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ST. 303 Combat Groups Reinforcement Depot

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FROM: WAR MINISTRY

TO : MIA

Recd 20 April 1954

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SUBJECT: Frosinone and Anagni Camps.
In reply to 22/34

With reference to MIA's observations, I notify :

Frosinone Camp

1.

a) of the 1200 ANGLS noted at the beginning of April, at the time of the Easter holiday, 453 had already returned by the 7th inst., and it is expected that many others will return. The matter has already been submitted to MIA with SERE letter 15535/404 dated 10 th inst.

b) On the 7 th inst., Col GROSSA, camp Commandant, was replaced by Col. CAPPANO Rfiore.

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In respect of the debit charge for the mess tins, the payment of the sum of 485 lire is expected in cases in which the deficiency is due to the fault of the troops. This price, however, will not apply for breakage of the bowls.

f) At present there are no stocks of black boot polish or in the Rome Commissariat Directorate. The other Commissariat Directorate have small quantities which are not even sufficient for the units under their jurisdiction.

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Request have been forwarded to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce, and Labour for the raw materials required, but, so far, with negative result.

g) drainage and water is already laid on at the BPD building at Frosinone, used as billets for the camp.

General CORRALLESBA has informed us that the 8000 metres of piping are required for the supplying of drinking water to Anagni Camp (see following para 2);

h) arrangements have been made for the assignment of the necessary fuels for the functioning of the water pump and electricity supply;

i) arrangements have been made to wipe out the medicinal deficiencies which were discovered and enquiries are being made to establish the causes and culprits of said deficiencies.

2. Anagni Camp:

There is no fresh water installation. There is only installation for washing water served by a pumping station, already working. General CORRALLESBA has planned for the running in of water from a spring outside the building with the use of 2000 metres of piping. This Ministry has authorized the use of piping already existing at Anagni. The works required will be carried out as soon as possible.

3. Orders have already been issued for the forming of the 586 and 527 Guard Battalions.

Sgt. CASATI,
Director.

O. Marin Cpl.

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REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTER.
ITALIAN COAST WING.

A HEADQUARTERS, ENGINEER REINFORCEMENTS
BATTALION.

War Establishment.

(i) Personnel.

RESTRICTED

Officers	5
O. Rs.	27
TOTAL	32
H. Co.	1
Vehicles.	4
Trailers.	1

	Officers.	Senior NCOs.	Junior NCOs.	Privates.	TOTAL.
Officer Commanding (Lieut Col)	1				1
Adjutant (Captain)	1				1
Quartermaster (Subaltern)	1				1
Medical Officer (Subaltern)	1				1
H. Q. Platoon Commander (Subaltern)	1				1
TOTAL - OFFICERS.					5
Office Section.					
Chief Clerk (W.O.)					
Clerks					
Orderlies					
Services Section.					
Quartermaster Serjeant					
Quartermaster Corporal					
Medical Orderly					
Batman					
Cooks					
Storeman					
G.B. Men					
M.T. WCO					
Driver mechanic					
Drivers.					
Motor cyclist					

	OFFR	Sent	Funf	Priv	TOTAL
Officer Commanding (Lieut Col)	1				1
Adjutant (Captain)	1				1
Quartermaster (Subaltern)	1				1
Medical Officer (Subaltern)	1				1
H.C. Platoon Commander (Subaltern)	1				1
TOTAL - OFFICERS.	5				5
<u>Office Section.</u>					
Chief Clerk (W.O.)		1	1	1	3
Clerks				2	2
Orderlies					
<u>Services Section.</u>					
Quartermaster Sergeant		1			1
Quartermaster Corporal			1		1
Medical Orderly			1		1
Batman				3	3
Cooks			1		1
Storemen				2	2
G.D. Men				2	2
M.T. NCO		1			1
Driver mechanic			1		1
Drivers.				3	3
Motor cyclist				1	1
TOTAL - OTHER RANKS		3	5	20	28
TOTAL - HQ ENGINEER REFINANCE ENTS BATTALION	5	3	5	20	33

(ii) Transport.
 Motor cycles solo 1
 Cars 2-str 4 x 2 1
 Trucks 15 cvt 4 x 2 GS 1
 Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 GS 2

REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTRE,
ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE,

A FIELD ENGINEERING SCHOOL
(designed to hold and train 350
Field Engineer Reinforcements)

WAR ESTABLISHMENT,

1. Personnel.

Detail.

