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AUG. 23, 1946 - JUN 28, 1947

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O. 23, 1946 - JAN 28, 1947

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SUBJECT : Western Z/S.

GHQ Fwd Ops Sec,
c/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/8
28 Jan 47
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
TRIESTE APO 2155

5 ELU
G (Ops) GHQ AFC
DAT (b) GHQ AFC

Ref 419 F33 Letter No 3/1 dated 17 Jan. Will you please comment on the lack of hand lamps at TARGELATO.

30 GEN 1947

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	W
DAA & C[illegible]	[illegible]
S. C. FEME	
S. C. S & T.	
S. C. C[illegible]	
C[illegible]	

J/wh

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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SUBJECT : Weekly SITREP.

GHQ Fwd Ops Sec,
c/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/G
28 Jan 47
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
TELEX AUTO 2455

G (Ops) GHQ CMF
5 HLO

Ref your 5790/3 dated 11 Nov.

Herewith a copy of G HQ letter No G 119/ dated 21 Jan and original sketches of exercise lay out of the 1 Armd Div.

Major General,
Chief of Staff.

30 GEN 1947

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SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CIE[illegible]	

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
VENEZIA GIULIA

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Telephone No.: 7888/77
Reference No.: VG/ANG/PW/201. /7447
Subject : ROAD BARRIERS AND SIGN BOARDS. WEST BOUNDARY OF VENEZIA GIULIA.

24th Jan.'47.

To :
GHQ Fwd Ops Sec.
(c/o 1 Armd Div.)

Ref. Para 4 - your letter 7020/[illegible] - dated 11 Jan 47.

1. State highway Engineer (USVS) informs that the present position of the road barriers are :

(a) - New barriers in place :

PODRESCA - 1
MISCECCO - 1
TAPOGLIANO - 1
VISINALE - 2

(b) - New barriers will be in place 1st Feb'47.

UCCEA - 1
STUPIZZA - 1
CHIOPRIS - 1
VILLANOVA - 2

(c) - Signboard are scheduled to be erected in place 5 Feb.'47.

PASSO DEL PREDIL - 1
PLATISCHIS - 1
UCCEA - 1
STUPIZZA - 1
CHIOPRIS - 2
PAPARIANO - 1

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2. When all barriers and signs are in place, we will again notify you.

T.R. BROWNLER
Capt. CMP
Highway Officer

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Ref. Para 4 - your letter 7020/3 - dated 11 Jan 47.

1. State highway Engineer (USVS) informs that the present position of the road barriers are :

(a) - New barriers in place :

[illegible]CA	-	1
[illegible]CCO	-	1
[illegible]GLIANO	-	1
[illegible]INALE	-	2

(b) - New barriers will be in place 1st Feb'47.

UCCEA	-	1
[illegible]TUPIZZA	-	1
[illegible]IOPRIO	-	1
VILLANOVA	-	2

(c) - Signboard are scheduled to be erected in place 5 Feb.'47.

[illegible] DEL PRADIL	- 1
[illegible]TISCHI	- 1
UCCEA	- 1
[illegible]TUPIZZA	- 1
[illegible]IOPRIO	- 2
PAPARIANO	- 1

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T.R. BROWNLEE
Capt. CMP
Highway Officer
For Chief P.M.Offr.

c/c
88 (US) Div.
5 BLU
419 PSS
2 (Ops) GHQ CMF
GSI (b)
File.

SEEN BY	
CSO I	
CSO II	
DSA & CMO	
S. C. [illegible]	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. Ord.	
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119 Subject : [illegible] - [illegible] Block No. 129

OSI(t) Gen (2)

Copy to :- [illegible] and. Div.
5 Inf
[illegible] Div.

O.Wks/Wind

Fly F a Section
Ref. 4/1

Ref is Owpa letter 13/1/4/2(b) of 21 JAN 47, and further to telecon [illegible] :-

1. [illegible] to incidents of note to report during routine visits of [illegible] to u/n posts during week ending 0ct 25 JAN 47

[illegible]

2. [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

B. The following general comments are forwarded for information.

[illegible]

As regards heavy main road traffic, this look post is not of any great importance but there are carriers which transport workers to and from [illegible].

Accomodation at Block Post. During the past few days this has been considerably improved. The old hut which was only big enough to accomodate two men, whereas four are required for night duty, has been superceded by one of much larger proportions. This contains a good stove and also a cupboard for arms in addition to a filing cabinet intended to hold the identity cards etc. of those people resident within 5 kilometres of the border.

Barracks. The billet, as a whole is very satisfactory and there is ample accomodation for the ten men who make up the detachment. Owing to this detachment being under the command of

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Equipment. There is an ample supply of weapons and these appear to be in excellent condition. The weapons of those who are not on duty must be kept in a rack bearing his name and number. The personal equipment is in very good condition and the uniforms of the troops are satisfactory.

Sanitation. Latrines, which are situated inside the valley are reserved, clean and compare very favourably with those at other Block Posts.

Personal Cleanliness. This is very good. Each man is required to wash and shave every morning and to keep his bed area. Beds must be folded and kits laid out in accordance with a diagram and at regular intervals the dormitories are inspected by the Commandant to ensure that this order is complied with.

Transport. Owing to there being only one truck, this being at the disposal of the I/C, who is at Jiroft, there is no transport of any description available for camp management.

Recreation. This is one of the few complaints of the men. Jiroft, the nearest town, is 5 kilometres distant and owing to transport they are obliged to walk. There is no radio or gramophone in the camp.

Morale. This is very high and discipline is well maintained. The men know their orders and do their job in a cheerful and satisfactory manner.

Good
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334.
Capt.
for O/C 1 C Section.

24 JAN 47

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G3D II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	

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SUBJECT:- Frontier Control

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: UDINE 1547
G/119/128
26 Jan 47

To: Fwd Ops G.H.Q.
c/o 1 Armd Div

Report from TOLMEZZO Bn 14 Jan - 21 Jan is forwarded.

Major,
G.S.O. II.

Fd
TK/rd

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" TORINESE" BN. COMMAND .

5 B. I. U. - UDINE -

NEWS REPORT FROM ROAD POSTS - 14 JAN.-21 JAN 47.-

ROAD POSTS	NATIONALITY	Persons rejected because of illegal documents			
		Foreigners		Italians	
		To V.G.	From V.G.	To V.G.	From V.G.
Passo del Predil		-	-	-	-
(Uccea) Passo Tanamea		-	-	4	1
Taipana(Platischis)		-	-	-	-
Stupizza		-	-	-	-
Cepletischis		-	-	-	-
Gr; Distacc.	Prepotto	-	-	34	35
" "	Villanova	-	-	179	121
" "	Topogliano	French	1	-	10	12
" "	Papariano	Slav	-	1	9	5

Most important news.

Companies of Jugoslav soldiers are in these days in Tolmino, S. Lucio and behind Mount Corada N.E. of Podresca. Said Coys change their place continuously with lorries whose lights are to be seen from Podresca. Purposes and position of said Units are unknown.-

At Sternizza 5 Km. North of Podresca the V.G. Civil Police has been reinforced by one platoon. During the daily hours the belfry of Maria Coelis church on the Corada, is used by slovene partisans as an observatory to control the movements in our zone.-

Nightly on Mount Corada signals with lights are noted.

Gobez Antonio ex slovene partisan, residing between Podresca and Mischis, made pro-slav propaganda. In these days having understood to be watched over by our soldiers has left the zone and has gone to Gorizia.

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Phrases enlogizing Tito and Jugoslavia have been written on the night 14 - 15 Jan. - by unknown on the walls of S. Pietro al Natisone.-

The British Military Police, checks, with the Alpini, the Allied cars which transport civilians from both the sides of the borderz.-

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8° REGGIMENTO ARTIGLIERIA
GRUPPO BATTAGLIONI "TOLMEZZO"

SCUOLA' POSTI BLOCCO DAL 14 GENNAIO AL 21 GENNAIO 1947.-

	TE- DE- SCHE VERTRETENE FRAUEN' NOT IN KOREA			
	ST-ATTI-I		ITALIANI	
	TE- LA V.D.	DALLA V.D.	TE- LA V.D.	DALLA V.D.
PASSO-TARVISIO	-	-	-	-
(UDINE) PASSO-TARVISIO	-	-	4	4
TARVISIO (TARVISIO)	-	-	-	-
UDINE	-	-	-	-
UDINE (UDINE)	-	-	-	-
COMANDO MILITARE ALLEATO E UDINE	-	-	34	35
COMANDO DIVISIONE AVIAZIONE	-	-	17	17
COMANDO DIVISIONE FANTERIA	1	-	10	12
COMANDO TRUPPE SPECIALI	1	1	9	9

- Comprendi... S.Lucia e che ... stanno cont... da Tolmezzo. ... parti.
- A Chiusaforte ... di Tolmezzo I... Di questo ... nero dei pe... mesi mili... Di Udine de... GUDES Anton... ha fatto dell... to della ... sono e di ... In notte ... scritte sui m... vie.-

- Le U.F. Ing... che trasporta... cine.-

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[redacted] ITALIANI

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8 Alpini Regt.

"TOLMEZZO" Bn Command

Memorandum for Major KITCAT - 5 B.L.O. UDINE

The stop of the lorry Dodge L. 44791474 referred in report dated 30 Dec - 5th Jan, was made in the night (21.30hrs of the 3rd of Jan).

The lorry went from Gradisca to S.Vito del Torre in order to take an orchestra.

The Italian soldier DELLA PIETRA Giovanni having not reconized whether the lorry was military or not, stopped it and, as he was not an expert at the service asked the two civilians for who were aboard in the lorry, for their documents.

One of them had his documents alright, the other had not got them, and the soldier asked him to come down, provoking the British driver's reaction who offended DELLA PIETRA.

The Italian soldier did not answer but took the number of the lorry.

The above named soldier had not to stop the lorry in accordance with his task, but he stopped it because of the darkness.

The report is forwarded as a mere information.

Lt - Col A. EGIZI.

Commanding the Bn.

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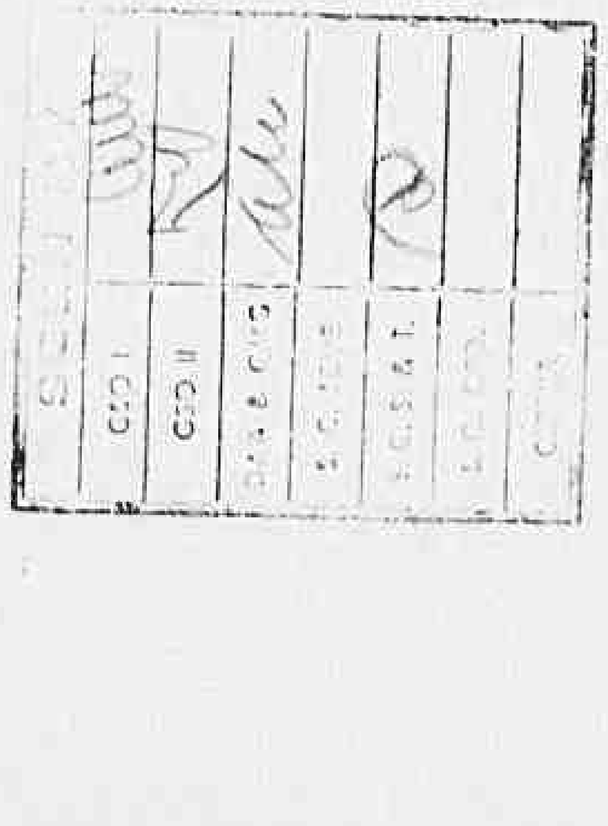
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G-2 (AAF)	
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are known to have no interest in this case that we do others
[illegible] could investigate members of the embassy staff whose
names could mention Lattimore's name that can clear through us
speed.

This message is very confidential and extreme discretion
will be forwarded when available.

FT [illegible] ST

[illegible]
Lt.
[illegible] Section.

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SUBJECT:- Frontier Control

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1547
Q/119/124
22 Jan 47

To: Fwd Ops G.H.Q. C.M.F.
c/o 1 Armd Div

1. Copy of report from TOLMEZZO Bn, 30 Dec to 5th Jan is forwarded.

2. Ref Para 3 of the notes. The unauthorized stopping of the Allied Truck is being taken up with the TOLMEZZO Bn.

Major,
G.S.

for Lt - Colonel G.S.

Fd
TK/rd

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Subject:- Frontier Control.

5 British Liaison Unit
Zeist
6/119/123
20 Jan 47

To: Det 000, Utrecht
c/o 1 Cdn Army

Reference ... of report from ... to ... dtd ... 45 refers.

Major,
G.S.

for Lt-Colonel, G.S.

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SS REGGIMENTO ALPINI
GRUPPO BATTAGLIONI "TOLMEZZO"

NOVITA' POSTI BLOCCO DAL 6 GENNAIO AL 13 GENNAIO 1947.- AL

POSTI BLOCCO NAZIONALITA'	PERSONE RESTITUITE PERSONE NON IN REGOLA			
	CARABINIERI		ITALIANI	
	PER LA V.G.	DALLA V.G.	PER LA V.G.	DALLA V.G.
PASSO PRIEIL.....	-	-	-	-
CUNEA	-	-	-	-
KLAUSEN.....	-	-	-	-
SVIZZERA.....	-	-	-	-
CHIASSO.....	-	-	-	-
UFFICIO DIST. PINEROLO.....	-	-	-	-
UFFICIO DIST. VILLANOVA.....	-	-	44	38
UFFICIO DIST. TORRE PELLICE.....	-	-	23	10
Ungheresa.....	1	-	-	-
UFFICIO DIST. SARMIANO.....	-	-	19	7

NOTIZIE VARIE

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CC REGGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

ERALE AL 1 GENNAIO 1945.- AL 5° B. L. U. PRESSO COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI
U D I N E

E RICEVUTE DA LA PECORA
LEANT
PER LA VALLE
.C. . .

NOTIZIE VARIE: Nella zona "A" (Lusco,Caporetto,Bergogna) vi è un gran fermento per l'avvicinarsi della data della firma del trattato di pace.

Nella zona di Lusco è stato segnalato(notizia da accertare) la presenza del xxxx noto filo-slavo Mario Strauliz da Cloding di Grimacco e di alcuni suoi elementi .

Molti civili -in previsione che la Valle dell'Isonzo passi alla Jugoslavia- si preparano a sfollare in Italia e più particolarmente della zona di Bergogna.

Viene segnalato che emissari hanno distribuito un messaggio di Tito diretto alle popolazioni della Valle dell'Isonzo.Nel messaggio la popolazione viene invitata a non trasferire beni dalla zona e a non rifugiarsi in Friuli.Vengono esaltate le ampie conquiste che sono state fatte sotto il nuovo regime.Nel messaggio è pure detto che il 10 febbraio le truppe jugoslave occuperanno la zona e si invita la popolazione ad accoglierle festosamente.-

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23	10
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C. REGG. ALPINI * Gruppo * Battaglione Tolmezzo

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SEEN BY:	
GSO I	
GSO II	
G&A & CMO	
S. C. FIN'E	
S. C. S. & I.	
S. C. CMD.	
CLERKS.	

FROM GSI(B) GHQ CMF 150930A

TO GHQ [redacted] FWD OPS SEC C/O 1 ARMD DIV

INFO 5 BLU - 419 FSS

OSH BT

CG229 GRCL. SUBJECT WESTERN EDY VENEZIA GIULIA. REF YOUR SIGNAL OF 4 JAN 419 FSS REPORTS HITHERTO SUBMITTED TO GSI 1 ARMD DIV. [redacted] WEF 17 JAN COPY OF WEEKLY REPORT WILL BE SENT TO YOU.

BT

SENT CRM B 2

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16 DEC 1947

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
VENEZIA GIULIA

Telephone No.: 7888/77 — 14th Jan '47.
Reference No.: VG/AMG/PW/201.
Subject : SIGN BOARDS AND ROAD BARRIERS WEST BOUNDARY OF VENEZIA GIULIA.

To : U.S.V.S. (Attn. Engr. Alquati.)

1. Further to our letter Ref. VG/AMG/PW/201 - dated 3 dec.'46, we list the following locations, where sign-board are required, and where barrier are broken or missing.

Locations	Sign Boards	Barriers (Missing or broken)
Passo, Predil	1	
Platischis	1	
Uccea (Taipana)	1	1 broken
Podresca		1 missing
Stupizza	1	1 broken
Visacecco		1 missing
Visinsle		1 broken
Chiopris : north	1	
south	1	1 broken
Tapogliano		1 broken
Paparisno	1	
Villanova		1 missing

2. All work as stated in letter Ref. in para 1 still applies. The additional work contained in the above list shall receive high priority, treated as urgent, and finished without delay.

3. If a further supplemtal project is necessary submit same.

4. You are to notify this office immediately upon completion of the total work.

F.B. Bramble
F.B. BRAMBLE
Capt. CMP
Highway Officer
For Chief P.W.Offr.

Copies to : GHQ Fwd Ops Sec, c/o 1 Armd Div. # 88 (US) Div # 5 BDE # 413 PSS # G (Ops) GHQ CMP # G31 (b) # c/c

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SECRET :- Western Boundry of VENEZIA GIULIA
GSO I
GSO II
D&A & C/S
S. G. [illegible]
S. G. S. R. I.
S. C. O. [illegible]
[illegible]

GHQ Fwd Ops Sec
c/o 1 Armd Div
7020/G
13 Jan 47

(Ops) GHQ CMF

5 BDU

(b) GHQ CMF

1. Herewith a copy of 5 BDU letter No G/119/109 dated 7 Jan, less the copy of the letter from [illegible] plus an additional sketch. The question of [illegible] boards and barriers will be taken up with [illegible].

5 BDU only

2. When do you anticipate that the course will be operating in accordance with G(Ops) GHQ letter No 5790/G dated 28 Oct?

3. Will you please ensure that all correspondence addressed to this office is sent in triplicate so that copies may be filed to GHQ for [illegible].

GHQ (b) only

4. It would be useful to know whether action as detailed [illegible] in accordance with para 4 of G(Ops) GHQ letter No 5790/G dated 28th October has been taken or [illegible] this instruction has [illegible] been kept out of [illegible] incident through undue - use - [illegible] channels.

For Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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G2 Section Clerks

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SUBJECT :- Frontier Control

5 British Liaison Unit.
Tele : UDINE 1547
G/119/109
7 Jan 47.

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CHQ Fwd Ops Sec.
c/o 1 Armd Div
- - - - - - - - -

Forwarded is

1. Copy of letter from CO Tolmezzo in regarding the latest form of V.F. communications and sketch.

2. A report of an incident at CESSON. (a letter from SS US Div sent to FRENCH Bureau and then forwarded to this HQ and since returned refers. This report is forwarded to you to forestall any queries arising).

3. Report on s gn barrds and barriers, for action by ...

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JK/mb

Major,
G II.

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[illegible] REGIMENT
"Folgore" Sil Command

Memo for Maj. [illegible]
S.I.M.I. Udine
- - - - - - - - - - -

Subject:- Trouble at Cusson (Miscesco) on 26 Nov 46.

1. The trouble occured on the 26 Nov is true, but exaggerated by the explanation made to the American Police by the Cpl. PEDRUCCI i/c of the Post.

2. Shooting went on during the night time but as many as PEDRUCCI reported, caused by persons who had in mind to steal cattle, from the farmers of Prepotischis Fraction.

3. The Cpl. PEDRUCCI intervened with the support of other soldiers and shot various thompson's cartridges against a man who was escaping and who did not stop when it has been ordered to him to so, without to hit him.

4. After a few hours the American Police arrived on the spot and Cpl. PEDRUCCI - excited by the occurence - he reported that he was short of ammunition and weapons, so that the American patrol went to S.Pietro al Natisone and asked to the 2nd Coy under which the Road Post comes under, an automatic rifle and 2 ammunition boxes and brought them to Cusson.

5. The assert on of Cpl. PEDRUCCI that he was short of ammunitions was not true because the Road Post had :
400 cartridges for each automatic rifle (1 musket)
150 cartridges for each man armed with rifle (9 riflemen)
4 hand - grenades for each man
corresponding to 1/2 Coy.

6. The Road Post fired, only 40 shots with the thompson during night time.

7. The assertion that the Bn and the Coy had not sufficient weapons and ammunitions to issue to the Road Posts, was due to a misunderstanding between the Coy C.O. and the American patrol. The Bn was receiving in that time the British equipment which was under distribution to the Road Posts.

8. To-day, not as a consequence of the trouble arisen as above mentioned the Road Post of Cusson, as all others have been supplied, besides their allocation, as said in para 5, with
1 automatic rifle BREN with 1000 rounds (total 3)
2 other automatic muskets with 400 rounds each one

Cpl. PEDRUCCI has been replaced by another NCO due to his fearful conduct.

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The 2nd Coy Commander had a disciplinary remark for not having informed immediately the Bn C.O. about the occurence.

Bn C.O.
Sgd: .. Lgnt. Lt Col.

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"[illegible]" Bn Command

No. 13429/8 2 Jan 47

Subject:- Barriers and Sign Boards at the Demarcation Line.

5 B.L.U. Udine

The following sign boards and barriers at the frontier are missing :

Locations	Sign Boards	Barriers (missing or broken)
Pasue, Predil	1	
Fleischitz	1	
Ucea (Tarvisio)	1	1 broken
Fodresca	1	1 missing
Staplaza		1 broken
Maceseno		1 missing
Vbaccio		1 broken
Chiapcian	1	
[illegible]	1	1 broken
		1 broken
[illegible]	1	
[illegible]		1 missing

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Bn C.O.
Sgd) A. [illegible] Lt Col

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S. C. S & T.	
S. C. OSD	
CI STAFF	

SUBJECT: Replies to Comments of Weekly Cable

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CINCUSARPAC

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CINCPAC Fwd Ops Sec

c/o 1 and Div

7020/0

11 Jan 67

Tel to 1 and Div on 10 Jan 67 (2:55 PM)

1. It is a copy of [illegible] letter no 13820/0 dated 2 Jan 1 noting the route on the Eastern Sdy of [illegible] where a/craft are missing and barriers are broken/missing. Will you please take early action.

2. You will note that this attachment includes reference to those points already mentioned in my letters 7020/0 dated 15 Nov and 2 Dec.

3. The requirements specified in para 4 and 5 of my 7020/0 dated 19 Nov will still apply.

4. Will you please give estimated date of complet on of this task. Your VQ/[illegible]/201/[illegible] dated 7 Jan refers.

[illegible]
Maj USAF
for

CHIEF OF STAFF.

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TRANSMITTED

8 ARMY HEADQUARTERS
"Giarabub" in Command

No. 13429/8

Subject:- Barriers and Sign Boards at the Demarcation Line.

5 H.A.D. Udine

The following sign boards and barriers are reported on the Frontier Line allocated :

Locations	Sign Boards	Barriers (missing or broken)
Passo Predil	1	
Platischis	1	
Ucces (Chiapani)	1	1 broken
Pedrosso	1	1 missing
Stupizza		1 broken
Mecceeco		1 missing
Vizarnis		1 broken
Chiopris : north	1	
south	1	1 broken
Tapogliano		1 broken
Papariano	1	
Villanova		1 missing

Hr. C.C.
S.O.: [illegible] 12 Col.

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Telephone No.: 7808/77
Reference No.: Vu/ A/T /201./ 662. 7th Jan 47
Subject : ERECTION OF RC B BARRIERS.

To : HQ 2nd Ops Gps, c/o 1 Armd Div.

1. Reference your letter 7020/3 dated 2 Jan 47

2. This file check was made with Chief Engr. of D. .V. . on above subject. The data is that fabrication will be complete by 11 Jan 47 and erection should be complete 18 Jan 47

3. This office will follow thru on the work and give you notification when fully completed.

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Capt.
[illegible]
for Chief . . Offr.

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HEAD QUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
VENEZIA GIULIA PROVINCE

To : GHQ Fwd Ops Sec
c/o 1 Arm Div — 10 Jan 47

Copy to : CE GHQ CMF.
: V5 ELU.
: 8 (One) GHQ CMF.

Subject : Western Bay of Venezia Giulia.
Public Works.

File No : P.W/R/254

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1) - Ref your 7020/3 2 Jan 47 the matter of the bridges has been taken up directly with H 3 BB (U.S.) Div. who initiated it.

2) - Delay has been caused through the impossibility of carrying out work in concrete masonry during the frost. A request for the consideration as to whether Bailey Bridges can be supplied has been made through CRE 13 Corps Troops, while as an alternative, plans for temporary wooden bridges are being prepared.

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DAA & QMG	
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A. G. I. SAUL Captain,
A. .G. Public Works Officer
For H. B. BRIGHT Lt. Col.,
Provincial Commissioner.

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FROM GHQ FWD OPS SEC C/O 1 ARMD DIV 111250A

TO GSI (B) GHQ

INFO 5 BLU G (OPS) GHQ

QSH BT

FOS 206 . UNCLASS .

SUBJECT WESTERN SOY VENEZIA GIULIA . REF G(OPS) GHQ

LETTER 5792/G OF 16 DEC NOT TO 419 FSS .

NO REPORTS RECEIVED FROM 419 FSS AS YET

BT 111250A

SENT MR 115225 GMT AB B K

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CIC [illegible]	

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8 Alpini Regt.
TOLMEZZO Bn HQ.

11 Jan 47. — 5 B.L.O. UDINE.

News Report of Road Blocks from 30 Dec 46 to 5 Jan 47.

Persons rejected owing to their documents not in order

Road Post	Nationality	Foriginers Bound to V.G.	Foriginers From V.G.	Italians Bound to V.G.	Italians From V.G.	Most Important News
Passo Predil		-	-	-	-	
Uccea		-	-	-	-	
Platischis		-	-	-	-	
Stupizze		-	-	-	-	
Ceplitischis		-	-	-	-	
Gruppo Dist Prepotto		-	-	2	3	
Gruppo Dist Villanova	Greek	1	-	100	50	
	Slovenic	6	-	-	-	
	French	7	-	-	-	
Gruppo Dist Topogliano	French	1	-	21	23	
Gruppo Dist Papaziono		-	-	5	7	

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Most Important News.

1. On the 2nd inst at 2200hrs unknown persons fired several times with machine guns from A Zone at servicemen in service at the road block of UCCEA- No casualty

2. Two fords have been done at North and South of ALBANA bridge in order to allow the vehicles transit. C.I.C. CIVIDALE has been informed and he has made a descent.

3. Informers of V.G. Civil Police noticed the presence of communist propegandists coming from EMILIA. Investigations have reached no result.

On the night of 3 Jan 47 an Allied car crossing the road block of TOLOGLIENO with a civilian has been stopped by the servicemen on duty.
At the request of civilians documents the British driver answered aduses. The soldier got the number of the car: DODGE No 2 44791474 from GRADISCO: the civilian came down from the car. 419 F.S.S. of CERVIGNANO has been informed.

4.. Slav and Pro-TITO propeganda is very active at PAPARIONO, FINMICELLO and VILLA VICENTINA, owing to the workers activity: these workers are employed at MONFALCONE dock-yards and divulge Slav news papers and news.

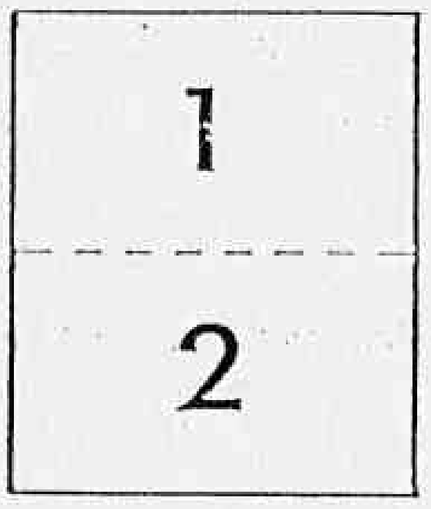
A large influence of V.G. POLICEMEN is listed from the road block of PONTE DI PIERIS with the purpose of checking cars, several ofthem have been detained in "A" Zone (in the PONTE DI PIERIS neighbourhood).

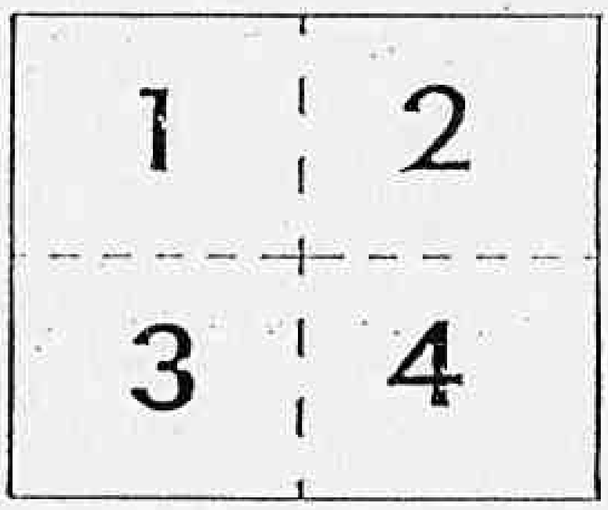
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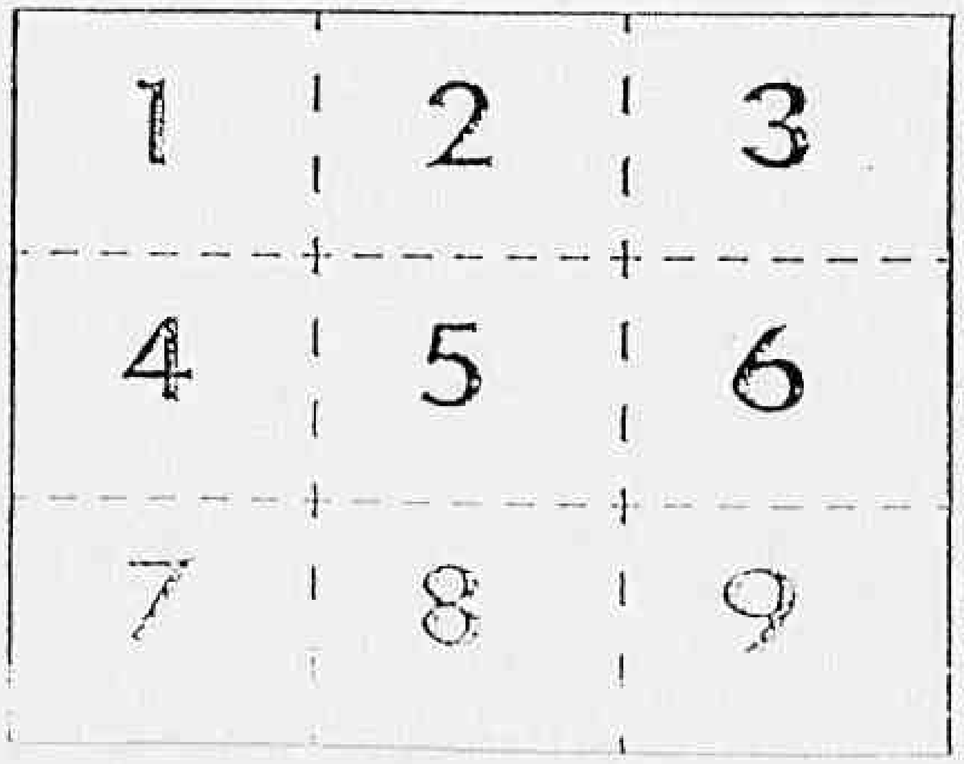
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ON ONE EXPOSURE ARE FILMED CLOCKWISE
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LEFT TO RIGHT, AND TOP TO BOTTOM.

SEE DIAGRAMS BELOW.







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3° REGGIMENTO GENIO
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TORMENTO"

NOTIZIE POSTI BLOCCO DAL 30 DICEMBRE 1946 AL 5 GENNAIO

POSTI BLOCCO	NAZIONALITA'	PERSONE RECAPITATE PERCHE' NON IN REGOLA			
		STRANIERI		ITALIANI	
		PER LA V.G.	DALLA V.G.	PER LA V.G.	DALLA V.G.
PASSO PREDIL		-	-	-	-
UCCEA		-	-	-	-
RAIBL		-	-	-	-
TARVISIO		-	-	-	-
CHIUSAFORTE		-	-	-	-
GRUPPO DIST.TRIESTE		-	-	2	3
GRUPPO DIST.VILLANOVA	Greca	1	-	100	50
	slovena	6	-	-	-
	francese	7	-	-	-
GRUPPO DIST.CIVIDALE	Francese	1	-	21	23
GRUPPO DIST.PALMANOVA		-	-	5	7

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DA REGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "EDOLO"

Al Comando 5° B. L. Alpine

DAL 30 DICEMBRE 1946 AL 5 GENNAIO 1947 . -

TRUPPE REGOLARI PERSE' NON IN BATTAGLIA				MONTAGNARDI
SERVIZIO		ITALIANI		
PER LA	VALLA	PER LA	VALLA	
M.C.	V.C.	"	V.C.	

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- Il giorno 2 corr; alle ore 22 ignoti hanno sparato varie raffiche di arma automatica da zona A contro militari in servizio alla sbarra stradale di Ucceo.
Nessuno ferito.-

- A nord e a sud del ponte di Alpe sono stati scoperti due quadri per brillato micce-i.E' stato avvertito il C.I.C. di Cividale, che ha provveduto per un sopraluogo.-

- Informatori della P.Civile della V.G. avevano segnalato la presenza di propagandisti comunisti provenienti dalla Carnia.Ma informazione non si è potuto ottenere nessun risultato.-

- La sera del 3/1/47 una sentinella addetta temporaneamente per il P.P. di Tarcetino con un civile a bordo è stata ferita dal soldato di servizio.Alla richiesta dei documenti del civile,l'ufficiale inglese interveniva con parole offensive.Il soldato prendeva allora il numero della macchina:DODGE N°3.4479474 con sede Gradisca e faceva scendere il civile.Si è provveduto ad informare il Comando 41° Gen. S.S. di Cervignano.-

- giorno 4/1/47 alle ore 23:una macchina inglese nella via Palmanova del distaccamento civile e in fiamme.Gli autori ignoti.-

- XXXXXXXXXXXXX La propaganda slava e quella filo-titina è sempre attiva a Faedis,Tarcetta e Ville Tiarutini, per opera degli operai, ritirati nei vicini paesi,che lavorano nel cantiere di Monfalcone e che ritornando a casa divulgano notizie e giornali slavi.-

- Grande affluenza delle zone A degli agenti della V.G. al P.P. di Ponte Pietra per controllo macchine,a diverse co-

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PASSO PREDIL		–	–	–	–
TOGLIA		–	–	–	–
MALBORGHETTO		–	–	–	–
MALBORGHETTO		–	–	–	–
CHIUSAFORTE		–	–	–	–
GRUPPO DIST.TRIPOLI		–	–	2	3
GRUPPO DIST.VILLANOVA	Greca	I	–	100	50
	Sloveni	6	–	–	–
	Francesi	7	–	–	–
GRUPPO DIST.TARCENTINO	Francesi	2	–	21	23
GRUPPO DIST.PAPARIANO		–	–	5	7

ALPINI ★ U° RUGA ★ Battaglione Tolmezzo

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- Il giorno 2 corr; alle ore 22 ignoti hanno sparato varie raffiche di arma automatica da zona A contro militari in servizio alla sbarra stradale di Ucces.
Nessuno ferito.-

- A nord e a sud del ponte di Albano sono stati costruiti due guadi per eventuale rafforzamento. E' stato avvertito il C.I.C. di Civitavecchia, che ha provveduto per un sopraluogo.-

- Informatori della P.Civile della T.S. avevano segnalato la presenza di propagandisti comunisti provenienti dalla Emilia. Da indagini fatte non si è potuto ottenere nessun risultato.-

- La sera del 31/1/47 una pecorina alleata bruciata per il F.T. di Torgiano con un civile a bordo è stato fermato dal soldato di servizio. Alla richiesta dei documenti per il civile, l'addetta inglese interveniva con parole offensive. Il soldato prendeva allora il numero della vettura: BCBE N°2.447471 con sede Gualdo e faceva scendere il civile. Si è provveduto ad informare il Comando 419 Sez. C.S.C. di Cerveteri.-

- giorno 4/1/47 alle ore 23: una vettura inglese nella vicinanza del distaccamento si rovesciò e in fiamme. Gli ospiti rimasero illesi.-

- La propaganda slava a quella filo-titina è sempre attiva a Paganico, Pianiello e Villa Tiberina, per opera degli operai, bitolli nei quali vi è, che lavorano nel cantiere di Roccalbegna e che ritornando a casa diffondono scritte e giornali slavi.-

- Grande affluenza della zona A degli agenti della T.S. al F.T di Ponte Fierro per controllo veicoli, e diverse sono state sequestrate, sempre però nella zona A (provenienti da Tivoli).-

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8 Alpini Regt
Tolmezzo Bn HQ.

No. 180/8 — 9 Jan 47.

SUBJECT:- Service at Road Blocks.

Comando Compagnia Comando
2nd 3rd Compagnia
5 B.I.M. UDINE

The enclosed form "D" of the Road Blocks is forwarded

The enclosed form "D" is substituted to the Guard Duty in force- and is distributed to all Road Blocks.

Signed A. Egidi Lt. Col.
Bn Commander.

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A. C. ORD.	
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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
- 61° BTG. M.T.G.L.IERE COLLEGNO -

n° 20/4 di prot. 11 GEN 1947 Loverie lì 9 gennaio 1947.-

O G G E T T O : Servizio ai Posti Blocco.-

AL COMANDO COMPAGNIA COLLEGNO o 2° o 3° COMPAGNIA
AL 5° R.A.U. DEL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI

LORO S E D I
U D I N E

Invio l'allegato 2 alla consegna ai P.B.

Sostituisce il pari allegato alla consegna in atto - ed in distribuzione a tutti i Posti Blocco.-

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIO NE
- ten.Col.Alfredo Sgima -

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
— Comando Battaglione Tolmezzo —

Personale e

Nº	Ubicazione dell'Unità.	Località	Servizio compito	Uff/le Com/te Gr. di attacc.to	Sott.le Cap.Mg. Com/te dist.to	Cap.le o scelto	Trup pa.	Radio tele.
1	Distaccamento	Passo Predil	Controllo stradale		1	2	6	2
2	"	U c c e a	"		1	2	6	2
3	"	Platischis	"		1	2	6	2
4	"	Stupizza	"		1	2	6	2
5	"	Caplevischia	"		1	2	6	2
6	Gr. distaccam.to	Pre Alba na po(+) to. Dolegna	"	1	2	4	12	2
7		Podresca	"		1	2	6	—
8		Mincefco	"		1	2	6	—
9	Gr. distaccam.to	Villanova	"	1	1	4	8	2
10		S.Giovanni	Controllo ferrov.		2	2	12	2
11		S. Andrat	Controllo stradale		1	2	6	—
12		Vialmale	"		1	2	6	—
13	Gr. distaccam.to	Chiopris nord sud	"		1	4	12	—
14		Tapogliano	"	1	1	2	6	—
15		R u d a	"		1	2	6	—
16	Gr. distaccam.to	Paparian o	"	1	1	4	12	2
17		Belvedere	"		1	2	6	—
18		V.Vicentina	Controllo ferrov.		2	2	12	—

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
Comando Battaglione Belluno

Specchio B)

Uff/le Com/te Gr. div stacc.to	Sott.le Cap.MG. Com/se. dist.to	Grup pa.	Radio tele.	Tele- foni- ati.-	Au- ti- ati	At- ten den ti.	Cu- ci- nie ri.	Totale caporali e truppa	N o t e
1	2	6	2	–	–	–	1	11	8 ore giorn.
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1	2	6	2	–	–	–	1	11	"
1	2	6	2	–	–	–	2	11	"
1	2	4	12	2	1	1	1	1	22	"
	1	2	6	–	–	–	–	1	9	"
	1	2	6	–	–	–	–	1	9	"
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	1	2	6	–	–	–	–	1	9	8 ore giorn.
	1	2	6	–	–	–	–	1	9	"
	1	4	12	–	–	–	–	1	17	"
1	1	2	6	–	1	1	1	1	12	"
	1	2	6	–	–	–	–	1	9	"
1	1	4	12	2	1	1	1	1	22	6 ore giorn.
	1	2	6	–	–	–	–	1	9	8 ore giorn.
	2	2	12	–	–	–	–	1	15	2 turni.

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Armamento e Munizionamento	Riserve	Collegamenti
In ogni posto blocco tutto il personale di servizio (capo manipolo compreso) deve essere munito di moschetto automatico con 2 caricatori (uno nella giberne - uno inflilato nell'arma senza cartuccia in camera) ed in p' armane di pistola (un caricatore nell'arma - uno nella fondina senza cartuccia in camera ed in giberna) il personale di servizio al P.I. in cui e' assegnato di corrente. Questo personale però, da notte, va armato anche di altro. Detto armamento per detto personale verr di giorno conservato con le suddette modalità in caritta in apposito armadio chiuso (la cui chiave al più anziano presente). Per le stazioni particolarmente importante oltre detto armamento (giorno e notte) al solo personale che resta a terra per la sorveglianza del treno. Ogni militare di servizio di notte avrà anche due bombe a mano nelle giberne.	Ciascun distaccamento deve avere : - 3 giornate di viveri a zaino; - 3 conci di carburanti (i soli distaccamenti ove esiste nucleo). L'onci è rappresentato da : benzina.....: lubrificanti.:	I posti blocco di mo sono allacciati per m con il comando di co pia. I posti blocco di pia sono allacciati con i mando del gruppo di d zamenti per telefono. Il comando del gruppo distaccamenti è allac to per radio e per te no con il comando di pagnia. I comandi delle compa sono allacciati per r e telefoni con il co di battaglione. Le comunicazioni rela al servizio non debbo essere rese in chiar ogni posto blocco dev legarsi con l'accanto dente a mezzo telefon negale d'ufficio.-

Oltre al suddetto armamento ogni distaccamento deve avere :
- un fucile per ogni militare;
- un fucile mitragliatore;
- una giornata di fuoco (compreso il munizionamento di distribuzione).

La giornata di fuoco è rappresentata per ogni arma come segue :

- cartucce per pistola	n°	14
- cartucce per fucile	n°	150
- cartucce per fuc. mitr.	n°	1000
- cartucce per moschetto autom.	n°	400
- bombe a mano	n°	2

In occasione di trasferimento del distaccamento a autotreni - sono 2 per - giorno e notte (chiavi al più anziano presente e di servizio all'accantonamento).

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	Collegamenti	Dipendenze	Illuminazioni segnali	Note
...ffiancamento ...re : ...nale di vicini ...; ...l di collocamen- ...nola destinazio- ...ove è stata di- ...). ...i rappresent- ... : .....: ...lombi.:	I posti blocco di montagna collegati per radio con il comando di compagnia. I posti blocco di pianura collegati con il comando del gruppo di disca mento per telefono. Il comando del gruppo di dislocamento è collegato per radio e per telefono con il comando di battaglione. I comandi delle compagnie collegati per radio e telefoni con il comando di battaglione. Le comunicazioni relative al servizio non debbono essere fatte in chiaro. Ogni posto blocco deve collegarsi con l'accantonamento a mezzo telefono o segnali d'allarme.-	I posti blocco dal n° 1 al n° 8 compreso dipendono dal C.I.C. di Cividale; quelli dal n° 9 al n° 12 compreso dalla F.SS. di Cormons; quelli dal n° 13 al n° 19 dalla 41ª F.SS. di Udine.	Ogni P.B. deve avere : - 1 sbarra; - 1 lampadina rossa stradale; - 2 luci nelle feritoie; - 2 luci nell'accantonamento; - 4 lampade elettriche per ogni posto ferroviario; - 2 lampade elettriche ogni altro posto blocco.	Nei P.B. ove di giorno resta un solo soldato, di notte questo deve essere accompagnato.-

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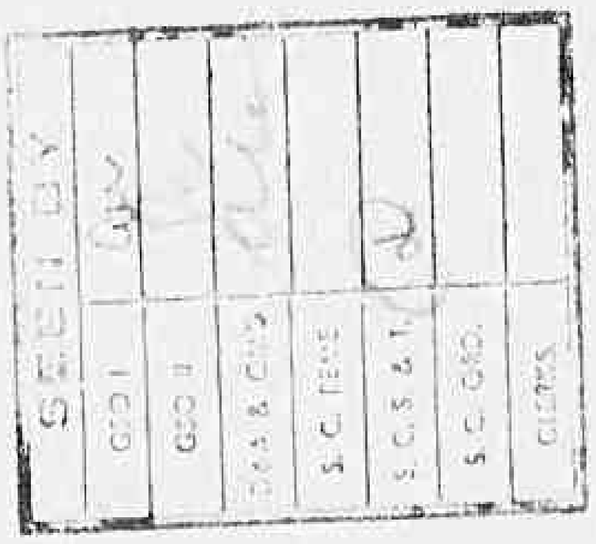
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SUBJECT: Frontier Control

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: [illegible] 1547
G/119/
8 Jan 47.

GHQ Fwd Ops
c/o 1 Armd Div

As a result of increasing the numbers of men on the Block Posts, the accommodation at UCLEA and PLASTISCHIS is insufficient. It is considered inadvisable to erect shelters at these posts until the final boundary is settled.

The Road approach to PLASTISCHIS is dangerous and difficult and will remain so until about March.

Due to the above, the Block Post has been moved from PLASTISCHIS to TAIPANA and the one at UCLEA is moving to PASSO DI TARAMRA (5147). Their operational function is not thereby prejudiced. (Conversation Major Jack - 5 B.L.U. refers).

Major,
G II.

FIELD
ZK/rw

File
Diary

Copy to: G II OS (US) Div.

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ENGINEER BRANCH
G.H.Q.
C.M.F.

SUBJECT : Western Boundary of [illegible] Public Works. 003/5/723

TO : HQ. AGF,
[illegible] Province. 3 JAN 47

COPY TO : (HQ Sal Ops Sec.
5 AGF.
6 (Opns) HQ C.M.F.
CMF 13 Corps Troops.

Reference report Memorandum HQ Sal Ops Sec. 7020/G dated 2 Jan 47, (copy to you), referring to certain essential Roads and Bridges repairs in the [illegible] Province.

