL. SANSONE.

9. Was informed by Lt. Col. Sansone that post from A this M.O. was being delivered to various places Q in H. of W. instead of direct to Liaison Office C as originally requested.

Mail was as a consequence being retarded and in some cases mislaid.

It is requested that all mail be delivered to the Liaison Office situated at the entrance to Ministry of War in Via Napoli.

Gen. PELLIGRA.

10. Gen. Pelligra called on Col. Moschetti and following 10 points were discussed.

i) The Minister had ordered that Col. Lessera, O I/c Bari Commissariato, be replaced as precautionary measure against mis-doings at Bari. Gen. Pelligra suggested Col. CUCCHI-PIETRI as being only replacement.

It was agreed that CUCCHIPIETRI be given a trial.

ii) Gen. Pelligra had learnt that certain amounts of cloth for officers uniforms was available in Milan area and authority was requested for purchase of such. Matter to be taken up with LC'S.

iii) Gen. Pelligra was informed that Officers Shop question was now being revived.

iv) Gen. Pelligra was informed that one matter now being seriously considered was that of rationing type in N. Italy after withdrawal of 5 and 8 Armies.

[Signature]
Major

MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON16/18 MAYCOL. VITTORIO

1. Handed in statement of defence in respect of Gen. A
CHIRIACI, received from AFHQ, for onward transmission G3 (I)
to High Commissioner for Defascism.

Gen. Chiriaci is held as a political P.W. in
an Allied P.W. Camp in Italy.

M. of W. are uncertain as to whether the Gen.,
being held as a political P.W. by Allies, will be tried
by an Allied court.

2. Informed Col. Vittorio that 15 May was the final date A
for the completion of all preliminary investigations under
the Defascism Scheme. Reminded Col. Vittorio that last
Progress Report showed for Civilian personnel that out of
a total of 350 cases only 216 had been investigated.

It was agreed that remaining 34 cases would be
completed by 15 May.

3. Received Defascism Progress Reports for period
ending 15 May.

COB
A
G3 (I)

Appx A will show report for M; of W. military personnel
" B " " " " " civilian personnel
" C " " " " " " work performed by Military
Enquiry Boards.

LT. COL. CANALE

4. Received passes for Lt. Army personnel proceeding
on leave to Sardinia on trip T.S.9.

SCWA

5. Requested information as to which Terr. H.Q.
CHVINGO Camp came under for purposes of receiving
allotments of leave passes to Sardinia.

SCWA

Was informed that on Orvieto Camp is under
command 209 Div, vacancies for passes to Sardinia are sub-
allotted by Florence Terr. H.Q. who have an allotment of

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informed Col. Vittorio that 15 May was the final date for the completion of all preliminary investigations under the Defascism Scheme. Reminded Col. Vittorio that last Progress Report showed for Civilian personnel that out of a total of 350 cases only 216 had been investigated. It was agreed that remaining 34 cases would be completed by 15 May.

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COMD

A

33 (1)

Appx A will show report for M; of W. military personnel
" B " " " " " " " civilian personnel
" C " " " " " " " " work performed by Military Enquiry Boards.

LT. COL. CANALE

4. Received passes for Lt. Army personnel proceeding on leave to Sardinia on trip T.S.9. SCMA

5. Requested information as to which Terr. H.Q. ORVETO Camp came under for purposes of receiving allotments of leave passes to Sardinia. SCMA

Was informed that as Orvieto Camp is under command 209 Div, vacancies for passes to Sardinia are sub-allotted by Florence Terr. H.Q. who have an allotment of 9 passes. It was pointed out that passes are allotted to Terr. H.Q. in relation to number of troops requiring leave to Sardinia who are n/c of the resp Terr. H.Q.s.

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6. Received enquiry from Col. Canale as to whether, according to latest instructions received from us, any form of MMIA pass was required for personnel proceeding on leave to Italy.

