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Italian Officers Postings

MAR. - MAY 1945

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Translation

From : Ministry of War
To : MMIA
Subject : Substitution of Colonel

Ref. : 3080/M/COL
Date : May 14, 1945

We request your approval for the substitution of Inf. Col.
(Regular Army) MUSSO Carlo by Cav. Col. (Regular Army)
Zavattari Edmondo, at the 803rd Transit Camp.

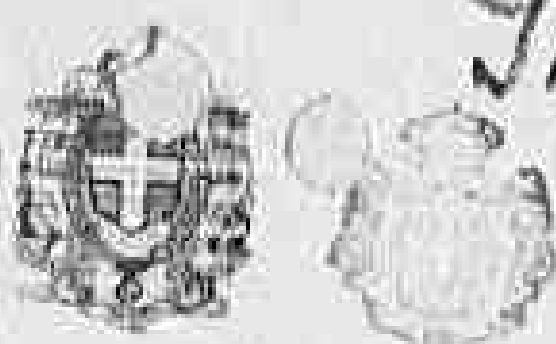
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Cpl. VDC

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Lee John 922

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Traspe 24/5

Roma 14 maggio 1954

Ministro della Guerra

- GABINETTO -

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB
COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
ROMA

Divisione *Leg.*
Post. N° 3080/R/CO *Allegato*

A

24/5

Registrali del
Dir. Leg. N°

Oggetto: Sostituzione colonnello.

Chiedesi benestare a che al comando
del Campo Affluenza n° 803 il col.ftr.spe
MUSCO Carlo sia sostituito dal col.cav.spe
ZAVATTARI Edmondo.

M.M.I.A.			
Col. A.			
A. 1°			
A. 2°			
A. 3°			
Med.			
Wellf.			
Prov.			
Camp.			

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

Traspe

TRANSMISSION	
IN	4181 9.00
	25/5
OUT	14.30
	Date 25/5

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S I G N A L

FROM MEMA.

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
24 1800 B.

TO 54 AREA.

REF NO 162A.

(87) RESTRICTED.

FOR MEMA L.O. (.) REF YOUR LO/5/ND DATED 21 MAY (.) NO COPY
OF OB/205/ORD OF 14 MAY ATTACHED AS STATED (.) PLEASE FORWARD
COPY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

PRECEDENCE

AUTHENTICATION *Billings*

Lee Folio 88/2

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T-Par1 11-8.

(87)

Subject:- Officers for Units
forming at 804 BRD.

Liaison Office,
Land Forces Sub Comm.,
A.C. (MMIA) c/o 54 Area.

Ref. LO/5/SD.

24/5 21 May 45.

To:- HQ. MMIA.

Ref. No08/205/ORD of 14 May 45, copy attached
at Appx A.

1. 804 BRD has also signalled you under following
refs. 804/MOV/22 of 16 May 45.

2. Can anything be done to accelerate the posting
of these Officers.

GPH/agn

W. H. Sock

Maj.
Senior MMIA LO.
Eastern Italy.

TranslationFrom: Mr. of W
To: MMIARef. no. 111741/I. 1
136. I. 69

Date: May 21, 1945

Subject: Request for fencing instructors by the Peruvian government.

The Peruvian Embassy informed us through the intermediary of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs that the Peruvian government officially requested that the undersigned fencing instructors be sent to Peru; these officers served said government in that capacity from 1937 to 1942:

1st Lt. Selestore Munda, now fencing instructor at the Rome
Police School for Technical Training

1st Lt. Vincenzo Barbato, now on strength at the 39th Infantry
Regiment (Caserta)

Both the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and this Ministry have no objection to complying with the request from the Peruvian Embassy.

We are bringing this matter to your attention with the request that you approve the release of these officers and authorize their journey to Peru for which the expense would be borne by the Peruvian government.

(Signature)
Chief of Cabinet

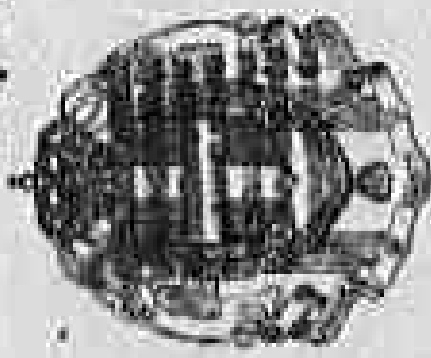
Mr. A.		
Col. A.	1	1
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Cabinet

*Prot. No. 44744 / I. I. Allegati
136.7.69
Rispondito al f. del*

Roma, 21 MAG 1945

Dir. Sec. V

Oggetto: Richiesta di maestri di schermo da parte del Governo Peruviano.

Al LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

ROMA

L'Ambasciata del Perù tramite Ministero degli Affari Esteri ha fatto conoscere che il Governo Peruviano ha ufficialmente richiesto l'invio al Perù dei sottoindicati maestri di schermo, i quali, in tale qualità, prestarono servizio presso quel Governo dal 1937 al 1942:

- Tenente MUNDA Salvatore, attualmente incaricato dell'ingnamento della schermo agli allievi della Scuola la Tecnica di Polizia di Roma;
- Tenente BARBARO Vincenzo, in atto in forza al 39° Reggimento Fanteria (Caserta).

Sia il Ministero degli Affari Esteri che questo nulla avrebbero in contrario per aderire alla richiesta dell'Ambasciata del Perù.

Si prospetta la questione con preghiera di voler dare il nulla osta per il congedamento degli ufficiali e l'autorizzazione per il loro viaggio di trasferimento le cui spese sarebbero a carico del Governo Peruviano.

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ROMA

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- Tenente BARBARO Vincenzo, in atto in forza al 39° Reggimento Fanteria (Caserta).

16 Tenente De Rosa
Sia il Ministero degli Affari Esteri che questo nulla avrebbero in contrario per aderire alla richiesta dell'Ambasciata del Perù.

Si prospetta la questione con preghiera di voler dare il nulla osta per il congedamento degli ufficiali ⁱⁿ autorizzazione per il loro viaggio di trasferimento le cui spese sarebbero ~~assunte dal~~ Governo Peruviano.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

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TRANSMISSION

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Subjects: - Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
A.306.

20 May, 45.

To : - Ministry of War.

MANROVA Combat Group.

1. Information has been received from WHA Liaison officer that Major SILVESTRI Comdr 1st Bn., 76th Infy is shortly to be relieved of his Command and that the 3rd Bn., 76th Infy has been without a Comdr, since March.

2. You are requested to take immediate steps to-

(a) Post a suitable officer to Command 1/76th Infy vice Major SILVESTRI.

(b) Post a suitable officer to Command 3/76th Infy.

3. Please inform this H.Q. of the action taken by you in this matter.

See (89)

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r

Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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DELE/prh.
Copy to 56 BLU.

Subject : - Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
A 306.

21 May, 43.

To : - Ministry of War.
Lieut. CARDONA, Emilio.

See Folio 83

1. It is understood that the above named officer is at present on leave and will be available for posting.

2. In view of his combat experience and his knowledge of British weapons, it is recommended that he be posted to R.T.C. I.C.F. as an instructor.

J. L. Murr
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to G/M.I.A.

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DETS/pth.

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SUBJECT : Postings - Italian Officers.

Land Forces Sub Com A.C.
(MIA)

G/Trg/23

TO : 'A'

21 May 45

Ten CARDONA , EGIDIO. (fant)

This officer is at present on leave in ROME and is available for posting and it is strongly recommended that he be posted to the RTC ICF as an instructor.

He has just left PPA after having been with them for about eighteen months and has probably more combat experience with British weapons than any other Italian officer. He is a British trained parachutist. He also has a fair knowledge of English.

Lt

Myraet-Lest
for Lt Col GS
'G' Branch

Lt Col Ingledew approves.
agree. & recommended

See 41084

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Subject: - Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.E.I.A.)
R E M B.
A 306.

18 May 45.

To : - Ministry of War.

Reference your 2839/M/COI dated 14 May '45. — 78

Col. FANIZZA Eugenio.

In view of this officers consistent failure to carry out his duties satisfactory at GENANO, his proposed posting to H.Q. 412 Pioneer Regt. cannot be agreed to.

WP
F

Major General,
M.E.I.A.

By Hand of officer *May Bannant*

DELG/prh.

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Confidential

Subject: - Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comd.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
A.306.

18 May 45.

To Ministry of War.

Colonel. AGANFORA Guillermo.

Reference your 2544/M/COL dated 3 May '45.

1. Reports received from Allied Commanders who have worked with Col AGANFORA have stated that this officer is unreliable and that he is of very little use to the Italian Army.
2. Before this H.Q. can agree to his appointment as Commander Taranto Military District, you are requested to forward the personal record and full details of this officer's Military Career.

W. P. Kelly.

Major General,
M.M.I.A.

By hand of you

May

BSLG/ptn.

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Subject : - Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

R O M E.

A.306.

15 May 45.

To : - Ministry of War.

Lieut PRINCIPA.

1. Information has been received from NUCLEO I
8 Army that the above named officer is no longer required
by them.

2. He should report therefore to SMRE for further
employment.

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

DSLG/prh.

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CM-PV



Ministero della Guerra
Direz. Gen. Pers. Ufficiali

Divisione Movimento 2°

Sub. N. 12638 / MOV. Maggiori

OGGETTO Maggiore Aut.sp. MANZO Giuseppe.

e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Ufficio C.A.
(rif.f. 3832/C datato 8/5/1945)

Il Comando Militare Territoriale di Napoli con telex n. 6/10251/1308/Mov.U. datato 2/5/1945 ha comunicato che il Magg. MANZO è stato fatto partire per Cesano in data 24/4/1945 per il successivo avviamento al Gruppo di Combattimento "Friuli".

Il Comando Divisione "Piseno" ha telefonicamente comunicato che l'Ufficiale nelle prime ore di stamane (12/5/1945) è partito da quel Centro per raggiungere il Gruppo "Friuli" e che il movimento non ha potuto aver luogo prima per mancanza di mezzi di trasporto. =

P. IL MINISTRO
Gen. di Div. G. Falugi

Tramonte
17/5

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G. Falugi

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ON

the original military service record

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e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Ufficio C.A.
(rif.f. 3832/C datato 8/5/1945)

P.M.3800

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P. IL MINISTRO

Gen. di Div. G. Falugi

17/5

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G. Falugi

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PR	ON
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The chaplain military level command with
teleprint 6/10251/1308/Mov.U. dated 2/5/45 have informed us
that Major MANZO was sent from the CESANO on the
24/4/45 for further posting to "FRIULI" combat group.

The "Piceno" HQ have notified us that this officer
has been posted this morning to "FRIULI" (12/5/45) and
that his posting did not take place previously because of lack
of transport. *Pollenberg*

BF 17/5/45 A (72) (49)

Subject: - Italian Officers Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.

A.396.

15 May, 45.

To : - Rear H.Q. 52 IUU.

Reference your AG/15/196 of 5 May 45.

Details requested by you are as follows: -

1. Appointments, Senior Inspector - Unit Maintenance Inspectorate - Italian Army.
2. Duties.
 - (a) Supervise, direct the work of four Inspecting Increments - each consisting of 1 Captain 2 M.C.O's whose duty will be to visit all units of Giuppi to inspect standard of M.T. maintenance and discipline.
 - (b) To convey the result of inspections and recommendations necessary to (1) Italian Formations Concerned (2) A.F.H.O. UMI through MMIA and Chief Inspector of British Increments.
 - (c) To advise all units of Italian Army (through normal channels) on matters respecting maintenance of M.T.
3. Location S.M.R.E.

As the four inspection increments are now formed and waiting to commence work, please treat this matter as urgent and signal this H.Q. if Major CATALANA will be available or not.

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W. H. G. W. S. M. M. R.

Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to The Chief Inspector,
H.Q. VMI C.M.F.

See Folio 93/2.1 folder

(Translation)

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From . M. J. W.
to allied L/O
and to M. J. W. (copy)

A

Ref No 1039/col.

Date 14/5/45.

Inf. Col. FANIELLA RUGGERO

H.E. the minister has ordered that
the: Inf Col. FANIELLA RUGGERO now at the
disposal of SMRE be posted to HQ 412
Pioneer Labour Coy.

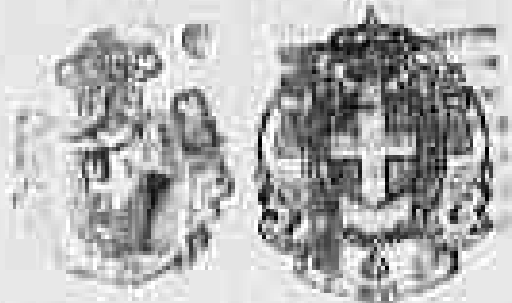
Please request allied authority.

GAVINO DE SARNO

R Mansfield
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Le Sol 582
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PIA

Roma, 14 Maggio 51

Ministero della Guerra

- GABINETTO -

A PROMEMORIA PER
L'UFFICIO C.A.

Disposizione
Prot. N° 2839/7COL

Respett. del f. del
Dir. Dir. N°

OGGETTO: Col.Ftr.spe.- titolo scuola guerra
FANIZZA RUGGERO-

S.E. il Ministro ha determinato che il
col.ftr.spe. - titolo scuola guerra - FANIZ-
ZA Ruggero, attualmente a disposizione dello
Stato Maggiore, sia destinato al comando del
412° rgt.lavoratori pionieri.

Pregasi chiedere il relativo nulla osta
Alleato.

TRANSLATION

IL CAPO UFFICIO MOV.COL.

F/to Col.Gavino de Sarno

15/5
D. WT 15/5

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Subject:- Italian Officers - Transfers.

Land Forces Sub. Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
A 306.

13 May, 45.

To :- Ministry of War.

Reference SMRE letter 6495/SP2 dated 6th May, 45.

The transfers suggested in the above letter are
approved by this H.Q.

Delegato
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Subject:- Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
A. 306.

13 May, 45.

To :- Ministry of War.

Major VERANDO Giovanni.

Reference SMRE letter 6372/SP2 dated 3rd, April 45.

This H.Q. has no objection to Major VERANDO being employed as suggested in the above quoted letter.

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

DSLQ/prh.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

*Spoke to J. Connelley Party
14/5
A. 306*

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Ref: 36/11/PAT

Subject: Italian Officers for duty as
Military Patriot Representatives

To: M.M.I.A.

11 May 45 1945.

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dated Reference this branch's letter, reference number as above,
26 April 45

(a) There is no trace that a reply has been received.

(b) If a reply has not yet been despatched, please expedite.

A. Pasby
Lt. Colonel.
Director
Patriots Branch.

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SIGNAL

DATE TIME ORIGIN

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FROM : MMIA

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

INFO : 50 BLU

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REFER MMIA SIGNAL A86 OF 20 APR (.) INFORMATION RECEIVED THAT
MAJ MANZO GIUSEPPE NOT YET REPORTED FOR DUTY WITH FRIULI ICG(.)
PLEASE EXPEDITE AND REPORT REASONS FOR DELAY TO THIS HQ

PRECEDENCE

Important

AUTHENTICATION

JP Arch. Capt.

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SIGNAL

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FROM NMIA

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TO REAR 8 ARMY

REF A 120.

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FOR NMIA TO(.) AT TELETYPE AVAILABLE FOR CIVILIAN TELEPHONE
INSTALLATIONS (.) AT REQUEST WITH ALLIED REQUISITIONING OFFICE
FLORENCE HAS MOVED TO MEMPHIS REQUISITIONING OFFICE (.) PLEASE
ARRANGE TRANSFER AND MOVEMENT.)

PRECEDE

AUTHENTICATED

M. E. Hurley
Capt

EGG

See folios 43-416265

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From: S.M.R.E

To: MMIA

Translation

A 306

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Ref: 6455/SP/2

Date: 5/5/45

Subject Lt Col. PAPADIA Pietro, Inf. Reg. Army

to what was requested in letter ^{MMIA} A/306 dated 18th April 45,
this S.M has answered with letter 6069/SP/2 dated 24/4/45

Signed: GIORGIO LIVIZZI

Encl
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GA/GH



STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

P. M. 3800 u. 5, 1945

alla L.F.S.C. - A.C. -

M.M.I.A.

= R O M A =

N° 6455 / SP/2 di prot.

Risp.f.n. A/306 in data

Allegati N. _____

28/4/45.

