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30 July 1945.

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389. PROMOTIONS - O.Rs.S/5392946 L/Cpl. PHIPPS E.V. - RASC

The above named is promoted Unpaid and Paid Acting Corporal
 within the WE of Allied Commission w.e.f. 22 May 45.

(HQ ALCON 1tr G-1B/476/OR dtd 21 July 45)
 (Admin. Officer).

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W. D. Hayne

W. D. HAYNE,
 Major, R.A.,
 Admin. Officer.

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HEADQUARTER,
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14 July 1945.

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NUMBER 143)

OFFICIAL384. COURT OF INQUIRY.

By order of Lt. Col. E.J. Bye, General List a Court of Inquiry consisting of,

Major W.D. Hayne, R.A., - President.
S.S.H. (W.O.1) J.S. Neeve. - Member.

will assemble at a time and place at the discretion of the President to enquire into the circumstances of the loss of one pistol revolver .38 Smith and Wesson No. V 16348 record evidence and make recommendations.

Administrative Officer will arrange for the attendance of all necessary witnesses.

W.D. Hayne

W.D. HAYNE,
Major, R.A.,
Admin. Officer,
A.M.G. 5th Army.

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13 July - Sgt. Lian.DUTY TELEPHONE ORDERLY12 July - Fus. Hampson.
13 July - Pte. Malone.DUTY DRIVERS12 July -
13 July -382. CHANGE OF DESIGNATION

Effective immediately, AFG XIII Corps will be known as AFG, VENEZIA GIULIA, AND SCAO, XIII Corps as SCAO VENEZIA GIULIA. NO correspondence for Venezia Giulia area will be addressed to XIII Corps. (HQ ACOM ltr 598/14/EC dated 7 July 1945).

(Admin. Officer).

383. INSURANCE - LOSS OF HIT BY OFFICER

1. Attention of all officers is drawn to AFI 54 of 1945, copy of which can be seen at this HQ.
2. This AFI provides facilities for the insurance by officers of uniform equipment and civil effects against the ordinary risk of civil life; compensation from Army funds is only payable in cases where risk cannot be covered by insurance.
3. There is no intention to disturb existing policies privately arranged by officers; the arrangements mentioned in the AFI have been made to provide a minimum cover which the officer should have and to provide it with the minimum of formality.
4. It remains open to officers to make their own arrangements.

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13 July - Sgt. Lian.

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13 July - Pte. Malone.

DUTY DRIVERS

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13 July -

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arrangements.
5. A.Bs. 544 are now available at this office for officers
wishing to insure uniform, equipment and civil effects.

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Major, R.A.M.,
Admin. Officer

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371. NIGHT DUTY CLERK

30th June - Cpl. Cerami.
1st July - Sgt. Robinson.

DUTY ORDERLY

30th June - Pte. Morton.
1st July - Cpl. Kirschner.

DUTY DRIVERS

30th June -

372. AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL - American.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended the following named officers are awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious services in support of combat operations in Italy:

Captain Santo W. CRUPE, O-1303859, Infantry.
Captain Labre R. GARLIN, O-1285570, C.I.P.
Captain Young A. NEAL, O-909879, Infantry.

(HQ IV Corps ltr dated 27 June 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

373. AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL - British.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the following named officers are awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in Italy from dates as stated below:

Lt. Colonel Walter Doherty, 287699, General List. (9 ³⁷⁴³ - 19 Dec 4:
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Captain Richard C.L. LINBERT, 291650, G.L. (February - December 1944).

(HQ TROUS. G.O. No. 97 dtd 23 June 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUNT:

A. D. Hunt
W. D. HAYNE,
Major, R.A.S.,
Admin. Officer.

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21 June 1945.

DAILY BULLETIN
NUMBER 133

OFFICIAL350. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER

21 June - Major Black.
22 June - Major Kennemur.

DUTY CLERK

21 June - Pfc. De Bonfilis.
22 June - Sgt. Lian.

DUTY ORDERLY

21 June - Pte. Norton.
22 June - Cpl. Kirschner.

DUTY DRIVERS

21 June -
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351. AWARDS OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following named-officers:

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MICHAEL A. PUSMANNO, (86622), Commander, United States Naval Reserve. For meritorious service in combat on 15 February 1944, in Minturno, Italy. Entered military service from Pittsburgh, Penn.

JAMES H. BROWN, (0365602), Captain, Infantry, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations from 1 July 1944 to 8 May 1945, in Italy. Entered military service from

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(HQ Fifth Army G.O. No 73 dated
13 June 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

352. MAIL FOR BRITISH EX PRISONERS OF WAR.

Any mail, letters or packages, intended for British Commonwealth Ex Prisoners of War, which may be recovered by, or fall into the hands of American units, will be turned over at once to the nearest British unit, or, if none is available, to the nearest US APO. Parcels for British Ex Prisoners of War can be recognized by the Red Cross and St John insignia.

(HQ Fifth Army ltr AG 311-7 dated 17 June 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

353. WEARING OF UNAUTHORIZED CAMPAIGN RIBBONS, BRONZE SERVICE STARS AND DECORATIONS - US PERSONNEL.

Members of this command have been observed wearing unauthorized campaign ribbons, bronze service stars and decorations.

No Officer or Enlisted Man will attach such awards and decorations to his uniform permanently or temporarily unless his records indicate that he has been specifically awarded the particular award or decoration.

Reference is made to Paragraph 2, War Department Circular 268, which states: "One (1) overseas bar is authorized for wear for each period of Six (6) months service as a member of the Army of the United States outside the continental limits of the United States from 7 December 1941 until a date six (6) months subsequent to the termination of the present war". The overseas bar is not authorized for any fraction of six (6) months; e.g. overseas service for five (5) months will not suffice for the wearing of the bar.

Attention of all members of this command is invited to the fact that wearing of unauthorized awards and decorations is a court-martial offense.

(HQ JAGCO DB No 163 dated 12 June 45).
(Admin. Officer).

354. ACCOMMODATION AT LA SPEZIA.

There is no transit hotel at La Spezia, either for officers or EN/ORS. AG/AFG personnel wishing to obtain accommodation in La Spezia must warn the Provincial Commissioner previously by letter or other means, and they must bring rations with them.

(HQ JAGCO DB No 164 dated 13 June 45).
(Admin. Officer).

355. ACCEPTANCE OF 500 LIRE AND 1,000 LIRE NOTES.

1. The attention of all ranks is drawn to the following extract from Fifth Army letter AG 123.1-F dated 9 June 1945.

"5. All personnel whose duty involves the acceptance from troops of money...

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(HQ ALCON DB No 164 dated 13 June 45).
(Admin. Officer).

355. ACCEPTANCE OF 500 LIRE AND 1,000 LIRE NOTES.

1. The attention of all ranks is drawn to the following extract from Fifth Army letter AG 123.2-F dated 9 June 1945.

"5. All personnel whose duty involves the acceptance from troops of money for any purpose will refuse to accept 1,000 lire and 500 lire Italian bank notes and Vaglia or Assegni Circolari in any denomination. Smaller denominations of Italian bank notes will not be accepted in quantities greater than could be received as change for a higher denomination Italian note even if the serial numbers run consecutively."

355. ACCEPTANCE OF 500 LIRE AND 1,000 LIRE NOTES - Cont'd.

2. Vaglia and Assegni Circolare are similar to checks except that they circulate without endorsement.

3. In their own interests personnel are urged not to accept these checks or high value Italian notes from civilians.

(HQ 215 Sub Area ltr dated 18 Jun 45).
(Admin. Officer).

356. NEW MOVING PICTURE AREA.

Moving pictures will be shown on the stairway leading to the AG Section, in the future.

(HQ Fifth Army DB No 166 dtd 16 Jun 45)
(Admin. Officer).

BY COMMAND OF BRIG. DEER GENERAL HUME:

W. D. Hayne

W. D. HAYNE,
Major, R.A.,
Admin. Officer.

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341. NIGHT DUTY CLERK

13 June - Cpl. Jarrett.
14 June - Pfc. Cannarella.

DUTY ORDERLY

13 June - Pte. Norton.
14 June - Spr. Dixon.

DUTY DRIVERS

13 June -
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342. CENSORSHIP REGULATIONS - US PERSONNEL.

Attention is directed to the fact that the rescission of unit censorship in no way affects officers' mail and certain other types of mail. Unit censorship as such has never pertained to mail other than that written by enlisted personnel or parcels sent by enlisted personnel by ordinary mail. For those types of mail still subject to censorship by Base Censor personnel attention is invited to ITCUS Circular Number 12, 21 January 1945, paragraph 7a, subparagraph (1). In connection with the above it will be noted that an officer or civilian attached to the armed forces is still required to sign his normal signature on each piece of mail desired to be sent.

(HQ LCOM DB No. 160 dated 9 June 45)
(Admin. Officer).

BY COMMANDER OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUNT:

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Major, R.A.,
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31 May 1945.

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DAILY BULLETIN
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31 May - Captain Keeney.
 1 June - Major Gaither.

DUTY CLERK

31 May - Pfc Cannarella.
 1 June - Cpl. Gibson.

DUTY ORDERLY

31 May - Pfc. Cox.
 1 June - Pfc. Morton.

DUTY DRIVERS

31 May -

325. TELEPHONE NUMBER.

The telephone line Lightning Rear 277-278-279, this HQ, is now changed to Lightning 534-535-536.

