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G1 (SD)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
Dep G3	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
G2 (SD)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
G2 (WE)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
G3 (Orbat)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
G3 (SD)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
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G1 (Trg)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
G2 (Trg) (schools)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
G2 (Trg) (FACS)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
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G2 (L)	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15	14/15	15/15
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10 BLU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 9

As at 15 Apr 46

Land Forces Sub-Comm, AC (MIA) (4)

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PART I - GENERAL *Amended by 6/37/10 COVER II*
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1. DOMESTIC. (BLU)

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- (d) Article published in "Corriere dell'Irpinia" on 6 Apr 46 attached at Appx "D".

PART II - "G"

3. EMPLOYMENT OF WOODS.

Nothing to report.

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2. ITALIAN.

PART II - "G"

3. EMPLOYMENT OF TROOPS.

Nothing to report.

4. TRAINING.

The Establishments

CAR AVULANO

(a) VISIT OF CHIEF OF STAFF TO THE ITALIAN ARMY

General CADONA visited the CAR on 13 Apr. This inspection was thorough and practical. The recruits carried out normal

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training; there was no ceremony and no "eyewash".

(b) RECRUITS

249 volunteers have been drafted to other CAR's, leaving a deficiency of 74 recruits. Approximately 30 new recruits still arrive each day. They are placed in separate squads so as to maintain continuity of instruction. A small number of recruits who have returned from AVOL have been drafted to the CAR at SIENA as a punishment.

(c) INSTRUCTORS

(i) There is a shortage of instructors, and weapon training squads often consist of 36 or more recruits. It has been suggested that the WE of instructors is too small, and was based on the numbers available, and not on the real requirements of the CAR's. Territorial HQ have been advised to review this question, and to forward their recommendations to SMEE.

(ii) The standard of the instructors is not high, and the methods of instruction are only fair. The officers accept far too low a standard from their NCO's.

(d) CONDITION OF BARRACKS

Work is continuing slowly. The barracks will not really be ready for some months.

(e) WELFARE

The recruits are well looked after. The dining halls are clean and attractive, arrangements are made for visits by parents of the recruits, and concerts are held in the evenings.

5. SOUTH ITALIAN OFFICERS.

90% of the officers at Territorial HQ and of the instructors at 10 CAR are SOUTH ITALIANS. The Chief of Staff discussed this point on his visit to 10 CAR, and stated that it is unavoidable owing to the high cost of living. Until a proportion of officers from the NORTH can be sent down here we will have to accept NEAPOLITAN standards of industry, hygiene and integrity.

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PART III - "A"

6. DOMESTIC.

DEFICIENCIES IN ALL RANKS AGAINST WE

This has been increased by :

Duty NCO	-	1	Sgt
Ration NCO	-	1	L/Cpl

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PART IV - "Q"

7. ITALIAN.

TRANSPORT

ARMY LESS CC.RR.

176 Matchless M/Cs for CAR's have been collected by 10 Efficient Vehicle Park and distribution is being arranged.



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APPENDICES

- "A" - LOCATION STATEMENT AND ORDER OF BATTLE - ITALIAN
- "B" - LETTER FROM GENERAL ROMANO
- "C" - STAFF LIST - ITALIAN
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Appx "A" to 10 BLU Progress
Report No.9 dated 17 Apr 46

LOCATION STATEMENT & ORDER OF BATTLE

Ser :	Unit :	Location :	Remarks
1.	10 BLU (Type "A")	TORRE DEL GRECO	

(a) ITI-ITI

2. 10 Territorial HQ
3. Italian Incr to 10 BLU
4. 10 Military Tribunal
5. 10 GAR
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NAPLES
TORRE DEL GRECO
NAPLES
AVELLINO

INF

7. HQ 10 Inf Regt
8. 1 Bn 10 Inf Regt
9. 2 Bn 10 Inf Regt
10. 3 Bn 10 Inf Regt
11. ~~1 Bn 60 Inf Regt~~
12. ~~3 Bn 60 Inf Regt~~

CATANZARO
COSTENZA
NAPLES
SALERNO
~~CATANZARO~~
~~COTRONI~~

ARTY

13. 10 Arty HQ
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NAPLES

ENGES

16. 10 Enger Territorial HQ
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NAPLES

MILITARY DISTRICTS

18. 19 Military District
19. 21 Military District
20. 25 Military District
21. 26 Military District
22. 27 Military District
23. 37 Military District
24. 39 Military District
25. 50 Military District
26. 50 Military District
27. 103 Military District

CATANZARO
REGGIO CALABRIA
BENEVENTO
CASERTA
NAPLES
COSTENZA
SALERNO
AVELLINO
NOLA
AVERSA

NAPLES
TORRE DEL GRECO
NAPLES
AVELLINO

CATANZARO
COSENZA
NAPLES
SALERNO
~~CATANZARO~~
~~COTRONI~~

NAPLES

NAPLES

CATANZARO
REGGIO CALABRIA
BENEVENTO
CASERTA
NAPLES
COSENZA
SALERNO
AVELLINO
NOLA
AVERSA

SALERNO
NOCISTRO
VIBO VALENTIA
NAPLES
CASERTA
~~CASERTA~~ NAPLES
VIBO VALENTIA
NAPLES
S. MARIA CAPUA VETERE
NAPLES
NAPLES

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10 Territorial HQ
Italian Incr to 10 BLU
10 Military Tribunal
10 CAR

HQ 10 Inf Regt
1 Bn 10 Inf Regt
2 Bn 10 Inf Regt
3 Bn 10 Inf Regt
~~4 Bn 10 Inf Regt~~
~~5 Bn 10 Inf Regt~~

10 Arty HQ

10 Mgr Territorial HQ

MILITARY DISTRICTS

19 Military District
21 Military District
25 Military District
26 Military District
27 Military District
37 Military District
39 Military District
50 Military District
60 Military District
103 Military District

(Inf)
(Inf)
(Inf)
(Inf)
(Inf)
(Arty)
(Arty)
(Arty)
(Ingr)
11 Terr Depot
13 Terr Depot
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16 Terr Depot
19 Terr Depot
20 Terr Depot
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22 Terr Depot
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87 Terr Depot

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Ser : Unit : Location : Remarks

MED

41.	Medical Directorate	NAPLES
42.	Principal Military Hospital	NAPLES
43.	Secondary Military Hospital	MADDALONI
44.	Secondary Military Hospital	CATANZARO
45.	Thermal Establishment	ISCHIA
46.	Medical Depot of Principal Mil Hos	NAPLES
47.	Medical Mob. Store of " "	NAPLES
48.	" " " " " "	NAPLES
49.	" " " " " "	MADDALONI
50.	" " " " " "	MADDALONI
51.	Hq 10 Medical Coy	NAPLES
52.	10 Hygiene Section	NAPLES
53.	Terr Med War Pensions Commission	NAPLES
54.	" " " " " "	CATANZARO
55.	General Stores Depot	MADDALONI
56.	Med. Inspection Board	NAPLES

COMMISSARIATO SERVICE

57.	10 Commissariato Directorate	NAPLES
58.	10 Supply Coy	NAPLES
59.	1 Port Detachment	NAPLES
60.	10 Bulk Supply Depot	NAPLES
61.	10 Military Bakery	NAPLES
62.	10 Food Distribution Depot (Reg)	NAPLES
63.	10 Clothing and Equipment Depot	NAPLES
64.	10 Bulk Barracks Stores Depot	NAPLES
65.	63 Food Distribution Depot (Local)	AVELLINO
66.	Det Sec for 10 Commissariato Directorate	CATANZARO
67.	64 Food Distribution Depot	CATANZARO
68.	10 Clothing and Equipment Wkps	NAPLES
69.		

PAY & ACCOUNTS SERVICE

70.	Pay & Accounts Directorate	NAPLES
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ARTY SERVICE

71.	1001 Arty Directorate	NAPLES
72.	1002 Detached Arty Sec	COSENZA
73.	1004 Arsenal	NAPLES
74.	1005 Fuse Section	TORRE ANNUNZIATA
75.	1006 Explosive Section	CAPUA

COMMISSARIATO SERVIZIO

PAY & ACCOUNTS SERVICE

AIRTY SERVICE

ENGINEER SERVICE

79. 10 Engr Wks Directorate
80. Requisitioning Office
81. Requisitioning Office
82. Mine Clearance HQ
83. 110 Engr Service Coy
84. 110 Terr Signal Coy
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MED

41.	10 Medical Inspection Board	NAPLES
42.	Medical Directorate	NAPLES
43.	10 Terr Hospital	NAPLES
44.	Military Hospital	MADDALONI
45.	Garrison Infirmary	CATANZARO
46.	Thermal Bath Establishment	ISCHIA
47.	10 Med Coy	NAPLES
48.	10 Hygiene Section	NAPLES
49.	Territorial Med War Pension Commission	NAPLES
50.	Territorial Med War Pension Commission	CATANZARO
51.	10 Depot Med Stores	MADDALONI
52.	10 Depot Ord Med Stores	NAPLES
53.	10 Depot Mob Med Stores	NAPLES
54.	Pharmacy and Medical Store.. of 10 Terr Mil Hospital	NAPLES
55.	Mob Store for MADDALONI Mil Hospital	MADDALONI
56.		

COMMISSARIATO SERVICE

57.	10 Commissariato Directorate	NAPLES
58.	10 Supply Coy	NAPLES
59.	1 Port Detachment	NAPLES
60.	10 Bulk Supply Depot	NAPLES
61.	10 Military Bakery	NAPLES
62.	10 Food Distribution Depot (Reg)	NAPLES
63.	10 Clothing and Equipment Depot	NAPLES
64.	10 Bulk Barracks Stores Depot	NAPLES
65.	63 Food Distribution Depot (Local)	AVELLINO
66.	10 Salvage Depot	NAPLES
67.	10 Repair Shop	NAPLES
68.	Det Sec for 10 Commissariato Directorate	CATANZARO
69.	64 Food Distribution Depot	CATANZARO
70.	10 CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT WKSOPS	NAPLES

PAY & ACCOUNTS SERVICE

71.	Pay & Accounts Directorate	NAPLES
72.		

ARTY SERVICE

73.	1001 Arty Directorate	NAPLES
74.	1002 Detached Arty Sec	COSENZA
75.	1004 Arsenal	NAPLES
76.	1005 Fuse Section	TORRE ANNUNZIATA
		CAPUA

47. 10 Med Coy
 48. 10 Hygiene Section
 49. Territorial Med War Pension Commission
 50. Territorial Med War Pension Commission
 51. 10 Depot Med Stores
 52. 10 Depot Ord Med Stores
 53. 10 Depot Mob Med Stores
 54. Pharmacy and Medical Store..
 of 10 Terr Mil Hospital
 Mob Store for MADDALONI Mil Hospital
 55.
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 59. 1 Port Detachment
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 62. 10 Food Distribution Depot (Reg)
 63. 10 Clothing and Equipment Depot
 64. 10 Bulk Barracks Stores Depot
 65. 63 Food Distribution Depot (Local)
 66. 10 Salvage Depot
 67. 10 Repair Shop
 68. Det Sec for 10 Commissariato Directorate
 69. 64 Food Distribution Depot
 70. 10 CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT WKSps

PAY & ACCOUNTS SERVICE

71. Pay & Accounts Directorate
 72.

ARTY SERVICE

73. 1001 Arty Directorate
 74. 1002 Detached Arty Sec
 75. 1004 Arsenal
 76. 1005 Fuse Section
 77. 1006 Explosive Section
 78.

ENGR SERVICE

79. 10 Engr Wks Directorate
 80. Detached Engr Wks Section
 81. Requisitioning Office
 82. Requisitioning Office
 83. Mine Clearance HQ
 84. 110 Engr Service Coy
 85. 110 Terr Signal Coy
 86.

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 CATANZARO
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<u>MT SERVICE</u>			
87.	10 MT Repair Directorate	NAPLES	
88.	10 Repair Unit <i>CLASS 1.</i>	NAPLES	
89.	10 Terr Adm Tpt Coy <i>10 MT UNIT.</i>	NAPLES	Includes : 10 Ambulance Car Sec 10 Light Wksp
90.	~~2 Mobile Peak~~	~~ATRACOLA~~	
91.	10 Efficient VP	NAPLES (Fuorigrotta)	
92.	~~1 Recovery Section~~ <i>RECOVERY SECTION</i>	~~ATRACOLA~~ <i>AGNANO (NAPLES)</i>	
93.			
<u>VET & REMOUNT SERVICE</u>			
94.	10 Vet and Remount Directorate	NAPLES	
95.	10 Terr Vet Station	NAPLES	
96.	15 Terr Vet Station	CATANZARO	
97.	23 Remount Depot	PERSANO	
98.			
<u>MOVEMENT CONTROL SERVICE</u>			
99.	Movement Control Area	NAPLES	
100.			
<u>TRANSIT CAMPS</u>			
101.	1001 POW Reception Centre	NAPLES	
102.	1002 POW Reception Centre	DUCENTA	
103.	1003 POW Reception Centre	ATRACOLA	
104.			
<u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>			
105.	10 Guard Platoon	NAPLES	
106.	~~Military Censorship Office~~ <i>FOR THE CONTROL OF SUSPECTED PENALISTS</i>	NAPLES-NAPLES	
107.	Military Prison	VIBO VALENTIA	
108.	Military Judiciary Prison	NAPLES	
109.			
<u>CARABINIERI</u>			
110.	HQ 3 Division	NAPLES	
111.	HQ 5 Brigade	NAPLES	
112.	NAPLES Legion	NAPLES	
113.	BARI Legion	BARI	

Car Sec
10 Light Wkaps

ATRAAGOLIA
NAPLES (Fuorigrotta)
ATRAAGOLIA AGNANO (NAPLES)

- 90. 2 Mobile Peak
- 91. 10 Efficient VP
- 92. 1 Recovery Section RECOVERY SECTION
- 93.

VET & REMOUNT SERVICE

- 94. 10 Vet and Remount Directorate
- 95. 10 Terr Vet Station
- 96. 15 Terr Vet Station
- 97. 23 Remount Depot
- 98.

NAPLES
NAPLES
CATANZARO
PERSANO

MOVEMENT CONTROL SERVICE

- 99. Movement Control Area
- 100.

NAPLES

TRANSIT CAMPS

- 101. 1001 POW Reception Centre
- 102. 1002 POW Reception Centre
- 103. 1003 POW Reception Centre
- 104.

NAPLES
DUCENTA
ATRAAGOLIA

MISCELLANEOUS

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- 106. Military Censorship Office
- 107. Military Prison
- 108. Military Judiciary Prison
- 109.

NAPLES
NAPLES
VIBO VALENTIA
NAPLES

CARABINIERI

- 110. HQ 3 Division
- 111. HQ 5 Brigade
- 112. NAPLES Legion
- 113. BARI Legion
- 114. CATANZARO Legion
- 115. HQ Mobile Bn
- 116. HQ Mobile Bn
- 117. Kings Court Det
- 118.
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(b) US-ITI

127.	HQ 2 Provisional Group	AGNANO (Naples)	
128.	18 QM Service Bn	AVERSA	
129.	10 LP Coy	NAPLES	
130.	13 MF Coy	CASERTA	
131.	70 LP Coy	NAPLES	
132.	113 QM Service Corps	NAPLES	
133.	212 QM Coy 2nd Special M.T. Section	NAPLES	
134.	Special M.T. Section	CAPODIFONTE	
135.	HQ 205 Div and Camp	NAPLES	
136.	HQ 3 Air Group	NAPLES	
137.	4 CC, 22, Corps	NAPLES	
138.	2 Air Service Coy	NAPLES	
139.	4 Air Service Coy	FOGGIOREALE (Naples)	
140.	8 Air Service Coy	CAPODICHINO (Naples)	
141.	10 Air Service Coy	ONICOLA	
142.	16 Air Service Coy	CAPODICHINO (Naples)	
143.	39 Air Service Coy (RAF)	MANGIANISTE	
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(c) BR-ITI

146.	HQ 714 Adm Regt	S. GIOVANNI A. TEDUCCIO (Naples)	
147.	840 Static SL Coy	NAPLES	
148.	846 Static SL Sec	POGGIOREALE	
149.	471 Mobile SL Wksp	NAPLES	
150.	It Incr to Army Welfare Service (AFWS)	NAPLES	
151.	It Incr to CMG 2 Ech	MADDALONE	
152.	1 Traffic Control Coy	NAPLES	
153.	It. Incr to SIE	CAPUA	
154.	173 Sig Coy HQ	NOGERA INTERIORE	
155.	540 Line Section	NOGERA INTERIORE	
156.	73 It Incr to CE Wks 3 Dist	NAPLES	
157.	It Incr to 3 Dist	NAPLES	
158.	772 It Artisan Wks Coy	SAIERNO	
159.	4 Sp Tpt Coy	CROTONE	
160.	63 Forest Coy	CROTONE	
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NAPLES
 NAPLES
 CAPODILMONTE
 NAPLES
 NAPLES
~~NAPLES~~
 NAPLES
 POGGIOREALE
 CAPODICHINO
 CERCOLA
 CAPODICHINO
 MARCIANESI

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149.	471 Mobile SL Wkps
150.	It Incr to Army Welfare Service AFHQ
151.	~~It Incr to G4Q 2 Ech~~
152.	~~1 Traffic Control Coy~~
153.	It. Incr to SLE
154.	~~173 Sig Coy HQ~~
155.	~~540 Line Section~~
156.	73 It Incr to CE Wks 3 Dist
157.	It Incr to 3 Dist
158.	~~772 It Artisan Wks Coy~~
159.	4 Sp Tpt Coy
160.	63 Forest Coy
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S. GIOVANNI A. TEDUCCIO
(Naples)

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NAPLES-
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CROTONE
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Report No. 9 dated 17 Apr 46

Territorial HQ NAPLES

9 April 1946

Dear Col Gibbon,

I have recently visited the CAR, and I have seen the recruits on parade. I share your opinion about the excellent beginning.

I am glad that this matter has received the praise of General Browning, and I thank you for having brought this matter to his attention.

In the course of my visit I had some talks with the officers, and I believe that the instructors will be equal to their task. The officer commanding the demonstration platoon seemed to me undecided, and slightly pessimistic, and I have exhorted him to shake himself, and to be confident.

As to the completion of the repairs works, I am sorry to say that that will take some time yet, as, unfortunately, there is too wide a breach between the good will and the means at disposal.

I trust that the CAR will thoroughly fulfil the task for which it was intended, and I thank you for your collaboration.

Sincerely yours

G. ROMANO, General

Lt-Col. A.W. GIBBON, OBE
10 ELU - Torre del Greco

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I have recently visited the GAR, and I have seen the recruits on parade. I share your opinion about the excellent beginning.

I am glad that this matter has received the praise of General Browning, and I thank you for having brought this matter to his attention.

In the course of my visit I had some talks with the officers, and I believe that the instructors will be equal to their task. The officer commanding the demonstration platoon seemed to me undecided, and slightly pessimistic, and I have exhorted him to shake himself, and to be confident.

As to the completion of the repairs works, I am sorry to say that that will take some time yet, as, unfortunately, there is too wide a breach between the good will and the means at disposal.

I trust that the GAR will thoroughly fulfil the task for which it was intended, and I thank you for your collaboration.

Sincerely yours

G. ROMANO, General

Lt-Col. A.W. GIBBON, OBE
10 BLU - Torre del Greco

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)
22nd	Col	MANCUSO SALVATORE	Commander
	Lt-Col	SIBILLO ALFREDO	Attached
	Lt-Col	MASIELLO GIOVANNI	Chief of Office
23rd	Col	IAPUSCO MICHELANGELO	Commander
	Lt-Col	RAGUSA SABATINO	2nd in Command
	Lt-Col	LEONE GIOVANNI	Chief of Mob Office
	Lt-Col	ROMANO GIOVANNI	Chief of Record Office
	Lt-Col	D'AVINO RAFFAELE	i/c of store
	Lt-Col	DE MARTINO SALVATORE	i/c of store
	Lt-Col	DE MARTINO EUGENIO	Adj
87th	Col	POSTOLIS OSCAR	Commander
<u>MED</u> MEDICAL INSPECTION BOARD	Col	FALSANI GIACINTO	Inspector
MEDICAL DIRECTORATE	Col	PERSANO GIACINTO	Inspector
	Col	CONFALONE RAFFAELE	Director
	Lt-Col	LA BRUNA VITTORIO	Secretary
10 TERR HOSPITAL	Lt-Col	SQUILLACCIOTTI RAFFAELE	Director
	Lt-Col	IANNELLI GABRIELE	At disposal
	Lt-Col	DE VIVO GIULIO	" "
MILITARY HOSPITAL MADDALONI	Lt-Col	MUSTO PASQUALE	Director
GARRISON INFIRMARY CATANZARO	Lt-Col	LORIA GIOVANNI	Director
HYGIENE SECTION	Col	MAFFEI LUIGI	Director

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Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
Col	MANCUSO SALVATORE	Commander	
Lt-Col	SIBILLO ALFREDO	Attached	
Lt-Col	MASIELLO GIOVANNI	Chief of Office	
Col	IAPUSCO MICHELANGELO	Commander	
Lt-Col	RAGUSA SABATINO	2nd in Command	
Lt-Col	LEONE GIOVANNI	Chief of Mob Office	
Lt-Col	ROMANO GIOVANNI	Chief of Record Office	
Lt-Col	D'AVINO RAFFAELE	i/c of store	
Lt-Col	DE MARTINO SALVATORE	i/c of store	
Lt-Col	DE MARTINO EUGENIO	Adj	
Col	PGSTOLIS OSCAR	Commander	
Col	FALSANI GIACINTO	Inspector	
Col	FERSANO GIACINTO	Inspector	
Col	CONFALONE RAFFAELE	Director	
Lt-Col	LA BRUNA VITTORIO	Secretary	
Lt-Col	SQUILLACCIOTTI RAFFAELE	Director	
Lt-Col	IANNINILI GABRIELE	At disposal	
Lt-Col	DE VIVO GIULIO	" "	
Lt-Col	MUSTO PASQUALE	Director	
Lt-Col	LORIA GIOVANNI	Director	
Col	MATTEI LUIGI	Director	

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)
80th	Col	CARBONE SCIPIONE	Commander
	Lt-Col	GALASSO VITTORIO	2nd in Command
	Lt-Col	PAGNOZZI GAETANO	Chief of Mob Office
	Lt-Col	SERPICO GAETANO	Chief of Record Office
103rd	Col	SALEMMI FRANCESCO	Commander
	Lt-Col	TALIENCO GIUSEPPE	2nd in Command
<u>TERRITORIAL DEPOTS</u>			
11th	Col	LUPIS ORAZIO	Commander
13th	Col	MONTELLA GIOVANNI	Commander
14th	Col	TALLANDINI EMILIO	Commander
15th	Col	DI LORENZO LEOPOLDO	Commander
16th	Col	MOLFINO AMEDEO	Commander
	Lt-Col	DEL PRETE FRANCESCO	Chief of Office
	Lt-Col	CICALE ARTURO	2nd in Command
19th	Col	CARELLI GIUSEPPE	Commander
	Lt-Col	LOMBARDI BERNARDO	2nd in Command
	Lt-Col	FIOTTERON LUIGI	Chief of Office
	Lt-Col	MESSORE MARIO	Chief of Office
20th	Col	LAQUANITI DOMENICO	Commander
	Lt-Col	VITALE EZIO	
21st	Col	PUGLISI CASCINO CARMELO	Commander
	Lt-Col	ALBARELLA ROBERTO	Chief of Record Office
	Lt-Col	MARANO GENNARO	2nd in Command
	Lt-Col	GARGARESE EUPREMO	Attached
	Lt-Col	CELLITTI GIUSEPPE	Attached

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Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
CARBONE SCIPIONE	Commander	
GALASSO VITTORIO	2nd in Command	
PAGNOZZI GAETANO	Chief of Mob Office	
SERPICO GAETANO	Chief of Record Office	
SALERNI FRANCESCO	Commander	
TALIERCIO GIUSEPPE	2nd in Command	
LUPIS ORAZIO	Commander	
MONTELLA GIOVANNI	Commander	
TALLANDINI EMILIO	Commander	
DI LORENZO LEOPOLDO	Commander	
MOLFINO AMEDEO	Commander	
DEL PIETE FRANCESCO	Chief of Office	
CICALE ARTURO	2nd in Command	
CARELLI GIUSEPPE	Commander	
LOMBARDI BERNARDO	2nd in Command	
FIOTTERON LUIGI	Chief of Office	
MESSORE MARIO	Chief of Office	
LAQUANITI DOMENICO	Commander	
VITALE EZIO		
PUGLISI CASCINO CARMELO	Commander	
ALBARELLA ROBERTO	Chief of Record Office	
MARANO GENNARO	2nd in Command	
GARGARESE EUGENIO	Attached	
CELLITTI GIUSEPPE	Attached	

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)
21st	Col	MENDICINI ACHILLE	Commander
	Lt-Col	TURANO CARMELO	Chief of Office
	Lt-Col Med	CANCER LUIGI	Director of Med Service
25th	Col	SCALONE ATTILIO	Commander
	Lt-Col	PALOMIARO FEDERICO	Chief of Office
	Lt-Col	DE JULIS MARIO	Attached
26th	Col	FERRARO DECIO	Commander
	Lt-Col	BANDIERA PASQUALE	Chief of Mob Office
	Lt-Col	BARBATO DOMENICO	i/c of store
	Lt-Col	PANE GUIDO	Chief of "A" Office
	Lt-Col	SCIOLI ANGELO	Attached
27th	Col	MOTTOLA GUGLIELMO	Commander
	Lt-Col	CERLETO MICHELE	Chief of Office
	Lt-Col	D'ARAGONA GAETANO	Chief of rep POW Office
	Lt-Col	CAPPELLI ANTONIO	Chief of released officers office
	Lt-Col	DONADIO FERDINANDO	Second in command
	Lt-Col	RISPOLI PASQUALE	Chief of record office
	Lt-Col	PICCIANO MICHELANGELO	Chief of cash office
37th	Lt-Col	GAUDINIERI AGOSTINO	Commander
	Lt-Col	MANES PIETRO	2nd in Command
39th	Col	GENTILE GIUSEPPE	Commander
	Lt-Col	BARELA MARIO	Chief of Mob Office
	Lt-Col Med	TANCREDI URBANO	Director of Med Service
	Lt-Col	ROSSI MATTEO	Attached
50th	Col	BOSCAINO DOMENICO	Commander
	Lt-Col	LERRO PASQUALE	2nd in Command
	Lt-Col	CAMPANILE ANDREA	Chief of Office

