

ACC 10000/120/6288

6/124

PERMITS + PASSES

Oct 8, 1946 - Jan. 14, 1947

Permits + Passes

Oct 8, 1946 - Jan. 14, 1947

3853
3882

0622

785020

TRANSLATION5 TERRITORIAL H.Q. - UDINE.

No.: 378/TAV/V.

14 Jan 47.

SUBJECT:- Permit to entry buildings & barracks occupied
by Allied Troops.To: 5 B.L.U. - UDINE

Col. Giuseppe LORENZOTTI, the new Commander of the 8 Alpini Regt, asks for a permit to enter barracks and buildings occupied by Allied Troops.

It is therefore requested that this Liaison Unit issue the permit valid until 28th Feb 47.

14 GEN 1947

By Order
sgd: Chief Office T.A.V.
(Col. I. GRAVINA)

3382

SEEN BY	
GSO I	<i>Ambo</i>
GSO II	<i>19</i>
MA & QMG	<i>Alu</i>
S. C. REAR	
S. C. S. & T.	<i>AD</i>
S. C. QMG	
CLERK	

*Permit issued**R. F. G. M.
Clerk*

0623

785020

ZAM/boz

14 GEN 1947 - COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE (V°)
Ufficio Territoriale ed AA V. -

n. 358 Tav/V di prot.

Udine, li 14 GEN 1947

OGGETTO: Permessi d'accesso in immobili e caserme
occupati da truppe alleate. =

AL 5° BRITISH LIAISON UNIT

S E D E

Il Colonnello Giuseppe Lorenzotti, nuovo comandante dell'8°
Rgt. Alpini necessita di un permesso d'ingresso in caserme ed immo-
bili occupati da truppe alleate.

Si prega pertanto codesto Reparto di collegamento voler cor-
tesemente provvedere al rilascio del "permit" necessario con validi-
tà sino alla data del 28 febbraio 1947. =



d'ordine

CAPO UFFICIO T.A.V.

Col. Igino Gravina)

Gravina

3581

0624

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No.

785020

Major A. GRAY
No 5 British Liaison Unit

7th January, 1947.

Dear *Chaplin*

A letter has been received from Land Forces Sub-Comm MMIA
with instructions that all ranks leaving Italy must hand in both A.C.
and Ministry of War Passes to G (SD), so will you please forward same to
me at your convenience.

Kindest regards.

Yours

Alan

3680

Captain L.A.S. CHATFIELD
660 HAA Regt R.A.
LOWESTOFT.

0625

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No.

785020

Telephone:
Rome, 489081 Ext. 401

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM AG (MILIA) GMP

RM/C/1

Dec 46

List 'A'
List 'B'

Subject: Passes

All ranks are reminded that, should they leave Italy on posting, both A.C., and Ministry of War Passes (where applicable) must be handed in to C(SD).

RNG/sb

- 2 GEN 1947

SEEN BY	
GSO I	<i>[Signature]</i>
GSO II	<i>[Signature]</i>
1 & C's	<i>[Signature]</i>
S. C. FIVE	
S. C. S. & T.	<i>[Signature]</i>
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS	

R. P. Channing
Lt Col,
GS, MILIA.

ATQ We want to *R. P. Channing*
We of this : Did we
take Chappelo's *Atkins*
if not write and ask him
for it

Atkins

SUBJECT:- Visit of Italian Officers.

5 British Liaison Unit.

Tele: 1547

2/124/4

20 Dec 46.

18 Veh Park

1. This is to introduce Capt DOMENICO CIFALÀ and Geometer
LUDOVICO BULLIGAN.

2. The Italian Army General Staff with the authority of
CHQ GSF have ordered Preliminary Plans to be carried out by
5 Very soon for the re-installment of the Italian Vol Security
Depots located in the 18 Veh Park.

3. The above Officers have come to make a recon, will
you please grant them all facilities.

FIELD

TR/ah

[Signature]
Major,
CIL.

3578

File

Diary

TRANSLATION

5 ITALIAN TERRITORY COMMAND - UDINE -
- Services Office -

N. 15374/45/4

16 Dec. 46

SUBJECT:- Reinstatement of POL. Depot of Medium Volume.-

5 B. L. U. - UDINE -

The Army General Staff has ordered Terr. Comm. to begin the planning for the reinstatement of the POL. Security Depots located in the premises occupied by 18 veh. Park.-

In order to give the skilled personnel to compile the detailed scheme for the reinstatement of the named Depot, 5 B. L. U. is kindly requested to issue authority to the following personnel to enter the veh. Park.-

- Capt. Domenico CEFALU'
- Geometer Ettore BULLIGAN

19 DIC 1946

SEEN BY	
GSO I	<i>Query</i>
GSO II	<i>PC</i>
DAA & CNG	<i>ale</i>
S. C. F. O. E.	
S. C. S. & T.	<i>PC</i>
S. C. ORD.	<i>Query</i>
CLERKS.	

BY ORDER
 CHIEF OF "SERVICES OFFICE"
 (L. Olivieri, Col.)