It is confirmed that the works enumerated are required as a Military Project; would you therefore notify HQ Sal Ops Sec. of your intention to start, and HQ.

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[illegible] & Cons	Date
E. C. PEASE	
[illegible]	

W.K. Walsh
[illegible],
Lt-Col., R.E.,
for Brigadier,
Chief Engineer.

J.S.A.F

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CO, Courtier Instruction No.

Withdrawal HQ of TOLMEZZO CARNIA

1. Control of the Southern sub-sector VENZIA GIULIA is carried out by the 1st 240 Alpini Bn, which is deployed in depth along the frontier in accordance with the sketch set as Appx A.

SCOPE

2. The Bn is under op control HQ 5 Bde, Command will normally be issued by HQ, 5 Bde Sec on behalf of GHQ G(Ops) and will always be passed through 5 Bde.

SUPERVISION

3. The supervision of the Bn in its task is the responsibility of HQ 5 Bde. CIC within 88 (US) Div Area in the NORTH, and HQ 5 Bde in the SOUTH will carry out their supervision, submitting weekly reports as at present to GHQ (I). GHQ will report this infm to G (Ops) GHQ and to HQ, 2nd Op Sec.

4. GHQ (I) is also responsible for ensuring that the check posts are in possession of the necessary infm to carry out their duties effectively.

REPORTS

5. Check posts will report all matters of interest by line or wire to their Coy comds. Coy comds will pass this info to the Bn Comd and also, to avoid delay, to CIC or HQ 5 Bde as applicable. The Bn Comd will repeat this info to 5 Bde for infm only. CIC, through 88 (US) Div, and HQ 5 Bde will repeat this infm to GHQ (I). Matters affecting internal security will, in the case of HQ 5 Bde, be reported by them to 1 Armd Div.

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6. The Bn is under adm comd of 5 Italian Territorial Comd. 5 Bde will however be responsible for ensuring that the ability of the Bn to carry out its task is not prejudiced by the absence of essential equipment stores, e.g. etc. In the event of such essential equipment not being available from Italian Army sources, 5 Bde will refer the matter to GHQ 2nd Ops Sec who will if possible arrange provision through GHQ.

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7. The handling of the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn in the event of an op emergency is dealt with in 15 Corps Op Instr No 37.

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DISTRIBUTION

Annex No. 1 to OIC Op. Instr. No.....

Headquarters, 7615th Aviation Engineer Battalion (Separate)

APO 777, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Post	Map Ref	
MEDOLA	C 575587	OIC (CIVIL AFFAIRS)
UDINE	C 598863	
PLATISCHIS	C 542593	
CIVIDALE	C 594348	
CLAUZETTO/CHIS	C 665721	
FORNIGO	C 602221	
[illegible]		
[illegible]		
SAN DANIELE	C 596174	
DOLEGNA	C 584130	
SAN DANIELE	C 584113	
VICINALE	C 572099	
VILLANOVA	C 553078	
VISCONE	C 538045	419 FBS (UDINE)
CHIOPRIS	C 537037	
TORREGLIANO	C 539005	
RUDA	H 547957	
PIERIS	H 561909	
BELIEDSPED	H 522818	

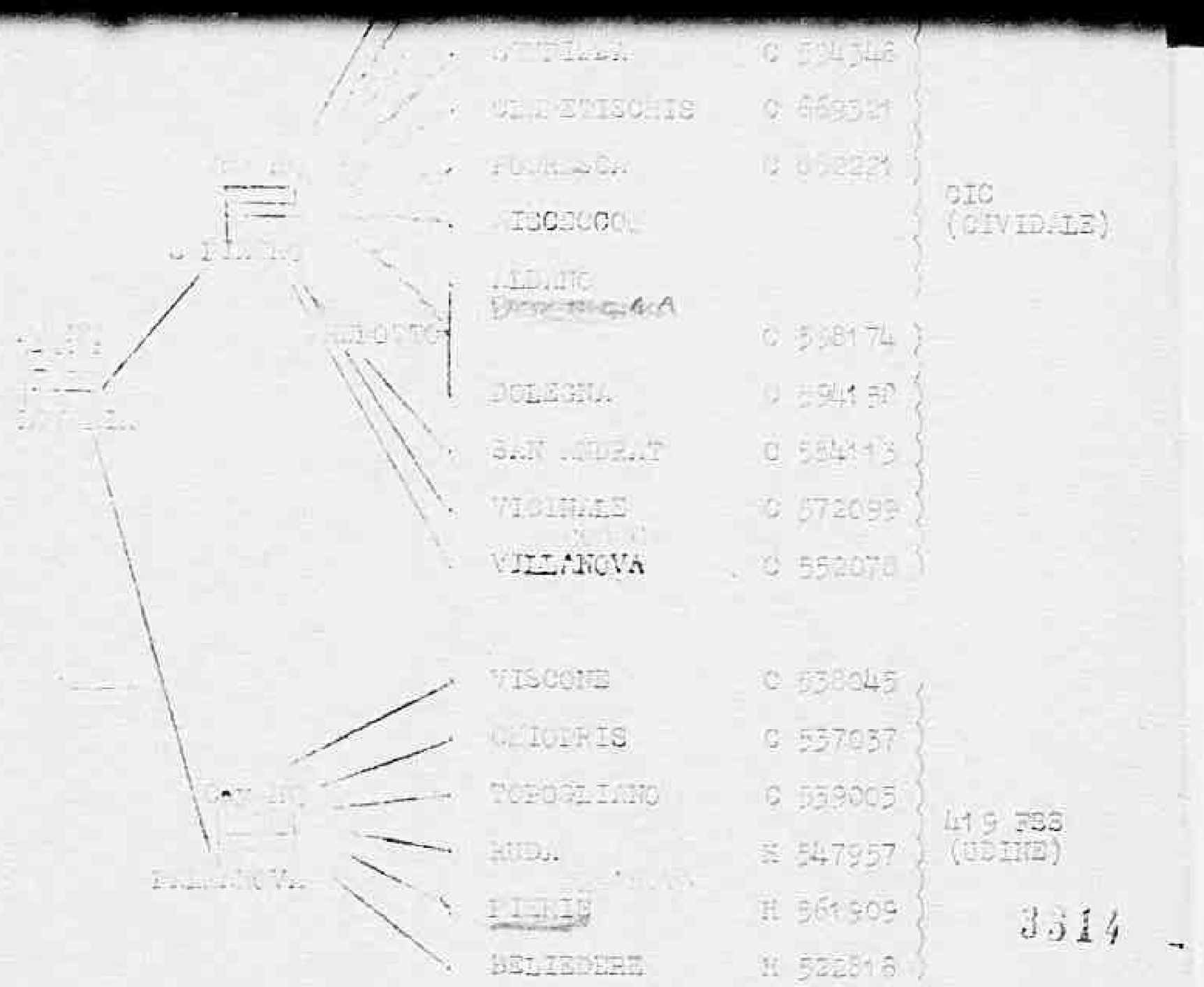
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CA Execution Instruction No 2[illegible]

Western Sector of Venezia Giulia

1. Control of the Western Sby of VENEZIA GIULIA is exercised by the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn, which is deployed in depth along the frontier in accordance with the sketch ref as Appx A.

QUID

2. The Bn is under op cond of 5 Italian Territorial Comd. It is issued by whichever one has control of the area in which it is operating. Quid will normally be issued by CMIC, but on occasions may be issued by 5 BSU or 1 Armd Div. Quid will always be passed through 5 BSU.

SUPERVISION

3. The supervising role of the BSU in its task is the responsibility of 5 BSU (Lt. Col. [illegible]), within 68 (US) Div bdys in the NORTH, and 4th BSU in the SOUTH will carry out this supervision, maintaining weekly rpts as at present to 5 BSU (Lt. Col. [illegible]). 5 BSU will forward this info to G (Ops) CMFT and to CMFT Fwd Ops Gp.

4. (a) CMIC is also responsible for ensuring that the check posts are in possession of the necessary info to carry out their duties effectively.

REPORTS

5. Check posts will report all matters of interest by line or wireless to their coy comds. Coy comds will pass this info to the Bn Comd and also, to avoid delay, to CMIC and 419 FSS as applicable. The Bn Comd will repeat this info to 5 BSU for info only. CMIC, through 68 (US) Div, and 419 FSS will repeat this info to CMFT CMD. Matters affecting Internal Security will, in the case of 419 FSS, be reported by them to 1 Armd Div.

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5. The Bn is under adm cond of 5 Italian Territorial Comd. 5 BSU will however be responsible for ensuring that the ability of the Bn to carry out its task is not prejudiced by the absence of essential equipment stores, W.E., etc. In the event of such essential equipment not being available from Italian Army sources, 5 BSU will report the matter to CMFT Fwd Ops Gp who will if possible arrange provision thereof.

6.

The handling of the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn in the event of an op emergency is dealt with in 13 Corps Op Instr No 37.

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3. The [illegible] is charged to the task in the [illegible] CIC, within 88 (US) Div bdys in the North, and 419 (US) in the SOUTH will carry out [illegible] operations, assisting troops where and as at present and the 88th and 419 Sqns.

4. [illegible] are responsible for ensuring that the change is to one in accord with the necessary arms to carry out their allotted tasks.

5. CHIEF OF STAFF will report all matters of interest by [illegible] or will be in Cond one else, be avoid delay, to CIC [illegible] Pos as follows. The 88 Cond will report this [illegible] to 5 BDE for info only. CIC, through 88 (US) Div, and 419 Sqn will [illegible] this info to G-2 and. Matters affecting the civil security will in the case of 419 Sqn, be reported by them to 1 Armd Div.

6. The Bn is under the cond of 5 Italian Territorial Cond. 5 BDE will however be responsible for ensuring that the ability of the Bn to carry out its task is not prejudiced by the absence of [illegible] support stores, M.T. etc. In the event of such [illegible] support not being available from Italian Army sources, 5 BDE will report the matter to CIC, 2nd Corps Sqn who will [illegible] arrange provision thereof.

7. The handling of the TOLMEZZO Airfield is in the event of an emergency is dealt with in 13 Corps Op Instr No 57.

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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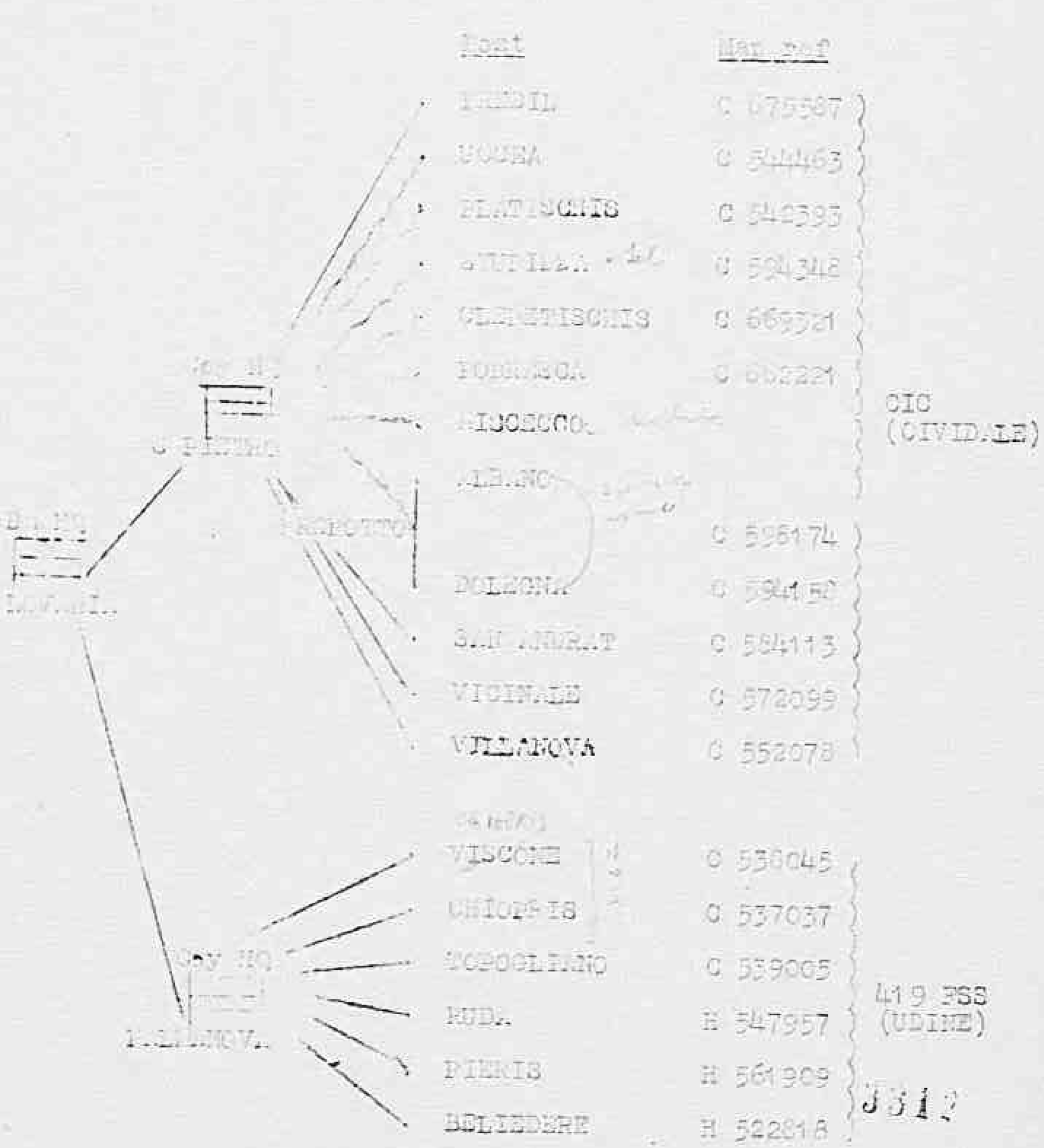
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Annex 'A' to CIC Op Instr No.....

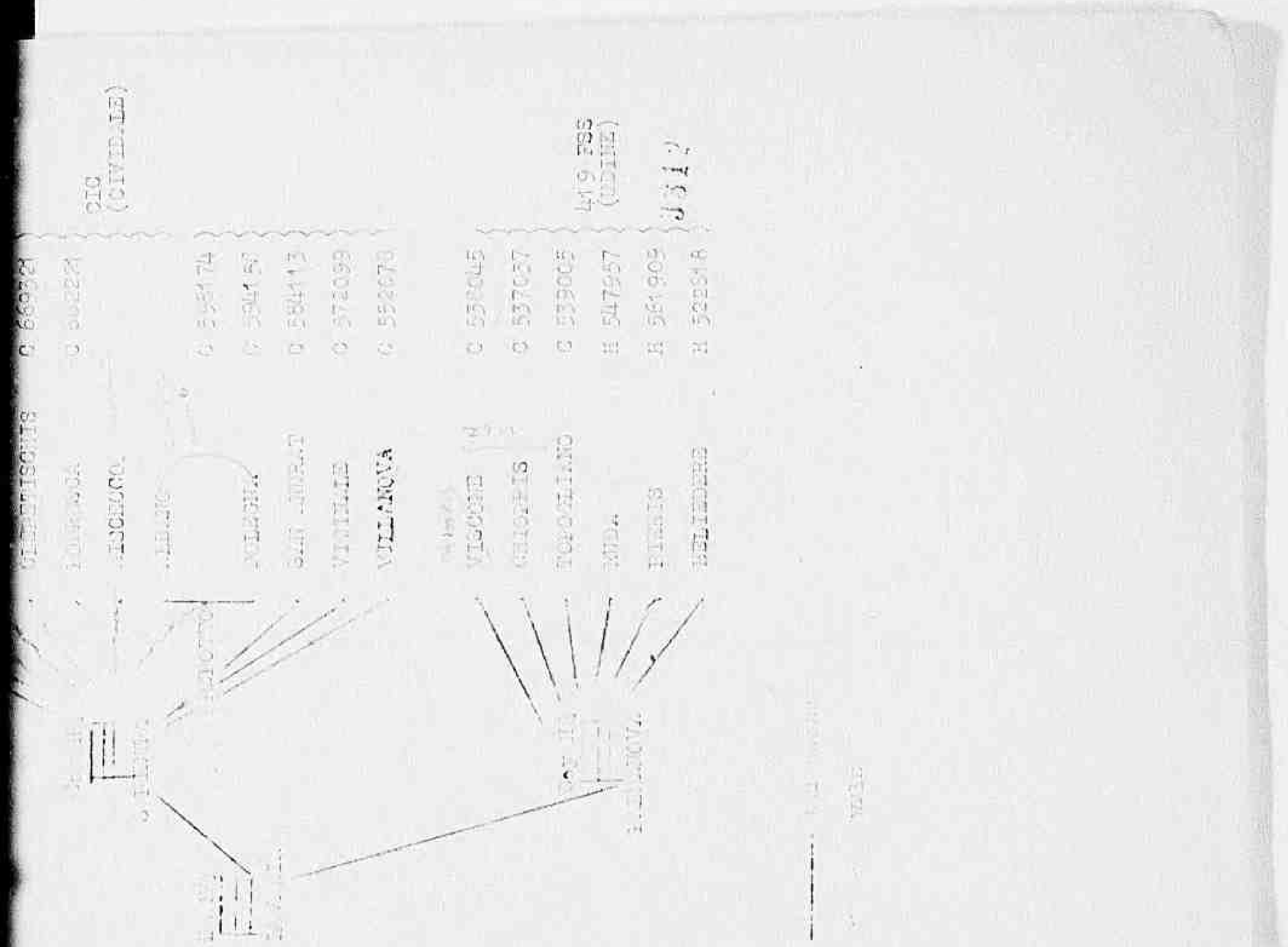
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SUBJECT:- Frontier Control

5 British Liaison Unit.
Tele: [illegible]
G/112/1/1
1 Jun 47.

Brig Asst Dep Sec.
G/O 1 and Div

Forwarded for

1. Copy of letter from SO Telmatco Fn regarding the Locate Form of F.T. communication and sketch.

2. A record of an incident at Checkpoint. The letter from [illegible] was sent to Control Bureau and then forwarded to this Fn and since returned refore. This report is forwarded to you to forestall any queries arising.

3. Report on sign boards and barriers, for action by you.

[illegible]
Major,
[illegible]

[illegible]

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INITIAL	DATE
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C.S.O. II	
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.	
S.C. ENGR.	
S.C.S. & T.	
S.C. Ord.	
Civ. Sec.	

Subject :- Additional Bty of VG Public Works

GHQ Fwd Cmd Sec
c/o 1 Armd Div
7020/3
2 Jan 47
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
TRIESTE Army 2455

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→ 5 BLU
G (Ops) GHQ CMF
G-1 (b) GHQ CMF
SO (US) Div
919 Fwd
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Further to this office letter No 7020/3 dated 19 Nov 46 and your VG/MIO/ FW/201/5709 dated 3 Dec 46.

It has been reported that this work has not yet been completed. Will you please arrange for this work to be done as soon as possible and inform this office of the estimated date of completion. This matter is now urgent.

J/m

for Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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SEEN BY	
CSO I	
CSO II	
DAA & CAO	
S. C. F. E.	
S. C. S. & T.	
& C. CSO.	
CLERKS.	

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TRANSLATION

- 4 GEN. 47

8 ARMY REGT.
"TORINO" ART. REGT.-

N. 59/ID

3 Jan 47

SUBJECT:- Situation.-

5 B. I. M. - DOBJE -

5 GARRISON - DOBJE -

Last night on the 2 January 47 unidentified persons have shot various fire showers with automatic weapons from "A" Zone against soldiers on duty at the road barrier at Dobje.-
No wounded personnel.-

SEEN BY	
CSO I	
CSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. TOSE	
S. C. S. R. I.	
S. C. CFD.	
CIBRES.	

by order
Lt. C. O.
(Alfredo Zolesi, Lt. Col.)

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COMANDO BATTAGLIONE TOLMEZZO

N° 57/1D di prot.

Lo.aria li 3 Gennaio 1947.-

O G G E T T O : Segnalazione.-

AL 5° B.L.U. DEL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE
AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE

Ieri sera 2 corr. alle ore 22 ignoti hanno sparato varie raffiche di arma automatica da zona "A" contro militari in servizio alla sbarra stradale di Uccea.
Nessun ferito.

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten.Col.Alfredo Egizi -

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URGENT

Subject :- Western Sdy of VENZIA GIULIA
- Public Works

CMF Fwd Ops Sec
c/o 1 Armd Div
7020/G
2 Jan 47
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 46
TRIESTE AU20 2A55

CS GHQ CMF
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→5 BLU
HQ AMG UDINE Province
G (Ops) GHQ CMF
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1. It has been reported that the roads which the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn use for the VG Western Sdy posts have been damged at the following places and that repairs are urgently required

631196
646214
678234
688241
702256
(important) 465400 (two)

Bridges

675227 Washout

2. HQ AMG UDINE Province state that the work can only be carried out if authorised by your office as Military Works. May this authority please be given as soon as possible.

3. HQ AMG UDINE Province only

On receipt of this authority will you please notify this office of the estimated date of completion. Please note the addition of the bridges at ~~4740~~ 465400 to the list shown in this office letter No 7020/G dated 7 Dec 46.

CS GHQ CMF

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→5 BLU
HQ ANG UDINE Province
G (Ops) GHQ CMF

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1. It has been reported that the roads which the Polenghi Algini Co use for the VG Western Udy posts have been damaged at the following places and that repairs are urgently required

	691196 681214 673234 688241 702256	Bridges
(important)	465400 (two)	
	675227	Washout

2. HQ ANG UDINE Province state that the work can only be carried out if authorised by your office as Military Works. May this authority please be given as soon as possible.

3. HQ ANG UDINE Province only

On receipt of this authority will you please notify this office of the estimated date of completion. Please note the addition of the bridges at ~~4740~~ 465400 to the list shown in this office letter No 7020/6 dated 7 Dec 46.

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SECRETARY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS.	

J/M

for Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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TRANSLATION

8 ALPINI REGIMENT
"Tolmezzo" Bn Command

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Memo for Maj.KITCAT
5 B.L.U. U D I N E

Subject:- Trouble at Cusson (Miscecco) on 26 Nov 46.

1. The trouble occured on the 26 Nov 46 is true, but escagerated by the explanation made to the American Police by the Cpl. PEDRUCCI i/c of the Road Post.

2. Shooting went on, during the night time, but so many as PEDRUCCI reported, caused by persons who had in mind to steal cattle, from the farmers of Prepotischis Fraction.

3. Cpl. PEDRUCCI intervened with the support of other soldiers and shot various thompson's cartridges against a man who was escaping and who did not stop when it has been ordered to him to do so, without to hit him.

4. After few hours, the American Police arrived on the spot and Cpl. PEDRUCCI -excited by the occurence- he reported that he was short of ammunitions and weapons, so that the American patrol went to S.Pietro al Natisone and asked to the 2nd Coy under which the Road Post comes under, an authomatic rifle and two ammunition boxes and brought them to Cusson.

5. The assertion of Cpl.PEDRUCCI that he was short of ammunitions was not true, because the Road Post had :
400 cartridges for each authomatic rifle (1 musket)
150 cartridges for each man armed with rifle (9 rifles)
4 hand-grenades for each man
corresponding to UNFOC.

6. The Road Post fired, only 40 shots with the thompson during night time.

7. The assertion that the Bn and the Coy had not sufficient weapons and ammunitions to issue to the Road Posts, was due to a misunderstanding between the Coy C.O. and the American patrol. The Bn was receiving in that time the British equipment which was under distribution to the Road Posts.

8. To-day, not as a consequence of the trouble arisen as above mentioned the Road Post of Cusson, as all others have been supplied, besides their allocation, as said in para 5, with :
1 authomatic rifle BREN with 1000 rounds (total 3)
2 other authomatic muskets with 400 rounds each one.

Cpl. PEDRUCCI has been replaced by another NCO due to his fearful conduct.

The 2nd Coy Commander had a disciplinary remark for not having informed immediately the Bn C.O. about the occurence.

Bn C.O.
Sgd: A. Egizi Lt Col

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Oggetto: Incidente a Cuneo (Fascetto) del 25 novembre.=

1° L'incidente del 25 novembre risulta verificato, fu però aggravato nella tinta, dal racconto fatto alla Polizia Americana del Caporale PERUCCI che in qual tempo comandava il Posto.=

2° Furono sparati nella notte dei colpi di arma da fuoco e dei razzi ma non tanti quanti la fantasia del PERUCCI immaginò da individui che, si dice pel, avevano intenzione di asportare dalla trazione di Prepotichia del bestiame ai locali contadini.=

3° Il Caporale PERUCCI intervenne con altri alpini e sparò vari colpi di mitra contro un individuo che fuggiva e non rispose all'intimazione di fermarsi, senza però colpirlo.=

4° Intervenuta, dopo qualche ora, la Polizia Americana, il Caporale PERUCCI - ingrandendo dell'avvenimento - disse di avere poche cartucce e pochi razzi, dicendo la pattuglia americana si recò a S.Pietro al Battaglione chiese il comando della 2ª Compagnia da cui dipende il Posto Blocco, un fucile mitragliatore e due caricatori di cartucce e il perché non fosse stato dato anche il Cannon.=

5° L'assegnazione del Caporale Perucci di avere poche cartucce non corrispondeva a verità, perchè: Il Posto di Blocco aveva:

- 400 Cartucce per ogni moschetto automatico(1 moschetto)
- 150 Cartucce per ogni arma di fucile (9 fucili)
- 4 Bombe a mano per ogni caricatore

corrispondenti ad una MUBBC prescritta.
Il Caporale PERUCCI non aveva nella notte, sparato che 40 colpi di mitra.=

6° Il Posto Blocco non aveva un fucile mitragliatore perchè in corso di distribuzione(come è noto il Posto di Cannon era di recente istituzione).=

7° L'assegnazione secondo cui il Battaglione o la Compagnia non avevano armi e munizioni sufficienti da distribuire ai posti di Blocco, nacque il sospetto di un equivoco fra il Comandante della Compagnia e la pattuglia americana.=
Il Battaglione infatti in quell'epoca riceveva dal Reggimento l'armamento incluso anche armi in corso di distribuzione ai Posti di Blocco.=

8° Oggi, e non in seguito all'incidente di cui sopra, al Posto Blocco di Cannon sono a tutti i Posti di Blocco hanno, oltre alla dotazione di cui al n° 5 anche la distribuzione:

- 1 fucile mitragliatore BREN con 1000 colpi(totale 3)
- 2 altri moschetti automatici con 400 colpi ciascuno.=

Per il suo contegno passivo il Caporale PERUCCI fu a fine novembre sottoposto da altro graduato.

Il Comandante della 2ª Compagnia ebbe un richiamo disciplinare per non aver riferito subito il fatto al Comandante del Battaglione.=

IL COMANDANTE DEL 54° BATTAGLIONE
- Ten. Col. Alfredo Zeisi

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TRANSLATION

8 ALPINI REGIMENT
"Tolmezzo" Bn Command

No. 13429/8 — 2 Jan 47

Subject:- Barriers and Sign Boards at the Demarcation Line.

5 B.L.U. Udine

The following sign boards and barriers at the frountier are missing :-

Locations	Sign Boards	Barriers (missing or broken)
Passo Predil	1	
Platischis	1	
Uccea (Tai pana)	1	1 broken
Fodresca	1	1 missing
Stupizza		1 broken
Miscecco		1 missing
Visinale		1 broken
Chiopris (North	1	
Chiopris (South	1	1 broken
Tapogliano		1 broken
Papariano	1	
Villanova		1 missing

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DAA & QMG
S. C. REME
S. C. E. & M.
S. C. C'D.
C'[illegible]S.

Bn C.O.
Sgd: A. Egizi Lt Col.

J.S.O.

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Comando Battaglione "Val Natisone"

n° 1502/9/C di prot.

Lovaria, 2/1/1946

Oggetto: Sbarre e tabelle di confine.-

AL V° E.I.M. - Ufficio Il V° Comitato -

U D I N E

Mancano ancora le seguenti tabelle e sbarre di confine:

Località	Tabelle	Sbarre (mancanti o rotte)
Passo Predil...	n° 1	
Platischis	" 1	
Ucces (Taipana)	" 1	n° 1 rotta
Podrecca	" 1	" 1 mancante
Stupizza		" 1 rotta
Miscecco		" 1 mancante
Visinale		" 1 rotta
Chiopris : nord	" 1	"
sud	" 1	" 1 rotta
Topolsino		" 1 rotta
Taporiano	" 1	
Villanova		" 1 mancante

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten. Col. Alfredo Egisti -

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8 AIFH R&T.

"Tobruk" Sn. HQ.

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5. B. L.

USS LIGHT 16 AND ROUTE - FROM 22 DEC. TO 29 DEC. 46.

Persons neglected owing to their documents not being in order.

ROAD TOUT	NATIONALITY	Russians		Italians		1688
		Bound to U. S.	From U.S.	Bound to U. S.	From U.S.	
Passo del Brenn		-	-	-	-	
Ucces		-	-	-	-	
Platacela		-	-	-	-	
Stupinis		-	-	4	7	
Ceretinis		-	-	-	-	
Prepoto		-	-	-	-	
Topogliano		-	-	24	16	
Villanovo		-	-	34	54	
Imperiano		-	-	2	19	

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S A F E T Y R O U T E.

"Colorado" Bn. H.Q.

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S. B. L. U. - UDINE -

TRACK CHART IS ROAD TESTS - [illegible]

Periods objective owing to their operations
not being in order

Periods	Italians			
Night 19/20 V. 3.	Enemy V.3.	Night 20 V. 3.	Enemy V.3.
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Road Important news

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G.S.O. II
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.
S. C. Rens.
S. C. S. & T.
S. C. [illegible]

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COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

- 2 GEN 47

AL S. ... D. U.

J 3052

NOVITA' POSTI BLOCCO DAL 22 DICEMBRE AL 29 DICEMBRE 1946.-

Posti blocco	Nazionalità	Persone respinte perchè **non** in regola				Mov
		Stranieri		Italiani		
		Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	Per la V. G.	Dalla V.G.	
Passo Predil		-	-	-	-	
Uccea		-	-	-	-	
Platischis		-	-	-	-	
Stupizza		-	-	4	7	
Cepletischis		-	-	-	-	
Prepotto		-	-	-	-	
Topogliano		+	-	24	16	
Villanova		-	-	84	54	
Papa[illegible]no		-	-	2	19	

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

AL 5° R.A.U. UDINE

STI BLOCCO DAL 22 DICEMBRE AL 29 DICEMBRE 1946.-

nalità	Persone respinte perchè sono in regola				Novità principali
	Stranieri		Italiani		
	Per la V.G.	Dalla V.C.	Per la V. G.	Dalla V.C.	
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Subject :- Western Bdy of VENEZIA GIULIA

GHQ Fwd Ops Sec
c/o 1 Armd Div
7020/G
17 Dec 46
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
TRIESTE AUTO 2455

5 BLU
HQ AMG VENEZIA GIULIA
HQ AMG UDINE PROVINCE
- - - - - - - - - - -
G (Ops) GHQ CMF (Main 01)
- - - - - - - - - - -

30 DIC. 1946

Herewith for your infm a copy of 88 (US) Div OI 139 dated 22 Dec 46.

SEEN BY	
C.O. I	
C.O. II	
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.	J/m
S. C. REAR	
S. C., S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
[illegible]	

For Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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5 Blu.

(SECRET)

HEADQUARTERS XXIV CORPS ARTILLERY
OFFICE OF THE ARTY
APO 96

2 September 1950

O 3 FIRE

(U) [illegible]

SECTION I. For CO, 45th Inf Regt

a. Initiate and maintain patrols twice weekly in the vicinity of the Western VG boundary. Include the villages of TONGA (C-5[illegible]) and SEONGDONG (C-55[illegible]) on the patrol route.

SECTION 2. For CO 159th Inf Regt

a. Initiate and maintain patrols twice weekly in the vicinity of the Western VG boundary. Include the villages of [illegible] (C-[illegible]) on the patrol route.

b. Initiate and maintain patrols daily within the central zone to include the villages of [illegible] (C-[illegible]), ONAN (C-[illegible]), DUNLAP (C-[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]), DORANDO (C-[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]) on the patrol route.

SECTION 3. For CO, 96 Cav Rcn Trp

a. Initiate and maintain patrols daily in the vicinity of the Western VG boundary. Include the villages of TONGO (C-567 27), [illegible] (C-[illegible]), PEKCHIN (C-59[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]) and [illegible] (C-[illegible]) on the patrol route.

b. Initiate and maintain patrols twice weekly in the vicinity of the Western VG boundary. Include the villages of [illegible] (C-[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]), [illegible] (C-[illegible]), SAN [illegible] (C-[illegible]) and [illegible] (C-[illegible]) on the patrol route.

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TRANSLATION

5 ITALIAN TERRITORIAL COMMAND UDINE

No. 4276/O.A. 27 Dec 46

Subject:- Signal's Course for "Tolmezzo" Bn.

5 B.L.U. Udine

For information.-

As you know, the Engineer Command has promoted the beginning of a signal's course for the "Tolmezzo" Bn, for the execution of signal requested by Allied Authorities.

With the said personnel, it will be possible to execute all signals marked in red pencil on the attached sketch.

For the execution of signal marked in blue pencils it has been indispensable to choose the students among the recruits due to the insufficient number of senior soldiers fit for the special service.

- 8 GEN 1947

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G.S.O. II	
A. & Q.M.G.	
D. C. REME	
D. C. S. & T.	
D. C. ORD.	
CIPHERS	

by order
Chief of Office OAOM
Sgd: S. Missi Maj.

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Da 4276 O.A. G prot. Roma, li 27 dicembre 1946

OGGETTO: Ordine di movimento prima di U. "Dobrenio".-

A COMANDO DI G.U.F.

LORO SEDI

Per conoscenza:

A S.E. il Ministro Segretario di Stato per l'Aeronautica.

A S.E. il Sottosegretario di Stato per l'Aeronautica.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore Generale.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore dell'Aeronautica.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Difesa Aerea.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Squadra Aerea.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Sardegna.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Sicilia.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Puglia.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Campania.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Calabria.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Lucania.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Toscana.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Liguria.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Venezia Giulia.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Venezia Tridentina.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Venezia.

A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Lombardia.

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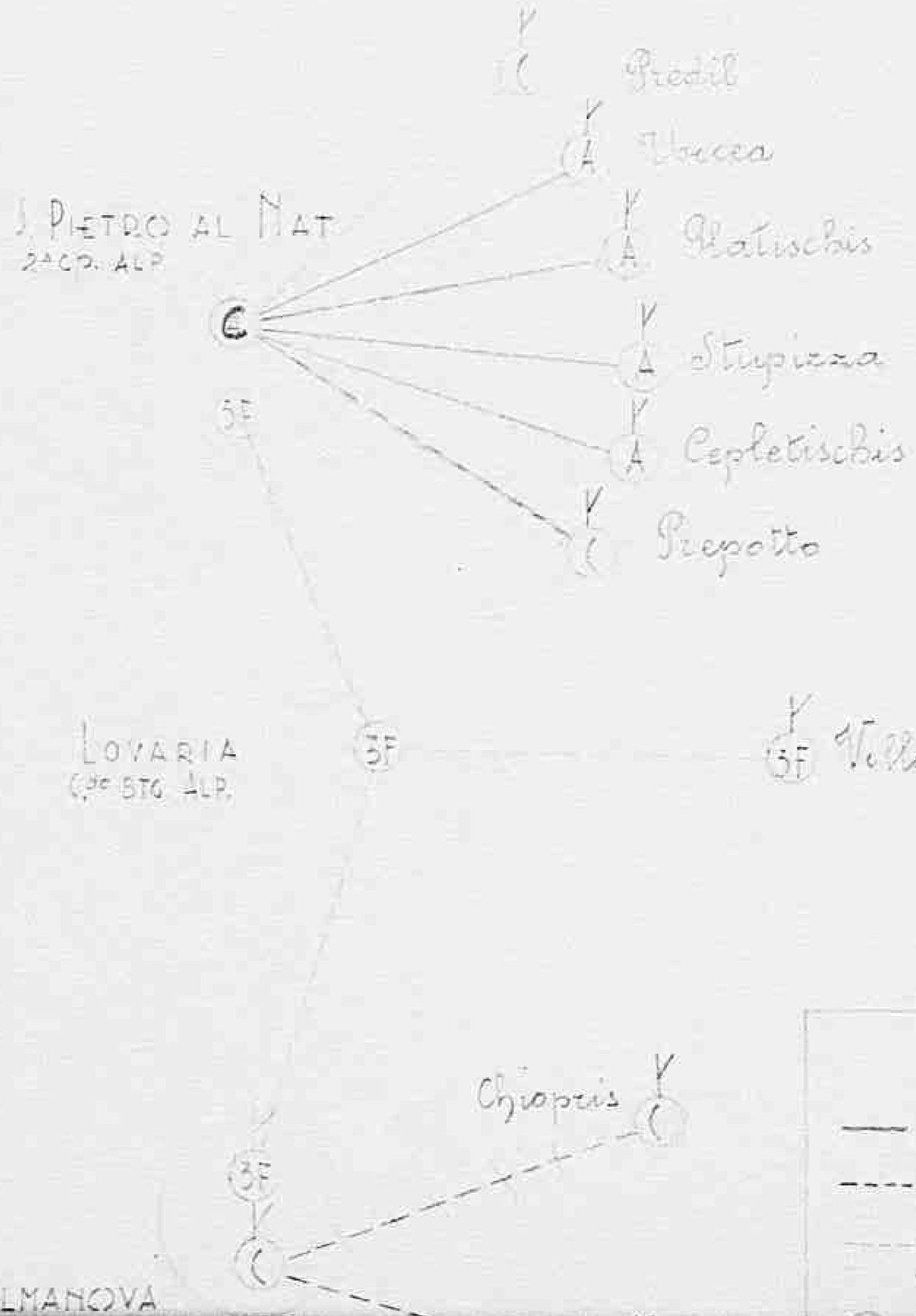
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A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Umbria.

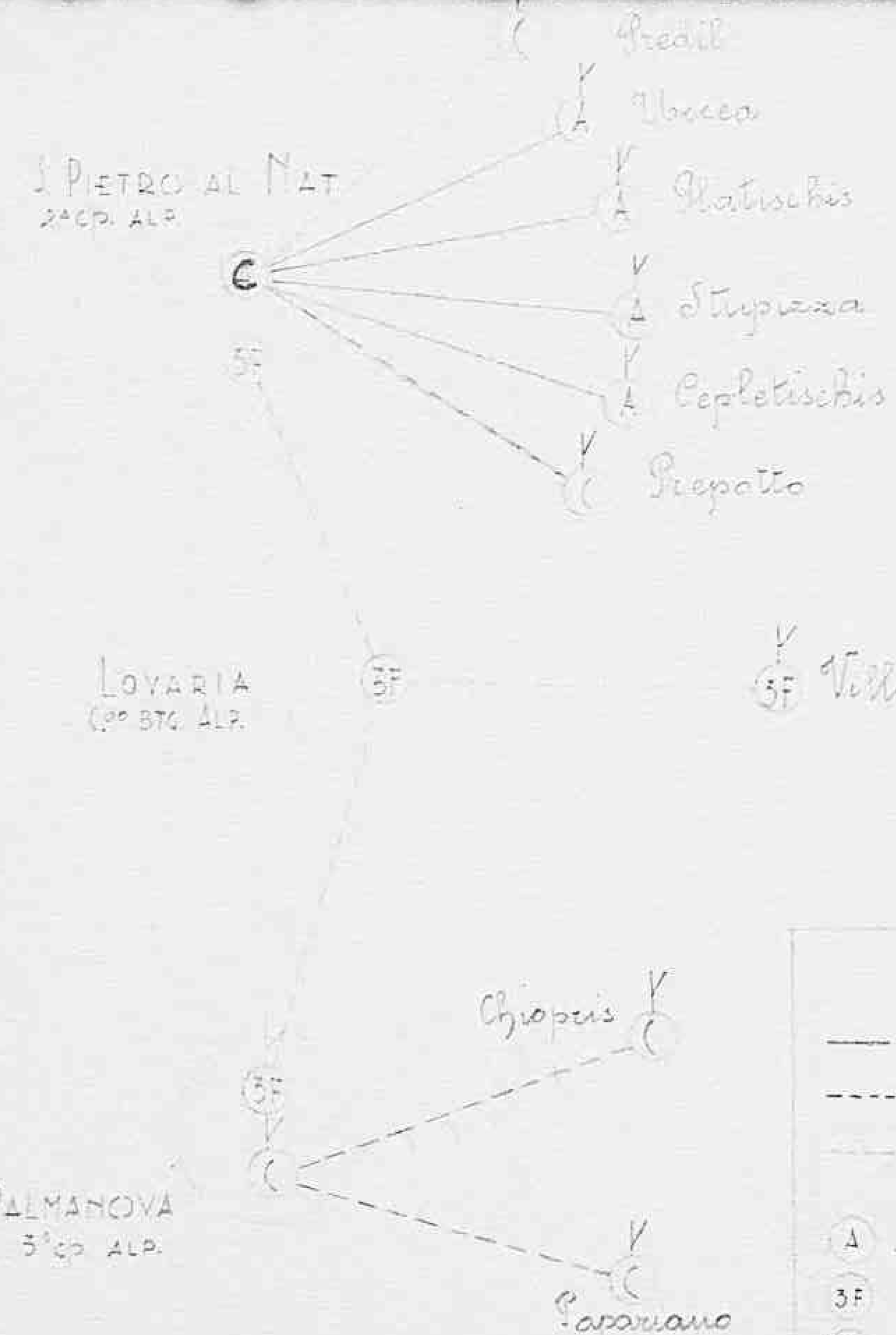
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A S.E. il Capo di Stato Maggiore della Forza Aerea della Molise

GRAFICO DEI COLLEGAMENTI RADIOTELEGRAFICI IN ATTO O DA ATTUARE DAL BTG. ALP. "TOLMEZZO"



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8 ALPINI REGT.
- Tolmezzo "bn. HQ. -

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NEWS REPORT OF WK POSTS - FROM 15 Dec. TO 21 Dec. 46.

Unit: Post	Nationality	Persons rejected owing to their documents not being in order			
		Foreigners		Italians	
		Bound to V.G.	From V.G.	Bound to V.G.	From V.G.
Passo Pradil		-	-	-	-
Uccea		-	-	-	-
Flaibano		-	-	-	-
Stupizza		-	-	6	4
Ceplettacis		-	-	-	-
Pontesco		-	-	-	-
Prepotto		-	-	-	-
Gr. F.b. Villanova		-	-	123	77
" " Topogliano	Jugoslava	1	1	13	23
" " Paparian	Francese	2	-	8	5

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5 ALLIED REGT.
Polizze No. -

5 B. L. U. - U D I N E -

To - Fm. 16 Dec. To 21 Dec. 46 .

Persons rejected owing to their documents not being in order

Daily	Foreigners		Italians	
	Bound to V.G.	From V.G.	Bound to V.G.	From V.G.
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	6	4
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	123	77
Jugoslavs	1	1	13	23
Greeks	2	-	8	5

Most important news

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G.S.O. I
G.S.O. II
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.
S. C. Pers.
S. C. S. & T.
A. C. ORD.
CLERKS.

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

MOVIMENTO POSTI BLOCCO DAL 16 DICEMBRE AL 21 DICEMBRE 1946.- AL 5° B. U.

POSTI BLOCCO	NAZIONALITA'	Persone respinte perchè non in regola				NOTE
		Stranieri		Italiani		
		Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	
Passo Predil		-	-	-	-	
Uccea		-	-	-	-	
Platischis		-	-	-	-	
Stupizza		-	-	6	4	
Ceplétischis		-	-	-	-	
Fodresca		-	-	-	-	
Prepotto		-	-	-	-	
Gr.P.B.Villanova		-	-	123	77	
" " Topolsano	Jugoslavi	1	1	13	23	
" " Faparisno	Francesi	2	-	6	5	

Visto.

8° REGG. ALPINI * Btg. "Tolmezzo" *

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8° REGIMENTO ALPINI
GRUPPO BATTAGLIONI "TOLMEZZO"

AL 5° B. U. U D I N E

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O DAL 16 DICEMBRE AL 21 DICEMBRE 1946.-

	Persone respinte perchè non in regola				
	Stranieri		Italiani		
TA'	Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	Per la V.C.	Dalla V.G.	NOVITA' PRINCIPALI
	–	–	–	–	
	–	–	–	–	
	–	–	–	–	
	–	–	6	4	
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	–	–	123	77	
elave	1	1	13	23	
esi	2	–	8	5	

GRUPPO ALPINI * Battaglione "Tolmezzo" *

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SUBJECT: Reports

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1547
G/119/97
21 Dec 46.

Fwd Ops Gp
c/o 1 Armd Div

Herewith copy of Frontier Control Report for week 8 - 15 Dec 46.

FIELD
TK/rw

Major,
G II.

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SUBJECT :- Inspection of [illegible] Posts

G(Ops) GHQ CMF

5792/G

18 Dec 46

Tel No 21696

G(Int)
- - - -

5 AU
GHQ Fwd Ops Gen o/o 1 Armd Div
- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -

1. GIC carry out periodical inspections of [illegible] ALPINI posts on the West n boundary of VENTIMIGLIA within 88 Div area, and submit reports on the state of efficiency of posts from both an operational and administrative aspect.

2. 519 MSS do not appear to be submitting similar reports for the posts which come under their jurisdiction. Will you please instruct them to do so.

3. Such reports should be forwarded to 5 AU, G(Int) GHQ, and GHQ Fwd Ops Gen.

19 DIC 1946

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

JHL/ca'c.

SECRETARY	
GSO I	Capt
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. ENG	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS.	

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SUBJECT :- Frontier Control

G(Ops) GHQ CMF
5790/G
17 Dec 46
Tel No 22696

5 BLU
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GHQ Fwd Ops Gp
33 (HS) Div - attn G-2
- - - - - - - - - - - -

Reference your G 119/31 of 11 Dec 46.