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	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
Col Col Med	MENDICINI ACHILLE TURANO CARLO CANCER LUIGI	Commander Chief of Office Director of Med Service	
Col Col	SCALONE ATTILIO PAJONDI FEDERICO DE JULIS MARIO	Commander Chief of Office Attached	
Col Col Col Col	FERRARO DECIO BANDIERA PASQUALE BARBATO DOMENICO PANE GUIDO SCIOLI ANGELO	Commander Chief of Mob Office i/c of store Chief of "A" Office Attached	
Col Col Col	MOTTOLA GUGLIELMO CERLETO MICHELE D'ARAGONA GAETANO CAFFEILLI ANTONIO	Commander Chief of Office Chief of rep POW Office Chief of released officers office	
Col Col Col	DONADIO FERDINANDO RISPOLI PASQUALE PICCIANO MICHELANGELO	Second in command Chief of record office Chief of cash office	
Col Col	GAUDINIERTI ACOSTINO MANES PIETRO	Commander 2nd in Command	
Col Col Col Med Col	GENTILE GIUSEPPE BARELA MARIO TANCREDI URBANO ROSSI MATTEO	Commander Chief of Mob Office Director of Med Service Attached	
Col Col Col	BOSCAINO DOMENICO LIERO PASQUALE CAMPANILE ANDREA	Commander 2nd in Command Chief of Office	

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Re
MILITARY TRIBUNAL	Gen Brig	GREMALDI PAOLO	President	
	Col	PACELIA FERNANDO	)	
	Col	SIMONELLI GENMARO	)	
	Col	IANNACCONE GAETANO	)	
	Col	LEONE GAETANO	)	
	Lt-Col	RUSSO GIUSEPPE	)	
	Lt-Col	MARNI-MANCINELLI GIUSEPPE	)	Members
	Lt-Col	BRIZZI FRANCESCO	)	of the
	Lt-Col	MALFITANO GIOVANNI	)	Tribunal
	Lt-Col	GRECO MICHELE	)	
	Lt-Col	PRINCIPE PASQUALE	)	
	~~Lt-Col~~	~~PEANO FRANCESCO~~	)	
10 CAR	Col	MAGLIARI GALANTE LUIGI	Commander	
	Lt-Col	MAFFA COSTANTINO	2nd in Command	
<u>INF</u>				
10 INFANTRY REGT	Col	RAMONDINO ALFREDO	Commander	
	Lt-Col	TUCCI TANCREDI	Adj	
	Lt-Col	TROISE MARIO	Commander II Bn	
	~~Lt-Col~~	~~CHECCHIA~~	Commander III Bn	
	~~Lt-Col~~	~~MARIO-CHECCHIA~~	Commander III Bn	
	~~Lt-Col~~	~~CHECCHIA MARIO~~	Commander III Bn	
<u>ARTY</u>				
10 ARTY HQ	Gen Brig	GANDIN ALDO	GOC	
	Col	TORZA FRANCESCO	Head of Dept	
	Lt-Col	ORNANO ATTILIO	Personnel	
<u>ENGR</u>				
10 ENGR HQ	Gen Brig	GRANATA GINO	GOC	
	Col	GENTILE SEBASTIANO	Head of Dept	
<u>MILITARY DISTRICTS</u>				
19th	Col	MORISCIANO GREGORIO	Commander	
	Lt-Col	FRONCILLO EMILIO	Chief of Office	
	Lt-Col	MORACE ARNALDO	" "	

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Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
Gen Brig	GRIMALDI PAOLO	President	
Col	PACELLI A FERNANDO	)	
Col	SIMONELLI GENNARO	)	
Col	IANNACCONE GAETANO	)	
Col	LEONE GAETANO	)	
Lt-Col	RUSSO GIUSEPPE	)	
Lt-Col	NARNI-MANCINELLI GIUSEPPE	)	Members
Lt-Col	BRIZZI FRANCESCO	)	of the
Lt-Col	MALFITANO GIOVANNI	)	Tribunal
Lt-Col	GRECO MICHELE	)	
Lt-Col	PRINCIPE PASQUALE	)	
~~Lt-Col~~	~~FRANO FRANCESCO~~	)	
Col	MAGLIARI GALANTE LUIGI	Commander	
Lt-Col	MAFFA COSTANTINO	2nd in Command	
Col	RAMONDINO ALFREDO	Commander	
Lt-Col	TUCCI TANCREDI	Adj	
Lt-Col	TROISE MARIO	Commander II Bn	
~~Lt-Col~~	~~CHECCHIA~~	Commander III Bn	
~~Lt-Col~~	~~MARIO - CHECCHIA~~	Commander III Bn	
~~Lt-Col~~	~~CHECCHIA MARIO~~	Commander III Bn	
Gen Brig	GANDIN ALDO	GOC	
Col	FORZA FRANCESCO	Head of Dept	
Lt-Col	ORNANO ATTILIO	Personnel	
Gen Brig	GRANATA GINO	GOC	
Col	GENTILE SEBASTIANO	Head of Dept	
Col	MORTISCIANO GREGORIO	Commander	
Lt-Col	FRONCILLO EMILIO	Chief of Office	
Lt-Col	MORACE ARNALDO	" "	

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STAFF LIST OF ITALIAN OFFICERS (Lt-Col and above)

Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
(a) ITI-ITI 10 TERRITORIAL INF	Gen Div	ROMANO GIUSEPPE	GOC	Staff
	Col	GIORDANO ETORE	Chief of Staff	Staff
	Lt-Col	DONATO VITTORIO	Vice-Chief of Staff	Staff
	Gen Brig	RUSSO MARIO	Commander of Increment	
	Lt-Col	BILE GUIDO	Attached to Incr	
	Lt-Col.	DE CARO OSCAR	" "	
	Lt-Col.	NASTRI MICHELE	" "	
	Gen Div	DE ELASIO ETORE	At disposal	
	Gen Brig	GUIDOTTI GIOVANNI	"	
	Gen Brig	DE BONIS GIOVANNI	"	
	Gen Brig	BROCCOLI UMBERTO	Commander of Terr Inf	
	Lt-Col	SCIALIA AGOSTINO	Head of Op Trg and Mob Office	Staff
	Lt-Col	SUMARIA ROMOLO	Attached to Mob Office	
	Lt-Col.	COSTANTINO ANGELO	Head of "Q" Dept	Staff
	Col	SALENO GIOVANNI	Head of "A" Dept	
	Col	DE FILIPPI MATTEO	"A" Dept	
	Col	MASTROLILLO NAPOLEONE	"	
	Lt-Col	CIARDULLI ETORE	"	
	Lt-Col	RICCIO GIOVANNI	"	
	Lt-Col	FANO GIUSEPPE	Head of Territorial and Miscellaneous Office	
	Lt-Col	FIORILLO LUIGI	Terr and Miscellaneous Office	
	Lt-Col.	MILANESE ANTONIO	" "	
	Lt-Col	VITALE CARMEINE	Head of Welfare Office	
	Lt-Col	MASOLA AUGUSTO	Welfare Office	

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Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
	ROMANO GIUSEPPE	GOC	Staff College
	GIORDANO ETTORE	Chief of Staff	Staff College
	DONATO VITTORIO	Vice-Chief of Staff	Staff College
	RUSSO MARIO	Commander of Increment	
	BILE GUIDO	Attached to Incr	
	DE CARO OSCAR	" "	
	NASTRI MICHELE	" "	
	DE BLASIO ETTORE	At disposal	
	GUIDOTTI GIOVANNI	"	
	DE BONIS GIOVANNI	"	
	BROCCOLI UBERTO	Commander of Terr Inf	
	SCIALLA AGOSTINO	Head of Op Trg and Mob Office	Staff College
	SUMARIA ROMOLO	Attached to Mob Office	
	COSTANTINO ANGELO	Head of "Q" Dept	Staff College
	SALENO GIOVANNI	Head of "A" Dept	
	DE FILIPPI MATTEO	"A" Dept	
	MASTROLILLO NAPOLEONE	"	
	CIARDULLI ETTORE	"	
	RICCIO GIOVANNI	"	
	FANO GIUSEPPE	Head of Territorial and Miscellaneous Office	
	FIORILLO LUIGI	Terr and Miscellaneous Office	
	MILANESE ANTONIO	" "	
	VITALE CARLINE	Head of Welfare Office	
	MASOLA AUGUSTO	Welfare Office	

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)
(c) BR-ITI			
714 AM REGT	Col	BARODI GIANNETTO	Commander
73 IT INCR TO 3 DIST	Lt-Col	~~BLANCO~~ ADRIANO	Commander
	Lt-Col	GRECO LUIGI	2nd in command
	Lt-Col	JAKOPIN LUIGI	IO 56 Area
	Lt-Col	ZIZZO MARCAURELIO	IO 3 Dist
	Lt-Col	LA BELLA ANDREA	IO 51 Town Major SALERNO

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Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
Col	PARODI GIANNETTO	Commander	
DIST Lt-Col	~~BLANCO~~ BLANCO ADRIANO	Commander	
Lt-Col	GRECO LUIGI	2nd in command	
Lt-Col	JAKOPIN LUIGI	IO 56 Area	
Lt-Col	ZIZZO MARCAURELIO	IO 3 Dist	
Lt-Col	LA BELLA ANDREA	IO 51 Town Major SALERNO	

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
CCRR 5 BRIGADE HQ	Gen Brig Lt-Col	SANTA MARIO CANA GIUSEPPE	Commander Adj	
NAFLES LEGION	Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	MAURO BRUNO PELAMATTI MARIO MATERAZZO ERNESTO COSI ENRICO BARONE VINCENZO	Commander Vice-Commander Cmdr Int Group Cmdr AVELLINO Group	
RARI LEGION	Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	FURLO GIUSEPPE DOVA EUGENIO DUTTIGLIONE MICHELE	Commander Vice-Commander Med Officer	
CATANZARO LEGION	Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	MINETTI RAFFAELE COLOSIMO GIUSEPPE BRESCIA VINCENZO	Commander Vice-Commander Adm Officer	
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2 PROVISIONAL GROUP	Lt-Col	DE SIVO GIULIO	Commander	
18 QM SERVICE BN	Lt-Col	GALLANI EUGENIO	Commander	
205 DIV	Gen Brig Gen Brig	LAMA GUIDO FAVA GIOVANNI	Commander 2nd in Command	
3 AIR GROUP	Col Lt-Col	MARCHITTO CIRO MUSOLCHI ENILIO	Commander 1st in Command	

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Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (a)	Remarks (e)
Gen Brig Lt-Col	SANTA MARIO CAIA GIUSEPPE	Commander Adj	
Col	MAURO BRUNO	Commander	
Lt-Col	PELAMATTI MARIO	Vice-Commander	
Lt-Col	MATERAZZO ERNESTO	Cmdr Int Group	
Lt-Col	COSI ENRICO	Cmdr AVELLINO Group	
Lt-Col	BARONE VINCENZO		
Lt-Col	FURLO GIUSEPPE	Commander	
Lt-Col	DOVA EUGENIO	Vice-Commander	
Lt-Col	BUTTIGLIONE MICHELE	Med Officer	
Lt-Col	MINIITI RAFFAELLE	Commander	
Lt-Col	COLOSIMO GIUSEPPE	Vice-Commander	
Lt-Col	INFESCIA VINCENZO	Adm Officer	
Lt-Col	DE SIVO GIULIO	Commander	
Lt-Col	GALLIANI EUGENIO	Commander	
Gen Brig Gen Brig	LAMA GUIDO FAVA GIOVANNI	Commander 2nd in Command	
Col Lt-Col	MARCHITTO CIRO MUSDECHI ENILIO	Commander 2nd in Command	

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)
<u>MOVEMENT CONTROL SERVICE</u> MOVEMENT CONTROL AREA	Col Lt-Col	MARTINO GIROLAMO TATA GIUSEPPE	Chief of Office Attached
<u>TRANSIT CAMP</u> 1004 POW RECEPTION CENTRE	Col Lt-Col	PASTORI EMANUELE ROSATI ACHILLE	Commander 2nd in Command
1005 POW RECEPTION CENTRE	Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	PULIZZI GIUSEPPE PAGNOTTA UMBERTO NUZZI GIUSEPPE	Commander
<u>MISCELLANEOUS</u> MILITARY CENSORSHIP OFFICE	Lt-Col	ARFAIA LUIGI	Head of Office
~~MILITARY PRISON~~ NEOS EXAMINATION BOARD MILITARY JUDICIARY PRISON	Lt-Col LT COL Lt-Col	~~PIRO NICOLA~~ PIRO NICOLA DELLA PENNA NICOLA	~~Director~~ DIRECTOR Commander
COMMISSION OF INTERROGATION	Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	FORNITO ALFREDO DAMIANI DOMENICO CANOTTA LUIGI	President
LO OF M.O.F. W. FOR REPATRIATED POW	Lt-Col	COMBATTI CALOGERO	
LO WITH IT ROYAL NAVY HQ	Lt-Col	GAUDIOSI NICOLA	

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Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
<u>VICE</u>			
Col Lt-Col	MARTINO GIROLAMO TALA GIUSEPPE	Chief of Office Attached	
Col Lt-Col	FABIANI LEONARDO ROBATTI ACHILLE	Commander 2nd in Command	
Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	PULIZZI GIUSEPPE PACINOTTA UMBERTO NUZZI GIUSEPPE	Commander	
Lt-Col	ARFAIA LUIGI	Head of Office	
~~Lt-Col~~ BOARD LT COL	~~PIRO NICOLA~~ PIRO NICOLA	~~Director~~ DIRECTOR	
Lt-Col	DELLA PENNA NICOLA	Commander	
<u>CHIEF</u>			
Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	ESPOSITO ALFREDO DAMIANI DOMENICO CAROTENUTO LUIGI	President	
Lt-Col	COMBATTI CALOCERO		
Lt-Col	GAUDIOSI NICOLA		

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)
1002 DET ARTY SECTION	Lt-Col	FIorentini Luigi	Head of Section
1004 ARSENAL	Lt-Col Lt-Col	CAPALLO GERARDO DI IORIO GIOVANNI	Director Vice-Director
1005 FUSE SECTION	Col Lt-Col	D'ALONZA GIOVANNI MORVILLO SALVATORE	Director Chief of Office
1006 EXPLOSIVE SECTION	Lt-Col Lt-Col	LE PIANE ANGELO SCARNATA MARIO	Director Chief of Office
<u>ENGR SERVICE</u> 10 ENGR WKS DIRECTORATE	Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	MESSORE SALVATORE VECCIO GIUSEPPE DONZELLI ENRICO	Director Vice-Director Chief of Equip Office
DET ENGR WKS SECTION	Lt-Col	GRILLANTINI ETIORE	Chief of Section
REQUISITIONING OFFICE NAPLES	Lt-Col	DE LUISE UBERTO	Chief of Office
REQUISITIONING OFFICE CATANZARO	Lt-Col	DE SANDOLI ANTONIO	Chief of Office
<u>MT SERVICE</u> 10 MT REPAIR DIRECTORATE	Col	CIOCCA ALFREDO	Director
10 REPAIR UNIT	Lt-Col Lt-Col	CASA MARIO BUONGIORNO GENNAIO	Commander Attached
<u>VET & REMOUNT SERVICE</u> 23 REMOUNT DEPOT	Lt-Col	BARBIERI VINCENZO	Commander

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	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
SECTION	Lt-Col	FIorentini LUIGI	Head of Section	
	Lt-Col	CAPALLO GERARDO	Director	
	Lt-Col	DI IORIO GIOVANNI	Vice-Director	
	Col	D'ALONZA GIOVANNI	Director	
	Lt-Col	MORVILLO SALVATORE	Chief of Office	
SECTION	Lt-Col	LE PIANE ARNOLDO	Director	
	Lt-Col	SCARNATA MARIO	Chief of Office	
SECTION	Col	ROSSO SALVATORE	Director	
	Lt-Col	VECCIO GIUSEPPE	Vice-Director	
	Lt-Col	DONZELLI ENRICO	Chief of Equip Office	
SECTION	Lt-Col	GRILLANTINI ETTORE	Chief of Section	
VICE FILES	Lt-Col	DE LUISE UBERTO	Chief of Office	
VICE	Lt-Col	DE SANDOLI ANTONIO	Chief of Office	
SECTION	Col	CIOCCA ALFREDO	Director	
	Lt-Col	CASA MARIO	Commander	
	Lt-Col	BUONGIORNO GENARO	Attached	
VICE	Lt-Col	BARBIERI VINCENZO	Commander	

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Unit (a)	Rank (b)	Name (c)	Appointment (d)
MED WAR PENSION COMMISS. NAPLES	Lt-Col	CORTI JACO ENRICO	President
<u>COMMISSARIATO SERVICE</u> 10 COMMISSARIATO DIRECTORATE	Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	FANFOLTI UGO RICCIO ALFONSO DI LUJO ATTILIO RUSSO FELICE TRATOLA AURELIO	Director Vice-Director Head of Section Head of Section Head of Section
10 BULK BARRACKS STORES DEPOT	Lt-Col	GACLIARDI RICCARDO	Commander
10 SALVAGE DUMP	Lt-Col	DONADIO PIETRO	Commander
<u>PAY & ACCOUNTS SERVICE</u> 10 PAY & ACCOUNTS DIRECTORATE	~~Col~~ Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	CHIAMPETTI ACHILLE CONTE UGO ACCARDI GIUSEPPE D'ERICO ANTONIO GALLIARDI OTTAVIO DARONI EUGENIO MURIELLA CORRE	DIRECTOR VICE DIRECTOR Director PERSONNEL OF BRANCH Commander of Branch
<u>ARTY SERVICE</u> 1001 ARTY DIRECTORATE	Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col Lt-Col	NASTA EUGENIO NASTA UGO VITTORIO CERILLI ATTILIO SOLIMINI SEBASTIANO MALATO ANTONIO SAVE LUIGI SILVERINI FRANCESCO RUSSO GIOVANNI	Director Vice-Director Head of Secretariat Head of Store and Amm Depot CAPUA Head of Amm Office Head of "A" Office Chemist i/c store

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Name (c)	Appointment (d)	Remarks (e)
CORICIANO ENRICO	President	
IANDOLFI UGO	Director	
RICCIO ALFONSO	Vice-Director	
DI ILLIO ATTILIO	Head of Section	
RISO FELICE	Head of Section	
TRAIOLA AURELIO	Head of Section	
GAGLIARDI RICHARDO	Commander	
DOMADIO PIETRO	Commander	
CHIAPPETTI ACHILLE	DIRECTOR	
CONTE UGO	VICE DIRECTOR	
ACCARDI GIUSEPPE	~~Director~~ PERSONNEL OF BRANCH	
DIETRICO ANTONIO		
QUADRONE OTTAVIO		
BARNE NICOLETTE		
NICOLETTA GENEVIEVE		
NASTA PANGOLINI	Director	
NASTI UGO VITTORIO	Vice-Director	
CERCHI GREGORIO	Head of Secretariat	
SOLONNO SEBASTIANO	Head of Store and Am Depot CAPUA	
MALATO ANTONIO	Head of Arm Office	
SAVE LUIGI	Head of "A" Office	
SHONELLI FRANCESCO	Chemist	
RUSSO GIOVANNI	i/c store	

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VISIT OF GENERAL ROMANO
TO 10 CAR

(From the "Corriere dell'Irpinia, 6 Apr 46)

Il Comandante del Comiliter di Napoli, Generale di Divisione ROMANO, ha ispezionato Domenica il 10 Centro Addestramento Reclute, accompagnato dal Generale di Brigata GRANATA, del Genio Militare, e dall'Ufficiale addetto Cap. SURACI.

Questa visita segna ufficialmente la ripresa del funzionamento della caserma "Berardi" che, già sede della Scuola Allievi Ufficiali, subì i danni del bombardamento e ospitò a lungo le truppe alleate; e quindi con senso di soddisfazione e di compiacimento che assistiamo al rifiorire della vita in questi edifici che dettero, e ritornano a dare, lustro e decoro alla nostra città.

Circa tremila cinquecento reclute, raggruppate in tre battaglioni, sono schierate innanzi al Comando e vengono passate in rassegna dal Generale. Alle dieci egli sale su di una pedana e parla ai giovani fanti, dicendo loro, con belle espressioni in cui vibra l'orgoglio del vecchio soldato e la commozione del cittadino italiano, che il nostro esercito riprende oggi le sue gloriose tradizioni, e si appresta a riorganizzarsi su nuove basi onde tornare ad essere quel saldo presidio di cui nessuna nazione può privarsi: il soldato italiano su cui nessuna macchia grava, e che non è stato in alcun momento secondo a nessuno, deve essere fiero che la Patria guardi oggi e sempre a lui, che è la migliore e più sana espressione della terra nostra.

Le parole del generale vengono attentamente seguite dalle reclute che, al termine di esse, dimostrano con il loro caloroso consenso quanto quelle espressioni fiere e commosse trovino risonanza nel loro animo.

Ha inizio quindi lo sfilamento, che lascia gradevolmente stupiti gli spettatori per il grado di addestramento raggiunto dai soldati in pochissimi giorni: alcuni sono arrivati da meno d'una settimana, altri continuano ad affluire giornalmente.

Qualcuno di noi riconoscendo nella compagnia che fa più bella prova quella agli ordini di un ufficiale che fu già suo comandante, e ammirando la prestanza, l'ordine, il portamento della truppa, avverte in un senso di esultanza il rinnovarsi dello spirito di corpo.

Al termine della sfilata, il generale rende il saluto ai battaglioni e li mette in libertà, tenendo poi rapporto agli ufficiali, che si schierano dietro il comandante del Centro, colonnello Magliari Galante: ad essi esprime il suo compiacimento per l'efficienza dell'istruzione. Passa quindi a ispezionare gli alloggiamenti. Lo seguiamo nella visita, avendo così modo di rilevare come siano stati compiuti dei miracoli nel

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Circa quaranta di quei milioni sono stati già spesi per eseguire in parte i lavori occorrenti a riparare i guasti e rifare intonaci e pareti, a livellare pavimenti, a ingrandire ed arricchire le cucine, a rendere

insomma comodi all'uso i locali. Gli impianti igienici, piu' di ogni altra cosa accusavano i danni subiti; non sono stati soltanto rimessi in sesto, ma sono stati anche accresciuti, specialmente in quegli alloggiamenti nei quali va accantonato un numero di uomini superiore a quello previsto quando la caserma fu costruita. Anche per quanto riguarda il materiale mobile e le suppellettili si e' fatto tutto daccapo, con criteri molto moderni: ogni soldato ha la sua brandina con rete elastica - o dorme in puliti e comodi lettini biposti di metallo - con materassino e lenzuola. In una camerata linda e ordinata come un'abitazione civile, troviamo delle plance di nuovo tipo, che sono come degli armadietti nei quali vanno appesi abiti e biancheria e servono nello stesso tempo da divisorio tra un ordine e l'altro di posti. Circa il corredo personale, apprendo che ogni soldato riceve due uniformi, una per la libera uscita, l'altra per il servizio. Una innovazione costituita dai piatti nei quali le reclute mangiano sedendo al refettorio intorno agli appositi tavoli - in sostituzione della gavetta che portano invece con loro durante le esercitazioni; un'altra innovazione sara' quella che consentira di far trovare a tavola, e servito, il piatto. Insomma le condizioni igieniche e i comforti sono ottimi, come e' dimostrato anche dal fatto che i posti sanitari organizzati presso ogni battaglione, pur essendo attrezzati sono frequentati pochissimo. Lo stesso dicasi per l'infermeria del Centro che, capace di trentasei posti, ha pure a sua disposizione un'autoambulanza. Piu' frequentato e, invece, lo spaccio, accogliente e molto ben fornito. Ben messa e anche la mensa sottufficiali, dove troviamo dei sergenti intorno a tavoli apparecchiati con ordine e buon gusto per quattro posti ognuno.

Nella mensa ufficiali troviamo un ambiente gaio e giovanile; alla tavola del comandante sentiamo che tutti, dal generale a noi stessi, sono elettrizzati per l'avvenimento odierno che segna una data nella vita della caserma e dell'esercito tutto. Il colonnello porge al generale il saluto degli ufficiali e l'assicurazione del loro entusiasmo nel compimento del dovere che particolarmente oggi non e' scevro di aspre difficoltà. Il generale risponde ringraziando e brindando alle fortune d'Italia; poco dopo riparte, senza trascurare di interessarsi degli alloggi per le famiglie degli ufficiali, i quali dal canto loro ci fanno pressione affinché la stampa prenda a cuore il problema con l'indurre le autorità locali da una parte e i cittadini abbienti dall'altra, a far di tutto perche' nella ricostruzione delle abitazioni, che sia rapida e soddisfacente, si tengano presenti anche quelle esigenze.

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"Il vitto è buono: abbiamo quindici lire al giorno di miglioramento rancio; due volte al giorno minestra, carne con vegetali, mezzo litro di vino, frutta fresca e secca, circa 500 grammi di ottimo pane. Si è costituita inoltre una commissione composta di soldati che esprime i desiderata della truppa: contribuisce a rendere più confortevole questa vita.

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Cia fin dall'arrivo ricevevamo una ottima impressione, perche trovammo alla stazione un ufficio addetto al ricevimento, e in caserma un altro ufficio che in due ore provvide ad equipaggiarci e a smistarci per i reparti, distribuendo ad ognuno lire cento, di cui la meta fu devoluta alle prime spese di assestamento. Insomma, tutto e basato su nuovi criteri, con vedute piu ampie ed elastiche di quelle del passato".

L'intervista e finita : nel nostro cuore di vecchi ufficiali si rafforza la speranza che l'Italia risorga nei suoi figli migliori, mentre al nostro orecchio giunge l'eco della canzone che la recluta - napoletana - canterella nell'allontanarsi per rientrare alla Caserma.

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Land Forces Sub-Comm. AG (LNU) (1)
Covered to: 10 BUU
11 BUU

PART I - GENERAL

1. DIAGNOSTIC. (BUU)

- (a) Major H.J.O. PRINSLOO RA reported as MISSING 22 Mar 46.
- (b) Captain H.W. CLARKE RACG reported as Ordnance officer 22 Mar 46.
- (c) 10 BUU moved from NAFLES to TORRE DEL GRECO on 23 & 24 Mar 46.
- (d) Captain W.S. LOWE returned from 28 days sick leave on 25 Mar 46.
- (e) Captain W.S. KUDL REVE reported on 25 Mar and returned HQ 29 Mar 46 prior to proceeding LIAP.
- (f) Staff List 10 BUU attached at Appx "B".

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle (Appx "A") not received from Territorial HQ.
- (b) Staff List Italian (Appx "C") not received from Territorial HQ.

PART II - "C"

3. INCIDENT ON TROOPS.

- (a) Army loss 03. PR.
10 BUU.

PART I - GENERAL

1. DUTIES. (MIL)

- (a) Major H.J.C. PRINCE PA reported as Dated 22 Mar 46.
- (b) Captain H.W. OLIVER RAO reported as Ordnance officer 22 Mar 46.
- (c) 10 HLU moved from NAFES to TORRE DEL CAMO on 23 & 24 Mar 46.
- (d) Captain R.F.S. LOWE returned from 28 days sick leave on 25 Mar 46.
- (e) Captain W.S. NIND, PERS reported on 25 Mar and returned NAFES 29 Mar 46 prior to preceding LIAP.
- (f) Staff List 10 HLU attached at Appx "H".

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle (Appx "A") not received from Territorial HQ.
- (b) Staff List Italian (Appx "G") not received from Territorial HQ.

PART II - "G"

3. PERSONNEL OF REGTS.

- (a) Army List 10 HLU.

This Regiment is in a reasonably satisfactory state. All the (MIL)-trained officers and NCO's have been drafted to the CAR. In consequence little progress can be expected until the present personnel are replaced by men trained at the CAR's, and until British equipment is issued.

