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ABRUZZI - MARCHE
DEC. 44 - FEB. 45

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3612/12	16 Dec.	1. Director 2. Col. FAVA. Please see P.O. Dagnus Rajon (2) Col Fava. Please withhold P&R Rep from Persons as requested P.O. Dagnus Rajon Col. Fava. (3) Please attend to folio. 16	16
27 Jan 45			
2 Feb 46			

Please see

R.D. Magnus
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27 Jan 45

ed Fava.

Please withhold Pat Rep from
Persons as requested

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2 Feb 46

Col. Rosen

Please attend to Subj. 12

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translated by J.D.R.

From : Presidency of the Council - Patriots Office.

Ref. 1697

Date : 21 February 1945.

Subject : Capt. COMPAGNUCCI COMPAGNONI Eros.

To : A.C. Patriots Branch.- Rome.

Ref. 36/2²⁵ PAT dated 16 January 1945.

The officer referred to above had formerly been appointed to A.C. H.Q. in place of Mr. Alberto Villa who at the end of December 1944 should have been no longer available for his post.

As the grounds for the substitution have ~~ceased~~ ^{no trace} to exist the provisions adopted with the letter 563 dated 23 December 1944 must be considered as cancelled.

Cap. Compagnucci Compagnoni Eros has been appointed Military representative for Rome.

Col Fava

for information & action.

M.P. 5/8.

Seen.

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G. Fava

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To Capt. di Audoubert
3/3/45

Francesco 3/3

J. J. R.

PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI

UFFICIO PATRIOTI

N. 1697 /P.T. di prot.

Roma, 21 Febbraio 1945

OGGETTO: CAP. COMEGNAUCCI COMPAGNONI ERUS.

ALL'A.C. - PATRIOTS BRANCH

P O M A

Riferimento f. 26/2/PAT del 16 Gennaio c.a.

L'Ufficiale in oggetto è stato a suo tempo nominato rappresentante dell'ufficio presso codesto M.Q. = A.C. Patriots Branch in sostituzione del Dott. Villa Albertto che alla fine di dicembre 1944 non sarebbe più stato disponibile per detto compito.

Poiché è venuto meno il motivo della sostituzione, il provvedimento di cui al foglio A.-563 del 23 Dicembre 1943 intendersi annullato.

Il Cap. Comegnaucci Compagnoni Erus è stato designato quale Ufficiale rappresentante per Brescia.



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CAPO UFFICIO PATRIOTI
Ten. Col. Siro Bernabò

ALL'A.C. = PATRIOTS BRANCH

P O M A

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Poiché è venuto meno il motivo della sostituzione, il provvedimento di cui al foglio n. 563 del 23 Dicembre 1943 intendersi annullato.

Il Cap. Compagnucci Compagnoni Erna è stato destituito quale Ufficiale rappresentante per Brescia.



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CAPO UFFICIO PATRIOTS
Gen. Col. Siro Bernabò

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15 Feb 1945

Translated by J.d;R.

FROM : AMF. Patriots Representative, PESCARA
TO : Maj. AC. Patriots Branch, ROME
: Presidency of the Council, Patriots Office, ROME.
DATE : 20 January 1945.
REF : 106.
SUBJECT: Passing over the Office.

Following our letter ref. 74 dated 7 December 1944 we wish to inform you that upon 20 January we have handed over to the Pescara Section of A.N.P.I. (Ufficio Straleio), all the normal correspondence and documents concerning patriots activity in the Pescara province.

We have conc ed the corresponding reports.

THE MILITARY REPRESENTATIVE

(signed) Maj. Giacomo Lombardi.

/mfe.

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13 Feb 1945

H. Q. A. C. C.

PATRIOT REPRESENTATIVES

FOR THE PROVINCE OF PESCARA

N. 186 di Prot.

Risposta al foglio del

Pescara, li 20. I. 1945

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OGGETTO: Passaggio consegne

H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSIONE

Patriot Branch R.C. & M.G. Section

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ALLA PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI

Ufficio Patrioti

R O M A

A seguito del fo. 74 di Prot/ del 7 dicembre 1944 si comunica che in data 20 gennaio si è proceduto al passaggio in consegna all'A.T.P.I. Sezione di Pescara (Ufficio Stralcio) di tutto il carteggio ordinario e documentazione riguardante l'attività Patriottica svolta nella Provincia di Pescara.

Sono stati redatti i relativi verbali.

IL RAPPRESENTANTE DEL CERCEO MILITARE

Man. P. Lombardi
(Man. P. Lombardi)

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Translated by J.d.R.

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FROM : AMG, Patriots Representative, PESCARA
TO : HQ.AC. Patriots Branch, ROME.
: Presidency of the Council, P.O., ROME.
REF : 160/A/
DATE : 6 February 1945.
SUBJECT : Handing over of correspondence.

/R.S.

Ref: 8871/R.I. of the Patriots Office, Presidency of the Council, dated 3 January 1945 and following our letters ref 106 and 108/A dated 20 January 1945. I wish to inform you that all documents concerning patriots' activity in the Pescara Province have been transferred to the A.V.P.I. (Pescara section) and forwarded to the Presidency of the Council of Ministers, Patriots Office as by the above letter.

no trace

Instructions have been given in order that applications, requests and correspondence concerning the patriots or the collaborators should be forwarded to the Presidency of the Council, Patriots Office.

THE MILITARY REPRESENTATIVE

(signed) Maj. Giacomo LOMBARDI.

/mfg.

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H.Q.A.C.

