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NAVAL MESSAGE

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TO CINC MPO (R) AMEMBRY, F.O.I.1.

FROM DIRM, AMSC.

Unclassified

Captain R.F. PRICE USN relieved Commodore H.W. ZIMMER USN as U.S. Harbor and Deputy Director Italian Naval Branch AMSC on 14th (R) 14th June.

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REST: 0-7, 10, 15, 16, 21, LOG.

HEADQUARTERS

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P.M. 5th

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NAVAL MESSAGE

TO SACRED (R) OF ROME, ONE ROME, CNO. COMNAVVED. ROME,
COMNAVVED. US MESSIA & POWER NAVAL COMMISSION.
FROM US NUMBER ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH APOQ.

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Declassified Routine.

Re: COMNAVVED 31153 and 311562/200. Effective 4th June.
Captain Roland W. FINEG USN reports temp. additional duty as U.S. Member
Italian Naval Branch APOQ vice Commodore Hubert W. Kiroli USN relieved.

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REFS: NOT HELD.
DISE: 0-7, 10, 15, 16, 21, Log.

REF: P/A. P.M. 5th. DCS. 5/6/67.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS, Leghorn, Italy, 20 May 1947.

THRU: Director, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters, APO 794.

TO: Deputy Director, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters, APO 794,
(Commodore H. W. Zirolì, U.S.N.).

1. The Commanding General, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, has carefully considered the overall situation with reference to United States representation on the AFHQ Naval Subsection.

2. While regretting the necessity for Commodore Zirolì's reassignment prior to the close-out of the functions of the Naval Subsection, the Theater Commander is willing to concur in his reassignment after "R" Day.

3. The indorsement of Admiral Warren was taken into consideration by the Commanding General in arriving at his decision.


L. C. JAYNES
Major General, U. S. Army
Deputy Chief of Staff
AFHQ

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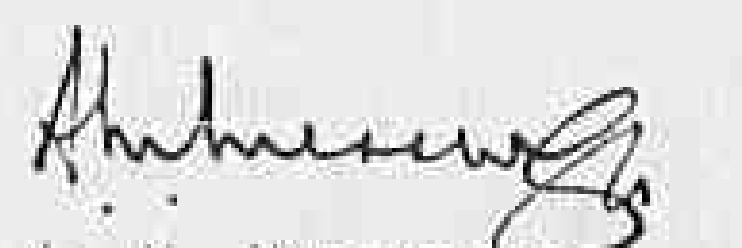
Deputy Director, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters.
(Commodore H.W. Zirolì)

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Forwarded.

ROME,
1st June 1947.

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A. L. Messenger,
Admiral's Secretary.
1st June 1947.

Allied Force Headquarter
ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH
APO 794

RELIEVING OF COMMODORE H. W. ZIROLI, U. S. NAVY, AS U. S. NAVAL
MEMBER, ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH, ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

Letter from Deputy Director, Italian Naval Branch,
Allied Force Headquarters (Commodore H. W. Zirolì,
USN) dated 6 May 1947.

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9 May 1947.

COMMANDING GENERAL, MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS.

In view of the proximity of the ratification of the Peace Treaty and the consequent closing down of the Italian Naval Branch of Allied Force Headquarters, I view with apprehension any change of staff.

2. Commodore Zirolì, who has served with the Allied Commission almost since its inception, has the necessary background and knowledge, which will be invaluable when the final turnover takes place.

3. In the event of any undue delay in ratification of the Peace Treaty it will certainly be necessary to review the whole matter of the staffing of the Italian Naval Branch, but in view of the short time involved it is considered that a newcomer on the U. S. side of the integration would not be conducive to efficiency.

R. D. Warren

REAR ADMIRAL,
DIRECTOR, ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH
APO 794

6 May 1947

From: Deputy Director, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters.
(Commodore H.M. Ziroti, USN).
To: Commanding General, Mediterranean Theater of Operations,
United States Army.
Via: Director, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters.
Subject: Relieving of Commodore H.M. Ziroti, U.S. Navy as U.S. Naval
Member, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters.