- (b) 10 HLU.

10 HLU Report by CO, HLU, is attached to 10 HLU at Appx "J".

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FILE: <u>EC/10</u>
DATE: <u>R/4</u>

4. TRAINING.

(a) Army less OS. BR.

Troop Establishments.

Reports on CAR attached at annexes "I" "P" "Q" & "H".

5. INTELLIGENCE.

(a) IV repatriation continues satisfactorily and the average delay in the Transit Camp outside NAPLES is now only 3 or 4 days. Difficulty is however being experienced with large numbers of PWs who are domiciled in North Africa. At the moment approximately 1000 are held pending the Allied ruling in respect of repatriation to North Africa. This number will increase with each shipload of IWA.

(b) The following information has been given by Major EM CRISTOFANO Chief Intelligence officer - Territorial HQ, NAPLES.

(i) An organization exists which is known as P.A.F.A. (Federazione Anti-Monarchica Forze Armate). This started in 1943, in the Navy, and is an Anti Royalist movement. The head of the organization is General ALI who was dismissed from the Army in 1944 and lives in Rome. It is estimated that about 2% of the officers in the Army belong but their names are not known. This organization is a bridge between the Army and the Communist and Socialist Parties, using both to further its own end. Very few other ranks are interested in P.A.F.A.

(ii) During the past month two organizations known as GARS (Centro Assistenza Ragazzi Soldati) and GARS (Centro Assistenza Ufficiali Congediati) have been discovered. These organizations are branches of the Communist Party. It appears that a branch of the Communist Party with HQ at GARCIA controls three sub branches as follows :-

HQ GARCIA

Penetration	Information	Propaganda
<u>Propaganda</u> produces pamphlets, books and slogans passing them to Penetration and Information. The names of two books and one newspaper are given below :- Books 1. Rivolta dei Marinai Russi a Kronstadt. 2. Aiuti dei Marinai Francesi ai Marinai Russi nel Mar Nero. Newspaper : Soldati del Popolo.		

Information acts as intelligence and sends back information

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(b)

The following information has been given by Major DE CRISTOFANO Chief Intelligence Officer - Territorial HQ, NAPLES.

(i)

An organization exists which is known as F.A.P.A. (Federazione Anti-Monarchica Forze Armate). F.A.P.A. started in 1943, in the Navy, and is an Anti Royalist movement. The head of the organization is General AZZI who was dismissed from the Army in 1944 and lives in Rome. It is estimated that about 2% of the officers in the Army belong but their names are not known. This organization is a bridge between the Army and the Communist and Socialist Parties, using both to further its own end. Very few other ranks are interested in F.A.P.A.

(ii)

During the past month two organizations known as GARS (Centro Assistenza Soldati) and CAUC (Centro Assistenza Ufficiali Congediati) have been discovered. These organizations are branches of the Communist Party. It appears that a branch of the Communist Party with HQ at GENOA controls three sub branches as follows :-

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Penetration	Information	Propaganda
<u>Propaganda</u> produces pamphlets, books and slogans passing them to Penetration and Information. The names of two books and one newspaper are given below :-		
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	2. Aiuti dei Marinai Francesi ai Marinai Russi nel Mar Nero.	
Newspaper	Soldati del Popolo.	

Information acts as intelligence and sends back information about progress etc. of Communist propaganda.

Penetration uses GARS and CAUC to spread Communism.

cars occupies itself solely with other tanks. Although outwardly an organization to assist ex PWs (food and clothing), PWs are canvassed to join the Communist Party. Those that do are sent amongst serving soldiers to spread communism.

CARLO ANTONIO ORICI
Via BEDINA, NAPLES

who is an ex PW from ALGERIA. It is not yet known if he was an officer or OR. He is under surveillance and a soldier has been introduced into the organization to report developments to Territorial HQ.

CHAM.

CAUC occupies itself with Officers, and its existence has been known for just over a month. It works in the same manner as CARS. The local President is not yet known but MARIO PARENTI, ex Under Secretary for WAR, is the head of the CAUC organization and as he lives in VALES he can be considered as the brains behind the VALES branch.

(iii) The Socialist Party run a branch known as "D" Section, which interests itself in the Army, chiefly by means of propaganda. It has very little support, and possesses no money. "D" Section is not considered dangerous.

Remarks on INSPIRATION attached at Appx "I".

7. DOMESTIC.

(a) Deficiencies in all ranks against 80.

Officers - 412

OR's

-	1/Cpl RASO	(Clerk CD)
	Etc	"
	1/Cpl RAO	(Clerk RAO Duties)
	1/Cpl RUM	(Clerk Tech.)

Leave (a)

who is an ex-FV from ALGERIA. It is not yet known if he was an officer or OR. He is under surveillance and a soldier has been introduced into the organization to report developments to Territorial HQ.

CAUJ.

CAUJ comprises itself with Officers, and its existence has been known for just over a month. It works in the same manner as CANS. The local President is not yet known but LIRIO PAMELO, ex Under Secretary for WAR, is the head of the CAUJ organization and as he lives in MARLES he can be considered as the brains behind the MARLES branch.

- (iii) The Socialist Party run a branch known as "D" Section, which interests itself in the Army, chiefly by means of propaganda. It has very little support, and possesses no money. "D" Section is not considered dangerous.

6. Remarks on INSUBORDINATES attached at Annex "I".

PART III - "A"

7. DOMESTIC.

- (a) Deficiencies in all ranks against WE.

Officers - NIL

OR's - 1/Cpl RASC (Clerk CD)
Pte " " "
1/Cpl RASC (Clerk RASC Duties)
1/Cpl RASC (Clerk Tech.)

- (b) Leave.

- (i) Details of all ranks on leave and when due to return within 48.

NIL.

- (ii) Details of all ranks due for leave in immediate future.

T/Capt. D. L. Murray (70181) RASC.

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(c) Forecast of prospective vacancies against WL.

Sgt GD (Group 28) About 15 April
 WO I RAOG (Python) " 15-30 May
 RATION NOO (L/Cpl) (Python) 15-30 May.

8. OFFICERS CLUBS.

The committee of the Park (Senior Allied Officers) Club NAPLES have agreed to admit Italian officers in uniform as the guests of members.

9. ITALIAN.

Deficiencies in Total Strengths and in Tradesmen and Specialists against WL.

(i) Total Strength State Officers + 3%
 ORs - 20%

(ii) Tradesmen and Specialists state not yet available.

PART IV - "Q"10. DOMESTIC.(a) Transport.

List of transport held by 10 HLU attached at Appx "D".

(b) Accommodation.

10 HLU is now well established in pleasant surroundings at TORRE DEL GRECO. For precise location see this office 41-G dated 4 Apr 46. Accommodation is available and visitors from MIA will be welcomed. Officers need NOT bring bedding. Visitors are requested to bring razors.

11. ITALIAN.(a) Transport.

(i) Army less CC.M.

Tpt allocated to 10 Terr Comd adequate unless repatriation of ex PAs top 50,000 per month.

(ii) CC.M.

No change.

9. ITALIAN.

Deficiencies in Total Strengths and in Tradesmen and Specialists against WE.

(i) Total Strength State Officers + 3%
CRs - 20%

(ii) Tradesmen and Specialists state not yet available.

PART IV - "Q"

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List of transport held by 10 HLU attached at Appx "D".

(b) Accommodation.

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11. ITALIAN.

(a) Transport.

(i) Army less CO, RR.

Tpt allocated to 10 Terr Command adequate unless restriction of ex PWs top 50,000 per month.

(ii) CO, RR.

No change.

(b) RETE.

Nothing to report.

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(c) HMOC - Clothing & Equipment.(1) Army Loss CC.M.

Release for 12,000 sets with equipment, 55,000 yds flannel cloth, 100 gallons oil were collected from 557 DOD and distributed amongst the G.I.'s. Final dispatch date 1 Apr 46. Collection of 176 Motor Cycles from 9 Vehicle Park for G.I.'s has been arranged.

(11) CC.M.

No change.

(a) Arms & Amm.

(1) The following arms were collected from 557 DOD and distributed to G.I.'s:

Pistols	1031	1/3 "Bren"	2112
Rifles	45100	Mortars "2"	156
Sten	2412	MM	528
Light Signalling	264		

Due to pilferage by Indian Army Guard 24 Pistols were deficient in the issue. See this office 8 AG date 21 Mar 46.

(11) CC.M.

CC.M. 10 has submitted report.

(e) Accumulation.

Sufficient for present requirements.

(f) PM.

Reserves have been built up.

(g) SUPPLY.

Depots at DODGO CHINA, CHINA collected. SALING Depot moved to AMHED. SALING Depot moved to LEBU. Effort is being made to find suitable location to concentrate Distribution Depot. All Depot and various sub depots.

(ii) CC, III.

No change.

(a) Annex 6 Ann.

(i) The following arms were collected from 557 DOD and distributed to CUSA:

Pistols	1031	W/C "Bren"	2112
Rifles	15100	Porters "2"	156
Sten	2112	MIAT	528
Pistol signaling	264		

Due to difference by Italian Army Guard 21 Pistols were deficient on this issue. See this office 8 AG date 21 Mar 46.

(ii) CC, III.

CC, III. 10 has submitted report.

(e) Accommodation.

Sufficient for present requirements.

(f) EDL.

Reserves have been built up

(g) Supply.

Depots at 210000 CALIFORNIA, CALIFORNIA abolished. SALERNO Depot moved to AVIGNON. AVIGNON Depot moved to MOER. Effort is being made to get all available location to concentrate Distribution Depot, Salt Depot and various sub depots.

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APPENDICES

- "A" - LOCATION STATEMENT and ORDER OF BATTLE
(not yet received from Territorial HQ)
- "B" - STAFF LIST - 10 ELU
- "C" - STAFF LIST - ITALIAN
(not yet received from Territorial HQ)
- "D" - MT HELD BY 10 ELU
- "E" - 10 CAR
- "F" - RECRUIT SITUATION
- "G" - NOTES ON VISIT TO CAR BY MAJOR H.J.O. FINELOO DEARONG
- "H" - ACCOMMODATION REPORT - 10 CAR
- "I" - INSPECTORATES
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APPENDICES

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STAFF LIST - 10 ILU

GENERAL STAFF

GSO I	1st Col.	A. W. CLETON	GSE	ALSH
GSO II	Major	H. L. DAVID		DWR

BRANCH ON THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

DAA & QMG	Major	H. J. O. FRISBLOO	RM
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SERVICES

ST	Capt.	E. A. MURRAY	RASC
ORD	Capt.	N. W. CLARKE	RADC
RECE	Capt.	R. T. S. JONES	RYAN

ATTACHED

CC, RE.	Major	G. B. HAYES	Gen List
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App: 'D' to 10 BLU Progress
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MT HELD BY 10 BLU

Ser.	Type of Vehicle	Reg No.	Efficient	Local Repair	BLN : Remarks
1.	SEMPERUM FORDWHEELS 3 ton (German)	5A QAP 351 " 1	E		
2.	Ford 15 cwt 4 x 2	2 5428777	E		
3.	Standard 8 cwt 4 x 2	M 5244227	E		
4.	Standard 8 cwt 4 x 2	M 5246058	E		
5.	Jeep Willys	M 5662552	E		
6.	Jeep Willys	M 5662375	E		
7.	Chevrolet 8 cwt H/Utility	M 5905624	E		
8.	Chevrolet 8 cwt H/Utility	M 5906866	E		
9.	Hillman car 4 x 2 L/Utility	M 5100489	E		
10.	BSA 500 cc solo	C 5548015	E		
11.	BSA 500 cc solo	C 4451905	E		
12.	Water Transport 2 Wheel 160 cwt	X 5161690	E		

Certified above vehicles are held on charge, that their condition is as stated and that 25 412 and 496 have been inspected and

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1.	SEMPERPARVUM TOWNSHIP 3 ton (German)	SA GUP 354 - 1	E
2.	Ford 15 cwt 4 X 2	S 5425777	E
3.	Standard 6 cwt 4 X 2	M 5214427	E
4.	Standard 6 cwt 4 X 2	M 5215058	E
5.	Jeep Willys	M 5662552	E
6.	Jeep Willys	M 5662575	E
7.	Chevrolet 8 cwt H/Utility	M 5905624	E
8.	Chevrolet 8 cwt H/Utility	M 5906866	E
9.	Hillman car 4 X 2 L/Utility	M 5100439	E
10.	BSA 500 cc solo	C 5548015	E
11.	BSA 500 cc solo	C 4434005	E
12.	Water Trailer 2 Wills 180 Gall	X 5161690	E

Certified above vehicles are held on charge, that their condition is as stated and that #s 412 and AB 406 have been inspected and found correct.

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[Signature]

Signed.

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CREDIT

1. 89% of the recruits called up have arrived and have begun their training. For figures up to 30 Mar see Appx "P".
2. The reception plan has worked well and smoothly. There is very little delay over documentation, medical inspection etc., and in a remarkably short time the recruits have finished with preliminaries, including the rare experience of a hair cut and a hot shower, and find themselves on the square learning to turn "left-about".
3. The political parties, the Association of ex-Prisoners of War and other semi-public bodies have placed notices in the streets of AVELLIMO welcoming the recruits.
4. The morale of the recruits appears to be good, and they look to be a more promising lot of men than was expected. They have already adapted themselves to barrack life, and their demeanour is brisk and orderly.
5. The Commandant, Col. MARIANO GALANTE, has worked very hard, and great credit is due to him for the success so far achieved.

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6. The barracks are not yet finished, and there is a great deal of "builders' litter". As was expected, the latrines are quite inadequate, and have been supplemented by some real MIAOLINI horrors of near-deep-trench latrines. The one cookhouse, in a corner of the barracks, is not enough for 4000 men. A good deal remains to be done before the barracks will be really ready.
7. The Demonstration Platoon is not promising very well. It is not yet clear whether the trouble lies in the morale of the men, the quality of the platoon commander, or the attitude of higher authority towards the platoon. It is thought that the success of the CAR largely depends on this platoon, and action is being taken to "smarteen them up".
8. General BOLAND appears to have a fixed idea that what was good enough for 1912 is good enough for 1946. So far as is known he does not actively oppose progressive ideas of training and administration, but he does not encourage them. For example he has expressed disapproval of the excellent practice of inspecting recruits' turnout before they "walk out" in the town.
9. Some at least of the instructors are below standard and unenthusiastic.
10. The duty company is very ITI-ITI and a bad example to the recruits.

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8. General ROMANO appears to have a fixed idea that what was good enough for 1912 is good enough for 1946. So far as is known he does not actively oppose progressive ideas of training and administration, but he does not encourage them. For example he has expressed disapproval of the excellent practice of inspecting recruits' turnout before they "walk out" in the town.
9. Some at least of the instructors are below standard and unenthusiastic.
10. The duty company is very ITI-ITI and a bad example to the recruits.
11. In spite of a number of hindrances the GAR has a good administrative foundation, and the morale of both instructors and recruits seems to be reasonably high. It remains to be seen whether the administrative

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difficulties will be overcome, and the instructors will prove capable of turning the recruits into soldiers. If things go well the CAR will be one of the most valuable schools of citizenship in SOUTH ITALY.

GENERAL POINTS

12. The CAR has received its allotment of British weapons and web equipment.
13. The "Handbook for Recruits" has not been received.
14. 400 recruits are illiterate. Evening classes for illiterate are being organised.
15. Territorial HQ have been advised to organise "Parents' Days", and other forms of publicity for the CAR. See 10 HLU CAR/0/4 dated 2 Apr 46.

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Annex "G" to 10 MU Progress
Report No. 8 dated 5 Apr 46

RECRUIT SITUATION AS AT 29 Mar 46

District	Number allotted	Arrived up to 29 Mar 46	Under Medical Observation	Present in GAR	Surplus or Deficient
AVELLINO	550	577	17	560	+ 10
BENEVENTO	300	289	4	285	- 15
NOLA	450	482	10	472	+ 22
NAPOLI	1136	692	39	653	- 483
SALERNO	600	621	11	610	+ 10
CASERTA	300	337	17	320	+ 20
AVERSA	300	356	16	340	+ 40
TERAMO	=	1	=	1	+ 1
COSENZA	=	1	=	1	+ 1
TOTAL	3536	3356	114	3242	- 594

TAILPIECE

1. The strength of 10 GAR on 5 Apr 46 is as follows :-

Recruits on strength	3252
Volunteers	235
Deficient	<u>149</u>
WE	3636
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2. The deficiency is in NAPLES District. There is a surplus available on the other districts. Territorial HQ are arranging to call up additional men from the districts where there is a surplus. It is hoped that the GAR will be complete to WE in a few days.

3. The deficiency in NAPLES is due to a shortage of men of the required

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AVERSA	300	356	16	340	+ 40
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COSTANZA	=	1	=	1	+ 1
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TABULATION

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3. The deficiency in NAPLES is due to a shortage of men of the required physical standard. It is not due to a failure to respond to the call up.

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App: "C" to 10 BU Progress
Report in. 3 dated 5 Apr 46

NOTES ON VISIT TO 10 CAR (AVELLINO) ON 27 Mar 46
BY MAJOR H.J.O. PRINSLOO R.A., DAA & QMG

PART I - "A"

1. PIONEER UNIT.

The present W.E. of the "Minuto Mantenimento" is reported to be too small, an increase has been requested.

2. COST OF LIVING - OFFICERS.

The officers are reported to be suffering financially because in the It. Army the "Indennita' di Carovita" is based on the officers station and not the residence of his family. Owing to lack of quarters in AVELLINO the majority of families are living in NAPLES; the bonus is issuable in NAPLES but NOT at AVELLINO.

3. CANTEEN.

A unit canteen has been opened. The furniture consists of trestle tables and benches. Items for sale include salami, mortadella, cheese, bread, cakes, wine, vermouth & stationery. A mobile canteen is being organised.

4. MEDICAL.

(a) SUPPLIES.

The supplies received are said to be inadequate both in quantity and variety.

(b) SICK BAY FACILITIES.

There are 23 beds available. Evacuation is to Civil Hospital, AVELLINO or Military Hospital, NAPLES. (Ambulance has been allocated to the CAR.)

PART II - "Q"

5. CONDITION OF BARRACKS.

(a) The constructional repairs are not yet complete.

(b) Sufficient window glass now available but not yet installed.

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PART II - "Q"

5. CONDITION OF BARRACKS.

- (a) The constructional repairs are not yet complete.
- (b) Sufficient window glass now available but not yet installed.
- (c) The barracks were built for 1000, the present number of soldiers accommodated exceed 4000. Drains were not constructed to cope with this load. The erection of permanent external latrines is strongly recommended.
- (d) It is recommended that incinerators be constructed. 327
- (e) The electric lighting of mess/lecture rooms is inadequate.

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6. COOKING AND MESSING.

- (a) The cookhouse is considered inadequate and should be augmented by three 100-gall "soyer" type boilers or similar facilities.
- (b) Cleaning and sterilising facilities for mess utensils have not yet been installed.

7. MARRIED QUARTERS.

Owing to the overcrowding already existing in WELLING only two officers have as yet obtained accommodation for their families.

8. FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT.

Not available at barracks. It has been suggested that this should be applied for.

9. BEDDING.

All recruits have been issued with mattress, bolster, 2 sheets and 2 blankets. Spring beds of single or double-decker type are available for all.

10. CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT.

- (a) Small and side arms have arrived but no ammunition.
- (b) No knife is on issue to the recruit, it is recommended that the British type of clasp knife could serve for both eating and general purpose.
- (c) The following issues are considered inadequate :
- 1 pair of boots per recruit
- 1 tin of shoe cream per 5 men monthly
- 150 grams of soap per month.

- (a) The following scale of clothing is in issue to each recruit :

Aluminium cup	.	.	.	.	No.	1	Cap gray-gr. cloth mod.	45	1
Aluminium mug	.	.	.	.	"	1	Handkerchiefs	.	2
Rock	.	.	.	.	"	1	Water bottle, 1 quart	"	1
Spoon	.	.	.	.	"	1	Sack for cleaning, compl.	"	1
Towels	.	.	.	.	"	2	Identification discs	"	2
Cotton socks	.	.	.	pairs	"	2	Heavy coat, gray-gr. mod.	45	1
Cloth belts	.	.	.	.	"	1	Haversack	.	1
Short pants, cotton	.	.	.	.	"	2	Shoes	.	1
Cotton shirts, gray-gr	.	.	.	.	"	2	Metal stars	.	3
Woolen pullover	.	.	.	.	"	1	Cloth badges for cap	.	1

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Aluminium mug	" 1	Handkerchiefs	2
Fork	" 1	Water bottle, 1 quart "	1
Spoon	" 1	Sack for cleaning, compl.	1
Towels	" 2	Identification disc "	2
Cotton socks	" pairs 2	Heavy coat, Gray-gr. mod. 45	1
Cloth belts	" 1	Haversack	1
Short pants, cotton	" 2	Shoes pair	1
Cotton shirts, gray-gr	" 2	Metal stars	3
Woolen pullover	" 1	Cloth badges for cap	1
Knitted tie	" 1	Shoe laces	1
Jacket gray-gr. cloth, mod. 45	1	Battle dress, British ol.	1
Trousers " " " " "	1	Trousers " " " "	1

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
C.	Brief notes on progress made on : (a) Heating (b) Lighting	Installation for showers completed. 100% less a few fittings.
D.	Percentage progress to date on provision of necessary : (a) Food Supplies (b) Fuel (c) Medical Stores (d) Sanitary Stores	63 Distribution Depot arrived. 100% stores :- supply and variety report 60% drawn. Said to be available.
E.	Permanent Staff : (a) Married Accomodation (b) Single quarters (c) Officers Mess (d) (e) General	NIL. Negotiations not successful for Complete. Complete) Furniture grant received. Complete) Despite unfinished state of barracks th satisfactorily thus far (75% complete) Expected date of completion now 7 April

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
A.6.	General condition and state of readiness, i.e. percentage complete : (a) Cook Houses (b) Latrines (c) Ablutions (d) Recreation Rooms (e) Institute (f) Messes	Too small should be augmented by 1 to an outdoor field kitchen. New external latrines should be built. Expected to be complete 31 Mar. } Complete with trestles and tables Complete less windows now being installed.
A.7.	Provision of : (a) Parade Grounds (b) 50 Yard Range (c) Other training facilities.	One large. Two medium. Several small. Areas selected for 3 ranges. No other areas. Open ranges, one per bn. Areas not yet commenced.
B.1.	Have the following scales been received, and are the appropriate number of stores in proportion to the maximum number of men been received, or if not percentage to date : (a) Accommodation stores (b) Training stores (c) Arms and ammunition (d) Clothing (e) Boots	100% beds arrived - 70% tables All complete. All arms, no ammunition. 100% received, less minor deficiencies. 100% received.

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Subject	Remarks
General condition and state of readiness, i.e. percentage complete : Cook Houses Latrines Abutions Recreation Rooms Institute Houses	Too small should be augmented by boilers in preference to an outdoor field kitchen. New external latrines should be built. Expected to be complete 31 Mar. } Complete with trestles and tables. Complete less windows now being installed. Inadequately lit.
Inspection of : Parade Grounds 30 Yard Range Other training facilities.	One large. Two medium. Several small. Being levelled. Areas selected for 3 ranges. No construction yet commenced. Open ranges, one per bn. Areas selected but no construction yet commenced.
Are the following scales been received, and are the appropriate number of stores in proportion to maximum number of men been received, or if not percentage complete : Accommodation stores Training stores Arms and ammunition Clothing Boots	100% beds arrived - 70% tables and benches. All complete. All arms, no ammunition. 100% received, less minor deficiencies. 100% received.

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Appx
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ACCOMMODATION REPORT - 10 C.II - AVELLINO

Serial	Subject	Remarks
A.1.	Name and location of Barracks (with MR)	CASERMA GEN. BERARDI - AVELLINO
A.2.	Maximum number that can be accommodated	4200
A.3.	Sleeping accommodation - number of : Single bunks Double bunks	) 100% complete) 1050 double bunks) remainder single
A.4.	Condition of buildings Percentage weatherproof	One Barracks Block completely finished. Deficiencies chiefly latrines. These available and in position before 7 Apr. 100% less one small Barracks Block un
A.5.	Has satisfactory accommodation been found for : (a) Stores (b) Armoury	Yes but not quite finished. Yes Pl a Coy stores. Armourers sh satisfactory when finished.

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ACCOMMODATION REPORT - 10 CAM - AVELLINO

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Report No. 8 dated 5 Apr 46

	Remarks
Location Barracks (with HR)	CASERMA GEN. BERARDI - AVELLINO (HR N6757)
Number that can be accommodated	4200
Accommodation - of : bunks bunks	) 100% complete) 1090 double bunks) remainder single
Condition of buildings	One Barracks Block completely finished remainder 80% finished. Deficiencies chiefly latrines. These now said to be available and in position before 7 April.
Are they weatherproof	100% less one small Barracks Block and some latrines.
Is satisfactory accommodation found for : stores ammunition	Yes but not quite finished. Yes Pl a Coy stores. Armourers shop will be satisfactory when finished.

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INSPECTORATES

1. Italian officers seldom carry out a thorough inspection. When a general visits a unit all that usually happens is a cosy chat in the Orderly Room followed by a glass of vermouth. A detailed inspection is thought to be a breach of good manners. In consequence there is not much progress, and bad units remain bad.
2. A suggested remedy is to institute a series of SMU inspectorates, or to reorganise existing ones, on the lines of the British Petroleum Inspectorate and the U.I.I. These should be composed of small teams of specially trained officers, assisted by HQ's as necessary, and should tour units, and make reports to the appropriate branches of SMU. They should deal with as many branches as possible of Unit Administration and Training. It is thought that they would expose weaknesses and lead to a general improvement in efficiency.
3. A number of points will require attention, including :-
 - (a) The drafting of a charter for each inspectorate, covering rights of access to units, relationship with Territorial and Unit Commanders etc.
 - (b) The difficulty of persuading senior Italian officers to recognise the authority of an "expert" who is junior to them in rank.
 - (c) The very proper dislike in Italy of Gestapo methods.
 - (d) The difficulty of finding suitable personnel, and providing them with vehicles.
 - (e) The preparation of questionnaires for the inspecting officers.
4. It is suggested that to begin with the following inspectorates should be formed. Others could be formed later if the scheme proves successful:-

<u>"G"</u>	
(a) PT.	
(b) Weapon Training.	
<u>"A"</u>	
(c) Unit Hygiene.	
<u>"Q"</u>	
(a) Unit Vehicle Maintenance .	
(e) Weapon Maintenance .	

2. A suggested remedy is to institute a series of SARE inspectorates, or to reorganise existing ones, on the lines of the British Petroleum Inspectorate and the U.A.I. These should be composed of small teams of specially trained officers, assisted by NCO's as necessary, and should tour units, and make reports to the appropriate branches of SARE. They should deal with as many branches as possible of Unit Administration and Training. It is thought that they would expose weaknesses and lead to a general improvement in efficiency.

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(a) PT.

(b) Weapon Training.

"A"

(c) Unit Hygiene.

"Q"

(d) Unit Vehicle Maintenance .