Officer Commanding (Major)

HQ Reinforcement Company.

Captain
Subaltern

Training Staff (a)

Captains or Subalterns

C. & M. S.
Instructors (QSI's or Sjts)
Sjts (b)

Office Section.

Draughtsmen
Clerks
Telephone Operators

Officers	10
C.Rs.	94
TOTAL	104
M.Cs.	2
Vehicles	6
Trailers	-

	Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates	TOTAL
Officer Commanding (Major)	1	-	-	-	1
HQ Reinforcement Company	1	-	-	-	1
Training Staff (a)	1	-	-	-	1
Captains or Subalterns	7	-	-	-	7
C. & M. S. Instructors (QSI's or Sjts) Sjts (b)	10	-	-	-	10
Office Section	-	14	-	-	14
Draughtsmen Clerks Telephone Operators	-	-	1	2	3
Total: Officers	20	14	1	2	37
Total: NCOs and Sjts	-	14	1	2	17

RESTRICTED

Officer Commanding (Major)HQ Reinforcement Company.Captain
SubalternTraining Staff (a)

Captains or Subalterns

Total: Officers

C.O.M.S.
Instructors (QMSI's or Sjts)
Sjts

Total: WOs and Sjs

Office Section.Draughtsmen
Clerks
Telephone OrderliesServices Section.Medical Orderly
Cooks - officer's mess
 men's mess
Orderlies - officer's mess
General dutymen
BatmenM.T. Section.Driver Mechanics
Drivers
Motor cyclists

Total carried forwd:

	Office	Senior	Junior	Private	TOTAL
Officer Commanding (Major)	1	-	-	-	1
Captain	1	-	-	-	1
Subaltern	1	-	-	-	1
Training Staff (a)	7	-	-	-	7
Captains or Subalterns	10	-	-	-	10
C.O.M.S.		1			
Instructors (QMSI's or Sjts)		7			
Sjts		6			
Office Section	-	14	-	-	14
Draughtsmen	-	-	1	-	1
Clerks	-	-	1	2	3
Telephone Orderlies	-	-	-	2	2
Services Section	-	3	1	2	6
Medical Orderly	-	1	1	1	3
Cooks - officer's mess	-	2	1	1	4
men's mess	-	1	1	1	3
Orderlies - officer's mess	-	1	1	1	3
General dutymen	-	1	1	1	3
Batmen	-	1	1	1	3
M.T. Section	-	-	2	-	2
Driver Mechanics	-	-	1	-	1
Drivers	-	-	1	-	1
Motor cyclists	-	-	1	-	1
Total carried forwd:	-	-	8	35	43

Detail.

	Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates	TOTAL
	-	-	20	-	20
	-	-	-	9	9
	-	-	36	44	80
	-	-	-	-	43
	-	-	-	-	35

Total brought forward

Training Section.

Assistant Instructors.
ORs for maintenance of stores.

Total rank and file

ii. Distribution by trades.

	Officer	Senior NCO	Junior NCO	Private	Total
Clerks	1	11	-	-	12
Cook	-	-	-	1	1
Draughtsmen	-	-	-	-	-
Dvr Mecs	-	-	-	-	-
Drivers	-	-	2	-	2
Motorcyclists	-	-	5	-	5
Carpenter	-	-	2	-	2
Blacksmith	-	-	-	-	-
Engine fitter	-	-	-	-	-
Storeman	-	2	-	-	2
Shoemaker	-	1	-	-	1
Barber	-	1	-	-	1
Normal rates	2	13	-	-	15
Instructors	0	28	9	9	52
	-	-	-	28	28
	-	-	-	-	80

iii. Transport.

Motor cycles	-	2
Cars 2-cwt 4 x 2	-	1
Truck 15-cwt 4 x 2 GS	-	2

ii Distribution by trades.

Clerks
 Cooks
 Draftsmen
 Dvr Mech.
 Drivers
 Motorcyclists
 Carpenter
 Blacksmith
 Engine fitter
 Storeman
 Shoemaker
 Barber
 Normal rate.

Instructors

Office Soc.	Sec.	Soc.	Sec.	Trg Soc.
4	11	1	1	4
11	1	1	1	11
1	1	1	1	1
2	5	1	1	2
1	2	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1
7	1	1	1	7
1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1
15	1	1	1	15
6	28	9	9	52
-	-	-	28	28
-	-	-	-	80

iii Transport.

