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LEGION - CATANZARO

CC. RR

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Comando 5^a Brigata Carabinieri Reali Napoli

N. 156/80 di prot. Napoli, li 23 maggio 1946

Risposta al n. del

OGGETTO { Munizioni per CC.RR.

Carte annesse n.

Al MAGGIORE R.C. LIBERT - Ufficiale di collegamento -
N A P O L I

Comunico, per conoscenza, che il Comando Generale dell'Arma ha assegnato alla legione di Catanzaro n. 20.000 cartucce, calibro 9 per pistola mod. 34 "Beretta".

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P. IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA COMANDANTE APS.
- Branca Amedeo -

IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA - Mario Santameria -

Transit

I inform you that 20,000 cartridges - 4853
for Beretta pistol (Model 31) have been
allotted by General HQ CC RR Rome to
Catanzaro legion

2 SEP 1946

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Comando 5^a Brigata Carabinieri Reali Napoli

N. 156/145-1 di prot.

Napoli, li 20 agosto 1946

Risposta al _____ n. _____ del _____

OGGETTO { Assegnazione armi.

Carte annesse n.

Al maggiore R.C. Limbert -Ufficiale di collegamento
Napoli

Comunico, per conoscenza, che la legione di Catanzaro ha avuto assegnati dalle sezioni staccate di artiglieria di Lecce e Brindisi e dalla direzione artiglieria di Taranto n°75 fucili mitra (Breda mod.30) calibro 6.5.

IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA COMANDANTE
(Amedeo Branca)

75 Tommy guns (Breda, mod. 30) caliber 6.5 have been allotted to the Catanzaro Legion.

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26 AUG 1946

SUBJECT :- Monthly Report - 5 Brigade CC
- 1 Aug 46

Land Forces Sub-Commission, AC. (2)
(1211A) ROME (CC Section)

1. (a) NAPLES LEGION

Difference - 350

Admitted to hospital 76
On various leave 220
Detached to other units 54
350
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Percentage on leave - .54%

(b) CC who, although included in present strength are not available for service being engaged on outside duties 1056

(c) NAPLES MOBILE BATTALION

Difference - 142

Hospital 18
Leave 34
Detached to other units 84
Posted not yet arrived 9
142
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Percentage on leave - 8.75%

(d) No 1 Special Company

Difference - 14

Hospital 1
Leave 12
Detached to other units 1
14

10 British Liaison Unit
TORRE DEL GRECO
Tel : 55802 NAPLES
CCRR/G/9

8 Aug 46

Effective 4408
Strength Present 4058

Effective 528
Strength Present 386

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Strength Present 126
4551

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Hospital

18

Leave

34

Detached to other units

81

Posted not yet arrived

9

142

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Percentage on leave - 6.75%

(d) No 1 Special CompanyDifference - 14

Hospital

1

Leave

12

Detached to other units

1

14

==

Percentage on leave - 9.5%

(e) No 2 Special CompanyDifference - 31

Hospital

4

Leave

20

Detached to other units

7

31

==

Percentage on leave - 17%

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
4408	Present
	4058

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
528	Present
	386

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
140	Present
	126
	4851

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
144	Present
	113

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(f) No 3 Special Company

Difference -	14	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>	Present
Hospital leave	4	142		128
Detached to other units	9			
	$\frac{1}{14}$			
	==			

Percentage on leave - 7%

(g) No 4 Special Company

Difference -	14	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>	Present
Hospital leave	4	143		129
	$\frac{10}{14}$			
	==			

Percentage on leave - 8%

(h) No 5 Special Company

Difference -	2	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>	Present
Hospital leave	2	152		142
	$\frac{7}{9}$			
	=			

Percentage on leave - 5%

2. (a) CATANZARO LEGION

Difference -	127	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>	Present
Hospital leave	46	2475		1978
Posted to other Legions	62			
Mobilised	35			
	$\frac{54}{197}$			
	==			

Percentage on leave 3.15%

(b) CC included in strength but not available for general duty

504

4850

Percentage on leave - 7%

(g) No 4 Special Company

Effective	Present
143	129

Strength

Difference - 14

Hospital	4
Leave	<u>10</u>
	14
	==

Percentage on leave - 8%

(h) No 5 Special Company

Effective	Present
152	142

Strength

Difference - 2

Hospital	2
Leave	<u>7</u>
	9
	==

Percentage on leave - 5%

2. (a) CATANZARO LEGION

Effective	Present
2175	1978

Strength

Difference - 197

Hospital	46
Leave	<u>62</u>
Posted to other	35
Legions	<u>54</u>
Mobilised	197
	==

Percentage on leave 3.15%

(b) CC included in strength but not available for general duty
504

4860

3. (a) BARI LEGION

Effective	Present
2951	2411

Strength

Difference - 540

Hospital	30
Leave	<u>126</u>
Detached for duty	384
	<u>540</u>
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Percentage on leave 5.2%

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(a) CC included in strength but not available for general duty
363

4.

RECEIPT OF EQUIPMENT(a) NAPLES LegionClothing

Short linen trousers	323
Blouses	100
New shoes	(pairs) 1000
Forage caps	2000
Linen blouses	2000
Linen trousers	2000
Linen short pants	2000
Grey-green shirts	1000
Linen khaki olive shirts	1000

Vehicles

Jeeps
38/50a lorries

46
46(b) CATANZARO LegionArms and Ammunition

Grape-shot rifles 'BREDA' Type 30

23

Clothing

Grey-green forage caps	3000
Grey-green linen shirts	1000
Khaki olive shirts	1000
Cotton socks	(pairs) 500
New boots	(pairs) 700

Vehicles

NIL

(c) BARI LegionArms and Ammunition

Machine guns 'BREDA' type

46

Clothing

Shoes (part worn)	(pairs) 400
Long linen pants	1000
Grey-green shirts	1000
Khaki shirts	1000

5.

DEFICIENCIES IN MATERIAL(a) NAPLES Legion

49

Clothing

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5.

DEFICIENCIES IN MATERIAL(a) NAPLES LegionArms and Ammunition

Grape shot rifles 'BREDA' Type 30	242
Automatic muskets caliber 9	684
Automatic pistols Type 34	1470
Magazines with 20 cartridges for	
Grape shot rifles 'BREDA' Type 30	15031
Cartridges for muskets Type 38 A	
caliber 9	171000

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Clothing

NIL

Vehicles

Cars	37
Light trucks	107
Vans	1
One seater motorcycles	1008
Two seater motorcycles	9
Motortricycles	4
Mobile workshop	1

(b) CATINZARO LegionArms and Ammunition

Grape shot rifles 'BREDA' Type 30	518
Automatic muskets	34
Automatic pistols 'BERETTA' Type 34	500

Vehicles

Cars	33
Light trucks	41
Vans	44
Motorcycles	111
Heavy trucks	1

(c) BARI LegionArms and Ammunition

Pistols Type 34 caliber 7.65 magazines	42
Pistols Type 34 caliber 7.65	21
Magazines for pistols Type 34 caliber 9	200
Cartridges for pistols Type 34 caliber 9	9000
Magazines 20 cartridges for muskets	140300
Type 38 A	
Magazines 40 cartridges for muskets	328
Type 38 A	
Automatic muskets Type 38 A 'BERETTA'	
Caliber 9	
Grape shot magazines caliber 6.5	328
Cartridges for pistols Type 34	3000
caliber 7.65	
Pistol cases Type 34	6588
Pistols straps Type 89	400
	200

General Items urgently needed

Shoe laces	-	Aluminium cups	-	Ties	-	Shoe brushes	4848
Cloth brushes	-	Emblems	-	Spoons	-	Socks	-
Toothbrushes						Leggings	

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As will be seen the position in regard to deficiencies is still serious and it is again stressed that to a large extent it is interfering with the general efficiency of the CC.

There is no improvement in regard to the communication system notably in the BARI Legion where over 100 CC Stations are still without even a telephone. I understand that repeated application has been made to CC Higher Command in regard to this but up to now nothing has been done. Indeed it has been mentioned in all the monthly reports emanating from this BLU.

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POLITICAL SITUATION

The general tenseness in regard to the political situation has eased considerably. People in the SOUTH seem more prepared to accept the position as it stands. The fact that DE NICOLA has been appointed Chief of State has generally been received with great satisfaction in the SOUTH as it is felt that he will be able to foster the SOUTHERN aspect of political life in government circles.

There is still a great deal of unrest in regard to the proposed Peace Treaty more especially in regard to the loss of the Italian Colonies and the TRIESTE situation. People gather in small crowds and the talk more or less dwells in these aspects but nothing of a serious nature is anticipated.

The general political situation in regard to the formation of a ministry by DE GASPERI is felt to be somewhat delicate more especially as TOGLIATTI is not in the picture and Nenni is only included as an acting cabinet minister. People are wondering what the exact intention of the Communists, who appear to be causing strikes by means of political agitation with the GCL (General Confederation of Labour), are.

PUBLIC SAFETY SITUATION

Generally throughout the area of the Legions, public safety has improved although the black spots in regard to brigandage still continue.

Demonstrations by the unemployed were held during the month at NAPLES, CASTELLAMARE DI STABIA, and ZONA FLEGREA. No undue violence was however used either by CC or demonstrators.

Robbery is showing a slight increase in the REGGIO CALABRIA district and near PIMI. Unfortunately this cannot be completely suppressed at present owing to shortage of CC. Reinforcements have been asked for and it is hoped that in the immediate future decisive action will be taken.

Recently, a fairly large raid was undertaken in the ARIANO-VILLANOVA and GROTTAMARE (AVELLINO) district with very satisfactory results. 45 CC and 45 Security Police conducted the raid.

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NAPLES

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Burglaries	30	

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NAPIES

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Rapines	30	9 persons arrested
Extortions	1	
Aggravated thefts	440	134 persons arrested
Conspiracies	5	26 persons arrested

BARI

Willful Murders	5	3 persons arrested
Rapines	15	13 persons arrested
Extortions	5	5 persons arrested
Thefts	200	127 persons arrested

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CATANZARO

Wilful Murder	14	6 persons arrested
Thefts	294	60 persons arrested
Rapines	24	4 persons arrested

8. COMMENTS OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

No press reports regarding the behaviour of CC have appeared recently but public feeling and relationship still continues to be good.

On the 20 July 1946 a report appeared in the RISOIRGIMENTO concerning the recent inspection of the Motorized Coy of the Mobile Battalion by the GOC (See Appendix '11').

9. DISCIPLINE MORALE AND COMMENTS BY CC

On the 13 July 4 CC of the NAPLES Legion including a Vice-brigadiere were charged with conspiracy to steal goods from the railway (Art 416 P.C.) and also abusive use of their ranks (Art 418 CCN). The case is to be heard at the Military Territorial Court of LAW NAPLES. Apart from this discipline and morale has generally been good. There is still a certain amount of resentment in regard to the discontinuance of the 'REALI' but generally speaking this is only idle gossip.

The new uniforms have been appreciated but it is felt that they are very hot for Summer use and the hope has been expressed that light uniforms will be issued.

10. POSTING OF SENIOR OFFICERS

NIL

11. GENERAL

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[Signature]
Major,
CC Liaison Officer.

Appendix 'A'

EXTRACT FROM THE ITALIAN NEWSPAPER

"RISORGIMENTO"

dated 20 July 1946

"IL GEN. INGLESE GOULBURN VISITA UN REPARTO DI CARABINIERI"

"E' stato ieri di passaggio per la nostra citta' il Generale britannico Goulburn, Capo del M.M.I.A., che sembra destinato ad assumere un'alta funzione nel Comando Militare Alleato.

Il Gen. Goulburn ha preso contatto con alcune autorita' cittadine ed ha specificamente manifestato il desiderio di constatare la efficienza di un nostro speciale reparto di Polizia Militare, la Compagnia Motocarrozata del Battaglione Mobile dei Carabinieri di Napoli di stanza a Secondigliano.

Accompagnato dal Maggiore inglese, Limbert, il personaggio si e' recato ieri mattina alle 9,30 a Secondigliano, dove e' stato ricevuto dal Generale Amedeo Branca, Comandante la 5. Brigata dei Carabinieri, e dal T. Col. Pelicciotti in rappresentanza del Comandante di Legione ha ispezionato il Reparto che ha eseguito una esercitazione tattica di pronto impiego.

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SUBJECT :- CC strength return of CATANZARO
Legion as at 15 July 46

Territorial Legion of Carabinieri
CATANZARO
63/9 prot RP

19 July 46

5 Brigade Carabinieri HQ
NAPLES

Reference folio No 156/37 of 11 April 46.

Effective Strength	Present Strength	Absent Strength Difference between the effective strength and the present strength	Carabinieri included in the present strength and not available for services of the institute.	Carabinieri Mobile belonging Bus, to Rec. Center.
Officers NCO's OR.	Officers NCO's OR.			

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From 16 June to 15 inst the legion received the following materials :-

ARMAMENT

23 Grape-shot rifles 'Breda' type 30 received from the Arty Detachment LEONE on the 11 inst.

AMMUNITION SUPPLY

NIL

CLOTHING

3000 grey-green forage caps received from the Cadet Legion HERR on the 30 June.

1000 grey-green linen shirts	} received from 3 rd Maunfactory and salvage Centre MILAN on the 3 inst.
1000 kaki-olive shirts	
500 prs. cotton socks	

MT VEHICLES

NIL

BY

(Sgd) R. MINNITI Lt Col
Int Commanding.

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SUBJECT : Bimonthly Report

Territorial Legion of Carabinieri
CATANZARO
50/22

20 July 46

5 Brigade Carabinieri HQ
NAPLES

1.

PUBLIC OPINION

In the economical section, it is evident that employees make up the class suffering more than others, owing to the fact that all prices are going up of the alimentary product and clothing, both in the open market as well as in the black market, where olive oil, wheat, flour, macaroni, sugar have reached very high prices. Particularly the olive oil, during the fortnight now running, has touched a very high level, owing to the fact that there has been going on (on large scale) heavy purchases by various firms, duly authorized, who are buying this commodity at price as high as lire 400 a litre.

The gathering of wheat by the 'ammassi' organization is going on very slowly, and the evasion are numerous, notwithstanding the checking system adopted by the Police and by UCSEA and UFSEA.

In the political section : The appointment of the On DE NICOLA as provisional chief of the State has been accepted, as a rule, with satisfaction, owing to the eminent qualities of the man and in consideration of the fact, that being a native of NAPLES, it is believed that he will take up with decision the problem concerning Southern ITALY.

The composition of the new Government has not been the cause of particular comments, since it is considered as being a government to take care of current affairs, pending the decisions of the Constituent regarding the new asset to give to the Country.

Really depressed seems to be the public opinion in connection with the decisions agreed upon at the Conference of PARIS, recently closed, for the unjust, unfair and unforeseen treatment made to ITALY. The most unfavourable comments are against the Anglo-American Governments, from whom much was to be hoped, especially as a consequence of the statements always made, particularly with reference to the Atlantic Conference.

The attitude of the South American Republics in speaking in behalf of ITALY, has been particularly appreciated, and it is hoped that their voice will be taken in due consideration when discussing the final Treaty of Peace.

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IMPRESSION AND REMARKS OF CC

CC faithful to their duty, in carrying their tasks they make no comments and follow with impartiality the events.

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PRESS COMMENTS ON CC ACTION

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3. PRESS COMMENTS ON CC ACTION

Press still reports the satisfactory results of CC against delinquency, and favourable comments are made.

4. SERIOUS FAULTS MADE BY CC

NONE.

WAGES

Nothing to be added or to be changed to the previous Report.

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6. POSTING SUPERIOR OFFICERS

NIL

7. DEFICIENCY OF ARMAMENT, EQUIPMENT ETC

Deficiency of automatic arms at the Legion :-

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Automatic pistols "BERETTA" Type 34	500

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Heavy Trucks	1

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Thefts 294 - 112 found out, 60 responsible persons arrested and 81 denounced.

Rapines 21 - 5 found out, 4 responsible persons arrested and 3 denounced.

Against the person

Murders 14 - 8 found out, 6 responsible persons arrested and 3 denounced.

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(Signed) R MINNITI Lt col
Int Commanding.

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SUBJECT :- Bimonthly Report

Territorial Legion of Carabinieri
CATANZARO
50/21

4 July 46

5 Brigade Carabinieri HQ
NAPLES

1. PUBLIC OPINION

In the economical camp : the precarious and already known food-economical situation does not show any improvement.

The items of first necessity, bread and pasta, are not sufficient, especially for the workmen, and are not always well manufactured. It is of this recent time in fact, the issuing of bread manufactured, exclusively, with white flour, which is thought by everybody quite insufficient for the supply of consumers, who prefer the type manufactured with mixture because it is believed more nourishing.

People can find bread at black markets at 120 - 130 lire a kilo, but the most part of population cannot buy it because they get only scanty pay or are unemployed and so very poor.

They are waiting the result of the harvest of corn, and since it appears good, they hope that the competent authorities will make all the necessary efforts in order that all the production of corn may be sent to the gathering centres, thus preventing the spectre of famine.

Now that the electoral period and the institutional questions are over, people think that the insufficient alimentation is mainly due to the existence of gathering centres for the agricultural and food items of first necessity. This causes the rerefaction on the markets because of the black market traffic, which no authority, is believed, able to suppress because it is carried out through many and infinite branches not always identifiable.

Although the harvest of corn is foreseen good, it is bitterly commented the stealing of corn and the forwarding of it to unknown destinations, fulfilled during the night time by unknown means, that the personnel of Military Police of UPSEA and USSEA cannot always obtain control.