326. COLLECTION, SEGREGATION OR DESTRUCTION OF FOREIGN AMMUNITION.

All action to collect, segregate and/or destroy foreign ammunition by American personnel, except for technical intelligence purposes, will cease immediately and will not be resumed until so directed by this headquarters.

31 May 1945.

DAILY BULLETIN
NUMBER 125

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31 May - Captain Keeney.
1 June - Major Gaither.

DUTY CLERK

31 May - Pfc Cannarella.
1 June - Cpl. Gibson.

DUTY ORDERLY

31 May - Pfc. Cox.
1 June - Pte. Morton.

DUTY DRIVERS

31 May -

325. TELEPHONE NUMBER.

The telephone line Lightning Rear 277-278-279, this HQ, is now changed to Lightning 534-535-536.

326. COLLECTION, SECREATION OR DESTRUCTION OF FOREIGN ATTENTION.

All action to collect, segregate and/or destroy ^{foreign} ammunition by American personnel, except for technical intelligence purposes, will cease immediately and will not be resumed until so directed by this headquarters.

(HQ Fifth Army letter dated 26 May 45).
(Admin. Officer).

327. Mailing of Plant Material and Insects.

1. See Appendix "A".

328. Parrell Message from Mr. Harold MacMillan.

1. See Appendix "B".

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUBB: *W. D. HAYNE*

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*for Major, R.A.,
Admin. Officer.*

APPENDIX "A"

HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

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AG 311.11/732-0

21 May 1945

SUBJECT: Mailing of Plant Material and Insects.

TO: All Concerned.

1. The Adjutant General, War Department, has advised that the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, United States Department of Agriculture reports that a considerable number of parcels containing plant material, used in packing, that is prohibited entry to the United States have been intercepted in various parts of the United States. The inclusion of this material in parcels mailed at overseas Army Post Offices is prohibited by Section II, War Department Circular 398, 1944.

2. It is desired that the provisions of the War Department Circular cited above be brought to the attention of all personnel within your command.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCCLINTOCK:

s/ C. W. Christenberry
C. W. CHRISTENBERRY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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APPENDIX "R".

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
ROME
25th May 1945

To All Ranks of the Allied Commission:-

The Prime Minister has instructed me to go to return at once to England.

I cannot leave without sending a message of thanks and good wishes to all my friends in the Allied Commission and Allied Military Government.

Ever since the landings in Sicily, nearly two years ago, I have seen and admired your work. During recent months I have been more intimately associated with you. Many conflicting duties have hampered my capacity to do more than try to help my friends and your chief, Admiral Stone, to the best of my ability. But I shall always be proud of my association with your enterprise, and the high ideals which have inspired you all.

Good luck and God speed.

Yours ever
Harold E. MacMillan
Acting President.

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AMENDMENT.325. TELEPHONE NUMBER.

Officers of this Headquarters except the following may be contacted on the telephone by obtaining AFG Salb through LIGHTNING.

Brigadier General E.E. Hume.	Lightning 87-88-90
Colonel A.E. Sutherland, Jr.	" " "
Lt. Col. E.N. Holmgreen.	" " "
Lt. Col. C.J. King.	" " "
Lt. Col. T.J. Michie.	" " "
Commander M.A. Musmanno.	" " "
Captain V.H. Rust.	" " "
Captain F.R. Brownyard.	" " "
1st Lt. R.H. Major.	" " "

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23 May 1945.

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24 May - Major Kennemur.DUTY CLOCK23 May - L/Cpl. Phipps.
24 May - Cpl. Jarratt.DUTY ORDERLY23 May - Gdsm. Chinnery.
24 May - Cmr. Lawrence.DUTY DRIVERS

23 May -

309. REQUISITIONING, RENTING, OR BORROWING OF BOATS.

1. The requisitioning, renting, or borrowing of boats of any description by personnel is prohibited.
2. It is planned to provide boats for operational and retreat **3143** activities for all personnel.

(HQ Fifth Army Comdt letter dated 17 May 45).
(Admin. Officer).310. SHOWERSShowers will open at noon 21 May 1945. Unit #1 is located opposite the
Unit #2 is located 75 yards west of the C.SMO. Shower signs will

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Chief Clerk	RM

308. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER

- 23 May - Captain Linbert.
- 24 May - Major Kennemur.

DUTY CLERK

- 23 May - L/Cpl. Phipps.
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DUTY ORDERLY

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(HQ Fifth Army Comdt letter dated 17 May 45).
(Admin. Officer).

310. SHOWERS

Showers will open at noon 21 May 1945. Unit #1 is located opposite the GRAND HOTEL. Unit #2 is located 75 yards west of the C.SINO. Shower signs will be placed in prominent positions.

Hours: WAC & FEMALE PERSONNEL 1130 to 1330 hours

OFFICERS & ENLISTED MEN 1430 to 1900 hours

(HQ Fifth Army DE No. 140 dated 21 May 1945).

311. RELEASE FROM THE ARMY - BRITISH PERSONNEL.

The following information on voluntary deferment of release of service personnel has been received from AFHQ and should be brought to the attention of all British personnel:

1. In cases of individuals in age service groups 1 to 11 volunteering for 1 or 2 years, deferment starts from dates as follows:

Groups 1 and 3 June 18. Groups 5 to 7 July 2. Groups 8 and 9 July 16. Groups 10 and 11 July 30. Date from which deferment starts will be inserted on application by the confirming authority.

2. Corresponding dates for deferment for women will be notified later, as will dates for groups 12 to 26 when known.

3. Latest date of volunteer will be that on which the individual would be due to leave his unit for purposes of release. He will be retained with his unit until confirmation of acceptance is received. If deferment is refused; the individual will be dispatched with his group or as soon after as possible.

(HQ AFHQ LCOM D3 No. 139 dated 19 May 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

312. ORDNANCE STORES - VOTE 9. - BRITISH.

1. 5 Army Tps Ord Pk is NOT now available for the supply of Vtc 9 Technical and LT spares.

2. Demands for these stores will be submitted in future to D.DOS this HQ for onward transmission to 557 HQ.

3. Stores will then come forward to D.DOS Dump, and units will be advised when to collect.

(R.O. No. 14 dated 18 May 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

313. FRATERNIZATION WITH PRISONERS OF WAR AND SURRENDERED ARMY FORCES.

1. In order that there be no misunde standing of the Commanding General's policy in reference to fraternization; the attention of all military personnel is directed to the following:

"No fraternization will be tolerated between army personnel and surrendered enemy forces or prisoners of war.

An attitude of impersonal severity tempered by a strict adherence to the principles of simple justice will be adhered to throughout the command.

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(HQ LCOM DB No. 139 dated 19 May 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

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1. 5 Army Tns Ord Md Pk is NOT now available for the supply of Vte 9 Technical and Iff stores.

2. Demands for these stores will be submitted in future to D.DOS this HQ for onward transmission to 557 WOD.

3. Stores will then come forward to D.DOS Dump, and units will be advised when to collect.

(R.O. No. 14 dated 18 May 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

313. RELATIONSHIP WITH PRISONERS OF WAR AND SURRENDERED ENEMY FORCES.

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An attitude of impersonal severity tempered by a strict adherence to the principles of simple justice will be adhered to throughout the command.

Appropriate action will be taken by all commanders to insure the effectiveness of the above policy and to prevent the acceptance of hospitality of military personnel by prisoners and any association between prisoners and women or between surrendered enemy personnel, prisoners of war and civilians"

(HQ Fifth Army letter dated 18 May 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

ALL ISSUED FROM SUPREMACY ALLIED COMMANDER, MEDITERRANEAN THEATER

The following is a special message from the Supreme Allied Commander to all the Allied Armed Forces in the Mediterranean Theater.

1. The territory around Trieste and Gorizia and east of the Isonzo River is part of Italy known as Venezia Giulia. The territory around Villach and Klagenfurt is part of Austria.
2. The above Italian and Austrian territory is now claimed by Marshal Tito who wishes to incorporate it in Yugoslavia. We have no objections to claims being put forward by Marshal Tito to this territory. His claims will be examined and finally settled with fairness and impartiality at the peace conference in exactly the same manner as other disputed areas throughout Europe. Our policy as has been publicly proclaimed is that territorial changes should be made only after thorough study and after full consultation and collaboration between the various governments concerned.

3. It is, however, Marshal Tito's apparent intention to establish his claims by force, arms and military occupation. Action of this kind would be all too reminiscent of Hitler, Mussolini and Japan. It is to prevent such actions that we have been fighting this war. We have agreed to work together to seek an orderly and just solution of territorial problems; this is one of the cardinal principles for which the peoples of the United Nations have made their tremendous sacrifices in an endeavour to obtain a just and lasting peace. It is one of the cornerstones on which our representatives with the approbation of world public opinion are now at work at San Francisco to build a system of world security. We cannot now throw away the vital principles for which we have all fought. Under these principles it is our duty to hold these disputed territories as trustees until their ultimate disposal is settled at the peace conference.

4. Within these territories our duty and responsibility is to keep law and order by our military forces and to ensure a peaceful and secure life for their peoples through our Allied Military Government. We may be relied upon to act impartially as we do not covet these territories ourselves.

