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G/TRE/51 Returns (British - Italian - Internal M.M.I.A.)

Opened June 29, 1945. Closed Sept 29, 1945

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Subject: Liaison Letter for MIA LOS.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME.

C/Trg/51.

28 Sept 45

To: GSO III ("I")

Reference G/31 of 14 Sept 45.

Training para for Monthly Liaison letter.

During September training staff has been mostly occupied with the problem of the new Army and its' training. Barracks have been inspected and accomodation sought for various new establishments.

The vast problem of training 3,000 instructors for the New Year has got under weigh. In this matter it is understood that Gruppi are really playing and have promised help. This is very satisfactory as it points to more trust between them and CESANO.

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G/Trg - Notes for Monthly Liaison letter to be passed to Capt GROVES-RAINES. (GSOIII) "I"
 (See G/31 folio 3 - G/Trg/51.)

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G/Trg/1.

Date.
 5 Sept 45.

Letter sent to All COs of BLUs by G-1.
 Organisation of call-ups in the New Year.
 Trg of instructors for the new call-ups.
 Estimated figures, suitable personnel and
 number required from each Combat Gp.
 Full support asked of BLUs.

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Translation of M of W letter on Accommodation
 for the reorganised RTC, ICF. Request 'P'.
 BL & TUs views on the subject.

6 Sept

G/Trg/1

Trg of Combat Gps - Directive sent to M of War.
Trg of Combat Gps - Letter to 2 District and
all BLUs with Directive.

11 Sept 45.

G/Trg/1

G/Trg/1

Letter to Maj Gen Sir John WHITTAKER, D.M.T.
 War Office LONDON by C.O.G MMIA - Proposal to
 send to England Italian high ranking offrs
 to study trg and tour of trg ests.

11 Sept 45.

24 Sept 45.

G/Trg/2/A

'F' BL & TUs Progress Report No. 9 sent to
 G-3 Trg (Br) AFHQ with our observations.

17 Sept 45.

G/Trg/10/5

Trg of ITI Offrs - Returned P of W.- Proposal for
Courses for Lt-Cols Majors and Capts, Subalterns to
include Weapon Trg. Request LMT to assist in
compiling programmes.

5 Sept 45.

G/Trg/10/7

Results of Courses - SIVA. Failures on these courses
Offrs names requested from 'F' BL & TU.

17 Sept 45

Reply from 'F' BL & TU with incomplete list

24 Sept 45.

Further letter to 'F' BL & TU asking for complete
 list as recorded in Progress Report No 9.

25 Sept 45.

G/Trg/28

Trg of Gd Bns. - Letter sent to all MMIA IOs.
Re a report on the training of Gd Bns in their

7 Sept 45.

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G/Trg/28	Trg of Gd Bns. - Letter sent to all IMIA IOs. Re a report on the training of Gd Bns in their area.	7 Sept 45.
G/Trg/13/5	Trg Establishments. - Location of proposed schools. Letter from 'F' BL & TU with recommendations by them for proposed new schools for All Arms of the Italian Army.	14 Sept 45.
G/Trg/13/5	Accommodation for Trg Ests. Letter to M of War with our recommendations for the new lay-out of the Trg Ests for the Italian Army. At appendix "A" - "Present location" Suggested Min of War location and suggested IMIA location for All Arms.	18 Sept 45. 28 Sept 45.
G/Trg/16.	Man Management - letter from M of War re carrying out of a course in "Man Management" at some of the Combat Gps.	7 Sept 45.
G/Trg/23	Provision of Instructors - Trg of Recruits for the men to be called up in Jan 1945. Courses should begin at CESANO about 21st. (letter to M of War)	6 Sept 45.

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SUBJECT: Monthly Liaison Letter.

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MHLA)

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14 Sep 45

TO : All Branches,
M.L.A.

1. a monthly liaison letter will be sent from HQ MHLA to all outstation L.Cs, B.L.Os etc during the first week in each month. The letter is intended briefly to review the present affairs of the Mission and to give an indication as far as possible of "future" even though these "futures" may subsequently be changed. By this means it is hoped to keep outstations as fully in the picture as possible.

2. The draft of this letter will be coordinated by GSC III(I) and Branches will submit draft paras as under :-

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(a) Political situation as it affects Govt in ROE
(Civil Affairs Sec A.C. may be consulted if necessary)

GIII(I)

(b) War Ministry Outlook

C II(2)

(c) 'E' (Ops, SO and I) Points

C (SD)

(i) ASHQ policy on handover of territory/tps etc

(ii) disbandments and formations, especially independent IG Regts

(iii) categories and breakdowns and WEs

(d) G(TG) Points

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Incl progress at I.T.O. CESANO

(e) 'A' Points

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(i) Demobilisation and Rfts
(ii) Orls

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(a) Political situation as it affects Govt in Rome
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(b) War Ministry Outlook

(c) '3' (Ops, SD and I) Points

- (i) ARHQ policy on handover of territory/tps etc
- (ii) disbandments and formations, especially independent ID Regts
- (iii) categories and breakdowns and WAs

(d) G(Trg) Points

incl progress at I.T.C. QES/NO

(e) 'A' Points

- (i) Demobilisation and Rfts
- (ii) Offrs
- (iii) Personal services

(f) 'Q' Points

- (i) Rations
- (ii) Clothing
- (iii) Accommodation
- (iv) Tpt

3. Draft paras are required to reach G III(I) by the first day of each month. Branches will make their own arrangements for coordinating any information required from advisors or Services.

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L. M. Longley
Lt. Col.
GS.

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Monthly Report

'G' Trg.

1. CHANGES.

The Br Cadre at RTC ICF has changed its organization and now includes a Trg Increment. Consequently G and Z Trg Teams have been disbanded.

2. The recent publication by AMHQ of their policy in regard to RTC has enabled both HQ MMIA and "F" BT and LU to plan the training necessary for the role laid down.

3. RTC is now available for both Combat and Adm categories of BR-ITL.

4. Courses at RTC are now allotted to fms through all Italian channels.

5. CONFERENCE

A Trg conference held at MMIA dealt with future policy re CESANO. As a result all appreciation of needs and methods of satisfying them is being produced.

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Major.
G(Trg)

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SUBJECT: June Monthly Report

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (NIA)

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29 June 45TO : (SEE DISTRIBUTION)

1. Will you please let me have a typewritten summary of the main events and activities of your branch during the month of June.

2. The summary should consist of about 10 - 12 paragraphs, giving policy changes, directives, results of any important conferences etc. set out in chronological order.

3. Branch reports are consolidated by G3 (Int) and the consolidated report is submitted to HQ AC, copies to A.F.H.Q., LONDON, and WASHINGTON.

4. Reports should reach G3 (Int) by 6 July 45.

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