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LT. GEN. SIR NOEL M. MACFARLANE
JAN. - JULY 1944

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SERIAL NUMBER	FROM--	DATE	TO--	SYNOPSIS
13d	Capt Slaughter	13 Mar 44	All Concerned	Gen MacFarlane to be at this HQ
13e	Capt Slaughter	15 Mar 44	All Concerned	14 Mar at 1000 hrs notify DSG if appointments desired after 1030
13f	Capt Slaughter	18 Mar 44	Capt Stone	Gen MacFarlane's regular meeting on Thursday 16 Mar cancelled
13g	Capt Slaughter	23 Mar 44	All Concerned	Gen Gezzer & Mr Prunas will not attend conference with Gen Mac- Farlane this afternoon
13h	Capt Slaughter	25 Mar 44	Capt Stone, HQ COM	Gen MacFarlane not able to come to this HQ today as planned - Col Upjohn's office informed
13i	Major Doe	26 Mar 44	All Concerned	Gen MacFarlane will be at this HQ today - He has Appointment with Marshal Badoglio at 1130 hrs
14	Cbl Fatima M182 MacFarlane	30 Apr 44	AFHQ	The CC's conference Monday 27 Mar will be at 1000 instead of 1100 hours. Fol will attend.
15	Ltr MacFarlane CC/P/323	23 May 44	Gen Eastwood	For State Department fr Grady by MacFarlane thanks letters 22 & 25 & for report
16	Cbl ACC Main M250	13 Jun 44	AFHQ	Re Temperley's leave for few days to Gibraltar FNMM arrive Algiers Wed 1310hr

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SERIAL NUMBER	FROM—	DATE	TO—	SYNOPSIS
10	Cbl Fatima- 2126 MacFarlane	24 Jan 44	Freedom - Mgs	Return to Naples-Will contact Alexander and Uphohn-Will return to Brindisi and see Badoglio-Will cable result of meeting-Will return Naples to see Mac-Millan-Will go Algiers & return to Naples.
11	Cbl Fargo (W/O No) MacFarlane	26 Jan 44	Freedom - Makins	Request to facilitate trip of SL Perry & dog to Naples.
5a	Cbl AGMF 8801	3 Feb 44	ACC	Request confirmation of date MacFarlane took office.
5a (1)	Cbl Fatima 2274	5 Feb 44	Freedom	Giving date of MacFarlane assumption of office.
12	Cbl Chief Gib 28486	6 Feb 44	Fatima - MacFarlane	Advise of POW hiding So France claiming relation to MacFarlane. Request confirmation.
12 (1)	Cbl Fatima 2280	6 Feb 44	Fargo -MacFarlane	Relaying message in 28486.
12 (2)	Cbl MacFarlane	7 Feb 44	Chief Gib	Reply to above message-Suggest POW could be wife's relation.
13	Memo DSG	1 Mar 44	All Concerned	Notification of MacFarlane's visit this Hq 2 March 44.
13a	Memo DSG	27 Feb 44	All Concerned	Notification of MacFarlane's visit this Hq 27 Feb 44
14	Memo DSG	28 Feb 44	Stone-Quin-Smith Italian Liaison	Departure of MacFarlane, Messe & Staff O & Quin-Smith.
15	Memo DSG	4 Mar 44	Stone	Postponement of meeting with Messe- Stone to arrange for lunch with MacFarlane, Duchesne, & Col. Muntfort.
13b 119	Memo DSG	5 Mar 44	Stone	Notification of reg. VP conference 6 March 44.
13c	Memo SG	8 Mar 44	All concerned	Cancellation of meeting on Thur. 9 March 44.
13a(1)	Memo Capt Slaughter	3 Mar 44	Capt Stone, HQ COLI	Gen MacFarlane to hold regular scheduled Vice President's conference Naples 6 Mar 1100 hrs
13a(2)	Memo Col Densmore	4 Mar 44	Capt Slaughter	List of visitors to this HQ on 4 Mar 44.

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1	Cbl Freedom 25582 CG Natouza	8 Jan 44	Fatima	Designation of MacFarlane to succeed Joyce - Instructions and plan for change of command.
1a	Cbl Freedom 25861 C-in-C Cite Mgs	8 Jan 44	Fatima for Fargo	Apt of MacFarlane as Deputy Pres and plans for publication.
2	Cbl Freedom C-in-C Cite Mgs	9 Jan 44	Fatima	Arrival of MacFarlane and plans for trip to Sardinia, meeting with Poletti, Joyce and visit Gen Alexander.
3	Cbl Freedom 26431 Holmes FH Mgs	10 Jan 44	MacFarlane Joyce	Query on Move of Commission fr Brindisi on Jan 15
3 (1)	Cbl Chief Gibraltar MacFarlane (27970)	10 Jan 44	Freedom -Holmes Fatima -Joyce	Agreeing to move on the 15th.
3 (2)	Cbl Freedom 27016 FH Mgs	11 Jan 44	Fable- Dunlop Fargo- Joyce & MacMillan IBS- Poletti Filpot-Alexander	MacFarlane's plan postponed 24 hours--Ref to Cbl 27970
4	Cbl Freedom 27580 FH Mgs	12 Jan 44	Dunlop-Joyce- Poletti-Alexander	MacFarlane arrived --Advised ETA at Cagliari, trip to Palermo to see Poletti & Brindisi to see Joyce, thence to visit Alexander.
4a	Cbl Sears 5837 MacFarlane	15 Jan 44	Gen Joyce	ETA Gen MacFarlane at Brindisi
5	Cbl Fatima 2012	16 Jan 44	Freedom	Advised time & date of assumption of duty by MacFarlane.
5a	DB No. 17, AMG	17 Jan 44		Quoting Adm Memo fr AFHQ on assignment of Deputy President.
6	Ltr Gen Ambrosio	17 Jan 44	MacFarlane	Invitation to meet him again.
6 (1)	Ltr Stone	21 Jan 44	Gen Ambrosio	Ack ltr of 17 and stated impossibility of MacFarlane to meet Ambrosio. Look forward to meet in future.
7	Cbl Fargo 6016	22 Jan 44	Fatima (Info)	MacFarlane wishes to meet Brig Venables at Brindisi.
8	Cbl Fatima 2110 MacFarlane	23 Jan 44	Freedom For MacMillan	Meeting in Naples and trip to Algiers.
9	Cbl Fatima 2112 MacFarlane	23 Jan 44	For SL Perry	Unable go to Gibraltar - Invites to Algiers & bring Pluto.

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ACC MAIN (GEN MACFARLANE & GORE)

13th. June 1944

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GEN MACFARLANE

A.P.M.G.

ARRIVE ALGIERS TOMORROW WEDNESDAY PD BARKEN TO ARRIVE THE SAC FROM
ACC MAIN FROM MACFARLANE PERSONAL BARKEN EPA MAISON BLANCHE
ONE THREE ONE ZERO HOURS

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M250
13 Jun 44

14 JUN 1944
RECEIVED
BARKEN MACFARLANE
Lieutenant-General
Chief Commissioner

E. CNAL.

FIRM/rj

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Ref. CC/E/323.

23rd. May, 1944.

Many thanks for yours of May 6th..

1. I have forwarded your wife's letter to Temperley and I will try and get him away for a few days leave to Gibraltar when things here ease up a bit.
2. Quite apart from the operational repercussions, your brother-in-law is faced with getting in the harvest from my biggest grain producing province and he will be hard at it for another couple of months.
3. I hope to be slipping home for a very brief visit in the not distant future and may have a chance of looking you up on the way.

With all good wishes.

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.Lieut-General Sir Ralph Eastwood, KCB, DSO, MC,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief,
GIBRALTAR.

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23 MAY 44✓
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FATIMA (GEN MACFARLANE & COMS)

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30th. April, 1944.

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V16 MACFARLANE

ROUTINE

A.P.H.Q.

PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR STATE DEPARTMENT PERSONAL FOR DON HENRY GRADY
FROM MACFARLANE TO PARM TO AFHQ FOR AMERICAN POLITICAL ADVISER FROM AGC MAIN FROM
MACFARLANE PERSONAL PAGE BEGINS ID MANY THANKS FOR YOUR LETTERS APRIL TWENTY-
SECOND AND APRIL TWENTYFIFTH AND FOR THE REPORT ID HOPE YOU WILL BE WITH US AGAIN
SOON ID WARM REGARDS ID ENDS

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner

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FARGO (GEN MACFARLANE C COMM)

7th. February, 1944.

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ROUTINE

CHIEF GIBRAITAR PERSONAL FOR DARLING FROM MACFARLANE

_____ I received similar information some time ago. Most repeat most unlikely to be relative of mine but might quite possibly be relative of my wife. Suggest M.I.9. contact my wife at Marsham Court Marsham Street Southwest London.

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7 Feb

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FATIMA REAR

FARGO PERSONAL FOR MACFARLANE

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FOLLOWING MESSAGE RELAYED BY FREEDOM FROM CHIEF GIBRALTAR FROM DARLING
RECEIVED HERE PD TO FARGO PERSONAL FOR MACFARLANE FROM FATIMA REAR
SIGNED MACFARLANE PD PARA ONE PD MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM BRITISH MAJOR
POW IN HIDING IN SOUTH FRANCE CLAIMING HE IS RELATIVE OF YOURS NAME
PD
NOT STATED PD PARA TWO PD CAN YOU CONFIRM PD PARA THREE/M I NINE LONDON
HAVE BEEN INFORMED

MacFarlane

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Major, A.G.D.
Secretary of the Commission

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CHIEF GIBRALTER DELAYED FROM FREEDOM

FATIMA PERSONAL FOR GENERAL LADON MACFARLANE FROM DARLING

1. Have received message from British POW rank of Major in hiding in Southern France who claims to be a relative of yours. Name not given.
2. Could you confirm.
3. MI (Military Intelligence) 9 London informed.

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FATIMA BEAR SIGNED MACFARLANE

FREEDOM FOR PHONES

OK (Case 8801/13/44)

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REFERENCE YOUR FOUR SIX SIX ZERO THREE OF TWO DECEMBER PD TO FREEDOM FOR
PHONES FROM FATIMA BEAR SIGNED MACFARLANE PD MACFARLANE TOOK OVER AS DEPUTY
PRESIDENT AGG AT ONE TWO ZERO ZERO HOURS ONE SIX JANUARY

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION INCOMING MESSAGE /afe

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REF NO : 8801/23/M.S.

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FROM : ACMF

REC'D : FEB
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TO : ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

Signal Freedom date Lt Gen F. N. Mason MacFarlane assumed appt
 Dep Pres A.C.C. for Italy quoting their 46603 cite FHMS of 2.

*We do not have
 this cable.
 Lpl Menfield*

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REFERENCE COPY OF FATIMA'S 2012 DATED 16 JAN 44:

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"MASON DASH MACFARLANE TOOK OVER PAREN TO FREEDOM
MGS FROM FATIMA SIGNED MACFARLANE AS DEPUTY
PRESIDENT ACC AT TWELVE HUNDRED HOURS SIXTEEN
DECEMBER"

Above was copied from
 Diary copy of cable.
 The word December may
 have been changed on
 the original, but there
 is no way of knowing.

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

OFFICE OF DEPUTY PRESIDENT.

26th. January, 1944.

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TO: FREEDOM FROM FARGO.

PERSONAL FOR RESMIN FOR MR MAKINS FROM MACFARLANE.

VERY GRATEFUL IF YOU COULD HAVE SQUADRON-LEADER PERRY AND MY DOG MET
AT MAISON BLANCHE TOMORROW THURSDAY (.) ARRIVING FROM GIBRALTAR BY
COURIER (.) MY AIRCRAFT IS RETURNING TO ALGIERS TOMORROW BUT MAY
BE UNABLE TO RETURN HERE FRIDAY GRATEFUL IF YOU COULD EXPEDITE ONWARD
PASSAGE TO NAPLES OF PERRY AND DOG AND ADVISING E.T.A.

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL,
DEPUTY PRESIDENT.