The orders issued by you are approved.

18 DIC. 1946

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. FE&E	
S. C. S. & I.	
S. C. ORD.	
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for Col,
A/ GS.

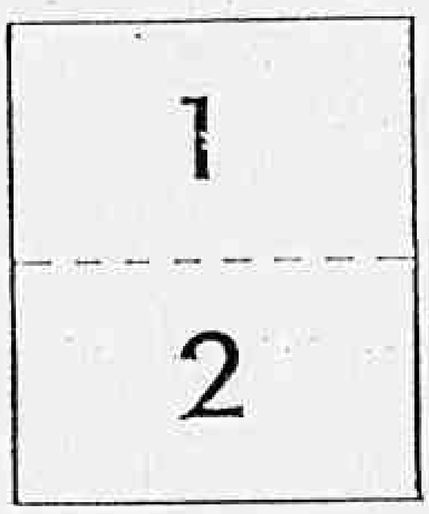
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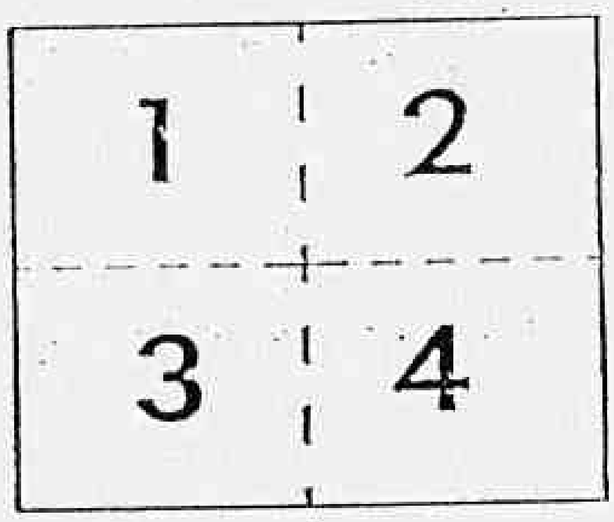
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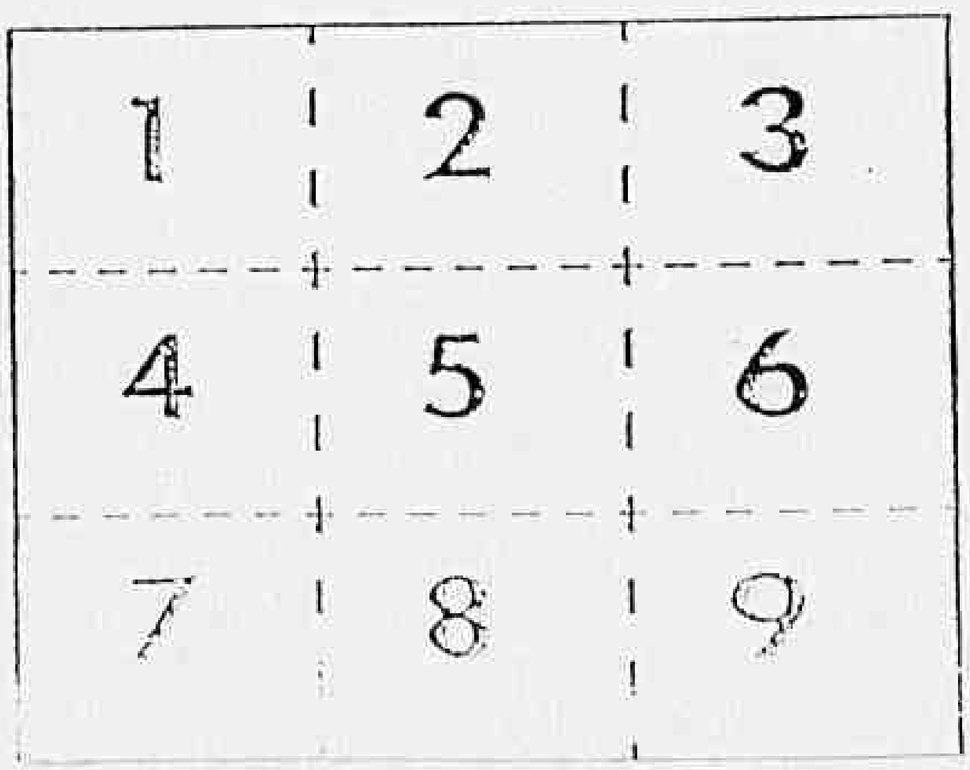
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LEFT TO RIGHT, AND TOP TO BOTTOM.

SEE DIAGRAMS BELOW.







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18 DIC. 1946

8° REGGIMENTO ALPIN[illegible]
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

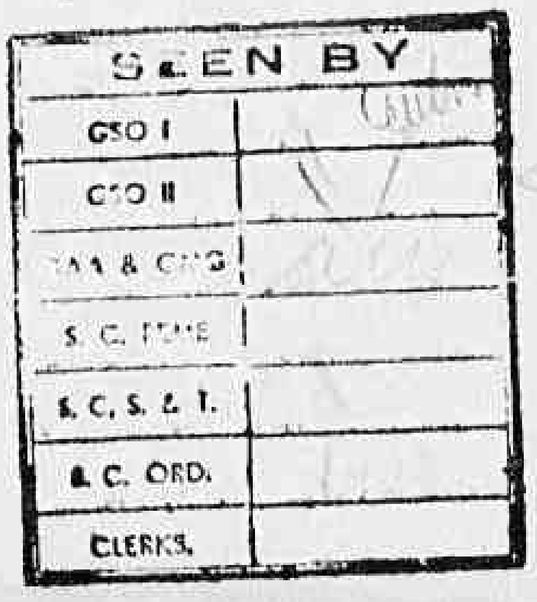
N O V I T A' P O S T I B L O C C O DALL'8 DICEMBRE AL 15 DICEMBRE 1946.-

POSTI BLOCCO	NAZIONALITA'	PERSONE RESPINTE PERCHE' NON IN REGOLA			
		STRANIERI		ITALIANI	
		PER LA V.G.	DALLA V.G.	PER LA V.G.	DALLA V.G.
Passo Predil		-	-	-	-
Uccea		-	-	-	-
Platischis		-	-	-	-
Stupizza		-	-	1	5
Ceplitischis	Slava	-	2	-	-
Gruppo P.B.Prepotto		-	-	-	3
Gruppo P.B.Vallanova		-	-	123	87
Gruppo P.B.Topoglimo		-	-	5	21
Gruppo P.B.Papariano		-	-	22	3

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19 DIC. 1946.



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8° REGGIMENTO ALPIN[redacted]

COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

AL 5° B. L. U. U D I N E

DICEMBRE AL 15 DICEMBRE 1946.-

TE PERCHE' NON IN REGOLA

RI	ITALIANI	
ALLA G.	PER LA V.G.	DALLA V.G.
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	1	5
-	-	-
-	-	3
-	113	87
-	5	21
-	22	3

N O V I T A ' P R I N C I P A L I

- Il giorno 8 alle ore 19,30 circa sono stati sparati 3 colpi di Thompson ad una macchina [redacted] targata L.4976 419 che non si arrestava al P.B. per il controllo.-

- Il giorno 9 alle ore 17 circa sono stati sparati a scopo intimidatorio 3 colpi di Thompson per arrestare due prigionieri tedeschi che avevano passato il fiume a guado e cercavano di dirigersi verso la zona A. Fermati, sono stati rinviati al campo di Villa Vicentina.-

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SUBJECT:- Frontier Control.

5 British Liaison Unit.
Tele 1567
G/118/93
17 Dec 46.

GHQ Fed Dem Rep
c/o 1 Armd Div.

Forwarded herewith report from Polmesbn 5 on Control at Black Forest.

Major,
GII.

GII(b)
TK/mh

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16 DIC 1946

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
[redacted] CORPS

VENEZIA GIULIA

12th Dec.'46.

Telephone No.: [illegible]
Reference No.: VG/AMG/PW/201.
Subject : ROAD PARTIES.

To : U.N.R.R.A. (Attn. Capt. Ainsworth.)

1. Ref. our letter VG/AMG/PW/201/5710, dated 3 Dec.'46 to you, you are herewith advised to contact 5 BLU UDINE for further information.

F.W. Brownlee

F.W. BROWNLEE
Capt. CMP
Highway Officer
for Chief P.W. Offr.

c/c
5 British Liaison Unit - UDINE.
File.

Traduzione.

Oggetto : PARTITE STRADALI.

1. Con riferimento alla lettera VG/AMG/PW/201. inviatavi in data 3 Dic.'46, venite con la presente richiesto di mettervi in contatto con 5 BLU UDINE per ulteriori informazioni.

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SCRUBBY

SUBJECT: Frontier Control

5 British Division Unit
Serial: 1367
G/110/5)
11 Dec 46.

CO, HQ (for att. G Ops)

Copy to: CO, Forward Ops c/o 1 Armd Div
HQ (BE) Div (for att. G 2)
CO, 5 Territorial Battalion
CO, Tolmezzo Bn Lovaria

The Commandant of the Tolmezzo Battalion has reported that on the 10 Nov, one of his soldiers was shot by an idont at the San Mohret Block Post. A full report follows, but briefly, the sentry who had just been relieved, handed over his Tommy Gun to the new sentry, it being apparently loaded and cocked. The new sentry on going up to examine a civilian, inadvertently pressed the trigger and shot himself. He was taken to the American Hospital, but died there.

As most of the men are young recruits and have not the experience of old soldiers in weapons, the Commander has requested permission to amend the orders about loading.

Pending your approval, orders have been issued that sentrys with rifles will have magazines loaded, but the chamber unloaded. Those with Sten will have the magazine on the gun but ensure that the cocking handle is forward. It is considered that the men should get sufficiently acquainted with the weapon for this to be safe enough.

It appears that the NCO i/c of the Post omitted to examine the weapon when the relief took place - a standing order in the Battalion.

Major,
G HQ.

FIELD
HQ/rw

File
Diary

To: HQ Tolmezzo Battalion

You are hereby authorised to amend your orders as above, pending any further orders. You are urged to take all steps to train all the men in the handling of the Sten. It is thought this is a better safeguard than to

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Major,
O.C. 1/5 [illegible]

FIELD
W/Rs

File
Diary

To: H. Tolpuddle Battalion

You are hereby authorised to amend your orders as above, pending any further orders. You are urged to take all steps to train all the men in the handling of the STEN. It is thought this is a better safeguard than to render the weapon operationally useless by taking off the magazine. Accidents with weapons have happened and will continue to happen in all armies and the only true safeguard consistent with military requirements is experience and training.

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SUBJECT: Frontier Control - PADILL

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1547
G/119/30
12 Dec 46.

Forward Ops Sect CHQ c/o 1 Armd Div
GS UK Div G 2 Sect. for attention Major PAUL

Ref telephone conversation Major Kitcat - Major Poll & Major Kitcat - Forward Ops.

The Commander of the Tolmezzo Battalion does not agree that the Post at PADILL should be moved to [redacted] PADILL, for various reasons, one of which is the prevalence of communism there.

Since my suggestion was only to increase the comfort of the men and has no operational significance, I suggest in view of the Commanders opinion, that my idea is not so good and that the question be dropped.

Major,
G II.

[redacted]
TK/RW

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Diary

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

AL 5 B.L.U. — U D I N E

NOVITA'POSTI BLOCCO DAL 1 DICEMBRE AL 7 DICEMBRE 1946

Posti blocco	Nazionalità	Persone respinte perchè non in regola: Stranieri Per la V.G.	Stranieri Dalla V.G.	Italiani Per la V.G.	Italiani Dalla V.G.	Novità principali
Pt.o Fredil				-	-	
Uccea				-	-	
Platischis				3	2	
Stupizza						
Ceplitischis	Slava		2 (1)		3	-(1)Per ordine della C.I.C.di Civ rilasciati.Sono stati trattenuti riconoscimento con l'ordine di r giorno 9/11. Sono stati catturat torio della provincia di Udine.
Gr.P.B.Prepotto				4	11	
Gr.P.B.Villanova	Francesi		13	120	57	
	Turchi		4			
	Slavi		10			
Gr.P.B.Topogliano				11	27	-Le sbarre dei P.B.di Chiopris e rotte.-
Gr.P.B.Papariano	Francese	1		9	3	- Un slavo fuggito dal campo di gionieri di guerra inglese,in t è stato fermato al P.F. di Pier la P.S.S.di Cervignano.-
	Svizzera	1				

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8° REGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

AL 5 R.L.U. UDINE

DAL 1 DICEMBRE AL 7 DICEMBRE 1946

Persone respinte perchè non in regola					
	Stranieri		Italiani		
onalità	Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	Novità principali
			5	1	
			-	-	
			-	-	
			3	2	
e		2 (1)		3	-(1)Per ordine della C.I.C.di Cividale sono stati rilasciati.Sono stati trattenuti i documenti di riconoscimento con l'ordine di ripresentarsi il giorno 9/11. Sono stati catturati ~~xxix~~ in territorio della provincia di Udine.
			4	11	
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			11	27	-Le sbarre dei F.B.di Chiopris e Topogliano sono rotte.-
ncese	1		9	3	- Un slavo fuggito dal campo di concentramento prigionieri di guerra inglese, in territorio italiano, è stato fermato al F.F. di Pierie e consegnato alla F.C.S.di Cervignano.-
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SUBJECT:- Control of WESTERN Italy
VENEZIA GIULIA

G (Ops) GHQ BAF

5752/G

7 Dec 46

Tele No.....

5 MLO

Copy to:- GS(I) AWI Ops Sec o/o I Armd Div

Further to our 5793/G of 11 Nov 46.

Copy of 'A' Branch GHQ letter 9932/M of 3 Dec 46 is fwd herewith for your info.

Blands
for
Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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G1O II	
DA & QMG	
S. C. FENE	
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OTHERS	

FE/JO

S/C Headquarters
in connection with
copy of letter from
HQ Land Forces Greece
dated 3 Dec 46

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SUBJECT:- Control of [illegible]

GHQ, SWPA

3932/44

5 Dec 45

G (Ops)

Reference your 5780/G dated 11 Nov.

Delay in answering your letter is regretted. Arrangements have now been made by Welfare to supply the [illegible] with games, wireless sets, and a few other welfare stores. It is also understood that a Canteen in Trieste is making available for the Unit a small fund for the purchase of welfare amenities.

J.A. ROBINSON
Colonel 'A'

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SECRET : PUBLIC SCOPE

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- 8 DIC 1946

Maj Gen Upex DC,
c/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/G
7 Dec 46
Col 1 Armd Div Exin 46
FROM: AUTC 2455

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Provincial Commissioner, BASRA Province

86 (US) Div
5 Bde
HQ Coy 86(US)

1. It has been reported by 86 (US)Div that the road which the Division is using for their Western boundary patrols has been damaged at the following places and that repairs are necessary.

631196)
646214)
678234) Bridges
683241)
702256)

675227 - Culvert

2. Will you please confirm that these repairs will be carried out by you, giving the estimated date of completion.

3. Any queries that there may be should be raised direct with 86 (US)Div - Captain Gerard E. WALKER, Asst G-5 (Tels 180 Ext 3)

SEEN BY	
GSO I	Cullen
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	Date
S. C. RE&E	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. GHD.	
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Brigadier
for
Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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SUBJECT: Road Barriers

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: BOENS 1547
G/119/66
8 Dec 46.

Capt T.R. Bromlee CMP
Highway Officer
ZONE
TRIESTE

Ref your VG/AMG/P#/201/5710 of 3 Dec 46 to USVG.

Will you please instruct Rep of USVG to contact 5 BLU UDINE.

Major,
G.II.

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8° REGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

- 7 DIC. 1946

AL V° B.L.U.: U D I N

NOVITA' POSTI BLOCCO DAL 25 AL 1 DICEMBRE 1946

Posti blocco	Persone respinte perchè non in regola: Stranieri Nazionalità	Stranieri Per la V.G.	Stranieri Dalla V.G.	Italiani Per la V.G.	Italiani Dalla V.G.	Novità prin
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Gr;P.B.Villanova	Slava		12	66	82	
Gr.P. Topogliano				40	I8	
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- Le sbarre del P.B.di Chiopris Viscone sono state spezzate da ignoti

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G.O.I.
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D.A.A. & O.M.G.
S. C. P.E.M.E.
S. C. S. & T.
S. C. ORD.
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IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
(Ten. Col. Egizi Alfredo)

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8° REGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

1946

AL V° E.L.U.: U D I N E

STI ELOCCO DAL 25 AL 1 DICEMBRE 1946

Persone respinte perchè non in regola

ieri	Italiani				Novità principali
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- Le sbarre del T.B.A. di Chiopris Nord e Topogliano sono state spostate per urto di automezzi alleati.

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
(Ten. Col. Egizi Alfredo)

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Telephone No.: 7838/77
Reference No.: VG/AG/PM/201/5710
Subject : REMOVAL OF ROAD BARRIERS.

3rd Dec.'46.

To : 1. U.S.V.F. (Attn. Engr. Aliunti.)

1. You are to construct and erect in place additional barriers at the following locations.

PESCHIERA - MR. C - 5622
PRATELLO - MR. C - 5621
CASTIGLIANO - MR. B - 5308
VILLANOVA - MR. C - 5407

2. It is stated in letter dated 19 Nov.'46 from 3HQ Fwd Ops Sec. that barriers now exist, but require repair at -

CERVARESE - MR. C - 5205.
VERRUCCHIO - MR. B - 5709.

3. In connection with CASTIGLIANO you will recall that a barrier was ordered erected some time ago, but correct location was not known, due to the fact that (A) road lead out and cross the border at this town; however a representative from 3 HQ will contact this or your own office to give exact locations on all barriers cited in this letter.

BY ORDER of COL. BOWMAN.

T.F. Brownlee
Capt. AUS
Highway Officer
For Chief P.W. Offr.

c/c
CMIC Fwd Ops Sec. c/o 1 Armd Div.
5 - P.W.I.
CMIC CMP (2 cys.)
CMIC SHP (CMIC (5))
HQ SB (ESC) Liv.
410 PWE.
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7 DIC. 1946

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Major [illegible]

7 DIC. 1946

HEADQUARTERS 88TH INFANTRY DIVISION
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 88

3 December 1946

SUBJECT: EFFICIENCY INSPECTION OF ROAD BLOCKS OF WESTERN BOUNDARY.

TO: See Distribution

1. During the week of 18 November to 22 November 1946, an inspection was made of all the roadblocks on the Western Boundary of Venezia Giulia for the purpose of determining the operational efficiency of each barrier.

2. Inspections of road posts revealed the following:

a. FRODEZCA (622221)

The visual lights (signals) that were reported during the past two weeks have not been noticed this week. There has been some movement in the same mountain area. There has not been any shooting in the operational area of this post. The traffic is still light as usual.

b. PLATISCHIS (523322)

The threat of a possible attack upon this post has not materialized as yet. The people in the town seem to be assuming a very friendly attitude toward the Alpini Soldiers at the post. The traffic is becoming lighter and lighter every week. The men are carrying on their duties as prescribed.

c. PASSO del PREDIL (671587)

The conditions existing at this post have improved vastly compared to last week. There have been two stoves added, one stove to be placed in the guard's shelter, and the other is to be kept in the sleeping room. The Engrs; have furnished 15 sheets of glass in order that all the broken windows may be replaced. The weather conditions at this blockpost tends to limit the traffic to that of military.

d. CRNOTISCHIS (668321)

There was an armed attack made on this post 17 November 1946. The attack commenced with two hand grenades at 2315 hours. The attack continued with automatic weapon fire, raking the post several times. There were about 400 rounds fired. No casualities resulted. At present, there is an American Patrol nightly in the area of FRODEZCA and PREPOTTO. Due to this patrol, the moral of the men has been boosted. The men are now more impressed that the Americans have taken an interest in the area.

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SUBJECT: Efficiency Inspection Cont.

e. UOMA (581462)

Provisions have been made at this post for V.G. Police of the Forestry Patrol to proceed past this roadpost for a distance of five kilometers and to be accompanied by a Soldier of the blockpost. Post is running smoothly.

f. [illegible] (596122)

On the night of 20 November 1946, 3 shots were fired at the post. Patrols were dispatched with negative results. There has been no reoccurance. It has been reported that passes from the [illegible] V.G. Police have been official. The guards have returned persons carrying such permits. The V.G. Police of that area have been dealt with severely.

g. [illegible] (591341)

The radios are operating very well, with the exception of the radio at this blockpost. This radio has been repaired twice at the signal Company of the 88th Inf, Div. The traffic at this post is becoming lighter, with the post operating as before. The men have high moral.

Vincent W. Bezich
VINCENT W. BEZICH
1st Lt., Infantry
Asst. AC of S, G-2

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Major Kitkat

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- 5 DIC. 1946

ORDNANCE DIRECTORATE
G.H.Q. C.M.F.

REF: DOS 2/17/5(3)

TEL: PADUA 22647

DATE: 29TH NOV. 146.

SUBJECT: 'B' VEHICLE RELEASE - CANCELLATION.

TO: OC 58 VEHICLE COY.

REF DOS/0263 DATED 25 OCT. 146.

PLEASE CANCEL.

V.H. OSBORNE, S/CAPT. (MT)
FOR BRIGADIER,
D.O.S.

COPY TO: 5 B.L.U. - YOUR G/119 DATED 16 NOV. REFERS.
LFSC MMIA.
'Q' GHQ.
18 VEHICLE PARK.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

PROVINCE OF UDINE

(PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION)

Tele: 1518, ext. 23

To: Sig. Questore - Udine

- 5 DIC. 1946

Date: 3rd ~~November~~ Dicembre 1946

Subject: Instructions issued to Italian Army Personnel on duty at Block posts.

Ref. No: PSD/22/A

1. I have to draw your attention to letter 02I3I8/Gab dated 20.Nov.46 forwarded by the Questura of Udine to the Tolmezzo Battalion of Alpini , and to point out that the issue of direct instructions of any kind by your Office to the above unit is most irregular.

2. This Battalion is under the immediate operational command of G.H.Q. and any matters concerning the Battalion must be done through G.H.Q.

3. The correct channel is through the Public Safety Division AMG , who will forward any necessary information to G II.

By order of the Provincial Commissioner.

Andrew G.P. Gray

Andrew G.P. Gray
Major
S.P.P.S.O. Udine

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→ Copy to : G II for info of G II
(your G/I19/13 of 29 Nov 46)

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SUBJECT: TOLMEZZO Bn - ALPINI REPT

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 157
G/119/81
4 Dec 46.

GHQ Fwd Ops Sec
c/o 1 Armd Div

Copy of Report from the Tolmezzo Bn is forwarded herewith.

Major,
G XX.

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V. G. CHECK POSTS

TOWN LOCATION	STRENGTH	GUARDS ON POST	PATROLS	TRAFFIC	INSTRUCTIONS	M/T	COMM	LIAISON W/CO	LIGHTS	REM
PLATIS' 525- CHIS 393 ✓	8 men & 1 Cpl.	1 Day & 1 Night	1-3 Man Patrol	Light foot cart vehicles	Not fit shack un- fit (how ever inst ructions are avail- able. Redesigned	None	Tele- phone Post to Bil- ant only	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: New S Compl 4 - W Glas 2 - I 1 - I 1 - S
UCCEA 524- 463 ✓	8 Men & 1 Cpl.	2 Men at all times	1-3 Man Patrol	Light foot cart vehicles	Are posted	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 4 - I two l 1 - I 25 - wire 25 - paper 3 - S small 3 - S panes
PASSO 675- DELP- 597 REDIL ✓	8 Men & Sgt Maj.	2 Men At all times	1-3 Man Patrol	Heavy foot cart vehicles	Are posted	None	Military tele- phone to Cava Del and Relay to CIC Torviscio	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 1-Sma pipe roof 2-Si Lang Engl & Sl to s Prov Boun 1-Ele wood & bat 25-ye wire lamp Colle 18-W 6- 6- 6- 6- 3-
CERVET- 669 ISCHIS 321 ✓	8 Men & 1 Cpl.	2 Men At all times	1-3 Man Patrol	Very light foot cart	Are posted	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 1 - 1 - 25 3 - 35 1 - 6 -

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V. G. CHECK POSTS

COMM	LIAISON W/CO	LIGHTS	BILLETS	ORDNANCE	RATING	DATE OF VISIT	REMARKS
Wire-less tele-phone to Post to Bil-let only	Commanding officer visits twice week-ly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: New Shack - 7'x4'x7' Complete with paper 4 - Windows 8"x8" Glass or Cello-glass 2 - Lanterns 1 - Flashlight & Batteries 1 - Small stove	2 Brens 4 Hand grenades per man 2 Beretta 9 Carbines 72 Rounds per Carbine 1,200 Rounds per Breda 200 Rounds per Beretta	SATIS-FACTORY	23 Oct 946 6 Nov 946 15 Nov 946	Recommend at least 3 additional men be placed on duty here
None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 4 - Lanterns two Kerosene 1 - Flashlight 25 - Yds Barbed wire 25 - Yds roofing paper & nails 2 - Stoves 1-small 2 - 8"x8" Window panes	4 Hand grenades per man 2 Berettas 2 Bredas 9 Carbines 72 Rounds per Carbine 1,200 Rounds per Breda 200 Rounds per Beretta	SATIS-FACTORY	23 Oct 946 6 Nov 946 15 Nov 946	Morale high Clandestine radio in operation in the vicinity. Is being checked
Military tele-phone to Cava-lel and Relay to CIC Torviscio	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 1-Small stove & pipes 30 Yds roofing paper 2-Signs-3 Language type English. Italian. & Slovene. Signs to say Limit of Province of Udine. Boundary of V.G. 1-Sheet 4'x8' ply-wood 1 Flashlight & batteries 25-yds of barbed wire. 2 Kerosene Lamps 1 Sq yd of Cello-glass 18-Window panes 43.2x35.5 6- " " 41.1x34.2 6- " " 43.4x35.4 6- " " 43.2x35.2 6- " " 41.0x34.5 3- " " 42.0x43.5	4 Hand Grenades per man 3 Berettas 1 Breda 2 Carbines 72 rounds per Carbine 200 Rounds per Beretta 1,200 Rounds per Breda	SATIS-FACTORY	23 Oct 1946 6 Nov 1946 15 Nov 1946	1 Finance Guard on post only Excellent caliber of soldiers but threatened to leave the post if living conditions were not improved for the winter
None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 1 - Lantern 1 - Flashlight Batteries 25 -Yds barbed wire 3 - Stoves (1 small for shack) 35 - Yds roofing paper and nails 1 - 8"x12" Window pane 6 - 43.2x 35.5 Window panes	4 Hand grenades per man 2 Berettas 2 Bredas 9 Carbines 72 Rounds per Carbine 1,200 Rounds per Breda 200 Rounds per	SATIS-FACTORY	24 Oct 1946 8 Nov 1946 15 Nov 1946	2 November-Fired on with automatic weapons 3 November-Same

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CHIEF- 669 TECHS 321 ✓	5 Men & 1 Cpl.	Men t all imes	1-3 Man Patrol	Very light foot cart	Are posted	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-Lamp Electric	NEED: 1 1 25 3 35 1 6
SUP- 529 PERA 349	12 Men & Sgt Maj.	2 Men at all times	1-3 Man Patrol over bridge paths	Heavy foot cart & vehicles	In office	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-Lamp Electric	NEED: 3- 55 Per 2 1

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			25-yds of barbed wire. 2 Kerosene Lamps 1 Sq yd of Celle-glass 18-Window panes 43.2x35.5 6- " " 41.1x34.2 6- " " 43.4x35.4 6- " " 43.2x35.2 6- " " 41.0x34.5 3- " " 42.0x34.5				improved for the winter
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one	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-Lamp Electric	NEED: 3- Stoves (1 small for shack) 35 - Yds roofing paper & nails 2 - Flashlights & Batts 1 - Lantern	4 Hand grenades per man 3 Berettas - 2 Bredas 9 Carbines 72 Rounds per Carbine 1,200 Rounds per Breda 200 Rounds per Beretta	SATIS-FACTORY -	24 Oct 1946 8 Nov 1946 16 Nov 1946		

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TOWN LOCATION	STRENGTH	GUARDS ON POST	PATROLS	TRAFIC	INSTRUCT'S	LIAISON V.G. CHECK POSTS W/T	CORR	W/CO	LIGHTS	
HQ AP PREPOTTO 508-174 a.Delegano Potando 508-153 b.Albano Mernica 503-180	15 Men & Sgt Major	3 Men at all times on all posts	1-3 Man Patrol	Light foot cart vehicles	In Hdqurters at Prepotto.	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED:
PODRESCA 662-221	8 Men & One Cpl	1 Day & 1 Night	1-3 Man Patrol	Light foot cart vehicles	In office	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED:
VIMERCWA 548-073	14 Men plus Lieut and Sgt Major	3 Always	1-3 Man Patrol	Heavy foot cart vehicles	Posted	1-3 Ton Truck	Telephone	Lieutenant lives at post	Elec.	NEED:
San Giovanni 535-101	12 Men and Sgt Major	4 Soldiers 2 Finance 2 Questura	None	Trains	Posted	None	Telephone	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	Elec.	NEED: ?
SAN ANDRAT 584-113	7 Men & Cpl Maj	1 - Day 2 - Night	None	Light foot cart vehicles	Posted	None	Telephone	Commanding officer visits five times weekly	Elec.	NEED:

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LIAISON V.C. CHECK POSTS

TS	T/T	COM	W/CO	LIGHTS	BILLETS	ORDNANCE	RATING	DATE OF VISIT	REMARKS
	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-Lamp Electric	NEED: 4-Stoves (1 large stove) 2-Window Panes 8"x12" Glass or Celle-glass 2-Flashlights	3 Berettas 1 Breda 16 Carbines 4 Hand Grenades per Man 72 Rounds per Carbine 200 Rounds per Beretta 1,200 Rounds per Breda	SATIS-FACTORY	24 Oct 1946 3 Nov 1946 16 Nov 1946	One Finance guard at Dolegano and one at Mane at all times.
	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-Lamp Kerosene 1-Lamp Electric	NEED: 3-Lanterns (1 Kerosene) 2-Flashlights 3-Stoves (1 small for check) 35-Rds roofing paper & nails	2 Berettas 1 Breda 2 Carbines 4 grenades per man 2,000 Rounds per Beretta 1,200 Rounds per Breda 72 Rounds per Carbine	SATIS-FACTORY	24 Oct 1946 3 Nov 1946 16 Nov 1946	
	1-3 Ton Truck	Tele-phone	Lieut-enant lives at post	Elec.	NEED: 2-Window Glass. 30.0x30.0 20-Window Glass. 30.0x2.0 3-Stoves, fuel for stoves (small(1)) 6-Red glass reflectors 27-Sq Yds Screening 100-Ft lumber 2"x4" 5-Gals, DDT with spray 120-Ft roofing paper 2- Kerosene lamps 1- mile Tel. wire	1 Pistol 6 Berettas 1 Breda 11 Carbines 72 Rds per Carbine 10,000 Rds for Berettas 600 Rds. for Breda 200 Rds. per Carbines	SATIS-FACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	4 Finance Guards (have one pistol) 4 Questura Guards have four pistols No irregular-ities discovered
	None	Tele-phone	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	Elec.	NEED: 16 Windows 25.0x5.0 10 Windows 25.0x3.0 wood for windows 3'x2-½' 4 Stoves (1 Small for shack) 12 Large batteries for square type light. 2 Flashlights "/better's 1 Telephone wire	13 Carbines 2 Berettas 15 Grenades 264 Rds for Carbines 60 Rds. for Berettas	SATIS-FACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	4 Questura Gds. 4 Finance Gds. (have one Breta &Pistols) No irregul-arities discovered
	None	Tele-phone	Commanding officer visits five times weekly	Elec.	NEED: 4 -lamps 120- ft roofing paper 1 -Small stove for shack 1 mile Tele-phone wire	4 Berettas 8 Carbines 35 Grenades 1,000 Rd for Berettas 72 Rds for each Carbine	SATIS-FACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	No irregul-arities found

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San Giovanni 535-101	12 Men and Sgt Major	4 Soldiers 2 Finance 2 Questura	None	Trains	Posted	None	Telephone	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	Elec.	
SAN ALBERT 584-115	7 Men & Cpl Maj	1 - Day 2 - Night	None	Light foot cart vehicles	Posted	None	Telephone	Commanding officer visits five times weekly	Elec.	
TARIANE 72-090	7 Men & Cpl Maj	1-Day 2-Night 1 Finance g'rd at all times	None	Heavy foot cart vehicle	Posted	None	Telephone	Commanding officer visits six times weekly	Elec.	

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None	Tele-phone	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	Elec.	MEND: 16 Windows 25.0x45.0 10 Windows 25.0x48.0 wood for windows 3'x2-½' 4 Stoves (1 Small for shack) 12 Large batterios for square type light. 2 Flashlights "/batter's 1 Telephone wire	13 Carbines 2 Berettas 15 Grenades 264 Rds for Carbines 60 Rds. for Berettas	SATIS-FACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	4 Questura Gds. 4 Finance Gds. (have one Breta &Fistols) No irregul-erities discovered
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None	Tele-phone	Commanding officer visits six times weekly	Elec.	MEND: 4 - lamps 30 - Yds screen (fine) 120 - Ft. lumber 2'x4' lumber for door 5'x6' 65 - Ft. roofing paper 2 - Stoves (1 Small)	4 Berettas 8 Carbines 35 Hand grenades 1,00 Rds per Beretta 72 Rds per carbine	SATIS - FACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	4 Fin'ce G'ds have with 2 Berettas & 500 Rds and one Pistol No irregular-ities found

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SUBJECT : Western Bdy of VENEZIA GIULIA.

Gp Hq Fwd Ops Sec,
C/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/G .
2 Dec 46
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
RIESTE AMTC 2455

HQ 5 BLU ✓
- - - - -
HQ 88 (US) Div
GHQ AFF (G Ops)
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Ref att copy of 88 (US) Div Memorandum dated 21 Nov.

1. Will you please go into the question of the deficiencies listed in the att letter with the Italian Army authorities. You should consult 88 (US) Div direct over any items about which you are in doubt. This office was under the impression that all posts had already been provided with stores and furnishings.

2. This office will arrange provision of the frontier signs for the post at PONTEBBA.

3. Will you please comment on the entries in the remarks col for the post at PREDIL and CLAUZETTO.

- 4 DIC 1946

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for Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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HEADQUARTERS 88TH INFANTRY DIVISION
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 88

2 December 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2

SUBJECT: Inspection of Venezia Giulia Western Boundary Road Posts.

1. Command Inspections of Venezia Giulia Boundary road posts in the 88th Division area under CIC Zone 1 and 12 FSS supervision were made on dates indicated by Commanding Officer, 4th Company, Italian Tolmezzo Alpini Battalion and responsible CIC and FSS agents, accompanied by the undersigned.

2. Since the last inspection SCR 284's have been installed and are operating efficiently at outposts at UCCEA, PLATISCHIS, STUPIZZA, CIMPETISCHIS, POREZZA, and ABANO. A net control station is located at Company Headquarters at S. PIETRO al NATISONE.

3. Results of inspections are attached herewith. All shelters are lacking in adequate winter equipment (See attached requisition).

VINCENT F. BEECH
1st Lt., Infantry
Asst AC of S, G-2

Copies furnished
G2I, GHQ, CMF (Padua)
G2I (b) Fwd Opn Section
c/o 1st Armd Div
Chief of Staff
88th Inf Div

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Consolidated
Requisition for Italian Outposts

1. 28 Stoves (10 small) (1 large)
2. 1 new shack complete with roofing paper etc.
3. 260 yards roofing paper
4. 2 kegs roofing nails
5. 75 yards barbed wire
6. 1 sheet plywood 4' x 3'
7. 1 sq. yard cello glass
8. 2 signs. 3 language type: signs to say:
   LIMITS of PROVINCE OF UDINE - BOUNDARY OF VENEZIA GIULIA.
9. Lumber for 3 windows - 3' x 4'
10. Lumber for door - 3' x 6'
11. 4 miles telephone wire
12. 5 gals D.D.T. with sprayer
13. 57 sq. yards screen (fine)
14. 220 feet lumber (2' x 4')
15. 28 lamps (Kerosene or electric) 3 with red glass outside
16. 12 batteries for large square type lamp
17. 12 flashlights with batteries
18. 3 - 8" x 12" window panes)glass or nilo glass)
19. 7 - 8" x8" " " " " " "
20. 21 43.2 x 35.5 window panes (glass or nilo glass) Measurement in centimeters
21. 6 41.1 x 34.2 " " " " " " " " "
22. 6 43.4 x 35.4 " " " " " " " " "
23. 6 43.2 x 35.2 " " " " " " " " "
24. 6 42.0 x 43.5 " " " " " " " " "
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26. 2 30.0 x 30.0 " " " " " " " " "
27. 20 30.0 x 42.0 " " " " " " " " "
28. 16 35.0 x 45.0 " " " " " " " " "
29. 10 25.0 x 48.0 " " " " " " " " "

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V G CHECK POSTS

TOWN LOCATION	STRENGTH	GUARD/SOUTY	PATROLS	TRAFFIC	INSTRUCTIONS	M/T	COMMs	LIASON W/CO	LIGHTS	BILLETS
PLATIS- 535- CHIS 39?	8 men & 1 Cpl	1 Day & 1 Nigh?	1-3 Man Patrol	light foot cart vehicle:	not fit Shack un- fit (how- ever inst- ructions are avail able)	none	Telephone Post to Bil let only	Commanding officer twice weekly	1-lamp kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: New Shack - 7' x Complete with pap 4 - Windows 8"x8" Glass or Cello-Gl 2 - Lanterns 1 - Flashlight & Batteries 1 - Small Stove
UCCEA 5?1- 463	8 Men & ? Cpl	2 Men at all times	1-3 Man Patrol	light foot cart vehicle:	Are Posted	None	None	Commanding Officer twice week- ly	1-lamp Kerosen 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 1 - Lanterns two kerosene 1 - Fleslight 25 - Yds barbed 25 - Yds roofing and nails 3 - Stoves 1 - s 2 - 8"x8" window
IESSC 475 MEDRE 507 DII	8 Men & Sgt Maj	2 Me at all times	1-3 Man Patrol	light foot cart vehicle:	Are posted	None	Military telephone to Give Del and relay to CIC Tervicio	Commanding officer twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp electric	NEED: 1-small stove an 50 Yds roofing pe 2-signs-3 language English, Italia Slovene. Signs limit of Provinc Udine. Boundary 1-chest, 4'x3' ply 1-Flashlight & bat 25 Yds of barbed wi 2 Kerosene lamps 1-Sq yd of Celip-g 18-Window panes 43. 6- " " 41. 6- " " 43. 6- " " 43. 6- " " 41. 2 " " 42.
CIPLIC- 669- TaCHIS 221	8 Men & 1 Cpl	2 Men at all times	1-3 Man patrol	very light foot cart	Are Posted	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 1- Lantern 1-Flashlight & 25- Yds Barbed 2 - Stoves (1 shack) 25 - Yds roofi and nail 1- 8"x12" wind 6 - 43.2x35.5 panes.
STUR- 594- ANZA 348	12 men Sgt ma?	2 men at all times	1-3 man patrol	heavy foot cart vehicles	In office	None	None	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 3- Stoves (small for s 25 - Yds roofing and nails 2 - flashlights & 1 - lantern

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V G CHECK POSTS

	LIAISON W/CO	LIGHTS	BILLETS	ORDNANCE	RATING	DATE OF VISIT	REMARKS
e Bi	Commanding officer twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: New Shack - 7' x 4' x 7' Complete with paper 4 - Windows 8"x8" Glass or Cello-Glass 2 - Lanterns 1 - Flashlight & batteries 1 - Small Stove	4 Hand grenades per man 2 Berettes 2 Bredas 9 Carbines 72 rounds per carbine 1,200 rounds per Breda 200 rounds per Beretta	SATIS-Factory	23 Oct 1946 6 Nov 1946 15 Nov 1946	Recommend at least 3 additional men be posted on duty here
	Commanding officer twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 4 - lanterns two kerosene 2 - Flashlight 25 - Yds barbed wire 25 - Yds roofing paper and nails 3 - Stoves 1 - small 3 - 8"x8" window panes	4 Hand grenades per man 2 Berettas 2 Bredas 9 Carbines 72 rounds per Carbine 1,200 rounds Breda 200 rounds per Beretta	SATIS FACTORY	23 Oct 1946 6 Nov 1946 15 Nov 1946	Morale high Clandestine radio in operation in the vicinity. Is being checked.
ey ac	Commanding officer twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp electric	NEED: 1-small stove and pipes 25 Yds roofing paper 2-signs-3 language type English, Italian, and Slovene. Sign to say Limit of Province of Udine. Meaning of V.G. 1-sheet, 7'x3' plywood 1-Flashlight & batteries 25 Yds of barbed wire 2 Kerosene lamps 1-Set of Cello-Glass 18-94 Cwn panes 43.2x25.5 6- " " 41.1x34.2 6- " " 43.4x25.4 6- " " 43.2x25.2 6- " " 42.8x34.5 2 " " 42.8x43.5	4 Hand grenades per man 3 Berettas 1 Breda 9 Carbine 72 rounds per Carbine 200 rounds per Beretta 1,200 rounds per Breda	SATIS FACTORY	23 Oct 1946 6 Nov 1946 15 Nov 1946	1 Finance guard on Post only. Excellent caliber of soldiers but threatened to leave the post if living conditions were not improved for the winter.
	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 1- lantern 1-Flashlight batt's 25- Yds Barbed wire 3 - Stoves (1 small for shack) 25 - Yds roofing paper and nails 1- 8"x12" window pane 6 - 43.2x25.4 window panes	4 hand grenades per man 3 Berettas 2 Bredas 9 Carbines 72 rounds per Carbine 1,200 rounds per Breda 200 rounds per Beretta	SATIS FACTORY	24 Oct 1946 8 Nov 1946 15 Nov 1946	2 November fired on with atomatic weapons 2 November- same
	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 3- Stoves (small for shack) 25 - Yds roofing paper and nails 2 - Flashlights & batts 1 - lantern	4 hand grenades per man 3 Berettas - 2 Bredas 9 Carbines 72 rounds per carbine 1,200 rounds per breda 200 rounds per Beretta	SATIS FACTORY	24 Oct 1946 8 Nov 1946 16 Nov 1946	

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TOWN LOCATION	STRENGTH GUARD ON POST	PATROLS	TRAFFIC	INSTRUCTIONS	M T	COMM	W/CO	MASON V. C. CHECK POSTS LIGHTS	BILLETS
HQ. AT PREPOTTO 5980174 a. Dolegano Potamis 5980158 b. Albano Mernica 6036180	15 men & Sgt Maj	3 Men at all times on all posts	1-3 man Patrol	Light foot cart vehicles	In Head quarters at Prepotto.	None	None	Commanding Officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 4 - Stoves (1 large stov 2 - Window panes Glass or Cell 2 - Flashlights
PODRESCA 662-221	8 Men & 1 Cpl	1 Day & 1 Night	1-3 man Patrol	Light foot cart vehicles	In office	None	Nom	Commanding Officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 3 - Lanterns (1kerosene 2 - Flshlights 3 - Stoves (1 small f 35 - Yds roofi roofing na
VILLANOVA 5480073	14 Men plus Lieut and Sgt Maj	3 Always	1-3 men patrol	Heavy foot cart vehicles	Posted	1-3 Ton truck	Telephone	Lieut't lives at post	1-lamp electric	NEED: 2 - window glas 20- " " 3- Stoves, fuel f stoves. (1 sm 6- red glass refl 27- 5gyds screeni 100- fty lumber 2'x 5- gals. DDT with 120- ft roofing pe 2 kerosene lamps 1- mile Tel wire
SAN GIOVANNI 535-101	12 Men and Sgt Major	4 Soldiers 2 Finance 2 Questors	None	Trains	Posted	None	Telephone	Commanding Officer visits twice weekly	Electric	NEED: 16 Windows 25.0x 10 " 25.0x wood for win 3'x4' 4 Stoves (1 smal shack) 12 large batteri square type 2 flashlights w/bat 1 telephone wire
SAN ANDEAT 840113	7 men & Cpl Major	1 - day 2 - night	None	Light foot cart vehicles	posted	None	Telephone	Commanding Officer visits five times weekly	Elec	NEED: 4 - lamps 120 - ft roofing p 1 - small stove 1 - mile telepho 4 lamps 3[illegible] - yds line s
ISINATE 572-099	7 Men & Cpl Major	1-Day 2 Night 1 Finance guard at all times	None	Heavy foot cart vehecle	Posted	None	Telephone	Officer visits six time weekly	Elec	NEED: 120 - ft lumber 2 lumber for 65 - ft roofing p 2 - stoves (1 s

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...MM	W/CO	LIGHTS	JASON V. G. CAMOK + USTS WANTS	ORDNANCE	RATING	DATE OF VISIT	REMARKS
...e	Commanding Officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp Kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 4 - Stoves (1 large stove) 2 - Window panes 8" x 12" Glass or Celo-glass 2 - Flashlights	3 Berettes 1 Breda 16 Carbines 4 Hand grenades per manâ 72 rounds per Carbine 20 rounds per Beretta 1,200 rounds per Breda	SATISFACTORY	24 Oct 1946 8 Nov 1946 16 Nov 1946	One finance guard at Dolebn. and one at Albano at all times
...om	Commanding officer visits twice weekly	1-lamp kerosene 1-lamp Electric	NEED: 3 - Lanterns (1kerosene) 2 - Flshlights 3 - Stoves (1 small for shack) 35 - Yds roofing paper roofing nails	2 Berettas 1 Breda 9 Carbines 4 Grenades per man 2000 Rds for Beretta 1,200 rds for Breda 72 Rds per Carbine	SATISFACTORY	24 Oct 1946 8 Nov 1946 16 Nov 1946	
...hone	Lieut't lives at post	1-lamp electric	NEED: 2 - window glass. 30.0x30.0 20- " " 30.0x42.0 3- Stoves. fuel for stoves. (1 small) 6- red glass reflectors 27- Sqyds screening 100- ftyLumber 2'x4' 5- gals. DDT with sprayer 120- ft roofing paper 2 kerosene lamps 1- mile Tel wire	1 pistol 6 Berettas 1 Breda 11 Carbines 72 Rds per Carbine 1000 Rds for berettas 600 Rds for Breda 200 Rds per Carbines	SATISFACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	4 Finance guards (have 1 pistol) 4 Questors Guards Have four pistols No irregularities discovered.
...hone	Commanding Officer visits twice weekly	Electric	NEED: 16 windows 25.0x45.0 10 " 25.0x48.0 wood for windows 3'x4' 4 Stoves (1 small for shack) 12 large batteries for square type light 2 flashlights w/batteries 1 telephone wire	13 Carbines 2 Berettas 15 Grenades 264 Rds for Berettas	SATISFACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	4 questura G'ds 4 Finance G'ds Have 1 Breda and pistols No irregularities discovered
...hone	Commanding Officer visits five times weekly	Elec	NEED: 4 - lamps 120 - ft roofing paper 1 - small stove for shack 1 - mile telephone wire 4 lamps 3[illegible] - yds fine screening	4 Berettas 8 Carbines 35 Grenades 1,000 rds for Berettas 72 Rds for Each Carbine	SATISFACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov 1946 11 Nov 1946	No irregularities found
...hone	Officer visits six time weekly	Elec	NEED: 120 - ft lumber 2"x4" lumber for door 3'x6 65 - ft roofing paper 2 - stoves (1 small)	4 Berettas 8 Carbines 35 Hand grenades 1,000 Rds per Beretta 72 Rds per Carbine	SATISFACTORY	30 Oct 1946 4 Nov	4 Finco G'ds have with 2 Berettas 500 Rds and one pistol

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NARA, Date 2-13-13

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1. [illegible]

2. Arrangements specified in my 7020 G dated 19 Nov will apply.

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G.S.O. II	
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.	
S. C. PERS.	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
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Subject:- TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn

G(Ops) GHQ CMF

5792/G

27 Nov 46

Tele No. 22696

5 BLU
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88 (US) Div (attn G-2)
GHQ Fwd Ops Sec
G(Int)

Reference the attached report relating to TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn rd posts on Western Bdy of VENEZIA GIULIA. (copy of report already received by infm addressees).

