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Redeployment of Italian Troops816
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515 and 520 Guard Bns. Transfer.

RCV/ebf

Sr C.G. 3 Nov.
MMIA LO Terr HQ 1945
Florence #7

For your information.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

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Move of 520 Guard Bn.

RCV/ebf

Sr C.G. 2 Nov.
MMIA LO Terr HQ 1945
Florence #7

For your information

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

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Movement of Gd Bns

MMIA LO	CG	27 Oct
Florence	Terr	1945
	HQ	
	#7	

For your information and guidance.

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. MMIA LO
Florence

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Movement of Italian Personnel

Sr OG 27 Oct
MMIA LO Terr HQ 1945
Florence #1

Reference attached copy of signal.
For your information and guidance.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. MMIA LO
Florence

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Conversion of Units - Fire Fighting Service

MMIA LO CG 27 Oct
Florence Terr HQ 1945
#7

For your information and guidance.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. MMIA LO
Florence

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Movement of 515 and 520 Guard Bns.

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MMIA LO Terr HQ 19 Octo
Florence # 7 1945

For your information.

J.J. WARD,
Capt., CAC,
MMIA LO
Florence

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Final Report of US-Itis, 5th Army.

RCV/ebf

Sr MMIA 3 Oct.
MMIA LO 1945
Florence

The attached are for your information;

Schedule "A" - US-Iti units redeployed.
Schedule "B" - US-Iti units disbanded.
Schedule "C" - US-Iti units transferred to
Iti-Iti status.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

TRANSFER OF HQ-1115

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 Regt

11 Aug
 1945

1. Reference HQIA signal 11220 of 10 August, copy attached, subject, Transfer of HQ-1115.

2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch the following units to destinations indicated:

a. 20th Engineer Bn, strength 13 officers, 325 HQ to 602 HQ CONVICTS.

b. 17 Pack Supt Co, strength 17 officers, 464 HQ to 602 HQ for 20th Division.

c. 865 Field Hospital, strength 9 officers, 49 HQ to 602 HQ CONVICTS.

d. 210 Division, 210 Station and Clothing Plst, 210 Transport Co, 225 Italian Training Regt, 900 all ranks, are transferred to 171-171 category and will remain in place pending further orders.

3. Request STAs on units to be moved.

R.C. VAN KIRK
 Major, Inf.,
 Gr. (HQIA) 10,
 5th Army

CG: HQIA
 HQ 210 Div.
 HQIA 10 1 Dist
 HQ 225 Italian
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INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY

Subject: Disbandment of 210 Division

IND NO.	FROM	TO	DATE	
Ital LO G4	Sr MMIA LO	11 Aug 1945		1. Attached is for your information, a letter addressed from 210th Division to SMRE. 2. Personnel to be transferred from 67th QM Gr. (including 301st, 302nd and 306th QM Bns Hqs), and from 548th QM Gr. (including 303rd and 304th QM Bns Hqs) are as follows: 67th QM Gr : 12 officers 93 EM 548th QM Gr : 76 EM Alessandro Cicogna, Capt Italian Liaison Officer Copy to: G-4 2695 T.S.R.

2	Sr MMIA LO	MMIA	11 Aug 1945	For your consideration. Attached is what 210 Division recommends as a continuing agency to handle the records of the units being disbanded.
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R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

TRANSFER OF US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr CO 10 Aug
MMIA LO 2695 1945
TS
Regt

1. Reference my buck slip of 8 August, subject, Transfer of US-ITIS.

2. Request you cancel the dispatch orders of 500 personnel to 805 Transit Camp MILAN for 231 Division.

R.G.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA LO NW Italy
MMIA

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Transfer of US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr CO 8 Aug
MMIA LO 2695 1945
TS
Regt

1. Reference MMIA directive A-113 of 27 June,
subject, Transfer of US-Itis.

2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch
500 personnel to 805 Transit Camp, Magazzino Comma-
sariato, Via del Rovere, Milan for 231 Division.

3. Request STA.

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA LO NW ITALY
MMIA

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Transfer of US-ITIS

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RCV/jad

Sr CO 6 Aug
MMIA LO 2695 1945
TS
Regt

For necessary action.