PATRIOTS REPRESENTATIVES
FOR THE PROVINCE OF PESCARA

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N°160/A di prot.

Pescara li 6 febbraio 1945

OCCETTO: Consegna carteggio.=

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H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSION PATRIOT BRANCH R.O. & M.C. STUTTOS APO 394

ALLA PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI=Ufficio Patrioti R.O.M.A

Riferimento foglio N°887/R.A. di prot. data 8 gennaio u/s.=

Seguito fogli N°106/108/A prot. in data 20 gennaio 1945 comunico che tutto il carteggio, la documentazione (etc) riguardante l'attività patriottica svolta nella provincia di Pescara sono stati ritirati dall'A.M.P.I. (sezione Pescara) e consegnati alla Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri=ufficio Patrioti=come da foglio in riferimento.=

Sono stati inoltre data disposizioni per l'invio alla Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri=ufficio Patrioti= di eventuali domande, di pratiche riguardanti l'attività patriottica svolta da elementi meritevoli della qualifica di patriota o di collaboratore.=

Il rappresentante del Centro Militare

(Maggiore Giacomo Lombardi)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COM.
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/PAT.

16 febbraio 1945.

Soggetto: Cap. Compagnucci Compagnoni.Alla : Presidenza del Consiglio,
Ufficio Patrioti, Roma.

Si prega dare sollecito riscontro ai
fogli di questo Ufficio di uguale riferimento
datati 16 gennaio e 6 febbraio 1945.

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[Signature]
F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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BMS/afg.

HEADQUARTERS ARMED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

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Ref: 36/2/PAT

Subject: Capt. Compagnucci Compagnucci

To: President of the Council 16 Feb 1945.
Patrol OfficeReference this Branch's letter reference number as above,
dated 16 Jan 16 Feb 45 20

- (a) 10 There is no trace that a reply has been received.
- (b) If a reply has not yet been despatched, please expedite.

F. GRIG.
Lt. Colonel.
Director
Patriots Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS
 AMG
 ANCONA PROVINCE
 ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION
 C. M. F.

VH9

Subject: Movements

From: P.C. Ancona Province

Ref: AMG/A/155

Date 15 Feb 1945

Capt. Scoto Corrado, Patriots Rep, will proceed
 to HQ. AC. Rome o/a 15 Feb 45 reporting to patriots branch on
 arrival.

This is a permanent change of station.

Travel by Govt Mt is authorised.

W. Shawhall
 GUY ELWES,

Distribue HQ AC (C.A. Sect. Patriots BR) /
 " " (Billetting Offr)
 HQ Abruzzi-Marche Region
 SPESO
 Capt. Scoto.

Lieut. Colonel,
 Provincial Commissioner
 ANCONA Province.

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TO :- HQ. AC. Civil Affairs Section, Patriots Branch. ✓
FROM :- HQ. AMR/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region.
SUBJECT :- Withdrawal of Patriot Reps.
REF :- R/507/24.
DATE :- 9 February, 1945.

F259 OF 36/PAT

1. Reference your 36/PAT, dated 2 Feb 45, addressed to P.C. Aquila.
2. The Patriot Reps completed their work in Aquila Province and were paid up to the 3rd of November 44, their services being no longer required.

FOR REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:

S. Piccirilli
S. PICCIRILLI,
Lt. Colonel,
R.P.S.O.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 194
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/PAT.

7 February 1945.

Subject: Capt. Scoto Corrado.

To: Hq. AMG/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region.

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1. Reference your R5/507/24 dated 5 Feb, 45.
 2. Capt. Scoto Corrado, Patriots Represen-
tative to Ancona Province, can be released
and forwarded back to Rome.

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F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

AV/mfg.

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TO : HQ. AC. (Civil Affairs Section Patriots Branch)
FROM : HQ. AMG/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region
SUBJECT : Capt. Scoto Corrado
REF : R5/507/24
DATE : 5 February 1945



The attached copy of letter received from P.C. Ancona
ref ANC/A/155 dated 2 Feb 45 is forwarded for your information.

Will you please cause Capt. Scoto to be recalled.

FOR REGIONAL COMMISSIONER :


S. PICKERING
Lt. Colonel
R.P.S.O.

/ec

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C O P Y

HEADQUARTERS
AMG
ANCONA PROVINCE
ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION
CMF

SUBJECT : Capt. Scoto Corrado

TO : HQ Abruzzi-Marche Region

REF : ANO/A/155

FROM : P.C. Ancona Province

DATE: 2 Feb 45

We are fortunate in having attached to Ancona Provincial HQ an Italian holding a commission in the British Army. This officer was one of the foremost partigiani in the province & was given a commission in recognition of his services.

While this officer is not working for the Patriots Branch, we can, - & do - appeal to him on matters appertaining to patriots.

It is therefore, felt that we can now dispense with the services of Capt. Scoto & shall be glad if you will inform Rome accordingly in order that he may be recalled.

/s/ ?????

GUY ELWES,
Lieut. Colonel
Provincial Commissioner
ANCONA Province.

NEM/PM

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ATO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH.

Ref: 36/2/PAT.

6 Febbraio 1945.

Oggetto: Cap. Compagnucci Compagnoni.Alla: Presidenza del Consiglio,
Ufficio Patrioti, Roma.

Si prega dare sollecito riscontro al
foglio di questo Ufficio di uguale riferimento
datato 16 gennaio 1945.