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FREEDOM

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YOUR NUMBER FOUR ONE NINE NINE SEVEN CITE PHOS PD AM RETURNING NAPLES THIS AFTERNOON
 AND WILL CONTACT GENERAL ALEXANDER AND UPJOHN PD PARM TO FREEDOM FOR EGS PERSONAL
FROM MACFARLANE FROM FATIMA PARM WILL RETURN BRINDISI EARLY TOMORROW TWENTY FIFTH
 AND WILL SEE RADIOGLIC AT ONE ZERO ZERO ZERO HOURS PD WILL REPORT RESULTS BY
 TELEGRAM IMMEDIATELY AFTER MEETING PD WILL RETURN TO NAPLES TOMORROW AFTERNOON TO
 SEE MACMILLAN IF HE ARRIVES THERE TOMORROW PD MY PLANS TO GO TO ALGERIA WEDNESDAY
 RETURNING NAPLES THURSDAY AS GIVEN IN MY TWO ONE ONE ZERO OF TWO THREE JANUARY IN
 PERSONAL TELEGRAM TO MACMILLAN REMAIN UNCHANGED

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with plans for transfer of
 territory to Ital Govt

F. W. MASON MACFARLANE
 Lieutenant General
 Deputy President

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FATIMA

CHIEF ~~OF~~ GIBRALTAR

CAN NOT MAKE GIBRALTAR THIS WEEK PD I AM ARRIVING ALGIERS WEDNESDAY TWO SIX RETURNING
NAPLES TWO SEVEN FAZEN TO CHIEF ~~OF~~ GIBRALTAR PERSONAL FOR SQUADRON LEADER PERRY
GOVERNMENT HOUSE FROM MACFARLANE FROM FATIMA FARMER COME TO ALGIERS BY COURIER WITH
PLUTO ON WEDNESDAY AND I WILL TAKE YOU ON TO NAPLES IN MY AIRCRAFT THURSDAY PD
BRING THREE DAYS RATIONS FOR PLUTO

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F. E. MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant General
Deputy President

MacFarlane

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FATIMA

FREEDOM

I AM EXPECTING YOU IN NAPLES ON TUESDAY PD PROPOSE TO GO TO ALGERIA EARLY ON
 WEDNESDAY RETURNING NAPLES THURSDAY PD PARSE R. FREEDOM PRESIDENT FOR MACILLAN
FROM FATIMA LIONED MACFARLANE PARSE YOU MIGHT WISH TO RETURN TO NAPLES WITH ME
 ON THURSDAY OTHERWISE I WILL MAKE CERTAIN OF SEEING YOU IN NAPLES TUESDAY EVENING
 PD KINDLY INFORM MAXWELL

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F. H. HASON MACFARLANE
 Lieutenant General
 Deputy President

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION INCOMING MESSAGE /mer

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FROM : PENBASE (FARGO) CITE FARGO 448

REC'D : Jan 23 0229A

TO : HQ ACOMF FOR BRIG VENABLES, PW SUB COMM BARI RPT FATIMA HEAR FOR INFO

MacFarlane, General, wishes you to meet him at 1700 hours Sunday
23 January 1944 at Hq ACC Brindisi.

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Brig. Venable is in London
at present. The acting
director, Col. Robinson
will be here in his stead.

(Recd)

Mac Farlane

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21 January 1944

To His Excellency General Ambrosio
Inspector General of the Italian Army

Dear General Ambrosio:

General Indefatigable has asked me to thank you for your cordial letter of 17 January 1944 and say that he has been called away for a time. He has asked me to say that he will look forward to meeting you again as soon as circumstances permit.

For the Deputy President, Allied Control Commission:

MELBY W. STONE
Captain, USMC
Acting Chief of Staff

Mac Farlane

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(3017) (m)
21 Jan

TRANSLATION:

INSPECTORATE GENERAL OF THE ARMY

Brindisi 17 Jan 1944

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL

Dear General MacFarlane-

I have learned with great pleasure that you have returned to Italy as chief of the Allied Control Commission.

I had the honor of greeting you at Brindisi right after you landed in Italy, and I will always remember that period in which, still acting as Chief of General Staff, I had several meetings with you, during which I had occasion to appreciate your comradely collaboration.

I beg of you, as soon as deem it possible, to have me informed on what day and hour I may come to greet you personally. .

Please accept my best regards.

Signed: General AMBROSIO

To General of division
General MacFarlane
Allied Control Commission
to the Italian Government
Brindisi

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17 Jan



Brindisi, 17 gennaio 1944

ISPETTORATO GENERALE DELL'ESERCITO

IL GENERALE ISPETTORE

Caro Generale Mac Farlane,

Con molto piacere ho appreso ch'Ella è ritornato in Italia quale Capo della Missione Alleata di Controllo.

Io che ebbi l'onore di riceverla a Brindisi, appena dopo il Suo sbarco in Italia, ricordo sempre il periodo di tempo in cui, essendo ancora Capo di S.M. Generale ebbi con Lei vari contatti durante i quali ebbi modo di apprezzare la Sua cameratesca collaborazione.

La prego, appena Le sarà possibile, di volermi far comunicare il giorno e l'ora in cui potrò venire a salutarla personalmente.

Voglia gradire i miei migliori saluti.

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gen. G. Ambrosio

Al Generale di Divisione
Generale MAC FARLANE
Missione di Controllo Alleata
presso il Governo Italiano
BRINDISI

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

17 January 1944

DAILY BULLETIN)

NUMBER 17)

OFFICIAL

1. RELIEF FROM ASSIGNMENT, ACTING DEPUTY PRESIDENT, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION:

The following extract from AFHQ Administrative Memorandum # 4, dated 10 January 1944 is reproduced for the information and guidance of all concerned.

"1. Section VII, Administrative Memorandum Number 74, this headquarters, 1943 series, is hereby rescinded.

2. Effective 15 January 1944, Major General KENYON A. JOYCE, USA, is relieved from assignment as Acting Deputy President, Allied Control Commission."

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4. LOST MAIL:

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"A loss of mail, due to circumstances over which no one had any control, occurred on or about 1 December 1943. A very substantial amount of mail was lost (amount not specified for security reasons). Of this mail, an appreciable amount was destined for personnel of this organization. The undersigned examined one

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By order of Colonel SPOFFORD:

L. W. STEARNS
Capt, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

OFFICIAL:

L. W. STEARNS
Capt, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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MASON DASH MACFARLANE TOOK OVER FATIMA TO FREEDOM LOG FROM FATIMA
SIGNED MACFARLANE AS DEPUTY PRESIDENT ACC AT TWELVE HUNDRED
HOURS SIXTEEN DECEMBER

AUTHENTICATED:

ROBERT E. DOE
MAJOR AGO
XXXX SEC OF COM

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FREEDOM SIGNED CINC CITE ZIMOS

Ref. our 27016 of 11 January.

FABLE FOR DUNLOP, FARGO FOR JOYCE, ESTINA FOR JOYCE, IBS FOR BEANS FOR
POLETTI, PILLOT FOR ALEXANDER

MacFarlane now arrived here. Will depart airport here 1330 hours 13
January for ELIAS Airport for Cagliari ETA from 1600 hours. Will
proceed 14 January to Palermo to meet Poletti and thence on 15 January
to Brindisi to meet Joyce and take over 16 January. Joyce departing 17
January. MacFarlane then proposes visit General Alexander 18 January.
Will be accompanied on tour by 1 staff officer 2 other ranks and
quantity baggage. Ensure he is met. Addressees will cable next of
tour as soon as ETA next stop is known.

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12 Jan

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FREEDOM SIGNED CIRC CITE PIRGO RIFMUNGH CAR

PALE FOR DUNLOP, FARGO FOR JOYCE AND MACHILLAN,
 PATINA FOR JOYCE, INS FOR BEANS FOR POLSTY AND
 FILPOT FOR ALEXANDER

Information received from MacFarlane that his whole program has been postponed
 24 hours. Joyce is referred to cable 27970 of 10 January from MacFarlane agreeing
 turnover take place Brindisi.

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ROUTINE

CHIEF GIEPALTAP

WISDOM ALGERIE, FAYINA BRINDISI

Following personnel for Holmes from Macfarlane rptd FARGO for Joyce rptd
 FAYINA for Joyce.

Your 26431 of 10th January. I agree.

a. F. M. M. OK

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*Helene
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FROM : FREEDOM FROM HOLMES SIGNED WILSON CITE FHMG

REC'D : JAN 101526A

TO : CHIEF GIBRALTAR PERSONAL FOR MACFARLANE RPTD TO FARGO FOR
 JOYCE RPTD FATIMA FOR JOYCE

Move of Commission Headquarters to Salerno subject. Now advised by Joyce that move will not be made until after 15th and Joyce would normally be at Brindisi until at least that date. Do you agree? Requested by Joyce that at Brindisi be completed the turnover.

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JAN 091519A

ENTERA FOR JOYCE, ENBLE FOR DUNLOP, IRE FOR SEARS FOR POLETTI,
 FARGO FOR JOYCE, FILLOT FOR ALEXANDER

Mason MacFarlane proposes to arrive here afternoon 11 January and after conferences here will make tour proceeding firstly to Sardinia afternoon 12 January to meet Dunlop, then on 13 January to Palermo to meet Polatti, thence on 14 to Salerno to meet General Joyce and take over on 15 January there. It is suggested that General Joyce depart 16 January. In addition MacFarlane proposes visit General Alexander approximately on 17 January.

Request Dunlop confirm immediately where he will meet MacFarlane and suggest Cagliari. RM will be sent sequest.

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FREEDOM SIGNED CINC CITE FERGUS

Jan 080112A

Jan 090738A

FATIMA FOR FARGO, FABLE TO FILIPPO FOR AMG

Appointment of Lt General Mason MacFarlane as Deputy President
of A C C for Italy to be announced for broadcast and publication
Saturday 8 January after 1130A hours.

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ATTN: FOR JCHC

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JAN 081925A

JAN 081645A

Major MacFarlane General has been designated as your successor. He will arrive Algiers 11 January, proceed Sardinia 12 January, proceed Palermo 13 and arrive Salerno on the 14th. He plans that you should hand over to him on 15 January and depart for your new assignment on 16 January. Orders are accordingly being issued assigning you to Headquarters NATURAL and directing you proceed Algiers on the 16th. We are advising War Department and requesting instructions as to your next assignment.

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FATIMA FOR JOYCE

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Revised July 20, 1918

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SERIAL NUMBER	FROM--	DATE	TO--	SYNOPSIS
1) FARGO 499	Gen MacF	25 Jan	FREEDOM	Expedite transfer of WACs request- ed by Gen Taylor
2) FREEDOM 44459	CINC	29 Jan	Gen MacF	WACs or ATS if available can be supplied only on basis of release of 1 EM for each WAC
3) SG 330.32	Capt Collins	14 Feb	Actg Adj 2675th	List of EM, duties & importance
4) 329.3	Capt Slaughter	14 Feb	"	Adds Polowniak to (3)
5) FREEDOM 51678	CINC	15 Feb	Gen MacF	Discusses transfer of EM fr 2675th
6) FARGO 952	Bathbone	14 Feb	Freedom	CC has directed me to delay t'fer of EM to personnel center.
7) FARGO 964	Purgold	14 Feb	Freedom	Ltr mentioned in (6) only sent today.
8) Freedom 52055	Cinc	15 Feb	FARGO	Ltr in (6) not rec'd but cannot see any possibility of changing NATOU- SA order.
9)	Maj Doe	17 Feb	Capt Bocchino	Send fol EMs Svc Records.

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INSTRUCTIONS.—When papers on a subject become numerous they will be numbered serially and brief entries made on this form.

→ Sec GEN

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PROVINCE OF RIETI

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File

31 July 1944.

HQ ACC, APO 394

356 Sec'y Gen.

Rec'd 2 Aug 1944

By *epb*

TO : Office of the Secretary General
Hqrs. ACC - APO 394 *Safe*

SUBJECT : Receipt of package.-

REF. : KCS/1



1. Reference your letter SG-201 MacFarlane dated 11 July 1944 and 24 July 1944.-

2. An acknowledgment of the receipt of the package referred to was sent to your Office on the 8th of July 1944 under this Office reference KCS/1.-

A.C. Shepherd

Major

Provincial Public Safety Officer

201 8/1/44

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File ③
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SG-201-MacFarlane

24 July 1944

Major K. C. Shepherd,
Hq. Region IV,
Allied Control Commission,
Rieti Province, Italy.

50 570
24 JUL 1944

With further reference to your letter of 27 June 1944,
the package containing Guarinn's KBE was dispatched to you on 1 July
1944. No acknowledgment of receipt has yet been received, and no
reply has been received to our tracer letter of 11 July 1944. Will
you please advise if the package has reached you safely?