1. Will you please comment.

2. All further reports of this nature will include 5 BLU on the distribution since 5 BLU is materially affected by all matters concerning TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn. Paras 3 and 7 of GHQ CMF letter 5790/G refers.

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

L/M

30 NOV. 1946

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for Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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SUBJECT : Western Bdy of VENEZIA GIULIA.

GHQ Fwd Ops Sec,
c/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/G
29 Nov 46
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
TRIESTE AUTO 2455

HQ 5 BLU.
G (OPS) GHQ CMF)

Ref your G/119/69 dated 29 Nov.

Your para 1 is understood and the difficulties of ensuring that all civilian vehs are halted on the Western Bdy are appreciated. The point made in my 7020/G dated 21 Nov was not that the military authorities were objecting to military vehs being stopped, but that the Ministry of Foreign Affairs were objecting to military vehs not being stopped.

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30 NOV 1946

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Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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SUBJECT: Reports from check-posts

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1553
G/119/75
23 Nov 46.

G (Ops) Gen Sec
GS(I) — for information.

The following report received from [illegible] dated 22 is forwarded for information.

At about 2200 hrs on 22 Nov 46 Pte was ejected from zone "A" with submitted weapons for a two hour-premature opening the check-post [illegible]. The serviceman entered Pte - in consultation.

[illegible]
Lt.Col,
GS.

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[illegible]/ss

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Diary

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SUBJECT: Documentation of [illegible] personnel
entering zone "A" of [illegible]

9 British Liaison Unit
Telex: 1553
S/113/74
29 Nov 4h.

Tolmezzo Battalion
AFHQ Regiment

Extracts from SHQ Orders are forwarded for information and action.

1. The following particulars of [illegible] personnel entering Zone "A" who are NOT in possession of valid [illegible]s will be forwarded the same day by phone or wireless by all check posts, both on the Western Road and on the [illegible] line, to Check the Security Office [illegible] (Post [illegible] Telephone No. [illegible] - 5628). This information will be passed to the Security Offr through the following channels:

(a) [illegible] line posts through 1 Armd Div or 26 (NZ) Div as applicable.
(b) Western Bdy posts through 419 [illegible] or 210, as applicable.

Particulars required are :-

Check Post No.
Time and Date.
Name of [illegible] employee.
[illegible] Identity card No.
Nationality.
Destination.

The provision of this card will be implemented forthwith by check posts on the [illegible] Line, and by check posts on the Western Bdy of VC as soon as they are fully equipped with telephones or wireless.

2. [illegible] "Laissez Passer" referred to in an Allied Force Format, changed "Valid for entry into Anglo-American occupied [illegible]". It will be issued to [illegible] personnel by Security Officer, VC Police, if the above mentioned documents are in order and if routine security checks reveal no grounds for objection. By "passport" is understood a valid passport, with the appropriate visas for countries passed through en route to Zone "A".

3. It is regretted that no specimens of [illegible] Identity Cards or [illegible] Travel Orders ("Grip Tickets") are at present available. Chief of [illegible] Mission, [illegible], has agreed to forward copies as soon as possible. For information, the [illegible] Identity Card is in booklet form (similar to a pass-port) and has the letters "[illegible]" inscribed on the cover.

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Extracts from CX, Orders are forwarded for information and action.

1. The following particulars of check personnel entering zone "A" who are NOT in possession of valid CXs will be forwarded the same day by phone or wireless by all check posts, both on the western flank and on the [redacted] line, to [redacted] (Post [redacted] telephone No. [redacted] - 6620). This information will be passed to the Security Officer through the following channels:

(a) [redacted] line posts through [redacted] Div or GS (Int) Div as applicable.

(b) Western Bdy posts through [redacted], or GS (Int), as applicable.

Particulars required are :-

Check Post No.
Time and Date.
Name of check employee.
Check Identity Card No.
Nationality.
Description.

The provision of this scale will be implemented forthwith by check posts on the [redacted] line, and by check posts on the Western Bdy of VG as soon as they are fully equipped with telephones or wireless.

2. [redacted] referred to in the above instructions, coloured "Valid for entry into Anglo-American occupied [redacted]". It will be issued to [redacted] personnel by Security Officers, VG Police, if the above mentioned documents are in order and if routine security checks reveal no grounds for objection. By "passport" is understood a valid passport, with the appropriate visas for countries passed through in transit to zone "A".

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AFH/rr

Lt. Col,
GS.

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SUBJECT: Traffic Control - Tolmezzo Bn

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1547
G/119/73
29 Nov 46.

PPSO
UDINE

Forwarded herewith is a copy of a letter received by the Tolmezzo Battalion of Alpini.

Will you please draw attention to the fact that this Battalion is under the operational Command of GHQ and matters concerning the Battalion must be done through GHQ. To save time pending action by GHQ, the 5 BLU can be contacted in UDINE.

FIELD
TK/cw

File
Diary

Major,
G II.

Traffic - Control file

CONFIDENTIAL

QUESTURA DI TRIESTE
(=Police Commissioner)

No. 0213 G/Gab 20 Nov 45

Subject:- Traffic of Vehicles with plate TT - Istria - = SP.Litorale Sloveno - R. Fiume = Instructions.

Annex. No.2

.....addressees omitted.

The Ministry of the Interior, in agreement with AMGOT, has deemed it necessary to organize henceforth a control, even if it aims mainly at information purposes, on the traffic of vehicles provided with above plate. Such a control has to be carried out either when the vehicles are passing through the demarcation border or during their travelling in the territorial jurisdiction of Italian Authorities; it must be executed, according to Ministry's directives, as follows:

A) Vehicles coming in
1) Only vehicles bearing plate of Tito's Government (TT/Istria-; SP Litorale Sloveno ; R. Fiume) will be allowed into the territorial jurisdiction of Italian Authorities, provided that there is a person on board in possession of the prescribed permit for movement of civilians issued by Allied Authorities and stating in the appropriate margin the plate - number of each vehicle;
2) At every block post along the demarcation border, an appropriate book will be established to take note of all vehicles in and out, except Allied MT ones, whatever their number may be.= Such a book will be in conformity with pro-forma "A". Each block post will issue to vehicles bearing Tito's Government plate, which are allowed in under provisions of para 1, the same pro-forma as I.B. and will notify by telegram to the "Questura" of the place where the vehicle is bound to, and to the "Commissariato" for the frontier Zone Padua, all vehicles and persons' particulars.

B) Vehicles out
4) Note will be taken in the above book -para 2- of any vehicle out.
5) Any vehicle bearing Tito's Government plate has to go out through the same pass as they came in; appropriate note accordingly is foreseen in pro-forma "B", which has to be taken back when the vehicle is going out.
6) Any vehicle going out, according to para 5, must be reported by signal to "Commissariato di Zona di Frontiera" (=Frontier Zone Police Commissioner)-Padua- with the names of travellers.

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The above instructions have to be carried out by:

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The above instructions have to be carried out by:
-) "Uffici di Settore di Frontiera" (=Frontier - Sector Offices) for passes guarded by personnel under their command, and particularly by Public Safety Office - Sector - Cividale del Friuli- for road-passes Paperiano and Villanova.
-) by the servicemen attached to the other block posts on road.

The former have received direct instructions on the matter by the Zone Director; meanwhile the Commands concerned are asked to issue similar directives to the servicemen under their control, attached to the other block posts on road, nine of which, as known, are manned only by Tolmezzo Bn men, and 4 by mixed garrison, comprising of above mentioned Bn men and of custome-guards.

The Ministry of Interior has forwarded a sufficient quantity of pro-formae as per specimen attached, which will in turn be sent to

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the Comands concerned, when delivered to the writing office.
As soon as the above instructions are issued with the necessary books and pro-formas and the control service can proceed, please notify kindly the "Questura" that will in turn inform the "Ministero" of it.
The latter is expected to issue orders, so as to have in the demarcation border the same control as in the remaining national territory.
Copy of the present directives is forwarded to AMG - ESS-Udine Province and to local "Nucleo di Collegamento del Ministero degli affari Esteri" (=Ministry of Foreign Affairs - Liaison Unit).

Questore
Sgd: Dr. U Durante

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TRANSLATION
PRIORITY

Q U E S T U R A D I U D I N E
-909-

N. 021318/Gab. Udine li 20 Novembre 1946.-

O G G E T T O : Circolazione di autoveizzi con targa MI.- Istria = SF.Litorale Sloveno - R. Fiume = Disposizioni.-

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ALL. N.2

AL COMANDO LA LEGIONE GUARDIE FINANZA — U D I N E
AL COMANDANTE IL BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO" — L O V A R I A
e. p. c.
ALL'ISPETTORATO IV^ ZONA FRONTIERA — P A D O V A
AL COMANDO DEL GRUPPO CARABINIERI — U D I N E
AL COMMISSARIATO DI P.S. DI — C I V I D A L E -
AL COMMISSARIATO DI P.S. DI — T A R V I S I O

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Il Ministero dell'Interno;sentita la Commissione Militare Alleata, ha ravvisata la necessità di stabilire,fin da questo momento,un controllo, sia pure a titolo principalmente informativo,sulle circolazione degli autoveizzi portanti le targhe indicate in oggetto,controllo da eseguirsi sia all'atto in cui gli autoveizzi stessi transitano attraverso la linea di demarcazione, sia durante il loro percorso in territorio soggetto alla giurisdizione delle autorità italiane.

Di conformità alle disposizioni del Ministero, tale controllo dovrà essere esercitato nel modo seguente:

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A) In entrata

I) Sarà consentito l'ingresso nel territorio soggetto alla giurisdizione delle autorità italiane ed autoveicoli muniti di targa del governo di Tito(M.I./Istria -; S.F. - Litorale Sloveno - ; R. -Fiume. Solo nel caso che sull'autoveicolo si trovi persone munita del foglio prescritto per il movimento dei civili rilasciato dalle autorità Alleate e dell'apposito spazio,destinato nel foglio anzidetto all'indicazione del mezzo di trasporto,figuri N° di targa dell'autoveicolo stesso;

2) Presso ciascun Posto di Blocco costituito lungo la linea di demarcazione da Tarvisio al mare verrà istituito un registro,nel quale verrà presa nota di tutti gli autoveizzi - esclusi quelli militari alleati- in entrata e in uscita,quale che sia la loro targa.Il registro dovrà essere conforme al Mod.A.

3) Ciascun Posto di Blocco munirà gli autoveizzi con targa del Governo di Tito,il cui ingresso è consentito a termini del punto 1,di un foglio conforme al Mod.B e segnalerà telegraficamente alla Questura nella cui giurisdizione l'autoveizzo si dirige e al Commissariato di Zona di Frontiera di Padova,dati di individuazione dell'autoveizzo stesso e le generalità delle persone a bordo.

B) In uscita

4) di ogni autoveizzo in uscita deve prendersi nota del registro di cui al punto 2.-

5) gli autoveizzi muniti di targa del Governo di Tito devono uscire per lo stesso Valico dal quale sono entrati;

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apposita notazione a tal senso è prevista nel Mod.B che all'atto dell'uscita deve essere ritirato.-

6) L'uscita degli automezzi di cui al punto 5 deve essere telegraficamente segnalata al Commissariato di Zona di Frontiera di Padova insieme coi nomi delle persone a bordo.-

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Gli adempimenti di cui sopra è cenno devono essere effettuati:
-) dagli uffici di Settore di Frontiera per i valichi custoditi da personale dipendente e in particolare dall'Ufficio di P.S. di Settore di Cividale del Friuli per i valichi stradali di Paparians e Villanova.-
-) Dai militari addetti agli altri Posti di Blocco su Strada.

Mentre i primi,precisamente agli uffici di Settore di Frontiera,le con seguenti disposizioni sono state date direttamente dal Dirigente la 4^ Zona,si pregano i Comandanti interessati di impartire analoghe disposizioni ai militari dipendenti,addetti agli altri Posti di Blocco su strade,tenuto conto che,come noto,nove posti sono presidiati esclusivamente da militari del Battaglione"Tolmezzo" e 4 posti hanno in presidio misto di militari del predetto Btg. e della G. di Finanza.
Con piego,il Ministero ha trasmesso un congruo Numero di esemplari dei Modelli allegati che si riserva di inviare al Comando interessati non appena saranno pervenuti a questo Ufficio.
Non appena,essendo state impartite le disposizioni di cui sopra e distribuiti i registri ed i moduli occorrenti,il servizio di controllo sarà in grado di funzionare,si prega darne cortese comunicazione a questa Questura che ne informerà il Ministero,il quale darà gli ordini necessari perchè al controllo lungo la linea di demarcazione,corrisponda un controllo nel resto del Territorio Nazionale.
Le disposizioni contenute nella presente vengono comunicate in copia anche all'A.M.G. Div. P.S. della Provincia di Udine ed al Locale nucleo di collegamento del Ministero degli affari esteri.-

IL QUESTORE
- Ptc.Dr. U. Durante -

Mod. B

(valico di _____

(Posto di blocco

L'autoveicolo targato _____ motore n° _____ telaio n° _____ autorizzato a transitare a traverso la linea di demarcazione per essere compreso nel foglio per movimento civili intestato a _____

_____ rilasciato da _____

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il _____ ha attraversato
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questo(il _____
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Deve ritornare nella zona A transitando sempre
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Mod. B

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L'autoveicolo targato _____ motore N° _____ Telaio N° _____ autorizzato a transitare a traverso la linea di demarcazione per essere compreso nel foglio per movimento civili intestato a _____

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Deve ritornare nella zona A transitando sempre per
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HEADQUARTERS 88TH INFANTRY DIVISION
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 88

21 November 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2

SUBJECT: Inspection of Venezia Giulia Western Boundary Road Posts.

1. Command inspections of Venezia Giulia boundary road posts in the 88th Division area under CIC Zone 1 and 12 FSS supervision were made on dates indicated by Commanding Officer, 4th Company, Italian Tolmezzo Alpini Battalion and responsible CIC and FSS agents, accompanied by the undersigned.

2. Since the last inspection SCR 284's have been installed and are operating efficiently at outposts at UCCEA, PLATISCHIS, STUPIZZA, CIEPPISCHIS, PODKLESCA, and ALBANO. A net control station is located at Company Headquarters at S. PIETRO al Nazione.

3. Results of inspections are attached herewith. All shelters are lacking in adequate winter equipment (See attached requisition).

Vincent W. Bezick
VINCENT W. BEZICK
1st Lt., Infantry
Asst AC of S, G-2

Copies furnished
G2I, GHQ, CMF (Padua)
G2I(5) Fwd Ops Section
c/o 1st Armd Div
Chief of Staff
88th Inf Div
G2I, 1st Armd Div (2 cys)
Major Kitkat, 5 Blu,
(Thru 1st Armd Div)

29 NOV. 1946

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G-2 II	
PM & C.I.D.	
S. C. FSS	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. G-2	
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2 ARMY ROZ

"Tolmezzo" Alpini Btn Command-

ITAS REPORT CEC. ROMA - 17 NOV. / 24 NOV. 1946

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Check posts	Foreigners		Italians		Last important
	Nationality	Found to V. C.	From V.C.	Found to V.C.	From V.C.
Passo Fredil					
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Cepletischis		11		20	
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Gr. F.B. Villanova	Slave			28	16
Gr. F.B. Tapogliano		7		106	99
Gr. F. B. Paparlano				23	27
				5	8

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- " Volnezzo " Alpini Btn Command -

DAILY REPORT CHIEF Ross - 17 NOV. / 24 NOV. 1946

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...ni to Iran V.G. Bound to Iran V.G.
...G. V.G.

Most important news

12	10
2	4
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5	3
23	16
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At about 2200 hrs on 22 Nov 46 fire was opened from Zone "A" with automatic weapons and a few hand-grenades against the check post -Ucca. The servicemen answered the fire. No casualties.

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & CMC	
S. C. FDRS	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS.	

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPIN
- Comando Battaglione 'Tol

MONTE' POSTI MUCCO DAL 17

	Stranieri			Italiani		
	Esclusi	Per le V.G.	Dalle V.G.	Per le V.G.	Dalle V.G.	
Tenen Enrico				12	10	
Ufficiali				2	4	Mancano all'appello
Sottufficiali				1	5	
Graduati				11	20	
Soldati				5	3	
Gr. F.T. Bisaccia				28	16	
Gr. F.T. Villanova	Slavo		7	106	59	
Gr. F.T. Pavullese				23	27	
Gr. F.T. Appiano				5	8	

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPIN

Italiani

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GHQ

Subject: Documentation of UNRRA personnel entering Zone "A" of Venezia Giulia.

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G3I(b), GSI, CIC.

Ref 176/6/I(b).

26 Nov 46.

Tel... 22261

1 Armd Div.
88 (US) Div.
2 Armd.
419 SS Section.

Copy to: GSG Eval Ops Sec.
c/o 1 Armd Div.

HQ Allied VG for SCAEF.
HQ ANCXF, CASERTA.
Chief of UNRRA Mission,
Navy Annex, Rome.

Non-Polish Poland c/o 1(A) VG
Non-US Poland c/o 2(A) VG

12 SS Section
35 SS Section
412 SS Section

CIC Det 1 Zone

28 NOV. 1946

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAG & C.O.	
S. C. REPS	
S. C. S. S. I.	
S. C. CIO.	
CLERKS.	

1. Ref my letter of even no and date, 12 Nov 46, copies of which are fwd herewith to those addressees NOT on original distribution.

2. The a/m letter will be amended as follows:

(a) Renumber para "5" to read para "6".
(b) Insert new para 5 as under:-

"5. The following particulars of Allied personnel entering Zone 'A' who are NOT in possession of valid AMGOT will be sent the same day by phone or wire by all check posts, both on the Western Ljy and on the MORGAN Line, to reach the Security Unit VENEZIA (Capo Ediface telephone No. VENEZIA - 5628). This info will be passed to the Security Unit through the following channels.

(a) MORGAN line posts through 1 Armd Div or 88 (US) Div as applicable.

(b) Western Bdy posts through 419 SS Sec or CIC, as applicable.

Particulars required are :-

Check Post No.
Time and Date.
Name of Allied employee.

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28 NOV. 1946

8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
- Comando Battaglione "Tolmezzo" -

POSTI OCCUPATI DAL 17 AL 24 NOV

Posti occupati	Stranieri		Italiani		
	Per le V.G.	Della V.G.	Per le V.G.	Della V.G.	
Posto Comando			12	10	
Posto E			2	4	Posto in cui si recano le pattuglie e i collegamenti
Ex Caserma			1	6	
Stazione			11	20	
C. di Tarcento			5	3	
Ca. I. S. Pietro			20	18	
Ca. I. S. Tolmezzo	Slavi	7	106	99	
Ca. I. S. Monte Zoncolan			23	27	
Ca. I. S. Paularo			5	6	

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8° REGIMENTO ALPINI

[illegible] 17 [illegible] 1945

[illegible]

Tenente

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Verso le ore 2 del giorno 25/11/45 veniva operato dalla sua "A" Tappa con un autoprotetta e quadro Rosso il suo carico U.P.A. di Tocco. I militari imbarcavano in Tappa. Tempo Mitico.

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Subject: Deconcentration of USAFE personnel entering Zone 'A' of Vienna (Austria).

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Ref 176/2/2(b).
26 Nov 46.
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1 Armd Div.
66 US Div.
3 PRU.
412 FS Section.

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c/o 1 Armd Div.

HQ Armd VG Gov PCAMZO.
HQ, 66 USDIV.
Office of Human Affairs.
Army House, Rothesay.

Non-British Patrol c/o 1Armd Div
Non-US Patrol c/o 66US VG

12 FS Section
30 FS Section
412 FS Section

CIC No 1 Zone

28 NOV. 1946

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G2C I	
G2C II	
D.A.A. & G.S.C.	
S. C. (Fin)	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. C.I.D.	
CLERKS.	

1. Ref HQ letter of even ref dated 12 Oct 46, copies of which are fwd herewith to those addressees NOT on original distribution.

2. The a/m letter will be amended as follows:

(a) Renumber para "2" to read para "3".
(b) Insert new para 2 as under:-

"2. The following particulars of USFA personnel entering Zone 'A' who are NOT in possession of valid ...ces will be fwd the same day by phone or wire by all check ...nts, both on the Western Sky ...ne on the Semmering Line, to reach the Security Offr West (Capt Douglas Telephone No. TULLN - 0625). While info will be passed to the Security Offr through the following channels.

(a) Northern Zone posts through 1 Armd Div or 66 (US) Div as applicable.

(b) Western Sky posts through 412 FSS or CIC, as applicable.
Particulars required are :-

Check Post No.
Time and Date.
Name of USFA employee.
USFA identity card no.

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Re the VC for SO&PO.
[illegible]
Chief of Naval Mission,
Rawalpindi. Pakistan.

See publish Polar c/s [illegible] VC
Ref to Polar c/s and VC

12 SC Section
39 SC Section
5/2 SC Section

CSO No 4 Army

SECRET	
CSO I	[illegible]
CSO II	[illegible]
DMA & C'S	[illegible]
S.C. [illegible]	
S.C.S.O.I.	[illegible]
S.C. C'D.	[illegible]
CLERKS.	

1. Ref SRG letter of even date 12 Oct 49, copies of which are [illegible]. herewith to whom addressed (VC on original distribution.

2. The s/f letter will be amended as follows:

(a) Renumber para "4." to read para "5".
(b) Insert new para 4 as under:-

"4. The following particulars of other personnel entitled [illegible] para '3' who are not in possession of valid [illegible] will be that they may by phone or write by all speed [illegible], both on the western sky and on the [illegible] line, to reach the Security Offr VCAS (Cable Address telephone No. [illegible] - 0625). This info will be passed to the Security Offr through the following channels.

(a) Normal Army posts through 4 Army Div or GS (US) Div as applicable.

(b) Western Sky posts through 4HQ 2nd or GHQ, as applicable.
Particulars required are :-

Check post No.
Date and hour.
Name of visitor, employer.
Visitor identity card No.
Nationality.
Destination."

3. The provision of this and will be [illegible] promulgated by check posts on the NORMAL LINE, and by check posts on the western sky as they are fully equipped with telephones or radio.

To Thorpe-Bate. Extends from 27th date are
forwarded for information and action.

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KCH/hb (Baker. Type headed from the letter, 4 Week.)

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Lt-Col.,
General Staff.

Internal distribution as C(50).

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Subject: Documentation of UNRRA personnel entering Zone "A" of Venezia Giulia

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Ref 176/2/I(b)
12 Oct 46

Tel Ext...22261

1 Armd Div
88 US Div.

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c/o 1 Armd Div

HQ AMG VG for SCAPO
Chief of UNRRA Mission
Navy House, TRIESTE

Rep British Polad
Rep US Polad

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CIC No 1 ZONE

G (Ops) - by hand

1. Herewith for information regulations regarding the entry of UNRRA personnel into Zone "A" of Venezia Giulia, contained in AFHQ letter ref GBI.389.306/18-E-8 dated 11 Sep 46, addressed to UNRRA Missions Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia and Jugoslavia. UNRRA London has also been informed.

"All UNRRA personnel wishing to enter Zone "A" will report to the Security officer, AMG Trieste and will produce the following documents, Passport, UNRRA Identity Card, and Travel orders". Onne these 3 2 4 documents have been seen the bearer will be issued with AMG Permit for Transit.

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GSI(b), GHQ, CMF
Ref 175/2/I(b)
10 Oct 46

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88 US Div.

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c/o 1 Armd Div

HQ ANG VG for SCAPO
Chief of UNRRA Mission
Navy House, TRIESTE

Rep British Poland
Rep:US Poland

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CIC No1 ZONE
G (Ops) - by hand

1. Herewith for information regulations regarding the entry of UNRRA personnel into Zone "A" of Venezia Giulia, contained in APHQ letter ref GBI.389.506/18-E-8 dated 11 Sep 46, addressed to UNRRA Missions Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia and Jugoslavia. UNRRA London has also been informed.

> "All UNRRA personnel wishing to enter Zone "A" will report to the Security officer, AMG Trieste and will produce the following documents, Passport, UNRRA Identity Card, and Travel orders". Once these 334 documents have been seen the bearer will be issued with AMG Permit for Transit.

2. "AMG Permit" referred to is an Allied Force Permit, endorsed "Valid for entry into Anglo-American occupied Venezia Giulia". It will be issued to UNRRA personnel by Security Officer, VG Police, if the above mentioned documents are in order and if routine security checks reveal no grounds for objection. By "passport" is understood a valid passport, with the appropriate visas for countries passed through in transit to Zone "A".

The road blocks on the Western boundary of Venezia Giulia have already been informed of the above arrangement.

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Appropriate orders for check posts on the Morgen Line will be issued by 1 Armd Div and 88 US Div.

4. It is regretted that no specimens of UNRRA Identity Cards or UNRRA Travel Orders ("Trip Tickets") are at present available. Chief of UNRRA Mission, TRIESTE, has agreed to forward copies as soon as possible. For information, the UNRRA Identity Card is in booklet form (similar to a passport) and has the letters "UNRRA" inscribed on the cover.

for Lt-Col.,
General Staff.

RGW/TM

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SUBJECT: Tolmezzo Bn - Frontier Control

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1547
G/119/70
28 Nov 46.

Adv GHQ CMF

Copy of Tolmezzo Bn letter No 12353/3 is forwarded.

It is understood that in effect, the Commons Group of posts now consist of men from the HQ Coy and comes under command of the HQ Coy.

Thus, the Northern Posts of the San Pietro Coy - working within the CIC.

The Commons Group are HQ Coy - working with the 12 FSS.

The Southern Posts are Palmanova Coy - working with 419 FSS.

This sounds reasonable.

Major,
G II.

FIELD
TK/rw

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Diary

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[redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

1. [redacted] are not authorized to [redacted]. In this connection [redacted] should be noted:

   (a) It might be impossible to differentiate between Military and Civilian Vehs until the veh is placed at a possibility.

   (b) In this part of Italy in particular there are a considerable number of ex Military Vehs which have been purchased by civilians from [redacted]. Owing to this circumstance these Vehs are liable to get into the Control Zone without being detected.

2. [redacted] wish to record that no reports have been submitted by [redacted] to enable them to collect Military contraband. It is felt that such reports would have been obtained by the Civilian Police or Carabinieri [redacted] and are attached to each of the posts.

[redacted]
Lt. Col,
[redacted]

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6 ALPINI REGIMENT
"Tagliamento" Bn Command

No. 12353/3

24 Nov 46

Subject:- Guards at the Block posts - Villanova.

5 B. I. U. Udine

The experience of the last days has shown that the Coy located at S. Pietro al Natisone cannot, but to the detriment of the discipline and welfare of the personnel, watch over block posts-Villanova, which are under command of 1 Pltn, namely S.Andrea -Vardimis- S. Giovanni and Villanova.

Consequently I have ordered them to be referred to 12 Bn Coy -Tavagnacco- whose Comdr will soon be sent to Cividale to control 12 Pltn.

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CO I	
CO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & I.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS	

Sgd: A. Ugolini Lt Col
Bn Comdr

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[illegible] REGIMENT
"Tolmezzo" Bn Command

No. 1-3572/8

24 Nov 45

Subject:- Daily report from chief [illegible]

5 U. S. A. Udine

For info

5 Italian Transit Command
-Ufficio Informazioni-(= Info Ligence Service)

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"A" At about 2200 hrs on 22 Nov 45 fire was opened from some with automatic weapons and a few hand-[illegible] against the [illegible] -U cas. The surveillance answered the fire - No casualties.

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
[illegible] & CMG	
S. C. REAE	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
[illegible]	

[illegible]
Bn Comdr
[illegible] Lt Col.

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GHQ

23 NOV 1946

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CTO II	
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S E CTO	
CTOVS	

Dup Fwd upon Sec,
G/S I and Div.
7020/G
20 Nov 46
Tgt I and Div Exin 48
TWX GHQ 2455

1. The following Unit in, which finds its counterpart on the eastern bay of Tokyo Bay, is not and never has been subordinated to high ellon all its activities are purely on ped.

2. In the event that it is obviously unfit or if vehicles employed by personnel over the metro bay and this area either is not 130/46. In order to ensure that this order is complied with the MP will follow every out spot checks in this area to this.

Krwdock
for Brigadier.
Chief of Staff.

FCC
Copy to GHQ CIC (1 cys)
With 1 copy of the M G V Alpini Gruppo, W/Adc/219/74 dated 14 Nov
1. Any the allegations if at a mil police veh was involved in an accident on 24 Sep please he investigated.
2. Any copies of the MP Police check reports issue to Fwd regularly to this office.

Copy to 5 BEM
With 1 copy of the M G VENETI Gruppo, W/Adc/219/74 dated 14 Nov
will you please ask the Co C of the VENEZIA Alpini Bn if he is in any doubt as to what the orders are in this respect and explain to him that in fut re reports of this nature are not to be sent to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs direct.

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Tel : 2979, ext 3 & 2917

Ref : VG/AMG/219/1

Subject : Control of the Western Boundary of Venezia Giulia

To : (21) Div Ops Section, for Approval/Initials

14 Nov 1946

1. Reference is made to G(Ops)(A) letters 5790/4 of 23 Oct. 46 & 11 Nov. 46 on the subject of the VENEZIA GIULIA Bn.

2. Herewith copy of letter G-3 : 345.10 of 7th Nov.46 with enclosures, on the subject of a complaint by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs regarding the failure of Allied Vehicles carrying civilian passengers to stop at the Western Boundary when requested to do so by the Italian Frontier Guards.

3. This would appear a policy matter & it would be appreciated if you could have the specific cases cited by the Ministry investigated & an instruction issued to all units on their responsibilities in this regard, in order that a reply may be given by this H.Q. to Caserta.

FOR THE SENIOR CIVIL AFFAIRS OFFICER

M.J. LISTER
Captain R.A.
A/Executive Officer

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Ref : 2979A ext3 & 2904?

Enc : W/AS/219(1)

14 Nov 1946

Subject: Frontier Control - General

To : A.F.H.Q. Attn G-5

1. Reference is made to your G-5 : 935 . 20 of 7th Nov 1946 & telephone conversation Lt.Col. White/Capt Ibbon of todays date.

2. Control of the Venetia Giulia is carried out by the Allied Military Government in accordance with instructions issued under G(46)1 (open letters 5790/8 of 23 Oct. 45 & 11 Nov. 46 copy to G-5, A.F.H.Q.

3. C.M.G. and CAO Sections have been asked to investigate the specific cases mentioned in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs letter & to issue an instruction to all units on the general principle of control of civilian movement in Allied Vehicles.

4. As soon as this report is to hand it will be forwarded to you by this office.

FOR THE SENIOR CIVIL AFFAIRS OFFICER

N.J. LITTLE
Captain R.A.
A/Executive Officer

Copies to : G5, PWB Opn Section
1st Canadian Division (3)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5 : 945.10 — 7 November 46

SUBJECT : Frontier Control - General

TO : Allied Military Government
Venezia Giulia

Reference AG/14030/1/GS of 31 October 46.

1. The above referenced letter transmitting complaint from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, DGAG/643302/1286 of 29 October 46 forwarded for necessary action.

2. You will inform this Headquarters the results of your investigation in order that an appropriate reply may be given the Italian Government.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN :

Sgd. : A.L.HAMBLEN,
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Encls :
as above.

/ecs

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ITALIAN SUBSECTION
APO 794

31 October 46

AV/14030/1/PS

SUBJECT : Check Posts at Venezia Giulia - White Boundary.

TO : AMG - Maj Scarfoss

1. A memorandum has been received from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (a copy of which is attached) complaining that in many instances, Allied Military vehicles, carrying civilians have not stopped at the check posts at the Venezia Giulia - White Boundary, when signalled to do so by the Italian personnel on duty at the check posts.

2. May appropriate action be taken please and the result communicated to this Commission to enable a reply to sent to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER :

Sgd. : E.J. Williams, Colonel,
Director.

EJW/am
1 encls (No.G/3302/1286 dated 29.10.46).

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/CD.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION
APO 794

AC/14030/1/PS

31 October 45

SUBJECT : Check Posts at Venezia Giulia - Ulino Boundary.

TO : AFHQ - G-5 Section

1. A memorandum has been received from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (a copy of which is attached) complaining that in many instances, Allied Military vehicles, carrying civilians have not stopped at the check posts at the Venezia Giulia - Ulino Boundary, when signalled to do so by the Italian personnel on duty at the check posts.

2. May appropriate action be taken please and the result communicated to this Commission to enable a reply to send to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER :

Sgd. : R.J. Hill, Colonel,
Director.

RJH/ac
1 encl.
(M.G/3302/1236 dated 29.10.45).

/CSo

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COPY

MINISTRY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS ROME

Fa/Ca/ 63302/1286

REPUBLIC OF ITALY

Reports received from the various Italian units in charge of control on the road check posts along the Western boundary of Venezia Giulia point out that, during the period of 30 days from September 15th to October 15th 1946, a total of 851 Allied Military vehicles have crossed the line, in both senses, without any control being possible on the identity of the civilians they were carrying on board.

In nearly all cases, military vehicles carrying civilians have crossed the road blocks at high speed, in order to prevent their serial numbers being identified.

Nevertheless the following precise facts could be established :

1) "Pioris" road check post : passed without control :

- on October 10th, at 0.10 p.m. a military truck serial number 5/8 A/14 carrying 5 civilians and bearing a trial No. 566822,

- same day at 3.10 p.m. a small military truck serial number 5/8 A/14 carrying one civilian,

- same day at 4 p.m. a British car carrying 5 civilians.

2) "Casa del Medici" road check post: passed without control :

- on October 12th, at 2.30 p.m. two military trucks serial No.439245 and 4.164.100, carrying 3 civilians each,

- same day at 3.00 p.m. a jeep serial No.5.7. carrying 2 civilians.

It has moreover been noted that on September 21st, at 11.35 p.m., a jeep of the British Military Police, according to "Villanova" road check post at high speed and not slowing down despite signals made by the guards on duty, crashed against the central pole of the post. Three occupants were hurt.

The Ministry for Foreign Affairs would appreciate if the Allied Commission could bring the a/m facts to the notice of the proper Allied Authorities.

Rome, October 29th, 1946.

/ans.

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[illegible]

[illegible]
"Colorado" Bn Comd

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

For your information I have to report that on 17 Nov 46 at 2320 hrs, enemy patrols who were hiding in the surroundings of the [illegible] fired [illegible] machine guns at the Block House, and later fired a bazooka [illegible] rocket.

The bombardment exploded about 15 meters from the sentry-box which was hit by many splinters.

The enemy left the place in the direction and a patrol was sent out.

The prevailing was tradition, only voices being heard on the slope of Mount S. Martino.

Have none to communicate.

[illegible]
Lt Col [illegible]

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1 Nov 45

HEADQUARTERS

2 INFANTRY BRIGADE
"Tobruk 320" Bn Command

No. 12105/I.O.

Subject:- Incident at CLEPETICHIS Block Post.

To:- 1st Army Tank Brigade
5 H.L.I.

Time
Date

Report

Further to my [illegible] dated 17 Nov 45
for your information I have to report that on 17 Nov 45
at 2330 hrs. [illegible] were digging in the [illegible]
of the [illegible] Church [illegible] and fatally [illegible]
[illegible] a white [illegible] a hand from a machine gun.
The [illegible] sustained [illegible] splinters.
The sentry gave the alarm to the detachment and a
patrol [illegible] was sent out.
[illegible] heavy firing,
the [illegible] in front of Mount [illegible].
There were no casualties.

[illegible] Bn Commander
Sgd:- Lt Col A. [illegible]

18 NOV 1945

SEEN BY	
G.O.I	Capt.
G.S.O. II	
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.	
S.C. R.E.M.E.	
S.C.S. & T.	
S.C. O.S.D.	
C.M.P.S.	

Amended copy of [illegible] to be filed with letter of [illegible] 65.

C.C.
[illegible] 21/11

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SUBJECT : Western Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA.

Ging

Hq Fmd [illegible] Sec,
c/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/G
19 Nov 46
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
TRIESTE AUTO 2455

Hq AMG VENEZIA GIULIA
Hq 5 SAB
- - - - - - - - - - - -
Hq JSSC (G Ops)
Hq JSSC (GSI(C))
Hq 88 (US) Div
Hq 419 POW
- - - - - - - - -

1. Road barriers on the Western Boundry are now required at the following locations :-

PODKLANA C 6622

MISCHEO C 6421

[illegible] H 5398

VILLANOVA C 5407

2. Road barriers already in existence at the following places now require repair

[illegible] C 5303

[illegible] C 5709

3. Will you please be good enough to have this work started as soon as possible, as the provision of adequate barriers on the Western Boundry of VENEZIA GIULIA is considered to be of some importance. Please report completion to this office.

4. You should liase 5 SAB Wing when you are ready to start work.

5. 5 SAB only. Will you please arrange for a guide to be provided by the 2nd/3rd Alpini Bn, so that the guide works representative may be shown exactly where the barriers are to be erected.

[illegible]

21 NOV 1946

[illegible]

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Hq AGC Vehicles GIBRA
HQ 5 SIG
- - - - - - - - - - - -
HQ CMF (G (G.S.)
HQ CMF (Gen(s))
HQ 78 (US) Div
R. 419 F59
- - - - - - - - -

1. Road barriers on the western boundary are now to be placed at the following locations :-

[illegible]	C 6602
[illegible]	C 6421
[illegible]	H 5396
VILLAVO'	C 5407

2. Road barriers already in existence at the following places now require repair

CHIARIS	C 5303
VIGNES	C 5709

3. Will you please be good enough to have this work started as soon as possible, as the provision of adequate barriers on the western boundary of [illegible] is considered to be of some importance. Please report completion to this office.

4. You should info 5 SIG Coy that we are ready to start work.

5. 5 SIG only. Will you please arrange for a guide to be provided by the Sqdn.Ldr. Maint Wg, so that the public works representative may be shown exactly where the barriers are to be erected.

J.H.J.

21 NOV. 1946

SEEN BY	
GSO I	[illegible]
GSO II	[illegible]
DAA & QMG	[illegible]
S. C. REME	
S. & T.	[illegible]
	[illegible]

CMF
J/11

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Lon
Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

When P/W Rep.
Refers Req. up
Levels to make
a Plan this basis.

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19 NOV. 1946

3° REGIMENTO ALPINI
- Comando Battaglione "Tolmezzo" -

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N° 12185/I.D. di prot. Udine, li 18 novembre 1946

OGGETTO : Incidente al posto di blocco di Caplettischis.-

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI = U D I N E =
AL V BRITISH LIAISON UNIT = U D I N E =

Per doverosa conoscenza comunico che alle ore 23,30 del 17 novembre 1946 sconosciuti appostati nei pressi della chiesetta di Caplettischis lanciavano contro il posto di blocco tre bombe a mano seguite a breve intervallo da alcune raffiche di arma automatica.

Le bombe a mano esplosero a una quindicina di metri dalla garritta mentre alcune pallottole raggiunsero questa.

La sentinella dava l'allarme al distaccamento, uno pattuglia del quale usciva in perlustrazione.

La perlustrazione è rimasta infruttuosa, sono state soltanto udite voci sulle pendici del Monte S.Martino.-

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IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten. Col. Alfredo Feisi -

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AL V BRITISH LIAISON UNIT

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Le bombe a mano esplosero a una cinquicina di metri dalla garitta mentre alcune pallottole raggiungevano questa.

La sentinella di via l'allarme al distaccamento, uno pattuglia del quale usciva in perlustrazione.

La perlustrazione è rimasta infruttuosa, sono state soltanto udite voci sulle pendici del Monte S.Martino.-

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IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten. Col. Alfredo Egizi -

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From : Lt-Col A.[illegible] WARREN,
5 British Liaison Unit
C in F

G/112

15 Nov 46

Dear

Many thanks for your DO/101 of 12th November, and for the interest you are taking in the VOLTURNO Bn.

We will probably not require all the British Equipment for which we have asked, as the War Ministry have now made some of the items available. However these may take some time to materialise and even when they do, they may not be suitable, consequently I have not yet cancelled any of our requests.

Yours [illegible]

Lt-Col T. de F. JAGO, OBE,
GSO 1 (Ops),
GHQ,
CMF.

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SUBJECT :- Frontier Control, PODRESCA

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 154
G/113/
18 Nov 46

GHQ Fwd Ops

Further to G/113/55 dated 12 Nov 46.

It appears that neither the Coy HQ nor Bn HQ of the "COLDSTR" Bn were informed at the time of this incident, and that as there has since been a re-call file, little can be done about it now.

It is thought that such a delay will not occur in the future since the discussion with G2, 56 Div, referred to in the above letter.

Lieut-Colonel,
GS.

Field
TK/ap

File
Diary

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11891/8 di prot. 12 NOV 1946 Roma, li 11 novembre 1946.

OGGETTO: Terzo Elenco di internati.-

AL SIG. QUESTORE

LORO SEDI

Facendo seguito alla richiesta.

Il Capitano Nello [illegible] comunica non aver informato del C.I.C. di Rivoli che il [illegible] di fatto la rinuncia di [illegible] la partigiana [illegible] non avendo [illegible] di porto d'arma.-

IL CAPITANO DEL CONTROSPIONAGGIO
- Ten.Col. Alfredo Sala -

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TRANSLATION

8 ALPINI REGIMENT

"FOLGORE" Bn Command

No. 11891/8 IOVARIA 11 Nov 46

SUBJECT :- Block Post, PODRESCA

To :- Major KIRCAT,
AMG, UDINE.

Ref to your request.

2 Coy Command was not informed by C.I.C. - CIVIDALE - that on 4 Oct 46 the American Patrol did not find at the Block Post - PODRESCA - the Italian Servicemen on duty there.

Btn Order

(Signed) ALFREDO BOLZI, Lieut-Col.

13 NOV. 1949

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Listed and action taken. See Table 43A

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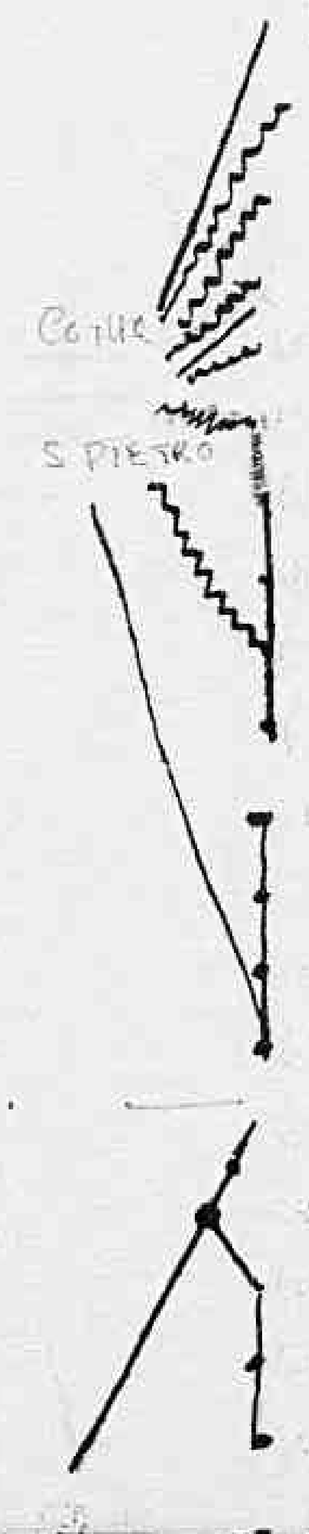
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Dated and action taken. See Ltr. #3A

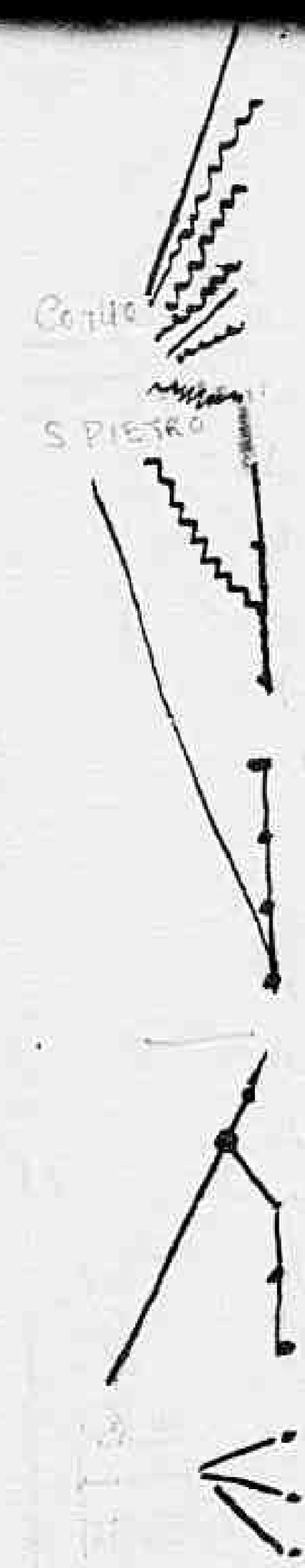
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1. The welfare sdy of VENEZIA GIULIA is controlled by a series of 12 posts manned by personnel of the TOLMEZZO ALPINI Bn. This unit, although administered by the ITALIAN Army, is under the operational cmd of GHQ CMF. The task it is performing on behalf of GHQ CMF is of considerable importance.