However CC, owing to the new and more strict instructions and the really serious food situation of the country, are making all endeavours to fight against this illicit traffic and frequently are making daily and nightly inspections in which so far, they have succeeded.

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While at PARIS the treaty of peace to impose upon ITALY is discussed, favourable comments are made because Italians of all parties began showing themselves to be compact in complaining against the unjust treatment to ITALY. ITALY is going to lose her colonies, her outskirts are threatened, the state of her finance becomes impoverished by absurd requests of indemnity, her sacrifices for the co-operation are not recognized, her hopes are deluded after all her co-operation to the fight for the liberation.

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4. About the home politics, the recent Act of amnesty has been well accepted because it forgave the political past of many Italian people. Thus it is affirmed that republican ITALY wishes to reach that auspicious tranquillity of feeling necessary for the morale reconstruction of the Country which will cause a material reconstruction too.

2. IMPRESSION AND REMARKS OF CC

The recent declarations by the government according to which CC remain at their place with their authority and their name, have cleared the fears that have begun taking place in the hearts of all those belonging to the CC.

CC who have seen with pleasure the recent relaxation of feelings, after the cessation of the demonstrations which arose in NAPLES and other Southern towns after the Referendum, now only hope that republican ITALY, through a really ~~real~~ efficacious and factive government, will be able to get a fraternization between the Southern and Northern inhabitants and give again peace to everybody.

3. PRESS REMARKS ON CC ACTION

During last fortnight press did not make any unfavourable remarks over CC. The CC having shown nothing but an impartial behaviour without political character, the press is now no more inimical to them.

4. SERIOUS FAULTS MADE BY CC

NIL

5. WAGES

Nothing to be added or to be changed to the previous report.

6. POSTING SUPERIOR OFFICERS

NONE

7. DEFICIENCY OF ARMAMENT, EQUIPMENT etc

Deficiency of automatic arms at the legion :-

Grape-shot rifles	541
Automatic Muskets	34
Automatic pistols "Baretta" type 34	500

During the fortnight General Command of Arm allotted this legion 6948 of K.O. cloth for 1000 uniforms (Trousers BD, Blouses BD, and Forage Caps), and 2500 pairs of emblems and 2500 emblems for caps will be withdrawn from the Military Central Storehouse of MILAN as soon as available.

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Light trucks	2
Motorcycles	3

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The carabinieri having been assured that the institution to which they belong will not undergo any mutilation or change, hope that the new political arrangement will bring also to them a definite advancement and make the CC Arm quite efficient, with proper clothing, numerous automatic armaments and modern organisation of transport, the whole connected with the new necessities created by the post-war Era. In order to raise the morale of CC and confer on them the necessary prestige, effective, immediate and proper economical providence are needful too, such as to enable them to live.

9. GENERAL REMARKS ON THE CONDITION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

The condition of public safety though satisfactory with regard to times, cannot yet be considered quite calm.

The most remarkable crimes which have taken place in the last fortnight are :-

against patrimony

thefts 181, 118 found out, 51 responsible persons arrested and 94 denounced.

Rapines 8, 6 found out, 3 responsible persons arrested and 2 denounced.

against persons

Murders 8, 7 found out, 4 responsible persons arrested and 5 denounced.

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SUBJECT :- Monthly Report - 5 Brigade CCRR
- 1 July 46

10 British Liaison Unit
TORRE DEL GRECO
Tel : 55802 NAPLES.
CCRR/G/9

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Land Forces Sub-Commission, AC.
(MILA) ROME (CCRR Section) (2)

1. (a) NAPLES LEGION

Difference - 333

Detained in hospital 76
On leave 199
Temporarily attached to other units 56

333
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Percentage on leave - 5%

(b) NAPLES MOBILE BATTALION

Difference - 52

Leave 11
Hospital 19
Attached to other units 4
CCRR assigned but not yet arrived 18

52
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Percentage on leave - 2.3%

(c) Special Companies as shown hereunder are not mentioned in the above strength.

1st Special Company

Difference - 2

Effective 4331
Strength Present 3998

Effective 535
Strength Present 483

Effective 143
Strength Present 134

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1. (a) NAPLES LEGION

Effective	Strength	Present
4331		3998

Difference - 333

Detained in hospital	78
On leave	199
Temporarily attached to other units	<u>56</u>
	<u>333</u>
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Percentage on leave - 5%

(b) NAPLES MOBILE BATTALION

Effective	Strength	Present
535		483

Difference - 52

Leave	11
Hospital	19
Attached to other units	4
CCRR assigned but not yet arrived	<u>18</u>
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Effective	Strength	Present
143		134

Difference - 2

Attached to other units	1
Leave	4
Hospital	<u>4</u>
	<u>9</u>
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Percentage on leave - 3%

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2nd Special Company

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
152	Present
	135

Difference - 17

Attached to other
units

6

Leave

4

Hospital

7

17

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Percentage on leave - 3%

3rd Special Company - NAPLES

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
154	Present
	151

Difference - 3

Leave

2

Hospital

1

1

3

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Percentage on leave - 1.3%

4th Special Company - NAPLES

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
74	Present
	70

Difference - 4

Leave

1

Hospital

2

4

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Percentage on leave - 1.4%

Number of OCRR attached NAPLES Legion but not available for police
duties 519CATANZARO LEGION

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
2207	Present
	2060

Difference - 147

Mobilized

74

Hospital

19

Leave (various)

18

Attached to other

36

Legions

147

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2.

Hospital

$$\frac{7}{17} =$$

Percentage on leave - 3%

3rd Special Company - NAPLES

Effective	Strength	Present
154		151

Difference - 2

Leave
Hospital
$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \\ = \end{array}$$

Percentage on leave - 1.5%

4th Special Company - NAPLES

Effective	Strength	Present
74		70

Difference - 4

Leave
Hospital
$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ = \end{array}$$

Percentage on leave - 1.4%

Number of CCRR attached NAPLES Legion but not available for police duties
519CATANZARO LEGION

Effective	Strength	Present
2207		2060

Difference - 147

Mobilized

Hospital

Leave (various)

Attached to other

Legions

$$\begin{array}{r} 74 \\ 19 \\ 18 \\ 36 \\ 147 \\ = \end{array}$$

Percentage on leave - 2%

Number of CCRR attached CATANZARO Legion but not available for police duties
489

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3. BARI LEGION

	Effective 2910	Strength Present 2303
Difference -	<u>607</u>	
Leave (various)	153	
Hospital	38	
Attached other units	<u>416</u>	
	<u>607</u>	
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Percentage on leave -	6.65%	
Number of OCER attached BARI Legion but not available for police duties	303	

4. RECEIPT OF EQUIPMENT

(a) <u>NAPLES Legion</u>	NIL	
(b) <u>CATANZARO Legion</u>	NIL	
(c) <u>BARI Legion</u>		

Clothing

Khaki uniforms	2000
New cloth pants	1000
Complete new khaki uniforms	300
Aluminium mess tins	1500
Pairs of lace-facings	2000
Material for 700 uniforms is in warehouse and ready for making up.	

Arms and Ammunition

Cartridges for Browning Machine gun	84500
Calibre 7.92	9
Cannons 45 calibre model 35	405
Bombs for cannon	1260
Projectiles 37 m/m for small cannon	250
Rifles model 91 calibre 6.5	30000
Rifle bullets 6.5 calibre	8308
Grey green shoulder Belts for loaders	308
Model 91	15000
Cartridges for pistol Model 34, cal. 9	

Other items

New Bicycles	154
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5. DEFICIENCIES IN MATERIAL

NAPLES Legion

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Other items

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DEFICIENCIES IN MATERIAL

NAPLES Legion

(a) Weapons

B-30 Sub-machine guns	242
Automatic rifles calibre 9	684
Automatic BERETTA pistols model 34	1557

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(b) Ammunition

Complete loaders, containing 20 cartridges each
for Sub-machine guns B-30 15034
Bullets for muskets model 38/A calibre 9 171000

The changes shown above are due to the recent allotment of
ammunition for use in maintaining public order.

(c) Clothing

Grey green cloth pants 2000
Khaki cloth Shirts 1000
Grey green cloth Shirts 1000

(d) Vehicles

Motor cars 42
Small trucks 1
One seat motorcycles 1008
Two seat motorcycles 9
Three wheel motorcycles 4
Light Trucks 110
Mobile Workshop 1

CATANZARO Legion(a) Weapons

BREDA Sub-machine guns model 30 541
Automatic rifles 34
BERETTA automatic pistols 500

(b) Clothing as shown in previous report,(c) Vehicles

Motor cars 25
Light Trucks 39
Small Trucks 44
Motorcycles 108
Trucks 1

BARI Legion

Position as shown in previous report.

The position in regard to deficiencies is still serious and it is
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Apart from the actual materials etc. the question of communication is vital. Nothing has been done to improve the telephonic communications notably in the BARI Legion where 134 stations are still without telephone.

Great trouble was taken to expedite the transfer of wireless to CCR High Command ROME with a view to its re-distribution prior to the election period. No wireless apparatus was received at NAPIES Legion and it was vital that no hitch occurred in the communication system, owing to the recent disturbances. District Headquarters

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were approached and installed a receiving and transmitting set at Legion HQ temporarily.

It is stressed that this is only a temporary measure and the set may be called in at any moment, therefore it is urgently requested that representation be made to the CC.RR High Command and that they be requested to expedite the forwarding of the apparatus as quickly as possible.

POLITICAL SITUATION

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Whilst the feeling is definitely Monarchist the people seemed to have more or less settled with an apathetic state of mind and seem content to let the Republic have a trial.

It is generally felt that apart from hot-heads, the deep thinking people, whilst anxious for the return of a Monarchy will be prepared to attain their ends by legal methods.

PUBLIC SAFETY SITUATION

The situation in regard to Public Safety has naturally deteriorated during the past month due largely to the political situation but it is hoped that as the situation becomes calmer so more attention will be able to be paid to normal crime.

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NAPLES

Voluntary Murders	14	12 persons arrested, 17 have been denounced.
Robberies	23	18 persons arrested, 3 denounced.
Extortions	2	2 persons arrested
Serious thefts	384	115 persons arrested, 168 denounced.

BARI

Voluntary Murders	10	4 persons arrested, 1 denounced.
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Robberies 17 3 persons arrested, 10 denounced.
 Extorsions 3 -
 Aggravated thefts 197 90 persons arrested, 87 denounced.

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Murders 6 6 persons arrested, 2 persons denounced.
 Robberies 11 3 " 2 "
 Thefts 198 62 " 102 "

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

Nothing outstanding in the press but the public opinion seems to be that the CC.RR have done an excellent job in a just and impartial manner.

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TRANSFER OF SERVICE OFFICERSNAPLES

NIL.

BARI

Major BELLISARIO FILIPPO, from CC.RR LECCE Group
 to Legion Hq
 Major GIOVA ANTONIO, from Legion Hq

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BAHI

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to Legion HQ
Major BOVA ANTONIO, from Legion HQ to LECCE Group.

CATANZARO

NIL.

GENERAL

11.

Whilst the position of the NAPLES Mobile Battalion in regard to accommodation is more or less settling down for the time being, it is

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again stressed that it is a matter of great urgency that suitable and permanent accommodation is found as soon as possible.

During the recent disturbances in NAPLES accommodation had to be found for 500 P.S. Agents who were imported into the City by the Ministry of the Interior. The present Barracks Regina Elena, which were occupied by the Mobile Battalion CC.RR were used to accommodate these men which of course was a most unsuitable arrangement and the CC.RR to a great extent resented it but as the order was given by the Prefect nothing very much could be done. It is felt however that the Ministry should be advised that it is better for everyone concerned not to mix P.S. agents and CC.RR and that an episode such as this should not occur again.

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Major,
CCRR Liaison Officer.

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TRANSLATIONSO: FILE CCRR/G/50 FILE 26A
TERRITORIAL LEGION OF THE ROYAL CARABINIERI OF CATANZARO
Service Office

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File No. 50/20

Catanzaro, 19/6/46

SUBJECT: Bimonthly Report.

1) PUBLIC OPINION

In the economical field: During these fifteen days it can be stated that the public opinion has not taken any interest in the economical and feeding situation, due to the great interest taken in the political situation, which made everybody forget the poverty in which the population is living.

Anyway the feeding situation continues to be serious due to the lack of the most important foodstuffs. With the new grain harvest it is hoped the situation may improve and the population may get their daily bread rations and if possible an increase of ration.

The policy of the 'ammassi' of grain and oil, is being unfavourably commented, because it is generally thought if they could be sold freely, the persons could buy them at a lower price.

In the political field: The public opinion of the population in this area, due to their Monarchic feelings, is that the results of the referendum are not the spontaneous and true expression of the Italians, but they are instead, the result of many irregularities.

During the days which followed the elections, the Monarchists consoled themselves with the hope that the referendum could have been cancelled due to the fact that many thousand prisoners of war, still in concentration camps, and all the thousand Italians residing abroad had not voted. But such hope has disappeared, same as the one which wished an Allied intervention in favour of the Monarchy.

It is certain that, at least for the time being, the Monarchists do not agree with the results of the referendum and rumours are spreading around concerning autonomy and separatism. In general said rumours are criticized by many persons, who also if they hope the problem of the South may have an outstanding place in the general situation, still they wish the Unity of Italy be kept at any rate.

2) IMPRESSIONS AND COMMENTS OF THE CC.RR.

During the operations and the long services for the elections, which started on the 1st and ended on the 4th of June, the CC.RR. as usual, unwearied, quietly and active, in compliance with the orders received, with spirit of sacrifice and comprehension of the difficult task they were entrusted, have fully answered to their duty, and have been praised by the authorities, leaders of parties, the population and personnel in charge of the polling stations.

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The CC.RR. after the results of the referendum, in compliance with instructions issued by the Government and CC.RR. General H.Q. accepted and respected the results and imposed the respect. Still, notwithstanding the declaration of the Government, there is a certain worry about the future of the CC.RR., they fear that even if they will not be disbanded, the organization will have no more the importance it previously had.

3) COMMENTS OF THE PRESS ON THE WORK OF THE CC.RR.

Nothing of outstanding to report. The press, in general, praises the work of the CC.RR.

4) SERIOUS OFFENCES COMMITTED BY THE CC.RR.

Nil.

5) PAYS

We wish to point out again the absolute necessity of a review of the present salaries, in order to adequate them to the real cost of living. We mention also the fact that between the gratuities issued in favour of the officers and officials of the 'A' group and those given to the others, there is a slight difference, which is not in proportion with the different functions performed by the two categories, this, of course, causes a certain discontent.

6) TRANSFERS OF SENIOR OFFICERS

Nil.

7) DEFICIENCIES OF ARMS, EQUIPMENT, ETC.

Deficiencies of automatic weapons in the Legion:

- 'Breda' sub-machine guns, mod. 30	541
- Automatic muskets	34
- 'Beretta' automatic pistols	500

During last fortnight this Legion was not allotted any clothing items, therefore the clothing situation is still the same.

Deficiencies of motor vehicles assigned to the Legion:

- Motor cars	25
- Slight trucks	39
- Small trucks	44
- Motorcycles	108
- Trucks	1

The difference between the deficiencies mentioned in the previous report of the present ones, must be connected with the arrived of the following vehicles recently assigned to the Legion:

- Slight trucks	3
- Motorcycles	4
- Trucks	2

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Nothing to add or change to the deficiencies mentioned in the previous report concerning the connections.

8) SPIRIT AND MORALE OF THE CC.RR.

THE CC.RR. in compliance with the conception of non-political interferences of our organization, are ready to serve the Republic as they have served the Monarchy. They only aim to the improvement of the Nation and in the interest of the Country they continue and will continue to work for the defence of the public security.

9) GENERAL REMARKS ON THE CONDITIONS OF PUBLIC SECURITY

The conditions of public security, even if due to the present situation can be considered satisfactory, it cannot be stated they are completely calm.

The most outstanding crimes occurred during the past fortnight are:

against property

- thefts: 198, 140 were discovered and caused the arrest of 62 persons and the denunciation of 102 persons;
- robberies: 11, 5 discovered which caused the arrest of 3 persons and the denunciation of other 2;

against persons

- Homicides: 6, all discovered which caused the arrest of 6 persons responsible and the denunciation of other 2.

IL TENICOLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.

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 TERRITORIAL LEGION OF THE ROYAL CARABINIERI OF CATANZARO
 Service Office .

File No. 63/8

Catanzaro, 18 June 1946

PROSPECTUS of the situation of the strength of CC.RR. of a/m Legion,
 up to 15 June 1946

Normal Strength	Present Strength	ABSENTEES Difference between the normal strength & present strength	Number of CC.RR. included in the present strength not available for normal police duties	Number of CC.RR. attached to the Recovery Centre	Mobile Battalions
Off. N.C.O. Men	Off. NCOs Men				
2207	2060	147 as follows: 74 mobilized 19 detained in Hospitals 7 sick leave not superior to 30 days 3 on 6 months leave 8 on leave for family reasons 36 attached to other Legions	489 as follows: 216 clerks in other HQs 13 Industry & Labour Inspectorate 80 Railway Police Nucleus 3 Legion printing Office 67 U.P.S.E.A. 1 Allied office 5 supply office 98 sentries in barracks, drivers, motor- cyclists, tele- phonists, etc. 6 vigilance duty at Petrace bridge	Nil	Nil

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From 16.5.46 until 15.6.46 the Legion has received the following items:

WEAPONS

- 70 'Breda' sub-machine guns, mod. 30 sent on 31.5.46 from the Rome Cadet Legion.