A. J. COLLINS
Captain, E.E.
Assistant Secretary General

ARG/afe

SG 201-~~mag~~parlane

11 July 1944

File B

Major K. C. Shepherd
Hq Region IV
Allied Control Commission
Rieti Province, Italy

With reference to your letter of 27 June 1944, the package containing Guarina's KRE was dispatched to you on 1 July 1944. No acknowledgment of receipt has yet been received. Will you please let me know if the package has reached you safely.

A. J. COLLINS
Captain, R.E.
Assistant Secretary General

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Suspended to 23 July

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SG 201-MacFarlane

1 July 1944

Major K. O. Shepherd
Hq Region IV
Allied Control Commission
Rieti Province, Italy

With reference to your letter of 27 June 1944, the package mentioned therein is returned to you herewith for retention in your custody until such time as the Chief Commissioner is able to make arrangements for its disposal. Will you kindly acknowledge receipt below.

afe
A. J. COLLINS
Captain, RE
Asst Secy Gen

Received from Secretariat General, Headquarters AOC, one package marked as follows:

(To): Lt. General Sir Noel Mason-MacFarlane
Hq A.C.C.
Provincia Building
NAPLES

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From:
Major K. O. Shepherd
Salerno

Guarina's
KRE

(signature)

(rank and official designation)

ARG/afe

SG 201-~~140~~Farlane

11 July 1944

Major E. C. Shepherd
Hq Region IV
Allied Control Commission
Rieti Province, Italy

With reference to your letter of 27 June 1944, the package containing Guarini's KEE was dispatched to you on 1 July 1944. No acknowledgment of receipt has yet been received. Will you please let me know if the package has reached you safely.

A. J. COLLINS
Captain, R.M.
Assistant Secretary General

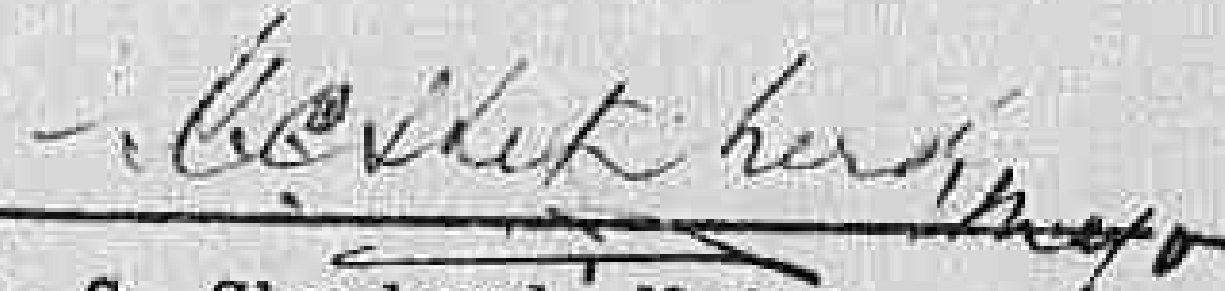
RIETI PROVINCE

A M G

TO : Capt. A.J. Collins

27 June 1944

1. Reference your SG 201-CC, dated 23/6/44.
2. The package referred to was delivered to the Chief Commissioner for disposal by him personally. In view of the Chief Commissioner's temporary absence it would be appreciated if this package could be returned to me until his return and kept by me.


K. C. Shepherd, Major
Provincial Pub. Saf. Officer

85 Capt Stone

For your decision, please.

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201- Max Farlane

AJC/hd

SG 201-CC

23 June 1944

Major K. C. Shepherd
Region IV

The Chief Commissioner is temporarily absent from this headquarters. Whilst examining papers left behind in his desk, a package was discovered marked by the General "Guarilla's K.E.E"; the package is endorsed to the effect that it was sent by you. It is not known how long this package has been in the Chief Commissioner's possession nor his intentions as to its disposal. Any information which you can give regarding this package will be appreciated.

je
A. J. COLLINS
Captain, R.E.
Asst Secy Gen

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SC 201-MacFarlane

1 July 1944

Major K. C. Shepherd
Hq Region IV
Allied Control Commission
Rieti Province, Italy

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Captain, RE
Asst Secy Gen

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Provincia Building
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From:
Major K. C. Shepherd
Salerno

Guarino's
KRE

(signature)

(rank and official designation)

AJO/nd

A/CC 386.8

11 July 1944

Subject: Villa Iauo

DSH 489
11 JUL 1944To: AFHQ Advances, Accommodation Control & Maintenance.
(Attention Major Mariott).

Confirming our telephone conversation this morning, there will be no military personnel at the Villa Iauo, Posillipo, after Thursday 13 July 1944. The undermentioned Italian civilians will remain; arrangements have been made for them to be paid and rationed up to and including 15 July 1944. It is understood that after that date you will arrange for payment and for the supply of rations.

NAME OF EMPLOYEE	FUNCTION	PAYMENT PER DAY
Elvira Danise	Maid	50 Lire
Meno Danise	Soulleryman	40 "
Maria Bossa	Washerwoman	60 "
Tina Marcello	Maid	50 "

J. A. QUAYLE
Major, R.A.
PA to A/CC

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DSM 1443
29 JUN 1944

Maj Gen A. L. Collier,
HQ 3 District,
CMF.

26 Jun 44.

Dear General Mason MacFarlane

Many thanks for your letter about the villa.
I am most grateful for your help. It looks now as
if I shall not get into Naples much before 1 Aug,
and even if you have not moved by that time I can
always make other arrangements for the time being.

Yours ever

/a/ A---- Collier.

It Gen Sir Noel Mason Macfarlane,
KCB, DSO, MC,
HQ ACC,
AFO 394.

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30th. April, 1944.

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A.F.H.Q

PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR STATE DEPARTMENT PERSONAL FOR HON HENRY GRADY
FROM MACFARLANE PD PAREN TO ACHQ FOR AMERICAN POLITICAL ADVISER FROM ACC MAIN FROM
MACFARLANE PERSONAL PAREN BEGINS PD MANY THANKS FOR YOUR LETTERS APRIL TWENTY-
SECOND AND APRIL TWENTYFIFTH AND FOR THE REPORT PD HOPE YOU WILL BE WITH US AGAIN
SOON PD WARM REGARDS PD ENDS

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner

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April 25, 1944

Lt. General Noel Mason Mac Farlane
Forward Echelon
HQ Reg. 2675
Allied Control Commission
A.P.O. 394
In care Postmaster
New York, New York

My dear General Mac Farlane:

I must apologize for not having written you sooner but I was waiting from day to day to see the President when he was taken ill and later left the city for a rest. He will be back in a few days when I will see him and will then be in a position to return.

I get excellent reports to the effect that all is going very well and that due to the general situation in Italy my delay in returning is not causing you any difficulty.

With very warm regards,

Sincerely yours,

Henry Grady
Henry F. Grady



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April 22, 1944

Lt. General Noel Mason Mac Farlane
Forward Echelon
HQ Reg. 2675
Allied Control Commission
A.P.O. 394
In care Postmaster
New York, New York

My dear General Mac Farlane:

After returning to Washington I and my associates prepared several reports for the information of combined Chiefs of Staff and the State Department copies of which I am asking Mr. J. Wesley Jones to present to you.

The supply estimate was of course merely an estimate and not official in any way. Neither were any of the other reports. They were simply my personal reports.

With very kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

Henry F. Grady
Henry F. Grady

C O P Y

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Office of the Chief Commissioner
APO 394

NE
CC Personnel

25 April 1944.

My dear Marshal,

I refer to your letter of March 4, enclosing communications addressed to the President of the United States, Mr. Myron Taylor and Maestro Toscanini.

I have been requested to transmit the following reply from Mr. Myron Taylor:

"On behalf of the President, of Maestro Toscanini, the board of American relief for Italy and myself, I wish to thank you for your expressions of appreciation regarding the organization of American relief for Italy which is further evidence of the friendly sentiments and sympathy of the American people for the people of Italy in their struggle against the common enemy."

Very sincerely and cordially,

/s/ Noel Mason MacFarlane
/t/ NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant General,
Chief Commissioner.

S. E. Marshal Pietro Badoglio,
Capo del Governo.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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 To : PATINA RPTD MMIA LO DISTWO

HQ ACC, AFO 134

Rec'd 16 Apr 1946
 By *[Signature]*

Date | Time Rec'd : APR152129E
 Date | Time Sent : "
 Reference NR : AQ969
 Cite : NONE

PERSONAL FOR MACFARLANE FROM DUCHESNE. REFER M144 DATED 12 APR.
 TYRES AND TUBES AVAILABLE E BARI ON 17 APRIL. RELEASE NOT HELD BY
 MMIA LO HQ TWO DISTRICT

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FATIMA (GEN MACFARLANE C COM)

17th. April, 1944.

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GEN MACFARLANE

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REFERENCE MMIA ABLE QUEEN NINE SIX NINE OF APRIL FIFTEENTH TO FATIMA REPEATED YOUR
HEADQUARTERS PD PAREN TO MMIA LO DISTWO REPEATED MMIA FROM FATIMA FROM MACFARLANE
PERSONAL PAREN PLEASE SAY WHO CAN RELEASE TYPES AND TUBES REQUIRED BY ME

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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12th. April, 1944.

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M.N.I.A.

CAN YOU PROCURE PAHNS TO MIA FOR DUCHENE FROM FATIMA FROM MACFARLANE PERSONAL PAHNS
FROM ITALIAN MILITARY SOURCES OR OTHERWISE AND FORWARD ME SOONEST FIVE TYRES SIZE
SIX ZERO ZERO BY ONE EIGHT WITH INNER TUBES TO FIT

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant-General
Chief Commissioner.

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AQ 969 OF 15 APRIL (.) LO RETURNING N A P L E S

TOMORROW 18 APRIL WILL BRING TYRES AND TUBES 1010 1711530 BT

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 (INFORMATION) : NONE
 FROM : FREEDOM FROM DEVERS
 DATE TIME SIGNED: Ø11622A
 DATE TIME REC'D : Ø12152A
 REFERENCE NR. : 586Ø9
 CITE : NONE



HQ ACC, APO 324
 Sec'y Gen.
 Rec'd Incr 021045A
 By JLB

REFERENCE YOUR 144Ø PERSONAL TO GAMMELL SORRY ABOUT YOUR PLANE.
 HAVE TAKEN MATTER UP WITH EAKER AND HOPE TO STRAIGHTEN OUT IMMEDIATELY.

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FARGO (GEN MACFARLANE C COMM)

29th. February. 1944.

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FREEDOM

RJ

I AM RETURNING MY AIRCRAFT TO ELIDA ~~ELIDA~~ AS IT IS REQUIRED FOR OPERATIONAL PURPOSES PD FARGO FROM MACFARLANE PERSONAL TO AFHQ PERSONAL FOR GENERAL GAMMELL PD CITE FARGO ONE FOUR FOUR ZERO PD I KNOW THE DIFFICULTY OF GETTING AIRCRAFT ALLOTTED TO SPECIAL JOBS BUT I MOST EARNESTLY ASK YOU TO HAVE AN AIRCRAFT PREFERABLY A C47 ALLOTTED PERMANENTLY TO MY COMMISSION PD CHIEF APART FROM MYSELF I HAVE NUMEROUS PERSONNEL WHO HAVE TO GET ABOUT FREQUENTLY AND TO COVER LONG DISTANCES WHICH ARE EITHER IMPOSSIBLE BY ROAD OR WASTE MANY HOURS OF TRAVEL PD I CAN GUARANTEE THAT SUBJECT TO FLYING WEATHER THE AIRCRAFT WILL BE VERY FULLY EMPLOYED PD WILL BE MOST GRATEFUL IF YOU CAN FIX THIS

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L.T. MONTANT JR
2Lt. AGD.
Asstg. Adjutant.

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NOTE:- PASS TO ACC NAPLES THEIR REF N5/01 01 493



Secy Gen.
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TO:- FATIMA FOR MACFARLANE

FROM:- AIR DIV ACC(ACC BARI)

ABLE 312 FEB. 29

SECRET. REF MY 4/AIR FEB 27 FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM HQ UAAF (MAAF). AIRCRAFT NOW DFHD BY GENERAL MACFARLANE AS ARRANGED REQUIRED BY 315 TARE CHARLIE GROUP TO GO BACK TO UNITED KINGDOM INSTRUCTIONS HAVE THEREFORE BEEN ISSUED FOR THE GROUP TO WITHDRAW. REQUEST YOU INFORM GENERAL MACFARLANE ACCORDINGLY AND ARRANGEMENTS SIGNAL THIS HEAD QUARTERS WHEN HE REQUIRES AN AIRCRAFT.

