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HEADQUARTERES ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB-COMMISSION

DPR/41/G-II (It) Tel. 489081 Ext. 594 14 October 1945

SUBJECT: Alleged refugees in Sardinia.

TO : Ministero Assistenza Post-Bellica.

1. We have been informed through the Liaison Officer in Sardegna that there are 300 alleged refugees in Sardegna who wish to cross to the mainland.

2. This sounds almost impossible, and as the Liaison Officer has no means of checking up on the position himself, we would be grateful if you would ask the Prefect of other Italian Government official on the spot to check each case and report. Before we make arrangements to lift persons as refugees from Sardinia to Italy, we must make sure that they are genuine refugees, and if they appear to be genuine refugees we require an explanation of the circumstances which placed them in Sardegna.

For the Director

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C.A. OLIVER
Lt. Colonel
G-1 Italian

Copy to :- Trasportation Sub-Commission
I.P.W. Division
F.O.I.L.

Copy to :- M.M.I.A. L.O. SARDINIA.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 735

Ref: 553/95/EC.

6 June 1945.

SUBJECT: G-5 Section, 15 Army Group.

TO : Distribution below.

1. G-5 Section, Headquarters, 15 Army Group is now located vicinity VERONA (F 6955).

2. Telephone exchange remains FILPOT.

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner.

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SUBJECT : Signals.

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
X500/1
1 May 45

TO : NCO i/c MMIA Radio Station, SARDINIA.

It is agreed by this H.Q. that the Coal and Mining Section, A.C. may transmit daily an output state. This will consist of one message of approx 25 Groups.

W. CALVELEY, Major
S.O.R.Sigs,
M. M. I. A.

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Copy to: Lt;Col. ALBERT,
MMIA LO SARDINIA

MAY 11 1945

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TRANSLATION GC/rrc 13 APR 45

Rome 7 April 1945 - Time 1120

TO ALCOM LIAISION
OFFICER ITALIAN CIPHER
SARDINIA REGION CAGLIARI

FROM ALCOM HQ ROME

MEMO No. 2066/CIF. RETURN TO YOUR STATION IS EXPECTED BY 20TH OR BY END OF THE MONTH. IN THE MEANTIME YOU WILL CONTINUE TO PERFORM YOUR DUTY IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDERS THAT YOU WILL RECEIVE FROM ALCOM SARDINIA CAPTAIN CAVANI

Cagliari 9 April 1945 Time 1500

SINCE THE PRESENT WORK IS VERY LIMITED AND CAN BE PERFORMED BY TWO CIPHER MEN, I RECOMMAND THAT ONE OF THE THREE NCO'S COULD LEAVE MONDAY 16 TOGETHER WITH THE A.C. SERVICE PLATOON

THE CHIEF CIPHER OFFICE
M.llo Fresu Giovanni

Sgt Candelo: Ordered
Chief Cipher off to answer
instructions per accompanying
with Memo 2066/Cif F above
Lt Col

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- Rome 7 April 1945 - time 11,20

TO ALCOM LIASON
OFFICER ITALIAN CIPHER
SARDINIA REGION CAGLIARI
FROM ALCOM HQ ROMA

NOTA SERVIZIO N°2066/CIF VOSTRO RIENTRO PREVISTO PER 20 AUT FINE MESE ALT ATTESA CONTINUATE SERVIZIO SECONDO ORDINI CHE RICEVERETE DA ALCOM SARDINIA ALT CAPT. CAVANI

- Cagliari 9 April 1945 - time 15,00 -

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Dato che l'attuale lavoro è limitatissimo e può essere svolto da altri due cifratori, proporrei che uno dei tre sottufficiali partisse Lunedì 16 corr. unitamente al plotone servizi della Commissione.

Il Capo Ufficio Cifra
(M.llo Fresu Giovanni)

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FROM MMIA

TO MMIA LO SARDINIA

SD 2580

REFERENCE YOUR Y 257 DATED 05. CONFIRMED THAT YOU WILL ACT AS GENERAL ALLIED COMMISSION L.O. IN ADDITION TO OTHER DUTIES BUT AIR MMIA WORK TAKES PRECEDENCE. ALLIED COMMISSION WILL MOVE ITALIAN CIPHER TEAM TO MAINLAND APPROXIMATELY 20TH APRIL

RESCRIPT 8 APRIL 1945 /rxc

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FILE: ALCOM

05 1650 APRIL 45

Precedence: PRIORITY Security Classification: CONFIDENTIAL

To: AMLA

From: AMLA LO SARDINIA SIGNED ALBERT Reference Number: Y 257

AICOM SARDINIA REGION INFORMED THIS OFFICE THAT COMMUNICATIONS AICOM SUB COMMISSION PROPOSES TO LEAVE THE SARDINIA ITI CIPHER TEAM UNDER CONTROL AICOM L.O., AND THAT I HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED AS AICOM L.O. (.) REQUEST CONFIRMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DUTIES.

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From: MMLA LO SARDINIA SIGNED ALBERT Reference Number: Y 257

AICOM SARDINIA REGION INFORMED THIS OFFICE THAT COMMUNICATIONS AICOM SUB COMMISSION PROPOSES TO LEAVE THE SARDINIA III CIPHER TEAM UNDER CONTROL AICOM L.O., AND THAT I HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED AS AICOM L.O. (.) REQUEST CONFIRMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DUTIES.

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Prepared by LESTER R. ALBERT LT COLONEL INFANTRY

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FROM MMIA

TO MMIA LO SARDINIA

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REFERENCE YOUR Y 256 (.) AGREED PROVIDING MESSAGES ARE NOT OF ABNORMAL LENGTH (.) PRESUME MMING WILL ARRANGE FOR ITS MAIL TO COME TO US FOR ONWARD TRANSMISSION

RESCRIPT 5 APRIL 1945 /roz

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
SARDEGNA REGION

5 April 1945

REFERENCE: HQ/1004

SUBJECT: Attachment of Cipher Team

TO: M.M.I.A. SARDINIA

By cable 4722 of 3 April 1945 from Headquarters, Allied Commission, ROME, Allied Commission Sardegna Region are ordered to attach their Cipher Team to you for the purpose of handling all shipping reports for as long as the traffic load warrants. The names of the three in the Italian Cipher Team are:-

Maresciallo	FRESU, Giovanni
Sergente Maggiore	CARUSO, Fernando
Sergente Maggiore	UGOLINI, Carlo

J. A. C. PENNYCUICK,
Colonel,
Regional Commissioner.

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PARAPHRASE

TO : ALCOM SARDINIA REGION

FROM: ALCOM HQ ROME

REF : ~~XXX~~ 4722 CITE ACCMN 3 APRIL 45

REFERENCE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION (CAPT WAGSTAFF - COL SCUDDER) OF 3RD APRIL, A CHECK WITH OUR SIGNALS OFFICE, WITH AFHQ AND LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION REVEALS THAT THE ONLY SIGNALS BEING SENT TO YOUR HEADQUARTERS IN ALLIED CIPHERS ARE THOSE SIGNALS ORIGINATED BY MMIA. MMIA PROPOSES TO LEAVE THEIR BRITISH CIPHER TEAM AND HERE WITH MMIA LIAISON OFFICER AFTER SARDINIA REGION CLOSE.

COMMUNICATIONS SUB COMMISSION PROPOSES TO LEAVE THE ITALIAN CIPHER TEAM WITH ALCOM LIAISON OFFICER FOR CONVENIENCE WITH SHIPPING REPORTS ETC FOR AS LONG AS THE TRAFFIC LOAD WARRANTS.

Received CAGLIARI 5 April.

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04 1630 APRIL 45

Precedence: ROUTINE Security Classification: RESTRICTED

To: MMIA

From: MMIA LO SARDINIA SIGNED ALBERT Reference Number I 256

MAJOR MATTHEWS, CHIEF SARDINIA MINING REGION A.C. REQUESTS THIS OFFICE TO SEND AND RECEIVE THEIR SIGNALS, APPROX 12 PER WEEK FROM THIS END (.) REPORTS ARE MADE TO A.F.H.Q. COAL SECTION, A.C. COAL SECTION AND MINING DIVISION (.) DO YOU AGREE TO ACCEPT THIS EXTRA LOAD QUERY CAN THEIR OFFICIAL AND PERSONAL MAIL BE FORWARDED THROUGH YOUR OFFICE QUERY

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IMPOUNDED PX SUPPLIES

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HDQS., ARMY EXCHANGE SERVICE, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army 2 July 1945

TO : MMIA Liaison Office, Sardinia, APO 394, U. S. Army.
ATT: Lt. Col. Lester R. Albert.

1. In accordance with 2nd Indorsement there are attached hereto the following remittances drawn in favor of certain civilians from whom Army Exchange merchandise was impounded:

Umberto Ceccarelli, Via Barcellona, No. 6 Cagliari	L. 120,936
Mario Bagella, Via Michele Coppino, No. 4 Sassari	L. 16,800
Galliano Bazzato, Via Bonaria, No. 96 Cagliari	L. 4,066

2. Attached to each check is a list of the items which were impounded. The amount due such individual has been computed at current selling prices. Also attached is a release which should be signed by each upon acceptance of the check.

3. It is requested that said releases be returned to this office when accomplished.

For the Theater Exchange Officer:

JOHN M. ZING,
Major, Infantry,
Fiscal Officer.

5 incls.
Check Fol 004055
" " 020925
" " 232842

4th Ind. LRA/vjt 180

LAND FORCES SUB COM., A.C. (MMIA), APO 394, U.S. Army, 12 July 1945

TO: C.O. Hq. Army Exchange Service, MTOUSA, APO 512, U.S. Army

1. Instructions in previous indorsement complied with.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt. Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

3 Incl.
Receipt by Umberto Ceccarelli (Trip)
Receipt by Mario Bagella (Trip)
Receipt by Galliano Bozzarto (Trip)

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REGIONAL OFFICE # V
U.S. Claims Service
APO #512, U.S. ARMY

RO File NO:_____ DCCONo:_____

SUBJECT: Restitution for confiscated U.S. Army merchandise

Informal Route Sheet. Number each memo consecutively. Fill in each column, initial memo, draw one line across sheet. Use entire width of sheet for long memos.

No	Date	From	To	
1	11 July 45	USCS Reg V	Chief Liaison Officer MGIA	1. Delivery of checks has been effected and releases obtained in compliance with procedure setforth in Paragraph 4, 2nd Indorsement.

Robert E. Zellar
Robert E. Zellar
Sgt., AUS
Investigator in Charge

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30 April 1945

Memo: Col. Albert.

Reference attached correspondence, re impounded PX Supplies, the following are the facts as I know them.

a. Maj. Fisher was Regional Public Safety officer and Provost marshall Allied Garrison Sardinia.

b. He became interested in the illegal sale of PX supplies, upon the closing of the local PX-397-1.

c. He caused to be raided, and confiscated about 1½ Ton of PX supplies, which the people said were bought by them from the PX officer 397-1.

d. Investigation disclosed that, supplies were not sold, but that they had been passed out for services rendered.

e. Maj. Fisher then took the matter up with Rtoma, with the result that a cable was received to return the impounded goods to Naples, and turn them in to Warehouse 1050, Exchange Service, Naples.

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If The above was done by maj. Forbes, on the departure of Gen Fisher for Sardinia. All supplies were loaded on the Abbazia and presumably brought to Naples by Maj. Forbes.

It All files pertaining to this matter were packed up and shipped to Rome AC Hq. to be placed in the Archives for record.

In my opinion, no further action is required except the proper filing of Communication for future record.

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Henry L. Reese
Civ Affairs.

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1st Indorsement to letter, Allied Garrison of Sardinia, HQ/FM/48, dated 19 February 1945, subject: "US Army PX Supplies on Sale in Cagliari Civilian Shops"

AG 331.3/502 IG-O 1st Ind /wp

HEADQUARTERS MTOUSA, APO 512, 16 April 1945.

TO: Commanding Officer, Allied Garrison Sardinia (US Cont), APO 397, c/o Allied Commission, Sardinia.

1. The matter contained in basic communication was referred to the Inspector General, this headquarters, and it was determined that sales of merchandise were not authorized.

2. Disposition of impounded supplies was directed in cable from Army Exchange Service to your headquarters, dated 23 March 1945, subject: "Impounded Army Exchange Service Merchandise."

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:

10 Incls
n/c

A. B. KING
Lt Colonel, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

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ALLIED GARRISON OF SARDINIA
Office of the Provost Marshal
APO 397

HQ/PM/48 | 19 February 1945

SUBJECT: U.S. Army PX Supplies on Sale in Cagliari Civilian Shops.

TO : Provost Marshal General, MTOUSA.

1. On 16 December 1944 this Office seized and impounded a quantity of Army PX supplies which were on sale to the general public in a shop located on one of the main streets of Cagliari and operated by one RAZZATO Galiano. It is learned that this shop opened for sale of PX supplies on 6 December 1944. The shopkeeper states that he purchased a portion of the supplies direct from the Post Exchange 397-1 and the balance from one Umberto CECCARELLI of Cagliari (See RAZZATO statement, Appendix A and "A" Translation). No reliable information is available as to the quantity sold to the general public during the ten days the PX supplies were on open sale.

2. On 22 December 1944, an additional quantity of PX supplies were seized from the warehouse of the above mentioned CECCARELLI and impounded. Subsequently, 160 - 12½ lb. cans of Ice Cream Mix were seized from a man at Sassari to whom CECCARELLI had sold them. These were also impounded. Signor CECCARELLI claims to have purchased all of this merchandise from Post Exchange 397-1 (See CECCARELLI statement, Appendix "B" and "B" Translation).

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3. A combined itemized list of the PX supplies impounded under Paragraphs 1 and 2 is appended (See Appendix "C").

4. RAZZATO Galiano and Umberto CECCARELLI were formerly associated with Army Exchange 397-1. The former states that he was employed by the Exchange from 7 February 1944 to 24 November 1944. CECCARELLI operated a Gift Shop which was known as the PX Gift Shop and, it is understood, paid a percentage of his gross sales for the privilege. He also rented to the Army Exchange equipment for making Ice Cream for which he received 10,000 lire

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5. A letter was sent from this Headquarters under date of 28 December 1944 to Army Exchange Service, APO 512, Ref: 1421, asking for information concerning the transactions referred to above to which was received an unsatisfactory reply under date of 7 January 1945. Copy of letter and reply are appended (marked appendices "G" and "H").

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6. The sale and transfer of the PX supplies to these civilians for re-sale to the general public appears to be contrary to the Provisions of AR 210-65 and PATOUSA Circulars Number 3 of 3 January 1944 and Number 55 of 16 March 1944.

7. Although handicaps imposed on this Office and Italian Police Agencies because of the open sale of PX supplies are self-evident, attention is called to the difficulties encountered in attempting to detect stolen articles or of restraining or discouraging Military personnel from disposing of such supplies to civilians. Burglaries of and thefts from billets of Allied personnel have been frequent, nine bags of Christmas mail were rifled in an APO mail-room burglary, and attempts to solve them by intercepting sales of stolen property have been unnecessarily complicated.

8. Questions presented are:

(a) were the above mentioned bulk sales permissable under the Regulations and Circulars then existing?

(b) May itemized invoices of the supplies sold to these civilians be obtained and forwarded to this Office ?

(c) what disposition is directed of the impounded supplies ?

FOR THE GARRISON COMMANDER:

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Karl W. Fischer

KARL W. FISCHER,
Major, AUS,
Provost Marshal.

KWF/vld.

Encl: 10 Enclosures.

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APPENDIX "A"

DICHIARAZIONE DI BAZZATO GALIANO

IO, sottoscritto, BAZZATO Galiano, dichiaro di essere nato a Venezia l'8/4/1896 ed attualmente abito in Via Bonaria 96, Cagliari.

Sono stato assunto come impiegato della PX (Spaccio Militare Americano) tramite il Tenente STERN in qualità di magazzinere. Nel magazzino ho svolto tutti i lavori ordinatemi inerenti allo spaccio ed incarichi di fiducia - come as esempio lo sballaggio della merce, l'esposizione in vari scaffali e la vendita. Sono stato anche incaricato, unitamente al BORIN Tommaso, della mansione di accatastare le scatole vuote, le bottiglie di birra vuote che venivano ritirate ogni mattina per ~~see~~ essere consegnate al Signor CECCARELLI, il quale fu autorizzato dal Maggiore Americano ADLER. Il trasporto de detta merce veniva fatto da certo MARCIALIS e da altra persona che non so come si chiama. Di tutta questa merce (casse di legno, casse di cartone e bottiglie vuote di birra) che il CECCARELLI prelevava, io percepivo un compenso di 500 lire mensile, che variava sino alle 1000 lire, a secondo del quantitativo ed un compenso di lire una per ogni bottiglia di birra vuota. Mi risulta pure che il Maggiore ADLER prima ed il Capitano CUPELLI dopo avevano dal CECCARELLI per detta merce una somma di lire 2.50 per ogni vuoto inoltre una somma che non conosco per ogni cassa vuota.

Allorché entrai allo SPACCIO (PX), mi fu assegnato una paga di lire 46.60 giornaliera e più il mangiare. Ma dopo sette mesi anziché del mangiare, mi fu dato un aumento di lire 20 giornaliere portando così la paga a lire 66.60 giornaliera. L'orario del lavoro che inizialmente era stato fissato per sei ore lavorative e stato poi aumentato in ore otto senza aumento alcuno di paga - e cioé anziche 46.60 icluso il mangiare, 66.60 escluso il mangiare. Ho iniziato l'impiego alla PX il 7 Febbraio 1944 ed ho terminato il 24 Novembre 1944.

Tramite ordine del Maggiore ADLER, ogni settimana ricevevo una razione di generi Americani uguale a quella assegnata agli Americani, escluso la birra, la Coca-Cola e tre pacchetti di sigarette. (Ricevevo soltanto 5 pacchetti di sigarette anziché 8). Questa razione veniva assegnata

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Ignoro l'esistenza di un buco nel muro collegando il negozio del Signor CECCARELLI al PX. Durante il mio impiego alla PX, non ho mai veduto lavori di muratura effetuati nella stanza magazziniera della PX.

Dal 1922 al 1940 ho trattato nel commercio del pesce a Venezia sino al'epoca in cui fui confinato in Sardegna per ragioni politiche.

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Dopo la chiusura della PX, ho contrattato con il Signor CECCARELLI per l'affitto del suo negozio in Via Mannu 59 perche mi venisse concesso per aprire un negozio di abbigliamento.

Ho comprato una quantità di merci della PX dal Signor CECCARELLI.

Durante il periodo del mio impiego con la PX, ho guadagnato dalle 400 alle 500 giornaliere vendendo i mozziconi di sigarette che raccoglievo in negozio, ogni sera.

Ho pure trattato affari con un mio nepote, BELLOTTI Vittoria, imbarcato sulla nave Genepesca - di cui ho ~~seguito~~ saputo in questi giorni che la nave e stata fermata ed il personale arrestato per contrabbando.

Non ho niente da aggiungere.

Firmato

BAZZATO Gaiano. 17..3

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY,

KARL W. FISCHER,
Major, AUS,
Provost Marshal.

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Non ho niente da aggiungere.

Firmato

BAZZANO Galiano. 1753

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY,

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STATEMENT OF BAZZATO GALIANO

APPENDIX "A"
(Translation)

I, BAZZATO GALIANO, declare that I was born in Venice on 8/4/1896 and that I now reside in Via Bonaria 96, Cagliari.

I was employeed by the American PX as a warehouseman on reccmmendation of Lieut STERN. While at the PX I performed all duties required of me and was a trusted employee. I was entrusted with the opening of crates of merchandise, the shelving of merchandise for display purposes and even the selling of said merchandise over the counter. Together with BONIN Tommaso, I was also responsible for the safe keeping of of empty boxes and empty beer bottles, items which were in turn given to Signor CECCARELLI by authority of Major ADLER. The transporting of these empty boxes and beer bottles was done by one MARCIALIS and another person whose name I do not know. For keeping all empty crates, cardboard boxes and empty beer bottles in the interest of Signor CECCARELLI, I received from 500 to 1000 lire per month as compensation, depending upon the quantity of said materials.

Signor CECCARELLI paid 2.50 lire for each empty bottle and a sum which I do not know for the empty boxes and crates. This money was paid to Major ADLER in the beginning and subsequently to Capt CUPELLI.

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By order of Major ADLER, each week I received a ration equal to that issued to American troops with the exception of beer, Coca-Cola and only 5 packages of cigarettes instead of the regular ration of 8 packages issued to American troops. This ration was issued to all employees of the PX at a price equal to that paid by the Americans.

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From 1922 to 1940 I was a fish merchant in Venice. I was then exiled to Sardinia for political reasons. When the PX closed, I was allowed to purchase between 1600 and 1700 lire worth of merchandise, excluding 902 lire for a pair of Officer's trousers and 150 lire for an Officer's shirt.

After the PX had closed, I contracted with Signor CECCARELLI at his store in Via Mannu 59 for the rental of that store as a clothing and notions establishment to be managed and owned by myself.

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To date, I have purchased a certain amount of PX supplies from Signor CECCARELLI. (Items sold by CECCARELLI to BAZZATO are included in Appendix "C".)

During the period of my employment with the PX, I made between 400 and 500 lire per day by selling cigarette butts which I picked up from the floor of the PX store each night.

I have also had dealings with my nephew, a sailor on the S.S. Genepesca named BELLOTTI Vittorio. I have recently learned that all personnel aboard the S.S. Genepesca have been arrested for contraband.

I have nothing further to say.

Signed:

Cagliari, 16 December 1944. BAZZATO GALIANO.

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Signed:

Cagliari, 16 December 1944.

BAZZATO GALIANO.

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APPENDIX "B"

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Dichiarazione del Signor UMBERTO CECCARELLI

"IO, sottoscritto, UMBERTO CECCARELLI, dichiaro di avere 50 anni ed abito in Via Barcellona No. 6, Cagliari, Sardegna.

"Sono proprietario del negozio sito ai numeri 45B, 45C e 45A in Via Roma ed in Via Barcellona No. 12, Cagliari. Questo negozio fu requisito dal Esercito Americano il 1° Gennaio 1944 per uso della PX (Spaccio Merci). In oltre al negozio furono pure requisite tutte le mobilie del negozio. Si trovavano pure 3 macchine per la manifattura del gelato nel negozio ma queste non eravano in efficienza. Le macchine del gelato rimasero nel negozio fino al 1° Giugno 1944 quando furono requisite dal Esercito Americano.

"La prima volta che io ho parlato con il Maggiore ADLER fu circa la metà del mese di Gennaio 1944, quando egli mi disse di andare in diversi locali e paesi per ottenere degli specchi, vetri etc. sempre per il negozio della PX. Io sono andato ed ho ottenuto quello che il Maggiore Adler mi aveva ordinato.

