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CHIEF OF STAFF, TEMPORARY FILE
APR. - OCT. 1945

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13 October 45

Ref: 6270/70/50.

SUBJECT: Italian Red Cross

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Venice Region.

1. Reference attached copy of a letter 10/11/45 from Provincial Red Officer, All Italy, Venice, it would appear that the Provincial Red Officer, Venice, has authorized the supply of rations from Italian military stores for 40 employees of the Italian Red Cross.

2. There is, of course, no authority for such an issue, and it shall be grateful if you will enquire into the matter, and if the facts are as alleged, ensure that a similar quantity of rations are issued by the Italian Red Cross at their value - £57.36 - be paid to the Italian military authorities in order that no loss should be incurred.

For the Chief Commissioner:

A. H. M. C. C. C.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Head Office S.D. Commission (1A)

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Verbal Report received from Col Chapman, Public Safety Sub Commission

SUNDAY 1145 hours.

To day being the anniversary of the march on Rome, the following incident has taken place:-

New Fascists placed a Flag on the Militia Tower in via Nazionale. In order that it should not be taken down, two mines were placed at the entrance to the Tower. There were also notices and posters displayed including one which said "Attention Anti Tank Mines".

Fire Brigade was called and the Mines removed without incident. The Italian Artillery are in charge of the situation at present and there is nothing further to report.

The incident was reported to Col Chapman at 1115 hrs and he is making the necessary investigations.



J.P. Carlisle. J.Comd

Duty Officer. Office of Chief Commissioner.

28 Oct 45.

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Ref: 1615/10/50

18 October 1945

FROM: Entertainment Commission

TO : Finance Sub-Commission

1. Reference your 13075/8 of 13 October 1945
2. Authority is hereby given for the repayment from 10/100 funds of expenses incurred at the Grand Hotel on 9 October 1945.

E. SANDSON

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Ref/3761/176/33

17 October 1945

SUBJECT: Insertion in Daily Bulletin.

TO : Adjutant.

Please have the following inserted in the Daily Bulletin:

REDUCTION IN SIGNAL TRAFFIC

1. The Executive Commissioner directs that the attention of all officers be brought to this Bulletin.
2. A shortage of signal operators is probable in the very near future and it is therefore essential that the number of signal messages originated by this Headquarters be reduced to the absolute minimum.
3. For the information of all concerned the Headquarters below are served daily by the AD courier service stated:

AFHQ	-	Motor Courier
AMG Piemonte Region	-	Air Courier
AMG Lombardia Region	-	Air Courier
AMG Venetia Region	-	Air Courier
AMG Naples Commune	-	Motor Courier
ALCOM LO Bologna	-	Air Courier

To the above Headquarters therefore only Priority traffic will be sent by electrical transmission.

4. As a general rule only messages on which there is a degree of urgency will be given electrical transmission and all officers are directed before signing messages to determine whether this means of transmission is necessary.

F. H. McCLEAR 903

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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OCT 17 1945

Ref: SX5/40

17 October 45

SUBJECT: South Tyrolean Interests -- Bolzano

TO: Regional Commissioner
Alto Adige Region

1. Reference your RCH/325.11 of 21 September and your
RCH/350.12 of 11 October 1945.

2. The question of the ultimate destination of these
petitions is still under consideration. However, in the meantime,
it would be appreciated if some indication can be given as to
the approximate portion of the total population the signatories
represent.

E. H. McCLEARY

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

OCT 17 1945

Ref: 838/68/EC

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: Budget Contribution (Ancona Commune)

TO : Finance Subcommittee

1. In his monthly report for September AC LC Ancona Commune states:

"The Ministry of the Interior has not yet advanced the usual contribution for the budget 1945. The only income of the Commune has been 3,000,000 lire from taxes, with which it was impossible to pay 'liberation bonus' to personnel, and arrears of increased wages from November 1943 to July 1944."

2. The Executive Commissioner wishes this to be brought to the notice of the Ministry of Finance, requesting them to have the contribution for the budget speeded up.

R. C. [illegible]

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ARMED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 8277/103/EC

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: Content of Folgore Group

TO : Civil Affairs Section
Land Forces Subcommission

1. Reference is made to 585/EC dated 10 September 45 in which Subcommissions were requested to investigate the practicability of implementing two quoted recommendations.

2. It is requested that a recommendation may be given in order that a reply may be sent to AFHQ.

C. E. BRAYBROOKE

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

OCT 17 RECD

Ref: 838/64/EX

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: Ancona Monthly Report

TO : Civil Affairs Section

1. In his monthly report for September AO LC Ancona Commans states:

"The Ministry of the Interior has not yet advanced the usual contribution for the budget 1945. The only income of the Comune has been 3,000,000 lire from taxes, with which it was impossible to pay 'liberation bonus' to personnel, and arrears of increased wages from November 1943 to July 1944."

2. The Executive Commissioner wishes this to be brought to the notice of the Italian Government, requesting them to speed up the contribution for the budget.

3. The AO LC also states:

"The withdrawal of three fire service vehicles from the Civilian Fire Brigade on orders from Public Safety Subcommission caused keen disappointment on the part of the Commandant of the Italian Fire Brigade, and the military fire-fighting company who so ably assist him."

4. Was it necessary to remove all three vehicles?

C. R. BRAYBROOKE

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 572/81/80

16 October 1945

SUBJECT: French Naval Mission in Genoa

TO: Navy Subcommission

It would be appreciated if a reply could be given to 572/80/80
dated 3 October 45 on the subject of the French Naval Mission in Genoa.

C. R. BRAYBROOKE

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 3277/117/52.

15 October 1945

SUBJECT : Folgore Division.

TO : Colad (1)
" (2)
Y. Civil Affairs Section
CVC., Last Force 8/3 (MIA)

Reference 585/23 of 3 October 45.

Copies of the following letters from R.D. Venezia
Region are forwarded for information :

REII/350.12 dated 6 October 45
REII/350.12 dated 10 October 45
REII/350.12 dated 13 October 45

Chief Staff Officer,
Executive Commissioner.

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COPY

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
UDINE PROVINCE

REEL/UDI/3/8.

SUBJECT: Rations for Croce Rossa.
TO : Direzione del Comandamento Militare Italiano,
UDINE.
FROM : Provincial Food Officer,
AMG Udine Province.

1. Authority is hereby granted for supply of rations for 110 persons for one month on the ration scale in force on 1 Jul. 45. These persons are all employed by the Italian Red Cross.
2. These rations cannot be supplied from civil sources by SEIRAI; will you please, therefore, arrange to supply them from your stocks.
3. These arrangements will be permanent.

Firma illegibile

Si rilascia autorizzazione per il rifornimento di razioni per 110 persone per un mese in base all'aliquota sul razionamento in vigore dal 1 luglio 45.
Queste persone sono tutte impiegate per conto della Croce Rossa Italiana. Queste razioni non possono essere fornite dalla SEIRAI, quindi da fonte civile; vogliate quindi rifornire queste persone con le vostre giacenze generali.
Tale disposizione è di carattere permanente.

L.C.C.
IL S. COMANDANTE COME RANNO
CAPO REGIONE
- Adalberto Galloni -

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CC FILE

Ref: 3752/31

9 October 1945

SUBJECT: Overloading of Italian Courier Aircraft.

TO : Establishment Section.

Reference the attached copy of letter AFM/2L/1/air dated 6 October 1945 from the Air Forces Sub Commission, subject as above.

Please prepare a draft Establishment Memorandum to cover the points mentioned in the attached letter, co-ordinating as may be necessary with the originating sub commission, and submit the draft for approval of the Executive Commissioner before issue.

F. H. Mc CLEARY

Chief Staff Officer,
to the Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Air Forces Sub Commission.

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OCT 5 1945

Ref: 43/157/50.

5 October 45.

SUBJECT: Selected men for Signal Section, 31.
 31 : Establishment Section.

1. Reference is made to 43/157/50 dated 24 September 45, and attached copy of Communications Sub-Commission letter 4.61.67/50 dated 22 September 45 to Chief of Staff Officer, 31/31, together with letter in reply dated 12.10/4 dated 28 September 45.

2. The Communications Sub-Commission are doing all they possibly can to assist, but it is requested that 31/31 register at least minimal pressure to get its regulation filled. Would you also look into the possibility of employing civilians bearing in mind, of course, the security aspect of the matter.

J. H. McClean

Chief Staff Officer,
 To the Executive Commission.

Copy to 31/31 Section.

Communications Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Communications Sub-Commission

103/00

1.51/67./03

22 September 63

SUBJECT: Signal Unit for AC Hqs.

Dear General Bacht,

I am enclosing copy of a memorandum from our Hqs Communication Officer on the need for enlisted personnel which release of high point men in the Signal Section will create.

Requisition for the needed replacements has been made by the 263rd Regiment (which is the US AC Hqs Military Unit) but with the crying need for all units remaining in the theater for specialists I am afraid the requisition will be a long time in being filled.

There is no indication that the Signal center load of this Hqs will be reduced for several months as the AC is probably busier at the present moment than for some time past and the matters being treated are of the highest urgency. It would, therefore, create a very serious situation if sufficient Signal personnel is not available to run the Signal centre.

As you have always shown a sympathetic understanding of the needs of this Commission, I am taking the liberty of writing to ask if you would lend your personal assistance to insuring that the requisition for:

- 4 Teletype operators (MSG No. 237)
- 4 Signal center clerks (MSG No. 242)

is assigned a high priority.

H. H. BUCHHEIT
Lt. Col. SIG C
Director

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Brig. General George I. Back
O.S.O. 20000, AMS, APO 312,
US ARMY

HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
Office of the Chief Signal Officer
AG 512

522.08/1

28 September 49

SUBJECT: Replacement Personnel

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 304, U.S. Army.
(Attn: Lt. Col. Schöder).

1. In the absence of General Beck, I am taking this opportunity to answer your letter of 22 September, relative to replacements for the Signal Center.
2. While I am fully aware of your personnel problem, there is little which can be done at the moment. Every headquarters in the Theater is faced with the same situation.
3. It is informally stated by our G-4 that a shipment of low score replacements is due from the States about 15 October 1949. This will include some Signal specialists. The only present source of replacements has been from inactivated units within the Theater, and this source has been entirely inadequate.
4. We are very anxious of giving all the attention possible under the present circumstances. It is strongly advised, however, a requisition be submitted for required low-score specialists. It is our belief these enlisted men will have to be shipped from the United States. In the meantime we will curtail all possible sources of replacements and if any are found, will send them to you.

KIRK MCKEE,
Colonel, Signal Corps,
Actg Chief Signal Officer

Ref: 9254/123/3C

3 October 1945

SUBJECT: Proposed Publication of Newspaper

TO : Regional Commissioner
Piemonte Region

It would be appreciated if a reply could be sent to my
9251/WC dated 19 September 1945.

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 4755/208/50

1 October 45

SUBJECT: Living quarters -- Avv. Vincenzo Di Palma

TO : Liaison Officer to Chief Commissioner

Reference your letter 150/PD of 14 August 45.

1. The request by Avv. Di Palma for the premises occupied by RACI appears to be based on a misunderstanding as RACI is functioning in its original premises.

2. Some time ago Di Palma requested the use of a flat at 31 Via Roma, Salerno. This request was not granted at the time as a military unit was in occupation. The flat is now empty and if Di Palma or his representative visits Town Major, Salerno, the handing over of this flat will be discussed.

3. Perhaps Avv. Di Palma can arrange to discuss the matter with the Town Major (British) at Salerno.

13 C. R. BRADBROOK, C.A.I., I.C.

✓ Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 3622/EO.

27 September 1945.

SUBJECT: City of Leghorn.

TO : AC Liaison Officer,
F. B. S.

1. Reference attached copy of a memorandum dated 26 September 45 handed to the Executive Commissioner from Sig. Ruggeri, Manager of Credito Italiano in Livorno.
2. Would you be good enough to take the matter up in consultation with Sig. Ruggeri and PBS to urge and assist.
3. Please inform me in due course of the action you have been able to take.

F. H. Mc Cleary
Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

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COPY.

CITY OF LEGHORN.

The situation in the City is particularly grave in view also of the presence of many Allied Forces; their operative exigencies have, up to now, prevented, with a few exceptions, the revival of civilian activities in the harbour area as well as in the industrial zone.

In particular:

the complete exclusion from the port of all civilian traffic hinders all commercial revival, and, compelling the crafts to use Piombino and the unprotected quays of Vada, keeps inactive a large category of firms previously connected with the movement of the harbour, dislocates the natural channels of traffic and aggravates transport difficulties.

the complete requisition of the industrial zone hinders the beginning of the work of reconditioning the factories which could provide occupation to at least part of the 15,000 workers now engaged by the Allies; these workers, with the gradual departure of the Forces will swell the number of the already totally unemployed (3,000). If such readscription does not take place, the next few months could bring about unemployment to 18,000 workers on an actual population of about 100,000 people.

Among the measures to be taken with utmost urgency, the following are indicated:

1. Return to civilian traffic of part of the port; for instance Porto Vecchio (Mediceo) there would remain at the disposal of the Allied Forces the new and very extensive industrial port;

2. The derequisition of some industrial factories and in particular:

"Gemeasca" (Refrigerators for the preservation of foodstuffs)
 Vetreria Italiana Balaschotti e Modigliani
 "S.I.C.I." (electrical cables).
 Richard (Imola) (Ingal's) (Ingal's)
 Regli di G. Marchi (sulphuric acid and fertilizers)
 Materiali Refrattari
 Litopone (Litopone and salts of barium)
 "Moto Risc" (compressors and agricultural machines, not yet in the stage of production)
 F. Torraldi & C.
 Pivari H. Meyer } preserved food.

The above restricted list includes only firms chosen among those which:

are connected with the fundamental necessities of food supply and of reconstruction; have financial capacity and an industrial potential of their own; are located on the perimeter of the industrial zone and therefore accessible without interference with the protection belt of 10th Allied Port.

It is to be noted also that, as the reconditioning of such industries is subordinated to the execution of long works connected with the reconstruction of the huge war damages, no immediate requirement of raw materials and of transport is expected to be needed, with the exception of building materials.

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September 45.

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REGIONAL COMMISSIONER LIGURIA REGION

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26 September 45

PRIORITY

RESTRICTED PD

SUBJECT IS LT COL NICKOL'S SPEECH LA SPEZIA ON NINE SEPTEMBER PD

LETTER THREE SIX THREE SIX SLANT RC DESPATCHED TWO FOUR SEPTEMBER REVERE PD

PARER TO LIGURIA REGION FOR REGIONAL COMMISSIONER FROM HQ ALCON CITE ACHKE

PARER

MATTER TOO URGENT TO AWAIT POSTAL CHANNELS PD PLEASE SIGNAL ADEQUATE PRECIS
OF SPEECH PD

Office of Executive Commissioner

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Lt. Col.
C.S.O.

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Ref: 2221/113/80

25 September 1945

MEMORANDUM TO: The Ministry for Foreign Affairs

SUBJECT: Arrest by the Yugoslav Authorities of the
personnel of the Quarters of PiusaReference memorandum 6/3282/1494 of 17 September
1945.It would be appreciated if further information
regarding the political background of the "Agents of Subversion"
concerned could be supplied.

13 C. B. ... PROCEE. CAPT. I.C.

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Ref: 28 6/72

25 September 1945

SUBJECT: Elections

TO : Civil Affairs Section

Copy of Chief Commissioner's Memorandum CC 204 dated 25 September 45 and enclosure from the Advisory Council for Italy (dated 24 September 45) are forwarded for appropriate and immediate action.