5. In this situation I tried my best to come to a friendly agreement with Marshal Tito but did not succeed. The United States and British Governments have therefore taken the matter up directly with Marshal Tito. The Soviet Government has been kept fully informed. We are now waiting to hear whether Marshal Tito is prepared to cooperate in accepting a peaceful settlement of his territorial claims or whether he will attempt to establish them by force.

6. It has always been my policy to keep you all, whatever your rank, fully informed about the general situation and objects for which you fought. I said

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who wishes to incorporate it in Yugoslavia. We have no objection to being put forward by Marshal Tito to this territory. His claims will be examined and finally settle with fairness and impartiality at the peace conference in exactly the same manner as other disputed areas throughout Europe. Our policy as has been publicly proclaimed is that territorial changes should be made only after thorough study and after full consultation and deliberation between the various governments concerned.

3. It is, however, Marshal Tito's apparent intention to establish his claims by force, arms and military occupation. Action of this kind would be all too reminiscent of Hitler, Mussolini and Japan. It is to prevent such actions that we have been fighting this war. We have agreed to work together to seek an orderly and just solution of territorial problems; this is one of the cardinal principles for which the peoples of the United Nations have made their tremendous sacrifices in an endeavour to obtain a just and lasting peace. It is one of the cornerstones on which our representatives with the approbation of world public opinion are now at work at San Francisco to build a system of world security. We cannot now throw away the vital principles for which we have all fought. Under these principles it is our duty to hold these disputed territories as trustees until their ultimate disposal is settled at the peace conference.

4. Within these territories our duty and responsibility is to keep law and order by our military forces and to ensure a peaceful and secure life for their peoples through our Allied Military Government. We may be relied upon to act impartially as we do not covet these territories ourselves.

5. In this situation I tried my best to come to a friendly agreement with Marshal Tito but did not succeed. The United States and British Governments have therefore taken the matter up directly with Marshal Tito. The Soviet Government has been kept fully informed. We are now waiting to hear whether Marshal Tito is prepared to cooperate in accepting a peaceful settlement of his territorial claims or whether he will attempt to establish them by force.

6. It has always been my policy to keep you all, whatever your rank, fully informed about the general situation and objects for which you fought. I send you this message so that you may know the issues which are now at stake.

(HQ Fifth Army letter dated 19 May 1945).

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL SMITH:

W. D. Harris

W. D. Harris,
Major, R.A.M.C.,
Admin. Officer.

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Chief Clerk	WIP

279. FIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER

29 April - Lieut. Koetz.
30 April - Captain Keeney.

DUTY CLERK

29 April - Efc. Cannarella.
30 April - Cpl. Felli.

DUTY ORDERLY

29 April - Gdsm. Chinnery.
30 April - Gnr. Lawrence.

DUTY DRIVERS

29 April -
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280. HONORS AND AWARDS.

The following award has been approved by His Majesty THE KING:

C.B.E.

7/Lt Col (T/Col) E.B. MAYNE, (240365), U.D.P.

(Admin. Officer).

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUME:

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270. NIGHT DUTY OFFICERS

- 24 April - Major Wynors.
- 25 April - Capt. in Keeney.

DUTY CLERK

- 24 April - Cpl. Gibson.
- 25 April - Sgt. Robinson.

DUTY ORDERLY

- 24 April - Pte. Norton.
- 25 April - Pte. Malone.

DUTY DRIVER

- 24 April -

271. LONGEVITY PAY. American.

Section III, War Department Circular 97, c.s., is quoted for the information and guidance of all concerned:

"1. The attention of all disbursing officers is directed to the decision of the Comptroller General of the United States dated 6 April 1944 (23 Comp. Gen. 775), in which it was held that enlisted service performed in the National Guard by an individual prior to the attainment of 18 years of age may not be counted for longevity pay purposes.

2. No further payments of longevity pay for this type of service will be made.

3. The ruling of the Comptroller General in the ³¹³⁹ decision will be brought to the attention of all military personnel."

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270. NIGHT REPORT DUTY OFFICER

24 April - Major Wynors.
25 April - Captain Keeney.

DUTY CLERK

24 April - Cpl. Gibson.
25 April - Sgt. Robinson.

DUTY ORDERLY

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BY COMMAND OF BRIG. GEN. L. H. HULL:

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247. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER

- 17 April - Captain Lambert.
- 18 April - Lt. Giustiniani.

DUTY CLERK

- 17 April - Sgt. Robinson.
- 18 April - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDINARY

- 17 April - Pfc. Harrison.
- 18 April - Pfc. Cox.

DUTY DRIVERS

- 17 April -

248. WEEKLY STAFF MEETING

The weekly staff meeting will take place at 1100 hours on Friday, 20th April, 1945 in the Conference Room, HQ 100 Fifth Army. All Staff Section Chiefs, All Heads of Divisions, SCMOs of Corps, SCMOs Florence City and Bologna City, All P.C.'s in Army Area at present are required to attend. (Asst Admin. Officer).

249. USE OF TRANSPORT

In order to make the most efficient possible use of the "MCC" trucks available to 100 Fifth Army, their control and disbursement has been turned over to the Senior Supply Officer. Requests for transportation from all 100 Staff sections will be made in writing to the Senior Supply Officer. Printed forms for this purpose are being prepared and will be distributed by him. Because of the

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17 April - Captain Linbert.
18 April - Lt. Giustiniani.

DUTY CLERK

17 April - Sgt. Robinson.
18 April - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDERLY

17 April - Fus. Hampson.
18 April - Tfc. Cox.

DUTY DRIVERS

17 April -

248. WEEKLY STAFF MEETING

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249. USE OF TRANSPORT

In order to make the most efficient possible use of the LCCP trucks available to AFG Fifth Army, their control and disbursement has been turned over to the Senior Supply Officer. Requests for transportation from all AFG Staff sections will be made in writing to the Senior Supply Officer. Printed forms for this purpose are being prepared and will be distributed by him. Because of the distances and competing commitments involved, requests should be foreseen and put in as far in advance as possible. Only in cases of real emergency can requests for heavy transport be handled on less than 48 hours notice.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUTE:

Victor H. Hute
(Admin. Officer)

VICTOR H. HUTE,
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243. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER

16 April - Major Austin.
 17 April - Captain Limbert.

DUTY CLERK

16 April - Cpl. Gibson.
 17 April - Sgt. Robinson.

DUTY ORDERLY

16 April - Pte. Malone.
 17 April - Tus. Hampson.

DUTY DRIVERS

16 April -
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244. AWARD OF SOLDIER'S MEDAL

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, the Soldier's Medal was awarded by the Theater Commander to the following named officer:

FRANCIS F. HOELSCHER, 0524825, Major (then Captain), Army of the United States, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, for heroism on 25 July 1944 near Bologna, Italy. Upon being informed that an Italian civilian lay seriously wounded in a heavily mined wheatfield, Major Hoelscher without regard for his own safety, prodded his way to the casualty, de-capping two anti-personnel mines and avoiding two trip mines in his progress. He

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(Asst Admin. Officer).

245. PAYMENT OF CIVILIAN STAFF IN AG/AFG WAREHOUSE NOW OPERATED BY FEDERAZIONE DEI CONSORZI AGRARI.

1. Reference is made to the payment of civilian wages in the AG warehouses operated by AG 5th and 8th Armies and for which the accountability has been handed over to the Federazione dei Consorzi Agrari.

2. It has already been agreed that all office and warehouse personnel will continue to be paid by AG on the same terms as those existing before the hand over to the Federazione. To clarify the position the following points should be noted.

a) Even though wages are paid by AG such payments are charged to the Italian State.

b) It is understandable that in a warehouse there should be personnel who are paid by AG at Army rates, and others paid by the Federazione at their own rates of pay.

c) If the Consorzi wish to engage extra staff these also should be paid by AG. Naturally the Supply Officers in charge of warehouses will see that this position is not abused by unnecessary increases in staff.

d) Payment of civilian staff should continue during the time in which AG 5 and 8 Army have a direct interest in the distribution of the foodstuffs in the warehouse. When the Armies move forward, and in consequence the contents of the warehouse are turned over to the local Provincial Consorzi Agrario, the payment of civilian staff wages will automatically pass to the Consorzi administrative officials who take over the supplies and warehouse.

(HQ JICOP letter dated 11 April 1945).
(Econ. and Supply).

246. TITLE TO ITALIAN ARMY VEHICLES

The title to vehicles of the Italian Armed Forces falls into two categories as follows:

1. Vehicles captured by the Allied Armies prior to the Armistice with Italy - These vehicles have become spoils of war and remain the property of the Allied Military authorities who have discretion to allot them as they see fit in accordance with existing instructions governing captured enemy material.

2. All other vehicles of the Italian Armed Forces

- c) Even though wages are paid by the warehouse there should be to the Italian State.
- b) It is undesirable that in a warehouse there should be personnel who are paid by AMG at Army rates, and others paid by the Federazione at their own rates of pay.
- 4) If the Consorzi wish to engage extra staff these also should be paid by AMG. Naturally the Supply Officers in charge of warehouses will see that this position is not abused by unneccessary increases in staff.
- c) Payment of civilian staff should continue during the time in which AMG 5 and 8 Army have a direct interest in the distribution of the foodstuffs in the warehouse. When the Armies move forward, and in consequence the contents of the warehouse are turned over to the local Provincial Consorziio Agrario, the payment of civilian staff wages will automatically pass to the Consorzio administrative officials who take over the supplies and warehouse.
- (HQ LICO letter dated 11 April 1945).
(Econ. and Supply).