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[Signature]
F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS, LIAISON COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/PAT
Subject: CAPT COMPAGNUECI COMPAGNONI
To: The Presidency of the Council,
Patriots Office, Rome 6 Feb 1945.

Reference this Branch's letter, reference number as above,
dated 11 Jan 45 - 10

- (a) There is no trace that a reply has been received.
(b) If a reply has not yet been despatched, please expedite.

J.P.

J.P. S. de la R.
J. P. S. de la R.
Lt. Colonel.
Director
Patriots Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH.

Ref: 36/2/PAT.

3 February 1945.

Subject: Capt. Scoto.

To: HQ. AMS. Ancona Province.

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1. Reference your A/155 dated 29 January 1945.
 2. Capt. Scoto returned on Monday 29 January as transportation could not be arranged before that date.
 3. He signed for and took with him 400 certificates numbered 59561-59960.


F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

AV/afg.

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Recd 36/2 A Q Comdt
 HEADQUARTERS
 AMG
 ANCONA PROVINCE
 ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION
 CMF

Subject: Capt. Scoto
 Patriots Branch
 To: R.C. & M.G. Section HQ AC
 From: P.C. Ancona Province

Ref.: AMG/ A/I55

Date: 29 Jan 45.

The above mentioned officer was given permission to visit Rome on the 30th January & the duration of his stay was expected to be forty eight hours.

As he has not returned we presume he has been held up by the weather.

Can you give us any information concerning his whereabouts.?

leaving Monday 29th.

~~See photo 15~~

GUY ELWES
 Lt. Col,
 Provincial Commissio
 ANCONA Province

Copy to : HQ Abruzzi Marche Reg.
 MEM/AG.

Signed for 400 certificates
 and collected 29th
 and have left
 the same day.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/Pat

Subject: Patriot Representative, Pescara.

To: Provincial Commissioner,
Ohioti, Pescara and Ternio Provinces.

Ext. 374

29th Jan, 45.

1. Reference your CMT/128 dated 23rd Jan, 45.
2. It is agreed that the Patriot Representative for Pescara should be withdrawn.
3. He should be paid until the date of his release.

F. CRAIG.
Lt. Colonel.
Director
Patriots Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
CHIETI, PESCARA AND TERAMO PROVINCES

Subject: Patriots

Date, 29 Jan 45

To: HQ AC, CA Sec, Patriots Branch

Ref. N. CPT/128

- F259 of 36/PAT copy attached*
1. Ref your letter 36/PAT dated 3 Jan 45.
 2. It is now considered that the patriot problem in PESCARA Province is now liquidated.
 3. One representative was withdrawn during the month of Dec 44 and the other will be returning to ROME within the next 2 or 3 days.
 4. Delay in replying to your letter is regretted.

CHIETI
RP

Albrando Major,
Provincial Commissioner,
AC CHIETI, PESCARA & TERAMO PROVINCES.

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See also Folio 6 - Patriot Office
to be informed *pm*

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/Pat

Subject: Payment Capt Scotto

To: Provincial Commissioner,
Ancona Province.

Ext. 374

27th Jan, 45.

1. Captain Corrado Scotto has been appointed to your HQ w.e.f. 24th November, 1944, and he should, therefore, be paid from this date.

F. CRAIG.
Lt. Colonel.
Director
Patriots Branch.

Copy to: Regional Commissioner,
Abruzzi-Marche Region.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOT BRANCH

Ref: ^{36/2}127/1/Pat.
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24 Jan. 45

Subject: Unemployed Patriots

Tel: 489081.

To: HQ AMG/AC Abruzzi Marche Region.

F 8 of 36 127/1

Reference R5/507/24 of 22 January 45.

1. In view of the reports on the patriot situation in the Provinces of ANCONA and PESARO it is suggested that the Patriot Representatives now attached to them be withdrawn.

2. May this please be confirmed by you.

See F21


F. Craig,
Lt. Colonel, Director,
Patriot Branch,

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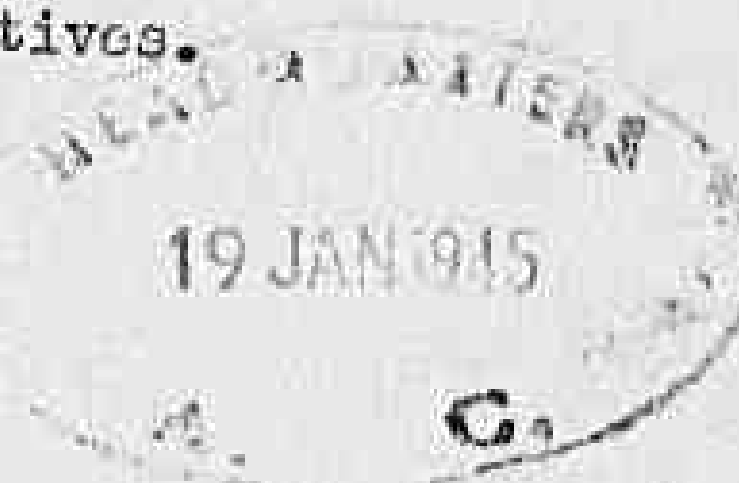
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TO :- HQ. AC. Civil Affairs Section (Patriot Branch)
FROM :- HQ. AMO/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region.
SUBJECT :- Payment of Patriot Representatives.
REF :- R5/507/24.
DATE :- 18 January, 1945.



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The attached copy of letter R5A/1748 is forwarded for your information.

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It is self explanatory and refers to your 36/2/PAT to Provincial Commissioner, Aquila.

