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Land Forces Sub Commission A.O.
(M. V. I. A.) ROME.

Q/12/5

3/ October: 1945.

To:-

M.V.I.A. I.C.,
c/o Florence City Command.

Herewith find copy of Diathree signal CG.4190 dated
29th October, forwarded for your information.

[Signature]
Major General,
M. V. I. A.

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FROM DISTHREE
TO Q 2II SUB AREA
INFO HQ MMIA
QG 4I90

DATETIME 25I400

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REF YOUR QG 439 OF 23 AND MMIA SIGNAL Q 559 OF 23. AGREED OCCUPATION
BY MMIA 4 PLUMBOS AT LATERINA. INVENTORIES OF FITTINGS ETC. TO BE RETAINED
YOUR HQ AND REPORTED

ACTION COPY Q/12/5
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These are the lists for
Arzoo camp

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM : RMVA DATE TIME
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TO : DIRECTOR
INFO : FLEMING CITY COMMAND
FLEMING CITY COMMAND FOR AITA LO
REF : Q. 659 UNCLASSIFIED.

URGENT MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM ITALIAN ARMY FOUR MONTHS
FLASH IN WPTU CASE SINCE A B S R S Q(.)
CONVULSION SURRY - CRISIS REPORT

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Reference
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Subject:- Huts used by Allied units at BARIKETA.

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) RGMH.
✓12/5.

27 June 45.

To:-

MMIA - IO, o/o 54 Area

Reference attached translated copy of letter from the Ministry
of War.
Please arrange for the release of these huts to Territorial HQ,
BARI.
See also attached copy of this HQ letter of even reference dated
24 June 45.

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R.A. CURTIS Lt. Col.
for Major General.
M. M. I. A.

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Translation

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From: Ministry of War.

Ref: 11/2421/M.

To: MMIA.

Date 22 June 45.

Subject: Huts used by Allied units at BARILETTA.

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2. It appears that said huts have ~~been~~ transferred somewhere else; however, we do not know where they are to be sent, and for what requirements they are intended for.
3. We report the above in case you deem it advisable to intervene in order to have said huts left where they are or to have them sent somewhere else.

(sgd) Gen. CRIVARO.

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Subject: Italian Army Hitting.

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

9/12/5.

24 June 45.

To: War Ministry.

1. As you are aware difficulty is being experienced in providing adequate accommodation for repatriated Italian personnel. It has been suggested that surplus army hitting might be made available at Reception Camps.
2. It is estimated that some 40 huts 20 m. X 5 m. can be made available in the Bari Taranto area.
3. Provided the War Ministry retain control of such hitting in order that it may be returned to the Italian Army when required there is no objection to the release of Italian Army huts surplus to present needs for this purpose.

(sgd) R.A. CURRIES Lt. Col.
for Major General.
M.H.I.A.

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Subject : Italian Army Hutting.

Lead Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M.H.I.A.)
S.O.R.S.
✓12/5

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R.A. CURTIS, Lt.Col.
For Major General,
M.H.I.A.

Copy to : "A" Branch.
S.O.R.S.
A.C. for Displaced Persons and Prisoner of War Sub Commission.

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Translation

From : NOW
 To : MMIA
 Subject : Huts used by Allied units at Barletta.

Ref. : 11/24211/
 Date : June 22, 1945

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(Sgd) Gen. Crivaro

Cpl. VDD

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Subject:- Requirements of hutting

Land Forces Sub Comm AC (MMIA)
Q/I2/5
18 May 45

Ministry of War

Further to this HQ letter Q/I2/5 of 10 April and your letter 5/543/Serv of 16 May. — 26

You are requested to make an allocation of all available huts to the formations detailed in your letter (with the exception of 228 and 231 Dives), in accordance with such priorities as you may decide.

It is suggested that steps be taken to salvage, repair and ~~maintain~~^{store} as much material as possible with a view to future contingencies.

Note Florence Command require hutting for 2500 men in Highways Area
W. B. Cantor

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Land Forces Sub Comm AC (MMIA)

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Translation

From: S.M.R.E
To: MMIA

0/12/5

Ref: 5/543
Date: 16th May 48

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Subject: Huts needed for Lt. Lt. Groups

Further to letter 5/443/sero dated 29/4/48 - 21

With Ref to the contents of para. 2 of letter 5/443/sero, we inform you of the huts needed for the H.Q.'s, not included in the a/m letter.