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2. All other vehicles of the Italian Armed Forces
 - a. These remain the property of the Italian Government as outlined in AMHQ Circulars Number 13, and Number 29, 1944.
 - b. This transport should be used to the maximum benefit of the Italian nation as a whole, bearing in mind the calls made by Headquarters HQ on the resources of the Allied Armies to meet essential civilian requirements.
 - c. The allocation of this transport in accordance with paragraph b above will be made as follows:

246. TITLE TO ITALIAN ARMY VEHICLES - Cont'd.

c. Italian Army vehicles by the Land Forces Sub Commission AC (ITAL). Italian Air Force vehicles by the Air Force Sub Commission AC. Italian Navy vehicles by the Navy Sub Commission AC. Transport surplus to the minimum needs of the Italian Armed Forces which is desired for civilian use by Headquarters AC will be allotted to civilian use by the appropriate Sub Commission, AC, title thereto and operation thereof being by the Italian Armed Forces under the control of the appropriate Sub Commission, AC.

d. The Italian Armed Forces will exert every effort to locate and acquire vehicles still undisclosed. Allied Authorities will give every assistance possible to the Italian Authorities and to the respective Sub Commissions, AC. Any vehicles coming into the possession of the Allied Authorities will be reported to the appropriate Sub Commission, AC for disposal.

(AFHQ Cir. No. 5 dated 11 April 1945).
(Asst. Admin. Officer).

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUNT:

Victor H. Hunt

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NUMBER 94OFFICIAL234 NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER11 April - Capt. in Dunstan.
12 April - Captain Murphy.DUTY CLERK11 April - E/Cpl. Phipps.
12 April - Cpl. Jarrett.DUTY ORDERLY11 April - Sgt. Dixon.
12 April - Cpl. Genawi.DUTY DRIVERS11 April -
-335. WEEKLY STAFF MEETING.

The weekly staff meeting will take place at 1100 hours on Friday, 13th April, 1945 in the Conference Room, HQ 5th Fifth Army. All Staff Section Chiefs, All Heads of Divisions, S.C.s of Corps, S.C.s Florence City and Bologna City, All P.C.'s in Army area at present are required to attend.

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DAILY VULCAN
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7th April - Major Gaither.DUTY OFFICER6th April - Pte. Commarella.
7th April - Cpl. Velli.DUTY OFFICER6th April - Cnr. Lawrence.
7th April - Pte. Kirkbride.DUTY OFFICER

6th April -

222. CORRESPONDENCE - British.

All correspondence up to one ounce in weight incl Air Letters
3077 and 3077A, but excl Airgrams, will be conveyed by air to
UK free of postage. Further details will be published in Camp Routine
Orders at a later date.

(R.O. No. 238 dated 4 April 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

223. PASSIS - British.

1. Routine Orders 23/45 and 50/45 are cancelled.
2. All units permanently stationed in BLOMANCE will issue to each officer and OR a permanent authority to be in BLOMANCE on AB

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221. HIGH SEAS DUTY CHANGES

6th April - Captain Keeney.
7th April - Major Gaither.

DUTY CHANGES

6th April - Pfc. Cammarella.
7th April - Cpl. Velli.

DUTY ORDERS

6th April - Cmr. Lawrence.
7th April - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS

6th April -

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(R.C. No. 238 dated 4 April 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

3134223. PASSES - British.

1. Routine Orders 23/45 and 68/45 are cancelled.
2. All units permanently stationed in BOMBAY will issue to each officer and OR a permanent authority to be in BOMBAY on 295 (CT). No other form of pass will be used.
3. Passes will be signed by the CC and will be carried by the individual holder at all times when outside the unit area and will be produced to the Military Police on demand.
4. Regular checks will be arranged by units to ensure that all personnel are in possession of legible passes. All passes will be withdrawn from personnel posted away from the BOMBAY Command Area. (C.R.O. No. 25 dated 26 March 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

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224. BLACKOUT REGULATIONS.

1. Beginning 1 April train services will be resumed on the line between PISA and MONTECASSINO. There are several level crossings (grade crossings) on this line.

2. All drivers will be warned to exercise extreme care when using these crossings.

(C.I.O. No. 25 dated 26 March 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

225. BLACKOUT REGULATIONS.

The following is an extract of Section III, Circular No 13, Headquarters Fifth Army, dated 20 March 1945 and is published herewith for information and guidance of all troops in MONTECASSINO area.

"III - Blackout Regulations in Peninsular Base Section Area.

All drivers of vehicles of Fifth Army units will comply with the following "Blackout" Regulations while in the Peninsular Base Section Area:

(a) A "Blackout" will prevail immediately upon receipt of a red alert notice (siren, telephone, word of mouth, etc) or, if such notice has not been received, when an air raid is observed to be in actual progress as evidenced by anti-aircraft fire, dropping of bombs or flares, or firing from aircraft. Blackout will continue until the "All Clear" signal is received from an authorized source.

(b) During a "Blackout" the following conditions will apply:

(1) All headlights will be extinguished and a speed limit of 15 km per hour (10 miles per hour) will be observed. Side lights will be blacked out except for a aperture not exceeding one inch in diameter.

(2) Military and Civil Defence vehicles are authorized to use headlights if necessary only in the discharge of an urgent operational duty. In such case, they are not bound by the speed limit imposed for other traffic.

(3) Firing weapons or throwing missiles at vehicle lights is prohibited.

(4) Civil Defence and fire fighting vehicles will be recognised by the "All Clear" signal (Defence Light) or "All Clear" (Defence Light).

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(Admin. Officer).

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- (b) During a "Blackout" the following conditions will apply:
 - (1) All headlights will be extinguished and a speed limit of 15 mph per hour (10 miles per hour) will be observed. Side lights will be blacked out except for an aperture not exceeding one inch in diameter.
 - (2) Military and Civil Defence vehicles are authorized to use headlights if necessary only in the discharge of an urgent operational duty. In such case, they are not bound by the speed limit imposed for other traffic.
 - (3) Firing weapons or throwing missiles at vehicle lights is prohibited.
 - (4) Civil Defence and fire fighting vehicles will be recognised by the disc "DC" (Defence Civil) or "DF" (Defence Inactive) inside one headlight and will be given the right of way.

(C.R.O. No. 27 dated 2 April 1945).

BY COMMAND OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL *W. A. Hayne*

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NOTICE

CONCERTS:

Concerts will be given each Monday at 1530 hours and each Wednesday at 2000 hours at the PERGOLE Theater, Via Della Pergola No. 12, Florence, beginning 11 April 1945. Civilians will be admitted if accompanied by Allied military personnel. Price - 25 Lire. Tickets may be procured in advance at No. 4 Via Cernuschi.

Effective 5 April 1945, concerts will be given each Thursday at 1500 hours and each Sunday at 2000 hours, at the British Army Education and Welfare Center, located at S. L. VITO PERGOLE, Via Tornabuoni, Florence. Price - 25 Lire. Due to the limited seating capacity, civilians are not invited. Tickets will not be sold in advance but can be procured at the Education and Welfare Center at the time of the concerts.

(HQ BRITISH ARMY DB No. 93 dated 3 April 1945).

(Sgt. Officer).

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31 March 1945.

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207. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER31st March - Major Austin.
1st April - Captain Limbert.DUTY CLERK31st March - Sgt. Nocerini.
1st April - Cpl. Gibson.DUTY ORDERLY31st March - Pte. Kirkbride.
1st April - Pfc. Laveglia.DUTY DRIVERS31st March -
-208. IDENTIFICATION CARDS. - American.

The replacement of old type identification cards by new type (laminated) identification cards is obligatory. Personnel may be processed for the new type card from 0800 hours to 1130 hours and from 1300 to 1630 hours in the Basement of Building "G", Headquarters Fifth Army Rear Echelon.

(HQ 5 Army DB No. 87 dated 28 Mar 45).
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26 March 1945.

DAILY BULLETIN
NUMBER 80OFFICIAL187. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER26th March - Captain Brownyard.
27th March - Major Hayne.DUTY CLERK26th March - Sgt. Robinson.
27th March - L/Cpl. Phipps.DUTY ORDERLY26th March - Fus. Stott.
27th March - Spr. Dixon.DUTY DRIVERS26th March -
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188. CHANGE IN TIME

1. Effective at 0200 hours on 2 April 1945, all clocks, watches, etc., will be advanced one (1) hour to conform with the new time schedule.

2. This will be in effect until further notice and will be known as "B" time.

(HQ ALCON DB No. 82 Dated 23 Mar 45).
(Admin. Officer).

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189. Commendation of Allied Troops in Italy.

See Appendix "A".

(Admin. Officer).

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COMENDATION OF ALLIED TROOPS IN ITALY.

It is desired that the following message be brought to the attention of all members of your command.

"GENERAL MARK CLARK, AT THE REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, UNANIMOUSLY EXPRESSED, I SEND TO YOU, THE OFFICERS AND MEN OF ALL FORCES UNDER YOUR COMMAND, OUR GRATEFUL THANKS FOR THE STENDID COURAGE AND MAGNIFICENT VICTORIES ACHIEVED ON THE ITALIAN FRONT UNDER DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH HAVE BROUGHT PRESTIGE AND GLORY TO OUR COMBINED ARMS.

SIGNED: SAM RAYBURN, SPEAKER, UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES."

