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SEZIONE STACCATA
BALTIMORE

AEROPORTO PERLENNI LI 28/1/1947

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L I N A T E

OGGETTO: Elenco dei voli eseguiti durante il mese di Gennaio 1947 della
Sezione Staccata dello Storno Rottimore di LINATE.

13/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	-	Linate -	Allenamento.
	FW 439			
13/1/1947	M. llo OMODEO	"	"	"
	FW 439			
13/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	"	"
	FW 439			
16/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	"	"
	FW 439			
16/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	"	"
	FW 439			
16/1/1947	M. llo OMODEO	"	"	"
	FW 439			
18/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	"	Prova apparecchi.
	FW 821			
18/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	-	LINATE + UDINE -	Missione - Trasporto Passaggio
	FW 821			Allestimento - Pas. M5 30. =
18/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	-	UDINE - LINATE -	Rientro in Sede.
	FW 821			
24/1/1947	M. llo OMODEO	-	Linate -	Allenamento alla navigazione.
	FW 439			
24/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	"	"
	FW 821			
24/1/1947	Ten. MICHIELI	"	"	Allenamento.
	FW 821			
24/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	"	"
	FW 439			
24/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	"	"
	FW 821			
24/1/1947	S. Ten. BOCCIOLI	"	"	" 2413
	FW 821			
25/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	"	Allenamento alla navigazione.
	FW 821			
25/1/1947	Ten. PICCONE	"	"	"
	FW 821			

OGGETTO: Breve dei voli effettuati durante il mese di gennaio 1947 della
Sezione Staccata dello Stormo Baltimore di LINATE. =

13/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	- Linate - Linate	= Allenamento.
FW 439			
13/1/1947	M. llo OMODEO	"	"
FW 439			
13/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	"
FW 439			
15/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	"
FW 439			
16/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	"
FW 439			
16/1/1947	M. llo OMODEO	"	"
FW 439			
18/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	Prova apparecchi.
FW 821			
18/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	- LINATE + UDINE - Linate - Missione - Trasporto passeggero	Alleanza - Bag. N. 30. =
FW 821			
18/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	- UDINE - LINATE -	Rientro in Sede.
FW 821			
24/1/1947	M. llo OMODEO	- Linate - Linate -	Allenamento alla navigazione.
FW 439			
24/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	"
FW 821			
24/1/1947	Ten. NICHIELLI	"	Allenamento.
FW 821			
24/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	"
FW 439			
24/1/1947	M. llo RICCI	"	"
FW 821			
24/1/1947	S. Ten. BOCCIGLI	"	" 2413
FW 821			
25/1/1947	Cap. LEONI	"	Allenamento alla navigazione.
FW 821			
25/1/1947	Ten. PICONE	"	"

IL COMANDANTE LA SEZIONE BALTIMORE
(Cap. A. A. D. N. Fil. F. F. LEONI)

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From : Wing Commander G.M. GIBBS, DFC, R.A.F.

ALLIED FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION
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17th January 1947.

My dear Blochi,

ENGLISH LESSONS.

I have had another interview with the Director of the British Institute here in Rome on the subject of giving English lessons to the officers and NCO's of your wings. He tells me that it would be almost impossible with the present shortage of English teaching staff and the great desire of the Roman citizens to learn the language to send a professor to Guidonia two or three times a week. He has however told me exactly what can be arranged and this I set out in the following paragraphs.

1. A course can be arranged at the British Institute in Rome.
2. The course to consist of three periods a week, each of two hours, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The course to take place in the British Institute, Via Boncompagni, 33, and to be limited to 15 students. As the room used will have to be a small one, this figure must be considered as an absolute maximum until further notice.
3. All other conditions would be in accordance with the usual practice of the Institute, namely 1200 lire per term for a course of 6 hours a week, 12 of intermediate standard, 2000 lire, 12 of advanced standard. Institutes terms are of 10 weeks, from 12th January to 22nd March; from 14th April to 21st June and approximately from 14th October to 21st December.
4. If you think this proposal is of any value to your wings, or even if it is not, perhaps you would let me and the Air Ministry know so that the necessary arrangements can be made.

All the best

Yours
CGM

Ten. Colonnello Lucchi
Aeroporto di Guidonia.

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- 4. All other conditions would be in accordance with the usual practice of the Institute, namely 1200 Lira per Term for a course of 6 hours a week, i.e. of intermediate standard, 2000 Lira, if of advanced standard. Institute terms are of 10 weeks, from 15th January to 22nd March, from 14th April to 21st June and approximately from 14th October to 21st December.
- 5. If you think this proposal is of any value to your crews, or even if it is not, perhaps you could let me and the Air Ministry know so that the necessary arrangements can be made.

All the best

Yours

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Ten. Colonnello Sacchi
Aeroporto di Guidonia.

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From : Wing Commander G.M.M. GREGG, DFC., R.A.F.

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AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION
ALLIED COMMISSION
I T A L Y .

17th January 1947.

Dear Mr. Webster,

Thank you for your letter of the 7th January. I have conveyed the information you gave to the Commanding Officer at Guidonia and asked him for an early reply.

2. As soon as I have news from him I will communicate with you.

Yours sincerely

Mr. R. Webster
British Institute,
Via Benvenuto, 33.
Rome.

Tel. 1503.

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The British Institute,
Via Boncompagni, 33.
Rome.

7th. January, 1947.

Dear Sir,

In the absence of Mr. Hinks, I have been asked to inform you that this Institute can provide an English Course for Italian Air Force Officers along the following lines:-

The course to consist of three periods a week, each of 2 hours, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The course to take place in the British Institute, Via Boncompagni, 33, and to be limited to 15 students. As the room used will have to be a small one, this figure must be considered as an absolute maximum until further notice.

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It would be extremely difficult, not to say impossible for the Institute, in the present state of our staffing, to send a teacher to Gaidonia.

Perhaps you could let us know if the suggested course is suitable to your applicants. Further arrangements could then be made.

Yours faithfully,



Wing-Commander Grece
The Air Force Commission,
Rome.

Fridonia, Dec. 31st, 1946

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Dear W/Cdr Green,

many thanks for the issue of "Happy Landings.. you kindly sent me. It is really very interesting and useful, and of course I'd like to have further copies of it, if you can spare them for me.

As for the English classes, I am afraid we'll have to give up the idea altogether, the chief snag being the distance between Rome and Fridonia. Anyway, if our Stato Maggiore people are really interested in the matter, they'll have to help us with some practical suggestion.

I'll come and see you one of these days, after the festivities, and we'll talk "shop" ..

In the meantime I wish you again all the best for the New Year.

Yours

T.A. H. Buckley.

THE BRITISH INSTITUTE OF ROME

BONCOMPAGNI, 33 - TEL. 471-503

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Rome 19 December 1946

Dear Grece

I was very sorry that another engagement prevented my waiting for you the other day, when it became clear that you had been detained; especially as I hear that you arrived a few moments only after I had gone.

We are most anxious to do everything we can to provide instruction in the English language for officers from the station at Guidonia, as indicated in letter 187: C:251. I will speak to Mr Webster, the Director of Studies at this Institute, as soon as he returns from sick leave, about the best method of complying with the wishes of the officers in question.

*Yours sincerely**R. P. Hinks*

R.P.Hinks,
Director of the Institute.

Wing-Commander C.M.M.Grece,
Air Force Commission,
Rome.

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