AMMUNITION

- 20000 cartridges cal.9, for 'beretta' pistols, received on 31.5.46 from the Milan Artillery Section.

CLOTHING

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MOTOR VEHICLES

- 3 'FIAT' 626 trucks
 - 2 Lancia Esarò trucks
 - 3 Jeeps
- } received on 30.5.46 from the V.E. Rome Parking
- 4 motorcycles "M" type (Allied)
- received on 30.5.46 from the V.E. Agnano Parking

IL TEN. COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.

Raffaele Minniti

SUBJECT :- Situation Report 11/12 June 1946.

10 British Liaison Unit
TORRE DEL GRECO
Tele : 55802 NAPLES
CCRR/G/9

13 June 46

Lt Col H. MIGHALL,
Land Forces Sub-Commission AG,
(MILIA) ROME

1. In continuance of my report of yesterday's date 12 June, relative to the above subject, I have to inform you of the following facts regarding the position in other Towns in the Brigade Area.

REGGIO CALABRIA

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Whilst passing along the VIA GARIBOLDI a clash occurred with a Republican Demonstration which was being held. The Monarchist flag was seized and a fight commenced. The CC.RR observed that two hand grenades were thrown from the Communist Section of the crowd and as a result raided and searched the Communist Parties Headquarters as a result of which, the following arms were seized :-

10 Hand grenades
6 Automatic rifles
3 Magazines for above
2 Pistols
2 Rifles
2 Knives.

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ITALIA TORLANDO a well known criminal was arrested after being shot in the legs by the CC.RR, for trying to incite the crowd to fire on the Police.

Casualties :-

1 Brigadiere of the CC.RR wounded
1 Appuntato of the CC.RR wounded
4 Civilians wounded.

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Situation is reported as being "Still Tense".

TARANTO

At 1900 hrs 11 June reported clash between Republican and Monarchist Demonstrators in VIA BERA. It was noticeable that many sailors of the Italian Navy were fighting on either side. Fire arms were used extensively including automatic weapons and two hand grenades.

Casualties :- 1 P.S. Agent seriously wounded
40 Persons including sailors slightly wounded.

Police have the position in hand, although the situation is still reported as being tense.

FOGGIA

On 11 June Republican demonstration held. Number of persons assaulted and 4 people stabbed. Many persons were hit with blunt instruments.

The Monarchist HQ were attacked by the mob, papers, furniture etc. destroyed.

No serious casualties and no use of fire arms reported.

The Police authorities have the situation in hand.

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4. It is interesting to note that the majority of the demonstrations took place on the 11 June which would rather signify that they had all been pre-conceived.

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Major,
CC. RR LO.

TRANSLATION

TERRITORIAL LEGION OF THE ROYAL CARABINIERI OF NAPLES
Service Office

File N. 89/7

Naples, 12 June 1946

SUBJECT: Denunciation of electoral intrigues.

Today PROTO Enzo di Domenico from Ciro Marina (Catanzaro) presented himself to the undersigned. He was released on the 6 June 1946 from the prison in Bergamo, where he had been detained since 26 December 1945 for political reasons. PROTO stated that on the 2nd June 1946 partisans went to the Bergamo prison and took groups of prisoners on trucks to the polling stations (about 600).

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TRANSLATIONSTATEMENT

The undersigned PROTO Enzo di Domenico and di Malena Filomena, born at Ciro Marina (Catanzaro) on 13 April 1922, resident at Bellano (Como), Via Statale Colico No 11, on being questioned by the Commander of the CC.RR. Legion of Naples, to whom he spontaneously presented himself, states the following:-

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I understand that already some of said inmates have been released on bail and their trials have been delayed since June the 5th.

I believe that the same systems have been used in all the prisons in northern Italy, the same allegations are rumoured in the north.

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Territorial Legion CCRR
CATANZARO
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4 June 46

SUBJECT :- Bimonthly Report.

CCRR 5 Brigade HQ
NAPLES

1) PUBLIC OPINION.

In the economic camp: The public opinion is preoccupied and alarmed for the lack of the most necessary foods and especially of the bread, lack which is always more felt.

In many Communes any means are being tried in order to overcome the critical period of joining with the new harvest. Many Syndics are in apprehension and take interest for recovering of the quantities of corn representing the 6% of reduction for alimentary supply. This recovery, it is thought, will not give the results foreseen as the family nucleus have already used up their store of corn. The rarefaction of this item has provoked a considerable increase of the price of the little flour, sold, with a great caution, to the black market, and has provoked and still provokes a resentment of those who cannot buy at such source. Numerous are the families who cannot submit themselves to such a charge, so that the conditions of the public order might be shaken by this starveling crowd, in some commune.

The prices of the other items also are getting up nor there is sign of lowering.

The incomes are always unbalanced with the cost of living and the people famish and are discouraged.

In the political camp: The inclination in favour of the Monarchic Institute becomes day-by-day more noticeable and the result of the elections, just now carried out, is awaited with timorous anxiety, fearing that the losing part, especially if it is of republican parties tendency will not agree and accept the result of the referendum and, therefore, the hypothesis of a civilian war. But these fears are refrained by the trust in the Allies who - it is said - could not support that serious agitations could take place in Italy.

2) REMARKS AND COMMENTS BY CC RR.

The recent reports by the Ministry of the Interior and by the General HQ of the CC RR have been worth to define, unambiguously, the position of the Institution and of the Police Corps in general.

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13 JUN 1946

14) SERIOUS MISTAKES PERFORMED BY CC RR,

5) WAGES

6) POSTING OF HIC OFFICERS.

7) DEFICIENCY OF ARMAMENT, EQUIPMENT, ETC.

a)	-	Machinegun "Breda" type 30	No. 611
b)	-	Automatic rifles	" 34
c)	-	Automatic pistols "Beretta" type 34	" 500

- linen shirts grey-green	No. 1000
- linen shirts kaki-olive	" 1000
- cotton socks	prs. 500

- Pullovers	No. 1500
- Boots (new)	prs. 700
- Hampen belts for trousers	No. 500
- Metal stars	" 4000
- Black flannel ties	" 1000
- Emblems for caps, grey-green, for carabinieri	" 2000
" " " " " N. C. O.	" 500

Confirming the idea of absolute necessity to review the actual wages in order to balance them to the real cost of living, it is thought seasonable to point out also the contrast between the amount of the monthly allowances received by the officers up to the 7th rank (including the 7th rank) and those received by the temporary workmen (storehouse workmen, stable-men, etc), because the economic conditions of the latter, with less seniority and with no responsibility, are higher than those of the officers and of the marshals.

6) POSTING OF HIGH OFFICERS.

NONE.

7) DEFICIENCY OF ARMAMENT, EQUIPMENT, ETC.

Deficiency of automatic arms at the Legion:

a) -	Machinegun "Breda" type 30	No. 611
b) -	Automatic rifles	" 34
c) -	Automatic pistols "Beretta" type 34	" 500

The clothing situation is still improving. In fact, the v/m outfit items have been allotted by the General HQ from the Clothing Storehouse Equipment of Milan. The collection will be effected the sooner possible.

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- " " " " " Major Marshal	" 200
- Emblems for carabinieri	prs. 2000
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Deficiency of vehicles at the legion

- cars
- light lorries
- vans
- M. Cs.
- heavy lorries

No. 25
" 42
" 44
" 112
" 3

The difference between the deficiency reported previously and the present one is due to the circular by the General HQ Administrative Office No. 133/65 dated 11 May 46, which lays down that the "jeeps" must be considered vans and not cars.

Nothing to be added or amended to the deficiencies reported previously about the connections.

8) SPIRIT AND MORALE OF THE CC RR.

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The restrictive rule about the marriage is not accepted with favour because lays down as main condition a seniority of 12 years and 32 years of age, and the institution of work by turns, which delays even more the date of marriage. But it is the opinion of the Commanders that it is necessary to keep this rule in order to take the CC RR to the best conditions of work and discipline, preventing so the formation of families' situations not too much wise and for this dangerous for the discipline and good result of the troops.

9) GENERAL REMARKS ON THE CONDITIONS OF THE PUBLIC SECURITY.

The conditions of the Public Security, though being satisfactory in respect to the present time, are not completely tranquillizing.

The following crimes occurred during the prior fortnight:-

- against the patrimony

- 205 thefts, of which 128 found out, 82 responsible people convicted and 116 accused;
- 3 rapines, of which 3 found out, 3 people convicted and other 3 accused;
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(Sgd) RAFFAELE MINNITI, LT COL,
Int. Commander.

SUBJECT :- Situation Report 11/12 June 1946.

10 British Liaison Unit
TORRE DEL GRECO
Tele : 55802 NAPLES
CCHP/c/g

12 June 46

Lt Col H. MICHALL,
Land Forces Sub-Commission AC,
(MFA) ROME

1. I have to inform you that at about 1730 hrs. 11 June a Monarchists funeral was held in NAPLES at which a large number of persons attended.

As far as is known the funeral passed off without incident. Apparently during the proceedings, tales were circulated to the effect that a Republican flag and a Communist flag were hoisted on a building (alleged to be a Communist HQ) in the Via Medina, and as a result after the funeral the crowd which had greatly increased proceeded to the Via Medina.

Earlier during the day Lt Col MAURO Commander of the CC.RR Legion NAPLES had telephoned the Prefect concerning the flying of the flags in question, suggesting that in view of all the circumstances, it was a provocative thing to do, and likely to cause very serious breaches of the peace. The Prefect agreed with the Col. and stated he would give orders for the flags to be lowered at once. Shortly afterwards he rung up Col. MAURO and stated that he had consulted with Signor AMENDOLA, Vice President of the Council who had come from ROME to take over Public Safety measures during the emergency and that the Vice President had given orders that the flags were not to be lowered under any circumstances whatsoever.

The crowd were no doubt greatly incensed by the presence of the flags and repeated attempts were made to dislodge them. Persons were seen trying to scale the outside of the building, shouting, gesticulating, and numerous scuffles occurred. This went on for some considerable time, the crowd gradually increasing in size to between 25,000 and 30,000 persons. Men were seen in the alleyways with large bundles of heavy sticks, steel pointed, serving out to members of the crowd.

At about 2100 hrs two bombs (hand grenades) were thrown from the building flying the flags, by some persons unknown. By 2130 hrs the situation appeared to be getting out of hand. The crowd which had developed into a mob, had commenced firing on the PS Agents and CC.RR. Two trams, together with other material had been seized and barricades were erected, and firing with small arms became general.

The entire area was cordoned off by British MPs. The Prefect applied to the Rome Command for permission to turn out the Mobile Batt CC.RR and this

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Earlier during the day Lt Col MAURO Commander of the CC.RR Legion NAPLES had telephoned the Prefect concerning the flying of the flags in question, suggesting that in view of all the circumstances, it was a provocative thing to do, and likely to cause very serious breaches of the peace. The Prefect agreed with the Col. and stated he would give orders for the flags to be lowered at once. Shortly afterwards he rang up Col. MAURO and stated that he had consulted with Signor AMENDOLA, Vice President of the Council who had come from ROME to take over Public Safety measures during the emergency and that the Vice President had given orders that the flags were not to be lowered under any circumstances whatsoever.

The crowd were no doubt greatly incensed by the presence of the flags and repeated attempts were made to dislodge them. Persons were seen trying to scale the outside of the building, shouting, gesticulating, and numerous scuffles occurred. This went on for some considerable time, the crowd gradually increasing in size to between 25,000 and 30,000 persons. Men were seen in the alleyways with large bundles of heavy sticks, steel pointed, serving out to members of the crowd.

At about 2100 hrs two bombs (hand grenades) were thrown from the building flying the flags, by some persons unknown. By 2130 hrs the situation appeared to be getting out of hand. The crowd which had developed into a mob, had commenced firing on the PS Agents and CC.RR. Two trams, together with other material had been seized and barricades were erected, and firing with small arms became general.

The entire area was cordoned off by British MPs. The Prefect applied to the Rome Command for permission to turn out the Mobile Batt CC.RR and this was granted. At approx 2130 the Mobile Batt went into action with the Stagbonds. As far as is known, they fired their guns over the heads of the mob, but it is known that they threw hand grenades.

By approx 2330 hrs the situation was in hand and the mob had started to disperse. It was found that the casualties were as follows:-

19A 7 Italians Killed.
47 injured, 22 detained in hospital
4 Italian soldier injured
11 CC RR injured and in hospital
6 PS Agents injured and in hospital.

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Most of the casualties were due to bomb splinters and bullet wounds.
130 persons were arrested.

At 2245 a signal was received at the CC RR Legion HQ from the Prefect.

"Tonight groups of ARDITI armed with sub machine-guns; hand grenades planning to invade Prefettura, Questura, Flying Unit Barracks, Telephone Buildings. Will you please take necessary action."

Special guards were mounted but nothing materialized.

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it was ascertained that the whole story was a fabrication but in view of the emergency MARUO decided to take no action.

3. Major PEORELLA who has been the subject of correspondence between this office and MMIA, still appears to be causing unrest and uneasiness in the CC.RR.

Recently he disappeared for 3 days and was definitely on the Wanted List by the CC.RR. It was suggested that he was leading one of the Separatist Groups, as being a Sicilian he is known to have these views. Subsequently he reported to Col MARUO and gave his excuse for his disappearance that he had been investigating for the CIC and that he was going to ROME to report his actions to the CC.RR Command.

Apparently there have been a lot of political moves in regard to him and the CP Leaders had signed a manifesto addressed to the Prefect asking for his immediate removal.

There seems to be some thought that he is an opportunist and has betrayed his old Party.

4. It would seem from the foregoing information that things are in a somewhat disturbed state in the CC.RR here, but that really is not the truth. On the whole they are doing an excellent job but there are isolated centres as I have tried to explain of unrest.

If this Separatist movement continues and gains any ground at all it is difficult to say exactly which way the CC.RR here will go. They are, generally speaking, intensely loyal to their King and bitterly resent the fact that they can no more be known as CC.RR but only as CC.

Personally I have formed the opinion that if the Monarchist movement really does break out a number of CC.RR would and will be prepared to throw in their lot with them, but at present their main interest is the maintenance of law and order.

CMF
RCL/cgr.

Major CC.RR.
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" MOVEMENT FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE SOUTH OF ITALY.

The pact following which in 1860 the unity of Italy was decided, has been broken by a referendum which was carried on with arbitrary means and systems. Therefore, we do not feel bound, any more, to respect a pact that our ancestors have patriotically signed and that by means of blood and property sacrifices we have legally observed. Being confronted with events which break the unity of Italy we, therefore, plan with a broken heart to restore to our southern regions that freedom and that political and economical independence which once made the south quiet and prosperous. Hoping that God will help and protect our rights we invite the citizens to keep calm and disciplined.

Naples 5.6.1946

THE PROMOTING COMMITTEE".

SUBJECT: Monthly Report - 5 Brigade OCRR
- 1 June 46

10 British Liaison Unit
TORRE DEL GRECO
Tel: 55802 NAPLES.
CCRR/G/9

6 June 46

Land Forces Sub-Commission, AC.,
(MILIA, ROME (CCRR Section) (2)

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	<u>Strength</u>
Effective	Present
4118	3726

Difference -	392
Sick	85
Leave (various)	248
Detached	59
	<u>392</u>
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Percentage on leave - 6.6%

(b) NAPLES MOBILE BATTALION

	<u>Strength</u>
Effective	Present
499	340

Difference -	159
Leave (various)	26
Detached	2
Anti-Brigand	
Squad	74
Reinforcements	
(TARANTO)	47
Hospital	10
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No 1 Special Company of NAPLES

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144	131

Difference -	13
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Attached to	
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No 2 Special Company of NAPLES

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
153	Present
	127

Difference -	<u>26</u>
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Attached to	
Departments	6
On leave	13
Hospital	<u>7</u>
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No 3 Special Company of NAFIES

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
154	Present
	151

Difference -	2
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On leave	2
Hospital	1
	3
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2. CATANZARO LEGION

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
2095	Present
	1914

Difference -	181
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Mobilised	72
Hospital	14
Duty with other	
Legions	35
Leave (various)	60
	181
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Percentage on leave - 3.2%

3. (a) BARI LEGION

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
2501	Present
	2300

Difference -	201
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Hospital	23
Leave (various)	113
Detached	65
	201
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Percentage on leave - 4.9%

(b) BARI MOBILE BATTALION

<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
921	Present
	453

Difference -	468
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Leave	66
Detached	402
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4. RECEIPT OF EQUIPMENT

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Percentage on leave - 4.9%

(b) BARI MOBILE BATTALIONDifference - 458

Leave	66
Detached	402
	<u>468</u>
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4. RECEIPT OF EQUIPMENT(a) NAPLES Legion

Pants	2000 pairs
Shirts (Green)	1000
Shirts (Khaki)	1000
Machine Guns (3 50)	6
Machine Guns FIAT 35	6
Rifles (3 50)	249
Automatic Rifles	1030
Pistols (BERETTA)	2021

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(b) CANTANZARO Legion

Linen Shirts (gray green)	1000
Linen pants (short)	1000
Cotton socks	3500 pairs
Combinations	310
Goggles	310
Identity discs	3000
Anklets web	2000 pairs
Laces shoe	1500
Boots (new)	300 pairs
Dyed AMERICAN Battle Blouses	50
Half soles	800 pairs
Spa Lowries 38/R	8
Jeeps	8

Rounds of ammo for automatic rifles 114563

(c) EARL Legion

Gloves	2000 pairs	Kit Bags	300
Metallic stars	100	Cap badges	300
Quintals shoe polish	4	Towels	100
AMERICAN Battle Blouses	80	Lining	30/40 yds
Jackets (gray) now	300	Combinations	330
Trousers (gray)	300 pairs	Glasses	330
Caps	300	Socks	2600
Ties (black)	600	Shoes	500
Identity Discs	600	Laces	500
Pants	600 pairs	Repaired shoes	400
Boots	300 pairs	Handkerchiefs	5024
Shirts	600	Towels	2110
Pullovers	298	Kit bags	800
Half soles	800 pairs		

Vehicles

10 Trucks

Ammunition

Cartridges for automatic rifles calibre 9	147886
Cartridges for machine guns calibre 7.92	16000
Pistols	300
Pistol magazines Type 34	1000
Cartridges for pistols Type 34	30000
Automatic rifles BERETTA Type	671
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DEFICIENCIES IN MATERIAL

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The position is slightly improved from the last report submitted on May 6 46 and it is hoped that if supply continues as at present, a more favourable report will be able to be submitted for next month.