OGGETTO: Ten.Col. ftr. spe. PAPADIA Pietro.-

A quanto richiesto da codesta
M.M.I.A. con lettera A/306 del 18 a-
prile u.s., questo Stato Maggiore ha
risposto col foglio 6069/SP/2 in da-
ta 27/4/1945.-

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
- Giorgio Liuzzi -

Liuzzi

TR SPW 7/5
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TRANSLATION	
IN	{ Time <u>12:00</u> Date <u>4/5</u>
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SUBJECT:- Italian Officers - Postings

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A
Rear HQ.,
52 British Liaison Unit
CMF.
5 May 45

To:- Land Forces Sub Comm.AC. AQ/15/196
(MMIA)

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9/5
Reference your letter A 306 of 18 April 45.

Headquarters Gruppo di Combattimento 'Legnano'
have requested more detailed information as to the nature
of the duties Major Catalana will be required to perform
in his new appointment.

Could this information please be given.

AVB/WN.

MA Larkin

Major.
DAA&QMG.

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RAAC MESSAGE FORM

CONFIDENTIAL (71)

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FROM (A) REAR50 BLU A

MM IA-A

TO (FOR ACTION)

DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN S
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TO (FOR INFORMATION)

MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS GR

(REF. No.) A 45

(SECURITY
CLASSIFICATION)

CONFIDENTIAL

REF YOUR A86 OF 20 APRIL. MAJOR WANZO HAS NOT YET
REPORTED FOR DUTY WITH FRIULI ICG. MAY THIS MATTER
PLEASE BE INVESTIGATED

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SPIT major WSC
is enroute
enjoy to
7/5

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LOCAL DISTRIBUTION

IMPORTANT

PRECEDENCE:

ORIGINATING
SECTION:

A. G. AUTHENTICATION:

ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION:

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INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY

Subject: Lt. Roaldo Blancato

IND. NO.	FROM	TO	DATE	
	2695 TS Regt.	Ital. Liaison	4 May	<i>A 306</i> 1. Request the relief, not later than 5 May, of Lt. Roaldo Blancato, 2nd Platoon Commander, 318 QM Serv. Co., attached to II Corps. 2. Capt. Vogelsinger on duty with 548 QM Gp. reports that this officer is unsatisfactory and on 3 May the QM, II Corps, asked me to have him replaced immediately. <i>J. S. Winslow</i> J. S. WINSLOW, Lt. Col., F.A., Commanding. Copy to MMIA.

2 Sr MMIA LO MMIA 4 May 1945

Am causing original to be forwarded to CG 210 Division for action and report.

R. C. Van Kirk
R. C. VAN KIRK
Major, Infantry,
Sr. (MMIA) I.O.
5th Army 4157

INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY

Subject: Release from Duty - Capt Gulio Peroti

IND. NO.	FROM	TO	DATE	
1	2695th Tech Sup'n Regt (Ovhd)	It. Liaison	4 May 1945	1. Request that Capt Gulio Peroti be relieved at once from duty with 20th Pack Mule Group. 2. This officer is in command of the 15th Pack Mule Company which has been below average for the last 12 weeks. An inspection on 2 May shows that company is still in poor shape and that Capt Peroti is unfit for duty with pack mule units. <i>J. S. Winslow</i> J. S. WINSLOW Lt Col., F.A. Commanding cc: MMIA

2	Sr MMIA LO	MMIA	4 May 1945	Am causing original to be forwarded to CG 210 Division for action and report. <i>R.C. Van Kirk</i> R.C. VAN KIRK Major, Infantry Sr. (MMIA) L.O. 5th Army 4156
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Translations.
From. S.M.R.E.
To ; MMIA.
Subject; Inf., Major, VERANDO Giovanni.

A306

f;6372/SP 2.
3/5/45.

(69)

Among the P.O.W. officers recently repatriated, on instructions from the MMIA, through the Centre of Cesano, there is a certain Inf., Major., VERANDO Giovanni.

It ~~should be very pleased~~ ^{should be very pleased} to ~~make use~~ ^{make use} of this ~~officer's~~ ^{officer's} services, for the Mobilisation Section of this S/M.

The said section is at the moment ~~actually~~ conducted by an officer, who, through his competence in dealing with the complicated functioning of the section, is irreplaceable, thus if this officer should be indisposed through any reason, the functioning of one section of the SMRE, would suffer, affecting delicate and important matters.

I would like therefore to place another officer of proved ability, and aptitude, beside the former, in order to rect any inconvenience and so guarantee a continuous perfect functioning of the section.

The Major VERANDO, is a reliable officer, for the situation and I beg the MMIA to grant the authority for said officer to be employed as above.

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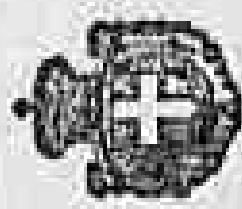
(E. Ronco)

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See Folio 76

CAL/sg.



STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO

UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

N° 6372 / SP.2 di prot.

A

P. M3800, il 3 maggio

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OGGETTO: maggiore di fanteria VERANDO Giovanni.-

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ALLA L.F.S.C.-A.C.-(M.M.I.A.)

= ROMA =

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Sarebbe mio vivo desiderio poterai valere di quest'ufficiale per la sezione mobilitazione di questo S.M..

La sezione stessa è attualmente retta da un ufficiale che, per la competenza nella complessa materia, è insostituibile, talchè una di lui assenza, dovuta ad una qualsiasi causa, metterebbe in sofferenza l'attività di un settore dello S.M. di particolare importanza e delicatezza.

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Il maggiore VERANDO è ufficiale di pieno affidamento per l'incarico cui vorrei destinarlo, e prego codesta M.M.I.A. di voler dare il relativo nulla osta.-

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE

-E. Renco-

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IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE

-E. Ronco-

E. Ronco

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

TRANSLATION

FROM: War Ministry

TO: M.M.I.A.

REF: 828/V

DATE: 2 May 1945

SUBJECT: Memo

The Military Territorial Commander of Bologna has requested that a General be sent there urgently to take over command of the garrison since he himself is in charge of all the military reorganisation of the Emilia area.

As you are no doubt aware, this appointment should be held by the deputy commander of the military territorial H.Q. since

Since His Excellency Cerica's request seems to imply that he has no officers on the spot to whom he could give this appointment it might be advisable to post Brigadier Palma Vittorio, at present at the disposal of this Ministry.

Sgd. CASATI

Minister.

F.M.De J./ O.D.

Conveyed GOC's approval to LOMBARDI
4 May

See log 1/4 May para

end PWS

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Ministero della Guerra

GABINETTO
(UFFICIO GENERALI)

Roma, 2 maggio 1945

PROMEMORIA per la L.F.S.O. - A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

Il comandante militare territoriale di Bologna chiede con urgenza un ufficiale generale per il comando di quel presidio essendo egli impegnato per tutta la riorganizzazione militare dell'Emilia.

Com'è noto, detta carica è di competenza dell'ufficiale generale addetto al comando.

Poichè la richiesta di S.E. CURIA denota che sul posto non ha elementi cui affidare detta carica, si potrebbe destinarvi il gen.di brig. PALMA Vittorio, attualmente a disposizione del Ministero.

IL MINISTRO
4152

[Signature]

Tradati
N. 3.28/8

(UFFICIO GENERALI)

Roma, 2 maggio 1945

PRONUNCIA per la L.F.S.C. - A.O. (M.M.I.A.)

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Poichè la richiesta di S.E. GEMELLI denota che sul posto non ha elementi cui affidare detta carica, si potrebbe destinarvi il gen. di brig. PALMA Vittorio, attualmente a disposizione del Ministero.

IL MINISTRO

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Translation

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Trans 16/v
To : MIMA

A 306

Ref : 2/11593
Date : 30 April 45

Subject : Officers for the 517 and 518 Italian Telephone Lines
Sections .

Ref 4/11 - 29/3/45 — 206 - 11th fascit
58/2

Further to letter 2/11050 dated 18/4/45, we inform you
that the 10th Engineers Regt, have informed us that
they have moved the following officers to the 143
Italian Liaison H.Q.

Lt FIANNACCA Placido Eng. Res.

Lt MORELLI Gaetano Eng. Res.

Lt SANGIRARDI Franco Eng. Res, has not been moved,
contrary to information forwarded by this Ministry
with letter n. 2/11050 dated 18/4/45.

We wait confirmation of approval for the officers
transferred to the 143. Italian Liaison H.Q.

Signed : Gen. FAUGI

5/5/45

Done with
Folios 57
10/5

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
-DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO - SEZIONE 11-

TV PA 3/5

n. 2/11593 /Mov. di prot.

P.M. 3800, 11

aprile 1945

OGGETTO:ufficiali per 517 e 518 sezioni italiane linee telefoniche.

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.O. (M.M.I.A.)
e, per conoscenza: (rif. f.n.A/11 del 29.3.45)

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AL N.3. DISTRICT per G.S.O.

A. = NAPOLI =

ALLO S.M.R.E. -Ufficio G.A. -
(rif. 305506 del 24.4.45)

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Seguito foglio n.2/11050 del 18.4.45 comunicasi che il 10° Rgt.Genio ha segnalato di avere avviato al 173° Comando Ital Collegamenti i seguenti ufficiali:

- Ten. genio cpl. PIANNACCA Placido
- Ten. genio cpl. MORELLI Gaetano.

Il Ten. genio cpl. SANGIRARDI Franco non è stato avviato, contrariamente a quanto questo Ministero aveva informato con la lettera n. 2/11050 del 18.4.1945.

Si rimane in attesa di conoscere la conferma del gradimento degli ufficiali trasferita al 173° Comando It.Colleg.

p. IL MINISTRO
Gen. G. Di. G. Salvi



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Translation.

URGENT.

(65)

From:- Genio Inspectorate

To:- SMRE

M of N (Personnel Branch)

Ref:- 539/Sig.

Date:- 28th April 45.

See (63) for information to:-
M M 14. (Ref. A306 dated 22nd April)

Subject:- Transfer of Italian Officers.

Ref. 3375/C dated 24th April 45.

We propose the assignment of the up officer, who is well acquainted with large cities telephone installations, to the 8th Army.

Reserve Genio Lieut. DON MONTE GIORGIO.

The officer, who is at present employed at the Allied Authorities Requisition Office, Florence, has been informed of his transfer by General Directorate Officers' Branch.

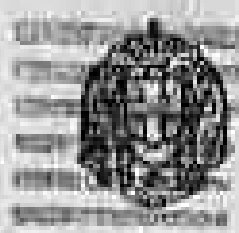
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See Fo 63.
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P.M. 9.

28 APR 1945

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ISPETTORATO DELL'ARMA DEL GENIO

Risposta al

OGGETTO: **Ufficiali Italiani - Trasferimenti**

Carte annesse N.

**ALLO S.M.R.E. - UFFICIO G.A.
P.M. 3800**

**ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE PERS. UFFICIALI
Div. Inv. Sez. 2^a
S E D E**

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA M.M.I.A. LO REAR 8^a ARMY

**ALLA L.F.S.C. (M.M.I.A.)
A 306 del 22 aprile**

(riferimento foglio 3375/G del 24 aprile)

**Si propone l'assegnazione alla 8^a Armata A.A. del
Ten. di compl. del Genio**

DAL MONTE Giorgio

**pratico di impianti telefonici civili delle grandi
città.**

**L'Ufficiale è ora in servizio presso l'Ufficio
requisizioni A.A. di Firenze ed è già stato avvisa-
to della destinazione, per cura della Direzione
Generale Personale Ufficiali.**

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**L'ISPETTORE DELL'ARMA DEL GENIO
(Gen. div. Amorese)**

Tramontana

29/4

Translation

(64)

From: S.M.R.E.

To: MMIA.

A 306

Ref: 6069 SP2

Date: 27 April 45

Subject: Lt Col PAPADIA Pietro. Inf. Reg. Army.

Lt Col PAPADIA Pietro. Inf. Reg. Army, will remain for the time being with Col. FATTA Giovanni to collaborate with him while waiting to be posted elsewhere, according to his qualifications.

Signed: ERCOLE RONCO

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see A306
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BUS/te.



P. M. 3800, u. 27 aprile

STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO

UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

LA L.F.S.C. - A.C. -
M.M.I.A.

R.O.M.A.

N° 6069 / SP.2 di prot.
Allegati N.

Risposta f.n. A.306 del
18 corrente.

OGGETTO: ten.colonnello ftr.spe. PAPADIA Pietro.

e, per conoscenza:

ALL'UFFICIO COORDINAMENTO

Il Ten.Colonnello ftr.spe. PAPADIA

Pietro per il momento rimarrà affiancato al
Colonnello GATTA Giovanni come suo collabo-
ratore, in attesa di altra destinazione che
potrà avere successivamente in relazione al-
le sue attitudini.

IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
- Ercole Ronco -

Ronco

Translation

From: M/W
To: M.M.I.A.

Ref: 3258/250/2

A306

Subject: Transfer - Italian Officers.

Ref. letter A/306 dated 22/4/45

For the ~~management~~ ^{direction} of the civil telephone plants in the big cities, we recommended L⁺ DEL MONTE Giorgio Engineers, Reserve, late technical inspector of the Siemens limited, and at present attached to the Allied Requisition office of Florence, awaiting to join the Bologna Requisition office, to which he has been posted.

L⁺ DEL MONTE is available and can be sent to the 8th Army as soon as M.M.I.A. will inform us, to which group or unit, he ~~has been assigned~~ ^{should report}.

Signed: Gen: FALUGI

Encl
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO = SEZ. II -

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n. *3258/80/pe* Mov. di prot.

P.M. 3800, 11

aprile 1945

OGGETTO: Ufficiali Italiani - Trasferimenti -

ALLA L.F.S.C. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
(rif. f. A 306 del 22.4.1945)

= ROMA =

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA M.M.I.A. L. O. REAL 8^a ARMA

= ROMA =

ALLO S.M.R.E. - Ufficio C.A.

= P.M. 3800 =

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE DEL GENIO

= SEDE =

ALL'ISPettorato DELL'ARMA DEL GENIO

= SEDE =

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1. Per la direzione di impianti di telefoni civili nelle grandi città si segnala il tenente genio complemento DAL MONTE Giorgio, già ispettore tecnico della S.A. Siemens, ed ora in servizio presso l'ufficio requisizioni per A.A. di Firenze in attesa di poter raggiungere l'ufficio requisizioni di Bologna cui è destinato.
2. Il tenente DAL MONTE è disponibile e potrà essere avviato all'8^a Armata non appena cotesta L.F.S.C. farà conoscere a quale ente o reparto dovrà essere assegnato.

P. IL MINISTRO
Gen. di Div. G. Salvi

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A MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO SEZ.II

COMANDO L.F.S.C. - A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
S.M.R.E. - Ufficio I
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COMANDO 3 COMPAGNIA FOTOELETTRICISTI

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GUERRA UFFICIALI N. 226/130/9 /NOV. ALT DESTINATARIO DECAGENIO ET
CONOSCENZA COMANDO L.F.S.C. - A.C. (M.M.I.A.) ET S.M.R.E.UFFICIO I ET
COMILIT NAPOLI ET ISPEGENIO ET 3 COMPAGNIA FOTOELETTRICISTI ALT PREGASI
DARE URGENTE RISCONTRO TELE N.61/130/9 DEL 28/2/45 COMUNICANDO DATA
AVVIAMENTO AT 3 COMPAGNIA FOTOELETTRICISTI IN NAPOLI SOTTOTENENTE FURLAN
ANTONIO ALT 3 COMPAGNIA FOTOELETTRICISTI EST PREGATA SEGNALARE DATA
PRESENTAZIONE ALT PROMINISTRO GENERALE DIVISIONE PALUGI ALT 24.0445

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PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE URGENTLY TELE NO.61/130/9 DATED 28/2/45 INFORMING US
THE DATE OF POSTING OF 2ND. LIEUT FURLAN ANTONIO TO 3RD. SEARCHLIGHT
COY AT NAPLES. THE 3RD. COY ARE BEGGED TO INFORM US OF THE DATE OF
ARRIVAL

R.A.G.M.

PALUGI
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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: *Italian officers - Postings.*

Major Catalani

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME
A 306

24 April 1945

To: 52 BLU
~~Ministry of War~~

Ref this HQ letter A 306 of 18 April 45.

May this HQ please be informed whether a reply may now be given to the above quoted letter.

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

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: *Italian Officer - Postings.*

Lt. Col. Papadia

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME

A306

98 Apr. 1945

To:

Ref this HQ letter A306 of 18 April 45.

May this HQ please be informed whether a reply may now be given to the above quoted letter.

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R. May
For Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject : Col. PERETTI Angelo.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E.
A 305.

28 April 45.

To : Ministry of War.

Reference your letter 2261/M/Col.

