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AMENDMENT TO NO. 70
PROVIS. JAL ADM. INSTR. FOR MARR. & FAMILIES

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APC 794, US Army
(G-4 British Section)

Q 241/4

Tel: 66504
3 July 46

SUBJECT: Rations on Repayment - Civilians (including Married Families)

DISTRIBUTION:-

List 'R'
San Remo Hotel (25)
Hotel Eden (25)
Belle Vista (20)

1. This directive will be brought to the notice of all ranks, and will be republished in all unit orders.
2. The new rates of repayment for rations detailed in the following paragraphs are retrospectively effective from 1 July 46.
3. The issue of free rations to the families of ORs under the terms of Allowance Regulations 1944 (Para 3) ceases.
4. Rations will continue to be issued to military families up to the scale laid down in this HQ Q 121/23 dated 24 Dec 45 (Provisional Administrative Instructions for Married Families). Rates of repayment will be as follows:

- (a) For rations cooked under Military arrangements $3\frac{1}{2}^d$ per ration
- (b) For rations consumed in transit or on leave at Military Hotels $3\frac{1}{2}^d$ per day, (to be collected at hotel, at which breakfast meal is taken)
- (c) For uncooked rations $2\frac{1}{2}^d$ per ration
- (d) Where uncooked rations are drawn for servants $2\frac{1}{2}^d$ per ration
Cooked rate for servants is $3\frac{1}{2}^d$ per ration

List A

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Cooked rate for servants is $3\frac{1}{2}^d$ per ration

5. Recovery of charges in accordance with para 4 above will be the responsibility of Unit Commanders or Military Managers as appropriate.

6. The cooked ration rate ($3\frac{1}{2}^d$) will be applicable to all

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other civilians when rationed in military establishments. The uncooked rate (2/2^d) will be recovered from all other civilians drawing uncooked rations.

7. Conditions laid down in the foregoing paragraphs are not applicable to the following organisations, for members of which charges will continue to be assessed as at present:

- (a) QAIMNS Q.A. School Mistresses
- (b) RASC -EFI (though the new conditions are, of course, applicable to families of RASC -EFI members)

8. Charges for casual meals in military hotels remain as hitherto.

CCM/cg

(Chas. W. H. Hughes)
W. H. HUGHES
Lt-Col
AA & QMG

Tel No Valjean 55.

SDS.

OZE/95971/Rfts/3.

OC,
8 British Liaison Unit,
Rome.

4 Jul 46.

Subject:- Postings - OR.

3248732 Pte MATHIESON G. HLI.

1. Authority is given for the posting of the a/n OR from the unit under your command to Land Forces Sub Comm. AC (MMIA).

2. Ensure appropriate casualty is rendered.

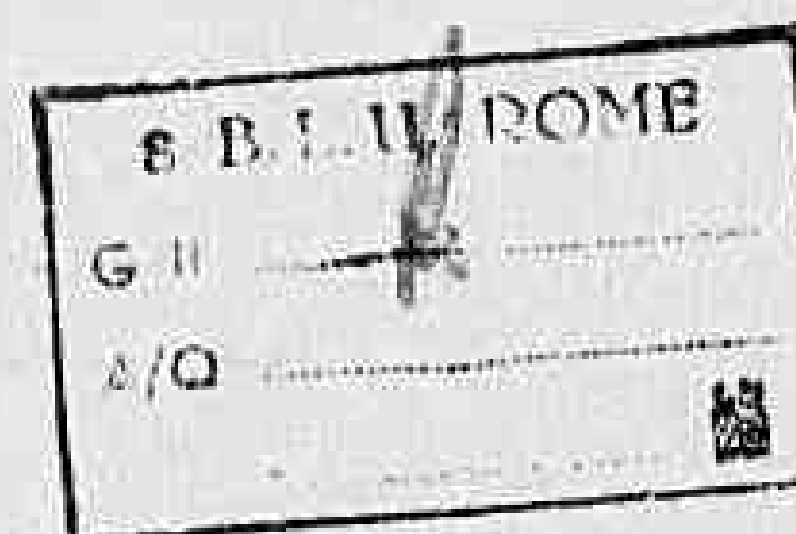
3. It is noted that Field Strength Returns, (AF W3008/9) are not being received from your unit. Please render current returns and ensure weekly rendition in future.

CMF.

[Signature]
Colonel,
Col 'A',
GHQ 2nd Echelon.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Comm. AC (MMIA) Rome. Your letters Camp/1 dated 14 Jun and 27 Jun 46 refer.

Internal:- R/3 (Inf). R/6. Postings/7.



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Subject:- Postings ORs

8 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT C.M.F.

8/4/5

5th. July 1946

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To :- O2E
(RFTS)
CMF.

6353660 Pte. DINES G.(R.A.O.C.)
A/S Group 37 Trade Driver i/c

1. It is requested that the a/n soldier be posted to this unit against a vacancy in W.E. as Driver-Batman.
2. The C.D. of 38 Vehicle Park, R.A.O.C. to which unit the a/n soldier is at present posted, has no objection, to the requested posting.
3. Pte Dines served as batman-driver to the D.A.A. & Q.M.G of this unit for over a year whilst both were posted to 61 Town Major.
4. It is believed that Pte Dines will be prepared to defer his release.

HP/eg.

H.J.O. PRINSLOO, Major.

D.A.A. & Q.M.G.

Copy to:- 38 Vehicle Park, R.A.O.C.
Camp Commandant M.M.I.A.

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND

APO 794, US Army
(G-4 British Section)

Ref: Q 121/23
2 July 1946

AMENDMENT No 8

TO

PROVISIONAL ADL INSTR FOR MARRIED FAMILIES
(Q 121/23 of 24 December 1946)

The following paras will be added :-

PAYMENT FOR GAS, ELECTRICITY AND SOLID OR LIQUID FUEL

41. Consequent upon the introduction of the new pay code married Officers and ORs occupying married quarters will be required to pay for Fuel and Light w.o.f. 1 July 46.

42. Solid and Liquid Fuel may be purchased from military stocks.

43. As rates of marriage allowance are universal, purchases of Fuel and Light will for the present be charged for at the following flat rates (applicable to both home and overseas stations)

- (a) Coal.....64 shillings per ton
- (b) Coke.....70 shillings "
- (c) Gas1^d per therm
(1 therm = 6 cubic metres)
- (d) Electricity.....1^d per unit.

44. Rates for Wood and Kerosene will be notified later. Wood for kindling purposes will remain free issue on present scales.

45. Unit Commanders and Military Managers of Married Family Hotels will be responsible for raising all charges.

46. The following procedure will be followed :

(a) GAS and ELECTRICITY

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(Q 121/23 of 24 December 1946)

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- (c) Gas^{1 1/4}d per therm
(1 therm = 6 cubic metres)
- (d) Electricity.....^{1 1/2}d per unit.

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Where meters are installed they will be read on (or as soon after as possible) 1 July 46, and thereafter on the first day of each month. Units will maintain a record of all meter readings and a card showing monthly readings will be attach to each meter. Debit vouchers will be raised in accordance with the terms of Para 43 above. Where no meters are installed, or in hotels, persons occupying quarters will be advised that charges for Gas and Electricity will be included in Rental when notified.

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8 B C U
HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY
OFFICE OF G-1 BRITISH

Telephone: 66671

Ref:- 33A1/X

SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Families

28 Jun 46

Distribution 'R' British

1. It is apparent from a recent War Office cable that locally married personnel proceeding to UK on Release, PYTHON etc, are being informed that their wives (and families) will follow them immediately.
2. This practice has caused considerable embarrassment and numerous Parliamentary enquiries, and will cease forthwith.
3. The enquiries conducted in the UK by the War Office on the receipt of notification from GHQ GMP that application for repatriation of wife (and family) has been submitted, on occasion a certain amount of delay, and in consequence GHQ is unable to state ETD of the family until War Office sanction to the repatriation has been accorded.
4. To avoid unnecessary delay Unit Commanders should ensure that applications for the repatriation of families are submitted well in advance of the husbands return to UK, and should also ensure that applications confirm with the instructions which have been issued on the subject.
5. The contents of this letter will be brought to the notice of all locally married personnel as soon as possible.

R. E. SPALL
Staff Captain
for Lt Col
AA & QMG

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ROME AREA ALLIED GOVERNMENT
APO 794, US Army
(G-4 British Section)

Ref: Q 121/23
2 July 1946

A M E N D M E N T N° 8

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| (c) Gas | 11 ^d per therm
(1 therm = 6 cubic metres) |
| (d) Electricity..... | 1 ^d per unit. |
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(b) SOLID OR LIQUID FULL

Debit Vouchers will be raised in accordance with the terms of Para 43 above, or where applicable at rates to be notified later.

(c) Occupants of quarters in hotels will be advised that their rental will include an element to cover solid or liquid fuel.

Chas. M. Jeroy Capt
W. H. HUGHES
Lt-Col
AA & QMG

DISTRIBUTION

LIST 'R'
Hotel Eden (25)
Hotel San Remo (25)
Pensione Bella Vista (20)

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NO. 1000. ADM. INTR. 1400.

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY
OFFICE OF G-1 BRITISH

Telephone: 66671

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R. E. SPALL
Staff Captain
for Lt Col
AA & QMG
Capt

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1,3,7,8,10 BLUE - CORR DEC

A 843

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INSTRUCT MAJ LACEY TO PROCEED 3 BLU FOR
ATTACHMENT (.) MAJ LACEY SHOULD REPORT TO
OF BR DEC THIS HQ ON THE WAY

ROUTINE

A 380/146

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MAJ JH MOTT

Antony Hay
DAAG.

HQ RC- AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794, US ARMY
Office of G-1 Br

Telephone:- 66671

Ref:- 58A/Y

SUBJECT:- Return to UK of Class "A" Families

Distribution "R" British

Authority has been delegated to this HQ to authorize the return to UK of personnel resident in this Country under Families Scheme "A" under the following circumstances:-

(a) Estrangement between husband and wife

1. Before requests for repatriation to UK can be authorized the following written evidence must be obtained in support of the application:-

- (i) Declaration from husband stating separation is by mutual consent.
- (ii) Acknowledgement from husband that the grant of this passage exhausts further entitlement during his current tour overseas.
- (iii) Certificate from the Local Welfare Officer stating that all efforts to effect reconciliation have failed.

(b) Requests for Repatriation to UK

1. Requests for Repatriation to UK can be authorized provided that they are based on 1 or more of the grounds listed below:-

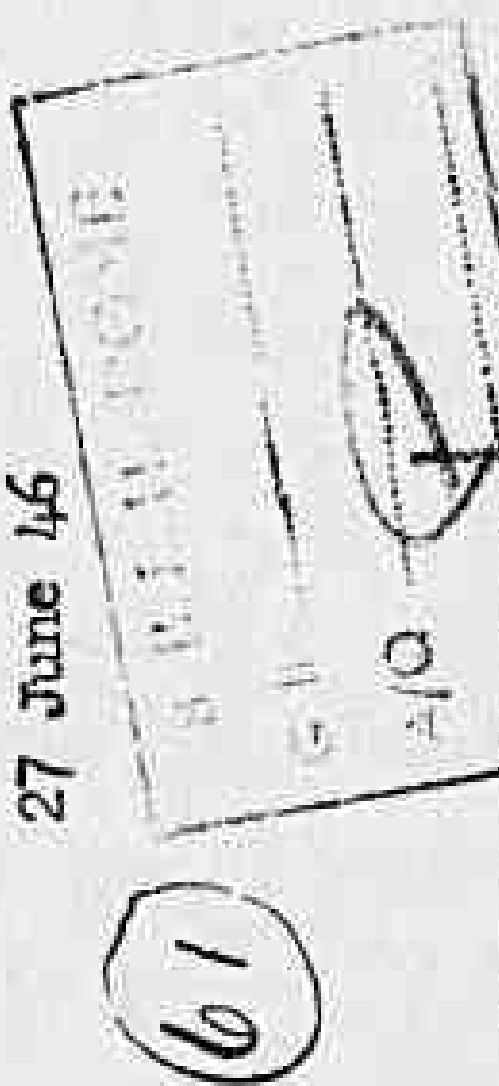
- (i) Reversion of husband to HE on posting, Release or PYTHON.
- (ii) Return to UK of husband on LILLOP.
- (iii) Posting of husband to station to which his family may not accompany him.
- (iv) Separation of husband and wife: See (a) above.

2. Although there is no authority under which return passage may be granted in anticipation of any of the events listed in (i), (ii) and (iii) above there is no objection to the family being despatched before the movement of the husband should this be desirable for domestic or military reasons.