Motor cycles 2
 Cars 2-4 x 4 x 2 1
 Truck 15-cwt 4 x 2 GS 2
 " " " " air compressor 1++
 Lorrys 3-ton 4 x 2GS 1
 " " " " winch. 1++

++ required for trg purposes.

iv Weapons - Personal weapons only.

- Notes.
- (a) Trg staff is organized to deal with seven parties under trg at one time on the following items:
 - Field Engineering 2 weeks 2 parties at a time.
 - Bridging 2 " " "
 - Mine Warfare 2 " " "
 - Water Supply 1 week 1 party
 - (b) Includes trg clerics (one per pay duties) and ME Hjt.

Rank	Adjt	Instructors	Instructor	Interpreter	(QI)	(TMO)	(Admin)	Medical Officer	Total Officers	Total NOs & Sits	Foreman of Sigs
Capt.	1	7	3	1	1	2	2	11	32	10	
1st Lt.	17	17	7	7	1	10	1	11	3	3	
2nd Lt.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
3rd Lt.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
4th Lt.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Medical Officer	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total Officers											
	7	8	11	2	2	11	11	32	32	30	
R.S.M.	1										
R.Q.M.S.	1										
C.S.M.		1									
CGMS (F of S)				1				1			
C.Q.M.S.	1										
Sgt. (Orderly Room)	1										
" (Cook)	1										
" (I.M.)	1										
" (Operator)	4										
" (Lineman)											
" (D.R.)											
" (Fitter M.V.)	1										
Total NOs & Sits	5	5	10	3	3	10	12	30	30	30	
Cpls, (I.M.)	3			3							
" (Cook)											
" (Operators)		5	5								
" (Linemen)		1	1								
" (D.R.)	1			2							
" (Clerk)	1										
" (San)	1										
" (Storemon)	1										
Signalmen	48			1		1	1	3	8		
Drivers	24			6		6	1	1	1		
Total Rank & File	78	7	22	10	10	22	11	129	129	129	10 of which may be L/Cpls
Total O.Rs.	83	12	32	13	13	32	23	159	159	159	
Total, ALL RANKS	90	20	43	15	15	43	34	191	191	191	

Total
Cppls
4810 of which
may be L/Cpls

REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTER
ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE.

RESTRICTED.

A HEADQUARTERS, MECHANICAL ENGINEERS REINFORCEMENT
COMPANY

War Establishment.

(i) Personnel.

Officers.	3
O.Rs.	21
TOTAL	24
M.Cs.	1
Vehicles.	3
Trailers.	-

	Officers.	Senior NCOs.	Junior NCOs.	Privates.	TOTAL.
Officer Commanding (Captain)	1				1
Section Commanders (Subaltern)	2				2
	3				3
TOTAL - OFFICERS					
HQ Section.					
Serjeant Major		1			1
Quartermaster Serjeant		1			1
Clerks			1		1
Motor cyclist				1	1
Storemen			1		1
Cooks			1		1
Batmen				2	2
GD Men				3	3
Driver mechanic			1		1
Drivers				4	4
				2	2
TOTAL - O.Rs.					
TOTAL - HQ Mechanical Engineers Reinforce-	3	2	4	15	24
ments Company					

(ii) Transport.

Officer Commanding (Captain)						1
Section Commanders (Subaltern)						2
						3
TOTAL - OFFICERS						
HQ Section.						
Serjeant Major		1				1
Quartermaster Serjeant		1				1
Clerks			1			2
Motor cyclist			1			3
Storemen			1			4
Cooks				2		2
Battmen				4		4
GD Men			1			1
Driver mechanic					2	2
Drivers					4	4
					15	15
TOTAL - ORs.						
TOTAL - HQ Mechanical Engineers Reinforcements Company						24

(ii) Transport.

- Motor cycles 1
- Cars 2 str 4 x 2 1
- Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS 1
- Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 GS 1

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REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTRE

ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE

A HEADQUARTERS TRAINING SCHOOLS

War Establishment.

(1) Personnel.

Detail.

Officer Commanding (Colonel)
Personal Assistant (Lt. Col)

HQ Office

Major
Captain
Subaltern

Training Office

Lt. Col.
Training Officers.

Interpreter Section

Major (Interpreter)
Subaltern Interpreter (Instructor)

Service Training Section

Major
Subalterns

HQ Company

Officer Commanding
Administration Officer (Subaltern)
Medical Officer (Subaltern)

Officers.	22
C.Rs.	55
TOTAL	77
M.Cs.	2
Vehicles.	9
Trailers.	..