Will you also send a covering letter to 18 Veh Park (or any other wh) stating the reasons for the visit
Query

3387

ABD/drs

124

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE
- Ufficio Servizi -

1946

N. 15374/S/5/4 di prot.

Udine, li 16 dicembre 1946

OGGETTO: Ripristino depositi carburanti di media capacità.-

AL COMANDO DEL 5° B.I.U.

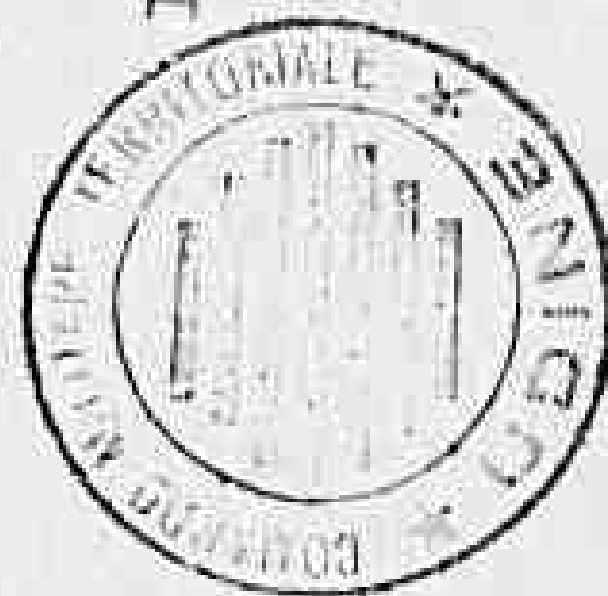
S E D E

Lo S.M.E. ha ordinato al Comiliter di procedere alla compilazione del progetto per la riattivazione del deposito carburanti di sicurezza di Casarsa dislocato in locali occupati dal 18 Park.-

Per dar modo al personale specializzato di compilare il progetto particolareggiato, per il ripristino di tale impianto, si prega codesto Comando compiacersi concedere l'autorizzazione perchè il personale sottolencato possa accedere presso il predetto Parco :

- Capitano CIPALA' Dolenico
- Geometra BULLIGAN Ettore

3370



all'ordine
IL CAPO UFFICIO SERVIZI
(Col. A. Olivieri)

Olivieri

0629

SUBJECT

SEEN BY	
ESD	<i>[initials]</i>
CDH	<i>[initials]</i>
DAVE	<i>[initials]</i>
S. C. P. E.	<i>[initials]</i>
S. C. S. & T.	<i>[initials]</i>
S. C. P. D.	<i>[initials]</i>
C. P. D.	<i>[initials]</i>

10 DEC 1946

LAND FORCES DES COM, A.C. (101A)

(439081 Ext: 570)

INT/219

6 DEC 46

TO

: 5 British Liaison Unit

Ref your letter G/124 dated 27 Nov 46. - ①

1. Herewith as detailed below Ministry of War Passes for Officers as requested in your a/q letter:-

50005 Major T. KIPCAT DES MC R.A.
 68879 Major A. GRAY R.A.
 291228 Capt (QM) L.A.S. CHATFIELD R.A.

2. Please acknowledge receipt on attached proforma.

*Receipt acknowledged of the a/q
 Ministry of War Passes.*

*lab.
 12/12.*

for Major General
3875

Th

5 Britton Mission Bldg
Date: 1953
2/12/57

27 NOV 45.

DATE: _____
(@ 11 Int.)

50065	Harber E.	1890-47	1220	103	24.4
64379	Major A.	1892			24.4
24120	Gate (H)	1.4.44	1000000.00		24.4

1. War Ministry Passes authorizing visits to Italian units and establishments are required by them in the interest of the above named officers.
2. May those be issued please.
3. Pass issued in favor of Major A. A. BANCROFT B. LONG is returned herewith. This officer having now proceeded to his on release.

05/2/20

City of
Tulsa, Oklahoma

100

284

In Possession of
Living Witness
G.R.O. 1000/45

In possession of
War M. or, Pass
Order, Motion
Barracks etc

	Yes	No	Yes	No
Birmingham	✓		✓	
Kilcar	Done	✓	Done	✓
Gray	Done	✓	Done	✓
Cary	✓		✓	
Chatfield	Done	✓	Done	✓

CC of 'No' please take necessary action.

Andrew...

388736

ZAM/boz

7 NOV 1946

1059

COMA 3 MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE (V°)
- Ufficio Territoriale ed AA.VV. -

n. 9556 Tav/V di prot. Udine, li 7 NOV 1946

OGGETTO: Accesso dei militari italiani alla
zona A della Venezia Giulia.

allegati n. 2

AL 5° BRITISH LIAISON UNIT

S E D E

Riferimento foglio n. AQ/41/189 di code
sto B.L.U. in data 4 corr. mese, si trasmette, com
pilato ed autenticato, il modulo di " pass" relati
vo al maggiore VALASSI Edmondo in servizio presso
il 2° Rgt. Ftr. a Mondovì (Cuneo).