1. The following despatch is respectfully referred to the Commanding General, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, United States Army as requested therein:

"From: Commander U.S. Naval Forces,
Eastern Atlantic.

Action: U.S. Naval Member, Italian
Naval Branch, Allied Force
Headquarters.

Classification: Unclassified.

Info: Chief of Naval Operations,
U.S. Naval Attache, Paris.

Precedence: Routine.

"IT IS MY PRESENT INTENTION UPON REPORTING OF LIEUT. MANCHINI TO CAPTAIN FRYDE IN PARIS TO ORDER THE FORMER TO REPORT TO YOU IN SOME FOR ADDITIONAL DUTY AND SHORTLY THEREAFTER TO HAVE COMER LOCATE RELIEVE YOU UNLESS CC MTONSA OBJECTS AND TO MAKE YOU AVAILABLE TO US FOR ASSIGNMENT I REFER THIS CC MTONSA AND ADVISE WITH YOUR OWN COMMENT I HAVE NOT ADDED PASS ACTION US NAVAL MEMBER ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH AFHQ K ALLIED NAVAL NOT ADDED PASS TO US NAVAL MEMBER FOUR POWER NAVAL COMMISSION PARIS IN 211627Z/APR 1946."

2. In addition to myself as deputy director, the U.S. Navy representation on the Italian Naval Branch of Allied Force Headquarters consists of Commander S.C. Loomis, U.S.N. who reported for temporary duty on the Italian

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Allied Force Headquarters
ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH
APO 791

6 May 1947

Subject: Relieving of Commodore H.M. Ziroli, U.S. Navy as U.S. Naval
Member, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters.

Naval Branch on 19 April 1947, and Lieutenant Commander C.C. Carli, U.S.N.,
who reported for duty on 2 May 1947, with further orders to be detached
shortly for duty in the United States.

3. This correspondence is forwarded through the Director, Italian
Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters, Rear Admiral Ray L. Warren, R.N. for
comments and recommendation.



H. M. Ziroli,
Commodore U.S. Navy.

SENIOR U. S. NAVAL LIAISON OFFICE, ITALY.
ROME, ITALY.

FROM: COMNAVEASTLANT

ACTION: COMMODORE ZIROLI IN CARE OF
ALUSHA ROMECLASSIFICATION: UNCL
PRECEDENCE:

ROUTINE

INFO:

DATE: 9 MAY 1947

081316Z ~~EXX~~ / MAY 1948.

REQUEST IMMEDIATE REPLY FOLOWING DISPATCH SENT TO YOU AS MY DIS
211627Z VIA ROME AREA COMMAND US ARMY QUOTE IT IS MY PRESENT INTENTION
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Allied Force Headquarters
ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH
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(Sgd) G. L. WARREN

REAR ADMIRAL,
DIRECTOR, ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH.

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9 MAY 1947

Allied Force Headquarters
 ITALIAN NAVAL BRANCH
 WFO 784

6 May 1947

From: Deputy Director, Italian Naval Branch, Allied Force Headquarters.
 (Commodore H.W. Zirolli, USN).
 To: Commanding General, Mediterranean Theater of Operations,
 United States Army.
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,
U.S. Naval Member,
Italian Naval Branch.