There is no objection to the transfer of Col. PERETTI, Angelo from the Italian training group at ASTRONTI Camp to Commanding Officer of the 1st. Territorial Depot, formerly the 45th. Infantry Regimental Depot, Sardegna.

W. P. ...

for Major General.
M.M.I.A.

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Subject : Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A 306

28 April 45.

HQ.Allied Commission,
for G-I (Br).

Ref. Your G-IE/6IO/I, dated 24th of April 45

- (a) 2/Lieut.PLANTAMURA Giovanni
(b) 2/Lieut.DE PEIS Vittorio

- I. (a) Please refer to this HQ A 306 dated 10th of April 45, to the Ministry of War, copy to you .

If these instructions have not been implemented you are requested to inform this HQ when immediate action will be taken.

2. (b) Please refer to this HQ A 306, dated 25th of April 45 addressed to you.

Major General,
M.M.I.A.

See Yotio 93 and file

Subject : Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O N E
A 306

28 April 45.

HQ.Allied Commission,
for G-I (Br).

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(b) 2/Lieut.DE PRIS Vittorio

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Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Subject : Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A 306

28 April 45.

Ministry of War

Ref : SMRE letter II927/ord dated 11th of April 45.

This HQ has no objection to one of the existing Chaplains being posted to PROSINONE training Centre.

B.H. Guzman
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

See also

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Subject : Italian Officers - Postings.

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Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A 306

28 April 45.

Ministry of War *H*

Lieut. FIANNACCA
" MORELLI

Ref : Your 2/II050, dated 18th of April 45
and further to this HQ letter A 306,
dated 23rd of April 45.

Information has been received from HQ 3 District
that there is no objection to the posting of the above two
officers to Command 517 and 518 Italian Line Sections.

Setty
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to :- 3 District, your 406I(A)X 6I, dated
25of April refers.

SOR Sigs MMIA.

DSLG/fo

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GSO I (TIA) Jux
SUBJECT: Weapon Training School - RTC.

A (56)
CONFIDENTIAL

DIRECTORATE OF MILITARY TRAINING
AFHQ CMT

Tel: 11667

DMT/88/5/MT1

26 Apr 45.

HQ MMIA.

It is understood that Capt TAGNANELLI is employed at the Weapon Training School RTC as an Instructor.

This Officer failed to qualify on an Instructors Course at the Weapon Training School CMTC and is therefore not considered fit to instruct at the RTC.

Will you take the necessary action to inquire into this matter and have this Officer posted away.

Copy R.G. 719.

*Don't let
all training
be better.*

H. M. Zillert
Major
Brig.
4137 P.M.T.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

TRANSLATION

FROM: War Ministry

TO: M.M.I.A,

REF: 1529/IC/Ris.

DATE: 25 April 1945

SUBJECT: O.C. of 10th.Allied Material Sorting Depot,Naples.

We would inform you that arrangements are being made to post Major (Q.M.) TROIANI Giuseppe, Regular Army, ~~ex~~ ex P.O.W., to 10th.Allied Material Sorting Depot, Naples, as O.C. in replacement of Lieut.Col.(Q.M.) PELLIZA Giuseppe, Regular Army, who has been appointed O.C. of the 2nd.Special Ration Depot, Genoa.

Sgd. PELLIGRA

Gen.

O.Danin Cpl.

*No. 10th. to confirm Gen. a good man
with P.C.*

*No comments
K26
3/1/45*

No Comments

*4134 - 9 (82)
08 May*



MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

Ispettorato Generale Servizi Commissariato

Mo/E

Sezione

Prot. N.° 1520/IC/Ris. Allegati

Risposta al f.° del

Div.

Sez.

N.°

Roma, 25 Aprile 1945

A/ LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION

A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

R O M A

Oggetto: Consegnatario 10° Deposito Materiale Alleato da
riattare in Napoli.

25/4

Per doverosa informazione, si comunica che con provvedimento in corso viene assegnato in qualità di consegnatario al 10° Deposito Materiale Alleato da riattare (Sorting Depot) in Napoli il Maggiore sussistenza s.p. TROIANI Giuseppe, proveniente da prigionia di guerra, in sostituzione del Tenente Colonnello sussistenza s.p.e. PELLIZZA Giuseppe designato quale consegnatario del 2° Deposito Speciale Viveri di Genova.

PEL MINISTRO

Telesina

4133

Subject: - Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.N.I.A.)
R O M E.
A 306.

27 April, 45.

To : - Ministry of War.

1. On the Staff of R.T.C. I.C.P. CESANO there are a number of Italian officers surplus to W.E.

They will be dealt with immediately in one of the following ways.

- (a) Classified as available for reinforcement and held on reinforcement strength.
- (b) Posted to other suitable employment.
- (c) Demobilized.

One of the above courses will be followed irrespective as to whether the officer is a Regular or on the Reserve.

2. It should be borne in mind that 63 Italian officers are being repatriated from M.E., who on arrival will be posted to the Staff at CESANO.

3. The establishment of officers for reinforcement should be kept up to strength and these officers will take place in all training schemes arranged for O.R's.

W. P. Drury
Major General,
M.N.I.A.

Copy to: 'F' BLU.
G. Trng.
G.
A.2.

DSIG/prh.

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Subject : Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.

(M.M.I.A.)

R O M E

A 306

27 April 45.

Ministry of War

Lieut. BORNANO Amedeo.

1. Information has been received from C.S.G.
3 District that there is now comparatively little work
for an Italian Liaison Officer with their Eastern Office
and he has requested that the above named officer be
returned to normal duties.

2. It should be clearly understood that this
request is no reflection on the officer in question as
he has carried out his duties to the entire satisfaction
of the Allied Commander.

Belgian
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to :-

HQ 3 District, your 406I (A) X 53
dated 13 April 45 refers.

S.O.R. Sigs.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

26 April 1945

Ref : 36/11/PAT

Subject : Italian Officers for duty
as Military Patriot Reps.

To : M.M.I.A.

1. We spoke Capt. Puccini - J/Comd. Proby - re M.M.I.A. letter A.306 dated 20 April 45.
2. It is requested that for record purposes, you would confirm the following interpretation of your letter.
 - a) that Officers on the active list will NOT be appointed Military Patriot Representatives;
 - b) that if it is desired to appoint an officer on the active list as a Military Patriot Representative, you would be prepared to agree to his being taken off the active list, providing a suitable replacement could be produced.
3. For your information: it is pointed out that Military Patriot Representatives are NOT posted to Patriots Branch. They are attached by the Ministry of War, to the Ministry of Occupied Italy, at the request of the latter Ministry, for duty with Patriots. After the nominations have been approved by Patriots Branch they are appointed by the Ministry of Occupied Italy, to serve as Military Patriot Representatives on the staffs of armies and A.M.G. Regional Commissioners.

R.R. CRIEPPS,
Colonel,
Director,
Local Govt. Sub Com.

/mlc.

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Translation

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From :- S. M. R. E.

To :- M. M. I. A.

Ref :- 5959/SR.2.

25/4/45

Subject :- Capt., Inf., Reg Army, Fucci Giorgio

The above mentioned officer is employed as an interpreter with British Police School at OTTAVIANO. -

We beg you to inform us if his permanency is still required as an interpreter, or if he is available for posting else-where.

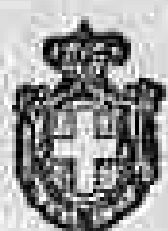
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(GIORGIO LIVIZZI)

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GA/GZ



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P. M. 3800, h 25 april 1945

Al la L.F.S.C. - A.C. -
(M.M.I.A.)

STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

A.

= R O M A =

N° 5959 / SP.2 di prot.

Allegati N.

26/4

OGGETTO: capitano ftr. s.p.e. FUCCI Giorgio.-

PP 29/4

Transp
26/4

L'ufficiale in oggetto presta tut-
tora servizio in qualità di interprete presso
la Scuola Inglese di Polizia in Ottaviano.-

Si prega voler comunicare se la sua
permanenza in tale incarico è ancora necessaria
o se gli può essere data altra destinazione.-

*For reply see A110/m
dated 29 April
PP*

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
- Giorgio Liuzzi -

gliubbli

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Subject: - Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
A 306.
25 April, 45.

To : - Headquarters A.C.
G-1 British.

2/Lieut De METS Vittorio. att 6032

Reference your G -1B/610/1 dated 7, April, 45. and further
to this H.Q. A/306 dated 17, April, 45. — 32

1. Enclosed is a copy translation of a signal arranging for
a relief for the above named officer.
2. Should these instructions not be implemented within a
reasonable period, this H.Q. should be so informed when hastening
action will be taken.

bsblm/marr
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Copy to: Min of War your signal 211171, of 21/4/45.
refers.

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A 306

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Subject:- Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub-Commission AC (MMIA)
ROME.

A.
27/4
3 District
Tel Ext 38
4064X 61
25 Apr 45

Ref your A306 dated 23 Apr 45.

- 44 1. The following officers have reported to
OC 173 Italian Sig Coy :-

Lt FIANNACCA
Lt MORELLI (vice 2/Lt SANGIRARDI)

2. This office has no objection to the posting
of the a/m officers to command 517 and 518 Italian
Line Sections.

RGS/FJD+

R. Sangirardi
Colonel,
Chief Signal Officer.

Translation.

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From. SMRE

To. MMH.

A 306

Ref. d.º 11 88 / T.D.

Date 25 April 45.

Capt. SERGARDI BIRINGUCCI Barone Fabio

(27)

In answer to letter. A/306 dated 14th inst
WP

No information has been received by the Italian Army central authorities in respect of the employment and conduct of the MMH officer.

Information as regards this matter have been requested from 231 Div. to which the 1st Guard Regt. belongs, and in the mean time we have ordered that the said officer be relieved of his duties.

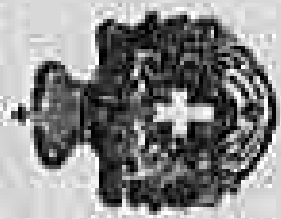
We will inform you of the result of the present investigations.

F. MORO.

R Mansfield

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STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO
ISPETTORATO TRUPPE AUSILIARIE

N. 1188 / T.A. di prot.

E.M. 3600, 11 25 aprile 1945

OGGETTO : Capitano SERGIANT BIRLINHUGGI Bazione Fabio.

ALLA IAWL FORCES SUB COMMISSION

Roma

Risposta foglio A/306 del 14 corrente.

Nessuna notizia è pervenuta alle Autorità Centrali del R.Esercito in merito all'impiego e alla condotta dell'ufficiale in oggetto.

Sono state in merito richieste informazioni al Comando della 231^a Divisione della quale dipende il 1^o regg. Guardia, ed è stata disposta nel contempo la sospensione dell'ufficiale da qualsiasi attività.

Si fa riserva di comunicare quanto verrà esposto dagli accertamenti in corso.

Thurs 10^a 26/4 4124

IL GENERALE ISPETTORE T.A.
- Federico Moro -

Moro

OGGETTO : Capitano SEGNARDI DIRIGENTI BARONE FABIO.

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION

Roma

Risposta foglio A/305 del 14 corrente.

Nessuna notizia è pervenuta alle Autorità Centrali del R.Esercito in merito all'impiego e alla condotta dell'ufficiale in oggetto.

Sono state in merito richieste informazioni al Comando della 251^a Divisione dalla quale dipende il 1^o regg. Guardia, ed è stata disposta nel contempo la sospensione dell'ufficiale da qualsiasi attività.

Si fa riserva di comunicare quanto sarà emerso dagli accertamenti in corso.

Thurs 10e 26/4

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IL GENERALE ISPIRATORE P.A.
- Federico Moro -

Moro

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

A1306

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LAND FORCES SUB-COM, AC (MMIA)

SD/103

25 Apr 45

TO : "A" BRANCH

See also (68)

(18)

Following telephone call from Lt Col GRACEFFA (SMRE) to Major CALABRINI ref Ministry of War's letter 11927/II april, we have been requested to give an answer concerning the allotment of 1 Chaplain for the 6000 men of the FROSINONE T.C.

As this letter is in your files, it is presumed you are taking action.

tvs

ThW Cheyne

Major.
MMIA.

Merely for information

CC. This letter pl

*No objection to P
+ Capt P. 28/4.*

Major Grogan

Translation

From: S.M.R.E.
To: M.M.I.A

A

306

225/2

Ref: 304 893 C.A
Date: 23 April 45

Subject: Italian officers for M.T. Group. WP

Reference letter A/11 dated 3rd inst.

General Directorate Officers Personnel ^{have} informed us that they ~~to~~ have assigned to M.T. Group. A.C., on the 4th April, the following officers:

Capt. Anty. Res.	MARINI	Enrico	
2nd Lt. Inf.	PIVA	Alberto	4122

The a/m Direct. Gen. has been approached, in order that the a/m officers be instructed to report as soon as possible.

Enrico

Signed, Gen: GIORGIO LUZZI

STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO
UFFICIO C.A.

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Roma, li 23 Aprile 1945

N. 304893/C.A.

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

R O M A

OGGETTO: Ufficiali Italiani per gruppo autotrasporti -

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24/4

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Riferimento foglio A/11 del 3 corr.

La Direzione Generale Personali Ufficiali ha informato di avere assegnati al Rag/to Autotrasporti A.C., sin dal 4 corr. i seguenti ufficiali:

- Cap. Art. Comp. MARINI Enrico
- Sott. ftr. " PIVA Alberto

E' stata interessata la predetta Dir. Generale perchè i predetti ufficiali siano fatti presentare al più presto.

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
(Giorgio Liuzzi)

Liuzzi

Transpol D. 24/4

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Riferimento foglio A/11 del 3 corr.

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- Sott. ftr. " PIVA Alberto

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IL GENERALE ADDETTO
(Giorgio Linzzi)

Linzzi

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Thauspold, 24/4

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Subject:- Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E.
A 306.

23 April, 45.

To :- 3. District for C.S.O.

File 11 (177)

Reference your 4061(A)X45 dated 21st March, 45 and further to this H.Q. A/11 dated 29th, March, 45.

1. Enclosed is copy translation of a letter received from the Italian Ministry of War.
2. Will you please say if you have any objection to the proposed posting of these two officers.
3. No action is being taken by this H.Q. pending receipt of your reply.

W. H. L. M. A.
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to:- Min. of War, your 2/11050
dated 18, April, 45 refers.
S.O.R. Sigs. M.M.I.A.

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See File 11 (206) also see
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See Folio 49
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MINISTRO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI Div. NOV. Sez. 2

BIOGRAFIA A MANO

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE
rif. f.n. 3678/23 del 15/4/45

COMANDO 266/1 C.L. COY

conoscenza

ARMED FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (MILIA)
rif. f.n. A/306 del 17/4/45

STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Ufficio C.A.
rif. f.n. 3167/3

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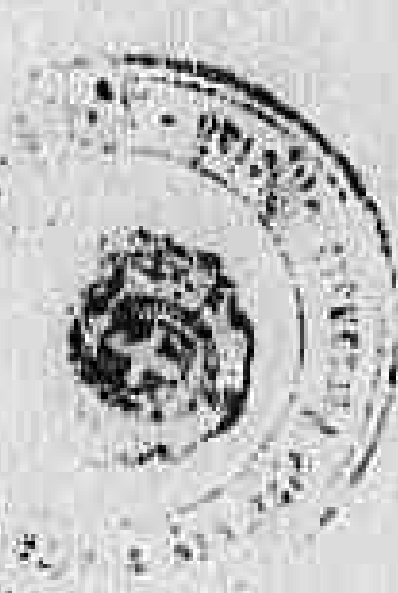
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2/11/44

N...../MOV ALT PRIGASI DIPORE IMMEDIATO AVVIAMENTO AT
266/10.D. COY IN PASSO CORESE S. TEM. ART. SP. CRIFO MURIO
ALT UFFICIALE SOSTITUISCE IL TEM. ART. CEL. DE MEIS VITTORIO
TUTTORA INILONDO RIASSUMENDO SERVIZIO PRESSO ENTO NOME ALT
ASSICURARE COMUNICANDO DATA AVVIAMENTO ET PRESENTAZIONE ALT
PRONINISTRO GENERALE DIVISIONE PALUGI.....0445

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Travepe
24/4



Please order immediate posting of 2nd Lt. GRIFO
ENRICO to 266/1 C.O. coy at Passo Corese @ the office
will replace 2nd Lt. VITTORIO who is in hospital
to resume his duties with this unit @ acknowledge.