	Officers.	Senior NCOs.	Junior NCOs.	Privates.	TOTAL
Officer Commanding (Colonel)	1				1
Personal Assistant (Lt. Col)	1				1
Major	1				1
Captain	1				1
Subaltern	1				1
Lt. Col.	1				1
Training Officers.	4				4
Major (Interpreter)	1				1
Subaltern Interpreter (Instructor)	4				4
Major	1				1
Subalterns	2				2
Officer Commanding	1				1
Administration Officer (Subaltern)	1				1
Medical Officer (Subaltern)	1				1

	Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates	TOTAL
Officer Commanding (Colonel)	1				1
Personal Assistant (Lt. Col)	1				1
HQ Office.					
Major	1				1
Captain	1				1
Subaltern	1				1
Training Office.					
Lt. Col.	1				1
Training Officers.	4				4
Interpreter Section.					
Major (Interpreter)	1				1
Subaltern Interpreter (Instructor)	4				4
Services Training Section.					
Major	1				1
Subalterns	2				2
HQ Company					
Officer Commanding	1				1
Administration Officer (Subaltern)	1				1
Medical Officer (Subaltern)	1				1
Subaltern i/c Services Platoon	1				1
TOTAL - OFFICERS.					22
HQ Section.					
Quartermaster Sergeant		1			1
NCO i/c Stores.		1			1
Postal NCO			1		1
Q Clerks			1		1
Orderlies.				2	2
Services Section.					
Warrant Officers.		2			2
NCO Clerks.		4			4
Clerks.				6	6
Battmen					
Cooks					
Officers Mess Orderlies.					
CD Men					
TOTAL - PRIVATES.					22
TOTAL - ALL RANKS.					44

Detail.

Officer Commanding (Colonel)
Personal Assistant (Lt. Col)

HQ Office.

Major
Captain
Subaltern

Training Office.

Lt. Col.
Training Officers.

Interpreter Section.

Major (Interpreter)
Subaltern Interpreter (Instructor)

Services Training Section.

Major
Subalterns

HQ Company

Officer Commanding
Administration Officer (Subaltern)
Medical Officer (Subaltern)
Subaltern i/c Services Platoon

TOTAL - OFFICERS.

HQ Section.

Quartermaster Sergeant
NCO i/c Stores.
Postal NCO
Q Clerks
Orderlies.

Services Section.

Warrant Officers.
NCO Clerks.
Clerks.
Battmen
Cooks
Officers Mess Orderlies.
CD Men

TOTAL - OFFICERS.

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22
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Sheet 2

Detail

M.T. Section

NCO i/c

- Vehicle Mechanics.
- Driver Mechanics.
- Drivers i/c
- Motor cyclist.

Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates	TOTAL
	1			1
	1	1		1
			8	8
			2	2
	10	9	36	55

TOTAL - 0.Rs.

TOTAL - A Headquarters,
Trainin, Schools.

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(ii) Transport.

- Bicycles 2
- Motor cycles, solo 2
- Cars 4 str 4 x 2 1
- Cars 2 str 4 x 2 2
- Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS 2
- Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 GS 4

RESTRICTED

Officers	12
ORAs	57
TOTAL	69
M.Cs.	2
Vehicles	9
Trailers	-

REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTRE

ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE

AM INFANTRY SCHOOL

War Establishment

(i) Personnel

Detail

	Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates	TOTAL
Officer Commanding (Lieutenant)	1				1
Chief Instructor (Major)	1				1
HQ Company Commander (Captain)	1				1
Orderly Officer (Subaltern)	1		1		2
Interpreter (Subaltern)	1				1
Company Sergeant Major		1			1
Clerks		1			1
Orderlies				2	2
Drivers				2	2
Motor cyclist				1	1
<u>Tactical Wing</u>					
Instructors (Major or Captain)	1				1
Subaltern	1				1
Warrant Officers & Sergeants		10			10
Clerks			1		1
Storeman				1	1
<u>Mines Wing</u>					
Instructors					
Captain					
N.C.Os.	1	5	2		8
Clerks				1	1
Storeman				1	1
<u>Anti Tank Wing</u>					
Instructors					
Captain					
N.C.Os.	1	2	1		4
Clerk					
		2			2