"Circa i primi di Febbraio 1944, quando il Maggiore ADLER mi chiese se avevo degli oggetti Sardi e ricordi paesani da vendere, io gli risposi di si. Dissi che avevo una certa quantità di questi oggetti, molti dei quali si trovavano a mia disposizione in altri paesi fuori di Cagliari. Allora fu che il Maggiore ADLER mi chiese se desideravo aprire il PX 1760 Gift Shop.

"Circa la metà del mese di Febbraio 1944, fu requisito il locale in Via Roma 45B, presso quello della PX, ed io ho aperto il negozio PX Gift Shop il 4 Marzo 1944.

"Vendevo gli oggetti che avevo già giacenti nei miei magazzini ed in più andavo a comprare altri oggetti simili nei diversi locali e paesi della Sardegna. Il prezzo di vendita degli oggetti era controllato, cioé, ogni oggetto veniva venduto al 20 percento in più di quello che mi costava e me. Il 10 percento di tutti gli incassi veniva versato alla PX. Questo sistema e continuato fino alla fine del mese di Luglio 1944, dopo il quale soltanto il 5 percento veniva versato alla PX con intesa che il 5 percento rimanente fosse

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"Quando andavo il compre di merci, usavo la mia macchina. Soltanto una volta mi fu data una piccola quantità di benzina perche dovevo andare a Castelsardo per il Gnerale stesso. Mi fu dato cinque gomme americane per la mia macchina con autorizzazione del Provost Marshal per circolare con queste gomme. Verso i primi di Novembre 1944, il diferenziale della mia macchina si guastò, allorché un soldato Americano portò la macchina in un garage Americano in Viale Trieses per riparala. Dopo quattro o cinque giorni mi recai a questo garage per prendere la macchina, trovandola senza gomme. Mi fu riferito che la gomme furono smontate e ricuperate per ordine del Ten. STERN.

"Durnate l'operazione della PX, non fui mai autorizzato

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a comprare merci dalla stessa PX. Soltanto due volte no comprato poca merce incluso due pacchetti di sigarette per ciascuna volta.

"Tramite intesa con la PX, io compravo le bottiglie di birra vuote, pagandole 4 lire ciascuna. Compravo pure scatole e pacchi vuoti che mi venivano venduti a peso. Ogni due settimane versavo dalle £ 1600 alle 2400 per i predetti pacchi vuoti. Quando queste scatole vuote venivano prelevate dal magazzino della PX, io non ero mai presente. Soltanto incaricavo un carettiere di trasportare le scatole dalla PX al mio magazzino sito in Via Diaz 113. Il sergente LANDER si interressava di conservare queste scatole per me. Riguardante le 3 macchine per gelati, ricevevo £ 10,000 al mese per il loro uso da parte della PX.

"Riguardante l'intese per l'operazione della PX Gift Shop, queste intese furono terminate circa il 25 Ottobre 1944. Poco prima della chiusura della PX, in data 25 Ottobre 1944, comprai un quantitativo di barattoli, tazze, misure, etc. per la confezione di gelati, versando una somma di £ 76,890 per tali oggetti. Questa moneta fu versata al Sergente LANDER.

"Quando il Maggiore ADLER era direttore della PX, mi disse che quando chiudeva la PX, mi avrebbe venduto tutta la merce rimanente. Il Colonnello MARTIRE, amico del Maggiore ADLER, mi aveva pure assicurato di questo. Allorche mi recai dalla Banca del Lavoro per prendere accordi riguardanti il versamento di due o tre millioni di lire alla mia persona, appunto per potere comprare la merce rimanente qualora la PX chiudesse.

"Invece alla chuisura della PX il 25 Ottobre 1944, tutti gli impiegati della PX furono adunati e gli fu concesso a tutti una buona quantità di merce. Io suggerivo che non fosse venduta troppa merce alsi impiegati perche non ci sarebbe rimasta abbastanza per me.

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"Versai una somma di circa 43;000 lire alla PX per tutta la merce da me ottenuta alla chiusura della PX. Di questa merce, ho

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soltanto venduto pochi pggetti a BAZZATO Galiano di un valore fra le lire 1500 alle lire 1800. Non mi ricordo l'ammonto preciso. Il valore della merce venduta al BAZZATO e calcolata al mio prezzo e non quello della PX. Lo stesso BAZZATO comprò un quantitativo di merce anche lui dalla PX alla chiusura. In più alla vendita del BAZZATO, ho pure venduto circa 300 o 400 lire di merce a certi miei amici.

"Comprai la crema per gelato dalla PX circa due giorni dopo la chiusura della PX. Eravano 54 scatole di crema contenenti 4 barrattoli ciascuno oppure 216 barattoli di crema, per i quali ho pagato lire 1400 alle lire 1500 per ciascuna scatola di 4 barattoli."

Testimoni

Pfc W. L. Da Lama

Firmato

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Statement of: UMBERTO CECCARELLI

"I, UMBERTO CECCARELLI, state that I am fifty (50) years old and live at Via Barcellona No. 6, Cagliari, Sardegna.

"I own a store located at 43B, 43C, and 45A Via Roma and Via Barcellona No. I2. This store was requisitioned by the United States Army on 1 January I944 for use as a PX. All the store furnishings and fixtures were requisitioned at the same time. There were three ice cream making machines in the store but they were not in working order. They remained there in the store until they were requisitioned by the Army on I June I944.

" The first time I talked with Major M.J. ADLER was around the middle of January I944. He asked me to go to different towns and pick up mirrors, glass and more fixtures for the store. I went out and found desks, cabinets, chairs, in fact everything they asked for.

"Around the beginning of February I944, Major ADLER asked me if I had any souveniers etc. to sell. I told him I had a supply, some of which was located in other towns. Major Adler then asked me if I would like to open a gift shop.

"The store at 45B, Via Roma, was requisitioned about the middle of February I944. I opened the store on 4 March 1944.

"I sold the souveniers etc. that I had and then I bought other thing around the island. The selling price was controlled, the purchase price was being marked up 20 percent for the selling price. Ten percent of the gross sales or gross income was paid over to the PX. This arrangement was continued to the last of July I944.

"Then the pay-over to the PX. was based on five percent of the fross income but when sales were made to American troops the price was decreased by five percent.

"I used my oun car all the time in going around the island to buy things for the PX. gift shop. I was only given gasoline on one occasion when I went to Castelsardo for the General. I was given five American tires for my car. I received permission from the Provost Marshal to us[illegible]

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"During the operation of the PX, I was not authorized to purchase anything at the PX. On two occasions I did buy a small ration including two packs of cigarettes each time but that was all.

"I had an arrangement with the P X. to purchase the empty beer bottles at four lire each. I also bought the boxes, cartons which were sold to me by weight. I paid every two weeks for them. The bill ran from £ I600 to £ 2400 every two weeks. I was not present when the boxes were removed. I would

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hire a horse and cart and Sgt. LANDER would handle the removal. The boxes were carted to my warehouse at Via Diaz 113.

"With reference to the tree ice cream machines I received as rent £ 10,000 each month from 1 June to 31 October 1944.

"With reference to the arrangement for operating the PX. Gift Shop, this arrangement was terminated on or about 25 October 1944.

"Shortly before the closing of the PX, which was on or about 25 October 1944, I purchased ice cream cans, cups, scoops, etc., for £ 76,890. This money I paid over to Sgt. LANDER. This was two days prior to the closing of the PX.

"When Major ADLER, was at the PX, he told me that when the PX would close I could buy everything that was left. Colonel MARTIRE, who;was a friend of Major ADLER, also told me this. I consequently went to the Banca del Lavoro and got assurance that I could borrow two or tree million lire if I needed it.

"But on the closing at the PX, which would be the 25th of October 1944, all the employees of the PX were called together and were sold a liberal ration. I told them to go easy selling so much or there would be nothing left. Soap and chocolate were finished.

"I purchased all the broken merchandise that was left. There were other full unbroken cases but I was not allowed to purchase these - only the broken lots. There were certion things that I did not buy.

"I purchased these items over a period of several days. When the PX had closed and they were crating merchandise to ship away, after a box had been filed and nailed, if there was merchandise left over of a particular kind that was in the box, that the box would not hold, I would be called in and asked whether I wanted to purchase what remained. I did not receive an invoice or receipt for the items I purchased. I asked Capt. CUPELLI for an itemized list of what I bought but he said that he had to move quickly and did not have time. He did, however, come to my apartment and my warehouse to see where I had the merchandise stored and wrote a letter authorizing me to have this merchandise in those two places. I went to the Italian Police and asked them if I could sell this merchandise and they said yes, on the basis of Capt. CUPELLI'S letter.

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"Since I purchased these items at different times, I do not know the exact amount which I paid for them but the approximate figure is about £ 43,000, excluding the ice cream mix. Of the merchandise I bought I sold about £ I500 to £ I800 worth of goods to BAZZARO Galiano.;I don't remember precisely the amount but I will look for the bill. The value was at my price and not the PX'S. BAZZATO bought a considerable amount of merchandise at the PX himself. Aside from my sale to BAZZATO, I sold about 300 or400 lire worth of goods to friends.

"I purchased the Ice Cream Mix at the PX a day or two after the PX closed. There were 54 boxes of four cans each or 2I6 cans. I paid about I4 or I5 dollars for each case of 4 cans.

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Witnesses

PFC W. L. DA LAMA

Signed

UMBERTO CECCARELLI

Personally appeared before me, UMBERTO CECCARELLI, deposes and says and solemnly swears that the above is a true and freely given statement of the facts involved.

JOHN J. SCANLAN

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JOHN J. SCANLAN, 1st Lt., CMP.

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List of American PX supplies seized and impounded by this Office on 16th and 22nd December 1944 from Italian civilian merchants Umberto CECCARELLI and Galiano BAZZATO in Cagliari:

4		Rubber water bottles, complete with rubber tubing and nozzles.
1	Roll	Adhesive tape M/c
15	Rolls	White Cross Absorbent Cotton
22	Pairs	Scissors
25	Jars	Vaseline
2	Packs	Prophylactic Rubbers
57.6		Chemical Veneral Disease Kits "V Packets"
1	Can	Quinsana Foot Powder
58	Cans	Propert's Saddle Soap
3		Polishing Cloths
2		Shoe Brushes
3		Money Belts
15		Leather Sun-Glass Cases
10	Pairs	Sun Glasses (Condition good)
16	Pairs	Sun Glasses (Damaged)
22		Wrist Watch Bands
9	Decks	Playing Cards
46	Pairs	Shoe Strings
1150	Dozens	OD Buttons (in wax envelopes containing 1 Dz. each)
4		White Bath Towels
4		OD Bath Towels
34		Men's Athletic Supporters
43	Pairs	Men's Bathing Trunks
9	Ctns	Book Matches (50 booklets to the carton)
8		Evans Flameless Lighters
1		Spitfire Lighter
7		Tobacco Pouches
49		Pipe Filters
5	Boxes	Pipe Cleaners
28		Cigars
144	Plugs	Chewing Tobacco

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2		Shoe Brushes
3		Money Belts
15		Leather Sun-Glass Cases
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4		OD Bath Towels
34		Men's Athletic Supporters
43	Pairs	Men's Bathing Trunks
9½	Ctns	Book Matches (50 booklets to the carton)
8		Evans Flameless Lighters
1		Spitfire Lighter
7		Tobacco Pouches
49		Pipe Filters
5	Boxes	Pipe Cleaners
28		Cigars
144	Plugs	Chewing Tobacco
103	Bags	Beech Nut Chewing Tobacco
3	Packs	Kotex Sanitary Napkins
14	Boxes	Hair Pins
6	Cards	Bobby Pins
15	Packs	Tampax Sanitary Napkins
5	Boxes	Pond's Face Powder
5	Jars	Conti Facial Cream
16	Cakes	Face Rouge
6		Kotex Sanitary Belts
38		Hair Nets
10	Boxes	Stationery
1	Box	"Club Letters" Stationery
4		Note Pads

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3	Boxes/	White Envelopes (1000 per Box)
219		Lead Pencils with Erasers
9		Bottles Carter's Ink
24	Bottles	Marking Ink
11		Zenith Fountain Pens
41	Packs	Razor Blades (5 per package)
11		Shaving Brushes
8		Combs
15		Safety Razors
75	Tubes	Shaving Cream
11	Cans	Talcum Powder
1	Bar P and G	Laundry Soap
23	Bars	Klex Soap
2		Soap Boxes (Holders)
349		Tooth brushes
53		Finger Nail Clippers
148		Glass Mirrors (Army Kit shaving type)
1	Tube	Dental Cream
1		Simplex Razor
1		Tooth Brush Holder
56	Cans	Ice Cream Mix (12½ lb. Cans)?
25	Cans	Tomato Juice
9	Rolls	Life Saver Candy
2	Cans	Tomatoes ?
1	Pack	Mimeograph Paper (8½ by 10½) 500 Sheets
1	Large Roll	Heavy Manilla Wrapping ~~String~~- Paper
4	Large Rolls	Heavy Cotton Wrapping String
3		White Cotton Undershirts (GI)
1	Pair	Officer's Green Wool Trousers (New).

Impounded at SASSARI

160	Cans	Ice Cream Mix (12½ Lb. Cans). ?

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1	Tooth Brush Holder
56 Cans	Ice Cream Mix (12½ lb. Cans)?
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9 Rolls	Life Saver Candy
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ARMY EXCHANGE 397-I
APO U.S. ARMY

17 July 1944

CONTRACT BETWEEN ARMY EXCHANGE AND UMBERTO CECCARELLI

This is a contract between Army Exchange 397-I and Umberto Ceccarelli, here-and-after referred to as the leassor, for the rental of three (3) mchines used in the manufacture and storage of ice cream for the U.S. Armed Forces in Sardegna. For the rental of these machines, Army Exchange 397-I agrees to pay the leassor the sum of L 10000.00 per month. The rental fee includes full compensation of the use of these machines and normal wear and tear resulting therefrom.

Army Exchange 397-I is to maintain the machines during the term of this contract.

This contract may be canaelled upon ten (10) days written notice to the leassor by the Army Exchange 397-I.

This is not a contract with the Government or the Army of the United States.

Effective date of this contract I June 1944.

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A certified true copy
KARL W. FISCHER,
Major, AUS,
Provost Marshal

For Army Exchange 397-I:

(Signed) M.J. ADLER.

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This is not a contract with the Government or the Army of the United States.

Effective date of this contract I June I944.

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A certified true copy

KARL W. FISCHER,
Major, AUS,
Provost Marshal

For Army Exchange 397-I:

(Signed) M.J. ADLER.
M.J. Adler
Major, QMC

For Umberto Ceccarelli:

Witness (Signed) Edward J. Stearn.
Ist LT. QMC.

(Signed) Umberto Ceccarelli
Umberto Ceccarelli

Witness (Signed) Clarence J. Valuiri.
2nd. Lt. LT. Army.

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W A R E H O U S E I N V O I C E

ARMY EXCHANGE 397-1

397-1 Branch Date 23 Oct. 1944

QUANTITY DESIRED	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY ISSUED	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL PRICE	CHACK COL.
	Cans, Storage	12	6.417	77.00	
	" "	10	4.50	45.00	
	Cups Measuring	6	2.00	12.00	
	Scoops, Ice Cream	20	.37	7.40	
	Cups, Ice Cream	20	.15	3.00	
	Cups	11	.25	2.75	
				147.15	
	Cups	107,500	.0045	483.75	
	Lids	115?000	.0012	138.00	
				768.90	

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	Lids	115?000	.0612	768.90	

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Sold To.....APO.....

I have received and checked the merchandise listed above, and find quantities as issued correct.

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Name Rank ASN

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Major, AUS,
Provost Marshal

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ARMY EXCHANGE SERVICE
ALLIED GARRISON OF SARDINIA
U.S. ARMY

Cagliari, 5 November 1944

Il Signor Umberto CECCARELLI, Manager del nostro Gift Shop, al momento della chiusura dello spaccio Americano ha regolarmente acquistato e pagato la rimanenza delle merci esistenti alla chiusura.

Detta merce e ora situata in uno scaffale del l'appartamento di Via Barcellona, abitato dal Signor CECCARELLI, ed il rimanente in Via Diaz 113.

Pertanto la detta merce deve essere considerata as ogni effetto di sua legittima proprietà.

F'to D. A. CUPELLI
Capt C.A.C.,
Exchange Officer.

TRANSLATION of above

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Signor Umberto CECCARELLI, Manager of our Gift Shop, at the time of closing of the PX has regularly acquired and paid for the merchandise left over at the closing.

Said merchandise is now located in a bureau in Signor CECCARELLI'S apartment in Via Barcellona and part in Via Diaz 113.

Meanwhile, said merchandise must be considered, to all effects, as his legitimate property.

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Signed D. A. CUPELLI
Capt C.A.C.,
Exchange Officer.

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KARL W. FISCHER,
Major, AUS,
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APPENDIX "G"

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
SARDEGNA REGION

JJS/bcg

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28 December I944

SUBJECT: Sale of PX Supplies to Civilians.

To : Commanding Officer, Army Exchange Service, APO 5I2, U.S. Army (thru channels)

I. Information is urgently required at this office as to what authorization, if any was given to Post Exchange 397-I of Sardegna to sell merchandise in bulk to civilian sources for resale in the open market.

2. If specific items were authorized it would be appreciated if we could be furnished with an itemized list together with the cost thereof.

3. Information particularly desired with reference to any authoeized sales that may have occured at the time of closing this PX.

4. May information be furnished at the earliest possible date.

For Regional Commissioner:

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JOHN J. SCANLAN
Ist Lt., CMP
Regional Legal Officer

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For Regional Commissioner:

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JOHN J. SCANLAN
1st Lt., CMP
Regional Legal Officer

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Major, AUS,
Provost Marshal

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HDQS., MTOUSA, AMS, APO 512, U.S. ARMY. 7 January 1945

To : Headquarters Allied Commission, Sardegna Region.

1. The Exchange Officer of 397-I Exchange who was present at time of liquidation has informed this Section that matter referred to in basic has been cleared with your office.

2. During the liquidation broken lots of merchandise valued at approximately 500.00 was sold at resale prices to II Sig Umberto Ceccarelli, Manager of the Army Exchange Service Gift Shop, as compensation for services rendered during the period in which the Exchange was in active operation.

3. An itemized list of merchandise sold is not available from the records of this Exchange held in this office, however, the Exchange Officer imformed us that in addition to PX items, some locally purchased ice cream equipment, paper cups and ice cream mix were sold to the above individual.

For the Theatre Exchange Officer.

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Karl W. Fischer
KARL W. FISCHER,
Major, AUS,
Provost Marshal

JOGN M. ZIEG
Mjor, Infantry
Fiscal Officer

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FROM HQ ALCCM CITE CPTSC

TO MMIA LO SARDINIA

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REFERENCE YOUR Y 673. INSPECTOR OF CIVIL MOTORIZATION IS SOLE RELEASE AUTHORITY FOR NEW VEHICLES OF ITALIAN MANUFACTURE. OFFICIAL INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE FORWARDED

RESCRIPT 2 OCTOBER 45 /rrc

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26 1205 September 1945

ROUTINE

To: XXXXX Allied Commission Rome, Information MMIA

From: MMIA LO SARDINIA

Y 673

UNCLASSIFIED (.) Sardinia Fiat representative has informed us that instructions have been issued to release sale of new civilian cars made in Turin (.) No instructions have been received in this office to date (.) Request copy of these instructions (.) Also advise whether these instructions apply in Sardinia

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Prepared by A. F. D[illegible] CAPT INF

Authenticated by LESTER R. ALBERT LT COL INF

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IPW 1/4/1750 — 1st IND — JER/RT/bm

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Office of Civil Affairs Section, Italian Prisoners of War Division, 16 October 1945.

TO : Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub-Commission, Allied Commission, (M.M.I.A.) Allied Garrison Sardinia, APO 394, U.S.Army.

1. Credit Balances in respect of released IPW are paid by the Italian Authorities under the supervision of the Italian Ministry for Post War Assistance, (Ministero per l'Assistenza Post Bellica - Servizio Prigionieri di Guerra - Ufficio Finanziario, Corso Vittorio Emanuele 110, Rome).

2. Further information can be given to the ex PW in question at the local Italian "Distretto Militare", producing his Certificate of Credit Balance.

J.E. REGIS
Lieut.Colonel,CAC.,
Chief
IPW Division.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

9 October 1945

SUBJECT: Prisoner of War.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.

1. A local citizen, Zoccheddu Raimondo, has in his possession a Prisoner of War Certificate of Credit Balance for 260.53 dollars in U.S. Treasury "Trust Fund 218915 Deposit funds of Civilian Internees and Prisoner of War". The above was a prisoner of war in custody of the U.S. Government.

2. Please advise what steps have to be taken by above to secure this money.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

PRIORITY UNCLASSIFIED 30 OCTOBER 1945

TO CHIEF DISPOSALS OFFICER (ITALY) BRITISH EMBASSY - ROME

FROM MMLA LO SARDINIA Y 721

Reference your M.S.2 (.) Reference MMD 45/912/4/4 dated 28 September 45 regarding disposal 7,000 firebricks at Cagliari (.) Your signal not clear (.) This office leaving Sardinia on 6 November (.) Suggest contact the SANAC Works, Cagliari since they manufactured and still have firebricks (.)

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Authenticated by LESTER R ALBERT LT. COL. INFANTRY

Leslie R. Albert

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MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Typewriter Instructions

ARMY FORM C-2146 (Small)

Call | Srl. No. | Priority

- 5250 | ALS Sardinia

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

Originator

FROM (W) Chief Disposals Officer(Italy)
British Embassy - Rome -

For Action

Liaison Officer → Land-Forces S/C
Allied Commission (MMIA - Sardinia)

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Date - Time of Origin: 24 1600B

Office Date Stamp: ARMY UDF 24 10 45 V SIGNALS

Message Time of Receipt — GR —

Originator's No.

Unclassified M.S.2 @ Ref. MED 45/912/4/4 dated 28 Sept.45 regarding disposal 7.000 firebricks at Cagliari @ Please advise to whom the Italian Government should report to take over @

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

SIGNED L. Hoare Lt. Col.

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER

SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS
DEGREE OF PRIORITY

Time: THU 1690H 24 1515 GMT

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

22 October 1945

SUBJECT: Surplus Firebricks.

TO : Office of the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean Station.

1. Reference your letter Med.45/912/4/4 dated 20 September 1945 subject as above.

2. Inclosed is a copy of letter from the SANAC works, Cagliari dated 17 October 1945 supplying the information you have requested.