COMANDO 266/1 C.O. COE
SODICODIST

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.O. (MMIA)
rif.f.n. 1/305 del 17/4/45

STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Ufficio C.A.
rif.f.n. 3167/0

DISTRETTO MILITARE

2/11/44

N...../MOV ALT PREGASTI DISPORRE IMMEDIATO AVVIAMENTO AT
266/13.D. COY IN PASSO CORSE S. TEN. ART. SP. USIPO ENRICO
ALT UFFICIALE SOSTITUISCE IL TEN. ART. CEL. DE MEIS VITTORIO
TUTTORA INILONZO RIASSUNSE SERVIZIO PRESSO DETTO ENTE ALT
ASSICURARE COMUNICANDO DATA AVVIAMENTO IN PRESTAZIONE ALT
PRONIMISTRO GENERALE DIVISIONE PALUGI.....0445

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Transpe
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Please order immediate posting of 2/Lieut GRIFO.
ENRICO to 266/1 C.O. coy at PASSO CORSE @ the office
will replace Lieut DE MEIS VITTORIO who is ^{sick} ~~sick~~
to resume his duties with ^{paid} ~~this~~ unit @ acknowledge,
inform us of date of posting and reporting o.

[Handwritten signature]
Lec 4050.50

Grass Plot

From: Mr
To: Mr. M. A

Ref: 3/10000/Mov
Date: 22.4.45

Subject: Commissariat Lt ZACCARIA Giovanni Reg. Army

Ref letter A/306 dated 17-4-45

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we forward to you copy of letter 1655/250/2 & 10/mar
dated 5th March, with which the assignment of
the officer in question to Rome Ital. Ex. H.-S. Commis-
sariat Directorate was ordered.

Signed, By: FA UGA

From: H/W
To: Rome Hail. ber H-2 Cour Dir.

Ref: 16.5 / 2502 / F 10 / hour
Date: 5/3/45

Subject, Assignment of officer

The a/c officer has resumed his duties and has been assigned to the unit, ~~and upon the date,~~ ~~the~~ ~~show~~ ~~alongside,~~ ~~on 15/3/1945~~

Commis. Lt. ZACCARIA
Giovanni Reg. Army
has been found in liberated
territory.

Ronne Thil Per. H.R. Com. Dir
for Nord Nucleus on the 15/3/1945

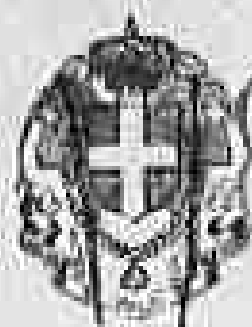
²Instructions of Re 28/2/45

Perugia Nuclear Military District H.Q., is ~~asked~~ ^{pleased} to kindly inform the officer concerned ~~who~~ ^{who} lives in PERUGIA, VIA PELLAS, of the present letter; ~~the~~ officer will be supplied with necessary travel permits, and sent ~~him~~ to his destination ~~at~~ the a/m date.

Signed: Umar FAUZI

2. Buy all ^{before}?

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NELLA RISPOSTA CITARE SEMPRE CON ESATTEZZA
LA DATA ED I NUMERI DEL PRESENTE FOGLIO

Roma: 22 - 1 - 1945

SS/gr.

Ministero della Guerra

IN
M. L.F.S.C. AC (MMIA)

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
DIREZ. GEN. LE PERS. LE OFF. II

ROMA

Divisione Movimento 3°

Det. A. 3/10000 MO *Allegati* 1

Risposta al f. del
Dire. *Rev.* *N°*

OGGETTO: Tenente commissario s.p.e.
ZACCARIA Giovanni.-

e, per conoscenza:

S.M.R.E. - UFFICIO C.A.

S E D E

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Riferimento al foglio A/300 del 17 aprile '45

Si trasmette copia del dispaccio
1055/250/2 f. 10/Mov. in data 5 marzo
K.s., con quale era stata disposta l'asse-
gnazione dell'ufficiale in oggetto alla Di-
rezione di Commissariato del Comando Mili-
tare Territoriale di Roma.

p. IL MINISTRO
(Gen. di Div. G. Falugi)

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Hauste
R 23/4

gr/601A

IR/nb. MINISTRO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
Divisione Movimento-3^a Sezione

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Prot. n. 1655/250/2/I. 10 /Nov. P.M. 3800, 5/3/1945

OGGETTO: Assegnazione ufficiale.-

DIREZIONE COMMISSARIATO COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE = ROMA  
COMANDO NUCLEO DISTRETTO MILITARE DI = PERUGIA

e, per conoscenza:  
COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI ROMA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO = SEDS  
DIVISIONE MATRICOLA E LIBRETTI PERSONALI SEDS

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Il sottotenente ufficiale è riassunto in servizio ed assegnato all'ente e sotto la data a fianco indicati:

Ten. comm.rio S.P. ZACCARIA Giovanni rivelatesi in territorio li- berato.-	Direzione Commissariato del Comando Militare Territoriale di Roma - per Nucleo Nord - in data 15/3/1945
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Determinazione del 28/2/1945.

Il Comando Nucleo Distretto Militare di Perugia è pregato di dare comunicazione del presente disaccio all'ufficiale interessato, che abita in Perugia - Via Fellas-, munirlo dei documenti di viaggio ed avviarlo a destinazione entro la data sopraindicata.

R.te P. IL MINISTRO
(Gen. di Div. G. Falugi)

ps e. e.

IL COLONNELLO CAPO DIVISIONE MOV.
(P. Carro)

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= PERUGIA

R O M A
S E D E
S T U D I O

COMANDO NUOVO DISTRETTO MILITARE DI

e, per conoscenza:

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO = ISPELTONATO =

DIVISIONE MATRICOLA E LIBRETTI PERSONALI

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Il settennato ufficiale è riassunto in servizio ed assegnato all'ente e sotto la data e fianco indicati:

Ten. comm.rie s.p.

ZACCARIA Giovanni

rivelatosi in territorio li-

berato.-

Direzione Commissariato del Comande  
Militare "territoriale di Roma - per  
Nucleo Nord - in data 15/3/1945

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R. IL MINISTRO

(Gen. di Div. G. Falugi)

R.to

pe e. o.

IL COLONNELLO CARO DIVISIONE MOV.

(F. Carren)

*Carren*

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Subject: Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comd.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M E.  
A306  
29 April 46

Ministry of War.

1. An Italian Officer with experience of civilian telephone installations in large towns is required urgently by 8 Army.
2. Will you please state-
  - (a) Whether an officer with the necessary qualifications is available.
  - (b) Earliest date on which he will be available for posting.
3. It is NOT essential that the officer should have a knowledge of English.
4. Please treat as urgent.

*R. Cunningham*  
for Major General  
M.M.I.A.

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Copy to: MNIA LO  
Rear 8 Army.

*Lee for 65*  
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300 Translation 8 42

From : Ministry of War  
To : MMIA  
Subject : Lt. Col. CARUSO Francesco, (Arty)

Ref. : 2/11224  
Date : 21 April 45

We beg to inform you that orders have been issued to the effect that the officer in question, who was assigned recently to the Le Spezia Arty Directorate, is to be held at the disposal of SMRE for eventual employment as mine clearing liaison officer.

Cpl VDC

(sgd) Falugi

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*Ministero della Guerra*

ISPELORATO PERSONALE UFFICIALE

DIREZ. GEN. PERS. UFF.

Divisione Mov. *Int.*  
*Int. N. 2/1122h* *Allegati*

NELLA RISPOSTA CITARE SEMPRE CON ESATTEZZA  
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*Roma* 21 APR 1945 *9/1*

IN

*At*

*A*

*Risposta al f. del*

*Int. N. 2/1122h*

OGGETTO: *Ten. Col. art. CARUSO Francesco.*

LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C. (M.M.I.A.) ROMA  
e, per conoscenza:

STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Ufficio C.A. P.M. 3800  
rif. atterg. 305/046 datato 16/4/45 recente  
modifica f. 1/11981 del 9/4/45

Si comunica che sono stati impartiti ordini  
affinchè l'ufficiale in oggetto assegnato di re-  
cente alla Direzione Artiglieria di La Spezia  
venga tenuto a disposizione dello S.M.R.E. per  
l'eventuale impiego quale ufficiale di collega-  
mento per bonifiche mine.

P.D. MINISTRO  
(Gen. di Div. *G. Falugi*)

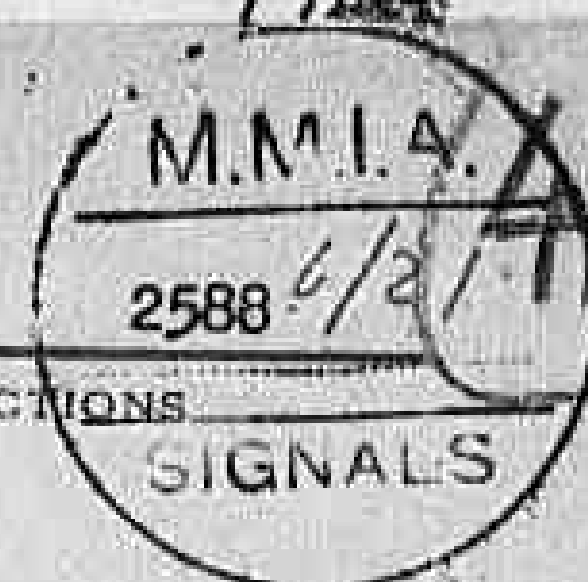
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*23/4*



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| FROM (A) MMIA LO, REAR 8 ARMY                |                   |                              | DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN<br>20115B                 |         |
| TO (FOR ACTION) MMIA ROME                    |                   |                              | MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS                          |         |
| TO (FOR INFORMATION)                         |                   |                              | GR                                            |         |
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8 ARMY SEEKS URGENTLY FOR OPERATIONS ONE ITALIAN OFFICER EXPERIENCED IN CIVILIAN  
TELEPHONE INSTALLATIONS LARGE TOWNS. WNGLISH SPEAKER NOT RPT NOT NECESSARY.  
WHAT OFFERS QUERY

This Message will NOT be distributed  
to the Government Headquarters  
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Subject : Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M E.  
A 306. ✓  
20 April, 45.

Ministry of War.

Reference S.M.R.E. letter 5121/BP2 dated 10th, April, 45.

1. It has been agreed that appointments in the Patriots Branch, Allied Commission should be filled by civilians. These individuals may or may not have been officers in the Italian Army, but officers on the active list will not be posted to the Patriots Branch.

2. Should it be the intention of the Minister of War to demobilise the three officers in question, and post them to the Patriots Branch this H.Q. has no objection, provided they are replaced by three other suitable officers.

*W Parley*  
Major General  
M.M.I.A.

DSL/ptrh.

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Translation

From. HQ Motor transport unit D.C. Ref No 408  
to HQ (allied) " A 306 Date. 19/11/45.

Capt. DE MAINERI FERY does not  
consider himself <sup>qualified</sup> ~~fit~~ for the <sup>appointment</sup> ~~post~~ of O/C the  
9<sup>th</sup> coy of this unit

We therefore beg you to contact the  
m of w to obtain the transfer of a/m officer from this  
unit and his <sup>replacement</sup> ~~substitution~~ by tank Capt  
BATTISTI LUIGI

R Champfield

Seen WP  
NA @ 28/11  
CELLI

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COMANDO RAGGRUPPAMENTO AUTOTRASPORTI

n° 406 di prot. Ris.

P.M. 3800 11, 19/4/45

O G G E T T O : Richiesta ufficiali.

AL COMANDO ALLEATO RAGGRUPPAMENTO

23/4

SEDE

Il Cap. Art. Compl. DE MAINERI Fery non ritengo sia idoneo a conservare il comando della 9ª Compagnia di questo Comando.

Prego pertanto voler interessare il Ministero della Guerra perchè trasferisca da questo ente il capitano De Maineri ed assegni il Capitano carrista spe BATTISTI Luigi. -

*Att. Major Pinkley*

Approved  
Casimir Olszewski  
Lieut Col ICE  
Genl Motor Transport Group



IL COLONNELLO COMANDANTE  
(Rodolfo Celli)

*R. Celli*

*J. L. L. L.*  
26/4

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A 306

Roma 19 - 4 1945

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NE/

Ministero della Guerra

Direz. Gen. Pers. Ufficiale

LAND FORCES SUB  
COMM. AC. (MMIA)

R O M A

Divisione Movimento Tr. 1°

Rel. N. 1/11289 MOV. Allegati

7 aprile 1945

Dir. N. 306

OGGETTO: Ten. Col. Ftr. (b) s.p.  
BERTONE Giuseppe -

e, per conoscenza:

S.M.R.E. = UFFICIO C.A.=  
(rif. f. 304653 del 7/4/45)

A  
21/4 P.M. 3800

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E' stato disposto il trasferimento del Ten.  
Col. Ftr. (b) s.p. BERTONE Giuseppe all'Ufficio I  
dello S.M. Generale.-

P. IL MINISTRO  
(Gen. di Div. G. Falugi)

The transfer of Col BERTONE Giuseppe  
Regular Army, to the Office I of the S.M.G.  
has been ordered.



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FROM : M.O.W.  
TOZ : M.M.I.A. for info.

TRANSLATION

Ref : 1/10493/Mov  
Date: 18/4/45

(33/4)

A 306

SUBJECT: Postings of Officers.

For The u/m officers, the following movements are ordered as indicated for each.

2Lt Inf Res, SPANO' GIOVANNI  
15th Inf Depot  
(Mil, Terr, HQ of NAPLES)

10th Engineer Rgt (bridging unit) British school of CAPUA, as interpreter on 26/3/45, registration delayed;

The said officer will be shown in Cat 3 (BR- ITI)  
The Mil Terr HQ of NAPLES is begged forward sanction of above movement, as said officer was assigned to this HQ, W.E.F. 21/8/44 as per letter 12929- dated 25/10/44.

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Not to us

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**MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA**  
**DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI**  
**DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO = SEZ. I<sup>a</sup>**

N<sup>o</sup> 1/10493 MOV.

OGGETTO: movimento ufficiale.

P.M.3800, 8 aprile 1945

AL C.DO 10<sup>o</sup> RGT. GENIO S.MARIA CAPUA VETERE  
 AL C.DO DEPOSITO 15<sup>o</sup> TANTERIA S A L E R N O  
 e, per conoscenza:  
 ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.) R O M A  
 (rif.f.s D/22/1 del 16/3/45)  
 ALLO S.M.R.E. - Sezione interpreti - S E D E  
 AL C.DO MIL.TERRITORIALI DI NAPOLI P.M.3400  
 (rif.tele 6/7841/T/I/V del 26-8-45)  
 ALLA DIV.MATR.LIBRETTI ANNUARIO S E D E

Per il sottotitolo ufficiale è disposto il seguente movimento sotto le date e fianco indicate:

S. ten. ftr. cpl. SPANO'-Giovanni | 10<sup>o</sup> rgt. genio per Reprto-Pontieri  
 deposito 15<sup>o</sup> fenteria | scuola inglese di Capua-quale inter-  
 (C.do Mil.Terr.le di Napoli) | prete- , in data 26/3/1945  
 | (variazione ritardata)

L'ufficiale sarà portato nella categoria 3 (BR-ITI)  
 Il Comando Militare Territoriale di Napoli è pregato comunicare, per la sanzione i precedenti movimenti, in quanto l'ufficiale risulta assegnato a codesto Comando in data 21.8.44 con dispaccio nr.12929 del 25.10.1944.

P. IL MINISTRO  
 (Gen.di Div.G. Filagi)

*Thano per 25/14*



N° 1/10463/Mov.

OGGETTO: movimento ufficiale.

P.M.3800, 18 aprile 1945

AL C.DO IO° RGT. GENIO

AL C.DO DEPOSITO 15° FANTERIA

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION (M.M.I.A.)

(rif. F.S D/22/1 del 16/3/45)

ALLO S.M.R.E. - Sezione interpreti -

AL C.DO MIL. TERRITORIALE DI NAPOLI

(rif. Tele 6/7841/T/I/V del 26-8-45)

ALLA DIV. MATR. LIBRETTI ANNUARIO

S. MARIA CAPUA VETERE

SALERNO

ROMA

SEDE

P.M.3400

SEDE

Per il sottotenuto ufficiale è disposto il seguente movimento sotto la data e fianco indicate:

-S. ten. ftr. cpl. SPANCO - Giovanni  
deposito 15° fanteria  
(C.do Mil. Terr. le di Napoli)

1 10° rgt. genio per Reparto-Pontieri  
1 scuola inglese di Capua-quale inter-  
1 prete, in data 26/3/1945  
1 (variazione ritardata)

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P. IL MINISTRO

(Gen. di Div. G. Falagi)

Tram. pl. R  
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from: m of <sup>00</sup>  
to: m. m. i. a.