Officer Commanding (Lieutenant)	1										1
Chief Instructor (Major)	1										1
HQ Company Commander (Captain)	1										1
Orderly Officer (Subaltern)	1										1
Interpreter (Subaltern)	1										1
Company Serjeant Major		1									1
Clerks		1									4
Orderlies		1									2
Drivers		1									1
Motor cyclist		1									1
<u>Tactical Wing</u>											
Instructors (Major or Captain)	1										1
Subaltern	1										1
Warrant Officers & Serjeants		10									10
Clerks											2
Storeman											1
<u>Mines Wing</u>											
Instructors	1										1
Captain N.C. Os.		5									7
Clerks											2
Storeman											1
<u>Anti Tank Wing</u>											
Instructors	1										1
Captain N.C. Os.		2									2
Clerk											1
Storeman											1
<u>3" Mortar Wing</u>											
Instructors	1										1
Captain N.C. Os.		3									3
<u>Snipers Wing</u>											
Instructors	1										1
Captain N.C. Os.		4									4
<u>Carrier Wing</u>											
Instructors	1										1
Lieutenant N.C. Os.		6									6
Drivers											8
											7
											8
TOTAL	12	32	6	19	69						

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(ii) Transport
 Carriers Universal
 Cars 4 str 4 x 2
 Motor cycles

REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTER.

ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE.

AN INSTRUCTORS SCHOOL
ALL ARMS.

War Establishment.

(1) Personnel.

RESTRICTED.

Officers.	38
C.Rs.	137
TOTAL	175
M.Cs.	5
Vehicles.	18
Trailers.	-

	Officers.	Senior NCOs.	Junior NCOs.	Privates.	TOTAL.
1. <u>HQ.</u> Officer Commanding (Brig Gen or Colonel) Training Officer (Major) Training Officer (Captain) M.C. R.S.M.	1 1 1 1 1				1 1 1 1 1
2. <u>Administrative Wing.</u> Officer Commanding (Captain) Interpreter (Subaltern) Orderly Officer (Subaltern) M.T. Officer. Chief Clerk Clerks Draftsman Quartermaster Sergeant Quartermaster Clerk Medical Orderlies. Baton and Orderlies. Officers Mess - 1400 Sjt Cooks Orderlies. NCOs and CRs Messes - 1400 i/c Cooks	1 1 1 1	1 1	1 1	2 2 2 2 25 3 10 8	1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 25 4 10 1 10 1 1 2 18 26
3. <u>Meannon Training School.</u>		1	1	2	4
MT NCO Driver Mechanics Drivers i/c Artificers G.D. Men				18 2 6	26

Sheet 2.

Detail.	Officers.	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates.	TOTAL.
5 (Contd)					
<u>Company Commanders.</u>					
Commandant (Lieut Colonel)	1				1
Instructors (Majors)	3				3
<u>Junior Leaders.</u>					
Commandant (Lieut Colonel)	1				1
Instructors - Majors	2				2
Captains	3				3
6. <u>Administrative School.</u>					
Commandant (Lieut Colonel)	1				1
Chief Instructor - Major.	2				2
Instructors - Captains	3				3
7. <u>Training Staff</u>					
Storemen				4	4
Armourers			1	1	2
Pioneers.			1	3	4
Personnel for Range Duties.			1	10	11
TOTAL - AN INSTRUCTORS SCHOOL.	30	32	8	97	175

(ii) Transport.

Motor cycles	5
Cars 4 ptr 4 x 4	1
Cars 2 ptr 4 x 2	7
Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS	6
Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 GS x 4	

REINFORCEMENTS TRAINING CENTRE
ITALIAN COMBAT FORCE

Officers	7
O.Rs	96
TOTAL	103
M.Cs	2
Vehicles	7
Trailers	-

A MECHANICS SCHOOL
WAR ESTABLISHMENT

(1) Personnel

DETAIL

	Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates
Officer Commanding (Major)	1			1
Adjutant (Captain)	1			1
O.C. Administrative Wing (Captain)	1			1
Orderly Officer (Subaltern)	1			1
Chief Instructor Driver Mechanics Wing (Capt)	1			1
Chief Instructor Vehicle Mechanics Wing (Capt)	1			1
Chief Instructor Armourers & Fitters Wing (Lieut)	1			1
TOTAL - Officers	7			7
<u>Driver Mechanics Wing</u>				
N.C.O. Instructors (Armament Artificers or Vehicle Mechanics)		25		25
N.C.O. Instructors (Electricians)		4		4
<u>Vehicle Mechanics Wing</u>				