2. Many of the 12 posts are in extremely isolated localities, and in some instances the posts are snow bound for considerable periods. The men are in possession of no welfare eqpt, and the hostility of the local villagers (SLOVENES or COMMUNISTS) makes it difficult for the men to participate in village entertainment.

3. Although it is appreciated that the provision of welfare stores for this unit is in no way the responsibility of the Brit Army, it is unlikely that the ITALIAN Army authorities will be able to do so. 3229

It would be of great value to the morale of the Bn if Welfare could provide them with playing cards and indoor games which may be available; it is felt that there are probably a certain amount of these welfare stores not considered suitable for issue to Brit tps which could be made use of by the TOLMEZZO ALPINI Bn.

4. Will you please fwd your comments as soon as possible.

The little may be something that does heart would appreciate

1. The [illegible] Bty of [illegible] is controlled by a series of rd posts manned by personnel of the TOLEDO ALPINI Bn. This unit, although administered by the [illegible] Army, is under the operational cont of GHQ CMF. The task it is performing on behalf of GHQ CMF is of considerable importance.

2. Many of the rd posts are in extremely isolated localities, and in some instances the posts are snow bound for considerable periods. The men are in possession of no welfare eqpt, and the hostility of the local villagers (SLOVENES or COMMUNISTS) makes it difficult for the men to participate in village entertainment.

3. Although it is appreciated that the provision of welfare stores for this unit is in no way the responsibility of the Brit Army, it is unlikely that the [illegible]LIAN Army authorities will be able to do so.

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It would be of great value to the morale of the Bn if Welfare could provide them with playing cards and indoor games which are not available: it is felt that there are probably a certain amount of these welfare stores not considered suitable for issue to Brit tps which could be made use of by the TOLEDO ALPINI Bn.

4. Will you please fwd your comments as soon as possible.

[illegible]

[illegible]
Lt Col, [illegible]
GS.

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. CTD.	
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Lt-Col. Condy.

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TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions — GR

Groups: C/119/5[illegible] (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) Ref your SD 0288 of 8 (.) Allowance of POL for [illegible]En for Nov 3500 galls petrol 150 galls oil 60 galls lubs (.) Total vehs 15 (.) Average allowance per truck per day approx 8 galls petrol (.) Requirements per truck per day 12 galls (.) Billings Wireless Post and veh Mtn

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY [illegible]

Signature: Lt-Col. Cmdt.

SIGNED

IF GARBLED OR TRANSMITTED OR RECEIVED FAULTILY REPEAT BACK THIS MSG WHICH MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER

SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS Degree of Priority: ROUTINE

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Time Received

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[illegible] 9 Nov 46

[illegible]

[illegible] 5 PRIV [illegible] - [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Ltr [illegible] 3/2/OP -

[illegible] - [illegible]

To - 5 PRIV

Ref para 4 (d) Ltr [illegible] dated 30 Oct 46.

1. Instructions have been issued to the [illegible] to ship packages in the 20 ton limitation be passed under his control at [illegible] by [illegible] as at present.

2. Data to appear as indicated by the [illegible] in para (d), as the packages to be full and complete and be itemized of equipment necessary to use Tm.

By order of

[illegible]
(Col. AC [illegible])

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12 NOV. 1946

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COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE (V)
S.M. -Ufficio Op.Add.Ord.Mob. -I^Sezione
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N° 788 /O.P. di prot. Udine, li 9 novembre 1946

OGGETTO: Battaglione Alpini "Tolmezzo".-

AL COMANDO 5° B.L.U. S E D E

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Risposta foglio G/119/44 in data 30 ottobre 1946.-

1°)- Sono stati impartiti ordini al Btg. "Tolmezzo" perchè tutti i posti di controllo nella zona dell'88^ Divisione passino sotto il Comando della compagnia alpini dislocata a S.Pietro.-

2°)- Questo Comando concorda con quanto proposto da codesto B.L.U. alla lettera d) circa la procedura da seguire nelle richieste di materiali necessari al Battaglione.-

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE UDINE

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Col. A. Icardi)

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CLASSIFICATION

C ARMED BDE. GROUP.
FOURTEENTH EM.

P.W.B. NEWS FROM FOR 30 TO 9TH NOVEMBER 1945

BLOCK POST	PERSONS SEEN BACK PASSING WITH LEGITIMATE DOCUMENTS FOR FRANCE				REPOR
	NATIONALITY	BOUND FOR V.G.	COMING FROM V.G.	TO V.G.	FROM V.G.	
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C ARMED UNIT.
FORCES.C.TH.

REPORTS RECEIVED FROM 3rd TO 9th NOVEMBER 1946

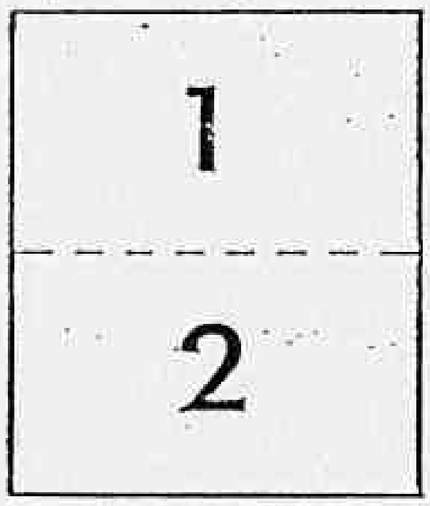
INCIDENTS DURING PAST WEEK INCLUDING DESERTERS	CASUALTIES		REMARKS
	TO T.T.A.		
ZONE	NO T.T.A.	FROM T.T.A.	
	1	2	
		1	During the night of 4/11/46 the B.P. has been fired at with Machine-Gun from 'A' ZONE : NO Casualties.
2	2		
		1	
13	10		
43	62		On the 3 Nov 46 a Patrol of soldiers and "Finanza" stopped some cattle and tobacco smugglers. On the 5 Nov 46 a Patrol of ETHIOPIS arrested and handed to FSS CHICIGNANA a man laying to cross the Boundary through TORRE River.
54	46		On the 4 Nov 46 at VILLA VICENTINA women from CANTIERE MONFALCONE travelling by 6.40 train, were stopped as without Permits (handed over to AMG to be removed) the women protested against the Duty Personnel.

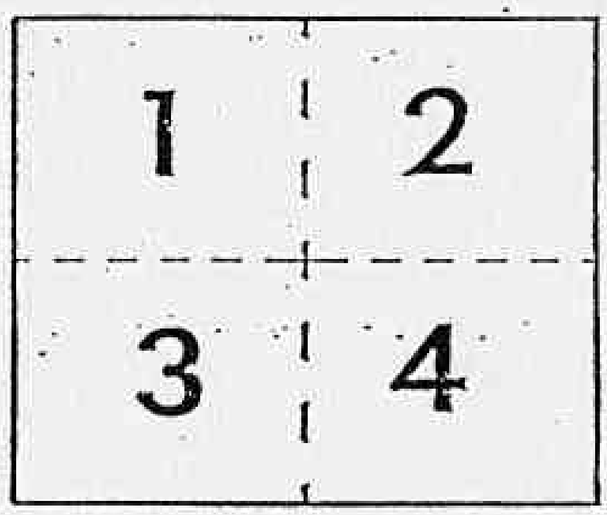
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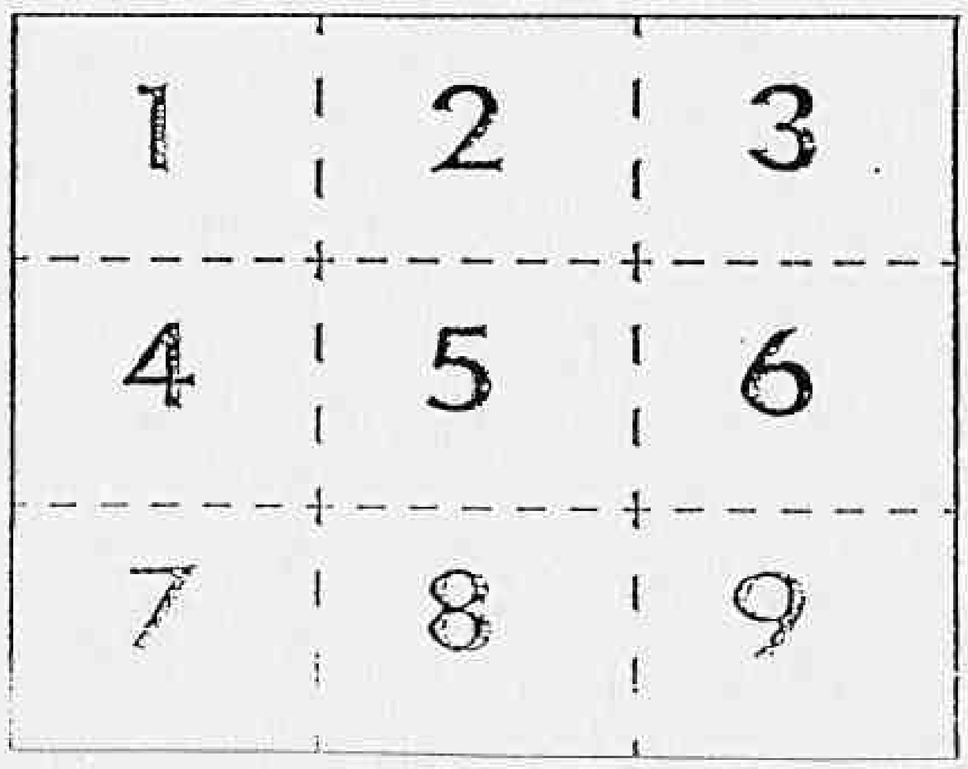
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LEFT TO RIGHT, AND TOP TO BOTTOM.

SEE DIAGRAMS BELOW.







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12 NOV. 1946

8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
- Comando Battaglione "Tolmezzo" -

N O V I T A' P O S T I B L O C C O DAL 3 AL

Posti blocco	Persone respinte perchè non in regola					
	Stranieri			Italiani		
	Nazionalità	Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	
Inaco del Predil				1	2	
U c c e a				-	-	
Platischis				-	-	
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Gr. P.B. Prepotto				3	3	
Gr. P.B. Villanova				13	10	
Gr. P.B. Tapogliano				43	62	Il giorno 3/11/46 contrabbandieri di Il giorno 5/11/46 a disposizione del re la linea di dem
Gr. P.B. Paperiano				54	48	Il 4 novembre a Vi tiere di Monfalcon la rimozione de di servizio.-

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
- Comando Battaglione "Tolmezzo" -

T I D I C O M A N D O D A L 3 A L 9 N O V E M B R E 46

In regola

Italiani

Per la V.G.	Dalla V.G.	
1	2	
-	-	
-	-	
2	1	
	1	La notte del 4/11/46 il F.B. è stato fatto segno a colpi di arma automatica provenienti dalla zona "A". Nessun ferito.- Concentramenti di partigiani Titini nella zona di Plezzo e Caporetto, secondo notizie non controllate.-
4	3	
13	19	
43	62	Il giorno 3/11/46 pattuglie di militari e guardie di finanza hanno fermato contrabbandieri di bestiame e tabacco.- Il giorno 5/11/46 a Chiopris pattuglia di militari hanno arrestato e messo a disposizione della F.S. di Cervignano un individuo che cercava di passare la linea di demarcazione attraverso il Torre.-
54	48	Il 4 novembre a Villa Vicentina, al treno delle ore 6,40, operai del cantiere di Monfalcone fermati perchè sprovvisti di permesso (ritirati per la rimovigazione dall'A.M.G.) hanno protestato in massa contro i soldati di servizio.-

Novità principali

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Passo del Predil				1	2	
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Platischis				-	-	
Stupizza				2	1	
Ceplettischis					1	La notte del 4/11/4 provenienti dalla z Concentramenti di s do notizie non cont
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Gr. F.B. Tapogliano				43	62	Il giorno 2/11/46 p contrabbandieri di Il giorno 5/11/46 a a disposizione dell re le linee di demar
Gr. F.B. Paperiano				54	48	Il 4 novembre a Vil tiere di Monfalcone la rimovazione dal di servizio.-

6° REGG. ALPINI

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IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten. Col° Alfredo Egizi -

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SUBJECT :- Frontier Contact

5 British Liaison Unit
Tel: 1553
G/119/55
12 Nov 46

GSO Fwd Ops Sec

Ref your 7020/G dated 7 Nov 46.

This matter is being investigated by the CO of the TOLMEZZO Bn.

This unit was aware of the incident, but in view of the fact that the Corporal in charge of the Post has since been charged, and that a certain amount of re-organisation in the Frontier Guards is going on, it was thought that no useful purpose would be served by probing too deeply into such old history.

G 2 Int., GS (R) Div, are in agreement that such matters are more easily and quickly settled on the spot by Direct Liaison between G2, FLU, and the TOLMEZZO Bn.

Conversation Maj MILO - Maj KLIAN refers).

Lieut-Colonel,
GS.

Field
MILO/ap

Copies to: G2, GS (R) Div.
File
Diary

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- 9 NOV. 1946

Subject:- Equipment of Tolmezzo Alpini Bn.

G(Ops) GHQ CMF

5790/G.

Nov 46.

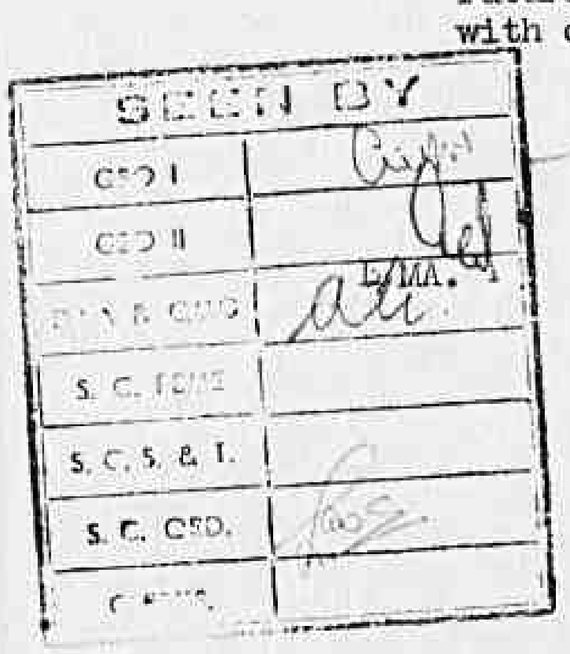
Tel No.....

Q.

Copies to:- CSD,
5 BLU
GHQ Fwd Ops Sec c/o HQ 1 Armd Div

It has been reported that the release notes for equipment of the TOLMEZZO ALPINI Bn have been forwarded to MMIA for collection. This procedure retards the early delivery of the equipment to the Unit. May all such future release notes be addressed to 5 BLU with copy of same to MMIA for information.

Lt Col,
GS.



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MBHF V MEXS NR Ø82231 P P

FROM GHQ CMF Ø81530

TO 3 BLU

BT

SDO288 (.) UNCLA(.) REQUEST FOLLOWING INFM(.)

ALLOWANCE POL PER TRUC P/T TRUCK PER DAY (.)

AMOUNT POL REQUIRED PER TRUC K PER DAY (.)

HOLDINGS WRLS FOOT AND VEHS (.)

ALL FOR TOLMEZZO ALPINI BN

BT

SENT WS B K

RD NR Ø82231 4& 5(RG TKS K

9 NOV. 1946

GHQ 22693

SEEN BY	
G3O I	
G3O II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CIC'S.	

G/11a.

Tels No : Fedun 22695

Subject : Eqpt For Tolmezzo Alpini Bn

To : ?

Copy To : Land Forces Sub Commission MC (LFSA)
5 BDU
G (Ops)
?
Sigs
Ord

G(SD) Branch,
GHQ CMF.

SD/2146/8

4 Nov 46.

Further to our SD/2146/8 of 18 Oct and 26 Oct.

Please issue the following additional eqpt under the same conditions to 5 BDU for the Tolmezzo Alpini Bn.

6 x Fd Teles
4 x Miles Tele cable
3 x 10 Line Tele exchanges
3 x Charging engines for Tele sets.

CMD/REG

J.D'L. ANDERSON,
Colonel, G.S.

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Ord

Further to our 3D/2146/8 of 18 Oct and 25 Oct.

Please issue the following additional copt under the same conditions to 5 BLH for the Tolmezzo Alpini Bn.

6 x TA Teles
4 x Miles Tele cable
3 x 10 Line Tele exchanges
3 x Charging engines for Tele sets.

4 more lbs
Action by

OPS/ING

J.D'A. ANDERSON,
Colonel, G.S.

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COY	Quite
COY	Act
[illegible]	Late.
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- No action for Switch AD

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8 NOV 46

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SUBJECT : Western Bdy.

GHQ Fwd O ps Sec,
c/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/G
7 Nov 46
Tel 1 Armd Div Extn 48
TRIESTE AUTO 2455

HQ 5 BLU
- - - - -
GHQ CMF (G Ops) (your 5790/G dated 29 Oct refers)
HQ 88 (US) Div
Maj T.KITCAT, DSC, MC, RA.
- - - - - - - - - - - - -

1. 88 (US) Div have re orted that on an inspection of the western bdy on 14 Oct the check posts at [illegible] was visited It was found that there were no tps on duty, the whole guard being absent in the local town.

2. Will you please investigate and report on this matter.

5242

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

CMF
J/H

Ost

See folio 57

Kitcat is looking into the
absentees & discover cause
Nearly a month after the incident

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TRANSLATION

S ARMIO Rept.
"Contacts" Bn.

No. 11820/3. ROMA 7A 7 Nov 46

SUBJ: 35 -- Hotel Reports

To : 5 HIQ

5 Nov : Railway Block Post Villa Vicentina.

Some workmen from "Impianti Telefonici" arrived by 7 o'clock again and without ANC Permit, have immediately protested against the Duty Military Personnel which wished to stop them from working.

The incident has been rapidly resolved.

The workmen were without Permits because they have been handed over to the MOTORAMA to be removed.

6 Nov :

At about 10 o'clock SOLDATI passed through VILLANOVA B.P. and controlled by British Police on duty.

(Signed) Lieut-Colonel,
A. ZEBI

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8 NOV 1946

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Da COMANDO BATTAGLIONE FERROVIERO

Bovoria lì 7 novembre 1946

N. 1820/8 di prot.

OGGETTO: Rapporto novità.-

AL Sig. R. L. U. DEL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI U D I N E

4 Novembre: Sotto blocco ferroviario Villa Vicentina.

Numerosi operai del cantiere di Mondalcone viaggianti col treno delle ore 7 provvisti di permesso A.M.G. hanno protestato tumultuosamente contro il personale militare di servizio che voleva impedire loro di proseguire.

L'incidente è stato felicemente risolto, risultato che gli operai non erano provvisti di permesso perchè da alcuni giorni revocato dall'Autorità di Mondalcone per la rimozione.

5 Novembre:

L'On. Foglietti alle ore 10 è transitato per il R.D. di Villanova ed è stato controllato dalla polizia inglese ivi in servizio.-

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten.Col.Alfredo Ugizzi

Comando Battaglione "Talmassons"

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TRANSLATION

8 ALPINI REGIMENT
Tolmezzo En Command

No.11800/mat

Subject:- Materials.

5 B.L.U. Udine

5 Nov 46

I beg to inform you that AMG Udine has granted to this Command :

-2 light lorries
-2 lorries SPA 15 cwt
-1 Jeep
-40 Kms telephone-wire
-12 telephone sets
-6 transmitter radio-sets
-40 portable electric lamps.

3209

All arrived 23 NOV 46

Bn Comdr
Sgd:- Lt Col A. EGIZI

SEEN BY	
G3O I	
G3O II	
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.	
A. C. of S.	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CHEMS.	

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- 6 NOV 1946

Da COMANDO 1ª ZONA
- COMANDO 5ª BATTAGLIONE TRASPORTI -

Prot. 11800/mat

Lovoria li 5 novembre 1946

Al 5° B. T. U. I T

U D I N E

Per opportuna informazione informo che il M.C. ha assegnato a questo Comando:

- 2 autocarretta
- 2 autocarri 3TL 15 Q.li T.
- 1 Jeep
- 1 Km. filo telefonico
- 12 telefoni
- 6 radio ricevitori
- 4 lampade elettriche portatili.-

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten.Col. Alfredo [illegible]

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WESTERN BOUNDARY OF V Q. BLOCK POSTS - 88 DIV AREA

C.I.C. OBSERVATION - ALL FROM 4thCO. TOLMEZZO [illegible] INI BR

TOWN	LOCATION	STRENGTH GUARDS ON LOST PATROL		TRAFFIC	INSTRUCTIONS	M/T	COMMO	LIAISON WITH CO	LIGHT
PLATISCHIS	528-393	8 EM inc. Cpl	1 - Day 1 - Night	local 3 Men 1-Day 1-Night	Light foot east	Typed at post Satisfactory Proficiency	None	Phone from Sentry Box to Billet only	Officer visites twice weekly Rations every fifteen days	Oil la at post
UCCEA	549-467	4 EM inc. Cpl	2 At all times	Local 3 Men 3-Day 1- Nite	Light foot cart one truck	Typed at Post Satisfactory Proficiency	none	None	Officer visits twice weekly Rations every fifteen days	1 Flashl
PASSO DEL PRE-DIL	674-592	9 E.M. Sgt Maj	2 at all times	Local 3-man 1-day 1-night	Heavy all types	Typed at post Very satis-factory Proficiency	None	Phone to Cave del Predil Relay to CIC Tarmisio	Officer visits once a week Rations every fifteen days	2 oil la
CEPLETISCHIS	668-328	8 E.M.	2 at all times	Local continuous routing patrol	7 Light foot carry	Typed at post Very satis-factory Proficiency	None	None	Officer visits 2 to 3 times weekly. Rations every fifteen days	1 electri lantern issued

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C. BLOCK HOUSES - 68 DIV AREA

All FROM Ltheo. TORREZZO (INI BN

COMMO	LIAISON WITH CO	LIGHTS	BILLETS	[illegible]	RATING	DATE OF VISIT	REMARKS
Phone from Sentry Box to Billet only	Officer visites twice weekly Rations every fifteen days	Oil lantern at post	Satisfactory except no stove for heat	2 [illegible] 1200 Rounds 2 Automatic rifles 200 Rounds	SATISFACTORY	15 Oct	Guards changed one week ago No shooting since new guard took over
None	Officer visits twice weekly Rations every fifteen days	1 Flashlight	Satisfactory Cook stove only	2-Autorifle 200 rounds 1 [illegible] 1200 rounds 11 Grenades Red Devils	SATISFACTORY	15 Oct	New Sentry Box
Phone to Cave del Predil Relay to CIC Farmisio	Officer visits once a week Rations every fifteen days	2 oil lanterns	Satisfactory except no Glass in windows	1-[illegible] 3-Autorifles 2400 rounds for all weapons	VERY SATISFACTORY	15 Oct	I Finance Guard on post days only.
None	Officer visits 2 to 3 times weekly. Rations every fifteen days	1 electric lantern issued	Satisfactory except no stove	2-Autorifles 200 rounds 2-Rifles 200 rounds 8-Certins 216-rounds	SATISFACTORY	15 Oct	

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WESTERN BOUNDARY OF V.G. BLOCK POSTS - 88 DIV AREA

CIC. SUPERVISION - ALL FROM 4TH CT, TOMEZZO - [illegible]INI B

LOCATIONS	STRENGTH	GUARDS ON POST	PATROLS	TRAFFIC	INSTRUCTIONS	COMMO	M/T	LIAISON WITH CO	LIGHTS
STUPEZZA	591-350	10 EM including 1 corporal Major	2 at all times	local 3-man 3-day 3-night	heavy foot cart motor	Typed at post Excellent Proficiency	Phone to Co C.P.	None	3 or 4 times a week. Rations every fifteen days	2-oil electr when g operat
PODRESCA	660-220	6 EM including 1 cpl.	None on post for inspection	2 daily between N & S Br.	light foot cart	Typed at billet	None	None	3 or 4 times a week.	1-oil la 1-electr lantern
PREPOTTO	596-328	15 EM incl Sgt Major 4 finance guards incl 1 corporal Maj	Between Polanis and Mernic	light foot cart Heavy on Sun incl Motor	None will be issued this week	None wire between posts & billets phones shortly	None	Officer visits 3 to 4 times weekly Rations every fifteen days	1 elect lantern 2-flash
a. Potania 596-163 b. Merice 604-182		a. 3 b. 3							

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G. BLOCK POSTS - 88 DIV AREA

1 FROM 4TH Cav. TORREIZZO - [illegible] INI BN

M/T	LIAISON WITH Co	LIGHTS	BILLETS	ORDNANCE	RATING	DATE OF VISIT	REMARKS
None B.	3 or 4 times a week. Rations every fifteen days	2-oil lanterns electric lights when generator operates	Satisfactory except no stoves	3-autorifles 1-[illegible] 1-LMG 100 rounds for each LMG 2000 rounds for LMG	VERY SATIS-FACTORY	14 Oct	
None	3 or 4 times a week.	1-oil lantern 1-electric lantern issued	Satisfactory except no stoves	2 LMG 1 [illegible] 6 Carbines 200 rounds per gun 12 grenades (Red devils)	UNSATISFAC-TORY	14 Oct X	Operates 2-posts 1-N-bridge 2-S-Bridge At inspection guard in town no barriers
None en & ts ly	Officer visits 3 to 4 times weekly Rations every fifteen days	1 electric lantern issued 2-flashlights	In PREPOSITO Satisfactory	5-fifles 60 rounds 3-autofifles 120 rounds 12 grenades (red devils)	SATISFACTORY	14 Oct	2 finance guards at all times.

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SUBJECT :- Administration, repairs to - accounts ordered.

5 Territorial Medical Unit
Feltham

A/6/2/2/16

6.12.16

To 5 Territorial Ordnance

1. Copies of warrants rendered by the firm of [illegible] for the work done at the request of A in many instances doing Battalion have been handed in to this H and are forwarded herein.

2. It has been requested this H should certify that the work done was essential and give the usual certificate to enable the charges therefor.

3. As this is the first intimation made to this H that any work was even contemplated much less completed it would not be correct for us to certify its necessity at this stage.

4. If however the certificate is required for your purposes as a pure formality only, the transmission having the full sanction of your Council, please return the documents to this H and the certificate will be appended.

Yours,
[illegible]

Field
AQ/sp

Enclosures : 12 copies of accounts from [illegible]

File A/33 File Q/119

Diary

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2. It has been suggested this H should certify that the work done was essential and give the usual certificate regarding the changes therefore.

3. As this is the first intimation made to this H that any work was even contemplated much less completed it would not be correct for us to certify the recording at this stage.

4. If however the certificate is required for your purposes as a pure formality only, the Examination having been fully carried out, please return the documents to this Hq and the certificate will be appended.

Major,
Dal A (H).

Field
G/Hq

Enclosures : 12 copies of copy nts from
Edge Electric Company

File A/53 File G/119

Diary

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G/1550

- 4 NOV. 1946

SUBJECT: TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn

This with Gp with best

G(Ops) GHQ SMF

5790 / G

/ November 1946

Tel Extn 22695

SECRET	
CGS	With Col
DCGS	
DAG & QMG	Adv.
D.C.G.S. (T)	
D.A.G. & Q.M.G.	
D.C.G.S. (P)	R&C
CAPTAIN	

GSD

Copy to :- GHQ Fwd Ops Sec c/o HQ 1 Armd Div
5 LU ←

1. As a result of further investigation by G (Ops) GHQ, it has been decided that the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn requires the following additional eqpt before it can function efficiently in the role required of it by GHQ :-

(a) 6 Fd Teles in addition to those released under SD/2146/8 of 22 Oct 46.

(b) 40 miles tele cable in addition to that released under SD/2146/8 of 22 Oct 46.

(c) 3 x 10 line tele exchanges.

(d) 3 charging engines for wrls sets.

2. (a) It has also been requested that the 4 x 3-ton lorries released under your SD/2146/8 of 18 Oct 46 be replaced by 4 x 15-cwt trucks. This change has been found necessary in view of the state of the rds which the vehs are required to negotiate; if possible 4 wheeled drive vehs should be provided. It is recommended that AEDFORDS would be the most suitable.

(b) The vehs are required complete with canopies and tool kits.

3. 5 LU have impressed on 5 ITALIAN Territorial Command that all such eqpt is ON LOAN and must be replaced as soon as possible from ITALIAN Army resources.

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GSD

Copy to :- SHQ Fwd Ops Sec c/o HQ 1 Armd Div
5 BLU

G(O) 1	GWR
G(O) 2	Col
DAA & QMG	
A.G. (P & S)	
A.A. & Q.M.G.	
A.G. (Pers.)	Col
C. in C.	

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3. 5 BLU have impressed on 5 ITALIAN Territorial Command that all such eqpt is ON LOAN and must be replaced as soon as possible from ITALIAN Army resources.

4. G(Ops) regard the satisfactory equipping of this Bn as a matter of urgency, and feel that the time lag before the ITALIAN Army will equip it is unacceptable. G (Ops) will, however, maintain constant pressure on the ITALIAN Army authorities, through 5 BLU, to replace all eqpt issued on loan as soon as possible.

5. 5 BLU will include G (Ops) on copies of all letters and signals sent by them to MMIA pressing for replacement of BRITISH loaned eqpt by ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY.

Lieutenant Colonel,
General Staff.

GSD
L/L

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G/119/

4 NOV. 1946

Subject : Transport for TOLMEZZO Bn.

LAND FORCES SUB COMM.A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
Q/D02
31 Oct 46

TO : 5 BLU.

Further to Q.002 of 26 Oct 46.

Herewith ORD Release note for qty 1 Car 5 cwt 4 x 4.

Your attention is to drawn paras 2 and 3 of the above quoted letter.

E.F.BYATT,Major
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

EFB/lm

SEEN BY	
CCO I	
CCO II	
AA & QMG	
S. C. ROME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. CCO.	
CINC	

← ACTION Pse. how could draw this Shanghai away did not want to authority to draw the 10 cwts

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS CMF

ORDNANCE DIRECTORATE

Date 25/10/46

Release No. DOS/ 0265

To 38 VEHICLE COY, CMF 18 VEHICLE PARK

The undermentioned vehicles will be issued from

to LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION UMA FOR 5 BLU.

Qty.	DESIGNATION	Serial No.	REMARKS
1	CAR 5 CWT 4x4 CLASS 10 SUB STANDARD.	6039/00	18 VEH. PK. CASARSA.

RECEIVED 30 OCT 1946 523

TO BE HELD SURPLUS TO WE FOR USE OF TOLMEZZO ALPINI BN.
UNIT TO COLLECT.

V.H. OSBORNE, CAPT.
FOR MAJ. GEN.
J 201 DOS
GHQ

Distribution:
"Q" Branch, GHQ.
Formation District as above
Vehicle Park.

PBS A 5038 6M 3-46

C O P Y

Subject:- TOLMEZZO ALPINI BN.

G (Ops) (GS) CMF
5790/G

28 Oct 46

Tel No ..22096..

GS (US) Div
5 MLU
GHQ Fwd Ops Sec c/o HQ 1 Armd Div

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3. The Bn is under the operational command of (GS) CMF. Orders will normally be issued by GHQ Fwd Ops Sec on behalf of GHQ (G Ops) and will always be passed through 5 MLU.

4. The supervision of the Bn in its task is the responsibility of GSI GHQ. 88 (US) Div within its own boundaries in the NORTH, and 419 FSS in the SOUTH will carry out this supervision, submitting weekly reports as at present to GSI GHQ. 88 (US) Div exercises supervision through CIC and 12 FSS. GSI will repeat this information to G (Ops) and to GHQ Fwd Ops Sec.

5. GSI GHQ is responsible for ensuring that the check posts are in possession of the necessary information to carry out their duties effectively. This information will be passed to the posts by GSI through 88 (US) Div and 419 FSS.

6. a) Check posts will report all matters of interest by phone 200

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b) The Battalion Commander will repeat this information to 5 BLU who will report all matters of interest to 1 AGRA and HQ AMG UDINE.

c) 88 (US) Div and 419 FSS will repeat this information to GSI HQ. Matters affecting internal security will, in the case of 419 FSS, be reported bythem to 1 Armd Div.

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8. The handling of the TOLMEZZO Alpini Battalion in the event of an operational emergency is laid down in 13 Corps Op Instr No 37.

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

CMF
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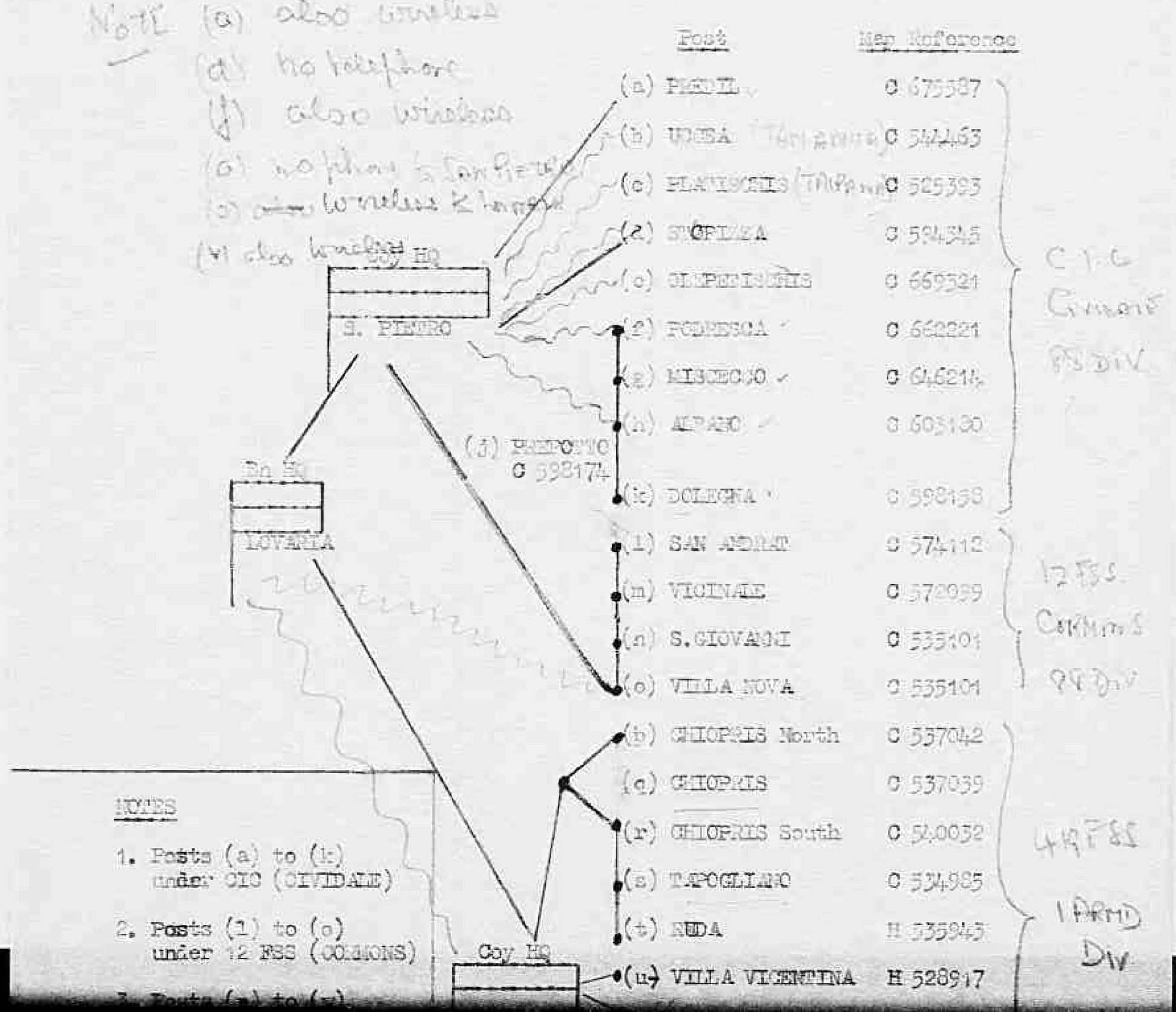
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GHQ letter 5790/G
dated 28 Oct 46.

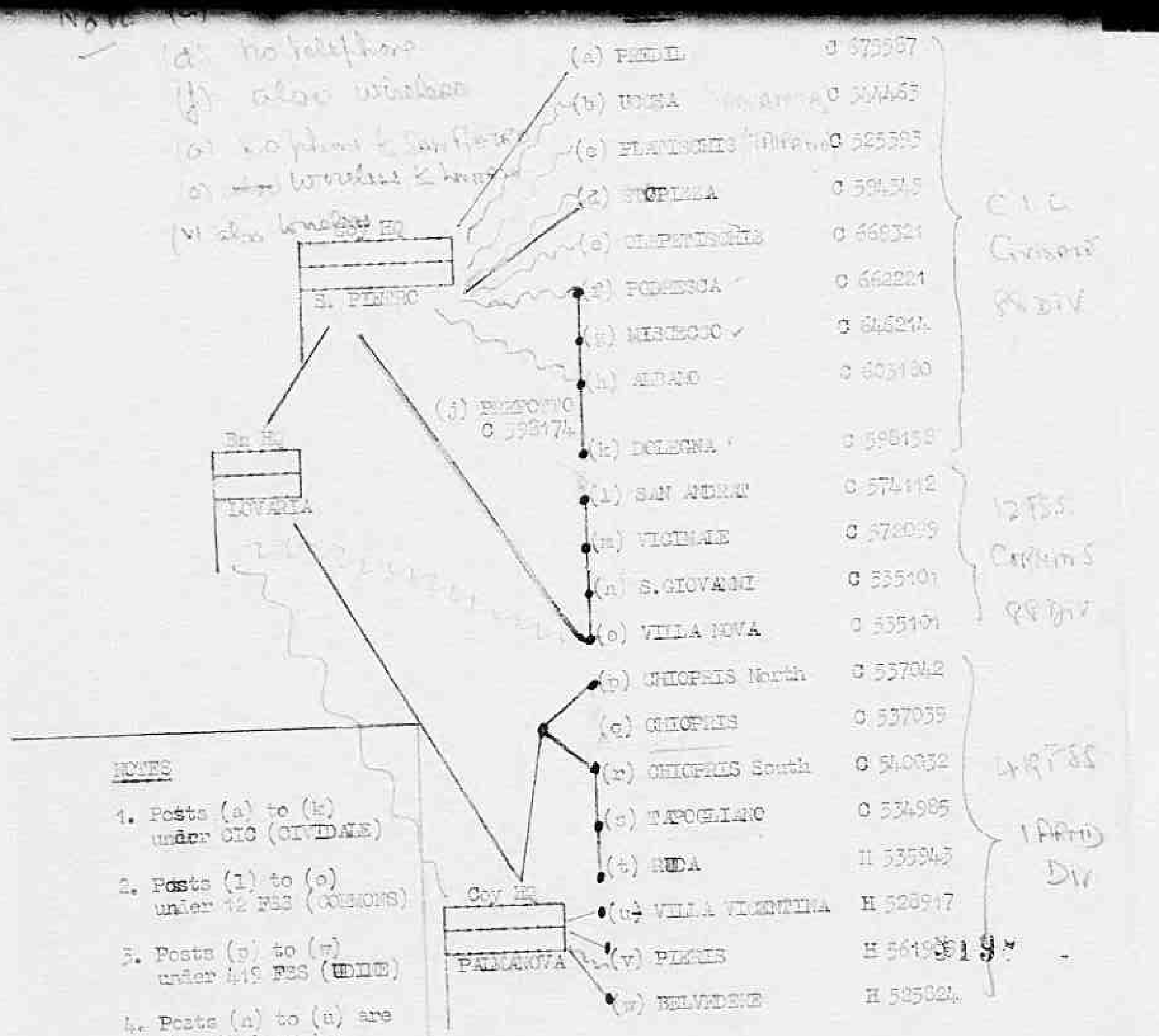
Deployment of 70(IT)Bde Alpini Bn on Western Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA showing Inter - Communication



NOTES

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2. Posts (l) to (o) under 12 FSS (COMMONS)
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4. Posts (n) to (u) are rly check posts: (j) and (q) are barracks and NOT Posts: remainder are all rd posts

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G (Ops) GHQ CMF

5790/G

1 Oct 46

Tele No .....

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5 BLU
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GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
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3. The Bn is under the operational command of TAC GHQ. Orders will be passed from TAC GHQ through 5 BLU.

4. The supervision of the Bn in its task is the responsibility of GSI GHQ. 88 (US) Div within its own boundaries in the NORTH, and 12 FSS in the SOUTH will carry out this supervision, submitting weekly reports as at present to GSI GHQ. 88 (US) Div exercises supervision through CIS [redacted]. GSI will repeat this information to G (Ops) GHQ [redacted].

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3. The Bn is under the operational command of [illegible] Orders [illegible] to be passed from TAC GHQ through 5 BLU. TAC GHQ.

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Appx "A" attached hereto is cancelled. / 2 .....
To substitute appx see folio 60.

66 appx. 13/11

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(b) The Battalion Commander will report this information to 5 BDE who will report all matters of interest to 3 AGRA (FA) and HQ ANZ (ARMY).

(c) 88 (US) Div and 12 FSG will report this information to CSI (HQ). Matters affecting internal security will, in the case of 12 FSG, be reported by them to 1 Armd Div.

7. The Battalion is under the administrative command of 5 ITALIAN Territorial Command. 5 BDE is however responsible for ensuring that the ability of the Battalion to carry out its task is not prejudiced by the absence of such essential equipment not being available from ITALIAN Army sources. 5 BDE will report the matter to [redacted] who will if possible arrange provision through SHAEF.

8. The handling of the TUSCANIA Alpini Battalion in the event of an operational emergency is laid down in 15 Corps Op Instr No 37.