I M P O R T A N T



COPIED BY T.G.

101 01/22 HQ ACC, APO 394
Sec'y Gen.
Rec'd *101 01/22*
By *TD*

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Gen. MacFarlane Sec. General

AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
BARI.

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HEADQUARTERS
1 MAR 1944
A.C.C.

AIR TRANSPORT FOR A.C.C.

HQ ACC. APO 394
Gen.
Recd *Mar 01/1100A*
By *JD*

The following message from M.A.A.P. H.Q.
concerning the C.47 now attached to A.C.C. for air
transport services, and my reply, are forwarded for
your information.

R.M. Foster

R.M. FOSTER,
AIR COMMODORE.

Allied Control Commission,
Saleruo.
27th February 1944.
4/AIR.

FOR ATTENTION GEN. MACFARLANE.

Mar 2/21
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OUTGOING MESSAGE.

FROM:- AIR DIV, A.C.C. BARI.

TO:- H.Q. M.A.A.F.

HQ ACC, 170 341
Rec'd 01/11/54
JLB

SECRET (.) 27 FEB (.) A.311 (.) YOUR A.526 23/2 (.) GEN MACPARKLAND
WILL BE VERY DISAPPOINTED AT WITHDRAWAL OF C.47 (.) I DO NOT CONSIDER
AVERAGE ITALIAN COURIER PLANE SUITABLE FOR BRITISH V.I.P.'S (.) ALTHOUGH
UNLIKELY TO HAVE TOTAL FAILURES, AIRCRAFT ARE OFTEN DELAYED BY MINOR
FAULTS MOSTLY DUE TO LACK OF SPARES AND USE OF OLD EQUIPMENT (.) ALSO
FOR VARIETY OF REASONS ITALIAN AIRCRAFT HAVE NOT THE USE OF ALL
NAVIGATIONAL AIDS AVAILABLE TO ALLIED AIRCRAFT (.) UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES
I SUSPECT THAT GEN MACPARKLAND'S REQUIREMENTS FOR AIR TRANSPORT SHOULD AT
ALL TIMES BE MET FROM MAAF HQ COMMUNICATION UNIT (.) REST OF US WILL
HAVE TO TAKE OUR CHANCE WITH I.A.F. AIRCRAFT WHICH WITH THE ADVENT OF
BETTER WEATHER SHOULD PROVIDE PASSABLE SERVICE (.) IN THIS CONNECTION
I HOPE MAAF H.Q. WILL ENSURE THAT THE APPROVED ALLOTMENT FOR BRITISH M.T.
FOR THE AIR SUB COMMISSION WHICH WAS RECENTLY CANCELLED BY MAAF HEAD IS
IMMEDIATELY REALLOTTED.

R. H. FOSTER,
AIR COMMISSIONER.

I SUGGEST THAT GEN MAGARLANE'S REQUIREMENTS FOR AIR TRANSPORT SHOULD AT ALL TIMES BE MET FROM MAAT HQ COMMUNICATION UNIT (.) REST OF US WILL HAVE TO TAKE OUR CHANCE WITH I.A.F. AIRCRAFT WITH THE ADVENT OF BETTER WEATHER SHOULD PROVIDE PASSABLE SERVICE (.) IN THIS CONNECTION I HOPE MAAT H.Q. WILL ENSURE THAT THE APPROVED ALLOTMENT FOR BRITISH M.T. FOR THE AIR SUB COMMISSION WHICH WAS RECENTLY CANCELLED BY MAAT HEAD IS IMMEDIATELY REALLOTTED.

Rm dm.
R.M. FOSTER,
AIR COMMISSION.

The above message to
be sent by teleprinter.

Time or origin:

Priority:

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SECRET CYPHER MESSAGE IMPORTANT

TO FATIMA FOR FOSTER RPT MAAF ALGIERS

FROM HA MAAF

A526 23RD FEBRUARY

WITHDRAWAL OF TROOP CARRIER AIRCRAFT MAKES IT ESSENTIAL THAT CHARLIE 47 WHICH IS ASSIGNED TO THE ALLIED MILITARY MISSION BE WITHDRAWN AND IT IS SUGGESTED THAT A SUITABLE EQUIPPED ITALIAN AIRCRAFT BE BARMARKED BY YOU AS A REPLACEMENT FOR USE BY GENERAL MACFARLANE AND OTHER OFFICERS OF THE MISSION. IT IS APPRECIATED THAT THERE IS AN EMBARGO ON THE USE OF ITALIAN AIRCRAFT IN NORTH AFRICA FOR THIS PURPOSE AND ARRANGEMENTS ARE THEREFORE BEING MADE FOR AN AIRCRAFT OF MAAF COMMUNICATION UNIT TO BE MADE AVAILABLE WHEN REQUIRED. FOR YOUR INFORMATION THE COMMUNICATION UNIT IS BEING ESTABLISHED TO PROVIDE AIRCRAFT FOR THE USE OF V.I.P.'S. AND THE GENERAL INTENTION IS TO STOP THE ALLOCATION OF TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT TO INDIVIDUAL OFFICERS AND TO USE THIS UNIT AS A POOL FOR SUITABLE AIRCRAFT FOR THIS PURPOSE. AIRCRAFT WILL PROBABLY BE OF THE LODESTAR HUDSON TYPE BECAUSE OF THE SHORTAGE OF TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT. REQUEST YOUR COMMENTS.

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FARGO 1048

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FARGO (GEN MACFARLANE C COMM)

17th. February, 1944.

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10050 MACFARLANE

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FREEDOM FROM MACFARLANE PERSONAL

_____ With reference your No. 52056 FARGO.. Cannot understand why aircraft mentioned in my Fargo 767 has not returned to its base. It had clear instructions to do so after dropping its passengers at Palermo and Cagliari. I have only one aircraft left, No. 2184 Pilot Sitarz. It is essential for my work and that of A.C.C. that I have one aircraft at my disposal here. I hope you will obtain permission for me to retain it

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Serial No. 257/16

SECRET

TO: AMG Brindisi Air Transport Officer Bari
Catania, Foggia, Capodichino and Taranto

From: Hq MATS

Signed KADCH cite 5616 to AMG and Air Transport Officers.

Request you order aircraft No. 4-2484 return to base immediately.

Five days over due. Pilot Sitarz.

ROUTINE

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Air Transport Officer
Capodichino Airfield

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TOR 160520
TOD 161120

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TO (ACTION) : FARGO

(INFORMATION) : NONE

FROM : SIGNED CINC

DATE TIME SIGNED: 151926A

DATE TIME RECD: 152320A

REFERENCE NR. : 52056

CITE : FHMGS

UNDERSTOOD FROM MATS THAT DESPITE YOUR PBS 7139 CITE FARGO
767 SECOND AIRCRAFT HAS NOT RETURNED TO ITS BASE. AS AIRCRAFT LOANED
TO 10 FEBRUARY ONLY IN FIRST INSTANCE IMPORTANT IT SHOULD BE RE-
TURNED IMMEDIATELY. REQUEST ASSURANCE THIS WILL BE DONE OR DATE WHEN
RETURNED BY YOU IF ALREADY SENT BACK.

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Secretary General

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(Action) Secretary General

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FARGO 767

FARGO (GEN MACFARLANE C COMM)

6th. February, 1944.

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10050 MACFARLANE

ROUTINE

PRIORITY FOR H.G.S. AND GENERAL GAMMEL FROM MACFARLANE PERSONAL.

Move Italian Government and Brindisi party has gone well. Can now manage with one aircraft. Second aircraft leaves today for Palermo and Cagliari with Regional personnel and will return Algiers tomorrow

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OUTGOING MESSAGE.

Fargo 633

Office of the Deputy President.

31st. January, 1944. *27*

MOST SECRET

URGENT

TO: FREEDOM REPEATED HEADQUARTERS A.C.M.F. FROM FARGO (.)

MANY THANKS FOR LETTING ME HAVE ADDITIONAL AIRCRAFT TILL 10TH FEBRUARY (.)
WITH ITS HELP ESTIMATED DATE FOR COMPLETION OF MOVE OF ITALIAN GOVERNMENT AND ^{my} ~~THE~~
BRINDISI PARTY TO SALERNO IS FEBRUARY 7TH (.) BADOGLIO IS SENDING
REPRESENTATIVES TO SEE ME IN NAPLES AT 1430 TODAY TO DISCUSS THE DOCUMENTS
IN CONNECTION WITH THE TRANSFER OF TERRITORY (.) WILL TELEGRAPH AGAIN
AFTER THE MEETING (.)

Lieutenant-General,
Deputy President.

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Fargo to Mr. Murphy President

26 January 44

Secret

10050 MacFarlane ✓

Urgent

Freedom from Fargo for MGS from MacFarlane personal.

Am returning my C53 aircraft tomorrow Thursday to Algiers as requested. With impending necessity to move Italian Government and all my people in Brindisi to Salerno earliest possible. I hope very much it will be possible to let me have the aircraft back at once so that I shall have two aircraft available during the move between Brindisi and Salerno. This will be of greatest assistance to me and trust you will succeed.

MacFarlane

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J.B. NICKEL
Lt. Col., AGD
Adjutant General

26/241A

N-3867

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Sig 1 Corps, United States Army
Telegram

Received at

PENINSULAR BASE SECTION
 SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER

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26 JANUARY 1944

• SECRET

• PRIORITY

TO (ACTION) : CG PBS FOR FARGO

(INFORMATION): NONE

FROM : FATIMA FROM STONE SIGNED MACFARLANE

DATE TIME SIGNED: 251736A

DATE TIME REC'D.: 26/244A

REFERENCE NR. : 2152

CITE : NONE



AFHQ REQUESTS IMMEDIATE RETURN OF C-53 AIRCRAFT FURNISHED
 GENERAL MACFARLANE.

AMC Dist:

Gen MacFarlane (Action)
 Box Office
 G-4

Action - Aug 14
 Ings - C.B.
 Dec

Action Taken
 Jan 26/21

DP/P/6.

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27th. January, 1944.

This is literally just a line to tell you that I am still alive (only just) and that you and the Rock are still very much in my thoughts during the very few moments that I manage to snatch from the task of sorting out this frightful job.

It is developing into a much bigger task than I had originally contemplated and it is most intensely interesting. I have been reorganising everything and giving a fair imitation of a tactful bull in a china shop ever since I arrived. I am very lucky in finding a nucleus of absolutely first class fellows in my team here who are without exception delightful to work with.

I may be passing through Gibraltar early next month on a very hurried flight to London and back but there is so much going on here at the moment that my movements from day to day are most uncertain. I won't try to say thank-you any more for the perfectly wonderful help you were to me throughout our time together on the Rock. I think you know how very deeply grateful I am to you.

I hear that you are getting Arthur Smith as my successor. I know him very little myself but I have always heard that he was a very charming person.

Please give my love to all my friends and especially George Nugee and Tom

Chad.

Hoping

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Hoping to see you ere long.

Major-General F.G. Hyland, C.B., D.S.O., M.C.,
Chief of Staff & Deputy Fortress Commander,
G I B R A L T A R.

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DP/P/8.

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27th. January, 1944.

I do hope you will forgive me for asking you to look after John Perry and the faithful Pluto. I shall be most awfully grateful for anything you may be able to do for them and for expediting their onward passage.

Very hectic days here but things are gradually taking shape. Harold MacMillan is in very good form and so are Sam and Harold Junior. I addressed the Advisory Council yesterday and Vishinski very nearly filled his little black book!

Hope to see you in the fairly near future as I may have to dash home for a day or two to explain and justify the earthquakes I am causing here.

57 Roger Makins, Esq.,
British Resident Minister's Office,
ALG I E R S.

DP/P/5.

SECRET AND PERSONAL

23rd. January, 1944.

Very many thanks for your kind letter of 7th. January and also again for your very kind telegram which you sent me on my leaving Gibraltar.

I am indeed sorry that when you visit Gibraltar at the end of this month you will find me flitted and installed in Italy.

It was a great wrench leaving the Rock where I have made so many good friends and which represented a large proportion of my labours and interests during this war.

56 Barron and all the Spaniards were very friendly and nice when I saw them to say good-bye and we indulged in mutual back-scratching as regards the friendly atmosphere in which we had managed to survive some rather difficult times. The execution of the two Spaniards (saboteurs) took place without a hitch the day before I left and up to the time of leaving there were no noticable reactions.