Con l'occasione si restituisce anche il
foglio di licenza - relativo al predetto Ufficiale-,
che codesto Reparto di collegamento ha trasmesso a
questo Comando allegato al foglio in riferimento.



d'ordine

IL CAPO UFFICIO T.A.V.E

Ten. Col. Ugo Gravina)

Gravina

1

3872

0633

SUBJECT :- Permits5 British Liaison Unit
Tel: 155540/41/1894 Nov 46HQ
5 Territorial Command

1. The attached FOGLIO DI LICENZA is forwarded for necessary action having been passed to this HQ through 2 BLU located at GENOA.
2. Please advise this office in due course.

Field
AC/spFile
Diary*ach*
Major,
DAA & QMG.

3571

0634

SUBJECT: C.S.M.

186
See 187 & 184
5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1555
K/41/188
31 Oct 46.

Land Forces Sub Comm
(MFLA) ROME

Ref your Q 151 dated 22 Oct 46.

1. This matter has been taken up with AG UDINE
Provinces.
2. Copy of their reply is forwarded herewith.
3. Your further instructions are awaited, please.

TC
SC/CH

Alv.
Major,
DAA & QMG.

Encls.
AG letter 5/74/492 dated 30 Oct 46.

File
Diary

3570

31 OCT. 1946

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
UDINE PROVINCE

Tel. : 1516 - Ext;7.
File : S/7N/4422
Subj. : C.E.M.-
To : 5, B.L.U.
UDINE

30 Oct 46

See 184 x 188

Reference is your letter AG/41/184 of 26 Oct 46 and copy of a letter from Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. UNIA, Rome 2/131 dated 22 Oct 46.-

- 1) It must be realized from the outset that in AMG territory only A.F.H.Q. directive AG 386.3.Q (AR)O of 2 Oct 45 applies and the Italian War Ministry is in error when they state that ARAR has authorized them to dispose of CEM at Valbruna as ARAR have NO direct authority over CEM in Udine Province or Venezia Giulia.-
- 2) Para 3 of the letter under reply and the relevant extracts from the A.F.H.Q. Directive AG 386.3.Q (AR)O of 2nd Oct 45 is quite clear and definite on this point.-
- 3) Please make quite clear to the Italian Artillery Directorate how the matter stands in AMG territory.-
- 4) This HQ issues written orders to 5 Com.Mil.Ter. of Udine through your office for any releases of ammunition made to civilian firms, a copy of these releases are invariably sent to the local ARAR representative who works directly under this HQ.-
- 5) The above also applies to certain quantities of British, American, Greek and Czechoslovak ammunition which have been released by CEM Branch Rear 13 Corps to this HQ for disposal.-

For the Provincial Commissioner

SEEN BY	
GSO I	W.W.
GSO II	A.J.
DAA & QMG	1000.

W. Glynn Hall, Captain I.C.
P.S.O. Udine Province.

3009

Tel. : 1516 - Ext:7.

File : 3/7N/4492

Subject : C.E.M.-

To : 5, B.I.U.
UDINT

Reference is your letter AG/41/134 of 26 Oct 46 and copy of a letter from Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. UDIA, Rome 3/131 dated 22 Oct 46.-

- 1) It must be realized from the outset that in AMG territory only A.P.H.Q. directive AG 386.3.Q (AE)O of 2 Oct 45 applies and the Italian War Ministry is in error when they state that ARAR has authorized them to dispose of CEM at Valbruna as ARAR have NO direct authority over CEM in Udine Province or Venezia Giulia.-
- 2) Para 3 of the letter under reply and the relevant extracts from the A.P.H.Q. Directive AG 386.3.Q (AE)O of 2nd Oct 45 is quite clear and definite on this point.-
- 3) Please make quite clear to the Italian Artillery Directorate how the matter stands in AMG territory.-
- 4) This HQ issues written orders to 5 Com.Mil.Ter. of Udine through your office for any releases of ammunition made to civilian firms, a copy of these releases are invariably sent to the local ARAR representative who works directly under this HQ.-
- 5) The above also applies to certain quantities of British, American, Greek and Czechoslovak ammunition which have been released by CEM Branch Rear 13 Corps to this HQ for disposal.-

For the Provincial Commissioner

SEEN BY	
GSO I	<i>W.W.</i>
GSO II	<i>W.W.</i>
DAA & QMG	<i>W.W.</i>
S. C. F&M	
S. C. S. & I.	<i>W.W.</i>
S. C. ORD.	<i>W.W.</i>
CLERKS	

W. Glynn Hall, Captain I.C.
P.S.O. Udine Province.

3509

0637

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No.

785020

186

SUBJECT: Discipline

5 British Liaison Unit
Tele: 1555
AC/44/186

30 Oct 46.

HQ E6 Area
Venice

1. Copy of 5 Italian Territorial Command letter No 359/1 dated 25 Oct 46 together with copy translated into English is forwarded herewith for information and any action you may deem necessary.