(e) Weapon Maintenance .

MONTHLY REPORT - 5 BRIGADE CORP.

1. (a) NAPLES LEGION.

	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
	3995	Present
		3651

Difference - 344

Sick	67
Leave (various)	158
Detached	99
	<u>304</u>
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Percentage on leave - 4.6%
The Special Guard Coy. (155 men) is not included in above.

(b) NAPLES MOBILIZATION BATTALION.

	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
	540	Present
		273

Difference 267

Sick	13
Leave (various)	36
Detached	24
Reinforcement	52
(Toronto)	
Special Crime	
Squad - MOLA	
AVFESA	112
	<u>267</u>
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Percentage on leave - 12.8%

* These men are being gradually replaced by GCR Legion, but owing to the special character of the work, the change cannot be immediate as the results would suffer if the squad was suddenly replaced by inexperienced men.

o This is being queried.

2. (a) BARI LEGION.

	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
	2557	Present
		2310

Difference 247

Leave (various)	187	(including short leave)
Detached	-	
Sick	60	
	<u>247</u>	
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(included above are 52 GCR reinforcement from 10th BN NAPLES)

Percentage on leave - 4.6%
The Special Guard Coy. (155 men) is not included in above.

(b) NAMES NOTION RATTALION.

	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
Difference	267	Present 273
Sick	13	
Leave (various)	56	
Detached	24	
Reinforcement	52	
(Tarento)		
Special Crime		
Squad - MOLA		
ATROSA	142	
	<u>267</u>	

Percentage on leave - 12.3%

* These men are being gradually replaced by CCRB Legion, but owing to the special character of the work, the change cannot be immediate as the results would suffer if the squad was suddenly replaced by inexperienced men.

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2. (a) DARI LEGION.

	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Strength</u>
Difference	247	Present 2710
Leave (various)	187	(included above are 52 CCRB reinforcement from 155. In NAMES)
Detached	-	
Sick	60	
	<u>247</u>	

Percentage on leave - 8.5

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(b) BARI MOBILE BATTALION.

<u>Strength</u>	Present
	167
<u>Effective</u>	695

Difference	528
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Leave (sick)	4	(30 Days leave)
Sick	13	
Detached	511	(Sicily-Catanzaro)
	<u>528</u>	
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Percentage on leave -	2.4%
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3. CATANZARO LEGION.

<u>Strength</u>	Present
	1869
<u>Effective</u>	2396

Difference	527
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Plus mobile Bn units	128
from NAPLES and BARI	<u>655</u>

Leave (various)	59
"Militati"	80
Detached	52
NAPLES Mts.	250
Sp. Coy NAPLES	132
Sick	62
	<u>655</u>
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Percentage on leave -	3.1%
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4. NOONO IC SITUATION.

The economic situation shows no improvement and in the Naples Area unemployment and high prices have produced a crime wave which is of serious proportions. Many of the returned PWs are being forced into criminal activities through necessity, although several private societies do their best to assist them. A feature of the robberies with violence or under arms is that the ordinary carters are being held up and robbed. Centers have hitherto been regarded as immune and it is felt that only dire necessity has driven the robbers to go to this length. A serious incident occurred at 145 hrs. on 28 Mar 46 when two corporals of an RN police patrol were shot and killed without warning at TORRE DEL GRECO level crossing, the motive being robbery. The recent reduction in the wheat ration and the increase in the price of bread have caused general dissatisfaction. Throughout this brigade area the black market flourishes, even in country districts. The prices vary astonishingly in different districts. For example, oil costs 350 Lire in NAPLES, while the price in CATANZARO area is 190 Lire.

5. SERIOUS OUTLOOK IN COA.

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Effective 2396 Present 1869

Difference 527
Plus mobile Ex units 128
from NAPLES and RAPI 655

Leave (various) 59
"Mobilization" 80
Detached 52
NAPLES lfts. 250
Sp. Coy NAPLES 152
Sick 62

655

Percentage on leave - 3.1%

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5. SERIOUS OFFENCES BY C.C.R.

2 C.C.R. are under arrest in connection with the theft of 35 tyres at TORRE ANGIULIANA (AIRS Depot). They are all recalled personnel.

6. P.I.

While the C.C.R. have continually to worry over the cost of living and the inadequacy of their pay, they are unable to concentrate on their duties satisfactorily.

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TRANQUER

Lt-Col. PIRELLI transferred to Vice-Commandant NAPLES Legion in place of Lt-Col. OLIVA, transferred to Brigade HQ.

8. PUBLIC SAFETY.

(a) NAPLES LEGION. A slight improvement is noted in the situation in February but it is very far from normal. The roads are unsafe at night and robbery is frequent in the country.

MURDERS. 15. (17 persons arrested for 9 of these cases).

ROBBERY. 63. (58 persons arrested for 29 of these cases).

EXTORTION. 10. (5 persons arrested for 3 of these cases).

AGGRAVATED THEFTS. 216. (314 persons arrested for 404 of these cases).

(b) BARI. The public safety situation shows little change. The provinces of FOGGIA, BARI and BARI as usual show the greater number of offences. In the first fortnight of March the following offences were committed :-

MURDERS. 5

ROBBERY. 22

AGGRAVATED THEFTS. 350

COSE. report a satisfactory number of arrests.

(c) GATINARA. The situation here is reported as not abnormal in view of the times. From the 1 to 23 the following serious offences were committed :-

MURDER (and attempted murder). 12 (14 cases solved).

ROBBERY. 17 (40 cases solved).

EXTORTION. 5 (4 cases solved).

AGGRAVATED THEFTS. 343 (195 cases solved).

9. ARMED FORCES ETC.

No news have been received of the promised arms, transport etc., and the Brigade has now been officially informed of the new equipment which is to be received.

10. DEFICIENCIES.

(a) NAPLES LEGION AND MOBILE BN.

1. LOGS 30 205
2. Baratta 58 1302
3. Baratta 34 2873

(b) BARI LEGION AND MOBILE BN.

1. Baratta 34 509
2. Baratta 38 668

EXTORTION. 10. (5 persons arrested for 3 of these cases).

ACCOMPANIED THIEFS. 946. (344 persons arrested for 404 of these cases).

(b) IMPT. The public safety situation shows little change. The provinces of BOGOTA, LAGUNA and IMPT as usual show the greater number of offences. In the first fortnight of March the following offences were committed :-

MURDERS. 5

POISONS. 22

ACCOMPANIED THIEFS. 350

COAL. receive a satisfactory number of arrests.

(c) CAUTION. The situation here is reported as not abnormal in view of the times. From the 1 to 23 Mar the following serious offences were committed :-

MURDER (and attempted murder). 19 (14 cases solved).

POISONS. 17 (10 cases solved).

EXTORTION. 5 (4 cases solved).

ACCOMPANIED THIEFS. 515 (195 cases solved).

9. AR S. DENTHON ETC.

No news have been received of the promised arms, transport etc., and the Brigade has now been officially informed of the new equipment which is to be received.

10. RELIQUARIES.

(a) MURDER LEGION AND MOBILE ARM.

1. <u>Legion</u> <u>B</u> . 30	205
2. <u>Legion</u> <u>B</u> . 33	1302
3. <u>Legion</u> <u>B</u> . 34	2673

(c) CATALAN LEGION.

1. <u>Legion</u> <u>B</u>	1170
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Only two companies are in possession of Legion B. 38s, a total of 35.

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10 BLU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 7

As at 15 Mar 46

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16 Mar 46

Land Forces Sub-Comm, AG(MILA) (4)

Copies to :- 2 BLU.
11 BLU.PART I - GENERAL1. DOMESTIC. (BLU)

- (a) Lt-Col. A.W. GIBSON, CBE visited HOME and SICILY between 6 and 13 Mar 46. Report attached at Appx 'D'.
- (b) Capt. E.A. MURRAY, RASC visited BARI between 3 and 8 Mar 46. S.A.T Report attached at Appx 'E'.

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle due for Progress Report No. 6 attached at Appx 'H'.
- (b) Staff List Italian due for Progress Report No. 6 attached at Appx 'O'.
- (c) GSO I notes on MCO's in the Italian Army attached at Appx 'B'.

PART II - 'O'.3. TRAINING.(a) Army Land CC.MA.(i) CAR.

Instructors reported at AVELLINO during the first week of MARCH. Refresher training has been carried out by the instructors under orders of Comd CAR. This appeared to be satisfactory.

- (ii) Two rehearsals for the reception of recruits were held. The first, on 9 Mar, although well thought out was somewhat shaky. The suggestions put forward on 9 Mar were incorporated in the rehearsal on 13 Mar. No major disaster is anticipated, in fact as recruits will report

1. DOMESTIC. (HM)

- (a) Lt-Col. A.W. GIBSON, OMC visited ROE and SICILY between 6 and 15 Mar 46. Report attached at Appx 'D'.
- (b) Capt. W.A. HUMPHY, RASC visited DARI between 5 and 8 Mar 46. S.A.T Report attached at Appx 'E'.

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle due for Progress Report No. 6 attached at Appx 'A'.
- (b) Staff List Italian due for Progress Report No. 6 attached at Appx 'B'.
- (c) GSO I notes on HQ's in the Italian Army attached at Appx 'B'.

PART II - 'C'3. TRAINING.

- (a) ARMY LESS CC.RR.

(i) CAR.

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(iii)

A few examples of training stores, such as dummy and cut grenades (assembled), rifle rests, targets and aiming discs have been obtained from Base Reinforcements Depot BENEVENTO.

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(b)

CC. FER.

Nothing to report.

PART III - 'A'

Nothing to report.

PART IV - 'C'

4. DOMESTIC.

Accommodation.

The new billets at TORRE DEL GRECO are still in the hands of the R.A.s. It is hoped that work will be completed within ten days and telephones installed.

5. ITALIAN.

Arms and Amn.

Arms for all G.I.s are in progress of being drawn from 3 Sub Depot and the Brock Down is being carried out under supervision this AMU and W.O. STOCKLEY RAC 12 HLU.

The Arms for MILLING CAR have been issued and transported by road.

MBD/bb

Lt-Col.
GS.

APPENDICES

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MOD/bb

Lt-Col.
GS.



APPENDICES

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Appx 'A' to 10 BLU progress
Report No. 7 dated 16 Jan 46

LOCATION/STATION

APPENDIX NO. 5 TO APPX 'A' TO 10 BLU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 2 DATED 7 JAN 46

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2a Italian Increment to 10 BLU

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2b 10 CAR

AVELLINO

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32 20 Red Cross Hospital
33 126 Terr Hill Hospital
35 202 Terr Hill Hospital

POTUGOLI
AVERSA
PACCHINI

MISCELLANEOUS.

103a Labour Coy

NAPLES

(c) BR-ITI

141 136 It Rd Bakery

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NCO'S IN THE ITALIAN ARMY

1. Italian officers often remark on the high quality of British Warrant Officers and NCO's compared with their own. The poor quality of Italian NCO's is thought to be due to the following causes :-

- (a) The disorganising effect of the war. (It is believed that NCO's can best be trained in time of peace, and that battle experience has less value for NCO's than for officers).
- (b) The inability of Italian officers to decentralise, and so to force NCO's to accept responsibility.
- (c) The inability of Italian officers to make and train NCO's.
- (d) The lack of a concerted policy throughout the Italian army for making and training NCO's.
- (f) The lack of a traditional sense of duty among Italian NCO's.
- (g) Lack of "drive" in the Italian national character.
- (h) Poor standard of education.

2. It is thought that the present time is favourable for raising the standard of NCO's for the following reasons :-

- (a) The Central Schools and CBR's provide good opportunities for training and exercising NCO's.
- (b) The BU's are available to give advice. It is thought that British officers, who make good NCO's out of soldiers of many different races, are well qualified to give advice on this subject.

3. It is not thought that this vital defect will remedy itself by an unaided process of evolution. It requires a searching examination by the Ministry of War, and a vigorous long term policy.

4. The following measures are recommended:-

- (a) A full examination by the Ministry of War of the pay, living conditions, status and duties of NCO's. This might include a comparison between pre war conditions for NCO's in the British, Italian and German armies.
- (b) Improvement in conditions as necessary.
- (c) The introduction of a system of training for all NCO's and British NCO's. This might be organised in any of the

to force NCO's to accept responsibility.

- (c) The inability of Italian officers to make and train NCO's.
- (d) The lack of a concerted policy throughout the Italian army for making and training NCO's.
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- (i) Regimental or unit cadre classes.
- (ii) Divisional schools.

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- (iii) Territorial District Schools. It is suggested that these could be run at the C&R's, in the intervals between recruit courses.

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(d) The issue of a paper by the Ministry of War, stating any new measures they decide to adopt and emphasizing the importance of Warrant Officers and NCO's as the "backbone of the new Italian Army".

5. At Annexure 1 are some notes on the pre war system of selection of NCO's in the Italian Army.

Annexure 1
 Appx 'B' to 10 MM
 Progress Report No. 7
 Dated 16 Mar 46.

SELECTION OF NCO'S

(Italian Army before 1939)

1. GRADES :-

Warrant Officer (3 grades)	Regulars only
Sergeant Major	Regular or non Regular
Sergeant	Non Regular
Corporal Major	Non Regular
Corporal	

2. SERGEANTS :-

(a) Appointment from NCO producing schools. These schools admitted civilians, aged 17 - 26 years, who had reached a very moderate educational standard. Fully educated men were obliged to go to officer cadet schools, regardless of their temperamental fitness to be officers. The course normally lasted ten months.

(b) Promotion from the ranks, on passing a military examination.

3. REGULAR NCO'S.

Non Regular NCO's, after two years as sergeants plus two years as Sergeant Majors, might transfer to the Regular Army. As there were no regular rank and file, this was the only way of becoming a Regular NCO.

APPX 'C' to 10 THU Progress
Report No. 7 dated 6 Feb 46

STAFF LIST (ITALIAN)

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO APPX 'C' TO 10 THU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 2 DATED 7 JAN 46

Page 1. Under Increment. - Add

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Lt-Col Orsano Attilio

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Lt-Col Zecchi Luigi

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Lt-Col Gentile Mario

Under Op Trg & Job Office - Add

Lt-Col Santarini Romolo

Page 3. Under 10 Directorate of Pay & Accounts - Add

Lt-Col Accardi Giuseppe

Page 4. Under 80 Mil District ROMA - Add

Lt-Col Natale Giuseppe

Under 26 Mil District CASERTA - Add

Lt-Col Add Nastroia Mario
Lt-Col Sciala Angelo

Under 39 Mil District SALERNO - Delete

Lt-Col Sciala Angelo

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Lt-Col Add Tancredi Umberto
Lt-Col Bossi Matteo

Page 5. Under 25 Mil District VERBAZIO - Add

Lt-Col Julius Mario

Under Depots - Add
10 Engr Regt
Depot

Sciala Alfredo
Mancilla Giovanni

Lt-Col Ornano Attilio

Under Engr HQ - Delete

Lt-Col

Rossa Luigi

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Lt-Col

Contile Mario

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Lt-Col

Sumaria Romolo

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Lt-Col

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Natale Giuseppe

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Nastola Mario

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Scioli Angelo

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Tancrulli Urbano

Lt-Col

Tassi Ettore

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Lt-Col

Julin Mario

Under Depots - Add

10 Engr Regt

Depot

Lt-Col

Stella Alfredo

Lt-Col

Scioli Giovanni

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Lt-Col Vitale Ezio

Under 24 Terr. Dept - Add

Lt-Col Mergonese Eufrenio
Lt-Col Cellitti Giuseppe

After 25 Terr. Dept - Add

23 Special Depot Lt-Col Ruano Giovanni
Lt-Col D'Avino Raffaele
Lt-Col De Martino Salvatore
Lt-Col De Martino Eugenio

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10 CAR Col Angliani Galante Luigi

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Lt-Col Caberloglio Giulio

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Col Magliari Galante Luigi

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Lt-Col De Sivo Giulio

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Lt-Col Ornano Attilio

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Lt-Col Maniella Alberto

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Lt-Col Canevari Luigi

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Lt-Col Monella Alberto

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Lt-Col Carcer Luigi

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Annex 001 to 10 BDU Progress
Report No. 7 dated 16 Nov 46

VISIT OF GSO 1 TO SICILY - 2/12 Nov 46

1. TRAINING.

We saw a demonstration of close order and battle drill by a platoon of AOSTA Div. The platoon commander had been trained at CERSAGO, and the platoon, although armed with Italian weapons, had reached a high standard of training in British battle drill movements. In attempt to advance by fire and movement required in the familiar adequacy of short advances by sections, followed by long pauses lying on the ground. We tried without any success to convince the Regt Comd that this time reversed method is a tactical fallacy.

2. MORALE.

There is some evidence that the morale of the GARIBOLDI Regt. is considerably higher than that of the "Indigenas" divisions.

3. INTERNAL SECURITY.

The island appears to have quieted down, excepting only the presence of the GARIBOLDI Regt. There have been demonstrations and strikes in PALERMO. As we drove up to the CAR we saw the warren there "walking out" on strike.

4. CAR.

Progress is disappointingly slow, and the Territorial Command have arranged to accommodate a proportion of the recruits in another barracks. This is unsatisfactory, and will bring the recruits into close contact with old soldiers of doubtful morale.

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Appx III to 10 JULY Progress
Report No. 7 dated 16 Mar 46

VISIT OF CAPT. F.A. MURRAY TO BARI - 3/8 Mar 46

Capt. F.A. MURRAY visited BARI on 3 Mar.

1. 9 Terr Arm Coy was inspected on 4 Mar, several improvements had been carried out since previous visit.

2. A Condemnation Board was held on Mar 6 at 9 Bulk Depot where commodities had been collected for condemnation from the various depots in the area.

3. 63 Distribution Depot, BARI has now closed and reopened at AVULINO. Issues to units previously supplied from SALUNO that are near NAPLES will now be supplied direct from NAPLES and those near AVULINO by AVULINO.

4. 67 Distribution Depot at COMMUNA and 69 Distribution Depot at REGGIO CALABRIA will be closed after issues on 15 Mar, this will now leave CATANZARO to supply all units in the South.

2. A Confiscation Board was held on Mar 6 at 9 Bulk Depot where commodities had been collected for confiscation from the various depots in the area.
3. 63 Distribution Depot, SALINAS has now closed and reopened at AVELLINO. Issues to units previously supplied from SALINAS that are near NAPLES will now be supplied direct from NAPLES and those near AVELLINO by AVELLINO.
4. 67 Distribution Depot at REGGIO CALABRIA and 68 Distribution Depot at REGGIO CALABRIA will be closed after issues on 15 Mar, this will now leave CATANZARO to supply all units in the South.

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Annex 'A' to 10th Progress Report
No. 7 dated 1945

WCO'S IN THE ITALIAN ARMY

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- (b) The inability of Italian officers to decentralise, and so to force WCO's to accept responsibility.
- (c) The inability of Italian officers to make and train WCO's.
- (d) The lack of a concerted policy throughout the Italian army for making and training WCO's.
- (e) The lack of a traditional sense of duty among Italian WCO's.
- (f) Lack of "drive" in the Italian national character.
- (g) Poor standard of education.

2. It is thought that the present time is favourable for raising the standard of WCO's for the following reasons:-

- (a) The General Schools and GAI's provide good opportunities for training and educating WCO's.
- (b) The GAI's are available to give advice. It is thought that British officers, who make good WCO's out of soldiers of many different races, are well qualified to give advice on this subject.

3. It is not thought that this vital defect will remedy itself by an unaided process of evolution. It requires a searching examination by the Ministry of War, and a vigorous long term policy.

4. The following measures are recommended:-

- (a) A full examination by the Ministry of War of the pay, living conditions, status and duties of WCO's. This might include a comparison between pre war conditions for WCO's in the British, Italian and German armies.
- (b) Improvement in conditions as necessary.

- (b) The inability of Italian officers to decentralise, and so to force NCO's to accept responsibility.
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- (e) The lack of a traditional sense of duty among Italian NCO's.
- (f) Lack of "drive" in the Italian national character.
- (g) Poor standard of education.

2. It is thought that the present time is favourable for raising the standard of NCO's for the following reasons :-

- (a) The Central Schools and CMB's provide good opportunities for training and exercising NCO's.
- (b) The NCO's are available to give service. It is thought that British officers, who make good NCO's out of soldiers of many different races, are well qualified to give advice on this subject.

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(ii) Divisional schools.

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(d) The issue of a paper by the Ministry of War, stating that new measures they decide to adopt and emphasizing the importance of warrant officers and NCO's as the backbone of the new Italian Army.

5. At Annexure 1 are some notes on the pro-war system of selection of NCO's in the Italian Army.

Annexure 1
 Page 12 to 16
 Program Report No. 7
 Dated Mar 46.

SELECTION OF NCO'S
 (Italian Army before 1939)

1. GRADES :-

Warrant Officer (3 grades) Sergeant Major Sergeant Corporal Major Corporal	NCO's Not considered as NCO's	Regulars Only Regular or Non Regular Non Regular Non Regular
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2. SERGEANTS :-
 - (a) Appointment from NCO producing schools. These schools admitted civilians, aged 17 - 26 years, who had reached a very moderate educational standard. Fully educated men were admitted to go to officer cadet schools, regardless of their temperamental fitness to be officers. The course normally lasted ten months.
 - (b) Promotion from the ranks, on passing a military examination.

3. REGULAR NCO'S.
 Non Regular NCO's, after two years as sergeant plus two years as Sergeant Major, might transfer to the Regular Army. As there were no regular rank and file, this was the only way of becoming a Regular NCO.

Annexure 1
 Annex 1A to IO DLU
 Progress Report No. 7
 dated Mar 46.

SELECTION OF NCO'S

(Italian Army before 1939)

1. CRITERIA :-

Warrant Officer (3 grades)	Requires only
Sergeant Major	Regular or Non Regular
Serjeant	Non Regular
Corporal Major	Non Regular
Corporal	Non Regular
	Not considered as NCO's

2. SELECTIONS :-

- (a) Appointment from NCO producing schools. These schools admitted civilians, aged 17 - 26 years, who had reached a very moderate educational standard. Fully educated men were obliged to go to Officer cadet schools, regardless of their temperamental fitness to be officers. The course normally lasted ten months.
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10 DMU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 6.

As at 1 Mar 46

G.C.

5 Mar 46

Land Forces Sub-Comm, AC(MMIA) (4)

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11 DMU.

PART I - GENERAL

1. DOMESTIC. (DMU)

- (a) No DMU/MG has yet been posted to the unit.
- (b) Lt-Col. A.W. Gibson, CBE, visited DMU and units in Southern Italy between 24 and 26 Feb 46. Report attached at Appx 'F'.
- (c) Capt. R.F.S. Love, DMU, went on 28 days sick leave 23 Feb 46.
- (d) Staff List 10 DMU attached at Appx 'B'.

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle (Appx 'A') not received from Territorial HQ.
- (b) Staff List Italian (Appx 'C') not received from Territorial HQ.

3. ORGANISATION.

- (a) Domestic.
- (b) Italian.

Nothing to report.

Nothing to report.

4. EMPLOYMENT OF TROOPS.

- (a) Army loss CC.FE.

See Appx 'F' attached.

1. DOMESTIC. (BLU)

- (a) No DAMEG has yet been posted to the unit.
- (b) Lt-Col. A.W. Gibson, C.M.E. visited BARI and units in Southern Italy between 24 and 26 Feb 46. Report attached at Annex 'P'.
- (c) Capt. R.F.S. Lowe, REME, went on 26 days sick leave 23 Feb 46.
- (d) Staff List 10 REM attached at Annex 'M'.

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle (Annex 'A') not received from Territorial HQ.
- (b) Staff List Italian (Annex 'C') not received from Territorial HQ.

PART II - 'G'3. ORGANISATION.

- (a) Domestic.

Nothing to report.

- (b) Italian.

Nothing to report.

4. EMPLOYMENT OF TROOPS.

- (a) ARMY LOSS CO. RR.

See Annex 'P' attached.

- (b) CC. RR.

See Annex 'I' attached.

5. TRAINING.

- (a) ARMY LOSS CO. RR.

(i) Two Establishments.

C.M.E. Report attached at Annex 'E'. Instructions for reception of recruits as laid down by Comd. 10 C.M.E. attached at Annex 'M'.

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- (ii) Other Troops.
See Appx 'IV' attached.
- (v) CC. RR.
See Appx 'I' attached.

6. INTELLIGENCE.

Nothing to report.

PART III - 'II'

7. DOMESTIC.

- (a) Deficiencies in all ranks against WE.
Officers - D.M. & QIG.
Capt. RAO.
OR's - Pto RAO (CLERK-GR)
L/Cpl RAO (Clerk)
- (b) Leave.
(i) Details of all ranks on leave and when due to return within WE.
NIL.
- (ii) Details of all ranks due for leave in immediate future.
S/Capt. F.L. Kumar (70181) RAO (pending)

8. IT. III.

Deficiencies in Total Strength set in Transition and Specialists against WE.

Not received from Territorial HQ.

PART IV - 'I'

9. DOMESTIC.

- (i) Transport.

7. DOMESTIC.(a) Deficiencies in all ranks against HQ.

Officers - D.M. & JMG.
Capt. RAO.

OR's - Pto RAO (Chief GH)
L/O. RAO (Chief)

(b) Leave.

(i) Details of all ranks on leave and when due to return
within HQ.

Nil.

(ii) Details of all ranks due for leave in immediate future.

T/Capt. E.A. Murray (70181) RAO (pending)

8. TRAIL.

Deficiencies in Total Strength and in Transport and Specialists
against HQ.

Not received from Territorial HQ.

PART IV - '019. DOMESTIC.(a) Transport.

List of transport held by 10 BHM attached at Annex 'D'.

(b) Accommodation.

Now billets have been selected at Pto HQ HQHQ just south of HQHQ by HQHQ. The move is hoped to be completed within two weeks. A full report will be rendered in 908 month report for March.

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10. ITALIAN.

(a) Transport.(1) Army less OC.RR.

Nothing to report.

(11) CO.RR.

CC.RR. is compiling a report on transport which will be forwarded to MILM in due course.

(b) RRCC.

Nothing to report.

(c) RRCC. - Clothing & Equipment.(1) Army less OC.RR.

Materials for cleaning arms. Shortages of Rifle Oil and Flannellette.

Inspections. No. 6 RR-TTI Clothing Depot 20 Feb 46.
No. 10 Italian Salvage Depot 22 Feb 46.

Dependable stores. Naphtalene, machine oil and tins packing collected from 557 DOD for No. 6 RR-TTI Clothing Depot on 22 Feb. Shortage of Naphtalene at 10 Salvage Depot.

Clothing. 50,000 suits of khaki battle dress grade III collected from 557 DOD under release DOS/1411 (ORD 1) dated 7 Feb 46.

4000 pairs of boots grade III collected from 557 DOD under release DOS/1411 (ORD 1) dated 20 Feb 46.

Shortage of denim and overalls at No. 6 RR-TTI Clothing Depot.

200 tons of Italian clothing and equipment from War Materials Depot, MILM being issued to 504 It. Clothing Depot by rail. Details of trucks arriving daily. Received from ASD 557 DOD recently, 425 pairs of old boots, amongst which were 1009 pairs of slippers, various shoes, socks and civilian shoes which were considered useless to Italian Army. An inventory took place on 23 Feb for 1000 pairs of boots.