3. The SANAC Works, Cagliari were notified by letter on 15 September from this office to discontinue manufacture of firebricks.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

1 Incl:
Ltr S.A.N.A.C. dated 17 Oct 45.

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TRANSLATION GG/rro 20 OCT 45

S.A.N.A.C.
Soc. An. Naz. Argille E Caolini

Cagliari, 17 October 1945
Directorrs Office

Subject: Firebricks

TO LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (MMIA)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
APO 394, U.S. Army

Reference your letter dated 16 October, we confirm that we could not complete the order due to the fact that the British Administration did not furnish the designs or the models of the patterns not prepared. Herewith listed are the following patterns which are ready:

Pattern No.	Grade	Number Required	Number prepared
26 W	B	500	550
18C W	B	500	550
24 W	B	500	550
21 AW	B	500	550
21 B	B	500	550
387	B	500	550
20	B	500	550
391	A	500	550
392	A	500	550
393	A	500	550
394	A	500	550
395	A	500	550
396	A	500	550
397	A	500	550

Weight of c/m is 50,000 kg.

If the above should be packed, please furnish necessary lumber.

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S A N A C
Soc. An. Naz. Argille E Caolini
Cagliari, Viale Trieste, 188
/s/ Illegible

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SOC. AN. NAZ. ARGILLE E CAOLINI
ANONIMA CAPITALE LIRE 8.000.000 VERSATO
Sede Legale - Direzione Miniere e Stabilimento Refrattari - CAGLIARI
Sede Amministrative - GENOVA
Vp

IND. POST. GENOVA VIA CORNIGE 4 - CAGLIARI VIALE TRIESTE 181
TELEFONO: GENOVA N. 52-981 - CAGLIARI N. 23-74
INDIRIZZO TELEGRAFICO: "CAOLINO" GENOVA - CAGLIARI
C. C. I. GENOVA N. 6852 - C. C. I. CAGLIARI N. 1764
CODICE TELEGRAFICO: A. B. C. 5ª EDIZIONE

Cagliari, 17 Ottobre 1945.-

Ufficio Direzione

Riferimento Firebricks

TO
LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Barrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. ARMY

Con riferimento alla Vs/ 16 corr. con acclusa lettera Med.45/912/4/4 del 28/9/45 dell'Ufficio del Comandante in Capo della Regione del Mediterraneo; nel mentre ci permettiamo confermare ancora una volta che la mancanza di completamento dell'ordinazione è unicamente dipesa dalla mancata formitura da parte della Amministrazione Inglese dei disegni o modelli dei tipi ~~non approntati solo per questo motivo~~, segnaliamo qui di seguito gli estremi dei materiali pronti:

Patt. Numbers	Grade	Number required	Number prepared
25 W	B	500	550
180 W	B	500	550
24 W	B	500	550
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21 B	B	500	550
387	B	500	500
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391	A	500	550
392	A	500	550
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395	A	500	550
396	A	500	550
397	A	500	550

Il peso di cui sopra ammonta a circa Kg. 30.000

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ALLIED COMMISSION (A.M.I.A.)

Allied Garrison Sardinia

A.P.O. 394, U.S. ARMY

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Nell'eventualità che il materiale di cui sopra dovesse essere imballato preghiamo fornirci il legname indispensabile.=

Con osservanza:

SANAC
SOC. AN. NAZ. ARGILLE E CAOLINI
CAGLIARI - Viale Trieste, 158

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: Firebricks.

TO : S.A.N.A.C. Works, Cagliari.

1. Inclosed is a copy of letter MED.45/912/4/4 from the Office of the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean Station dated 28 September 45 subject Surplus Firebricks. The inclosed is self-explanatory.

2. Request that this office be supplied at once with the information requested in paragraph 2 of inclosed letter so that we may forward same to above without delay.

3. Also request that this office be informed that no more firebricks have been manufactured as outlined in our letter of 15 September 1945.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

1 Incl:
Ltr Med.45/912/4/4 dated 28 Sept 45

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Office of the Commander-in-Chief,
Mediterranean Station,
26th September, 1945.

Med.45/912/4/4.
THE CHIEF DISPOSALS OFFICER, MINISTRY OF SUPPLY, ROME.
THE LIAISON OFFICER, LAND FORCES SUB-COMMAND, ALLIED COMMISSION (ITALY), CASERTA.
(Copy to each)
(Copy to:
The Naval Officer in Charge, Naples).

SURPLUS FIREBRICKS

An order was placed with S.A.F.A.C. Oakland for 13,000 firebricks in 1944. Approximately 7,000 have been manufactured and are now surplus to requirements, and it is requested that the Chief Disposals Officer will arrange disposal.

2. The Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub-Command is requested to furnish details of quantities, platforms and situations of the items now available to the Chief Disposals Officer and to the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean, and to confirm that in accordance with Med.45/912/4/44 dated 1st September 1945, no further bricks have or are being manufactured.

Peter Cazalet
Capt. D.
Action

Rick
12 Oct

For [illegible]

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

15 September 1945

SUBJECT: Firebricks.

TO : S.A.M.A.C. Works, Cagliari.

1. Inclosed are copies of letters MED.45/912/4/4 and MED.45/912/4/4A from the Office of the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean Station, Allied Force Headquarters dated 1 September 1945 for your information and guidance.

2. The inclosed are self-explanatory and request that you discontinue manufacture of any quantities of FIREBRICKS outstanding on this order.

3. If there are any questions regarding this matter, please forward them to my attention.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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Office of the Commander-in-Chief,
Mediterranean Station,
Allied Force Headquarters.
1st September, 1945.

Med.45/912/4/4A.

THE LIAISON OFFICER, LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION,
ALLIED COMMISSION (MMIA), ALLIED GARRISON
SARDINIA, A.P.O. 394, U.S. ARMY.

FIREBRICKS FROM SARDINIA.

The attached copy of a letter addressed to the Allied Force Local Resources Section, is forwarded for information with reference to your letter of 23rd August 1945. It is requested that the firm may be instructed to discontinue manufacture of any quantities outstanding on this order.

Copy of this letter sent with our letter of 15 Sept. 45 TE

for ADMIRAL

Enclosure:

The Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean's Med.45/912/4/4 dated 1st September, 1945.

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Office of the Commander-in-Chief,
Mediterranean Station,
Allied Force Headquarters.
1st September, 1945.

Med.45/912/4/4.
THE CHIEFS OF SECTION, ALLIED FORCE LOCAL
RESOURCES SECTION, ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND.
(Copy to:
The Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission (AMGOT), Allied Garrison
Sardinia, A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army).

FIREBRICKS FROM SARDINIA

In July 1944, a letter (copy attached) was addressed to the then Allied Force Local Resources (Italian) Board in Rome, requesting that an order for the manufacture of 12,000 firebricks be placed with S.A.N.A.C. Sardinia. Owing to the very considerable delays that occurred with this order, requirements were met from other sources and with the recent alteration in conditions these bricks will be surplus to requirements. It would be appreciated therefore if you would investigate possible alternative services for these bricks and forward particulars of patterns and quantities which cannot be disposed of. It is noted from a letter dated 21st July 1945 received from the Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub Commission, Sardinia, that only 7,000 firebricks are ready, and he is being requested that the manufacture of the balance may be stopped.

[illegible] BOYLE

for COMMODORE ADMINISTRATION

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SUBJECT: Order for Manufacture of Fire Bricks from the S.A.N.A.C. Works at Cagliari.

FROM: The Principal Base Engineer Officer,
Staff of Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean.
Combined Headquarters, Naples.

TO: The Allied Forces Local Resources (Italian) Board,
Headquarters Allied Armies Italy,
Central Mediterranean Forces.
Rome.

Copies to: Captain Turner,
Industry and Commerce Division,
Allied Control Commission,
Region 6,
Cagliari, Sardinia.
The Assistant Director of Stores,
Staff of Commander-in-Chief Mediterranean
Allied Force Headquarters,
Caserta.

It is requested that you will place a further order with the S.A.N.A.C. Works in Cagliari for Fire Bricks for the Royal Navy.

2. Bricks are to be manufactured in accordance with Admiralty Specification of which the firm have a copy. The Grade "A" of Bricks required should contain not less than 41% Alumina ($A L_2O_3$) and Refractoriness of not less than 1730° Centrigrade. The grade "B" Bricks should contain not less than 37% Alumina ($A L_2 O_3$) and a Refractoriness of not less than 1710° Centigrade.

3. On completion of the order it is requested that the bricks may be carefully packed in strong wooden crates and despatched to the following address:-

The Superintending Naval Store Officer,
H.M. Dockyard.
Malta.

4. It is further requested that the account may be sent to me for settlement.

Central Mediterranean Forces.
Rome.

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5. A list of the patterns of bricks required with their grades is attached.

Sgd. ?

CAPTAIN (E)

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BRICKS REQUIRED

PATT. NUMBERS-	GRADE	NUMBER REQUIRED
1 A.W.	B	500
20	B	500
21 A.W.	B	500
21 B	B	500
24 W.	B	500
25 W.	B	500
32 W.	B	500
33 W.	B	500
180 W.	B	500
386 W.	B	500
307	A	500
391	A	500
392	A	500
393	A	500
394	A	500
395	A	500
396	A	500
397	A	500
398 W.	B	500
35 A.W.	B	500
34 W.	B	500
255 W.	B	500
387	B	500
12	B	500

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
AFHQ

Postal Address :
AFLRS, Rome Area
Allied Command,
CMF.
Telephone: ROME 66429.

LRS/311/38

SUBJECT : Firebricks from Sardinia.

TO : C-in-C Med.

5 Sept 1945

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter Med.45/912/4/4 of 1st September.

2. It is regretted that the disposal of surplus stores is beyond the scope of this Section.

3. The disposal of all surplus stores is a matter for the Joint Disposal Committee (see British Adm. Instruction No. 6 of 20 June 45).

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Miller H. Brown, Major, DAQMG,
for Chiefs of Section,
A.F.L.R.S.

MHB/dd

Copy to : Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub-Commission, Allied Commission (MMIA), Allied Garrison, SARDINIA, APO 394 U.S. Army.

SEP 8 1945

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (MMIA)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

23 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Firebricks from Sardinia.

TO : Office of the Commander-in- Chief
Mediterranean Station
Allied Force Headquarters

1. Reference your Med. 45/912/4/4 dated 28 July 1945 subject as above.

2. Upon checking again with S.A.N.A.C. we find that in November 1944, a shipment of timber and nails was received. At that time a request was made for 3 cubic meters of timber and 700 kg. of nails to be used for making the forms wider to manufacture the firebricks. However, S.A.N.A.C. only received 1.947 cubic meters of timber and 15 kg. of nails. This they maintain was not enough to make all the forms required.

3. At a later date, a request was made by S.A.N.A.C. for 4 cubic meters of timber and 250 kg. of nails for crating the firebricks ready for shipment. This is the amount of material required if firebricks are to be shipped crated.

4. In view of above, await further instructions before making necessary arrangements for shipment. 1/31

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt. Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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Office of the Commander-in-Chief,
Mediterranean Station,
Allied Force Headquarters.
28th July, 1945.

Med.45/912/4/4.

THE LIAISON OFFICER, LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION,
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A), ALLIED
GARRISON, SARDINIA.

FIREBRICKS FROM SARDINIA

The offer of assistance in your letter of 21st July 1945 is greatly appreciated.

2. In regard to paragraph 3 thereof, timber and nails for the packing of the firebricks in question were shipped from Naples to Cagliari in the Italian cruiser "DUCA DEGLI ABRUZZI" on 26th November 1944, in accordance with the request contained in Allied Garrison, Sardinia's message ACC 195 dated 9th November 1944 (copy attached for reference.).

3. It would be appreciated if S.A.N.A.C. could now be instructed to proceed with the packing of the firebricks and shipment to Naples consigned to the Base Supply Officer, Royal Navy, arranged. Advice of shipment is requested.

for ADMIRAL

Enclosure:

The Allied Garrison, Sardinia's message ACC 195 dated 9th November 1944.

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NAVAL MESSAGE.

For use in Cypher or Coding Office only.

Originators Instructions: (Indication of Priority. AIDAC. NOTWT For Exercise).

TO: C IN C ALLIED (R) ALLIED COMMISSION SARDINIA REGION

INTERCEPT GROUP

FROM: ALLIED GARRISON, SARDINIA.

Site ACC 195

Your 030205A and our 261211A to P.B.E.O.

Width of beams for packing 12" thickness 1½".

Timber for moulds, no reply received SANAC letter dated 28th September sent from this H.Q. 30th September. Require three cubic meters 12 by 1½.

= 091626A November

Book or Table to be used for		Initials of	Time of Receipt	
Cyphering or Coding.	Recyphering or Recoding.	Cypherer or Coder.	in Cypher or Coding Office.	Date.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

21 July 1945

SUBJECT: Firebricks from Sardinia.

TO : Office of the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean Station,
Allied Force Headquarters.

1. Reference your Ref. 45/912/4/4 dated 26 June 1945 subject as above.

2. We have checked with SAMAC, the local firm in charge of the firebricks, and find that there are approximately 7,000 firebricks ready for shipment, weight approximately 30 tons.

3. Request authority to ship and advise how bricks are to be shipped. In the past the bricks were shipped in wooden cases. If you desire to have them shipped in wooden cases, the local firm must have the wood and nails since these are not available in Sardinia. Otherwise the bricks will have to be placed loose in hold of ship.

4. Kindly supply us with the above information so that we may contact the local firm and assist in the shipment.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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Office of the Commander-in-Chief,
Mediterranean Station,
Allied Force Headquarters.
26th June, 1945

Med.45/912/4/4
THE HEAD OF THE ALLIED COMMISSION, SARDINIA REGION

FIREBRICKS FROM SARDINIA

no record of

With reference to the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean's Med.45/912/4/4 dated 29th May, 1945, information is requested when the firebricks will be despatched.

Work for bricklayers -
Naples -
Via Caldieto
30 Tons
7,000 Bricks - H.C. Office
phone 2182
2075 -

for ADMIRAL

written refractories
Capt. R.N.

JUL 19 1945
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Office of Civil Affairs Section, Italian Prisoners of War Division, 17 Oct 1945.

TO : Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub-Commission, Allied Commission (M.M.I.A.), Allied Garrison Sardinia, A.P.O. 394, U.S.Army.

1. PMG Section, AFHQ, has been requested to trace the money in question and to forward it to this Headquarters who will take care of onward transmission to the owner.

2. In case of future claims of the same kind it is requested to instruct the claimants to refer the matter to the "MINISTERO ASSISTENZA POST BELLICA, Servizio Prigionieri di Guerra, Ufficio Finanziario, Corso Vittorio Emanuele, 110, Rome".

J.E. REGIS
Lieut.Colonel, CAC.
Chief
IPW Division.

Capt Dr
action

Gave address to interested party

OCT 22 1945

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Mem. mee.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.N.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

21 September 1945

SUBJECT: Prisoner of War.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.

1. Enclosed is a copy of a hand-written receipt Cpl Major Ferdinando Puddu, ex prisoner of war, has in his possession and would like to collect his 70.00 dollars.

2. Will you kindly advise what steps if any should be taken to secure this money.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

Receipt returned 10 October 1945
Off

Via Deffenu, 67
Santa Lucia (Cagliari)

Allegato misc.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: Supply of Provisions to Italian Civilians.

TO : Sezione Autonoma di Commissariato Militare della Sardegna.
(Ufficio Vettovagliamento).

1. Your letter No. 1/8162/V Prot. dated 25 September 1945 to Airfield Allied Commander subject as above has been forwarded to this office.

2. This office has no knowledge of information on above since this was handled by organizations that have left Sardinia. Further, we have no information as to the location of the organization concerned or whether they have been demobilized; therefore, we are unable to supply any information on this matter.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
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LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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From :- R.A.F. Station, Elmas., C.M.F.

To :- Sezione Autonoma di Commissariato Militare della Sardegna.
(Uffiolo Vettovagliamento)

Date :- 5th.October, 1945.

Ref :- ELM/405/PC.

SUPPLY OF PROVISIONS TO ITALIAN CIVILIANS.

Reference your No.1/8162/V.a1 prot. dated 25th.September, 1945.

2. As the airfield was under the control of the American authorities at the time, your letter has been passed to M.M.I.A. Cagliari, for action, for the R.A.F. have no record of these transactions.

(W.R.BRYDEN)
Lt.Colonel, Commanding,
R.A.F.Station, Elmas.

Copy to:-

M.M.I.A.,
Cagliari.

OCT 8 1945

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From :- R.A.F.Station, Elmas, C.M.F.

To :- M.M.I.A., Sardinia.

Date :- 5th.October, 1945.

Ref :- ELM/105/PC.

SUPPLY OF PROVISIONS TO ITALIAN CIVILIANS.

Enclosed herewith is a letter from Autonomous Section Military Commission of Sardinia Supply Office requesting certain information re meal charges.

2. As at the time these claims arose Elmas was under American control, this Station has no record of any debits and it would appear to be an American responsibility.

3. Your investigation into the matter and replying direct to the originator would be appreciated by this Station.

W Brydon Lt col.

(W.R.BRYDEN)
Lt.Colonel, Commanding,
R.A.F.Station, Elmas.

Copy to:-

Sezione Autonoma di Commissariato Militare della Sardegna.
(Ufficio Vettovagliamento)

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Form :- AUTONOMOUS SECTION MILITARY COMMISSION OF SARDINIA.
Supply Office

To :- Airfield Allied Commander
Civilian Personnel's Office.

Date :- 25th September 1945

Ref. :- No. 1/3162/V Prot.

SUPPLY OF PROVISIONS BY THE ALLIES TO ITALIAN CIVILIAN.

The War Ministry in thier letter No. 2969/Sit dated 19.6.1945 notifies that the Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MMIA) has forwarded then several "Shipping Tickets" (debit notes) for meals consumed by Italian officers in Allied messes.

Amongst the officers' names, civilians, as per list attached, who partook of the above supplies are also included.

We beg your Command to ascertain whether civilians had the permission to partake of these rations and, if in the contrary, that steps be taken to recover the price of meals in accordance with the prices indicated on the list.

This command is to be informed of action taken in order that a reply may be forwarded to the War Ministry.

In view of the above the Areonautic Command of Sardinia which is interested in this matter was approached but with a negative result.

Awaiting an urgent reply.

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MEALS CONSUMED BY CIVILIANS IN OFFICERS' MESSES.

NAME	RESIDING	NO. OF MEALS	PRICE.	TOTAL.	PERIOD.	MESS.	SHIPPING TICKET.
Mameli Ubaldo.	Elmas. Air Base.	93	L.25.	L.2325.	July.44.	H.Q.42th.Bomb Wing Officer. Mess APO 650 Italian Air Port 601= Elmas Air Base.	Voucher 17 dated 8.8.44.
Mameli Ubaldo.	"	93	"	2325.	Aug.44.	"	V.22. d/d.8.9.44.
Benanzio Giacomo.	Caglieri	3	"	75.	" 44.	"	"
Campoiovio Giuseppe.	"	1	"	25.	" 44	"	"
Satta.		1	"	25.	May.44.	Albergo Castello (officer Billets) Sassari. H.Q.No. 310th.Series Group AP 650.	
Broth, G.		2	"	50	May.44.	"	
Broth, G.		1	"	25	May.45.	"	
Scano U.		2	"	50.	May.45.	"	
Viela, N.		1	"	25.	May.44.	"	
	TOTAL.	197.	"	L.4925.			
Proth, G.	Rat. of meals.	1	75.	75.	May 45.	"	
Spallanlaini Minister of Justice.		1	25.	25.	May.45.	Allied Officers Mess Elmas. Air Base 414 N.F. SQ. U.S.Army APO. 650	

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: Mobile Civilian Laborer.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, Rome.

1. A local citizen, Bolini Mariano, has in his possession a roster of Italian Mobile Civilian Laborer Camp dcy Off-P-A, Depot C-612, APO 562, U.S. Army dated 19 August 1945.

2. The order states that the above is due pay for 160 hours work which is the total they have worked during the month of August.

3. Since there is no Finance Office in Sardinia please advise what steps must be taken for the above to receive this money.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: Native of Egypt.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, Rome.

1. Inclosed is a copy of letter from Armando Rossi born in Alexandria, Egypt.

2. Will you please advise what steps have to be taken by above for his return to Egypt.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

1 Incl:
Copy of ltr from Armando Rossi dated 12 Oct 45.

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Allied Commission for Italy
in Sardinia
Cagliari

I, the sender, Armando Rossi of Augusto and Maria Montalto, born in Alexandria (Egypt) in November 17th 1916 and lived there from 1916 to 1939, year in which I was in Italy to study at the University of Rome when began the war and I had to remain in Italy. Having known from my parents, still living in Alexandria (Bismot street, 22) that British Government has provided to send again to Egypt all the Italians living there before 1932, I wrote to the Italian Foreign Office at Rome to suggest British Ambassade to provide for me.

Yesterday I was answered that I had to write to you for all necessary formalities.

I wrote to Acqui (Piemonte) to have again my passport which I had from Italian Consulate of Alexandria and by the "visum" of Egyptian authorities when I started from Egypt, and which I left in Acqui before I came to Sardinia.

As soon as it will arrive I shall be able to show it to you, if necessary.

So I beg you kindly to explain all necessary formalities for I, and my wife Maria Iole Gamma, born in Alghero (Sardinia) April 28th 1926 whom I married in 1943, we may go back to Egypt as soon as possible.

Waiting for your answer, I thank you

Faithfully

Alghero, October 12th 1945

/s/ Armando Rossi
Via Sassari 8
Alghero
(Sardinia)

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TRANSLATION GC/rrc 5 JUNE 45

TO: Allied American Hq - CAGLIARI.

I, the undersigned, Piras Mariuccia, daughter of Salvatore and of Ari Antonietta, born and living at Assemini, am applying to your Hq for the following reasons:

I was engaged to Will G. Davis, 34864127 - 2008 QM Truck Co APO 514/513 S.I. 10 PM New York, N.Y. during his stay in this town - Decimo-Assemini Airfield - Cagliari - Sardinia since he promised and guaranteed me that he would marry me; I had a baby boy who is waiting to be legitimatized by him as well as I am waiting to be married by him.

For the above reasons, the undersigned begs your Hq to send him on furlough to enable him to keep his promise as a good American, like the undersigned treated him as a good Sard and Italian.

Hoping that my request be fulfilled, I take the advantage of giving you my best regards.