(c) Exceptionally Strong Compassionate Grounds

1. Requests for repatriation to UK on exceptionally strong compassionate grounds will be authorized under the following conditions:-

- (i) That this concession is only used most sparingly.
- (ii) Cost of return journey as far as English Port is collected before departure.
- (iii) All travelling in UK to be under private arrangements at private expense.



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2. Further information re fares to be charged, will be forwarded when received.

APG/ac

R. E. SPAIN
Staff Capt
for Lt-Col
AA & QMG

S I G N A L

FROM : M M I A
TO : NO 1 B L U
" 3 B L U
" 7 B L U

REF NO : A 834

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OWING NEAR RELEASE OF MAJOR H I L L S CCRR SEC MAJOR
G R E E N H O U G H NOV WITH 7 B L U WILL BE ATTACHED
3 B L U AND WILL CARRY OUT LO DUTIES NOS 1 AND 2
HDES CCRR SEC (.) MOVE MAJOR G R E E N H O U G H
WILL TAKE PLACE FORTHWITH

ROUTINE

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DAAG

INTERNAL : LIST 'A'
EXTERNAL : LIST 'B'
FILE : A 394

MAJ JH MOTT
DAAG

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HQ ROLE AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794, US ARMY
Office of G-1(Br)

8/A/5 (55)
Telephone:- 66671

Ref:- 56A

SUBJECT:- Officers in ERE appointments

10 Jun 46

Distribut  "R" British

1. Where replacements are considered absolutely necessary for officers filling Extra Regimental Employment appointments, units will ascertain at least four weeks before the officer is due for release, whether a replacement is readily for coming.

2. If no replacement is available, D.O.V. proceedings must be initiated, if it is considered operationally vital for the appointment to be filled.

3. If appointment is not considered operationally vital and appointment can be doubled up, an application must be made at once in accordance with GRO 1219/45, to non-implement the appointment.

RES/ac


R.E. SPALL
Staff Capt
for Lt-Col
AA & QMG

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 794 U. S. Army
Office of G-3 (British)

Tel. 66643

20/25/75 (Br)

SUBJECT: Provision of RASC Clerks GD.

TO : List 'B' (Br)

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ROME 34 ALLIED COMMAND
APO 794, US Army
(G-4 British Section)

Ref: - Q 121/23
18 May 1946

AMFNDHENT No 7
TO

PROVISIONAL ADM INSTRS FOR MARRIED FAMILIES
(Q 121/23 of 24 December 46)

The following para will be added :

40. TRAVEL RATE

(a) Non-duty travel within the Theatre

All travel other than under the conditions quoted above will be paid for. The rate of payment will be as follows :-

Officers' Families	- 2.5 Lire per Km, per person in ITALY
	.0435 Austrian Schillings in AUSTRIA
OR' Families	- .75 Lire per Km, per person in ITALY
	.02 Austrian Schillings in AUSTRIA
Children under 14	- Half fare

Fares will be calculated to the nearest five Lire, or 25 Groschen (.25 Austrian Schillings).

(b) Use of Feeding Halts

Where a journey within ITALY whether on duty or not involves use of military feeding halts en route, meals supplied will be paid for. The rate of payment for meals will be as follows :-

Officers' Families (incl children)	- 40 Lire per person per meal
OR' Families	- 20 Lire per person per meal

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Officers' Families (incl children)	- 46 Lire per person per meal	1409
OR' Families	- 20 Lire per person per meal	
OR' Children under 14 or at school	- 14- 30 Lire per person per meal	

The unit will calculate the amount to be charged for meals en route based on details of locations of meal

halts which may be obtained from the nearest RTO. The amount will then be collected and an AF O 1680 made out in duplicate, one copy being retained by the Unit to support the Imprest debit, and the other given to the Officer and/or OR for presentation at feeding halts as an authority for the issue of meals

W. H. Hughes

W. H. HUGHES
Lt-Col
AA & QMG

DISTRIBUTION

LIST 'R'
Hotel Eden (50)
Hotel San Remo (50)

(LH)

SUBJECT:- Gnr. E. Gumbley
14922875 - RA(Fd)

LAND FORCES SUB-COMMISSION AC.
8, B.L.U. ROME
8/A/5
2 May 1946

To:- Camp Commandant,
H.Q. M.M.I.A.

- (1) Please find attached correspondence relating to a/n soldier.
- (2) Your attention is drawn to this office letter dated 4th. May.

lo.
R.DOWNING, Major.

D.A.A. & Q.M.G.

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RAAC MESSAGE FORM

CALL	CIRCUIT No. NR	PRIORITY	TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS 7/16
SPACES WITHIN RED LINES FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY			SIGNALS DATE-TIME OF ORIGIN 16 1635 B
FROM (A) HQ M.M.I.A.			
TO (FOR ACTION) HQ 8 BLU ROME NO 10 BLU NAPLES			
TO (FOR INFORMATION) NO 11 BLU PALERMO			
NO 1 BLU TORIN NO 3 BLU MILAN			
NO 7 BLU FLORENCE			
(SECURITY CLASSIFICATION) UNCLASSIFIED			
(REF. No.) A 781			

FOLLOWING MOVES CORE PERSONNEL WILL TAKE PLACE (.) MAJ
 L I M B E R T FROM HQ TO 10 BLU ARRIVING 17 MAY (.) MAY
 H A Y E S FROM 10 BLU TO HQ ON HANDOVER (.) MAJ L A C R Y
 FROM 8 BLU TO 11
 TIME OF ARRIVAL WILL BE NOTIFIED

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CC.RR SEC	ORIGINATING SECTION:	1407	
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	ORIGINATOR'S AUTHENTICATION: <i>DRAG</i>		

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AMENDMENT No 6

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PROVISIONAL ADM TSTERS FOR MARRIED FAMILIES - (Q
(Q 121/23 of 24 December 46)

USE OF W. D. TRANSPORT BY FAMILIES OF BRITISH MILITARY PERSONNEL

1. Paragraphs 23 - 26 inclusive of the above mentioned HQ letter Q-121/23 dated 24 December 45 are cancelled.

2. RECREATIONAL AND DOMESTIC USE OF WD TRANSPORT

Charges in respect of recreational and domestic use of WD transport by Families will be raised forthwith w.e.f. 1 Apr 46. Records of journeys prior to this date will remain as kept pending further instructions from the War Office.

3. GENERAL

Use of WD transport by families of British Military personnel will in all cases be governed by the following conditions:-

- (a) WD Vehicles will not be used without the prior sanction of COs and then only if they are available without interference with military training or other authorised duty.
- (b) WD vehicles will not be used where a suitable and adequate public transport service is available.
- (c) The type of vehicle used will be the most economical having regard to the numbers to be carried. No vehicles will be specifically earmarked for this purpose.
- (d) Motor cycles will not be used.
- (e) The retention of a WD vehicle during a period of leave is not authorised.
- (f) In no case will WD vehicles be driven by any person other than the authorised WD driver.
- (g) Work Tickets, AP G5548 will invariably be used, and suitably endorsed as instructed below.
- (h) No increase in the number of vehicles held on War Establishments will be authorised for this purpose.

(4) No loads other than revenue [to be received and collected] 15

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- (g) Work Tickets, LP G5516 will invariably be used, and suitably endorsed as instructed below.
- (h) No increase in the number of vehicles held on War Establishments will be authorised for this purpose.
- (j) No loads other than personal baggage and effects will be carried in WD transport.

4. CHANGE OF STATION

If movement by road transport is authorised, conveyance will be provided free of charge. For provisional arrangements in respect of the indemnity see para 8 below. Work tickets will be endorsed "Conveyance of Family on Change of Station" and signed by an officer NOT below the rank of Lt.Colonel. A copy of the movement or posting order will be attached.

5. RECREATION

(a) WD Transport may be used on repayment for recreational purposes at the following rates:

(I) Wives and Children

(i) Trucks and Vans - $\frac{3}{4}$ d per person per mile

(ii) Cars - 2d per person per mile

(II) Husbands and Military Personnel Accompanying Families in same Vehicle.

All types vehs - $\frac{1}{4}$ d per mile (subject to a maximum of 6d for first 40 miles of any journey).

(b) The weekly mileage limitations will be assessed by GOSC in the light of local circumstances subject to a maximum of 100 miles per week: should local conditions require a mileage in excess of this maximum reference will be made to GHQ with brief reasons for the necessity in each case in order that War Office authority may be sought.

(c) The terms of sub paras (a) and (b) above are applicable to husbands only when living with their families. Should an officer or OR be living either temporarily or permanently away from his family:

(i) Family remains entitled to recreational transport as in (a) and (b) above.

(ii) Husband becomes entitled to separate recreational transport under the terms of GPO 223/45.

(d) Work Tickets AF G3518 will invariably be used and will be endorsed in red ink "Conveyance of Family on Recreation".

6. DOMESTIC USE

(a) Visits to EPL and for medical treatment etc, must be within the mileage and subject to the charges given in para 5. If at a later date it is decided that medical attention shall be free, the free use of transport in this respect will be reconsidered by War Office.

(b) Work Tickets will be endorsed as in para 5(d) above.

7. FAMILIES ACCOMPANYING MILITARY PERSONNEL ON DUTY

In normal circumstances it is not permissible for wives or families to accompany officers or other ranks travelling on duty in WD vehicles. In special cases where it is felt that circumstances warrant an exception to this rule application will be made to this HQ in advance for written authority. Full details must be given of the circumstances of each individual case and authority if given will cover one specific journey only.

All types vehs - 1/4d per mile (subject to a maximum of 6d for first 40 miles of any journey).

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8. CLAIMS ETC.

The repayment charges given in para 5 include an element for insurance. War Office are considering the case of families travelling by road on permanent change of stations, but in the meantime any persons using transport under the conditions of para 4 above should complete the proforma at Annexure 1.

9. COLLECTION OF CHARGES.

(a) Personnel conveyed in own unit WD transport. OCs will be responsible for collection of the amounts due to the public and will take on such amounts as receipts in their Imprest Account. The entry in the Imprest Account will be supported by a statement or voucher showing:-

- (i) The number of miles travelled.
- (ii) The numbers of persons carried.
- (iii) Type of vehicle.
- (iv) The amount due to the public.

Statements on vouchers will be serially numbered and bear a reference as follows:

"UNIT) /WDTRF/Serial No)" - and will be certified correct by the OC.

(b) Personnel conveyed in WD transport of another unit. The OC supplying the WD transport will prepare a Certified Statement (or voucher) in quadruplicate as in (a) above, immediately the service has been completed. The statement (or voucher) will also be endorsed to show the Unit to which the transport was supplied. One copy of the Statement will be sent to the appropriate Command Paymaster, and two copies to the OC Unit to which the WD transport was supplied. The fourth copy will be retained until notification is received from the Command Paymaster that payment has been made and brought into account. The OC Unit to which the WD transport was supplied, will pay in the amount of the Statement (or voucher), supported by the two copies of the Statement (or voucher), one copy of which will be returned to him receipted by the Cashier.

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DECLASSIFIED E.O. 12356 SECTION 3.3/NND No. 785020

ANNEXURE NO 1 PROVISIONAL ADM INSTRUCTIONS FOR MARRIED FAMILIES
(Q 121/23 of 24 December 45)

INDEMNITY

IN CONSIDERATION OF permission being granted for me to travel in WD vehicles, I, undertake and agree that neither I nor my executors or administrators will make any claim against the War Department, its servants or agents in respect of any loss or injury to property or persons granted (including injuries resulting in death) which I may suffer while being conveyed in WD vehicles or vehicles controlled by the War Department and I understand that no compensation whatsoever will be paid by War Department in respect of any such loss or injury and I agree so to bind myself, my executors and administrators to indemnify the War Department against any claim which may be made by any third party against the War Department arising out of any act or default on my part during, arising out of or occasioned by my being transported by WD vehicles or vehicles controlled by the War Department.

Signed

Witness

Address

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DATE

Subject:- Learner Clerks

(39)
LAND FORCES SUB-COMMISSION A.C.
8, B.L.U. ROME
4th. May 1946

To:- A.B.COWIE,
Chief Clerk,
M.M.I.A.

14922875 Gnr. Gumbley, E. - R.A.(Fd)

Reference the above mentioned soldier employed by me
as a clerk.

He has proved satisfactory and is capable of continuing
with his clerical duties.

In view of the above, I recommend that he be transferred
to R.A.S.C. and mustered as a clerk Gp. C, Class III.

J.G. Peak
Major J.G. Peak,
G II

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Copy to:- Camp Commandant, M.M.I.A.