Fd
AC/rm

File
Diary

all
Major,
DAA & QMG.

3868

TRANSLATION

5 ITALIAN TERRITORY COMMAND - UDINE
"INTELLIGENCE" SERVICE

No. 959/11

SUBJECT :- Foreigners in ITALY

5 EU Command
UDINE

UDINE 25.10.46

The following report by Carabinieri Group Command TRM130 dated 20.10.46, is forwarded for information.

'On 15 Oct 46, the English Sergeant attached to the Intelligence Service at "TERRE" Hotel of Vittorio Veneto rang up the Carabinieri Group HQ and called for 2 Carabinieri to give him assistance. Thinking that a crime had been committed against English Officers dwelling in that Hotel, the Commander of the Carabinieri "Station" went there with an NOC and a Corporal, and the English Sergeant asked them to follow him to the nearby "Toscano" Hotel to control some Soviet Russian subjects travelling through this area. The Carabinieri had only to protect the English Sergeant whilst carrying out the control. In fact, he went up the rooms, where the Russians were talking, and required them to hand their Identity Cards and asked them some questions about why and how they were at Vittorio Veneto. The three Russians, through an Italian Interpreter of Russian origin and relatives, said that they were there for study on silk-culture and cloth-making. The English Sergeant objected that their passports were not sufficient and he would be glad to see some other documents, that the Russians were unprovided with. The Italian interpreter was asked to release the records to the English NOC till next morning but he denied it and was near to be detained. The Command of Carabinieri Station suggested the English Sergeant to ring up the Russian Consulate at VENICE, to ascertain the truth of their statement. Thus the a/m NOC with two Russians entered the "Terre" Hotel, wherefrom he rang up AUG VENICE.

After that, upon word of the Russians, the Sergeant dismissed the Carabinieri.

Please notice that neither the Carabinieri NOCs nor the Corporal interfered at all, but confined themselves to assist the English Sergeant while controlling Identity Cards and discussing with the Russians. On 16 Oct 1946, the Soviet Russia Consul VENICE went to Vittorio Veneto to acknowledge what happened the night before, and with him was an Italian Officer who was willing to know how the case occurred.

by order

for Chief of Staff (absent for leave)

(Sgd) Lieut-Col. PLACENTINI

3567

0839

On 15 Oct 46, the English Sergeant attached to the Intelligence Service at "TERRA" Hotel of Vittorio Veneto rang up the Carabinieri Group HQ and called for 2 Carabinieri to give him assistance. Thinking that a crime had been committed against English Officers dwelling in that Hotel, the Commander of the Carabinieri "Stazione" went there with an NOO and a Corporal, and the English Sergeant asked them to follow him to the nearby "Toscana" Hotel to control some Soviet Russian subjects travelling through this area. The Carabinieri had only to protect the English Sergeant whilst carrying out the control. In fact, he went up the rooms, where the Russians were talking, and required them to hand their Identity Cards and asked them some questions about why and how they were at Vittorio Veneto. The three Russians, through an Italian Interpreter of Russian origin and relatives, said that they were there for study on silk-culture and cloth-making. The English Sergeant objected that their passports were not sufficient and he would be glad to see some other documents, that the Russians were unprovided with. The Italian interpreter was asked to release the records to the English NOO till next morning but he denied it and was near to be detained. The Command of Carabinieri Station suggested the English Sergeant to ring up the Russian Consulate at VENICE, to ascertain the truth of their statement. Thus the a/m NOO with two Russians entered the "Terra" Hotel, wherefrom he rang up ALG VENICE.

After that, upon word of the Russians, the Sergeant dismissed the Carabinieri

Please notice that neither the Carabinieri NOOs nor the Corporal interfered at all, but confined themselves to assist the English Sergeant while controlling Identity Cards and discussing with the Russians. On 16 Oct 1946, the Soviet Russia Consul VENICE went to Vittorio Veneto to acknowledge what happened the night before, and with him was an Italian Officer who was willing to know how the case occurred.

by order

for Chief of Staff (absent for leave)

(Sgd) Lieut-Col. FLACCHETTI

3067

C	File
GS	Deal
DAA & C	File
S. C. REAG	
S. C. S. & T.	78
S. C. S. & T.	File
S. C. S. & T.	

-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-

28 OTT. 1946

185

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE
Ufficio Informazioni

R. 954/11" al prot.

Oggetto: Stranieri in Italia.

Udine, 11 25 ottobre 1946

AL COMANDO DEL 5° E.I.D.

SEDE

Si comunica per notizia la seguente segnalazione pervenuta dal Gruppo Carabinieri di Treviso in data 20 ottobre 1946:

"Il 15 corrente, il sergente inglese addetto al servizio segreto dell'Albergo "VERNA" di Vittorio Veneto, chiedeva telefonicamente a questa Arma due militari. Credendo si trattasse di un ^{fu}reato commesso contro ufficiali inglesi alloggiati in detto Albergo, occorreva in luogo il comandante di stazione con un vicebrigadiere ed un appuntato. Giunti all'Albergo, il sergente inglese, comunicava di seguirlo al vicino albergo "ROSSANO" per controllare alcuni sudditi sovietici di passaggio in questa zona.