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL CLARK:

/s/ H. L. Ostler
/s/ H. L. OSTLER,
Colonel, A. G. D.,
Adjutant General.

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NUMBER 77OFFICIAL183. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER22nd March - Captain Keeney.
23rd March - Major Gaither.DUTY CLERK22nd March - Pfc. Cannarella.
23rd March - Cpl. Melli.DUTY ORDERLY22nd March - Gnr. Lawrence.
23rd March - Pte. Kirkbride.DUTY DRIVERS22nd March -
-184. TELEPHONE NUMBER

The telephone number of HQ 1ST IV CORPS is:

LUCCA SWITCH 50 or 59

(Admin. Officer).

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUNT:

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Asst. Adj.	<i>msf</i>
Asst. Adj.	
Chief Clerk	<i>RC</i>

179. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

20th March - Lieut. Hartman.
21st March - Lieut. Koetz.

DUTY CLERK.

20th March - Cpl. Jarratt.
21st March - Pfc. Cannarella.

DUTY ORDERLY.

20th March - Cpl. Cerami.
21st March - Gdsm. Chinnery.

DUTY DRIVERS.

20th March -
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180. TELEPHONE NUMBER.

The telephone number of the Officers Mess, AMG Fifth Army is:

FLORENCE 1229.

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NUMBER 73OFFICIAL173. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

18th March - Captain Rust.

19th March - Lt. Guistiriani.

DUTY CHIEF.

18th March - Sgt. Robinson.

19th March - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDINARY.

18th March - Mus. Stott.

19th March - Spr. Dixon.

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174. VOLUNTARY GIFT PARCELS SCHEME. - British.

Reference this HQ Daily Bulletin to all British Officers and ORs' No. 55 dated 27 February 1945.

1. Under the April allocation of gift parcels this Headquarters has received a quota of 3 parcels. All British officers and ORs desiring to qualify for one of these parcels will submit their names to this HQ not later than 1st April 1945.

2. A ballot will be held on April 2nd 1945 and the first three names to be drawn will be allocated gift parcels.

(Admin. Officer).

175. DAILY BULLETIN.

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173. NIGHT GUARD DUTY OFFICER.

18th March - Captain Rust.
19th March - Lt. Gustafson.

DUTY CLERK.

18th March - Sgt. Robinson.
19th March - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDERLY.

18th March - Pte. Stott.
19th March - Sgt. Dixon.

DUTY DUTY NO.

18th March -

174. VOLUNTARY WELFARE BUREAU SCHEME. - British.

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(Admin. Officer).

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1. Complaints have been received at this HQ recently to the effect that some officers and W/Os do not have the opportunity of reading the Daily Bulletin.

2. All officers receiving this Bulletin will ensure in future that any W/Os under their control see this Bulletin daily.

3. The Bulletin is published for the purpose of bringing interesting and necessary information to the attention of all ranks, American and British, it is essential therefore that this Bulletin is either posted in a prominent place and the attention of all ranks brought to it, or that C.Os and W/Os and other officers working in forward areas ensure that the W/Os under their control read the Bulletin daily.
(Admin. Officer).

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176. POSTERS - BRITISH - British.

Units with any personnel possessing ability in commercial art are invited to submit designs for anti-malarial posters.

The best designs will be utilised in the coming season's anti-malarial campaign.

Any slogans employed should be approved by a medical officer.

(M.C. No. 219 dated 16 March 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

177. DANCES - British.

1. It has been intimated that while there is no basic objection to admitting civilians to officers' and ORs' dances those responsible for supervision must ensure the exclusion of undesirable persons, they are also responsible for the prevention of any undesirable incidents which could arise from the presence of civilians and that the highest standard of conduct is maintained at these functions.

2. Units or Welfare Organisations wishing to hold dances or social evenings in the future will apply to this HQ five clear days before the proposed dates.

3. Applications will be in triplicate and will state

- (a) Unit wishing to hold dance or social
 - (b) Location
 - (c) Dates, and hours of party
 - (d) Whether officers, ORs, other ranks, or all ranks and whether civilians will be invited.
 - (e) Precautions to be taken to ensure order and avoidance of disturbances.
 - (f) Brief details of general arrangements.
4. Permission will not normally be given for more than one dance each type per fortnight.
5. The sale or supply of alcoholic drinks at other ranks (including sergeants) or all ranks dances is not permitted.

6. Attention is drawn to Command Routine Order 270/44 regulating use of transport.

7. Command Routine Orders 177 and 170/44 are cancelled.

8. To comply with Curfew orders dances will close not later than 2330 hrs and other ranks dances not later than 2230 hrs.

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7. Command Routine Orders 177 and 170/44 are cancelled.

8. To comply with Curfew officers dances will close not later than 2330 hrs and other ranks dances not later than 2230 hrs. Extension of curfew cannot ordinarily be granted.

(C.R.C. No. 21 dated 13 March 1945).

BY COMMAND OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

Victor H. Rust

VICTOR H. RUST,
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159. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

14th March - Captain Dunstan.
15th March - Major Austin.

DUTY CLERK.

14th March - Mco. Cannarella.
15th March - Col. Pelli.

DUTY ORDERLY.

14th March - Cmr. Lawrence.
15th March - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS.

14th March -

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The weekly staff meeting will take place at 1100 hours on Friday, 16th March, 1945 in the Conference Room, HQ AFG Fifth Army. All Staff Section Chiefs, All Heads of Divisions, SCAGs of Corps, SCAG's Florence City and Bologna City, All P.C's in Army Area at present are required to attend.

(Admin. Officer).

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161. EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM.

Executive Memorandum No. 60 dated 19 May 1944 is amended as follows:

Insert sub-para 1 (d):

(a) - (b) and (c) to read - "Liberated Italy."

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"d) Both (a) and (b) together - Liberated Italy."

(HQ ALCOM letter dated 9 March 1945).
(Admin. Officer).

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL HUTT:

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150. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

11th March - Major Hayne.
 12th March - Major Kennerly.

DUTY CLERK.

11th March - Sgt. Edwards.
 12th March - L/Cpl. Phipps.

DUTY ORDERLY.

11th March - Spr. Dixon.
 12th March - Cpl. Cerani.

DUTY DRIVERS.

11th March -

151. ROAD BLOCKS.

1. Road Blocks are being established throughout the theater by the Military Police for the purpose of checking the legality of movement of individuals, motor vehicles, supplies, etc.

2. These Road Blocks will be clearly marked, both on the approaches and at the check point, and ALL VEHICLES WILL COME TO A HALT until released by the Military Police. Unless operationally impossible, a representative of Nationals will be present when the circumstances require checking of Nationals.

3. The standing operating procedure for establishment of road blocks has been announced by the Provost Marshal General, this headquarters, in PFC Circular Number 1, 10 January 1945, which has

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4. The foregoing will be brought to the attention of all personnel, officer and enlisted.

(Admin. Officer).

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10th March - Captain Brownyard.
 11th March - Major Hayne.

DUTY CLERK.

10th March - Sgt. Robinson.
 11th March - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDERLY.

10th March - Tus. Stott.
 11th March - Sgt. Dixon.

DUTY DRIVER.

10th March -

149. JEWISH HOLIDAY OF PASSOVER.

1. This year the first two days of the Jewish Holyday of Passover begin the evening of March 28th, and last two days begin the evening of April 4th. The Jewish Holyday begins at sunset and ends at sunset. Passover is celebrated by a Table Service, the Seder, and by worship assembly.

2. Commanding officers will assist Jewish personnel to hold the Seder by arranging for the use of mess, ration and quartermaster facilities.

3. Within military expediency, appropriate commanders will grant officers and enlisted men of the Jewish faith time off to attend Seder and other Passover worship as enables and will provide transportation where necessary.

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148. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

10th March - Captain Brownyard.
11th March - Major Hayne.

DUTY OFFICER.

10th March - Sgt. Robinson.
11th March - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDERLY.

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DUTY DRIVER.

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OFFICIAL142. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

7th March - Major Gaither.

8th March - Captain Dunstan.

DUTY CLERK.

7th March - Cpl. Velli.

8th March - Pfc. De Sanfilis.

DUTY ORDERLY.

7th March - Pte. Kirkbride.

8th March - Pfc. Laveglia.

DUTY DRIVERS.7th March -
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OFFICER140. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

6th March - Captain Keeney.
7th March - Major Gaither.

DUTY CLERK.

6th March - Lic. Cannarella.
7th March - Cpl. Pelli.

DUTY ORDERLY.

6th March - Cnr. Lawrence.
7th March - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS.

6th March -

141. PROHIBITION OF PARTICIPATION OF ALLIED PERSONNEL IN ITALIAN POLITICAL AFFAIRS.

1. The following Directive from AFHQ will be complied with by all Fifth Army AFHQ personnel:

"1. Members of the Allied Forces must refrain from any direct or individual participation in Italian politics. Strict compliance with this principle will be more important than ever as the Italian Government assumes an increasing measure of political responsibility over a more extensive area of Italy.

2. Casual attendance by Allied Forces personnel at political meetings, and even private conversations with Italians on political subjects, may lead to misunderstanding.

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Chief Clerk	yes

140. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

6th March - Captain Keeney.
7th March - Major Gaither.

DUTY CLERK.

6th March - Pte. Cannarella.
7th March - Cpl. Pelli.

DUTY ORDERLY.