PERSONAL

8/9/38

SUBJECT : Learner Clerks

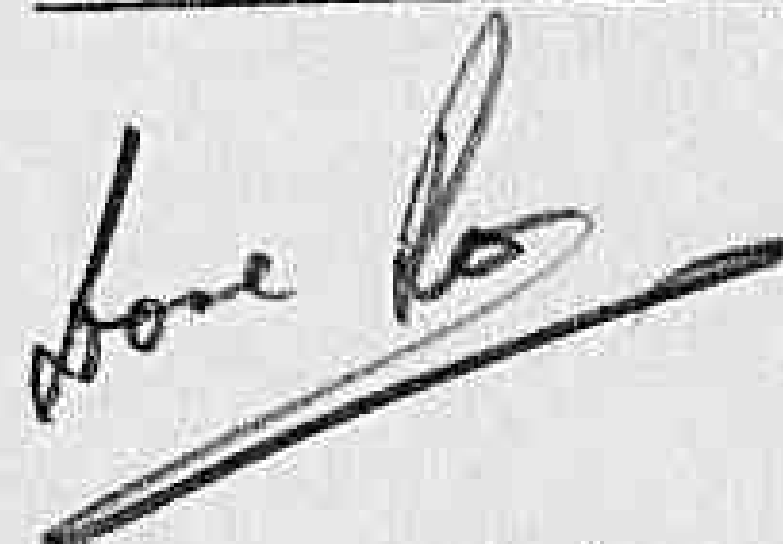
LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC, (MIA)

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Apr 46

TO : Major J.G. FEAK
GSO II
8 B.L.U.

149229875 Gnr GUMBLEY, E. - RA(Fd)

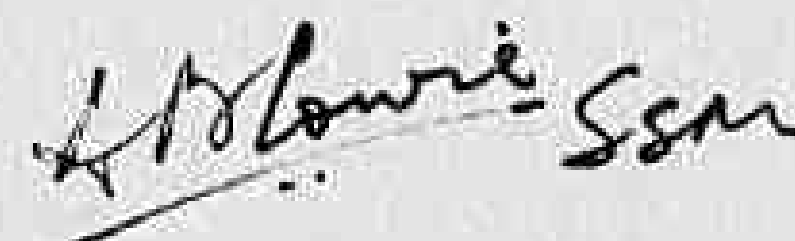
Ref the above mentioned soldier employed by you as a clerk.

I have to make a report on all learner clerks working with MIA and 8 BLU; as to whether they are capable of continuing satisfactorily with their clerical duties, or whether they should be returned to regimental duties.

In view of the above, would you please be good enough to express your views to me on paper, regarding the above, including a recommendation that he should be transferred to R.A.S.C. and mustered as a clerk Gp C Class III, or otherwise, as you consider appropriate.

In the case of your favourable report, action will be taken by the Camp Commandant with O2E to regularise his transfer and mustering as a clerk. Otherwise, he should be held by you until a suitable replacement is available - Camp would also act in this event.

Sir,



A.B. COWIE
Chief Clerk MIA

ABC/cc

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
ALO No 794 US ARMY

Telephone: 66671

B.L.H. ROME

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A/Q

Ref:- 8QA

26 Apr 46

SUBJECT:- Re-engagement into the Regular Army

Distribution 'R' British

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(i) Heading and throughout the ACI

Delete

"21 years"

Substitute

"22 years"

(ii) Delete Paragraph 2

Substitute

"With effect from 30 April 1946 re-engagements will be to complete 22 years service".

(iii) Paragraph 16

Delete 2nd sub Paragraph

Substitute

"A soldier who has previous colour service reckonable for pension and who will at the expiry of the period of colour service for which he last engaged has 22 or more years colour service will not however be allowed to extend his colour service under the above paragraph".

(iv) Paragraph 17 (a)

Delete sub Paragraph (d)

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Paragraph 17 (b)

Add new sub Paragraph (g)(h) and (j)

"(g) Soldiers who have re-engaged to complete 21 years service before 30 April 1946 may elect to change the engagement to complete 22 years service".
At E136 amended as under will be used for this purpose".

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(I) Line 2 of sub-heading

Delete "21 years"

Substitute "22 years"

(II) Line 9

Delete "21 years"

Substitute "22 years"

Paragraph 17 (h)

"Re-engagement to complete 22 years service will be carried out on AF B136 amended as in Sub Paragraph (g) above".

Paragraph 17 (j)

"Soldiers who enlisted as boys or as men between the age of 17 years and 18 years and who wish to continue in the service beyond 21 years for a period of less than 1 year to enable them to complete 21 years qualifying service for pension but who do not wish to complete a full 22 years service must nevertheless re-engage to complete 22 years service". This is necessary as with effect from 30 April 1946 Section 85 of the Army Act will provide for continuance in the service beyond 22 years only. On completion of 21 years qualifying service for pension, the soldier may elect discharge under Kings regulations 1940 Paragraph 390 (III), having claimed discharge after 3 months notice".

2. The provisions of the above amendments will be brought to the notice of all personnel immediately.



C. GARDINER
Staff Captain
for Lt Col
AA & QMG

APC/mf

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Subject : Administration - M.M.I.A.

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

A 360

25 Apr. '46.

To : List 3

1. A copy of this HQ letter A 360 to GHQ and the reply thereto, on the subject of the provision of personnel, is forwarded for your information.
2. As will be seen from para 4 of GHQ letter 1546/A-1 of 18 Apr. it may become necessary to initiate application for DOV in certain cases. Such applications will be co-ordinated at this HQ; they may be initiated however, by HQ MIA or a BLU Commander; in the latter case the application will be forwarded to this HQ for consideration.

AHC/as

Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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C O P Y

Subject : Administration - M.M.I.A.

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

A 360

15 Apr. '46.

To : CHQ CHM

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2. TURIN is a case in point where the CC BLU has been asked by 59 Area to act as OC troops and "outpost command" during the withdrawal period. While the Mission is trying to help in every way possible in these places, where its officers are in a position to do so, it is very difficult to act effectively without detriment to normal duties, unless we have adequate personnel etc.
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 - (b) assurance of future administrative arrangements to enable this Mission (incl its BLUs) to function properly. A statement of our personnel needs is attached; these are already known to

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Sgd) W. Pidsley, Colonel

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

C O P YSUBJECT : Reinforcements.

GFM. CMF.

1546/A-1

15 Apr 46.

TO :-- Land Forces Sub-Commission AC
(MIA) ROME.

Reference your A 360 dated 15 Apr 46.

1. The deficiencies of ORs in HQ MIA and BLUs as at 1 Apr 46 are noted.
2. In most cases the rfts required are not available in the theatre, but efforts are being made to make up a proportion of the deficiencies. It is understood that a certain number of rfts have recently been posted to 10 BLU.
3. Should further rfts of the categories required become available, steps will be taken to ensure that a fair proportion is allotted to HQ MIA and BLUs.
4. To prevent HQ MIA and the BLU falling below the essential working minimum, you should, if necessary, initiate applications for DOV, as stated in this 1546/A-1 dated 23 Feb 46.

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(Sg) A. Boyce, Lt-Col.

1 Apr 46.

TO :- Lana - Oregon Sub-Commission AC
(MMA) BOMEL.

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4. To prevent HQ MMA and the BLUs falling below the essential working minimum, you should, if necessary, initiate applications for DOV as stated in this 1546/A-1 dated 23 Feb 46.

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(Sg) A. Boyce, Lt-Col.

for Brigadier.
DAG.

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2nd Battalion CIP

Sheet 1.

RECORD INSTRUCTIONS TO H. MARITALS AND H. LIST UNITS

21 Mar 46

Understand Note: All previous circulars of "Instructions, etc.", records
"Instructions" will continue to be effective unless cancelled.

DESCRIPTION OF MARITALS TO RESERVE ON DISCHARGE OF REGULAR SOLDIERS

In order that Officer i/c Records may be in a position to complete
description of soldiers serving on regular duty engagements on their
transfer to the reserve, or discharge, the following information will
be included in the report, notifying their discharge from the unit
for release, or on terminal leave:-

- (A) Height
- (B) Complexion
- (C) Eyes
- (D) Hair
- (E) Marks or scars

It is emphasised that the description required is that at the time
the soldier leaves the unit.

2. FAMILIES OF SERVING SOLDIERS IN H. MARITALS IN CIP

When an officer occupies "D. Married quarters he ceases to be
entitled to Field Allowance (if in issue) and Family Lodging Allowance.
Mediterranean Allowance continues to be admissible (if in issue).

In these cases units will ensure that the following casualty is
rendered without delay:-

"Occupied Furnished/Unfurnished/Married Quarters wof
CME to (field allowance)(a) Family Lodging Allowance wof same date."

The fact that the family of an Other Rank occupies Married Quarters
will also be reported. In these cases deduction for Quarters is made
automatically by the R.P. on receipt of the casualty.

3. MARITALS, BIRTHS & DEATHS - SOLDIERS' FAMILIES RESIDING IN CIP

Units are reminded that marriages, Births and Deaths in respect of
families of military personnel resident in CIP must be reported to this HQ.

Kd para 1741 refers, but it is pointed out that this HQ alone is
responsible for upkeep of Bs 112, 113 and 114 in this Command.

4. ENLISTMENT - RECORDING OF THE AGE OF SOLDIERS FOUND TO BE UNDER AGE
DECLARED ON ENLISTMENT

In all cases where soldiers other than those enlisted as boys, who,
on production of a birth certificate, are found to be under the age stated
on their attestation or record of Service paper, the following action will
be taken:-

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transfer to the reserve, or discharge, the following information will be included in L.S. 30141/3012 notifying their dispatch from the unit for release, or on colonial leave:-

- (A) Height
- (B) Complexion
- (C) Eyes
- (D) Hair
- (E) Marks or scars

It is emphasised that the description required is that at the time the soldier leaves the unit.

2. PAYMENTS OF SERVING MILITARY PAY PER SONNEL IN CEF

When an officer occupies a D. Married quarters he ceases to be entitled to Field Allowance (if in issue) and Family Lodging Allowance. Mediterranean Allowance continues to be admissible (if in issue).

In these cases units will ensure that the following casualty is rendered without delay:-

"Occupied Furnished/Unfurnished/Married Quarters not
 CEF to (Field Allowance)(a) Family Lodging Allowance not same date."

The fact that the family of an Other Rank occupies Married Quarters will also be reported. In these cases deduction for Quarters is made automatically by the R.P. on receipt of the casualty.

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4. ENLISTMENT - RECORDING OF THE AGE OF SOLDIERS FOUND TO BE UNDER AGE DECLARED ON ENLISTMENT

In all cases where soldiers other than those enlisted as boys, who, on production of a birth certificate, are found to be under the age stated on their attestation or Receipt of Service paper, the following action will be taken:-

- (1) Entry as shown below will be made on top of page 2 in AB 64 Part I in RED INK and will be initialled by an Officer:-

"Actual age claimed on(date)
 Birth certificate shows date of birth"(date)

- (2) Full details will be reported to G.H. 2nd Echelon.

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4. ENLISTMENT - RECORDING OF THE AGE OF SOLDIERS FOUND TO BE UNDER AGE DECLARED ON ENLISTMENT (Continued)

It must be clearly understood that the age recorded on enlistment will NOT be amended and that this age will be regarded as the soldier's age for all Army purposes other than:-

- (1) Drafting oversons.
- (2) Eligibility for admission to the married establishment and/or issue of Family Allowance under peace-time regulations.
- (3) Reckoning of Age/Service Group where, in the case of Army Class personnel only, obvious clerical errors in the year of birth, as entered in the Records of Service, may be ignored and the proven year of birth inserted.

5. UNLOCATED PERSONNEL

Information is sought in respect of the undermentioned soldier who is unlocated in records at this Headquarters. Any unit holding this man on strength or having knowledge of him will communicate IMMEDIATELY with this Headquarters:-

CY/1481 Dvr SALVADU N - Cyprus Regt.

6. PROCEDURE - APPLICATIONS FOR PROMOTIONS, POSTS GS, POSTING ETC.

Osc Units are reminded that authority must be sought from this HQ for promotions to the rank of /Sjt (or its equivalent) and above, under the terms of GRC 63/46: such applications, and also any casualties notifying the promotion of O's to lesser ranks, should state the name of the soldier whose departure has caused the vacancy, to avoid delay at this HQ when information regarding recent creation of a vacancy may not have been received.