Barron was towards the end most pressing regarding my visiting him in Madrid but it is an "ill wind" and my departure has automatically solved the problem.

No distribution

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I hear that my successor is to be Arthur Smith. You probably know him - a Guardsman who has been Commanding London District. A very nice fellow of the quiet and serious type and I think that you will find him good to work with.

I am now installed here commuting frequently between Naples and most of Southern Italy, Sardinia and Sicily and pulling together a very heterogeneous and large organisation which is no easy task for a large variety of normal and abnormal reasons.

Once again may I say how genuinely sorry I am to have left the Rock and to have to sever my relations with you and all at the Embassy. I am indeed grateful for all the kindness and collaboration which you have always shown me.

With my very best wishes to Lady Maud and yourself and greetings to all my friends in the Embassy.

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His Excellency,
The Rt. Hon. Sir Samuel Hoare, P.C.,
G.C.S.I., G.B.E., C.M.G.,
British Embassy,
M A D R I D.

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Lt. Gen. Sir Noel Mason MacFarlane

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SERIAL NUMBER	FROM—	DATE	TO—	SYNOPSIS
29) CC/P/348	CC	27 May	Gen. de Siron	Will dine with you.
30) —	CC (G.M.P.)	29 "	CC, P.B.S.	Anti accident
31) CC/P/358	CC	3 "	Comdr. Haldenorth No. 1 Spec. Force	Thanks for MW/472 of 29 Apr
32) CC/P/357	CC	2 JUNE	Col. Smith, C.I.S.I.	Thanks for Italian text books
33) CC/P/364	PA to CC	3 "	Liberal Party	Declines invitation to Caccia lecture
34) DO/28	G.S., AFHQ	4 "	Gen. MacFarlane	Appreciation for hospitality during Epifania visit
35) CC/P/374	C.C.	7 "	D. C.C.	Pls. handle case of labor ordinance
36) M238	C.C.	10 "	5 Army	Coming to Rome to get all members of new Prot.
37) 6085	5 Army, Clark	10 "	C.C.	Come, bring anybody any time.
38) M250	C.C.	13 "	A.F.H.Q.	Arrive Algiers, Med.
39) 3368	5 Army	5 "	C.C.	Happy to have you visit Rome anytime. Also you may want to go to Italian leaders.
40)	C.C.	9 June	S/Ldr Perry	Ask De Nicola to dine. To fly to Rome with me tomorrow.
41) DO/130	Gen. Collier, 3. Dist.	11 June	Gen. MacFarlane	Would like to take over C.C.'s villa when C.C. moves.
42) CC/P/400	C.C.	19 "	Gen. Collier	
43) CC/P/399	C.C.	19 "	Mr. Lloyd	Thanks for work on Anti- Inflation Committee.
43) S.O. 141	Adjutant, ACC	22 June	—	S.O. for travel to Algiers, C.C. and staff

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(1)

LIEUTENANT GENERAL SIR NOEL MASON MAC FARLANE

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SERIAL NUMBER	FROM—	DATE	TO—	SYNOPSIS
1) FATIMA 2280		6 FEB	GEN. MAC F	MAJOR, HIDING IN S. FRANCE CLAIMS TO BE RELATIVE OF THE GENERAL
2) FARGO 787	GEN. MAC F.	7 FEB.	GIBRALTAR FOR DARLING	REFERS TO (1) — CONTACT MY WIFE
3)	GEN. ALEXANDER	7 FEB.		GIVES GEN. MAC F POWER TO CONFIRM ANY DEATH SENTENCE PASSED BY ALLIED MILITARY COURT IN ITALY & SICILY.
3a) From Gen. Alex - Wife's inquiry by Earl of Cavan				
4) Freedom 28876	DARLING	2 MAR.	Gen MAC F	Refers to (1). Lady MAC F suggests Maj. T. I. Pitman, POW at BARDI. LTR. OF NATURE PERSONAL TO WRITER.
5)	CAPT. E. G. DE PURY	22 FEB	GEN. MAC F.	Re letter's request for an Alfa Romeo
6) CC/P/152	Gen. Mac F.	24 Mar.	Primer Bernhard	Thank from Gibraltarians.
7) cable	Alcant Rizzo	10 Apr.	CC	Abt Mr. Perry's return. pr. rank
8) CC/P/190	CC	12 Apr.	B. - Buscariot	" " " going to Gibraltar to pick up Badoglio's daughter-in-law
9) M 153	CC	16 "	Freedom	
M 154	"	" "	Chf., Gibr.	
M 155	"	" "	"	
M 157	"	17 "	Freedom	
CC/P/203	"	" "	Mr. Cons., Tangier	
CC/P/204	"	" "	Chf., Gibr.	
F 54232	CINC	18 "	CC	
M 161	CC	19 "	CAMP, GIB	
M 170	BNA.	23 "	CH F, GIB	
CC/P/241	CC	24 "	CC	
10) CC/P/197	CC	16 "	Chf., Gibr.	
11) CC/P/209	"	20 "	Gen. Orlando	Thank f. yr. letter may
12) 206/P2	W.A.B.B.B.	22 "	Comm. Garmari	On moving way from yr. villa
13) M 173	CC	25 "	CC	Answer to ltr. abt Mr. Perry's rank
14) —	CC	30 "	FDM	Personal stuff abt Badoglio's family
15) —	WAR OFFICE	5 "	Pr. & Piedmont	For ltr. for Queen Elena
16) CC/P/263	CC	3 May	CC	For ltr. " " "
17) —	Gen. Baker	12 "	WAR OFFICE	Notifies f. it.
18) —	Gen. Baker	13 "	CC	Invitation dinner at night
19) CC/P/253	CC	13 "	CC	9 days note
20) CC/P/253	CC	13 "	Col. Clarkson	Thanks for snapshot & stuff
21) DO/AOC	Air Marshal Foster	15 "	Thoms. Cathers	Can you see Emma's friends?
22) —	Gen. Baker	17 "	CC	O's next camp at Tarrmina
23) CC/P/320	CC	22 "	CC	For dr. grp. picture
24) CC/P/323	CC	23 "	Gen. Baker	Thanks for (22)
25) CC/P/324	CC	23 "	Gen. Lastwood	Purely personal
26) CC/P/329	CC	23 "	Gen. Harding	Thank for sitreps, etc.
27) CC/P/340	"	26 "	Air Marshal Foster	Will keep (21) in mind.
28) HQ/8	Gen. Browning	27 "	Comdr. Holdsworth	Sharing S' from yr. Rome Off.
CC/P/343	CC	28 "	CC	Abt permanent for Brownings
CC/P/344	CC	28 "	Gen. Robinson	con.
SP/1/140	Gen. Robinson	28 "	Gen. Browning	
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

22 June 1944.

SPECIAL ORDERS)

NUMBER 141)

EXTRACT

6. The fol named O and OR, this HQ, WF without delay to Algiers, Algeria on trip in connection with ACC activities and upon completion thereof will ret to proper sta. Travel by rail aircraft and/or any other available transport is atd.

1st Gen	F. MOEL	MAJPARLASE,	KCB	ISO	NO	(3)
S/Ldr	A. J. PERRE,	87850	MAJ	PA		(3)
L/Cdr	A. E. Cassey,	860882	RA			(3)
S/Egt	R. Jones,	2/2351374	PAAC			(3)

By command of Lieutenant General MAJPARLASE:

NICHOLAS PIONBINO,
CWO, USA,
Assistant Adjutant.

OFFICIAL:

Nicholas Pionbino
NICHOLAS PIONBINO,
CWO, USA,
Assistant Adjutant.

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Ref. CC/P/400.

19th. June, 1944.

Sorry for not replying to your DO/190 of 11th. June earlier.

2. I will certainly do all I can to ensure that when A.C.C. moves to Rome my villa is bequeathed to you.

3. Whether or not the Italian Government and A.C.C. move to Rome at an early date is still under consideration in very high places. In the meantime much as I want to make the move it looks as if there is likely to be a certain amount of delay.

4. I am leaving for England myself on Thursday and Captain Stone, USN, my Deputy, will be carrying on in my absence and will be using the villa. I am asking him to keep you informed of any changes in the situation which may arise before my return and we will certainly do all we can to ensure that when our move does take place you get the villa.

201 Fivefold

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Major-General A.L. Collier, CBE, DSO,
G.C.C., No.3. District.

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On SF
RF 23/6

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DO/130.

HQ ACC, APO 394

Secy Gen.

Rec'd 13 June 0915
JLMaj Gen., L. Collier,
HQ 3 District,
CMF.

11 Jun 44.

Dear General Mason Macfarlane,

When HQ AAI moves forward, I shall have considerably increased responsibilities and shall be obliged to move my HQ into Naples on account of the better communications. The necessary accommodation is being booked, but I have not yet found anywhere for my own Mess.

I suppose that you will move your own HQ to Rome and it has occurred to me that you might feel disposed to bequeath your Villa to me. Normally, accommodation in Naples vacated by British troops would be at my disposal, but your villa is in a different category and up to date its occupation has, I understand, been a matter of private arrangement.

I feel that as the Senior British Military Commander likely to be left in these parts I am entitled to a decent Mess, so if you give the Villa up I should be most grateful if you would not let anybody else stake a claim on it.

Yours sincerely
L. Collier

Lt-Gen Sir Noel Mason Macfarlane, KCB, DSO, MC.
HQ ACC,
APO 394.

~~Executive
Commissioner~~

Please fix this up.
I am replying to a/c,
saying I'll do my best to get it done.

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JUN 291501Z

GENERAL MACFARLANE

JUN 091501Z

PERSONAL FOR PERRY

Ask de Nicola to dine with me tonight 2030. Tell him to be prepared to fly to Rome early tomorrow to contact Bonomi. Am making necessary arrangements.

orig. to S/Ldr Perry

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SECRET

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MEDY V LRAR QVR1 IMPORTANT IN CIPHER SERIAL D.956

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FROM: FIFTH ARMY

5TH -----

TO: ACTION: HQ AOC PERSONAL FOR GENERAL MACFARLANE

INFO: HQ AAI GENERAL HARDING. CG CAS GENERAL JOHNSON

3368 SECRET (.) SITUATION IN ROME IS NOW SUCH THAT I SHALL BE HAPPY TO HAVE
YOU VISIT THERE ANY TIME YOU DESIRE (.) IT WILL ALSO BE AGREEABLE TO HAVE YOU
ISSUE PASSES TO SUCH ITALIAN LEADERS AS YOU CONSIDER APPROPRIATE (.) WILL BE
GLAD TO HAVE TONY

WL.

IMPORTANT.

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cc personal*

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ACC 5512 (ACC 5512/1230 & 1231)

1922. June 1924

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

ONE HAZARD

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KNOWING ALIENS THROUGHOUT THE DAY TO KNOW TO KNOW FOR THE FIRST
AND IN THE FIRST HAZARD, PERSONAL, FIRST, AND HAZARD ALIENS
AND THE FIRST AND SECOND HAZARD

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JOHN HAZARD HAZARD
Lieutenant-General
Chief of Staff

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RAD

Signal Corps, United States Army

Telegram

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Received at PENINSULAR BASE SECTION
SIGNAL CENTER

URGENT 19

10 JUNE 1944

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TO (ACTION) : ACC MAIN, PERSONAL TO MACFARLANE

(INFORMATION) : NONE

FROM : CLARK

DATE-TIME SIGNED : 101559B

DATE-TIME REC'D : 101650B

REFERENCE NR : 6085

CITE : NONE

HQ ACC, APO 394

Sec'y Gen.

Rec'd 11 June 44

By



REFERENCE YOUR M230, DELIGHTED YOU ARE COMING. PLEASE FEEL FREE
FROM NOW ON TO BRING ANYBODY YOU DESIRE AT ANY TIME. HOPE I CAN HAVE THE
PLEASURE OF MEETING NOEL CHARLES.

MacFarlane
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21 June 44

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M238.

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also SF

ACC MAIN (GEN MACFARLANE C COMM)

10th. June, 1944.