13 C. D. B. W. COOKE C. D. B. W. C.

✓ Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

2 Incls:
as above

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AND LIVING ZONE

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25 SEPTEMBER 45

ROUTINE

RESTRICTED PD

FORWARD TO OUR THREE SIX SEVEN FIVE OF ONE FOUR AUGUST ONE PLEASE CONVEY ^{To} RECTOR
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SIENNA FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDERS MOST SINCERE REGRETS THAT HE
WILL NOT NOW BE ABLE TO VISIT SIENNA BEFORE HE LEAVES THE THEATRE ^{PD} AND CONVEY TO
THE RECTOR THE FIELD MARSHALS APPRECIATION OF THE HONOR CONFERRED UPON HIM AND
HIS GRATITUDE FOR THE KINDNESS OF THE PEOPLE OF SIENNA WHILE HE LIVED THERE LAST
SUMMER PD

FORWARD TO AND LIVING ZONE FROM HQ ALONG WITH AGEXC PAREN

Executive Commissioner

SJ D. L. G. W. L. N.

v. c. A.

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SECRET

Ref: 585/191/EC.

25 September 45.

SUBJECT: Bolzano Province.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Venetia Region.

1. Reference your EXII/450.13 dated 23 September 45, enclosing a letter from the Provincial Commissioner regarding the situation in Bolzano.
2. Will you please consult with CG, PSC with regard to the possible movement of troops and inform this HQ of the result of your consultations.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: CG, PSC.

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SECRET

Ref: 985/19200.

25 September 45.

SUBJECT: BOLIVIAN PROVINCES.

TO : C-5 Section,
AMR.

I enclose copy of a letter received from the Regional Commissioner,
Venezia. I have instructed him to consult CG, PIS on this matter.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commission.

Incl.

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SEP 28 1945

24 September 1945

Ref: 991/147/RC

SUBJECT: Signals for Foreign Embassies and Legations

TO : Headquarters Signal Officer

1. It has been brought to my attention that envelopes which contain incoming cables from other signal agencies and are addressed to foreign embassies and legations care of this Headquarters are being opened on receipt in the Signal Message Centre.

2. The contents of many of these cables is of a diplomatic nature and the practice of opening the covering envelopes is proving to be a source of embarrassment to the Commission, resulting -- as it does -- in the necessity to apologise for the envelopes having been opened.

3. In future, therefore, such envelopes will not be opened in the Signal Message Centre but passed direct to the Hq AC Message Centre for delivery to the addressee.

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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ARM/sem

Ref: 572/121/10

21 September 1945

SUBJECT: Questions Submitted by the French Representative to A.C.

TO : Army Sub-Commission

1. Reference is made to your letter 15 September 1945 regarding the above subject.
2. Your comments have been noted and particularly your statement that the French Representative on A.C. should be requested to submit the questions direct to the Representatives of the Italian Government.
3. Originally, the French Representative on A.C. requested a meeting in the Allied Commission at which time these questions could be presented but Polaris have advised against such a meeting and suggested that the questions be communicated in writing and submitted to the appropriate sub-commission, to be answered as fully as possible.
4. In view of the foregoing, the French Representative on A.C. was requested to submit these questions and was told answers would be provided. Inasmuch as none of these questions can be answered only by the Allied Commission, it would, therefore, be appreciated if you would provide the answers in accordance with our original request of 15 September.
5. Enclosed are the questions submitted by French Representative on A.C.

15/10/45
Chief Staff Officer
to Executive Committee

1 Enc: List of questions

[Handwritten signature]

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Ref: 2218/101/EC

20 September 1945

MEMORANDUM TO: Ministry for Foreign Affairs

SUBJECT: Italian Mission in Albania

The Ministry for Foreign Affairs Memorandum 6/3963/1593
of 13 September 1945 on the above subject has been received.

It has been forwarded to Allied Force Headquarters for
their consideration.

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MINISTRY

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Ref: 4755/236/30

18 September 1945

SUBJECT: Requisitioning

TO: Signor Cesare Ricciardi

1. The receipt is acknowledged of your letter of 14 September 45 regarding the requisition of your villa at Rotoli.

2. I am directed to inform you that this requisitioning is not a matter for the Allied Commission but for the local Military Commander. In this case the General Commanding, No. 3 District.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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SCAO, VENEZIA GIULIA

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13 SEPTEMBER 45

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YOUR EIGHT SEANT THREE FIVE ZERO OF THREE ZERO AUGUST REVERED PD

1 ARON TO SCAO VENEZIA GIULIA FROM R. ALCON CITA AGNEX PAREM

PLEASE EXPEDITE LETTER MENTIONED IN LAST PARAGRAPH OF THAT CASE PD

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Exec. Order

SLY

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Ref: 2221/W

18 September 1945

SUBJECT: Italians deported from Venezia Giulia by the Yugoslavs

TO : PolAd (A)
PolAd (B)

1. Enclosed please find copy of a memorandum 6/3340/1590 of 14 September 1945 from the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, concerning the arrest of Dr. Giuseppe Araldo by the Yugoslavs.

2. Would you please pass this to your Embassy in order that the matter may be taken up through diplomatic channels.

1 Incl:
as above

✓
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 2221/EC

14 September 1945

SUBJECT: Deportees

TO : CGAO Venezia Giulia

1. With reference to your 13C/AMB/VGL/6 dated 11 September 1945 regarding Enrico GIANNINI.

2. The lists referred to are now in the hands of the Embassy who are sending them to the Embassy in Belgrade for representation to the Yugoslav Government. It will be appreciated that it will take some time to reach the stage of individual cases.

R. W. KEMSLY

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

SECRET

Ref: 585/EO

17 September 1945

SUBJECT: Reich Germans in Bolzano Province

TO : Regional Commissioner, Venetia Region

1. Enclosed please find copy of letter G-5: 091.112-75 dated 12 September 1945 from AFH on the above subject.

2. Your appreciation of this situation would be appreciated as early as possible, and I am directed to draw your attention particularly to paragraph 3.

R. W. K. GLEY

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner1 Incl:
as above

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SEP 17 1945

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Ref: 5829/14/EC

13 September 1945

SUBJECT: Recovery of Italian Army Vehicles and Property

TO : VP, Economic Section

I am directed by the Executive Commissioner to forward the attached Memorandum from Land Forces Subcommittee to the Chief Commissioner 2/5/10 dated 12 September 45, subject as above, for immediate action.

P. R. RUSSELL

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

1 Incl:
as above

Copy to: Land Forces S/c (NIA)

*Only copy of file
was sent to Com. Sec.*

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Ref: 3620/177/SC.

13 Sept. 45.

Subject: Security Vetting of Newspapers.

To: P.R.O.

It would be of great assistance to the Public Safety S/C if you would be good enough to draw their attention to any reports appearing in the Press on disturbances etc. which are either political, affect Allied interests, or are on a relatively important scale. Public Safety S/C does not have enough staff efficiently to vet newspapers from a security angle and, since you already receive copies and go thoroughly through them, it is felt that this should not entail much extra work.

Could you therefore please take the necessary action to keep Public Safety S/C informed on the above matter.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to:- CSO, Civil Affairs Section.

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SEP 12 1945

Ref: 2215/70/EC

13 September 1945

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italians from the United States

TO : Civil Affairs Section

May we be informed please what action has been taken on letters
15 Cab. of 28 August 1945 and 25 Cab. of 31 August 1945 from Prime Minister
Menni on the above subject.

R. W. KEMSLEY

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 605/46/30

13 September 1945

SUBJECT: Treatment of Italians in Venezia Giulia

TO : The Ministry for Foreign Affairs

1. The Ministry for Foreign Affairs' Memorandum 6/3028/1409 dated 28 August 1945 and enclosed report are acknowledged with thanks.

2. It would be much appreciated if the Allied Commission could be supplied with two further copies of the report.

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R. W. KEMSLEY

CC FILES

Ref: 413/EC

13 September 1945

SUBJECT: Blankets in Biella Factory, Vercelli

TO : VP, Economic Section

I am directed to forward the enclosed letter 9/12/1 dated 13 September 45 and accompanying papers from Land Forces Subcommittee to the Chief Commissioner for early report.

P. R. RUSSELL

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

1 Incl:
as above

Copy to: Land Forces S/c

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SEP 13 1945

Ref: 522/133.

12 September 1945.

SUBJECT: UDINE Province.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Venezia Region.

1. I refer to your report dated 25 July 45 and enclose copy of instructions addressed to Colonel Cripps.
2. I shall be glad if you will supplement your report with special reference to point 1 with relation to UDINE.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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12 September 1945

Ref: 3609/170/EC

SUBJECT: Discipline -- Allied Troops
TO : Headquarters, No. 1 District

An early reply would be appreciated to our 3609/139/EC dated
27 August 1945 on the above subject.

For the Chief Commissioner:

R. W. KENSLEY
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 5016/194/20.

11 Sept. 48.

Subject: Routing of Correspondence.

To: AG Liaison Officer,
PALERMO.

I am directed by the Executive Commissioner to instruct you to approach the Naval authorities at Palermo and ask them to address all correspondence to this HQ through your office. We have lately received a signal dated 6 Sept. from COMNAVNAV (OP3) NOR Palermo addressed direct to Allied Commission through Rome Area Allied Command.

E. TALBOT

CSO

To Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 522/20.

11 September 1945.

SUBJECT: Venecia Giulia.

TO : Colonel Souder,
Communications Sub-Commission.

1. I attach a letter addressed to Colonel Griggs in Oriente directing him to furnish a report on Venecia Giulia. The Chief Commissioner requests that Brigadier Anderson and you should furnish the report as set out on points iii, v and vi.

2. I should be glad if you would communicate by telegram to Colonel Griggs if you require any information from him.

W. S. LUSH
A. B. Anderson
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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SIR 12 REC

Ref: 5815/195/20

11 September 1945

SUBJECT: Derequisition of Vehicle

TO : British Legation to the Holy See

1. Reference is made to your letter 14/116/45 of 25 August regarding the automobile of Princess Giustiniani-Mandini.

2. Before any action can be taken, it would be appreciated if you could inform this office complete details as to what Allied authorities have requisitioned the vehicle and any other information that would help to identify or locate it.

For The Chief Commissioner:

A. B. BRIGADIER
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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SEP 12 1968

11 September 45

TO : The Ministry for Foreign Affairs

2. It is requested that the Ministry for Foreign Affairs should, if possible, give further details of the activities of the agencies listed and a recommendation as to the action to be taken in each case.

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Tel: 735

10 September 1945.

Ref: 522/EC.

SUBJECT: Message from Venezia Giulia Writers' Union.

TO : SCAG, Venezia Giulia.

I am directed to refer to a signal received from Trieste on 6 Sep 45 containing a message from the Venezia Giulia Writers' Union, and to request you to inform the President of the Union that this has been forwarded to ASH.

E. TALBOT

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

Ext 451

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REF ID: A60

Ref: 5012/67/RE

8 September 1945

SUBJECT: Survey of Italian Warlike Stores

TO : Navy Subcommittee
Land Forces Subcommittee (WHIA)
Air Forces Subcommittee

1. Reference is made to ~~your~~ letter HSC/3370, 23 August, regarding the above subject.
2. It has been suggested by the Economic Section that the meeting proposed to discuss this matter before appointing the board proposed by you be postponed until Brigadier Anderson returns from his trip Perth. He is expected back the early part of next week. This has been concurred in by the Executive Commissioner, and you will be notified the date on which the meeting is to be held.

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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CONFIDENTIAL

Ref: 2220/71/88.

8 Sept 1945.

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Soviet Citizens.

TO : G1 Section
(For Displaced Persons S/O).

Herewith for your information and to complete your file on this subject to date, please find:

- (a) Copy of Minute 9 of SACARD's Conference (4th Meeting) held on 24.Aug.45 at which Paper No. SAC (45) 12 was discussed, copy of which was forwarded you by this office on 31.Aug.45.
- (b) Copy of Paper No. SAC (45) 17 dated 30.Aug.45.

D. W. KEMSLEY

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Lt. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer,
to the Executive Commissioner.

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AND VIRGINIA GILLIA

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PRIORITY

RECEIVED

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED FROM THE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION ON NOVEMBER 8, 1968
THAT THE ABOVE NAMED PERSONS ARE CURRENTLY IN THE
CITY OF NEW YORK AND ARE BEING MONITORED BY THE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.

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EXECUTIVE COMMISSION
R. W. KEMBLEY

TOP

SECRET

Tel: 735

8 September 1945.

Ref: 2211/EG.

SUBJECT: Yugoslav Nationals in Italy.

TO : Navy Sub-Commission.

It is requested that you will investigate the points raised in the attached letter C-5: 250.1-5 dated 6 September 1945, from AFHQ, and draft a reply for the signature of the Chief Commissioner.

M. PROBY

Chief Staff Officer,
Executive Commissioners

Incl:
as above

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Ext 451

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Ref: 9006/109/20

7 September 1945

SUBJECT: Italian Air Force Depot -- Novara

TO : Regional Commissioner, Piemonte Region

1. Enclosed is a memorandum from the Air Forces Subcommittee ref. AFSC/655/3/20 of 4 September, addressed to Executive Commissioner, with reference to Italian Air Force Depot at Novara.

2. Particular attention is drawn to paragraphs 4, 5, and 6 and it would be appreciated if this office could be advised of your views and supplied with a report regarding this matter. As this is urgent, an early reply would be appreciated.

1 Incl:
as above

A. E. ARNOLDY.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Air Forces S/o

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C O P Y

From: Air Forces Subcommittee
Allied Commission, Rome

To : Executive Commissioner
Headquarters, Allied Commission

Date: 4th September 1945

Ref : AFSC/655/3/BQ

ITALIAN AIR FORCE DEPOT - NOVARA

1. The Italian Air Ministry has reported to this Subcommittee the circumstances of a dispute which has arisen between that Ministry and a civilian firm C.A.N.S.A. over the possession of machinery, aero-engines and spares in the former I.A.F. Engine Depot at NOVARA near MILAN.
2. It appears that during the period of the German occupation the C.A.N.S.A. firm of CANERI was engaged on engine overhauls and salvage of engine parts for the Germans and had been authorized by the latter to occupy the premises of the former 5th Central Engine Depot of the Italian Air Force at NOVARA and to take over all machinery, engines and accessories therein. It is further stated, and admitted by C.A.N.S.A., that a considerable part of the machinery and spares were subsequently dispersed by C.A.N.S.A. supposedly to prevent their requisition by the Germans.
3. Upon the liberation of Northern Italy title to captured material of Italian Military origin passed to Italian Military authorities under the terms of AFHQ directive AG 386.3/163 LOC-3 dated 22 Jun 45 para 9c and Headquarters NAAF authorized this Subcommittee to take over ex-Italian Air Force material for subsequent release, at our discretion, to the Italian Air Ministry for maintenance of ground troops and authorized flying programmes. Title to ex-Italian Air Force premises is claimed under the provisions of AAI Circular 2030/12/Q2 dated 1st July 44, which is still in force, and this Subcommittee was authorized by AFHQ to post notices on such premises reserving them on behalf of the I.A.F. in accordance with that circular.
4. Despite the specific authorities quoted in the preceding paragraph the Italian Air Ministry states that AMG NOVARA has confirmed the C.A.N.S.A. firm's right to occupation of the premises of the 5th Central Engine Depot and has also confirmed the firm's right to retain possession of machinery, material and spares taken over during the German occupation. The authorities for this are quoted as being AMG NOVARA instructions No. 4 and No. 33 of 3rd Mar. 1945.
5. It is the view of this Subcommittee that, if the Italian Air Ministry's statement is correct, AMG NOVARA acted improperly in authorizing the C.A.N.S.A. firm to remain in occupation of I.A.F. premises without reference to this Subcommittee and further that they exceeded their authority in disposing of material which is undoubtedly captured enemy war material within the meaning of the AFHQ directive referred to at para 3 above.
6. If this view is concurred in it is requested that instructions may be issued to the C.A.N.S.A. firm through AMG NOVARA that

- a) The Italian Air Ministry's right to possession of their former premises and ex-IAF material therein is to be acknowledged and that arrangements are to be made for vacation of the premises. The Italian Air Ministry has, however, signified its willingness to permit C.A.N.S.A. to remain in occupation of part of these premises until completion of various work at present in hand. It is thought that details of dates of moves could be settled by mutual agreement between the I.A.M. and C.A.N.S.A.
- b) Material and machinery dispersed by the firm during their period of occupation is immediately to be restored and a satisfactory account given of major discrepancies.