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Translation

ref. 2/11050

17 April 1945

(38/2)

Subject: <sup>See 44</sup> Officers for 517 + 518 "Italian telephone lines" sections

With ref. to letter 2/10166/mov. dated 6/4/45

10th Sig. Rept. has received the order to send to 173 Italian Sig. HQ Lt. VIOGGINO + Lt. CIARALDI ISIDORO. The Col. c/o of the Rept. <sup>177 206 Jte II</sup> has informed us that the two officers belong to senior classes (1898-1902) + are already posted to Groups formed for Northern Italy.

A/m c/o proposes to replace these officers with:

- Lt. FIANNACCA PLACIDO - class 1918
- 2nd Lt. SANGIRARDI FRANCO - " 1920

A/m officers have already been sent to 173 Italian Sig. HQ.

Anyhow this Ministry before authorizing this movement begs m m. i. a. to specify if

Lt. FIANNACCA + 2nd Lt. SANGIRARDI will be posted to 517 + 518 sections respectively.

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See 44

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IN

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALE  
DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO SEZ. II

N. 2/11050

/MGV. P.M. 3800,

18 APR 1945

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

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R C M A

Per conoscenza:

AL N.3 DISTRICT

ALLO S.M.R.D. - Ufficio C.A.

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OCCORRENZA: Ufficiali per 517 e 518 Sezioni Italiane linee telefoniche.

Si fa seguito alla comunicazione fatta in data 5/4/45 con n.2/10166/Mov  
In conseguenza dell'ordine impartito al 10 Reggimento Genio di avviare  
el 173 Comando Italiano Collegamenti il Tenente Genio cpl. VIOTTI Giocondo  
ed il Tenente Genio cpl. CIARARDI Isidoro, il Colonnello comandante del  
reggimento ha fatto presente che i due ufficiali sono di classe anziana  
(1898 - 1902) e già inquadrati in nuclei in formazione per l'Italia set-  
tentriionale.

Il suddetto comandante propone di inviare in loro sostituzione due  
ottimi ufficiali della specialità trasmissioni, di classe giovane:

- Tenente Genio cpl. FIANNACCA Ilacido della classe 1918
- S.Ten. Genio cpl. SANGIRARDI Franco della classe 1920

Detti ufficiali sono stati già avviati al 173 Comando Italiano Colle-  
gamenti. Questo Ministero tuttavia, prima di sanzionare tale movimento pro-  
ga codesta Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. di far conoscere se alle Sezioni  
517 e 518 vengono rispettivamente assegnati il Tenente FIANNACCA ed il  
S.Tenente SANGIRARDI.

P. IL MINISTRO  
(Gen. di Div. Palugi)

*Thurston*  
*20/4/45*

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13 APR 1945

LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C. (M.J.F.A.)  
per conoscenza:  
AL R.3 DISTRICT

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ALLO S.M.R.E. - Ufficio C.A.

NAPOLI  
SEDE

20/4

OGGETTO: Ufficiali per 517 e 518 Sezioni Italiane linee telefoniche.-

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S.Tenente SANGIRARDI.-

*Thurston*  
*22/4/45*

P. IL MINISTRO  
(Gen. di Div. Salugi)



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Translation.

From; M. of W.

To ; MIA.

Subject; Col., Inf., Reg Army., PERETTI Angelo

Col., Inf., Reg Army., PERETTI Angelo, has <sup>been</sup> terminated his training of recruits passing through "Gli Astroni" Camp, <sup>and</sup> <sup>has become</sup> available for other duties commencing the 15th Inst.,

The a/m Col should be sent to Sardinia as Commander of the 45th Inf., Regt., Depct, and will not be replaced pending termination of a/m duties.

We beg you to inform us, if you are ~~in~~ in agreement <sup>with</sup> a/m movement. 410

GD. *[Signature]*

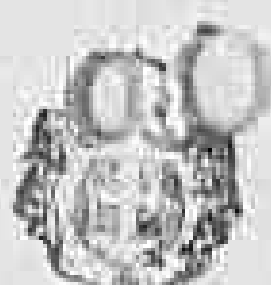
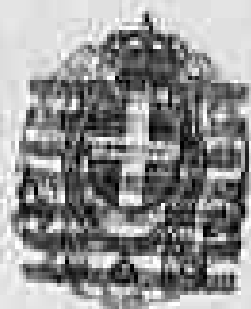
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Roma 18 aprile 1951

Ministro della Guerra

- GABINETTO -

VIA M.M.I.A. IN

Divisione

Sez.

ROMA

Prot. N. 2261/M/COL Allegati

Risposta al f. del

Dir.

Sez.

N.°

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OGGETTO: col.ftr.spe PERETTI Angelo.-

19/4

Il col.ftr.spe PERETTI Angelo ultimato l'addestramento delle reclute affluite al campo "Gli Astroni", risulta disponibile dal 15 corrente.-

Il predetto colonnello dovrebbe essere destinato in Sardegna quale comandante al deposito del 45° rgt.ftr., e non verrebbe per ora sostituito data l'ultimazione del sopraindicato compito.

Pregasi comunicare se nulla osta al movimento.

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d'ordine  
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

*[Signature]*



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Subject : Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M E.  
A 306.

18 April, 45.

MINISTRY OF WAR

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Ref S.M.R.E. letter 5242/SP2 dated 12 April, 45.

1. It is noted that Col. GATTA Giovanni has been appointed as C.O. of 802, Base Reinforcement Depot, ORVIETO.
2. Please inform this H.Q. as to how Lt Col; PAPADIA Pietro will be employed.

*Debl... Jun. marin*  
Major General;  
M.M.I.A.

DSLIG/prh.

*See Folio 73*  
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Subject : Italian officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M E.  
A 306.

18 April, 45.

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Conversation + PLEWMAN + DOBBS + GREGSON. of  
18th. April. 45.. refers.

1. An Italian officer of the rank of Major is required for the H.Q. of the 881 - 884 Inspecting Increment UMI.
2. It has been suggested that Major CATALANI, C.R.E.M.E. of LEGNANO Combat group would be a suitable officer to fill this appointment.
3. Will you please state if Major CATALANI would be available if a suitable replacement was forthcoming.
4. Please state if a suitable replacement is available within the group.

*John J. Quinn*  
Major  
Major General,  
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: HQ.UMI., for attention  
Capt PLEWMAN.

DSLG/prh.

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See Suspended  
See Reply  
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI - Div. ov. Sez. 2<sup>a</sup>

**A** 306 FONOGRAMMA

**7** 306 IN 35/1

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE  
SCUOLA ALLIEVI MECCANICI RIPARAUTO (M.M.I.A.) ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

DIREZIONE GENERALE ART. E MOTORIZZAZIONE  
rif.f.n. 01913/2322/IP del 7.4.45

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Not to US

N. 2/10529 /MOV ALT DISPORRE MASSIMA URGENZA AVVIAMENTO AT  
SCUOLA ALLIEVI MECCANICI RIPARAUTO (M.M.I.A.) GEN. COL. ART. SP.  
(S.Te.M.) PONZI GIUSEPPE ALT RISERVA COMUNICARE NOMINATIVO UFFI-  
CIALE DESTINATO DIRAUTO COMITER ROMA ALT ASSICURARE ALT PROMINISTRO  
DIVISIONE FALUGI...0445

*Posting of Officer*

P. C. C.

Il Capo Divisione Movimento  
(Col. P. Capponi)

*Cal*

Please arrange as urgently as possible the posting to the  
M.M.I.A. mechanical training school of Lieut. Col. PONZI GIUSEPPE. We will in-  
form you of the name of the officer to be posted to M.T. directorate COMITER  
ROME. ACKNOWLEDGE

R Mensfield, Sgt

FALUGI

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM / MILIA

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN.

TO / 50 BLU

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REF NO: 82.

RESTRICTED

REF YOUR A 102 DATED 15 APRIL(.) MINISTRY OF WAR INSTRUCTED  
TO SEND REPLACEMENT SOONEST.

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PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATION

Major Byatt telephoned to him by  
war. per 17/4. R

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject : Army Chaplains.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.  
( M.M.I.A. )  
A 306

12 April 45.

To : Ministry of War

Information has now been received from A.F.H.O.  
that the 20 Chaplains, destined for duty with S.H.A.B.P.  
are no longer required.

*John J. Mays*  
Major General,  
M.M.I.A.

Copy to : G (SD)

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian officers Postings

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M. M. I. A.) R O M E  
A/308

17 April 45.

MINISTRY OF WAR

Lieut ZACCARIA Giovanni

Ref your 3/08633 dated 7 April 45.

You are requested to forward a copy of your letter of 5th March referred to, as there is no trace of this letter in this HQ.

DSLQ/wk

Major General,  
M. M. I. A.

See 43/1

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ARMY FORM 02186 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No. 4131

Call

Srl. No.

Prior

Transmission Instructions

**A 306**

**CIPHER SECRET**

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FROM  
(A)

Originator

Date-Time of Origin

OFFICE DATA STAMP

AFHQ

Sgt

SACMED

161925B

For Action

MMIA

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions - GR -

Originator's No.

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SECRET

CIR FHGCT

Your A 75 of 13 April refers @

Recent telephone conversation STANTON = SHAUGHNESSY  
Chaplain(?) for H. Taus A no longer required

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

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MEYT QVR-1

FROM 50 BLU 152320B

TO MMIA

INFO F BLU

GR 20 BT

A 102. RESTRICTED. ~~REPLACEMENT~~ REPLACEMENT REQUIRED

URGENTLY FOR 1 BN COMD WHO HAS HAD A NERVOUS

BREAKDOWN. PLEASE SEND REPLACEMENT

SOONEST. ACK

BT

SENT NR 6 (URGENT)

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A 306A

IN,

COMITE FIREZEE

GUERRA UFFICIALI N° 1/11566/MOV. AT 1972/ORD ALT MIA  
HABET REPPARESENTATO CHE SOTTOTENENTE PLANTAMURA EST STATO  
SOSTITUITO SOLO VIA TEMPORANEA DA SOTTOTENENTE PALMIERE CHE  
EST TUTTORA IN FORZA AT 266/I GD COMPAGNIA ALT DISPORRE  
MASSIMA URGENZA CHE PER SOSTITUZIONE DEFINITIVA SOTTOTENENTE  
PLANTAMURA SIA DESIGNATO ALTRO SUBALTERNO PARTICOLARMENTE IDONEO  
AT COMANDO 2002 GD PLOTONE ALT ASSICURARE TELEGRAFO ALT PROMINI-

STRO GENERALE DIVISIONE PALUGI

M.M.I. has pointed out that the substitution of 2121ient PLANTAMURA is only  
of a temporary character 21ient PALMIERE who replaced him is still on the  
strength of the 266/I G.D coy. please arrange for the definite replacement  
Of 2121ient. PLANTAMURA by an other subaltern well fitted for those duties at  
H.Q. 2002G.D. platoon. Acknowledge by telegramme

*H. Plantamura*

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI  
Divisione Movimento-Segreteria

A 16/4

Prot. n° 1/110883

Roma, 14-4-45

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION  
AC ( M.M.I.A.A.)

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e, per conoscenza:

Allo S.M.M.E. - Ufficio C.A.

R O M A

P.M. 3800

.....riferimento nota A/306 in data 10 u.s., si trasmette



MASSIMA URGENZA CHE PER SOSTITUZIONE DEFINITIVA SOTTOTENENTE  
PLANTAMURA SIA DESIGNATO ALTRO SUBALTERNO PARTICOLARMENTE IDONEO  
AT COMANDO 2002 GD PLOTONE ALT ASSICURARE TELEGRAFO ALT PROMINI-

STRO GENERALE DIVISIONE FALUGI

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*R. Plantamura*

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI  
Divisione Movimento-Segreteria

*A 16/4*

Prot. n° *1/11083*

Roma, *14-4-45*



LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION  
AC ( K.M.I.A. )

*4093*

R O M A

e, per conoscenza:

Allo S.M.R.E. - Ufficio C.A.

P.M. 3800

.....riferimento nota A/306 in data 10 u.s., si trasmette  
copia del telegramma trasmesso in data odierna al Comando Militare  
Terr. di Firenze.

p. IL MINISTERO  
(Gen. di Div. G. Falugi)



*[Signature]*



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Translation.

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Ref. - ?

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> April 45Memorandum for Allied Liaison Office.

Regular Army, Art. Col. FREDA GIUSTINO, at present commanding the 404<sup>th</sup> P.P. Regt. and, regular army, Infantry Col. LELLA FRANCESCO, at present commanding the 406<sup>th</sup> P.P. Regt., are both <sup>elderly</sup> ~~old~~ colonels who ~~have~~ <sup>some time ago</sup> finished their term of commanding regiments, and expect to be sent north where they ~~will~~ would be employed ~~at~~ on the organization receiving internees from Germany.

We could make arrangements for their replacement, as under:-

- Regular army, Art. Col. DI PIETRA RAIMONDO to go to 404<sup>th</sup> Ital. Pioneer Regt.
- Regular army, Art. Col. ROSSANI FRANCESCO to go to 406<sup>th</sup> Ital. Pioneer Regt.

(Sgd) The Chief of Cabinet.  
BONBARDI.

Sgt. FABRE

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Ministero della Guerra

# CABINETTO

-Ufficio Movimento Colonnelli-

Roma, 14 aprile 1945

OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Il Col. Art. spe. TAVDA Giustino attuale comandante del 404° Regt. P. I. ed il Col. Art. spe. IRIJA Francesco attuale comandante del 406° Regt. P. I. sono due colonnelli anziani che hanno da tempo ultimato il periodo di comando di reggimento ed aspirano al Nord, dove sarebbero destinati all'organizzazione per il ricevimento degli internati in Germania.

Alla loro sostituzione si provvederette come segue:

- el 404º regt. Pionieri, destinandovi il col. art. spe. DI PIERRA  
Raimondo,  
- el 406º regt. Pionieri, destinandovi il col. art. spe. ~~406~~ <sup>409</sup> SPANZI  
Francesco.-

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10/10/2010



Roma, 14 aprile 1945

MEMORIA PER L'UFFICIO C.I.

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Il Col. Art. spe. PIVDI, Giustino attuale comandante del 404° regt. P.I. ed il col. Art. spe. IDIA Francesco attuale comandante del 406° regt. P.I. sono due colonnelli anziani che fanno da tempo ultimato il periodo di comando di reggimento ed aspirano al Nord, dove sarebbero destinati all'organizzazione per il ricoverimento degli internati in Germania.

Alla loro sostituzione si provvederebbe come segue:

- al 404° regt. Pionieri, destinandovi il col. art. spe. DI PIETRA Raimondo,

- al 406° regt. Pionieri, destinandovi il col. art. spe. <sup>40333</sup>PIANI Francesco.

IL CAPO DI CANTIERO

R/to Lombardi

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020



Subject: - Italian Officers- Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M E.  
A/306.

14 April, 45.

Ministry of War.

Capt: SERGARDI-BIRINGUCCI, Barone Fabio.

1. Information has been received from MMIA L.O. British Increment, Rear H.Q. 5, Army that it was the intention to post the above named officer as interpreter to 1st Guards Regt., at the Commanders request.
2. In view of this officers past record this posting will not take place, nor will he be posted to any other formation.
3. It is suggested that he is a fitting subject for the Epuration Commission.
4. A report should be forwarded to this H.Q. stating what steps you have taken in this matter.

*W. Pickley*  
Major General.  
M.M.I.A.

Copy: MMIA L.O. Br.Incr. Rear 5 Army.  
Your letter 5LO/8G dated 23/3/45, refers.  
G. 3. 1. MMIA.

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*See Folio 48*



Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Report on Italian Officer.

MMIA LO,  
British Increment,  
Rear H.Q. Fifth Army,  
C.M.F.

Phone: Lightning Rear 350.

5LO/8/G

23rd March 45.

Land Forces Sub Com. A.C.         
(M.M.I.A.) ROME.

Copy to: 59 Area.

Forwarded herewith copy of a report on Cap.  
SERGARDI-BIRINGUCCI, whom it was intended to post to  
1st. Guards Regiment as an interpreter, on the  
Commanders request.

Can suitable action be taken now, please, to  
ensure that he is not posted to any of the Bns.

AMN/gb

*a.m. Newton*  
Capt  
MMIA LO,  
British Increment,  
Fifth Army.



SUBJECT :- Interpreters

CONFIDENTIAL

59 Area  
G 23/1

19 Mar 45

MMIALO Brit Incr Rear 5 Army

1. Reference telephone conversation (MMIALO - GSO II 59 Area) of 15 Mar 45.
2. Copy of FS Sec report herewith.
3. The Area Comd does not wish this man to be posted to any of his Bns.