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URGENT

GEN MACFARLANE

FIVE ARMY

THIS IS TO CONFIRM THAT I WILL BE IN ROME TOMORROW AND WILL RETURN NAPLES
 TOMORROW NIGHT TAKING WITH ME ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE NEW GOVERNMENT PD PAREN TO
FIVE ARMY FOR COMMANDING GENERAL FROM ACC MAIN FROM MACFARLANE PERSONAL PAREN
 HOPE YOU HAVE NO OBJECTION TO MY BRINGING WITH ME FOR THE DAY NOEL CHARLES BRITISH
 HIGH COMMISSIONER

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Hq A.C.C. Sec'y Gen.
DISPATCHED
Date Time 10 June 12.30
Via Hand & Signals M/c
Initials JLD

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE
 Lieutenant-General,
 Chief Commissioner.

SECRET

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*cc
pupils*

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

CMS/rl

Ref/DO/28

4 June 1944

Dear General Mason MacFarlane:

We enjoyed a quick and comfortable trip yesterday. This is just to let you know how much I appreciated your hospitality in Naples. The visit was most profitable as well as enjoyable for me.

Charles M. Spofford

CHARLES M. SPOFFORD
Colonel, G. S. C.
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5

Lt. Gen. Sir Noel Mason MacFarlane
Chief Commissioner
Hq., Allied Control Commission
APO 394

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Ref. CC/P/364.

3rd. June, 1944.

Dear Sir,

Lieutenant-General Sir Noel Mason MacFarlane thanks the General Secretary for his invitation to attend Senator Benedetto Croce's lecture on Sunday, June 4th..

He much regrets that he will be away from Naples all that day visiting the forward areas.

NELSON T. MONFORT,
Colonel, AUS,
Personal Assistant to Chief
Commissioner.

General Secretary,
Partito Liberale Italiano,
Via Medina, 5,
Naples.

PARTITO LIBERALE ITALIANO

NAPOLI - VIA MEDINA, 5 - NAPOLI

Napoli. li 11 Naples 2nd 1944

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TO :

Colonel Mofort

General Secretary

ACC.

You are Kindly invited to assist the lecture of:
SENATORE BENEDETTO CROCE, President of this Party, which will be
held in TEATRO BELLINI, Sunday June 4th. 1944. at 10,30 of the
morning.

Yours very respectfully.

general secretary

Giovanni Conenchi

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PERSONAL

FRMM/rj

CL personal

Ref. OG/P/357.

2nd. June, 1944.

MEMORANDUM:

TO: Lieut-Colonel T.V. Smith,
Director of Education,
Education Sub-Commission, A.C.C.

SUBJECT: Italian Text Books.

Many thanks for the text books which I have safely received
with your ED/2.9/ACC of 31st. May. I am very glad to have them.

NOEL WASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Hq ACC - Soc'y Gen.
DISPATCHED
Date-Time 4 June 1945
Via AGO M/C
Initials DFE

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Ref. CG/P/258.

3rd. May. 1944.

to Pol. Sec.

Many thanks for your MH/472 of 29th. April and the enclosure which I read with great interest. I think the writer did a very useful job.

I note you hope to be in Naples shortly and hope to see you then.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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Commander G. Holdsworth, DSO, RN,
No.1. Special Forces,
C. M. F..

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FNL/rj

29th. May, 1944.

MEMORANDUM:

TO: Commanding Officer,
Peninsular Base Section.

SUBJECT: Motor Accident.

1. On Friday, 26 May 1944, at 1430 hours, Lieutenant-General Sir Noel Mason MacFarlane accompanied by the undersigned and Private E. Denne, General MacFarlane's driver, were proceeding along Via Caracciolo at a speed not in excess of 40 Kilometres an hour when a truck (6 X 6) driven by Pvt. Jacob McGuire, Coy. C, 333 Engineers, turned in the street without warning.

2. Notwithstanding all efforts on the part of Private Denne, who swerved to the left as sharply as possible and finished up on the left hand side walk, he could not avoid hitting the lorry. Visibility was good and at that particular moment the street was free of traffic. Fortunately there was no damage to General MacFarlane's car other than to the right hand front fender which was completely smashed.

3. ³⁹ This report is being filed in order that some disciplinary action may be taken against Pvt. McGuire who frankly is a menace to all other drivers on the road.

HQ ACC. AND 324
120 V. Gen.

OUT ~~120~~ 29 May 1515
By DFE

Lucy
NELSON W. DOWFERT.
Colonel, AUS.

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner. 30

Ref. CC/P/348.

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28th. May. 1944.

Thank you very much for your letter of yesterday and your kind invitation to dine. If my duties permit I will be delighted to come and dine with you on Thursday, the 1st. June if that date is convenient to you.

With renewed thanks and best wishes.

HOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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General De Sevin,
French Representative
to Allied Control Commission.

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F1001/rj

SECRET

CC's personal file

Ref. CC/P/340

26th. May. 1944.

Just a line to say that I naturally quite understand about your not being able to spare S. from your Rome organisation.

I knew there was not much hope of your lending him to me during this period but I felt I must have a try.

Please thank Hewitt for his note.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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Cmdr. G. Holdsworth,
S.O.E.,
MONOPOLI.

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PERSONAL.

FNMM/rj

*cc's
personal file*

Ref. CC/E/329.

23rd. May, 1944.

Many thanks for yours of 15th. May.

2. I note that you are continuing the requisition of the villa at Taormina. I imagine that this is all in order and had not actually heard anything about it.
3. If and when I am down in those parts I will gladly avail myself of your kind invitation to use the house. Perhaps we might arrange a meeting there one day.
4. Things get more and more involved over here but we are still just keeping afloat.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE.
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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Air Vice-Marshal R.M. Foster, DFC,
Headquarters R.A.F.,
MALTA.

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SECRET AND PERSONAL.

FNM/rj

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also SFRef. CC.F.324.

23rd. May, 1944.

Just a line to thank you very much indeed for your Personal & Top Secret Situation Report letters.

1. These are of the greatest value to me and I do appreciate very much your finding the time to send them while you must be swamped with work.
2. Up to date, on my side of the house in the forward areas things are, I think, going quite satisfactorily. There has naturally been more doing on the 5th. Army side than on the 8th. and on Sunday I covered most of the 5th. Army forward area including Itri and Fondi. There are a surprising number of civilians still in the area and many of them have been taking refuge in the hills and have been drifting back. But they are being well looked after and adequately fed and the number of refugees is being kept down to the minimum with the double object of getting the people back to their fields and their work as early as possible and to avoid cluttering up the refugee axes which may later on have a higher strain to compete with.

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Lieut-General J. Harding, CB, DSO,
Chief of General Staff,
Headquarters, A. A. I...

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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REGINAL.

FIRM/rj

NF
also SF

Ref. CC/P/323.

23rd. May, 1944.

Many thanks for yours of May 6th..

1. I have forwarded your wife's letter to Temperley and I will try and get him away for a few days leave to Gibraltar when things here ease up a bit.
2. quite apart from the operational repercussions, your brother-in-law is faced with getting in the harvest from my biggest grain producing Province and he will be hard at it for another couple of months.
3. I hope to be slipping home for a very brief visit in the not distant future and may have a chance of looking you up on the way.

With all good wishes.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE.
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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Lieut-General Sir Ralph Eastwood, KCB, DSO, MC,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief,
GIBRALTAR.

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PERSONAL

FM33/rj

cc personal

Ref. CC/1/320.

22nd. May, 1944.

Dear General Baker,

Very many thanks indeed for sending me a copy of a photograph taken at your delightful dinner party at your club last Monday. It will be a charming souvenir of an evening which I enjoyed immensely.

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Lieut-General Ira C. Baker, USAAF,
Commander-in-Chief,
Headquarters, M.A.A.F.,
A.F. 650.

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HEADQUARTERS MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCES
Office of the Commander-in-Chief
A.P.O. 650

17 May 1944

Lt. Gen. Sir N.M. Mason Macfarlane, KCB., DSO., MC.,
Chief Commissioner,
Allied Control Commission,
CMF.

Dear General Macfarlane:

I thought that you might like to
have a copy of the group picture which was made
at our Club Monday evening. It is not as good as
we would have liked but it was made at a very late
hour, as you know, and all of the officers are
recognizable.

Sincerely,

Ira C. Eaker

IRA C. EAKER
Lt. General, USA,
Commanding

Incl.

To answer

Wm G-AP

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HQ ACC, APO 394

Sec'y Gen.

Rec'd 20 May 1945

By *WFE* (after CC
had seen)

Air Headquarters,

MALTA.

Reference:

DO/AOC

15th May, 1944.

Dear General.

With the object of providing a place where Senior R.A.F. Officers in this area can enjoy a few days rest, I am continuing the requisition of Bridport's Villa at Taormina which we had originally as an officers Rest Camp. I am told that the Bront's property has been put under the general protection of the A.C.C., and that while the Villa has been standing empty your officers have sometimes made use of it. I have written to your man at Catania inviting him to continue to do so.

I hope to have enough gear in the house in a weeks time, and after that date, it will be ready for visitors. I hope that you and Lush, if you come visiting to Sicily, and have the opportunity of spending a day or two at Taormina will make use of the house at any time you wish. There isn't much furniture in it, but I am told that the cook is good, and I am sending up some supplies and drink.

Hoping that all goes well with you and the Commission.

*Yrs sincerely,**R. N. Foster.*

General Sir F. Mason McFarlane, KCB etc.
Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission,
NAPLES.

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Bring lunch
Please return
to me when asked.

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cc's personal
file

Ref. CC/F/539.

26th. May. 1944.

Dear Madame Nevill,

I have asked Captain Drage, under whom Mlle. Dume Milite is working, to arrange to send her to Naples to see you. He will communicate direct with you.

Thank you very much for transmitting Madame Catroux's kind message. I hope very much to have the pleasure of meeting her again when next she comes to Naples.

Yours sincerely,

NOEL MASON MACPARKLAND,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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Madame Nevill,
Foyer du Soldat,
N A P L E S.

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Sir

Madame Merrill
can be found
any time between
9-12. 4-6
she is at the
office foyer due
about every day

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Have till Dange
to 30 arrange
hurry

FOYER DU SOLDAT

NAPLES

MADAME NEVILL, ASSISTANTE SOCIALE,

TO

LIEUTENANT GENERAL MACFARLANE

22-5-44

MADAME CATROUX WHOM I SAW 2 DAYS AGO AT HER AMBULANCE ASKED ME TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR VERY KIND LETTER AND HOPES THAT YOU WILL EXCUSE HER FOR NOT ANSWERING HERSELF, BUT SHE IS AT PRESENT TERRIBLY BUSY WITH OUR WOUNDED SOLDIERS.

IF YOU CAN ARRANGE TO SENT ME MADEMOISELLE EMME MILITO, I WILL SEE HER MYSELF AND FORWARD ALL THE DETAILS TO MADAME CATROUX IF MADEMOISELLE CAN TYPE, MADAME CATROUX COULD USE HER AT HER AMBULANCE.

MADAME CATROUX SEND ALL HER THANKS FOR YOUR VERY KIND INVITATION, SHE KNOWS ALL THE FRIENDSHIP THAT GENERAL CATROUX HOLDS FOR YOU, AND WILL BE DELIGHTED TO GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU AT HER NEXT VISIT TO NAPLES IN ORDER TO ARRANGE A MEETING.

B.C.A.
FOYER du SOLDAT
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HQ AGC, (PO) 37
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Rec'd 23 May 12
By *JB*

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FOYER du SOLDAT
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and where Madame Nevich
would like to interview
Emme.*

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cc: Personal file

Ref. CC/P/293.

13th. May, 1944.

Please forgive my writing to you direct but you will probably remember meeting me at Capodichino aerodrome and you will remember that your husband is an old friend of mine from the days when I was Governor of Gibraltar.

2. I have in Salerno working for my Headquarters a young girl called Brune Milito, aged 24, born of Italian parents who escaped from Fascism and who have spent practically all her life in France and is very much more French than Italian. All her sympathies lie with France.

3. She is most anxious to join the French Women's Services under you and if you were prepared to consider accepting her I could arrange for her to come and see you in Naples next time you may be paying Naples a visit. X

4. It would at the same time give me very great pleasure if you could come and lunch or dine with me.

5. Incidentally, I am doing my best to obtain for you from Bari the two Frigidaires about which you spoke to Sir Noel Charles.

6. I would be grateful if you would let me know whether you would like to interview Brune Milito next time you come to Naples and I shall hope to see you when you make your visit.

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Mde. Catroux,
Chief of the French Women's Services,
C. E. F.
c/o General Cross,
French Base H.Q.s., NAPLES.

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FRM/rj

CC's personal file

Ref. CC/P/282.

13th. May. 1944.