[signature]
Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

CMF
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8. The handling of the ITALIAN Alpini Battalion in the event of an operational emergency is laid down in 13 Corps Op Instr No 97.

for Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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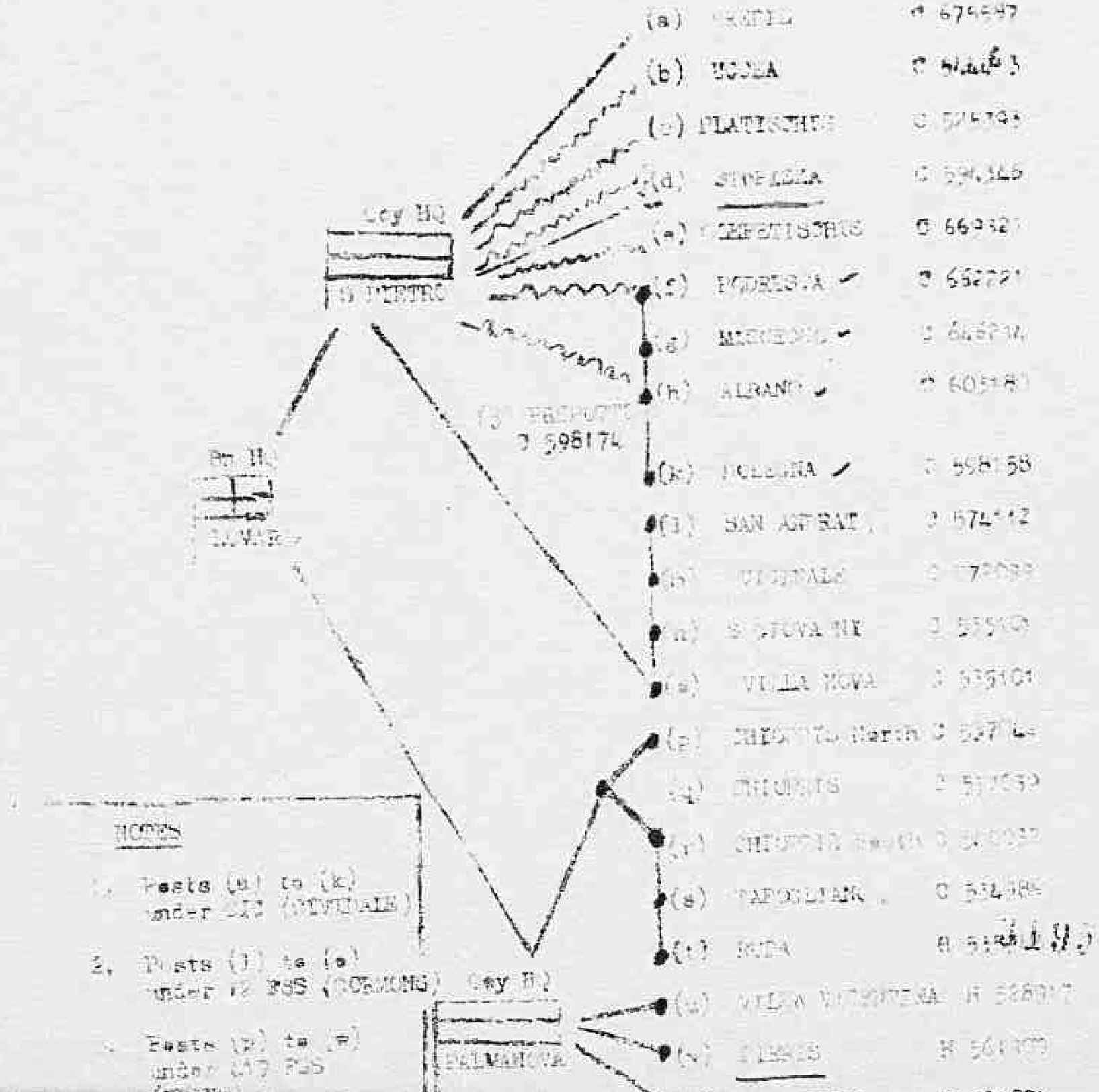
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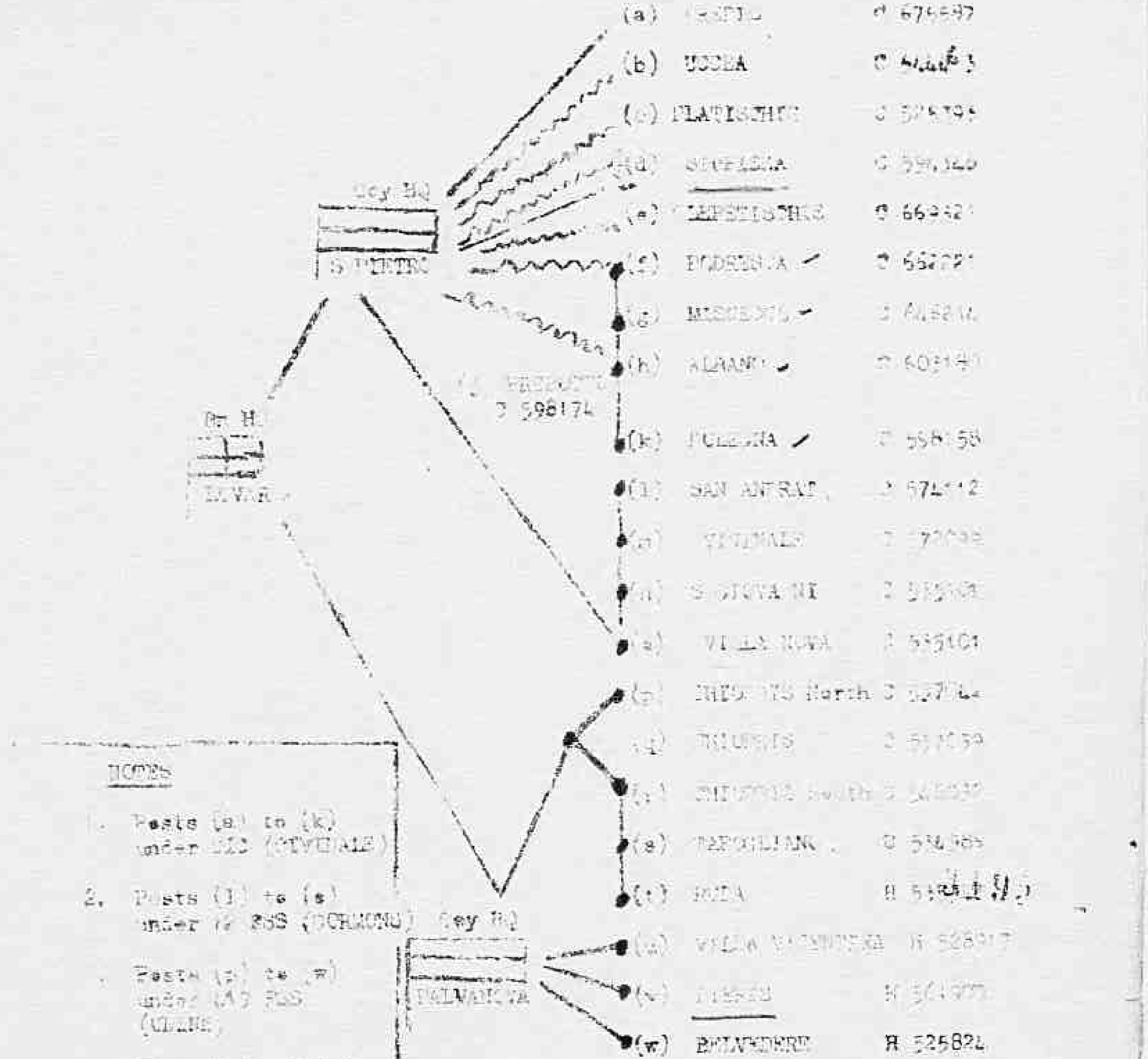
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SUBJECT : Control of Western Boundary VENEZIA GIULIA

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S. C. REME	
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G(Ops) GHQ CMF

5790/G

28 Oct 46.

Tele No.....

Welfare

5 HLU
GHQ Fwd Ops Sec
c/o HQ 1 Armd Div

1. The Western Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA is controlled by a series of road posts manned by personnel of the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn. This unit, although administered by the ITALIAN Army, is under the operational command of GHQ CMF. The task it is performing on behalf of GHQ CMF is of considerable importance.

2. Many of the road posts are in extremely isolated localities, and in some instances the posts are snow bound for considerable periods. The men are in possession of no welfare equipment, and the hostility of the local villagers (SLOVENES or COMMUNISTS) makes it difficult for the men to participate in village entertainments.

3. Although it is appreciated that the provision of welfare stores for this unit is in no way the responsibility of the BRITISH Army, it is unlikely that the ITALIAN Army authorities will be able to do so.

It would be of great value to the morale of the Battalion if Welfare could provide them with any playing cards, and indoor games which may be available: it is felt that there are probably a certain amount of these welfare stores not considered suitable for issue to BRITISH troops which could be made use of by the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn.

4. Will you please forward your comments as soon as possible.

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Lt-Col.,

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GHQ Fwd Ops Sec
c/o HQ 1 Armd Div

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Lt-Col.,
General Staff.

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G30/1
P.T.

SUBJECT : Vehicl[illegible] for Tolmezzo Bn.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R C M E
Q.002

26 October 1946

TO : 5 B.L.U.

G119/39

Ref this H.Q. Q.002 dated 24 Oct
G.H.Q. 8118/5/Q1 dated 22 Oct - copy to you.

1. Q release note and Retention Certificate fwd herewith. Attached

Contact Ord (HQ) to obtain Ord release note direct.

2. Assist to draw these vehicles if 5 Territorial Command wish but as War Ministry are making provision it is probable these vehicles may not be required.

The vehicles should be withdrawn from Tolmezzo as soon as possible and held in 5 E.V.F. pending disposal instructions from this HQ.

They are not to be issued to any unit other than the Tolmezzo Bn.

3. Please report when drawn and when no longer required.

R.A. CURTIES, Lt.Col.
for Colonel A/Q
M.M.I.A.

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GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS.	

Internal: Ord.

PAC/ra

No action at present as we have asked for 15 CWD instead of 3 ton QMC

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Tele ADUs 22272

G.H.Q., C.M.F.

8118/5/21

22 Oct 46

SUBJECT:- Vehs for Tolmezzo Alpini Bn

TO:- Land Forces Sub Commission MMIA

Reference this HQ letter SD/2146/8 of 18 Oct 46.

1. The u/m vehicles are being released to 5 BLU ex 18 Veh Pk CASARSA to be held surplus to WE for use of Tolmezzo Alpini Bn.

Lorries 3 ton	4
5 cwt 4x4	1 (VR/0263 attached)

2. Please notify this HQ when replacements are received from Italian War Ministry so that disposal instructions can be given.

3. Rot Cert No 1495 is attached. Please inform this HQ of WD Nos.

(I.A. GORDON) Captain,
for Brig i/c Adm.

IAG/RS

Copy to:- 5 BLU ✓
G(Ops)
Cyd - Please arrange release of qty 4 Lorries 3 ton ex 18 Veh pk CASARSA to Land Forces Sub Commission MMIA for 5 BLU.

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(COPY)

Tele PADUA 22272
CHQ C.M.F.
8118/5/31
22 October 1946

Subject: Vehs for TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn

TO: Land Forces Sub Commission MMIA

Reference this HQ letter SD/2146/8 of 18 October 46.

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I.A. GORDON Captain
for Brigadier i/c Adm

G(Ops)
Ord - Please arrange release of Qty 4 Lorries 3 ton ex 18 Veh Park CASARSA to Land Forces Sub Commission MMIA for 5 BHU

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, MF
Q (AE) BRANCH

VEHICLE RELEASE NOTE

Ref. VR/ 0263

Date 22 Oct 46

To: Land Forces Sub Commission MEIA

For 5 BLU This HQ letter 8118/5/Q1 dated 22 Oct 46 refers.

Release of the undermentioned vehicles is authorised.

Quantity	M.T. Code	Description of Vehicles	Class	Park/Group
1.	6038/00	CAR 5cwt 4x4	ID	18 Veh Pk CASARSA

Remarks: Unit to collect. To be held surplus to WE for use of Tolmezzo Alpini Bn.

Release Instructions

1. On receipt of this release authority, the unit or formation will await release instructions from Ord (Br).
2. GHQ Q (AE) release and Ord Directorate release will both be handed to the Vehicle Park at the time of collection. The Vehicle Company have been instructed that release will not be made unless both copies of release voucher are presented.

I.A. GORDON, Captain,
for Brig i/c Adm.

Distribution:

Ord Directorate

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PSS/A 5242 5M 10/45

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS C.M.F.

RETENTION CERTIFICATE

NO : ....1495.....

For the holding of 'A' & 'B' vehicles, Stores and Equipment surplus to War Establishment and G.1098.

1. Unit .5.BLU.....is authorised to hold the following items surplus to War Establishment and G.1098:

Lorries 3 ton	-	4
CAR 4x4 5cwt	-	1

2. Reasons for retention:

On loan to Tolmezzo Alpini Bn pending receipt of replacements from Italian War Ministry.

3. This certificate is valid from ..25.Oct.46..... to ..24.Jan.47....

Application for renewal will be made to GHQ CMF THROUGH NORMAL CHANNELS fourteen days prior to expiration of this authority.

NO MORE THAN ONE RENEWAL WILL BE MADE TO THIS CERTIFICATE. UNLESS AN AMENDMENT TO WAR ESTABLISHMENT HAS BEEN MADE, THE SURPLUS HOLDINGS WILL BE WITHDRAWN ON THE EXPIRATION OF THE SECOND CERTIFICATE. ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO GRO 1271/45 (as amended by GRO 85/46).

4. Previous retention certificates covering these items are:

No.	Authority	Period	
		From	To

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CAR 4x4 5cwt - 1

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No.	Authority	Period From	Period To

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(Signed)

I.A. GORDON, Captain,
for Brigadier, i/c Adm.

Copy to: Land Forces Sub Commission MMIA
This HQ letter 8118/5/Q1 dated 22 Oct 46 refers.

Date 22 Oct 46

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Tel [illegible] 22272

G.H.Q., G.M.F.

SUBJECT:- Sqdt for Polmenso
Aerial Bn

MAG/3.1

Oct 46

TO:- Cmd

Reference G(S) letter SD/2146/3 dated 22 Oct 46.

16 SBLU

Will you please arrange the issue of the required signal eqpt on loan pending provision by the Italian War Ministry.

[signature]

(A.J. [illegible]) Major,
for Colonel i/c A.

CAM/A3

Copy to:- AMIL - Please notify this HQ when replacement items are provided by the Italian War Ministry.

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DAA & QMG	
S. C. ENGR	
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SUBJECT :- [redacted]

5 British Element U Nat
Tels 1955

9/119/40

26 Sept 40

(Cps)

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Further to this office letter No. 9/10041 dated 26 Sept 40 and with reference to the visit of Major [redacted] to your H.Q.

1. A more detailed investigation has been made and it is now desired to amend the requests detailed in the 9/a letter as follows :-

(a) Instead of 4 x 3 ton lorries, 4 x 15 cwt trucks are required; owing to the nature of the country 4 wheel drive if available would be advisable. If 4 wheel drive are not available, I am advised that Bedford would be most suitable for the northern route.
I would emphasise that the vehicles are required complete with canopies and tool kits.

(b) An additional 6 Field Telephones are required making a total of 18 in all.

(c) An additional 40 miles of cable are required making a total of 60 miles in all.

(d) 3 x 10 line telephone exchanges.

(e) 3 x Charging engines for wireless sets.

2. It has now been arranged that all requests for British Equipment are co-ordinated by and submitted to your H.Q. through this unit.

3. It has been impressed on 5 Italian Territorial Command that Signal Stores from British Depots is on loan only and must be returned as soon as replacements have been received by the Italian Army.

Field
W.D./sp

[redacted]
Lieut-Colonel,
Gr.

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Copies to: [redacted], 2nd.
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1. A more detailed investigation has been made and it is now desired to amend the requests detailed in the 4th letter as follows:-

(a) Instead of 4 x 3 two Lorries, type 15 cwt trucks are required: subject to the number of 4 wheel drive it available would be advisable. If 4 wheel drive are not available, I am advised that Bedfords are the most suitable for the mountain roads.
I would emphasise that the vehicles are required complete with canopies and tool kits.

(b) An additional 6 field telephones are required making a total of 12 in all.

(c) An additional 40 miles of cable are required making a total of 60 miles in all.

(d) 3 x 10 line telephone exchanges.

(e) 3 x Charging engines for wireless sets.

2. It was now been arranged that all requests for British equipment are co-ordinated by and submitted to Jouhet through this unit.

3. It has been impressed on 5 Indian Territorial Command that troops drawn from British Units is on loan only and must be returned as soon as replacements have been provided by the Indian Army.

Yours [illegible]

Lieut-Colonel,
Gs.

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Field
AG3/ep

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Diary

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SUBJECT : Maintenance Polmenzo Alpini Bn.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
Q.002

24 October 1946

TO : War Ministry (by LO)

C/nQ129

Further to this H.Q. Q.138 dated 12 Oct 46.

1. G.H.Q. have authorised the temporary issue of the following equipment to the Polmenzo Bn:-

4 3 ton Lorries
1 Jeep
12 Fd telephones
20 miles x Fd Cable
6 W/T sets.

2. As however the above items will have to be returned in the immediate future and as it is understood you have already arranged for a signal detachment to join the Bn in order to improve communication it would appear unnecessary for withdrawal to be made from British Depots.

3. You are requested to notify 5 Territorial Command what assistance you are rendering and to instruct them to notify 5 B.L.F. what temporary issues if any you wish arranged from British Depots.

4. 5 B.L.F. are authorised to communicate direct with G.H.Q. to save time and eliminate any unnecessary issue of stores or vehicles.

K.A. Untethar Major General.
M.M.I.A.

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Copy to:
5 B.L.F. (G 106/61 26 Sep refers)
G.H.Q. for "G" (G 80/21/G/G 22 Oct refers)

Internal:
"G" (80/109 15 Oct refers)
80.II R Sigs.

RAU/rn

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MESSAGE FORM . SIGS SRL 98

CHECK POST ACCORDINGLY

DTG. 241745A

26 OTT. 1945

FROM. G(OPS) GHQ CMF

TO. → ?

INFO. 5 B. L. U.

GO218. SECRET. SUBJECT IS 5 B L U NUMBER G 119/25 OF 18 OCT 46. WILL YOU PLEASE DEAL WITH THIS LETTER IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS HQ SIGNAL GO 214 OF 231110A. (ALL INFORMED)

ROUTINE

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S.C.S.O.I.	
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CIPHER TELEGRAM

This message [illegible]
[illegible]
O.T.P. [illegible]

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MBHF V LRUL NR 2526/.

IMPORTANT OVR 2-3-4

FR GHQ FWD OPS SEC . C/O . 1 ARM DIV . 231820 A

TO SS ' US' DIV . 419 FS SECTION .

5 BLU . AMG UDINE (FOR MAJ. KITCAT)

INFO GHQ CMF (G OPS)

BT

O 03 (.) UNCLASS (.)

ONE (.) ADDRESSEES WILL SEND REPS TO ATTEND CONFERENCE IN MAJ .

KITCATS OFFICE AMG UDINE AT 251100A CMA SUBJCT CONTROL OF

WESTERN BDY VENEZIA VIULIA (.)

TWO (.) 5 B L U WILL :-

ABLE (.) WARN COMD TOLMEZZO ALPINI BN TO ATTEND WITH

ONE REP FROM EACH OF THE TWO ALPINI COYS CONCERNED (.)

BAKER (.) PROVIDE INTERPRETER (.) A C K (.)

ET

EL B 1 KK

RD AG AT MBHF AR TKS KKK 2100

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	3184
S. C. ORD.	
S. C. [illegible]	

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SECRET
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Reg. N° A.I.

TO : For Action - G.S.I. . For attention G 1 & OPS.

Copies to : " " G S I B

For info G 2 88 U.S. DIV.
G 1 OPS. 1 ARMD DIV.
ADV. OPS - G.H.Q.
REGIONAL COMMISSIONER = UDINE
S.P.E.S.D. = UDINE
M.G. VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE = TRIESTE
12 F.S.S.
419 F.S.S.
COMMANDER (6th ALPINE REGIMENT)
Tolmezzo Battalion
5 B.L.O. = UDINE
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OBSOLETE

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FROM : Major KITCAT.

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During verbal discussions with all addressees (except V.G. Police - Trieste and G. 1 OPS) and after seeing the ground the following plan has crystallized and is in accordance with what actually has been taking place and upsets no working arrangement, and I think improves things.

1. COMMAND.

a. Operationally the Tolmezzo Battalion is under command G.H.Q.

b. For Administration and Discipline it is under command of the Italian Army in the normal way.

c. The Block Posts under their respective sub-commanders, will maintain close liaison with the F.S.S. and C.I.C. for passing operational intelligence quickly to G.H.Q. through 88 Div. and 1st Armoured Div. (see Diagram).

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3.I.P.S.S. = UDINE
V.G. VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE = TRIESTE
12 F.S.S.
41° F.S.S.
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d. For deficiencies in Equipment, Billetting etc., the Commander deals with the B.L.U. if he thinks the Italian Army has the resources to deal with them. In other cases he refers to me. In case of doubt he refers to me.

Agreed with Major KITCAT, that the Bn Comd in the first instance approaches Sub Area Comd, and if satisfaction is not obtained, informs the B.L.U. If B.L.U. considers that Italian Army is not in a position to supply, B.L.O refers to Major Kitcat with the request that G.H.Q. assist

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2. CHANNELS OF COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORT.

The Northern Coy Commander passes operational intelligence to

(a) C.I.C. CIVIDALE with whom he is in close contact and who pass it on to 88 U.S. Div.

(b) The Battalion Commander.

The Cormons group of the South Coy pass information to

(a) 12 FSS Cormons to pass to 88 U.S. Div.

(b) South Coy Comdr.

The South Coy Commander passes information to

(a) 442 FSS to pass on to G.H.Q. and 1 Armd. Div.

(b) Battalion Commander.

The Battalion Commander passes info to

(a) Major Kitcat for passing to A.I.O., F.S.O. etc.

(b) Periodic summaries to B.I.U. and his own Cmdr.

3. COMMUNICATIONS (see diagram)

a. NORTHERN COUNTRY.
PREDIL is linked by phone to Coy H.Q. at S.Pietro.
The next 6 posts south linked by W.T. to Coy H.Q.
The Coy H.Q. is linked by phone to Btn. H.Q. at LOVARIA.
The Coy H.Q. is in close touch with C.I.C. at CIVIDALE.

b. SOUTHERN COUNTRY.
The next 8 posts under a Sub Commander, are linked by phone to Coy H.Q. at PAPARIVA and also have close liaison with 12 FSS at CORMONS working with 88 U.S. Div.
Remaining posts are linked by phone to Coy H.Q. and are in touch with 442 FSS who maintain contact with 1 Armd. Div. and G.H.Q.

c. Btn. H.Q. and Coy H.Q.'s are linked by phone.

NOTE. The W/T Communications will function in about 10 days after the training of the men and installation of the sets.

4. DEFICIENCIES IN EQUIPMENT.

Various demands have been made so far, and I will shortly have a revised list which will be the minimum required to enable the guards to perform their duties. In view of the

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(b) South Coy Comdr.

The South Coy Commander passes information to

(a) 610 FSS to pass on to B.H.Q. and 1 Armd. Div.

(b) Battalion Commander.

The Battalion Commander passes info to

(a) Major Pilcot for passing to A.M.G., P.W.C. etc.

(b) Periodic summaries to B.G.S. and his own Cmdr.

3. COMMUNICATIONS (see diagram)

a. NORTHERN COY AREA.
PHILII is linked by phone to Coy H.Q. at S.Pietro.
The next 6 posts South linked by W.T. to Coy H.Q.
The Coy H.Q. is linked by phone to Bde. H.Q. at LOVARIA.
The Coy H.Q. is in also touch with C.I.C. at CIVIDALE.

b. SOUTHERN COY AREA.
The next 3 posts under a Sub Commander, are linked by phone to Coy H.Q. at PAGNACCO and also have close liaison with 12 FSS at COMEGLIANS. Working 5th SA Bde. Div.
Remaining posts are linked by phone to Coy H.Q. and are in touch with 610 FSS who maintain contact with 1 Armd. Div. and C.M.H.

c. Bde. H.Q. and Coy H.Q.'s are linked by phone.

NOTE. The W/T Communications will function in about 10 days after the training of the men and installation of the sets.

4. DEFICIENCIES IN EQUIPMENT.

Various demands have been made so far, and I will shortly have a revised list which will be the minimum required to enable the guards to perform their duties. In view of the nature of some of the country and the commitments, and that these may become increasingly important, I consider these demands modest. An approximate forecast is

12 Telephone sets

10 Miles wire

Exchange 3 ¼ Tonners for 4 15 cwts.

5 - 3 Tonners Tarpaulins.

1 Jeep.

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The 5th U.S. Div. has, as a measure of expediency, agreed to lend 7 M/T cars and to run a weeks concentrated training in the use of them, commencing at once.

Some of the living accommodation needs improvement.

The winter months are at hand.

Road communications will deteriorate, and more and more will devolve on these guards in the future.

It is hoped that no delay will occur when the latest list is submitted.

If the deficiencies are not made good from some source, some of the posts will be rendered inoperative.

5. It is requested that any observations on the above matters will be forwarded forthwith.

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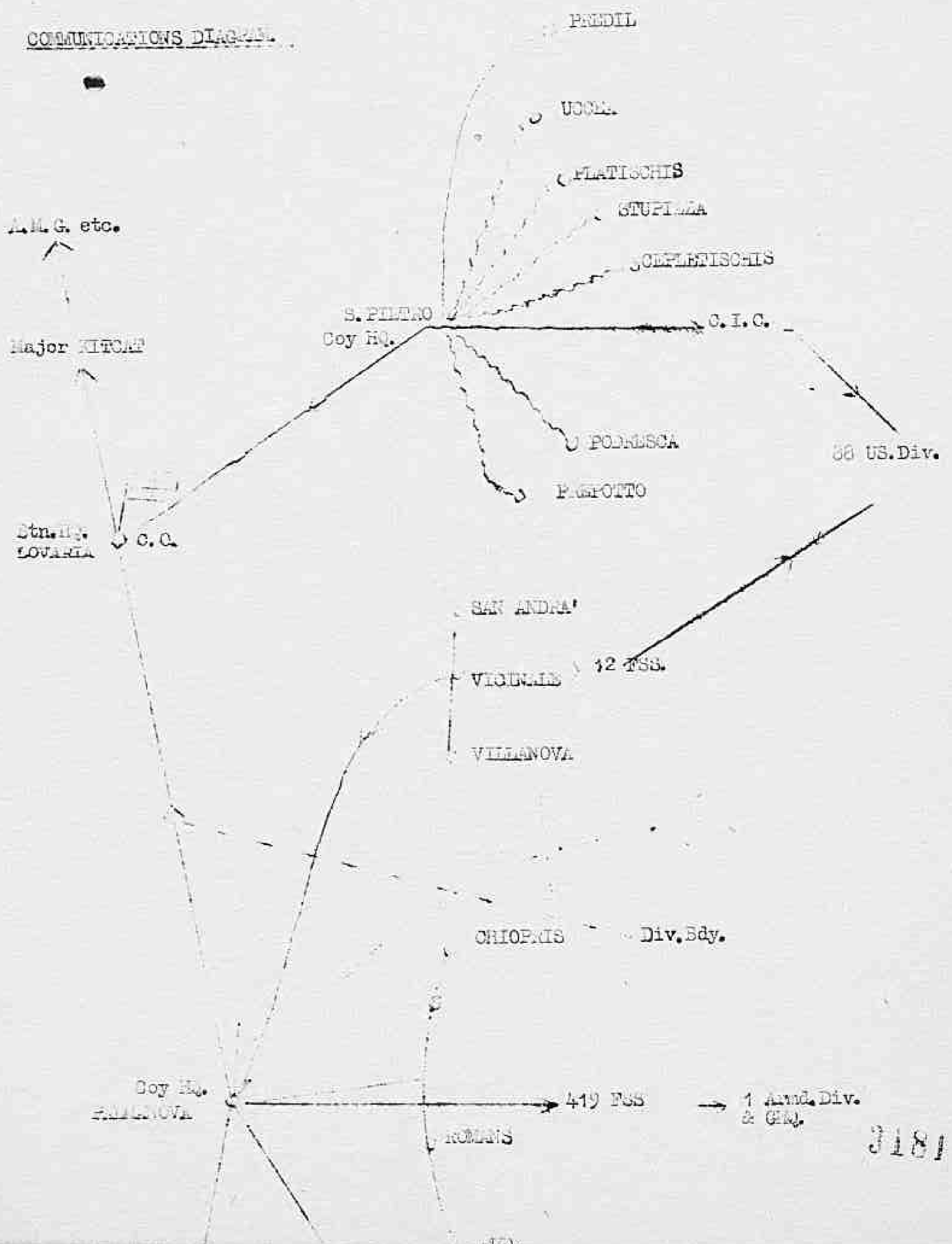
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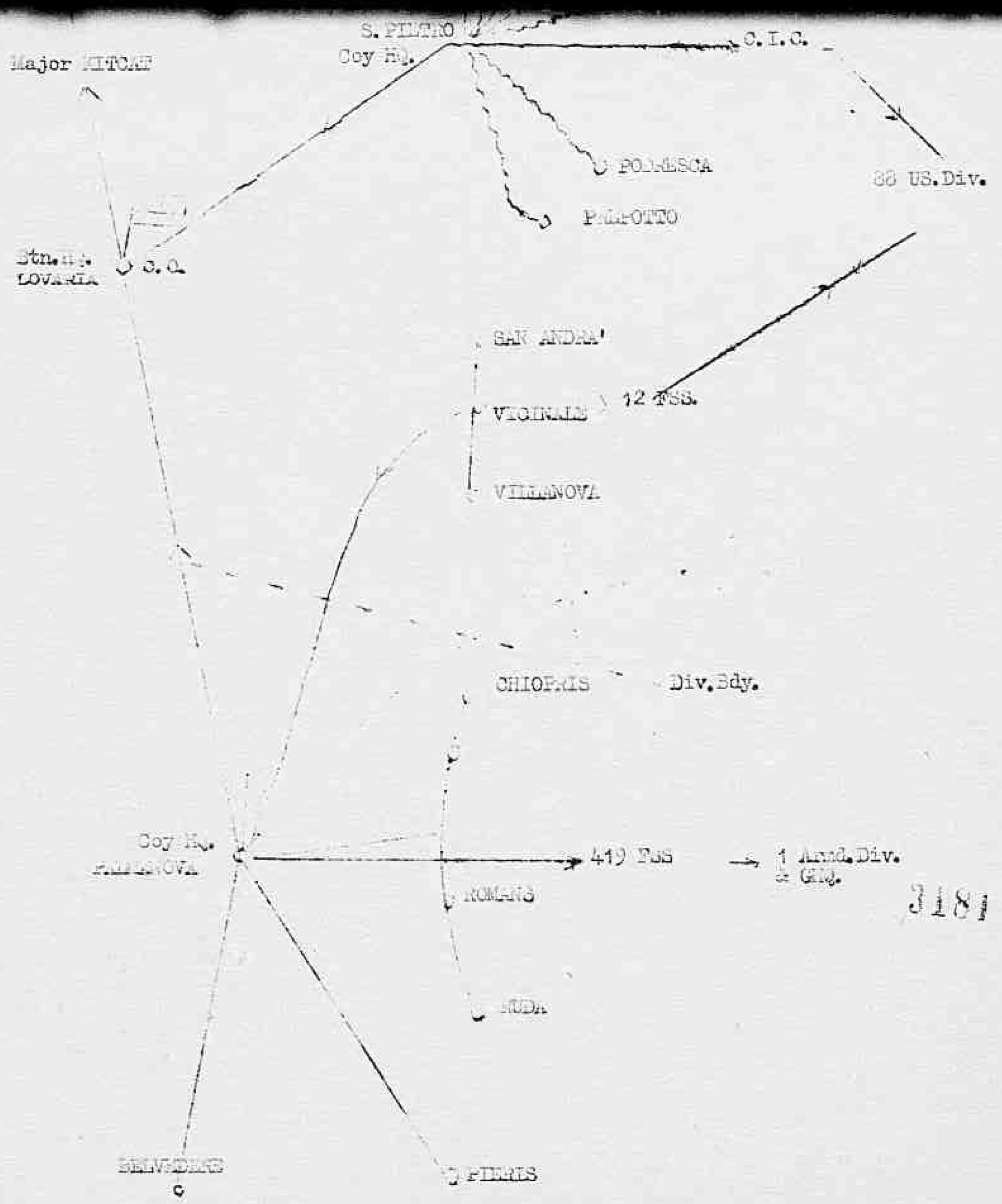
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SECRET

Rg. N° A.I.

A : Per azione - G.H.Q. - per attenzione G. 1 OPS.

Copie a : " " G S I B

Per conoscenza - G 2 88 U.S. DIV.
G 1 OPS. 1 ARMD DIV.
ADV. OPS - G.H.Q.
PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER = UDINE
S.I.F.S.D. = UDINE
H.Q. VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE = TRIESTE
12 FSS
119 FSS
COMANDANTE REGG. & ALPINI
Battaglione "Tolmezzo"
5 B.I.U. = UDINE

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altri casi riferisce a me. In caso di dubbio riferisce a me.

2. VIE DI COMUNICAZIONE E RAPPORTI.

Il Comandante la compagnia settentrionale trasmette informazioni al :

a. C.I.C. CIVIDALE con cui si mantiene in stretto collegamento e che le passa poi all'88 U.S.

b. Comandante di Battaglione.

Il Gruppo di Cormons della Compagnia Meridionale trasmette informazioni al :

a. 12 F.A.S. Cormons che le trasmette all'88 U.S. Div.

b. Comandante la Compagnia Meridionale.

Il Comandante la Compagnia Meridionale trasmette informazioni al :

a. 419 F.A.S. che le trasmette al C.M.G. e 1 Armd. Div.

b. Comandante di Battaglione.

Il Comandante di Battaglione trasmette informazioni al:

a. Maggiore Kitcat che le trasmette all'A.F.H.Q. e F.A.S. etc.

b. Riassunti periodici al S.I.U. ed al suo proprio comandante.

3. COMUNICAZIONI (vedere diagramma)

a. Compagnia Settentrionale.
   -Brecil é collegato telefonicamente al Comando di Compagnia a S. Pietro.
   -Gli altri 6 posti a sud sono collegati con Radio trasmittente al Comando di Compagnia.
   -Il Comando di Compagnia é collegato telefonicamente con il Comando di Battaglione a Iovaria.
   -Il Comando di Compagnia é in stretto contatto con la C.I.C. a Cividale.

b. Compagnia Meridionale.
   -Gli altri tre posti e le dipendenze di un sottocomandante, sono collegati telefonicamente al Comando di Compagnia a Palmanova e mantengono anche stretto collegamento con la 12 Fas a Cormons, che lavora con la 88 U.S. Div.
   -Gli altri posti sono collegati telefonicamente al Comando di Compagnia e sono a contatto con la 419 Fas che é in collegamento con la 1 Armd. Div. e C.M.G.

c. Il Comando di Battaglione e i Comandi di Compagnia sono collegati telefonicamente.

NOTA . Le comunicazioni radio trasmittenti funzioneranno fra 10 giorni circa e cioé dopo che gli uomini saranno stati istruiti e gli apparecchi installati.

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4. DEFICIENZE D'EQUIPAGGIAMENTO

Varie richieste sono state fatte finora e entro breve avrò un nuovo elenco che comprenderà il minimo necessario perché le guardie possano eseguire i loro compiti. Considerata la natura di parte del terreno e gli impegni, che potranno divenire sempre più importanti, considero modeste queste richieste.
Un preventivo approssimativo di esse é:

12 APPARECCHI TELEFONICI

10 MIGLIA DI FILO

Cambio di 3 CAMION da 3 TONNELLATE
per 4 da 15 cwts.
5 TELE PER CAMION DA 3 TONNELLATE
1 JEEP.

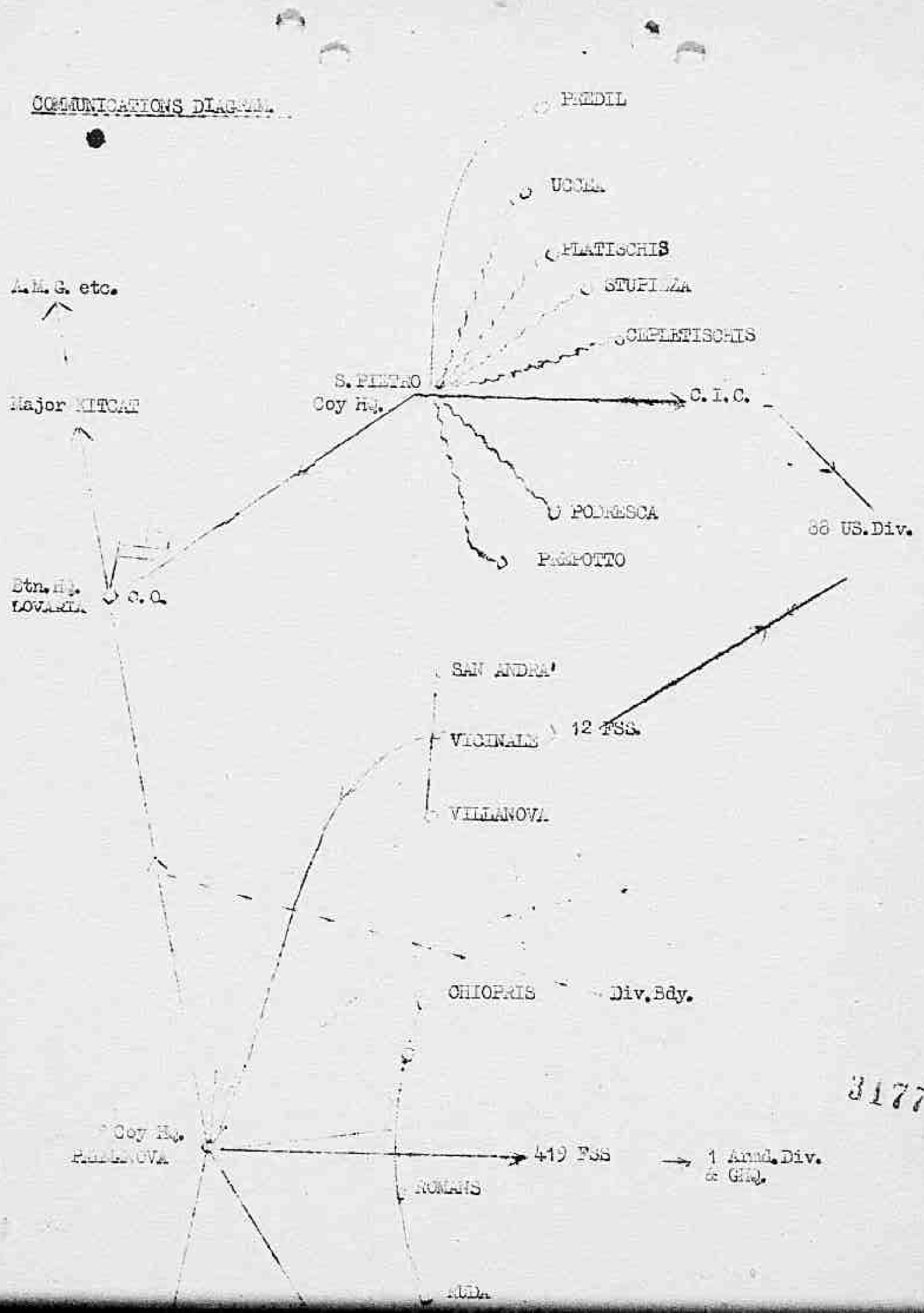
La 88 U.S. Div. ha, come misura d'espedienza, accordato di prestare 7 apparecchi radio trasmittenti e di svolgere una settimana di intensa istruzione nel loro uso, iniziando subito.
Qualche accantonamento necessita di miglioramenti.
I mesi invernali sono prossimi.
Le comunicazioni stradali peggioreranno ed i compiti di queste guardie aumenteranno continuamente in avvenire.
Si spera che non ci saranno ritardi quando l'elenco aggiornato sarà presentato.
Se le deficienze non saranno colmate da qualche fonte, qualcuno di questi posti non potrà funzionare.

5. Si richiede che osservazioni su quanto sopra scritto siano inviate al più presto possibile.

ALTA

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POGGESCA

PAPOTTO

88 US. Div.

Stn. Hq. LOVARIA

C. O.

SAN ANDRA'

VICINALE

12 FSS.

VILLANOVA

CHIOPRIS

Div. Rdy.

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Coy Hq. PAULARIA

419 FSS → 1 Armd. Div. & GHQ.

ROMANS

MUDA

BENVENUTO

PIERRIS

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TRANSLATION

HQ TOMELLO Bn

Nº 11195/6

Subject:- Collio Post Block.

To CIC Cor 12.A

5 D.I.U. Udine (for information)

15 Oct 46

1. Duty personnel at Podresca B.P. Carabinieri will be billetted for [illegible] control post. To ensure safety to the post [illegible] accomodation nearby is required; it could be [illegible] placing a wooden barrack for 12 men, if available [illegible] "Casa Fourcroy".

2. South west of Podresca there is a bridge (concrete [illegible]) unguarded located far from the village. Another wooden barrack for 12 men is required if the bridge should be guarded. A refly is awaited

Col CMTE

ORIGINATOR

CSDI	
CSDII	
DOA & CMG	
S. C. PERS	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CIERS.	

Il Cic con prendere le decisioni del caso

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P/D

8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
- COMANDO BATTAGLIONE TOLMEZZO -

Lovaria lì 15 ottobre 1946.)

Nº 11195/8 di prot.

Coll.o Post Block.

OGGETTO: Posti Blocco sul Collio.-

A C. I. C. DI GORIZIA

e per conoscenza

AL Vº B.L.U. PRESSO IL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE

I°) - I militari di servizio al bivio di Podresca sono troppo distanti dall'accantonamento del rimanente personale non di servizio. Per la sicurezza del posto sarebbe opportuno poter fare in modo che quest'ultimo personale fosse vicino al posto di servizio.- Ciò si otterrebbe qualora vi fosse la disponibilità di una baracchetta di 12 persone che si potrebbe allogare al bivio di Podresca.-

2°) -A Sud Ovest di Podresca esiste un ponte(il Ponte di Miscecco) incustodito lontano dall'abitato. Se lo si vuol custodire, occorrerebbe altra baracchetta per 12 persone.

Si resta in attesa di riscontro.-

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten.Col.Alfredo Egizi -

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20 OTT. 1946

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Tele No : PADUA 22693

Subject : Eqpt for Tolmezzo Alpini Bn

G(SD) Branch,
GHQ, CMF.
SD/2146/8

22 Oct 46

To : [illegible]

Copy to : Land Forces Sub Commission A HA
5 BLU
G(Ops)
Ord

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Further to our SD/2146/8 of 18 Oct 46.

1. Please issue the following items of eqpt under the same conditions:-

12 x Fd Telephones
20 x Miles Fd Cable
6 x W/T Sets with range 15 miles.

2. All eqpt issued is to be replaced by the Italian War Ministry as soon as possible.

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C.S.O.II	
DAA & C.M.G.	
S. C. [illegible]	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. O.D.	
C[illegible]	

Auth
[illegible] Capt

CFNL/JTW

J.D'A. ANDERSON,
Colonel, G.S.

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S. C. O.D.	
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Auth
[illegible]
Lt Col

CFHL/JTW

J.D'... ANDERSON,
Colonel, G.S.

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SUBJECT:- Equipment of TOLBUKHIN ALPINI Bn

G(Ops) GHQ CMF
5790/G
22 Oct 46
Tels No.....

5 FLU

8S (US) Div
* AGRA
GHQ Rear Ops Sec c/o No 9 Armed Div
G(SD)
CSO Branch

Reference your G119/23 dated 17 Oct 46 (copy attached for GHQ Rear Ops Sec).

1. Arrangements have been made to supply ON LOAN to the TOLBUKHIN ALPINI Bn the signal equipment required by them until the ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY have issued the signal equipment required.

2. Instruction in the use of the wireless sets will be arranged by 5 FLU with * AGRA, and 88 (US) Div as applicable.

SEEN
CSO I
CSO II
DAA & QMG
S. C. [illegible]
S.C.S.O.T.
[illegible]

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

CMF
1/M

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Tele No.....

5 YLO

88 (US) Div
1 AGRA
(RE) Fwd Ops Sec - c/o HQ 1 Armd Div
G(SD)
CSO Branch

Reference your G119/25 dated 17 Oct 46 (copy attached for GHQ Fwd Ops Sec).

1. Arrangements have been made to supply ON LOAN to the TOMMIES ALLIED BN the signal equipment required by them until the ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY have issued the signal equipment required.

2. Instruction in the use of the wireless sets will be arranged by 5 YLO with 1 AGRA, and 88 (US) Div as applicable.

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GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S.C. [illegible]	
S.D.S.O.T.	
[illegible]	
[illegible]	

CMF
1/M

[illegible]
Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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Clug Clot P.T

Vehicle for Tolmezzo Hosp. Bn.

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IN 68

U.S. ARMY SIGNALS

NRMW V MEXS NR2250/13 GVT2

FROM GUO CHF

TO NMIA 181750A

INFO ~~Guido~~ 5 BLU

GSH

SD 0128 (.) UNCLAS (.) YOUR G 1072 OF 12 OCT (.) AGREED LOAN REPLACEMENT

~~Syd~~ VEHS FOR LIMITED PERIOD (.) CONSIDER WAR MINISTRY SHOULD SUPPLY

WITHIN 3 ~~WEEKLY~~ WEEKS (.) PLEASE CONFIRM (.)

BT

SENT NR 2250/13 JP B K

RP NR 2250 /13 RC TKS

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SEEN BY	
GSO I	Quh
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS	

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G(EL) Branch,
GHQ, C.F.

TELE NO : GBDU 2693

SUBJECT : Vehs for Tolmezzo Alpini Bn.

TO : "

COPY TO : Land Forces Sub Commission MTO
5 BLU
G(Ops)
Ord

GD/2446/8

18 Oct 46.

1. Please issue the following vehs to 5 BLU to be held on loan for Tolmezzo Alpini Bn for a limited period.

15 cwt, 3 Ton.	4
5 cwt, 4 x 4	1

2. These vehs to be withdrawn when replacements are received from Italian War Ministry.

CFM/an

G.S.O.I	
G.S.O.II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. [illegible]	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS.	

J.F.A. ANDERSON,
Colonel, G.S.

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TRANSLATION

HQ 5th B.I.U.

No.11252/S

Subject:- Orders for Frontier Control Posts.

5 B.I.U. Udine (for info) 16 Oct 46

In order to conform the orders issued about firing duty personnel at B.Fs. with those issued by HQ "Guardia di Finanza" - excepting contrary orders from G.S.I. (b) GOC - contents of letter C and E Apix A of orders for B.Fs. will be modified as follows:-

Letter C - omitted
Letter E - modified as follows:

"use of arms by military personnel at B.Fs. will be settle as follows:

- for self defence (cases of armed assault)
- to immobilise vehicles which try to elude the control and only when there is no danger for passengers.

Automatic arms will be used only with single shots and when possible, the Post NCO will be beforehand informed".

Units Commanders will personally bring correction to the above mentioned orders.

The Bn Commander
Sgd:- Lt Col Alfredo EGIDI

Copy of orders amended.

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In order to conform the orders issued about firing duty personnel + D.Ps. with those issued by HQ "Guards de Planas" - excepting contrary orders from G.S.I. (b) GHQ - contents of letter C and D Appx A of orders for D.Ps. will be modified as follows:-

Letter C .- omitted
Letter D - modified as follows:

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- to immobilise vehicles which try to elude the control and only when there is no danger for passengers.

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The Bn Commander
Sgd:- Lt Col Alfredo [illegible]

Copy of orders amended.

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GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
- COMANDO BATTAGLIONE TOLMEZZO -

N° 1282/8 di prot. Lowaria li 18 ottobre 1946.-

O G G : T T C : Consegne.-

AL COMANDO DELLA 2^ e 4^ COMPAGNIA LORO S E D I

e. p. c.

AL G. H. Q. (G.S.I.) (b) C.M.F. P A D O V A

AL V° B. L. U. presso il COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE U D I N E

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Per rendere uniforme le consegne relative all'uso del fuoco da parte di militari in servizio ai Posti Blocco con quelle impartite dal comando Guardia di Finanza il contenuto delle lettere C ed F dell'allegato A delle consegne per i Posti Blocco - salvo ordini in contrario da parte del G.S.I. (b) C.M.R. è modificato come segue:

Lettera C = soppressa.
Lettera F = modificata come segue:

"L'uso delle armi da parte del personale in servizio ai P.B. sarà regolato come segue:

- per legittima difesa per respingere ciè aggressioni armate e con vie di fatto;
- per immobilizzare veicoli che tentano sottrarsi al controllo e sempre che non vi sia pericolo per le persone.