Vaples Milit Barr. H.Q.	42	huts (comp. ^{surface} superficies)	4000 square mt
Bari	12	" " (" " ")	1000 " "
Florence	12	" " (" " ")	1000 " "
228 Div H.Q.	3	" " (" " ")	100 " "
Mine Clearing Camps	10	" " (" " ")	1000 " "
Refugees Commissioner	2	" " (" " ")	400 " "

Kindly approve the issue of said huts

Signed: Gen: GIORGIO LUZZI

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From - MCW
To - MEMIA

II/22085/M
2 May 45

Subject:- Hutting

Further to II/22476/M of 13 Apr 45

Engr HQ Bari has not been able to renovate and concentrate the available huts by the date stated as:-

it has had to carry out repairs to damage caused by the Bari explosion

it has had to carry out urgent repairs to the double tier beds for CESANO as asked by you

We shall let you know the details asked for from Bari and Naples as soon as they are to hand.

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 Q/12/5
 Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
 (M.M.I.A.) R O M E .
 Q/89

May
 / April 45

H.C., P.B.S.
 Southern District

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Ref your Memorandum dated 25 April 45.

Instructions have been issued to the War Ministry to release 20 huts and such Engineer stores as are available for use at ASTRONI Staging Camp.

Details as to availability and location from which above may be drawn are being supplied to Sen. MMIA LO Pensouth who will notify you accordingly.

R. A. Curtins

R. A. CURTINS Lt. Col.
 for Major General.
 M.M.I.A.

RAC/hh

Copy to: Sen. MMIA LO Naples.

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Translation

From: S.M.A.E

To: M.M.A

Q/12/5³

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Ref: 5/443/Gen

Date: 29 April 55

Subject: Huts Requirements for ITI - ITE troops

- I We inform you that the number of huts considered necessary for ITI, ITE troops is as follows:
- 10. for the 231st Div. H.Q. — No
 - 14. for Rome Mil. Com H.Q. — Yes
- II This quantity does not include the needs of Naples, Bari, Florence and 238th Division Territorial H.Q.'s, because ~~no~~ information in respect of the above H.Q.'s have not yet reached us.
- III We beg you to kindly authorize the issue of huts as shown in para. 1.

Every

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Signed: Gen. FORBES - 10221

Agreed as above
RAC
1 May

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TRANSLATION.

From: Ministry of War
Ufficio Benessere del Soldato.

20 April '45.

To : A.D.A.W.S.
M.M.I.A.

02880/B.S.

Subject : Provision of Wooden Barrack-huts.

The Directorate of Personnel of the Ministry has applied to MMIA for authority to draw from its own stores two wooden huts, size 5 x 20 metres to be erected in the courtyard of the "Duca delle Puglie" barracks in Trani.

The reason for the request is the absolute lack in Trani of suitable accommodation for rest rooms for the troops, making it impossible to provide for this in any other way: in view of the presence in Trani of a Training Camp, some provision is necessary.

MMIA did not consider it opportune to accede to the request: it is requested, therefore, that MMIA will re-examine the question, representing to the competent service the absolute necessity from the point of view of Welfare of granting the application: it should be borne in mind that conditions in Trani today, particularly since the explosion at Bari, are becoming worse rather than better, and that the provision of suitable accommodation for "Case del Soldato" is absolutely outside its capacity.

/S G.C. TAMASSIA
Brig General.

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Translation

9/12/5

From : Min. of War
To : Consaglio
Subject : Recovery of huts.

Ref. : II/22001/M
Date : 16 April 45

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Please order that the huts, which were reported as being available in Campania and Calabria with tele GY 2236/L dated March 29, be recovered and stored at Naples and Catanzaro respectively. Trucks required for the recovery will be requested from MMIA LC Naples for the transport in Campania and from the Special Transport Co. AC Cosenza through the Consaglio Mil. Command for the transport in Calabria. When the recovery has been carried out you will see to the prompt immediate inspection, reporting the number of barracks that can be used immediately and the number of huts requiring repairs. All of the huts must be held at the disposal of MMIA.

(sgd) Lt. Col. Lonerdo

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Translation

From : Min. of War
To /A : MMIA

Ref. II/22001
Date 16 April 45

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Ref. 9/12/5 dated April 10, 1945

...for info.