7. PROCEDURE - General

In order that action on casualties and correspondence from X/1 List Formations and H's may be taken most expeditiously, the following points are brought to notice for compliance:-

- (a) Complete regimental particulars of soldiers concerned must be stated, including List of Service and, in accordance with Record Instruction to Formations etc. No. 3, trade (if any).
- (b) Where a formation is organised on more than one War Establishment the Index No. of the War Establishment concerned should be clearly shown on letters and casualties. Where a War Establishment has recently been amended and the amendment is the subject of requests for promotions etc., the full details should be quoted, including particulars of authority from GHQ which implements the change.
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CY/10494 Dvr SALVADU N - Cyprus Regt.

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Where authority is given for a promotion, the letter reference and date should invariably be shown in the "Remarks" column of PW3011a/PW3012i.
- (d) Rank vacancies for tradesmen cannot normally be filled by non-tradesmen, and, conversely, non-tradesmen rank vacancies cannot normally be filled by promotion of tradesmen.
Authority for the mustering and demustering of personnel must be sought from this HQ.

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7. PROCEDURE - General (Continued)

In view of the amount of detail in respect of employment and rank laid down in War Establishments of A/1 units, applications for promotions, musters & and postings etc., should clearly state the specific vacancy or vacancies which it is proposed to fill.

C.M.S.
R.R.

R. High Cpt

for Brigadier,
D.C.,
CIN 2nd Echelon.

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GHQ 2ND DIVISION CITE
OUS No 134
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Last Pt II Order was serial 133 dated 18.4.46

THE LOVAT SCOUTS

1.1. STRENGTH DECREASE

TO UK - PARLIAM

CTBE to Med Alice & sos CMF
wef 4.4.46 on entraining
Milan for UK (FARLEAF)

2. POSTING

Posted & to 307 TC wef
10.4.46. Remains X1 list.

3. REVIEW OF SENTENCE

Sentence reviewed on 15.3.46
and suspended by DAG, GHQ CMF.
44S Group now assessed as shown

4. MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

The m/nnnd personnel, now in UK (X 128/46 refers) were medically examined on dates shown. (AFSW3149 to Records)

322050 Cpl Sharp D 27 (X8a) Mod examined on 28.2.46. (W3149 to Records, Perth)

THE ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS

1. LIMP

14595319 Fuc Moffatt J 42 Arr TC CMP ex LIAP & ont to Med Alice
wof 29.3.46. RTU Claims & Hirings
GHQ wof 31.3.46

2. HONOURS AND AWARDS

awarded 1939/45 STAR & ITALY STAR

THE CAMERONIANS (SR)

1. STRENGTH DECREASE

Comp t'rd from Camerונים(SR)
to RASC in rank of Pte under

Comp tfird from Cameroonians(SR)
to RASC in rank of Ptc under
ACI 626/39 & posted to X1 List
HQ Bti. wcf 15.12.45. Passed
STT as Clerk Gp C Cl III wcf
15.12.45. (02E/94225/Co(T)
dated 3.4.46)

MEDICAL EXAMINATION

2. 1820302 Ken Wilson J 28 (X/b) Mad examined on 30 3/16. (W31)10

3. REVIEW OF SENTENCE

14402152 Tpr Hutchinson H 70 D3DR

Sentence reviewed on 15.3.46 and suspended by DAG, GHQ CMF. AGG Group now assessed as shown.

4. MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

135389	Tpr Briody	F	11.4.46
2929708	PLS Evans	L	28.2.46
1448419	Tpr Gapper	R	11.4.46
325229	Tpr Lobban	D	26.2.46
2930590	Tpr McGarritty	T	26.2.46
223000	Tpr MacLeod	M	26.2.46

The m/mnd personnel, now in UK (X 128/46 refers) were medically examined on dates shown. (AFSW3149 to Records)

322050 Cpl Sharp D 27 (X8a) Med examined on 28.2.46. (W3149 to Records, Perth)

THE ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS

1. LLAP

14595319 Fus Moffatt J 42 Arr TC CMF ex LLAP & ent to Med Alice wcf 29.3.46. RTU Claims & Hirings GHQ wcf 31.3.46

2. HONOURS AND AWARDS

14219904 Fus Stone
P/L 8 Air Mm Sigs

L 49 Awarded 1939/45 STAR & ITALY STAR

THE CAMERONIANS (SR)

1. STRENGTH DECREASE

Transfor Out - Other Arm

14909628 Rfn Wright S 61 (X1)
HQ BTA

Comp tfd from Camerons (SR) to RASC in rank of Pte under

ACI 626/39 & posted to X1 List HQ BTA wcf 15.12.45. Passed SFT as Clerk Gp C Cl III wcf 15.12.45. (O2E/94225/Co(T) dated 3.4.46)

MEDICAL EXAMINATION

1820302 Rfn Wilson J 28 (X4b)

Med e amined on 30.3.46. (W3149 To Records, Perth)

3. PROMOTIONS & APPOINTMENTS

991062 ULC Stone R 20 (X1)

Granted pay of appt within WE of "X" Spec Rec Camp wcf 14.3.46 having held a/u rank for 21 days

4. LLAP

14341678 Rfn Wellings H 41 (X1)

Left unit 2.4.46. Left TC CMF for leave in UK 6.4.46.

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THE CAMERONIANS (SR) Contd

5. TRADESMEN
14896120 Rfn Paddison J 64 (74a) Passed STT as Clerk Gp C
02E CMF Cl III & mustered as such wef
5.4.46.
6. ABSENCE
14492392 Rfn Smith A 63 (X4a) AWOL 1300hrs 12.3.46.
Still AWOL 20.3.46. (From 3 TC)

7. HONOURS & AWARDS
Authority is given for the following awards.
(B 2070's & E 2068's to Records, Perth)
- 3242340 W/S Alderton A 50R 1939/45 STAR & ITALY STAR
55 Post Camp
- 3245993 W/S Coghlan R 36DS DEFENCE MEDAL
ACA(BE)
- 2701121 P/S Low J 46 1939/45 STAR & ITALY STAR
GSDIC TC
- 3248592 P/C/S Naylor J 26 1939/45 STAR, ITALY STAR, DEFENCE MEDAL
No 1 S.I. (b) Unit IC
- 3252954 Rfn Rhodes J 31 1939/45 STAR & ITALY STAR.
4 Air Rmn Sigs
- 2878568 W/S Stevens S 27 AFRICA STAR, BURMA STAR, ITALY STAR
GHQ Pool for Tr Hotel Duties & DEFENCE MEDAL.
- 5343969 Rfn Waldoek C 31 DEFENCE MEDAL
02E CMF

8. SUMMARY AWARDS
14466120 Rfn Reynolds J 68 (Admonished by OC 20 Assy Centre on
PBE serial 45 { 25.3.46 & ordered to pay 6d for
14878219 Rfn Curran C 64 { cost of damage for Wilfully breaking
PBE serial 9 { a window-pane valued 6d on 24.3.46.

1. POSTINGS
14209214 Pte Ogilvie A 40 (X1PMU) Posted to X4a List 2 CRU
1 Civ Cons Fd Station wef 3.4.46.
2758764 Pte Bruce R 49DS (X3) Released 32 MP&DB 22.3.46
Days served 334, marks 100, To duty at 159 TC same date. To X4a List.
2. HOSPITAL
2760575 Pte Martin D DS (X3) Adm 32 Rec Station 19.3.46
Disch to "G" MP&DB 29.3.46.

3. MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS
1460936 P/C/S James E 29 (P/A) Med examined on 5.4.46.
5052143 P/C/S Reading A28 (P/A) Med examined on 5.4.46.

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THE BLACK WATCH (RHR)

1. POSTINGS
14209214 Pte Ogilvie A 40 (X1PMU) Posted to X4a List 2 GRU
1 Civ Cons Fd Station wef 3.4.46.
2758764 Pte Bruce R 49DS (X3) Released 32 MP&DB 22.3.46
Days served 334, marks 834
100% To duty at 159 TO same date. To X4a List.

2. HOSPITAL
2760575 Pte Martin D DS (X3) Adm 32 Rec Station 19.3.46
Disch to "G" MP&DB 29.3.46.

3. MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS
4460936 PA/C/S James E 29 (P/4) Med examined on 5.4.46.
5052143 PA/CSM Reading A28 {X1} Med examined on 13.4.46
898811 Pte Stringer R29 {X1} Med examined on 9.4.46.
(W 3149s to Records, Perth).

4. ABSENCE
14200123 Pte Duggan W 54DS (X4a) AWOL from BRD 2130hrs 27.3.46

5. SUMMARY AWARDS
14200123 Pte Duggan W 54DS (X4a) Admonished by OC BRD on 25.3.46
& forfeits 3 days pay by RW for
AWOL 5.2.46 to 8.2.46. PBE 30.

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earned 80 days" (X45/46 refers)
(Rece Perth Wing 8/B/15 of 1.4.46)

THE HIGHLAND LIGHT INFANTRY

1. STRENGTH INCREASE

UX UK
3322554 PLS Thompson " 29DV(1) Ent to Med Allee & tos CMF wof
19.3.46 on detaining Milan ex
UK (Draft RPRFP). To X4a List a
305 TC.

2. STRENGTH DECREASE

(a) To UK
1134391 Pte Douglas A 42 (X4a) Reverts to Home Est & sos CMF
on adm to hosp in UK ex LIAP
wef 4.9.45. Recs 1/HQ/4118 of
29.3.46 refers.
5951068 PLS McCoy J 22DR(x8a) CTBE to Med Allee & sos CMF on
5044723 PLC Roper G 15DR(x8a) entraining Milan form UK
(NUKITO) wof 6.4.46.

(b) To MEF
14725513 Pte Saw J 60 (X1)
14782944 Pte Deasley F 61 (X1)
59 MQU
14725765 Pte Cameron D 60 (X1)
14806903 Pte Clark W 62 (X1)
14441194 Pte Hyslop S 57DR(X1)
94 PAC
sos CMF to MEF
wof 31.3.46.

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(c) Transfers Out - Other Arms
14595855 Pte Kitken K 55(P/A)
Comp tfird from HLI to ACO in
rank as shown under ACI 626/39
wef 4.1.46. Passed STT for Cook
Gp B CI III & P/A 16 Base Wks
REME wof same date. (02E/27740/
Co(T), dated 19.2.46)

2. POSTINGS
3324001 Pte Agnew J 32 (X1)
"X" TC
14602323 Pte Ogden E 43 (X1)
OC Tps Constantine
Posted & tos GHQ Offrs Mess
7.4.46. Remains X1 List.
Posted BRD wof 29.3.46. Posted
& tos JAGs Staff Pool GHQ CMF
wof 8.4.46 & att Naples Area
for duty with DJAG same date.
Remains X1 List.

Contd SHEET FOUR...

THE HIGH AND LOW INJURY (Contd)

2. POSTINGS (Contd)
 14302873 Pte Greenhalgh S 49 (X1) Posted "A" Coy RASC (BTA Car) and P/A RASC wof 28.3.46.
 HQ BTA
 3308785 Pte Russell C 46DS(X4a) Tos 3RD wof 26.3.46. Remains X4a list.
 14292834 Pte Carter W 33 (X4a) Posted 27 Coy RASC & P/A RASC wof 6.3.46.

3. HOSPITAL
 14313975 Pte Bland H 49 (X4a) Adm 23 GH 29.3.46. Disch 31.3.46.
 3248782 Pte Mathieson G 26 (X1) Adm 130 GH 1.4.46. To X2 List.
 14402792 Pte Bruce K 49 (X1) Adm 64 GH 4.4.46. Disch to 20 Assy Centre 6.4.46.

4. PROMOTIONS & APPOINTMENTS
 3314016 W/C Gooney J 23DV(2) Promoted A/U/Sjt within VE of AOA (Bt) wof 1.4.46.
 3327590 Pte Wharton J 36 (HQU) Granted W3 rank of Cpl wof 7.4.46 having held P/A rank for period of 90 days.

5. TRADES
 1472577 Pte Smith K 59 (X4a) Passed SIV as Clerk Gp C Class III wof 5.4.46 & mastered wof same date.

6. LLAP
 5514018 W/C Gooney J 23DV(2) Left unit 4.4.46. Left TC CMF for 6.4.46.
 14991296 Pte Nelson H 57 Left unit 1.4.46. Left TC CMF & CTBE to Med Alice wof 6.4.46.