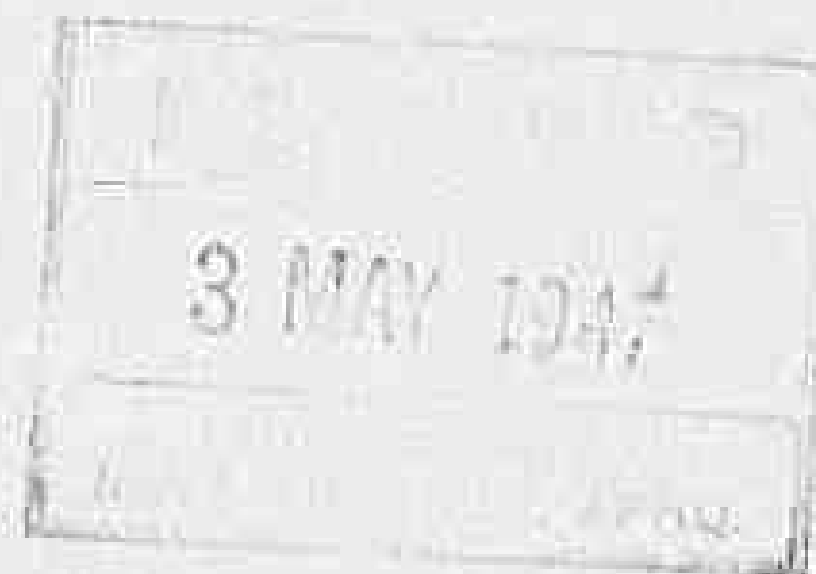
1 May 1947.

From: U.S. Naval Member, Italian Naval Branch, AFHQ.
To: Director, Italian Naval Branch, AFHQ.
Subject: Commander Sam C. LOOMIS, jr., U.S. Navy (74977) -
reporting of.

1. Subject named officer reported for temporary duty with this activity on 19 April 1947, in accordance with Commander U.S. Naval Forces, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean, dispatch 191029 of April 1947, to relieve Lieutenant Leslie S. ROGERS, U.S. Naval Reserve, who will be eligible for return to the U.S. for release to inactive duty on or about 25 May 1947, in accordance with Secretary of the Navy's dispatch 151543Z/79 (ALNAV 79-47).

A. R. Conklin
A. R. CONKLIN,
By direction.

Copy to: CG, AFHQ
CO RAAC
G-5 AFHQ



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1. W. Hunt 7/5
N.A. 7/5

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STAFF MINUTE SHEET

FLAG OFFICER LIAISON ITALY

Subject:

Originator, reference No. & Date:

Referred to

Remarks of Staff Officers should be drafted in the form of a letter or signal to cover desired action.

Captain Stanley Napier BLACKBURN

CBE DSC.

(Mentions in despatches
2 - 1914-1918)

Seniority: As Comdr. 31.12.30
As Captain 5.9.44.
(Retd)

Date of appointment as C.S.O.: FOUL 1.3.46. FOIL 25.7.45 FOTALI 6.5.44.

Date of birth: 5.9.94

Foreign languages: French, Italian.

Specialist or
Technical qualifications: PSC and PSC(Air) 580

To be signed by

After action

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Serial: 72

1 March 1947.

SECOND INCLOSURE to
BuPers ltr. Pers - 8122-ETM-jvg
of 7 February 1947.

From: Deputy Director, Naval Sub-Section, Italian Military
Affairs Section.
To: Lieutenant Commander Allen G. Van Wye, SCS, USNR,
Office of Foreign Liquidation Commission, Paris.
Subject: Transportation for Dependent Wife to Italy.

1. Forwarded.

H. W. ZIROLI.

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UNITED STATES NAVAL FORCES
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to FLEET POST OFFICE,
NEW YORK, NEW YORK.

24 FEB 1947

FIRST ENDORSEMENT on
BuPers ltr Pers-8122-
EFM-jvg of 7 February
1947.

From: Commander, U.S. Naval Forces, Mediterranean.
To : Lt. Comdr. Allen G. Van Wye, SCS, USNR.
Via : Chief, Navy Sub-Section, Italian Military Affairs Section,
Rome.

Subject: Transportation for dependent wife to Italy.

1. Forwarded.

W. T. HOLMES,
By direction.

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Pers-8122-BMM-jvg

7 February 1947

To: Lt. Comdr. Allen G. Van Wye, SC(S), USNR
U. S. Naval Forces Mediterranean
FPO, New York, New York

Via: Commander U. S. Naval Forces Mediterranean

Subj: Transportation for dependent wife to Italy.