RW/nvm

(COPY)

SERGARDI-BIRINGUCCI, Barone Fabio

On instructions of 59 Area, the background of this man (cousin of the Barone Lodovico) has been investigated. The following is reported :-

SERGARDI-BIRINGUCCI, Barone Fabio di Alessandro e di Palma di Cesmola  
Alessandrino Augusta.

Born : SIENA 6 Aug 1909.

Address : Via MONTANINI, 32, SIENA.

1924-1925 : In favourable contact with Fascist Regime.

Nov 1927 : Joined Fascist Party.

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(COPY)

SERGARDI-BIRINGUCCI, Barone Fabio

On instructions of 59 Area, the background of this man (cousin of the Barone Lodovico) has been investigated. The following is reported :-

SERGARDI-BIRINGUCCI, Barone Fabio di Alessandro e di Palma di Cesnola Alessandrino Augusta.

Born : SIENA 6 Aug 1909.

Address : Via MONTANINI, 32, SIENA.

1924-1925 : In favourable contact with Fascist Regime.

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8 Nov 43 : In CORNICA as Capt of Artillery.  
Transferred to SARDINIA.  
Did not join P.R.E. because of his military position and also because it did not function in SARDINIA.

21 Nov 43 : Requested release from service. Request made to Distretto Militare SIENA, who sent it to 46 Cia Presidiaria CAGLIARI, to which he belonged. Outcome not known.

Jan 45 : Wished to join Democratic Christian Party, to the indignation of existing members, but was eventually accepted because of his "noble birth".  
At present carries on no political activity.

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It is not known why Subject did not return to his Unit when his leave (beginning SIENA Aug 1944) expired.

He is said to be engaged in large-scale transactions in gold sterling.

Although Subject is probably no direct Security menace, he and his family are most certainly "persona non grata" in this district, and he is felt to be an undesirable person to bring into contact with Allied circles.



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Subject: Italian Officers - Postings

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M. M. I. A.) ROME  
A/306

14 April 45.

MINISTRY OF WAR

Lt Col CARUSO

1. Information has been received from HQ LAZIO UMBRIA Region (Engr Div) that the above named officer will have completed his duties with that Region as from 16th April 45.
2. HQ Allied Commission request that this officer be held at the disposal of S.M.R.E. pending further work of this nature being found for him in the near future.

DSIG/wk

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

Copy to HQ A.C. Civil Affairs Section.  
HQ LAZIO UMBRIA REGION - your R4/ENG/25.4 refers.  
SORE MINIA

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
LAZIO UMBRIA REGION  
(Engineering Division)  
APO 394

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12th April 1945

TO : HQ.AC.Army Sub-Commission (M.M.I.A.)  
SUBJECT : Senior Liaison Officer for Mines -Lt.Col.CARUSO  
IN REPLY QUOTE :R4/ENG/25.4

RE 14/4

RE File 213

Reference your 7/I dated 29th August 1944 attachment of officers.--

1. I have to report that, with effect from Monday 16th April, Lt.Col.CARUSO (Italian Army) will have completed his duties with LAZIO UMBRIA Region owing to the closing down of the Region.

It is requested that the Ministro della Guerra should be informed so that he can issue the necessary orders.

2. Lt.Col.CARUSO throughout this period, in addition to Liaison duties between this Office and the Ministero della Guerra and HQ.AC., has also personally supervised work on Mine Clearance of both 561<sup>st</sup> Coy (Italian) and under contract by S.B.A.R.E.C.

Lack of transport considerably restricted the work he would have liked to do in the first months and in later months resulted in many delays and inconveniences. There have been many difficulties to overcome and many frustrations. His persistence and sustained effort to rectify these has been extremely valuable.

A considerable portion of his time each month has been spent in the field (in March 13 days) in inspection and testing of work done. This dangerous work in mined areas he has done conscientiously and thoroughly.

I have been very satisfied indeed with the way he has cooperated and worked on this problem which remains a very large

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one for the Italian Government and his views based on the practical experience of the relative values of different methods, costs, checking etc., should be taken into consideration by the Italian Authorities in planning future operations.

It has been a pleasure to work with him and I much appreciate the action of the Ministero di Guerra in making him available.

*Gold Findley*

Lt. Col. R. E.

Regional Engineer

Lazio Umbria Region AMG

Copy to:

Ministero della Guerra: *Gen. Pers. Aff. S.M.R. 2.*  
Lt. Col. CARUSO  
File *Direzione Dist. Comando Territoriale di Roma*

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
LAZIO UMBRIA REGION  
(Engineering Division)  
APO 394

GdeCST/ACR

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13th April 1945

TO : HQ.AG. (22) (Int Affairs)

SUBJECT : Clearance of Mines LAZIO and UMBRIA.  
Some general considerations on future work.

REFERENCE : R4/ENG/26.1

1. Methods adopted.

a) In PERUGIA Province this was started early under Provincial arrangements by direct labor (Local Fire Services). At first casualties were heavy after training by 8th Army experts the results were satisfactory and casualties markedly reduced;

b) In Rieti Province under Provincial arrangements a Reserve Officer of Italian Army gathered a small squad of 12 men who were paid fixed salaries.- Results were reported successful and casualties low.- From partial information on costs the cost per mine lifted appears high.

This squad subsequently moved to Frosinone Province and are reported to have cleared a large number of mines.- They were paid by Genio Civile on fixed salary plus bonus per mine.- Exact data as to costs insurance and number of mines has NOT been supplied.-

Heavy casualties resulted in stopping work.

This squad was loaned transport and a mine detector;

c) The Genio Civile have with success employed contractors to clear small areas for Housing at TERRACINA and CASSINO;

d) By contract by S.B.A.E.C. for 2,000,000 mq.

The work done under this contract comes under two categories:-

(1) Clearance of specified Public Works - Area Swept  
1.08 6.755 mq; Mines removed 5926 average overall density of Mine per 184 mq;

(2) Exploration and removal of minefields traversed and located when sweeping Electric Lines; Area swept-  
168,905 mq; mines removed 25,140.

This gives an average density of 9.2 mq per mine in actually located mine fields an abnormally high density as the Standard German Fields are from 18 to 25 mq. per mine for anti-tank mine and anti-personnel somewhat denser.

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In some cases in the ANZIO beachhead zone of heavy fighting Allied Minefields crossed German Minefields.

This work was done with a squad of 20 to 25 men over a period of 6 months or 2600 man days with one casualty being an average of 10 mines per man per day with average on minefields of 30 mines per day and 500 mq per man per day. Mainly with detectors provided by contractor, where necessary probing. The cost worked out at £ 3,20 per mq or £ 150,- per mine including all overhead transport, insurance, apparatus, accommodation. Tests of a percentage of all work were done by Senior Italian Officer and were satisfactory;

e) 561 Italian Mine Company worked in Southern LITTORIA. The Area swept was 892.600 mq and number of mines found was 4599. There were 18 casualties.- This was all on Specified Public Works and works out at average overall density of 1 mine per 180 mq.- The ground swept was more impeded by Debris than in the case of (d) above and a larger proportion of antipersonnel Mines. Yet the disproportionate result has been 2/3rds of the area in proportion to the number of men employed some 5 times more indicates a lower efficiency attributable to lack of any organized procedure for provision and maintenance in efficiency of apparatus, irregular supply of food and fuel, no change of clothing and insufficient blankets and bedding resulting in no work when raining, briefly ~~inadequate~~ administration;

f) Lastly there is clear evidence that a considerable number of mines have been cleared by individual work by peasants (contadini) on their own land. Each COMUNE should have a number of trained men to deal with isolated mines.

#### Conclusion.

Cost by contract was very much less than cost by Italian Army Mine Unit, the administration troubles light, but supervision heavy. With the very high insurance rates and civil transport costs in theory directly employed Civilian or Army Units should be cheaper but that could only be in practice if the Administrative arrangements technical and domestic are good, they have NOT been so and with no direct incentive to be so are unlikely to become so. 4083

In all methods especially with a Bonus per mine testing and independent checks are essential to ensure practical results approaching proper reports.-

#### Recommendation.

Clearance of all Minefields except for Military operations to be responsibility of Ministero della Guerra. - Forward of



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Army Control Line by Army Units, behind it by contract and direct labor experience will show which is best probably both will act as check on each.

## 2. Types of Work.

a) Public Works such as a safe area around a bridge to be reconstructed, an Electric Line, an Aqueduct can be defined exactly and are easily tested and checked;

b) There remains agricultural areas.- It is obvious that costs of sweeping large areas even in Zones likely to be mined would be prohibitive.

## 3. How can mined areas be found and recorded ?

a) The method used last harvest season in LITTORIA of cutting until a mine is exploded resulted in 100 casualties being reported in one day in that province and must be discarded as inhuman and of prohibitive cost if a casualty compensation is taken at 50,000,- Lire:

b) The 8th Army Mine Maps of Gustav Line and SANGRO Line were available early.- They show minefields some delimited some not which affected troops also single mines located which may or may not indicate a minefield.

It is understood that the Minister of War has after long delays obtained copies of the corresponding 5th Army Mine Maps for South Litoria and ANZIO.-

### Recommendation.

ACHQ should arrange as a matter of standing routine to obtain 4 copies of all Mine Maps and pass 2 copies to Minister of War one for use in field. This copy to be marked up to date for Clearances and the 3rd copy used as a shuttle copy.

Scale 1/50000 is too small, 1/10000 or larger is better, best a Cadastral Map of 1/2500 -;

c) INFORMATION from Enemy Sources this should be definitely taken up with Intelligence branch by ACHQ;

d) Ascertainment of mined areas from local knowledge through SINDACOS and from locations obtained in sweeping Electric Lines, Aqueducts, Roads.

### Conclusion.

The information from all these sources must be interlocked generally on small scale maps and in detail on large scale maps.- The areas actually swept must be surveyed and accurately plotted.-

Areas ploughed or harvested and so ascertained to be free should also be plotted until gradually the whole suspected area can be marked "Believed Clear".

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4. Clearance of Areas in which Mines have been located.

A Minefield is NOT a continuous belt but a series of echeloned areas often with gaps deliberately left which have been covered by fire. Considerable exploration work is entailed beyond a mined area before a suspected Zone can be regarded as "Believed Clear".

Suggested procedure:-

a) Follow up the actual Minefield clearing block by block with a series of exploratory strips 2 meters wide at say 50 meters interval and 50 meters long. -- *sweeping area between blocks*

b) Having completed that with FLAIL tractor beat a wide Zone around it preferably defined by features identifiable on maps eg roads, ditches etc so that the Believed Clear Zone can be plotted on Map. --

The survey work of plotting the actual lay out of the Minefield is considerable and dangerous as can be seen from sample sketches of 4 out of 19 Minefields located on the HT Electric Line LITTORIA-VALLENTI and ALBANO-ANZIO recently sent to ACHQ, Ministero della Guerra and local Genio Civile. --

alternatives:- Drive over flocks of sheep in hopes of ascertaining antipersonnel mines followed by herds of cows. --

Possibly fit anti-splinter shield to plough;

c) Areas liable to winter Flooding should be given priority in summer as many such had to be omitted last winter involving waste of time and transport. --

5. FINALLY.

a) Even a Zone swept by detector or prodding cannot be guaranteed 100% clear, hence "Believed Clear";

b) Isolated mines or even minefields will continue to be found by method (a) perhaps for some years;

c) Following removal of large numbers of mines in OSTIA area by the first Civilian Squad working under Ministero della Guerra a military formation had difficulty in ascertaining what could be regarded as a safe training area. --

This emphasizes the need for accurate records of work done which involves in turn a supply of large scale maps preferably 1/25000;

d) For all Methods:-

(i) Detonators to be collected, independently checked and destroyed;

(ii) Independent test of 5% to 20% of work as is done in Measured Construction Works;

(iii) This involves a trained supervisory staff, suitably

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paid and equipped, which might well be found from serving or retired officers with suitable experience.

6. Much work and thought has been given to this by Major LARSON, CofE, USA formerly Mine Sweeping Unit, Lt.Col. CARUSO Italian Army and Lt.Col. ARMENANTE (Italian Engineers retired).

*Carl W. Findlay*

Lt.Col.R.B.  
Regional Engineer  
Lazio Umbria Region A.M.G.

Copy to:

Ministero della Guerra - Direzione Generale Genio-  
Lt.Col.CARUSO.

→ Maj REAKES MMIA  
Lt.Col. FINDLAY

*Ing. Armenante*

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MESSAGE FORM

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN.

FROM: NMIA

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TO: (FOR ACTION) FREEDOM  
(FOR INFO) G.J. (ORG)(FOREIGN)AFHQ.

REF NO: A.75.

SECRET.

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FOR G1-A(.) THIS HQ SIGNAL A 23 DATED 16 MARCH REFERS(.) TEN  
ITALIAN CHAPLAINS NOW READY AND AVAILABLE ROME (.) REQUEST YOU  
ISSUE DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS FOR INFORMATION AND ACTION BY  
MINISTRY OF WAR BOTH FOR THESE TEN AND ADDITIONAL TEN WHEN  
AVAILABLE

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT.

AUTHENTICATION Handwritten signature

Internal

G NMIA.

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Subject:- Capt IOVINE. Remto.

Land Forces Sub Comd. A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M E.  
A/306.

13 April, 45.

M.M.I.A. L.O. Naples.

1. The War Ministry has informed us that the reason why the subject officer was ordered transferred to the PECENO Division is that he is a regular Army Officer and, according to practice, is to be assigned to operational outfits. Officers for service units are normally obtained from reserve personnel.
2. In compliance with your request, however, the subject officer will continue on duty at 2 Reparto Reparazione until 30, April, thus offering sufficient time to train the officer replacing him.
3. The War Ministry has been reminded that before transferring personnel, Allied Commanders are to be given prior notification and suitable replacement as per NMIA Administrative Instruction No 16, paragraph 12 (b).

*[Signature]*  
Major General.  
M.M.I.A.

Copy to/ Ministry of War.

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Translation.

From; M. of V.  
To ; NMIA for information.

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Ref; 2 3476/Mov  
12/4/45.

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We beg you to arrange for the immediate forwarding to MACAO barracks Lt, Arty, Res, GROTANELLI VINIGI Lorenzo, assigned to 266/1/service Coy. The said officer will continue in service of Allied Commission. Acknowledge by same means, communicating date of movement. Dispatch No 737/100/6 dated 3/3/45, partly in relation to the posting of Lt GROTANELLI is revoked.

GD.  
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Not received

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EG-PV

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI  
Divisione Movimento Sez. 2<sup>a</sup>

PROGRAMMA

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AL REPARTO AUTONOMO STATO MAGGIORE GENERALE

AL COMANDO 266/I COMPAGNIA SERVIZI

e, per conoscenza:

AL GABINETTO Ufficio "I"  
(rif.f. 108300/I/1 del 7/4/1945)  
110.1.9

12 APR 1945

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE GENERALE - Ufficio Affari Vari

COMITER

ROMA

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N. 2/10476 MOV. ALT. PREGADI DISPONE IMEDIATO AVVIAMENTO AT CASER A MACAO  
TEN. ART. CPL. GROTTANELLI VINICI LORENZO ASSEGNATO AT 266/I/COMPAGNIA  
SERVIZI ALT. UFFICIALE CONTINUERA' PRESTARE SERVIZIO AT COMMISSIONE ALLEA-  
TA ALT. ASSICURARE STESSO MEZZO COMUNICANDO DATA MOVIMENTO ALT. DISPACCIO  
N. 737/100/6 DATATO 3/3/1945 PARTE RELATIVA ASSEGNAZIONE TEN. GROTTANELLI  
EST REVOCATA ALT. PROMINISTRO GENERALE DIVISIONE PAUCCI



R. C. C.

Capo Divisione Movimento

(Col. P. Capponi)

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Translation

From: SMRE

To: MMIA

**A** 306

Ref: 5242/SP2

Date: 12/4/45

(22)

Subject: c/o for Recruit Training Centre Orvieto

Following verbal agreement with MMIA Col. Inf. Reg. Army, (War College) GATTA Giovanni, has been appointed C.O. of the Recruit Centre of Orvieto. Posting Lt Col. Inf. Reg. Army, PAPADIA Pietro as mentioned in letter 4448/SP/2 dated 31<sup>st</sup> March has therefore been cancelled

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(Giorgio Luizzi)

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P. M. 3800, n. 12 aprile 1945

STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO

UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

alla L.F.S.C. - A.C.

( M.M.I.A. )

= R O M A =

N° 5242 / SP. 2 di prot.