6th March - Cnr. Lawrence.
7th March - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVER.

6th March -
7th March -

141. PROHIBITION OF PARTICIPATION OF ALLIED PERSONNEL IN ITALIAN POLITICAL AFFAIRS.

1. The following directive from AFHQ will be complied with by all Fifth Army JCG personnel:

"1. Members of the Allied Forces must refrain from any direct or individual participation in Italian politics. Strict compliance with this principle will be more important than ever as the Italian Government assumes an increasing measure of political responsibility over a more extensive area of Italy."

2. Casual attendance by Allied Forces personnel at political meetings, and even private conversations with Italians on political subjects, may lead to misunderstanding and will be avoided on all occasions.

3. All commanders will issue orders to all concerned to refrain at all times from any form of participation in Italian political affairs."

2. This directive does not affect the performance of official duty by JCG personnel, where concern for the political aspects of Italian affairs becomes a necessary function of Allied Military Government.

(Admin. Officer).

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103. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

19th February - Major Gaitner.
20th February - Captain Dunstan.

DUTY CLERK

19th February - T/5 Melli.
20th February - Pfc. De Panfilis.

DUTY ORDERLY

19th February - Gnr. Lawrence.
20th February - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS.

19th February -

104. SUPPLY OF MANUFACTURED GAS.

It is anticipated that manufactured gas will be turned into the City of Florence mains on 18 February.

A check on all gas appliances and outlets will be made immediately to insure that they are NOT open.

Mains are now being tested by means of a lignite gas of low calorific value. Care should be exercised to keep flames from any appliances that may be leaking as there is some danger of

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- 19th February - Major Gaither.
- 20th February - Captain Dunstan.

DUTY CLERK

- 19th February - 2/5 Melli.
- 20th February - Pfc. De Panfilis.

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Mains are now being tested by means of a lignite gas of low calorific value. Care should be exercised to keep flames from any appliances that may be leaking as there is some danger of explosion.

It is further directed that no effort be made to use gas until official notice has been given that such use in no longer hazardous.

(HQ 5 Army letter 464-AM d/d 16 Feb)
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105. TYPEWRITER INFORMATION.

All recipients of this HQ letter 7/1 dated 13 Feb 45, subject "Typewriters" are reminded that their returns are due in this office not later than 1200 hours, 19 February 1945. This matter is urgent.

(Admin. Officer 7/1)

By command of Brigadier General HUMM:

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92. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

14th February - Capt. Murphy.
 15th February - Capt. Rust.

DUTY CLERK.

14th February - Cpl. Jarratt.
 15th February - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDERLY.

14th February - Pfc. Cox.
 15th February - Pfc. Stott.

DUTY DRIVERS.

14th February -

93. WEEKLY STAFF MEETING.

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89. NIGHT SECTOR DUTY OFFICER.

13th February - Lieut. Hartman.
 14th February - Capt. Murphy.

DUTY CLERK.

13th February - Cpl. Gibson.
 14th February - Cpl. Jarratt.

DUTY ORDERLY.

13th February - Cfc. Lavaglia.
 14th February - Cfc. Cox.

DUTY DRIVERS.

13th February -
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90. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended,
 a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following-named officer:

FRANK E. BOSCHER, (0342765), Lieutenant Colonel, Field
 Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious services in support
 of combat operations, from 9 September 1943 to September 1944, in
 Italy. Entered military service from New York, New York.

(With Fifth Army G.O. No. 14 dtd 6 Feb 45).

91. DISCIPLINE - Desertion. British.

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DUTY DRIVERS.

13th February -
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90. AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following-named officer:

FRANK E. TOLSONI, (0349765), Lieutenant Colonel, Field Artillery, United States Army. For meritorious services in support of combat operations, from 9 September 1943 to September 1944, in Italy. Entered military service from New York, New York.

(HQ Fifth Army G.O. No. 14 dtd 6 Feb 45).

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 100th Airborne Division

APPENDIX "A" to Daily Bulletin No. 40.

DISCIPLINE - DESERTION - BRITISH

The attention of all ranks is drawn to the fact that, under the Release Regulations, a soldier who deserts on or after 1 Feb 45, will, on conviction by Court-Martial for the offence of desertion, forfeit all service prior to the date of such desertion, for the purpose of release from the Army under the Age-and-Service Group Scheme.

The result is that a soldier who deserts after 1 Feb 45, and is convicted by a Court-Martial, is in the same position as regards release as if he had been called up on the day on which he is discharged from prison.

Service so forfeited may be restored on the order of an officer not below the rank of Major-General if, after discharge from prison, the soldier

- (a) has been recommended for an award or mention for gallantry by an officer not below the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, or
- (b) has held the rank of Corporal for three months or is promoted to higher rank, or
- (c) completes 18 months clear of an adverse entry in his Regimental Conduct Sheet.

Except in these cases, only the Army Council can restore the service prior to desertion, on special recommendation where the soldier has performed good and faithful service or shown special merit.

Whenever the desertion took place, the period spent in desertion and the period whilst the sentence is in execution will be forfeited for purposes of release, and these periods cannot be restored.

(...in. Officer).

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81. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

7th February - Major Hayne.
 8th February - Major Kennemur.

DUTY CLERK.

7th February - Sgt. Edwards.
 8th February - L/Cpl. Thipps.

DUTY ORDERLY.

7th February - Fus. Stott.
 8th February - Spr. Dixon.

DUTY DRIVERS.

7th February -
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82. WEEKLY STAFF MEETING.

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71. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

3rd February - Major Gaither.
4th February - Captain Dunstan.

DUTY CLERK.

3rd February - Cpl. Melli.
4th February - Sgt. Nocerini.

DUTY ORDERLY.

3rd February - Gnr. Lawrence.
4th February - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS.

3rd February -

72. COMMENDATION.

A letter just received from The WHITE HOUSE, Washington, D.C., dated 4 January 1945, refers to the work of Allied Military Government, Fifth Army. President Roosevelt thus concludes his letter:

"I am glad to join in General Clark's commendation of the accomplishments of the A.V.G. staff".

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(Admin. Officer).

73. INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF OFFICERS OF THE COMMISSION.

Executive Memorandum 45 dated 17 Mar 44 is cancelled and pages 90-97 inclusive of the handbook "Instructions for the Guidance of

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71. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

3rd February - Major Gaither.
4th February - Captain Dunstan.

DUTY CLERK.

3rd February - Cpl. Melli.
4th February - Sgt. Nocerini.

DUTY ORDERLY.

3rd February - Cnr. Lawrence.
4th February - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS.

3rd February -
4th February -

72. COMMENDATION.

A letter just received from The WHITE HOUSE, Washington, D.C., dated 4 January 1945, refers to the work of Allied Military Government, Fifth Army. President Roosevelt thus concludes his letter:

"I am glad to join in General Clark's commendation of the accomplishments of the A.F.G. staff".

(Admin. Officer).

73. INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF OFFICERS OF THE COMMISSION.

Executive Memorandum 45 dated 17 Mar 44 is cancelled and pages 90-97 inclusive of the handbook "Instructions for the Guidance of Officers of the Commission" will be noted accordingly.

(HQ ALCOM Ref. 4/4B/CA dtd 27 Jan 45).

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65. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

31st January - Lieut. Guistiniani.
 1st February- Lieut. Koetz.

DUTY CLERK.

31st January - L/Cpl. Phipps.
 1st February- Sgt. Robinson.

DUTY ORDERLY.

31st January - Spr. Dixon.
 1st February- Cpl. Cerami.

DUTY DRIVERS.

31st January -
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66. PROMOTION - American Officer.

Pursuant to Paragraph 2, Special Orders No. 27, MTOUSA, dated 27 January 1945 the below mentioned officer is promoted as stated:

2ND LIEUT. TO 1ST LIEUT.

SEYMOUR H. RTMAN, O-1309868, Inf.

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OFFICIAL60. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

29th January - Capt. Murphy.
30th January - Capt. Rust.

DUTY CLERK.

29th January - Cpl. Jarratt.
30th January - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDERLY.

29th January - Pfc. Cox.
30th January - Fus. Stott.

DUTY DRIVER.

29th January -

61. AMENDMENT.

This HQ Daily Bulletin dated 28th January should read
"Daily Bulletin N . 26" and not 25 as shown.

(Adm) **3114**62. WEEKLY STAFF MEETING.

The weekly staff meeting will take place at 1100 hours on
Friday, 2nd February, 1945 in the Conference Room, HQ AMG Fifth
Army. All Staff Section Chiefs, All Heads of Divisions, SCAOs
of Camps, SO's, Platoon, etc.

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29th January - Capt. Murphy.
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DUTY CLERK.

29th January - Cpl. Jarratt.
30th January - Sgt. Edwards.

DUTY ORDINARY.

29th January - Pfc. Cox.
30th January - Fus. Stott.

DUTY DRIVER.

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of Corps, SCAO's Florence City and Bologna City, all P.C.'s in
Army Area at present are required to attend.

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46. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

20th January - Captain Dunstan.
 21st January - Captain Kellar.

DUTY CLERK.

20th January - Cpl. Gibson.
 21st January - Cpl. Jarratt.

DUTY ORDERLY.

20th January - Gunr. Lawrence.
 21st January - Pfc. Cox.

DUTY DRIVERS.

20th January - Pfc. Etter.
 Dvr. Weston.