CONFIDENTIAL - SECURITY INFORMATION

R.C. VAN KIER
Major, Inf.,
Gr. (MIA) 10

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

姓名: 王明
 性别: 男
 年龄: 25
 职业: 教师

Year	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Q1	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.9
Q2	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.9	11.0
Q3	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.9	11.0	11.1
Q4	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.9	11.0	11.1	11.2
Q5	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.9	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.3

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Disposal of available Pack Mule Personnel

RCV/jad

Sr	CO	6 Aug
MMIA LO	2695	1945
	TS	
	Regt	

Reference MMIA signal A 1208 of 3 August 1945.

Request you segregate all the personnel from 1920 class and younger in 5 groups, one for each Italian Combat Group and notify me when accomplished with numbers, designation and location so that I may notify the Gruppi to make collection.

E.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA
50 BLU
51 BLU
52 BLU
53 BLU
54 BLU MILAN

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Movement of 20th Pack Mule Company.

2 Sr MMIA 6 Aug
 MMIA LO 1945

For your information.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr (MMIA) LO
5th Army

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Transfer of US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr MMIA 6 Aug
MMIA LO 1945

1. Reference your A 113 of 27 June 1945 and my signal dated 6 July, same subject.

2. Attached Exhibits A, B, and C show present status of US-ITIS.

Ex. A. - Units transferred or redeployed.

Ex. B. - Units for which we have orders and which will be dispatched soon.

Ex. C - Units still employed.

3. Request however, transfer orders for all units listed in Exhibit C be issued except the 305 QM Bn consisting of 17 officers and 638 EM which 5th Army intends to employ for sometime.

4. Am also making same request by signal this date.

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

Personnel for ALOOM

RCV/jad

Sr CG 30 Jul
MMIA LO 210 Div 1945

Reference AFHQ signal FX 72728 of 9 July 1945,
and copy of signal from my HQ All99 of 29 July attached.

For your information and compliance. Some of the
officers and men have already gone. Am advised these
total approximately 50 officers and men. These will
have to be replaced by officers and men from the Combat
Groups.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA

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INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY

Subject: 303, 312 and 318 Q M Companies.

RCV/ebf

IND NO.	FROM	TO	DATE	
	Sr MMIA LO	MMIA LO Rear 5 Army	23 July 1945	1. Reference copy of attached signal. 2. Query: What do you mean by "Bottles"? The 303 QM Co. is still here, 312 Co. has moved out, and 318 Co. ordered out. <i>R. C. Van Kirk</i> R.C. VAN KIRK, Major, Inf., Sr (MMIA) LO 5th Army.
	MMIA LO WE IT. MMIA LO	Sr MMIA LO 5 Army	27 July 1945	Reference above. Following is copy of signal. "FROM: MMIA LO REAR 5 ARMY TO : MMIA LO FIFTH ARMY MM 737 (.) RESTRICTED (.) ref MMIA signal A 1177 dated 18 July (.) would be much appreciated if you could deliver bodies of 303, 312 and 318 QM coys to 806 Transit Camp CAMPOCROCE H 6168 (.) if possible please signal 228 div PADOVA direct ETA with copy this office" <i>Macomber</i> for Chief Clerk Captain, MMIA LO, WE Italy.

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Redeployment - US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr	C.O.	29 Jul
MMIA LO	2695	1943
	TS	
	Regt	

Request that the 67 CM Op HQ, 12 officers and 28 men, 548 CM Op HQ, 11 officers, 113 MM, 304 CM Bn HQ 5 officers, 16 MM, total 28 officers and 137 MM be shipped to Camporece for the 228 Italian Division, and BIA.

H.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Gr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA
MMIA LO 8 Army
MMIA LO 228 Div

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303, 312 and 318 Q M Companies.

RCV/ebf

Sr MMIA LO 23
MMIA LO Rear July
8 Army 1945

1. Reference copy of attached signal.
2. Query: What do you mean by "Bottles"?

The 303 QM Co. is still here, 312 Co.
has moved out, and 318 Co. ordered
out.

R.C.VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr (MMIA) LO
5th Army.

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HEADQUARTERS 2695TH TECH SUP'N REGT (OVHD), APO 464, US Army, 21 July 45 KWH/reb

TO: MMIA, Fifth Army, APO 464, US Army

For your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

KARL W HARRIS
Captain, Infantry
Adjutant

3rd Ind.
Sr. (MMIA) LO, 5th Army, APO 464, US Army, 23 July 1945 RCV/jad

To: Land Forces Sub-Commission C. (MMIA), APO 394, US Army.

For your information.