FOR REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:

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S. FICKERING,
Lt. Colonel,
R.P.S.O.

/al

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[Signature]

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ALLIED COMMISSION
PROVINCE OF L'AQUILA

TO: HQ ANG/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region - R.P.S.C.
FROM: Provincial Public Safety Officer, L'AQUILA Province.
SUBJECT: Payment of Patriot representatives,
REF: R5AL/1748.
DATE: 17 Jan 45.

Attached is a copy of a letter from A.C. (Patriots Branch).

The information contained in the letter is inaccurate, as Corbi and Rinaldi were paid by this Province up to the 3rd of November 1944 on which date their services were dispensed with.

This information was given to you in my letter of even reference of 17 Nov 44 and 9th inst.

/S/

H. Michall,
Major,
Provincial Public Safety Officer,
L'AQUILA PROVINCE.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/Pat

Subject: Patriot Representatives.

Ext. 374

To: HQ AMS/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region.

18th Jan, 45.

1. Reference R5/507/24 of 15th January, 1945, and AMS/P/29 of 11th January, 1945 from Provincial Commission Ancona Province.

2. As the Patriot Representatives are no longer required in Ancona, you may wish to use their services in Pesaro Province before discharging them.

3. Would you please inform this Branch of the action taken.

4. As regards your para.2., it is confirmed that the Associazione Nazionale Partigiani d'Italia is a social organisation for Patriots which has the blessing of the Italian Government and the Italian National Patriot Committee and, therefore, this Branch has no objection to its activities provided they remain non-political.

F. CRAIG.
Lt. Colonel.
Director
Patriots Branch

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TO : HQ AC, Patriots Branch.
FROM : HQ AMB/AC Abruzzi - Marche Region.
SUBJECT : Patriot Representatives.
REF : RE/507/24.
DATE : 15 Jan 45.

File 36/PAT Folio 259

1. Re: your 36/PAT dated 3 Jan 45 addressed to Prov Commissioner, ANCONA.
2. The attached copy of letter and report received from PFSC Ancona are forwarded for your information.

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:

[Signature]
C. PICKERING
Lt Colonel,
R.P.S.O.



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C O P Y

HQ AMG ANCONA PROVINCE.

SUBJECT : Patriot Representatives.
TO : HQ AMB/AG Abruzzi - Marche Region.
REF : AMC/E/29.
DATE : 11 Jan 45.

With reference to the attached copy letter received from the Patriots Branch, Civil Affairs Section, I am instructed by the Prov Comdant not to say that so far as the Province of Ancona is concerned, there appears to be no reason why the Patriots Representatives should not be withdrawn. I am to emphasize that this does not refer to Pesaro Province where representation is still required.

The Prov Commissioner also requests an opinion on the document also attached which is basically the formation of a National Patriots Organisation.

My view is that so far as Ancona and Pesaro Provinces are concerned, the matter should be left in abeyance for the time being at least.

(sgd) G.W. MANIFOLD, Major,
P.P.S.C.
for Ancona Province.

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ASSOCIAZIONE NAZIONALE PARTIGIANI D'ITALIA

Whilst Allied Armies fight in Italy, the partisan forces continue their fight for the rescue of the country.

When the partisans have ceased the actual fight their task is not completed yet. The close communion which had been established during the fight must be maintained in their civil activity. They must not try to trade their passed activity for future privileges, they must only work for the reconstruction of their country.

Time has come that only one body should gather and assist all the patriots, strictly screened so that the bona fides combatants should not be discredited by false labels and shameful speculations, and it is right that such screening should be done by the political and military centres that led the fight during the underground period.

The C.C.I.F. who during the underground period has united with a military Giunta the Garibaldi Formations and the anti-fascist action groups in the corps of the "Volontari della libertà" requests the honour of promoting the larger body of the partisans;

For such purpose the C.C.I.F. invites all Italian partisans, civil and military, and with distinction of political party to unite themselves in the Associazione Nazionale Partigiani d'Italia which is the only body entitled to gather, to represent and assist the "Volontari della libertà".

In the A.N.P.I. they will elect freely and democratically their executives.

The Provincial Committees of National Liberation, are meanwhile requested to promote the institution of the local sections of the Association.

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ITALIAN PARTISANS!

you who did your military duty, are now anxiously looking to the difficult present moment;

You have again taken up arms and are fighting side to side with the United Nations to redeem your country; and you on the other side of the lines hear through the air the voice of the country;

Prepare yourself to fortify your ranks to protect in the difficulties of the civil life those same ideals which inflamed you in the fight.

Long live the liberty, the democracy, and the Associazione Nazionale dei Partigiani d'Italia.

THE C.C.I.N.

Following instructions of the C.C.I.N. the Comitato Provvisorio dell'A.N.P.I. has been instituted in Ancona, and it is instituting the sections of the Associations in the Province.

All Partisans of the communes of
for the regular enlistment in A.N.P.I. must apply at ...
..... producing all necessary documents
to prove their partisan identity.

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ASSOCIAZIONE NAZIONALE PARTIGIANI D'ITALIA

PARTIGIANI D'ITALIA

Mentre gli eserciti alleati affrontano vittoriosamente l'ultima fase della lotta con il nazismo, le forze partigiane d'Italia continuano a coprirsi di gloria, riscattando a prezzo di sacrificio e di sangue il buon nome e l'avvenire del nostro Paese.