7. Your views on the matter would be appreciated.

/s/ A. H. Knowles
/t/ A. H. KNOWLES
Wing Commander
For Air Vice Marshal
Air Officer Commanding

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Tel: 735

Ref: 2221/89/EC.

7 September 1945.

SUBJECT: Italians deported from Venezia Giulia
By Yugoslavs.

TO : Political Adviser (A).

1. As requested verbally, enclosed please find lists Nos. 4 to 11 of the names of Italians deported from Venezia Giulia by the Yugoslavs.
2. I understand that these lists will be returned as soon as you have finished with them in order that they may be sent officially to the U.S. Embassy by the Chief Commissioner.

For the Chief Commissioner:

R. W. KEMSLEY

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
as above

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Ref: 1/AB.

Tel: 470603

7 September 1945.

SUBJECT: Disposal of Records.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
C-5 Section.

I am directed to refer to this in letter 1/AB dated
13 August 1945, and to enquire whether a reply in this matter
has yet been received from Washington and London.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier
Executive Commissioner
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Copy to: Archives Branch.

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cc

Tel: 478603

Ref: 605/32/20.

7 September 1945.

SUBJECT: Italian and Yugoslav Relations.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: C-5 Section.

I am directed to refer to this HQ signal 4397 dated
28 August 1945 and to enquire whether an answer can yet be
given.

For the Chief Commissioner:

E. TABBOT

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E. TABBOT
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

SEP 5 1945

C.C.

Ref: 6756/95/EC.

5 September 1945.

SUBJECT: Return of Communications to Civil Use in TRAIN.

TO : Communications Sub-Commission.

1. The attached extracts from the Minutes of SACREB's Conferences at which the above subject was discussed, are forwarded for your information:

Minute No. 2 of SACREB's 1st Meeting of 9. Aug. 45.

Minute No. 2 of SACREB's 2nd Meeting of 29. Aug. 45.

2. You will be kept informed of any further developments in this matter.

E. TARDIFF

Lt. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer,
to the Executive Commissioner.

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Ext 451

ABA/el

Ref: 4605/96/EO

5 September 1945

SUBJECT: Cleaning and Maintenance Expenses

TO : Regional Commissioner, Lombardia Region

Reference is made to our letter 4605/95/EO of 20 August regarding above subject. It would be appreciated if you would inform us when the requested breakdown of the monthly charge referred to in our letter 4605/80/EO can be expected.

A. B. Arnoldy

Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

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SECRET

Tel: 735

5 September 1945.

Ref: 3536/EO.

SUBJECT: Political Situation - Novara Province.

TO : Political Adviser (B).

The attached copy of memorandum No. PR/NO/58 dated 28 Aug 45, on the above subject, received from the Provincial Commissioner Novara Province, is forwarded as requested.

R. W. K. [Signature]
Chief Staff Officer,
to Executive Commissioner.
S50

Encl:
as above

Copy to: Polad (A)

Ref: 997/171/21.

3 September 45

With reference to your letter 30/96/45 of 31 July and
further to ref 997/152/23 of 4 August 1945, all efforts on the
part of my Liaison Officer at Bologna to trace Countess Manzoni
Anselmi and her three sons have met with no success.

I am sorry I have been unable to be of any assistance
in this matter.

M. S. LUSH

Sir D'Arcy Osborne, K.C.B.,
British Legation to the Holy See,
12 Via del Parlamento,
Rome.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

SEP 4 1955

Ref: 7003/10./10.

4 September 1955.

SUBJECT: Leave.

TO : Air Officer Commanding,
Air Forces Sub-Commission.

I refer to your letter AFSC/210/P2 of 31st
August 1955.

Your proposal to take seven days leave during
your tour of the North from 4-17th September is approved
by the Chief Commissioner. It is noted that Brigadier-
General Lee will be in charge of the Air Forces Sub-Commission
during your absence.

(Sgt) M S Lister

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

/R.

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Tel : 473603

Ref: 602/13/20.

3 September 45

SUBJECT: Croat undesirables in Italy.

TO : G-5 A.F.H.O.

Reference your letter 333.7-2 of 2 August 45 I should be grateful if you would let me know what action you have been able to take in this matter.

For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Executive Commissioner.

[Handwritten mark]

602/13/20
333.7-2

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/AND No. 785815

Tel : 478603

3 September 45

Ref: 602/13/45.

SUBJECT: Great undesirables in Italy.

TO : G-5 A.F.B.O.

Reference your letter 393.7-2 of 2 August 45 I should be grateful if you would let me know what action you have been able to take in this matter.

For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 7002/EC.

1 Sept 45.

Subject: Proposed Directive to AG Liaison Officers.

To: Lieut.Col. T.W.J. Walters,
Liaison Office,
BOLOGNA.

I enclose a copy of a directive which it is proposed to give to AG Liaison Officers when it is planned to leave in the north after the handback of territory to the Italian Govt. I will be very grateful if you will show this to Brigadier Tennant and forward this W/ any comments he may make.

I would be obliged if you could treat this matter as one of some urgency.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Encl.

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Ext 451

SF 2 aha/el

Ref: 604/23/45

1 September 1945

SUBJECT: Atrocities

TO : WBA, G-2 Section

1. Under cover of our letter 604/22/45 of 16 August 45 we enclosed a translated copy of a letter received from the Italian Ministry for Foreign Affairs with reference to reports of the finding of bodies in the "foibe" of Sauris, supposedly thrown there by the Slavs.

2. It would be appreciated if we could have a reply to this letter with particular reference to paragraph 3.

For the Chief Commissioner:

A. B. ARSOLOV.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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6-21-45

Ext 151

ABA/el

Ref: 5016/145/30

1 September 1945

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Economic Section

1. The Executive Commissioner was in the course of sending a copy of Production Division's Memorandum ES/15.12 dated 24 August 1945 to the U.S. Ambassador in response to his letter of 14 August 1945 when a letter dated 28 August 45 was received from the Ambassador enclosing a further report on the Sardinian coal mines prepared by Colonel Green, copies attached.

2. An interim acknowledgment has been dispatched.

3. Will you please cause this report to be studied and thereafter submit on your file with comments and a draft detailed reply to the Ambassador's two letters of 14 and 28 August 1945.

4 Incls:
as above

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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~~SECRET~~

Ref: FYA/CS/10.

1 September 1949.

SUBJECT: Directive for the Bureau Sub-Commission,
United Commission.

TO: H.A.P.A. Washington Army, C.M.C.,
Washington, D.C.
INFO:

1. I am enclosing Copy No. 6 of A.P.M.C. letter # 334/144
dated 28 August 1949, subject as above, for your information.
2. A copy has been sent to the Bureau Library on request.

Chief Staff Officer,
to the Executive Commission.

Info: As above.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785615

Ref: 610/EC.

1 Sept 45.

Subject: Formation of Liaison Groups.

To: Establishment Section.

The Liaison Officer in Bologna has reported that, when the Region was handed over to the Italian Government and the Liaison Group formed, some difficulty was experienced owing to the re-assignment of personnel, particularly by G-1(A) without consideration to the needs of the Group. In future as soon as it is known that a Region is being handed over and a Liaison Group formed the WE/TO of the latter should be set up and G-1(A) and G-1(B) informed.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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cc

Tel: 735

Ref: 6512/58/50.

28 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Publications in Stars and Stripes.

TO : Public Relations Branch.

1. I am directed to pass you the attached copy of letter 16097/40 dated 23 August 1945 from the Ministry for Foreign Affairs and to request that you will comment thereon and draft a reply on your files for the signature of the Chief Commissioner.

2. You will recollect that a similar allegation was made by the Ministry for Foreign Affairs in their letter 15/04624/12 dated 6 April 45, which was passed to you for action.

A. P. R.
 Sen. Encl

↓ Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Incl:
as above

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Translation

State Department

D.C.A. F. Off. IV

16837/10

Rome, 23 August 1945

Dear Admiral,

the daily paper "THE STARS AND STRIPES" again published on July 18th an article under the title "American Couriers Restore Mail Link for Trieste Slavs", mentioning "Yugoslavs" enlisted for "compulsory work" in the Italian army, ever since the beginning of the war, that had been "abandoned" in Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica, when these territories fell in the hands of the Allied troops.

I take the liberty of drawing your attention on this article whose style - like that of the article I mentioned in my letter n. 12 of April 6th - seems to have been inspired by motives of anti-Italian propaganda.

Believe me, my dear Admiral,

Yours truly,

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S. R. Prasse

Admiral Eliery W. Stone
Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
Rome

trans. c/o

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 783015

cc

Tel : 735

Ref: 262/477/30.

28 August 1945

SUBJECT: Release - British Officers.

TO : Establishment Section (2)
Economic Section (2)

Your comments are requested on the attached copy of letter
No. 4568 dated 24 August 1945 from the Minister of Industry and
Commerce.

M. Picby *Sen Cond*
↓
Chief Staff Officer,
No Executive Commission.

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IL MINISTRO PER L'INDUSTRIA IL COMMERCIO

ROME. 24 August 1945.

Prot. 1508

My dear Admiral,

I note that the demobilization plan for British and American officers of the Allied Commission are proceeding and that officers who have served in Italy are now being released and are returning home.

Some of these officers have worked for many months on industrial rehabilitation of Italy. For instance, Lt. Colonel W.J. Mackey, who had long industrial experience in Italy previous to the war, has worked with my Ministry ever since my appointment; his work with the N.I.I.C. (North Italy Industrial Council) has only just commenced but has already proved most useful.

My attention is drawn upon Lt. Col. Mackey's position also because I have been advised that Col. Mackey will not return to England in two or three weeks.

Whilst I cannot presume to wish to influence established procedure, I would ask whether it would not be possible to retain for some further period in an advisory capacity officers whose service has proved valuable in rehabilitation of Italian industry and commerce. The Italian Government shares my views.

Yours sincerely,

(sig) GIACCHI.

Rear Admiral Ellory W. Stone,
Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission,
ROME.

Ext 451

ABA/al

Ref: 2619/40/EC

28 August 1945

SUBJECT: Legislation in Venezia Giulia

TO : AGAO, Venezia Giulia

1. Reference is made to our letter AG/4138/1/L of 4 August 1945 concerning our Directive AG/4138/1/L dated 3 July 1945.

2. It was requested that a report be submitted giving details of the progress made in implementing instructions contained in this directive. To date your reply has not yet been received, and it would be appreciated if this report is sent as soon as possible.

A. B. [Signature]

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

cc

Tel: 735

Ref: 2217/98/50.

28 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Furniture at No. 10 Corso Trieste.

TO : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission.

1. The attached receipt for furniture is passed to you for action in connection with para 2 (b) of the Chief Commissioner's letter 2217/87/50 dated 15 August 45.
2. You are requested to keep the Executive Commissioner's office informed further development in this matter.

A. Proby
Sen Pond

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Incl:
as above

Copy to: C.A. Section

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Tel : 478603

Ref: 3604/220/33.

28 August 45

SUBJECT: Persecution of Clergy in
the Diocese of ACQUI.

TO : Regional Commissioner, PIEMONTE Region.
(Att: Regional Public Safety Officer).

1. With reference to our letter No. 3604/6/33 dated 31 July 1945 enclosing a report by the Bishop of ACQUI on the above subject.
2. It would be appreciated if you would reply as soon as possible in order that we may inform the Vatican of the action taken.

R. W. KENSLEY

✓ Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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26 AUG 1955

Ref: 3602/139/EC.

27 August 1955.

SUBJECT: Discipline - Allied Troops.

TO : Mr No. 1 District.

1. Attached is copy of a report by the Prefect of Perugia on the behaviour of the Allied troops stationed in Perugia Province, together with copy of a covering letter from Prime Minister Parli.
2. Would you please inform this Headquarters of the action taken in order that a suitable reply may be made to the Prime Minister.

P. Kennedy
for Brigadier
Deputy Commissioner.

Copy to: Chief Commissioner
Civil Affairs Section

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Translation.

COPY

The President of the Council of Ministers,
Minister of the Interior.

n. 34204

Rome. 20 August 1945.

Dear Admiral,

I have lately received from the Prefect of Perugia a signal about accidents between New Zealand soldiers and the civilian population in this Province.

I hasten to forward a copy of this signal for your information.

I remain,

Yours truly,

B. Ferruccio Parrini.

Admiral Ellery W. Stone
Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
Rome

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Translation.

CONF

R. PREFECTURE OF PERUGIA.

Perugia. 10.8.45.

P.S. Division n. 101027

SUBJECT: Incidents between Neo-Gelundese Soldiers and the civilian population.

TO : Interior Department - Cab.
" " Dir. Gen. of P.S.
Rome.

The Neo-Gelundese soldiers now stationed in this Province often cause incidents with the civilian population; this brings about real trouble.

On the 6th of the current month, in the centre of this town, incidents of this kind took place. There might be more serious consequences if they occurred again.

Some bartenders of this city have even been obliged to keep their saloons closed to avoid their being damaged.

Unfavourable comments are publicly made about such incidents.

The local Allied Military Command has been informed to enable it to exercise the necessary surveillance and take action against such inconveniences.

THE PREFECT

n. PERUG.

Trans. c/o.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/RND No. 785015

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Ref: 212/200/20.

27 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Time Off Duty for Exercise and Recreation.

TO : O.C., Hq Company, 2675th Regt.
O.C., British Detachment, Hq AG.

Reference Establishment Memorandum No. 13 dated 25 August 45.

In order to cause the minimum interruption of Message Centre functions the continued operation by Message Centre of a day off schedule based on 212/194/20 dated 9 August 45 is approved.

A. Fishy
✓ Ser. Col.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Establishment Section.
Hq Commandant.
Adjutant.

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Ref: 473603

Ref: 303/89/10.

27 August 1945.

SUBJECT: U.S. Consulate.

TO : Regional Commissioners,
LIGURIA Region.
LIGURIA Region.

Information has been received that Mr. Lester L. SCHWAB
and Mr. H. Coit MARRAS have proceeded to GENOA and MILAN respec-
tively for the purpose of reopening the U.S. Consulate General
in those places.

H. P. Sch
Sec. Gen.
Regidor,
Executive Commission.

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Copy to: C. A. Sec

cc

Incl: 735

25 August 1945.

Ref: 7007/411/20.

SUBJECT: Appointment of Deputy Director, Transportation S/C.

TO : Establishment Section (Attn: C-1 (B)).

1. Reference the attached copy of Memorandum from the Chief Commissioner dated 24 Aug 45.
2. Please take necessary action for the posting of Colonel P.D.G. BUCHANAN to the Allied Commission to fill the appointment of Deputy Director Transportation Sub-Commission and subsequently promulgate his appointment in Executive Orders.

M. Pasby
SentChief Staff Officer
To Executive Commission

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Incl:
as above

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Ref: 1150

Tel: 451.

25 August 1945.

Ref: 1047/1/20.

SUBJECT: Mineral Refinery.

TO : VP, Economic Section.

1. Enclosed is a copy of a letter RHM/344.10 dated 11 August 45 from Mr. Vorekic Region and copy of a memorandum sent to him by Mr. Kojicinski dated 7 August 45 regarding the mineral refinery in Plano.
2. In connection with this matter is attached also copy of my minute dated 23 August 45 to the Executive Commissioner, who now directs that your Section take whatever action you deem necessary in this matter.
3. It would be appreciated if you would inform this office of any action taken.