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

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Transfer of US-ITIs

RCV/3rd

Sr Distri- 20 Jul
MMIA LG bution 1945

1. Reference MMIA directive A-113 of 27 June 45.

2. Extract from copy of back slip to me is passed to you for your information and guidance. Receiving units should be instructed to be alerted for reception of these replacements.

"1 2695
TS
Regt

G-4

18 July "1. The following US-ITI units are available for move-
1945 ment as indicated below:

Unit	Destination
315 CM Sv Co	209 Div (ITI Transit Camp) FORLI
2 Wire Recovery Co	228 Div (206 Transit Camp) CAMPOCROCE
303 Eng Depot Co	" " " " " "
304 Eng Depot Co	" " " " " "
305 Eng Depot Co	" " " " " "
306 Eng Depot Co	" " " " " "
320 CM Sv Co	" " " " " "
302 CM Bn Hq	230 Div FLORENCE
1 Wire Recovery Co	231 Div MILAN
301 CM Sv Co	" " " " " "
152 Sanitary Co	1/3 to Bologna Terr HQ, Bologna
	2/3 to Milan Terr HQ, Milan
15 Pack Mule Co	
120 BM (16 PM Co)	400 Pioneer Regt, ARSENZO
80 BM (16 PM Co)	21 Pack Tpt Co, ARSENZO
100 BM (20 PM Co)	" " " " " "
19 Pack Mule Co	
200 BM (19 PM Co)	21 Pack Tpt Co ARSENZO
100 BM (21 PM Co)	" " " " " "

H.C. VAN EYK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LG,
5th Army

cc: MMIA

CG 210 Div

MMIA LG 1 Dist

" " Rear 3 Army

" " 230 Div FLORENCE

" " 231 Div MILAN

Terr HQ #6 BOLOGNA

" " #3 MILAN

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Transfer of US-ITIS.

ECV/ebf

Sr C.S. 19 Jul
WMIA LO 2695 TS 1945
Regt

1. Reference WMIA signal All65 of 9 July 1945
and our back slip of 15 July 1945.

2. Correction. Request you prepare for dispatch
and dispatch 600 Pack Mule personnel to the 230
Division on the following basis instead of as pre-
viously indicated:

- a. 480 to Arezzo for 21 Pack Tpt Group.
- b. 120 to Arezzo for 400 Pioneer Regt.
- 3. Request STAs.

R.C. VAN NISK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (WMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: WMIA
CG 210 Div
WMIA LO 230 Div Florence

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Transfer of US-ITB

RCV/jad

Sr
MMIA LO
C.O.
2695
To
Regt
18 Jul
1945

1. Reference MMIA letter A-113 of 27 June 1945.
2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch the following Italian units for the 230 Division:

<u>Serial</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>IN</u>	<u>Destination</u>
		<u>4</u>	<u>235</u>	<u>Area</u>
23	305 CA Service Co			
24	302 CA En Bq	6	12	Costa San Giorgio Barracks, Florence
25	305 Emer Depot Co (Prov)	9	180	410 Pioneer Regt, Fiesole, near Florence.

3. Request ETAs.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Gr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA
CG 210 Div
MMIA LO 230 Div Florence

Transfer of US-ITIS

RCV/Jad

Sr
NSIA LO
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2695
IS
Regt

18 Jul
1945

1. Reference NSIA letter A-113 of 27 June 1945.

2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch the following Italian units for the 209 Division to Italian Transit Camp at POWI:

Serial	Unit	Off	Regt
1.	301 CM Bn Hq	3	9
2	321 CM Service Co	4	223
3	306 CM Service Co	4	236
11	309 CM Service Co	4	230
12	303 CM Bn Hq	5	15
13	315 CM Service Co	4	213
14	210 Engr Comb Op Hq	19	78
15	103 Engr Comb Bn	34	572
16	323 CM Service Co	3	218

3. Request RTAC.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (NSIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: NSIA
CG 210 Div
NSIA LO 1 Dist

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Transfer of Personnel - Track Companies

RCV/jad

3 SR MMIA LO 15 Jul
 MMIA LO 1 Dist 1945

Inviting your attention to 2nd Indorsement.

MMIA LO
8 Army

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA

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Transfer of Personnel - Truck Companies

RCV/jan

1 Sr C.O. 14 Jul
 MMIA LO 2695 1945
 TS
 Regt

1. Reference MMIA A-113 of 5 July.

2. Request when available that you prepare for dispatch and move 5 officers and 111 EM from 1022 Truck Company to the Italian Transit Camp at FORLI for 209 Br-Iti Adm Div and 4 officers and 139 EM from 1023 Truck Company to 805 Transit Camp at Campo Croche H6168 for 228 Italian Division.