Very many thanks for sending me the snapshot. I was very glad to have it.

I hope we shall meet again soon but we both are so busy in our different jobs that we never seem to run into each other.

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NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Colonel R.H. Clarkson,
Port Commandant,
6th. Port Headquarters,
NAPLES.

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NESTOR SOLODOVNIK

MAJOR GENERAL

RED ARMY OF THE U. S. S. R.

SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE ON THE ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

Naples 13 May 1944
 To Major MacFarlane,
 Lt-General,

I am very sorry to leave
 You without having said good-bye.
 Doctors have found Duodenal Ulcer,
 which requires a long and tedious
 treatment.

I came to the Provincial
 with the intention to say good-bye
 to You, but I couldn't wait for a
 promised ring, with ~~never~~ because
 of illness.

I wish You good luck
 personal and with all, hope
 to see You again.

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Yours

N. Solodovnik

N. Solodovnik

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HEADQUARTERS MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED AIR FORCES
Office of the Commander-in-Chief
A.P.O. 650

12 May 1944

Lt. Gen. Sir N.M. Mason Macfarlane, KCB., DSO., MC.,
Chief Commissioner,
Allied Control Commission,
CMF.

Dear General MacFarlane:

I am giving a dinner on Monday evening,
May 15th, at which I am very hopeful you can be
present. I have asked General Wilson, General
Devers, General Alexander, Admiral Cunningham and
Mr. Kirk, our American Ambassador. The guests
have been asked to assemble at my quarters at 7:30
for dinner at 8:00.

I remember with the greatest pleasure
your kindness to me in Gibraltar and have been
hoping since arrival in Italy to see you again.

Sincerely,



IRA C. EAKER
Lt. General, USA.

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Ref. CC/P/263.

3rd. May, 1944.

Reference your D.O. letter of 5th. April.

I have forwarded the letter to the Queen of Italy and have asked that any reply shall be sent through me. Should one arrive I will send it to you.

NOEL MASON MACPARKANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

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Major-General J.S. Steele, DSO, MC,
D.S.D.,
Room 215,
The War Office,
Whitehall,
LONDON, S.W.1.

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Room 215,

War Office,

S.W. 1.

5 April, 1944.

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My dear General

I enclose a letter to the Queen of Italy which you may think somewhat surprising. I did think it very much so when I was asked to get it sent, but on reading the letter and press notice I felt it was a fair request to make.

It all concerns the establishment of the nursing service thirty years ago in Italy by British nurses - and particularly Miss Turton who has just died - with the assistance and sympathy of the Queen of Italy.

I hope you may be able to get the letter delivered and if there is an acknowledgement I would like to have it.

Yours sincerely

W. Keeler

Lt.-Gen. Sir Frank N. Mason MacFarlane, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.C.,
Deputy President Allied Control Commission,
Allied Armies in Italy.

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Answered in due
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30th. April, 1944.

Your Royal Highness,

I enclose herewith the letter for Her Majesty The Queen
about which I spoke to you the other night.

I would be most grateful if Your Royal Highness could have it delivered to Her Majesty. It is not in any way urgent.

Please accept the assurance of my highest esteem and cordial comradeship.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

S.A.R. Il Principe di Piemonte.

22 Maria Pia
22 Naples

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FNM/rj

20th. April, 1944.

Dear Comm. Garneri,

Thank you for your letter of the 17th..

2. I was very sorry not to see your wife and yourself before leaving your villa because I wished to tell you how comfortable we had been and how much I appreciated having your delightful villa to live in. Owing to the necessity of having more of my staff living with me I had to move into a larger house.

3. We did our best to keep the villa clean and in good order and I hope we succeeded.

4. The allotment of accommodation in Naples is not in my hands so that I am afraid I cannot tell you the intentions of the responsible authorities regarding the future use of the villa.

5. With my renewed thanks and good wishes to Signora Garneri and yourself.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Comm. Ugo Garneri,
Via Marina Nuova, 131,
NAPOLI.

201 - Mac Farlane

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Comm. Ugo Garneri
Via Marina Nuova, 111
Napoli, Telef. 51-424

Naples, 17-4-44 HQ ACG, APO 394

Sec'y Gen.
 Rec'd 18 Apr 0935
 By *JR*

R.H. Sir Mason Mac Farlane

N A P L E S

Sir,

my wife and I have been very sorry learning you left our Villa.
 We sincerely hope you will keep among your souvenirs of Naples,
 the one of your permanency at Posillipo as an hour of rest of
 your high political solitudes.

We shall remember our lifelong in our little house you were making our Contry's destiny.

We do not know if you will allow us - as we deeply wish - to come back at home : we want you to know that we would be heartly thankful to owe you the happiness of living our old years at home again.

Believe me, Sir,

faithfully yours

Ugo Garneri

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Il Ministro della Guerra

Lecce, 7 aprile 1944

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HQ ACC. ATO 394
Rec. d. 14 Apr. 1410
By *[Signature]*

Caro Generale Mac Farlane,

nella ricorrenza della Santa Pasqua Voglia accogliere, Caro Generale, gli auguri più fervidi di tutti i miei collaboratori e quelli miei personali, unitamente alla espressione della mia gratitudine per l'alta opera che Ella esplica a beneficio del nostro Paese.
Coi più cordiali saluti.

Fur Gen. Carlo Stancu

*Answered
11/4*

*Is this
Orlando!!*

14/4

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Sir Noel Mason Mac Farlane
Capo della Commissione
Allestata di Controllo

SALERNO

*Yes.
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16th. April, 1944.

Thank you very much indeed for your kind Easter greetings.

I reciprocate these very warmly and am confident that our collaboration in the future will be marked by the same closeness and cordiality which have obtained up to date.

With my best wishes.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

S.E. General Orlando,
Minister of War.
LECCE.

P.S. I have asked Headquarters at Algiers to send back your "ordonnance" if possible and hope that they will be able to do so.
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12th. April, 1944.

I brought with me from Gibraltar as Personal Assistant Flight-Lieutenant A.J. Perry, R.A.F., who had been my Personal Assistant in Gibraltar.

As it was of considerable assistance to him in the execution of his duties, I asked my A.O.C., Air Vice Marshal Simpson, to allow me to grant him the local rank of Squadron-Leader. Flight-Lieutenant Perry's duties here are very much the same as those he performed in Gibraltar and it will be most useful to him to retain the local rank of Squadron-Leader.

I would be most grateful if you would kindly authorise this. I would stress the fact that only local rank is involved.

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General,
Chief Commissioner.

Air Commodore W.A.B. Bowen-Buecarlet,
Director,
Air Sub-Commission.

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MACFARLANE HEADQUARTERS ALLIED CONTROL

COMMISSION CMF

ON THE RETURN OF FIRST PARTY EVACUEES THE
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RIGHTS ON BEHALF ALL GIBRALTARIANS SEND YOU
WARMEST THANKS FOR HAVING INITIATED THIS
GREAT WORK OF BRINGING BACK TO US OUR
DEAR ONES AFTER NEARLY FOUR YEARS HARD
SEPARATION STOP GIBRALTAR WILL EVER BE
GRATEFUL TO YOUR EXCELLENCY

NO ENQUIRY REPLY SHOULD

ALBERT RISSO PRESIDENT

DUCTION OF THIS COPY

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24th. March, 1944.

Thank you for your letter of March 6th..

I will do my best to endeavour to procure another supercharged 2.9 litre Alfa Romeo and will let you know if I have any luck. I am frankly not very hopeful as there seem to be very few good Italian cars, especially of the type you require, South of the battle line.

I still have the most pleasant recollections of Your Royal Highness's visit to Gibraltar and hope that you are going strong.

With my sincerest regards,

NOEL MASON MACFARLANE,
Lieutenant-General.

His Royal Highness,
Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands,
77, Chester Square,
London, S.W.1.

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11, CHESTER SQUARE,

N.W. 1.

LONDON W. 1.

March 6th 44

Dear General MacFarlane,

The other day I saw
 Canningham and we had a
 long talk about Italy and
 you and also General Phaff
 gave me your regards,
 having, I hope, transmitted
 mine to you. I still remem-
 ber your so kind hospitality
 a year ago! Canningham said
 you might possibly be able
 to do something for me & he
 said I might ask you even
 though you must be terribly
 busy these days. The thing

is that I had an Alfa Romeo
car, a 2.9 liter supercharged car
which was very good indeed
and it has been taken by the
Germans and, I heard last
month, completely wrecked.

I am most keen to get
another - I do not know
whether I could get the
Germans to pay later or not -
but even if I have to pay
now I would very much
like one. So there anyone
in your surroundings who
could find out whether there
is one anywhere? !!



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ST. JAMES'S PLACE, LONDON, S.W. 1.

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I do hope you will forgive
 this question and should
 it cause or be likely to
 cause you any trouble will
 you please forget it. I
 do hope you are well - I
 hear you are still in shorts
 even in the snow so that
 you seem to keep fit alright.
 With my sincerest regards

Yours
 J. E. H. (6)

SECRET

Capt. E.G. de Pury,
 Junior Carlton Club,
 Pall Mall,
 London, S.W.1.,
 22 February, 1944.

HQ AGC, APO 384

15 Mar 0845

By

J.E.

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Lt.-General Sir F.N. Mason MacFarlane, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.C.,
 Allied Control Commission,
 Italy.

*I just can't go on working
 to this fellow and hope
 he will stop*

Dear General Mason MacFarlane,

I have come back to England as the
 job for which I was groomed fell through due to a change of *policy*.
 I attach, herewith, a statement of my war experience with particular
 reference to my work in North Africa.

When I returned about ten days ago, a
 Senior Staff Officer, who had worked under General Templer and
 consequently knew of me, told me that a report about me exists that
 he considers is not disinterested, in other words written with "malice
 aforethought". He said it was damaging and due to the fact I had clashed
 with one or more persons at some time to whom initiative was anathema,
 or words to that effect.

He urged me to see Brigadier Vale as he
 was aware of your letter to him. I found him out and was received by
 Colonel Perceval, M.I.I.A. The latter told me that unless I would
 give the name of my informant, he considered my demarche useless.
 Moreover, he said my informant probably had no right to divulge the
 existence of this report to me. So it is evident, unless there were to
 be a Court of Inquiry, I cannot divulge my informant's name. He has at
 present a responsible "hush-hush" job. However, Colonel Perceval
 did admit you had sent in an excellent report on me.

I happen to know that the other
 and not disinterested report has prevented me from getting two
 postings, one last October and one last month for which I was
 recommended by a Major Ashford Russell who is in a certain "show" at
 Bari and is apparently anxious to have me in a certain job where
 initiative and responsibility is required and he got his Algiers
 Office to send a signal for me.

At the suggestion of two Senior Staff
 officers in Algiers, who have dealings with the French, I was urged to
 call on Colonel Archdale of No. 20 Military Mission. I have seen him
 and he is most pleasant and I feel sure will do what he can when the
 time comes, altho he does not seem to have anything at present.

All I hope is that the not disinterested
 report will not continue to bar me from responsible positions where I
 can and should be useful.

I have asked to see it and have an
 opportunity of replying to its author or authors but so far have not
 succeeded in doing so.

I saw the chief French General de
 Lattre de Tassigny on three occasions in Algiers and on each occasion
 he insisted he wanted me as you allowed me to spend my leave in France
 in a Corps Franc of his Division and he has never forgotten that.

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SECRET:

To: General Sir F.N. Mason MacFarlane,
Allied Control Commission, Italy.

I get on extremely well with him which should be all the more valuable as he is likely to command the bulk of the French Forces and also he has not had many dealings either with American or British Officers.

I have written a report on him which has gone up to several interested quarters here and which I hope will do some good and I enclose a copy for your information.

It is thanks to yourself and General Templer in France that I learned the value of initiative and responsibility and I have tried to act on that ever since but it does not agree, apparently, with a number of Officers. After all one joins up to serve one's country and not to lash oneself to a desk to be served by one's country.

In view of the posting proposed by Major Ashford Russell, I learned on board ship the Italian Grammar. Altho I do not talk the language, I can understand it quite easily and I have the facility of getting on well with Latins.

Yours very sincerely,

Edmund G. de Pury

(Captain E.G. de Pury).

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SECRETGENERAL DE LATRE DE TASSIGNY.