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The main deficiencies for arms exists in the NAPLES Mobile Battalion where :-

1557	Automatic Pistols
27	Automatic Rifles

are required.

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9. TRANSFERRED OF RANKING OFFICERS

On 11 May 46, Major M. SPADAFORA relinquished command of the internal group of the CALABRIZO Legion and was posted to FOGGIA. His place has been taken by Major ROMANO.

10. COMMUNICATIONS

Communications between outlying stations is still very bad notably in the ERI Legion, where it is known that there are 134 stations without telephones.

11. GENERAL

Difficulty is still being experienced in regard to the NAPLES Mobile Battalion accommodation. The barracks which they are at present occupying are in a shocking state of repair and some difficulty is being experienced in getting the repairs effected, due to lack of money and apparent lack of interest on the part of the authorities. It is hoped to eventually get suitable housing for the whole battalion in a barracks which is at present occupied by the Americans.

All legions are still complaining in regard to the inadequacy of stationary allowance.

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Major
CCRR Liaison Officer

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CONFIDENTIALPERSONAL

Territorial Legion CC RR

CATANZARO

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19 May 46

SUBJECT :- Bimonthly Report.5 Brigade CC RR HQ
NAPLES1) PUBLIC OPINION

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The economic and alimentary conditions of the workmen classes and of those at fixed wages can be considered nearly reduced to extremities. If this is put in relation with the particular feeling of these people, who are called upon almost every day to attend at political meetings of various tendencies at the various squares, it is easily understandable that the possibility of shaking and deviation of spirits, which may cause troubles of public order, must not be excluded.

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The actual Ministers, belonging to the social-communist stream are generally blamed for their invectives of any kind addressed to the Monarchy, with no discretion for their office which enable them to go up and down in the peninsula by easy trains for purposes of electoral propaganda of the party.

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2) REMARKS AND COMMENTS OF THE CC. RR.

It is observed that there is a good satisfaction among the ranks of the CC RR, determined from the ascertainment of a sensible political inclination of the country towards the right wing parties.

The facts of MILAN (theft of the body of MUSSOLINI, revolts of S. VITTORE) and the recent incidents of NAPLES are considered not only as episodes of the chronicle of an agitated and turbulent post-war, but also, and above all, as general intolerance and discontent, due to the actual political crisis of the country.

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4) GRAVE ERRORS COMMITTED BY CARABINIERI.

NIL.

5) PAY.

Nothing in addition, or in variation to preceding communication.

6) TRANSFERRING OF HIGH OFFICERS.

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7) DEFICIENCIES IN ARMS, EQUIPMENT etc.

Deficiencies of automatic arms to the Legion :-

(a) Machine-guns "Breda" type 30

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On 11 May 46, Major SPADAFORA Maria relinquished command of the local internal group, having been transferred to that of FOGGIA, a post which he has not yet occupied owing to his admission to the military hospital of this town. His post has been destined to Major ROMANO, proceeding from FOGGIA, but he has not yet arrived.

7) DEFICIENCIES IN ARMS, EQUIPMENT etc.

Deficiencies of automatic arms to the Legion :-

(a) Machine-guns "Breda" type 30	611
(b) Automatic rifles	34
(c) Automatic pistols "Beretta" type 34	500

The clothing situation continues to improve. In fact, all the outfits assigned and informed with the preceding relation, arrived on 12 May.

Assignment of the u/m outfits, considered indispensable, has been required to the General CC RR HQ:-

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- linen shirts grey-green or kaki
- webs
- new boots

2000
1500
1000 prs

Deficiencies of vehicles assigned to the Legion :-

- cars
- light trucks
- ammunition cars
- motorcycles
- heavy trucks

17
42
52
112
3

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- 4 robberies, of which two found out, with a responsible people arrested and two others accused.

- 1 conspiracy, eight persons arrested.

- against individual

- 4 murders, all found out, 5 responsible people arrested.

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- 8 attempt murders, of which seven found out, two responsible people arrested and six accused.

(Sgd) CESARINO GIORGI, Major,
for RAFFAELE MINNITI, LT Col.

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Allegato n. I

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO
Ufficio Comando

FORZA del comando della legione

Forza organica Ufficiali			Forza effettiva Ufficiali			Forza presente Uff/11		
Numero	Grado	Carica	Numero	Grado	Cognome, nome e carica	Numero	Grado	Cognome, nome e carica
I	Col.	Comand.	I	Col.	de Sanctis Ernesto Comand. leg.	-	-	-
I	T. Col.	V. Comand. e Relat.	I	T. Col.	Minniti Raffaele V. Comand. e Relatore	I	T. Col.	Minniti Raffaele V. Comand. e Relat.
			I	T. Col.	Colosimo Giuseppe In lic. attesa discriminaz.	-	-	-
I	Magg. ris.	Aiut. Magg. in 1°	I	Magg. ris.	Passalia Francesco Aiut. Magg. in 1°	I	Magg. ris.	Passalia Francesco Aiut. Magg. in 1°
			I	Magg.	Gabriele Federico Sospeso dallo impiego	-	-	-
			I	Magg.	Valentini Francesco In lic. di Conv.	-	-	-
I	Cap. (c)	Aiut. Magg. in 2°	I	Cap. (c)	Tocci Marini Pietro Aiut. Magg. in 2°	I	Cap. (c)	Tocci Marini Pietro Aiut. Magg. in 2°
			I	1° Cap. ris.	Gualtieri Giuseppe Comand. int. la Comp. Comando	I	1° Cap. ris.	Gualtieri Giuseppe Com. int. Comp. Com.
			I	Cap.	Papa Berardino Agli arresti e domicilio	-	-	-
			I	Cap.	Loiacono Domenico In lic. conval. trasf. Comp. Caltagirone e non partito.	-	-	-

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Forza organica ufficiali			Forza effettiva ufficiale			Forza presente uff/11		
Numero	Grado	Carica	Numero	Grado	Cognome, nome e carica	Numero	Grado	Cognome, nome e carica
			I	Cap.	Dominici Arturo Sospeso dallo impiego	-	-	-
			I	Cap. ris.	Barberi Ottorino A disposiz.	I	Cap. ris.	Barberi Ottorino Com.int. Comp. Lagom negro
I	Cap.	Com. Comp. Comando	I	Cap.	Burruano Salvatore Comand. C. Com. In lic. conval.	-	-	-
I	Ten. ris.	Ufficiali a pagamento	I	Ten. ris.	Primiero Giovanni Ufficiale pagatore	I	Ten. ris.	Primiero Giovanni Uff. Pagat.
I	Ten. (c)	Uff. di Magazzino	I	Ten. (c)	Este Mosè Uff. di magazzino	I	Ten. (c)	Este Mosè Ufficiale di magazzino
			I	S.T. (c)	Corigliano Giorgio Lic. Conv. - tra sferito leg. Firenze e non partito	-	-	-
			I	S.T. (c)	Donadio Antonio A disposiz. - in lic. di con valescenza	-	-	-
			I	S.T. (c)	Zinno Francesco Com. 658 ^a Sez. Mob.	-	-	-
I	T. Col. V. Relatore ris. re Amm/ne		I	T. Col. ris. Amm/ne	Brescia Vincenzo - Vice Relatore	I	T. Col. ris. Amm/ne	Brescia Vincenzo Vicerettore
I	Magg. Ammini straz. ti	Direttore dei Contrasti	I	Magg. Ammi nie straz. ti	Carbonaro Carmelo Direttore dei Conti	I	Magg. Amm/ne	Carbonaro Carmelo Direttore dei Conti

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Forza organica Ufficiali			Forza effettiva Ufficiali			Forza presente Uff/11		
Numero	Grado	Carica	Numero	Grado	Cognome, nome e carica	Numero	Grado	Cognome, nome e carica.
I	Cap. Medico	Dirigente il servizio sanitario	I	Cap. Medico	Calabrò Giuseppe Dirig. il serv sanitario	I	Cap. Medico	Calabrò Giuseppe Dirigente il servizio sanitario
			1	S.r. (c) Fante-ria	Castellano Vincenzo Aggregato Eug. All. CC. RR. Bari	-	-	-

Forza organica Sottufficiali		Forza effettiva Sottufficiali		Forza presente Sottufficiali	
Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado
4	M.M. c.s.	4	M.M. c.s.	4	M.M. c.s.
-	M.M.	21	M.M.	12	M.M.
16	M.C.	17	M.C.	11	M.C.
	M.A.	12	M.A.	9	M.A.
28	Brig.	40	Brig.	27	Brig.
-	V.Brig.	37	V.Brig.	11	V.Brig.
		131		74	

Forza organica truppa		Forza effettiva truppa		Forza presente truppa	
Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado
12	Appuntati	31	Appuntati	11	Appuntati
30	Carabinieri	257	Carabinieri	32	Carabinieri

Catanzaro, 11 15 febbraio 1946.-

IL T. COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT. LA LEGIONE
-Raffaele Minniti-

ALLEGATO N.2

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI CATANZARO

= UFFICIO COMANDO =

FORZA DEI COMANDI DI GRUPPO

Denomina- zione del gruppo.	Forza organica ufficiali			Forza effettiva ufficiali			Forza presente ufficiali		
	Num- ro.	Grado	Carica	Num- ro.	Gra- do	COGNOME, nome e ca- rica.	Num- ro.	Gra- do.	COGNOME, no- me e cari- ca.-
Catanza- ro interno	I	Magg.	Comandante	I	Magg.	SPADAFORA Mario-co- mandante.	I	magg.	SPADAFORA Mario-coman- dante.-
Catanzaro esterno	I	Magg.	Comandante	I	Magg.	GIORGI Ce- sarino-co- mandante interinale	I	Magg.	GIORGI Ce- sarino-co- mandante interinale.
Reggio C.	I	Magg.	Comandante	I	Magg.	COLLICA Domenico- comandante	I	Magg.	COLLICA Do- menico-co- mandante
Cosenza	I	Magg.	Comandante	I	Magg.	CALIENNO Salvatore Comandante	I	Magg.	CALIENNO Salvatore- Comandante
Potenza	I	Magg.	Comandante	I	Magg.	MONTINARI Valentino Comandante	I	Magg.	MONTINARI Valentino Comandante
Denomina- zione del gruppo.	Forza organica sottufficiali			Forza effettiva sottufficiali			Forza presente sottufficiali		
	Numero	Grado		Numero	Grado		Numero	Grado	
Catanzaro interno	I	M.M.		I	M.M.		I	M.M.	
	I	V.B.		I	V.B.		-	-	
Catanzaro esterno	I	M.M.		I	M.C.		I	M.C.	480 ±
	I	V.B.		I	V.B.		I	V.B.	
Reggio Cal.	I	M.M.		I	M.M.		I	M.M.	
	I	V.B.		-	-		-	-	
Cosenza	I	M.M.		I	M.M.		I	M.M.	
	I	V.B.		I	V.B.		I	V.B.	
Potenza	I	M.M.		I	M.M.		I	M.M.	
	I	V.B.		I	Brig.		I	Brig.	

Denominazio ne del grup po.	Forza organica truppa		Forza effettiva truppa		Forza presente truppa	
	Numero	grado	Numero	grado	Numero	grado
Catanzaro interno	2	Carab.	2	Carab.	2	Carabinieri
Catanzaro esterno	2	Carab.	2	Carab.	2	Carabinieri
Reggio Cal.	I	App.	2	App.	2	App.
	2	Carab.	2	Carab.	2	Carab.
Cosenza	I	App.	I	App.	I	App.
	2	Carab.	2	Carab.	2	Carab.
Potenza	I	App.	I	App.	I	App.
	2	Carab.	2	Carab.	2	Carab.

Catanzaro, li 15 febbraio 1946.-



IL TEN. COL. COMANDANTE INT. LA LEGIONE
- Raffaele Minniti -

Denominazio- ne delle compagnie.	Forza organica sottufficiali		Forza effettiva sottufficiali		Forza presente Sottufficiali		LEGIONE TERRI		
	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado			
Villa S.Gio- vanni	I	M.M.c.s.	-	-	-	-	FORZA dei cor al IO		
	2	M.M.	3	M.M.	3	M.M.			
	6	(M.C.	5	M.C.	5	M.C.			
	6	(M.A.	-	M.A.	-	M.A.			
	8	Brig.	2	Brig.	2	Brig.			
	4	V.B.	5	V.B.	5	V.B.			
Palmi	I	M.M.c.s.	I	M.M.c.s.	I	M.M.c.s.			
	7	M.M.	9	M.M.	9	M.M.			
	I2	(M.C.	6	M.C.	5	M.C.	Comp.Spec.	I	Cap.
	I5	(M.A.	I	M.A.	I	M.A.		I	Ten.
	I2	Brig.	II	Brig.	IO	Brig.		I	Ten.
	I2	V.B.	I3	V.B.	I2	V.B.			
Cosenza int.	I	M.M.c.s.	-	-	-	-	Catanzaro	I	Cap.
	7	M.M.	6	M.M.	6	M.M.		2	Ten.
	I2	(M.C.	IO	M.C.	IO	M.C.			
	I6	(M.A.	I	M.A.	I	M.A.			
	9	Brig.	8	Brig.	6	Brig.	Crotone	I	Cap.
		V.B.	II	V.B.	IO	V.B.		I	ten.
Cosenza, est.	I	M.M.c.s.	-	-	-	-			
	IO	M.M.	IO	M.M.	IO	M.M.			
	I4	(M.C.	8	M.C.	7	M.C.			
	I5	(M.A.	6	M.A.	6	M.A.			
	I2	Brig.	6	Brig.	6	Brig.	Nicastro	I	Cap.
	I2	V.B.	7	V.B.	5	V.B.		I	Ten.
Paola	7	M.M.	7	M.M.	7	M.M.			
	8	(M.C.	6	M.C.	6	M.C.	Vibo Val.	I	Cap.
	I2	(M.A.	3	M.A.	3	M.A.		I	Ten.
	IO	Brig.	9	Brig.	9	Brig.			
		V.B.	9	V.B.	7	V.B.			
Castrovillari	I	M.M.c.s.	I	M.M.c.s.	I	M.M.c.s.			
	6	M.M.	6	M.M.	6	M.M.	Reggio Cal.	I	Cap.
	I2	(M.C.	8	M.C.	8	M.C.		2	Ten.
	9	(M.A.	I	M.A.	I	M.A.			
	7	Brig.	9	Brig.	7	Brig.			
		V.B.	7	V.B.	7	V.B.			
Potenza int.	2	M.M.c.s.	2	M.M.c.s.	2	M.M.c.s.	Locri	I	Cap.
	9	M.M.	7	M.M.	7	M.M.		I	Ten.
	I2	(M.C.	IO	M.C.	IO	M.C.			
	I6	(M.A.	3	M.A.	3	M.A.			
	II	Brig.	7	Brig.	7	Brig.		I	S.Ten.
		V.B.	II	V.B.	8	V.B.			