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Informed Col. Canale that all tps could proceed on leave to any point in Italy within the Security Line, 25 kms from It. frontier, having in possession solely normal It. Army leave pass.

LT. COL. SANSONE

7. Was informed by Col. Sansone that in many cases officers of the Recovery Commissions charged with

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recovery of It. Army vehicles in possession of Patriots were not being recognized without an Allied authority and were consequently not able to withdraw any vehicles.

Informed Col. Sansone that all cases of this kind should be referred to IO's of 8 or 5 armies for clarification on the spot.

Col. PIACENTINI.

8. Requested Col. Piacentini to hurry the forwarding of the lists quoted in M. of W. letter 4837/SIF of 16 May in order that necessary transportation arrangements could be made for liberation leave personnel. Pointed out that unless these were forwarded forthwith arrangements could not come into force w.e.f. 1 June as originally intended.

Was informed that all lists had not yet reached M. of W. but that a preliminary estimate would be despatched forthwith.

LT. COL. MONACO.

9. Discussed question of Military Thermal Establishments. Q2

Pointed out that original statement that all Thermal Stations in Central and Southern Italy had been requisitioned by the Allied Forces was untrue. The only establishment of this kind requisitioned was that at ISCHIA. This at present could not be released. The other Military Thermal Establishment at Acqui was not requisitioned and was available.

Was given explanation as follows:- At time of original request N. Italy, where ACQUI is situated, was not liberated and a convalescent depot of this kind was urgently needed M. of W. still do not know in what condition ACQUI establishment now is.

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DEBACISM PROGRESS REPORT
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Return as to Ministry of

MILITARY PERSONNEL

GRADE	Employees		Expurgation Proceedings			Total
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I		1	1	1	1	1
II		8	8	8	2	5
III		14	14	14	10	8
IV		53	53	53	15	33
V		69	69	58	14	12
VI		776	776	371	135	192
VII		487	487	122	39	42
VIII		139	139	29	30	19
IX		1485	1485	259	21	17
TOTAL		3092	3092	215	259	314

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MILITARY PERSONNEL

Number	Employees Investigated	Epuraton Proceedings			Appeals		Decisions Reversed	
		Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	Lodged	Heard	Dismissals Cancelled	Dismissals Ordered
(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
1		1	1	1		-	-	-
8		8	8	2		-	-	4
14		14	14	10		1	-	1
53		53	53	16	33	12	1	11
69		69	58	14	12	-	-	-
776		776	371	136	192	2	2	-
487		487	122	39	42	-	-	-
199		199	39	20	10	-	-	-
1485		1485	259	21	17	-	-	-
3092		3092	315	252	311	15	3	12

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 when it is not intended to proceed.
 findings of the Epuration Commissions.
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DEFAULS REPORT
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CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

Return as to Ministry of _____

GRADE	Employees		Expiration Proceedings			Appeals Lodged
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I						
II						
III	1	1	1	1	1	1
IV	9	9	8	8	7	7
V	27	27	21	16	8	11
VI	45	45	12	6	3	4
VII	38	38	4	3	-	3
VIII	49	49	6	5	-	1
IX	81	81	1	1	-	-
TOTAL	250	250	53	40	19	27

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Number	Employees Investigated	Eguration Proceedings			Appeals		Decisions Reversed	
		Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	Lodged	Heard	Dismissals Cancelled	Dismissals Ordered
(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1
9	9	8	8	7	7	5	-	5
27	27	21	16	8	11	-	-	-
45	45	12	6	3	4	-	-	-
38	38	4	3	-	3	-	-	-
49	49	6	5	-	1	-	-	-
81	81	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
250	250	53	40	19	27	6	-	6

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INQUIRY BOARD

GRADE	Employees		Eguration Proceedings			Loc
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I	350	346	102	346	-	-
II	923	920	64	920	-	-
III	1988	1576	39	1028	-	-
IV	963	905	21	572	-	-
V	5216	1637	36	787	-	-
VI	6429	957	8	436	-	-
VII	11458	1071	12	483	-	-
VIII	10260	7327	31	5294	2	-
IX						
TOTAL	32487	14739	213	9876	2	