47. PROMOTION - American Officers.

Announcement is made of the following promotions:

2ND LIEUT. TO 1ST LIEUT.

VICTOR D. ABRUNZO, O-1317248, Inf.
 SAUTO A. GIAMPAPA, O-1292504, Inf.

(Paragraph 2 SO 17, MTOUSA,
 dtd 17 January 1945).

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OFFICIAL44. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

19th January - Major Gaither.
 20th January - Captain Dunstan.

DUTY CLERK.

19th January - Pfc. De Panfilis.
 20th January - Cpl. Gibson.

DUTY ORDERLY.

19th January - Gdsm. Chinnery.
 20th January - Gunr. Lawrence.

DUTY DRIVERS.

19th January - Pfc. Johanson.
 - Dvr. Ransome.

45. TRANSACTIONS IN CURRENCY AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE ASSETS.

1. Except as otherwise specifically authorized, personnel in this theater are prohibited from:

- Importing, holding, transferring, exporting, or in any way dealing in United States or British paper currency.
- Participating in transactions involving the purchase, sale or exchange of gold coin and bullion or any currency against any other currency, except through authorized agencies.
- Importing or exporting any currency through mail or parcel post facilities, except currency of small denomination as *defined* *by* *the* *regulations*.
- Participating in any transaction involving gold coin and bullion, or the foreign exchange assets of any person in liberated or occupied territory not belonging to the Allied Forces.
- Participating in the transfer of any currency against any other currency on behalf of persons not belonging to the Allied Forces.

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19th January - Major Gaither.
20th January - Captain Dunstan.

DINNY CLARK.

19th January - Pfc. De Panfilis.
20th January - Cpl. Gibson.

DUTY ORDERS.

19th January - Gdsm. Chinnery.
20th January - Gunr. Lawrence.

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19th January - Pfc. Johanson.
- Dvr. Tansome.

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- c. Importing or exporting any currency through mail or parcel post facilities, except currency of small denomination as ~~20~~ ^{one} ~~cent~~ ^{cent} coins.
- d. Participating in any transaction involving gold coin or bullion, or the foreign exchange assets of any person in liberated or occupied territory not belonging to the Allied Forces.
- e. Participating in the transfer of any currency against any other currency on behalf of persons not belonging to the Allied Forces; if liberated or occupied territory, or on behalf of a person belonging to a unit of the Allied Forces of another nationality.
- f. Participating in the importing or exporting of funds, securities, money or other financial assets on behalf of persons not belonging to the Allied Forces in occupied or liberated territory.

(Admin. Memo. No. 3, AFH dtd 11/11/43).

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42. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

18th January - Captain Keeney.
 19th January - Major Gaither.

DUTY CLERK.

18th January - Cpl. Velli.
 19th January - Pfc. De Panfilis.

DUTY ORDERLY.

18th January - Col. Cerani.
 19th January - Sgsm. Chinnery.

DUTY DRIVERS.

18th January - Wic. Valiante.
 Dvr. Abrahams.

43. FLOWERS - Italian Florists.

1. It has been brought to the attention of AMHQ that Italian florists have solicited floral telegraphic orders for transmission to the United States and United Kingdom from United States and British personnel.

2. There is no way at the present time by which an Italian florist can effect delivery of flowers in the United States or ~~United Kingdom~~. Such activity is patently illegal. Consequently, any member of the Allied Forces who expends monies for such service can expect to suffer the resulting financial loss.

3. Personnel having knowledge of such activities are requested to report the facts to the nearest Military Police.

(G.O. 19/45)

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42. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

- 18th January - Captain Keeney.
- 19th January - Major Gaither.

DUTY CLERK.

- 18th January - Cpl. Melli.
- 19th January - Pfc. De Panfilis.

DUTY ORDERLY.

- 18th January - Cpl. Cerani.
- 19th January - Ssgt. Chinnery.

DUTY DRINKERS.

- 18th January - Pfc. Valiante.
- Dvr. Abrahams.

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35. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

14th January - Captain Brown.
15th January - Major Lynors.

DUTY CLERK.

14th January - Sgt. Edwards.
15th January - L/Cpl. Phipps.

DUTY ORDERLY.

14th January - Pfc. Cox.
15th January - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS.

14th January - Pfc. Corona.
Pfc. Joe Hayes.

36. PROMOTIONS - American Officers.

Pursuant to Special Orders Number 7, paragraph 2, HQ MTOUSA, dated 7 January 1945, the following named officers are promoted as shown below:

PROMOTED TO LIEUT. COLONEL

Major WILLIAM E. BAUGH, O-122378, JAGD.

PROMOTED TO MAJOR

Captain ALLEN S. AUSTIN, O-516745, SR.
Captain FERDINAND C. BADER, O-518025, SR.
Captain FUSTO CHULINI, O-496925, TC.
Captain DAVID H. KENTUR JR, O-310081, CTP.

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35. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

14th January - Captain Brown.
15th January - Major Wynors.

DUTY CLERK.

14th January - Sgt. Edwards.
15th January - L/Cpl. Phipps.

DUTY ORDERLY.

14th January - Pfc. Cox.
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33. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

13th January - Major Kennemur.
14th January - Captain Brown.

DUTY CLERK.

13th January - L/Cpl. Gibson.
14th January - Cpl. Jarratt.

DUTY ORDERLY.

13th January - Gdsm. Chinnery.
14th January - Gnr. Lawrence.

DUTY DRIVERS.

13th January - Cpl Bernholz.
Pfc. Berrier.

34. DRESS - British.

The following dress will be worn on occasions stated.

- Office Staff. B.D., Boots or Shoes.
- Drivers. Cap FS, TOS or Beret GS, B.D., Boots, Anklets web.
- Talking out. Cap FS, TOS or Beret GS, B.D., Boots or shoes.

The wearing of anklets web in offices or when walking out is optional.

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Official33. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

13th January - Major Kemmum.
14th January - Captain Brown.

DUTY CLERK.

13th January - L/Cpl. Gibson.
14th January - Cpl. Jarratt.

DUTY ORDERLY.

13th January - Gdsm. Chinnery.
14th January - Gnr. Lawrence.

DUTY DRIVERS.

13th January - Cpl Bernholz.
Pfc. Barrier.

34. DRESS - British.

The following dress will be worn on occasions stated.

- a. Office Staff. B.D., Boots or Shoes.
- b. Drivers. Cap FS, TOS or Beret GS, B.D., Boots, Anklets web.
- c. Walking out. Cap FS, TOS or Beret GS, B.D., Boots or shoes.

The wearing of anklets web in offices or when walking out is optional. **3109**

Khaki ties of normal military pattern may be worn when off duty in Barracks, when on leave or walking out, when working in offices or when attending lectures or similar indoor instructions. They will NOT be worn on other occasions.

When the tie is worn the battledress blouse will be opened to the second button from the top. When the tie is not worn, the blouse will be buttoned to the top. Tie or collar pins will not be worn.

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34. DRESS - British cont.

Caps SD may only be worn by members of the Brigade of Guards, CEF and such other Corps or Regiments as by custom of the Service are entitled to wear the cap SD with battle dress.

Trousers will be properly creased at all times.

(Br.Incr. R.O. 11 d/d 10 Jan).

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31. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

12th January - Major Hayne.

13th January - Major Kennerur.

DUTY CLERK.

12th January - Sgt. Nocerini.

13th January - Cpl. Jarratt.

DUTY ORDERLY.

12th January - Gdsm. Chinnery.

13th January - Gunr. Lawrence.

DUTY DRIVERS.

12th January - Pfc. Barrier.

- Dvr. Ransore.

32. ANNUAL ADDRESS.

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APPENDIX "A"

1. Attention is invited to the following statement of our President and Commander-in-Chief in his annual address on "The State of the Union" made on the opening of the 79th Congress:

"The tremendous operations in Western Europe have overshadowed in the public mind the less spectacular but vitally important Italian Front. Its place in the strategic conduct of the war in Europe has been obscured, and by some people, unfortunately underrated.

It is important that any misconception on that score be corrected now.

That the Allied Forces in Italy are doing is a well considered part in our strategy in Europe, now aimed at only one objective, the total defeat of the Germans. These valiant forces in Italy are continuing to keep a substantial portion of the German Army under constant pressure, including some 20 first line German Divisions and the necessary supply and transport and replacement troops, all of which our armies need so badly elsewhere.

Over very difficult terrain and through adverse weather conditions our Fifth Army and the British Eighth Army, reinforced by units from other United Nations, including a brave and well equipped unit of the Brazilian Army, have, in the past year, pushed north through bloody Cassino and the Anzio beachhead, and through Rome until now they occupy heights overlooking the valley of the Po.

The greatest tribute which can be paid to the courage and fighting ability of these splendid soldiers in Italy is to point out that although their strength is about equal to that of the Germans they oppose, the Allies have been continuously on the offensive.

That pressure, that offensive by our troops in Italy will continue.

The American people, and every soldier now fighting in the Apennines, should remember that the Italian front has not lost any of the importance which it had in the days when it was the only Allied Front in Europe."

2. It is desired that the President's statement be brought to the attention of all personnel of this command.

(Admin. Officer).

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25. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER

11th January - Captain Brownyard.
12th January - Major Hayne.

DUTY CHIEF

11th January - Pfc. De Panfilis.
12th January - Sgt. Pocerini.

DUTY ORDERLY.