Clothing issued by rail during week :-

743 IT. 1st Regt. (MILM) under authy 3/OS/445 of Nov 45.
746 IT. 1st Regt. (MILM) under authy 3/OS/455 of Jan 46.

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(b) SECRET

Nothing to report.

(c) RECC. - Clothing & Equipment.

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Army less CC.M.

Materials for cleaning arms. Shortages of Rifle Oil and Flannellette.

Inspections. No. 8 BR-III Clothing Depot 20 Feb 46.
No. 10 Italian Salvage Depot 22 Feb 46.

Expendable stores. Naphtalene, machine oil and twine packing collected from 557 BOD for No. 8 BR-III Clothing Depot on 22 Feb. Shortage of Naphtalene at 10 Salvage Depot.

Clothing. 50,000 suits of khaki battle dress grade III collected from 557 BOD under release DOS/1441 (GHD 1) dated 7 Feb 46.

4000 pairs of boots grade III collected from 557 BOD under release DOS/1441 (GHD 1) dated 20 Feb 46. Shortage of denim and overalls at No. 8 BR-III Clothing Depot.

250 tons of Italian clothing and equipment from War Materials Depot, LIMEZ being issued to 591 It. Clothing Depot by rail. Details of trucks arriving daily. Received from 557 BOD recently, 1425 pairs of old boots, amongst which were 1009 pairs of slippers, women's shoes, sandals and civilian shoes which were considered useless to Italian Army. An exchange took place on 28 Feb for 1009 pairs of boots.

Clothing issued by rail during Feb :-
743 IT 1st Regt. (GHD) under authy 7/OS/445 of Nov 45.
743 IT 1st Regt. (GHD) under authy 7/OS/455 of Jan 46.

CC.M.

10,000 shirts wool, 10,000 armors wool and 10,000 suits of battle dress released to CC.M. under 7/OS/451 of 3 Jan. Collection nearly complete.

CC.M. 10 asked that army battle dress be exchanged for khaki. DOS, MIL. asked to obtain authority from Italian War Ministry to effect exchange with 591 It. Clothing Depot. There still exists a serious shortage of battle dress and clothing. It is least another 10,000 suits are required to meet present requirements.

(11)
Organized Companies of men
in Italy 9,000
the present situation
unemployed 9,184
J.R. "R" work

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(d) Army G-1.

(1) Army less CG-MR.

Army and are not yet issued to G-1. R.

(11) CG-MR.

Nothing to report.



Lt-Col.
GS.

CM
MDD/60

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STAFF LIST - 10 BLN

GENERAL STAFF

GSO I
GSO II

Lt-Col.
Major

ASST
DNR

BRANCH OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL & QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

DAA & QMG

SERVICES

ST
PRIME

Capt.
Capt.

RASC
RECE

ATTACHED

CC. DR. LO

Major

C.D. HINES

Gen List

Annex 'D' to 10 MIN Progress
Report No. 6, dated 5 Mar 46

BT FIELD BY 10 MIN

Ser.	Type of Vehicle	Reg No.	Ident	Local Repair	Remarks
1.	Standard 5 cwt 4 x 4	N 5204227	B		
2.	Jeep Willys	N 5632552	B		
3.	Jeep Willys	N 5662375	B		
4.	Tord 13 cwt 4 x 2	Z 5425777	B		
5.	STROBILUM TOWERS 3 ton (German)	54 GSP 354	B		
6.	Chevrolet 6 cwt 2/Utility	N 5906860	B		
7.	DAW 500cc solo	C 4431905	B		
8.	DAW 500cc solo	C 5448015	B		
9.	Water Trailer 2 Wtd 180 Gall	X 5161650	-		

Certified above vehicles are held on charge, that their condition is as stated and that 442 and 406 have been inspected and found correct.

5 Mar 46

[Signature]
Signed

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Appt 'E' to 10 BLU Progress Report No

Serial	Subject	Remarks
A.1.	Name and location of Barracks (with a.R.)	CASERIA GEN. BERARDI - AVELLINO
A.2.	Maximum number that can be accommodated	4200
A.3.	Sleeping accommodation - number of: Single bunks Double bunks	 } 30% Iron Single have arrived } } remainder will be mixed.
A.4.	Condition of buildings Percentage weatherproof	 one Barrack Block completely finished Deficiencies chiefly glass and iron available and in position before 100% less one small Barrack Block
A.5.	Has satisfactory accommodation been found for : (a) Stores (b) Armoury	 Yes but not quite finished. Yes The Coy stores. Armoury satisfactory when finished

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	Remarks
Location (with U.S.)	CASERIA GEN. BERNARDI - AVELLINO (AR 16757)
Number that accommodated	4200
Accommodation - Bunks Bunks	) 30% Iron Single have arrived ;) remainder will be mixed.
of buildings	one Barrack Block completely finished remainder 80% finished. Deficiencies chiefly glass and latrines. These said to be available and in position before 15 March.
weatherproof	100% less one small Barrack Block and some latrines.
factory accommodation for :	Yes but not quite finished. Yes Pl a Coy stores. Armourers shop will be satisfactory when finished.

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
A.6.	General condition and state of readiness, i.e. percentage complete : (a) Cook Houses. (b) Latrines (c) Ablutions (d) Recreation Rooms (e) Institute (f) Messer	Too small and not yet complete. A Field Kitchen is to be built lat 60% complete. 70% showers complete. 60% wash } Buildings 100% complete. No f Officers 30% - NCOs 100% - her
A.7.	Provision of: (a) Parade Grounds (b) 50 Yards Range (c) Other training facilities	One large. Two medium. Several Areas selected for 3 ranges. No Open ranges, one per Bn. Areas yet commenced.
D.1	Have the following scales been received, and are the appropriate number of stores in proportion to the maximum number of men been received, or if not percentage to date : (a) Accommodation stores (b) Training stores (c) Arms and ammunition (d) Clothing (e) Boots	30% beds arrived - 30% Tables NIL NIL 10% received 10% received

10% received

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
C.	Brief notes on progress made on : (a) Heating (b) Lighting	Installation for showers completed. 100% less a few fittings.
D.	Percentage progress to date on provision of necessary : (a) Food Supplies (b) Fuel (c) Medical Stores (d) Sanitary Stores	63 Distribution Depot arrives Avellino Salerno. Will supply : Food and Fuel 100% stores :- medicines promised waiting to draw. Said to be available
E.	Permanent Staff : (a) Married Accommodation (b) Single quarters (c) Officers mess (d) Sergeants mess (e) General	MIL. Negotiations on progress for to arrange for 16 families but over 5 Complete. Until construction complete arrangements Restaurant. Complete, but no furniture. It seems doubtful if the CAR will be but sufficient facilities will be available intake.

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	Remarks
on progress	Installation for showers completed. No room heating. 100% less a few fittings.
progress to date of necessary : Supplies	63 Distribution Depot arrives Avellino 7 March from Salerno. Will supply : Food and Fuel 100% stores :- medicines promised within 4 days. Waiting to draw. Said to be available.
Staff : Accommodation quarters mess mess mess	III. Negotiations on progress for villas and flats. Hope to arrange for 16 families but over 50% permanent staff married. Complete. Until construction complete arrangements made with local Restaurant. Complete, but no furniture. It seems doubtful if the CAR will be ready for the 15 March but sufficient facilities will be available to receive the intake.

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APPX 'I' to 10 BLU Progress
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NOTES ON TOUR BY GSO I - 21/26 FEB 46

PART I - 9 TERRITORIAL DISTRICT

1. C.A.R. - PAUL.

(a) MILANO BARRACKS.

These barracks are still occupied by the Italian Air Force. As it will take four weeks to renovate the barracks after evacuation, the move of the Air Force personnel is a matter of urgency.

ACTION
9 BLU signal
of 22 Feb
personnel
Gibson to
Kellon refuse

(b) PASQUARE BARRACKS.

These barracks are still occupied by British troops. These troops are due to move out by 1 Mar. Four weeks work is required after evacuation.

(c) PALANCA BARRACKS.

These barracks require two weeks work. The parade ground required three weeks work.

(d) Work has virtually ceased on all barracks pending the authorisation of further expenditure. W/Col. FINE (Genia) went to Rome last week to negotiate a further money grant.

(e) 70% of the instructors have assembled and are undergoing daily instruction.

(f) The Commandant, Col. BISCARDINI, has taken up his duties.

(g) In conclusion, the C.A.R. is in excellent barracks, but a last minute rush will be necessary to prepare it for the recruits.

PART II - 10 TERRITORIAL DISTRICT.

2. 10.10 THE SDOCT - CANTANZANO.

(a) This HQ. has under command :-

These barracks are still occupied by the Italian Air Force. As it will take four weeks to renovate the barracks after evacuation, the move of the Air Force personnel is a matter of urgency.

(b) PASQUALE BARRACKS.

These barracks are still occupied by British troops. These troops are due to move out by 1 May. Four weeks work is required after evacuation.

(c) VALLANGA BARRACKS.

These barracks require two weeks work. The parade ground requires three weeks work.

(d) Work has virtually ceased on all barracks pending the authorization of further expenditure. T/Col. TIMI (Genio) went to Rome last week to negotiate a further money grant.

(e) 70% of the instructors have assembled and are undergoing daily instruction.

(f) The Commandant, Col. BOSCHETTI, has taken up his duties.

(g) In conclusion, the C.I.R. is in excellent barracks, but a last minute rush will be necessary to prepare it for the recruits.

PART III - 10 TERRITORIAL DISTRICT.

2. HQ. 10 INF REGT - CATINZARO.

(a) This HQ. has under command :-

Three Bns. 10 Inf Regt.
1 Bn. 60 Inf Regt.
3 Bn. 60 Inf Regt.

(b) 1/60 and 3/60 Bns. are carrying out a large number of guard duties for 3 Dist. The Regt. Comd. is anxious to be relieved of these, to enable the troops to train. Correspondence on this subject has passed between this HQ, MIL. and 3 Dist.

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ACTION
9 AM signal
of 22 Feb
personnel
action to
Medico refers

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3. 1 BN. 60 INF REGT - CATANZARO.

This bn. is in a poor barracks, and does not appear to be in very good form. It is understood that one bn. of 60 Inf Regt. is being sent to LADINIA, and that the other is being disbanded.

4. 1 BN. 10 INF REGT - COSENZA.

This bn. was in a very bad way until it left M. PINS. It is now in better form, with a new CO, a good adjutant, and good barracks. A great deal remains to be done.

5. 1002 DETACHED INF REGT - COSENZA.

This unit reconditions and holds Italian Army equipment. It appears to be efficient, but a good deal of effort seems to be devoted to repairing obsolete items. It is suggested that the Italian Government would be well advised to review their stocks and "out their losses".

Annex 'C' to 10 MU Progress
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ROYAL MILITARY ACADEMY

LECTURE

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1. GENERAL.

(a) The Commandant, Col. BELLAUDINI, gave us a warm welcome, and we spent an enjoyable day at the Academy. The Colonel appears to be enthusiastic about his job, and most conscious of its importance.

(b) The following cadets are at the Academy :-
1st Year.

(i) Cadets from fighting formations and partisans	36
(ii) Cadets from civil life	145

2nd Year.

(iii) Cadets whose course at the old Cadet School at
MONTMAY, or LUCCA was interrupted by the Armistice
of September 43

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TOTAL

336

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The age of the cadets varies between 13 and 25 years.

(c) The cadets in each year are divided into Sections 'A' and 'B' according to their attainments. The course for Section 'B' is less advanced in certain subjects.

(d) At the end of the first year the cadets are allotted to arms of the service by a board composed of the Commandant and officers of the Academy. Personal preference is given consideration.

2. INSTRUCTION.

(a) A summary of periods of instruction is given in Annexure 1 to this Appendix.

(b) All cadets study higher mathematics, but no languages are taught. It is thought that French or English might be more useful, especially in the case of the infantry cadets.

(c) The classes are very large. We saw one class of 80 cadets doing a lesson.

(d) The instruction is carried out entirely by officers and senior cadets. The Commandant explained that NCO's

enthusiastic about his job, and most conscious of its importance.

(b) The following cadets are at the Academy:-
1st Year.

(i) Cadets from fighting formations and partisans	36
(ii) Cadets from civil life	145

2nd Year.

(iii) Cadets whose course at the old Cadet School at
MORVA or LUCCA was interrupted by the Armistice
of September 45

	155
TOTAL	356
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The age of the cadets varies between 15 and 25 years.

(c) The cadets in each year are divided into Sections 'A' and 'B' according to their attainments. The course for Section 'B' is less advanced in certain subjects.

(d) At the end of the first year the cadets are allotted to arms of the service by a board composed of the Commandant and officers of the Academy. Personal preference is given consideration.

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(d) The instruction is carried out entirely by officers and senior cadets. There are no NCO instructors. The Commandant explained that NCO's of a suitable type for training cadets do not exist in the Italian Army. Apparently this has always been the case, and is not a result of the war.

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(e) There are a number of horses at the Academy, and cadets of all arms are taught to ride.

3. WEAPON TRAINING.

(a) Italian weapons are taught, but modified British methods have been introduced. The Commandant asked for specimens of British weapons and equipment to show to the cadets. He stated that these were

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promised in the past by MIL. It is recommended :-

(i) That an immediate issue or loan of specimens of British weapons and equipment should be made to the Academy. These should include U.S. weapons which can be 'cut' for exhibition.

(ii) That consideration should be given to the question of issuing a complete scale of British equipment, and of adopting British methods in full.

(c) The allotment of ammunition is as follows. It appears to be totally inadequate :-

	(All Cadets)	1st Year 42 rounds	(Inf Cadets) 2nd Year 42 rounds
Italian rifle Type 91			
Light MG Breda Type 30	30 "	20 "	
M.G. (Italian)	60 "	50 "	
Mortar (Italian)	8 " H.I.	as available	
Grenades (Italian)	2 " Smoke	"	

4. AMENITIES.

The barracks are quite good, and the standard of living would be satisfactory for troops, but is poor for "gentlemen cadets". It is thought that better results would be achieved if the cadets were provided with amenities such as reading and sitting rooms.

5. CONCLUSIONS.

In many ways the Academy is evidently very good, but it does not appear fully to have taken its place in the new Italian Army, and it is not fully in touch with modern educational and military trends. Some of the training appears to be definitely out of date. In view of the very great influence which the Academy will have on the Italian Army of the future it is strongly recommended that it should be helped in every possible way to modernize itself.

Annexure 1
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BLOCK PROGRAMME

NOTES

1. HOURS OF WORK.

The cadets work for 7 hours per day. For each week five days' work are in barracks, and one day in the country. The main programme occupies 32 weeks. Hours of work are therefore as follows :-

	Per week	Per year
In barracks	35	1120
In the country	7	224
TOTAL	42	1344
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In addition each cadet does approximately three hours' private study daily.

2. In each year a number of hours are left spare for revision etc.

3. The complete year is divided up as follows :-

	32 weeks
Main Programme	5 "
Examinations	7 "
Camp	2 "
Winter training in mountains	5 "
Leave	1
Spare	52

4. DRIVING INSTRUCTION.

All cadets are taught to ride a motor-cycle, and to drive wheeled and tracked motor vehicles.

The cadets work for 7 hours per day. For each week five days' work are in barracks, and one day in the country. The main programme occupies 52 weeks. Hours of work are therefore as follows :-

	Per week	Per year
In barracks	35	1120
In the country	7	224
TOTAL	42	1344

In addition each cadet does approximately three hours' private study daily.

2. In each year a number of hours are left spare for revision etc.

3. The complete year is divided up as follows :-

Main Programme	52 weeks
Examinations	5 "
Camp	7 "
Winter training in mountains	2 "
Leave	5 "
Spare	1
	<u>52</u>

4. DRIVING INSTRUCTION.

All cadets are taught to ride a motor-cycle, and to drive wheeled and tracked motor vehicles.

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FIRST YEAR

SECTION 'A' ONLY	SECTION 'B' ONLY	BOTH SECTIONS	NO. OF HOURS	R
Higher Mathematics and Science	Intermediate Mathematics and Science	<u>ACADEMIC SUBJECTS</u>		
		--	170	
		Social Science	20	

			190	

		<u>MILITARY SUBJECTS</u>		
		Military Geography	20	
		Military History	20	
		Topography	60	
		Military Security	10	
		MT and Tanks	70	
		Field Fortification and field works	90	
		Drawing	20	
		Organisation, Administration and Tactics. (Theoretical)	140	
		Technical study of Weapons	130	
		Drill	Practical	
		Tactics		
		Weapon Trg		
		Admin.		
		Engg Trg		
		Signal Trg		

			960	

		<u>PHYSICAL TRAINING</u>		
		Riding		
		PT		
		Fencing	160	
		Spare	34	
		TOTAL	1344	

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FIRST YEAR

SECTION 'D' ONLY	BOTH SECTIONS	NO. OF HOURS	REMARKS
	<u>ACADEMIC SUBJECTS</u>		
Intermediate Mathematics and Science	--	170	
	Social Science	20	

		190	

	<u>MILITARY SUBJECTS</u>		
	Military Geography	20	
	Military History	20	
	Topography	60	
	Military Security	10	
	MT and Tanks	70	
	Field Fortification and Field works	90	
	Drawing	20	
	Organisation, Administration and Tactics. (Theoretical)	140	
	Technical study of Weapons	130	
	Drill		
	Tactics		
	Weapon Try		
	Admin.		
	Engg Try		
	Signal Try		
	Practical	400	

		960	

	<u>PHYSICAL TRAINING</u>		
	Riding		
	PT		
	Fencing	150	
	Sports	34	
	TOTAL	1344	

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SECOND YEAR

SECTION 'A' ONLY	SECTION 'B' ONLY	BOTH SECTIONS	NO. OF HOURS		
Advanced Higher Maths and Physics	Higher Maths and Physics	<u>ACADEMIC SUBJECTS</u>			
		---	120	120	
		<u>MILITARY SUBJECTS</u>			
		Tactics (Theoreti- Logistics) and	160		
		Explosives and Chemical Warfare	40		
		Applied science in regard to military materials	20		
		Theory of fire	150		
		Military Security	10		
		Pay & Accounts	20		
		MT & Tanks	140		
		Signal Equipment	100		
		Veterinary Science and Animal Management	20		
		Drawing	30		
		Instr special to arm	<u>300</u>		
	990	990	Separate instruction		
<u>PHYSICAL TRAINING</u>					
Riding)	160	160			
PT)					
Fencing)					
Spare)					
		<u>74</u>			
	TOTAL	1334			

Separate instruction f

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SECOND YEAR

SECTION 'B' ONLY	BOTH SECTIONS	NO. OF HOURS		REMARKS
	<u>ACADEMIC SUBJECTS</u>			
Higher Maths and Physics	—	120	120	
	<u>MILITARY SUBJECTS</u>			
Tactics (Theoreti- Logistics) and Explosives and Chemical Warfare		160		
Applied science in regard to military materials		40		
Theory of fire		20		
Military Security		150		
Pay & Accounts		10		
MT & Tanks		20		
Signal Equipment		140		
Veterinary Science and Animal Management		100		
Drawing		20		
Instr special to arm		30		
		<u>300</u>		
		990	990	
	<u>PHYSICAL TRAINING</u>			
Riding } PT } Fencing } Spare }		160	160	
			<u>70</u>	
		TOTAL	1334	
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Separate instruction for Arty, Engr & Inf

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SUMMARY

HQ. 10 C.A.R.
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26 Feb 46

Subject :- Instructions for the Reception of Recruits.

Recruits Bn HQ's.
Recruits Coy HQ's.
2nd in Command.
G II Training.
etc..

1. FOREWORD.

Importance of the reception of recruits. Everything must be planned and arranged in all particulars. It is most important that recruits have immediately an impression of officers. Their first impression in reaching the C.A.R. will be the one they will always remember.

2. RECRUITS ALLOTTED TO THE C.A.R.

Total of 5634.

3. ARRIVAL OF RECRUITS FROM DISTRICTS.

(a) By road.

(b) By rail.

Recruits by road will arrive at the barracks.
Recruits by rail will arrive at the railway station.

Following personnel and transport will be on duty at the station W.O.F.
1600 hrs on the 15th March :-

2 Junior officers
3 NCO's
3 Ptes.
3 Lorries.

A 12 hour roster will be fixed. Recruits will immediately be forwarded to the barracks on the lorries.

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Recruits Bn HQ's.
Recruits Coy HQ's.
2nd in Command,
G II Training,
etc..

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Total of 3636.

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A 12 hour roster will be fixed. Recruits will immediately be forwarded to the barracks on the lorries.

4. RECEPTION OF RECRUITS.

2 services will be working :-

(a) One will receive the recruits at the entrance of the barracks and will take them to the arrival office.

(b) The other (arrival office) will :-

Take the recruits on strength.

Allot them to units.

Take them to the bath, to medical examination and to companies to be dressed.

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5. PERSONNEL FOR RECEPTION SERVICE - THEIR DUTIES.

(a) Service as at para 4, sub para (c).

Personnel :-
 1 senior officer
 3 junior officers
 4 NCO's.

Duties :- Will be responsible :-

(i) To receive the recruits at the entrance of the barracks.

(ii) To take them to the arrival office.

(iii) For discipline of troops until they are handed to the arrival office.

(b) Arrival office.

Location - huts used as MT Park.
 Will have one section per District.
 Each section will have the following personnel:-

1 junior officer
 2 NCO's (Glenie)
 24 NCO's (2 per Coy) to take the recruits to the bath, to the medical examination and to their unit.

The office will :-

Write down all data concerning each recruit.

Admit recruits to unit.

Issue Coy NCO's with nominal rolls in two copies of recruits allotted to their Coy. (One copy will be handed to the infirmary for medical examination.)

Send at 1200 and 1300 hrs every day note of recruits received, to C.M.R. HQ.

Operate every day from 0630 hrs to 1800 hrs.

(c) Accommodation will be arranged by personnel mentioned in sub-para (a) in the rooms behind the MT Park for recruits arriving during hours in which the office is not operating. Straw and eventually blankets will be made available.

6. BATH.

Recruits will be taken by Coy NCO's to the bath, when they will have been dealt with in the arrival office. Soap and towels will be issued by each Coy appointee. One junior officer will be present at the bath.

- (ii) To take them to the arrival office.
- (iii) For discipline of trainees until they are handed to the arrival office.
- (h) Arrival office.

Location - Huta used as PT Park.
Will have one section per District.
Each section will have the following personnel:-

- 1 Junior officer
- 2 NCO's (Chief)
- 24 NCO's (2 per coy) to take the recruits to the bath, to the medical examination and to their unit.

The office will :-

Write down all data concerning each recruit.
List recruits to units.
Issue each NCO's with serial rolls in two copies of recruits allotted to their coy. (One copy will be handed to the infirmary for medical examination.)
Send at 1200 and 1800 hrs every day note of recruits received, to C.A.B. HQ.
Operate every day from 0630 hrs to 1200 hrs.

- (c) Accommodation will be arranged by personnel mentioned in sub-para (e) in the rooms behind the PT Park for recruits arriving during hours in which the office is not operating. Straw and eventually blankets will be made available.

6. BATH.

Recruits will be taken by coy NCO's to the bath, when they will have been dealt with in the arrival office. Soap and towels will be issued by each coy appointee. One junior officer will be present at the bath.

7. MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Will take place in the C.A.B. Dispensary. All recruits will be vaccinated immediately. Unfit recruits will be, as soon as possible, evacuated to hospital. After medical examination, recruits will be taken to their coys.

8. DRESSING COYS.

Will be done by the coys. Each coy will have clothing distribution room and dressing room. When received, recruits will be directed by PL and coy commanders. These will make sure that clothing and boots fit the recruit. Bedding and shoes in the barracks will then be allotted to each recruit.

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CC. RL. PERIOD REPORT

A. Strengths.

I. NAPLES Legion.

Establishment	Effective	Present
3633	4506	5666
Percentage on leave	16% (sick and ordinary)	
Percentage on extraneous duty	30%	

NOTE. The present strength of 3666 included 684 men of special squads who are outside the establishment.

II. BARI Legion.

2964	3995	2925
Percentage on leave	12%	
Percentage on extraneous duty	27%	

III. CATANZARO Legion.

2500	2449	2140
Percentage on leave	9%	
Percentage on extraneous duty	20%	

IV. NAPLES Mobile Bn.

Authorized	Effective	Present
548	953	229
Percentage on leave	5%	

BARI Mobile Bn.

546	698	224
Percentage on leave	4%	

D. Organization.

It is felt that the situation of NAPLES Legion, which includes 5 Provinces and has heavy commitments extraneous to police duties in the very busy area, calls for some modification and this matter will be carefully gone into.

NOTE. The present strength of 3666 included 684 men of special squads who are outside the establishment.

II. BARI Legion.

2966 2993 2985

Percentage on leave 12%
Percentage on extraordinary duty 2 1/2%

III. CATINZARO Legion.

2500 2449 2440

Percentage on leave 2%
Percentage on extraordinary duty 20%

IV. NAPLES Mobile Bn.

authorized effective Present

548 523 229

Percentage on leave 5%

NARI Mobile Bn.

546 508 224

Percentage on leave 4%

B. Organization.

It is felt that the situation of NAPLES Legion, which includes 5 Provinces and has heavy commitments extraneous to police duties in the very busy area, calls for some modification and this matter will be carefully gone into.

C. Intelligence.

As everywhere, the left wing elements are always ready to criticize CO. RL. Considerable criticism of the Allies is frequently heard and appears from time to time in the press. As a whole, political activity, particularly of a subversive nature, is not a serious matter, although the number of minor political movements and groups is extremely large. In southern districts, the Christian Democrats outnumber other parties. In Ugento Gubbione is also strongly represented.

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D. Training.

Enquiries are being made but it is pointed out that beyond law and order police instruction, no military training is carried out.

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E. Administration.

- (a) Discipline is good and serious breaches have not been reported.
- (b) Pay. No difficulties or deficiencies reported.
- (c) Personnel. Lt-Col. MEOLI, commander of the NALLES Legion transferred to Training School ROMA. Col. MAURO appointed to the NALLES Legion.

F. General Deficiencies.

Transport, clothing, automatic weapons, are seriously deficient, and will be the subject of a special report.

G. Morale.

In the NALLES region, the morale of the CC.FR is not as it should be. The main causes are :- (1) The shabbiness and variety of clothing. (2) Cost of living and economic conditions. (3) The derogatory attitude adopted by allied personnel. (4) There have been frequent of allied personnel interfering with CC.FR in the course of their duties. (4) Political influence in CC.FR affairs is known to and resented by all ranks.

H. Public Safety Situation.

The serious crime situation shows little variation from the previous month's figures. Particulars of offences are not yet to hand, but will be supplied in the next report. The return from RMI of 200 CC.FR Mobile is no doubt checking offences in the outlying districts of the Legion of NALLES, and the loan of 8 trucks has had a very gratifying effect.

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G. Morale.