/s/ Piras Mariuccia

Assemini - 4 June 1945
Address: Piras Mariuccia di Salvatore
Via Gorizia 15
Assemini (Cagliari) Sardegna

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Personal letters returned to Piras Mariuccia 16 Oct 1945. DJD

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

9 October 1945

SUBJECT: Prisoner of War.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.

1. A local citizen, Zocchedda Raimondo, has in his possession a Prisoner of War Certificate of Credit Balance for 268.68 dollars in U.S. Treasury "Trust Fund 218915 Deposit funds of Civilian Internees and Prisoner of War". The above was a prisoner of war in custody of the U.S. Government.

2. Please advise what steps have to be taken by above to secure this money.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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Allow me

07 1830 OCTOBER 1945

ROUTINE

To: ALCOM CITE ACDFR

From: MMIA LC SARDINIA

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UNCLASSIFIED (.) Reference your 6332 dated 1 October (.) There are 3 Russian citizens residing in Sardinia as communicated by High Commissioner

Authenticated by LESTER R. ALBERT LT COL IIF

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High Commissioner

Authenticated by LESTER R. ALBERT LT COL INF

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Da : H.C.

TO : MMIA.

03095/Cabinet. Come da ~~~~ precedente telefonica / comunicazione intercettazione addebito / Russo attualmente in Sardegna:

1. MANTHITINA Maria = Cagliari
2. GRISCENKO Carlo = Sassari
3. SCHEIKSAMAULI, HLESCHER=BEIZAMANOFF = Sassari

ft. H.C = Gen Pennino

Agt Gallo
F. Di Pinto

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Sgt. Maj. Reginald L. Sinclair
— blouse
— overcoat
— shirt, wool
Sgt. Maj. Isaac Greenwich
— sweater
— 2 prs socks
— 3 handkerchiefs
Sgt Maj. Delphine Berdichevich
— overcoat
— blouse
— sweater
— shoes, 1 pr

1 OCTOBER 45 ROUTINE RESTRICTED

FROM ALCOM CITE ACDPR

FOR ACTION LIAISON OFFICE AC SARDINIA

6332

PLEASE MAKE ENQUIRIES WHETHER THERE ARE ANY SOVIET CITIZENS OR RUSSIANS RESIDING IN SARDINIA AS THIS INFORMATION IS URGENTLY REQUIRED

CABLE YOUR REPLY

RESCRIPT 2 OCTOBER 1945 /rrc

phone 3829 - ~~Dr Pinto~~ =

spoke with Dr. Pinto :

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From Ltd

Ltd Cagliari Roma 187/1029 63 345 =
Ald for action Liaison office allied commission
Sardegna cagliari = ref our 6332 date 7 october
1945 routine restricted ltd para one ltd please
make enquiries wherever here are any displaced persons
or refugees residing in sardegna at this present time
is urgently required ltd para to for action Liaison
office allied commission sardegna from allcom
situation para para two ltd cable over reply =

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243 1st Ind. /egs

OFFICE OF THE FINANCE OFFICER, 47th Finance Disbursing Section, Southern District, PBS, APO 782, U. S. Army, 25 September 1945.

TO: Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission (M.M.I.A.) Allied Garrison Sardinia, APO 394, U. S. Army.

1. Records of this office indicate that a Bank of Naples money order in the amount of 5,000 Lire ($50.00) for the month of June 1945, has been mailed to Antonia Tyler, in care of Dott. Engrs Nino Gallus, 45 Via Firenze, Prov. Cagliari, Sardinia, on 5 September 1945.

2. A money order for the month of July 1945 will be mailed to the above mentioned allottee as soon as this office receives receipts acknowledging receipt of payment for the month of June 1945.

3. The voucher authorizing the payment for the month of August 1945, has not as yet been received by this office.

For the Finance Officer:

R. A. De Muth,
W. O. (jg) F. D.,
Assistant

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phone: 3369

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

13 September 1945

SUBJECT: Mrs. Tyler Antonia, in care of Dott. Engrs. Nino Gallus, 45 Via Firenze, Cagliari (Sardinia).

TO : Office of the Finance Officer, 47th Finance Disbursing Section, Southern District, PBS, APO 782, U.S. Army.

1. Subject lady, wife of an American serviceman, came to this office with the complaint that she has not received her dependency allotment for months of June - August 1945 inclusive, and that she has not received at any time for child born on 26 February 1945.

2. The above information is forwarded for any action you may desire to take.

SEP 17 1945

Lester R. Albert

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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OFFICE OF THE FINANCE OFFICER
47th Finance Disbursing Section
Southern District, PBS
A. P. O. 782, U. S. Army

/co

TYLER ANTONIA
in care of Dott. Engrs. Mino Gallua
45, Via Firenze
Sardinia, Prov. Cagliari
Italy

JUL 11 1945

Questo Ufficio ha ricevuto la vostra lettera in risposta alle nostre indagini. A seguito della vostra richiesta vi rimettiamo alligato un assegno No.233839 per l'importo di Lire 10.000.

Allighiamo alla presente due moduli di ricevuta No.2820, 3006. Vogliate gentilemnte firmare il vostro nome sull'originale e sul duplicato dellericevute, indicando altresi' il vostro indirizzo, e ritornarle al nostro Ufficio nell'unita busta che gode di franchigia postale.

E' della massima importanza che originali e duplicati delle ricevute siano firmati da voi e ritornati aquesto Ufficio, poiche' tutti i pagamenti futuri saranno tenuti sospesi fino a che questo Ufficio non sara' venuto in possesso dellericevute in parola.

Distinti saluti.

For the Finance Officer:

R. A. DE MUTH
W.O. (jg). F.D.
Assistant

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should receive from us: 1 letter
" " " " 1 check
" " dated: 26 February

Translated by the Dept.

TERRITORIAL Police of GOER
Dock station

Report 161
Subject: Report against Ronelli Raffaele for violating article 120 of the penal code and for insulting the GOER Orange Sergeant and Carbot against Pole Agostino Ruggeri Pietro And Orru Antonio for theft against the Allies ,art 625 of the penal code;

To : The prosecuting attorney
The port Boss
Chief of the police;

As of 31 sept, at about 10 ,30 hours the Sergeant Ronelli Raffaele head of the Italo Guzmolo and mother Zanfranelli Teresa born in Civitavecchia on 16 October 1899 and living in Ospizzi 16 Viale Street ,commanded upon instructions from his own authorities a train into the port of Ospizzi. The train was supposed to load coal for the railway administration.

When the train arrived at the gate site the GOER Sergeant Giovanni remarked to the engineer that the train should have been stopped so to leave a passage for the vehicle.

At the remark of the GOER Ronelli insulted the GOER Sergeant and the Firenze Guard on duty at the same entrance here Giorgio with the following sentence " Stiticchi up your ass" and in the meanwhile started to move the locomotive.

The GOER tried to stop the train but Mr Ronelli did not seem to understand and the GOER could stop the train only sticking his rifle and pistol against the engineer ,Mr Ronelli stopped the train and the police escorted the train Afterwards the train left without any further incident;

Ronelli was not arrested for insulting the GOER only because he could not be substituted in his work ,

At about 21,30 Ronelli came back with only one wagon and he stopped regularly to have his train searched.The GOER Sergeant noticed at once that in the wagon there was some cotton belonging to an Italian address and as neither Ronelli or Signora Locomotive, Ruggeri Pietro,Orru Angelo,could give any information on this material it was placed at the disposition of the writer, An investigation to prove that the cotton belongs to an Allied address which was stolen and the owner of which as it can be found ,

The thieves broke the lock before it was loaded and under the supervision of the GOER Sergeant 1975
addresses were stolen for an approximate value of 500,-the above named persons have been questioned and they were not able to give any information on the matter to the policemen and it is not possible to say whether they are guilty or not ,also because some circumstances are favorable to them.

1, The wagon on which the cotton was found had been in the port since the 28th and which open air empty it is presumed that the thieves promptly put sacrifice stole the suitcase and put the cotton in the said car,

2, It would not have been easy to steal the suitcase in question during the day

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At the remark of the CCRR Bonelli insulted the CCRR Stangoni and the Finance Guard on duty at the same entrance Doro Giorgio with the following sentence " Stickit up your ass" and in the meanwhile stared to move the locomotive. The CCRR tried to stop the train but mr Bonelli did not seam to understand and the CCRR could stop the train only sticking his rifle and pistol against the engeneer .So Bonelli stopped the train and the police searched the train Afterwards the train left without any further incident.

Bonelli was not arrested for insultin the CCRR only because he could not be substituted in his work .

At about 17.30 Bonelli came back with only one wagon and he stopped regullary to have his train searched.The CCRR Stangoni noticed at once that in the wagon there was some cotton belonging to an American matress and as neither Bonelli or Capuano Leonardo, Ruggeri Pietro,Orru Angelo,could give any information on this material it was picked up and put at the disposition of the writer. An investigation has shown that the cotton belongs to an Allied matress which was stolen and the cover of which could not be found .

The thieves broke the bale before it was loaded and other six or seven matresses were stolen for an approximate value of $200. The above named persons have been questioned and they were not able to give any information on the cotton found in the railroadwagon and it is not possible to say wether they are guilty or not .Also because some circumstances are favorable to them.

1. The wagon on which the cotton was found had been in the port since the 21st and beinb open and empty it is presumed that the thieves probably port workers stole the matress and hid the cotton in the rail car.

2 It would not have been easy to steal the matress in question during the day because of the CCRR on duty and because it was necessary to break a bale of wood making considerable noise.

Afterthese considerations it is not to exclude that the theft might have been made by port workersvery clever in this kind of work,and after they probably hid the cotton in the empty freight car.

Bonelli denies to have insulted the CCRR and this is also confirmed by the fireman Capuano .This does not agree with the statements of the CCRR Stangone and the finance guard DORO who say that they clearly heard the insult.

For all the above we have made the present repport in quadruplicate for each one of the organizations in the adress for what they are concerned.

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s/ Emilio Simoncini

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Translation EF/roz 29 August 45

Colonel Albert MMIA Cagliari

We dare disturb you so that you can give your opinion about what has happened and if you think it convenient to stop the injustice that has fallen upon us.

On 22 June 1944 we were working on the railroad cars at the port. These railroad cars were going into the port with pigment that was to be loaded on the Albazia. We stopped at the entrance because the railroad was blocked by a truck. The Carabinieri on duty ordered the Engineer to go back. The Engineer tried to explain that this was not possible and the Carabinieri thinking he had been offended pulled out his revolver and ordered the Engineer to remain at his disposition. Then Mr. Marini Marco of the railroad car stopped and said to the Engineer to get in the locomotive and as soon as the railroad was cleared to take in the road cars that were urgently needed to load the ship. The Carbinieri said that when the train would come out he would search the train to teach us how to live. At the exit we stopped and while the Carabinieri had the rifle pointed at us a Royal Finance Guard searched the train. In a car he found some cotton that had been stolen as he stated from some U.S. mattresses that were in the port. Brigadiere (Sgt. of the CC.RR) took over the matter and invited us to follow him to his Headquarters. The Warrant officer commander questioned us and although Mr Marini explained that we could not have stolen anything, he denounced us for continued theft against the Allies.

There are witnesses as Mr La Rose of the Navy Agency and Mr Marini of the railroad car that can testify that the mattresses disappeared the day before. All the above happened. It is presumed that the thieves of the covers had concealed the cotton in the wagon. We have worked in the port since the Allied troops have landed in Sardinia and both when at the railroad center there was Captain Rohel and later Captain Watson. They never complained about us, but instead for our good services had our administrations give us a special allowance. We hope that you will kindly consider our situation and provide according to justice. We do this with the same faith with which we have always felt ourselves protected by the U.S. Officers and Enlisted men whom we have contacted since November 1943

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/s/ Foie Agostino
/s/ Ruggeri Pietro
/s/ Orru Angelo
/s/ Capuani Leonardo

1st. Ind.

LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MMIA) APO 394, U.S. ARMY, 31 August 1945

TO: Commanding Officer, CC.RR. Legion Sardinia

1. Request you make an investigation of the alledged mistreatment mentioned in the basic communication and report the findings to this office.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt. Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

File: Memoranda.

Al Signor Col. Albert

Capo della M.M.I.A.

Ci permettiamo disturbare Voi perchè ciò che Vi esporremo venga da Voi giudicato e se lo ritenete necessario far si che l'ingiustizia a cui dobbiamo sottostare non abbia per noi un seguito che potrebbe nuocerci nell'impiego.=

Il giorno 22 - 6 - corrente anno ci trovavamo di servizio alla manovra dei carri ferroviari al porto. Provvenienti dalla stazione con una lunga colonna di carri di pigmenti diretti all'imbarco sul Piroscafo Abbazia;ci fermammo all'ingresso del porto perchè il binario era ingombro da un automezzo. Il carabiniere di servizio ordinò al macchinista di retrocedere,ma questi gli spiegò l'impossibilità,al che il carabiniere ritenendo d'aver udito una frase offensiva contro di lui,estratta la pistola fece scendere dalla macchina il macchinista dicendogli di rimanere a sue disposizioni. Allora intervenne il Signor Marini Marco del Carro ferroviario,ordinò al macchinista di risalire in macchina e appena sgombrato il binario dall'automezzo,di riprendere la manovra urgendo i carri per l'imbarco. Il carabiniere ci disse che all'uscita del porto ci avrebbe perquisito il treno e se vi avesse trovato qualcosa ci avrebbe arrestati per insegnarci a vivere.

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possono testimoniarlo che i materassi in porto erano già spariti dal giorno
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avendo rubato le federe,per nascondere l'imbottitura l'abbiano messa dentro al vagone.

Noi sin dal giorno dello sbarco delle Vostre Truppe in Sardegna si è pre- pr stato servizio al porto, e sia quando al carico ferroviario c'era il Capitano Rohel e poi il Capitano Matson,mai si sono dovuti lagnare di noi, anzi per il nostro buon servizio e per la nostra onestà ci fecero avere una gratificazione dalla nostra Amministrazione.

Riponiamo tutta la nostra speranza nel benevole intervento sulla facenda da parte della S.V. con la stessa fiducia con cui ci siamo sempre sentiti protetti da tutti gli Ufficiali e soldati americani che hanno avuto contatto con noi fin dal novembre del 1943.

Fois Agostina Fois
Ruggeri Pietro Ruggeri
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TERRITORIAL LEGION OF CCRR
Dock station

Repport 151
Subject: Repport against Bonelli Goffredo for violating article 650 of the penal code and for insulting the CCRR Stango Giovanni and repport against Fois Agostino Ruggeri Pietro And Orru Antonio for theft against the Allies .art 625 of the penal code.

To : The prosecuting attorney
The port Hqs
Chief of the police.

As of 21 sept. at about 16 .30 hours the engeneer Bonelli Goffredo next of kin fathe Gesualdo and mother Zanganelli Teresa born in Civittavecchia on 16 October 1899 and living in Cagliari La Plaia Street ,conducted upon instructions from his own authorirties a train into the port of Cagliari. The train was supposed to load coal fob the railway administration.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AC/14057/PS

5 September 1945

SUBJECT : Pietro Arghittu

TO : Liaison Officer, Land Forces S-C.
Allied Commission (MMIA), Allied Garrison,
Sardinia, - APO 394

1. Reference your letter of the 27 August 45, above subject, no reference.

2. Capt. Perrett has left this theatre for discharge and therefore cannot be contacted.

3. The records of the former Sardinia Region, presently held by Archives this HQ, fail to disclose any information as to the whereabouts of the passport and naturalization certificate in question.

4. It is regretted, therefore, that no further action can be taken in this matter by this HQ.

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for JOHN T. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director/

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

27 August 1945

SUBJECT: Pietro Arghittu.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, Rome.

1. Pietro Arghittu is a Canadian citizen living at Via S. Sabina, 42 A, Pattada, (Sassari).

2. The above was in to see Captain R. A. Perrett, Public Safety Officer in Sassari in May 1944 for some assistance. In an attempt to help, Capt Perrett took the above's passport No. 101569 and Naturalization Certificate No. 9629. Pietro Arghittu has a receipt No. K 661260 signed by Capt Perrett for these two (2) documents dated 10 May 1944.

3. Signor Arghittu is very anxious to get his Passport and Naturalization Certificate. Will you kindly check and have same sent to this office for delivery.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

13 September 1945

SUBJECT: Letters from Civilians.

TO : U.S. Claims Service, Regional Office V, APO 512, U.S. Army.

1. Inclosed are two letters from Italian civilians on matters pertaining to your office.

2. Forwarded for any action you desire to take.

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LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

2 Inclosures:
2 Letters from Italian Civilians.

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Translation EF/roz 11 Sept 45

TO : AMIA Liaison Office for Sardinia Cagliari

I the undersigned, Santoru Giovanni of Salvatore, 60 years old, heavy worker living at Macomer (Prov. of Nuoro) Lia La Marmora - 5 father of the Engineer Corps Serviceman Santoru Matteo class 1924 belonging to the 210th Combat Group 305 Engineer Depot Company APO 179, Kindly request your office to accept the present and see if anything can be done to get the allowance due to families of soldiers.

This allowance was granted for the above son Matteo since 26 March to 3 April 1944 by the Commune of Macomer - Nuoro Book 1360 and on this last date the allowance was suspended. We do not know on whose instructions this was done, the soldier being present at his unit.

As the father who puts in the request has 7 children alive and who depends on his son and is without anything and lives by his daily pay, the cancellation of the allowance of 17 lire per day is very bad for the family.

I trust that you will forward this request and I thank you.

Macomer 8 September 1945. /s/ Santoru Giovanni 1737

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LEA/roz
SARDINIA DETACHMENT LAND FORCES SUB COMM AC(AMIA) US ARMY 11 SEPT. 45

TO : Commanding General, Territorial Office for Sardinia.

1. Forwarded as a matter pertaining to your office.

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LESTER R. ALBERT.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

10 September 1945

SUBJECT: Bail - Morello Giovanni and Sotgiu Vincenzo.

TO : Commanding Officer, 63 Staging Post, RAF, Elmas.

1. Have informed the Procuratore del Regno, Cagliari. Sardinia that S.I.B. informed your office that there is no objection to the above named being granted bail.

2. For your information ALCOM advised this office by signal number 4644 dated 1 September 45 as follows: "Question of bail and amount is entirely for the Tribunal trying the accused".

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LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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Al Signor Procuratore del Regno
Cagliari

Oggetto: Concessione libertà provvisoria Vincenzo Sanna e Merello Giovanni

Con riferimento alla conversazione fra noi intervenuta in relazione alla pratica in oggetto, mi pregio comunicarLe quanto scrittomi dal Colonnello Bryden, Ufficiale Comandante della R.A.F. di Elmas, in data 8 corrente:
"Siccome le indagini riguardanti la perdita di benzina alleata nella quale i "sunnominati erano coinvolti sono ora al completo, la S.I.B. informa questa S"Stazione che non vi è obiezione che i sunnominati vengano rilasciati in li="bertà provvisoria. Si suggerisce peraltro che la concessione del beneficio venga subordinata al pagamento del valore al prezzo corrente della quantità di benzina implicata, e ciò a titolo di cauzione.

Ciò stante, poichè la condizione da Lei richiesta per la concessione della libertà provvisoria si è ormai verificata, sarà gradito conoscere la determinazione che Lei andrà ad assumere in merito.

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TO: Procuratore del Regno - Cagliari.

SUBJECT: Bail for Merello Giovanni and Sotgiu Giuseppe

With reference to our conversation regarding subject case, I am transcribing herewith what was written to me by Gol Bryden, C.O. RAF, Elmas on 8 September:

"As investigations into the loss of Allied petrol in which the above named were involved have now been completed, the S.I.B. inform this station that there is no objection to the above named being granted bail".

It is suggested , however, that bail be granted which will be equivalent to the value of the current price of the quantity of petrol involved.

And therefore, since the conditions that you requested to grant bail have been verified, I would like to know what action you will take in this case.

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Al Signor Procuratore del Regno
Cagliari

Oggetto: Concessione libertà provvisoria Sotgiu Vincenzo e Merello Giovann

Faccio seguito alla conversazione avuta con Lei i giorni scorsi in relazione alla questione in oggetto per comunicarLe la risposta avuta dall'Ufficiale Comandante della R.A.F. di Elmas, C.M.F. (Col.Bryden):

"Siccome le indagini riguardanti la perdita di benzina alleata nella qua"le i sunnominati erano coinvolti è ora al completo, la S.I.B. in"forma questa Stazione che non vi è obiezione che i sunnominati vengano"rilasciati in libertà provvisoria".

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Post mail

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Trascrivo la comunicazione ricevuta dal Comando della R.A.F. di Elmas.

Dall'Ufficiale Comandante della R.A.F. Elmas,C.M.F.

All'Ufficiale di collagamento

Sotto Commissione Alleata per le Forze Terrestri

Commissione Alleata (M.M.I.A.)

A.G.S. (Guarnigione Alleata)

A.P.O. 394 U.S.Army.

Data: - 8h Settembre 1945

Oggetto: Vincenzo Sotgiu - Merello Giovanni.

Come le indagini riguardo la perdita di benzina alleata nella quale i sunnominati erano coinvolti si c'era al completo,la S.I.B. informa questa stazione che non vi é obbiezione che i sunnominati vengano rilasciati in libertà provvisoria.

(W.R. BRYDEN)

Leutenant Colonel,Commanding,

R.A.F. Station - Elmas, C.M.F.

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LIAISON OFFICER
ALDN FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

10 September 1945

SUBJECT: Bail - Merello Giovanni and Sotgiu Vincenzo.

TO : Procuratore del Regno, Cagliari, Sardinia.
Attention Commendatore Buzzi.

1. For your information the Commanding Officer 63 Staging Post RAF Elmas, advised this office that S.I.B. informed him there is no objection to granting bail to Merello Giovanni and Sotgiu Vincenzo.

2. Your attention is again invited to ALCOM signal No. 4644 of 1 September that the "question of bail and amount is entirely for the Tribunal trying the accused".

3. In view of the above request to be advised what action you will take in this case.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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TRANSLATION / TRADUZIONE

1. Per Sua informazione comunico che l'Ufficiale Comandante della 63 Staging Post, RAF, Elmas ha informato questo Ufficio che la S.I.B. gli ha reso noto che non vi e' obiezione affinche' la liberta' provvisoria mediante cauzione sia concessa a Merello Giovanni e Sotgiu Vincenzo.

2. La prego nuovamente rivolgere la Sua attenzione al radiogramma N. [illegible] del Comando Commissione Alleata in data 1 Settembre che e' la questione della cauzione e dell'ammontare della detta, dipende completamente dall'autorita' giudiziaria che sta processando gli accusati.

3. Per quanto su detto, prego informarmi dei provvedimenti che Lei prendera' in questo caso.

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From :- Officer Commanding, R.A.F. Station, Elmas, C.M.F.