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(b)	(c)	(d) (e) (f)	(g) (h)	(i) (k)
350	346	102 346 -	- -	- -
923	920	64 920 -	- -	- -
1988	1576	39 1028 -	- -	- -
1963	905	21 972 -	- -	- -
5216	1637	36 787 -	- -	- -
6429	957	8 436 -	- -	- -
11458	1071	12 493 -	- -	- -
10960	7327	31 5294 2	- -	- -

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR10-12 MAY 63Col. DIMITROV.

1. Informed Col. Dimitrovo of Bureau Consultation; G that 5 Lt officers 49 O.E.A. reported to be of SIN RUMBO and also to 2577 Regt can were not entitled to draw any type ration.

Requested info on these personnel.

Col. Dimitrovo was unable to give any info on Lt. personnel att'd to U.S. units as this is not to hand but has been requested.

LT. COL. DIMITROV.

2. Requested Col. S. name to obtain info on the following officers, reported to be on "O. T.":

(M-171 category):
Capt. DIMITROV
Capt. DIMITROV
Lt. DIMITROV
Lt. DIMITROV

Asst Gen

3. Informed Col. S. name of report given on 524 Gd. Bn. 7 1/3 on arrival at Trinidad. Requested the following particulars.

- a) Strength of 524 Gd. Bn. prior to departure for Trinidad
- b) Explanation as to shortage in strength by 145 men
- c) Position regarding but now that this had been ruled out
- d) Condition and needs of clothing of 524 Gd. Bn.
- e) Explanation as to why men were equipped at Trinidad.

Was informed as follows:-

- (a) 524 Gd. Bn. was 77 men short at departure owing to fact that 223 was supposed to leave first and was

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2. Registered Col. S. S. S. to obtain info on the
following officers, reported to be on S.S. W.I.

(M-121 category) 1. Capt. BATTIONI
2. Lt. JAMES
3. Lt. VANDERBILT
4. Lt. BROWN

3. Informed Col. S. S. S. of report given on 524 Ed. 2. 3/0
on arrival at Brindisi. Requested the following
particulars.

- a) Strength of 524 Ed. 2. prior to departure for
Brindisi
- b) Explanation as to shortage in . . . strength of
145 men
- c) Position regarding 1st man that this had been
released
- d) Condition and state of clothing of 524 Ed. 2.
- e) Explanation as to why men were equipped at Brindisi.

The informed as follows:-

(Feb) 524 Ed. 2. men 77 men short at departure owing to
fact that 523 was supposed to leave first and was
consequently made up to strength of 145 men. 524
524, 524 departure was too sudden for adjustments
to be made. Some 50 men departed on way and no
explanation has been asked of Brindisi.
On 1 May 1942 50 men departed as part replacements
and whole 50 men been put up to strength since.

- a) 1st for 524 Ed. 2. left Brindisi for Brindisi on
1 May (in accordance with W.I.).
- b) It was admitted that 524 was not officially closed
owing to 523 being completed first and 51 of 7. men
arriving late.
- c) Men were equipped at Brindisi as result of arrangements
Col. Vabiani (21 of W.I.) - W.I. 1.4.

Col. Vabiani

4. Gen. S. S. S. called to report difficulties being

Col. Vabiani

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made by Patriot Bands in trying to impede functions of Ferry H.Q.'s at Milan and Turin.

Patriot leaders, in particular Gen. TRAMONTE and Turin, were refusing to recognize H.Q.'s nominated by present Government.

Gen. Ronco requested for our intervention in order to point out the significance of these H.Q.'s. It was decided that Lt. Col. BORDO should be asked to look into matter.

Suggestion was made to nominate Gen. TRAMONTE as 2 L/C Ferry H.Q.