3. Request ETAs.

R.C.VAN KIRK
 Major, Inf.,
 Sr. (MMIA) LO,
 5th Army

cc: MMIA
 CG210 Div
 MMIA LO Rear 8 Army
 MMIA LO 1 Dist

2 C.O. Sr 14 Jul
 2695 MMIA 1945
 TS LO
 Regt

1. 1023d Truck Co has been disbanded.

2. Strength of 1022d Truck Co as of this date is 2 officers and 83 enlisted men.

3. When available 1022d Truck Co will be moved as requested.

JOHN P. BOLAND,
 Major, Inf.,
 Executive

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Movement of US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr Distri- 15 Jul
MIA LO bution 1945

Transportation has been requested to move Italian units as shown on attached lists. The date of departure is tentative but should be approximately correct. As soon as I have additional information, will notify you.

R.C. VAN NIRE
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MIA) LO,
5th Army

Distribution:

MIA
CG 210 Div
CG Terr Hq #4
MIA LO 230 Div
CG Terr #6
MIA LO Milan
MIA LO Turin
MIA LO PPS
MIA LO Genoa
MIA LO Florence
1 Field Account Depot - Passo Corone

INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY

Subject: Request for 12 Drivers

RCV/jed

IND NO.	FROM	TO	DATE
	Sr MMIA LO	C.O. 2695 TS Regt	8 July 1945
2.	C.O., 2695 TS Regt	Sr MMIA LO	9 July 1945

Request that you select 12 drivers and have them report to G-2, 59 Area, Milan immediately.

R.C. Van Kirk
R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: CG 210 Div

Twelve (12) drivers are leaving Lonato for Hq 59 area at 0800, 10 July.

John K. McCormick
JOHN K. MCCORMICK,
Lt. Col., G.A.C.,
Commanding.

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INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY

Subject: 23rd Eng Bn

RCV/jad

IND NO.	FROM	TO	DATE	
	Sxx Ital LO G4	MMIA LO	6 July 1945	1. On the 15 of July 1945, the 23rd Engr Bn, 210th Ital Division will be released by 5th Army HQ. 2. Territorial HQ n.4 Bolzano has requested that two Engr Bns be transferred under its command for Engineer works in their territory. These works are very urgent and important. (Terr. HQ n.4 ltr 01/26/O.P. dtd 30 June) 3. C.G. 210 Div owing to the efficiency of the above Bn, the importance of keeping the unit together, the high consideration which it has gained during its work with 5 Army, recommends that it be assigned as requested by Terr. HQ. n.4. 4. Terr. HQ n.4 might replace the U.S. vehicles which will be turned in by the Bn. 5. It is therefore requested that 23rd Engr Bn be assigned to Terr HQ n.4 on July 15, 1945, thus changing his status and becoming an ITI-ITI outfit. Alessandro Cicogna, Capt Italian Liaison Officer G-4
2	Sr MMIA LO	MMIA	6 July 1945	1. Forwarded for your consideration. This is an excellent unit as you know but of course is about 90% equipped with American equipment which will be taken away from it on the 15th of July when it reverts from command of IV Corps to 5 Army. 2. Have seen copies of signals from 2 District on its proposed employment. R.C.VAN KIRK Major, Inf., 846 Sr. (MMIA) LO, 5th Army

Movement of Italian Units

RCV/jad

1 CO Sr 4 Jul
2695 MIA 1945
TS LO
Regt Fifth
Army

Forwarded for your information is schedule of
serials of US-ITI units departed this date.

JOHN P. BOLAND
Major, Inf.,
Executive.

1 Incl
Incl 1 - Movement of units.

2 MIA A LO 6 Jul
LO 1 Dist 1945

For your information. The reason that some of
the serials are below strength is that men are on
leave but when they return they will be forwarded
so as to bring the serial up to assigned strength.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MIA) LO,
5th Army

1 Incl
n/c

cc: MIA

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Serial Date Release Request

RCV/jad

Sr MMIA 6 Jul
MMIA LO LO 1945
1 Dist

Reference your G22 of 5 July, subject, Serials 1,
12, 13, 14 and 15. Date available for release not
now known.