ALLEGATO N.3

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI CATANZARO

= UFFICIO COMANDO =

F O R Z A dei comandi di compagnia, tenenza, sezioni e strazioni,
al 10 febbraio 1946.-

		Denominazio ne delle compagnie.	Forza organica ufficiali			Forza effettiva ufficiali			Forza presente ufficiali			
			Num ero.	Grado	Carica	Num ero.	Grado	Carica	Num ero.	Grado	Carica	
s.	I	M.M.c.s.										
	9	M.M.										
	5	M.C.	Comp.Spec.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.
	I	M.A.		I	Ten.	Com.plot.	-	(c)	-	I	Ten.	com.plot.
	10	Brig.		I	Ten.	Com.plot.	-	-	-	I	Ten.	com.plot.
	12	V.B.										
	-	-	Catanzaro ✓	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comandant
	6	M.M.		2	Ten.	Com.Ten.	2	Ten.	Com.ten.	2	Ten.	Com.Ten.
	10	M.C.				Catanzaro		(c)	Catanzaro			Catanzaro
	I	M.A.				e Sovera-			e Sovera-			e Sovera-
	6	Brig.				to.			to.-			to.-
	10	V.B.										
	-	-	Crotone ✓	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.
	I			I	ten.	Com.ten.	I	(c)	Com.ten.	I	Ten.	Com.Ten.
	10	M.M.				Strongoli		(c)	Strongoli			Strongoli
	7	M.C.										
	6	M.A.										
	6	Brig.	Nicastro ✓	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.
	5	V.B.		I	Ten.	Com.ten.	I	Ten.	Com.ten.	I	Ten.	Com.Ten.
						Nicastro			Nicastro			Nicastro
	7	M.M.										
	6	M.C.										
	3	M.A.	Vibo Val. (	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.
	9	Brig.		I	Ten.	Com.Ten.	I	Ten.	Com.Ten.	-	-	-
	7	V.B.				Serra S.			Serra S.			
						Bruno			Bruno			
s.	I	M.M.c.s.	Reggio Cal. ✓	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.
	6	M.M.		2	Ten.	Com.Ten.	2	Ten.	Com.Ten.	I	Ten.	Com.Ten.
	8	M.C.				Reggio C.			Reggio C.			Reggio Ca
	I	M.A.				e Melito			e Melito			labria.
	7	Brig.				Porto Sal			Porto Sal			
	7	V.B.				vo.			vo.-			
										4803		
s.	2	M.M.c.s.	Locri	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.	I	Cap.	Comand.
	7	M.M.		I	Ten.	Com.Ten.	I	Ten.	Com.Ten.	I	Ten.	Com.Ten.
	10	M.C.				Roccella			Roccella			Roccella
	3	M.A.				Jonica.			Jonica.			Jonica.
	7	Brig.		I	S.Ten.	Com.Ten.	I	S.Ten.	Com.Ten.	I	S.Ten.	Com.Ten.
	8	V.B.				Locri.			Locri			Locri.

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Forza presente ufficiali				Denominazio ne delle compagnie.	Forza organica sottufficiali		Forza effettiva sottufficiali		Forza presente sottufficiali	
ca	Nume ro.	Grado	Carica		Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.	Compagnia Spe ciale.-	2	M.M.	2	M.M.	2	M.M.
					I	M.A.	I	M.A.	I	M.A.
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.		2	Brig.	2	Brig.	2	Brig.
ten. iano	I	Ten.	Com.Ten. Taurianova		3	V.B.	3	V.B.	3	V.B.
				Catanzaro	I3	M.M.	I7	M.M.	I7	M.M.
					II	(M.C.	6	M.C.	6	M.C.
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.		I6	(M.A.	2	M.A.	I	M.A.
ten. ano					I5	Brig.	I3	Brig.	7	Brig.
						V.B.	I4	V.B.	I2	V.B.
				Crotone	I	M.M.c.s.	-	-	-	-
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.		7	M.M.	5	M.M.	4	M.M.
en. no	I	Ten.	Com.ten. Rossano		9	(M.C.	3	M.C.	2	M.C.
en. co tano	-	-	-		8	(M.A.	5	M.A.	5	M.A.
					I0	Brig.	8	Brig.	8	Brig.
						V.B.	6	V.B.	6	V.B.
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.	Nicastro	I	M.M.c.s.	I	M.M.c.s.	I	M.M.c.s.
en. a	-	-	-		2	M.M.	6	M.M.	6	M.M.
					I4	(M.C.	5	M.C.	5	M.C.
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.		I2	(M.A.	7	M.A.	7	M.A.
en. ovil	-	-	-		7	Brig.	9	Brig.	8	Brig.
						V.B.	5	V.B.	4	V.B.
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.	Vibo Valent.	I	M.M. c.s.	I	M.M. c.s.	I	M.M.c.s.
en. nza	-	-	-		8	M.M.	9	M.M.	9	M.M.
					I5	(M.C.	8	M.C.	8	M.C.
					9	(M.A.	3	M.A.	3	M.A.
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.		8	Brig.	9	Brig.	9	Brig.
en. i	I	Ten.	Com.Ten. Melfi			V.B.	I0	V.B.	9	V.B.
				Reggio Cal.	8	M.M.	9	M.M.	9	M.M.
					I2	(M.C.	I2	M.C.	II	M.C.
nd.	I	Cap.	Comand.		I3	(M.A.	3	M.A.	3	M.A.
en. egro	I	Ten.	Comand. ter nenza La gonegro.		II	Brig.	7	Brig.	7	Brig.
						V.B.	I5	V.B.	I5	V.B.
				Locri	6	M.M.	9	M.M.	9	M.M.
					I3	(M.C.	7	M.C.	6	M.C.
					I9	(M.A.	4	M.A.	4	M.A.
					8	Brig.	I0	Brig.	I0	Brig.
						V.B.	8	V.B.	6	V.B.

Denominazione delle compa- gnie.-.	Forza organica sottufficiali		Forza effettiva sottufficiali		Forza presente Sottufficiali	
	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado
Potenza est.	2 7 9 15 9	M.M.c.s. M.M. (M.C. (M.A. Brig. V.B.	1 4 4 4 13 4	M.M.c.s. M.M. M.C. M.A. Brig. V.B.	1 4 4 4 12 4	M.M.c.s. M.M. M.C. M.A. Brig. V.B.
Lagonegro	1 8 8 10 8	M.M.c.s. M.M. (M.C. (M.A. Brig. V.B.	1 8 4 3 5 7	M.M.c.s. M.M. M.C. M.A. Brig. V.B.	1 7 4 3 4 7	M.M.c.s. M.M. M.C. M.A. Brig. V.B.

Denominazione delle compa- gnie	Forza organica truppa		Forza effettiva truppa		Forza presente truppa	
	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado
Compagnia Spe- ciale.	4 139	App. C/ri	4 139	App. C/ri	4 139	App. C/ri
Catanzaro	28 163	App. C/ri	32 145	App. C/ri	30 111	App. C/ri
Crotone	14 87	App. C/ri	13 64	App. C/ri	13 54	App. C/ri
Nicastro	19 100	App. C/ri	19 70	App. C/ri	19 65	App. C/ri
Vibo Val.	21 107	App. C/ri	21 78	App. C/ri	21 66	App. C/ri
Reggio Cal.	16 134	App. C/ri	24 66	App. C/ri	21 57	App. C/ri
L o c r i	22 106	App. C/ri	19 70	App. C/ri	18 43	App. C/ri

Denominazione delle compa- gnie.-	Forza organica truppa		Forza effettiva truppa		Forza presente Truppa	
	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado	Numero	Grado
Villa S.Gio- vanni	6 43	App. C/ri	11 25	App. C/ri	10 20	App. C/ri
P a l m i	16 97	App. C/ri	22 63	App. C/ri	20 59	App. C/ri
Cosenza int.	16 109	App. C/ri	28 77	App. C/ri	25 62	App. C/ri
Cosenza est.	24 112	App. C/ri	27 79	App. C/ri	25 70	App. C/ri
Paola	11 75	App. C/ri	17 59	App. C/ri	15 48	App. C/ri
Castrovillari	15 81	App. C/ri	19 64	App. C/ri	16 56	App. C/ri
Potenza int.	20 128	App. C/ri	13 79	App. C/ri	13 59	App. C/ri
Potenza est.	21 99	App. C/ri	14 51	App. C/ri	14 41	App. C/ri
Lagonegro	16 83	App. C/ri	10 48	App. C/ri	10 44	App. C/ri

Catanzaro, li 15 febbraio 1946.-



IL TEN.COL.COMANDANTE INT.IA LEGIONE
- Raffaele Minniti -

Allegato 4

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO
Ufficio Servizio

SITUAZIONE della forza della suddetta legione alla data del 10
 febbraio 1946.

Forza organica n° 2500 ✓
 Forza effettiva....." 2449 ✓
 Deficienza.....N° 51 ✓

DIMOSTRAZIONE DEGLI ASSENTI

Ricoverati in luoghi di cura.....n° 60 ✓
 In licenze varie(convalesc.comprese)....." 214 ✓
 Aggregati ad altri reparti fuori legione....." 35 ✓

TOTALE ASSENTI.....n° 309 ✓

MILITARI EFFETTIVI.....n° 2449 ✓
 MILITARI ASSENTI....." 309 ✓

PRESENTI.....n° 2140 ✓

INDISPONIBILI PER IL SERVIZIO TERRITORIALE DI POLIZIA

-Reparti Speciali:

Nucleo Comando Tappa 213 2
 Nuclei 5° e 8° Armata.....n. 47
 220^ Sezione CC.RR. mobilitata....." 21
 198^ Sezione CC.RR." 6
 624^ Sezione CC.RR." 3
 658^ Sezione CC.RR." 9
 670^ Sezione CC.RR." 2
 98^ Sezione CC.RR." 1
 168° Nucleo CC.RR. add.2° Commis.Militare.." 9
 46^ Sezione CC.RR. mobilitata 2
 Squadriglia mobile per la repressione di reati" 23
 Compagnia speciale CC.RR." 151
 Addetti Autorità ed Enti Alleati (all.n.1)...." 5
 Addetti a servizi vari (all.n.2)....." 218

TOTALE n.499

PRESENTI.....N. 2140 ✓
 INDISPONIBILI....." 499 ✓
 DISPONIBILI PER SERV.IST. " 1641

Catanzaro, 11 15 febbraio 1946

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Allegato n. 1LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO
UFFICIO SERVIZIOM I L I T A R I = che prestano servizio presso gli Alleati.

	<u>Uff.</u>	<u>Sott.</u>	<u>Truppa</u>
- ADDETTI alla vigilanza ai magazzini viveri ed al porto di Crotona per conto degli Alleati	-	-	4
- ADDETTI alla vigilanza all'ufficio regionale provinciale di Catanzaro	-	-	1
TOTALE	-	-	5

Catanzaro, li 15 febbraio 1946.

IL TEN. COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.
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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO
Ufficio Amministrazione - Sezione Seconda

SITUAZIONE DEGLI AUTOMEZZI alla data del 10 febbraio 1946

Automezzi che la legione dovrebbe avere in dotazione in base allo organico stabilito dal comando Generale col foglio 56/10 del 16 settembre 1945.

a)- Autocarri leggeri.....n° 68 v
b)- Autovetture....." 55 v
c)- Motocicli....." 835 v

EFFETTIVAMENTE ESISTENTI

- Alla compagnia comando	n° 3	0	
- Al Gruppo Interno di Catanzaro.....	" 4	0	
- Al Gruppo Esterno di Catanzaro.....	" 6	0	
- Al Gruppo di Cosenza.....	" 6	0	<u>AUTOVETTURE</u>
- Al Gruppo di Reggio Calabria.....	" 5	1	
- Al Gruppo di Potenza.....	" 5	1	
Totale	29 v	2	
- Alla Compagnia Comando.....	" 2 v	0	<u>AUTOCARRI LEGGERI</u>
- Alla Compagnia Comando.....	" 1	0	<u>AUTOCARRI PESANTI</u>
- Alla Compagnia Comando.....	" 1	0	
- Al Gruppo Interno di Catanzaro.....	" 7	0	
- Al Gruppo Esterno di Catanzaro.....	" 5	0	<u>MOTOCICLI</u>
- Al Gruppo di Cosenza.....	" 2	0	
- Al Gruppo di Potenza.....	" 1	0	
Totale n.	16 v		

DEFICIENZA

a)- Autocarri (leggeri)....." 66 v
b)- Autovetture....." 26 v
c)- Motocicli....." 819 v

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ALLEGATO N.6

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI CATANZARO

= UFFICIO COMANDO =

PROSPETTO dimostrativo dei reparti dipendenti dalla
legione.-

COMANDI TERRITORIALI

- Compagnia comando.....N. 1
- Comandi gruppo....." 5
- Comandi di compagnia....." 16
- Comandi di tenenza....." 18
- Comandi di sezioni....." 13
- Comandi di stazione....."326.-

REPARTI SPECIALI TERRITORIALI

- Una compagnia speciale in Catanzaro.-

REPARTI MOBILITATI

- Nucleo CC.RR. per tappa 213 in Bordighiera(Imperia)
- Nucleo per Centro Raccolta Profughi, in Cinecittà (Roma)

Catanzaro, li 15 febbraio 1946.-



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LLEGATO N.7

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI CATANZARO
- Ufficio Amministrazione-sezione seconda-

SITUAZIONE VESTIARIO ED EQUIPAGGIAMENTO AL 10-2-1946

Dal 1° gennaio 1945 questa legione ha ricevuto i sottonotati oggetti di vestiario e di biancheria:

- pantaloni di panno g.v.....	N.	500
- pantaloni lunghi di lana tinti in verde.....	"	150
- pantaloni corti di tela K.O.....	"	300
- giubbe di panno g.v.....	"	800
- fasce gambiere di panno g.v.(di classe).....	p.	1000
- stivaletti di cui 550 nuovi e 2650 riattati.....	"	3200
- calze di cotone.....	"	5000
- calze di lana.....	"	500
- camicie di tela (di classe).....	n.	800
- mutande di lana.....	"	2500
- mutande corte.....	"	300
- berretti di panno g.v.....	"	1100
- cappotti di panno g.v.....	"	300.

Detto quantitativo di vestiario è stato appena sufficiente per vestire gli sbandati ed i reduci dall'internamento e dalla prigionia che alla data odierna ammontano a 1225.-

Inoltre sulla legione di Milano sono stati assegnati i sottonotati capi di corredo non ancora giunti:

- calze di cotone.....	p.	2000
- pantaloni di panno g.v.....	n.	600
- giubbe di panno g.v.....	"	600
- camicie di tela g.v.....	"	300
- stivaletti chiodati.....	p.	500

Detto quantitativo è insufficiente per supporre alle più urgenti ed inderogabili esigenze di tutti i militari in forza a questa legione che ammontano a N. 2449 ⁱⁿ.- Inoltre circa 1500 militari, da oltre un anno, non hanno avuto distribuzione capi di vestiario e circa 900 indossano oggetti di tela consumati ed indecorosi, e nelle foggie più svariate e di diverso colore.-

Per poter mettere in perfetta efficienza il vestiario del personale di questa legione e della compagnia speciale, occorrono n.4000 serie di vestiario, tenuto conto che la dotazione prevista dal Comando Generale

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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO
Ufficio Amministrazione - Sezione Seconda

SITUAZIONE delle armi automatiche alla data del 10 febr. 1946

ARMI AUTOMATICHE CHE LA LEGIONE DOVREBBE AVERE IN ORGANICO

a)- Mitragliatrici.....n° --
 b)- Fucili mitragliatori....." 812
 c)- Moschetti automatici....." --
 d)- Pistole automatiche "Beretta" mod.34....." 2500

EFFETTIVAMENTE ESISTENTI

a)- Mitragliatrici mod.37....." 2
 b)- Fucili mitragliatori B.30....." 201
 c)- Moschetti automatici....." 35
 d)- Pistole automatiche "Beretta" mod.34....." 1330

LE ARMI AUTOMATICHE ESISTENTI SONO COSI' RIPARTITE

a)- Mitragliatrici mod.37.....n°1 alla compagnia Cosenza Int.
 e n.1 a quella di Catanzaro
 b)- Fucili mitragliatori B.30.....n°201 alle stazioni della legione
 c)- Moschetti automatici "Mitra"....n° 35: Alla compagnia di Crotone
 n° 20 e alla compagnia di Catanzaro n°15.
 d)- Pistole automatiche mod.34.....n° 1330 in distribuzione ai militari della legione.

DEFICIENZA

a)- Mitragliatrici.....n° --
 b)- Fucili mitragliatori B.30....." 611v
 c)- Moschetti automatici....." --
 d)- Pistole automatiche "Beretta" mod.34....." 1170.v

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Catanzaro, li 15 febbraio 1946



IL TEN.COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.LA LEGIONE
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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI CATANZARO
- Ufficio Amministrazione-sezione seconda-

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dell'Arma con circolare n.3/I361/22 del 22 novembre 1945 avente per oggetto: " Situazione dei materiali di vestiario di servizio generali e di casermaggio" è assolutamente inadeguata ai bisogni dei nostri militari dislocati in maggioranza in zone montane.-

L'assegnazione di n.4000 serie consentirebbe di dotare i militari di altra uniforme completa necessaria per poter porre gli stessi nelle condizioni di fare eseguire le riparazioni occorrenti al vestiario ed alle calzature senza dover sospendere l'attività nel servizio.-

Catanzaro, li 15 febbraio 1946.-



IL TEN.COL.COMANDANTE INT.LA LEGIONE
- Raffaele Minniti -

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Ufficio Amministrazione - Sezione Seconda

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Catanzaro, li 15 febbraio 1946



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Subject: Monthly Report - 5 Brigada CCRP - 1 May 46

10 British Liaison Unit
TORRE DEL GRECO
Tel. 55802 NAPLES
CCRP/G/9

6 May 46

Land Forces Sub Commission, AC.,
MILA, ROITE (CCRP, Section) (2)

1. (a) NAPLES LEGION.

Effective	Strength	Present
3972		3694
	<u>278</u>	

Difference

Sick	83
Leave (various)	112
Detached	<u>83</u>
	<u>278</u>
	===

Percentage on leave - 3%

Not included in above are :-

Dependent on Returned PWs Centre 1598, of which :-
25 are employed as clerks at the centre.
1507 are on PW special leave.
40 are on sick leave.
13 are in hospital.
13 are awaiting assignment by GHQ.

(b) NAPLES MOBILE BATTALION.