5. Gen. Ronco also discussed GCM question. Surveys were made on importance of increasing GCM by 10,000 as asked for owing to present political troubles.

Gen. Ronco was informed that this would be likely at the expense of IS-ITIL.

Gen. Ronco also pointed out that culmen was asked for withdrawing GCM from N. of S. responsibility to N. of Interior responsibility. This would turn GCM into a political body, a question to be opposed if possible. Our support, if this should be the case, was asked for.

6. Gen. Ronco was informed of arrangements made for recovery of vehicles in Italy. "Chimney" was not met up with. Gen. BORDO of Bologna, Gen. Milan and Turin for recovered vehicles to be used for immediate use as 1st coys, reports being sent to N. of S. of vehicles recovered, vehicles used and surplus.

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MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON.

10-12 May 45

Col. DIBITONTO.

1. Informed Col. Dibitonto of AMCHSA Communication 3 that 5 It offrs 49 C.B.s reputed to be of SAN MARCO Bn. and att'd to 2577 Regt oen were not entitled to draw "B" type ration.

Requested info on these personnel.

Col. Dibitonto was unable to give any info on It. personnel att'd to U.S. units as this is not to hand but has been requested.

LT. COL. SANSONE.

2. Requested Col. Sansone to obtain info on the following officers, reported to be on A.C. W.E. (RE-ITI category);

Capt. BATTIONI

Capt. GABZIS

Lt. VENTRIGLIA

Lt. DEMEIS

Asst G-4

3. Informed Col. Sansone of report given on 524 Hd. Bn. 2 I/O on arrival at Brindisi. Requested the following particulars.

a) Strength of 524 Hd. Bn. prior to departure for Brindisi

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b) Explanation as to shortage in W.L. strength by 145 men

c) Position regarding typ now that this had been released

d) Condition and scale of clothing of 524 Hd. Bn.

e) Explanation as to why men were equipped at Trani.

Was informed as follows:-

(a2b) 524 Hd. Bn was 77 men short at departure owing to fact that 523 was supposed to leave first and was consequently made up to strength at expense of

2. Requested Col. Sansone to obtain info on the Aust G-4 following officers, reported to be on A.C. W.I. (EE-III category):

Capt. BATTICHI
Capt. GARZIA
Lt. VENTRIGLIA
Lt. BENSIS

3. Informed Col. Sansone of report given on 524 Gd. Bn. 2 I/O on arrival at Brindisi. Requested the following particulars.

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- b) Explanation as to shortage in W.I. strength by 145 men
- c) Position regarding tpt now that this had been released
- d) Condition and scale of clothing of 524 Gd. Bn.
- e) Explanation as to why men were equipped at Trani.

Was informed as follows:-

(a+b) 524 Gd. Bn was 77 men short at departure owing to fact that 523 was supposed to leave first and was consequently made up to strength at expense of 524. 524 departure was too sudden for adjustments to be made. Some 58 men deserted on way and an explanation has been asked of Br. Comdr. On 1 May 1 officer 50 men departed as part replacements and whole Bn. has been put up to strength since.

c) Tpt for 524 Gd. Bn. left Frosinone for Brindisi on 7 May (in accordance DADT MIA).

d) It was admitted that 524 was not efficiently clothed owing to 523 being completed first and M; of W. stocks arriving late.

e) Men were equipped at Trani as result of arrangements Col. Nabisai (M; of W.) - M.M.I.A.

Gen. Ronco.

4. Gen. Ronco called to report difficulties being

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Patriot leaders, in particular Gen. TRAMUCCHI at Turin, were refusing to recognize H.Q.'s nominated by present Government.

Gen. Ronco requested for our intervention in order to point out the significance of these H.Q.'s. It was decided that Lt. Col. HOWARD should be asked to look into matter.

Suggestion was made to nominate Gen. TRAMUCCHI as 2 I/C Terr. H.Q.