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA

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Transfer of US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr
MMIA LO
C.O. 5 Jul
2695 1945
TSR
Regt

1. Reference MMIA directive A-113 of 27 June 45.
2. Request you prepare for dispatch if available, and dispatch:
 - a. Serial 22 to the 412 Pioneer Regiment, Leghorn.
 - b. Serial 23 less 30 men to the 400 Pioneer Regiment, Arezzo. The 30 men referred to are to be dropped in Florence for HQ 230 Division, Costa San Giorgio Barracks.
3. Request you furnish me with WIA on these serials.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LC,
5th Army

cc: MMIA
MMIA LO FLORENCE
CG 210 Div

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Information regarding serials.

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4. Will furnish you with the ETA at your 228 Div
Transit Camp at Campo Croce of each unit.

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA

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Final Report of US-Itis, 5th Army.

RCV/ebf

Sr MMIA 2 Oct
MMIA LO 1945
Florence

The attached are for your information.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

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Demobilization of 1918 and 1919 Classes.

RCV/ebf

Sr C.G. 29 Sept
MMIA LO Terr HQ 1945
Florence # 7

For your information and necessary action.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC (MMIA)

FLORENCE

APO 782

US ARMY

Subject: Delinquent Reports.

RCV/ebf

IND NO.	FROM	TO	DATE
	Sr MMIA LO Florence	Ital LO	24 Sept 1945

1. Reference attached signal.
2. Request you check reason for these delinquencies.

R.C. Van Kirk
R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

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FROM M M I A 21 1630A

TO M M I A L O MILAN

TO SUB AREA FOR M M I A L O

DISTRESS FOR M M I A L O

FLORENCE CITY COMMAND FOR M M I A L O

GR 78 BT

REF A1302 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) NO SIGNALS OF DEFICIENCIES VIDE

M.M.I.A. A 1152 OF 4 JULY OR OF SURPLUSES VIDE A 1222 OF

8 AUGUST WERE RECEIVED THIS WEEK FROM 209 CMA 230 CMA 231 CMA OR

227 DIVS (.) M/303 OF 20 SEPT IN RESPECT OF 228 DIV WAS LATE(.)

ENSURE ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE SIGNALLED FROM

ADM DIVS EACH MONDAY EVEN IF NO L.O. IS NOW ATTACHED(.)

TIMELY DISPOSAL OF PERSONNEL CANNOT BE MADE WITHOUT THIS INFORMATION

BT

211630

SENT NR 4219 1850 LAV BB K

K IMI YOUR READING NUMBER PLS K

NR 4219 RPT 4219

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FROM M.M.I.A.

TO

RECD NR 9 1955A LS B1

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522 Guard Bn.

Sr C.G. 29 Sept
MMIA LO Terr HQ 1945
Florence # 7

For your information and necessary action.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

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Release of Classes and Deployment of Personnel.

RCV/sbf

Sr C.G. 28 Sept
MIA LO Terr HQ 1945
Florence # 7

For your information and necessary action.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MIA LO
Florence

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Engr. Depot at Mori Vecchio (Trento)

RCV/ebf

Sr MMIA MMIA 20 Sept
LO 1945
Florence

For your information.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

Delinquent Reports.

RCV/ebf

Sr	Ital	24 Sept
MMIA LO	LO	1945
Florence		

1. Reference attached signal.
2. Request you check reason for these delinquencies.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

Demobilization of Older Classes.

RCV/ebf

Sr MIA CC 17 Sept
IO Terr HQ 1945
Florence #7

For your information and necessary action.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MIA IO
Florence

Demobilisation of Older Classes.

Sr MMIA CG 16 Sept
10 Terr HQ 1945
Florence #7

For necessary action.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

Transfer of 305 QM Bn. US-Itia.

RCV/obf

Sr MTA CG 16 Sept
ID 210 1945
Florence Div.
Pleschera

1. Reference attached communication.
2. For compliance in accordance with this letter.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MIA IO
Florence

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Transfer of Italian Personnel.

RCV/ebf

Sr MMIA C.C. 15 Sept.
LC Terr. HQ 1945
Florence #7

Request that one Carabinieri Officer be attached to the U.S. Claims Office, Florence, for duty in connection with the interrogation of witnesses. If he can speak English it will be preferred but this is not a requirement.

Further request that an Italian soldier who can drive a motorcycle be also attached to the U.S. Claims Office for duty, he can come from the guard companies or security brigades if you so elect.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

DISVANDMENT of Pt II A Units.