Effective	Strength	Present
507		289
	<u>218</u>	

Difference

On det duty	19
Leave (various)	43
Anti-brigand	
Squad	99
Reinforcement of	
TARANTO	<u>57</u>
	<u>218</u>
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Percentage on leave 11.7%

40 men have now been returned from the anti-brigand Squad, and they have been replaced by men from the Legion.
GHQ have demanded the return of the 51 at BARI from the Ministry of the Interior.

2. CATANZARO LEGION.

Effective	Strength	Present
2203		1992
	<u>211</u>	

Difference

Difference

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Sick 83
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 Detached 83
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Percentage on leave = 3%

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(b) NAPLES MOBILE BATTALION.

Difference

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Effective 507
 Strength Present 289

On dot duty 19
 Leave (various) 43
 Anti-brigand Squad 99
 Reinforcement of TARANTO 57
218
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Percentage on leave 14.7%

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2. CATANZARO LEGION.

Difference

211

Effective 2203
 Strength Present 1992

Present strength includes 107 from BARI MOBILE BN.
 20 " NAPLES LEGION
 In hospital 26
 Leave (various) 18
 Detached 44
 With NAPLES LEG 250
338
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Percentage on leave . 8%

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3. (a) BARI LEGION.

Effective	Strength
2272	Present
167	2105

Difference

In hospital	20
Detached	55
Leave (various)	92
	<u>167</u>

Percentage on leave 4.3%

(b) MOBILE BATTALION BARI

Effective	Strength
773	Present
	216

Leave (various)	52 (28 on sick leave)
Sick	22
Detached (SICILY)	483

Percentage on leave 23%

4. RECEIPT OF EQUIPMENT, ETC.(a) NAPLES LEGION

7780 handkerchiefs	600 mugs
1000 pairs boots	500 pairs overalls
3000 shirts	500 pairs goggles
5000 pairs socks	
10 motor-cycles	
7 Jeeps	
12 Staghound AGs	

153490 rounds 9mm ammunition for mitra Deretta.

(b) BARI LEGION

3487.95 metres Khaki cloth	7 Jeeps. (Received from
1500 shirts (grey-green)	Ministry of War)
100 flannel body belts.	The 12 Staghounds have left ROMA

(c) CATANZARO LEGION

591 Mitra Deretta Mod.44	for BARI
6600 hand grenades.	4793

1800 jackets grey green
1800 trousers grey green

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DEFICIENCIES IN MATERIAL.

By far the most serious deficiencies, which are now being gradually remedied, are those of transport.

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The chief needs of NAPLES LEGION and BATTALION are :-

- (a) - Load carriers 54
- (b) - Light trucks 119
- (c) - Motor-cycles 1027

Deretta Pistols Mod 34- 2057

BARI LEGION and MONTE BATTALION are in an equally bad condition and have not yet received any issue of arms or transport. Again, the shortage of Deretta pistols is underlined. The same considerations apply to CATANZARO LEGION.

PUBLIC SAFETY SITUATION.

The situation in the FOGGIA, MATERANO and LURGE areas of BARI LEGION has deteriorated. Armed robbery is common, and the bands of robbers are well armed. In the first fortnight of April there were 19 murders, eight of which were solved, 5 arrested; 36 armed robberies, 13 solved, 14 arrested; 121 aggravated thefts, 51 solved 45 persons arrested or reported. Violence on the part of leftist organisations has provoked disorders with retaliation from the more moderate parties. The BARI LEGION attributes this to the weakness of the provincial authorities who yield to the demands of agitators in the vain hope of avoiding more serious consequences.

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Complaint is made of the inadequacy of the stationery allowance, and a request is made that every station be provided with a typewriter.

In CATANZARO, economic difficulties are being added to by a serious shortage of fertilisers.

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(a) Considerable difficulty has been found in providing accommodation for the NAPLES ORILE BATTALION. I have at last found a barracks which the Americans are evacuating, and it is suitable for housing the whole Battalion.

- (b) All the mitra Beretta received at NAPLES have been distributed to groups, as also has the ammunition. They are now in course of distribution to lower formations. There is no doubt that the arrival of the 10 load carriers will enormously improve the speed of distribution.

CCH/HQ

Major
CCIR Liaison Officer

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= LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO =
UFFICIO SERVIZIO

N.63/5 di protocollo R.P.

Catanzaro, li 18 aprile 1946

Risposta al fono n.156/37 dell'11 corr.

AL COMANDO DELLA QUINTA BRIGATA DEI CC.RR.

N A P O L I

S P E C C H I O della situazione della forza dell'Arma della suddetta Legione
alla data del 15 aprile 1946.

Forza ef- fettiva Uff.Sott. Truppa	Forza Presente Uff.Sott. Truppa	FORZA ASSENTE dimostrazione fra la forza effettiva e quella presente	Numero dei militari, compresi nella forza presente non disponi- bili per il servizio d'istituto.	Numero dei militari facenti par- te del Cen- tro Recup.	Batta- glioni Mobili
1	2	3	4	5	6
n.2203	n.1992 Sono in- clusi i 107 mili- tari del Btg.Mob. di Bari e 20 mi- litari della Le- gione di Napoli (+)	N.338 di cui : n.26 rinv. in Osped. " 7 in lic.di conva- lescenza non supe- riore a 30 gg.; " 6 in licenza sene- strale; " 5 in licenza per mo- tivi di famiglia; " 44 comandati in al- tre legioni; " 250 di rinforzo al- la legione di Napo- li.	N.464 di cui : n.216 scrivani pres- so i comandi vari; " 13 adibiti ai Cir- coli Industr.e La- voro; " 80 adibiti ai Nu- clei polizia Fer- roviaria; " 3 adibiti tipogra- fia legionare; " 44 adibiti U.P.S. E.A.; " 1 addetto autorità ed Enti Alleati; " 5 addetti spacci legionali e gruppi " 98 piantoni e guar- dia caserme della Arma, autisti, moto- ciclisti e scude- ria legionare; " 4 adibiti vigilan- za ponte "Petrace".	N.N.	N.N.

(+) Il totale della forza presente ed assente non é uguale alla forza effettiva.

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perché nella forza presente sono compresi n.107 militari avuti dal Battaglione Mobile di Bari e n.20 avuti da quello di Napoli.-

Dal 16 marzo al 15 corrente la legione ha ricevuto i sotto-notati materiali :

ARMAMENTO :

- 2 aprile 1946, dalla legione allievi di Roma, 591 mitra "Beretta" mod.944;
- 11 aprile 1946, dalla Sezione Staccata di Artiglieria di Cosenza (Deposito di Vadue), 6600 bombe a mano.

MUNIZIONAMENTO :

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VESTIARIO :

- 26 marzo 1946, dal 10° Deposito Speciale Misto di Napoli, 800 giubbe e 800 pantaloni di panno grigio-oliva;
- 3 aprile 1946, dal 6° Deposito Speciale Vestierio Misto di Bologna, 1800 giubbe e 1800 pantaloni di panno g.v.

AUTOMEZZI :

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IL TEN.COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.
-Raffaele Minniti-



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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO
UFFICIO SERVIZIO

N° 50/16 di prot.Ris.Pers.

Catanzaro, 11 19 aprile 1946

OGGETTO: Relazione bimensile.

AL COMANDO DELLA V^a BRIGATA CC.RR.

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1°) OPINIONE PUBBLICA

La grave situazione economica, in cui versa il Paese, viene sfavorevolmente commentata dalla popolazione, la quale rileva che il Governo non riesce tuttavia a migliorare le condizioni di vita delle classi meno abbienti ed impiegatizie, costrette a vivere con stipendi e salari affatto adeguati all'attuale costo dei generi, specie di prima necessità.

Anche nel campo commerciale e dell'industria l'opinione pubblica è preoccupata per la scarsità degli scambi e la disoccupazione, che tende ad aumentare.

In rapporto alla politica monetaria, adottata dal Ministro del Tesoro CORBINO, è in tutti la speranza di una generale revisione dei prezzi con quotazione più bassa, e, quindi, accessibile.

La situazione politica viene seguita molto attentamente.

I risultati delle recenti elezioni amministrative, quantunque in più comuni la personalità dei candidati sia stato il fattore dominante, hanno fornito, per quanto riguarda questa giurisdizione, la chiara visione che il Paese non è disposto a seguire una politica di avventura o di incertezza, e saggiamente si orienta verso una vera democrazia.

La questione Giuliana è seguita con attenzione ed ansia, poiché in tutti è sentita l'italianità di Trieste e le recenti manifestazioni

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popolari per l'affermazione di essa sono state accolte con grande, unanime simpatia. Si nutre fiducia nell'imparzialità degli osservatori neutrali e grande affidamento si fa sulle Nazioni Unite.

## 2°) IMPRESSIONI E COMMENTI DELL'ARMA

E' generale opinione che se il Governo non opererà in maniera illuminata e fattiva e senza orientamenti verso destra o sinistra, e non potenzierà adeguatamente, col concorso degli Alleati, le Forze di Polizia, il Paese potrà, forse, e fra non molto, dare segni di maggiore stanchezza, di irritazione e ribellione con gravi conseguenze.

Si ritiene, pure, che occorre moderare l'attività, spesso violenta, dei partiti di sinistra.

Si lamenta l'azione lenta e confusa degli attuali uomini di Governo, tutti protesi nella lotta elettorale, anziché nello sforzo di ricostruzione morale e materiale del Paese. Si pensa che sia necessario riportare la concordia negli spiriti attraverso un'opera di comprensione da parte dell'attuale Governo, concretandola con effettivi benefici da attuare senza indugio in favore di coloro che per la guerra ebbero a soffrire maggiormente, comprendendovi, anzitutto, i reduci, i prigionieri, i sinistrati, essendo tali categorie quelle che maggiormente, attraverso le loro agitazioni, compromettono l'ordine pubblico, chiedendo una efficace assistenza e l'attuazione di congrue provvidenze.

L'esiguità della forza dei vari comandi dell'Arma, che ha dovuto sormontare non lievi difficoltà per assicurare la tutela dell'ordine pubblico in occasione delle elezioni amministrative, non potrà consentire, si opina, un adeguato servizio d'ordine e di sicurezza per le prossime elezioni politiche, ove non si addivenga a potenziare i comandi o con un richiamo di classi di carabinieri o con altre provvidenze.

Lo scarso potenziamento dell'Arma in uomini, mezzi ed armamento non consente, inoltre, una proficua e fattiva opera nel campo della pubblica sicurezza e nella lotta contro la delinquenza, la quale è bene

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organizzata e dispone di molte armi automatiche. Molto si è fatto contro il dilagare di tale attività, ma resta, ancora, alquanto da fare per stroncarla.

Nei riflessi della politica interna, l'Arma segue con imparzialità le varie vicende, che dovranno condurre il Paese alla Costituente e non manca qualche perplessità circa i risultati del referendum istituzionale.

L'eventuale mutamento delle attuali istituzioni, preoccupano non poco la totalità dei militari dell'Arma per le conseguenti, immancabili ripercussioni che ne deriverebbero alla nostra ultracentenaria istituzione.

3°) COMMENTI DELLA STAMPA SULL'OPERATO DEI CARABINIERI

E' dato constatare, da qualche tempo, che la stampa di sinistra, la quale, in precedenza, non tralasciava occasione di scagliarsi in maniera a volte violenta contro l'operato dei carabinieri, dimostra di essere meno audace nel commentare l'attività, in genere, dell'Arma. Ciò non perchè l'Arma, preoccupata degli apprezzamenti sul suo operato da parte di alcune correnti politiche di sinistra abbia sentito la necessità di orientarsi verso altri criteri di lavoro, ma perchè le opportune precisazioni, attraverso la stampa stessa, da parte dei vari comandi, sono valse a mitigare, per lo meno nella forma ufficiale, quel malcelato senso di risentimento verso la nostra istituzione da parte di elementi di sinistra.

4°) GRAVI MANCANZE COMMESSE DAI CARABINIERI

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Nulla da aggiungere o variare a quanto comunicato in ~~4~~ <sup>5</sup> ~~8~~ <sup>6</sup> precedenza.

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6°)- TRASFERIMENTI DI UFFICIALI SUPERIORI

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7°) DEFICIENZE DI ARMAMENTI, EQUIPAGGIAMENTI, ETC.

Deficienze di armi automatiche alla legione :

- a)- fucili mitragliatori "breda mod.30 " ..... N. 611
- b)- moschetti automatici ..... " 34
- c)- pistole automatiche "beretta mod.34" ..... " 500

La situazione del vestiario accenna a migliorare. Infatti, oltre le 2600 divise kaki-oliva e grigio-verde già giunte, sono stati assegnati a questa legione i sottoelencati oggetti di corredo :

- fazzoletti ..... N.4946
- camicie di tela grigio-verde..... " 1000
- mutande corte di tela..... " 1000
- asciugatoi ..... " 2600
- calze di cotone..... paia " 2500

E' stato interessato il Comando Generale dell'Arma per l'assegnazione dei sottoelencati capi di corredo, ritenuti indispensabili :

- camicie di tela g.v. e kaki-oliva ..... N.3000
- calze di cotone ..... paia " 3000
- stivaletti nuovi ..... " " 1000
- alamari da carabiniere ..... " " 2000
- laccioli per scarpe ..... " " 2000.

Deficienza degli automezzi in dotazione alla legione :

- autovetture ..... N. 26

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| - autocarri leggeri .....          | N. | 70  |
| - camioncini .....                 | "  | 2   |
| - motocicli biposto .....          | "  | 816 |
| - motocarrelli e mototricicli..... | "  | 3   |

Nulla da aggiungere o variare alle deficienze circa i collegamenti, rappresentati nella precedente relazione .

#### 8°)) SPIRITO E MORALE DEI CARABINIERI

Lo spirito e il morale dei carabinieri sono veramente elevati per la stima, il prestigio e il rispetto cui l'Arma è fatta segno da parte di queste popolazioni, le quali, ancora oggi, confidano solo nell'Arma per la loro tutela e per la loro sicurezza e vedono in essa un baluardo contro cui si spezzano le velleità di disordine nutrite o attuale da parte di elementi sconsigliati.

Per tonificare il morale del carabiniere, la cui divisa ed il cui motto sono, ancora, compendiatì nella espressione " DOVERE E SACRIFICIO " occorrono provvidenze tali, che mettano in breve tempo la nostra organizzazione in grado di poter operare con efficienza di armamenti e di mezzi di locomozione con un nuovo e completo equipaggiamento che non si allontani da quello tradizionale, essendo esso la essenza stessa del carabiniere ed il simbolo della legge tra le popolazioni, specialmente rurali, nelle quali, il carabiniere condivide pene e gioie, lavoro a sacrifici, proteso anch'esso nell'opera di ricostruzione morale del Paese.

#### 9°) CENNI GENERALI SULLE CONDIZIONI DELLA SICUREZZA PUBBLICA DEL TERRITORIO

Le condizioni della pubblica sicurezza, pur essendo, rispetto ai tempi, soddisfacenti, non possono dirsi, ancora, completamente tranquillizzanti.

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I maggiori reati verificatisi nella quindicina precedente sono:

a) - contro il patrimonio :

- furti n. 83 di cui n.52 scoperti con l'arresto di 32 responsabili e 18 denunziati;
- rapine n.2 ad opera di ignoti.

b) - contro la persona :

- omicidi n. 5 di cui 4 scoperti gli autori (2 in istato di arresto, 2 latitanti).



IL TEN. COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.  
-Raffaele Minniti-



Catanzaro

Comando della 5<sup>a</sup> Brigata Carabinieri Reali

N. 156/38 di prot.

Napoli, 11 aprile 1946

Risposta al del n.

OGGETTO: { Armamento CC.RR.

Carta annessa N.

Al maggiore HAYES = Ufficiale di Collegamento =

NAPOLI

Comunico per conoscenza che il Comando Generale dell'Arma  
ha assegnato alle legione di Catanzaro i sottoelati materiali:

= Moschetti automatici "Beretta" mod.1944.....n° 591  
= Cartucce per dette armi.....n°152.750  
= Bombe a mano....." 6.600.

IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA COMANDANTE

=Mario Santamaria=

*M. Santamaria*

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25 APR 1946

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Comando 5<sup>a</sup> Brigata Carabinieri Reali Napoli

N. 156/39 di prot. Napoli, 13 aprile 1946

Risposta al : n. : del : 5A

OGGETTO } Vestiaro Carabinieri Reali.

Carte annesse n.

Al MAGGIORE HAYES = Ufficiale di Collegamento =  
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Comunico per conoscenza che il Comando Generale  
dell'Arma ha assegnato alla legione di Catanzaro i  
sottonotati oggetti:

- Divise K.O.....n.2600
- fazzoletti....." 4946
- camicie di tela G.V....." 1000
- mutande di tela - corte....." 1000
- calze di cotone paia....." 2500
- asciugatoi....." 2600
- combinazioni tela....." 310
- occhiali paia....." 310.

IL GENERALE DI BRIGATA COMANDANTE

- Mario Santemaria

*M. Santemaria*42  
25 APR 1946

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO  
UFFICIO SERVIZIO



N° 50/I2 di prot. Ris.Pers. Catanzaro, 11 6 aprile 1946  
OGGETTO : Relazione bimensile.

AL COMANDO DELLA V<sup>a</sup> BRIGATA CC.RR.  
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OPINIONE PUBBLICA

NEL CAMPO ECONOMICO :

E', prevalentemente, orientata verso lo sblocco di tutti i generi alimentari. Si condanna ogni regime vincelistico, si auspica la libera concorrenza. Si vorrebbe una sollecita riattivazione delle comunicazioni per un piano di graduale ripristino delle vie commerciali onde procedere a più rapidi e meno costosi scambi di prodotti fra Nord e Sud, nonchè fra l'Italia ed i Paesi europei ed extra europei.