In the MARINES region, the morale of the CC.FR is not as it should be. The main causes are :- (1) The shabbiness and variety of clothing. (2) Cost of living and economic conditions. (3) The derogatory attitude adopted by allied personnel. Cases have been frequent of allied personnel interfering with CC.FR in the course of their duties. (4) Political influence in CC.FR affairs is known to and resented by all ranks.

H. Public Safety Situation.

The serious crime situation shows little variation from the previous month's figures. Particulars of offences are not yet to hand, but will be supplied in the next report. The return from LHM of 200 CC.FR Mobile is no doubt checking offences in the outlying districts of the Legion of NAPLES, and the loan of 8 trucks has had a very gratifying effect.

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PART I - GENERAL

1. DOMESTIC. (BLU)

- (a) No D.L.22016 has yet been posted to the unit.
- (b) Lieut. Col. ... W. Gibbon, OMC, visited SICILY on 4 Feb 46 returning to NAPLES on 9 Feb 46. Report at Appx 'B'.
- (c) Capt. C.R. Hayes, OC, RL10 reported 6 Feb 46.

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle due for Progress Report No. 4 attached at Appx 'A'.
- (b) Staff List Italian due for Progress Report No. 4 attached at Appx 'C'.

PART II - 'B'

3. C.A.P.

- (c) The Commandant, 1/Col. MICHAEL GILBERT, has arrived and begun work. He is a cavalry officer, and is keen and enthusiastic.
- (b) The work is not proceeding as fast as has been promised. The engineer officer now states that the barracks will not be ready until 15 Mar. It appears that money is running short, and that certain essential improvements to the barracks will have to be omitted or "skipped". Territorial HQ have promised to furnish a full report in a few days.

4. 10 INF REGT.

The 101/10 Inf Regt was visited by the CPO II on 12 Feb 46. The bn is billeted in an old monastery which is not altogether suitable as a barracks. At the moment one Coy is living at CAMP. 101/10 TIRRENI (R 6033) 6 Km away; whilst representation has been made

PART I - GENERAL

1. DOMESTIC. (BLU)

- (a) No D.L.234C has yet been posted to the unit.
- (b) Lieut. Col. A. W. Gibson, OBE, visited SICILY on 4 Feb 46 returning to NILES on 9 Feb 46. Report at Appx 'D'.
- (c) Capt. C. E. Hayes, CC.IR.10 reported 6 Feb 46.

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle due for Progress Report No. 4 attached at Appx 'A'.
- (b) Staff List Italian due for Progress Report No. 4 attached at Appx 'C'.

PART II - 'G'

3. C. A. R.

- (a) The Commandant, W/Col. MICHAEL CLARKE, has arrived and begun work. He is a cavalry officer, and is keen and enthusiastic.
- (b) The work is not progressing as fast as has been promised. The engineer officer now states that the barracks will not be ready until 15 Mar. It appears that money is running short, and that certain essential improvements to the barracks will have to be omitted or "skipped". For a while Mr. have promised to furnish a full report in a few days.

4. 10 INF REGT.

The III/10 Inf Regt was visited by the GSO III on 12 Feb 46. The Bn is billeted in an old monastery which is not altogether suitable as a barracks. At the moment one Coy is living at C.V. DE TIRREI (H 6033) 6 km away; whilst in the billets is housed an Italian Coy (IR-111). Representation has been made to 3 District to remove the Italian Coy so as to allow the Bn. to be controlled.

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5. ITALIAN GENERALS.

- (a) There are 11 Generals named in the Staff List for NILES District. CC.IR are not included.

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(b) The appointments held by general officers are as follows :-

District Commander	1
HQ. Inherent	1
attached to District HQ. (No allotted duties)	4
Asst. HQ.	1
Brig. HQ.	1
Military Tribunal	1
205 Div. (US-III)	2

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LWC/cc

[Signature]
Lt-Col.
GS.

Annex 'A' to 10 NLU Progress
Report No. 5 dated 5 Feb 46.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO 10 NLU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 2 DATED 7 JAN 46 (APPX 'A'))

Under (a) III-ITL.			
REF. Insert	Serial		
	5a	10 Cdn Platoon	NAMES
REF. Amend	32	Amend to read	
		20 Red Cross Hosp.	
Delete	37	Delete all detail	
Insert	32a	164 Knights of Malta	NAMES
		Hosp.	
Insert	38b	6 Knights of Malta	NAMES
		Hosp.	
COMMISSARIAT.			
Insert	42a	10 Bulk Supply Dep	NAMES
Delete	54	Delete all detail	
Insert	55	10 Salvage Repair	NAMES
		Unit	
TRANSIT CAMPS.			
Insert	72a	100L POW Reception	NAMES
		Centre.	
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Insert	103a	Labour Coy	NAMES
Under (b) US-ITL.			
Delete	120	Delete all detail	
"	125	Delete all detail	
"	126	Delete all detail	
Amend	128	Delete 6 Sec	
Under (c) ER-ITL.			
Amend	136	Amend to read	
		It Incr. to 15 Base	
		Post office	
Delete	137	Delete all detail	
"	147	Delete all detail	
"	152	Delete all detail	

MED.	Amend 32	Amend to read	
	20 Red Cross Hosp.		
	Delete 37	Delete all detail	
	Insert 38a	161 Knights of Malta Hosp.	147133
	Insert 38b	6 Knights of Malta Hosp.	147133
COMMISSARIAT.			
	Insert 42a	10 Bull Supply Dep	147133
	Delete 54	Delete all detail	
	Insert 55	10 Salvage Repair Unit	147133
TRANSIT CAMPS.			
	Insert 72a	1004 POW Reception Centre.	147133
MISCELLANEOUS.			
	Insert 103a	Labour Coy	147133
Under (b) US-III.			
	Delete 120	Delete all detail	
	" 125	Delete all detail	
	" 126	Delete all detail	
	Amend 128	Delete 6 Sec	
Under (c) ER-III.			
	Amend 136	Amend to read	
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		Post office	
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	" 147	Delete all detail	
	" 152	Delete all detail	

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APPE 'B' to 10 MIF Progress
Report No. 5 dated 15 Feb 46.

NOTES ON VISIT OF GSO I TO SICILY - 4-9 FEB 46.

1. TERRITORIAL HQ.

In the absence of General ERARDI, the District is under the command of General DISACIOLONE, AOSTA Division. He wears a British Military Cross, and appears to be a capable man.

2. C.A.R.

- (a) A great deal of work remains to be done, and it is doubtful if the barracks will be ready by mid March. Territorial HQ. are considering the following alternatives :-

- (i) To provide temporary accommodation in a neighbouring barracks for a proportion of the recruits, until work on the C.A.R. is completed.
 - (ii) To accommodate all the recruits in the C.A.R. whether the work is finished or not. This will involve some overcrowding, and a lower standard of comfort than is desirable.
 - (iii) To ask the Ministry to reduce the allotment of recruits to 2000 or 3000.
- (b) It was stated that the allotment of money is insufficient for essential work on the C.A.R. It is not possible to check this statement, but as NARIES Territorial HQ. make the same point it is thought that there may be some justification for it.
- (c) The OC, C.A.R. arrived last week. He appears to be keen and energetic.

3. AOSTA DIVISION.

The battalion at MONTE LEMME was visited. This battalion has recently been in action against bandits. The CO stated that morale is high, and that there are plenty of volunteers for every patrol. Living conditions in the village are very squalid.

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- (b) It was stated that the allotment of money is insufficient for essential work on the C.A.B. It is not possible to check this statement, but as Major Territorial HQ. make the same point it is thought that there may be some justification for it.
- (c) The OC, C.A.B. arrived last week. He appears to be keen and energetic.

3. POSTS DIVISION.

The battalion at MORRE LEWIS was visited. This battalion has recently been in action against bandits. The CO stated that morale is high, and that there are plenty of volunteers for every patrol. Living conditions in the village are very good.

4. SABLAUDA DIVISION.

Div. HQ. and one Bgt. were visited at MISSINA. The Div. Comd., General LAMARINI, late 2 Lt Colonel, is very keen on British methods of training. We saw a composite platoon of NCO's carrying out weapon training and minor tactical training. British methods are being followed, and the standard is satisfactory.

5. INTERVAL SECURITY.

- (a) The senior Italian officers appear to believe that most of the bandits are common criminals, with no political motive for their action.

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- (b) There does not appear to be a properly concerted plan by the civil authorities, police and military, for dealing with the bandits.

6. MLU.

11 MLU has satisfactory accommodation and transport. They are short of a clerk, who is badly needed. The size of the island, and the problems of interior economy, greatly increase the difficulties of the two British officers. It is recommended that if an additional training officer is appointed, high priority should be given to implementing the appointment in the case of 11 MLU.

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14 BUU.

Appx 'C' to 10 BEU Progress
Report No. 5 dated 15 Feb 46

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO 10 BEU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 2 DATED 7 JAN 46 (APPX 'C')

Page 1. Under Camp - Insert

Gen. Div
Cel. Brig
Miasio Ettore
Troccoli Umberto

Page 2. Under Arty Directorate - Delete

lt-Col.
Mica. Spagnolo Vigorito
Micola

Page 6. Under HQ. 10 Inf Regt - Delete

Col.
Fomacici Ambros

Insert

Col.
Remondino Alfredo

Page 7. After 1001 Reception Centre - Insert

Col.
Cavaliere Ferdinando
Comd.

Page 8. Delete :-

615 Movement Control
REMGIO CALABRE

lt-Col.
sp. Lancia Mario

Add :-

205 Div (US-III)

Gen. Brig
Cel. Brig
Lana Guido
Tava Giovanni
Comd.
2 i/c

3 Air Group

Col.
Marchetto Gino
Comd.

Gen. Div. Diavio Vittore
Gen. Div. Broccoli Umberto

Page 2. Under Army Directorate - Delete

Lt-Col. Mel. Spagnuolo Vigorito
Nicola

Page 6. Under HQ. 10 Inf Regt - Delete

Col. Romarici Ambrosio

Insert

Col. Ramondino Alfredo

Page 7. After 1001 Reception Centre - Insert

Col. Cavallera Ferdinando Comd.

Page 8. Delete :-

615 Movement Control
ROMGIO CALABRITTO

Lt-Col. Sp. Amico Mario

Add :-

205 Div (US-III)

Gen. Brig. Loma Guido
Gen. Brig. Pava Giovanni
Comd. 2 i/c

3 Air Group

Col. Marchitto Ciro Comd.

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PART I - SUMMARY

1. DOMESTIC. (RLU)

- (a) Major M.A. Davis, MTR., reported as GSO II on 17 Jan 46 from 12 RLU ORLAND.
- (b) Major S.E. Snodgrass left 10 RLU on 27 Jan 46 to return to SICILY after MILA conference.
- (c) Capt. R.A. Podesta, AFHQ Pool of Interpreters left 10 RLU on leave to MILA on 18 Jan 46.
- (d) Capt. R.P.S. Lowe, RER was recovered from his accident and has returned to duty.
- (e) Lieut. Colonel A.W. Gibben OBE., visited RLU 17 - 20 Jan 46. Report given at Appa 'C'.
- (f) Lieut. Colonel A.W. Gibben OBE. and Major S.E. Snodgrass left for 10 R 27 Jan 46 for MILA conference.
- (g) Staff List of 10 RLU attached at Appa 'C'.

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle not received from Terr HQ.
- (b) Staff List Italian not received from Terr HQ.

PART II - 'C'

3. ORGANIZATION.

(a) Domestic

1. DOMESTIC (BHM)

- (a) Major A.M. Davis, LTR., reported as CAS II on 17 Jan 46 from 12 MJO ORLANDO.
- (b) Major S.D. Snowman left 10 BHM on 27 Jan 46 to return to SICILY after this conference.
- (c) Capt. R.A. Podesta, AMB Pool of Interpretation left 10 BHM on leave to SICILY on 19 Jan 46.
- (d) Capt. R.P.S. Lowe, RFE has recovered from his accident and has returned to duty.
- (e) Lieut. Colonel A.W. Gibbon ORE., visited BHM 17 - 20 Jan 46. Report given at Army HQ.
- (f) Lieut. Colonel A.W. Gibbon ORE. and Major S.D. Snowman left for 10 BHM 27 Jan 46 for this conference.
- (g) Staff List of 10 BHM attached at Annex 'C'.

2. ITALYAN

- (a) Location Statement and Order of Battle not received from Terr HQ.
- (b) Staff Line Italian not received from Terr HQ.

PART II - 'C'

3. ORGANIZATION

- (a) Domestic

Nothing to report.

- (b) Italian

Nothing to report.

4. DEPLOYMENT OF TROOPS

- (a) Army less CC, HQ

Nothing to report.

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(b) CC.RR.

There is evidently a certain amount of misappropriation of CC.RR whereby Carabinieri are obliged to perform guard duties which are out of the realm of their normal police duties. The result is that the number available for actual police duties, maintaining law and order in NAPLES, is inadequate. At present 2 officers, 83 NCO's and 398 Carabinieri are being employed in non police duties in NAPLES. These are being employed on guard duties concerned with the port factories, railways, airports etc. and a few small Allied installations (S.F. 4 CC.RR., 16 Base RR).

It is agreed that these other commitments have become necessary as a result of the war but if they are to be maintained it is suggested that a corresponding increase in the strength of the CC.RR be made so that the responsibilities of police duties can be met 100%.

5. TRAINING.

(a)

Army less CC.RR.

(i) The Establishments.

C.A.R. Report attached at Appx 'R'.

(ii) Other Troops.

10 INF REGT.

1 Bn. is moving to COSENZA. The accommodation in NAPLES is very poor and the Bn. needs a change. Almost no training has taken place for many months.

2 Bn. is in a very old fashioned barracks in NAPLES. About 200 men are available for training. Some progress is being made but the Bn. is not very impressive.

3 Bn. is at SALERNO. This Bn appears to be more lively and well disciplined. The CO is making a definite attempt to train on British lines.

The general impression of the Regt. is that it is 40 years behind the times.

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5. TRAINING.

(a)

Army less CC, 83.

(i)

Troop Establishments.

C.A.R. Report attached at appx 'E'.

(ii)

Other Troops.

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The general impression of the Regt. is that it is 40 years behind the times. This is not surprising in view of the age and quality of most of its weapons and equipment.

60 INF REGT.

1st and 3rd Bns at CALABRITA. No training is being carried out at the moment. Bns. are guarding factories and mountain posts.

(b) CC. RR.

Absence of training explained in 19 BDM
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6. INTELLIGENCE.

General ROMANO, GOC., gave a party on board a returning POW ship. Press commented that no civilian was present to welcome the returning soldiers and implied that the men would rather have been welcomed by a civilian than a General.

All local political parties are in good relations with the army.

PART III - 121

7. DOMESTIC.

- (a) Deficiencies in all ranks against WE.
- Officers - Major (Foster but not yet arrived)
Capt - Major
- ON's - WO I AOC (Clerk)
Sgt Major (Clerk)
Cpl Major (Clerk)
Clerk Technical RM (1/3rd)

- (b) Leave.
- (i) Details of all ranks on leave and when due to return within WE.
- MIL.
- (ii) Details of all ranks due for leave in immediate future.
- T/Capt. S.A. Murray (70191) RASC (pending)

8. ITALIAN.

- (a) Deficiencies in Total Statistics and in Production and Specialists against WE.
- Not yet received from Italians.
- (b) Discipline.

All local political parties are in good relations with the army.

PART III - 'A'

7. DOMESTIC.

(a)

Deficiencies in all ranks against NF.

Officers - MAJOR (Posted but not yet arrived)
Capt - MOG.

OR's

- WO I MOG (clerk)
Sgt MAJ (clerk)
Cpl MAJ (clerk)
Clerk Technical MAJ (S/Cpl)

(b)

Leave.

(i)

Details of all ranks on leave and when due to return within NF.

NIL.

(ii)

Details of all ranks due for leave in immediate future.

C/Capt. F.A. Murray (70/30) PASS (pending)

8. ITALIAN.

(a)

Deficiencies in Total Strengths and in Training and Specialists against NF.

Not yet received from Italians.

(b)

Discipline.

Slight improvement. This may be due to civilians no longer criticising or opposing the army to same extent. Bad examples mostly found amongst older personnel.

(c)

Leave Problems.

Not so acute. However seven days every six months is considered too short. As it takes six or seven days to get to the north there is a tendency to overstay leave to avoid the tedious journey back so soon.

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(a) Pay.

General feeling that pay will never improve and this must be considered one of the burdens to be borne in the army.

(c) Morale.

When family problems like housing, shortage of money etc., prevail, men unwilling to join army, but naturally prefer to remain at home to assist. Pay in the army too low to enable men to give allowances.

Other 'A' points.

NIL.

PART IV - 'C'

9. DOMESTIC.

(a)

Transport.

List of transport held by 10 Bn is attached at Annex 'D'.

(b)

Accommodation.

No change.

10. INDIAN.

(a)

Transport

(i) Army loss OC. RI.

Nothing to report.

(ii) OC. RI.

There is a considerable deficiency of transport against RI. For example in the HAWKS Legion the present position is :-

Type	RI	Deficiency
Cars	37	6

Other 'A' points.

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PART IV - 'Q'

9. DOMESTIC.

(a)

Transport.

List of transport held by 10 ALP is attached at Annex 'B'.

(b)

Accommodation.

No change.

10. ITALIAN.

(a)

Transport

(i)

Army less CC.VI.

Nothing to report.

(ii)

CC.VI.

There is a considerable deficiency of transport against VI. For example in the 4th ALP Legion the present position is :-

Type	WT	Deficiency
Cars	37	6
Light Trucks	100	23
LC's	973	920

Their mobile efficiency is obviously considerably hampered as a result of these deficiencies.

(b)

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During the period the following Directorate and units were visited :-

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Office of Director of Repairs.
 No. 10 Repair Unit. (Present location)
 No. 10 Repair Unit. (Intended new location)
 The efficient Vehicle Park. (2 Sections - ROSSATI)
 No. 2 Efficient Vehicle Park. (LUDISPROTIO)

Office of Director of Repairs.

An initial visit was made to this Directorate for the purpose of gaining the acquaintance of Col. EUMERIO and staff, and to learn the location, number and function of units under command. No more information was elicited other than that obtained by direct questions, whether this was due to a lack of appreciation of the information required, or due to a lack of knowledge of the essential information concerning units under charge which a HQ of this kind should be able to give, is not as yet clear. It was clear, however, that there was a marked lack of enthusiasm as to the aspirations and hopes for the future concerning the units. Especially, in regard to the desire of making possible the transfer of 10 Repair Unit to the new site as soon as possible.

10 Repair Unit.

This unit was obviously labouring under the difficulties of the confined space of its present location. Production figures have however shown an increase since the commencement of the year. Signs of workshop organization and regimental administration were apparent. The location was clean and tidy.

10 Repair Unit - New location.

The existing buildings are at the moment in course of being cleaned and repaired. No start has been made on the clearing of the 200 (approx.) derelict vehicles which at the moment occupy the site, an apparently the present policy is to wait until civilian purchasers remove these. It was suggested to the Director of Repairs that efforts be made to remove these vehicles to another location at the earliest, as at the present rate of progress it would take many months before the building of vehicle repair bays could be started let alone occupation of

Command. No more information was elicited other than that obtained by direct questions, whether this was due to a lack of appreciation of the information required, or due to a lack of knowledge of the essential information concerning units under charge which HQ of this kind should be able to give, is not as yet clear. It was clear, however, that there was a marked lack of enthusiasm as to the aspirations and hopes for the future concerning the units. Especially, in regard to the desire of making possible the transfer of 10 Repair Unit to the new site as soon as possible.

10 Repair Unit.

This unit was obviously labouring under the difficulties of the confined space of its present location. Production figures have however shown an increase since the commencement of the year. Signs of workshop organization and regimental administration were apparent. The location was clean and tidy.

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Inefficient Vehicle Park.

This was well laid out, with easy access to the various types of vehicles held. A figure will be given in due course as to the number of vehicles worth repairing.

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(c) ADOC - Clothing & Equipment.(i) Army Loss CC. III.

Boots were inspected at 6 BR-III Clothing Depot on 31 Jan. Repaired boots are very weak after repair in Allied Depots and give the appearance of bad workmanship.

No. 3 BR-III Clothing Depot was inspected on 23 Jan. Shortages of Naphthalene, Tine Packing and Machine Oil is being experienced at this Depot. These are necessary to maintain bulging of clothing and to preserve clothing. The oil to maintain 30-40 sewing machines which repair clothing.

Shortages of rifle oil, flannellets etc. for cleaning arms is still being experienced.

(ii) CC. III.

The CC. III are not getting their priority with regard to clothing and equipment. MARINE Legion III state that from the 18 Sep 45 to the 21 Jan 46 no under clothes had been received. On 21 Jan they received 1000 tunics, 300 trousers, 1600 boots, 2000 pants. This was only sufficient to clothe returning 65,000 POW's who amounted to 1012 men. Further to this the Legion III state that 4000 CC. III of the Legion have not received any replenishment of clothing for a year. They say that to clothe the CC. III of the Legion require 5000 serials of clothing would be required. This would only allow 1 uniform and 1 pair of boots per man. The problem of clothing is a very serious one causing at present low morale and a high percentage of sick.

(3) Arms & Amm.(4) Army Loss CC. III.

Nothing to report.

(4) CC. III.

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Shortages of rifle oil, flannellette etc. for cleaning arms is still being experienced.

(41) CC. III.

The CC. III are not getting their priority with regard to clothing and equipment. HAZARD Legion HQ state that from the 15 Sep 45 to the 24 Jan 46 no winter clothes had been received. On 24 Jan they received 190 tunics, 370 trousers, 1600 boots, 2000 pants. This was only sufficient to clothe returning CC. III HQ's who amounted to 1012 men. Further to this the Legion HQ state that 4000 CC. III of the Legion have not received any replacement of clothing for a year. They say that to clothe the CC. III of the Legion per man 5000 serials of clothing would be required. This would only allow 1 uniform and 1 pair of boots per man. The problem of clothing is a very serious one causing at present low morale and a high percentage of sick.

(d) Arms & Amm.

(41) Army less CC. III.

Nothing to report.

(41) CC. III.

Deficiencies in arms is as follows for HAZARD Legion :-

Type	TR	Deficiencies
L.G.'s	6	205
Auto Rifles	465	1205
Schime Carbines	1123	3450
Pistols	1331	

(a) C.R. III.

Nothing to report.

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(f) Accommodation.

Nothing to report.

(g) P.O.I. Problems.

Nothing to report.

(h) San Problems.

The following Depots and Units have been visited during the month by Staff Capt. SM this HQ :-

- HASE 9 Distribution Depot.
- 9 Military Bakery & Flour Depot.
- 9 Bulk Food Depot.
- 9 Adm. Tpt. Coy.
- 9 Clothing & Equipment Depot.
- 9 POL Reserve Point.
- 84 Ambulance Car Section.
- 9 Repair Unit.

BRIDGES

- 53 Distribution Depot.

CHINATO

- 54 Distribution Depot.

FOGOLA

- 55 Distribution Depot.

HALES

- 10 Distribution Depot
- 10 Military Bakery.
- 10 Bulk Depot.
- 10 Supply Coy.
- 10 Adm Tpt Coy.

SALAHIO

- 63 Distribution Depot.

The above units, with the exception of the one at FOGOLA, were satisfactory. Reports are being made to find another location for the FOGOLA Depot. Reports are filed at SM French LIA MOE and 10 HLT.

One Condensation Board was carried out at HALES. Supplies are now being drawn regularly by the three services.

(4) Medical.

A high sick rate is reported by HALES

The following Depots and Units have been visited during the month by Staff Capt. S.M. this HQ :-

MARI 9 Distribution Depot.
 9 Military Bakery & Flour Depot.
 9 Bulk Food Depot.
 9 Am. Tpt. Coy.
 9 Clothing & Equipment Depot.
 9 POL Reserve Point.
 84 Ambulance Coy Section.
 9 Repair Unit.

CHINDI

53 Distribution Depot.

THAMUNO

51 Distribution Depot.

POUGLA

55 Distribution Depot.

NAHARS

10 Distribution Depot
 10 Military Bakery.
 10 Bulk Depot.
 10 Supply Coy.
 10 Am Tpt Coy.

SAMUNO

65 Distribution Depot.

The above units, with the exception of the one at POGLA, were satisfactory. If visits are being made to find another location for the POGLA Depot. Reports are filed at S.M. Branch at M.E. and 10 HQ.

One Contingent Board was carried out at NAHARS. Supplies are now being drawn regularly by the three services.

(i)

Medical.

A high sick rate is reported by NAHARS Section III for the following reasons :-

- (i) Bad state of clothing.
- (ii) Long hours of duty under difficult conditions.
- (iii) Inadequate food in proportion to amount of work done.
- (iv) Poor accommodation facilities for OC.M when on detachment.

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(3) Comments.

Highways unable to clear ex POW's quickly on arrival at WAFB. This causes some ex POW's to make off on their own or in some cases comb of camps to release too many for rail accommodation allotted.

Other 'Q' points.

NIL.

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STAFF LIST - 10 EIU

GENERAL STAFF

GSO I	Lt-Col.	A.W. GIBSON ONE	AGSH
GSO II	Major	M.M. DAVIS	EMR

BRANCH OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL & QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

DAA & QMG	Major	J.H. SALTER	RA
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SERVICES

ST	Capt.	T.A. MURRAY	RASC
REAR	Capt.	R.P.S. LOWE	REAR

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AGSO
DWR

CSO I
CSO II

Lt-Col.
Major

A.W. GIBSON
M.M. DAVID

BRANCH OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL & QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

DAA & QMG

Major

J.H. SAUTER

SERVICES

ST
REAR

Capt.
Capt.

T.A. MURRAY
R.F.S. LOVE

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RASC
KLEF

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LT HELD BY 10 BLU

Serial	Type of Vehicle	Reg. No	Contract No.	Chassis No.	Efficient	Local Repa
1.	Schmankula Fordwerke Lorry 3 ton (German)	5A CAF 351 - 1	527340	---	E	
2.	Ford 15 cwt 4 x 2 CS	Z 5128777	E 2485	149831	E	
3.	Standard - Light Utility	H 5214227	S 2234	127	E	
4.	Jeep WILLYS 5cwt 4 x 4	E 5662552	341994	AB 341994	E	
5.	Jeep WILLYS 5cwt 4 x 4	H 5662375	321565	AB 321565	E	
6.	BSA Motor Cycle Solo 500cc	G 5548015	294/23/3 5209	66 - 4223	E	
7.	Water Trailer 180 gall 2 wheel	X 5161690	S 2291	1810	E	

Certified above vehicles are held on charge, that their condition is as stated and that AB 442 and AB 406 have been inspected and found correct.

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Signed



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AT HELD BY 10 BLU

Reg. No.	Contract No.	Chassis No.	Efficient	Local Repair	BLU	Remarks
5A CAP 351 - 1	527340	--	E			Retention certificate requested.
Z 5428777	S 2435	119831	E			
R 5214227	S 2210	127	E			
E 5562552	324994	324994	E			) In lieu of) Car light) Utility
H 5562375	324565	324565	E			
C 5543015	291/23/S 5209	65 - 4223	E			
X 5161690	S 2291	1440	E			

Certified above vehicles are held on charge, that their condition is as stated and that AB 412 and AB 406 have been inspected and found correct.