La fiamma ideale che ha sorretto gli intrepidi prigionieri dell'Italia democratica non deve disperdersi con la liberazione del territorio nazionale: deposte le armi i loro compiti non sono finiti. La stretta comunione d'intenti e di opere, che li ha animati nell'azione militare, deve perpetuarsi nell'attività civile. Non il baratto del sacrificio con privilegi e prebende deve essere il fine, ma - come si addice alle forme più sane e vigorose dell'antifascismo italiano - la difesa e la ricostruzione della Patria.

E' tempo che un unico Sodalizio accolga ed assista con la solidarietà fraterna tutti i reduci della guerra Partigiana, rigorosamente scrutinati da organi ufficiali, perchè sui genuini combattenti non ricada il discredito delle false etichette e delle inconfessabili speculazioni, ed è ben giusto che ne prendano l'iniziativa i centri politico-militari che han guidato la lotta in periodo clandestino.

Il Comitato Centrale di Liberazione Nazionale, che già durante la sanguinosa vigilia ha unificato, con una Giunta Militare espressa dal suo seno le Formazioni Garibaldine ed i gruppi d'azione patriottica antinazisti nel corpo di Volontari della Libertà, rivendica l'onore di promuovere la fondazione della grande famiglia partigiana. A tale scopo fa appello a tutti i partigiani d'Italia, di provenienza civile e militare, e senza distinzione di partito politico, affinché si uniscano nella Associazione Nazionale Partigiani d'Italia, unico organo di raccolta, di rappresentanza e di assistenza dei Volontari della Libertà. Nell'A.N.P.I. essi eseguiranno liberamente, con metodo democratico, i propri dirigenti. I Comitati Provinciali di Liberazione Nazionale sono frattanto invitati a promuovere la costituzione delle sezioni locali dell'Associazione.

PARTIGIANI DI TUTTA ITALIA !

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Voi che, compiuto ormai l'eroico dovere militare, guardate con legittima ansia il difficile presente;

Voi che impugnate di nuovo le armi, combattete al fianco delle

Nazioni Unite per redimere il nostro Paese,

e voi anche, che ancora impegnati nell'aspra e sanguinosa lotta oltre la linea gotica, raccogliete attraverso l'etere la commossa

voce della Patria;

apprestatevi a rinsaldare le vostre schiere per difenderle negli ardui compiti della vita civile quegli stessi ideali che vi hanno infiammato nella lotta armata.

in democrazia, viva l'Associazione Nazio-

Non il paratutto del sacrificio con privilegi e prebende il fine, ma - come si addice alle forme più sane e vigorose dell'antifascismo italiano - la difesa e la ricostruzione della Patria.

E' tempo che un unico Sodalizio accolga ed assista con la solidarietà fraterna tutti i reduci della guerra Partigiana, rigorosamente scrutinati da organi ufficiali, perchè sui genuini combattenti non ricada il discredito delle false etichette e delle inconfessabili speculazioni, ed è ben giusto che ne prendano l'iniziativa i centri politico-militari che han guidato la lotta in periodo clandestino.

Il Comitato Centrale di Liberazione Nazionale, che già durante la sanguinosa vigilia ha unificato, con una Giunta Militare espressa dal suo seno le Formazioni Garibaldine ed i gruppi d'azione patriottica antinazisti nel corpo di Volontari della Libertà, rivendica l'onore di promuovere la fondazione della grande famiglia partigiana. A tale scopo fa appello a tutti i partigiani d'Italia, di provenienza civile e militare, e senza distinzione di partito politico, affinché si uniscano nella Associazione Nazionale Partigiani d'Italia, unico organo di raccolta, di rappresentanza e di assistenza dei Volontari della Libertà. Nell'A.N.P.I. essi eseguiranno liberamente, con metodo democratico, i propri dirigenti. I Comitati Provinciali di Liberazione Nazionale sono frattanto invitati a promuovere la costituzione delle sezioni locali dell'Associazione.

PARTIGIANI DI TUTTA ITALIA !

Voi che, compiuto ormai l'eroico dovere militare, guardate con legittima ansia il difficile presente ;

Voi che impugnate di nuovo le armi, combattete al fianco delle Nazioni Unite per redimere il nostro Paese,

e voi anche, che ancora impegnati nell'aspra e sanguinosa lotta oltre la linea gotica, raccogliete attraverso l'etere la commossa voce della Patria;

apprestatevi a rinsaldare le vostre schiere per difendere negli ardui compiti della vita civile quegli stessi ideali che vi hanno infiammato nella lotta armata.

Viva la libertà, viva la democrazia, viva l'Associazione Nazionale dei Partigiani d'Italia.

IL COMITATO CENTRALE DI LIBERAZIONE NAZIONALE

In seguito a direttive del C.L.N. Regionale si è costituito in Ancona il Comitato Prov. Provvisorio dell'A.N.P.I. che sta procedendo alla costituzione delle sezioni dell'Associazione nella Provincia. Tutti i partigiani compresi nei Comuni e nei paesi di.....per la regolare iscrizione all'A.N.P.I., si debbono recare a.....Via.....presentando tutti i documenti, con i quali possano comprovare la loro vera identità di Partigiani.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APC 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/PAT
Subject: CAP. COMPAGNUCCI COMPAGNONI.
To: The Presidency of the Council,
Patriots Office, Rome.

Ext: 374

16th January, 1945.

Referring to your letter, reference 765 dated 28th December, 1944 to Capt COMPAGNUCCI COMPAGNONI and to us for information, which notified the above officer of his appointment as Patriote Military Representative at AC. HQ. Patriots Branch, we inform you that this officer has no knowledge of English; and in the circumstances, it is considered unwise to make this appointment.