To :- Liason Officer.
Land Forces Sub Commission.
Allied Commission (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison, Sardinia.
APO. 394, U.S. Army.

Date :- 6th. September 1945.

Re :- VINCENZO SOTGIU - MERELLO GIOVANNI.

As investigations into the loss of Allied petrol in which the above named were involved have now been completed, the S.I.B. inform this station that there is now no objection to the above named being granted bail. It is suggested however that strong precautions be taken to ensure that they do not leave the island. As this affects the civilian side it is requested that your headquarters handle the matter.

The amount of bail required is also left to your discretion but it is recommended that it be not less than double the cost of 8,000 Litres of petrol at current price which is the quantity of petrol involved.

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(W.R. [illegible])
Lieutenant Colonel, Commanding,
R.A.F. Station - Elmas, C.M.F.

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Dal :- L'Ufficiale Comandante della R.A.F. Elmas, C.M.F.

Al :- Ufficiale Di Collegamento.
Sotto Commissione Alleate per le Forze Terrestri.
Commissione Alleata(M.M.I.A.)
A.G.S. (Guranigione Alleata).
A.P.O. 394 U.S. Army.

Data:- 8th Settembre 1945.

OGGETTO:- VINCENZO SOTGIU - MERELLO GIOVANNI.

Come le indagini riguardo la perdita di benzina alleata nella quale i summenminati erano coinvolti si e' ora al completo, la S.I.P. informa questa stazione che non vi e' obiezione che i sunnominati vengano rilasciati in liberta' provvisoria. Si suggerisce pero' che severe precauzioni siano prese per assicurare che essi non lascino l'isola. Siccome cio' riguarda affari da parte civile, si richiede che il vostro comando si interessi della faccenda.

La somma della cauzione richiesta e' pure lasciata sulla vostra opinione, ma si raccomanda che non sia meno del doppio del costo di 8.000 litri di benzina a prezzo corrente che e' la quantita' di benzina implicata.

(W.R. HAYDEN)
Lieutenant Colonel, Commanding,
R.A.F. Station - Elmas, C.M.F.

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C O P Y 5 Sept 45 /rrc

LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

3 September 1945

SUBJECT: Bail. Cauzione.

TO : Procuratore del Regno, Cagliari, Sardinia.
Attention Commendatore Buzzi.

1. For your information am forwarding a reply this office received from Headquarters ALCOM Rome regarding bail for Morello Giovanni and Sotgiu Vincenzo.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

1 Incl:
ALCOM signal 4644 of 1 Sept 45.

Per Sua informazione, Le invio a fin della riferita, che questo Ufficio ha ricevuto dal Comando Commissione Alleata, riguardante la cauzione per Morello Giovanni e Sotgiu Vincenzo.

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Trad: G Cuccu

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COPY 5 Sept /rrc

UNCLASSIFIED PRIORITY 1 SEPT 45

FROM: HQ ALCOM CITE ACLED : dal Comando Comunicazioni Alleate: all'Ufficiale Segnale

TO MMIA LO SARDINIA : all'Ufficiale Superiore di Collegamento per la Sardegna

MMIA. —

4644

REFERENCE YOUR SIGNAL Y 633/A OF 31 AUGUST.

QUESTION OF BAIL AND AMOUNT IS ENTIRELY FOR THE TRIBUNAL TRYING THE ACCUSED.

RESCRIPT 3 SEPTEMBER 1945 /rrc

Riferimento vs/ radiogramma Y 633 del 31 Agosto.

La questione della cauzione, e dell'ammontare della detta, dipende completamente dall'autorità giudiziaria che sta svolgendo l'istruttoria contro gli accusati.

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il tribunale che sta procedendo già [illegible]

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LARIO
Telegr. - 63

Il Governo non assume responsabilità civile in conseguenza del servizio dell... Le tasse riscosse in ... per errore od in seguito a rifiuto o irreperibilità del destinatario devono essere completate dal mittente.
Il destinatario è invitato a firmare la ricevuta presentata dal fattorino e a segnarvi la data e l'ora della consegna del telegramma. In mancanza di tali indicazioni il destinatario perde il diritto a reclamare in caso di ritardo della consegna.

Bollo d'Ufficio

INDICAZIONI DI URGENZA

Ricevuto il 19 ore
Ricevente

Pel circuito N.

Le ore si contano sul meridiano corrispondente al fuso orario dell'Europa Centrale e pei telegrammi interni e con corrispondenti di seguito da una lettera all'altra.
Nei telegrammi scritti a caratteri romani, il primo numero dopo il nome del luogo d'origine rappresenta quello del telegramma, il secondo quello delle parole, gli altri la data, l'ora e i minuti della presentazione.

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TELEGRAMMA

N. 67 [illegible] Rimesso al fattorino alle ore

N.B. — Rimesso al fattorino pel recapito. Il fattore rimette una ricevuta stampata [illegible] è inutile richiederne ricevuta.

Allo HQ 2 Corps Communication Zone Allied Sardinia Caglieri

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PRIORITY UNCLASSIFIED 31 August 1945

TO : ALCOM ROME

FROM: MMIA LO AND ALCOM LO SARDINIA Y 634

The wives of Merello Giovanni and Sotgiu Vincenzo contacted me regarding bail for their husbands who are in jail at Cagliari awaiting trial for alledged reception of stolen Allied gas approximately 4000 litres from Elmas Airport. They were arrested 10 August and am advised by Procuratore del Re, Commendatore Buzzi they will be tried about 20 September. Request to be advised if they can be liberated on bail until trial and if so who decides the amount of bail and who has the authority to release them. Both are prominent citizens of Cagliari

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Ospedale Generale Provinciale Morelli (Comasina) / Ufficio Sanitario Carceri (Gial) Ergh.

Lee
Procuratore Della Rep. Presso Com. Buzzi
Building of Justice, Viale D'Corte
Sig Guzzi

10,000 Liter gas stable Elmas
4,000 " " " 2 mos.

Instructions by Min of Justice to be very strict when material stolen from Allies.

Executed 10 Aug.
Trial scheduled about ~~middle~~ 20th of Sept.

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Morello Giovanni Battista and Sotgiu Vincenzo have been arrested by the Autorità Giudiziaria Italiana for taking-in gasoline.

Morello G.Battista owner and maneger of the Esercizio Mulini(mill) where it is grinded 3/4 of the wheat that the Allied bring over to Sardinia is known as one of the wealthiest personality of the island and Genoa where he also has big industry; he is married and his wife is soon to become mother.

Sotgiu Vincenzo is married with 4 childrens owner and operating a important stone-quarry and lime plants in town cooperating re-building of Cagliari.

Both of them says that they acquired that gasoline convinced that was recovered from empty drums relinquished on the field. Anyway this will be cleared at the trial.

Consequently Morello and Sotgiu through theyr lowyer have fow forwarded request to the Autorità Giudiziaria Italiana to let them out on bail as it usually granted for cases like this but the Autorità Giudiziaria Italiana told the lowyer that they not allowed to let anybody out on bail for crimes perpetrated against the Allied.

Now we undersigned Morello Mariolina and Sotgiu Walkiria legitimate wives beg you very hard and would appreciateif you would intervene on our behalf suggesting the Italian Court to let out on bail the above mentioned .

Either Morello or Sotgiu have always worked in perfect way and scrupulously onest in cooperation with the Allied.

Confident that our request will be granted we deeply affected thank you very much.

Cagliari 25 August 1945.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U. S. Army

6 September 1945

MEMO TO: Colonel Bryden, 63rd Staging Post, RAF, Elmas.

This presents Signora Margherita Piu who requests an audience with you.

LESTER R. ALBERT,
Lt. Colonel, Infantry,
Senior Liaison Officer.

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061000 SEPTEMBER 1945

To: PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES SUB COMM A.C.

From: MMIA LO SARDINIA

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Griffith ETA Centocelle Airport Rome 1700 hours Saturday 8 September (.)

Request highway equipment jeep (.) Signed Griffith

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Griffith ETA Centocelle Airport Rome 1700 hours Saturday 8 September (.)

Request highway equipment jeep (.) Signed Griffith

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No 64774

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FROM (A) Originator: MMIA

Date-Time of Origin: 041200B

— Office Date Stamp —

For Action: LO SARDINIA

TO

(W) For information (INFO)

— Message Instructions — GR

Originator's No.

Reference number Q579 UNCLASSIFIED. Mr GRIFFITH AND ITALIAN ENGINEER

ETA CAGLIARI 5 SEPTEMBER 1200 HRS

P.S.S. "E" Dep/10M x 100 5-44

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

Signed:

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER

Signed:

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

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PRIORITY 28 AUGUST 1945

TO : MMIA

FROM: MMIA LO SARDINIA Y 628

UNCLASSIFIED. Reference your G 555 of 28 August (.) Satisfactory vehicle available

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UNCLASSIFIED. Reference your G 555 of 28 August (.) Satisfactory vehicle available

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Authenticated by LESTER R. ALBERT LT. COL. INFANTRY

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)

MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) Originator. MMIA

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(B) For Action. LO SARDINIA.

TO

(H) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. G.R.

Originator's No.

reference number G555. UNCLASSIFIED.

MISTER F C GRIFFITH, AMERICAN CIVILIAN, HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT OFFICER, ALCOM AND ONE ITALIAN CIVILIAN REQUEST PERMISSION TO VISIT SARDINIA FOR SEVEN DAYS BEGINNING THREE SEPTEMBER. NO RATIONS TO BE FURNISHED EITHER PARTY FROM US STOCKS. WILL NEED ONE VEHICLE FOR TRAVEL ON ISLAND.

PARTY COMING AT REQUEST OF HIGH COMMISSIONER. ADVISE IF SATISFACTORY FOR PARTY TO COME AND IF VEHICLE CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR TRAVEL.

ONE OBJECT OF PARTY IS TO INVENTORY ARMY PROPERTY WHICH MAY BE AVAILABLE FOR TURN OVER TO CIVILIAN PUBLIC WORKS ON MAINLAND. THEREFORE

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ANY EQUIPMENT SELECTED WILL BE TRANSPORTED FROM PRESENT LOCATION IN MAINLAND UNDER ARRANGEMENTS MADE BY MR GRIFFITH WITH WHATEVER HELP YOU CAN GIVE HIM

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means subject to WIRELESS.

Signed

If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.

Signed.

Originator's Instructions. Degree of priority. IMPORTANT

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TRANSLATION GG/rrc 4 SEPT 45

PROVINCIAL OFFICE AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIC STATISTICS

No. 2247/3

Cagliari, 30 August 1945

SUBJECT: Oil Collection.

TO: Allied Headquarters, S. Avendrace, Cagliari.

The olive oil producer Boi Eugenio from Iglesias when requested to turn in to the Ammassi the oil in excess of his own need showed the attached certificate.

Since this certificate has no stamp to authenticate it, request that MMIA check on it and assure us that it is an authentic certificate.

THE DIRECTOR
/s/ Illegible

1st Ind.

SARDINIA DETACHMENT, LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MMIA), 4 Sept 45.

TO: Provincial Office Agricultural Economic Statistics (U.P.S.E.A.), Cagliari.

1. Allies do not use stamps for authentication. If the original was signed by Capt Wagstaff am of the opinion it was authentic.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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Ente Provinciale Sardo per l'Economia dell'Agricoltura
(E. P. S. E. A.)
CAGLIARI

SERVIZIO OLIVICOLTURA

Cagliari 30 Agosto 45

Prot. n° 2247/5 Ol/

OGGETTO: Ammasso olio

On.le Guarnigione
Alleata
S.Avendrace
C a g l i a r i

L'olivicoltore Boi Eugenio da Iglesias invitato a conferire l'olio, eccedente il fabbisogno alimentare, all'ammasso ha esibito una dichiarazione che riproduciamo integralmente nel foglio allegato.

Poichè tale dichiarazione è sprovvista di timbro di autenticazione, preghiamo codesta On.le Guarnigione, affinchè, espletando le indagini che riterrà opportuno svolgere, voglia darci assicurazione sulla autenticità della medesima.

IL DIRETTORE REGGENTE

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Headquarters
Allied Commission
Sardinia Region

21 March 1943

A chiunque possa interessare :

Si dichiara che questa Commissione Alleata ha acquistato dal Sig.Doi Eugenio dell'olio d'oliva per un'ammontare di litri 60.

For the Regional Commissioner

firma illegibile
GFT Wagstaff
Captain
Secretariat

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that the Allied Commission has purchased 60 litres D'olive oil from Signor Bro Eugenio

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TRANSLATION. GG/rrc 5 Sept 45

Cagliari, 30 August 1945

PREFECT OF CAGLIARI

No. 58326

SUBJECT: Request for Allied Proclamation.

TO : Allied Headquarters, Cagliari.

Request you send us copy of the Allied proclamation by virtue of which all the Fascist Labor Syndicate Organizations in this Province were dissolved, since this Province did not receive a copy.

This proclamation is needed to liquidate the ex Unions.

We thank you.

THE PREFECT
/s/ Sacchetti

1st Ind. Y LRA/rrc

SARDINIA DETACHMENT, LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MTA), 5 September 45.

TO: Allied Commission, Rome.

1. Forwarded.

LESTER P. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer 1703

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Cagliari, 30 agosto 1945

R. Prefettura di Cagliari

Divisione 3 N. di Prot. 38326

Risposta a nota

Oggetto: Richiesta bando Alleato

Allegati

Al Comando Alleato
Cagliari

Si prega vivamente di voler trasmettere co= pia del Bando Alleato col quale sono state sciolte le organizzazioni sindacali fasciste dei lavoratori di questa provincia, non essendo pervenuto a questo Urri= cio.

Tale nodo è necessario per la liquidazione delle ex unioni.

Si ringrazia.

Il Prefetto

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Recd
4 Sept.

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CC.RR. TERRITORIAL LEGION OF CAGLIARI
Sassari Group

No. 835/2 Sassari, 28 August 1945

TO: MMIA for Sardinia - Cagliari

SUBJECT: Summoning of Artillery Serviceman Casula Paolo.

Reference letter 313 SEC/15C of August 1945.

Reference attached message form, I am informing you that on 23 August subject serviceman received copy of the message.

I am notifying you that Casula finds himself in a destitute condition and has informed us that he cannot take the trip to Sicily unless he receives money in advance, or Allied Headquarters sends him an authorization to travel gratuitously.

We remain awaiting a decision from Allied Headquarters.

Lt Col Group Commander
/s/ Francesco Mattu

1st Ind.

SARDINIA DETACHMENT, LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MMIA), 3 September 45 176

TO: Commanding Officer, CC.RR. Territorial Legion of Cagliari, Sassari Group.

1. Hq British Sicily by signal 313 SEC/15C of 4 August stated Casula Paolo not now required at Catania.

O.C. file

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CAGLIARI
GRUPPO DI SASSARI

n. 835/2 di prot. Sassari, li 28 agosto 1945-

R. al foglio n. 313 S. M. C./15 C. del agosto 1945-

OGGETTO: Citazione artigliere scelto CASULA Paolo.-

ALL'UFFICIO M. M. I. A. per la SARDEGNA = CAGLIARI

In esito al Message Form di cui all'unita ricevuta comunicasi che in data 23 corrente, al militare in oggetto è stato notificato detto messaggio consegnandogliene copia.

Si fa però presente che il Casula versa in povere condizioni economiche ed ha rappresentato di non poter intraprendere il viaggio per la Sicilia senza congruo anticipo tranne che il Comando Alleato non gli mandi l'autorizzazione per viaggiare gratuitamente.

Si resta in attesa delle decisioni del Comando Alleato.=

IL T. COLONNELLO COMANDANTE DEL GRUPPO
(Francesco Mattu)

Mattu

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(Parts of 50).

SIGNALS, DESPATCH RIDER'S DOCKET.

Signal Office to which Despatched. CARINGINERI SARDINIA

Docket No. ELS

Name of Despatch Rider CSIA/3'/2

REGISTER SERIAL NUMBERS.

								Total Number of Despatches.
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Despatched at ..... hrs.
(Date Stamp)
3.7.45
Despatching Office.
Calarina

Received at ..... hrs.
28 August 1945
IL T. COLONNELLO
COMTE IL CRUCCO
FRANCESCO
Signature

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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CAGLIARI

Stazione di Oschiri

A T T O DI N O T I F I C A

Il sottoscritto maresciallo capo a cavallo ANGIONI Efisio, comandante della suddetta stazione, dichiara di aver notificato in data odierna al nominato artigliere sceltо CASULA Paolo di Giovanni e di Sotgia Maria, nato a Oschiri il 6 gennaio 1911, ivi residente, degli alleati, consegnandogline copia del messaggio col quale viene richiesto per via testimoniale alla Corte Militare di Ozieri.

A Oschiri il 23 agosto 1945--

L'Artigliere scelto

Casula Paolo

This is a receipt of the allied letter received by Casula. —

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Il Maresciallo Maggiore a cavallo
Comandante della Stazione

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TRANSLATION GO/rro 25 AUG 45

TO: ALLIED HQ CAGLIARI

Mrs. Roggio Antonietta, living in Porto Torres, has two sons in the French Army and for this reason she would appreciate it very much if the Allied Authorities would try to obtain an allowance for her.

Information on her sons as follows:

1. Sebastien Novoli
C.C.I. No. 1 - 2nd Co, Algeri (Tunisia)

2. Joseph Novoli
C.C.I. - Algeri (Tunisia).

Porto Torres 13 Aug 45

Roggio Antonietta in Novoli
/s/ Roggio Antonietta

1st Ind.

LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MTOA), APO 394 U.S. ARMY, 31 August 1945

TO: Mrs. Roggio Antonietta, Porto Torres, Sardinia

1. This office has no way to contact French Army as requested in basic communication. 170

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt. Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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Spett. Comando De Allegati

Cagliari

La sottoscritta Roggio Antonietta in Novoli, madre di Bastianino Novoli nato il 18-7-1922 mobilitato il 20-3-1945 ad Aiaccio (Corsica) 2° classe n. 16588 Corpo di servizio G.C.I. n.I 2° Compagnia ALGERI (Tunisia)
Si acclude Certificato di presenza al Corpo

SECONDO FIGLIO

Novoli Giuseppe di Carmine e di Roggio Antonietta, nato ad Aiaccio Corsica il 7-9-1924 chiamato sotto le armi il 7-II-1944

Attualmente fa parte del Corpo di servizio C.C.I n° 170
Algeria (Tunisi° 2° classe N° 16586

Nella speranza che codesto Spett. Comando si voglia interessare affinche le vengano assegnate i rispettivi assegni famigliari, trovandosi la sottoscritta in condizioni di assoluta necessita, porge a codesto Comando i sensi della massima osservanza

Portotorres 13-8-1945

Roggio Antonietta in Novoli

Roggio Antonietta

Rec'd 17 Aug

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Corps ou Service
Colonel-Colonel 2e C.A

Certificat de Présence au Corps

N°

Le Chef de Corps soussigné certifie que (1) NUVOLI

Sébastien (2) 2e classe n° m/e 10588

est présent au Corps à la date du 10 mars 1945

A Gaeta, le 20 mars 1945

Le Capitaine Perluca, C.d.2e C.A

Le Chef de Corps P.O. Le Commandant du G.C.I.2
P/ L'officier Adjoint.

(1) Nom et prénoms.
(2) Grade ou emploi.

N° 1070

SUMA - 11-43 - N° 2.746 - 50.000

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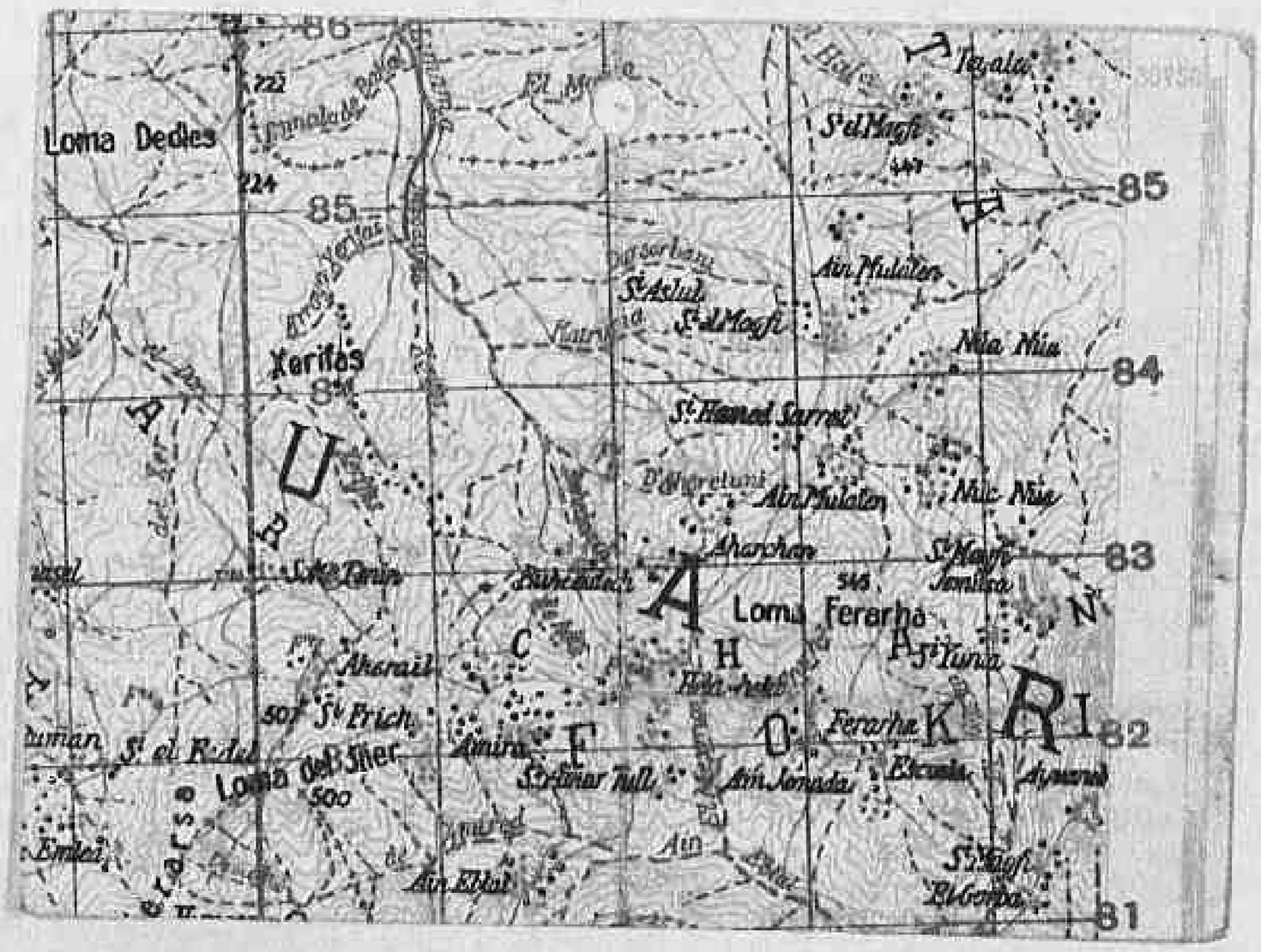

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COMUNE DI PORTO TORRES

IL SINDACO

C E R T I F I C A

Che la signora Roggio Antonietta fu Francesco e di Pinna Margherita nata a Sorso l'11 settembre 1894, madre del militare Nuvoli Giuseppe, della classe 1924, risiede in questo Comune, proveniente dalla Corsica.