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5. Gen. Ronco also discussed CCHH question. Stress was made on importance of increasing CCHH by 10,000 as asked for owing to present political troubles.

Gen. Ronco was informed that this would be likely at the expense of BR-ITIS.

Gen. Ronco also pointed out that schemes were afoot for withdrawing CCHH from M. of W. responsibility to M. of Interior responsibility. This would turn CCHH into a political body, a question to be opposed if possible. Our support, if this should be the case, was asked for.

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6. Gen. Ronco was informed of arrangements made for recovery of vehicles in E. Italy. "Machinery" was now set up with fed Terr H.Q.s of Bologna, Genoa, Milan and Turin for recovered vehicles to be used for immediate use as Tpt coys, reports being sent to M. of W. of vehicles recovered, vehicles used and surplus.

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MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON

w/e 6 May

GEN. RONCO

1. Attended meeting with Gen. Ronco (SMRE), Gen. BRUNETTI (CORE) and Gen. PROPERZI (Mot) and Lt. Col. CUSTINIS Q 2 to discuss implementation of instructions contained in letter Q/5 dated 1 May re collection in of unauthorized vehicles in possession of civilians or Army Units.

Question discussed thoroughly and Gen. Brunetti inform that in order to help out COMPT difficulty,

CCHER would receive one vehicle out of every five recovered.

Gen. Ronco assured full co-operation and prompt action.

COL. VITTORIO

2. Received Defection Progress Reports for period COMD up to 30 April. Appx "A" will show report for military personnel under M. of W. 2 I/C A Q

Appx "B" will show report for civilian personnel

under M. of W.

Appx "C" " " " on Enquiry Boards of

M. of W.

LT. COL. CANALE

3. Received passes for Italian Military personnel on leave to Sardinia as per T.S. 8 (to leave 18 May). A

4. Discussed question of visit of 4 officers to Combat Gps prior to course at MANZIANA school. Letter 209.752 dated 29 April and C/TEL/23 dated 26 April refers. G

Informed Col. Canale that instructions were that list 40 days notice were required for permission. Suggested that officers should complete course and then proceed to Combat Gps, permission being asked for in the mean time.

It appears from M. of W. that Ceseno tre establishment were wrong in the communication of the

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Gen. Ronco assured full co-operation and prompt action.

COL. VITTORIO

2. Received Defenses Progress Reports for period up to 30 April. Appx "A" will show report for military personnel under M. of W. Appx "B" will show report for civilian personnel under M. of W. Appx "C" " " " on Enquiry Boards of M. of W.

LT. COL. CANALE

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It appears from M. of W. that Cesano trg establishment were wrong in the communication of the instruction to the M; of W.

LT. COL. CHECCHIA

5. Requested information on the presumption that P.M. 3400 was to move to Rome.

Was informed by Col. Checchia that only pass of P.M. 3800 in its new increasing work. Sufficient personnel would be left with P.M. 3400 in order to controlled southern mail.

The intention shortly is to dissolve P.M. 3400 at Naples and use Rome for south Italy and Bologna for northern Italy, by far the quickest method.

SEN. LUZZI

6. Ref. letter 303950/CA dated 24 March and

At 11 of 30 March.

Requested for answer from group chief 1 Army
HQ for employment of Lt. MARCHI Luigi with 65 Cavalry
as APCQ were pressing.

Gen. Luzzati will ask for an immediate answer.

LT. COL. MONACE.

7. Banded in letter Q/12/7 dated 4 May requesting 0 2
the following accommodations to be made available for
A.C. special Transport Co.

- a) storehouses used by EMILIA
- b) storehouses and shop used by COPLANTIVA
PATRICKI HILIPPO
- c) offices used by EMAC
situated at Via Angelino 19 and 20.

Was informed that only difficulty possible to be
encountered would be premises as per para 2 as this were
under control of M. of Transport.