6 February, 1944.

1. He is the only French General of importance who gets on well with General Giraud and General de Gaulle.
2. He is admired by such Rightist deputies as Vallin and seems to have the confidence of the Left Parties and particularly the Socialists. Lefevre, the Secretary for War, listens to him and takes his advice in regard to Army Officers with the result that fighting qualities do not seem to be subordinated to political considerations.
3. De Latre is very keen on a "social" system in the French Army. He is at present appointing French Officers to do nothing but welfare work which is non-sectarian and suited to the men's mentalities.
4. He has greatly tightened up discipline in the French Army since he took command of "Armee B". He is more severe on Officers than on the men. About 50 Officers were recently severely cautioned in Algiers for not being correctly dressed or saluting smartly.
5. He is determined to see a much closer relationship than formerly between Officers and men and he has told many Officers that unless they do just this, they cannot expect to demand, as he put it, the "impossible" from the men when they go into action. His imprisonment in Rome added to his increasing conviction since the defeat in 1940 that the bourgeoisie had isolated itself too much from the rest of the Nation. That is why he is trusted by the Left Parties and, I think, the bourgeoisie is beginning to see he is right. He has also told many Officers that it is no use weeping over the "petainist past" with its privileges, particularly for the Officer Class in North Africa.
6. He realises that the "Q" side is the weak point in the French Army. For this reason, he ordered the demobilisation of an Algerian and a West African Division so that the other Divisions can have the necessary "Q" strength. He also understands that spare parts are to be kept as spare parts and not used to make up more trucks, etc., as some Officers were inclined to do. The weakest part is probably signals as Signallers cannot be created in a day.
7. I think, like a number of other French Senior Officers, he considers that due to lack of specialists in North Africa, it will be necessary immediately on entry into France to recruit such specialists without any delay. Certain Officers like General ~~XXXX~~ (I believe) will have the task of doing this.
8. I understand the first shipment of hygienic articles such as soap, etc., should arrive from the U.S.A. in the next few weeks. This subject was apparently forgotten during

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scouting partly.

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8. I understand the first shipment of hygienic articles such as soap, etc., should arrive from the U.S.A. in the next few weeks. This subject was apparently forgotten during the lend-lease talks for Arms for the French Army and does have a considerable effect on morale. General de Lattre is anxious that the French Army should have the same facilities in this sense as the British and American Armies. General Juin's small Force in Italy has been short of such supplies and cigarettes.
9. Like anyone with a marked character, General de Lattre has his detractors. A certain U.S. General seems to have expressed himself unfavourably after an interview and this, I believe, was due to lack of appreciation of the French character and also that sometimes General de Lattre does, probably without realising it, dramatise to a certain extent. In this connection, a Senior British Staff Officer had been wanted to meet the General on account of this report. I got him invited on a personal basis (he could not go officially due to his American opposite number) and he came away favourably impressed as he told me he would like to be associated with him. General de Lattre has, on ~~various~~ occasions, formed rapid opinions, but he seems very ready to revise them when the personality of such and such a person is explained to him, as the British Staff Officer found out. The latter explained such a situation to him and de Lattre replied "you can tell him (the person referred to) that I believe entirely what you say (or words to that effect)."
10. The General has an airplane which enables him to visit his Divisions frequently. In January, he had a 4-day trip to go over the Mareth Line to see for himself the Allied tactics. He is extremely keen to know all he can about modern tactics and keeps an open mind in this respect.

6 February, 1944.

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ORIGINAL DE L'ATLANTIC DEL TASSIGNY.

11. He is always willing to assume full responsibility himself and is anxious to encourage this virtue in his subordinates.
 12. Apart from his Staff for purely Army purposes, he has a Lt. to do "P.R." work and Lt. Eve Curie, whose job it will be to help with the civilian population when his Army gets to France. He is anxious to have all the "side shows" in this respect that the British and American Armies possess.
 13. As a result of his imprisonment and the period of his escape, he was in contact with the resistance groups. He maintains this contact and this may be an invaluable feature when he gets to France. This, I think, is not generally known.
- His three weeks' stay in England proved of great value to him and he learned a great deal in that short time.

(Captain E.C. de Pury).

(Captain E.C. de Pury).

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15 February, 1944.

CAPTAIN E.G. DE FURY.

ENGLAND.

On my return from Poland in October, 1939, I was commissioned as an Intelligence Officer. This was because I was at that time over age for the Inns of Court in which I served when it was very much under strength.

FRANCE.

I was P.A. to the Chief Field Censor. The G2, G1 and D.M.I. were Officers of the Regular Army. I was allowed to spend my leave in a Corps Franc to get battle experience. As a result, I was mentioned in dispatches of the 14th. (French) Division and made an Hon. Corporal of the Chasseurs a pied. I received written congratulations from the C.-in-C., C.G.S. and D.M.I. for this. I was sent on a Mission to 2me Bureau, G.Q.G. I was received by Generalissime Gamelin in his study at Vincennes three days before the German offensive. I was sent, when the offensive began, to work in the offices of the M.A., Brussels. I reached Brussels after his departure and was given the task of escorting the Belgian Minister of the Interior out of the City. I was wounded at Tournai.

ENGLAND.

I was ordered to report to Aldershot for the 2nd.B.E.F. when still in bed in hospital. I obeyed the order and the M.Os. declined responsibility for my health. I was for a short time I.O., Eastern Command, and was asked to join No. 7 Commando, then about to form.

SOUTH AMERICA

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ENGLAND.

I reached Brussels after his departure and was given the task of escorting the Belgian Minister of the Interior out of the City. I was wounded at Tournai.

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When I got recall orders, the D.S.O. wanted me to stay on as I had got well grounded in the work. I was replaced at the J.I.C. and also the D.S.O. said he would have to get somebody out of England to replace me for this work.

ENGLAND.

I was thanked by O.C. Troops on a Polish Transport for having volunteered to help guard two German submarine crews. This was far from easy on a Polish ship.

I returned to England in January, 1942. I was ill in hospital for about two months suffering from a poisoned condition contracted in Gibraltar. I attended an I.S.R.B. Course. The "I" Depot was then asked to hold me in a posting where I could be available in the event of a certain contingency. I was posted to Salisbury Plain District and for a short time did some of the P.A. duties for Lt. General Pakenham-Walsh.

When I was posted to West Africa, he gave me two letters expressing the wish that I would be given scope for enterprise and responsibility.

WEST AFRICA

I was told I was fortunate in going to West Africa on account of the "possibilities" then/ of Dakar.

I was sent to Nigeria. As I was given little work to do, the D.A.A.G. suggested as an experiment that I should do some propaganda recruiting. This received the commendations both of the D.A.A.G., Nigeria Area, and equally of the D.A.A.G., G.H.Q. (W.A.).

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CAPTAIN E.G. DE PURY

WEST AFRICA.

Due to the insistence of "A" Branch, I was able against the strenuous opposition of local "I" to do this work for a period of months. Recruiting increased by several hundred natives a month at a time when it was most needed and hard to obtain. I got full marks for this from "A" Branch. Local "I" finally got its way and I reverted to a 2-hour working day. I subsequently heard that propaganda recruiting is now a full-time Staff appointment. On my way back, I assisted the Navy for a few weeks in Freetown in the interrogation of German PWs.

ENGLAND.

On my return, I was for a short time with No. 10 (I.A.) Commando.

NORTH AFRICA.

I was posted to P.W.B., Algiers, with a view to interrogating German PWs. in Italy.

I found, on my arrival, a member of P.W.B. had known of my experience with the French Army in France.

With this in view, I was sent to replace two British Officers at Casablanca for the interrogation of Frenchmen who had escaped from France, via Spain.

This was to give me experience of conditions in France and I was to remain there about five weeks. I remained about ten weeks.

I was instructed in Algiers to spend any spare time to get to know the French Army "off the record".

As the convoys with the refugees came in every 10 days and the work lasted 4 days, I was able to travel in Morocco and visited numerous Units. I always obtained the permission of G2, A.B.S., and kept in the closest liaison with them.

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I returned to Algiers in January, 1944, with a view to getting the liaison posting for P.W.B. with the French Army. Within the space of 12 days, I was invited to lunch three times by a five-star French General who explained a good many of his views to me.

A Senior British Staff Officer, with wide experience of the French, wanted to meet him but could only do so "off the record" on account of his U.S. colleague. This I was able to arrange. He was very suitably impressed which was of interest in view of a certain report by a U.S. General he had read and he wanted to use his own judgment.

This Staff Officer was able to correct the French General's views on a certain person and consequently this "off the record" lunch was fruitful of results.

This French General repeatedly told me he wanted me as a British Liaison Officer. I made it quite clear that, whatever my views might be, this was a matter for my Superiors to decide and it would be out of place for me to make a demarche myself.

I left Morocco for Algiers with strong recommendations to the S.R. and B.C.R.A., altho I had no official capacity.

I can claim to have created a better spirit as the result of my visits at least to some Units and in my dealings with numerous Staff Officers.

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who is likely
to be
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NORTH AFRICA.

CAPTAIN E.G. DE PURY.

I have gained wide and valuable experience. I have the confidence and trust of many French Officers.

As I went among them in the expectation of being a Liaison Officer, the present situation as regards myself might well cause some of them to query as to whether I met them for any ulterior purpose. From my point of view, this is decidedly invidious.

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FIRST PD LADY MACFARLANE SUGGESTS MAJOR THOMAS ISLAY PITMAN FROM PW CAMP AT BARDI
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Feb. 12¹⁶

In enclosed letter
from Field Marshal the
Earl of Cavan inquiring
about the sister of his
sister in law. ————

I am sure Bagdolis will
be able to find out, as
suggested and I shall be
most grateful if you
can let me have
any news.

HPD
Taken up with
Bagdolis + an answer
Mar 17 1930

West Link House
North Berwick

Dec 18

My dear Alex

I should be so
grateful if you could
possibly ascertain
whether the lady
named in enclosed
is alive & well.

Possibly Bradoglio
has meant y doing so.

Very sorry to worry
but my sister in law
Lady Strathairn is
ill with nervous

Anxiety about her
sister - who is the
lady named -

Thick fog & pitch
dark here at
12 noon - I do trust
the sun will soon
shine on your Army
Group. What a ghastly
weather you have had -
but what fine work has
been done under the worst
conditions.

Letter about Winston
reassuring - Thanks Ed -

Yours

Laura

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ALLIED CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCE

7th. February, 1944.

Pursuant to Proclamation No. 4 of the Allied Military Government of Occupied Territory and pursuant to the powers vested in me as Military Governor of the Occupied Territory in Italy and Sicily and pursuant to Article VIII of the said Proclamation, I, HAROLD R.L.G. ALEXANDER, G.C.B., C.S.I., D.S.O., M.C., General, General Officer, Commanding, Commander in Chief, Allied Central Mediterranean Force and Military Governor of the Occupied Territory hereby delegate to FRANK NOEL MASON MACFARLANE, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.C., Lieutenant General, Chief Civil Affairs Officer, the power to confirm any sentence of death passed by an Allied Military Court in Occupied Territory in Italy and Sicily.

Certified a true copy:

Robert E. Doe
ROBERT E. DOE
MAJOR, A.S.D.
Secretary General

(S) H.R. ALEXANDER GENERAL

HAROLD R.L.G. ALEXANDER,
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Commander in Chief,
Allied Central Mediterranean
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7th. February. 1944.

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10050 MACFARLANE

ROUTINE

CHIEF GIBRALTAR PERSONAL FOR DARLING FROM MACFARLANE

I received similar information some time ago. Most repeat
most unlikely to be relative of mine but might quite possibly be relative of my wife.
Suggest M.I.9. contact my wife at Marsham Court Marsham Street SOUTHWEST LONDON
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Form 123

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Signal Corps, United States Army
Telegram

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PRIORITY
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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

TO (ACTION) : CG PBS FOR FARGO PERSONAL FOR MACFARLANE
(INFORMATION): NONE
FROM : FATIMA REAR SIGNED MACFARLANE
DATE TIME SIGNED: 061115A
DATE TIME REC'D.: 061428A
REFERENCE NR. : 2280
CITE : NONE

ACTION COPY

FOLLOWING MESSAGE RELAYED BY FREEDOM FROM CHIEF GIBRALTAR FROM
DARLING RECEIVED HERE.

1. MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM BRITISH MAJOR POW IN HIDING IN SOUTH
FRANCE CLAIMING HE IS RELATIVE OF YOURS NAME NOT STATED.
2. CAN YOU CONFIRM.
3. MI 9 LONDON HAVE BEEN INFORMED.

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FORM #18-A

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201-Place Farlane

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