11th January - Cpl. Cerari.
12th January - Gdsm. Chinnery.

DUTY DRIVERS.

11th January - Pfc. Salvatore.
- Dvr. Weston.

26. PROMOTIONS - British Officer.

Under authority of 1407/IS of 22 Dec 44 the undermentioned officer is granted the paid acting rank of Captain w.e.f. 25 August 1944. Lt. J.F.C. McCallum, 244067 P.D. ("APPX "A" to GRO 2).

27. HONOURS AND AWARDS.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Italy:

To be additional Members of the Military Division ^{3rd} Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order:-

Brigadier Maurice Stanley Lush, C.B.E., P.C. (127082),
Royal Regiment of Artillery (Brighton).

(APPX "A" to GRO 2).

25. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER

11th January - Captain Brownyard.
12th January - Major Hayne.

DUTY OFFICER

11th January - Pfc. De Tinfilis.
12th January - Sgt. Nocerini.

DUTY ORDERLY

11th January - Cpl. Cerari.
12th January - Gdsm. Chinnery.

DUTY DRIVERS

11th January - Pfc. Salvatore.
- Dvr. Weston.

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Lt. J.V.C. McCallum, 244067 R.D.

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To be additional Members of the Military Division **319th** Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order:-

Brigadier Maurice Stanley Lush, C.B.E., M.C. (127082),
Royal Regiment of Artillery (Brighton).

("APPX "A" to GRO 2).

28. WEEKLY STAFF MEETING.

The weekly staff meeting will take place at 1100 hours on Friday January 12th in the Conference Room, 17th Fifth Army. All Staff Sections Chiefs, All Heads of Divisions, SCOs and SCAOs 17th Army Florence City are required to attend.

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29. NEXT-OF-KIN - Officers and Other Ranks - British.

All ranks are reminded that in the interest of themselves and their next-of-kin, it is their duty to report to their C.O's without delay any change in the name, address, or relationship of their next-of-kin.

(GRO 12/44)

30. STATIONERY.

Stationery is in short supply; greater care must be taken in its use and all envelopes re-used as often as practicable.

The practice of submitting indents (requisitions) for stationery and expecting immediate receipt is unreasonable; all requests for stationery must be submitted to Supply (G4) AIG Fifth Army at least 24 hours before endeavour is made to collect it.

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22. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

9th January - Captain Dunstan.
10th January - Captain Keller.

DUTY ORDERLY.

9th January - Sgt. Robinson.
10th January - Pfc. Cannarella.

DUTY ORDERLY.

9th January - Fus. Stott.
10th January - Spr. Dixon.

DUTY DRIVERS.

9th January - Pvt. Gaumberg.
- Pvt. Valiante.

23. SPORTS - British.

It is desired to maintain in this theatre a roll of first class players of the sports mentioned below, and of officials. Details should be submitted to the Admin. Officer, Ninth Army as soon as possible:

(b) Players.

- (i) Association Football-- Professional or first class amateur club player. Details: Age; pre-war club; position.
- (ii) Rugby Football - First class club or county. League of Union. Details :- Age: Pre-war club: position played.
- (iii) Hockey - First class club or county.

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22. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

9th January - Captain Dunstan.
10th January - Captain Keller.

DUTY ORDERLY.

9th January - Sgt. Robinson.
10th January - Pfc. Cannarella.

DUTY ORDERLY.

9th January - Fus. Stott.
10th January - Spr. Dixon.

DUTY DRIVERS.

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- (i) Association Football-- Professional or first class amateur club player. Details: Age; pre-war club; position.
 - (ii) Rugby Football - First class club or county, League of Union. Details :- Age: Pre-war club: position played.
 - (iii) Hockey - First class club or county.
Details:- Age: Pre-war club: position played.
 - (iv) Boxing:- Professional or amateur tournament standard.
Age: Weight: Class.
 - (v) Athletics and Field Events: Professional or Amateur.
Athletic association standard.
Details:- Age: distance or field event: standard.

23. SPORTS - British Cont'd.(b) Officials.

Qualifications or qualified referees, umpires and judges in any of the sports referred to above showing civil or Imperial Service Army qualifications.

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15. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

8th January - Major Gaither.
 9th January - Captain Dunstan.

DUTY CLERK.

8th January - L/Cpl. Thipps.
 9th January - Sgt. Robinson.

DUTY ORDERLY.

8th January - Tte. Kirkbride.
 9th January - Fus. Stott.

DUTY DRIVERS.

8th January - Pvt. Cadman.
 - Dvr. Clarke.

16. PURCHASE TAX ON ARTICLES SENT TO UK - British.

Purchase tax on almost all articles sent to the UK by post or otherwise by members of the forces overseas is payable by the recipients. In addition most articles are also subject to customs duty.

A comprehensive list of articles liable to purchase tax and of the rate of tax is shown at Appendix "A" to GRO 1087/44.

It is emphasised that parcels sent to the UK under duty free concession labels which bear the special label AF N 5192 are not subject to tax.

(G.R.O. 1087/44).

17. POSTAL COMMUNICATION - Liberated Greece. British.

The non-illustrated postcard service has been extended to include MACEDONIA and THRACE.

(G.R.O. 1092/44).

18. POSTAL - Communication with Liberated BELGIUM.

1. Non-illustrated postcards; containing messages of a purely personal or family nature and business correspondence restricted to the ascertaining of facts and exchange of information, may be sent by personnel serving in this Command to civilian addresses in those parts of BELGIUM where the internal postal service has been re-opened.

2. The postage rate is 2d. per card.

3. The service is strictly limited to non-illustrated postcards. Letters are not admitted.

(G.R.O. 1093/44).

19. LAUNDRY PRICE LIST.

Attached at Appendix "B" is a list of maximum prices to be paid to civilians in the Army Area for laundry work. Instances where prices in excess are charged should be reported to the nearest Civil Affairs Officer. The prices are based on the military unit or personnel supplying their own soap.

(Admin. Officer).

20. FORGED CURRENCY.

1. All ranks are warned of the existence of forged 1000 Lire (Allied Military Currency) Notes which are circulating in the town.

2. All ranks are warned carefully to examine 1000 lire notes which they may be asked to exchange into smaller currency.

(C.R.O. No. 1 dtd 2 Jan 45).

21. DISCIPLINE - British.

See Appendix "A".

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APPENDIX "A".DISCIPLINE

Soldiers under Sentence for Military Offences
at the Conclusion of Hostilities

In order that all ranks may be fully aware that it is not intended to consider any amnesty at the conclusion of hostilities for soldiers serving sentences of penal servitude or imprisonment for military offences, the attention of all ranks is drawn to the following question and answer in the House of Commons on 14 Dec 44:-

"Sir G. JEFFREYS asked the Prime Minister, 'What will be the position at the end of the war with GERMANY of men in the services undergoing terms of imprisonment or penal servitude for military offences?' "

"The Prime Minister: 'So far as concerns the present Government it is not the intention to grant any general remission of sentences. Offences such as desertion which comprise the bulk of these sentences involve at best an added strain upon manpower of this country and it is worst to forfeit the lives of other soldiers who have to fill the place of these deserters. Such very serious offences are happily rare and in the opinion of His Government there can be no reason why the men concerned should not complete their sentences irrespective of the end of the war with GERMANY or the end of the war with JAPAN. "

APPENDIX
"B"LAUNDRY PRICE LIST
ARMY AREAAPPLIES
TO
ALL TROOPS2. Price List:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount in Lire</u>
Shirt, cotton	6
Shirt, wool	7
Trousers, cotton (long)	10
Trousers, cotton (short)	8
Trousers, wool	15
Undershirt, cotton	2
Undershirt, wool	5
Shorts, cotton	2.50
Drawers, wool (short)	3.50
Drawers, wool (long)	5
Socks, cotton (pair)	1
Socks, wool (long)(pair)	3
Towel, face	2
Towel, bath	4
Handkerchief	1
Pajamas, cotton	10
Pajamas, wool	12
Field jacket, cotton	15
Combat jacket, cotton	18
Necktie	2
Coveralls	20

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13. NIGHT STAFF DUTY OFFICER.

7th January - Captain Keeney.
 8th January - Major Gaither.

DUTY CLERK.

7th January - Sgt. Edwards.
 8th January - L/Cpl. Phipps.

DUTY ORDERLY.

7th January - Pfc. Cox.
 8th January - Pte. Kirkbride.

DUTY DRIVERS.

7th January - Pfc. Joe Hayes.
 - Pfc. Berrier.

14. ANNIVERSARY MESSAGE.

1. The ARMY COMMANDER has received the following message from Lieutenant General MARK W. CLARK, Commanding General, 15th Army Group:

HEARTILY CONGRATULATIONS TO FIFTH ARMY AND YOURSELF ON SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF FIFTH ARMY TODAY, JANUARY 5. BY SKILL, COURAGE AND WILL TO WIN THE FIFTH ARMY WILL MAKE A GREAT CONTRIBUTION TO THE SUCCESS OF ALLIED ARMS IN 1945, WHICH WE HOPE WILL BE A YEAR OF COMPLETE VICTORY AGAINST OUR GERMAN ENEMY. MAY GOD CONTINUE TO GUIDE AND BLESS THE FIFTH ARMY AND ITS TEAM MATE, THE EIGHTH ARMY, IN COMING OPERATIONS.

(Admin. Officer) 3102

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