7. HONOURS AND AWARDS
 14402792 Pte Bruce K 49 Awd 1939/45 STAR & ITALY STAR.
 20 Assy Centre

8. SUMMARY AWARDS
 3309959 Pte Douglas W 52DS Awd 14 days CB by OC 203 PW Camp on 25.3.46 & forfeits 1 days pay by RW for (1) AWOL 1515hrs 22.3.46 to 0950hrs 23.3.46 (2) AWOL from guard mounting parade at 1700hrs 22.3.46 (3) Breaking out of barracks whilst a defaulter on 22.3.46. PBE 43 Awd 4 days CB & deprived of 4 days pay by OC 203 PW Camp on 30.3.46 & forfeits 1 days pay by RW for (1) AWOL 223hrs 28.3.46 to 0900hrs 29.3.46 (2) Absent from parade on 29.3.46. PBE 44.

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14402792 Pte Bruce K 49 (X1) Adm 6.4 GH 4.4.46. Disch to
20 Assy Centre 6.4.46.

4. PROMOTIONS & APPOINTMENTS
3314010 W/C Gooney J 23DV(2) Promoted A/U/Sjt within VR
of ACA (BR) wof 1.4.46.
3327590 Pte Wharton J 36 (HQU) Granted W3 rank of Cpl wof
7.4.46 having held P/A rank
for period of 90 days.

5. TRADES
1472557 Pte Smith K 59 (X4a) Passed STT as Clerk Gp C Class
III wof 5.4.46 & mustered
wof same date.

6. LIAP
3314018 W/C Gooney J 23DV(2) Left unit 4.4.46. Left TC CMF
for CA 6.4.46.
14991296 Pte Nelson H 57 Left unit 1.4.46. Left TC CMF
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29.3.46. PBE 44.
1779971 Pte Connolly J 36 Awd 14 days CB by OC 203 PW Camp
on 27.3.46 for absence from
parade on 26.3.46.
14575262 Pte Shindler D 52 Admonished by Comd "8" PW Camp &
ordered to make good the sum of £3.
on 5.4.46 for wilfully damaging 1
greatcoat value £3 0.2d and 1pr
anklets web-valued at £1.0d on 2.4.46.
PBE No 10.

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William L.
Records Officer (Infantry)
GHQ 2nd Echelon CMF.

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CASUALTIES DUE TO ACCIDENTS AND SICKNESS — OTHER RANKS

ARMY FORM W.3011B (Books of 100)

SERIAL NO. 1

Number of Sheets to this return One

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	Corps or Regt.	Casualty		Remarks Any available information for communication to relatives should be stated.
				Nature of Casualty	Date	
3248732	Pte.	Mathieson, G. (A/S Group 25 - Deferred 3 mth)	H.L.I.	Admitted to No 100 General Hospital (SICK) w.e.f.	2nd/April/46.	
Copy to:- O.C. No 8 BLU for information.						

(Date) 5th/April/46 194

E.J. Hughes, Capt.
Captain Camp Commandant,
for Maj. Gen. Comdr.

(Signature and appointment of Officer)

No 8 BLU (thro. MIA)

Rome Area Allied Command. (Unit)

(Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

8 B.L.U.
HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND Telephone:- 66501
APO No 794, US ARMY

Ref:- 26A/X

SUBJECT:- Married Families

28 Mar 46



Distribution 'B' British

1. A recent check has revealed that considerable numbers of wives and children have not yet taken advantage of the facilities available for obtaining Vaccination and Inoculations.

2. The importance of every wife and child being protected against Smallpox by vaccination, and against Enteric Fever, Typhus and Tetanus by inoculation, cannot be too strongly emphasised.

3. The Enteric Fevers are common in Italy and outbreaks of Smallpox have recently occurred, whilst Tetanus is an ever present danger from cuts. In addition, every child over nine months of age should be protected against Diphtheria by means of immunisation.

4. In the case of foreign born wives, on return to the UK surveillance by the Public Health Authorities will be required, if they enter the country without adequate protection.

5. You are strongly urged in your own interest to give this advice your immediate and serious consideration, and to get your family protected against these serious diseases, as soon as possible.

6. Facilities for obtaining the above treatment free of charge are available as follows:-

(a) For families residing at the Hotel Eden and Hotel San Remo - under arrangements to be made at the Hotels.

(b) For families living in separate accommodation, at the Central M.I. Room, 100(Br) General Hospital on Tuesday 2 April 1946 at 14-30 hrs.

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W. J. [Signature]

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Military Manager Eden Hotel - 50)
Military Manager San Remo Hotel - 50)
= May distribution please be made to each family living in the Hotels as quickly as possible.

JB/ac.

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J. W. EVANS,
Staff Capt,
for Lt-Col,
AA & QMG.

B.L.U. RONE

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO HO 794 US ARMY

Telephone: 66501

Ref: - 58A/Y

SUBJECT: - Families Scheme 'A'

26 Mar 46

Distribution List 'B' (British)

1. The amended form of application for passage from the UK under Families Scheme 'A' which is shown as an appendix to this letter replaces the original appendix to ACI 1175/45 and will be taken into use forthwith. No application will be submitted to this HQ on any other type of application form.
2. It is evidently still not appreciated by all units what conditions must be fulfilled for an applicant to qualify to have his family sent out on Priority 3. These conditions are as follows:-
 - (a) He must have completed or be likely to complete a total of 2 years overseas on his current tour; AND
 - (b) He must be likely to stay for a further 12 months in his present command from the date on which he submits his application.
3. In cases where the applicant is eligible to return to the UK under PRIORITY during the following 12 months, he should be required to sign a certificate in accordance with ACI 1226/45 para 7 fore-going his PRIORITY rights for a period of 12 months from the date on which he submits his application. A certificate cannot be accepted if it is conditional upon the arrival of the family in the overseas Command.

JWE/mf

Encl.

J. W. EVANS
Staff Captain
for Lt Col
AA & GNG

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Distribution List 'B' (British)

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JWE/mf

Encl.

J. N. Evans
J. N. EVANS
Staff Captain
For Lt Col
AA & GMG

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APPENDIX 'A'

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR PASSAGE

1. (a) COMMAND.....
- (b) LOCATION OF STATION.....
2. Particulars of applicant :-
 - (a) NAME.....
 - (b) RANK.....
 - (c) REGIMENTAL OR PERSONAL NUMBER *.....
 - (d) REGIMENT OR CORPS (if R.A. state branch). F.....
 - (e) A & S Group * (details of deferment, if any).....
 - (f) Date due to return UK on FATHION
 - (Details of deferment, if any, with supporting certificate annexed) *.....
 - (g) Present appointment.....
 - (h) Date last left UK on present tour (Excluding ILLOP).....
- (* to be filled in by Army personnel)
3. Particulars of family :-
 - (a) Name of wife.....
 - (b) Name (s) of child/children..... Age Sex
 - (c) Present address.....
 - Tel. Number.....
 - (a) Priority claimed.....
 - (b) Periods of service overseas since 1 Sep 39.

From.....	to.....	Total.....	months
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- (a) NAME.....
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- (c) REGIMENTAL OR PERSONAL NUMBER *.....
- (d) REGIMENT OR CORPS (if R.A. state branch). *.....
- (e) A & S Group * (details of deferment, if any).....
- (f) Date due to return UK on FTYHOA.....
(Details of deferment, if any, with supporting certificate annexed) *.....
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3. Particulars of family:-

- (a) Name of wife.....
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- (c) Present address.....

Tel. Number.....

4. (a) Priority claimed.....

(b) Periods of service overseas since 1 Sep 39.

From.....	to.....	Total.....	months
From.....	to.....	Total.....	months
		Grand total.....	months

(c) Remarks. These should include any information to justify giving the application preferential treatment within the proper priority e.g. compassionate cases in Priority 3.

(NOTE. A certified true copy of the Medical Board proceedings must be attached if priority 2 is claimed).....

5. For civilian applicants (vide para. 2(b) of this ACI) :-

(a) Whether the appointment is for a fixed tenure :-

(i) If so, for how long.....

(ii) Probable date of return to UK.....

6. Signature of applicant.....

7. Recommendation of applicant's C.O/Head of Establishment

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief:

(a) The particulars set out above are correct.

(b) Suitable accommodation and facilities for medical and hospital treatment are available for the family.

(c) This officer/OR is likely to complete, by reason of formal contract, deferment of leave or Python rights or otherwise, a period of two or more years service overseas from the beginning of his current tour.

(d) This officer/OR will continue to serve for a further 12 months in his present command.

I recommend that the application be granted.

(Signed).....
(C.O/Head of Establishment).

8. Recommended

(Signed).....
(Brigade etc., Comd)

9. Recommended

(Signed).....
(Divisional, etc. Comd).

10. Recommended

(Signed).....
(Corps etc. Comd).

11. Recommendation by G.O.C. -in-C.

I am satisfied that this officer/OR is eligible under the.

7. Recommendation of applicant's C.O./Head of Establishment

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief:

- (a) The particulars set out above are correct.
 - (b) Suitable accommodation and facilities for medical and hospital treatment are available for the family.
 - (c) This officer/OR is likely to complete, by reason of formal contract, deferment of leave or Python rights or otherwise, a period of twelve or more years service overseas from the beginning of his current tour.
 - (d) This officer/OR will continue to serve for a further 12 months in his present command.
- I recommend that the application be granted.
- (Signed).....
(C.O./Head of Establishment).

8. Recommended

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(Signed).....
(Divisional, etc. Comd).

10. Recommended

(Signed).....
(Corps etc. Comd).

11. Recommendation by G.O.C.-in-C.

I am satisfied that this officer/OR is eligible under the terms of this ACI to have his family in this Command, and that suitable accommodation and facilities for medical and hospital treatment are available for the applicant's family.

I recommend that the application be granted.

(Signed).....
(G.O.C. in C.)

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B.L.U. ROME
G II
A/Q

Appendix 'A' to
HQ RAAC W.A.B.
Serial No. 2 dated
27 Mar 46

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ARMY COUNCIL INSTRUCTION NO 179 OF 1946

TRAVELLING - Conditions Governing the Provision of Entitled Passages by Sea for the Families of Officers and Other Ranks Moving to the United Kingdom and between Stations Overseas.

1. The following rules governing the movement of families to the United Kingdom and between stations overseas, under the special conditions prevailing during the transition period from war to peace, will modify the provisions of Allowance Regulations, 1944, Section 7, until further notice. The movement of families from the United Kingdom is governed by ACI 1175 of 1945.

2. Overseas stations to which passages may be granted.

Passages will normally be granted at present only to the following overseas stations:-

Australia	India	North Caribbean Area
Austria	Italy	South Africa
Bermuda	Malta	South Caribbean Area
Canada	Middle East	United States of America
East Africa	Norway	West Africa (excluding children).
Gibraltar	North Africa	

This list will be varied from time to time, fresh areas being added in the light of prevailing circumstances and with the agreement of the GOC-in-C concerned.

Passages will not be provided to stations other than those detailed above without the prior consent of the War Office and then only when there are exceptional official reasons which make this necessary. In such cases the GOC-in-C concerned will submit his recommendations to the War Office (AG 3 (d)) for consideration, together with a certificate that suitable accommodation and facilities for medical and hospital treatment are available for the family.

3. Families entitled to passage to accompany or to join the officer or other rank at certain stations overseas.

When an officer or other rank who is serving at an overseas station where his family is residing is posted to one of the stations specified in

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DECLASSIFIED E.O. 12356 SECTION 3.3/NND No. 785020

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When an officer or other rank who is serving at an overseas station where his family is residing is posted to one of the stations specified in para. 2 above, the overseas command in which he is serving will, whenever possible, arrange for the family to accompany him, or if this is not possible, to join him when opportunity permits. Passage will be provided at public expense if:-

- (a) There is entitlement to passage under the rules of Allowance Regulations, 1944.
- (b) The officer or other rank has completed, or it is anticipated that he will complete, two or more years overseas from the

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beginning of his current tour, and that at least 12 months remain to be served in the command to which he is proceeding.

4. When an officer or other rank is serving at one of the overseas stations specified in para. 2 above and his family is residing in another country overseas, the family may join him at his station at the public expense, provided that:-

(a) There is entitlement to a passage to the United Kingdom or to the normal place of residence of the officer or other rank.

(b) The officer or other rank has completed, or it is anticipated that he will complete, two or more years overseas from the beginning of his current tour and that at least 12 months remain to be served in the command to which they are proceeding.

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Claims for passage to join the officer or other rank at a station mentioned in para. 2 for the following families, which have no entitlement to conveyance to the United Kingdom, will be referred to the War Office (Q(M)1(a)) for consideration:-

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It should be noted that the refusal of a passage will end the family's entitlement to public accommodation and special overseas rates of allowances and cause forfeiture of all entitlement to passage at the public expense, subject to para. 11 below. Cases where the acceptance of a passage would involve the family in exceptional hardship will be forwarded to the War Office (AG 3 (a)).