Ref: (a) Your request dated 11 January 1947.
(b) CNO letter serial 195P21 OP-21 dated 6 March 1946
(c) AlNav #89 of 1946

1. Reference (a) requested transportation for your wife from the United States to Italy. Reference (c) outlines the requirements for the military personnel before transportation for dependents may be authorized.
2. As your tour of duty will not fulfill the requirements of reference (c), transportation for your wife can not be authorized at government expense, nor can permission be granted for her travel at your own expense.
3. By copy of this letter your wife will be advised of this action.

By direction of the Chief of Naval Personnel:

L. W. PANCOAST, Captain, USN
Director of Transportation

CC:
Mrs. Allan G. Van Wye
603 Township Line
Jenkintown, Pennsylvania

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21 February 1947.

MEMORANDUM TO: STAFF OFFICER TO CHIEF, IMAS.

SUBJECT: PRIORITY TELEPHONE CALLS.

REFERENCE: RAAC Ltr. AG 311.3/93 of 17 February 1947.

1. The following officers are hereby designated as authorized to place Priority Telephone Calls for the Naval Sub-Section, IMAS:

Commodore H. W. Zirolf, USN, Deputy Director.
Lieutenant L. S. Rogers, USNR, Administrative Officer.
Lieutenant A. R. Conklin, USNR, Aide and Secretary to Deputy Director.

2. It is understood that the names of Royal Navy Officers of this Sub-Section authorized to make priority telephone calls were submitted by FOLI (Flag Officer Liaison Italy).

For the Deputy Director,

L. S. ROGERS, Lieut. USNR
Administrative Officer.

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO 794 US ARMY

GR:FL/aa
17 February 1947

AG 311.3/93

SUBJECT: Priority Telephone Calls

TO : Commanding Officer,
All Units in Rome Area Allied Command

1. Letter, this Headquarters, subject above, dated 14 February 1947 is rescinded.

2. In order to substantially reduce the number of priority telephone calls being placed over the Rome Long Distance Switchboard and to put into effect a more efficient system for subscribers the following plan will be put into operation.

3. Rome Long Distance Switchboard will maintain a current roster of persons authorized to place priority telephone calls. Priority calls will not be accepted from individuals whose names do not appear on this roster.

4. Each unit in Rome Area Allied Command will submit a roster of persons authorized to initiate priority telephone calls, stating name, grade and position occupied. This roster will be submitted to Signal Officer, RAAC before 1200 hours, 21 February 1947, for ultimate screening and approval by this Headquarters.

5. Commencement of operation of this plan will be announced in the RAAC Daily Bulletin.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL DAWSON:

CoB Dist 18P/47.

ACTION : Chief of IMAS

Info : Navy S/s

Land Forces S/s

Air Forces S/s

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C. B. Murphy
C. B. MURPHY
Major, AGD
Adjutant General

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20 FEB 1947

NAVY AND AIR FORCE

File: Fl6-4/00
Serial: (833)

5 February 1947.

From: Senior U.S. Naval Liaison Officer, Italy.
To: Lieutenant Leslie S. ROGERS D(L), USNR (282064).
Subject: Change of Duty - ORDERS.
Reference: (a) SENALUSLO dispatch 301100 of January 1947.
(b) BUPERS dispatch 312115Z of January 1947.

1. In accordance with references (a) and (b) you are hereby detached from duty with Senior U.S. Naval Liaison Officer, Italy, and such other duties as may have been assigned you. You will proceed and report to the Deputy Director, Navy Sub-Section Italian Military Affairs Section for duty.

2. No transportation is necessary in the execution of these orders and none is authorized.

H. W. ZIROLI.

cc: BuPers
ComNavEu
ComNavMed

FIRST ENDORSEMENT

Italian Military Affairs Section,
NAVAL SUB-SECTION.

5 February 1947.

From: Deputy Director, Naval Sub-Section, IMAS.
To: Lieutenant Leslie S. ROGERS, DL, USNR (0282064).

1. Reported this date.

H. W. ZIROLI.

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