L'arma automatica sarà comunque usata a colpo singolo e sempre che possibile sarà fatto preventivamente intervenire il comandante del posto."

I comandanti di reparto apporteranno personalmente sulle consegne le rettifiche di cui sopra.-

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten.Col.Alfredo Egizi -

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No: 5 B. L. U.

M.M.I.A. ROME

G 106(.) Restricted(.) Ref this Unit G 106/41 of 26 Sept and your Signal Q 1072 of 12(.) Request Priority be given to issue of Signal eqpt detailed para 2 (e) this Unit letter under Ref

ROUTINE

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G/ING/10/3

9 OCT 1946

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From : Palestine - Int Sn.

I.G.S. (Records & Publications) G.S.
A. A. & Q.M.G.
E. & M. S.
No. 138

12 October 1946

To : War Ministry (by 10)

1. It is reported that the Palestine Police Force is hampered in its role of manning check points on the boundary of Transjordan by lack of equipment.

G.H.Q. consider that in view of the quantity of British war material handed over to the War Ministry further direct issue from British sources is not justified.

2. The immediate minimum requirements are reported as under:

(a) TRANSPORT replacement of four 3 ton lorries, issue of 1 Jeep. All vehicles to be provided with weatherproof hoods.

(b) CLOTHING issue of adequate quantity of oil and clothing material;

(c) TORCHES issue of 40 hand electric torches with spare bulbs and batteries;

(d) SIGNAL EQUIPMENT 12 field telephones
20 miles cable
6 W/T sets with range of approx 15 miles.

It would appear desirable to attach a signal detachment for special duty with this Bn.

3. It is not known what demand for assistance has been made by Territorial Command, but it is understood that while clothing and rations are adequate the above needs can not be met from Territorial Command resources.

3 Liaison

You are requested to take such action as you consider appropriate and to inform this H.Q. what has been done to increase the efficiency of this Unit.

R.A. Cambridge
Major General,

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[illegible] Infantry (W Bn)

1. It is reported that the [illegible] Fd Amb is employed in the role of guarding check points on the boundary of Grecale Italia by lack of equipment.

G.H.Q. consider that in view of the quantity of British war material handed over to the Yugoslav Partisan direct issue from British sources is not justified.

2. The immediate minimum requirements are reported as under:

(a) TRANSPORT replacement of four 3 ton lorries, issue of 1 Jeep. All vehicles to be provided with weatherproof hoods.

(b) STORES issue of adequate quantity of oil and cleaning material;

(c) WIRELESS issue of 4) hand electric torches with spare bulbs and batteries;

(d) SIGNAL EQUIPMENT 12 Pouhl telephones
20 miles cable
6 T/T sets with range of not more 15 miles.

It would appear desirable to attach a signal detachment for special duty with this Fn.

3. It is not known what demand for assistance has been made by 5 Territorial Command, but it is understood that while clothing and weapons are adequate the above needs can not be met from 5 Territorial Command resources.

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You are requested to take such action as you consider appropriate and to inform this H.Q. what has been done to increase the efficiency of this Unit.

R.A. Cambridge

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

Copy to: 5 BDE (G106/41 26 Sept 42 refers)

Internal: "G"

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GSO II	(JBL)
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
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SUBJECT:- Vehicles for Block Posts.

No. [illegible]

TO: 5 British Liaison Unit

Ref Letter 10 195/A.A. dated 10-10-46

To ensure the service at B.P.3. urgent replacement of 4 Allied vehicles, already handed over to AMK is required.

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S.C. REMT
S.C.S.A.T.
S.C.O.
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This letter has been passed to Main HQ Army with request for Release.

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C. [illegible] Br

No 1113/3

Subject:- Northern Boundary of V.3.

For Info: DF: 5 B.C.O. [illegible]
2 C.M.G. [illegible]
Infantry Bde. [illegible]

14 - 6 - 40

Mobile patrols from [illegible] on duty, will Fe days ago, at DOLEGNA D.F. as ordered by C.R.C. Cividale.

An accomodation for the personnel has been found at DOLEGNA and the service is now continuous.

The service is satisfactory.

Sgd: Col; EGIZI.

See [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
S. C. [illegible]
S. C. S. & T.
S. C. [illegible]
C. [illegible]

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8° REGGIMENTO ALPINI
- COMANDO BATTAGLIONE T. -ZZ -

Nº 11143/8 di prot. Lovaria lì 12 ottobre 1946.-

OGGETTO. Confine occidentale della Venezia Giulia.- 14 OTT. 1946

AL 5° B. L. U. di UDINE
e. p. c.
AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE
AL COMANDO DELLA FANTERIA PADOVA

Il servizio al P.B. di Dolegna veniva effettuato fino a pochi giorni or sono con pattuglie mobili da Prepotto.
Secondo accordi presi con il C.I.C. di Cividale.
Da qualche giorno - essendo stato possibile trovare per il personale - un accantonamento a Dolegna il servizio è continuativo.
Il servizio è fatto con scrupolo.-

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten.Col.Alfredo Egizi -

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Subject:- Check Posts on Western Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA.

5 British Liaison Unit
Rel 1553
G 119/25
18 Oct 46

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GR; GEF (2)

1. As a result of visits by Officers of this BLU to the check posts on the VENEZIA GIULIA western boundary manned by personnel of TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn it has been noticed that in several instances the accomodation at the post is badly sited, in relation to the check post itself, for the defence of the post in case of attack.

2. In the case of the UDINE post the accomodation for the men of the post is located in the nearest building to the check post, but as the post is located in a defile and the building concerned is some distance up the hillside it is not considered that in case of a determined attack on the post the men from the building could reach the check post in time. There have been several minor attacks on this post in the past.

3. The best solution in this particular case would be to move the check post back from its present location 053:7 to the top of Passo di Tarvisio 054:7, where there is a building which could be requisitioned. It is requested that you authorise this move.

4. In the cases of the posts at ROMANS 05301, RUDA 189:95 and BELVEDERE 05203 the accomodation for the men of the post is located from 1 - 2 Kilometres away from the check post itself. In each case there is no building nearer to the check post available for requisition. It is therefore requested that three Sectional huts, either Nissen or Gili, to accomodate up to 15 men be provided for these posts. These huts are not available from Italian Army Resources.

5. In one other case at FLEBBIS 05691 the accomodation for the men of the check post is located over 2 Kilometres away from the check post itself; but as there are other suitable buildings situated very near to the check post investigations will be made as to the possibility of requisitioning one of these buildings.

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GH CSF (2)

1. As a result of visits by Officers of this HQ to the check posts on the VENEZIA GIULIA western boundary manned by personnel of [illegible] Alpini Bn it has been noticed that in several instances the accomodation of the post is badly sited, in relation to the check post itself, for the defence of the post in case of attack.

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3. The best solution in this particular case would be to move the check post back from its present location 053A7 to the top of Passo di Tarvisio 050A7, where there is a building which could be requisitioned. It is requested that you authorise this move.

4. In the cases of the posts at MONTE 05301, RIBA 05A05 and BELVEDERE 05203 the accomodation for the men of the post is located from 1 - 2 Kilometres away from the check post itself. In each case there is no building nearer to the check post available for requisition. It is therefore requested that three Sectional huts, either Nissen or Ott, to accomodate up to 15 men be provided for these posts. These huts are not available from Italian Army Resources.

5. In one other case at PIANIS 05694 the accomodation for the men of the check post is located over 2 Kilometres away from the check post itself; but as there are other suitable buildings situated very near to the check post investigations will be made as to the possibility of requisitioning one of these buildings.

JH
A/V/mm

Lt Colonel,
G.S.

Copy to:- GH Fwd Ops Sec.
Maj KEOGH c/o AFHQ FORWARD Provinces

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5 TERRITORIAL H.Q. - UDINE

3675/O.A. 11 Oct 46

SUBJECT:- BLOCK-POSTS - "TOLMEZZO" Alpini Bn.

TO: - 5 R.I.U. - UDINE

(7)

Ref letter G/106/40 dated 19 Sept 46.

Copies of orders issued by O.C. "TOLMEZZO" Bn. Block - Posts on the Western Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA are forwarded,

By Order
The Chief Office O.A.O.M.
Major S.MISSI

Signed:

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. RE.E.	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. O.D.	
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APPENDIX

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8 ARMY INT.
HQ. "GHEZZO" ARMY BR.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF THE PERSONS TRAVELLING THROUGH BLOCK POSTS OF VENEZIA GIULIA

	DOCUMENTS TO BE REQUIRED	ACTIONS AGAINST TRANSGRESSORS
Direction from which [illegible] coming.		
CATEGORY [illegible] I - Persons coming from Italy	Identity Cards and AG Permit.	All persons without permit shall be send back; when without [illegible] identity cards or with forged permits or when they offend the duty personnel or try to elude the control they must be taken to FSS or CID under whose Com and the Block Post is.
CATEGORY [illegible] II - Persons coming from 'A' Zone	Identity cards (Blue coloured) printed in Italian English and Slovene [illegible] and AG Permit; or temporary identity card (Registration Certificate in Italian English and Slovene, and AG Permit.	
CATEGORY [illegible] III - Persons coming from 'B' Zone	Identity card (White) printed in italian, Slovene or Croat, with red star & AG Permit	
CATEGORY [illegible] IV. - Persons coming from 'A' Zone or from Italy but living in places 5 km from B.P.	Identity cards (This document has to be retained when the person is passing through, and put into ~~an envelope~~ a specially made box and returned to the interested person when coming back. The person has to be warned that he cannot enter the zone for more than 5 km.	
CATEGORY [illegible] V - Foreigners	A) The foreigners coming from 'A' Zone and going into Italy must have: 1) AMG Permit 2) Passport with an Italian visa (Consulat or Diplomatic representatives or Foreign Office or Questura) or a letter addresed to Dr. SIMONETTI Via Lovaria No. 3 Udine with the round stamp of HQ. VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE FORCE with the same records as laid down in the passport. B) The foreigners coming from Italy and going into 'A' Zone must be provided with 1) AG Permit 2) Passport or permi	All foreigners not complying with the regulations as in chap V. shall be send back and warned to report to HQ VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE FORCE in TRIESTE or to AMG UDINE, coming from 'A' Zone or from ISTRIA respectively.

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8 ARMY ZONE.
HQ. "COMMAND" ARMY BDE.

CONTROL OF CIVILIANS TRAVELLING THROUGH BLOCK POSTS OF VENEZIA GIULIA

TO BE CONTROLLED	ACTIONS AGAINST TRANSGRESSORS	REMARKS
and AMG Permit.	All persons without permit shall be send back; when without identity cards or with forged permits or when they offend the duty personnel or try to elude the control they must be taken to FSS or CIC under whose Command the Block Post is.	A) All persons travelling through Block Post have to be politely treated. All duty personnel, when approaching and controlling persons must greet them, speak to them without smoking or keeping their hands in the pocket. - Duty personnel will be properly dressed and shaved.
(Blue coloured) printed in ish and Slovene and temporary identity card Certificate in Italian Slovene, and AMG Permit.		
(White printed in Italian, Slovene red sheet) AMG Permit		B) All Officers in civilian clothes when recognized will be saluted according to military rules.
s (This document has to hen the person is passing put into a specially returned to the interen coming back. The be warned that he cannot enter more than 5 km.		C) Duty personnel can fire a warning shot in the air when vehicles do not stop at B.P. See folio 31
gners coming from 'A' Zone to Italy must have: t with an Italian visa or Diplomatic Representati- oreign Office or Questura) or addressed to Dr. SIMONETTI with the round stamp of HQ. ame records as laid down in the passport. d going into 'A' Zone must be provided with	All foreigners not complying with the regulations as in chap V. shall be send back and warned to report to HQ VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE FORCE in TRIESTE or to AMG UDINE, coming from 'A' Zone or from ISTRIA respectively.	D) Jugoslave military personnel shall be controlled by Detachement NCO.
	1) AMG Permit 2) Passport or permit of temporary stay in Italy for foreigners issued by Questura.	

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1) Foreigners going into 'A' Zone can have instead of normal passport (as in ~~class~~ Category V para (a) and (b)) a special military permit (Allied Forces Permit (White - 2 pages only) which exclude AMG Permit (as in 1) ~~class~~ V para (a) and (b) This permit however is not valid for V.G. without the note: "Valid for entry into Anglo-American occupied V.G."

2) Foreigners going into Italy have to show the AMG permit and the letter for Dr Simonetti as in 2 Ca para (a) even if in possession of the Allied Forces Permit.

3) Foreigners ~~which~~ who have a diplomatic Passport (with cover reading Passporte Diplomatico) have to sho besides the a/n passport, the documents as in 1 para (a) and (b) ~~class~~ Category V, or a special military per (as note No. 1)

All diplomatic representatives have to be politely treated and greeted.

4) UNRRA personnel can enter VENEZIA GIULIA showing the following documents:

a) UNRRA Identity Card

b) Passport for Italy

c) Work-Ticket issued by UNRRA.

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n enter VENEZIA GIULIA showing the following documents:

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issued by UNRRA.

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~~Zone~~ VI - Italian Military Personnel going into 'A' Zone	Leave pass, Release Order or Work Ticket with ELU visa; or AMG Permit. ~~Besides~~ All personal identity documents (Identity cards - etc.) They must wear civilian clothes and be unarmed.	All persons without the required documents shall be sent back or taken to the FSS or CIC when not complying with regulations.
~~Zone~~ VII. - Italian Military Personnel going into 'B' Zone	Special AMG Permit with a Military Jugoslav Government ('B' Zone) visa (VUJA) & Identity documents. They must wear civilian clothes and be unarmed.	
~~Zone~~ VIII - Jugoslav Military Personnel coming into Italy	Special pass issued by H.Q. 13 Corps And identity cards . Unarmed.	

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el Leave pass, Release Order or Work Ticket with ELU visa; or AMG Permit. ~~Besides~~ Also personal identity documents (Identity cards - etc.) They must wear civilian clothes and be unarmed.

All persons without the required documents shall be sent back or taken to the FSS or CIU when not complying with regulations.

E) When personnel being on duty on P.B. are fired at, except in cases of self-defence, they shall answer the fire only after they have asked the P.B. Comdr for ~~fire permission~~ authority. Desorderly shooting has to be avoided in any case.

nnel Special AMG Permit with a Military Jugoslav Government ('B' Zone) visa (VUJA) & Identity documents. They must wear civilian clothes and be unarmed.

Special pass issued by H.Q. 13 Corps And identity cards . Unarmed.

E) Use of Arms by Military Personnel at B.P.s will be as follows:

- for self defence only in cases of armed assault.
- to immobilise vehicles which try to elude the control only when there is no danger for passengers.

Automatic arms will be used only with single shots & when possible the Post Nco will be informed beforehand."

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APPENDIX 1(g)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF GOODS

1) The responsibility for ~~"Guardia di Finanza"~~/Custom Guards, according to orders issued by ~~their~~ the control of goods or materials loaded on trucks or contained in luggages etc. Rests with the Guardia di Finanza according to orders issued by their HQ.

2) The Pass Predil Block Post will ~~report~~ to Custom Guard of Cave del Predil; the B.P. of Muda and Chiopris will ~~report~~ to Custom Guard of Tarvisio; the B.P. of Dolegna and Albana will ~~report~~ to Custom Guard of Cividale; the B.P. of S.Andrat will ~~report~~ to Custom Guard of Prepotto; the B.P. of Cividale will ~~report~~ to Custom Guard of Visinale.
The B.P. NCO for eventual cases will ring up or send for the nearest "Finanza" N.C.O.

3) The control of goods is ~~responsibility~~ the Responsibility! (the personnel of the Battalion itself in the B.P. far from "Finanza" (Uccea - Platischis -Stupizza-Cepletischis-Poiresca), AMG, HQ. Custom Guards of Udine, and "Camera di Commercio" Udine through HQ. 2 Coy of "GLEICHG" Bn (S.Pietro al Natisone) will let the a/m B.P. know which are the goods under exportation bound and give them all necessary explanations to facilitate the task of the duty personnel.

4) A minute for each seizure will be drawn up according to the instructions issued by HQ Custom Guards Udine to HQ 2 Coy.
All seizures shall be recorded, giving a receipt to the interested person.

5) Goods seized shall be detained at the B.Ps. and delivered to "Guardia di Finanza" Tarcento (for B.P at UCCEA and PLATISCHIS) and Cividale (for B.P. of STUPIZZA and CEPLETISCHIS).
HQ. Finanza Cividale will periodically inspect the B.P. according to orders issued by HQ Legione Guardia di Finanza Udine.

6) All British or American goods in irregular possession of civilians shall be taken by Guardia di Finanza or by Bn personnel to the nearest British or American Police post.

7) Care will be taken in controlling vehicles of all kind in order to avoid arms transport.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF VEHICLES TRAVELLING THROUGH B.P. OF VENEZIA GIULIA

VEHICLES	DOCUMENTS TO BE REQUIRED	ACTIONS AGAINST TRANSGRESSORS
1) Vehicles coming from 'A' Zone.		All vehicles without permit or licence have to be stopped and taken to the FSS or CIC. In default of the other documents required the vehicles have to be sent back.
(a) Staff Cars and Motor Cycles	Licence. Circulation Permit for V.G. reading "Valid for V.G. and Italy"	
(b) Lorries	Licence. Circulation Permit for V.G. reading "Valid for V.G. and Italy"; work ticket issued by ENAC (Ente Nazionale Auto Civili)	
2) Vehicles coming from Italy		
(a) Staff Cars and Motor Cycles.	Licence. Circulation Permit for Italy. The wording "Valid for Italy and V.G." shall be affixed on the circulation permit or on the personal permit (Yellow); ~~the vehicle number~~ The vehicle number must also be shown on the personal permit.	
(b) Lorries	Licence. Circulation Permit for Italy. The work ticket issued by ENAC replaces the circulation permit for V.G.	
3) Vehicles coming from 'B' Zone		
(a) Staff Cars and Motor Cycles	Licence. Circulation Permit for V.G. and Italy. The Transcription of the vehicle number on the personal permit of the driver or of the owner can replace the circulation Permit.	The vehicle and all the passengers shall be taken to the FSS or CIC when the documents are not satisfactory.
(b) Lorries	Licence. Work ticket issued by ENAC. The "Export Order" issued by Jugoslav Representatives with an AMG visa shall accompany the load if it's coming from 'B' Zone.	
4) Italian Military Vehicles	Licence(4/12). Work ticket with AMG visa.	
5) Jugoslav Military Vehicles	Special Permit issued by HQ 13 Corps (only for the vehicles of the Jugoslav Military Mission to 13 Corps). The names of the passengers and of the driver, the type of the vehicle, the number etc. shall be laid down on the permit	

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OR THE CONTROL OF VEHICLES TRAVELLING THROUGH B.P. OF VENEZIA GIULIA

TO BE REQUIRED	ACTIONS AGAINST TRANSGRESSORS	REMARKS
	All vehicles without permit or licence have to be stopped and taken to the FSS or CIC. In default of the other documents required the vehicles have to be sent back.	A) INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF THE LICENCE: On the licence shall be checked: 1) The name of the owner and eventual transferring of property. 2) That the number of vehicle referred on the licence is the same of the one on the "~~Targa~~" Number Plate. When the position of the vehicle is not clear, the number of the engine and the number of the chassis (the former on the base of the engine, the latter on the ~~superior~~ front part of upper the chassis) shall be checked and see if it's the same laid down on the licence.
Circulation Permit for V.C. Valid for V.C. and Italy"		
Circulation Permit for V.C. Valid for V.C. and Italy"; ot issued by FMG (Ente Auto Civili)		
Circulation Permit for Italy. ng "Valid for Italy and V.C." af'ixed on the circulation on the personal permit (Yel- ~~on the back of the vehicle~~ The vehicle number must also be shown on the personal permit.		B) INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF THE CIRCULATIONS PERMIT : The circulation permit should be not expired. The expiring date is written on the permit.
Circulation Permit for Italy, ticket issued by ZNAC replaces. lation permit for V.C.		C) INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF THE WORK TICKETS : ~~writte~~ The ~~licence~~ number ~~referred~~ on the work ticket must be the same ~~being shown~~ as on the vehicle: The work ticket must be not expired: The materials mentioned on the work ticket shall be the same as ~~of~~ the load. N.B. All persons passing through the B.P. with lorries ~~shall~~ must have a personal permit.
Circulation Permit for V.C. y. The Transcription of the mber on the personal permit river or of the owner can replace lation Permit. Work ticket issued by ENAC. The Order" issued by Jugoslav Represen- with an ANC visa shall accompany the it's coming from 'B' Zone.	The vehicle and all the passengers shall be taken to the FSS or CIC when the documents are not satisfactory.	
412). Work ticket with red or .		
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C O M P O S I T I O N

BLOCK POSTS	Composition O.C. or NCOs.	Corps	O.Rs.	Duty Personnel	Arms and Ammo	Signals	Signalling and lighting means
1) PASSO PREDIL	1	2	6	1	Each Block Post will have: 1 Mitra for each man on duty. Ammo for 1 day (hand grenades including) Each Detachement must have: 1 Light Mach. Gun Individual Armament Ammo for 1 day (including hand grenades) All duty pers at B.P. shall be always armed (except ing at PIERIS -VILLANOVA-VILLANO VA VICENZ.-S.GIOVANNI AL NAT I SONE B.P.) where during the day-light the personnel will leave the arms at the sentry box. During the night also they will be armed.	Each B.P. must be linked with its Det. H.Q. Each Det Group Command shall be linked with its Det. (except BELVEDERE Det.) If necessary this Det will use the Carabinieri telephone in AQUILEIA or FSS Telephone in GRADO Mountain B.P. will be linked Coy HQ. by Radio Tel sets (When available)	Each B.P. m A bar to pu the road. 1 torch fo 1 petrol l sentry box 2 torches PONTE DI P
2) UCCEA	1	2	6	1			
3) PLACISCHIS	1	2	6	1			
4) STUPIZZA	1	2	10	2			
5) CEPLETISCHIS	1	2	6	1			
6) PODRESCA	1	2	6	1			
7) PREPOTTO	1	4	10	2			
8) S. ANDRAT	1	2	6	1			
9) VISINALE	1	2	6	1			
10) S.GIOVANNI NATISONE	1	-	15	13			
11) VILLANOVA	1	4	12	3			
12) CHIOPRIS	1	4	10	2			
13) TOPOGLIANO	1	2	8	1			
14) RUDA	1	2	6	1			
15) VILLA VICENTINA	1	-	11	9			
16) PONTE PIERIS	1	4	20	5			
17) BELVEDERE	1	2	6	1			

N O T E S

1) The following groups of Detachement are under Command of an Officer: (a) S.ANDRAT - VISINALE - SAN GIOVANNI AL N (b) CHIOPRIS - RUDA - TOPOGLIANO (c) BELVEDERE - VILLA VICENTINA - PONTE PIE Officer's residence VILLANOVA - TOPOGLIA

2) Block Posts from 1 to 7 are under CIC Command. B.P. from 8 to 11 are under 12 FSS Command Command. B.P. from 12

3) In the B.P. where in day light there is one sentry only - at night the sentry shall be coupled with the NCO. PI and PONTE PIERIS Block Post shall be always available.

4) During the railway waggons control a special patrolling service will be preordained on the ground, at both train the control operations. The NCO Commanding the Block Post shall attend all trains at their arrival.

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APPENDIX 'D'

COMPOSITION

Re.	Duty Personnel	Arms and Ammo	Signals	Signalling and lighting means	Rations and fuel
6	1	Each Block Post ~~must~~ will have: 1 Mitra for each man on duty. Arms for 1 day (hand grenades including)	Each B.P. must be linked with its Det. HQ. Each Det Group Command shall be linked with its Det. (except BELVEDERE Det.) If necessary this Det will use the Carabinieri telephone in AQUILEIA or FSS Telephone in GRADO	Each B.P. must have: A bar to put across the road. 1 torch for the night 1 petrol lamp in the sentry box (spare) 2 torches (4 for PONTE DI PIERIS B.P.)	Each Detachement must have: 3 days spare rations 3 cans of petrol (only for the Detachement which have ~~x~~ transport).
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0	2	Each Detachement must have: 1 Light Mach. Gun Individual Armament Ammo for 1 day (including hand grenades) All duty pers at B.P. shall be always armed (except ing at PIERIS -VILLANOVA-VILLANO VA VICENT.-S.GIOVANNI AL NATI SONE B.P.) where during the day-light the personnel will leave the arms at the sentry box. During the night also they will ~~have to~~ be armed.			
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S.M. - Ufficio Op.Add.Ord. Mob. I Sezione

N. 3675/O.A. di prot. Udine, 11 ottobre 946

OGGETTO: Battaglione Alpini " Tolmezzo " - Ordini per i posti di controllo.- Equipment for Control Posts

Allegati 5

AL 5° B.L.U. S E D E

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Riferimento foglio n.G.106/40 di prot. in data 19 settembre u.s.-

Si trasmette in allegato una copia delle consegne per i posti di controllo al confine occidentale della Venezia Giulia, compilate dal comandante del Battaglione alpini " Tolmezzo".-

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p.IL CAPO UFFICIO O.A.O.M.
- Maggiore S. Missei -

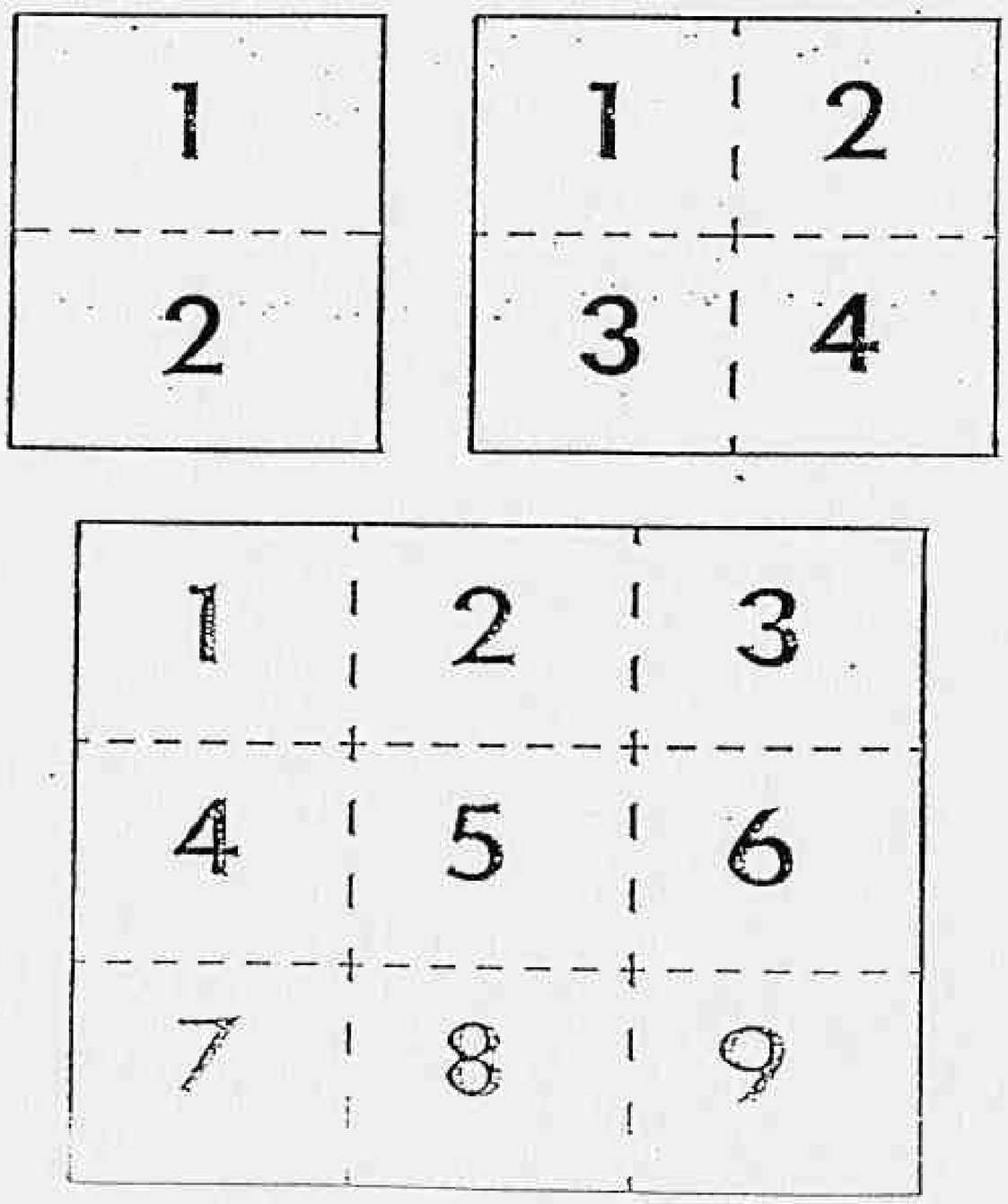
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1° REGGIMENTO ALPINI

- Comando Battaglione " Tolmezzo"-

NORME PER IL CONTROLLO DELLE PERSONE CHE ATTRAVERSANO LA F.D. I

Provenienze	Documenti da richiedere	Provvedimenti
Cap. I) Provenienti dall'Italia.	Carta d'identità italiana e il permesso dell'A.M.G.	I viagg... so debbo... dati in... Se sorp... tificaz... ti o cl... vazio o... trollo, ... la F.SS... co dipe...
Cap. II) Provenienti dalla zona "A".	Carta d'identità (Bleu scritta in italiano, inglese e sloveno) e permesso dell'A.M.G. oppure carta d'identità provvisoria (Registration certificate) scritta in italiano inglese e sloveno, e permesso dell'A.M.G.	
Cap. III) Provenienti dalla zona "B".	Carta d'identità (bianca scritta in italiano, sloveno o croato con stella rossa) permesso dell'A.M.G.	
Cap. IV) Provenienti dalla zona "A" o dall'Italia , ma residenti in località poste a non più di 5 Km. dal P.F.	Carta d'identità (detto documento dev'essere vistato al momento del transito, messo nell'apposito casellario esistente al P.F. e restituito, al ritorno , all'interessato. Lo stesso dev'essere avvertito che non può addentrarsi nella zona alla quale accede per una profondità superiore ai 5 Km.).	
Cap. V) Stranieri.	a) Gli stranieri provenienti dalla zona "A" e diretti in Italia devono essere provvisti: 1°) del permesso dell'A.M.G.; 2°) del passaporto sul quale sia apposto un visto rilasciato da una autorità italiana(rappresentanze diplomatiche e consolari all'estero)Ministero degli Affari Esteri - Questure) oppure sia accompagnato da una lettera scritta in lingua inglese indirizzata al Dr. Simonetti - Via Loveria n.) Udine - recante il timbro tondo del Headquarter Venezia Giulia Police Forces, e contenente le generalità dell'interessato che dovranno corrispondere a quelle del passaporto.- b) Gli stranieri provenienti dall'Italia e diretti nella zona "A" devono essere provvisti: 1°) del permesso dell'A.M.G.	Gli str... con le... essere... za di... la Pol... A.M.G.... dalla...

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(Allegato A)

...so REGIMENTO ALPINI
...do Battaglione " Tolmezzo"-

...TRANSITO DEI VIAGGIATORI per i P.B. DELLA VENEZIA GIULIA.

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...ria n.) Udine - recante
...Headquarter Venezia Giulia
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...ti dall'Italia e diretta
...essere provvisti:
...M.G.

I viaggiatori sprovvisti di permesso debbono in ogni caso essere rinviati indietro.-
Se sorpresi o senza documenti di identificazione o con permessi falsificati o che offendono il personale di servizio e che tentano di eludere il controllo, devono essere accompagnati alla P.S. o C.I.C. da cui il posto blocco dipende.-

Gli stranieri che non siano in regola con le disposizioni del Cap. V) devono essere rimandati indietro, con l'avvertenza di presentarsi al Comando centrale della Polizia per la V.G. a Trieste o alla A.M.G. di Udine, a secondo se provenienti dalla zona "A" o dall'Istria.

A)- Tutte le persone che transitano attraverso i P.B. devono essere trattate con cortesia e rispetto. E' norma di buona educazione salutare le persone alle quali ci si avvicina per controllo dei documenti, parlare con esse senza tenere la sigaretta in bocca o le mani in tasca. La pulizia dell'uniforme e della persona deve essere accurata, la barba rasata.-

B) - I superiori in borghese che vengono riconosciuti attraverso il controllo dei documenti devono essere salutati militarmente.-

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Cap. I)	Provenienti dall'Italia.	Carta d'identità italiana e il permesso dell'A.M.G.
Cap. II)	Provenienti dalla zona "A".	Carta d'identità (Bleu scritta in italiano, inglese e sloveno) e permesso dell'A.M.G. oppure carta d'identità provvisoria (Registration certificate) scritta in italiano inglese e sloveno, e permesso dell'A.M.G.
Cap. III)	Provenienti dalla zona "B".	Carta d'identità (bianca scritta in italiano, sloveno e cronto con stella rossa) permesso dell'A.M.G.
Cap. IV)	Provenienti dalla zona "A" o dall'Italia , ma residenti in località posta a non più di 5 Km. dal P.B.	Carta d'identità (detto documento dev'essere ritirato al momento del transito, messo nell'apposito casellario esistente al P.B. e restituito, al ritorno , all'interessato. Lo stesso dev'essere avvertito che non può addentrarsi nella zona alla quale accede per una profondità superiore ai 5 Km.).
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tranieri in Italia" rila-
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vizio o che tentano di eludere il con-
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la F.S. o C.I.C. da cui il posto bloc-
co dipende.-

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Provenienza	Documenti da richiedere	Provvedimenti a carico

- N o t a -

1°) Gli stranieri che si recano in Zona "A" possono essere in possesso invece che del passaporto comune (di cui al cap. V lettera a) e b) di un permesso militare speciale (Allied Forces Permit bianco composto di due sole pagine in cartoncino), che non richiede il permesso scritto dell'A.M.G. (di cui al n° 1°) del cap. V), lettere a) e b).
Questo permesso però non è valido per la Venezia Giulia se non porta l'annotazione : Valid for entry into Anglo-American occupied Venezia Giulia.-

2°) Gli stranieri che si recano in Italia devono esibire egualmente il permesso dell'A.M.G. e la lettera per il Dr. Simonetti di cui al n° 2°) cap.V) lettera a) anche se in possesso del permesso militare speciale (Allied Forces Permit).

3°) Cittadini stranieri forniti di passaporto diplomatico (porta sulla copertina esterna la dicitura " PASSAPORTO DIPLOMATICO" scritta nella lingua della nazione che l'ha rilasciato) devono esibire oltre al suddetto documento anche quello previsto nei n.1° delle lettere a) e b) del cap.V) oppure permesso militare speciale (vedi nota 1°) Verso questi saranno usate speciali forme di cortesia e di riguardo.

4°) Gli addetti all'U.N.R.R.A. possono entrare nella Venezia Giulia con i soli documenti seguenti:

a) - libretto di identità dell'U.N.R.R.A.
b) - passaporto valido per l'Italia.
c) - foglio di viaggio rilasciato da un ente dell'U.N.R.R.A.

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Provvedimenti per il caso di infrazione alle norme controscritte.

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C)- Per i mezzi che non rispondessero all'ingiunzione di fermarsi per il controllo al P.B. sarà sparato in aria a scopo intimidatorio.-

D)- I militari Jugoslavi che si presentano al P.B. devono essere controllati dal Comandante il distaccamento.-

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Provenienza	Documenti da richiedere	Prvvedime nelle norme
Cap. VI) Militari italiani che si recano in zone "A"	Foglio di licenza o di congedo o di servizio vistato dall'autorità inglese del D.L.O. di un Comando Militare Territoriale Italiano oppure normale permesso dell'A.M.G. In ogni caso anche i documenti di riconoscimento personali (tessera, libretto ferroviario, carta d'identità). Debbono vestire l'abito borghese ed essere disarmati .	Se provvis ati, devono muniti inol
Cap. VII) Militari italiani che si recano in zona "B"	Speciale lasciapassare dell'A.M.G. controfirmato dal Governo militare Jugoslavo della zona "B" (VUJA). Documenti di riconoscimento. (Debbono vestire in borghese ed essere disarmati).	
Cap. VIII) Militari Jugoslavi che vengono in Italia.	Speciale lasciapassare rilasciato dal Quartier Generale del 13° Corps. Documenti di riconoscimento. Devono essere disarmati.	Per ogni in nati alla dipende.-

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Provvedimenti per il caso di infrazione alle norme controscritte.	N o t e
	E) - Personale di servizio ai P.P. fatto segno a colpi di arma da fuoco, salvo in casi di legittima personale difesa, risponde al fuoco solo dopo aver fatto intervenire il comandante del posto. E' da evitare in ogni caso apertoria incomposta.-
Le contravvenzioni agli regolamenti richiamati, devono in ogni caso essere rimandate indietro.	
Per ogni infrazione devono essere accompagnati alla P.S. o C.I.C. da cui il P.P. dipende.-	

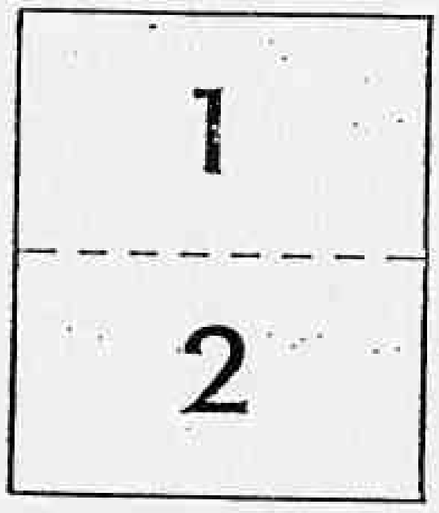


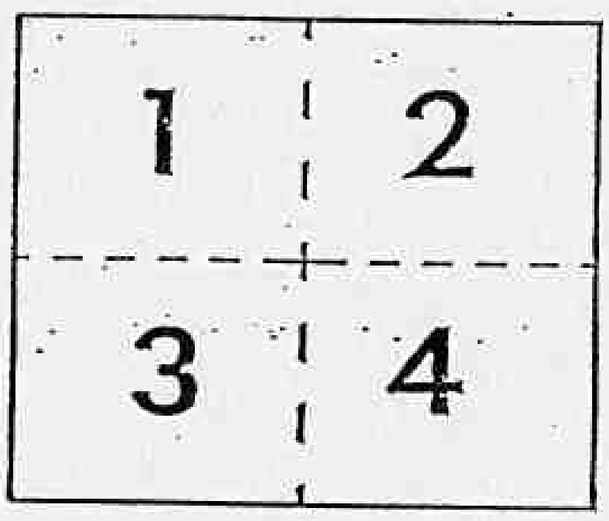
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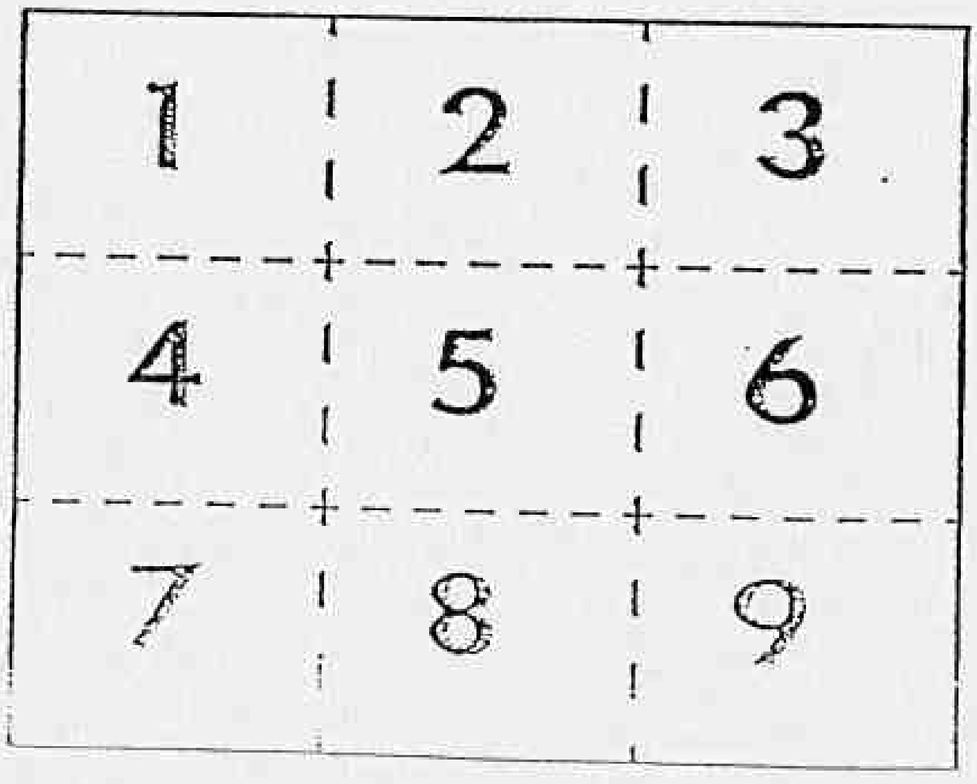
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REGOLE PER IL CONTROLLO DEGLI AUTOMEZZI CHE TRANSITANO ATTRAVERSO I P.D. E

AUTOMEZZI	DOCUMENTI DA RICHIEDERE	PROVVEDIMENTI DI INTRALCIO CONTROSCRITTO
1°) Provenienti dalla zona "A"		
a) - Autovetture e motomezzi	Libretto di macchina. Permesso di circolazione per la Venezia Giulia, che porta la dicitura "Valido per la Venezia Giulia e l'Italia"	
b) - Autocarri	Libretto di macchina. Permesso di circolazione per la Venezia Giulia che porta la dicitura " Valido per la Venezia Giulia e l'Italia " Foglio di viaggio rilasciato dallo A.M.A.G. ' Ente Nazionale Autotrasporti Civili)	
2°) Provenienti dall'Italia		
a) - Autovetture e motomezzi.	Libretto di macchina. Permesso di circolazione per l'Italia. Inoltre sul "Permesso di circolazione per l'Italia oppure sul " Permesso giallo personale " dovrà essere apposta rispettivamente la dicitura " Valido per l'Italia e la Venezia Giulia" (sul primo); e la targa dell'automezzo (sul secondo)	
b) - Autocarri	Libretto di macchina. Permesso di circolazione per l'Italia. L'autorizzazione a circolare nella V.G. è sostituita dal foglio di viaggio rilasciato dall'A.M.A.G.	
3°) Provenienti dalla zona "B"		
a) - Autovetture e motomezzi.	Libretto di macchina. una autorizzazione a circolare nella V.G.e l'Italia (Questa può essere sostituita dalla trascrizione della targa sul permesso personale dell'autista o del proprietario).	
b) - Autocarro	Libretto di macchina. Foglio di viaggio rilasciato dallo A.M.A.G. Se il carico dell'autocarro provine dalla zona "B" questo deve essere accompagnato dal "Foglio di esportazione" rilasciato dall'autorità Jugoslave e vistato dall'A.M.G.	
4°) Automezzi militari italiani.	Libretto di macchina (mod.412) foglio di viaggio vistato dal B.I.U. o dall'A.M.G.-	

Il titolare o persona da lui delegata deve essere presente all'atto del controllo e mettere a disposizione tutta la documentazione richiesta.

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Allegato (B)

I DEI TRANSITANO ATTRAVERSO I P.T. DELLA VENEZIA GIULIA

	PROVVEDIMENTI PER IL CASO DI INFRAZIONI ALLE NORME DOGANALI	N O T E
...Autorizzazione per la Vene... ...Valido per la Venezia... ...cializzazione per la Vene... ...Valido per la Venezia... ...ggio rilasciato dallo ...porti Civili)		A)- Avvertenze per il controllo dei libretti di macchine: Sul libretto di macchine deve essere riscontrato : 1° la proprietà o eventuali passeggi di proprietà; 2° - che la targa scritta sul libretto corrisponda a quella portata dall'automezzo (nel caso che la posizione dell'automezzo risulti poco chiara si controllerà che il numero del motore e del telaio scritti sul libretto corrispondano a quelli che si trovano impressi sull'automezzo, il primo sul basamento del motore, il secondo sulla parte anteriore del longherone sinistro dello chassis
...circolazione per l'Italia... ...colazione per l'Italia... ...le " avrà essere ... " Valido per l'Italia... ...e la targa dell'auto-		B)-Avvertenze per il controllo dei permessi di circolazione: il permesso di circolazione non deve essere scaduto. La scadenza é segnata sul permesso stesso.
...circolazione per l'Italia... ...nella V.G. é sostituita ...all'U.N.R.A.C.		C)-Avvertenze per il controllo dei fogli viaggio: la targa trascritta sul foglio di viaggio deve corrispondere con quella portata dall'automezzo; il foglio di viaggio non deve essere scaduto; la merce su questo segnata deve corrispondere a quella esistente sull'autocarro.-
...zione i circolare nella ...sostituita dalla tar- ...telaio dell'autoveicolo ...oglio rilasciato dallo ...e delle sono "pr" questo ...lio di autorizzazione" rila- ...visto dell'U.N.R.A. ...lio di viaggio viziato	Se gli automezzi, sprovvisti del libretto o del passaporto circolazione, vengono fermati in dogana, la merce viene sequestrata e sottoposta a vincolo doganale. Il conducente è denunciato all'Autorità Giudiziaria.	MB. Tutte le persone che passano la linea di demarcazione con autocarri, devono essere in possesso del permesso

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1°) Provenienti dalla zona "A"	
a) - Autovetture e motomezzi	Libretto di macchina.Permesso di circolazione per la Venezia Giulia, che porta la dicitura "Valido per la Venezia Giulia e l'Italia" Libretto di macchina. Permesso di circolazione per la Venezia Giulia che porta la dicitura " Valido per la Venezia Giulia e l'Italia " foglio di viaggio rilasciato dallo E.N.A.C. ' Ente Nazionale Autotrasporti Civili)
b) - Autocarri	
2°) Provenienti dall'Italia	
a) - Autovetture e motomezzi.	Libretto di macchina. Permesso di circolazione per l'Italia. Inoltre sul "Permesso di circolazione per l'Italia oppure sul " Permesso giallo personale " dovrà essere apposta rispettivamente la dicitura " Valido per l'Italia e la Venezia Giulia" (sul primo); e la targa dell'automezzo (sul secondo)
b) - Autocarri	Libretto di macchina. Permesso di circolazione per l'Italia. L'autorizzazione a circolare nella V.G. é sostituita dal foglio di viaggio rilasciato dall'E.N.A.C.
3°) Provenienti dalla zona "B"	
a) - Autovetture e motomezzi.	Libretto di macchina. una autorizzazione a circolare nella V.G.e l'Italia (Questa può essere sostituita dalla trascrizione della targa sul permesso personale dell'autista o del proprietario).
b) - Autocarro	Libretto di macchina. Foglio di viaggio rilasciato dallo E.N.A.C. Se il carico dell'autocarro proviene dalla zona "B" questo deve essere accompagnato del "Foglio di esportazione" rilasciato dall'autorità Jugoslava e vistato dall'A.M.G.
4°) Automezzi militari Italiani.	Libretto di macchina (mod.412) foglio di viaggio vistato dal B.L.U. o dall'A.M.G.-
5°) Automezzi militari Jugoslavi	Permesso speciale rilasciato dal quartier Generale del 13° Corps, (per i soli automezzi della missione militare jugoslava presso il 13° Corps). Su questo sono trascritti i nomi dei passeggeri e dell'autista, le caratteristiche dell'automezzo (n.di targa, tipo della macchina ecc.ecc.