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
E.	Permanent Staff: (a) Married Accommodation (b) Single quarters (c) Officers mess (d) Sergeants mess (e) General	Families of CO and Adjutant in barracks. Billets for 10 officers in AVELLINO. Trying to requisition large house to billet remained. No billets for families of HCO's yet found. Accommodated in barracks. In progress of construction in barracks. In progress of construction in barracks. <u>Transport.</u> Permanent staff already received on VB, 7 trucks, 2 3/4 trucks, 2 cars and 2 H/Us. <u>Standing Orders for C.A.R.</u> These not made out yet, pending arrival. <u>Training Programme.</u> Not made out yet, also pending arrival of Training Directive yet received from Minis.

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	Remarks
Station	Families of CO and Adjutant in barracks. Billets for 10 officers and families found in ESTELINO. Trying to requisition large house to billet remainder of officers. No billets for families of NCO's yet found.
ss	Accommodated in barracks.
	In progress of construction in barracks.
	In progress of construction in barracks.
	<u>Transport.</u> Permanent staff already received on TE, 7 trucks, 2 L/Cs. Deficiencies 5 trucks, 2 cars and 2 L/Cs.
	<u>Standing Orders for C.A.R.</u> These not made out yet, pending arrival of CO.
	<u>Training Programme.</u> Not made out yet, also pending arrival of CO. No written Training Directive yet received from Ministry of War.

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
C.	Brief notes on progress made on: (a) Heating (b) Lighting	Central heating for offices, officers mess and club, hospital. Dependant upon whether ration of coal is granted. Stoves burning wood for bn and coy offices being installed. Hot showers for all barracks complete apart from a few fittings a few minor repairs. No preparations are being made for drying rooms. Lighting system complete less 20% bomb damaged buildings. Bulb in offices etc. in use at the present time. Also complete internal and external telephone system when work
D.	Percentage progress to date on provision of necessary: (a) Food Supplies (b) Fuel (c) Medical Stores (d) Sanitary Stores	Already authorised to draw rations for complete intake. Bread local civilian bakery. Still not confirmed that coal ration will be granted. Wood of contract for obtaining this appears to have been made up to the Sufficient to last first month has been indented for. Complete requirements indented for. NOTE: None of the above stores have been drawn yet since the completed and no storeman has arrived.

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	Remarks
Progress	Central heating for officers, officers mess and club, hospital and officers billets. Dependant upon whether ration of coal is granted. Stoves burning wood for bn and coy offices being installed. Hot showers for all barracks complete apart from a few fittings to be installed and a few minor repairs. No preparations are being made for drying rooms. Lighting system complete less 20% bomb damaged buildings. Bulbs only installed in offices etc. in use at the present time. Also complete internal and external telephone system when work is complete.
Progress to date necessary: Requirements Stores	Already authorized to draw rations for complete intake. Bread is to be made at local civilian bakery. Still not confirmed that coal ration will be granted. Wood obtained locally, no contract for obtaining this appears to have been made up to the present. Sufficient to last first month has been indented for. Complete requirements indented for. NOTE: None of the above stores have been drawn yet since the stores are not completed and no storeman has arrived.

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
B.1.	Have the following scales been received, and are the appropriate number of stores in proportion to the maximum number of men been received, or, if not, percentage to date: (a) Accomodation Stores (b) Training Stores (c) Arms & Ammunition (d) Clothing (e) Boots	100% ready for drawing at NAPLES. WIL. At present no requests have been made by C.A.R. Did what was wanted. They had received no allocation. C.A.R. request to know what type they will be getting, i.e. No scale received for this reason evidently. 3600 serials ready to be drawn at NAPLES - scale of clothing only 1 suit per man on present scale. 3600 ready to be drawn at NAPLES - 1 pair per man inadequate No scale for PT kit, shoes canvas etc.

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Item	Remarks
Drawing scales d, and are the number of stores to the maximum been received, percentage to date:	
ation Stores	100% ready for drawing at NAPLES.
ing Stores	NIL. At present no requests have been made by C.A.R. Did not seem to realize what was wanted. They had received no allocation.
Ammunition	C.A.R. request to know what type they will be getting, i.e. Italian or Allied. No scale received for this reason evidently.
ing	3600 serials ready to be drawn at NAPLES - scale of clothing inadequate in that only 1 suit per man on present scale.
	3600 ready to be drawn at NAPLES - 1 pair per man inadequate.
	No scale for PT kit, shoes canvas etc.

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Serial	Subject	Remarks
A.6.	General condition and state of readiness, i.e. percentage complete: (a) Cook Houses. (b) Latrines (c) Ablutions (d) Recreation Rooms (e) Institute (f) Messes	Prefabricated - 2 kitchens 1600 men. 10 Feb - buildings 50% 60% 80% 60% To be decorated and windows.
A.7.	Provision of: (a) Parade Grounds. (b) 30 yards Range (c) Other training facilities	1 main parade ground to be levelled off. 2 in barracks - site for open range found - work not yet Open Gym for first course, after first month closed gym. Lectures arranged in messes. Training also in messes when wet.

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Object	Remarks
Condition and state of, i.e. percentage Houses Work Buildings Entertainment rooms Latrine Shower	Prefabricated - 2 kitchens 1600 men. 10 Feb - buildings complete 50% 60% 80% 60% To be decorated and windows.
Work: 1. Grounds. 2. Barracks 3. Training 4. Office	1 main parade ground to be levelled off. 2 in barracks - site for open range found - work not yet begun. Open Gym for first course, after first month closed gym will be used. Lectures arranged in mess messes. Training also in messes when wet.

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C.A.R.

Serial	Subject	Remarks
A.1.	Name and location of Barracks (with A.R.)	Caserna Gen Berardi - AVELLINO (AR N6757)
A.2.	Maximum number that can be accommodated	4200
A.3.	Sleeping accommodation - number of: Single Bunks Double Bunks	4200 - iron construction None - Italians state that wood has to be used for double bunks as detrimental to the health of troops.
A.4.	Condition of buildings Percentage weatherproof	Modern Italian barracks, strong and well built. A good deal of but this is progressing quickly. One block holding about 550 men renovated except for windows for which the glass has now arrived. completion of interior decoration, painting, distemping, etc. considerable damaged by bombardment. By the end of Feb. 80% will be occupied, i.e. sufficient for first intake. At present 100% lack of glass in windows, this has now arrived. by bombardment waterproof. In other respects 100% weatherproof.
A.5.	Has satisfactory accommodation been found for : (a) Stores (b) Armoury	Yes - 2 large stores and 1 for rations, no amn stores - Coy stores Coy armouries - no armourers shop - no WE for armourers - no WE

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C.A.R.

	Remarks
on th A.R.)	Caserna Gen Berardi - AVELLINO (MR N6757)
that ted	4200
ation -	4200 - iron construction None - Italians state that wood has to be used for double bunks which harbour insects detrimental to the health of troops.
ildings	Modern Italian barracks, strong and well built. A good deal of renovation is required but this is progressing quickly. One block holding about 550 men already completely renovated except for windows for which the glass has now arrived. This includes the completion of interior decoration, painting, distemping, etc. Parts of the building considerable damaged by bombardment. By the end of Feb. 80% will be completed for occupation, i.e. sufficient for first intake.
herproof	At present 100% lack of glass in windows, this has now arrived. Roofs less 20% damaged by bombardment waterproof. In other respects 100% weatherproof.
en found	Yes - 2 large stores and 1 for rations, no am stores - Coy stores in each barracks. Coy armouries - no armourers shop - no WE for armourers - no WE scale of tools

VISIT OF GSO I TO BARI

1. My general impression of BARI is that it is more lively and active as an Italian military center than MARSA. Major Ferro and I visited the Territorial Hq., the inf bus, the GAR, CC.RR and a number of administrative installations. The infantry are in good barracks, and they carry out elementary training. They are not very progressive, and appear to be out of touch with modern military thought, but they have a basic of drill and discipline.
2. The GAR is in a good modern barracks, and the officer who is preparing it appears to be a real enthusiast. If all that he promises comes off, the GAR should be very good.
3. The CC.RR put on a ceremonial parade and march past. The infantry and cyclists were very smart, the cavalry and tanks were rather pathetic. The CC.RR appears to be satisfied; I cannot judge their value as police.

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10 HLU PROGRESS REPORT NO. 2.

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Land Forces Sub-Comm HQ (HLU) (4)

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1. DOMESTIC (HLU)

Staff List 10 HLU attached at Annex 'A'.

2. ITALIANLocation Statement and Order of Battle attached at Annex 'B'.
Staff List Italian attached at Annex 'C'.

PART II - "G"

3. ORGANISATION - ITALIAN(a) Territorial HQ.

The organisation of Territorial HQ reveals all the old faults of the Italian staff. The staff is over centralized, senior officers are given no scope and therefore no display of initiative. No officer other than the Chief and Vice Chief of Staff in the HQ seems to be interested in the work of a branch other than his own.

(b) 10 Inf Regt.

The three battalions comprising 10 Inf Regt are at present located, two in MILANO and one in SALIZADA. The Regt HQ is at SALIZADA. The Regt HQ is thus unable to exert any effective control over its battalions. Territorial HQ on being questioned on this matter admit that it is a bad arrangement, but state that it is the intention to move one bn to SALIZADA which will be commanded by 10 Inf Regt HQ. The remaining two battalions however remain at MILANO and SALIZADA respectively and will be commanded directly by Territorial HQ, although under the nominal command of 10 Inf Regt.

It should be noted that if this formation is ever to become a fighting unit in the true sense of the word, the territorial

Staff List 10 will attached at page 11.

2. ITEMS.

Location Statement and Order of Battle attached at page 11.
Staff List 10 attached at page 11.

PART II - "C"

3. ORGANIZATION - 100000.

(a) Administrative.

The on the 100000 is organized in several all the old
battalions of the Italian Army. The work is over centralized,
and the 100000 is given no scope and therefore action
is taken by initiative. No officer other than the Chief
and Vice Chief of Staff in the 100000 seems to be interested
in the work of a branch other than his own.

(b) 10 Inf Regt.

The 100000 has comprising 10 Inf Regt. is the at present
located, two in INFANTRY and one in INFANTRY. The 100000
HQ is at POSSESSO. The 100000 is then unable to exert
any effective control over its HQ. The 100000 HQ is
being mentioned on this matter that it is in a bad
position, but state that it is the intention to move
one to POSSESSO which will be controlled by 10 Inf Regt.
HQ. The remaining two are not however remain at POSSESSO
and INFANTRY respectively and will be controlled directly
by Administrative HQ, although under the personal command of
10 Inf Regt.

It should be noted that if this formation is ever to become
a regiment in the true sense of the word, the 100000
Commander must be given an opportunity to command his
battalions. The battalions themselves are at present
in great need of supervision, a recent visit having
revealed grave faults of administration and moral laxity
in command. (See para 3 (b))

4. REPLACEMENT OF TROOPS.

(a) At the 100000.

The five Infantry battalions at present under command of
HQ. 10 Administrative District have, during the month of
December, been entirely employed on guard duties.

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the three battalions in the MAMM3 area have been relieved by British guards during the month but Territorial HQ state that they have been forced to employ them on guards of their own, i.e. train guards, dumps etc., as they become available.

Territorial HQ state that they are doing all in their power to reduce the number of duties but now no prospect of doing so, especially as 1 M. 10 HQ is leaving the MAMM3 area.

The remaining troops in the Territorial area are service units and are employed in their normal functions.

(b) CC.HQ.

(1) Mobile in - MAMM3.

When on the 200 men stationed in MAMM3, the remainder are employed in Territorial at night in an endeavour to decrease "hold ups".

(2) The remainder of the CC.HQ. are carrying out their normal duties.

5. RECENT

(a) RECENT

(1) RECENT

Work has been started at the barracks at MAMM3 and is reported to be proceeding satisfactorily. Territorial HQ state that they are confident that they will be fully prepared to start training on 1 May.

A contingent and other for the MAMM3 have been mobilized. The contingent is now on a course at MAMM3 and is reported to be doing well during the course.

It is felt however that the Territorial is in debt regarding the need to have every detail arranged and rehearsed before the arrival of the first troops. When asked when they should start training for the recognition of troops, administration of the course etc. would be ready, it was stated that these would be prepared by the Government when he returned from his course (he is not expected back until 1 May) and the first intake is expected to start on 1 May.

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The remaining troops in the North Vietnamese are service units and are employed in their normal functions.

(b) CC. RE.

(1) Mobile in - HAINES.

There are 200 men stationed in HAINES, the remainder are employed on individual missions in an endeavor to become "lost men".

(2) The members of the CC. RE. are coming out their normal duties.

5. TRAINING.

(a) Army Long Course.

(1) The

Work has been started at the barracks at WILLIAMSON and is reported to be proceeding satisfactorily. Territorial units state that they are confident that they will be fully prepared to start training on 1 Apr 60.

A comment was made for the 1st Army base. The comment was that the comment was not on a course at WILLIAMSON and the comment was that the comment was not on a course at WILLIAMSON.

It is felt however that the comment was not on a course at WILLIAMSON and the comment was that the comment was not on a course at WILLIAMSON. When asked when they would begin for the recognition of troops, administration of the entire area would be ready, it was stated that these would be prepared by the comment which he returned from his course. (He is not expected back until 1 Feb, and the first intake is expected about 1/2 Feb). The comment of the 1st Army can appreciate the importance of the comment until his comment arrives.

(2) Other troops.

There has been virtually no training in the territorial area during the year. Territorial units are in the process of the comment outlined in paragraph (a) above.

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(i) Definition of the system on $L^2(\mathbb{R})$ and $L^2(\mathbb{R}^2)$.

(ii) Details of all cases are set forth in 2 copies of a report to the President.

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(c) Participations in other trusts and in controlled trusts

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The state of weapons and infrastructure. Not one single person was killed when the first nuclear war broke out.

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(4) Derivatives of the reaction rate with respect to the equilibrium constant are calculated.

(iii) Details of all cases (a) referred in a notice
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The state of resources was inadequate. But the situation was not what it was in 1970. There is no other to be no satisfaction for the state. There is no other to be no satisfaction for the state. There is no other to be no satisfaction for the state.

With conditions as described above it is not surprising that the State of Mississippi is poor and with a low standards of living in comparison with other States. There is no likelihood of any improvement. The State must be provided for. In the case of I. D. 10 let us to the State and let the State be a superior condition for the people.

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level and on stairs.

(c) Leave Problem.

petroleum leave in the Territorial District is at \$6. This quota is filled and the Territorial GO fund never quite satisfied that this is adequate.

The chief problem is that of transportation away the troops here. This minor problem for the military is in the transportation, and, unfortunately, no present plan to the individual of the troops is available, to not to, the troops must for the time being, the units.

(d) Pay.

The only real problem with pay is that it is inadequate for all ranks, and that allowances, when they are made, are actually paid the officer to be drawn, as a result. A case in point is that of the soldier as to the issue of pay; no allowance whatsoever is made for the family of a soldier. Only a small bonus, paying the soldier is made as necessary at the following rates:-

Widow	3 lire per day
Widow	2 lire " "
Widow	1 lire " "
Widow	2 lire per child
Widow	per day

and a bonus of 95 lire per family per month.

This question of pay is one of the most serious of discrimination throughout the army.

(e) Welfare.

In general, the morale of the Italian troops, who are now in Italy, is low. The chief reason for this condition is:-

(1) Both officers and men are underpaid, their very poor standard of living, and, especially, the very small allowances in their pay, the fact of children and illness, and, (2) the fact that the Chief of Staff.

(ii) The number of the officers who are paid with regard to their family allowances, the fact of children to be very small. (See also by the Chief of Staff)

(iii) The morale of the army, the fact, and the fact of the army, the fact, and the fact of the army.

(ii) Pay

The salary problem can be said to rest in that it is inadequate for all ranks, not that alienation, that they are paid, is directly related to the fact that they are alienated. It is the fact that they are alienated that is the problem. It is the fact that they are alienated that is the problem. It is the fact that they are alienated that is the problem.

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and a bonus of 25 lines per month for each.

When questions are asked in regard to the new system of administration, the answer is the same.

(c) Pay

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(vi) Military facilities are very poor. The best
example that has been seen so far is a small
room with a few tables and chairs and two
benches or long tables for a bar.
There are a few more of this kind of
for the provision of food and
entertainment. The only one is a small room
with a few tables and chairs and two
benches. This means that soldiers are
given all recreational facilities in their
way to the front to enable them to buy
for money to obtain the or to buy
new for themselves.

(vii) The state of morale appears to be lower
than that of the 1970s. Division when the
first time joined the 3. 1970s.
When we had been, just the first
were told some of what their was needed.
In 1970s the soldiers at all do not seem
to realize that there is a "war" in the
area of the front in the area.

(viii) General

There is no other really good but it is a
opinion that it is too to lack of supervision and
inadequate control than to be better organized in the
area of the front in the area.

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9. DISCUSSION

(a) General

Most of the material here is to be in the area of
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(b) Accommodation

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(44) The usage of regular operators for the domain
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rule above defined, that of is/are.
which has had them, for the reason
we will now explain, their own method.
In using the operator is/are do not have
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Some of the studies, and other valuable information, which is very much needed.

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There appears to be no question of maintaining the Jewish race.

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• **Question:** What is the difference between a **question** and a **problem**?

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PART I - SUMMARY

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1. DOMESTIC (LFLS)

- (a) Major Smeaton reported on 9 Jan from 11 LFLS to take over from officers going on leave and release until replacements arrive.
- (b) Major A.W. Garsden, GSO II, and Major J.E. Moore, DASHGIB, left the LFLS on 14 Jan. on release.
- (c) On 14 Jan. Capt. R.F.S. Lowe, RFLS officer to the LFLS met with a street accident whereby he was knocked over by a lorry causing him slight injuries for which he was admitted to 22nd General Hospital. Present information is that he will be discharged within a few days.
- (d) Capt. Murray, SUT officer is on tour visiting 9 LFLS and Italian depots in the LFLS, TASSATO and BRINDISI areas.

PART II - " "

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) The C.A.R. at MELLINO was visited last week by the GSO I (Trg) MFLA and GSO II of this unit and the following points were noted :-
 - (i) Constructional work appears to be progressing satisfactorily.
 - (ii) Site for a miniature range had been located but it was held in doubt as to whether the proposed ground for the open range was adequate and investigations are being made to find an alternative site.

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- (b) Major A.W. Galden, GSO II, and Major J.R. Moore, DACCOD, left the BLU on 14 Jan. on release.
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- (d) Capt. Murray, SGT officer is on tour visiting 9 BLU and Italian depots in the DASH, TACANTO and BRINDISI areas.

PART II - "G"

2. ITALIAN.

- (a) The C.A.R. at ATRIUM was visited last week by the GSO I (Trg) BLU and GSO II of this unit and the following points were noted :-
 - (i) Constructional work appeared to be progressing satisfactorily.
 - (ii) Site for a miniature range had been located but it was held in doubt as to whether the proposed ground for the open range was adequate and investigations are being made to find an alternative site.
- (b) Detailed information with regard to progress of C.A.R. will be given in the end of month report in accordance with "TRG" Progress Report asked for in your Q 001 letter of 14 Jan 46.

3. INTELLIGENCE.

On the 10 Jan. a demonstration was made in the centre of NILES by some 150 ex POW's demanding employment. The demonstrators were

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armed with sticks and looked capable of initiating a riot. They were badly organized however and were soon broken up by a section of American MPs and a stronger unit of Carabinieri. No further instances have been observed or reported since.

PART III - "A"

4. ITALIAN.

In accordance with para 6. III, "Italian" of your 31/1/5 of 27 Dec 45, attached at Annex 'A' is the return Summary and Deficiencies against W.I., III-III and III-III as at 31 Dec 45 for units of this Territorial Command. (See para 8(a) of 10 EUJ Progress Report No. 2 of 7 Jan 45)

NOTE.

(a) These figures are as submitted by Territorial Command and there is no method of checking their accuracy.

(b) Difficulty is still encountered in obtaining returns from Territorial Command on time.

5. OTHER POINTS.

Other outstanding "A", "A" and "B" points are being held back for the end of month report.

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4. ITALIAN.

In accordance with para 6. III, "Italian" of your SO/113 of 27 Dec 45, attached at Annex 'A' is the return Surpluses and Deficiencies against WE, III-ITI and BE-ITI as at 31 Dec 45 for units of this Territorial Command. (See para 8(a) of 10 LUU Progress Report No. 2 of 7 Jan 46)

NOTE.

- (a) These figures are as submitted by Territorial Command and there is no method of checking their accuracy.
- (b) Difficulty is still encountered in obtaining returns from Territorial Command on time.

5. OTHER POINTS.

Other outstanding "C", "A" and "Q" points are being held back for the end of month report.

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PART III - "A"

DEFICIENCIES & SURPLUSES AGAINST WE - IPI-ITI UNITS

As at 31 Dec 45

Serial	Unit	W E		Surplus		Deficient		Ratio
		OFrs	GRs	OFrs	GRs	OFrs	GRs	
1.	Territorial HQ	47	16	-	-	-	-	123
2.	Artillery Units	56	140	17	42	-	-	295
3.	Engineer Units	45	250	14	-	-	23	286
4.	Medical Units	237	1226	-	-	44	522	1121
5.	Commissariats	46	227	32	37	-	-	342
6.	Autoambulation	38	701	3	-	-	169	106
7.	Vet & Remount	19	34	-	-	3	3	44
8.	19 Inf Regt	230	2454	2	42	-	-	2527
9.	336 Inf Regt	24	116	-	-	9	9	122
10.	Miscellaneous	65	651	-	615	6	-	1122
	TOTALS	798	5875	75	736	62	726	6535

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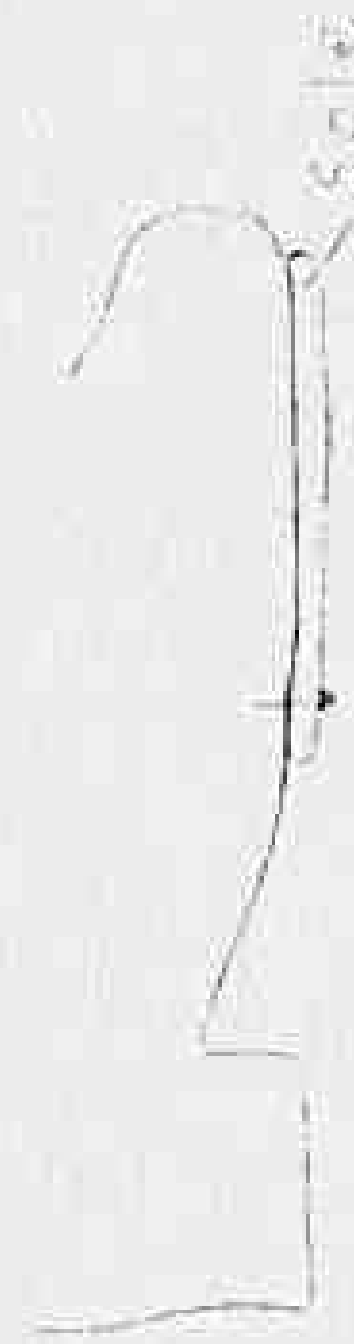
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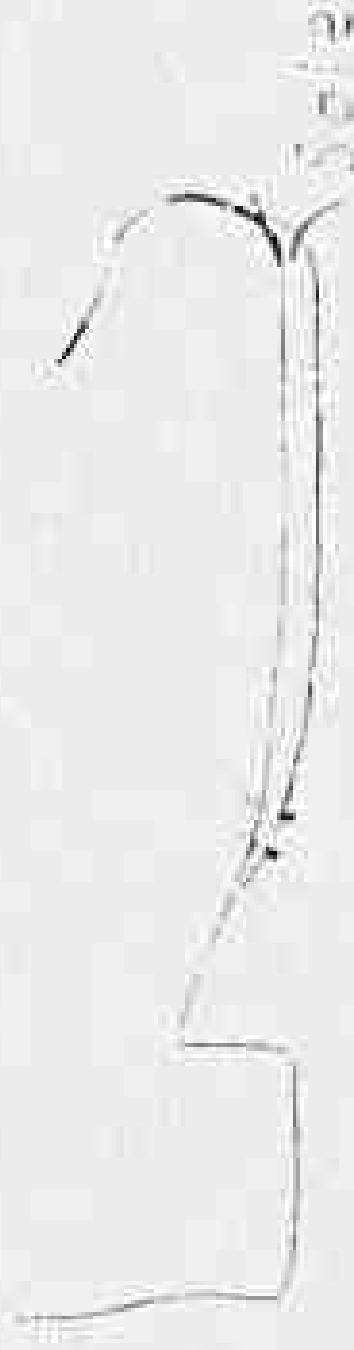
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Various activities are not available. It is possible
that in the interest and only to the extent. The staff
should think before they speak for the absence of interest
for all in the current situation.

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See the use of "And" and "Or" in the notes :-

- (iii) The Department will continue to monitor the situation.
- (iv) The Department will continue to monitor the situation.

in view of the above, we certain recommend, we to
5000 BUDHISTS have been visiting for 10 days in the
frontier camp. This would prove no difficulty at
not for the fact that they are of a very intelligent
disposition. This is further evidenced by the various
situation. We are having these men only very two
days visitors. There are usually employed as labor
reaching 10000. The Indian is in the interior, as
presenting in down, that the men in general are of a
settling character with some civilized features, which
is far below the city scale and they belong to a low
not had not for. It is therefore no wonder that
any nation be invited in India as that nation would
be able to supply the men to India. The two
colonies.

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is the case of further developments, there are not
as yet :-

- (1) By irregular sailing to the Pacific and/or war.
(44) The War Department will be able to see the
to the Pacific (approx. 1200 personnel).

In view of the above, on certain occasions, as to
5000 SUNDOWNING have been sailing for 10 days in the
transit on it. This will provide an indication of
not for the fact that they are in a very troublesome
disposition. This is further supported by the fact
situation. The fact that they are in a very
large region. There are usually around 5000
residing in the Pacific. The Pacific is a situation, at
present day time, that the sea is generally in a
condition of being all from various nations, which
is far below the average and only allows for the
average day day. It is therefore in a very
very position to be in a position of a very
be able to support the day to night, in a position
colony.