In carta libera per uso militare.

Porto Torres 14 agosto 1945

Il Sindaco

COMUNE DI PORTO TORRES

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N° 795 du Catalogue

Corps ou Service
C.O.I n° 1

N° 1re B. de Recues

Certificat de Présence au Corps

Le Chef de Corps soussigné certifie que (1) Nouvoli
Joseph (2) 2e classe n° m/e 16586
est présent au Corps à la date du 7. 11. 44.

Le Cap. Forest Commandant la 1re C. de R.

A Blida le 14 11 1944

Le Chef de Corps,

P/O. le Colonel [illegible]

(1) Nom et prénoms.
(2) Grade ou emploi.

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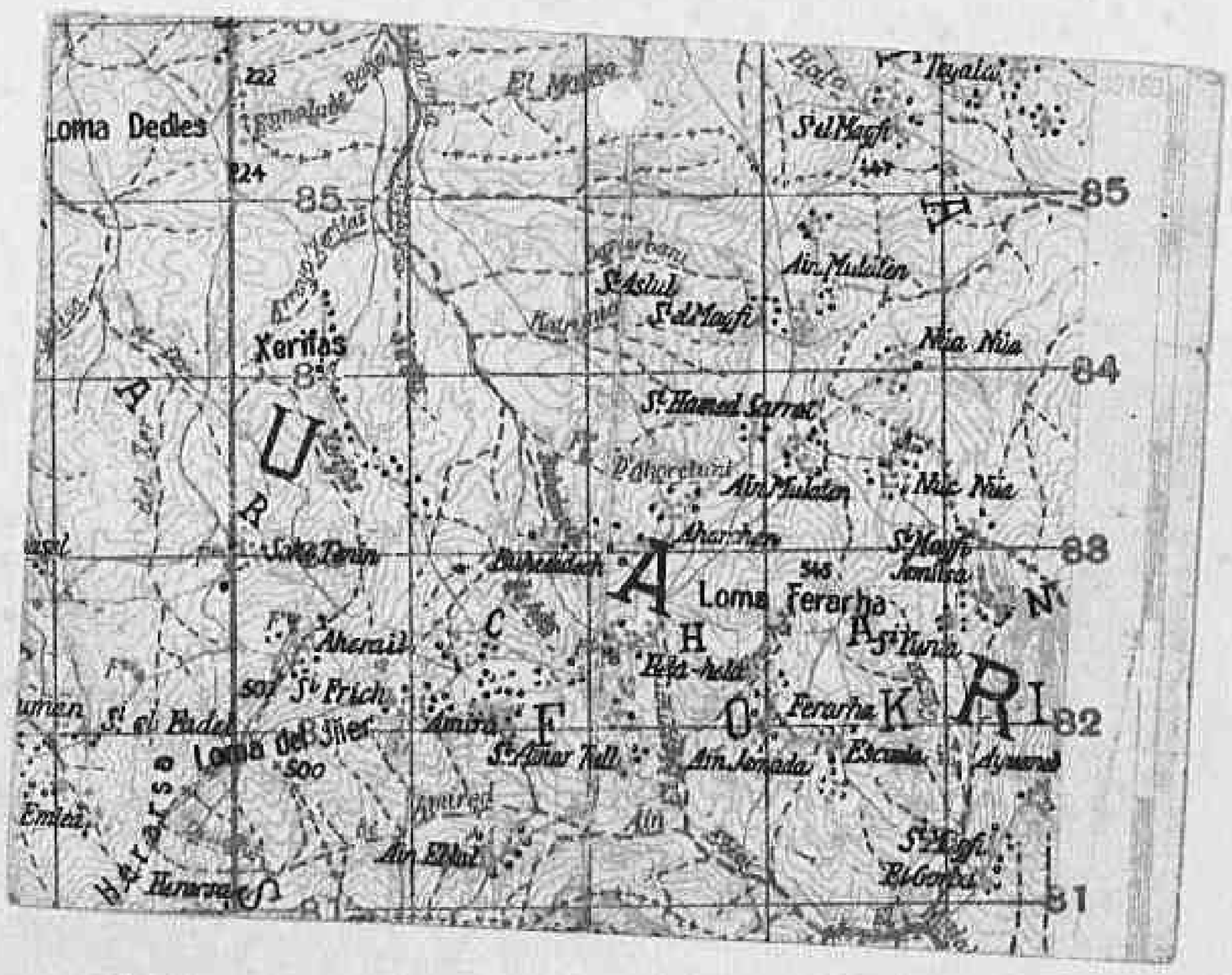

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LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MMIA), APO 394 U.S. ARMY, 2 August 1945

TO: Commanding Officer, 740 Air Material Sqdn, 496th Air Service Group, APO 149, U.S. Army

1. Forwarded for any action you may deem necessary.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt. Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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ITALIAN PROCUREMENT OFFICE
ATTACHED TO ALLIED HEADQUARTERS

Ref.N° 5747

Cagliari, 31 July 1945

TO : Colonel Albert, Senior Liaison Officer, M.M.I.A.

As it is known, when the Allies landed in Sardinia, this Office was requested to purchase and requisition material for the Headquarters 310th Service Group.

Lt. Col. Thompson, Engineer Supply Officer, named by the 310th Service Group, authorized M/Sgt. Edward Nichols, who was always in contact with this Office, to withdraw and request all the necessary material.

When the 310th Service Group left the Island, left also pending many matters, some of them very important and delicate. This Office tried to overcome them with the assistance of Lt. Edward J. Stern, Allied Liaison Officer, and during the several visits paid to Sardinia from France, by Sgt. Nichols.

Sgt. Nichols, during his last visit to Cagliari assured the undersigned that he was coming back to completely overcome the deals still pending. The writer gave personally to Sgt. Nichols a letter for Col. Hicks, Commanding Officer, 310th Service Group, in which he was requesting the Colonel to send Sgt. Nichols back to Sardinia. Recently the writer sent a new letter always addressed to Colonel Hicks, and later tried again by sending, this time, a signal.

The presence of Sgt. Nichols, who is the only one knowing very well all matters, is absolutely necessary and urgent, since the undersigned will have to leave the Italian Procurement Office, very soon.

The following are some of the several things which are to be overcome:

- Withdrawal of perforating hammers from the Firm Cidonio, without leaving any receipt, and never returned to mentioned Firm.

Alcune mace.

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- Purchase of special coils from the Firm Sisini, which were to be taken to France. The Firm has received an account. A small part of the material is still in the warehouse of the Firm and mentioned Firm is requesting the payment.

- Regularization of a complicated matter concerning an automobile used by Mr. Cuppa, who was working for the Engineers Depot and for repairs done to mentioned car.

- Withdrawal of material from the Warehouses located in Viale Trieste N°101, belonging to the Firm Sotgiu. Several meetings between the Engineer Depot and this Office were held to decide as to a restitution or a payment (amount to be paid, 310,000 £).

- Compressor roller belonging to the Firm Lehman, used by the 310th Service Group and the Firm states that it was returned completely inefficient.

- Gravel supplied by the Azionda Autonoma della Strada, for the runway of Alghero Airfield, and requested by 310th Service Group, thrue Sgt. Nichols.

- Control and disposition of the material purchased by the 310th Service Group and turned over to the Rinascente Warehouse by Sgt. Nichols, by order of the 310th Service Group.

The United States Claims Service was requested to settle all mentioned matters, but replied this Office that they did not pertain to them.

The regularization of the matters in subject concerns directly the Headquarters 310th Service Group and if mentioned deals have not been settled yet is the only fault of the 310th Service Group. In order to completely overcome them, the undersigned is requesting another time that Sgt. Nichols be sent to Sardinia.

Early news show that Sgt. Nichols is now with the following outfit: 740th Air Material Sqdn, 498th Air Service Group, A.P.O. 149, C/O P.M. New York. N.Y.

THE CHIEF OF THE ITALIAN PROCUREMENT OFFICE
(Colonel Air Corps, ALEARDO MARTIRE)

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C O P Y

Land Forces
Sub Commission, AC (MMIA)
Rome
Q/5/8
27 July 1945

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Executive Commissioner, ALCOM

1. Lt Colonel Albert, our Liaison Officer in Sardinia, reports that various Allied officers, principally from ALCOM, show up in Sardinia and ask for transportation for periods of several days.

2. The Allied transport at our disposal in Sardinia is now three vehicles. All of this transport is occupied most of the time on assigned duties, and is not available to visiting officers.

3. It is therefore necessary that officers planning trips outside Cagliari make arrangements for transportation prior to going to Sardinia, if necessary shipping a vehicle from the mainland for this purpose. Neither Italian Army or Italian civilian vehicles are available for visiting officers.

4. Accomodations for officers in Sardinia is available only at Cagliari where Colonel Albert can handle a limited number of US officers only if he has prior notification, and British officers can be accomodated by the RAF at Elmas, where the British officers must make their own arrangements. Officers traveling around the Island outside Cagliari must provide their own rations.

5. I request that you bring this to the attention of all ALCOM officers in order to avoid a waste of time and disappointments.

Major General
Land Forces
Sub Commission, AC (MMIA)

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copy to: Colonel Albert
for information

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

25 June 1945

SUBJECT: Hospital Barracks and Chapel at Oschiri.

TO : Commanding General, Italian Military Forces in Sardinia.

1. While at Oschiri this week, a lady representing St. Anthony Society, requested to have the use of 2 Hospital buildings and the chapel, now vacant, for a home for aged people.

2. Suggest you investigate the matter and if the organization is reliable, to loan than the use of the two Hospital buildings and chapel.

LESTER R. ALBERT,
Lt. Colonel, Infantry,
Senior Liaison Officer.

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AC liaison Sardinia

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

Tel : 478800

20 June 1945

AC/14022/2/PS

SUBJECT : Entry of Civilians into Italy.

TO : See Distribution List.

1. The Italian Government has been informed that in some countries notably :-

(a) United States of America
(b) United Kingdom
(c) SHEAF theatre
(d) Balkan Countries
(e) Switzerland
(f) Egypt

Allied systems are in operation for the control of travel to Italy.

2. In these countries applications for travel should be directed to the competent local Allied authorities.

3. Elsewhere, particularly in neutral countries, applications may be forwarded through Italian channels to this Headquarters, for onward transmission to AFHQ.

4. Applications must contain the following information :-

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(a) Full name of applicant.
(b) Nationality
(c) Date and place of birth
(d) Number, date and place of issue of passport
(e) Profession
(f) Movement since 1939
(g) Reason for wishing to enter Italy.

5. Applications for travel for purely personal (other than strongly compassionate) reasons, or for private commercial purposes, cannot yet be favourably considered.

By Command of Rear Admiral Stone :

A.D. Buchanan

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By Command of Rear Admiral Stone :

A.D. Buchanan-Jardine
for C.R. UPJOHN, Brig.
VP CA Sec.

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HQ 15 Army Group GSI(b)
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British Legation to the Holy See
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Consular Section, British Embassy (6)
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Enclosure to ltr CO U.S. Telephone & Telegraph Wire and Equipment dated 9 June 45

1st Ind 16 June 1945

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, MTOUSA, APO 512, U.S. ARMY.

TO: Liaison Officer, Land Forces Sub-Commission, Allied Commission (A.C.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia, APO 394, U.S. Army.
(ATTN: Lt. Col. Lester R. Albert)

1. All American-owned fixed wire communications facilities in Sardinia were sold on 6 March 1945 to the Italian Government by Lt. Colonel H. M. Goudder, Communications Sub-Commission of the Allied Commission, as the representative of the Theater Commander.

2. It is suggested that this matter should be referred to Lt. Col. Goudder for his consideration and any action which he deems appropriate.

For the Chief Signal Officer:

A. S. BATTISON,
Major, Signal Corps

2nd Ind
SARDINIA DETACHMENT, LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MTOA), 21 June 45

TO: Communications Sub Commission, Allied Commission
(Attention: Lt Col H.M. Goudder).

1. Forwarded as a matter pertaining to your office. 1603

2. Copy of basic communication was also sent to Allied Commission.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

9 June 1945

SUBJECT: U.S. Telephone and Telegraph Wire and Equipment.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512.

1. Just before Allied Garrison left Sardinia in November 1944, work was started collecting telephone and telegraph wire that made up the communication system of the island. Under Allied Comission the work was continued and has now been completed.

2. Enclosed are copies of the receipts for the U. S. property turned over to the Ministero dello Poste e dei Telegrafi. It is my understanding that arrangements were made through your Headquarters by Lieut John J. Scanlon, Allied Commission, for the transfer of this equipment.

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LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

Copy to
Allied Commission
MMIA

FILE: AFCOM - Misc.

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Cagliari, 8 April 1945

Post & Telegraph
Administration

To: Allied Commission - Hq Sardinia Region
Engineer Liaison Officer with Allies
(Capt Caddeo)
Circolo Costruzioni T.T.
Cagliari

SUBJECT: Telegraph Material.

As a result of agreement reached between Ministry of Post and Telegraph and the Allied Hq in Italy, your Regional Hq consigned the following telegraph material to me; receipt is herewith acknowledged by on the behalf of Post and Telegraph Administration:

Copper weld wire	8795 kg.
3mm iron wire	1227 kg.
Wire, double, covered	4946 kg.
Cables with rubber insulation, various types	2694
Traverses	846
Insulators	6085
Braces, curved	354
Braces, rotating	510
Bolts, various sizes	970
Screws	682
Small braces	820

Since the removal of the Elmas liaison line has not yet been completed, the equipment recovered by the Italian military personnel assigned to such duty by your Hq, will be consigned to the Circolo delle Costruzioni of Cagliari which is authorized to acknowledge receipt for it on behalf of Post and Telegraph Administration. 1690

Inspection of Palau-Olbia and Palau-S. Teresa di Gallura lines will take place 10 April 1945.

AGENT OF P & T ADMINISTRATION
/s/ Illegible

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TRANSLATION GC/rro

COPY

Receipt for following material recovered by Wire Recovery Platoon at the disposition of the Allies; between 2 and 12 May 1945.

Steel wire, copper, 2mm - 17 rolls	490 kg.
Curved braces for poles mod. I/1920	562 kg.
Zinc iron wire, 3mm	1863 kg.
Insulators, mod I/1920, white	461
Small iron supports	118
Wooden traverses for 8 wooden braces	69
Flat iron braces for rotation	22
Insulator mod 2, glass, American type	388
Bolts, 15 mm & 35 mm	11
Bolts, rectangular top, 15 mm & 32 cm	97
Small special bolts for rotation braces	95
Screws, various	98
Wooden traverses, for 4 wooden braces	44

Cagliari, 12 May 1945

THE CONSIGNOR
/s/ Illegible

CONSIGNEES

Depot Supervisor
/s/ Illegible

Controller
/s/ Illegible

THE DIRECTOR OF CIRCOLO COSTRUZIONI
/s/ Illegible

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TRANSLATION GC/rrc

Receipt for Following Materials Recovered by Wire Recovery Platoon at Disposal of the Allies 26 May 1945.

Curved braces for poles mod. I/1920	616
Zinc-iron wire	2421 kg.
Insulators Mod. I/1920, white	428
Small supports, iron, flat	60
Wooden Traverses, for 8 wooden braces	3
Iron braces, flat, for rotation	4
Insulators, glass, American type, mod. 2	220
Bolts, 15 mm - 45 cm.	7
Bolts, rectangular top, 15 mm & 32 cm.	61
Screws, various	28
Wooden traverses, for 4 wooden braces	63

Cagliari, 26 May 1945

THE CONSIGNOR
/s/ Illegible

CONSIGNEES

Depot Supervisor
/s/ Illegible

Controller
/s/ Illegible

THE DIRECTOR OF CIRCOLO COSTRUZIONI
/s/ Illegible

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AMMINISTRAZIONE
delle Poste e dei Telegrafi

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Ufficio .....
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Cagliari, Add 8 aprile 1945

Commissione Alleata =Comando
Regionale Sardegna
Ufficiale Collegamento Genio
Alleato (Cap. Caddeo)
Circolo Costruzioni T.T.
Cagliari

Risposta al foglio N. .....
del .....

OGGETTO: Materiali telegrafici

In conseguenza degli accordi intervenuti fra il Ministero delle P.T. ed il Comando Alleato in Italia, co= desto Comando Regionale mi ha consegnato i materiali tele= grafici qui sotto indicati di cui, con la presente, io accu= so ricevuta per conto dell'Amministrazione delle P.T.:

Filo Copper Weld	- Copper Weld wire	Kg.	8793
Filo ferro 3 m/m	- Iron wire	"	I227
Filo binato coperto	- wire, double, covered	"	4946
Cavi sottogomma (grandezze varie)	cables with rubber protection various sizes	"	2694
Traverse	- traverses	N.	846
Isolatori	Insulators	"	6085
Bracci curvi	- Braces, curved	"	354
Bracci per rotazione	Rotation braces	"	310
Chiavarde varie misure	- Bolts, various sizes		970
Viti mordenti	- Screws	"	632
Braccetti sostegno traverse	- small braces	"	820

Poichè la demolizione della linea Elmas collega= mento diretto non è stata ancora condotta a termine, il

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Materiale che sarà recuperato dal personale militare Italiano, incaricato da codesto Comando ad eseguire il lavoro, verrà consegnato al Circolo delle Costruzioni di Cagliari il quale è autorizzato a rilasciare ricevuta per conto dell'Amministrazione delle P.T.

La ricognizione delle linee Palau = Olbia e Palau= S . Teresa di Gallura, sarà eseguita il IO corrente

L'incaricato del Ministero delle P.T.

Ing. Agostini

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PER RIŒVUTA DEI SEGUENTI MATERIALI RITIRATI DAL PLOTONE GUARDA-FILI DEL GENIO A DISPOSIZIONE DEGLI ALLEATI IL GIORNO 26/5/I945.

Curved braces for poles mod. I/1920 Bracci curvi per pali mod.I/I920	N° 616
Zinc iron wire Filo di ferro zincato da m/m.3 (rotoli 53)	Kg. 2421
Insulators Isolatori mod.I/I920 bianchi	N° 428
Small supports, iron, flat Reggette di ferro piatto	" 60
Wooden traverses for 8 wooden braces Traverse di legno per 8 bracci di legno	" 3
Iron braces, flat for rotation Bracci di ferro piatto per rotazione	" 4
Insulators, glass, Amer. type Isolatori mod.2 di vetro tipo americano	" 220
Bolts 8 mm - 45 cm. Chiavarde impernate alle due estremità da m/m I5 cm.45	" 7
Bolts - rectangular top Chiavarde a testa rettangolare da m/m I5 cm.32	" 6I
Special small bolts for rotation braces Chiavardine speciali piccole per bracci a rotazione	" 52
Screws, various Viti mordenti assortite	" 28
Wooden traverses for 4 wooden braces Traverse legno per 4 bracci di legno	" 63

CAGLIARI 26 MAGGIO I945.

I RICEVENTI

IL CONSEGNANTE

IL DEPOSITORIO = IL CONTROLLORE

V° IL DIRETTORE DEL CIRCOLO.

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delle Poste e dei Telegrafi

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OGGETTO: Sig. Questura

P.S. Dr. Stefano

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OGGETTO: Sig. Console Gen. d'Italia

in Rio de Janeiro

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Per ricevuta dei seguenti materiali risevuti dal plotone guastatori del Genio a disposizione degli Alleati;nei giorni 2 e I2 Maggio I945:

steel wire, copper, 2 mm -
Filo di acciaio ramato da m/m 2.....rotoli N. I7.....Kg. 490
Curved braces for poles
Bracci curvi per pali mod. I/I920.....N. 562
zinc iron wire 3 mm
Filo di ferro zincato da m/m 3.....rotoli N. 4I.....Kg. I863
insulators, mod I/I920, white
Isolatori mod. I/I920 bianchi.....N. 46I
small iron supports
Reggette di ferro piatto....." II8
Wooden traverses for 8 wooden braces
Traverse di legno per 8 bracci di legno....." 69
Flat iron braces for rotation
Bracci di ferro piatti per rotazione....." 22
insulator mod 2, glass, american type
Isolatori mod. 2 di vetro tipo americano....." 388
Bolts, I5 mm x 35 cm.
Chiavarde impanate alle due estremità da m/m I5 e cm. 35....." II
Bolts, rectangular tip, I5 m/m - and 32 cm.
Chiavarde a testa rettangolare da m/m I5 e cm. 32....." 97
small special bolts for rotation braces
Chiavardine speciali piccole per bracci a rotazione....." 95
Screws, various
Viti mordenti assortite....." 93
Wooden traverses, for 4 wooden braces
Traverse legno per 4 bracci di legno....." 44

Cagliari, I2 Maggio I945

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Bracci di ferro oblatti per rotazione..... 22
Insulator mod. 2, glass, american type
Isolatori mod. 2 di vetro tipo americano....." 388
Bolts, 15 mm & 35 cm.
Chiavarde impanate alle due estremità da m/ I5 e cm. 35....." II
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IL CONSEGNANTE 1655

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

17 June 1945

SUBJECT: Radio Transmitters.

TO : Commanding General, Territorial Office for Sardinia.

1. Reference your letter No. 5424/Serv subject as above dated 9 June 1945.

2. MMIA Rome by letter X511/8 subject as above of 15 June disapproved the returning of the 2 radio transmitters mentioned. Therefore, they will remain where they are.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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SUBJECT : Radio Transmitters.

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
X511/8
/5 June 45

TO : MMIA LO SARDINIA.

Ref your letter of 12 June . The transmitters should remain in Genio warehouses as no authority has been given for the use of radio to the three offices mentioned. There is therefofe no point in them having the transmitters.

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W. CALVELEY, Major,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

File: Alcom misc.

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TERRITORIAL OFFICE FOR SARDINIA
Services Office

No. 5424/Serv APO 75/A, 9 June 1945

SUBJECT: Radio Transmitters.