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Rif. f. A/306 dell'8 corr.-

Allegati N. 14/4

OGGETTO: Comandante Centro Addestramento reclute di  
Orvieto.-

Secondo accordi verbali con codesta  
L.F.S.C. - A.C. è stato destinato quale Co-  
mandante del Centro Addestramento Reclute di  
Orvieto il Col. di rtr. s.p.e. - tit. S.G. -  
GATTA Giovanni.-

E' annullata pertanto la proposta  
relativa al Ten. Col. di rtr. s.p.e. PAPADIA  
Pietro, di cui al foglio 4448/SP/2 del 31 mar-  
zo u.s.-

IL GENERALE ADDETTO  
- Giorgio Liuzzi -

*Giorgio Liuzzi*



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IMMEDIATE

LROF V LAEE NR 159 OP OP  
FROM DACOMANDO ITAL GRUPPO TRIUI 111945  
TO MINESTERO GUERRA VIA ROME  
ALLIED AREA COMAND ROMA  
QQX BT  
RP 12/PS PER CAPO GABINETTO RIFERIMENTO SUA  
LETTERA GRADISCO MOLTO  
ASSEGNAZIONE COLONNELLO GRANATIERI  
FERDINANDO CARIGNANI  
SOLLE/CITANDONE URGENTE  
AVVIAMENTO  
CORDIALMENTE GENERALE  
SCATTINI  
BT 111945  
SENT NR 159 0005 HTH BB

*Urgent*  
*Transp*  
*5/14/4*  
To Chief of Cabinet / Ref.  
You letter very grateful  
for posting of friend  
Col. Ferdinando Carignani  
Please arrange for urgent  
dispatches. Kindest  
regards -  
(Capt.) General Scattini.

OK  
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will SM RE  
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LRCT V LAEE NR OP OP QIM  
FROM DA COMANDO ITAL GRUPPO FRIULI 111945  
TO MINISTERO GUERRA VIA ROME ALLIED  
AREAO COMMAND ROMA STATO MAGGIORE  
REGIO ESERCITO VIA ROME  
ALLIED AREA COMMAND ROMA  
RP11/PS. PRESENTE EST DIRETTO AT  
MINISTERO GUERRA GABINETTO ET PER CONOSCENZA  
ESERCITO UFFICI SEGRETERIA ET PERSONALE.  
PREGO ASSEGNARE URGENZA OTTIMO COLONNELLO  
COMANDANTE REGGIMENTO FANTERIA PER ASSUMERE  
COMANDO 87 FANTERIA IN SOSTITUZIONE  
COLONNELLO FANTERIA SPE SCAPPINI  
GIOVANNI CHE NON PUO' CONTINUARE TENERE  
COMANDO PER ECCESSIVA STANCHEZZA.  
DA OGGI 87 FANTERIA EST COMANDATO  
INTERINALMENTE DA VICE  
COMANDANTE. GENERALE SCATTINI  
BT 111945  
SENT NR 160 FW BB  
RD NR 160 HTH 0017B HTH BBB

*This is addressed to  
War Ministry, Cabinet, copy to  
Army Secretariat and Personnel  
offices. Please assign urgently  
first class colonel as Infantry Regt.  
Commander, to ~~take over~~ command 87<sup>th</sup>  
Infantry in place of Col. Giovanni Scap-  
pini, Inf., Regular Army who cannot  
~~continue~~ retain his command because  
of extreme exhaustion. From today  
87<sup>th</sup> Infantry is commanded on in-  
-terim basis by deputy commander  
(signed) General Scattini.*

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TRANSLATION

From : S.M.R.E.

To : M.M.I.A.

REF : 11927/ Ord

Date : 11/4/45

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SUBJECT : Chaplain for the Frosinone Training Centre.

WP

The Frosinone Training Centre has requested the assignment of a Chaplain for the spiritual assistance of the mil, at said centre.

Owing to the importance that said centre is assuming and in consideration of the considerable amount of mil, arriving, we beg you to authorize the assignment of the Chaplain.

Signed : GEN LIUZZI

CPL V/C

See Folio 44  
also 58



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STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO  
UFFICIO ORDINAMENTO E MOBILITAZIONE  
- Sezione Ordinamento -

**SEGRETO**

n. 11927 /Ord./I di prot. P.M. 3800, 11 <sup>IN</sup> aprile 45

OGGETTO: Cappellano per il centro addestramento di  
Frosinone.

→ ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (NMIA)

ROMA

Il centro addestramento di Frosinone ha richiesto l'assegnazione di un cappellano per l'assistenza spirituale ai militari del centro stesso.

Data l'importanza che il suddetto centro va assumendo e in considerazione anche del notevole afflusso di militari, si prega volere autorizzare l'assegnazione del cappellano.



IL GENERALE ADDETTO  
(Giorgio Liuzzi)

*Ghiubli*

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IMPORTANT

LROF V LAE NR 144

" PRIORITY "

T MEYT  
FROM AFHQ 102057B  
TO MHIA  
GR 36 BT

RESTRICTED FX 58235

FORWARD EARLIEST REPLY TO MY ABLE GEORGE ZERO NINE ONE POINT SEVEN  
ONE THREE SLANT ONE ONE ONE GEROG CHARLIE TARE DASH OBOE  
PAREN SIGNED SAGIED CITE FHGCT PAREN OF ZERO ON MARCH CURRENT

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Translation.

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Ref; 5121/SF 2/ 15/2  
10/4/45.

From; SMRE.

To ; NMIA.

Subject; Posting of officers to Allied Commission (Patriots Branch)

The SMRE has been given the names of the a/n officers, at present in Cesano, as possible representatives for the Provincial Patriots Commissions, of the Allied Commission (Patriots Branch).

Capt, Inf, Res, BENICCI Bruno.

Capt, Inf, (a) Res, FABBRI Mario.

Lt, Arty, Res, MELOSI Gualtiero

We beg you to inform us if you have any objections as above.

*to the postings*

GD.

*pt.*

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( Giorgio Liuzzi )



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GA./sg.



STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO  
UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E PERSONALE

P. M. 3500, li 10 12/4 1945

ALLA L.F.S.C.-A.C.-

(M.M.I.A.)

**IN**

R O M A

N° 5121 / SP. 2 di prot.

Allegati N.

OGGETTO: assegnazione ufficiali all'Allied Commission  
Patriots Branch.

A 12/4

Sono stati segnalati a questo Stato Maggiore, per l'assegnazione quali rappresentanti militari per le Commissioni Provinciali Patriots presso l'Allied Commission Patriots Branch, i seguenti ufficiali, attualmente a Cesano :

- capitano ftr.compl. BENUCCI Bruno
- capitano ftr.(a) compl. FABRI Mario
- tenente art.compl. MELOSI Gualtiero.

Si prega voler comunicare se nulla osta alla indicata assegnazione.-

IL GENERALE ADDETTO  
-Giorgio Liuzzi-

*Chiavelli*

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FILE  
M of W  
M.M.I.A.

TRANSLATION

A 308  
f. 3/0944/Mov.

10/4/45  
(15/1)

2nd Lt. (Medical) SALMONI Bruno

A 184 (F/A 10) ?

Further to letter 3/08440/Mov dated 23/3/45.

2nd Lieut. (Medical) SALMONI Bruno presented himself at the Ministry this morning, we have assigned him to the Mantova Combat Group for the dependant 216th surgical Unit. (Camp)

S ( G.Falugi )

Copy on A 309.



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SS/gr.

Roma 20 - 4 - 1945

*Ministero della Guerra*  
DIREZ. GEN. LE PERS. LE UFF. II

L.F.S.C. AC (MMIA)

*Divisione* Movimento *3°*  
*Det. 13/01544* MOV. *Allegati*

ROMA

Oggetto: Sottotenente medico SALMONI Bruno.

Seguito foglio 3/08440/Mov. in data  
23/3/1945.

Il sottotenente medico SALMONI Bruno  
si è presentato stamane a questo Ministero,  
che in pari data ha disposto la sua asse-  
gnazione al Gruppo di Combattimento "Mantova"  
per il dipendente 216° Reparto chirur-  
gico da campo.

p. IL MINISTRO  
(Gen. *di* Div. G. Falugi)

*Falugi*



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MESSAGE FORM.

FROM: NMIA

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN

10 17 45 B

TO (FOR ACTION) 53 BLU

Ref No: A 70.

RESTRICTED

SUBJECT IS SECOND IN COMMAND NEMBO REGT (.) CANCEL THIS HQ A 68  
DATED 9 APRIL (.) LT COLONEL LUSANA A PARACUTIST NOW APPOINTED  
(.) DUE TO ARRIVE 11 APRIL

PRECEDENCE Important

AUTHENTICATION [Signature]

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Officers - Postings.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M F.  
A/308.

10 April, 45.

Ministry of War.

S.Leiut. PLANTAMURA, Giovanni.

Ref. SMRE letter 1295/ORD dated 14th March, 45 and your I/03892/MOV dated 10th March, 45.

1. Information has been received from H.Q. A.C. that S.Leiut PALMIERE is not a replacement for the above named officer, but an officer on the strength of 266/1GD Coy., who is temporarily in command of 2002 GD platoon at LEGHORN.

2. You are required to take immediate steps to attach a suitable officer to replace S.Leiut. PLANTAMURA who is still at H.Q. A.C. awaiting posting.

*[Signature]*  
Major General.  
M.M.I.A.

Copy H.Q.A.C. for G.I.(Br)  
Your G-1B/610/1 dated 7, Apr refers.

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See 28  
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*See Folio 94 2nd packet.*



Subject: Italian Officers - Postings

Land Forces Sub Comm; A.C.  
(M.M.I.A.)  
R O M E.  
A/306.

10 April, 45.

172, C.E. Works, H.Q. No 2. District.

Capt. CATIZONE, Tommaso.

224 (File 11A)

Ref: your C.E. 739/2 dated 3rd April, 45.

1. Enclosed is copy translation of a signal received from SMRE which is self explanatory.
2. If this cross posting is not implemented within a reasonable time, this H.Q. should be informed when hastening action will be taken.

*[Signature]*  
Major General.  
(M.M.I.A.)

DSLQ/prh

4062



Translation

From:- M of W

A 306

Ref:- 3/08633

MT.

To:- MMIA

Date:- 7<sup>th</sup> April 45

Subject:- Regular Army, Commissariat Lt. ZACCARIA GIOVANNI.

Ref. this office's letter dated 5<sup>th</sup> Mar. 45, the assignment of the afo. officer to Comm. Direct. Rome Territorial All for the North Nucleus, has been made.

Pemgia Mil. District All reported that, at present, the officer in question is employed by AMS, Public Safety Div. Pemgia Province as "executive officer". (see certificate of which copy is attached).

Therefore, please inform this office if the afo. officer can remain in his present employment or return to the unit to which he has been assigned.

(Sgd) FALUGI.

G.F.  
[Signature]

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See 33

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SS/aa

*Ministero della Guerra*

Direz. generale Personale Uff. 11

Divisione Movimenti 3<sup>a</sup>  
Prot. N. 3/08633 Allegati I

Roma, 7-4-45

Al L.P.S.O. AC. (M.M.I.A.)-

IN ROMA

Resposta al Foglio del  
Dir. 240

OGGETTO Tenente commissario s.p. ZACCARIA Giovanni.-

e, per conoscenza:

S.M.R.E. - Ufficio C.A.

S E D E

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Questo Ministero con dispaccio in data 5 marzo u.s. aveva disposto l'assegnazione del tenente commissario sp. ZACCARIA Giovanni alla Direzione di Commissariato del Comando militare territoriale di Roma, per il Nucleo nord.

Il Comando distretto militare di Perugia ha ora fatto presente che l'ufficiale attualmente è a disposizione del comando provinciale di polizia alleata di Perugia con la carica di "executive officer" come rilevasi dal foglio che si allega in copia.

Si prega, pertanto, di volersi compiacere far conoscere se il tenente Zaccaria debba permanere nell'attuale incarico oppure possa raggiungere l'ente cui è stato assegnato.

S.M.R.E. - Ufficio C.A.

S E D E

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P. IL MINISTRO

(Gen. of Div. G. Falugi)

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C O P I A

H E A D Q U A R T E R S

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNEMENT

LAZIO-UMBRIA-REGION

PERUGIA PROVINCE

File No : PSI /124
Subject : ZACCARIA dr. Giovanni - Officer P.S. Service-
to : Whom it may concern

This is to certify that the above named officer is still employed by the A.M.G.-Public Safety Division-Perugia Province, in the position of "Executive Officer".

N.W.FOWLER
Major
P.P.S.O.

F/to Fowler

P. C. C.

IL CAPO DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO
(Colonnello P.Cappon)

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A 306

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
Divisione Movimento Sez. 2

IN

TELEGRAMMA

220 (P. 11)

ALL'UFFICIO BENESSERE DEL SOLDATO

SEDE

LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C. (M.N. 3.1.A)

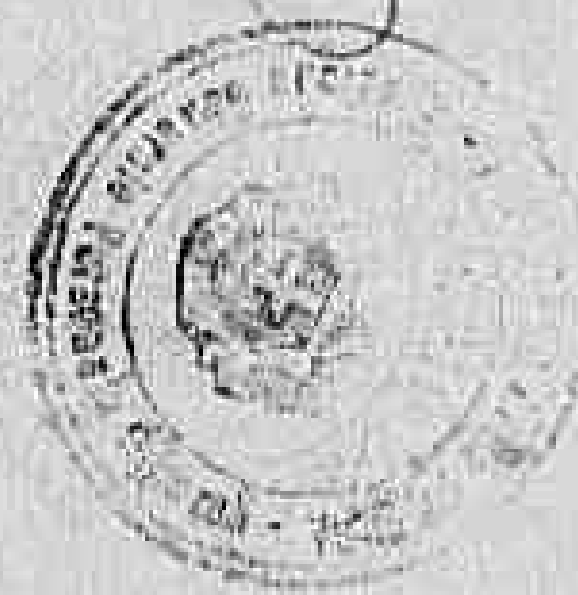
ROMA

(rif. A/II del 2 Aprile 1945)

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Ufficio C.A. SEDE

2606/2502

N. 2606/2502. MOV. ALT. RIFERIMENTO 02454/AS DATATO 4 CORRENTE ALT. DISPORRE
IMMEDIATO AVVIAMENTO AT CAVA DEI TIRRENTI MAGG. ART. CPL. PISCICELLI TAEG-
GI MARCELLO ASSEGNATO AT 227° DIVISIONE QUALE CAPO SEZIONE BENESSERE DIVI-
SIONALE ET TEN. COL. ART. RIS. DI BLASI ALDO AT OSIMO ASSEGNATO AT 209° DI-
VISIONE QUALE CAPO SEZIONE BENESSERE DIVISIONALE ALT. ASSICURARE STESSO MEZ-
ZO COMUNICANDO DATA AVVIAMENTO ALT. PROMINISTRO GENERALE DIVISIONE TALUGI



Handwritten signature: Mansfield

Handwritten note: Trans. per 11/4

Order immediate posting of Major PISCICELLI MAGGI MARCELLO TO CAVA DEI
TIRRENTI this officer being assigned to 227 div. as o.c. welfare section
and of L/col DI BLASI ALDO to OSIMO this officer is assigned to 209-div
as o.c. welfare section. Inform us of steps taken and of date of posting

RICHARD A. Mansfield.

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ALL'UFFICIO BENESSERE DEL SOLDATO

SEDE

LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C. (M.M.F.A.)
(rif. A/II del 2 Aprile 1945)

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ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Ufficio C.A. SEDE

2606/2502

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Trans per 11/4

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Major Gordon: File 8306 10/1.

① OLT Col LUSENA to 2/c NEMBO Regt
(NOT SIMONETTI) - due to arrive 11 Apr.
Signal sent to BLU

② Lt MENCUNI and 2/Lt AVANZO are posted
to NUCLEO 'I' (8 Army) and only
Temporary att'd 68 Regt. Capt H 4058

10 Apr.

Fox 2266

cd info by
phone 11/2

Subject: Postings Officers.

A/306
15/4
LIAISON OFFICER
LAND FORCES SUB COMM. AG
(M.M.I.A.)
NAPLES
STN/15

9 April 1945.

O.G. 2 Reparto Reparazioni.

Copy to:- Director of Repair, Naples.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Comm. AG,
(M.M.I.A.) Rome.

1. It is understood that Captain IOVINE REMATO has been posted from your unit.
2. As this officer has specialised knowledge of the classified vehicles upon the inefficient parks, please take no action upon this posting until further instructions are received from MMIA, Rome.