7. Families entitled to passage on voluntary separation overseas (other than those referred to in para. 2 below).

If a family residing with an officer or other rank in a country overseas is unwilling to accompany or join him on posting to a station to which there is an entitlement to passage under para. 3 above, the following rules will apply:-

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Cases where the operation of this rule would involve the family in exceptional hardship will be forwarded to the War Office (AG 3 (d)).

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(a) When an officer or other rank who is serving at an overseas station where his family is residing returns to the United Kingdom on leave, his family may accompany him to the United Kingdom or join him there at the public expense, if entitled to passage under the normal rules of Allowance Regulations 1944.

(b) When an officer or other rank who is serving at an overseas station where his family is residing returns to the United Kingdom on posting, his family, if entitled to a passage under the normal rules of Allowance Regulations 1944, will be granted a passage

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to accompany him, or if this is not possible, to join him when opportunity permits.

(c) A return passage granted as in sub-para (a) or (b) above will not prejudice the family's entitlement under ACI 1175 of 1945 to a further outward passage from the United Kingdom, should the officer or other rank subsequently begin another PYTHON tour overseas, except in the cases of families of locally commissioned or enlisted personnel who are not entitled to return passage under the provisions of ACI 1175 of 1945.

(d) If a family having proceeded abroad at public expense, or at private expense with War Office permission, subsequently moves elsewhere under private arrangements, it will retain entitlement to a return passage to the United Kingdom at a cost not exceeding that from the station to which it proceeded originally.

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Families entitled to conveyance to the United Kingdom may be granted anticipatory passages in accordance with the provisions of Allowance Regulations, 1944, para. 447.

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If it is considered necessary, in cases of extreme compassionate urgency, that a family should return to the United Kingdom, and if the officer or other rank cannot be posted to the United Kingdom, the GOC-in-C concerned may grant entitled passage as opportunity occurs. When the officer or other rank does not accompany the family, his approval to its return must first be obtained. A passage thus granted will exhaust the family's entitlement to a further outward passage from the United Kingdom for the remainder of the officer's or other rank's current PYTHON tour overseas.

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The families of officers and other ranks which have proceeded to an overseas station without the permission of the War Office are not eligible for the grant of a passage under this ACI. They will, however, in common with all other families overseas, become entitled to proceed at public expense to the country in which the officer or other rank takes his release, as an when he proceeds there himself for that purpose, but not before.

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They will submit their applications to their COs who will forward them through the usual channels to the headquarters of the command in which they are serving.

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The GOC-in-C of the command to which the family is to proceed will satisfy himself that:-

- (a) Suitable accommodation is available which is not required for a family with greater claims wishing to proceed to the station from the United Kingdom and for whom passage is available.
- (b) Facilities for medical and hospital treatment are available for the family.

Intual arrangements for the allocation of passage will be made with the command in which the family is residing.

13. ACIs 683 of 1941 and 2578 of 1942 are hereby CANCELLED.

(A summary of this ACI is No. 240 in the series "Notice Board Information").

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URGENTHQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794, US ARMYTelephone:- 66501

Ref:- 33A1/Y

SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Families

22 Mar 46

Distribution "E" British

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HQ BOME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY

Telephone: 66504

Ref:- 73A/POL

19 Mar 46

SUBJECT:- Marriage between alien women on the
Continent of Europe and British
soldiers

Distribution "B" British

1. Copy of War Office letter HQ/POL/137 (AG4a) dated 24 Jan 46 is attached for information.
2. In cases where British military personnel in CEF apply for permission to marry an alien living on the Continent of Europe, if the applicant is due to return to the UK on Pytton or Release within the four months immediately following his application, he should be advised to adopt the procedure indicated on arrival in the UK.
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HQ/FOI/137 (AG4a)

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THE WAR OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W.1.

14 January, 1946

Memorandum for:

All Commands at Home
GOSC Northern Ireland and London District

Subject: Marriage between Alien women on the Continent
of Europe and British soldiers

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5. An applicant should, if possible, call at the Home Office (Aliens Department) 10, Old Bailey, LONDON, E.C.2., before he writes as above, to verify the contents of para. 4., which may be subject to alteration from time to time. If it is impossible to call, the applicant should send a copy of his letter to the woman to the Home Office (Aliens Department) for information.
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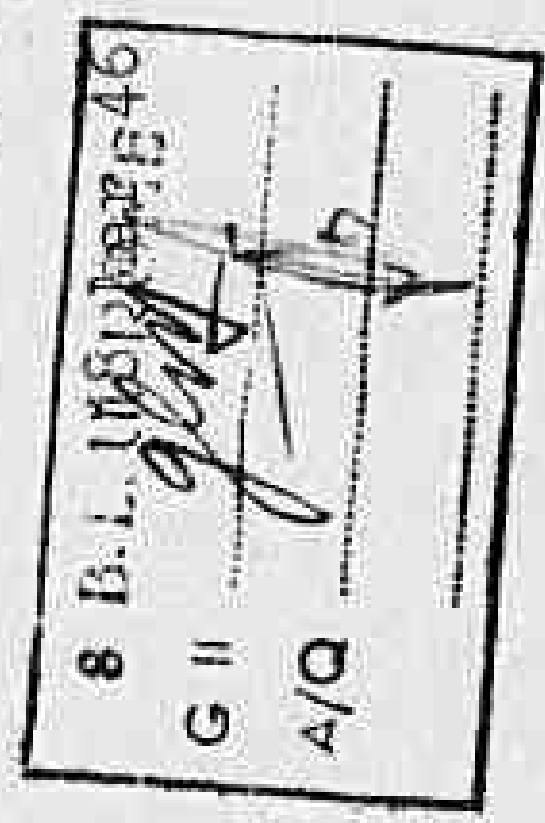
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HQ ROLE AREA ALLIED COMMAND Telephone: - 66501.
APO No 794, US ARMY

Ref: - 73A/POL

SUBJECT: - Repatriation and Marriage
of Alien Fiancées



Distribution "B" British

1. Arrangements have been made by the War Office for the repatriation to the UK of an alien fiancée of a soldier if the soldier is in the UK himself and has signed a statutory declaration required by the Home Office, stating that he will comply with the following conditions:-

- (a) That he is legally free to marry.
- (b) That he will marry the repatriated fiancée within two months of her entry into the UK.
- (c) That he will provide a home for her.

2. The British Consular Representative has authority to issue visas for entry into the UK.

3. As the journey to the UK would be difficult without military assistance, when a request is received from War Office to repatriate a fiancée, arrangements for her journey by the most suitable means will be made by GHQ.

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SUBJECT:- Accommodation - Married Officers and O.R's.

Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C.,
M.M.I.A.
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12. March 1946

TO : The War Minister

1. Reports from MMIA Liaison Officers throughout ITALY lay stress on the uneasiness and lowering of morale of Officers and O.R's where no arrangements exist for the provision of accommodation for themselves (and their families) at Government expense.
2. It seems to me that this is a most important question particularly in view of the recent decision that the pay of Officers cannot be substantially increased.
3. Now that an increasing number of Barracks and other accommodation is being released by the Allies throughout ITALY I feel that it should be possible to organise the provision of some form of suitable family accommodation for Officers and N.C.O's of the regular cadre.
4. It is certainly desirable, I might almost say essential, from the morale and efficiency point of view that the present conditions should be considerably improved.
5. I should be grateful if you would inform me as soon as possible what the present regulations are in regard to the provision of accommodation (or allowances in lieu); to what extent accommodation is being provided; and how you propose to improve conditions in the near future.

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L. Browning
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Copy to:- List "B" - the above letter is forwarded for information.

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMLAND
APO No 794 US ARMY

Telephone: 66501

Ref:- 80A

1 Mar 46

SUBJECT:- Re-enlistment on Normal Regular
Army Engagements

Distribution "P" British

1. ACI 216 of 1946, which is about to be promulgated, will cancel, as from 1 March 46, ACI 1435 of 1942 and this HQ 80A of 21 Dec 45, and will authorise, as from 1 March 46, re-enlistment on normal Regular Army engagements, which will be for 5 years with the colours and 7 years on the reserve, or alternatively 12 years with the colours. GHQ 2nd Echelon authority is required for the latter engagement.

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3. Regiments or Corps open for enlistment, and Medical standards are as follows:

- (a) Household Cavalry and Infantry, including Foot Guards - AI;
- (b) RAC, RA and RE - AI and A2;
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- (e) RAMC, AD Corps, RAOC, CMT and ACC - AI to B6.

4. Minimum height in inches is as follows:

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- (c) RAC, RA, R.Signals and Infantry other than MG - 62;
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HQ ROUTE AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794, US ARMY

Telephone:- 66501

Ref:- 58A

26 Feb 46

SUBJECT:- Families Scheme "A"List "B" British Distribution

1. In order to avoid unnecessary delay, all future applications will bear the following additional information.
2. To Para 4(c) of the application form add, when applicable, Remarks - Regulars. The date due for PYTHON and whether the applicant is willing to defer PYTHON if necessary, should be stated.
3. To Para 4(c) of the application form add, when applicable, Remarks - Non Regulars. The Age/Service Group of the applicant and whether release has been deferred, and if so the period of deferment. The date due for PYTHON and whether the applicant is willing to defer PYTHON if necessary, should be stated.

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY

Telephone: 66601

Ref:- 58A/B/1

26 Feb 46

SUBJECT:- Families Scheme "B"

Distribution "D" British

Reference this HQ letter 58A/B of 11 Feb 46.

1. Insert a new paragraph number 17 to read as follows:

"Where husband and wife are living together in other than military accommodation provided under the scheme (ie in Eden or San Remo Hotels) rations may be drawn at the scale laid down for married families. Application will be made to this HQ in each case for the approval of the Commander British Troops ROME before such facilities are provided."

A.L.LOUDEN
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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND

APO NO 794 US ARMY

Ref: 58A/B

11 Feb 46

SUBJECT: Families Scheme "B"

Distribution "B" British

1. The wives and families of British Service personnel now residing in the CMF will be entitled to certain facilities under a scheme known as Families Scheme "B".

2. Reference is made to this HQ letter 58A of 31 Jan 46 in which applications were called for from eligible personnel.

3. These applications are being examined, and units will be informed when accommodation is available for the applicant and his family.

4. Except in any special cases which may arise, quarters will be provided as follows:-

Officers - Hotel ADEN
ORs - Hotel SAN REMO.

5. Application will be accepted by this HQ at any time on the form issued with this HQ letter 58A of 31 Jan 46.

ELIGIBILITY

Personnel will only be eligible if they have a period in excess of 3 months still to serve in this theatre and at present applications will not be accepted from those in Age/Service Group 28 or below.

6. In cases where there are children by a previous marriage it may not be possible to provide accommodation for them, and on this account a soldier may be excluded from the scheme.

7. It is pointed out that accommodation for married families is limited and it may not be possible to include all applicants in this scheme.

8. The provision of accommodation for families from UK under Families Scheme "B" will take priority over Families Scheme "B".

(12)

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Distribution "B" British

1. The wives and families of British Service personnel now residing in the CMF will be entitled to certain facilities under a scheme known as Families Scheme "B".

2. Reference is made to this HQ letter 58 A of 31 Jan 46 in which applications were called for from eligible personnel.

3. These applications are being examined, and units will be informed when accommodation is available for the applicant and his family.

4. Except in any special cases which may arise, quarters will be provided as follows:-

Officers - Hotel EDEN
CRs - Hotel SAN REMO.

5. Application will be accepted by this HQ at any time on the pro-forma issued with this HQ letter 58A of 31 Jan 46.

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9. A soldier may make application for quarters for his wife if she is resident outside ITALY but in CMF (ie. resident in GREECE or NORTH AFRICA) and if he is granted quarters his wife will be given free passage to his station.

10. Scale of baggage which may be carried in these circumstances is as follows:-

Officers' Wives:	12 cwt per head
" Children:	135 lbs per head
CRs' Wives:	4 cwt per head
" Children:	112 lbs per head

11. In addition 56 lbs per head hand luggage may be carried.

12. The detailed instructions for the provision of Accommodation, Rations, Transport, Light and Documentation, Pay and Allowances, etc, are the same as per Families Scheme "A" and are contained in this HQ Provisional Administration Instructions for married Families" (Ref Q121/23 dated 24 Dec 45) as amended by Amendment No 1 (Ref Q121/23 of 17 Jan 46).