TO : MMLA, Liaison Office for Sardinia, CAGLIARI

1. As your office knows, three radio transmitters distributed to the undermentioned offices were withdrawn and placed in the Engineer warehouses.

R. Prefettura	Nuoro
R. Provveditorato OO.PP.	Cagliari
Delegazione FF.SS.	Cagliari

2. Since the reasons for which the above transmitters were withdrawn have ceased, please inform me if any obstacle exists for returning the same to the above mentioned government offices.

BRIGADIER GENERAL
C.M. Scalabrino
/s/ Scalabrino

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SARDINIA DETACHMENT, LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C. (MMLA), 12 June 1945.

TO: Commanding General, Land Forces Sub Com A.C. (MMLA).

1. Request to be advised if there are any objections to the release of the above mentioned radio transmitters.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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UFFICIO TERRITORIALE PER LA SARDEGNA
- Sezione Servizi -

N. 5424/Serv.di prot. P.M.75/A 9 giugno 945

OGGETTO: Stazioni radio trasmittenti.-

ALLA M.M.I.A.
Ufficio Collegamento per la Sardegna CAGLIARI

1.- Come è noto a codesto Ufficio, a suo tempo, vennero ritirate e accantonate nei Magazzini Genio, per essere restituite alla fine delle ostilità, le tre stazioni radio trasmittenti in distribuzione ai sottonotati Enti dell'Isola:

R.Prefettura Nuoro
R.Provveditorato OO.PP. Cagliari
Delegazione PP.SS. Cagliari

2.- Essendo ora cessate le cause che determinarono il predetto ritiro, prego farmi conoscere se nulla-osta affinchè il materiale venga restituito agli enti interessati.-

IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA
- G.M.Scelsbrino -

Racd: 1200
10 giugno 45
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ALLIED COMMISSION
MINING OFFICE
SARDINIA

APO 394, U.S. ARMY
25 May 1945

SUBJECT: Oxygen cylinders

TO : M.E.I.A. Detachment, Liaison Office,
Cagliari

1. The enclosed correspondence is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your Office.

For Chief Mining Officer:

HENRY DISCOE,
CWO AUS,
Adm. Officer.

1-Incl.

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Re
File
the attached letter

MAY 30 1945

FILE : ALCOM Misc.

SOC. AN. SARDA OSSIGENO IDROGENO

Sede Sociale: MILANO - Sede Amministrativa: CAGLIARI

Capit. Soc. L. 500.000 - C. P. C. 17935 - Confindustria 05 CA 8

Stabilimenti di produzione: CAGLIARI - GONNESA (Carbonia)

Telefoni: CAGLIARI N. 2741 - GONNESA N. 2

Mittente: SARDA OSSIGENO - CAGLIARI - Viale Cimitero, 2

Destinatario:

On. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

CARBONIA

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vs/ riferimento — vs/ lettera — ns/ riferimento n°21.bombole **data** 15 maggio 1945

OGGETTO: restituzione bombole consegnate alle Forze Armate Alleate.

Dopo la fine della guerra in Europa, conclusasi con la vittoria delle Forze Armate Alleate, riteniamo che il fabbisogno di materiale bellico, per queste Forze Armate, sia notevolmente diminuito.

Ci permettiamo segnalare di nuovo la nostra impossibilità ad espletare tutte le forniture di gas richiesto dalle aziende industriali della Sardegna, particolarmente per quelle minerarie e carbonifere, perchè la nostra dotazione di bombole, già per se stessa esigua a causa delle precedenti contingenze belliche, è stata diminuita dalle seguenti bombole consegnate alle F.A.A. e non più restituite:

Bombole consegnate dal nostro Stabilimento di Gonnesa a: AIR CORPS SUPPLY OFFICER - SERVICE CENTER 310 :

7-2-44	Salo	1390	29-5-44	Salo	1701	4-8-44	Salo	2059
20-3-44	"	1211	1-6-44	"	1783	11-8-44	"	1322
7-4-44	"	1969	14-6-44	Sapio	3739	31-8-44	"	1749
13-4-44	Sapio	3163	22-6-44	Salo	1595	2-9-44	"	2030
4-5-44	Salo	1363	10-7-44	"	1290	2-9-44	"	1981
16-5-44	"	2089	11-7-44	"	2072	2-9-44	"	1399
18-5-44	"	2997	15-7-44	"	843	5-9-44	"	1751
21-5-44	"	1255	18-7-44	"	1612	12-9-44	"	1157
21-5-44	"	1342	25-8-44	Salo	526	12-9-44	Salo	1676

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CARBONIA

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vs/ riferimento -- vs/ lettera -- ns/ riferimento Uff.bombole data 15 maggio 1947

OGGETTO: restituzione bombole consegnate alle Forze Armate Alleate.

Dopo la fine della guerra in Europa, conclusasi con la vittoria delle Forze Armate Alleate, riteniamo che il fabbisogno di materiale bellico, per queste Forze Armate, sia notevolmente diminuito.

Ci permettiamo segnalare di nuovo la nostra impossibilità ad espletare tutte le forniture di gas richieste dalle aziende industriali della Sardegna, particolarmente per quelle minerarie e carbonifere, perché la nostra dotazione di bombole, già per se stessa esigua a causa delle precedenti contingenze belliche, è stata diminuita dalle seguenti bombole consegnate alle F.A.A. e non più restituite:

Bombole consegnate dal nostro Stabilimento di Gonnesa a: AIR CORPS SUPPLY OFFICER - SERVICE CENTER 310 :

7-2-44	Salo	1090	29-5-44	Salo	1701	4-8-44	Salo	2959
20-3-44	"	1211	1-6-44	"	1783	11-8-44	"	1322
7-4-44	"	1969	14-6-44	Sapio	3739	31-8-44	"	1749
13-4-44	Sapio	3153	22-6-44	Salo	1595	2-9-44	"	2030
4-5-44	Salo	1363	10-7-44	"	1290	2-9-44	"	1981
16-5-44	"	2089	11-7-44	"	2072	2-9-44	"	1399
18-5-44	"	2987	15-7-44	"	843	5-9-44	"	1751
21-5-44	"	1255	18-7-44	"	1812	12-9-44	"	1157
21-5-44	"	1342	25-7-44	Sapio	826	12-9-44	Sapio	1678
29-5-44	"	1181	4-8-44	Salo	1135	12-9-44	"	1273

Bombole consegnate dal nostro Stabilimento di Cagliari a AIR CORPS SUPPLY OFFICER - SERVICE CENTER 310 :

19-11-43	Salo	737	8-4-44	Salo	04:031	20-7-44	Salo	04:244
24-11-43	Sapio	04:063	14-7-44	Sapio	03:308	22-8-44	Sapio	04:999
8-3-944	"	04:975	20-7-44	"	04:922			

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Bombole consegnate dal nostro Stabilimento di Gonnesa a: ENGINEER SUPPLY DEPOT - A.F.O. 534 :

9-10-44	Sapio	1473	9-10-44	Sapio	1471	9-10-44	Sapio	2013
"	"	1560	"	"	2155	"	"	1525
"	"	1138	"	"	2054	"	"	1463
"	"	1484	"	"	2163	"	"	1547
"	"	1116	"	"	1994	"	"	1121

Bombole consegnate dal nostro Stabilimento di Cagliari a: COMMIS= SIONE ALLEATA - HELLAS:

6-11-44 Sapio 03:105 11-11-44 Sapio 04:930

Durante la permanenza in Sardegna delle Forze Armate Allea= te, da parte nostra, anche a costo di sacrifici, é stato fatto di tutto perché le nostre forniture di ossigeno e di acetilene disciol= to fossero sempre conformi ad ogni richiesta sia per qualità che per quantità.

Per quanto ci consta i Comandi Alleati sono sempre stati sod= disfatti del nostro lavoro e della nostra doverosa buona volontà di essere sempre pronti in ogni loro fabbisogno. Osiamo sperare quindi che verremo ricambiati col provvedere alla sollecita restituzione delle bombole sopra elencate.

Rivolgiamo pertanto viva preghiera a questa on. Commissione Alleata affinché ci accordi il suo valido interessamento e, certi di essere presi in buona considerazione, anticipatamente porgiamo i no= stri sentiti ringraziamenti.

S. A. SARDA OSSIGENO IDROGENO
Il Direttore Tecnico Commerciale

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (A.M.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

23 May 1945

SUBJECT: Containers Oxygen and Acetylene.

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

1. Enclosed is a copy of letter from Society An. Garda Ossigeno Idrogeno dated 30 April 1945 which was sent to Mining Division and then referred to this office.

2. In view of the fact that the above firm turned over a large number of containers to the Allies, they are having difficulty keeping the mining section supplied. The civilians are unable to get sufficient quantities of these gases because of lack of containers.

3. Since the units that have these containers have left Sardinia, will you kindly advise whether or not it is possible to get containers turned over to Allies outlining the procedure to be followed so that the necessary information can be passed on to above.

4. Request that we be advised whether it is possible to purchase similar containers for use here in Sardinia.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

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1 Incl:
Ltr Soc. An. Garda Ossigeno Idrogeno
dated 30 April 1945.

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30 APRIL 1945

SOC. AN. SARDA OSSIGENO IDROGENO

From: SARDA OSSIGENO - CAGLIARI - VIALE CIMITERO 2

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION CARBONIA

SUBJECT: Restitution of Containers by Allied Armed Forces.

The mineral and Coal Society complains because quite frequently our oxygen and acetylene establishment is unable to furnish these two gases in the quantities requested.

The principal reason for this is due to the insufficienty of containers for our production which is carried on in a continuous cycle. In fact we are practically always forced to interrupt our production because we lack containers to fill and as a consequence hinder the production to the detriment of economic requirements and corresponding uneconomical use of manpower.

To eliminate this inconvenience, it would be very useful if the containers we turned over to the Air Corps Supply Officer, 310 Service Group and Allied Garrison Sardinia - Engineer Supply Depot APO 534 could be returned to us.

The containers turned over to these headquarters during their stay in Sardinia are listed below giving date of consignment and identification numbers.

Containers Consigned by the Establishment at Gonnesa to Allied Garrison of Sardinia - Engineer Supply Depot APO 394.

9-10-44	Saio	1473	9-10-44	Saio	1471	9-10-44	Saio	2013
"	"	1508	"	"	2165	"	"	1525
"	"	1138	"	"	2954	"	"	1463
"	"	1484	"	"	2163	"	"	1547
"	"	1116	"	"	1994	"	"	1121

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Containers consigned by the Establishment of Gonnesa to AIR CORPS SUPPLY OFFICER - Service Center 310

7-2-44	Saio	1896	29-5-44	Saio	1701	4-8-44	Saio	2059
20-3-44	"	1211	1-6-44	Saio	1788	11-8-44	Saio	1528
7-4-44	Saio	1969	14-6-44	Sapio	3739	31-8-44	"	1749
13-4-44	Sapio	3163	22-6-44	Saio	1595	2-9-44	"	2030
4-5-44	Saio	1363	10-7-44	Saio	1290	2-9-44	"	1981
16-5-44	Saio	2089	11-7-44	"	2072	2-9-44	"	1399
18-5-44	Saio	2997	15-7-44	Saio	643	5-9 44	"	1751

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21-5-44	Saio	1255	10-7-44	Saio	1612	12-9-44	Saio	1157
21-5-44	Saio	1342	25-7-44	Sapio	826	12-9-44	Sapio	1678
29-5-44	Saio	1181	4-8-44	Saio	1135	12-9-44	Sapio	1273

Containers consigned by the Establishment at Cagliari to Air Corps Supply Officer - Service Center 310

19-11-43	Saio	787	14-7-44	Sapio	03:808
24-11-43	Sapio	D4:865	28-7-44	Sapio	04:922
8-3-944	Sapio	04:975	28-7-44	Saio	04:244
8-4-944	Saio	04:031	22-8-44	Sapio	04:999

The Italian Supply Office at Air Corps Headquarters and the High Commissioner's Office have taken an interest in this affair but to date there have been no results. Therefore, we are taking the liberty of presenting this problem to your headquarters with the hope that you will be of assistance.

The opportunity of being in a position to meet the needs of the Mineral and Coal Society as well as the other consumers who are, for the most part, engaged in the economic and industrial reconstruction of Sardinia, will be for us a pleasure as it was to have been able to comply uninterruptedly with all requests made by Allied Armed Forces.

Trusting that your Commission will receive our request favorably we thank you.

S. A. Sarda Ossigeno Idrogeno
Technical Commercial Director
/s/ Illegible

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SOC. AN. SARDA OSSIGENO IDROGENO

Sede Sociale: MILANO - Sede Amministrativa: CAGLIARI

Capit. Soc. L. 500.000 - C. P. C. 17935 - Confindustria OS CA 6

Stabilimenti di produzione: CAGLIARI - GONNESA (Carbonia)

Telefoni: CAGLIARI N. 2741 - GONNESA N. 2

Mittente: SARDA OSSIGENO - CAGLIARI - Viale Cimitero, 2

Destinatario:

On. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

CARBONIA

vs/ riferimento -- vs/ lettera -- ns/ riferimento direzione data 30 aprile 1945

OGGETTO: restituzione bombole Forze Armate Alleate.

Le Società Minerarie e Carbonifere si lamentano poichè il più delle volte i nostri stabilimenti di produzione di ossigeno e di acetilene disciolto non riescono a fornire questi due gas nei quantitativi completi richiesti.

La ragione principale è dovuta alla insufficienza di recipienti in rapporto alle nostre produzioni che si svolgono a ciclo continuo. Siamo infatti quasi sempre costretti ad interrompere queste nostre produzioni perchè non ci hanno più bombole vuote da riempire con grave pregiudizio del rendimento quantitativo oltre che del rendimento economico occorrendo, per ogni ciclo di produzione, un giorno lavorativo per ultimare il ciclo in corso ed un altro giorno lavorativo per iniziare il susseguente.

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Per ovviare a questo inconveniente ci tornerebbe assai utile poter ricevere le nostre bombole consegnate cariche di gas all' Air Corps Supply Officer - Service Center 310 e all'Allied Garrison of Sardinia - Engineer Supply Depot - A.P.O. 534.

Le bombole consegnate a questi Comandi durante la loro permanenza in Sardegna sono le seguenti elencate per data e numero di matricola:

BOMBOLE CONSEGNATE DALLO STABILIMENTO DI GONNESA A: ALLIED GARRISON OF SARDINIA - Engineer Supply Depot

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Per ovviare a questo inconveniente ci tornerebbe assai utile poter ricevere le nostre bombole consegnate cariche di gas all' Air Corps Supply Officer - Service Center 310 e all'Allied Garrison of Sardinia - Engineer Supply Depot - A.P.O. 534.

Le bombole consegnate a questi Comandi durante la loro permanenza in Sardegna sono le seguenti elencate per data e numero di matricola:

BOMBOLE CONSEGNATE DALLO STABILIMENTO DI GONNESA A: ALLIED GARRISON OF SARDINIA - Engineer Supply Depot - A.P.O. 534:

9-10-44	Saio	1473	9-10-44	Saio	1471	9-10-44	Saio	2013
"	"	1563	"	"	2155	"	"	1525
"	"	1136	"	"	2954	"	"	1463
"	"	1484	"	"	2163	"	"	1547
"	"	1116	"	"	1994	"	"	1121

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BOMBOLE CONSEGNATE DALLO STABILIMENTO DI GONNESA A : AIR CORPS SUPPLY OFFICER - Service Center 310:

7-2-44	Sapio	1896		29-5-44	Sapio	1701		4-8-44	Sapio	2059
20-3-44	"	1211		1-6-44	"	1783		11-8-44	"	1322
7-4-44	"	1969		14-6-44	Sapio	3739		31-8-44	"	1749
13-4-44	Sapio	3163		22-6-44	Sapio	1595		2-9-44	"	2030
4-5-44	Sapio	1363		10-7-44	"	1290		2-9-44	"	1981
16-5-44	"	2089		11-7-44	"	2072		2-9-44	"	1399
18-5-44	"	2997		15-7-44	"	843		5-9-44	"	1751
21-5-44	"	1255		18-7-44	"	1812		12-9-44	"	1157
21-5-44	"	1342		25-7-44	Sapio	826		12-9-44	Sapio	1676
29-5-44	"	1181		4-8-44	Sapio	1135		12-9-44	"	1273

BOMBOLE CONSEGNATE DALLO STABILIMENTO DI CAGLIARI A : AIR CORPS SUPPLY OFFICER - Service Center 310:

19-11-43	Sapio	737		14-7-44	Sapio	03:808
24-11-43	Sapio	04:865		28-7-44	"	04:922
8-3-944	"	04:975		28-7-44	Sapio	04:244
8-4-944	Sapio	04:031		22-8-44	Sapio	04:969

Della restituzione di queste bombole si erano già interessati anche l'Ufficio Italiano Rifornimenti presso Comando Alleato e l'Alto Commissariato per la Sardegna senza però aver ottenuto finora lo scopo. Ci permettiamo quindi rivolgerci pure a questa On. Commissione Alleata con la speranza di essere favoriti del suo valido appoggio.

La possibilità di essere in grado di far fronte a tutto il fabbisogno delle Società Minerarie e Carbonifere oltre che di tutti gli altri consumatori per lo più addetti alla ricostruzione economica ed industriale della Sardegna, sarà per noi la stessa soddisfazione che ci è stata concessa nell'aver potuto rifornire ininterrottamente le Forze Armate Alleate in tutte le loro richieste.

Non dubitiamo che questa On. Commissione accoglierà favorevolmente la nostra richiesta e, anticipatamente, presentiamo i nostri sentiti ringraziamenti.

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Il Direttore Tecnico Commerciale

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21 May 1945

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Lt. Col. Albert:

1. If time permits I believe that you may try to get something further on this on your trip to Rome. We should know more about the function of AC Liaison Officer in handling imports and Exports.

Capt DeStefano

Capt "Do" under Recon Board in [illegible] leave to receipt for goods shipped.

DA/Do

(conf with Lt Col)

Lt John Leanlan,
OKoFF - Cond for Land

Light of Bird Lighting Dim I hope will
many in meeting. We will not have a
Check most landings of imports & Exports

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

Ref. ES/13.03 26 February 1945

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)
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NUMBER 2)

HANDLING OF IMPORTED SUPPLIES BY ISTITUTO NAZIONALE PER IL COMMERCIO ESTERO (ICE)

1. The Italian Government has announced its intention of appointing by decree (at present in process of issuance) the Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero, known as ICE, to receive, handle and account for all imported supplies with the exception of foodstuffs, medical supplies, coal and POL, and agricultural supplies normally warehoused and distributed by the Federazione dei Consorzi Agrari or its agents.

2. The procedure for the handling of these imports (hereinafter called miscellaneous supplies) through ICE is set out in the attached Appendix "A", but the general principles to be observed by all Sub-Commissions may be summarized as follows:

3. Sub-Commissions should agree their distribution program with the relative Italian Ministries at the time the goods are requisitioned. When notification is received that the goods are expected, the Italian Ministry concerned and not the AC Sub-Commission or Regional Division should give the necessary disposal instructions to ICE.

4. ICE will be responsible for checking the goods off the ship (except in ports where for military reasons they are excluded, in which cases they will have to take delivery from AC/AMG warehouses). ICE will deliver the goods according to the instructions to be given to them by the interested Italian Ministry, will fix the sale price (in conjunction with the Ministry) and will collect the sale proceeds from the customer. They will account to the Ministry of the Treasury for such proceeds and will submit to the Chief Accountant AC such receiving reports and other accounts as may be required by him.

5. Apart from future imports of miscellaneous supplies to be received by ICE direct from shipside there are already quantities of goods of the category covered by this Executive Memorandum in AC/AMG warehouses. These will be distributed by ICE in the

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5. Apart from future imports of miscellaneous supplies to be received by ICE direct from shipside there are already quantities of goods of the category covered by this Executive Memorandum in AC/AMG warehouses. These will be distributed by ICE in the same way as goods to be received by sea. The procedure (as set out in Appendix "A") will of necessity differ slightly, but the main principles will remain the same and disposal instructions should be given to ICE by the interested Italian Ministry.

6. In the early stages of ICE's operations it is appreciated that emergencies may arise whereby delivery of imported supplies covered by this Executive Memorandum may sometimes require to be made by AC/AMG themselves either from shipside or warehouse instead of by ICE. In such cases ICE will be responsible for billing the customer and collecting the proceeds of sale, although delivery was made by AC/AMG. In order that ICE may be in a position to do this, the Sub-Commission making the delivery must notify them. The procedure for doing this is laid down in the attached Appendix "A".

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7. As explained in Appendix "A" notification to ICE and to Italian Ministries of expected arrival of supplies and authority to ICE to accept same from shipside or AC/AMG warehouse will always be given by the relative Section or Sub-Commission on the same standard form, specimen of which is attached as Appendix "B".

8. The procedure as set out in this Executive Memorandum and attached Appendices will come into force at once. Insofar as Appendix "A" mentions particular AC officers now serving in the South, it will have to be adapted when withdrawal from the South takes place. It is intended to print a supply of the form shown as Appendix "B"; until this is done, Sub-Commissions and other Divisions concerned should use typewritten forms drawn up to contain the same information.

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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14. ICE will submit to the Supply and Resources Division a statement as at the end of each month showing the quantities of each type of merchandise warehoused by them pending receipt of disposal instructions; the Supply and Resources Division will in turn notify the interested Sub-Commissions.

15. ICE may take delivery from AC/AMG warehouses (a) of goods which were already in the warehouses prior to their taking over the receipt and distribution of imports, (b) where for any reason ICE representatives are not allowed in the dock area to check the goods, as may be the case in certain ports in military areas; in such cases delivery must be taken by ICE ex AC/AMG warehouses, and (c) in any cases where for exceptional circumstances imports have been received by AC/AMG.

16. In the case of goods warehoused in the circumstances described in the preceding paragraphs it will be necessary for AC/AMG to authorise the warehouse to release the goods to ICE. It will be the responsibility of the interested Sub-Commissions or Regional Division to do this by means of the same Notification Note as for imports, made out in sextuplicate (Form F/F/60 Appendix "F"). The original copy will be given to ICE as authority to take delivery; the duplicate will be sent to the interested Italian Ministry for disposal instructions; the triplicate will be retained by the issuing Sub-Commission or Regional Division; the quadruplicate will be sent to the Transportation Sub-Commission (Port and Warehouse Division); the quintuplicate to the Chief Accountant, and the sextuplicate to the Supply and Resources Division who will see that the landed cost is communicated to ICE.

17. Upon presentation of the Notification Note, and on receipt of the goods, ICE will give a receiving report to the warehouse in the usual form and as provided for in the accounting instructions.