Sr Capt. 15 Sept
MMIA Massarella 1945
LO
Florence

Request you check on this and see that it
has been done.

R.C. VAN KIRK,
Major, Inf.,
Sr MMIA LO
Florence

TRANSFER OF US-ITALY

REV/jad

By CC 23 AUG
 DIA LO 21.0 NOV 1945

Reference attached signal 8755, this HQ, of 22 August 45.

You are authorized to and will transfer to PRINCE Gruppo:

15 officers
 6 Medical Officers
 28 NCOs
 140 enlisted men including clerks and carabinieri

Three (3) of the above mentioned officers and four (4) of the above mentioned NCOs will report direct to the Transit Camp at VERONA, and the remainder of the officers and men will report to Territorial HQ #6 for employment at the refugee camps BOLOGNA, MODENA, REGGIO. These officers and men are to be assigned to the strength of the PRINCE Gruppo.

TO: 2695 TSP REGT.

Request you coordinate movement and notify me of status.

R.C. VAN KIRK
 Major, Inf.,
 Sr. (DIA) LO,
 5th Army

cc: DIA
 CC PRINCE Gp
 SO BLU
 G-3 British
 Terr HQ #6
 Ital LO
 Transit Camp VERONA
 " " BOLOGNA
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 " " REGGIO
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Release of Guard Battalions.

Sr Ital 23 Aug
MMIA LO LO 1945

For your information and necessary
distribution.

R.C.VAN KIRK,
Major., Inf.,
Sr (MMIA) LO
5th Army

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Transfer of US-ITIs

RCV/jad

Sr	CO	20 Aug
MMIA LO	802	1945
	BRD	

1. Reference MMIA directive A-113 of 27 June, subject, Transfer of US-ITIS.
2. 212 Vet Evac Hospital, strength 1 officer and 37 EM were shipped to ORVIETO for 802 BRD 0930 20 August. ETA 1200 20 August.
3. Receiving unit should remain alerted for their reception.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA

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Transfer of US- ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr	C.O.	18 Aug
MIA LO	2695	1945
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1. Reference MIA signal A 1208 of 3 August,
subject, Pack Transport Personnel for Combat Groups.

2. Mantova Group will collect their allotment of
Pack transport personnel on 20 August.

W.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MIA

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Transfer of US-ITLS

RCV/jad

Sr
MMIA LO
C.O.
2695
TS
Regt
18 Aug
1945

1. Reference MMIA signal A 1208 of 3 August, subject, Pack Transport Personnel for Combat Groups.
2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch to CAMPOCHONG O 6168 pack transport personnel allotted to 228 Division.
3. Request ETA.

R.C.VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LD,
5th Army

cc: MMIA
MMIA LO 228 Div

Pack Transport Personnel

RCV/jad

Sr
MMIA LOC.O. 18 Aug
2695 1945
TS
Regt

1. Reference MMIA signal A 1208 of 3 August,
subject, Pack Transport Personnel for Combat Groups.

2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch
40 EM to CAMPOCROCE G 6168 for 228 Division. Men re-
ferred to are those who are now in transit at 210
Engineer Gp HQ.

3. Request ETA.

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Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

Transfer of US-ITIS

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Sr C.O. 18 Aug
MMIA LO 2695 1945
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1. Reference MMIA signal A 1208 of 3 August, subject, Pack Transport Personnel for Combat Groups.
2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch 30 MM to 805 Transit Camp MILAN for 231 Division. Men referred to are those belonging to units already transferred.
3. Request ETA.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA
MMIA LO 231 Div

Transfer of US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr
NMIA LO
C.O.
2595
Regt
TBN
2 July
1945

1. Reference NMIA directive A-113 of 27 June and NMIA signal A1145 of 30 June.
2. Request you cause to be selected 2 officers and 150 MM from one of the Pack Mule units and dispatch to 1 Field Remount Depot, Passo Corese.
3. Request you furnish me with STA.

H.O. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (NMIA) LO
5th Army

cc: NMIA
CO 210 Div
CO 1 Field Remount Depot

Redeployment of US-ITIS

MCV/jad

Sr
WMIA LC
C.S.
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TSC
Regt
2 July
1945

1. Reference WMIA directive WMIA A-115 of 27 June and WMIA signal A115 of 30 June, subject: Transfer of US-ITIS.

2. Request you select 3 officers and 300 RM from one Pack Mule company, prepare them for dispatch and dispatch to No. 1 Guard Regiment, Genoa.