A. B. ARNOLDY.
Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

Encls: as stated.

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HEADQUARTERS
VIETNAM REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

11 August 1945

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
Executive Commission

SUBJECT : Mineral Refinery.

FILE NO. : RMH/341.43

1. I attach herewith a copy of a pressoria handed to me by Dott. Micheli, with a free translation.
2. I am sending this to you rather than directly to the Economic Section because it seems to me that this has an importance over and above the pure question of trade.
3. The matter was first brought to my notice by Mr. Matter, the Prefect of Vercelli, who felt that such an approach, made with the tacit approval if not with the actual encouragement of the Yugoslav authorities of Plze, might open the way to a more realistic and reasonable approach on both sides.
4. I submit the matter for your consideration in this light.

(signed) JOHN E. DUNLOP.

Regional Commissioner.

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COPY.

RAFFINERIA DI OLII MINERALI SOCIETA' PER AZIONI

Veneza. 7 August 1945.

MEMORANDUM

For the Regional Commissioner, A.M.C. Venetia Region, Brigadier J.K. DUNLAP.

50% of the shares of the "Raffineria di Oili Minerali" Societa per Azioni (ROEMA) (Mineral Oil Refineries), situated in Piuma with offices both in Piuma and Venice, is held directly by the Italian Government (Ministry of Finance) and the other 50% by ANIP of which the said Ministry holds 50% of its shares.

Totally the Government parties in the ROEMA, directly or indirectly, with 50% of the shares.

Since the events of Piuma of last April this office, acting according to Rules vested in it by the Board of Administration, has been practically separated from the Piuma Factory.

Indirectly, we were informed that after the liberation, our firm, like other industries of Piuma, was administered by workers and employees representatives, while the civil and political organs had appointed a fiduciary.

A sort of political relaxation presently existing, and other acute technical and economical problems, brought about a partial revision of the managing criterion assumed during the period immediately following the liberation.

During the last few days we have been often visited by Deputies of the Factory Committees, with whom we have examined and discussed the very financing and reconstructing problems of the shareholders' rights (Italian Government), and of the workings and sale of a part of the products.

Therefore, we ask this Command for the permission to renew our relations with the Piuma refinery and to solve any eventual problems.

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From conferences held with the representatives of the "Comitato di fabbrica" it resulted that they could sell at once, through these offices, from existing products, about 300 tons followed by 200 tons monthly of various petroleum products, that are not needed either in the Yugoslav market or in the city of Piuma, but are, on the contrary, needed by the Italian market.

The proceeds of the sale should be used by the shareholders (It. Govt.) to pay working expenses and for partial rebuilding of the Piuma plant.

We have also been asked to send to Piuma, for the present, 40-50 ammonia cylinders, needed to initiate works in a refinery plant (namely that of "separaffination" (separaffinazione) and filtration of mineral oils.

This office of Venice will be accountable for goods' payment, accounts and cylinders and will be answerable to the Allied and Italian authorities.

It will also be necessary for the issuance of a permit to send to Piuma 50/60 qts of foodstuffs (sour-paste, rice, flour, kidney-beans, powder milk, sugar and other goods).

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The truck for transporting both the cylinders and these products will be sent from the Piuma factory.

In the industrial product is necessary for reinitiating a work that will employ one hundred workers, the foodstuffs would be used by the Factory's collective masses, frequented by 700 workers and employees who, due to the present postwar situation are compelled to ask our help. This office formerly supplied a big part of the necessary foodstuffs for workers, employees and their families (about 3,000 persons).

These foodstuffs are paid by our firm, and we ask currently the Allied and Italian authorities to help us in the allotment.

As the America is immediately needed, we beg for an expedient, so that it can inform the Factory of Piuma to send a truck.

At the same time we will also inform our shareholders (It. Govt.) of the request made to us by Piuma factory and to send the necessary money for salaries and wages, amounting to about one million and a half monthly.

It is clear that the question refers to war profit, as arisen from the contract held with the Committee and Factory syndicate deputies, these should be solved by an exchange of products, services and interests.

Therefore, due to the importance of the above question we ask the interference and the consent of the Allied and Italian authorities.

These reasons are not only based on an immediate economic interest, but also on sentiments of civil and human solidarity towards people who for so many years have worked with a firm that may continue to exist and produce, independently from the economic and political agreements of the coming peace treaties.

It would not be a good policy to give up the possibility of resuming our work and to undermine the willingness of the workers of Piuma and which we wish to reciprocate.

The representatives of the Factory Committee assured us their preference with the Authorities of Piuma and the Jugoslav Commands of the town, for the removal of any eventual obstacles and the encouragement for a resumption of relations.

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To: Executive Commissioner.

1. Reference is made to Brigadier Dunlop's letter at folio one and the copy of promemoria by Dr. Sciolini regarding the mineral refinery.

2. It would appear from Brigadier Dunlop's letter that to do what this firm requests might open the way to a more realistic and reasonable approach of similar problems. However, there seem to be several objections which were not brought out by Brigadier Dunlop. These are:-

(1) The firm is in Fiume, which is completely out of Italian Government or AIG territory and is under Yugoslav control. Although the Italian Government, through the Ministry of Finance, may own 50% of the shares directly or indirectly, it cannot exercise any right in a territory not under its or AIG jurisdiction.

(2) The plan that the rehabilitation of this firm would give considerable employment is rather weak, as it is stated in the letter that only about 100 employees would be involved.

3. The approach to the whole problem is made more difficult when Dr. Sciolini states that if this firm were to be put in operation it could produce 200 tons monthly of various petroleum products that are not needed in the Yugoslav market nor in Fiume and therefore could be sent to Italy. It is doubtful whether the Yugoslav Government would permit this, even though they may not need the products.

4. It is requested that 40 or 50 ammonia cylinders be sent to the firm in Fiume, and the question may be raised as to whether it is possible or permissible to export necessary industrial equipment from Italy to rehabilitate a firm in territory wherein it is doubtful that the industry would be operating for the benefit of the Italian economy.

5. Dr. Sciolini also asks for 50 or 60 quintals of foodstuffs to be sent to Fiume for the collective use of the company. Where would this food come from? It seems the responsibility is either that of the Italian Government or of the Allied Forces to supply food in that territory.

6. They also ask for ammonia, which it is said is necessary in restoring the plant. If I recall correctly, there is a considerable shortage of ammonia in Italy, and again there is the question of whether it is permissible or possible to send a product in short supply to a firm in a territory over which we have no control and from which it is doubtful whether the use of the product will benefit Italian economy.

7. In the last paragraph Dr. Sciolini states that representatives of the factory committee assured him that obstacles have been removed with the authorities of Fiume and the Yugoslav command in the town for the resumption of relations. He does not indicate what authorities in Fiume, and it is doubtful whether the Yugoslav Commander on his own responsibility can give the necessary assurances. At that, if it were possible to do this as easily as it appears from Brigadier Dunlop's letter and should steps be taken to do what is asked for by Dr. Sciolini, I believe it would create a precedent and every Italian firm having branches in other territories not under the control of AIG or the Italian Government would flood AIG with similar requests. I therefore suggest this matter be turned down.

A.B.A.

A.B. ARKLEY

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Ext 431

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Ref: 206/99/AC

25 August 1945

MEMORANDUM:

TO : PEO

1. In the report that the Executive Commissioner wrote from Palermo (23 August) there appears in paragraph 6 the following:

"Press Censorship: Col McBrattney raised the important point of press censorship. At the moment he is able, he says, to keep the peace between the papers by applying a fairly rigid censorship. After the turnover this will disappear and he fears that press polemics will create disorder. I told him that I thought we must leave this to the Italian Government but would consider it."

2. This is sent to you for information, and it would be appreciated if the Executive Commissioner could have your comments on this situation

A/Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Tel: 735

25 August 1945.

Ref: 997/163/30.

SUBJECT: Welfare and Whereabouts.

TO, : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission
(for Records Bureau)

Reference is made to your letter of 16 May 45 on the subject of Senator Ettore TOLOMI. The Chief Commissioner is anxious to know whether you have been able to obtain any news of the Senator and if not, if there is any way inquiries as to his welfare and whereabouts could be accelerated.

R. W. KEMSLEY

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

May 1945
Pl. send me
file.

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AUG 25 1945

Tel: 478603

24 August 1945.

Ref: 435/9/EC.

SUBJECT: The Pontifical Seminary of Bologna.

TO : The British Legation to the Holy See.

1. With reference to Sir D'Arcy Osborne's letter 11/39/45 of 11 July 1945 to Brigadier Lush, on the above subject.
2. While Bologna was in AF territory transport was left to the Italian authorities for the movement of refugees from this and other buildings. With the handing over of the region the problem has been placed entirely in Italian hands.
3. It is reported that about 500 people still remain in the building most of whom are reluctant to move.

R. W. RUSSELL

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 454.

24 August 1945.

Ref: 5012/13/12.

SUBJECT: Industrial Council for Northern Italy C.I.A.I.

TO : Economic Section.

1. The original of a letter 50/52 dated 14 August 45 from the Industrial Council for Northern Italy, C.I.A.I., signed by Roberto Trevisani, was sent to your Section for action.

2. It would be appreciated if a copy of your reply to this letter be forwarded to the Executive Commissioner for information.

Chief Staff Officer,
to the Executive Commissioner.

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Received: 5/5/2003

22 August 1985

SUBJECT: French Liaison Officers in GUYANA, ANGOLA, MOZAMBIQUE and ZAMBIA

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Enclosed for your information is a copy of AFM, G-1 Division's letter ref. G-1 Gps/73 of 17 August 45 on the subject of French Liaison Officers in GIN, AGON, VERMILION, and FERN.

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Ext 451

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Ref: 9/27/55/22

22 August 45

SUBJECT: North Appenineas Battlefield Area

TO: Economic Section

1. Reference your 15.01/23 of 15 August regarding the above subject.
2. At the Executive Commissioner's meeting yesterday it was decided that supervision of the project should rest with the Economic Section (Public Works and Utilities Subcommission).

A. B.

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 4755/215/30.

22 August 1945

SUBJECT: Villatta delle Sirene, Senigallia.

TO : Consul General of the Honduras,
Via S. Maria dell'Anima 10, Roma.

Further to this letter 4755/209/30 dated 21 August 45;
information has been received from the Military Commander concerned
that there is no intention of requisitioning more than the one room
in your cottage at once if occupied by military personnel, and that
it is not ordered to quarter German Prisoners of War there.

M.P.

Brigadier,
Executive Commission.

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AUG 23 1945

Ref: 6529/175/33.

21 August 1945

SUBJECT: Maria Roman.

TO : Romanian Secretariat,
L'Union Mondiale des Agences telegraphiques
Privées.
Via della Mercede 12-A - Rome.

1. With reference to your letter of 14 August 45 concerning the internment of Maria Roman, we are able to inform you that the case has already been put forward by the Romanian Legation in Rome.
2. The matter has been submitted to higher authority for investigation and it is hoped that a reply will soon be received.

(Signature) Norman E. Fiske

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Executive Commissioner.

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(Signature)

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Tel: 282

Ref: 150/37/EO.

21 August 1949.

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitreps.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.
Economic Section
Communications Sub-Commission
War Material Disposal & IP Sub-Commission
Navy Sub-Commission
Land Forces Sub-Commission (LFC)
Air Forces Sub-Commission
Public Relations Branch

Routine weekly sitreps will not be submitted in future,
but matters of special interest or importance will be reported to
this office as and when they occur.

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for Chief Staff Officer,
to Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 1605/95/70

20 August 45

SUBJECT: Cleaning and Maintenance Expenses

TO : Regional Commissioner Lombardine Region

1. Reference your 2/0292 dated 11 August 45, and our reply ref. 1605/95/70 11 August 45, authorizing payment to Montecarlo of cleaning and maintenance expenses.

2. For the Chief Commissioner's information, will you please supply as soon as possible an itemized breakdown of the monthly charge referred to in paragraph 1(1) of our letter ref. 1605/95/70.

3. It is particularly desired to know exactly what salaries and maintenance expenses, personnel, etc., are involved in this expense.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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AUG 20 1945

Ref: 949 51/24

16 August 1945

SUBJECT: Air Bombing and Firing Ranges -- Use of Lampedusa

TO: Naval Administration, Allied Commission

1. With reference to your letter NPS/3157 dated 7 August 1945 in which you asked if the Allied Commission would have objection to the use of Lampedusa as a bombing and firing range.

2. Our Civil Affairs Officer on the island has agreed that it would be possible to move the inhabitants from the danger area. We should, however, be opposed to this action being taken, when all hostilities have ceased and the people are striving to resume a normal life.

3. The opinion expressed by Vice Admiral, Malta, in paragraph 4 of his letter -- Malta 3455/SIC/3/5 dated 20 July 1945 addressed to Commander in Chief, Mediterranean, is to be recommended. The sentence reads: "There are however, 80 inhabitants and a cattle farm in this area and these would have to be displaced -- and a very desirable action to have to take in a very small island of such limited resources."

4. We must point out nevertheless, that permission to use the island must come from AFM and not from the Allied Commission.

R. W. KEMSLEY

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Brigadier.

Executive Commander.

Copy to: AFHQ-1-5
CA Section
Pol AG (2)
Pol AG (3)
Telecom AG Liaison Officer

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AME VENEZIA GIULIA

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16 August 45

PRIORITY

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PLEASE POSTPONE WEEKLY MEETING UNTIL MY RETURN

PAREN TO AME VENEZIA GIULIA FROM HQ ALCOM FROM BOWMAN CITE AGENC PAREN

SO THAT GENERAL HANDELIN CAN ATTEND PD

P. W. KENNELSY

Office of Exec Comm

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Ref: 415/7/EC

16 August 45

SUBJECT: Derequisitioning

TO : AN Liaison Officer, Bologna

With reference to our letters 415/3/EC dated 13 July 1945 and 415/6/EC dated 30 July 1945, neither of which has been acknowledged, please reply immediately stating whether the Theology Building in the Seminary at Bologna is still occupied by refugees or if it has been possible to restore it to the students.

R. W. KEMSLEY

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Del: 479201

14 August 45

Ref: 325/783/53.

SUBJECT: Monthly Reports

TO : Liaison Officers,
WISCONSIN
MINNESOTA

Attached are two letters on the subject of Monthly Reports which have been issued for the guidance of Liaison Officers. It is requested that you comply with these instructions in submitting a report for the month of August.

[Signature]
J. C. Brinkley,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 304/198/20.

15 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Conditions in Northern Provinces.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.
(for Public Safety sub-commission).

1. Attached please find copies of a report made by a Captain Benito of his experiences during a visit last week to Northern Italy.
2. The Executive Commissioner wishes you to ask the Regional Commissioners concerned to investigate the alleged conditions and to report any information obtained.

R. W. KENSLEY

Chief Staff Officer,
to the Executive Commissioner.

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In the course of revisiting people who helped us to escape from ITALY to SWITZERLAND after the Italian Armistice in September 1943, I came across the following situation in PIAZZA and the country around PIAZZA, PIACENZA and ALASSANDRIA.

I went to visit an Italian Captain named GAMBINO, who was the interpreter at No. 49 Prison Camp. This captain is at the present connected with I.S.G. and is also connected with the local committee of GAMBINO. He tries to arrange importation of food etc.