Will you please, therefore, give your attention to the matter, and signal to us the name of another officer who has the necessary qualifications, amongst which a good knowledge of English is of paramount importance for this special task.

F. GRIG.
Lt. Colonel.
Director
Patriots Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
AF 394

Rome, 16 Gennaio 1945

Ref. 36/E/PAL.

Oggetto : Cap. COMPAGNINI GORDAGNONI

Alla Presidenza del Consiglio - Ufficio Patrioti R.G.M.A.

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Con riferimento al foglio n° 755 in data 29 Dicembre 1944, in cui veniva comunicato a questo Patriot Branch, con il quale veniva data comunicazione della nomina del Capitano COMPAGNINI GORDAGNONI a rappresentante militare dei patrioti presso questa Commissione Alleata, si comunica che, in vista del fatto che il pr detto ufficiale non conosce l'inglese non è consigliabile la di lui nomina.

Si prega, pertanto, di riconsiderare il provvedimento e di voler eventualmente segnalare il nominativo di altro ufficiale fra i cui requisiti vi sia quello della conoscenza dell'inglese, cosa questo indispensabile dato il genere di lavoro che dovrebbe svolgere.

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P. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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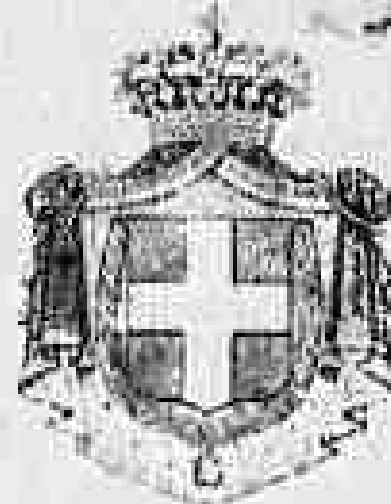
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*Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri*

UFFICIO PATRIOTI

n° 765 /R.T. di prot.

Roma, 29 dicembre 1944

Oggetto: Nomina Rappresentante.

AL CAP. COMPAGNUCCI COMPAGNONI EROS
e per conoscenza:

R O M A

ALL'R.G.B. - SPICER

COLONEL DIRECTOR PATRIOTS BRANCH

H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSION

R O M A

Si comunica che la S.V. è stata nomi-
nata Rappresentante permanente dell'Ufficio Pa-
trioti presso l'H.Q.-A.C. Patriots Branch di Ro-
ma.

Pertanto dovrà presentarsi all'A.C.
stesso e prendere subito servizio.

I CAPO UFFICIO PATRIOTI
(sire Bernabè)

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HEADQUARTERS ARMED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref. 36/2/PAT

Tel. 489081
Ext. 374

SUBJECT : Payment of Patriot Representatives.

15 Jan 45

TO : Provincial Commissioner, Aguila.

1. Captain Corbi and Mr. Rinaldi have notified us that they were paid by you up to the 2nd October 44.
2. As they remained on duty until 31 December 44, please give instructions for them to be paid for the period 1 Oct 44 to 31 Dec 44.

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P. CRAIG.
Lt. Col.
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APO 394

5 January 1945

Ref. 36/2/PAT.

Subject : Patriot Representatives PESCARA -
AQUILA - TERAMO.

To : Presidency of the Council - Patriots Office.

Reference n° 324/RT dated 18 Dec. 1944.

Similary to the communication forwarded on same date concerning the Patr. Rep. for Pescara Province, Major LOMBARDI, even the Provincial Commissioner of Aquila has been asked to inform us when he believes the work of the Reps. of his province will be completed.

For concerning the Perugia province the work of these Reps. was completed in november.

F. Craig
F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

AV/mlc.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APO 394

Rome, 5 Gennaio 1945

Ref. 36/2

Oggetto : Rappresentanti PESCARA - AQUILA - TERAMO.

Alle Presidenza del Consiglio - Ufficio Patrioti.

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In risposta al foglio n° 324/RT del 18 Dicembre 1944, si comunica che analogamente a quanto comunicato con foglio in pari data, in merito al Rappresentante per la provincia di Pescara: MAGG. LOMBARDI; anche il Commissario Provinciale dell'Aquila è stato invitato a comunicare quando ritiene sia terminato il lavoro dei rappresentanti della sua provincia.

Per ciò che concerne la provincia di Perugia, il lavoro dei rappresentanti è già terminato fin dal mese di novembre.

F. Craig
F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APO 394

5 January 1945

Ref. 36/2/PAT.

Subject : Patriot Representative Pescara Province.

To : Presidency of the Council - Patriots Office.

F. 259 or 36/PAT

Reference n°565/RT. dated 18 December 1944.

Having received no news of the release of
Maj. LOMBARDI Giacomo, this Branch has written,
on same date, to the Provincial Commissioner of
Pescara asking if the work of the a/m representative
is finished or when it is expected to be.

This Patriots Branch will inform your Office as
soon as a reply is in its hands.

F. Craig

F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

AV/mle.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH
APC 394

Roma, 5 Gennaio 1945

Ref. 36/2/PAT.

Oggetto : Rappresentante Provincia di PESCARA.

Alla Presidenza del Consiglio - Ufficio Patrioti.

In risposta al foglio n°565/RT. in data 18 Dicembre 1944. /4

Si comunica che, non avendo avuto notizia del rientro del Mago. LOMBARDI Giacomo, è stato scritto, in data odierna, al Commissario Provinciale di Pescara, invitandolo a far conoscere se il compito del predetto rappresentante è terminato od eventualmente quando ritiene che lo possa essere.