Risultati attribuiti al verificarsi di dette provvidenze: cessazione del mercato nero, eliminazione ed attenuazione della disoccupazione, che ha tendenza all'aumento.

Il popolo guarda e segue con ammirazione la politica economica degli Alleati nei riguardi dell'Italia e il forte contributo materiale da essi apportato, senza il quale l'Italia, si ritiene, non sarebbe stata in grado di superare quest'ultimo inverno in modo alquanto confortante.

L'attività dell' U.N.R.R.A. e la grande affluenza dei pacchi dall'America costituiscono oggetto di favorevoli commenti. 4780

NEL CAMPO POLITICO :

La maggioranza della popolazione è al di fuori dei partiti.

Infatti, in atto, solo il 12 %, circa, della popolazione risulta iscritto ai vari partiti. Ciò denota la limitata tendenza associativa

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di questa regione, il che, peraltro, non è da considerarsi come un segno di apoliticità, in quanto le popolazioni, pur vivendo una vita morigerata e, prevalentemente, legata a quella dei campi, percepiscono nelle loro coscienze il travaglio delle tendenze e delle idee, che agitano la Nazione, ma sono, di massima, riluttanti, nella preoccupazione di perdere la loro individualità, ad accettare l'iscrizione ai vari partiti politici.

E' poi da rilevarsi che nei partiti politici non sempre trovano affermazione le correnti ideologiche, mentre sono frequenti i casi di discordie intestine fra gli aderenti, taluni dei quali, talvolta, deliberatamente, abbandonano le file del loro partito per isolarsi ed unirsi al numeroso stuolo degli indipendenti.

Più che ad una lotta di principi si assiste, di massima, ad una lotta di persone, le quali si rivestono del colore politico, che loro deriva dalla appartenenza ad un determinato partito, per prevalere, prima, nell'ambito del comune e, forse, in seguito, in quello più vasto dei rappresentanti della Nazione.

Le correnti che si accaparrano l'opinione pubblica sono due: quella di sinistra e quella di destra.

La prima cerca di far presa sulle masse con le promesse del livellamento sociale e, soprattutto, col programma di conquista della proprietà privata, speculando sulla ignoranza delle classi meno abbienti.

La seconda corrente facendo leva sul senso tradizionale delle popolazioni, lige al rispetto dell'autorità dello Stato, della famiglia, della proprietà, della fede cattolica, mira a ricondurre alla ragione ed ai valori dello spirito per superare le conseguenze della sconfitta.

I risultati, finora raggiunti nelle elezioni amministrative, fanno ritenere che la corrente di sinistra sia in declino in questa giurisdizione, mentre quella di destra, soprattutto ad opera dei democristiani, va raffermandosi, specialmente se lo Stato sarà in grado di evitare la violenza e di garantire la libera espressione del voto, dato che i partiti di sinistra si manifestano, anche qui, agguerriti, a

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differenza degli altri partiti e della popolazione in genere, che vuole il superamento dell'attuale periodo, nel campo dell'ordine.

#### IMPRESSIONI E COMMENTI DELL'ARMA

L'Arma osserva che la politica interna del Paese è dominata dall'interesse dei partiti, anziché da quelli dello Stato, la cui autorità, in conseguenza, viene, fortemente diminuita, perfino, dall'azione a carattere personale dei ministri responsabili.

Si nutrono timori per l'avvenire del Paese, se lo Stato non sarà in grado di disporre di un Governo imparziale e capace di servirsi di una forza armata efficiente per la tutela dell'ordine pubblico e per la rigida osservanza delle leggi.

L'Arma nel corso delle elezioni amministrative, ancora in atto, è stata sottoposta a grave lavoro, a causa della sua insufficienza numerica, che avrebbe potuto menomare il suo rendimento nei compiti di polizia ordinaria, ove avesse fatto difetto un senso di assoluta dedizione al dovere ed un profondo spirito di sacrificio.

Per le annunciate elezioni politiche si renderà indispensabile un adeguato apparato di forza pubblica, che, opportunamente, potrebbe essere fornita dai militari da richiamarsi dal congedo.

L'Arma segue con particolare interesse l'attività delittuosa del banditismo, in atto, in talune regioni, e vorrebbe che in casi di eccezionale gravità, quali, ad esempio, quelli di devastazione e saccheggio dei pubblici uffici nelle città, lo Stato intervenisse con rigore ed immediatezza nelle punizioni dei colpevoli, evitando le lungaggini giudiziarie.

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#### COMMENTI DELLA STAMPA SULL'OPERATO DEI CARABINIERI

L'operato dei carabinieri trova, spesso, pieno riconoscimento da parte delle correnti del centro-destra, che vedono nell'Arma il presidio più sicuro del Paese in questo periodo di crisi e di depressione

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dei valori morali.

Non così avviene ad opera della stampa di sinistra, la quale, di massima, è incline a travisare fatti collegati ad interventi dell'Arma, a minimizzarne operazioni, nelle quali emerge in modo evidente la azione del carabiniere ed a formulare, talvolta, ironie o diffamazioni, con lo scopo di affievolire e discreditarne il prestigio, che l'Arma, in circa un secolo di esistenza, si è saputo conquistare in tutta la Nazione.

Uno dei motivi che ispirano la stampa di sinistra contro l'Arma è da ricercarsi nel fatto che vari suoi esponenti sono di pessimi precedenti penali, facinorosi, inclini alla violenza ed al delitto, e quindi in istato di conflitto con la legge, che l'Arma rappresenta anche nei più remoti centri abitati e che deve fare osservare inflessibilmente con assoluto senso di apoliticità, non disgiunto, però, da giustizia ed umanità.

#### GRAVI MANCANZE COMMESSE DAI CARABINIERI

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Nulla da aggiungere o variare a quanto comunicato in precedenza.

#### TRASFERIMENTI DI UFFICIALI SUPERIORI

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#### DEFICIENZE DI ARMAMENTO, EQUIPAGGIAMENTO ETC 5277

Nulla da aggiungere o variare a quanto comunicato in precedenza, circa la deficienza dell'armamento e dell'equipaggiamento.

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Numero 286 stazioni, delle 327 dipendenti, non sono collegate a mezzo telefono con comandi d'ufficiale.

In tutte le sedi di stazione esiste ufficio telegrafico.

In numero 178 sedi di stazione non esiste ufficio telefonico.

Le stazioni non collegate a mezzo telefono o telegrafo, con i comandi di ufficiale, corrispondono a mezzo ordinanza espressa, usufruendo della ferrovia o delle autocorriere.

#### SPIRITO E MORALE DEI CARABINIERI

Lo spirito ed il morale dei carabinieri, pur risentendo delle generali condizioni di disagio, in cui il Paese vive, sono buoni. A ciò influisce la fierezza di appartenere ad un organismo ricco di storia, di tradizioni, di rettitudine e di prestigio, che gli ambiti consensi delle Autorità Alleate hanno più volte richiamato all'amore ed all'interesse della Nazione.

L'intimo del nostro carabiniere, che è riuscito a sopravvivere al crollo delle altre forze armate, è eccellente.

Lo spirito di abnegazione e di sacrificio sono profondamente sentiti. La rinuncia è nel carattere dei nostri uomini, che hanno per mito il dovere, l'onore, la giustizia, che servono in silenzio senza nulla chiedere.

Molto gioverebbe nell'interesse del servizio se potessero essere migliorate le condizioni di alloggiamento, di vestiario, di armamento e se i vari comandi potessero essere dotati di mezzi celeri di spostamento.

#### CONDIZIONI DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA NEL TERRITORIO

Le condizioni della pubblica sicurezza nel territorio possono considerarsi soddisfacenti rispetto ai tempi, quantunque esista una forte deficienza di personale presso le stazioni, che non consente di

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esplicare con la dovuta solerzia i servizi preventivi e repressivi.

I maggiori reati, verificatisi nella quindicina precedente:

- a) -contro il patrimonio:

1-furti n. 168, di cui n. 76 scoperti, con l'arresto o la denuncia dei responsabili;

2-rapine n. 11, di cui 7 scoperte, con l'arresto dei responsabili.

- b) -contro la persona:

-n.8 omicidi volontari, di cui 6 scoperti ed arrestati gli autori.

- c) -contro la moralità pubblica ed il buon costume:

-Il ratto, avvenuto ad Arena (Catanzaro), il 29 marzo u.s., ad opera di tre individui da Messina in danno della ventitreenne nubile PRESTIA Ines, insegnante elementare. L'Arma del luogo, prontamente intervenuta, davasi all'inseguimento dei malfattori, riuscendo, a distanza di quasi due ore dall'avvenuto ratto, a procedere all'arresto, in comune di diversa provincia, di due dei tre autori del delitto ed a portare in salvo, ancora incolume, la signorina Prestia.

IL TEN. COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.

- Raffaele Minniti -



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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO  
UFFICIO SERVIZIO

N°50/7 di protocollo Ris.Pers.

Catanzaro, 23 marzo 1946

OGGETTO: Relazione bimensile.

AL COMANDO DELLA QUINTA BRIGATA CARAB. REALI

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OPINIONE PUBBLICA

Un senso di viva preoccupazione, originata dal fattore economico, politico e dell'ordine interno, caratterizza l'opinione pubblica.

FATTORE ECONOMICO: la situazione economica non accenna a migliorare, anzi, sotto qualche aspetto, si fa sempre più critica.

Liberi professionisti, artigiani, agricoltori e lavoratori agricoli riescono a ben superare il caro-vita, ciò che non possono fare, invece, gli impiegati ed i salariati fissi nonostante gli aumenti, recentemente decretati in loro favore. A parte ciò, esiste sperequazione tra gli emolumenti, compresi gli assegni famigliari, che percepisce un qualsiasi lavoratore (intorno alle 300 lire giornaliere) e lo stipendio, che viene corrisposto ad un impiegato di grado ottavo, che è inferiore a tale cifra. Non esiste, altresì, giusta proporzione tra lo stipendio, ad esempio, dello spazzino comunale, che percepisce 6 mila lire al mese circa, ed un ufficiale di grado ottavo, che ne percepisce 7 mila, con l'aggravante che, mentre l'operaio, in genere, può arrotondare, in maniera più o meno illecita, le entrate, ciò non può fare, invece, l'impiegato.

La crisi alimentare è risentita più del passato per la sospesa distribuzione, in genere, della pasta e della farina, sebbene mitigata dal mercato nero, che fornisce legumi, riso e pasta.

Lo zucchero e l'olio sono distribuiti regolarmente; dell'olio, in particolare, non esiste penuria, essendo facile a trovarlo, sempre

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a mercato nero, a prezzo inferiore a quello venduto con la tessera.

I prezzi effettivi dei generi di prima necessità, venduti a mercato nero, indipendentemente da quelli di listino, sono, in genere, i seguenti:

|                        |    |          |    |          |
|------------------------|----|----------|----|----------|
| - pane                 | al | Kg.      | L. | 90,00    |
| - farina               | "  | "        | "  | 95,00    |
| - pasta                | "  | "        | "  | 140,00   |
| - legumi               | "  | "        | "  | 150,00   |
| - patate               | "  | "        | "  | 45,00    |
| - conserva di pomodoro | "  | "        | "  | 280,00   |
| - carne                | "  | "        | "  | 240,00   |
| - pesce                | "  | "        | "  | 200,00   |
| - zucchero             | "  | "        | "  | 800,00   |
| - caffè                | "  | "        | "  | 2000,00  |
| - burro                | "  | "        | "  | 800,00   |
| - lardo                | "  | "        | "  | 700,00   |
| - formaggio            | "  | "        | "  | 550,00   |
| - olio                 | "  | litro    | "  | 190,00   |
| - uova                 |    | ciascuno | "  | 20,00    |
| - vino                 |    | al litro | "  | 70,00    |
| - stoffa di tela       |    | al metro | "  | 1000,00  |
| - stoffa di lana       | "  | "        | "  | 3500,00  |
| - scarpe da uomo       | "  | paio     | "  | 4500,00  |
| - scarpe da donna      | "  | "        | "  | 3000,00. |

FATTORE POLITICO: in dipendenza dei programmi politici di ciascun partito si verifica una lotta fra gli aderenti alle diverse ideologie attraverso scritti, polemiche e discorsi, che, però, risentono delle beghe personali, e, spesso, addirittura, familiari. Ciò finisce col disorientare l'opinione pubblica, specie delle masse, che nella Regione calabrese ed in quella lucana, si dedicano, in prevalenza, all'agricoltura.

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Sempre attiva la propaganda dei vari partiti, dei quali, quelli di sinistra, a giudicare dal numero degli iscritti, vanno perdendo terreno, proseliti e simpatie per l'azione politica, che svolgono, considerata, dalla prevalente opinione pubblica, negativa, se non, addirittura, deleteria, ai fini dell'auspicata resurrezione spirituale, politica, economica della Nazione.

In contrapposto, i partiti, cosiddetti dell'ordine, vanno, sempre più, consolidando le loro posizioni, raccogliendo graduali, maggiori consensi, attraverso adesioni spirituali più che di tesseratura.

Sempre più meritevole di attenzione è il fenomeno dei senza partito, per i quali è errata l'affermazione della loro apoliticità. Questa grande massa è quella, si prevede, che giocherà il ruolo politico delle elezioni in atto e delle prossime ed è una realtà, che esiste nelle famiglie, nelle strade, negli stabilimenti, nei campi, nel funzionamento statale.

FATTORE ORDINE INTERNO: nella giurisdizione non si appalesa, in atto, preoccupante. Incidono, però, notevolmente sull'opinione pubblica delle popolazioni le notizie divulgate dalla stampa circa i perturbamenti e gli atti di banditismo, che avvengono in altre regioni.

#### IMPRESSIONI E COMMENTI DELL'ARMA

E' opinione concorde di tutti i militari che se il loro numero, l'armamento ed i mezzi di trasporto, fossero adeguatamente potenziati, i risultati che potrebbero ottenersi nel servizio d'istituto sarebbero di gran lunga maggiori e la delinquenza potrebbe essere più agevolmente contenuta. Gli stessi episodi di violenza collettiva, originati da manifestazioni politiche, sarebbero certamente, anch'essi, contenuti senza sfociare, come suole accadere, in atti di delinquenza comune.

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COMMENTI DELLA STAMPA SULL'OPERATO DEI CARABINIERI

Ad eccezione di qualche periodico, edito dai partiti di sinistra, tutta la stampa è concorde nel commentare favorevolmente la diuturna, faticosa e profonda azione dell'Arma in ogni settore.

GRAVI MANCANZE COMMESSE DAI CARABINIERI

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Si ravvisa l'opportunità che esse siano rivedute al fine di adeguarle, per quanto possibile, al costo reale della vita nell'attuale momento.

In tal modo si potrà dare ai militari dell'Arma quella certa indipendenza economica e la conseguente tranquillità di spirito per meglio assolvere il complesso e delicato compito loro affidato.

TRASFERIMENTI DI UFFICIALI SUPERIORI

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DEFICIENZE DI ARMAMENTO, EQUIPAGGIAMENTO, ECC.

A tutt'oggi n. 1170 militari dipendenti non sono armati di pistola mod. 34.

Solo le compagnie di Catanzaro e Crotone hanno rispettivamente in distribuzione n. 15 e 20 moschetti mitra mod. 38.

Necessita che l'armamento previsto venga effettuato con tutta sollecitudine per completare l'armamento dei militari dipendenti e porli in condizioni di far fronte a qualsiasi necessità di servizio.

Con l'assegnazione da parte del Comando Generale dell'Arma - Ufficio di Commissariato - (foglio n. 3/3/26 del 12 corrente) di

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n. 2600 divise di panno grigio-oliva, le condizioni del vestiario possono definirsi soddisfacenti. Occorrono, invece, oggetti di biancheria (camicie g.v. o k.o.) ed in particolar modo calzature.

Occorrerebbe, inoltre, l'assegnazione di cuoio per provvedere, ad economia, alla riparazione delle calzature direttamente dalle stazioni interessate, per evitare il versamento al magazzino legionale di scarpe non suscettibili di riparazioni.

#### SPIRITO E MORALE DEI CARABINIERI

I miglioramenti economici, apportati sugli stipendi e salari e la gratifica natalizia, sono valsi ad alleviare alquanto le disagiate condizioni dei militari.

Nel complesso il morale e lo spirito dei nostri militari può considerarsi buono.

Incidono, però, sullo spirito e sul morale l'inadeguato armamento cui sono sprovvisti, il rischio, cui sono esposti, nella diuturna lotta contro la dilagante delinquenza senza il conforto di sapere le loro famiglie tutelate da adeguati provvedimenti assicurativi, l'alto costo delle abitazioni (fra gli ammogliati privi di alloggi di servizio) in rapporto all'esigua indennità concessa dalla amministrazione.

Sia questo comando, che quelli dipendenti, prodigano ai militari l'assistenza consentita dalla disponibilità di mezzi.

#### CONDIZIONI DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA NEL TERRITORIO

Le condizioni della pubblica sicurezza nel territorio possono considerarsi soddisfacenti rispetto ai tempi.