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DETAILED

	Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates
Officer Commanding (Major)	1			1
Adjutant (Captain)	1			1
O.C. Administrative Wing (Captain)	1			1
Orderly Officer (Subaltern)	1			1
Chief Instructor Driver Mechanics Wing (Capt)	1			1
Chief Instructor Vehicle Mechanics Wing (Capt)	1			1
Chief Instructor Armourers & Fitters Wing (Lieut)	1			1
TOTAL - Officers	7			7
<u>Driver Mechanics Wing</u>		25		25
N.C.O. Instructors (Armament Artificers or Vehicle Mechanics)		4		4
N.C.O. Instructors (Electricians)				16
<u>Vehicle Mechanics Wing</u>		16		16
N.C.O. Instructors (Armament Artificers or Vehicle Mechanics)		3		3
N.C.O. Instructors (Electricians)				1
<u>Armourers and Fitters Wing</u>		1		1
N.C.O. Instructor (Arm. Art. Fd)		1		1
N.C.O. Instructor (A.I. Armourer)		3		3
N.C.O. Instructors (Fitters)				1
<u>Administrative Wing</u>		1		1
Company Serjeant Major		1		1
Quartermaster Serjeant		1		1
Interpreter		1		1
MT N.C.O.		1		1
Rations Sjt		1		1
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(1) Personnel (Cont'd)

DETAIL

	Officers	Senior NCOs	Junior NCOs	Privates	
Pay Clerk			1		1
Clerks			1	1	2
Technical Clerks			1	1	2
Draughtsmen			1	1	2
Technical Storemen				2	2
Turner				1	1
Fitter				1	1
Carpenters				2	2
Blacksmith				1	1
Medical N.C.O.			1		1
Officers Mess - Cooks			1	2	3
N.C.O.'s & OR's Mess - Cooks			1	4	5
Driver Mechanic			1		1
Drivers				6	6
GD Men				8	8
TOTAL - ORs		58	8	30	96
ACTUAL - A MECHANICS SCHOOL	7	58	8	30	105

(II) Transport

Bicycles 2
 Motor Cycles 1
 Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 GS 4
 Cars 2 str 4 x 2 1
 Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS 2

Technical Clerks	1									
Draughtsmen	2	1								
Technical Storemen	2	1								
Turner	2	1								
Fitter	2	2								
Carpenters	1	1								
Blacksmith	1	1								
Medical N.C.O.	2	2								
Officers Mess - Cooks	1	1								
N.C.O.'s & OR's Mess - Cooks	1									
Driver Mechanic	3	2								
Drivers	5	4								
GD Men	1									
TOTAL - ORs										
TOTAL - A MECHANICS SCHOOL		58	8	30	96					
(II) Transport		7	8	30	103					

Cars 2 str 4 x 2
 Trucks 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS 2

Lorries 3 ton 4 x 2 GS 4

(a) The School is designed to deal with the following numbers:

Driver Mechanics	144	3 Weeks course
Vehicle Mechanics	90	" "
Armourers	9	" "
Fitters	27	" "

(b) Wireless and Instrument Mechanics, Wireless Storemen, and Turners to be trained at British Establishments.

Subject: D.I.D. Palidoro

Direttore BIANCHI Angelo.

Buonifica Torre in Pietro - Tenuta Farm.

can be telephoned at the farm.

or ROME Office 48087

Rome 1

There are 2 large barns available 4 Kms (approx)
from PALIDORO Station. At present, ~~hay~~ hay &
straw are lying on the floors and would have
to be moved by Italian Army before use as
a depot.

The original farm ~~farm~~^{barn} that we had previously
requisitioned is now used for the horses
and cows of the padrone, and is full of
dung and straw, and would not be suitable.

Please may these premises be
requisitioned immediately. Temporary notice
has been affixed, and the Direttore has been
informed that we will inform him of the
decision taken.

M R.

F 4870 (very roughly) 4 Kms from ~~3239~~ PALIDORO

2 Large Barns containing at present the

Phoned L.O. Naples. 20 Dec.

Move of TEANO Camp to CESANO.
Camp closed down 31 Dec will
leave 12 persons behind

Move at rate of 300 22 Dec
& then 300 every 3 days up
to 8000 plus staff of 1200

Total at CESANO Camp 9,200.