3. Request you advise me of ETA.

H.C. VAN KINS
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (WMIA) LC
5th Army

cc: WMIA
CG 219 Div
WMIA LC GSNCA
G.S. No. 1 Guard Regt, GSNCA

Redeployment of US-ITIS

RCV/jad

Sr CO 30 Jun
MMIA LO 2695 1945
TSR
Regt

1. Reference MMIA A-113 of 27 June 1945.

2. Request you prepare for dispatch and dispatch:

✓ a. Serials 2, 3, 4, and 5 to 2 Pioneer Group,
Via Malta, Bologna.

✓ b. Serial 6 to 54 Pioneer Group, Via Gorezzia,
Ancona.

✓ c. Serial 11 to 110 Pioneer Group, Via Gioveca,
Ferrara.

✓ d. Serial 16 to 55 Pioneer Group, Falconara, near
Ancona.

✓ e. Serials 7, 8 and 9 to 20 CRE, 61 Area Bldg,
Ancona.

3. Request you advise ETA of each serial.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

cc: MMIA

MMIA, 1 Sub. Paper

Redeployment of US-ITIS

RCV/jed

Sr 2695 30 Jun
WMIA LO T&R 1945
Regt

1. Reference WMIA signal 882805 of 29 June 1945.
2. Request you prepare and dispatch 3 officers and 196 SR, US-itis, for guard duties to Territorial HQ #7 Florence and advise me of ETA.

R.C. VAN KITH
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (WMIA) LO,
9th Army

cc: WMIA
WMIA LO Florence
CG Terr HQ #7 Florence

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Subject: US-ITI Units

2695 TS MMIA 23 June
Regt 1945

1. Herewith is list of US-ITI Service Troops,
less Truck Companies and Division Special Troops.

JOHN K. McCORMICK
Lt Col, CAC
Commanding.

Incl - 1
US-ITI Units (Exclusive of Truck Cos)
dated 23 June as revised from list dated
10 June.

2 Sr MMIA 23 June
MMIA LO 1945

1. Reference AFHQ signal FX 96254 of 20 June,
subject: US-ITI Units.

2. Attached is list of units for movement to MMIA
replacement centers. 74 officers and 2980 men are now
ready for release. Other units will be ready as indi-
cated. How many and at what rate do you want them?
Where are they to be sent? Is Italian military equip-
ment such as pack saddles, etc., to be delivered to
Florence, Milano or where?

3. 5th Army proposes to keep 210 Div Hq to admini-
ster its attached ITI-ITI units until it is ready to
close its Hq in this theater. This time is estimated
to be some place between Sept 15 and December.

R.C. VAN KIRK
Major, Inf.,
Sr. (MMIA) LO,
5th Army

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 US ARMY

RCV/jad
23 June 1945

SUBJECT: Employment of Italian Troops - Japanese Theater.

TO: Colonel Kerr
APO 394, US Army

1. Saw in the Star and Stripes yesterday where the U.S. was training and equipping a division of Canadian volunteers to fight Japan. Query: Has it ever been suggested to the War Dept that a volunteer Italian division similar to the 210 Division might be useful in the Pacific? These 210 Division units are now completely equipped and trained and could within 20 days be ready for movement to the Pacific.

2. Am advised that whole units in this area have indicated their willingness to volunteer for this kind of duty. It would appear to be a waste of manpower and equipment if such units as the Pack Mule outfits were disbanded now when there is still work for them to do elsewhere. They have demonstrated their usefulness and effectiveness under fire and over adverse terrain. The Italian engineer outfits can erect a Bailey bridge as fast as our American engineers. Am advised that service troops are needed in the Pacific, these would help some. I can visualize that if we have to chase the Japs back into the hills of China where good roads are scarce, that Pack Mule and Engineer outfits trained in the Appennines could be of real military value. Suggest that if Italian troops were to be sent to the Pacific, they should go on an equal status with other Allied troops. An adjustment should be made as to their pay and ration scale. Supply would be no particular problem since they would be supplied largely from U.S. sources.

3. Of course, I am not familiar with the political aspect involved but from a military aspect this appears to be a sound suggestion. Suggest however, that it would give the restless partisans here in the North of Italy an opportunity to enlist and again aid their country. At the same time, it would get them out of Italy at a time when they are politically dangerous, if not dangerous, then at least restless.

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5th Army

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