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Return as to Ministry of

MILITARY PERSONNEL

GRADE	Employees		Epuraton Proceedings			Appeals Lodged
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I		1	1	1	1	1
II		8	8	8	1	3
III		14	14	14	1	8
IV		53	53	53	7	23
V		67	67	55	8	9
VI		713	713	406	81	165
VII		113	113	85	14	26
VIII		148	148	101	10	8
IX		1876	1876	112	15	10
TOTAL		2905	2905	735	130	275

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MILITARY PERSONNEL

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Number	Employees Investigated	Eguration Proceedings			Appeals		Decisions Reversed	
		Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	Lodged	Heard	Dismissals Cancelled	Dismissals Ordered
(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
	1	1	1	1	1			
	8	8	8	4	5			
	14	14	11	4	8	3		
	53	53	53	4	22	11		
	65	65	55	6	9			
	713	713	626	87	103			
	425	425	38	14	26			
	148	148	24	10	8			
	1474	1474	145	13	30			
	2905	2905	735	130	275	12		

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The total strength and the number of employees whose papers have been investigated within the Ministry
from whom it is not intended to proceed.
Findings of the Eguration Commissions.
Before the Central Commission.
Decisions which have been REVERSED on appeal.

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CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

GRADE	Employees		Expurgation Proceedings			Appeals Lodged
	Number	Investigated	Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
I	1	1	1	1	1	1
II						
III	1	1	1	1	1	1
IV	1	1	1	1	1	1
V	27	27	22	12	8	12
VI	35	31	20	8	3	4
VII	32	29	8	3		2
VIII	42	42	4	4		1
IX	1	1	1	1		
TOTAL	250	216	52	38	19	27

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CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

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Number	Employees Investigated	Expulsion Proceedings			Appeals		Decisions Reversed	
		Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	Lodged	Heard	Dismissals Cancelled	Dismissals Ordered
(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(k)
1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
27	27	20	13	8	11			
45	41	12	4	2	4			
32	35	4	2		2			
43	42	6	4		1			
21	21	1	1					
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GRADE	Number	Employees Investigated	Eguration Proceedings			L
			Initiated	Concluded	Dismissals Ordered	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	
I	334	326	93	326		
II	500	898	41	898		
III	1581	1544	30	1009		
IV	1955	891	20	542		
V	5198	1045	34	739		
VI	6412	545	7	407		
VII	11443	630	11	470		
VIII	10300	6577	30	1083		
IX						
TOTAL	38525	12856	250	9474		

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INSTRUCTIONS:-

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For period ending
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981	1544	39	1009						
859	891	20	942						
194	1045	38	739						
412	545	7	407						
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MINISTRY OF WAR LIAISON.COL. LOMBARDI

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Col. Lombardi's reaction was that communications of this kind come from advanced Main HQ's and that now that proof of ineffectitude has been established, the whole matter will be taken up with all HQ's for precision in future reports.

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LT. COL. CANAL.

3. Obtained passes for Lt. military personnel in Sardinia to proceed for leave on mainland as per trip S.T.9. A

LT. COL. GRACETTA.

4. Informed Col. Gracetta that authority had now been given for the formation of 23 and 24 Recovery Units among other units (SD/1/3 Serial 123 of 7 May). Requested what action, if any, had been taken to date and where personnel were being got from. Q 2 C

Was informed by Col. GRACETTA that no action had been taken as there had been some uncertainty on approval for the forming of these two units. No difficulty will be experienced in finding the necessary personnel, to come from Frosinone, and to have the units formed within the next few days.

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LT.COL. SANSONE

5. Was informed by Col. SANSONE re Lt. Amadori that SSG had communicated that this officer had been put at the disposal of Army AMG, upon their request, for posting to G.5 and that it was now presumed that he was now doing the work he was originally requested for.

LT.COL. CHACCHIA

6. Informed Col. Chacchia that the Lt. Army personnel with 7 Base Center now transferring to Rome would be carried under category 6 (c) in lieu of 5 (c).

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