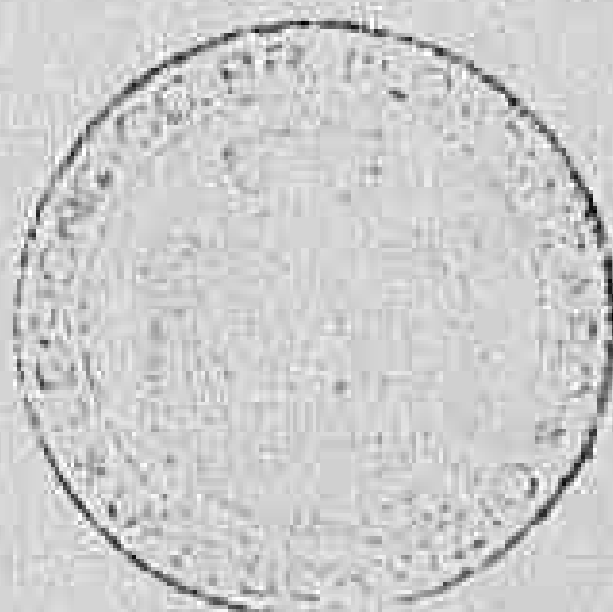
I maggiori reati, verificatisi, finora, nel mese di ~~gennaio~~ <sup>gennaio</sup> riflettono la persona e la proprietà e sono i seguenti: omicidi volontari 7 (di 4 scoperti gli autori e 3 ad opera d'ignoti), omicidi tentati 12 (di 10 scoperti gli autori e 2 ad opera d'ignoti), omicidi colposi 1 (scoperto l'autore), omicidio preterintenzionale 1 (scoperto

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l'autore), rapine 17 (di 10 scoperti gli autori e 7 ad opera d'ignoti), estorsioni 5 (di 4 scoperti gli autori ed 1 ad opera d'ignoti), associazioni per delinquere, scoperte, 2 con l'arresto di 10 componenti, furti con circostanze aggravanti 513, di cui scoperti 195, con conseguente arresto di 126 persone e la denuncia di 218.

IL TEN. COLONNELLO COMANDANTE INT.

- Raffaele Minniti -



## LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI CATANZARO

## = UFFICIO COMANDO =

SPECCHIO della situazione della forza dell'Arma della suddetta legione alla data del 1° marzo 1946. =

| FORZA EFFETTIVA   | FORZA PRESENTE    | FORZA ASSENTE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | N. dei militari, compresi nella forza presente, non disponibile per servizio di istituto. =                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|-------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Uff. Sott. Truppa | Uff. Sott. Truppa |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| N. 2451           | N. 1973           | N. 478 di cui:<br><br>N. 96 mobilitati;<br>N. 67 ricoverati in ospedale;<br>N. 194 in licenza di conval.;<br>N. 58 in licenza semestrale;<br>N. - in lic. per motivi di fam.<br>N. 1 in licenza agricola;<br>N. 1 in lic. ill. att. giudizio;<br>N. 54 destinati e non giunti o comand. fuori legione;<br>N. 2 sospesi dall'impiego;<br>N. 5- in licenza di rimpatrio. | N. 750 di cui:<br><br>N. 256 scrivani presso i comandi vari;<br>N. 12 adibiti Circoli Industria e Lavoro;<br>N. 92 adibiti ai Nuclei polizia ferroviaria;<br>N. 23 adibiti squadriglie mobili;<br>N. 147 compagnia speciale;<br>N. 75 adibiti U.P.S.E.A.;<br>N. 3 nucleo C.S. Cosenza;<br>N. 29 adibiti ai posti di blocco ANAC;<br>N. 5 addetti autorità ed Enti Alleati;<br>N. 6 addetti spacci legione e gruppi;<br>N. 102 piantoni e guardia caserma dell'Arma. = |

N.B. = Questa legione non ha militari facenti parte di Centro Recupero, ne battaglione mobile. =  
Catanzaro, 11 9 marzo 1946. =

IL TEN. COL. COMANDANTE INT. LA LEGIONE

= Raffaele Minniti =

Subject :- Reorganisation of CC. REC.

CC. RR Section,  
Land Forces Sub Comm, AC(3314). (2)  
Copy to :- OC 10 EIU.

10 British Liaison Unit  
Tel. 53623 NAPLES  
OCHR/3/9

2 Mar 46

1. The information required in your letter OCHR/3/12 of 25 Jan 46 is given below as regards para 1 only.

# STRENGTHS

## 5th. Brigade - NAPLES

| Authorised | Effective | Present | Remarks                       |
|------------|-----------|---------|-------------------------------|
| 13         | 19        | 20      | (1 officer attached included) |

## A. NAPLES Legion

| authorised | Effective | Present |
|------------|-----------|---------|
| 3633       | 4506      | 3666    |

No. on HQ staff - 328.

## (1) NAPLES Group Internal. (Staff - 4)

| Coy        | Auth. Str. | Effective | Present |
|------------|------------|-----------|---------|
| NAPLES Int | 415        | 386       | 375     |
| " Suburb   | 213        | 146       | 121     |
| " Tribunal | 415        | 386       | 357     |

## (2) NAPLES Group External. (Staff - 5)

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Castellomare | 224 | 209 | 224 |
| Casoria      | 125 | 122 | 110 |
| Nola         | 152 | 98  | 73  |

## (3) CASERTA Group, Staff - 5)

|             |     |     |     |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Caserta     | 125 | 104 | 110 |
| S. Maria GV | 172 | 183 | 180 |
| Capua       | 211 | 139 | 125 |

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1. The information required in your letter COMR/G/12 of 25 Jan 46 is given below as regards para 1 only.

# STRENGTHS

## 5th. Brigade - NAPLES

| Authorised | Effective | Present | Remarks                       |
|------------|-----------|---------|-------------------------------|
| 13         | 19        | 20      | (1 officer attached included) |

## A. NAPLES LORION

| Authorised | Effective | Present |
|------------|-----------|---------|
| 3623       | 4506      | 3666    |

No. on HQ staff - 328.

## (1) NAPLES Group Internal. (Staff - 4)

| Cove       | Auth. Str. | Effective | Present |
|------------|------------|-----------|---------|
| NAPLES Int | 445        | 306       | 375     |
| " Suburb   | 215        | 146       | 121     |
| " External | 445        | 306       | 357     |

## (2) NAPLES Group External. (Staff - 5)

|               |     |     |     |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Castellammare | 204 | 209 | 221 |
| Casoria       | 126 | 122 | 110 |
| Nola          | 159 | 00  | 78  |

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## (3) CASERTA Group. Staff - 3)

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Casoria      | 125 | 104 | 118 |
| S. Maria. CV | 172 | 183 | 180 |
| Carpin       | 211 | 139 | 123 |

## (4) SALERNO Group. (Staff - 3)

|                 |     |     |     |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Salerno Int     | 170 | 206 | 198 |
| " Ext           | 95  | 52  | 49  |
| Booli           | 244 | 130 | 113 |
| Vallo & Lucania | 192 | 112 | 95  |

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## (5) AVELINO Group. (Staff - 3)

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Avellino Int | 208 | 174 | 169 |
| " Est        | 146 | 98  | 99  |
| S. Angelo    | 145 | 77  | 55  |

## (6) BENEVENTO Group. (Staff - 3)

|               |     |     |     |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Benevento Int | 162 | 176 | 158 |
| " Est         | 183 | 125 | 80  |

## NAPLES Mobile Bn.

| Auth Str | Effective | Present |
|----------|-----------|---------|
| 548      | 538       | 229     |

Diminution.

Reinforcements to other Provinces 103  
 Reinforcements in the Legion 27  
 Special anti-crime squad 140  
 Leave (sick & ordinary) 27  
 Hospital 7

309

Extraneous Duties.

## NAPLES Legion.

|                               |   |     |
|-------------------------------|---|-----|
| 1. OS Section 5th Army        | 1 | Mon |
| 2. FSS Via Sicilia ROT        | 1 |     |
| 3. OS Section 8th Army        | 1 |     |
| 4. Liaison 8th Army           | 1 |     |
| 5. Liaison FES                | 1 |     |
| 6. FSS SALLERNO               | 2 |     |
| 7. Liaison AS NAPLES          | 1 |     |
| 8. CIO NAPLES                 | 1 |     |
| 9. MP FORTICOLA/GENOVA        | 1 |     |
| 10. MP AVERSA (156 OS)        | 1 |     |
| 11. MP M. ROSSINI             | 1 |     |
| 12. Allied Command AVERSA     | 1 |     |
| 13. MP (US) S. Maria CAPUA    | 1 |     |
| 14. PFC Press                 | 1 |     |
| 15. 2 Sub Depot S. GIOVANNI   | 1 |     |
| 16. MP 138 Coy POZZUOLI       | 1 |     |
| 17. 16 Base REFE              | 1 |     |
| 18. SUE PORTICI               | 1 |     |
| 19. GOC House (VILLA REVELLA) | 1 |     |
| 20. P. NAPLES Port            | 1 |     |

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179 Officers, NCO's &amp; Men

NAPLES Mobile Inc.

### Discussion.

|                                   |     |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Reinforcements to other Provinces | 108 |
| Reinforcements in the Legion      | 27  |
| Special anti-crime squad          | 140 |
| Leave (sick & ordinary)           | 27  |
| Hospital                          | 7   |

Extraneous Duties.

NAPLES Legion.

- |                               | NOO's                  | NOO's |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------|
| 1. CS Section 5th Army        | 1                      | 1     |
| 2. PSS Via Sicilia POB        | 1                      | 1     |
| 3. CS Section 5th Army        | 1                      | 1     |
| 4. Liaison 8th Army           | 1                      | 1     |
| 5. Liaison PDS                | 1                      | 1     |
| 6. PSS SALERNO                | 2                      | 2     |
| 7. Liaison AC NAPLES          | 1                      | 1     |
| 8. CTO NAPLES                 | 1                      | 1     |
| 9. MP PONTICIANO              | 1                      | 1     |
| 10. MP AVERSA (136 CS)        | 1                      | 1     |
| 11. MP MARCIANE               | 1                      | 1     |
| 12. Allied Command Aversa     | 1                      | 1     |
| 13. MP (US) S. Maria Capua    | 1                      | 1     |
| 14. PW Press                  | 1                      | 1     |
| 15. 2 Sub Detot S. Giovanni   | 1                      | 1     |
| 16. MP 138 Coy PONTIOLI       | 1                      | 1     |
| 17. 16 Base RENE              | 1                      | 1     |
| 18. SM PORTICI                | 1                      | 1     |
| 19. GOC Kouso (Viale RIVALLA) | 1                      | 1     |
| 20. PM NAPLES Port            | 1                      | 1     |
| 21. CAPODICING Airfield       | 1                      | 1     |
|                               | 179 OFFRS, NOO's & Men |       |
|                               | 164 OFFRS & 11 men     |       |
|                               | <hr/>                  |       |
|                               | Total                  | 396   |

Percentage on leave 13% (Sick and ordinary)  
Hours of duty performed - Average of 12 hours a day

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B: BARI Legion

| Authorized | Effective | Present |
|------------|-----------|---------|
| 2966       | 3993      | 2924    |

No. on HQ staff - 144

| Headquarter Coy | Auth Str | Effective | Present |
|-----------------|----------|-----------|---------|
|                 | 90       | 394       | 162     |

(1) BARI Group Int. (Staff - 5)

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| BARI Int Coy | 527 | 416 | 355 |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|

(2) BARI Group Est. (Staff

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| BARI Est Coy | 185 | 138 | 111 |
| Barletta     | 124 | 81  | 69  |
| Trani        | 158 | 105 | 95  |

(3) FOGGIA Group. (Staff - 4)

|           |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Foggia    | 273 | 164 | 153 |
| S. Severo | 166 | 154 | 111 |
| Cerignola | 153 | 136 | 107 |

(4) LECCE Group. (Staff - 5)

|           |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Lecce     | 217 | 168 | 128 |
| Gallipoli | 145 | 103 | 76  |

(5) BRINDISI Group. (Staff - 5)

|              |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Brindisi Int | 112 | 116 | 113 |
| " Est        | 64  | 76  | 61  |

(6) Taranto Group. (Staff - 5)

|             |     |     |     |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Taranto Int | 109 | 130 | 131 |
| " Est       | 93  | 69  | 55  |

(7) Matern. Group. (Staff - 5)

|             |     |     |    |
|-------------|-----|-----|----|
| Matern. Int | 105 | 124 | 98 |
|-------------|-----|-----|----|

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| Headquarter Coy                 | 90  | 394     | 162 |
|---------------------------------|-----|---------|-----|
| (1) BARI Group Int. (Staff - 5) |     |         |     |
| BARI Int Coy                    | 327 | 416     | 355 |
| (2) BARI Group Est. (Staff      |     |         |     |
| BARI Est Coy                    | 185 | 138     | 111 |
| Barletta                        | 124 | 81      | 69  |
| Trani                           | 158 | 105     | 95  |
| (3) FOGGIA Group. (Staff - 4)   |     |         |     |
| Foggia                          | 273 | 164     | 153 |
| S. Severo                       | 166 | 154     | 111 |
| Corignola                       | 153 | 136     | 107 |
| (4) LECCE Group. (Staff - 5)    |     |         |     |
| Lece                            | 247 | 168     | 128 |
| Gallipoli                       | 145 | 103     | 76  |
| (5) BRINDISI Group. (Staff - 5) |     |         |     |
| Brindisi Int                    | 112 | 116     | 113 |
| " Est                           | 84  | 76      | 61  |
| (6) TARANTO Group. (Staff - 5)  |     |         |     |
| Taranto Int                     | 109 | 130     | 131 |
| " Est                           | 93  | 59      | 55  |
| (7) MATERA Group. (Staff - 5)   |     |         |     |
| Matera Int                      | 105 | 124     | 98  |
| " Est                           | 86  | 72      | 61  |
| BARI Mobile Bn.                 |     |         |     |
| Auth Str                        |     | Present |     |
| 548                             | 698 | 224     |     |

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Disposition.

Reinforcements to SICILY 370  
 Reinforcements BARI Province 43  
 On various courses 17  
 On leave (various) 30  
 In hospital 14  
 474  
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Extraneous Duties.

## BARI Legion.

|                               |       |      |
|-------------------------------|-------|------|
| 1. Ordnance Depot POLESE BARI | NCO's | Mon. |
| 2. CID BARI                   | 1     | 4    |
| 3. AC BARI                    | 2     | 2    |
| 4. FSS TARANTO                | -     | 1    |
| 5. CID FOGGIA                 | -     | 1    |
|                               | 3     | 9    |

Total 12

Percentage on leave 12%  
 Hours of duty performed - Average of 12 hours daily

## C. CATANZARO Legion.

## Authorised

2500

Effective Present

2449 3666

No. on HQ staff - 127

## Special Coy

|          |           |         |
|----------|-----------|---------|
| Auth Str | Effective | Present |
| 154      | 152       | 154     |

(1) CATANZARO Int Group. (Staff - 4)

CATANZARO

243

232

167

(2) CATANZARO Est Group. (Staff - 5)

Crotona

138

106

Micastrò

157

124

Vibo

171

141

(3) REGGIO CALABRIA Group. (Staff - 6)

Rozzio G

197

139

Locri

177

130

125

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Extraneous Duties.BARI Legion.

|                               |       |     |
|-------------------------------|-------|-----|
| 1. Ordnance Depot POLISE BARI | NOO's | Mon |
| 2. CID BARI                   | 1     | 4   |
| 3. AC BARI                    | 2     | 2   |
| 4. TSS TARANTO                | 1     | 1   |
| 5. CID FOGGI                  | 1     | 1   |
|                               | 5     | 9   |

Total 12

Percentage on Leave 12%  
 Hours of duty performed - Average of 12 hours daily

C. CATANZARO Legion.

| Authorised | Effective | Present |
|------------|-----------|---------|
| 2500       | 2449      | 3666    |

No. on Hq. staff - 127

| Special Coy | Auth Str | Effective | Present |
|-------------|----------|-----------|---------|
|             | 154      | 152       | 154     |

(1) CATANZARO Int Group. (Staff - 4)

|           |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| CATANZARO | 249 | 232 | 167 |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|

(2) CATANZARO Est Group. (Staff - 5)

|          |     |     |     |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Crotone  | 158 | 106 | 94  |
| Nicastro | 157 | 124 | 127 |
| Vibo     | 171 | 141 | 127 |

(3) REGGIO CALABRIA Group. (Staff - 6)

|                   |     |     |     |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Reggio C          | 197 | 139 | 125 |
| Loori             | 177 | 130 | 99  |
| Villa S. Giovanni | 71  | 52  | 46  |
| Palni             | 162 | 120 | 119 |

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## (4) COSENZA Group. (Staff - 6)

|               |     |     |     |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Cosenza Int   | 172 | 143 | 121 |
| " Est         | 191 | 146 | 131 |
| Paola         | 125 | 112 | 96  |
| Castrovillari | 133 | 117 | 103 |

## (5) POTENZA Group. (Staff - 6)

|             |     |     |     |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Potenza Int | 200 | 134 | 110 |
| " Est       | 164 | 97  | 86  |
| Lagonero    | 136 | 88  | 82  |

Extraneous Duties.

## CATANZARO Legion.

1. Port of CROTONE
2. Regional Office CATANZARO

|       |       |
|-------|-------|
| NCO's | Lieut |
| -     | 4     |
| -     | 1     |
| <hr/> |       |
| Total | 5     |

Percentage on leave 9%

Hours of duty performed - Average of 12 hours daily

CMF  
CBH/ec

*C/Hayes*

Major.  
CC. RR Liaison Officer.

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