The following is a record of the experiences I had with him while he was accompanying us on my trip both to VIGEVANO for the purpose of revisiting people who helped us escape and also for the purpose of arranging the purchase of food from that locality to GAMBINO. I travelled to MILAN with him in his civilian car. There I got Public Relations transport - he led the way and I followed behind. Every 20 or 30 km. Captain GAMBINO was stopped and in some cases he was asked to produce money or hand over his baggage. He did a certain amount of travelling at night, trying to cross the PO on our way back, and owing to the flooded condition of the river between PIACENZA and ALASSANDRIA we went through a lot of back roads and on many occasions GAMBINO was stopped by so-called armed partisan police, who on more than one occasion tried to extract money out of him or asked him to give up his baggage. This was only averted by my presence in uniform.

In PIACENZA I managed to recover 50,000 lire for Captain GAMBINO which was taken away from a lorry belonging to his concern the previous week. At GAMBINO I managed to recover his car from an armed bandit who boasted he had killed 200 people. This said bandit required the car presumably for illegal operations.

At VIGEVANO itself (between PIAZZA and PIACENZA) I found the small farming community had produced 350 suits of plain clothes within twenty-four hours for the British officers who escaped from the camp. They had been working in secret since owing to the fact that some of them had been taken out of their homes and shot because they had let Germans forcibly billeted on them after they had helped us.

I got the distinct impression that all the small communities in that part of ITALY were independent of each other and were run on a kind of gangster basis.

11 August 45.

For further information on this subject apply to Captain GAMBINO, who is employed by I.S.G. His address is

Villa Casino,

GAMBINO, Piacenza.

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AUG 15 1945

Tel : 473201

14 August 1945

Ref: 325/294/23.

SUBJECT: Monthly Reports.

TO : Liaison Officers, SARDINIA Region
(through MIA)

Reference your letter of the 9 August 45 enclosing Monthly Report for July. Attached are two letters on the subject of Monthly Reports which have been issued for the guidance of Liaison Officers. It is requested that you comply with these instructions in submitting a report for the month of August.

MISS TROYAL
Brigade
Executive Commissioner.
[Signature]

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AUG 1 1945

Ref: #615/35/70.

14 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Entertainment Allowance for P.R.O. VENEZIA GIULIA.

TO : Establishment Section.

I am directed to pass to you the attached letter from the S.C.A.C., VENEZIA GIULIA (130/AMG/1/4/20 dated 5 Aug 45) with enclosure, and to request that you will investigate the matter and submit your recommendations to the Executive Commissioner.

Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 6902/23.

August 1945.

Dear

Through the kindness of your staff and at the request of Miss Jewell who visited this staff last, a copy of "Short Political Notes on Western Italy" dated April 1945 has been sent to this office.

These notes are most interesting and I should be very grateful if you would, in future, be kind enough to include this Commission on the distribution list of any similar documents issued by your office.

M. S. LUSH

Philip Bruce Esq.,
Office of British Resident Minister,
Alfred James Mackay Esq.,
C. N. F.

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Copy to: Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff
G-5 Section
ABHQ, C.N.F.

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13 August 1945.

Ref: 6529/175/70.

SUBJECT: Informal Disputes.

TO: G-5, Allied Forces Headquarters.

With reference to your G-5: 091.112-75 dated 4 August 1945, we should be grateful if we may be advised when the Political Advisors, A.F.H.Q., issue their instructions for the disposal of diplomats of satellite states.

For the Chief Commissioner:

R. W. KEMSLEY
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 2604/AD/BA.

11 August 45

SUBJECT: Cantieri Navali del Levante.

TO : M.C., ROMANIA Region.

A letter dated 3 August 45 from the above firm is forwarded herewith for any action you may consider desirable.

M.P.

J. PROBY
Brigadier,
Executive Command.

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Ref: 154/734/30.

11 August 1945

SUBJECT: Sitrep.

TO : 1-5, AFIS.

I am of the opinion that, while the weekly Sitrep entails much staff work, it has, in recent months, served very little purpose.

I recommend that in future only Monthly Reports & Sitreps on situations of special importance or gravity should be sent to you and that routine weekly sitreps should be discontinued. Your instructions are requested.

For the Chief Commissioner :

E. J. LEBOT
✓ Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref/522/80.

11 August 1945

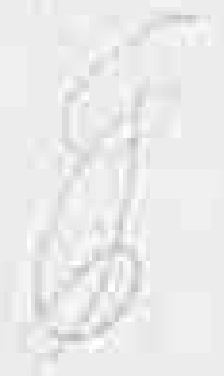
SUBJECT: Report - UDINE Province.

TO : R.C. Venezia Region.

The Executive Commissioner has directed me to thank you for your report on Udine Province dated 25 July 45 which is being carefully considered.


Brigadier, 1st
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

AUG 1 1945

14 August 1945.

Ref/544/95/EC.

SUBJECT: Derequisitioning.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. The Executive Commissioner directs that the Civil Affairs Section should send copies of the following letters to G - 5, A.F.H.Q.:-

- (a) 544/93/EC dated 10 August 1945, addressed to Prime Minister Parri. The draft was prepared by Civil Affairs Section.
- (b) Prime Minister Parri's letter to the Chief Commissioner, number 28107 dated 31 July 1945, to which the letter at(a) was an interim reply.

2. The copies should be forwarded as further to our letter 9/24.1/GA dated 22 July 1945, also addressed to G - 5, A.F.H.Q.

R. W. KEMBLEY
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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AMC C. C.

Ref: BE6/42/10.

11 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Report for July.

TO : AC Liaison Officer,
PARIS.

and Liaison Officer

Reference your Rep/8 dated 31 July 45. Will you please note that the word "PARIS" must always be included in the address of your office.

IN DEBQ

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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C.C.

Ref: 10/ERB

Tel: 478605

10 August 1945.

SUBJECT: "La Terna" Printing Press, BULG.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: G-5 Section

1. With reference to your G-5: CMO. 751 dated 12 July 1945 which stated that the above named Press had been derequisitioned on 5 July 1945.
2. We have today received a further letter which states that the Press is still occupied and used by the same military authorities who knew nothing of a derequisitioning order.
3. As there seems to have been a misunderstanding, would you please make further enquiries and inform us of the results.

For the Chief Commissioner:

R. W. KEMSLEY

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to : ~~Ex. Comm.~~
 Pol. Adv. ~~Ex. Comm.~~
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Ref: 478603

Ref: 305/100/30.

10 August 45

SUBJECT: Release of Hotel Accommodation.

TO : G-5, AFHQ.

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1. With reference to your letter G-5: 336.2 dated 3 August 45 we are awaiting a reply on this subject from the Ital. Ministry of the Interior.

2. Every effort will be made to expedite a reply.

For the Chief Commissioner :

E. TALBOT

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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AUG 11 1945

Tel: 478603

10 August 1945.

Ref: 583/208/PC.

SUBJECT: Liaison Officers.

TO : Representative of the Chief Commissioner, A.C.,
MILAN.

1. I am directed to refer to para 2 of your letter AG/AUN.A.1 dated 23 July addressed to the Regional Commissioner, Liguria Region, and to enquire whether any further information has yet been obtained concerning the agreement with General Boyen.
2. Full particulars, and if possible a copy of this agreement, should be forwarded to this HQ as soon as possible.

M. Pooby
for Sam Bond
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: R.C. Liguria Region.

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Ref: 66/15/21

10 August 1964

SUBJECT: Argentina - Interests.

TO : DIA,
3-2 Section.

Continued interest in Argentine interests since the Italian led
force, including, especially, persons arrested and detained by the Argentine,
and including, in particular,

For the Chief of Section:

E. J. 10001

Signature,
Executive Director.

cc: DIA,
Copy to: DIA, 3-2 Section,
Political Advisor (A)
Political Advisor (B)

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Ref: 602/42/20.

10 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Deportation - Internees.

TO : Political Advisor (A)
Political Advisor (B)

Enclosed herewith are translations of documents received from the Italian Red Cross, Trieste, regarding persons arrested and detained by the Germans, forwarded for your information.

E. TALBOT

Brigadier,
Executive Commission.

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ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

Ref: 603/8/50.

8 Aug. 45.

Subject: Meeting held in Trieste on 21 July 45.

To: AFHQ,
Attn: G-5 Section.

Attached is a copy of Minutes of a Meeting held in Trieste on 21 July 45, forwarded for your information.

For Chief of Commission:

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 217/235/30.

7 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Supreme Allied Commander's Conferences.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: Supreme Allied Commander's Secretariat.

1. Reference is made to your letter dated 23 July 1945 in which you agree to forward three copies of all minutes and papers of the Supreme Allied Commander's Conferences.
2. Only two copies of SAC (45) 2nd Meeting 4 August 1945 have been received. May a further copy be forwarded please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Talbot,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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C.C.

Ref: 335/44/20.

7 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Italian Neo-Fascist Soldiers.

TO: : Lord Forster sub-Commissioner (HIA)
Attn: Col. Lane.

With reference to conversation at this morning's meeting,
 attached is correspondence for your information. **AND ACTION.**

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[Signature]
 Chief Staff Officer,
 to the Executive Commissioner.

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AUG 7 1945

Tel: 735

Ref: 3604/122/45.

7 August 1945

SUBJECT: Channels for Correspondence.

TO : Civil Affairs Section
(for Public Safety Sub-Comm.)

1. Reference your AG/74125/45 dated 1 August 45.

2. Your attention is drawn to Office Memorandum No. 17
dated 13 October 44 which in part directs that:

" Correspondence heading from Headquarters Allied
Commission will in all cases be addressed to the
Regional Commissioner and if necessary copied for
the attention of the appropriate Division of his
Headquarters."

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 210/433/EC.

4 Aug. 45.

Subject: Minutes of meetings.

To: Acting VP,
Economic Section.

Reference your L20/EC of 3 Aug. 45 recommending that the Chief Financial Adviser be placed on the distribution list for copies of the Executive Committee's and Chief Coordinator's meetings. This recommendation is agreed.

[Signature] 1/1/45
[Signature] 1/1/45
 Director,
 Executive Committee.

Copies for— Finance 2/6 for information.
 — E.C. to C.C. (for action as regards distribution
 of minutes of VP's meetings).

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Tel : 735

1 August 45

Ref/7007/57/PC.

SUBJECT : Personnel - Transportation Sub-Comm.

TO : Executive Section.

1. I am directed to refer to para 4 of your 200/57/TH 1 dated 23 July 45, and to request that you will forward details of Mr. Updegraff's qualifications and experience, for the information of the Chief Commissioner.

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h Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.
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RE: ~~SECRET~~

Ref: 1763

4 August 1963

SUBJECT: Legislation in Ghana.

TO: SAC, Accra,
Ghana.

1. With reference to our directive L.O. 4432/1 dated 3 July 63, will you please submit a report giving details of the progress made in implementing the instructions contained therein.
2. The report should indicate which sections have been found as deficient, which have been found satisfactory and the reasons for the deficiencies.
3. Copies of all reports issued will be sent to this HQ.

Respectfully,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to Winneba Sub-Commission. (Reference your 15860/2 dated 1 Aug 63. With thanks for having drawn the attention of the Executive Commissioner to this matter).

Copy to Legal etc

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Tel: 473201

Ref: 997/153/90.

3 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Welfare and whereabouts - Countess Hanson Amidei
and her three sons.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
INDIA Region.

1. The attached copy of a letter, No. 97/96/3A dated 30 July 1945, has been received through the British Legation to the Holy See. The Executive Commissioner is anxious that everything possible should be done to obtain information as to the whereabouts and well-being of Countess Anna Beatrice Hanson Amidei and her three sons.

2. I should be grateful, therefore, if you could investigate this matter and report to this office any information you are able to obtain.

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
as above

Copy to: Public Safety Sub-Commission.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785615

July 30, 1945

No. 97796/3A

The Secretariat of State of His Holiness has been requested to be good offices of His Britannic Majesty's Minister to the Holy See to obtain information concerning and, if possible, the liberation of Countess Anna Beatrice Marzoni Antidori and her three sons, all young men, who on the night of July 7th-8th, were seized and taken away from their home, Villa La Frascati, Lavezzara, Province of Ravenna.

Since then no news has been received their whereabouts or condition and as their home is situated in a Zone under Allied control, the kind cooperation of the Allied Authorities on behalf of these unfortunate persons is confidently invoked.

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Re: 394/19/10.

2 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Campione - Province of Como.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Lombardy Region.

Reference your letter 1/3186 of 15 June 45.

1. In view of the probable turnover of this territory to the Italian Government in about five weeks time, I do not feel that any action should be taken by ABC regarding para 5(b) and (c).
2. As regards para 5(a), the question of the opening of the whole Italo/Swiss frontier is at present under consideration at ANM and I will further press the question with them.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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July 25, 1945

Ref: 9252/90/22

2 August 1945

SUBJECT: Publication of PRB Review

TO : Public Relations Branch

1. Reference your 66/PRB dated 30 July 45. I am directed to inform you that approval has been given for the printing of an initial run of 100,000 copies of the PRB Review at an estimated cost of 2,000,000 lire.

2. The Chief Commissioner has noted and approves of the arrangement referred to in paragraph 4 of your letter.

M.P.
↓
Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

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Ref : 5209/38/DC.

1 August 45

Subject : Correspondence with Italian Government

To : VP, Economic Section.

Your attention is drawn to letter AG/100/35/Tn5 of 30 July 45 from the Chief of the Roads Division, Transportation Sub-Commission to Professor Parri.

Letters on routine matters to the President of the Council of Minister and other Ministers of the Italian Government may be prepared for the signature of the Vice President and, at his direction, may be signed by Directors of Sub-Commissions on his behalf. In no circumstances are letters to be sent to Italian Ministers over the signature of junior officers of Sub-Commissions.

I shall be glad if you will take the necessary action to ensure that the above procedure is strictly adhered to in future.

For Chief Commissioner :

E. Tabor

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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AUG 11 1945

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Ref: 1008/24/30.

1 August 1945.

SUBJECT: Report from A.C. Liaison Officer BARI.

TO : Ministry of Interior, Italian Government.

1. For your information the Allied Commission Liaison Officer at Bari reports that there were 208 cases of improper possession of Allied stores preferred in that area during June.

2. It may also be of interest to you to know that the value of W.D. property recovered during June was:

Taranto	- over 836,000 lire
Bari	- over 2,095,200 lire.

For the Chief Commissioner:

E. Talbot,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to: 827/ED.

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AUG 1 1945

Ref: 402/23/80

1 August 1945

Dear Mr. Tittman:

Reference is made to considerable correspondence between your office and the Liaison Division of this Headquarters regarding the Sicilian Seminary at Grosseto.

We have now been informed by our Liaison Officer in Florence that the seminary is no longer occupied by the military and the bishop has been advised to take possession.

From the foregoing it is presumed that the matter has now been satisfactorily concluded and can be considered closed.

Very truly yours,

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

Mr. H. Tittman
Office of the Personal Representative of
the President of the United States of America
to His Holiness the Pope
Via Boncompagni #2
Rome

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AUG 1 RECD

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Ref : 2221/30/53

1 August 1945

SUBJECT : Deportations of Italians by Regalano.

TO : Political Advisor (A)
Political Advisor (B)

For your information and further to our 2221/30/53 of 24 July 1945 we have received a list of names and addresses of 573 deportees from the TRIESTE area.

Rt Hon. Sir
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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AUG 1 1945 *cc*

Tel: 178301

Ref: 3604/6/EC.

31 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Persecution of Clergy in the Diocese of ACQUA.

TO : Regional Commissioner, PIEDMONT Region.
(Attn: Regional Public Safety Officer)

1. Attached is the translation of a report sent to the Vatican by the Bishop of ACQUA.
2. Would you please have the complaints investigated and report, as soon as possible, any action taken.

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Incl:
as above

Copy to: Civil Affairs Section
(for Public Safety 2/C)

translationBishopric of Acqui

During the night of the 9th to the 10th of May, at 24 hours, two individuals rang the bell at the canon house of Tagliolo di Ovada (Alessandria) and asked for the priest to come with them, for a republican who was a prisoner had been condemned to death, and asked for the priest.