I militari dell'Arma dovevano solo proteggere il sergente inglese mentre effettuava il controllo. Infatti recatosi nelle camere, dove i sudditi russi conversavano domandò agli stessi i documenti di identificazione e fece loro alcune domande sul perché e come gli stessi si trovassero in Vittorio Veneto. I sudditi russi che erano tre, a mezzo di un interprete italiano che era con loro e di origine russa, perché apolide e di familiari russi, fece presente che si trovavano colà per studi su la bachicoltura e la tessitura. Il sergente inglese obiettò loro che non erano sufficienti i passaporti e che avrebbe avuto piacere di controllare altri documenti che i russi non avevano. L'interprete italiano a cui venne richiesto di lasciare i documenti in mano del sergente sino a questa mattina 16 corrente, non volle aderire alla richiesta, tanto che per poco non veniva fatto arrestare. Il Comandante la stazione suggerì al sergente inglese a telefonare al consolato russo di Venezia, per verificare la veridicità dell'asserito dei predetti. Infatti il predetto sottufficiale con due russi entrò nell'albergo "VERNA", da dove telefonò al comando allentato di Venezia.

Dopo la telefonata sulla parola di onore data dai russi, il sergente mise i militari dell'Arma in libertà.

Si fa notare che i sottufficiali dei carabinieri, né l'appuntato ³⁰⁶⁶ fatto non intervennero in veruna maniera e si limitarono ad assistere al controllo dei documenti ed alla discussione fra il sergente inglese e l'intelligence service e i russi.

Il 16 corrente, il Console russo di Venezia, giungeva a Vittorio Veneto per verificare cosa fosse accaduto la sera precedente. Con il Console vi era un ufficiale italiano (tenente) che volle sapere come si erano svolti i fatti.

Si conosce per notizia la seguente segnalazione pervenuta dal Gruppo Carabinieri di Treviso in data 10 ottobre 1945:

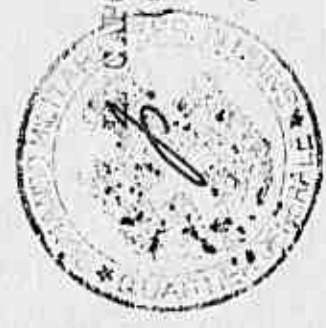
"Il 14 corrente, il sergente inglese addetto al servizio segreto dell'Albergo "TERME" di Vittorio Veneto, chiedeva telefonicamente a questa Arma due militari. Credendo si trattasse di qualche reato commesso contro ufficiali inglesi alloggiati in detto albergo, accorreva in luogo il comandante di stazione con un vicebrigadiere ed un appuntato. Giunti all'Albergo, il sergente inglese, comunicava di averlo al vicino albergo "TOSCANO" per controllare alcuni sudditi sovietici di passaggio in questa zona.

I militari dell'Arma dovevano solo proteggere il sergente inglese mentre effettuava il controllo. Infatti recatosi nelle camere, dove i sudditi russi conversavano domandò agli stessi i documenti di identificazione e fece loro alcune domande sul perché e come gli stessi si trovavano in Vittorio Veneto. I sudditi russi che erano tre, a mezzo di un interprete italiano che era con loro e di origine russa, perché apolide e di familiari russi, fecero presente che si trovavano colà per studi su la bacicoltura e la tessitura. Il sergente inglese chiese loro che non erano sufficienti i passaporti e che avrebbe avuto piacere di controllare altri documenti che i russi non avevano. L'interprete italiano a cui venne richiesto di lasciare i documenti in seno del sergente sino a questa mattina 16 corrente, non volle aderire alla richiesta, tanto che per poco non veniva fatto arrestare. Il Comandante la stazione suggerì al sergente inglese a telefonare al consolato russo di Venezia, per verificare la veridicità dell'asserito dei predetti. Infatti il predetto sottufficiale con due russi entrò nell'albergo "TERME", da dove telefonò al comando alleato di Venezia.

Dopo la telefonata sulla parola di onore data dai russi, il sergente mise i militari dell'Arma in libertà.

Si fa notare che i sottufficiali dei carabinieri, né l'appuntato **3886** fatto non intervennero in veruna maniera e si limitarono ad assistere al controllo dei documenti ed alla discussione fra il sergente inglese dell'intelligence service e i russi.

Il 16 corrente, il Console russo di Venezia, giungeva a Vittorio Veneto per verificare cosa fosse accaduto la sera precedente. Con il Console vi era un ufficiale italiano (tenente) che volle sapere come si erano svolti i fatti."



d'ordine
CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Col. A. Icardi)
Per Col. A. Icardi
Detto capo

SUBJECT:- German Ammunition - Disposal of.

5 British Liaison Unit.
Tel.: 1555

AG/41/184

26 Oct 46.

A.M.G., UDINE.