EMERGENCY DELIVERIES BY AC/AMG DIRECT TO CUSTOMERS FROM SHIP SIDE

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(a) Make out the usual form of Notification Note as provided in para 15 as though they were instructing ICE to make delivery from AC/AMG warehouse; they will, however, endorse the Notification Note with a statement that delivery has already been made to the consignee as stated thereon and that it is submitted for information only. Distribution of the Notification Note will be the same as in normal circumstances (see para 15).

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(c) Obtain a receiving report from the consignee in quintuplicate to be distributed as provided in the accounting instructions. The receiving report must state clearly the name of the ship on which the goods arrived, the number of cases with the markings of each case and the nature of the goods.

(c) Obtain from the Port Liaison Officer a copy of the ocean manifest relating to the cargo and send this to the Chief Accountant attached to the copy Notification Note and Receiving Report.

(d) Notify Supply and Resources Division of the delivery with a request that they notify ICE of the landed costs.

DELIVERIES BY AC/AMC DIRECT TO CUSTOMER FROM WAREHOUSE

19. Starting immediately, ICE will be responsible for collecting the proceeds of sales in respect of all deliveries to be made in future from AC/AMC warehouses direct to customers even though, as may occur in the early stages of the handover, delivery is made by AC/AMC and not by ICE. In these cases procedure will be the same as for similar direct deliveries from ship side as set out in the preceding paragraph, except that the receiving report will quote the warehouse from which delivery was made instead of the name of the ship, and no copy of the ocean manifest will be obtained.

CHANNELS OF COMMUNICATION

20. In case of necessity ICE will communicate direct with the Sub-Commission which has requisitioned the imported goods, as notified to them by Supply and Resources Division (See para 5), or, on matters of warehousing and transport, with Port and Warehouse Division of the Transportation Sub-Commission. On general matters they will communicate with Supply and Resources Division and on accounting matters with the Chief Accountant's department.

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APPENDIX "A"

PROCEDURE FOR NOTIFICATION OF EXPECTED ARRIVAL BY SHIPS OF SUPPLIES TO BE DISTRIBUTED BY ICB AND DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS.

1. Supply and Resources Division of Economic Section will, as at present, notify the requisitioning Sub-Commission that the requisition has been approved by AFHQ.

2. The requisitioning Sub-Commission will inform the Italian Ministry concerned that the requisition has been approved by AFHQ, giving details of the commodities ordered and will agree with the Ministry plans for the subsequent disposition and use of the requisitioned commodity.

3. Supply and Resources Division receive notification from Washington that the requisition has been accepted and a shipping number allotted. They will on receipt of this notification inform the Sub-Commission concerned who will in turn inform the interested Italian Ministry.

4. It is hoped that arrangements can be made with Washington and London to notify AC when the requisitioned commodities are called forward for shipment. If this proves possible the Sub-Commissions and Ministries concerned will be duly notified. Until and unless such arrangements are made the next information as to the progress of the requisition will be when the list of scheduled arrivals for the next ten day maintenance period is received from AFHQ. On the basis of this document Supply and Resources Division will notify the interested parties as set out below; in many cases however a copy of the ocean manifest is received by the Supply and Resources Division and in such cases the notification to the interested parties will be based on the manifest and will carry reference to the requisition numbers. Where no manifest is received it will not be possible to include reference to the requisition number in the notification to interested parties.

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5. All authorizations for release of miscellaneous supplies will be made by a "Notification Note" Form F/F/60 (Appendix "B"). On receipt of the scheduled arrivals or the ocean manifest, the Supply and Resources Division will prepare a Notification Note in sextuplicate. The original will be forwarded to ICB as notification to prepare for reception of the goods (see para 7); the duplicate and triplicate will be forwarded to the interested Sub-Commission; the quadruplicate will

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6. The Sub-Commission handling such supplies will transmit the duplicate copy to the Italian Ministry requesting them to give the necessary final disposal instructions to ICE. In early stages of the hand over to ICE and in emergency cases where the time element makes the above procedure impracticable it may be necessary for AC and not Italian Government to give the disposal instructions to ICE, this is dealt with in paras 13 & 19 below.

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7. For security reasons only very general information as to the expected arrivals can be given to ICE. In order that the ICE agency or port representatives may be in a position to arrange for the reception of the goods without receiving such detailed information as may constitute a breach of security, ICE should appoint a liaison officer to work continually with the AC port liaison officer. The AC port liaison officer will be responsible for obtaining all necessary information before the arrival of the ship, as at present, and will bring the ICE liaison officer into the picture as early as security permits.

8. Immediately on receipt of notification from the Supply and Resources Division of the expected arrival, ICE will notify their liaison officer in the expected port of arrival. This officer will keep in close contact with the port liaison officer of the Transportation Sub-Commission and should make the necessary arrangements for warehousing should this be necessary.

9. Shipping branch of Movements Division, Transportation Sub-Commission will inform ICE of arrivals and diversions of all vessels carrying civilian supplies. ICE will pass this information to the Ministries and Sub-Commissions interested and will obtain final disposal instructions in the light of this information.

10. Regional and provincial officers will give every assistance to the ICE agencies including placing at their disposal facilities for letter and telegraphic communication laterally and with ICE Head Office in Rome through HQ AC.

RECEIPT AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF IMPORTED GOODS

11. Under authority from AFHQ ICE representatives have the necessary authority to enter port offices and to obtain the information as to off-loading programs necessary to them. ICE will on receipt of this information arrange for their representatives to check the cargo off the ship and dispose of same in conformity with the instructions issued by the interested Italian Ministry. Should such instructions not have been received, ICE will arrange for warehousing through the local Port and Warehousing Division or such Italian agency as may be operating the warehouse at the port.

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12. ICE will submit to the Port Liaison Officer or Zone Supply Officer a Receiving Report in a specified form. The Port Liaison Officer or Zone Supply Officer will be responsible for forwarding this Receiving Report to the Regional Supply Accountant. This Receiving Report and the whole accounting procedure is dealt with in separate instructions.

13. The Chief Accountant will transmit to Supply and Resources Division a monthly schedule of Receiving Reports received from ICE.

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APPENDIX "B" Form F/F/60

A L L I E D C O M M I S S I O N

N O T I F I C A T I O N N O T E

Ref..... No.....

FROM..... Date.....
(Name of AC/AMG issuing note)

TO: Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero
Ministry of.....
Sub-Commission.....
Transportation Sub-Commission.....
Chief Accountant, AC
Other (Specify).....

1. This note constitutes the authority for Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero (ICE) to take delivery of undermentioned goods which

(a) are expected to arrive at the port of.....
during the period..... to.....; or

(b) are available in the warehouse situated at.....

(NOTE: Strike out whichever not applicable)

2. Delivery will be made against Receiving Report to be handed by ICE to Port Liaison Officer or Zone Supply Officer in the case of (a), and to the warehouse in the case of (b).

Requisition Number	Commodity	Trade Unit (Specify)	Approx. Landed Cost per Unit	Number of Cases, Boxes, etc. in lot	Weight	Identification Markings
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3. The above goods were requisitioned by.....

4. For the purpose of fixing the sale price the approximate landed cost per unit is quoted above. If the cost is unknown at the time of completing this document the word "later" will be inserted in

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.....
(Name and rank of issuing Officer.)

Special instructions for disposition of supplies:
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(Name and title)

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TRANSLATION GC/rrc 18 MAY 45

ISTITUTO NAZIONALE PER IL COMMERCIO ESTERO

No. 5462 M.C.M. Rome 12 March 1945

SUBJECT: Exportation of 500/600 Tons of Milled Sea Salt for Salting Fish.

We sent you yesterday the following telegram to Anela:

"Report on 14 March to Cagliari to assist loading of salt "Conti Vecchi Society"" and for any good purpose we phoned Dr. De Magistris from the High Commissioner for Sardinia to relay said information to you.

Taking advantage of Dr. Serri's courtesy from 'Salinduchi', we are forwarding enclosed herewith a sample of contract stipulated between the A.C. for supply and Luigi Conti Vecchi Society, for the above mentioned 500/600 tons of sea salt for salting fish.

As you noted, you will have to supervise the loading of the stock of salt in question which should start 15 March.

Upon the effective consignment, a sample must be drawn from the merchandise in accordance with instructions now in force, that is, 3 samples: one for the A.C., one for the Luigi Conti Vecchi Society and one for the I.C.E.

In addition you will provide to regularize the 6 copies of invoices concerning the supply in question, stamping them with the Control Center stamp.

Please thank Dr. De Magistris from the High Commissioner's for his courtesy and reimburse him for the expences incurred for us.

We are awaiting a kind reply.

IL COMMISSARIO
/s/ Illegible

To: TIANA BACHISIO
Inspector I.C.E.
CAGLIARI

1 Inclosure

Il Ed. Please thank the Dr. for his courtesy that represented Italy yesterday and provide him with the disbursements for expenses for the shipments on behalf of I.C.E. Ile

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TRANSLATION GC/rrc 18 MAY 1945

CONTRACT No. 30/2

On 10 March 1945, in Rome,

between

Luigi Conti Vecchi Society of Cagliari, represented by its subsidiary 'Salinduchi' in the persons of:
Dr. Tanbarini Guido, Goetz Giorgio and Dr. Serri Bruno, assisted by the Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero,

and

the Allied Commission - Foreign Trade Section of the Commerce Sub Com, located at Rome, Via Veneto and that later will be called A.C.

the following was agreed:

Luigi Conti Vecchi Society sell to the A.C., and the A.C. purchase in conformity, a total of 500/600 tons of milled salt for salting fish.

TYPE AND QUALITY. Common sea salt (NaCl) milled in 3/6 millimeter grains for salting fish, as per sample.

SAMPLES. Upon the effective consignment a sample must be drawn from the goods in accordance with instructions now in force. Three samples will be drawn and properly sealed, one of which will be consigned to the A.C., the second one to Luigi Conti Vecchi Society, and the third one to the I.C.E.

CRATING. Salt will be supplied in sacks with the understanding that sacks will be put at the disposal of the salt-marsh by the A.C. The expense for sacking will be charged to the A.C. based on the effective expenses efforted by the salt-marsh; in any case, said expense must not exceed 200 to 300 lire per ton.

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PRICE. 1000 lire per ton in Cagliari.

CONSIGNMENT. Stock of salt in question will be consigned all at one time starting 15 March 1945.

The seller will compile a proper invoice in five copies, transmitting them to the I.C.E. control personnel who will stamp said invoice with the Control Center stamp.

The A.C. or its representative, will stamp said document as a receipt for the merchandise.

Two of the five copies of invoice will be returned to the selling firm by the Control Center of I.C.E.; one to the A.C. and two will be forwarded to the I.C.E. Station in Rome.

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PAYMENT. Payment for the merchandise loaded will be arranged by the I.C.E. Station in Rome on behalf of the seller, Luigi Conti Vecchi Society with Work National Bank in Cagliari, which will effect the payment upon consignment of the invoice compiled as stated above.

1% of the amount of the invoice will be retained by the Work National Bank of Cagliari and credited to the Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero as a reimbursement for expenses and the amount will be forwarded to the Station in Rome of the same Istituto.

REGULATIONS FOR NON COMPLIANCE. For any case of non compliance, the A.C. reserves action for reimbursement of possible damages.

The present contract, No. 30/2, is compiled in 5 copies, one for the seller, two for A.C. and two for ICE.

Rome 10 March 1945

THE SELLER
for Luigi Conti Vecchi Society
Soc. Salinduchi

THE PURCHASER
for A.C.

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LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)
Allied Garrison Sardinia
A.P.O. 594, U.S. Army

12 May 1945

SUBJECT: Vehicle Transfers.

TO : Commissioner A.M.G., Naples Commune.

1. Reference your Br.D/MC/4 dated 7 May 1945 subject as above.

2. We have no record of the letter Hq Allied Commission G-4/101/0/3 dated 8 April 1945 to which you refer. We believe that this file was taken with AC upon departure from Sardinia.

3. If you will kindly supply us with a copy of the communication or some additional information, we will check further.

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LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Colonel, Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer

FMLC. ALCOM-1981

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Hr.D/NC/4
7 May 45

Subject:- Vehicle Transfers

Liaison Officer,
Allied Commission,
Sardegna.
c/o O.C. Troops
Sardegna Garrison
CMF.

Staff Car Ford M4956530

1. Ref HQ Allied Commission letter G-4/101/0/3 dated 3 Apr 45.

2. Please forward AFs G1033 in respect of transfer of a/n vehicle to Naples Commune.

R.. Smith. Capt.
for Colonel,
Commissioner,
A.M.G. Naples Commune.

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CMF
HJW/AC

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Copy to: H.Q. Allied Commission,
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MAY 17 1945

FILE: ALCOM

L5 0900 MAY 1945

From: MMIA LO SARDINIA SIGNED ALBERT Y 393

To: ALCOM PALERMO INFO ALCOM HQ FOR ECONOMIC SECTION

Reference your message Cite SL 40 dated 28 1607 APRIL (.)
35 empty barrels loaded on S.S. GEMARGENTU were shipped by firm
ERISIO PAU. CAGLIARI and were to be shipped to Society Spero, PALERMO
for onward transmission to the SPERO Insular Administration of CATANIA
(.) Said barrels empty ex sulphur of carbon must be shipped back to
SARDINIA full of sulphur of carbon

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Prepared by A. F. DeStefano CAPTAIN INFANTRY

Authenticated by LESTER P. ALBERT LT COLONEL INFANTRY

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MEMO TO MILA

The 65 empty barrels loaded on the SS Genargentu has been shipped by the firm Efisio Pau - Emilio Street, Cerlieri and were to be shipped to Society "Spero" Palermo for onward transmission to the "Spero" Insular Administration of Catania.

The said barrels empty ex sulphur of carbon barrels must be shipped back to Sardinia full of sulphur of carbon

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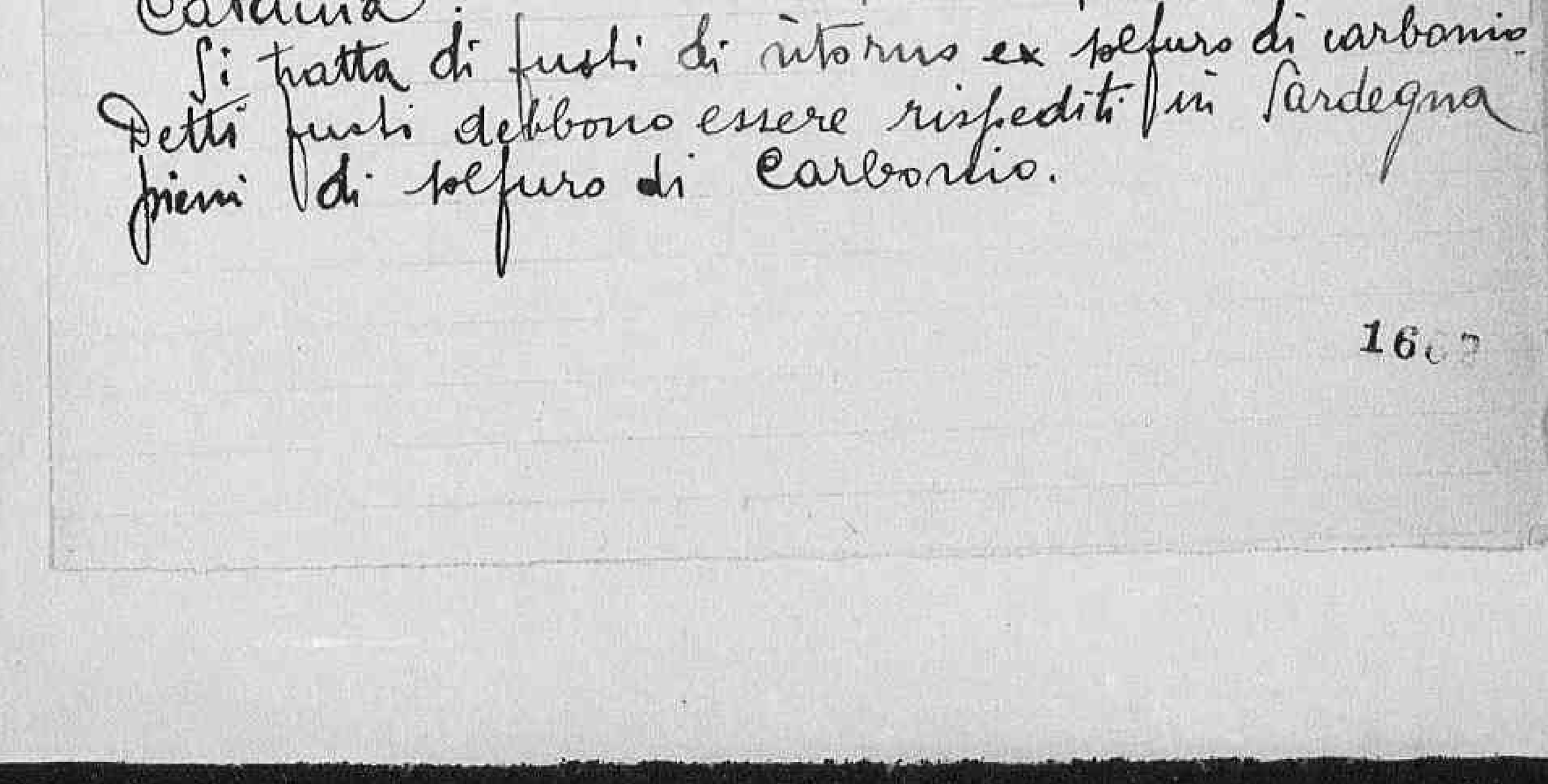

Promemoria per l' M.M.I.A.

I 65 fusti vuoti imbarcati sul Piroscafo "Gennargentu" sono stati spediti dalla Ditta Ofindi Gian. Via Baille - Cagliari - ed erano diretti alla Soc. "Spero" Palermo per l' inoltro alla "Spero" - Gestione insulare Catania

Si tratta di fusti di ritorno ex solfuro di carbonio Detti fusti debbono essere rispediti in Sardegna pieni di solfuro di carbonio.

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Pel circuito N.

Risevuto

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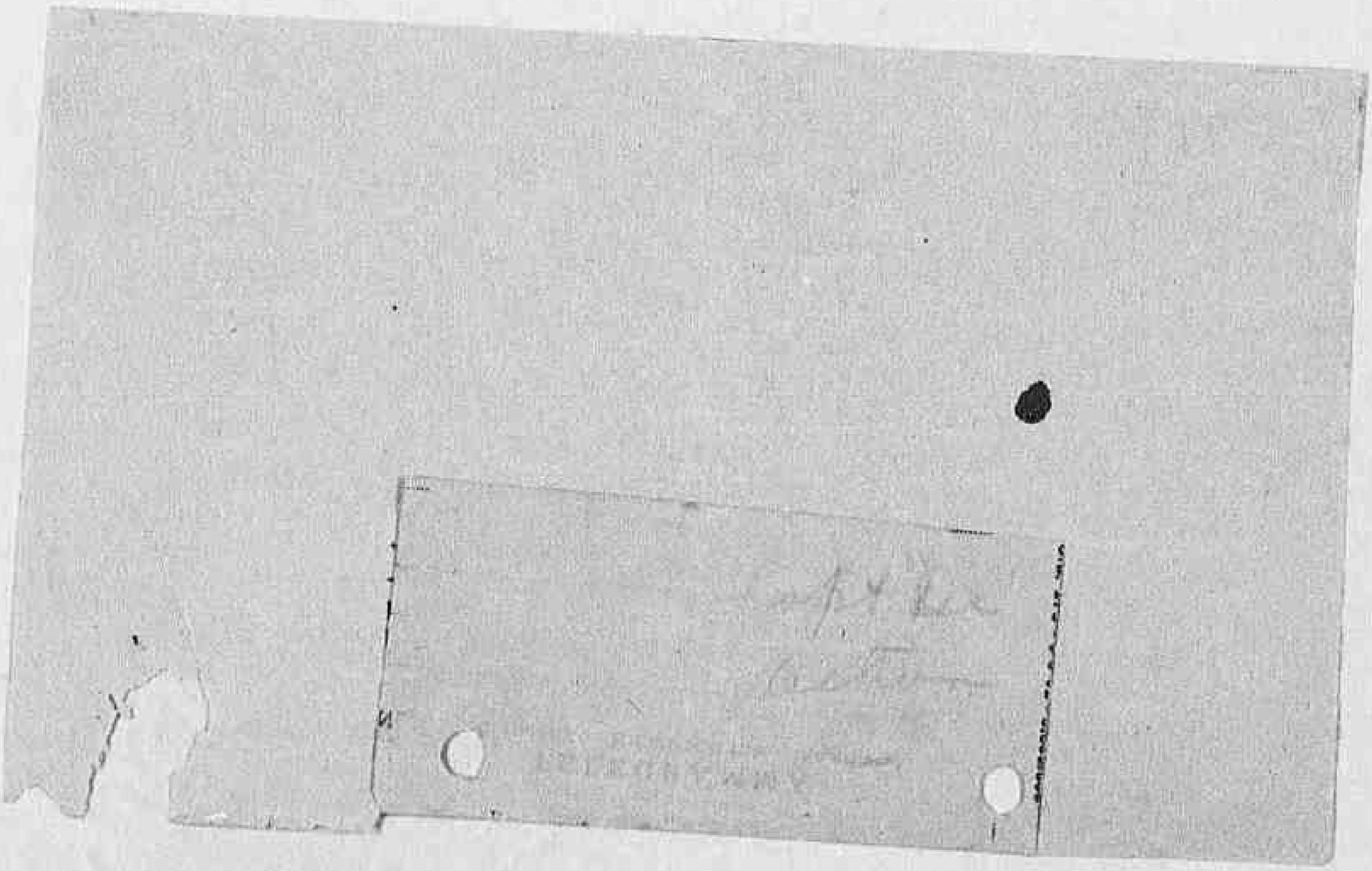

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Para e advise ct 281675 -

Lt. Lupariello knows nothing about this transaction - Ltr 30/4/45 -

APR 29 1945

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Subject: Locusts - Sardinia

Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (MMIA)
RGMR
M/2/1920
30 April 45

Ministry of War,
Direzione Generale di Sanita Militare (2)

Reference S.M.R.E., Sezione Sanita letter ref. 1/1778/Serv. of 25 April 45 (not to all).

The information contained therein and request for supplies of sodium arsenate has been passed to the Agriculture Sub Commission A.C. for their attention.

A.C. Heggie
Lieut-Col.
A.D.M.S.
Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. (MMIA)

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Copy to: Agriculture Sub Comm. AC.
MMIA LO Sardinia (for info)

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