The priest, don Felice Mari Francesco came down immediately, taking with him the holy oil. About half an hour later, the rattle of a sub-machine-gun was heard in the neighbourhood. The priest never came back, and up to now, (June 29th) it has been impossible to find out anything about his disappearance nor has the body been found.

Every possible authorities have been contacted but with an entirely negative result. The parish is still without its priest; every Sunday, a priest is sent there to celebrate Mass.

A short time after that, another serious incident took place. On May 22nd, I received the following letter:

Brigade 145 Command.
Date 21/5/45.

Your Excellency,

Considering all that the clergy of the Diocese of Acqui did for the fight for liberation, this Command wants to inform your Excellency directly that very severe orders are going to be issued against the priest of Masone, don Franco Buffa; we should like to avoid this, also to avoid a scandal which is spiritually harmful. It is nevertheless indispensable that don Buf a, the man who praised fascism in a thousand ways, who publicly and enthusiastically applauded the declaration of war; who always praised and admired the Germans without ever finding the courage to condemn the worse crimes they committed in this village; who always ignored the partisans, who were suffering and dying in the neighbouring mountains, BE IMMEDIATELY REMOVED FROM THE VILLAGE.

The Brigade Commander: S. Mirko

Of course, I immediately summoned the priest of Masone (Genoa) to Acqui and I advised him to go away temporarily. Meanwhile, the secretary of the commune was killed in Masone, and a series of threatening letters went on being sent to the bishop and priest: woe to the latter if he came back!

A short time after this letter, there was an order for the removal of nuns, the content of which I transcribe.

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*Brigade Command

Reverend Mother Superior,

Will you forgive our writing to you for whom we have the greatest consideration. As Gabellino, the only man who supported the cause of the priests and nuns, has been removed, a radical operation is now possible. Sister Valentina and Sister Antonia must be at once removed from Masone otherwise, strong action will be taken against them.

Please do not mention this letter to anybody in the village. We shall spare the life of the two unworthy sisters out of consideration for your merits.

From the Seat of the Command
S. Mirko

For prudence's sake, the two sisters were of course removed.

The Bishop investigated personally and by means of a delegate, going into every detail, and even replacing the deputy of the priest by another priest.

Results of the investigation:

- 1) false charges against the priest Don Franco Buffa, Parish Priest, and against the sisters.
- 2) Commander Mirko whose signature is on the documents denies the authenticity of the signature on the threatening letters. He says he wants to find out the author of this forgery.
- 3) The population is almost unanimously in favour of the priest.

Meanwhile, another letter was sent, threatening another Priest, also of Masone, Don Agostino Pastorino, who had to leave; at present, we do not know where he is.

When we remember that two priests have already been murdered in this diocese, in this way, and others seriously threatened, we can have no doubt about the anxiety and sorrow of the Bishop.

Many documents are in his hands; but it is necessary to ^{appoint and} entrust with a detailed and strict inquiry an able person, that does not belong to this diocese, and that would be supported by powerful Authorities, to put an end to this state of things which makes it impossible for the priests to carry on their ministry in this diocese which is in such a state of unrest.

Aqui, July 1st, 1943

trans. e/c

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APC 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref : 2209/50/23.

31 July 1945

SUBJECT : Withdrawal of British Red Cross
personnel from this Theatre.

TO : H.Q., South Europe Commission
British Red Cross, C.M.F.

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of the 28 July 1945
notifying the date of withdrawal of the British Red Cross from this
theatre.

R. W. KEMSLEY
✓
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

AUG 1 RECD

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Ref: 305/89/82.

31 July 1945

SUBJECT: Hearing of Italian Government Officials.

TO : Chief Administrative Officer,
AFHQ.

With reference to our 305/77/83 dated 16 July 45, an early
reply would be appreciated in order that the Italian Government may
be informed of your decision.

For the Chief Commissioner:

R. W. K. [Signature]
✓ Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner. MRB: BR

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23 JUL 45

ROUTING

IN CLERK BY AIR MAIL - 27

FOR OFFICIAL HANDLING FROM BUREAU OF THE ARMY

FOR THE ARMY BUREAU OF THE ARMY ACTION REPTD AND VERMONT CUBICA

FOR INFO FROM THE ARMY BUREAU OF THE ARMY

YOUR INFO COPY OF TWO SEVEN JULY 45 HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE

FORWARD

Copy to: G-4(A)
GA Sec (For Info 5/3)

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Executive Commissioner

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Brigadier
Executive Commissioner

NICHOLAS FICHER
CIV USA
Asst Adm.

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Ref: 4712XXI

Ref: 2221/36/EC.

28 July 1945

SUBJECT: Italian Citizens arrested by Yugoslavs at TRIESTE.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: C-5 Section.

With reference to our letters 2221/17/EC dated 14 July 45 and 2221/15/EC dated 11 July 45, we should appreciate any information as to the progress of this matter.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 308/68/10.

27 July 45.

Subject: National Committees of Liberation.

To: TP, Civil Affairs Section.

Reference RO Venetia Region's paper on the above subject, HII/025.16 of 23 July 45, a copy of which was passed to you. The Executive Commissioner directs that you should obtain the views of the Political Advisers on this paper and submit a memorandum to form the basis of discussion between himself and the Chief Commissioner.

May this memorandum please be prepared as soon as possible.

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 308/67/80.

27 July 45.

Subject: National Conditions of Liberation.

To: Regional Commissioner,
Venezia Region.

I am directed by the Executive Commissioner to thank you for your extremely valuable recommendation on the future position and responsibilities of the C.E.L.N. The opinions of the Political Advisors are being sought on your suggestion and the whole matter is being thoroughly gone into.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Tel : 289

27 July 1945

Ref: 9257/60/23.

SUBJECT : Entry of Foreign Film Representative
to Italy.

TO : Marchese Cittadini-Gesi.

As requested by you I enclose copy of letter from
Chief of Staff AFHQ dated 11 July 45 together with copy of our
Public Relations Branch letter 11/PRB dated 19 July 45 to the
Embassy, both subject as above.

15/ E. ALBERT

Chief Staff Officer,
The Executive Commission.

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REF: 591/72/90.

25 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Report on Venezia-Giulia.
TO : Secretary General,
State Department,
Italian Government.

With reference to the letter 3/1191 dated 14 July 1945 from Mr. Brown addressed to the Chief Commissioner, enclosing report on the composition of the population in Venezia Giulia, it would be appreciated if another two copies of the book could be sent to this Headquarters.

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Ref: 5601/75/BC

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26 July 1945

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Establishment Section

1. Enclosed is a copy of a letter from the Economic Section, referenced 1.38/ES, 24 July 45, to Executive Commissioner, with reference to the abolishing of the Shipping Subcommittee and its activities being assigned to the Transportation Subcommittee.

2. It is requested that an executive order be published effecting this transfer.

3. Your attention is directed to the fact that in Economic Section's letter the request is for an executive memorandum. However, this is undoubtedly an error, as the proper form is an executive order.

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

1 Incl:
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Copy to: Economic Section

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Ref: 8601/67/00.

25 July 45.

Subject: Designation.

To: Firenze Air-Commission.

With reference to letter 1324/9 of 18 July, signed by
Admiral Stern and prepared by you. Please note for future guidance
that there is no Regional Commissioner at Venezia Giulia and that the
SAC in that area is styled "SAC, Venezia Giulia" and the Officer in
Charge "S.C.A.C., Venezia Giulia".

/s/ E. TALBOT
Brigadier, LT Col
Executive Commissioner.

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REF: 046/47/48.

25 JUL 1948.

SUBJECT: Newly appointed head of
the Canadian Military Mission.

TO : CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION.

1. Reference is made to Dispatch Review and Representation
Sub-Committee letter 046/47/0-11(15) on the above subject dated
21 July 48 addressed direct to C-6, A.F.M.S.

2. Will you please instruct the Sub-Committee to ensure
that the correct elements are directed in future.

/s/ J. D. M. J. D.
Edgell,
Executive Director.

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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Ref: 599/13/EC.

25 July 45.

Subject: Organization AMB XIII Corps.

To: Regional Commissioner,
Venezia Region.

Reference our 599/10/EC of 5 July. We would be grateful if you could let us have the report on the preliminary stages in the organization of AMB XIII Corps as soon as possible.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

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Ref: 6531/33/40.

25 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Disposal of German Property in Italy.

TO : The Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

1. Reference is made to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs Memorandum G/2216/1021 of 24 July 1945.

2. It is reported that no reply has yet been given to Memorandum G/2709/784 of 15 June 1945. The matter of the custody of German State property in Italy has been taken up with the British and American Governments and their replies are still awaited.

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[Signature]

B. Tatham

Ref: 175/167/21.

15 July 1965.

SUBJECT: House of Ambassador CHAVEZ in Haiti (Salerno).

TO: The Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

In reply to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs communication
G/1034/100 of 22 June 1965, the Hon. Mayor of Salerno has been
instructed by the competent authority to designate the house of
Don CHAVEZ.

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Ref: 1000/100/ML.

31 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Operations Committee in London.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Your attention is directed to Public Safety Sub-Committee letter of the above subject dated 20 July 45, addressed direct to the Chief Commissioner.

2. Will you please ensure that the correct channels are observed in future.

P. Talbot

Deputy,
Executive Commissioner.

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25 July 1945.

Ref: 242/10.

SUBJECT: Correspondence.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Two pieces of correspondence from AFM in reply to letters from the Chief Coordinator and Executive Commissioner were recently inadvertently routed by Message Centre to Displaced Persons S/C and GA Section respectively by reason of failure on the part of AFM to quote in one instance the reference number and in the other the correct date.

2. Details of each case are as follows:-

(a) AFM letter 0-5:353, 7-4 dated 6 July 45, subject "Registration of Czechoslovaks from Italy" received 10 14 on 6 July 45 was in reply to Chief Coordinator's letter dated 24 June 45. Inadvertently Chief Coordinator's letter did not bear a reference number and the AFM letter of 6 July stated the Chief Coordinator's letter of 1 June in error. The AFM letter of 6 July was "paid away" in a Displaced Persons S/C file without any action being taken thereon.

(b) AFM letter 0-5:000, 5-6 dated 3 July 45, subject "Judiciary for Criminals" received 10 13, 4 July 45 was in reply to the Executive Commissioner's letter 244/83/40 dated 23 June 45. The former letter was routed from Message Centre to GA Section and passed on from GA Section to the Displaced Persons S/C. The latter took action thereon on 7 July 45 in letter 142/2/0-II(12) to the Regional Delegation to the Advisory Council, without any copy to this office.

3. In the first case above mentioned AFM should at least have been asked to furnish a copy of the letter under reference in order to ascertain the originator thereof and in the second instance it should have been clear to the Displaced Persons S/C from the reference number of the original letter that they were acting improperly.

4. The fact that this office subsequent to receipt of replies 242/10 from Washington was continuing to send reminders to AFM disclosed a lack of coordination within this Headquarters.

5. It is requested that the above comments be brought to the attention of Displaced Persons S/C, with a view to avoiding a recurrence of such incidents in the future.

Chief Staff Officer,

the Chief Commissioner and Executive Commissioner were recently inadvertently routed by Messager Centre to Displaced Persons I/C and CA Section respectively by reason of failure on the part of AMH to quote in our letter the reference number and in the other the correct date.

2. Details of each case are as follows:-

- (a) AMH Letter 0-5:385, 7-4 dated 6 July 45, subject "Registration of Czechoslovakians from Italy" received at HQ on 6 July 45 was in reply to Chief Commissioner's letter dated 24 June 45. Unfortunately Chief Commissioner's letter did not bear a reference number and the AMH letter of 6 July quoted the Chief Commissioner's letter of 1 June in error. The AMH letter of 6 July was "out of order" in a Displaced Persons I/C file without any action being taken thereon.
- (b) AMH Letter 0-5:066, 5-6 dated 3 July 45, subject "Jugoslavian War Criminals" received at HQ on 4 July 45 was in reply to the Executive Commissioner's letter 2544/00/10 dated 23 June 45. The former letter was routed from Messager Centre to CA Section and passed on from CA Section to the Displaced Persons I/C. The latter took action thereon on 7 July 45 in letter 1007/2-9-11(12) to the Yugoslav Delegation to the Advisory Council, without any copy to this office.

3. In the first case above mentioned AMH should at least have been asked to furnish a copy of the letter under reference in order to ascertain the original number thereof and in the second instance it should have been clear to the Displaced Persons I/C from the reference number in the original letter that they were acting improperly.

4. The fact that this office subsequently to receipt of replied AMH's Displaced Persons was continuing to send reference to AMH disclosed a lack of coordination within this Headquarters.

5. It is requested that the above comments be brought to the attention of Displaced Persons I/C, with a view to avoiding a recurrence of such incidents in the future.

Chief State Officer,
Displaced Persons Commissioner.



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23 July 1945

Ref: 9006/73/EC

SUBJECT: Italian Military Material

TO : AMG Commissioner, Ancona Commune

1. Reference is made to our letter 9009/66/EC of 3 July 45 regarding tiles at Viterbo for the fire of Santilli.

2. May we have a reply to our letter, indicating what action is being taken on this matter?

A. S. ARABOLLY

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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23 July 1945

Ref: 4202/51/DO

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Economic Section (Attention: Agriculture Subcommittee)

The enclosed correspondence, which deals with contracts of Marzadria, is returned to your office for retention in view of the fact that your draft of General Order 9) regarding this subject has already gone in to the Chief Commissioner's Office for approval and signature.

A. H. ARNOUDY,

Chief Staff Officer.
To Executive Commissioner.

7 Incls:

Ltr fr Legal S/c. 10/4005/5, 10 July 45

Ltr fr Agric S/c. 3028/875, 30 June 45

Ltr fr Col Behrens, 27 June 45

Ltr fr Mr. Malley, June 45

Cy of telegram fr Camera Confederale del Lavoro,
Florence, 12 June, FA No. 32/4

Ltr fr Mr. Malley, 24 June 45

Paper on "Defense of Marzadria" from Umberto Misuri

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Ext 451

APA/61

CC

23 July 1945

Ref: H005/53/EG

SUBJECT: The Campbell Committee Report

TO : Economic Section (Attention: Lt Arensburg)

1. Reference is made to our various telephone conversations regarding the above-mentioned report.

2. In connection with this report, reference is made to Navy's Subcommittee letter H005/22/53, 6 July, to the Ministry of Marine, Rome, and particularly to paragraph 2: "The Navy Subcommittee has received a request from Allied Force Headquarters to the effect that you be informed of this approval and that you be instructed to take the necessary steps to implement policies laid down in the Campbell Committee report."

3. The Executive Commissioner has inquired as to what does the implementation of the Campbell report entail. Inasmuch as this office does not appear to have a copy of this report, it would be appreciated if you would secure a copy for our files, at the same time requesting the Navy Subcommittee to answer briefly the question raised by the Executive Commissioner.

A. B. ARNDT

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Ext 451

ABA/el

Ref: 402/20/EC

21 July 45

SUBJECT: Diocesan Seminary at Grosseto

TO : AMO Commissioner, Livorno Zone

1. Reference is made to our letter 402/19/EC of 3 July 1945 regarding the above subject.

2. It would be appreciated if you would inform this office what progress is being made along the lines indicated in paragraph 4 of our letter.

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 478730

21 July 1945.

Ref: 216/20.

SUBJECT: Supreme Allied Commander's Conferences.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: SAC's Secretariat.