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LOCATION STATEMENT & ORDER OF BATTLE

Ser. :	Unit :	Location :	Remarks :
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1. 10 III (Type A) 10 III

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2. 10 Territorial III 10 III

III

- 3. 1 Bn. 60 Inf Regt "Calabria" 10 III
- 4. 3 Bn. 60 Inf Regt "Calabria" 10 III
- 5. 1 Bn. 10 Inf Regt 10 III
- 6. 1 Bn. 10 Inf Regt 10 III
- 7. 2 Bn. 10 Inf Regt 10 III
- 8. 3 Bn. 10 Inf Regt 10 III

APTV

9. 1 Bty. 152 Arty Regt 10 III

ENGAS

- 10. 10 Bn. 100 Territorial 10 III
- 11. 10 Bn. 100 Territorial 10 III
- 12. 10 Bn. 100 Territorial 10 III
- 13. 10 Bn. 100 Territorial 10 III

TFT

- 14. 10 Terr 100 Terr 10 III
- 15. 2 Efficient Vehicle 10 III
- 16. 10 Repair Unit (Plant 1) 10 III
- 17. 85 Ambulance 10 III
- 18. 10 POL Reserve Unit 10 III
- 19. 1 Recovery Section 10 III
- 20. 2 Mobile Park 10 III

END

- 21. 10 Medical Inspection 10 III
- 22. 10 Red Cross 10 III
- 23. 10 "Miracoli" 10 III
- 24. 10 Detach 10 III
- 25. 10 Detach 10 III

INF

3. 1 Bn. 60 Inf Regt "Colabaria" ✓
 4. 3 Bn. 60 Inf Regt "Colabaria" ✓
 5. Bn. 10 Inf Regt
 6. 1 Bn. 10 Inf Regt
 7. 2 Bn. 10 Inf Regt
 8. 3 Bn. 10 Inf Regt

ARTY

9. 1 Bty. 152 Arty Regt

ENGNS

10. 10 Bn. 60 Territorial Bn.
 11. 10 Bn. 60
 12. 110 Bn. 60
 13. 110 Bn. 60

TPP

14. 10 Territorial Bn. Coy
 15. 2 Territorial Bn. Coy
 16. 10 Territorial Bn. Coy
 17. 85 Territorial Bn. Coy
 18. 10 Territorial Bn. Coy
 19. 1 Territorial Bn. Coy
 20. 2 Territorial Bn. Coy

WED

21. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 22. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 23. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 24. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 25. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 26. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
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 34. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 35. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 36. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 37. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.
 38. 10 Medical Inspection Bn.

Ser. : Unit : Location : Remarks

COMMISSARIAT

39. 10 Comm Directorate Terr
RE.

40. 10 Supply Coy
MAGLARS

41. 10 Port Detachment
MAGLARS

42. 10 Food Dist Depot (Mag)
MAGLARS

43. 10 Filter Factory
MAGLARS

44. 10 Clothing & Equip Depot
MAGLARS

45. 10 Salvage Depot (Type B)
MAGLARS

46. 10 Bulk Barrac Storage Dep.
MAGLARS

47. 10 Bulk Barrac Storage Dep.
MAGLARS

48. 10 Repair Shop (Type B)
MAGLARS

49. 63 Food Dist Depot (Local)
MAGLARS

50. 64 Food Dist Depot (Local)
MAGLARS

51. 67 Food Dist Depot (Local)
MAGLARS

52. 68 Food Dist Depot (Local)
MAGLARS

53. Labour Coy (incl 10 M's H)
MAGLARS

54. 55.

VET & VET SUIT

56. 10 Vet & Veterinary Director-
ate. Terr Hq.

57. 10 Terr Vet Station
MAGLARS

58. 15 Terr Vet Station
MAGLARS

ARMY SERVICES

59. 10 Army Terr Hq.
MAGLARS

60. 1002 Detached Army Reg
MAGLARS

INRA SERVICES

61. 10 Line Clearance Zone Hq.
MAGLARS

62. Central Acquisition
Office
MAGLARS

63. Central Acquisition
Office
MAGLARS

64. 65.

REPAIRS

66. 10 Terr Impulse Directorate
MAGLARS

67. 68.

43. 10 Food Dist Depot (Dep) ✓
 44. 10 Military Supply ✓
 45. 10 Clothing & Equip Depot ✓
 46. 10 Salvage Depot (Type II) ✓
 47. 10 Bulk Barrack Stores Dep. ✓
 48. 13 Bulk Barrack Stores Dep. ✓
 49. 10 Repair Shop (Type II) ✓
 50. 63 Food Dist Depot (Local) ✓
 51. 64 Food Dist Depot (Local) ✓
 52. 67 Food Dist Depot (Local) ✓
 53. 68 Food Dist Depot (Local) ✓
 54. Labour Day (incl 10 (2nd Ed)) ✓
 55. ✓

VEH & EQUIPMENT

56. 10 Vet & Hospital Director-
 -etc. Veterinary ✓
 57. 10 Terr Vet Station ✓
 58. 15 Terr Vet Station ✓

ARMY SERVICES

59. 10 Army Depo (B) ✓
 60. 1002 Attached Army Ser ✓

INSTR SERVICES

61. 10 line drawing: one in ✓
 62. Central Acquisition ✓
 63. Central Acquisition ✓
 64. ✓
 65. ✓

REPAIRS

66. 10 Terr Repairs Directorate ✓
 67. ✓
 68. ✓

GOVERNMENT CONTROL

69. 601 Gov Control Area ✓

TRANSIT CONTROL

70. 1001 Gov Reception Centre ✓
 71. 1002 Gov Reception Centre ✓
 72. 1003 Gov Reception Centre ✓
 73. 212 Transit Depo ✓

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Seq. : Unit : Location : Remarks

MISCELLANEOUS

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| 74. | 11 Terr Depot | CAJON | |
| 75. | 12 Terr Depot | COSEAN, A | |
| 76. | 13 Terr Depot | AMALGAM | |
| 77. | 14 Terr Depot | VINO ALBERTA | |
| 78. | 15 Terr Depot | ALBERTA | |
| 79. | 16 Terr Depot | WINDING (CABINET) | |
| 80. | 17 Terr Depot | CANAL | |
| 81. | 18 Terr Depot | LOOTED B X | |
| 82. | 19 Terr Depot | CANAL | |
| 83. | 20 Terr Depot | VINO ALBERTA | |
| 84. | 21 Terr Depot | HALL | |
| 85. | 22 Terr Depot | A. A. LA 37 | |
| 86. | 23 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 87. | 24 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 88. | 25 Terr Depot | CANAL | |
| 89. | 26 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 90. | 27 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 91. | 28 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 92. | 29 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 93. | 30 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 94. | 31 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 95. | 32 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 96. | 33 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 97. | 34 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 98. | 35 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
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| 101. | 38 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 102. | 39 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 103. | 40 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
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| 117. | 54 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |
| 118. | 55 Terr Depot | LA 37 | |

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| 104. | 101 Division | CAJON | |
| 105. | 102 Division | COSEAN, A | |
| 106. | 103 Division | AMALGAM | |
| 107. | 104 Division | VINO ALBERTA | |
| 108. | 105 Division | ALBERTA | |
| 109. | 106 Division | WINDING (CABINET) | |
| 110. | 107 Division | CANAL | |
| 111. | 108 Division | LOOTED B X | |
| 112. | 109 Division | CANAL | |
| 113. | 110 Division | VINO ALBERTA | |
| 114. | 111 Division | HALL | |
| 115. | 112 Division | A. A. LA 37 | |
| 116. | 113 Division | LA 37 | |
| 117. | 114 Division | LA 37 | |
| 118. | 115 Division | LA 37 | |

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81.	18 Turb. Desert	CLARKSON
82.	19 Turb. Desert	CLARKSON
83.	20 Turb. Desert	VIDO, CLARKSON
84.	21 Turb. Desert	WATKINS
85.	22 Turb. Desert	S. L. CLARKSON
86.	23 Turb. Desert	WATKINS
87.	24 Turb. Desert	WATKINS
88.	10 All. Desert (Clarks 3)	WATKINS ✓
89.	25 All. Desert (Clarks 3)	WATKINS D. N.
90.	26 All. Desert (Clarks 4)	WATKINS
91.	27 All. Desert (Clarks 3)	WATKINS
92.	28 All. Desert (Clarks 2)	WATKINS
93.	29 All. Desert (Clarks 3)	WATKINS
94.	30 All. Desert (Clarks 3)	WATKINS
95.	31 All. Desert (Clarks 3)	WATKINS
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176.	182 All. Desert (Clarks 4)	WATKINS
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104.	10.	5 Division	10
105.	10.	5 Division	10
106.	10.	5 Division	10
107.	10.	5 Division	10
108.	10.	5 Division	10
109.	10.	5 Division	10
110.	10.	5 Division	10
111.	10.	5 Division	10
112.	10.	5 Division	10

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126. 23 Q1 Service Coy
127. 71 Q1 Service Coy
128. 242 Q1 Coy - 6 Sec
129. 242 Autieri Coy
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132. 714 4th Regt
133. It. Iner Army Welfare
Section AMH
134. 840 Static SL Coy
135. 471 Mobile SL Regt
136. It. Iner 5 Base Post Off.
137. Italian Provost Coy
138. It. Iner 6th 2nd Regiment
139. 10 It. Iner to IN Survey
Unit AM
140. It. Iner School Mech Eng.
141. 136 It 1st Factory
Type A
142. 173 Sig Coy HQ
143. 506 Line Section
144. 541 Line Section

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Following Line Secs
due for complete
disbursement on 6 Jan:-
501, 502, 503, 504, 505,
506, 507, 509, 510, 512.

145. 73 Iner 6th 3rd Dist.
146. 772 It. Art. Regt. Coy
147. 773 It. Art. Regt. Coy
148. 4 Special Top Coy.
149. 63 Forestry Coy
150. 104 1st 1st 1st
151. 1 Traffic Control Coy
152. It Iner to X Regt
Reception Camp

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MILANS
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132. 744. 4th Regt
133. It. Iner Army Medicine
Section Alpha
840 Stadio EL Coy
134. 474. 4th Regt
135. It. Iner 3rd Regt
136. 4 Italian Provost Coy
137. It. Iner 2nd Regt
138. 10 It. Iner to 1st Survey
Unit III
139. It. Iner School 1000 Regt.
140. 136 It. Iner
141. Type 4
142. 173 2nd Coy. Regt.
143. 505 Line section
144. 511 Line section
145. 73 Iner 2nd Regt.
146. 772 It. 4th. Regt. Coy
147. 773 It. 4th. Regt. Coy
148. 4 Special 1st Coy.
149. 63 Tormentary Coy
~~150. 1st Coy.~~
151. 1 Typical Central Coy
152. 14 Iner to 1st Special
Reception Coy
153. 63 IT INCA TO 30157

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NAPLES
PALERMO
TORINO

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MILANO
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Following Line Sees
due for complete
assignment on 6 Jan:-
501, 502, 503, 504, 505,
506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511.

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GENERAL STAFF

GSO I	1st Col.	A. W. GIBSON	Staff
GSO II	(2nd)	A. W. GIBSON	Staff

BRANCH OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL - 10 JUL 46

DAA & QMG	Major	E. A. ROBERT	Staff
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ST	Capt.	D. A. GIBSON	Staff
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Capt.	R. A. ROBERT	Int Corps
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Unit	Rank	Name	Appointment
Inze Factory	Col. Lt. Col.	D'Almeida Giovanni Corvillo Salvatore	Director Chief of Staff
History Commission Office	Col.	Corvillo Luigi	Chief of Office
Staff Room	Col.	D'Almeida Antonio	Secretary
23 Account Room	Col.	Corvillo Vincenzo	Secretary
615 Movement Control MIGRO CAMP 301	Col.	Corvillo Mario	Director

Rank	Name	Appointment
Col.	Dionisio Giovanni	Director
1st. Col.	Enrico Salvatore	Chief of Staff
1st. Col.	Enrico Lippi	Chief of Office
1st. Col.	Walter Antonio A. Lattini	Secretary
1st. Col.	Enrico Vincenzo	Commander
1st. Col.	Enrico Lippi	Director

Unit	Rank	Name	Appointment
17 Territorial Depot	Col.	Caruso Domenico	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Lojari Antonio	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	Trabiti Domenico	Chief of Staff
18 Territorial Depot	Col.	Triscia Carmelo	Commander
19 Territorial Depot	Col.	Carilli Giuseppe	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Limardi Riccardo	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	Rotondo Luigi	Chief of Staff
	Lt.Col.	Scarpa Mario	Chief of Staff
20 Territorial Depot	Col.	Trapani Domenico	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Costa Vincenzo	Chief of Staff
21 Territorial Depot	Col.	Tricci Carmelo	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Leone Giovanni	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	Albarola Roberto	Chief of Staff
22 Territorial Depot	Lt.Col.	Sibille Alfredo	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Maricello Giovanni	Chief of Staff
27 Territorial Depot	Col.	Postella Oscar	Commander
28 Territorial Depot	Col.	Marasco Michelangelo	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Marasco Sebastiano	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	Leone Giovanni	Chief of Staff
Units under Command			
10 Inf Regt	Col.	Pomerici Abrice	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Tucci Tancredi	Adjutant
1 Bn	Lt.Col.	Cabrerloglio Giulio	Commander
2 Bn	Lt.Col.	Troise Mario	Commander
3 Bn	Lt.Col.	Pratello Vincenzo	Commander

Rank	Name	Appointment	Remarks
Col.	Caruso Leonico	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tajeri Antonio	Second in Command	
Lt. Col.	Tadeto Vincenzo	Chief of Staff	
Col.	Tricci Carmelo	Commander	
Col.	Tricci Giuseppe	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Gerardo	Second in Command	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Luigi	Chief of Staff	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Mario	Chief of Staff	
Col.	Tricci Leonico	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Vincenzo	Chief of Staff	
Col.	Tricci Carmelo	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Carmelo	Second in Command	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Roberto	Chief of Staff	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Alfredo	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Giovanni	Chief of Staff	
Col.	Tricci Oscar	Commander	
Col.	Tricci Michelangelo	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Sebastiano	Second in Command	
Lt. Col.	Tricci Giovanni	Chief of Staff	
Col.	Tricci Abrile	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tucci Tancredi	Adjutant	
Lt. Col.	Tuberloglio Giulio	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Troise Mario	Commander	
Lt. Col.	Tratello Vincenzo	Commander	

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Unit	Rank	Name	Appointment
25 Military District REGGIO EMILIA	Col.	Scalone Attilio	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Falabano Federico	Chief of Staff
37 Military District COSENZA	Lt.Col.	Candinieri Agostino	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Ames Pietro	Second in Command
19 Military District CATANZARO	Col.	Ardiscono Gregorio	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Francillo Emilio	Chief of Staff
	Lt.Col.	Di Pace Arnaldo	Chief of Staff
21 Military District REGGIO C	Col.	Landicini Achille	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Forano Carmelo	Chief of Staff
Depots			
11 Territorial Depot	Col.	Lupis Orazio	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Paulisi Angelino	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	Begli Spositi Agostino	Head of Maintenance and Repair Office
12 Territorial Depot	Col.	Bugliori Ariano	Commander
	Lt.Col.	D'Andrea Riccardo	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	De Cola Francesco	Head of Records and File Office
	Lt.Col.	Rossi Giuseppe	Chief of Supply Dep
13 Territorial Depot	Col.	Montella Giovanni	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Catanzaro Alfredo	Chief of Staff
14 Territorial Depot	Col.	Tallandini Emilio	Commander
15 Territorial Depot	Col.	Lorenzo Leopoldo	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Carpentieri Federico	Head of File Office
16 Territorial Depot	Col.	Colfino Amedeo	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Del Prete Francesco	Chief of Staff
	Lt.Col.	Cicchi Arturo	Second in Command

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	Rank	Name	Appointment	Remarks
INTD	Col.	Scalone Attilio	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Pala-Bono Federico	Chief of Staff	
LA	Lt.Col.	Caudinieri Agostino	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Ames Pietro	Second in Command	
LARO	Col.	Arisciano Giovanni	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Pennatillo Emilio	Head of Staff	
	Lt.Col.	Ames Arnaldo	Second in Command	
C	Col.	Andicini Achille	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Barro Camillo	Chief of Staff	
	Col.	Lucia Oreste	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Paulini Angelino	Second in Command	
	Lt.Col.	Dogli Ercolito	Head of Records and Job Office	
	Col.	Tugliari Arnaldo	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	D'Andrea Riccardo	Second in Command	
	Lt.Col.	De Cola Francesco	Head of Records and Job Office	
	Lt.Col.	Mosai Giuseppe	Chief of Supply Dep	
	Col.	Montella Giovanni	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Catanzaro Alfredo	Chief of Staff	
	Col.	Tallandini Emilio	Commander	
	Col.	Lorenzo Leopoldo	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Carpentieri Federico	Head of Job Office	
	Col.	Colfino Amadeo	Commander	
	Lt.Col.	Del Prete Francesco	Chief of Staff	
	Lt.Col.	Cicala Arturo	Second in Command	

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Military Districts.			
27 Military District NAPLES	Col.	Iottola Guglielmo	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Carletto Michele	Chief of Staff
	Lt.Col.	De Petra Alfredo	Chief of Adj. Staff
	Lt.Col.	d'Aragona Gustavo	Chief of Administration
	Lt.Col.	Cappelli Antonio	Chief of Supply Office
	Lt.Col.	Donadio Ferdinando	Chief of Records Office
	Lt.Col.	Piccoli Pasquale	Chief of Supply Depot
	Lt.Col.	Piccoli Michelangelo	Chief of Staff
80 Military District NOLA	Col.	Carbone Scipione	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Volasso Vittorio	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	Pagnocco Carmine	Chief of Adj. Staff
	Lt.Col.	Serpico Antonio	Chief of Supply Depot
103 Military District Aversa	Col.	Salerni Francesco	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Calciopio Giuseppe	Second in Command
26 Military District Caserta	Col.	Barrao Paolo	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Bandiera Pasquale	Chief of Adj. Staff
	Lt.Col.	Carlate Domenico	Chief of Supply Depot
	Lt.Col.	Pace Guido	Chief of Records Office
39 Military District Salerno	Col.	Gentile Giuseppe	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Barela Mario	Chief of Adj. Staff
	Lt.Col.	Positano Enrico	Chief of Records Office
	Lt.Col.	Scioli Angelo	Chief of Supply Depot
50 Military District Avellino	Col.	Rosciano Domenico	Commander
	Lt.Col.	Ierro Pasquale	Second in Command
	Lt.Col.	Campanile Andrea	Chief of Staff

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Col.	Costola Guglielmo	Commander	
Lt.Col.	Carletto Michele	Chief of Staff	
Lt.Col.	De Petra Alfredo	Chief of Adj. St. Off.	
Lt.Col.	d'Aragnone Gaetano	Chief of Propaganda Office	
Lt.Col.	Cappelli Antonio	Chief of Prov. Office	
Lt.Col.	Donadio Fortunato	Second in Command	
Lt.Col.	Di Napoli Pasquale	Chief of Prov. Office	
Lt.Col.	Piccinini Edoardo	Chief of Staff	
Col.	Carbone Leopoldo	Commander	
Lt.Col.	Caluso Vittorio	Second in Command	
Lt.Col.	Pagnoni Cesare	Chief of Prov. Office	
Lt.Col.	Serpico Antonio	Chief of Prov. Office	
Col.	Salerno Francesco	Commander	
Lt.Col.	Valiercio Giuseppe	Second in Command	
Col.	Barbero Paolo	Commander	
Lt.Col.	Benziere Pasquale	Chief of Adj. St. Off.	
Lt.Col.	Barlato Domenico	Chief of Supply Depot	
Lt.Col.	Pino Guido	Chief of Prov. Office	
Col.	Centile Giuseppe	Commander	
Lt.Col.	Barola Mario	Chief of Adj. St. Off.	
Lt.Col.	Leandro Enrico	Chief of Prov. Office	
Lt.Col.	Scioli Angelo	Chief of Supply Depot	
Col.	Boscaino Domenico	Commander	
Lt.Col.	Lerro Pasquale	Second in Command	
Lt.Col.	Campanile Andrea	Chief of Staff	

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Unit	Rank	Name	Appointment
Artillery Directorate	Col./Art	Nasta Pasquale	Director
	Lt.Col.	Nastucci Vittorio	Vice Director
	Lt.Col.	Ceralesi Arduino	Head of Secretariat
	Lt.Col.	Soloneo Sebastiano	Head of Stores
	Lt.Col.	Calato Antonio	Unit of Artillery
	Lt.Col.	Savo Luigi	Head of Artillery
	Lt.Col.	Simonelli Francesco	Medical
	Lt.Col.	Pierrochino Luigi	Head of Artillery
	Lt.Col.	Med. Spagnuolo Vigorito	Director of Artillery
	Lt.Col.	Russo Giovanni	Head of Artillery
Engineer Directorate	Col.	Iassore Salvatore	Director
	Lt.Col.	Vaccio Giuseppe	Vice Director
	Lt.Col.	Donzelli Enrico	Head of Stores
	Lt.Col.	Grillentini Ottavio	Office
	Lt.Col.	De Luise Umberto	Head of Artillery
	Lt.Col.	De Sandoli Antonio	Head of Artillery
Medical Directorate	Col.	Persano Giacinto	Inspector
	Col.	Confalone Raffaele	Director
10 Hygiene Section	Lt.Col.	La Bruna Vittorio	Secretariat
	Col.	Raffei Luigi	Director
	Lt.Col.	Squillacciotti Raffaele	Director
	Lt.Col.	Ianelli Gabriele	Director
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Col. Art	Nasta Pasquale	Director	
Lt. Col.	Nastucci Vittorio	Vice Director	
Lt. Col.	Ceralesi Arturo	Head of Secretariat	
Lt. Col.	Solomonio Sebastiano	Head of Stores	
Lt. Col.	Debita Antonio	Head of Artillery	
Lt. Col.	Devo Luigi	Head of Artillery	
Lt. Col.	Simonelli Francesco	Head of Artillery	
Lt. Col.	Tiorentino Luigi	Head of Artillery	
Lt. Col.	Med. Spagnuolo Vignato	Director of Medical Services	
Lt. Col.	Busso Giovanni	Head of Army Supply Section	

Col.	Messora Salvatore	Director	
Lt. Col.	Vecchio Giuseppe	Vice Director	
Lt. Col.	Danzelli Enrico	Head of Stores Office	
Lt. Col.	Grillanti Attore	Head of Ordnance Section	
Lt. Col.	De Iulio Umberto	Head of Allied Requisitions Office	
Lt. Col.	De Santoli Antonio	Head of Ordnance Office	

Col.	Persano Giacinto	Inspector	
Col. M.	Cantalone Raffaele	Director	
Lt. Col.	La Bruna Vittorio	Secretariat	
Col. M.	Gaffei Luigi	Director	
Lt. Col.	Squillacciotti Raffaele	Director	
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STATE LIST OF ITALIAN OFFICERS

Unit	Rank	Name	Appointment	
10 Territorial Reg	Gen. Div	Romano Giuseppe	GOC	
	Col.	Giordano Nittore	Chief of Staff	Staff College
	Lt. Col.	Donato Vittorio	Vice Chief of Staff	Staff College
Increment	Gen. Brig	Musso Mario	Cmdr of Increment	
	Lt. Col.	Bila Guido	Att. to Increment	
	Lt. Col.	De Caro Guido	Att. to Increment	
Camp	Gen. Brig	Midotti Giovanni		
	Gen. Brig	De Roma Giovanni		
Arty Reg	Gen.	Sandini Aldo	GOC	
	Col.	Barza Francesco	Head of Department	
Engr Reg	Gen. Brig	Gracchi Gino	GOC	
	Lt. Col.	Lezza Luigi	Head of Department	Staff College
Op. Training & Mobilization Office	Lt. Col.	Sciappa Agostino	Head of Department	Staff College
Q Office	Lt. Col.	Costantino Angelo	Head of Department	Staff College
A O filed	Col. Tr.	Salerno Giovanni	Head of Department	
	Col. Art.	De Filippis Matteo	Head of Records	
	Col.	Astrovillo Napoleone	Personnel	
	Lt. Col.	Giardulli Ettore	of	
	Lt. Col.	Riccio Giovanni	branch	
Territorial & Miscellaneous Office	Lt. Col.	Fano Giuseppe	Head of Department	
	Lt. Col.	Piorillo Luigi	Personnel of	
	Lt. Col.	Vilanesi Antonio	branch	
Welfare Office	Lt. Col.	Vitale Carlo	Head of Department	
	Lt. Col.	Masola Augusto	Personnel of branch	

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STAFF LIST OF ITALIAN OFFICERS

Rank	Name	Appointment	Remarks
Gen. Dir.	Romano Giuseppe	GOC	
Col.	Giordano Ettore	Chief of Staff	Staff College
Lt. Col.	Donato Vittorio	Vice Chief of Staff	Staff College
Gen. Dir.	Tanno Mario	Comd of Increment	
Lt. Col.	Gilla Guido	Att. to Increment	
Lt. Col.	De Caro Oscar	Att. to Increment	
Gen. Dir.	Guidetti Giovanni		
Gen. Dir.	De Luca Giovanni		
Gen.	Scalza Aldo	Head of Department	
Col.	Forza Francesco		
Gen. Dir.	Granta Sino	Head of Department	Staff College
Lt. Col.	Forza Luigi		
Lt. Col.	Scialoja Agostino	Head of Department	Staff College
Lt. Col.	Costantino Angelo	Head of Department	Staff College
Col. Dir.	Salerno Giovanni	Head of Department	
Col. Art.	De Filippis Ettore	Head of Records	
Col.	Mastrorillo Napoleone	Personnel	
Lt. Col.	Cinqualdi Ettore	of	
Lt. Col.	Riccio Giovanni	branch	
Lt. Col.	Fano Giuseppe	Head of Department	
Lt. Col.	Piorillo Luigi	Personnel of	
Lt. Col.	Ilanese Antonio	branch	
Lt. Col.	Vitale Carlo	Head of Department	
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Ser	Type of Vehicle	Reg No.	Local -1000	Local -1000	Remarks
1.	Standard 5 cwt 4 x 4	W 5211227	E		
2.	Jeep Willys	W 5662552	E		In lieu of Car Light Utility
3.	Jeep Willys	W 5662575	E		
4.	Ford 15 cwt 4 x 2 GS	2 5428777	E		
5.	Forison 15 cwt 4 x 2	2 5343644		LR	
6.	Dodge 15 cwt 4 x 2	2 5319156		LR	Disposal Instructions Admitted
7.	Dodge 15 cwt 4 x 2	2 5337599	E		
8.	100 BSA 500 cc	0 5548015	E		
9.	SHIMANGLIN TOWNEHCE 3 ton (German)	51 GLE 354 - 1	E		Retention certificates submitted

Certified above vehicles are held on charge, that their condition is as stated and that all 412 and 43 106 have been inspected and found correct.

7 Jan 46.

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Tel 15744 NAPLES.
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MNTA (G Branch)

Copies to :- 9 BLU.
11 BLU.

Reference your G 37 dated 5 Dec 45.

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(c) POL.

No distribution problems have arisen to date. The present allocations made to the Italian Army are falling short of fuel required to meet the present heavy demands on transport and an additional allocation has been requested from Territorial HQ. NAPLES for December.

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5. REME.

10 Repair Unit are working as efficiently as possible at their present site, output 22 vehicles per week. They cannot be expected to improve on this on their present site.

Work has been stopped on the new site of 10 Repair Unit.

2 Mobile Park. The new site has been cleared, 3 semi-Ramney huts delivered at site are ready for erection. Work commenced on 2 wooden barrack huts for living quarters. Work is now stopped on instructions of a Col. BALANZINO, Director of Repairs, ROME, who states that unit may be moved to ROME.

6. 10 BLU DIRECTIVE NO. 1.

A copy of this directive, showing the present policy of 10 BLU, is forwarded herewith.

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