Mr MMIA have been asked to
increase the Legnano Park train (Naples
to PASHIDORO) to 31 Tons per day

31 Dec to 31 Jan

1st Feb onwards to be reduced to
18 Tons per day.

20 Dec

St.

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Phone h.o Naples

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SIGNAL

FROM: MMIA Date 19/6/62 Time

TO : AFHQ for G3 Org G1 Brit Mov

INFO: MAIN HQ 15 ARMY GP REAR EIGHTH ARMY for MMIA LO
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ICF TRG DEP TEANO

12.7.5.
31 Dec. Small transport company.

SD 1962 RESTRICTED

Italian Combat Force Rft Dep TEANO is being closed (.) All rfts for Combat Gps should be sent to Rft Trg Centre Italian Combat Force CES-NO w.e.f. 22 Dec (.) All inlmd :

PRECEDENCE

AUTHENTICATED

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Internal Dist.: All Branches and Services SD/50 (2)

"S & T" MMIA.

Recd 19 Dec

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7.5.1200

Cesano

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Maximum

22 Dec 300

25. 9000

300... 3 days

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MMIA

17/12/50
6/11/50

P.S. 1200

Cesano

22 Dec

300 minus 3 days

up to 800

P.S.

Assessment

23. 9000

A possible Co. Station

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LROF V MEDY NR 680 QVR -2
FROM MMIA LO NAPLES 121730 A
TO 64 GARRISON
FOR MMIA LO 52 BLU
INFO MMIA
QQX

33 & T. MMIA

Recd 13 Dec

File STT 93/3

DADS

8576-STN/43 - DESPATCHED TO SPARANISE TODAY FOR THE TEANO REINFORCEMENT
CAMP RATIONS IN RAIL CAR 1030075 . PLEASE ARRANGE COLLECTION
BT 121730

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SENT:- KFS BBB

RD NR 680 " D LON " 2010 KK

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Subject:- Ration Maintenance of Reinforcement Camp - TEANO.

LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
NAPLES
STN/43.

10 November 44.

Direzione Commissariato,
Comando Militare, Campania.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
MILA 10, 52 BIR (Maj. Celardi).

1. Please arrange to despatch by rail consigned to Reinforcement Training Depot, Italian Combat Forces (R.F.D.I.C.F.), Sparanise, ten thousand (10,000) balanced rations on 12 November 44.
2. A similar despatch of 10,000 rations will be despatched each fifth day until further notice.
3. Please send a copy of your despatch order to this office.

Refers to (44)

George D. Smith Jr.
GEORGE D. SMITH JR,
Major Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer
3235

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1. LOCATION. Ref Map Sheet 19. 1/200,000. It is the intention to transfer the Combat Force reinforcement depot from its present location at ALIFE to TELNO (105504) next week.

A recon has been carried out by WILLIE LEGHIAN

GROUP.

2. ADMINISTRATION. LEGNANO Group (52 BLU) will continue to be the parent unit of the reinforcement depot. M.M.I.A. L.O. LEGNANO Group (Maj GELARDI) will be directly concerned with all matters affecting it.

3. HOLDINGS. The depot will hold all reinforcements for I.C.F., recently called up personnel, personnel returned from Hospital or other absence, or transferred from Service Units.

The authorized holding is 10% of the total combat Force, but it is not anticipated that more than 2,500 will ever be present at any one time.

4. ACCOMMODATION AND STORES. Demands for accommodation Stores, to appropriate scales, should be made at once through normal channels, by M.M.I.A. L.O. LEGNANO (Discussion Maj HEAD - Maj GELARDI of 29/10 refers).

Standing Camp scales are being forwarded direct by Maj HEAD to Maj GELARDI.

5. CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT RESERVES. O. C. Reinforcement Depot will demand clothing and equipment for 2,500 men. Scale will be that laid down for Gruppi di Combattimenti, and stocks will be maintained to meet requirements of (maximum) 2,500 men, at a time.

6. DOCUMENTATION. This is an Italian responsibility and will be dealt with directly between HQ MMIA and Ministry of War.

7. REINFORCEMENT PROCEDURE. Newly enlisted or recalled personnel for the I.C.F. will always be sent to the reinforcement depot in the first instance, where they will be clothed, equipped, documented and to a certain extent trained.

When Groups leave their concentration areas for the line, they will return all personnel surplus to W.F. to the reinforcement depot.

The above gives the reinforcement procedure by broad outline. Recommendations from Major GELARDI as to details of procedure, will be made to this H.Q.

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