1. Reference para 3 of Paper SAC (45) 1 dated 20 July 1945.
2. It would be appreciated if three copies of Minutes, Agenda and Papers with reference to Supreme Allied Commander's Conferences could continue to be forwarded and not two copies as indicated in Paper under reference.
3. Distribution at this Headquarters is:

Chief Commissioner
Executive Commissioner
Political Advisors
4. If agreed it is requested that one further copy of Paper SAC (45) 1 dated 20 July 45 and Minutes of Conference, SAC (P) (45) 16th Meeting, dated 20 July 45, ~~can~~ be forwarded.

For the Chief Commissioner:


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

21/7/45

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref: 10/14602/10/18

21 Jul 45

SUBJECT: Minervino Large Incident.

TO: Political Advisor (A)
Political Advisor (B).

Attached herewith please find copies of a report on the above subject received from the President of the Council of Ministers, forwarded for your information.

G. R. Turner
G. R. TURNER, Brig.,
VP CA Section.

Copy to: Chief Commissioner,
Executive Commissioner

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CC

Ref: 47320

Ref: 5026/19/20.

20 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Venetia Region.

1. The Ministry for Foreign Affairs has asked us to trace a number of motor cars and motor cycles belonging to it which were taken to the North. Two motor cycles are said to be at VENICE:

Motor Guzzi 500	...	Targa 3024	Roma
Motor Guzzi 500	...	Targa 3026	Roma

2. Will you kindly make some inquiries and if you are successful in tracing please let us know.


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 736

20 July 1945.

Ref: 581/169/30.

SUBJECT: Appointment of Consular Agent at AOSTA.

TO : Field (A)
Field (H)

Attached hereto is copy of translation of letter dated
16 July from the Ministry for Foreign Affairs. Your comments
would be appreciated.

[Signature]
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
Ltr fr Min for For. Affairs,
No. 13024/29 dtd 16 Jul 45.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

20 July 45.

Ref: 9258/103/30.

Subject: Press Release.

To: VF, GI Section (For PEO).

Reference inter-office memorandum of 17 July attaching press notice in draft. This is returned herewith for release as advised.

For Chief Commissioner:


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 311/3/NO

18 July 45

SUBJECT: Italian Government Policy

TO : Political Advisor (A)
Political Advisor (B)

I enclose copy of a letter, 3/1151, dated 16 July 45, from Dr.
de Gasperi and shall be grateful for your comments thereon.

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as above

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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AMC VERDEIA GIULIA

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17 JULY 18

PRIORITY

RESTRICTED PD

REQUEST PERMISSION FROM COMBANDER ONE THREE CORPS FOR BRIGADIER
LUSH AND ~~STAFF OFFICER~~ VISIT VERDEIA GIULIA FOR FIVE
OR SIX DAYS PD

PERM TO AMC VERDEIA GIULIA FROM HQ ALCON CITY JOMO PARE
IF GRANTED PLEASE SEND CAR WENT FLARE AT THREE AIRFIELD AT
APPROXIMATELY ONE ONE THREE ZERO HOURS THURSDAY ONE NINE JULY

Executive Commissioner

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CWO, USA
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TOP SECRET

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Ref: 22/13/23.

17 July 45.

Subject: Political Reports.

To: Regional Commissioner.
VIETNAM ZONE.

Attached are copies of two reports received from secret sources.

Will you please let us have your comments on the recommendations made in the report at "A".

You will note that the report at "A" does not tally with that at "B".

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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TOP SECRET.

17 July 45.

Ref: 942/17/EE.

Subject: Political Reports.

To: SCAG,
VERMONT AREA.

Attached are copies of three reports received from secret sources.

Will you please let us have your comments on the recommendations made in the report at "D".

You will note that the report at "C" does not tally with that at "B".

E. L. Lohr

✓ Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

ENCLOSURE - 3.

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Ref: 4005/183/ED.

17 July 45.

Subject: Proposal regarding Briefing Officer.

To: Economic Section (Supply Division).

Reference your RS/2.00 of 10 July 45. The
proposed substitution of Major Wood for Major Green is approved.

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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SECRET

Ref: 573/86/80.

27 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Administrative Instruction, NORTH ITALY.

TO: 1 Regional Commissioner, VENETIAN Region.
RMSO, VENEZIA GIULIA.

1. Copy No. of AMIO letter AS 323/061 LOG-0 dated 12 July 45, subject "Use of Ports of VENEZIA and TRIESTE", is forwarded herewith for information and guidance.

2. By 575/80 dated 23 May 45 to Regional Commissioner VENETIAN Region refers.

3. Copy No.19 of AMIO letter AS 323/061 LOG-0 dated 19 May 45 referred to in para 1 of AMIO letter dated 12 July 45 is also enclosed to RMSO VENEZIA GIULIA.

4. Please acknowledge.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Encl:
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Reference conversation Mister HENRY HOPKINSON-Brigadier DUNLOP I confirm I will look after Mister IVOR THOMAS from arrival 18 JULY 20 July until departure 22 July. Will you clear with 13 CORPS his visit to TRIESTE or shall I.

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Ref: 478201

16 July 1945.

Ref: 997/157/EC.

SUBJECT: Whereabouts Inquiry - Furniture of Mrs. Lina Botaford.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

1. Reference U.O. letter from Brig. General Spefford of 13 February and C-5: 386 of 21 May on the above subject, the following information has been received from AD Quana Quana:

"I am satisfied that every effort has been made to find the missing furniture but without any success.

The port area where the furniture would be most likely to be stored was completely devastated by aerial bombing, and such goods as were salvaged were taken by the Germans or Italian civilians.

It is regretted that a more satisfactory solution cannot be found, but I am satisfied that no good purpose would be served by further pursuance of the matter."

2. It is much regretted that we have been unable to be of greater assistance in this matter.

For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 522/206/EC.

14 July 45.

Subject: Civil Administration - Venezuela Affairs.

To: Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff,
G-5,
AIR.

Reference your letter of 12 July. Attached
please find a copy of our reply to Dr. de Gasperi's letter
of 21 June, of which a copy was sent to you.

For Chief Commissioner:

✓ E. Talbot
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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JUL 14 1945

Ref: 167/20/EG.

11 July 45.

Subject: Visit of Signor Parri to Naples.

To: Commissioner,
NAPLES Command.

Thank you for your report C/1136 of 9th July
on the visit of Signor Parri to Naples on 9th July.

Will you please send a copy of this report to
No: 3 District and discuss its contents with them.

E. Talbot,

✓ Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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JUL 23 1945

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Ref: 415/1/PC.

Tel: 478201

13 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Requisitioning.

To : Regional Commissioner,
MILITIA Region.

1. Attached hereto is a copy of letter dated 11 July 1945 addressed to the Executive Commissioner by the British Ambassador to the Holy See, together with its enclosure.
2. It is suggested in this letter that refugees at present housed in the Theology building of the Seminary at BOLAGNA could be housed in the Philosophy building. Will you please make any arrangements that seem possible and render a report to this office at your earliest convenience.

Incl:
as above
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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COPY

BRITISH LEGATION
TO THE HOLY SEE

14, Via del Parlamento, Rome

July 11th, 1945

14/39/45

Dear Brigadier Lush,

I have received a Note from the Vatican, a translation of which is attached, requesting that the Theology building of the Pontifical Seminary of Bologna might be restored to the students and that the refugees at present housed there might be transferred to another part of the College.

I transmit this request to you for such action as you may be able to take.

Yours sincerely,

/s/ D.G. Osborne

Brigadier M.S. Lush, C.B., C.B.E., M.C.,
Headquarters
Allied Commission.

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Translation.

SECRETARIAT OF STATE
of His Holiness

N. 444/45

The Pontifical Seminary of Bologna has suffered considerable war damage, but while the Philosophy building needs important repairs, the Theology building could be re-opened relatively easily. It is the keen desire of the Holy See that the Theological Seminary at least, might begin to function again for the coming scholastic year. But in order to achieve this it would first be necessary to evacuate the refugees, a portion of whom could be accommodated in the Philosophy building.

Considering the importance which the regular functioning of the Pontifical Seminary of Bologna has for the diocesan life of Romagna, the Secretariat of State of His Holiness is confident that the Allied Authorities will realize the justification of their request and will do all in their power to satisfy it.

The Secretariat of State of His Holiness takes this occasion to express to His Britannic Majesty's Legation the sense of its high consideration and esteem.

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CONFIDENTIAL

Ref: 678201

12 July 1945

Ref: 2605/235/EC.

SUBJECT: Handover of Territory to Italian Government.

TO : Commissioner,
ARONA, COMBINT.

1. In accordance with the policy of returning A&C territory to the Italian Government as quickly as circumstances allow, we have submitted proposals to ARNA for a further transfer of territory to take place on 31 July.
2. For your information our recommendations include the Commune of ARONA. We are not optimistic that this will be approved and it is not desired that you should take any action whatever in anticipation of approval being received.
3. We expect to receive a reply in the next two or three days and you will be kept informed of the position.

/s/ E. J. A. - 605
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to: C.I. Section
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CONFIDENTIAL

Tel: 478201

12 July 1948.

Ref: 2605/234/EC.

SUBJECT: Handover of Territory to Italian Government.

TO : Commissioner,
APO NAPLES Command.

1. In accordance with the policy of returning AMT territory to the Italian Government as quickly as circumstances allow, we have submitted proposals to AMT for a further transfer of territory to take place on 31 July.
2. For your information our recommendations include the Comune of NAPOLI. We are not optimistic that this will be approved and it is not desired that you should take any action whatever in anticipation of approval being received.
3. We expect to receive a reply in the next two or three days and you will be kept informed of the position.

/s/ E. T. M. G. A. *et al.*
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: C.A. Section
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Ref: 8606/28/80.

12 July 45.

Subject: Italian Civil Air Transport.

To: A.O.C., Air Forces Sub-Commission.

Reference your AFM/39/AIR of 7 July. Attached
please find amended draft for preparation in its final form for
signature of Chief Commissioner.

W.P. 630
To Executive Commissioner.

Encl - 2.

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Tel: 735

11 July 1945.

Ref: 4410/14/EG.

SUBJECT: Authorization for French Nationals to enter ITALY.

TO : Civil Affairs Section (for Displaced Persons & Repat. S/C)

Attached hereto is letter from the Office of the French Representative, No. 2.134 dated 9 July 1945. Will you please reply to this on behalf of the Chief Commissioner.

Chief Staff Officer,
Executive Commissioner.

Incls:
as above

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Ref: 8764/136/46.

10 July 1946.

SUBJECT: UNCLASSIFIED Signal.

TO : Maj Signal Officer.

1. Reference your memorandum of 6 July 46, subject as above.
2. I agree to restricting use of the precedence "SECRET" to the Office of the Chief Commissioner and Executive Commissioner.
3. I consider, however, that Vice Presidents of Sections and Directors of Sub-Commissions must be allowed the use of "CONFIDENTIAL" when warranted.
4. Should the Assistant Adjutant on a future occasion be involved in a dispute on the precedence of a particular order the original should be referred to me. I shall determine whether the precedence is justified and thereafter advise the Assistant Adjutant.
5. I am not minded to insert in Daily Bulletin that use of the precedence "SECRET" is restricted to Chief Commissioner and Executive Commissioner, but am inserting a general ruling quoting paragraph 3 of Army Letter No 341.5/199 AD-6 dated 11 June 46.
6. Thank you for bringing this matter to my attention.

S/E T. A. B. C. C. C.
Chief Staff Officer,
to the Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 6529/156/40.

9 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Recovery of Diplomats.

TO : C-5 Section,
Allied Force Headquarters.

1. Further to your letters C-5:091.112-62 and C-5:091.112-75 of 9 and 30 June 45, we are now informed by COMUSMACV Region that the diplomats reported to be at HANOI were transferred to HUEIQUANG on 22 May 45. As HUEIQUANG is now in Italian Government territory we have no means of checking further but presume there is the possibility that they have since been moved again to HANOI.

2. We doubt therefore you will be taking steps to obtain from other sources the information you require. We shall then be glad to have your views, as asked for in our 6525/75 HQ dated 4 June 45.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

Tel: 300

7 July 1945.

Ref: 7007/343/EC.

SUBJECT: Release Officers - American.

TO : VP, CIVIL Affairs Section.

Reference your 1/223/CA dated 4 July 1945, the Chief Commissioner has no objection to the release of Lt. Col. De Wald.

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 178201

7 July 1965.

Ref: 6529/132/EO.

SUBJECT: Exchange of Diplomas.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: G-5 Section.

With reference to your letters G-5: OSI.112-62 and G-5: OSI.112-75, dated 9 and 30 June respectively, it is regretted that until now we have been unable to obtain for you the particulars requested concerning the persons said to be in custody at BSAAGHO. Colombia's Region is making the necessary inquiries and we hope to write you again at an early date.

For the Chief Commissioner:

 Brigadier,
Convictive Commissioner.

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Ext 451

ABS/61

Ref: 652Y/67/EO

7 July 1945

SUBJECT: Italian Diplomatic Pouch to Switzerland

TO : Marchese Cittadini, Italian Liaison Officer, AG

1. Reference is made to our letter of 12 June, reference 652Y/65/EO, written to the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, regarding the above subject and in which their reply was requested as soon as possible.

2. On 27 June we followed this matter up with our letter reference 652Y/66/EO: to date no reply has been received.

3. It would be appreciated if you would make an effort to have the Ministry of Foreign Affairs reply to this request as soon as possible.

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 5615/05/82

6 July 1985

SUBJECT: Car belonging to Lt Col Aldo Quarantotti

TO : Establishment Section

1. Under date of 27 June a memorandum from Ida Quarantotti, addressed to Admiral Stone, was passed to the Establishment Section for action. This memorandum dealt with the derequisition of a Lancia Aprilia car, target number 65989, engine 3362, chassis 38,3439.

2. Please inform this office as soon as possible what action has been taken in connection with this memorandum.

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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RE: AIRCRAFT ENGINEER REGD FOR INFO FIVE ARMY

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6 JULY 45

NOTING

RESPECTED TO

REFERENCE YOUR LETTER ONE ZERO SEVEN ONE FOUR JULY ONE YOU WILL HAVE RECEIVED
OUR CABLE ONE ONE NINE NINE CONCERNING ONE ONE ONE TWO X ZERO OF THREE JULY
PAUSE TO ORIGINAL DISSEMINATION AND DISSEMINATION FROM THE AIR FIVE ARMY
FROM THE AIRCRAFT ENGINEER REGD

IN VIEW OF INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED IN CABLE ONE ZERO SIX ONE ONE WOULD BE
CONTAINED IN CABLE ONE ZERO SEVEN SEVENTEEN WOULD BE CONTAINED IN THREE
JULY SUBJECT TO APPROVAL FIVE ARMY ID

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Tel: 47821

6 July 1945.

Ref: 6529/128/SC.

SUBJECT: Movement of Enemy Diplomats from TACHINA.

TO : AME Fifth Army.

1. With reference to our signal 1038 of 2 July and your reply E 268 of 5 July, arrangements are now in hand for the movement of this party by air on or about 14 July 45.
2. As you request, you will be given 24 hours notice of its arrival at POLIGNA.
3. An A.C. officer will escort the party from TACHINA to POLIGNA. It is presumed that you will provide an escorting officer from POLIGNA onwards to whom will be handed the nominal roll. Will you please confirm.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 6529/125/23.

6 July 1965.

SUBJECT: Visa Diplomatic - GUATEMALA.

TO: Economic Section.
(For Transportation Sub-Division).

1. Requests to paragraph 3 of your letter 65/34/24/233 dated 27 June 65 are as follows:-

- (a) Information already provided.
- (b) Airway Movement, Toluca, daily.
- (c) The destination of the aircraft will be Toluca Airport where your responsibility ends, as from that point they will be taken over by Fifth Army.
- (d) Movement has been cleared with Fifth Army.
- (e) An escort officer is being arranged by AG 10 GARCIA. There will be one officer.
- (f) 900 Miles. Total number of planes 50.
- (g) As far as is known MIL.
- (h) 14 July 1965. This date may be varied forward or backward due to transportation arrangements. You are, however, required to give 24 hours notice of arrival to AG Fifth Army in order that arrangements may be made to collect and transport the party from Toluca. In order that the party can be ready for collection at Toluca please also give 24 hours notice to AG 10 GARCIA of date and time.
- (i) The party on arrival at Toluca Airport will be handed over to an officer of Fifth Army.