Questo Patriots Branch appena in possesso della risposta, la comunicherà a codesto Ufficio.

AV/mlc.

F. Craig 2520
F. CRAIG,
Lt. Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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Translated by J.d.R.

FROM : Presidency of the Council,
Patriots Office.
TO : HQ. AC. Patriots Branch.
DATE : 18 Dec.44.
REF : No.324/R.T.
SUBJECT : Representatives for the Chieti, Pescara
and Teramo Provinces.

In reply to your letter 36/1/PAT dated 26 November to the same subject, we inform you that the Representatives with Allied Provincial Commissioner of Pescara have not yet returned.

We wish you would also let us know if the Perugia and Aquila Representatives have been ordered to return because their names do not appear in the list attached to the circular 36/PAT dated 9 Dec. and to the subject "Employment and payment of Patriot Representatives".

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(signed) Col. BERNABO'.

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PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI
UFFICIO PATRIOTI

N° 324/R.T. di prot.

Roma, 18 Dicembre 1944

OGGETTO: Rappresentanti provincie di Chieti - Pescara - Teramo.

ALL'H.Q. - A.C. PATRIOTS BRANCH

R O M A

Con riferimento alla lettera 36/I/Pat in data 26 Novembre pari oggetto, si comunica che non sono ancora rientrati i Rappresentanti presso il Comm. Prov. Alleato di Pescara.

Con l'occasione si prega far conoscere se anche ai Rappresentanti di Perugia e l'Aquila è stato dato ordine di rientrare dato che essi non sono compresi nell'elenco allegato alla circolare 36/Pat in data 9 Dicembre all'oggetto/ "Impiego e pagamento dei Rappresentanti Patrioti".

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IL CAPO UFFICIO PATRIOTI
(Siro Bernabò)

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Translated by J.d.R.

FROM : Presidency of the Council,
Patriots Office.
TO : Maj. LOMBARDI Giacomo, Representative
with the Provincial Commissioner of PESCARA.
COPY : To A.C. H.Q. Patriots Branch, ROME.
DATE : 18 Dec.44
REF : No. 567.
SUBJECT : Completion of Representatives task.

AC.HQ. has notified us to have directly given instructions that on 28 November the task of the Representatives in your Province should have been completed.

As you have not sent us any communication on the subject, would you let us know if any postponement has been brought to the above date and eventually who brought it.

(signed) Col. Siro Bernabò.

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K. J. Bernabò

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PRESIDENZA DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI
UFFICIO PATRIOTI

No 565 /R.T. di prot.

Roma, 18 Dicembre 1944

OGGETTO: Termine compito Rappresentante.-

AL MAGG. LOMBARDI GIACOMO
Rappresentante presso il Commissario Provinciale
e per conoscenza
ALL'H.Q. - A.C. PATRIOTS BRANCH

P E S C A R AR O M A

L'H.Q. - A.C. Patriots Branch ha comunicato di aver direttamente disposto che in data 23 Novembre il compito dei Rappresentanti nella provincia avrebbe dovuto essere condotto a termine.

Poichè a tutt'oggi nessuna comunicazione a riguardo è pervenuta da V.S., si prega far conoscere se il termine fissato è stato prorogato e da chi.

IL CAPO UFFICIO PATRIOTI

(Siro Bernabò)

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TO : HQ AC Patriots Branch.
FROM : HQ AMG/AC Abruzzi - Marche Region.
SUBJECT : Patriots Reps - Teramo.
REF : R5/507/24.
DATE : 19 Dec 44.

The attached is the final report of the
Patriots Representative for Teramo Province, R.Francia.

He has returned to Rome as from 11 Dec 44.
Major PALOMBI of Pescara Province is the only remaining
Representative in the three Provinces. He has asked
for a further week's grace in order to complete his work
in connection with the Patriots Provincial Association.
Otherwise his work is complete.

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:

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[Signature]
S. PIGLIETTI,
Lt Colonel,
R.P.S.O.

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Patriots Provincial HQ,

TERAMO.

SUBJECT : Activity of the Patriots
Representative of Teramo Province.

On the 21 Aug 44 arrived at Teramo, a town that I have never seen before then, and were everyone was unknown to me.

The military representative did not take his post, first because he received late the communication and second because, at that time, he was the Director of the Provincial Alimentation Section of Teramo. So he carried out no activity whatsoever. Therefore, for me, alone, has been very useful a general picture of the Patriots activity given by Italian authorities, a few of which participated to the partisans activity.

After having settled the office I sought to contact the band leaders. But I could notice in them, since the first contact an opened mistrust, the Cause of which I could find it in the situation not enough normal and calm of the Patriots and in the fact that it was believed there that the acknowledgement of the Patriots would have been made through a Committee like the C.R.R.S.A. This committee was waited by many people, but not everyone wished it. Many disputes arose and are still lasting between the band leaders about the activity and the prestige. The great figure of glory that Amazzalorso Armano, a simple soldier and labourer, has gained with his valour diminished and still diminishes that of his colleagues and that of those who, either militarily or civilly, were much more higher than him and that, during the German domination, were his dependants. For these contrasts and for difficulty of time it's been difficult for me to collect the reports and the lists of the Patriots. This difficulty still lasts because are still missing the documents of Amazzalorso band. The Commander of this has been arrested on the 5 sept. 44 charged for embezzlement and criminal instincts. The friends of this band leader believe that this has been an action of those overshadowed by his glory and specially, the Prefect of Teramo, Lorenzini Giovanni who, since spring time was apparently at the dependence of Amazzalorso therefore they didn't want to submit the report and the list, saying that they will do so when their band leader will be released from jail. In order to have informations on the activity of this band I had to contact its group Commanders. But not everyone of them agreed to furnish the informations requested either because they are solitary in refusing to submit documents not permitted by their leader.