13. The following additional instructions will apply to Families Scheme "B":-

The wives and families of officers and other ranks residing in this Theatre should be protected against the following diseases:-

- Smallpox - by vaccination
- Enteric group disease - by TAB inoculation
- Typhus - by TAV inoculation

In addition, the protective inoculation of children against diphtheria is strongly recommended.

Special examinations (e.g. "X"-ray, blood tests, microscopical examinations, etc.) will be charged as laid down by Allowance Regulations 1944 Article 71 para 9.

14. In the case of Officers or other Ranks who are not eligible under this scheme owing to the fact that the husband has less than three months to serve in this theatre, application can be made for the husband to live at the wife's place of residence.

15. Permission can be granted by the soldiers' Commanding Officer subject to the following conditions:

- (a) The place of residence will be inspected under arrangements to be made by ADMS, Rome Area Allied Command, and passed as suitable;
- (b) Application will be made to 52 Town Major, RAME, who will issue the soldier with the necessary authority to live in a private residence in RAME.

16. These wives and families will be entitled to Medical and Dental treatment, and EFI rations can be drawn by the husband through his own unit for his wife and family on the same basis as Medical treatment and EFI supplies are provided under Families Scheme "B".

17. ~~These wives and families will not be entitled to rations.~~
WHERE SEE LETTER DATED 26 FEB 46.

- AMENDMENT. FOLIO 14.

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WHEN
SEE LETTER DATED 26 FEB 46.
- AMENDMENT. FWD 14.

A.L. LOUDEN
Major
DAMO
for Lt Col
AA & QMG

11 Feb 46

SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Families

Distribution "B" British

1. Information has been received that a new ACI concerning eligibility for passages of families between stations, is at present being compiled.

2. In order to assist the planning of this ACI, details are requested as soon as possible of all families resident in countries other than those in which husbands are serving (except in UK) in respect of whom applications for repatriation have, or have not, been submitted.

3. This information should be set out as under, and submitted in duplicate:-

Particulars of Husband

Rank, Name, Number and Initials

A/S Group
Nationality
Country of Normal Residence
Address

Particulars of Wife

Name
Maiden name
Nationality
Country of Normal Residence
Address

REMARKS

T.A'HERN
Staff Captain,
for Lt-Col

8 B.L.U. ROME
G II <i>Aug</i>
A/C <i>29 Dec 45.</i>

8 B.L.U. 10
(P)

SUBJECT : MMIA Directive No.2 (G/7 dated 7 Dec 45).

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA).

G/7.

TO : Distr below.

28 Dec 45.

Amendment No.4 to MMIA Directive No.2.

1. The attached Appx 'F' will be added to MMIA Directive No.2.
2. ACK.

ARCS/13b

A. Monte
Major General. *G. M.*
M.M.I.A. *G. M.*

Distribution

- List 'A' (less Serials 9, 10, 11, 18, 19).
- List 'B' (2 copies)
- List 'C' (6 copies to Ser 1)

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Appendix 'D' to MMIA Directive No. 2
(G/7 dated Dec 7 1945)

OBJECT

1. The correct method of dealing with personnel services questions concerning BLU personnel is as follows.

PERSONNEL

2. Officers : (a) All postings, appointments, changes of employment, confidential reports, applications for interviews (c.g. with M.S.) and applications for courses will be dealt with through HQ MMIA.
(b) Normal routine documentation such as A.F.W3010A will be sent direct to GHQ, 2nd Echelon by units with copies to HQ MMIA. In the case of A.F.W3008 HQ MMIA need not be included on the distribution list.
3. Other Ranks : (a) All postings and documentation will be done direct to GHQ, 2nd Echelon in the normal manner. Any particular difficulties that arise can be referred to HQ MMIA.
(b) HQ MMIA will be kept fully informed as to OR strength. See instructions contained in HQ MMIA letter A 374 dated 20 Dec 45.

RELEASE - PYTHON

4. (a) Release : Documentation of all ranks will be dealt with by BLUs direct with the local Administrative HQ
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LEAVE

5. LIAP : (a) Vacancies for all ranks will be applied for by BLUs to the local Administrative HQ - see instructions contained in HQ MMIA letter A/388/1 dated 20 Dec 45.
(b) BLUs will apply to HQ MMIA for permission to send officers on LIAP before applying for vacancies for them.

LEAVE other than LIAP.

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Local leave in accordance with current regs may be granted by OC BLU without reference to HQ MMIA except leave for OC a BLU which should be referred to MMIA giving name of proposed substitute.

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DISCIPLINE

7. COURTS MARTIAL and COURTS OF INQUIRY matters will be dealt with by HQ MMLA. BLUs are reminded that the G.O.C., MMLA has powers of a District Commander.

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FINANCE

8. (a) AUDIT BOARDS will be held quarterly in accordance with IR 85 (b) and the papers forwarded to HQ MIA for approval.
- (b) OFFICERS' personal matters - to be dealt with in accordance with CROs 1129 and 1130 dated 12 Oct 45.

FAMILIES TO CMF

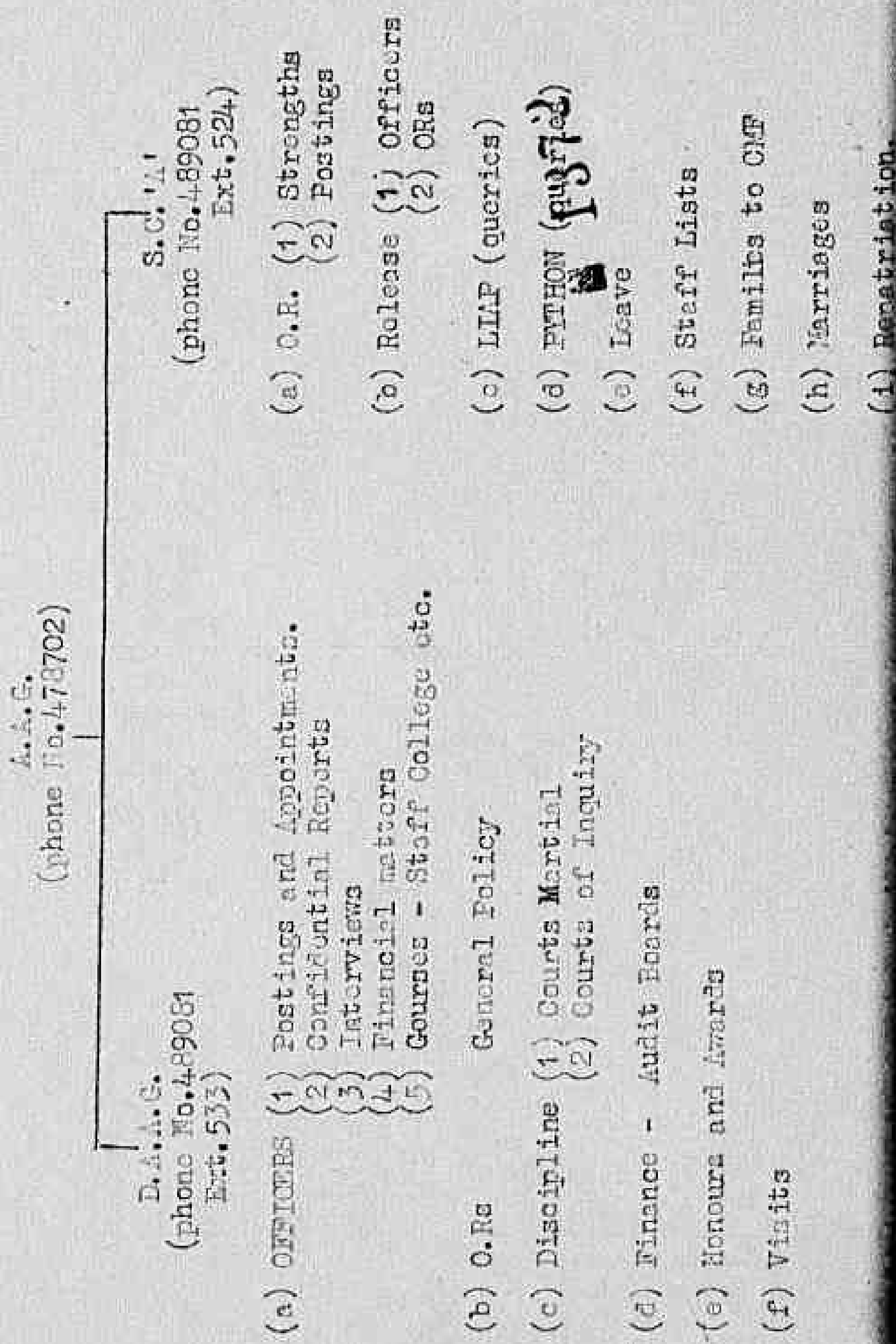
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GENERAL

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- (b) Honours and Awards.
- (c) Repatriation.

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A.A.C.
(phone No. 473702)

D.A.A.C.
(phone No. 489081
Ext. 533)

S.C. 121
(phone No. 489081
Ext. 524)

- (a) OFFICERS (1) Postings and Appointments.
(2) Confidential Reports
(3) Interviews
(4) Financial matters
(5) Courses - Staff College etc.

(b) O.Rs General Policy

(c) Discipline (1) Courts Martial
(2) Courts of Inquiry

(d) Finance - Audit Boards

(e) Honours and Awards

(f) Visits

(a) O.R. (1) Strengths
(2) Postings

(b) Release (1) Officers
(2) ORs

(c) LILP (queries)

(d) PYTHON (purified)

(e) Leave

(f) Staff Lists

(g) Families to CMF

(h) Marriages

(i) Repatriation.

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 UE ARMY

Telephone:- 66671

Ref:- 29A8/Y

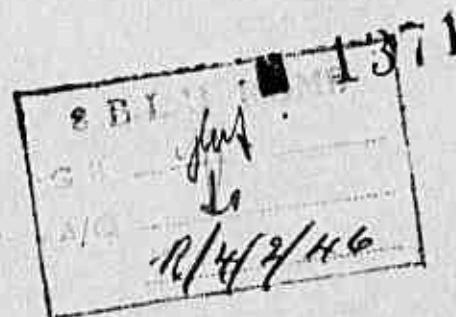
30 Jan 46

SUBJECT : Promotions - ORs

Distribution "B" British

1. GRO 1336 is being superseded by a new GRO now in publication.
2. The provisions of this new GRO are similar to those of GRO 1336 except as in para 3 below.
3. If, after full consideration, Commanding officers find it necessary in the interests of military efficiency, to promote individuals who do not come within the terms of para 4 of GRO 1336/45, they may promote up to and including the rank of sergeant without reference to GHQ 2nd Echelon. Normally promotion should not be given to individuals with less than 2 months to serve with their unit. Acting ranks thus granted will be subject to reversion in the event of suitable War Substantive NCOs becoming available on X(IV) list and being posted in by GHQ 2nd Echelon.

T.A'HERN
Staff Captain
for Lt Col
AA & QG



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SUBJECT: Personnel ORs.

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8 British Liaison Unit,
ROME.
8/A/B
Jan 46

TO : HQ M.M.I.A. (attn Staff Capt 'A')

Ref your wire, 25 Jan 46, subject as above.

Attached statement shows personnel situation of this HQ as at
25 Jan 46.

g.h. Peak
Major,
G.S.O. II

JGF/jm

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY

Telephone:- 66671

Ref:- 22A2/POL/Y

22 Jan 46.

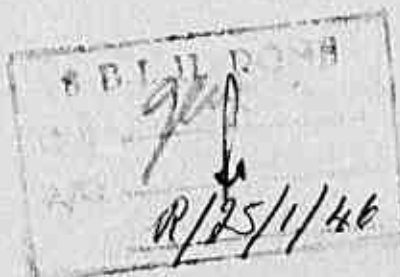
SUBJECT:- Clothing Coupons

Distribution "B" British.

1. The Board of Trade was approached through the War Office to secure authority for the issue, to all other ranks despatched on leave to UK, of sufficient clothing coupons to enable them to purchase such articles as shoes and pyjamas.

2. A reply has now been received to the effect that owing to the present great shortage of supplies the above request cannot be authorised.

T.A. HERN,
Staff Captain
for Lt Col
AA & QMG



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E/A/S

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY

Telephone: 66601

Ref: - 73A/POL

19 Jan 46

SUBJECT: - MarriagesList 'B'

1. Marriage applications may be submitted in respect of British personnel who wish to marry Germans and Austrians where both parties are members of R.M. Forces.
2. Such applications will be submitted on the Appendix to GRO 162/44 in accordance with existing instructions.