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...rcolare ecc.ecc.

Le autorizzazioni di transito sono rilasciate dal Comando del Governatorato di Venezia, o dai Comandi Militari Territoriali, previo accertamento da parte del C.I.C. o del U.P.C. della necessità del richiedente.

Se i requisiti controscritti richiesti non sono soddisfatti, l'automezzo e tutte il personale viaggiante devono essere convogliati alla P.S.S. o C.I.C. da cui il P.B. dipende.

A)- Avvertenze per il controllo dei libretti di macchine:
Sul libretto di macchina deve essere riscontrato : 1° la proprietà o eventuali passaggi di proprietà;
2° - che la targa scritta sul libretto corrisponda a quella portata dall'automezzo (nel caso che la posizione dell'automezzo risulti poco chiara si controllerà che il numero del motore e del telaio scritti sul libretto corrispondano a quelli che si trovano impressi sull'automezzo, il primo sul basamento del motore, il secondo sulla parte anteriore del longherone sinistro dello chassis

B)-Avvertenze per il controllo dei permessi di circolazione:
il permesso di circolazione non deve essere scaduto. La scadenza é segnata sul permesso stesso.

C)-Avvertenze per il controllo dei fogli viaggio:
La targa trascritta sul foglio di viaggio deve corrispondere con quella portata dall'automezzo; il foglio di viaggio non deve essere scaduto; la merce su questo segnata deve corrispondere a quella esistente sull'autocarro.-

NB. Tutte le persone che passano le linee di demarcazione con autocarri, devono essere in possesso del permesso personale di transito richiesto per i viaggiatori comuni.-

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE

Allegato (C)

NORME PER IL CONTROLLO DELLE MERCI

1°) Il controllo delle merci e materiali contenuti negli autoveicoli o carri o vagoni e in altro, è affidato alla Guardia di Finanza, secondo direttive che la stessa riceverà dai propri organi.

2°) Il P.F. di Passo Predil farà capo alla C.di F. di Cave Predil; i P.F. di Rudo e Uccea faranno capo alla C. di F. distaccata a Tarvisio; i P.F. di Dolenja ed Aluna faranno capo alla C.di F. di Caporetto; i P.F. di Prepotto; al P.F. di S. Andrat farà capo alla C. di F. distaccata a Cividale.-
Il comandante del P.F. farà intervenire per eventuali ferri, chiamandolo per telefono o a mezzo staffetta, il graduato di Finanza distaccato nel posto suddetto più vicino.-

3°) Nel P.F. ove la C. di Finanza è assente (Passo-Predil-Uccea-Stupizza-Caporetto-Robresca) il controllo delle merci sarà effettuato direttamente dai militari del Btg.
All'atto l'U.P.F., al Comando Tattico T.T. di Udine, la Guardia di Finanza comunicherà gli orari di servizio, tenuto conto delle esigenze del Btg. fornendo il numero dei militari del Btg. addetti a ciascun posto di controllo.-

4°) Per ogni sequestro sarà compilato verbale secondo istruzioni che darà il Comando Legione T.T. di Udine al Comando 2° Compagnia del Btg. I sequestri comunque dovranno essere registrati sulla apposita rubrica in dotazione, alla quale ricevuta agli interessati.-

5°) Le merci sequestrate sono trattenute al P.F. e consegnate al personale della C. di F. di Tarvisio per i P.F. di Uccea e Predil, di Cividale e per i P.F. di Caporetto e Caporetto, che visiteranno in relazione agli ordini ricevuti dal Comando Legione T.T. di Udine, periodicamente i P.F.-

6°) Le merci di provenienza inglese od americana, di possesso non previsto, devono essere ritirate dalla C. di F., o per i P.F. ove questa non esiste, dai militari del Btg. portate al posto più vicino di polizia inglese od americana.

7°) Particolare attenzione dovrà essere posta nel controllo dei pacchi postali, corrispondenza, per impedire trasporto di valuta.-

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P.T. di Rude e Sbrojavacca formano capo alla S. di T. distaccata a Topolunz; i P.T. di Dolenja ed Idersko formano capo alla S.di T. distaccata a Prapotto; il P.T. di S. Andrea Vipr. capo alla S. di T. distaccata a Vrtojba.-
Il comandante del P.T. farà intervenire per eventuali servizi, chiamandolo per telefono o a mezzo militare, il graduato di Fanteria distaccato nel posto sede di residenza.-

3°) Nei P.T. ove la S. di Tarvisio (Passo-Fiatzoula-Predil-Saifnitz-Seltschach-Podrosca) ed Udine (Passo-Pontebba) ed Udine sono addetti militari del Btg.
Allorchè l'U.P.C., il Brigadiere Doganale P.T. di Udine, la Guardia di Finanza, ne richiederanno di singoli pezzi, previo Comando 2^ Cpg. Batt. Alpini "Tolmezzo" (S.Pietro al Natisone), le merci saranno avviate a vagone d'esportazione, munito ogni particolare atto a facilitare il compito del personale di servizio.

4°) Per ogni sequestro sarà compilato verbale secondo istruzioni che darà il Comando Legione C.T. di Udine al Comando 2^ Compagnia del Btg. I sequestri comunque dovranno essere registrati negli appositi registri in dotazione, salvo rilascio ricevuta agli interessati.-

5°) Le merci sequestrate agli impiegati di P.T. e consegnate al personale della S. di T. di Tarvisio per i P.T. di Uggowitz e Pontebba, di Cividale e per i P.T. di Gorizia e Caporetto, che visiteranno in relazione alla circolare ricevuta dal Comando Legione C.T. di Udine, periodicamente i P.T.-

6°) Le merci di provenienza inglese od americana, di possesso non provato, devono essere avviate alla S. di T., o per i P.T. ove questa non esiste dal militare del Btg. portato al posto più vicino di polizia inglese od americana.

7°) Particolare attenzione dovrà essere posta nel controllo delle stazioni, carri ecc. per impedire trasporto di armi.-

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= DISTRIBUZIONE DEFINITIVA DEI POSTI DI

Nº	Posti Blocco	Composizione: C.te distac. sott. o Grad.	Composizione: Graduati	Composizione: Militari	Personale in servizio	ARMAMENTO E MUNIZIONAMENTO
1°	Passo Predil	1	2	6	1	Ogni P.B. deve avere:
2°	Uccea	1	2	6	1	1 altra per ogni uomo di servi
3°	Ipitschis	1	2	6	1	dotazione di munizioni corris
4°	Staplazza	1	2	10	2	cente a 1 arma (bombe a mano
5°	Seplentschis	1	2	6	1	compresa).-
6°	Podresca	1	2	6	1	Ogni distaccamento deve avere
7°	Prepotto	1	4	10	2	1 fucile mitragliatore
8°	S. Andrat.	1	2	6	1	armamento individuale
9°	Vasinale	1	2	6	1	1^ dotazione di fuoco (bombe
10°	S. Giov.Nat.	1	—	15	13	mano comprese).
11°	Villanova	1	4	12	3	I militari dei P.B. in servi
12°	Chiopris	1	4	10	2	devono sempre essere armati (
13°	Topogliano	1	2	8	1	eccezione dei militari dei P.
14°	Rude	1	2	6	1	di Ponte Dieris, Villanova,
15°	Villa Vic.	1	—	11	9	la Vic. e S. Giov. al Natiso
16°	Ponte Dieris	1	4	20	5	che lasciamo le armi nelle
17°	Belvedere	1	2	6	1	pratta o locale a loro dispo
						sione (P.B. ferroviari) dur
						il controllo diurno?-
						Di notte sugli uni devono es
						armati.-

= N o t e =

1°) Sono formati un gruppo di distaccamenti al comando di un ufficiale: a) - I distaccamenti
b) - I distaccamenti
c) - I distaccamenti
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II°) I P.B. dal n.1 al n.7 compr o dipendono dal C.I.C. di Cividale, dal n.8 al n.11 compreso
di Udine

III°) Nei P.B. in cui di giorno monta un solo uomo di notte questo deve essere accompagnato al cam
Nei P.B. di Villanova e Ponte Dieris oltre al personale previsto devono essere sempre pre

IV°) Durante il controllo alle vetture ferroviarie, dovrà essere predisposto a terra, sul lato

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O.P. DISLOCAZIONE E DOTAZIONI DEI POSTI BLOCCO =

ARMAMENTO E EQUIPAGGIAMENTO	COLLEGAMENTI	Illuminazioni e segnali	Dotazione viveri e combustibili
Ogni P.B. deve avere: 1 arma per ogni uomo di servizio ottenuta in proporzione corrispondente a 1 moschetto (conto a mano compreso).- Ogni distaccamento deve avere: 1 fucile mitragliatore ogni distaccamento distaccato 1^ moschetto ogni cinque (conto a mano compreso). I militari dei P.B. in servizio devono sempre essere armati (ad eccezione dei militari dei P.B. di Ponte Piave, Villanova, Valle Vic. e S. Giov. di Battaglia, che lasceranno le armi nella guardia e locale a loro disposizione (P.B. Ferrovieri) durante il controllo treno).- Di notte tutti i militari devono essere armati.-	Ogni P.B. dev'essere allacciato telefonicamente o con ampliello col proprio distaccamento. Ogni comando di gruppo di distaccamenti dev'essere collegato telefonicamente con i propri distaccamenti. Si fa eccezione per il distaccamento di Belvedere. In caso di necessità questo distaccamento si appoggerà ai Carabinieri di Lapisina o alla P.S.S. di Credo. I P.B. di montagna si collegheranno col comando di Compagnia a mezzo di radiotelefono (in corso di attuazione).	Ogni P.B. deve avere: 1^ sbarra per bloccare la strada. 1^ lampadina elettrica per la notte.(presso la sbarra) 1^ lampada a petrolio di riserva da tenere nella garitta, e da usare in mancanza di energia elettrica. 2 lampade (a pile) elettriche tascabili (4 per il P.B. di Ponte Piave).	Ogni P.B. deve avere: 1 cassetta pronto soccorso (per i P.B. di Ponte Piave, Villanova, Valle Vic. e S. Giov. di Battaglia, Fener, Falzè di Piave, Nervesa, Giavera, Spresiano, Visnadello, Lovadina, Arcade, Crocetta del Montello, Cornuda, Pederobba, Fonte, Crespano, Possagno, Cavaso, Monfumo, Asolo, Maser, Caerano, Altivole, Riese, Vedelago, Paderno, Castelfranco, Loria, Resana, Vallà, Piombino Dese, Vigodarzere, Camposampiero, Loreggia, Massanzago, Villa del Conte, Campodarsego, Mestrino, Rubano, Padova, Saonara, Legnaro, Pontelongo, Codevigo, Arzergrande, Vigonza, Pianiga, Fossò, Dolo, Mira, Oriago, Mirano, Martellago, Scorzè, Noale, Salzano, Robegano, Trivignano, Mogliano, Zero Branco, Preganziol, Quinto, Casier, Roncade, Monastier, Silea, Lughignano, Meolo, Musile, Jesolo, Cavallino, Treporti, Venezia, Marghera, Mestre, Favaro, Chirignago, Zelarino, Dese, Malcontenta, Mira Taglio

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2°	Ucea	1		2	6	1	1 mitra per ogni uomo di servi
3°	Pietischis	1		2	6	1	dotazione di munizioni corris
4°	Stupizza	1		2	10	2	dente a 1 nucleo (bombe a mano
5°	Ceplestischis	1		2	6	1	compresa).-
6°	Podresca	1		2	6	1	Ogni distaccamento deve avere
7°	Prepotto	1		4	10	2	1 fucile mitragliatore
8°	S. Andrat.	1		2	6	1	armamento individuale
9°	Visinale	1		2	6	1	1^ dotazione di fuoco (bombe
10°	S. Giov.Nat.	1		-	15	13	mano comprese).
11°	Villanova	1		4	12	3	
12°	Chiopris	1		4	10	2	I militari Nel P.B. in servi
13°	Topogliano	1		2	8	1	devono sempre essere armati (
14°	Rude	1		2	6	1	eccezione dei militari del P.
15°	Villa Vic.	1		-	11	9	di Ponte Pieris, Villanova, V
16°	Ponte Pieris	1		4	20	5	la Vic. e S. Giov. al Natisone
17°	Belvedere	1		2	6	1	che lasceranno le armi nella
							caserma o locale a loro dispo
							sizione (P.B. Ferroviari) dura
							il controllo treno?-
							Di notte anche essi devono esse
							armati.-

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1°) Sono riuniti in gruppo di distaccamenti al comando di un ufficiale: a) - I distaccamenti di
b) - I distaccamenti di
c) - i distaccamenti di
d) - i distaccamenti di

IIº) I P.B. dal n.1 al n.7 compreso dipendono dal C.I.C. di Cividale, dal n.8 al n.11 compreso da Udine

IIIº) Nei P.B. in cui di sosta anche un solo treno di notte questo deve essere accompagnato al cambio Nei P.B. di Villanova e Ponte Pietis oltre al personale previsto devono essere sempre presenti

IVº) Durante il controllo alle vetture ferroviarie, dovrà essere predisposto a terra, uno dei lati elusioni al controllo. All'arrivo di tutti i treni sarà presente il sottufficiale comandante

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dotazione da munizione comprensiva
dente a 1 bomba (bombe a mano
comprese).-
Ogni distaccamento deve avere:
1 fucile mitragliatore
armamento individuale
1^ dotazione di bombe (bombe a
mano comprese).

I militari dei P.B. in servizio devono sempre essere armati (ad eccezione dei militari dei P.B. di Ponte Pietra, Villanova, Villa Vic. e S. Giov. al Natisone, che lasceranno le armi nella garitta e lungo la loro rispettiva dislocazione (P.B. ferroviari) durante il controllo diurno.-
Di notte anch'essi devono essere armati.-

ogni P.B. deve essere collegato telefonicamente o con campanello col proprio distaccamento.

Ogni comando di gruppo di distaccamenti dev'essere collegato telefonicamente con i propri distaccamenti.
Si fa eccezione per il distaccamento di Belvedere. In caso di necessità questo distaccamento si appoggerà ai Carabinieri di Aquileia o alla P.S.S. di Grado.

I P.B. di montagna si collegheranno col comando di Comp. a mezzo di radiotelefono (in corso di attivazione.

Ogni P.B. deve avere:
1^ sbarra per bloccare la strada.
1^ lampadina elettrica per la notte.(presso la sbarra)
1^ lampada a petrolio di riserva da tenere nella garitta, e da usare in mancanza di energia elettrica.
2 lampade (o più) elettriche tascabili (4 per il P.T. di Ponte Pietra).

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a) - 2 distaccamenti di San. Andrat, Vedronza, San. Giovanni Nat., Villanova
b) - I distaccamenti di Cividale, Rua e Topolino
c) - I distaccamenti di Belvedere, Villa Vicentina e Ponte Pietra
+ una sola [illegible] : Villanova - Topolino - Ponte Pietra

[illegible] n.1 al n.11 compreso della 1^ F.S.S. di Cormons, dal n.12 al n.17 della 419 F.S.S.

[illegible] sarà accompagnato al cancello di servizio.
[illegible] dovrà essere sempre rappresentato dall'ufficiale o dal sottufficiale.

[illegible] predisposto a terra, sul lato del treno, un servizio di vigilanza per evitare [illegible] presenze il sottufficiale comandante il P.B.

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Subject:- Tolmezzo Alpini Bn.

5 British Liaison Unit
Tel 1553
G 119/23

17 Oct 46

GHQ CMF (for "G" Ops)

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Ref your Signal GO167 dated 12 Oct 46.

1. At the time of the receipt of your signal an indent was in hand from Tolmezzo Alpini Bn for 20 slow combustion stoves for space heating of the accommodation at the check posts on the Western Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA. These stoves have already been issued to the Bn by Engr Works Sec of HQ 5 Territorial Command.

2. Such posts as are not fitted for electric lighting have paraffin oil lamps and hold a reserve of fuel for these.

3. The requirements of signal equipment remains as stated in para 2(e) of this Unit letter G106/41 dated 26 Sept 46, addressed to HQ 13 Corps. Until this equipment is issued it is impossible to set up a communication system connecting all check posts.
A separate letter is being addressed to HQ MMIA requesting that HQ to arrange the release of the equipment by the Ministry of War in the near future.

4. It would be of assistance to this Unit if C.I.C. could be more specific when reporting deficiencies, particularly as to the check post in which the deficiency exists.

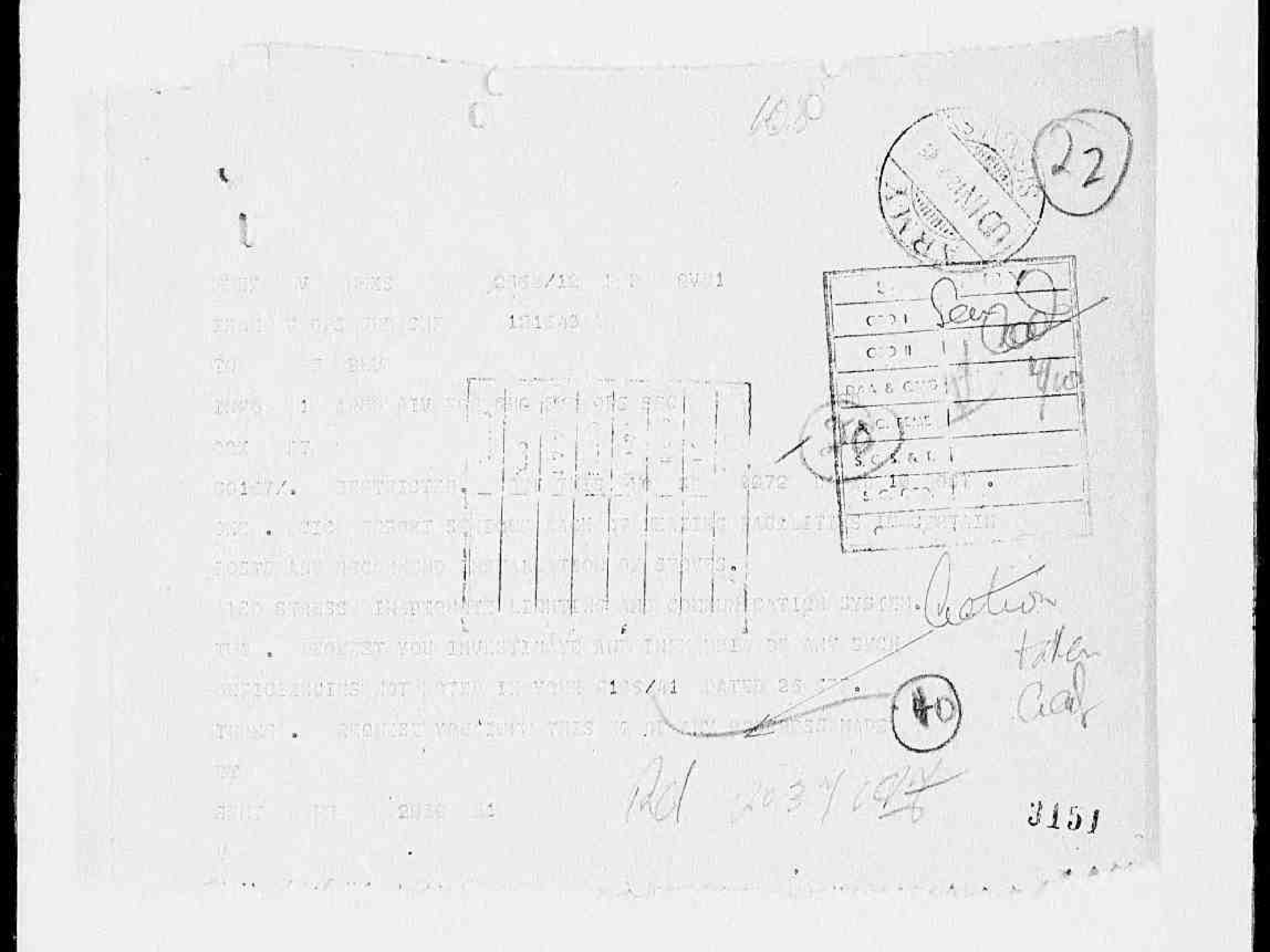
Lt Colonel.
G.S.

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TO G. H. Q. C. M. F.

INFO 5 B. L. 7.

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TO [illegible]

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TRANSLATION

8 ALPINI REGIMENT

109/8 Lovaria, 7 Oct 46.

SUBJECT:- Block Posts.

TO : 5 B.I.U. - UDINE.

1. Ref verbal conversation between the writing and the chief of your Office.

(a) The block posts in the Mountain can remain in the same allocation also in winter-time. Sledges and skis have been requested in case the roads should be obstructed by snow.

(b) Request has been made for barbed wire fences to ensure the close defence of the block posts which will will be linked with Coy H.Q. (S.Pietro al Natisone) by radio-telephone sets soon as they received from 5 B.L.U.

(c) Each block post will have a sufficient allottment of reserved rations and ammo.

2. To improve accomodation of the personel at block post (Ruda, Topogliano, Papariano, Belvedere) in locations closest to the check points it is requested that Allied H,Q under whose Command the Bn is for employment, issue 3 wooden desmountable barracks capable of 15 men each and 1 capable of 25 men.

3. This HQ is still awaiting a reply to the request of signals means-light-fittings and replacement of vehicles.

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS.	

Signed: Lt.Col. EGIZI

To be visited on 16/10

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2° REGGIMENTO ALPINI OTT. 1946
- COMANDO BATTAGLIONE TOLMEZZO -

N° 10986/8 di prot. Lovaria li 7 ottobre 1946.-

Oggetto: Posti Blocco.-

Al Vo R.I.U.
presso IL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI U D I N E

I°) - In relazione alle conversazioni verbali fra lo scrivente ed il capo di codesto Ufficio riferisco:
a) i posti blocco di montagna possono restare nelle attuali località anche d'inverno. All'uopo sono stati richiesti sciitini e sci per il caso in cui le strade ad essi adducenti saranno ingombre di neve;
b) per completare la loro difesa vicina sono stati richiesti gabbioni di reticolato e si provvederà, non appena ricevuti da codesto R.I.U., a collegarli col comando di compagnia (San Pietro al Natisone) a mezzo radiotelefoni;
c) sarà provveduto ad assicurare loro una congrua scorta di viveri e munizioni.-

2°) - Allo scopo di sistemare il personale di taluni posti blocco (Rude, Tapogliano, Fusariano, Belvedere) in località più prossime ai posti di blocco servizio sarebbe opportuno che il comando alleato, dal quale il Btg. dipende, per l'impiego, fornisse 3 baracche in legno smontabili capaci di 15 uomini ciascuna ed 1 capace di 25 uomini.

3°) - Questo comando resta sempre in attesa di quanto precedentemente richiesto (mezzi di collegamento e di illuminazione - esplosione autocarri.)

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
- Ten. Col. Alfredo Lizzi -

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TRANSLATION

5 ARMY HQRT.

File No. 10993/ 7 — 10/VARIA 7/10/46

(7)

SUBJECT :- Fence Materials

TO :- Ufficio Lavori Genio

for info: Comando Genio del 5 MIG.
" 5 BLU.

100 knife rests or 200 metres of dannert wire (or) requested for the defence of the mountain block posts on VENEZIA-GIULIA boundary which are sometimes attacked by Slave supporters.

Will you please inform this HQ. if and where they can be drawn from.

The following materials are urgently requested for the heating of 20 block posts on the VENEZIA-GIULIA boundary.

Iron stoves	no.	20
Pipes	metres.	90
Elbows		20
Registers		20

Will you please inform if and when they can be drawn from?

G.S.O.I	Avail
G.S.O.II	Cal
D.A.A. & Q.M.G.	
S. C. ENGS	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. O.D.	
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N.B. Ufficio Lavori Genio Stati these locals visited

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100 knife rests or 200 metres of dennert wire(on request)
for the defence of the mountain block posts on VE ZIA-GUILLA boundary
which are sometimes attacked by slave supporters.

Will you please inform this HQ, if and where they can be
drawn from.

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heating of 20 block posts on the VE ZIA-GUILLA boundary.

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Pipes	metres.	90
Elbows		20
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D.A.A. & Q.M.G.	
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S.C.S. & T.	
S.C. O.D.	
C.... S.	

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Local Circ
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1936

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T/M

8°REGGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

8 OTT. 1946

n. 1e.s.1/MAT di prot

Loveria li,7 Ottobre 1946

Fencing material.

O G G E T T O : Richiesta materiale per reticolati.=

ALL'UFFICIO LAVORI GENIO — U D I N E
c. p. c.
AL COMANDO GENIO DEL V°COM.MILIT.TERR. — U D I N E
M. E.L.U. DEL V° COMANDO MILITARE TERR. — U D I N E

Per la difesa dei posti Blocco di montagna nella linea di demarcazione del V.G.qualche volta attaccati da elementi slavi occorrono a questo Comando n°100 cavalli di frisia oppure M.200 di gabbione mobile basso.

Si prega informare se e dove possano essere prelevati.=

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
(Ten.Col.Alfredo Fgizi)

1937

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T/M

8°REGGIMENTO ALPINI
COMANDO BATTAGLIONE "TOLMEZZO"

n. 20°.2 DAT di prot

Lovaria li,7 Ottobre 1946

OGGETTO : Stufe per Posti Blocco.=

ALL'UFFICIO LAVORI GENIO — U D I N E
e. p. c.
AL COMANDO GENIO DEL V° COM.MILIT.TERR. — U D I N E
AL V° B.L.U. DEL V° COMANDO MILIT.TERR. — U D I N E

Per il riscaldamento dei 20 Posti Blocco sulla linea di demarcazione della V.G.durante l'iminente stagione invernale necessitano con urgenza a questo Btg. i seguenti materiali :

- Stufe metalliche — N° 20
- Tubi per dette — m 90
- Gomiti per dette — n° 40
- Registri per dette — n° 20

Prego indicare se e dove possono essere ritirate.=

IL COMANDANTE DEL BATTAGLIONE
(Ten.Col.Alfredo Egizi)

1938

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9 OTT. 1946

SUBJECT :- TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn.

G (Ops) HQ CMF.

5790/G

5 Oct 46

Tel extn .....

G (SD)

Copy to 5 BLU

The attached copy of 5 British Liaison Unit's letter G 106/41 dated 26 Sep 46 is forwarded to you for necessary action.

Lt-Col.,
GS.

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
DAA & QMG	
S. C. REME	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
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1939

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SUBJECT :- Western Bdy of VENEZIA-GIULIA

5 British Liaison Unit
Tel: 15417
G/106/46

8 Oct 46

HQ 1 Wld Cpn Gen
c/o 1 Armd Div

Reference your letter 7020/G dated 3 Oct 46.

1. The report concerning the TOLMEZZO Alpini in Check Post at PRATO'TO has been passed on to HQ 5 T erritorial Command who will take the necessary action to remedy the reported laxity amongst the men of the Check Post.

2. With regard to the remarks concerning the check post at UCCEA.

This post was visited by CO 1 and GO II this HQ on Monday, 30 Sep 46, and it cannot be agreed that the morale of the men was poor. The post consists of 1 Cpl and 5 men and the personnel are changed every 15 days.

It will be realised but it is desirable to change the personnel of this post fairly frequently owing to the fact that the post is in a particularly isolated position, the nearest military units are the units of 88 (US) Div in TARCENTO approx 12 miles away.

At the time of the visit by rep this HQ the personnel of the post had been there for approx one week and although the Cpl stated that he personally would rather be at a post nearer to his Coy HQ, i.e. nearer civilisation, this is not to be surprised at and should not be taken as due to lack of morale.

It was considered that the morale of the men was quite satisfactory.

3. It is suggested that when CIC visit the Check Posts manned by TOLMEZZO Alpini in this HQ should be informed, and an opportunity given for either a rep of this unit or a rep of TOLMEZZO to accompany the CIC officer.

AAF/ap

File
Diary

Major,
GS.

1940

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(12)

SUBJECT :- Western Bdy of VENEZIA-GIULIA

5 British Liaison Unit
Tel: 1547
C/105/45

8 Oct 46

HQ 5 Territorial Command

1. I t has been reported that at the Check Post on the Western Bdy of VENEZIA-GIULI A at POL BEGA del Collio the men on guard have become lax especially during guard changing at night.

2. It is requested that you take any action you can to remedy this state of affairs.

Major,
GS.

AAJ/sp

File
Diary

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1941

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5 OTT. 1946

SUBJECT :- Western Bdy of VENEZIA GIULIA.

GHq Fwd Ops Sec,
c/o 1 Armd Div.
7020/G
3 Oct 46
Tel Extn. 48

5 BLU
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88 (US) Div
GHQ (G Ops)
GHQ (GSI)
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It has been reported by CIC that the following state of affairs exists as regards Western Bdy posts in 88 (US) Div area:

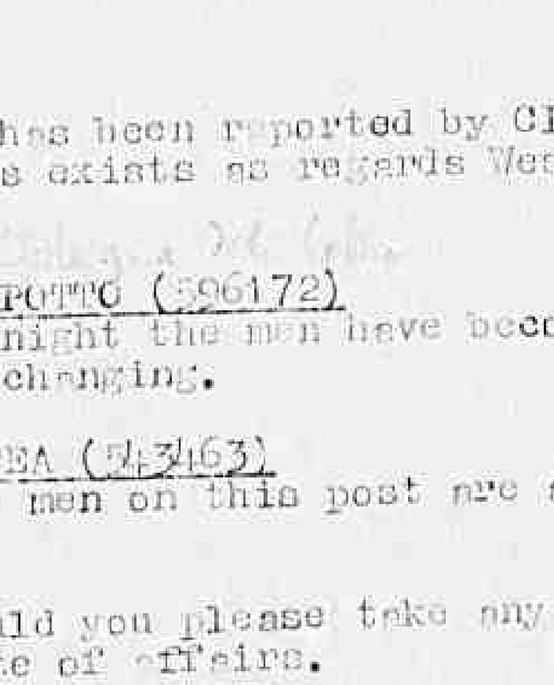
(a) PREPOTTO (396172)
At night the men have become lax, especially during guard changing.

(b) UCCEA (743463)
The men on this post are all new and their morale is poor.

Would you please take any action you can to remedy this state of affairs.

For Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

CHF
J/11



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SUBJECT: TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn

3 British Liaison Unit
Tel 1747
G 106/L4
26 Sep 46.

Main HQ 13 Corps

Copy to Land Forces Sub Commission AC
(Copy of letter under ref. att.)

Reference your letter 5790/G dated 2 Sep 46.

1. As requested by you the situation regarding the equipment of TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn has been investigated and the following items are required which are NOT immediately available from Italian resources.

2. (a) VEHICLES

Replace light vehicles 15 cwt

Four 3 ton lorries are held by coys on duty at the Venezia Giulia Western boundary check posts. These vehicles are in very poor condition and are virtually B.E.R. Replacements in good condition are required complete with canopies and tool kits. The CO's Staff Car has recently been evacuated by 5 Vehicle Recp HASLLATO and due to non-availability has not yet been replaced by the Ministry of War.
In due course a suitable vehicle will probably be released but in the meantime it is desirable that a JEEP be allotted. As the CO has frequently to visit his coys and detachments in the mountains e.g. check posts at MOCCA and PLATISCHIS his present transport, a 15 cwt, is both uneconomical and unsuitable.

(b) SPARE PARTS FOR VEHICLES

At the present time no spare parts, as such, are required. It would be of great assistance however, if the following items could be released:

Canopies 4 x 3 T, 1 - 15 cwt.
Tools 1 - Dodge, 3 - Bedford

(i) 3 x 15 cwt canopies and 1 x 3 ton canopy which are required for the coys on duty at check posts. Their vehs are at present deficient.
(ii) Only two tool-kits are held for the 15 British Vehicles on charge to the Bn. A release is required for 1 Dodge 3 Ton tool-kit and 4 Ford 15 cwt tool-kits.

None of these items are immediately available from 5 Territorial Command.

(c) RIFLE OIL

Although oil is drawn through [illegible] Alpini Regt on a monthly basis for cleaning weapons it is thought that this is a poor substitute for Brit. Rifle Oil. An allocation of correct Brit. Pattern Rifle Oil sufficient for 3 months would be of great

1942
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None of these items are immediately available from 5 Territorial Command.

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Although oil is drawn through U.S. Alpini Regt on a monthly basis for cleaning weapons it is thought that this is a poor substitute for Brit. Rifle Oil. An allocation of correct Brit. Pattern Rifle Oil sufficient for 3 months would be of great assistance.

(d) TORCHES

A release is required for 40 torches, hand pattern complete with batteries and bulbs. A number of torch batteries and bulbs was released by you recently. These are reported to be of the wrong type and will be returned under arrangements this unit. A release of the above number of torches would allow for an issue of two torches to each of the 19 check posts on the Venezia Giulia Boundary and 2 spare.

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(e) SIGNAL EQUIPMENT

The most important deficiency in the Bn is signal equipment. At the present time HQ 5 Territorial Command is unable to supply any Signal Equipment. This will only be possible when surplus stocks of British Signal Equipment have been handed over to the Italian Army by A.M. . The following items of Signal Equipment are required to establish communications between the check posts on the Venezia Giulia Border and Bn H.Q. :-

12 x Field Telephones
20 miles Field Cable
6 x W/T Sets with range approx 15 miles.

These W/T Sets are required for communication between the check-posts in the mountainous areas and their Coy H.Q. It will be necessary for a course to be arranged by 5 Territorial Signal Company to train the necessary operators.

3. The situation regarding arms and ammunition is considered to be satisfactory. The Bn has been issued with 24 machine carbines surplus to W.E. The deficiency of heavy weapons such as 3" Mortars 4.2" to which the Bn is entitled does not handicap the Bn in its duties on the Venezia Giulia Boundary.

4. The clothing situation is considered to be satisfactory. HQ 5 Territorial Command will give special attention to the issue of winter clothing by the time necessary.

5. Any assistance that you can give towards making good the above mentioned deficiencies would be greatly appreciated.

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FIELD
AAD/rw

Gaby
Major,
G.S.

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1945

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TRANSLATION

5 TERRIT HQ UDINE

Services Office.

No.11740/S/9/9/Art.

Subject:- TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn.

5 B.L.U. Udine

18 Sept 46

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G.S.O. I.	
DAA & Q.M.G.	
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Ref your G 106/38 of Sept 4th '46.

The deficiencies have been eliminated for the great part; but it is regretted that some of them do still exist.

Particularly:

a) The change of four English Heavy Lorries with two light ones and two English M/C has been obtained. It would be necessary to replace another four English lorries being now in bad condition and allotted to the two companies on duty at the control posts, with as many ones in good state.

The Staff car, that was in charge of the Bn and delivered some time ago to 5 Repair Unit because out of service, has not yet been replaced from the War Ministry, owing to unavailability.

An allotment, even temporary, of a jeep to Bn Commanding Officer, is wanted, as he has to carry out frequent inspections to highland places, hardly reachable by means of a lorry and requiring a lot of petrol.

b) Canopies for English vehicles 3 T are wanted too, as those allotted to the Bn are almost all unprovided with and this Command has none available. Another deficiency of spare parts is regretted, as there are two series of spanners only, instead of 3 at least, for the requirements of 15 English MT Vehicles.

c)d) Situation of weapons and ammo. is good. The Bn have already got 24 automatic rifles, as a supernumerary to WE. English arms are being issued.

By our opinion, heavy weapons are of no use for control posts, and on the other hand they are part of WE Equipment of the Bn.

e) Oil and paraffin to clean arms are monthly withdrawn by the Bn from 8 Alpini Regt HQ.

f) The Bn has received 44 batteries and 40 small bulbs for electric lamps. 6 efficient lights only have been allotted to the companies, but two at least per control post are wanted, for a total amount of 30.

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g) 12 telephones and 20 Km of cable for field telephone are wanted for junction among control posts.

6 radio telephones are needed for connection among highland control posts.

This Command cannot supply such meterials, because of no availability.

h) Articles of kit - kaki - have already been in distribution. We have done our best to provide all the servicemen on the strength of the Bn with it.

Special attention is given to issue winter equipment in due time.

by order
Sgd:- Lt Col A CASSIO

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COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE
- Ufficio Servizi -

N. 7240/3/9/9/Art. di prot. Udine, li 18 settembre 1946

OGGETTO: Battaglione Alpini "Tolmezzo".-

AL COMANDO DEL 5° B.L.U. S E D E

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Riferimento foglio n. G/106/38 in data 4 c.m.-

Le deficienze di cui al foglio a riferimento sono state in gran parte eliminate; alcune tuttavia sussistono.-

In particolare:

a)- E' stato ottenuto il cambio di 4 autocarri pesanti inglesi con 2 leggeri e 2 motociclette inglesi.- Occorrerebbe sostituire, con altrettanti autocarri inglesi in buono stato, possibilmente 3/4, altri 4 autocarri inglesi in cattivo stato di conservazione attualmente in distribuzione alle due compagnie in servizio ai posti di blocco.-

L'autovettura già in carico al battaglione versata qualche tempo fa al 5° Reparto Riparauto perchè fuori servizio, non è stata ancora sostituita dal Ministero della Guerra per indisponibilità.-

Si rende pertanto necessaria l'assegnazione, anche temporanea, di una jeep al Comandante del Btg. il quale deve compiere frequenti ispezioni in località di montagne dove l'autocarro arriva a stento e con un notevole consumo di benzina.-

b)- Esiste una deficienza di teloni per autocarri inglesi 3 T.- Quasi tutti gli automezzi inglesi in distribuzione al battaglione, ne sono privi, nè questo Comando ha la possibilità di provvederli.-

Altra deficienza è quella relativa agli accessori per automezzi: su 15 automezzi inglesi esistono solo 2 serie di chiavi e ne occorrerebbero ancora almeno 3 serie.-

c)-d)- La situazione armi e munizioni è buona; il battaglione ha extra organico altri 24 moschetti automatici.-

Le armi inglesi sono in corso di distribuzione.-

Si conviene che le armi pesanti non sono di utilità per i posti di blocco, d'altra parte dette armi fanno parte delle dotazioni del btg.-

e)- L'olio ed il petrolio per la pulizia delle armi vengono dal ne prelevati mensilmente presso il Comando dell'8° Reggimento.

f)- Il battaglione ha recentemente ricevuto n. 44 pile per torce e n. 40 lampadine per dette.-

Sono però in distribuzione alle compagnie ed efficienti sono n. 6 torce elettriche e ne occorrono almeno 2 per
(in totale altre 30).-

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Per allacciare telefonicamente i posti blocco occorrono ancora n. 12 telefoni e 20 Km. di filo telefonico da campo.-

Per il collegamento dei posti di montagna occorrono n. 6 radiotelefoni.-

Il suddetto materiale non può, per indisponibilità, essere fornito da questo Comando.-

h)- Il corredo estivo kaki è già da tempo in distribuzione.- Si è fatto tutto il possibile per vestire in modo soddisfacente tutti i militari del btg.-

Sono in corso i provvedimenti per assicurare prima che abbia inizio la stagione fredda l'approntamento del corredo invernale.-

d'ordine
IL CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI a.p.l.
(Ten.Col.A.Cassio)

1950

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d'ordine
IL CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI a.p.l.
(Ten.Col.A.Cassio)

1951

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Subject:- TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn.

5 British Liaison Unit
Tel 1547
G/400/38

4 Sept 46

HQ 5 Territorial Command

1. It has been reported to this Unit by HQ 13 Corps that the TOLMEZZO Alpini Bn has been seriously handicapped in its role of checking the YUGOSLAV Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA by the shortage of the following equipment:-

a) Vehicles.
b) Spare parts for vehicles.
c) Weapons.
d) Ammunition.
e) Cleaning oil for weapons.
f) Torches.
g) Telephones.
h) Clothing, etc.

2. The only one of the above shortages that has been brought to the attention of this Unit is the problem of supplying replacement batteries and bulbs for the torches already held. This matter has been taken up recently with HQ 13 Corps in order to try and obtain a supply from that HQ.

3. It is also known that there is a shortage of certain British weapons in particular Thompson Machine Carbines, Pistols and Mortars, due to the fact that all of the new British Weapons for the 8th Alpini Regt have not yet arrived. However with the possible exception of the Thompson Machine Carbine these shortages should not seriously handicap the Bn in carrying out its role on the Security Line as Italian Army pattern weapons should be held by the Unit until its new British Weapons are available. There can be no use for Mortars in such a role as that on which the TOLMEZZO Bn is now employed.

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4. It is requested that you investigate these reported shortages and inform this B.L.U. by not later than Monday 9th Sept 46 what shortages do exist, and what essential equipment cannot be supplied from Italian Army sources.

1952

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1. It has been reported to this Unit by HQ 13 Corps that the TORINO Alpini Bn has been seriously handicapped in its role of checking the [redacted] Boundary of VENEZIA GIULIA by the shortage of the following equipment:-

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Major,
G.S.

1953
Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

1954

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

SUBJECT :- Control of Western Bdy of VENEZIA GIULIA.

HQ 13 Corps
5790/G
2 Sep 46
Tel extn .....

5 B.L.U.
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It has been reported from various sources that the TOLMEZZO ALPINI Bn has been seriously handicapped in its role of checking the Western Bdy of VENEZIA GIULIA by the shortage of essential equipment, viz :-

1. Vehicles
2. Spares for vehicles
3. Weapons
4. Amn
5. Oil for weapons
6. Torches
7. Telephones
8. Clothing, etc.

Will you please investigate the matter and let this HQ know as soon as possible what are the essential equipment requirements which are not available from ITALIAN Army sources.

Brigadier,
General Staff.

CMF
T/B

TRANSLATION

5 TERRITORIALE HQ - UDINE

Territorial & AA.VV. Office

No. 7414 Tav/v 31st Aug 46

Subject:- "TOLMEZZO" Alpini Btn.

5 B.L.U. Udine

TOLMEZZO BN
for info 1 Cor Sup
HQ 8 Alp — Rest
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COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE (U.°)
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OGGETTO: Btg. Alpini " Tolmezzo".=

AL COMANDO BTG. ALPINI "TOLMEZZO" LOVARIA

e, per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO FANTERIA PADOVA
AL COMANDO 8° ALPINI BELLUNO
AL 5° B.L.U. UDINE

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Il 5° B.L.U. ha inviato a questo Comando la seguente comunicazione pervenutagli dal Comando XIII Corps :

"""Soldati del Btg. Alpino Italiano servono i posti di blocco attraverso strade della Venezia Giulia. Essi sono stati fermati e trattenuti dalla Polizia della V.G. perchè sprovvisti di debiti documenti. Sono falliti tutti gli sforzi per avvertire di questa situazione il Magg. Johnston, Ufficiale di Collegamento dell'A.M.G. di Udine. Gli abitanti trovano obbiezione a questo movimento, si raccomanda che siano prese le misure per avviare questo movimento attraverso la Provincia di Udine e che, nel caso si debbano fare delle eccezioni, si chiedano i debiti lasciapassare al XIII Corps""".

In relazione a quanto sopra, si prega codesto Comando di provvedere perchè il rifornimento dei posti di blocco sia effettuato senza oltrepassare la linea di demarcazione.

Se casi eccezionali non consentono tale attuazione, il personale che deve oltrepassare tale linea dev'essere munito di lasciapassare.

La richiesta di lasciapassare dovrà essere fatta tramite questo Comando - Ufficio T.A.V..=

La pratica è urgente.=

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Col. A. Tardi)

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SUBJECT:- [illegible]" Alpini Bn.

5 British Liaison Unit.
Tel.: 1503

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23 Aug 46.

5 Italian Territorial Command.

1. The following extract from a letter received from 13 Corps is forwarded for action:-

" 2. Personnel of the Italian Alpine Battalion are servicing their Block Posts by way of roads in Venezia Giulia. They have been intercepted and detained, for lack of proper credentials, by the VG Police. All efforts to advise Major Johnston, AMG UDINE, Liaison Officer, of this situation have failed. Residents object to this traffic and the recommendation is made that efforts be taken to route this traffic through UDINE Province, and to secure proper XIII Corps pass credentials when exceptions must be made. "

2. Please ensure that all maintenance traffic is routed through UDINE Province. If this is not practicable in every case, please give particulars, stating where exceptions must be made. Application will then be made by this H.Q. for the necessary passes.

Lt. Colonel,
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