1. Copy of Land Forces Sub Comm. AG., M.M.I.A. Rome Q/131 dated 22 Oct 46 is forwarded herewith.
2. Please supply the details as requested in para 4 of the a/m letter, in order to form the basis of a suitable reply to M.M.I.A. from this HQ.
3. Your cooperation in this matter will be appreciated.

FIELD

AG/rv

FILE

DIARY

Almon
Major,
DAA & QEG.

183

SUBJECT : German ammunition - Disposal of.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
Q.131

22 October 1946

TO : 5 B.L.U.

1. Under reference A2/41/170 of 4 Sept 46 you wrote to 5 Territorial Command forwarding an application from PSO AMG Udine for Permits to enable the Firm of DORIO, Via Caccia 17 Udine, to enter depots at Codroipo, Arzene and Valbruna and withdraw CEM.

2. The War Ministry state that they have been authorised by the Directors of A.R.A.R. to dispose of German ammunition including that released to A.R.A.R. at Valbruna.

The Artillery Directorate at Venice was accordingly instructed to sell this ammunition but replied that the firm of DORIO had already been granted a Permit to dispose of this ammunition (including 25 tons of cartridges).

3. It is clear from A.F.H.Q. Directive AG 386.3 Q (AE)-O of 2nd Oct 45 as amended to date that AMG are responsible for disposal of captured ammunition located in the provinces of Udine and Venezia Giulia.

Small arms ammunition is to be destroyed and in the case of calibres larger than 20 mm AMG will make the necessary arrangements with civilian firms.

Relevant extracts from this Directive are attached at Appendix "A".

4. You are required to ascertain and report what authority has been given to the Firm of DORIO by AMG and whether A.R.A.R. have been included in the disposal plan for ammunition in Udine and Venezia Giulia.

R.A. Curties

R.A. CURTIES, Lt.Col.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

TO : 5 B.L.U.

1. Under reference AQ/41/170 of 4 Sept 46 you wrote to 5 Territorial Command forwarding an application from PSO AMG Udine for Permits to enable the Firm of DORIO, Via Caccia 17 Udine, to enter depots at Codroipo, Arzene and Valbruna and withdraw CEM.

2. The War Ministry state that they have been authorised by the Directors of A.R.A.R. to dispose of German ammunition including that released to A.R.A.R. at Valbruna.

The Artillery Directorate at Venice was accordingly instructed to sell this ammunition but replied that the firm of DORIO had already been granted a Permit to dispose of this ammunition (including 25 tons of cartridges).

3. It is clear from A.F.H.Q. Directive AG 386.3 Q (AE)-O of 2nd Oct 45 as amended to date that AMG are responsible for disposal of captured ammunition located in the provinces of Udine and Venezia Giulia.

Small arms ammunition is to be destroyed and in the case of calibres larger than 20 mm AMG will make the necessary arrangements with civilian firms.

Relevant extracts from this Directive are attached at Appendix "A".

4. You are required to ascertain and report what authority has been given to the Firm of DORIO by AMG and whether A.R.A.R. have been included in the disposal plan for ammunition in Udine and Venezia Giulia.

R.A. Curties
R.A. CURTIES, Lt.Col.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

RAC/ra

Copy to: War Ministry.

S E N D Y	
GSO I	<i>ad</i>
GSO II	
CAA & CNG	<i>Adv.</i>
S. C. FENE	
S. C. S. & T.	<i>R</i>
S. C. ORD.	<i>Jan</i>
CLERKS.	

Appendix A to Q131
 date 22 Oct 46

Extract from AFHQ AG 386.3 Q(AE)- O

para 9 e. Ammunition

- (1) All enemy mines, grenades, detonators and initiators, explosives, small arms ammunition and ammunition of 20 mm caliber or below and surplus to known military requirements will be destroyed by dumping in the sea, or lakes or by being exploded. Dumping will take place only in water of 50 fathoms depth or more. Until destroyed, as indicated, enemy material of this nature will continue to be a guard responsibility of the command in whose area it is located. In the destruction of this material German personnel, under Allied supervision, may be utilized and if necessary, German technical units may be formed for the purpose.
- (2) The location and quantities of all enemy ammunition, larger than 20 mm caliber, will be made known to the Government or Allied Military Government of the country concerned by the Command in whose area the material is located, through the Allied Commission or similar Allied agency. The Government or Allied Military Government of the country will then become totally responsible for the ammunition and will make the necessary arrangements with civilian firms, for the breaking down of the ammunition into its component parts. The Allied agency will be responsible for ensuring that the resultant products from the breaking down process, are not employed in the production of further armaments by the Governments of the countries. When the location and quantity of ammunition larger than 20 mm caliber has been made known to the Government or Allied Military Government of the country concerned, that organization will then be responsible for the safeguarding of the ammunition until its final disposal. Allied responsibility for safeguarding such ammunition will cease from the time that satisfactory arrangements have been made to this effect.
- (3)
 - (I) The allocation and quantities of all ammunition of Italian origin situated in Italy will be made known to the Italian Government or, in the case of the provinces of Udine and Venezia Giulia, to the Allied Military Government concerned.
 - (II) The Italian Government or the Allied Government will make immediate arrangements to take over the ammunition and will be totally responsible for its safe custody until its final disposal. The Italian Government or the Allied Military Government concerned will assume the responsibility, within

(2)

a time limit to be set by mutual agreement with the competent Allied Military Commander, for safeguarding such ammunition.