A.L. LOUDEN
Major
DAAG
for Lt Col
AA & QMG

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S I G N A L

FROM: HQ ITHA

TO : NO 1 B.L.U. TURIN
 NO 2 B.L.U. GENOA
 NO 3 B.L.U. MILAN
 NO 4 B.L.U. BOLZANO
 NO 5 B.L.U. UDINE
 NO 6 B.L.U. BOLOGNA
 NO 7 B.L.U. FLORENCE
 NO 8 B.L.U. ROME
 NO 9 B.L.U. BARI
 NO 10 B.L.U. NAPLES
 NO 11 B.L.U. PALERMO
 NO 12 B.L.U. CESSANO

REF : A 595

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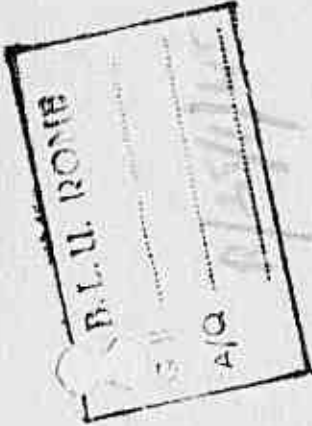
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 IN OR POSTINGS TO IUS AND THEY REQUIRE STATEMENT OF OR POSN AS AT 25
 JAN (.) REQUEST YOU SUBMIT SPECIAL RETURN IN DUPLICATE FORTHWITH IN
 ACCORDANCE WITH THIS HQ LETTER A374 OF 8 JAN

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REF: A 595

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SUBJECT PERSON EL O R (.) CHQ HAVE BEEN REQUESTED TO ASSIST
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8 B.I.A. ROME

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A/Q

SUBJECT: Personnel

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

A 360

18 Jan. '46.

TO : A.F.H.

1. Liaison letters from 'A' and 'B' Type BLUs show that, with one exception, the shortage in Other Rank personnel on establishment is becoming acute. In some cases the situation is so bad as to cause inefficiency.

2. Whilst the overall position regarding availability of personnel is not known at this HQ, it is possible in a large HQ to carry on with deficiencies in W.E. In the case of 'A' and 'B' Type BLUs however, which are small units working on a W.E. already greatly reduced, any deficiencies in clerical personnel are a serious matter and necessitate officers who should be out on Liaison duties dealing with the clerical work in an office.

3. It would be appreciated if you would ask C2E to take whatever steps they can to keep 'A' and 'B' Type BLUs up to establishment.

Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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W.H. Gillmore L-101

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

Copy to: All BLUs.

ATG/ecc.

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PERSONNEL ON THE STRENGTH OF NO 8 BLU.

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OTHER RANKS.

<i>being met</i>	1080760	W/Bdr. Davis,	F.J. (RA-Fld)	A/S Group 25.	Clerk. <i>Giles</i>
<i>notified</i>	3248732	Pte. Mathieson,	G. (H.L.I.)	A/S Group 25.	D.R. <i>Due back in 1 week.</i>
<i>notified</i>	6982077	Fus. Bustens,	C. (Innisks.)	A/S Group 27.	Dvr. <i>Doni Welford Officer</i>

The above personnel were struck off strength of Military Mission to the Italian Army w.e.f. 14th/December/45, and taken on strength of No 8 BLU w.e.f. 15th/December/45. COPIES of AF W3011a are herewith attached for retention by NO 8 BLU.

19th/December/45.

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REMOVAL FROM THE STRENGTH OF NO 8 BLU.

OTHER RATES.

1080760	W/Mr. Devin,	W.J. (RA-PLD)	A/S Group 25.	Clerk.
3248732	Pte. Mathieson,	G. (H.L.I.)	A/S Group 25.	D.R.
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19th/December/45.

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No 8 BLU

(Margin for filing purposes)

Army Form W. 3011A.

Serial No. 1.

CASUALTIES (OTHER THAN B. ILE, ACCIDENTS AND SICKNESS) - OTHER RANKS.

Number of sheets to this return One.

ARMY No.	RANK	NAME AND INITIALS	CORPS OR REGT.	CASUALTY		REMARKS
				Nature of Casualty	Date	
1080760	W/Edr.	Davis, F.J. (A/S Group 25)	RA-Flt	Posted to No 8 BLU (Rome) from Military Mission to the Italian Army. t.o.s.	Authority:- 02E/Sigs/Rfts/8866 dated 8th/December/45. w.e.f. 15th/December/45.	
6982077	Fus.	Bustens, C. (A/S Group 27)	Inniska	" do " do " do " do " do	" do " do " do " do	
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17th/December/45
(Date)A. P. AITKEN, Camp Commandant,
for Maj. Gen. Comdr.
(Signature and appointment of Officer.)No 8 BLU (Rome) (thro MMIA) (Unit)
Rome Area Allied Command.

(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.)

17th/December/45 A. P. AITKEN, Captain Camp Commandant, Rome Area Allied Command.
(Date) 194 for Maj. Gen. Comdr. Military Mission to the Italian Army
(Signature and appointment of Officer.) (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.)

8 B.L.U. ROME

G"

A/Q

OUTGOING MESSAGE

FROM : N2IA

TO : 4 BLU - 5 BLU - 7 BLU

INFO : AFHQ - 13 CORPS - DISTWO - DISCHIEF
1 BLU - 2 BLU - 3 BLU - 6 BLU
8 BLU - 9 BLU - 10 BLU - 11 BLU
12 BLU

DATE 13 1810 A

REF : SD/3093

CONFIDENTIAL

AS RESULT MOVE FOLGORE FROM DISTWO TO
DISTHREE PERSONNEL OF BLU WILL BE REDEVELOPED AS FOLLOWS (.)

ONE (.) ALL PERSONNEL OF 4 BLU LESS GSO II CIA DAAQNG AND
PROPORTION OF OTHER RANK AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL EQUAL TO VE OF B TYPE
BLU CIA POSTED TO 7 BLU AT FLORENCE (.) GSO II
CIA DAAQNG AND ORS ABOVE REMAIN BOLZANO (.)

TWO (.) ALL PERSONNEL 5 BLU LESS GSO II CIA DAAQNG AND PROPORTION
OF OTHER RANK AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL EQUAL TO VE B TYPE BLU WHICH
WILL REMAIN AT UDINE CIA POSTED TO 4 BLU AT
BOLZANO (.)

THREE (.) SUPPLY COLON NO 5 BLU (UDINE) RECOVERS B TYPE
BLU. CIA NO 4 BLU (BOLZANO) REMAINS A TYPE
BLU CIA NO 7 BLU (FLORENCE) RECOVERS B TYPE
BLU (.)

FOUR (.) DETAIL TO BE ARRANGED MUTUALLY BETWEEN CODES OF BLUS
CONCERNED AND THIS HQ INFORMED (.)

FIVE (.) CHANCEOVER TO BE COMPLETED BY 2400 HRS 31 DEC (.) ACTION
ADDRESSES FOR (.) ALL INFORMED

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CONFIDENTIAL

AS RESULT MOVE FOLGORE FROM DISTWO SO
DISTHRE PERSONNEL OF BUS WILL BE REDETERMINED AS FOLLOWS (.)

ONE (.) ALL PERSONNEL OF 4 BLU LESS GSO II CIA DAAPONG AND
PERSONNEL OF OTHER RANK AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL EQUAL TO VE OF B TYPE
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CIA DAAPONG AND ORS ABOVE REMAIN BOLZANO (.)

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BOLZANO (.)

THREE (.) SUMMARY COLON NO 5 BLU (UDINE) REMAINS B TYPE
BLU. CIA NO 4 BLU (BOLZANO) REMAINS A TYPE
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BLU (.)

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LOCAL DISTIN:

HQ I.C.

MINISTRY OF WAR

INFORMED:

IA to GOC

Dep Comd.

Col 2/9

Liaison Officer

RE

Sigs

Sgt
Medical
Ordnance
RECE
CCPR Sec

PRECEDENCE

IMMEDIATE

AUTHENTICATION

Attestation
67/62
CS

LAOF V LASH NR 32 P P

QVR ~~1/3/5~~ QVR 1/3/5

FROM CCE CEF 07/1 031700A

TO IMIA (ROME)

INFO DISTHREE - NO RAAC

7 DLU TO ITALIAN TERRITORIAL

NO FLORENCE

X 8 DLU TO ITALIAN TERRITORIAL NO ROME X

9 DLU TO ITALIAN TERRITORIAL NO DARI

NO 61 AREA - NO 54 AREA

BT

REFS/0000 UNCLASSIFIED . PLEASE EFFECT FOLLOWING POSTING FORWITH
FROM PERSONNEL SURPLUS TO US ON CONVERSION AUTHORIZED IN CHO
LETTER 1916/A-1 (SER 3700) OF 20 NOV .

(CLERK 1 CPL 1 PTE (MATHAN DUE 1 PTE) MOTOR CYCLIST
1 PTE) TLO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING UNITS .

(A) 7 DLU TO ITALIAN TERRITORIAL NO FLORENCE

(B) NO 8 DLU TO ITALIAN TERRITORIAL NO ROME

(C) NO 9 DLU TO ITALIAN TERRITORIAL NO DARI .

IF CPE CLERKS NOT AVAILABLE POST PERS IN LITU .

NOTIFY THIS IN NAMES OF PERSONNEL POSTED

TMB 07/ 031700A

SENT NR 32 P H R

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S B.L.U. ROME	
G II	7/1
A/Q	11 Dec 45

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8 B.L.U. ROME

G"

A/O

OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM : M M I A

TO : ALL B L U'S

INFO : A F H Q

DISTWO

DISTTHREE

R A A C

A 474(.)

REF AFHQ CONVERSION OF UNITS LETTERS 1016/A-1 OF 20 NOV TO A TYPE AND 1160/A-1 OF 17 NOV TO B TYPE (.)

FIRST (.) ENSURE THAT OTHER RANKS ON STRENGTH OF MMIA AS OPPOSED TO COMBAT GROUP BLU'S ARE NOT INCLUDED IN PROPOSED POSTINGS TO NEW BLU OR IN REPORTS OF SURPLUS PERSONNEL ASKED FOR IN PARA TWO (.)

SECOND (.) NOMINAL ROLLS OF SUCH MMIA PERSONNEL AT PRESENT WITH BLU'S TO BE SENT TO H Q MMIA EARLIEST SHOWING TRADE AND PRESENT LOCATION (.)

THIRD (.) ON RECEIPT OF NOMINAL ROLLS MMIA WILL DECIDE WHETHER SUCH PERSONNEL MAY REMAIN IN PRESENT LOCATION OR BE MOVED TO R O M E OR DECLARED AVAILABLE FOR TRANSFER TO OTHER BLU'S PARTICULARLY B TYPE WHO MAY BE DEFICIENT

PRECEDENCE : ROUTINE.

AUTHENTICATED :

10/1/62

BLU'S DIST : 1 BLU - TORIN
2 BLU - GENOA
3 BLU - MILAN
4 BLU - BOLZANO
5 BLU - UDINE
6 BLU - BOLOGNA

7 BLU - FLORENCE
8 BLU - ROME (BY HAND) ✓
9 BLU - BARI
10 BLU - NAPLES
11 BLU - PALERMO
12 BLU - CATANIA

1360

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
28 1630 A

Return to H Branch for
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OF 17 NOV TO B TYPE (.)

FIRST (.) ENSURE THAT OTHER RANKS ON STRENGTH OF MMIA AS OPPOSED TO COMBAT GROUP BLU'S ARE NOT INCLUDED IN PROPOSED POSTINGS TO NEW BLU OR IN REPORTS OF SURPLUS PERSONNEL ASKED FOR IN PARA TWO (.)

SECOND (.) NOMINAL ROLLS OF SUCH MMIA PERSONNEL AT PRESENT WITH BLU'S TO BE SENT TO HQ MMIA EARLIEST SHOWING TRADE AND PRESENT LOCATION (.)

THIRD (.) ON RECEIPT OF NOMINAL ROLLS MMIA WILL DECIDE WHETHER SUCH PERSONNEL MAY REMAIN IN PRESENT LOCATION OR BE MOVED TO ROM E OR DECLARED AVAILABLE FOR TRANSFER TO OTHER BLU'S PARTICULARLY B TYPE WHO MAY BE DEFICIENT

PRECEDENCE : ROUTINE.

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ELU'S DIST : 1 ELU - TORIN
2 ELU - GENOA
3 ELU - MILAN
4 ELU - BOLZANO
5 ELU - UDINE
6 ELU - BOLOGNA

7 BLU - FLORENCE
8 BLU - ROME (BY
9 BLU - BARI
10 BLU - NAPLES
11 BLU - PALERMO
IT'S T L U

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