Owing to the lack of transport, the enquiries upon the bands have been by me carried out from Teramo town, through the C.C.R.R. the Mayors and the local population. The places visited by me for thorough enquiries are Atri, Villa and Bosco Martese.

When I arrived at Teramo, the patriots situation was neither normal nor calm. Besides the mentioned envy, interior abnormal state, there was the external one showed by the overbearingness and swaggering, residue of the habitude acquired with the life of the woods, which intimidated both, civilians and Police Forces, so, no one dared a reaction.

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At my arrival the local Authorities requested me to and such a state of things. For the purpose I required the proper Authorities to change all those members of Police Forces who have been associated with the Fascist republican guards and to give possibility of work to the patriots. The police members have been removed but the problem of reemployment of patriots could not be solved because, besides the agricultural and road works, there is no other way for reemployment. How many patriots have been reemployed.

I requested the band leaders to let their men understand the necessity of being the best citizens. Both Allied and civil Authorities

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could note a gradual improve of the situation. Instead now are coming to light the actions committed by the patriots against the civilians during the time of their activity. Most of those hurted, who claim and accuse the patriots, are fascist subjects and collaborators of the old regime, who, not apurated, are taking up courage by seeing the patriots deprived of any command and subject to the law with no preferences.

Since too much consideration is given to their complaints, I requested the legal Authorities to consider the state of things in which the patriots were under the Germans and that what they have done is not brigandage but necessity of live and of action. I also invited the Provincial Committee for the Liberation to intervene energetically in order to avoid a diminishing whatsoever of the patriots work.

Other activities explicated are: Informations; recommendations for passes to patriots residing in other provinces; lodge and foods to patriots coming from north of the front line; free issue of foods to families of distresse patriots and to those of needy ones; transfer of 6 bodies of patriots to their places of residence posting of a memorial stone for the remembrance of the deceased patriots in the chief town; propositions for entitle 21 streets to a same numbr of deceased patriots; distribution of 419 certificates of patriots; distribution of 210000 lire to the families of deceased patriots 17000 lire to wounded and invalid patriots; 139500 lire to the patriots. This money was given to me by the Prefect of Teramo who received them by the patriots Central Office, counsel of Ministers.

The Patriots Representative

R. Francia.

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FROM : HQ. AC. Patriots Branch
TO : Presidency of the Council,
Patriots Office, Rome.
DATE : 16 Dec 44.
REF : 36/2/PAT.
SUBJECT: Patriot Representatives.

We write to inform you that Patriot Representatives Lt. Giorgio CECCHINI and Mr. Angelo CIAMFONI, formerly attached to AMG of Ascoli Piceno and Macerata, have completed their work and are ready to proceed to Rome.

The Provincial Commissioner of Ascoli Piceno has informed us of his appreciation of the services of the a/m Patriot Representatives; they carried out their work in a competent manner.

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R.G.B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

Ref: 36/2/PAT.

16 Dicembre 1944.

Oggetto: Rappresentanti dei Patrioti.

Alla : Presidenza del Consiglio,
Ufficio Patrioti, Roma.

Si comunica a codesto Ufficio che i Rappresentanti dei Patrioti Ten. Giorgio Cecchini e Sig. Angelo Cianfoni, già addetti alla A.M.G. di Ascoli Piceno e di Macerata, hanno esaurito il loro compito e stanno per rientrare a Roma.

Il Commissario Provinciale di Ascoli Piceno comunica di avere apprezzato l'attività dei due Rappresentanti suddetti, avendo essi svolto il loro lavoro bene e con competenza.

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R.G.B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Patriots Branch.

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TO : HQ AC Patriots Branch.
FROM : HQ AMG/AC Abruzzi - Marche Region.
SUBJECT : Patriot Reps.
REF : R5/507/24.
DATE : 14 Dec 44.

The u/q copy letter received from P.O. Ascoli is forwarded for your information.

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:

E. C. V. Hunter
E. C. V. HUNTER,
Lt Colonel,
I.P.3.C.

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HEADQUARTERS AMG.
ASCOLI - PICENO PROVINCE
CIT.

12 Dec 44.

REF : AF/7/24-59.
SUBJECT : Patriot Reps.
TO : HQ AMG/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region.

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1. The two Patriot Reps attached to this Province, Lt Giorgio Cecchini and Sig. Angelo Cienfoni, have now completed their work both here and in Macerata and will proceed to Rome as soon as transport is available.
2. I would like to record my appreciation of the services of these two officers, who, as far as I have been able to see, have carried out their work in a fair and competent manner.

(sgs) E.C.V. HUNTER,
Lt Colonel,

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:

[Signature]
Colonel,
I.P.S.O.

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HEADQUARTERS AIR.
ASCOLI - FIORENO PROVINCE
CLT.

12 Dec 44.

REF : AP/7/24-69.

SUBJECT : Patriot Reps.

TO : HQ ANG/AC Abruzzi-Marche Region.

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(sga) E.C.V. CUTTER,
Lt Colonel,
Prov Commissioner.

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