(Sgd) Col. Picone

Spl. Vac

9/12/5

Translation

From : Min. of War
To : Comogenio Bari
Subject : Cancellation of signal.

Date : 16 April 45
Ref. : II/22366/A

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Signal No. II/22386/M dated 12th inst. is hereby cancelled. Please order that the huts which were reported as being available at Bari and Maglie with tele 3227 dated March 31, be put into good condition as soon as possible and held at the disposal of MMIA.

(sgd) Lt. Col. Lonerdo

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Translation

From : Ministry of War
To : MMIA

Ref. II/22366/M
Date 16 April 45

Ref. 9/12/5 dated April 10, 1945.

..... for info and further to letter II/22386/M dated 12th inst.

(sgd) Col. Ticone

Cpl. VLB

from: M of G
 to: SMRE
 copy to: M M I A

Translation

ref. U/22476/M

0/12/5

13 April 1945

Subject: Barracks:

As we have already informed you verbally this Gen Directorate will answer directly to M M I A concerning matters as at para 3 + 4 of a pm letter:

With ref. to the last para. we beg you ~~concerning~~ to ask the unit concerned to ~~forward~~ ^{send} necessary data requested to M M I A

Col PICONE

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SUBJECT : Hutting.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(F.M.I.A.)
R O M E
9/12/45

10 April 45

TO : Ministry of War

Copy to :- MMIA IO NAPLES - BARI - SORE.

Cancel this HQ letter 9/10 dated 7 April 45 in reply to your 11/22273/M of 7 April 45.

Available hutting will be allocated by this HQ as soon as the requirements of the various camps can be ascertained. Any available after meeting needs of ITI-ITI Camps will be placed equally at disposal of US and BR Commanders.

You are required to collect at BARI as many complete huts as are serviceable ready for issue and to report by 30 April number and size.

By the same date you are required to furnish details of huts reported as unused and available in Naples Area.

You should also make application by same date for huts considered urgently necessary for ITI-ITI troops.

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R.A. CUSTIE Lt. Col.
for Major General.
F.M.I.A.

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Subject : Matted Camps.

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Land Forces Hq Comd. A.S.
(M.F.I.A.)
R O W H
2/12/5

9 April 45.

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M.F.I.A. Sub Area.

Approval is given for the two Italian Matted Camps at Brindisi, known as Comando Vecchio and Comando Nuovo, recently occupied by Italian Military Pioneer Companies, to be used by Italian Co-operator Pioneer Companies.

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R.A. JENNIS, Lt. Col,
For Major General,
M.F.I.A.

Copy to : -M.F.I.A. HQ. BARI.
-War Ministry.

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SIGNAL MESSAGE

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FROM NMIA
TO DISTHREE
INFO PERMSINTH FOR NMIA LC

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FOR NMIA LC (.) CANCEL BY Q 458 (.) ACTION AS NECESSARY
TO REALLOCATE ITALIAN ARMY HUNS NAPLES AREA WILL BE TAKEN BY
NMIA LC NAPLES (.) LETTER FOLLOWS

PREFERENCE _____

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Internal RE NMIA

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Subject : Accommodation - Camps.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.E.I.A.)
ROME
O/I/5

24 March 45.

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1. In order that this HQ may have up to date records of the accommodation in use by the Italian Army, you are requested to complete and return the enclosed pro-formas at your earliest convenience.
2. Please indicate the use to which the camp is being put at present and to what extent hatted accommodation is available. It is possible that some Army hutting may become available from British sources and any urgent need should be indicated.
3. Will you please include all available information regarding camps in use by U.S. Itis and looked after by U.S. Liaison Officers.

RAC

R.A. JUNTIES, L.Col,
[Signature]
M.E.I.A.

To : Maj. CAREW HUNT, LO Eighth Army Rear,
Capt. NEWTON, LO Fifth Army, Br. Increment,
Capt. BORN, LO I District,
Maj. THURUP, LO 3 District,
Maj. BIRD, LO 54 Area.

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NAME.....MR.....

Type.....

Detraining Station.....Distance from Camp.....

Responsibility (a) Allied.....
(b) Italian.....

Comd Officer.....

MMIA Rep.....

Strength of Permanent Staff.....

Capacity.....Average Present Holding.....

Future Planning

General Remarks

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