- (III) In the interest of internal security the Italian Government or the Allied Military Government concerned will be instructed to concentrate for particular guarding all ammunition of 20 mm caliber and below including mines, grenades, etc. They will be further instructed to place special guards on ammunition of a dangerous nature until its disposal. Commanders will satisfy themselves, when handing over, that such arrangements are in fact in hand. Such handover will only be at their discretion having regard to any operational directives the contrary and to the maintenance of internal security.
- (IV) The Italian Government, or Allied Military Government concerned, will make necessary arrangements, and be totally responsible for the disposal of all ammunition of Italian origin whether by destruction, dumping or breaking down into component parts for use in the civil rehabilitation of the country. Products resulting from the breaking down processes will not be employed in the production of further armaments except as permitted by the Allied Authorities. The Allied Government when making disposal will have regard to the requirements of the future Italian Armed Forces.
- (V) The Italian Government, or the Allied Military Government concerned, will be made finally responsible for the disposal of dangerous ammunition. However, present facilities for disposal afforded by the Allied will be continued as long as possible.
- (VI) Ammunition of Italian origin, located elsewhere than in Italy will be disposed as for captured ammunition of enemy origin.
- (4) Nothing in these instructions is to be regarded in any way as restricting the authority of addressees to dispose of ammunition, in any quantity, or in any manner considered suitable, which is in a dangerous condition, or constitutes a hazard to civil or military security.

0647

785020

TRANSLATION

5 Italian Technical Command - WINE

Services Office

No. 13445/5/6/2

DATE 24.10.46

GURJON - Ammunition Dump permits

5 BLU,
WINE.and for information
Detached Army Section
WINE

Ref to your AG/41/150 of Oct. 11/46.

1. The Ammunition Dump - BELO - is under AGC Command.
2. As to the Ammo-Dump - S. MACHINARIA - the Firm "Torio Bros" will directly make arrangements with the 131 Army Detached Section, who have been asked to let them pay a visit to the German and English Ammo lying there.

by order

Chief of Staff

Col. A. IGARDI

(Signed)

-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-

3061

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
PA & CUS	
S. C. I.	
S. C. S. & I.	

5.000,
10.000.

and for information
Detached Army Section
DATE

Ref to your AG/44/190 of Oct 11/46.

1. The Ammunition Dump - BEA 0 - is under AGA Command.
2. As to the Ammo-Dump - S. MACHILIANA - the Firm "Doris Bros" will directly make arrangements with the 1st Army Detachment Section, who have been asked to let them pay a visit to the German and English Ammo lying there.

by order

Chief of Staff

Col. A. H. H. H.

(Signed)

-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-

3061

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	<i>hull</i>
DAA & CWS	<i>W. H.</i>
S. C. P. & T.	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS	

0649

CSO/mcl

COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI UDINE
Ufficio Servizi -

25 OTT. 1946

N.13116/S/6/2 di prot.

Udine li 24 OTT. 1946

OGGETTO: Permesso di visitare i depositi munizioni.-
And. n. 1000. Jump Permits

AL 5° E.L.U.

S E D E

e per conoscenza:

ALLA SEZIONE STACCATA ARTIGLIERIA U D I N E

Riferimento vostro AQ/41/180 dell'11 ottobre.-

- 1) Il deposito munizioni di BEANO dipende dall'Autorità Alleata.
- 2) Per il Deposito munizioni di S.Margherita la ditta Bratelli DORIO potrà prendere diretti accordi con la Sezione Staccata di Artiglieria che è già stata pregata di far visitare il munizionamento tedesco ed inglese colà ricoverato.-

d'ordine
CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Col A. Icadi)*scavo*

3580

SUBJECT: - Motor Vehicle Circulation Permit.

5 British Liaison Unit.
Tel.: 1555

AQ/41/181

11 Oct 46.

ALG, UDINE Province
(Att. P.S.O.)

Ref telephonic conversation of 11/10
between Capt Hall and Major Johnston, attached
is application for circulation permit.

FIELD
VRWJ/rv


Major,
DAA & QMG.

FILE
DIARY

SUBJECT:- Permit to visit Ammunition Dumps.

5 British Liaison Unit.
Tel.: 1555

AQ/41/180

11 Oct 46.

5 Italian Territorial Command.

1. Attached for your information and necessary action a copy of a letter from PSO, AMG, Udine Province.

2. Will you arrange for the issue of the permit to the firm DORIO Bros forthwith ?


Major,
DAA & QMG.