*in s.p.e.
will stay until 20 April
the transfer to
Rome*
BBK/ctg

GEORGE D. SMITH, JR.
Lt. Col., Infantry
Senior Liaison Officer.

*Col Smith telephoned 11/4. & satisfied
with R. & wishes to keep him 11/4*

Capr P. to deal. 8/11/4.

See 24

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Subject: *Station Officers - Portin*

A306(9)

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

A 11

9 April 1945

To: *Ministry of War*

215 (Feb 308)

Ref this HQ letter *A/11* of 31 MAR 45.

May this HQ please be informed whether a reply may now be given to the above quoted letter.

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F. J. NOAKES, Col.
for Major General,
M. H. I. A.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

MESSAGE FORM

FROM: NMIA

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN

09 1700^B

TO (FOR ACTION): 53 BLU

REF NO:

A68

RESTRICTED

YOUR SIGNAL A/1 DATED 6 REFERS (.) LIEUT COL SIMONETTI CARLO POSTED AS
2 1/6 HEMBO AS REQUESTED (.) WILL LEAVE WITHIN TWO DAYS

PRECEDENCE _____

AUTHENTICATED _____

See 16

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject :- Italian Officers - Postings.

CONFIDENTIAL

56 BLU
22 G

8 Apr 45

MMIA.

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15/4

211 (FLA 11)

Reference your A/11 dated 30 Mar 45.

1. It is thought that there is a mistake in para 1 of the above quoted letter. OC. BLU recommended to GOC Combat Group MANTOVA that Col LUCIANO, Comd 76 Inf Regt, should be removed on grounds of unsuitability. This has been done, and Col SALVI is now in command of the regiment.

2. It is understood that Col LEONARDI CATTOLICA, Comd 155 Arty Regt, is being relieved of his command on account of a matter of discipline concerning a chaplain. OC. BLU regrets his leaving but does not wish to interfere.

See WP 11/4
NAC

Phill

In the Field.
AWG/ec

Lt-Col.
GS.

~~SECRET~~ 4054

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A 306 *[Signature]*
Subject: Lt Col Giuseppe Bertoni.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME
A/306

7 April 45.

MINISTRY OF WAR

Reference conversation Col Lombardi - Major Bauman.

1. It is confirmed that Lt Col Giuseppe Bertoni is to be posted to Nucleo I instead of the Pieno Division.
2. Please arrange for the prompt transfer of the subject officer.

/wk

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

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TRANSLATION

FROM: War Ministry

REF: 108300/I/I
110.1.9

TO: Officer Personnel Dir.Gen.

DATE: 7 April 1945.

M.M.I.A. for info.

SUBJECT: Italian Officers - Postings - Lieut. GOTTANELLI-
-VINIGI Lorenzo. *152 FILE*

amendment to
In modification of the contents of letter 106486/I/I dated 15th. March, we beg of you to carry out the posting of Lieut. GOTTANELLI - VINIGI Lorenzo, Arty. Res., to the 266/1 Service Company, as ordered by MMIA in their letter A/11 of 3rd. March.

The officer will continue to be employed ~~by~~ with the Allied Commission. *107 A11 (Jacket 10)*

Sgd. LOMBARDI

Col.

Q1074
O. Danin Cpl.
[Signature]

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Gabinetto

Roma,
7 aprile 1945

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ROMA

P.M. 3800

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n. 106486/I/1 in data 15 marzo c.a., pregasi dar cor-

so all'assegnazione del Tenente art.cpl. GROTANELLI-

VINIGI Lorenzo alla 266/I compagnia Servizi, come di -

sposto dalla M.M.I.A. con la lettera n. A/11 del 3 mar-

so tested.

L'ufficiale continuerà a prestar servizio con la

Commissione Alleata.

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d'ordine

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

ad. i. d.

Reposta al fido

Dir. Se. 75

Oggetto: Ufficiali italiani - Assegnazione - Ten. GROTANELLI - VINIGI Lorenzo.

Heke. Specie. Post. A

Ala DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
e, per conoscenza:

S E D E

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
(rif. lett. n.A/11 del 31.3.1945)

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE GENERALE - Ufficio Affari Vari -

R O M A

P.M. 3800

A modifica di quanto comunicato con la lettera
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zo stesso.

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d'ordine

IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

Finlay

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3443/GHQP/3-44 ARMY FORM C-136 (Large)		AH 306		MESSAGE FORM		SIGNALS	
Priority		Register No. 31/00		Transmission Instructions		OFFICIAL	
FROM (N)		53 B L U		Date-Time of Origin 060900		Office Date Stamp	
TO		MMIA		See 8		499	
Originator's No. AFI		UNCLASSIFIED		Message Instructions		GR	
(H) For Information (INFO)		1 CG FOLGORE					
Following from GSO 10 FOLGORE have requested SMRE to post Ten Col SIMONETTI CARLO as 2 1/2 NEMBO regt 0 GP very anxious to obtain services of this officer 0 SMRE has turned down application as SIMONETTI is NOT a parachutist 0 GP insist that this is immaterial as he is most suitable for job 0 Recommend this officer be posted earliest							

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Maj Bauman. Spend Ronco. 1. How did vacuum occur
SIMONETTI job done. 2. Who is available if NOT Simonetti
3. What does Ronco really feel.
W.P.

Copy of this letter given

This message may be sent
AS WRITTEN by any means
except

WIRELESS

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

Originator's Instructions.
Degree of Priority.

Time

THU DEC 10 1940

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Time Cleared

Used by Bauman 9/14

By 11/14

Signed
9/14

Translation.

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From. SMRE
to. Lecce Garrison.
and to MMIA for Info

Ref. N° 945/SP/4
Date. 8/4/45
Ref to. A/II dated 5/4/45
236 File A II (11/1/45)

Telegramme

Please arrange for immediate posting of
Inf encl Comm. Lieut ZAZZARA FERDINANDO from
the now disbanded "GARIBOLDI" base to COMITER
BARI to act as interpreter with 172 CE WORKS.
HQ 2nd District in lieu of Capt CATIZONE
TOMMASO who will remain at the disposal of
SMRE. (Acknowledge receipt). SMRE

signed. LIUZZI.

R. Langford
M

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TELEGRAMMA

COMANDO PRESIDIO
COMITER

LECCE
BARI

IN

STAMAGGIORE UFFICIO SEGRETERIA ET PERSONALE SEZIONE INTERPRETI
N° 936./SP/4 DI PROT. PUNTO DESTINATARI COMANDO PRESIDIO LECCE
ET COMITER BARI PUNTO RIFERIMENTO TELE STAMAGGIORE ORDINAMENTO
11920/ORD/1 DATA 26 MARZO U.S. DIRETTO AT BASE "GARIBALDI" PUNTO
PREGASI DISPORRE URGENTE AVVIAMENTO TENENTE FTR CPL ZAZZARA
FERDINANDO DELLA DISCIOLTA BASE "GARIBALDI" AT COMITER BARI QUALE
INTERPRETE PER 172 CE WORKS - 40 2^o DISTRICT. PUNTO SOSTITUIRA
CAPITANO CATIZONE TOMMASO CHE RIMANE DISPOSIZIONE STAMAGGIORE
PUNTO ASSICURARE ALT STAMAGGIORE

STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
Ufficio segreteria e personale
Sezione interpreti

N° 945/SP/4 di prot.

P.M. 3800, li 8 aprile '45

→ ALLA L.F.S.C. =A.C.= (M.M.I.A.)
(Risposta foglio n°A/11 del 5 corr.)

R O M A

ALL'UFFICIO C.A.
(Riferimento f.n°304603 del 7 corr.)

S E D E

ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE PERS. UFFICIALI S E D E

.....per conoscenza.

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IL GENERALE ADDETTO
-Giorgio Liuzzi-

Ghiubli

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Transition;

From; M. of V.

To ; MMIA.

Subject. Postings of Italian Officers.

Ref; letter A/11 -29/3/45.

Ref; 50031/Mov.
4/4/45.

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A306

REG ARMY
The replacement of Major Inf, ^{Res} COSTI Inginò, C.O. 1005th Driver unit for Allied Authorities, has been ordered in consequence of letter 1/3068 Pers. dated 5/3/45, a copy of which is attached.

This Ministry is of the opinion that the replacement should be agreed on with the competent Allied Authorities.

We await decision of the MMIA.

(G. Falugi)

GD.



Capt Pacini
dealing R 40474

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CM/a MINISTERO GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI - Div.Mov. Sez. 2^a

N. 2/10031/MOV

P.M. 3800. 4-4-48

OGGETTO: Ufficiali Italiani. Assegnazione.

Italian Officers Postings

AL LAND FORCES SUB COMM. AC. (MMIA)

ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.E. - Uff. C.A.

P.M. 3800

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Riferimento foglio N. A/11 del 29/3/45

La sostituzione del Magg. Ftr. sp. COSTI Ingino, Comandante il 1005 reparto autieri per A.A. è stata disposta in relazione a quanto comunicato dal Comando Militare Territoriale di Firenze con f.n. 1/3068 /Pers. datato 5 marzo c.a. che si allega in copia.

Questo Ministero ha ritenuto che la sostituzione fosse stata concordata col Comando Alleato competente.

Si resta in attesa di conoscere le decisioni di codesta MMIA.

P. IL MINISTRO
(Gen. di Div. G. Falugi)



G. Falugi

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

XXX Translation.

From; Delegation HQ V E "T".

3068/Pers.

5/3/45.

To ; M. of W.

Subject; Replacement of Major COSTI Ingino C.O. 1005 th driver Unit.
for Allied Authorities.

The C.O. of the 209th Inf Div, states that Major COSTI Ingino Inf, Reg, Army, C.O. of the 1005th Driver Unit for the Allied Authorities, under the jurisdiction of the above div, since August 1944, through a series of offences committed in the functioning of the unit, proved to be inefficient in his duties, and lacking in the necessary control, for this unit to maintain a high disciplinary efficiency, all the more necessary, the unit being in direct dependence of Allied HQ, which observes its daily activities.

Through the scattered nature of the location of this unit, it results that the Command of the said unit, is a difficult one, thus we request a C.O. who possesses in an outstanding manner, the required energy, shrewd and assiduous nature, and the capability to command, these qualities ~~XXXXX~~ not being in the possession of Major COSTI.

In order to ensure that the 1005th unit is in a state to meet the numerous delicate duties they have to carry out for the Allies, I propose the replacement of Major Inf, Reg Army, COSTI Ingino, with another senior officer possibly of the Automobile Corps, and he could be sent to Perugia.

Major Costi will remain available for other duties.

GD

(Angelo Cerica)

4043

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COMANDO DELEGAZIONE "m" S.M.R.E.

Uff. Personale

N.1/3068/Pers. di prot.

P.M. 3800, 5 Marzo 945

OGGETTO: Sostituzione Magg. COSTI Ingino - Comandante del 1005
reparto antieri per A.A.

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZ. GEN. PERS. UFF.

P.M. 3800

Il Comandante della 209 Divisione di Fanteria segnala che il Maggiore di Fanteria s.p.e. COSTI Ingino, comandante del 1005° Reparto Antieri per A.A. alle dipendenze di quella Divisione dal 1° agosto 1944, per una serie di manchevolezze riscontrate nel funzionamento del reparto, ha dimostrato di non sapere esercitare l'energica azione di comando e di controllo occorrente perchè il reparto stesso mantenga una salda efficienza disciplinare, tanto più necessaria in quanto esso è alle dipendenze dirette del Comando Al-
leato che ne segue giornalmente la vita.

Il reparto, composto di autieri è di difficile comandabilità anche per la sua dislocazione frazionata, e richiede perciò un comandante che possieda in modo spiccato requisiti di energia, solerte attività e di capacità di comando, qualità queste che non sono completamente in possesso del Maggiore COSTI.

Allo scopo di mettere il 1005° Reparto nelle condizioni di ben ripondere alle numerose e delicate mansioni che deve assolvere alle dipendenze degli alleati, propongo che il Maggio e Ftr. sp. COSTI Ingino sia sostituito con altro ufficiale superiore, possibilmente del corpo automobilistico che dovrà essere avviato a Perugia.

Il Maggiore COSTI resterebbe disponibile per altro impiego.

IL GENERALE DI CORPO D'ARMATA
COMANDANTE

1° Angelo Cerica

1041

P.M. C.
IL CAPO DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO
(Colonnello P. Cappon)



Il Comandante della 209 Divisione di Fanteria segnala che il Maggiore di Fanteria s.p.e. COSTI Ingino, comandante del 1005° Reparto Autieri per AA. alle dipendenze di quella Divisione dal 1° agosto 1944, per una serie di manchevolezze riscontrate nel funzionamento del reparto, ha dimostrato di non sapere esercitare l'energia azione di comando e di controllo occorrente perchè il reparto stesso mantenga una salda efficienza disciplinare, tanto più necessaria in quanto esso è alle dipendenze dirette del Comando Al-leato che ne segue giornalmente la vita.

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IL GENERALE DI CORPO D'ARMATA
COMANDANTE
f.º Angelo Gerica

P.L.C.
IL CRO DIVISIONE MOVIMENTO
(Colonnello F. Cappon)



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Subject: Italian Officers - Postings

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
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8 April 45.

To : MINISTRY OF WAR

Col. PAPADIA PIETRO

Ref S.M.R.E. letter No 4448/SP2 dated 31 March 45.

The suggested posting of the above named officer as C.O. of the Recruit Training Centre ORVIETO is agreed.

DSLQ/wk

Major General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to C.C. Br Cadre, IRTC ORVIETO (Telephone conversation
Tungate - Gregson of 7 April refers)

This SMRE letter has started
a nonsense! Lt-Col 404 PAPADIA
has been CO of 802 BRC since
1 Feb when SPADA was posted
away at Tungate's request. A
new CO (Col GATTA) has just been
posted - see log 6/7 Apr para 4
10 Apr. *cl.*

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Subject: Request for Officers' Directory and Officers' Postings

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
A/4

3 April 45.

MINISTRY OF WAR

It is requested that this HQ be furnished with the most recent "ANNUARIO MILITARE DEGLI UFFICIALI" and with all published copies of the monthly "BOLLETTINO UFFICIALI". With reference to the latter it is requested that this HQ receive a copy of each new bulletin at the time of its publication, addressing the above material c/o Col W. Pidsley.

W. Pidsley. Colonel
Major General,
M. M. I. A.

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Land Forces
Sub Commission, AC (MMIA)
Rome
A/11

31 March 1945

To : Minister for War

Copy to: Hq ALCOM (For Major Quayle)

Ref your letter 106486/1/1 of 15 March 1945.

1. The above-named officer will continue his duties with Allied Commission, and his posting to 266/1 Service Coy will not be cancelled. The transfer set out in this HQ letter A/11 of 3 March 1945 will be implemented forthwith. Send a copy of the order to this Headquarters.


CLAYTON P. KERN, Colonel
for Major General
Land Forces
Sub Commission, AC (MMIA)

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INTERNAL:

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LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

A/11
March 45

TO : Ministry of War.

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Copy to: MMIA LO Br Iner 5th Army
(your SLO/8/A of 16 Mar refers)

1. Enclosed is copy of a letter received from MMIA LO Br Iner FIFTH Army.
2. Will you please regularise this officer's position and post him to a unit where his medical and linguistic qualifications can be best made use of.
3. A report as to where this officer has been posted should be forwarded to this Hq.

Colonel
M.M.I.A.

INTERNAL:

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Subject :- CHANGING OF OFFICERS.

From :- 802 Italian Base Aft. Depot,
ORVIETO.
Ref. BI/4/240
31 March 45.

To :- G 11,
Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.
(MMIA)

Ref. telephone conversation (Tungate - Stainton).

I wish to comment upon the manner in which certain Officers of this Depot are changed without reference to the Italian Commander, or to me.

I have found by experience that the final selection of Officers to fill W.E. must be made after careful consideration by the Italian Col. and myself, and that by this method one is able to group a team of Officers together whom we know to be good and hard working, also one is assured that the Depots' efficiency will be 100% full proof.

Now I find that an excellent Bn. Comdr. (Major Phillipino) has been replaced by a (Lt. Col. Ghidini) on instructions from H.Q. 209 Div. without any reference to this Depot as to its advisability or not.

This is the third change of Comd. Officers that has taken place in the past month, and I must say that this state of affairs cannot go on as I feel it is absolutely essential for the Depot Staff to be permanent, both from the administration point of view, and from the Officers knowing what they are about.

Therefore I suggest that when possible changes are desired by higher command (Italian) may our report on its desirability or no please be asked for, and taken into account.

W. Tungate. Major,
Comm. Br. Cadre, 802 It. Base Rft. Dpt.

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