FIELD

VRWJ/rv

FILE

DIARY

0652

785020

WGH/jon

10 OCT. 1946

HEADQUARTERS
ARMED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
UDINE PROVINCE

179

8 Oct 46

Tel : 1516 - Ext. 7.
File : S/7N/4121
Subject : Permit to visit ammo dump.-
To : DAA & QMG
5.-B.L.U.
UDINE

Please issue a permit for the firm of DORIO to enable
him to visit the ammo dumps at Beano and S. Margherita.-

For the Provincial Commissioner

W. Glynn Hall
W. Glynn Hall, Captain I.C.
P.S.O. Udine Province.

SEEN BY	
GSO I	
GSO II	
ASST. QMG	
SEC. STAFF	
S. C. S. & I.	
S. C. ORD.	
CLERKS	

3357

0653

SUBJECT: Frontier Control

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC(MMIA)
(489081 Ext. 401) SD/50
- 8 OCT. 1946 Oct 46

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Ref your 224242/II of 29/9/46.

It is confirmed that Allied vehicles, and personnel, crossing the frontier either way, are subject to frontier control of the Italian Frontier Authorities.

RNG/sb

1110 Hq. BGs
Major-General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Executive Commissioner, AC (our letter SD/50 of 3/8/46 refers)

4	British Liaison Unit (our letter SD/50 of 3/8/46 refers)	}	Copy of AFHQ letter G3 AFHQ/123 of 30/8/46 is attached
1	British Liaison Unit		
2	"	}	"
3	"		
5	"		

(Note : Copy of Ministry of War letter 224242/II of 29 Sep 46 is forwarded to all (less addressee).)

SERIAL	
1	
2	
3	

3056

Ref your 224242/II of 29/9/46.

It is confirmed that Allied vehicles, and personnel, crossing the frontier either way, are subject to frontier control of the Italian Frontier Authorities.

RNC/sb

1410 Hope BGS

Major-General,
M. M. I. A.

Copy to: Executive Commissioner, AC (our letter SD/50 of 3/8/46 refers)
4 British Liaison Unit (our letter SD/50 of 3/8/46 refers)
1 British Liaison Unit } Copy of AFHQ letter G3 AFHQ/123 of
2 " " } 30/8/46 is attached
3 " " " " "
5 " " " " "

(Note: Copy of Ministry of War letter 224242/II of 29 Sep 46 is forwarded to all (less addressee).)

SEEN BY	
C.O. I	
C.O. II	
S. C. FILE	
S. C. S. & T.	
S. C. C.O.	

3556

COPY

TRANSMISSION

FROM : M. of W.

REF : 224242/II

TO : M.M.I.A.

DATE : 29/9/46

SUBJECT: Frontier Control

1. Your Mission, with letter No SD/50 dated 3rd Aug 1946, forwarded a letter from AFHQ containing some information requested by this Ministry regarding frontier control.
2. According to the above letter "all the questions relating to the control of the ITALO-FRENCH and ITALO-AUSTRIAN frontiers were the responsibility of the Italian Government".
3. With a view to giving to the executive organs of such control a precise ruling for the carrying out of their duty, we beg you to say whether the Allied Ministry personnel and the equipment loaded on Allied vehicles (coming in and going out) are or are not subject to the frontier control of Italian frontier authorities.
4. Said clarification, in addition to defining the duty of Italian frontier authorities, would be useful for the Allied Authorities which could rely upon the Italian police for the discovery of crimes which might be committed by fake Allied personnel in uniform.

Sgd LOMBARDI, Col.

3855

COPYALLIED FORTE HEADQUARTERS
G-3 SECTION

FILE : G-3 AMW/123

30 July 1946

SUBJECT: Frontier Control

TO : INDIA

Reference your SD/50 of 22 July.

1. The Northern provinces of Italy less the provinces of UDINE and VERONA GIULIA were handed back to the control of the Italian Government on 29 December 1945. All matters of frontier control, therefore, on the FRANCO-ITALIAN and ITALY-AUSTRIAN frontiers bounding these provinces became the responsibility of the Italian Government on that date.
2. In view, however, of strong representation from the BRITISH Government, the Italian Prime Minister, in a letter dated 29 December 1945 gave an undertaking that the Italian Government would not station troops other than GCRS anywhere within 15 miles of the FRANCO-ITALIAN frontier pending further notification from the Supreme Allied Commander.
3. Subject to the restriction in paragraph 2 above, the Italian Government are responsible for taking all measures necessary for the control of their frontiers, including action against "possible armed parties which may attempt to violate the frontier and occupy the locality".

BY ORDER OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

OFFICIAL:
J.D.A. ANDERS N
Brigadier, G.S.
AG of S, G-3T.S. AIRBY,
Major General,
Chief of Staff.Copy to : G-2
G-5

0657

785020

5 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT

41/176

8 Oct '46

The bearers

..... Mattina Roberto.....
..... Ponucca Gnetto.....
..... Rollini..... Cellone.....

are to see the Staff Lieutenant, Welfare HQ 1 MIRA.


Major,
DAA & QMC.

3853