2. We have just been instructed by AFM that one member of the party, George Wiling, is required for interrogation by G-2, AFM in MIL. Please mention that the plane can touch down at MIL to drop off this individual, who will continue the journey at a later date. It will be necessary for you to give AFM 24 hours notice of the arrival of the plane and the name of the airport in order that AFM can arrange to take Wiling into custody. When notifying AFM you should refer to AFM signal 657387 of 4 July.

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[Signature]
Chief Staff Officer,
Defence Committee.

Copy to: Fifth Army
AG 10 GARCIA.

CONFIDENTIAL

Ref: 6533/126/10.

6 July 1948.

SUBJECT: Movement of Axis Diplomats from FLORENCE.

TO : AS Liaison Officer,
GABRIEL.

1. With reference to our recent exchange of signals on the above subject, we have been instructed by AFM to remove all the Axis diplomats at FLORENCE to BARKHOLMERS by plane, where they will join a party of similar persons for ultimate dispatch to ROME. So that you are informed of the arrangements made attached hereto is a copy of our communication to Transportation Sub-Commission.

2. It is required to provide an escorting officer, whose duty will end on arrival at BARKHOLMERS Airport, at which point he will hand over to an officer from Fifth Army. This task will have to be carried out either by yourself or your nominee. The escort officer will be required to carry with him a detailed roll of the party in duplicate showing name, former position, and all details of family if in Italy. This will be handed to the Fifth Army escorting officer.

3. One member of the party, Georg Silling, is required for interrogation by G-2, RMC in Rome. Consequently the journey will be broken in Rome in order to liberate this individual.

Yours Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 735

6 July 1945.

Ref: 7002/198/EC.

SUBJECT: Liaison Officers.

TO : Establishment Section.

1. When preparing Executive Order confirming the assignment of Commissioner LIVERNO Commune, will you please include a reference to the fact that the Commissioner will also act as Allied Commission Liaison Officer in the provinces of:

PIEMONTE
VALLE
FRIULI
TREVISO
UDINE
VERONA
VICENZA

Note also from 9/6P/CA dated 8 June 45 that he includes the Communes of FRIA and OMBE SANVITTI under his command as Commissioner LIVERNO Commune.

2. At the same time a letter on the same lines as the attached copy of 7002/EC dated 24 March 1945 should be sent to him, which defines his duties as Allied Commission Liaison Officer.

E. Talbot

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Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
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Ref: 559/10/EC.

5 July 45.

Subject: Organization 1st XLI Corps.

To: Regional Commissioner,
Venezia Region.

The Chief Commissioner has seen your letter to the Executive Commissioner of 30 June and instructs me to ask you to submit the report on the various preliminary stages in the Venezia Giulia set up, in accordance with your suggestion, in your third firm last para.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ext 341

5 July 1945

Ref: 4202/00

SUBJECT: Agricultural Organizations in North Italy

TO : Economic Section

1. Enclosed is a copy of a letter from the ASF Lombardy Region reference 12/MS/1.11, dated 28 June.
2. Your attention is drawn to paragraphs 2 and 3 and it would be appreciated if you would take appropriate action.
3. Please advise this office when this has been done.

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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FROM: [illegible]
SUBJECT: [illegible]

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Very truly yours,
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Tel : 735

5 July 1945

Ref : 146/97/EG.

SUBJECT : Military Government AUSTRIA
Sitrep dated 1 July 45.

TO : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission.

The following extract from the above mentioned sitrep
may be of interest to you :

" A party of DPs totalling 450 was evacuated with
approval of AFHQ from AUSTRIA to ITALY on 23 June.
The party was made up as follows :-

Albanian - 5	Greek - 290	Italian - 27
American - 3	Indian - 1	Persian - 5
Brazilian - 1	Iranian - 14	Turks - 103
Canadian - 1		

[Signature]
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 735

Ref: 146/92/20.

4 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Military Government. UNRRA
Sitrep dated 28 June 45.

TO : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission.

The following extract from the above mentioned sitrep may
be of interest to you:

"From 25 to 27 Jun the following DPs were evacuated:

510 Italians to ITALY
258 Czechs to ITALY

From 17 to 23 Jun total moves of DPs ex-Austrian were:

750 Italians to ITALY"

Chief Staff Officer,
to Executive Commissioner.

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3 July 1945

Dear Lt. Major:

I have received your kind letter of 20 June about the small olive drab metal clasps for ribbon bars which I wrote you about previously.

I have tried to obtain these clasps at the Central Post Exchange here but none are available; the only kind to be had are the bronze clasps which the Admiral considers unsatisfactory. If you could obtain some on requisition through the Army Quartermaster, I certainly would appreciate it.

With many thanks,

Sincerely,

J. LANNIN
Lieut. USMC
Flag Lieut

Lt Ralph H. Major, Jr.
ADC to General Rums
AGC 5th Army

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
FIFTH ARMY
APO 464

20 June 1945

Lieutenant J. Lannin, USNR
Flag Lieut to Admiral Stone
Office of the Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
APO 394, US Army

Dear Lannin:

The small olive drab metal clasps for the ribbon bars can be bought at the Post Exchange in Rome. Unfortunately I have no extra ones here or I should be glad to forward them to you. I always bought them at the Post Exchange in Rome during my visits there. They come attached to the brass ribbon bars and may be detached for your use. If, however, they are unobtainable in Rome, I will try to obtain some on requisition through the Army Quartermaster.

If there is anything else I can do to help you at any time, please don't hesitate to let me know.

Sincerely yours,

Ralph H. Major, Jr.

RALPH H. MAJOR, JR.
1st Lieutenant, ADC

RHM:hml

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 390
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 6525/63/20

3 July 1945

SUBJECT: Reparations to San Marino
TO : AMB Emilia Region

1. Reference is made to our exchange of correspondence regarding above subject.
2. The information, contained in your second indorsement of 20 June referring to the first indorsement by the Political Liaison Officer that the report dated 5 May 45 covered damage done by Allied bombing on 24 June 1944 only, was passed on to AFHQ. However, no report apparently was ever submitted on the extent of damage caused by bombing during 19-21 September and AFHQ has now requested that this report be submitted.
3. Your immediate attention in this matter would be appreciated.

A. B. ARNOLDY,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 9006/66/40

3 July 45

SUBJECT: Italian Military Material

TO : AMO Commissioner, Ancona Command

1. Reference is made to our letters 9006/40 of 25 May, 9006/60/40 of 6 June, and 9006/62/40 of 16 June regarding the availability of tiles at Viterbo for the firm of Santilli.

2. Your reply dated 22 June, reference AMO/S/161/13, is to the effect that UNMS at Ancoli Ficeno have informed you that they are not in a position to replace the tiles in question, but, of course, are prepared to pay for them.

3. This was communicated to Land Forces Subcommittee (NMIA), who have replied as follows:

"In view of the urgent reconstruction work required in 'La Rocca' Barracks and the lack of necessary material for such work, Ministry of War feel that payment for such tiles would not solve their problem and therefore request that the tiles be returned in kind.

"Please arrange for this material to be made available at the most convenient locality to Viterbo."

4. In view of the foregoing, please make the necessary arrangements to have these tiles made available to Viterbo.

Brigadier.
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to:- Land Forces S/C (✓24 of 30 June refers).

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 402/19/20

3 July 1945

SUBJECT: Diocesan Seminary at Grosseto

TO : AMG Commissioner, Livorno Command

1. In November 1944 the Honorable Myron C. Taylor sent to this office a letter and a Vatican note asking that the Diocesan Seminary at Grosseto be derequisitioned.
2. In December 1944, upon receiving a reply from the Provincial Commissioner that the Seminary was occupied by combat troops of first priority, we communicated this fact to Mr. Taylor.
3. In a letter dated 25 May, Mr. Taylor enclosed a copy of another Vatican note and a document addressed by the Bishop of Grosseto to the Allied authorities describing in detail the circumstances of the Diocesan Seminary when it was occupied on successive occasions by two different branches of the American armed forces. This document contained an account of damage purported to have been suffered by the Seminary during the occupation.
4. On 30 May we wrote to the AMG Toscana Region asking them to investigate this matter and inform this office whether the Seminary could be derequisitioned, if not already done so. We are in receipt of a letter from AMG Toscana Region, dated 19 June, to the effect that the Region has been inactivated and all officers are leaving for other assignments.
5. It would therefore be appreciated if you could undertake to make an investigation along the lines indicated in paragraph 4 and inform this office whether the Diocesan Seminary can be derequisitioned so that an appropriate reply can be made to Mr. Taylor's office.

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 478332

3 July 1945.

Ref: 504/53/EG.

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Czechoslovak Units in Italy.

TO : C-5, ASHQ.

The Chief Commissioner would appreciate a reply as soon as possible to his letter dated 21 June 1945.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 478202

Ref: 468/13/30.

2 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Diplomatic Interests - Correspondence and Funds.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: G-5 Section.

1. With reference to telephone conversation today, Lt. Col. JACKSON - Major MURPHY, the American Red Cross has asked us to assist them to answer the following signal which they have received from FIFTH Army:

"Information requested how diplomatic interests of GERMANY, HUNGARY and other enemy countries can correspond with families and receive funds from home."

2. As we do not know the answer to this it will be appreciated if you would give us your advice as soon as possible.

For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Reserve Commissioner.

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Reg: 67/20/70.

2 July 1970

TO: Army Officers.

TO: VP, Civil Affairs Section.
VP, Economic Section.
VP, Establishment Section (reference your 71/167/EST
dated 30 June 65)

The instructions in my 67/20/70 dated 23 April 65 are
recolled.

B. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commission.

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Ref: 4033/EC.

2 July 1948.

SUBJECT: Industrial Committee in the North.

TO : Brigadier-General McInday,
Acting Vice President,
Economic Section.

We shall have to watch carefully the result of the setting up of the Industrial Committee in the North on the various Regional Committees - I see Wisconsin has several such. Should they be closed, so that the Industrial Committee in MIAM may have an overall authority? If so, it must be done with great care.

E. T. ...

Lt. Colonel, For,
Brigadier,
Executive Administration.

HAR/JG.

(*rafted by H. J. G. - now absent on duty).

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2 July 1945.

REF: 2215/20.

SUBJECT: Freya Stark.

TO : C-5 Section, ASEC.
Attn: Colonel D.M. Jackson.

In reply to your letter C-5: 500.4-1 of 19 June.
I am writing to say that there are no suitable vacancies in
this Commission for Miss Freya Stark. I understand, however,
that the Ministry of Information have asked for Miss Stark to
be attached to the British Embassy, Rome, to work for them and
this is being arranged.

For the Chief Commissioner.

E. T. L.

Inspector,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 208/452/80.

30 June 45.

Subject: Transport for Labour Officer, Piemonte Region.

To: Economic Section for Labour Sub-Commission.

With reference to the question of transport for the Labour Officer, Piemonte Region. I attach a copy of a letter I have received from Colonel Marshall in reply to my memorandum of 9th June 1942/80, of which you received a copy.

From Colonel Marshall's letter you will see that the position is not satisfactory.

/s/ E. T. B. SOT
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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1. DEWITT R. GIBB
JAC

DO/312.1.M.

16th June 45.

Dear Brigadier Lash,

The matter of transportation for officers of this Region in general, and heads of special divisions in particular in I Sear, somewhat misunderstood by some of the Sub-Commissions at year 18.

When we arrived the Region was in really desperate straits and one of our first acts was to provide the minimum essential needs.

As vehicles became available, some were assigned to special divisions and others held in a pool so that the maximum use could be obtained.

After the first few days, at no time was either the Regional Labour Officer or the Regional Public Health Officer without transportation, although for the first two weeks perhaps, pool vehicles had to be used.

You will be glad to know that vehicles have now been provided in a quantity sufficient for all reasonable needs, with definite assignment of particular vehicles to heads of special divisions.

Very truly yours,

(Sgt) DEWITT R. GIBB.

Brigadier W.L. Lash,
Executive Commissioner,
H. Allied Commission,
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29 June 1945

SUBJECT : Dr. Croce and Printer "La Terra" in Bari.

TO : AFHQ (Attention G-5).

1. Reference is your G-5 000,76-1 dated 15 May 45.
2. Please inform us if the military authorities have yet released the "La Terra" press from requisition and, if not, on what date such action might be expected.

For the Chief Commissioner :

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 5826/11/50.

29 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry
of Foreign Affairs.

TO : Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italian Government.

Acknowledgement is made of your Memorandum dated 25 June
1945. Inquiries are being made concerning the vehicles listed
and you will be advised of the result in due course.

For the Chief Commissioner.


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 478201

Ref: 5826/13/60.

29 June 1965.

SUBJECT: Motor Vehicles belonging to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

TO : 1010 Fifth Army.

1. Attached hereto is list of motor vehicles owned by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs which are said to be at 1010 and 1011.

2. The Ministry is anxious to secure the return of its transport and it will be appreciated if you would make inquiries and tell us what the position is.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Encl:
as above

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Ref: 289

28 June 1945.

Ref: 8162/27/26.

SUBJECT: Communications - Telephone.
TO: The Signal Office.
(Attn: Lt. General).

Reference telephone conversation yesterday (clearly speaking)

1. It is confirmed that in addition to Vice Presidents of Section the undersigned Chief Staff Officers will also have priority rights in the direct which are due to them.

Lt Col. R. T. T. of the Executive Command
Col. J. A. M. of the Section
Lt Col. J. A. M. of the Section

2. The extension of the priority privileges to Vice Presidents and their Chief Staff Officers need not be published in the Daily Bulletin.

Chief Staff Officer,
The Executive Command.

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27 JUN 1945

27 June 1945

Ref: 9006/64/25

SUBJECT: Indian Military Material

TO : East Forces Subcommission (MHA) (Att: Lt Col R.A. Hartley)

1. Reference is made to your letter of 21 May in reply to our letter of 10/5/45 of 16 March regarding the making available at Vitorbo to the first of 100,000 a quantity of tiles for the reconstruction of 'the house' barracks.

2. Efforts have been made to have these tiles made available to 100,000 at Vitorbo, but a letter which was received from 100,000 states that the 100,000 tiles are not in a position to replace the 100,000 but are ordered to replace them.

3. In view of this information, it would be appreciated if you would instruct what you wish done in this matter.

A. B. ARNOLD

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commission

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Ref: 8251/194/70

27 June 65

SUBJECT: Relaxation of Control of the Italian Army

TO: The President, Economic Section

1. Reference was memorandum 8251/182/43, 21 June 65, captioned: above subject.

2. It would be appreciated if an early reply could be sent to the effect of the result of the consideration. You were requested to make reference paragraph 1(A) of General Franklin's memorandum.

A. [Signature]

Chief, Staff of the
The Executive Committee

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Ref: 6523/66/XC

27 June 1965

SUBJECT: Italian Diplomatic Pouch in Switzerland

TO: Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italian Government

1. Reference is made to our letter of 18 June, reference number 6523/66/XC, regarding above subject.

2. It would be appreciated if we could have a reply to this letter as soon as possible.

A. 2-3
Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Tel: 735

27 June 1945.

Ref: 146/79/20.

SUBJECT: Military Government Staff (AUSSTIA)
 History dated 20 June 45 and
 left Civil Affairs Report (AUSSTIA)
 for period 4 - 13 June 45.

TO: His Excellency the Governor.

The following extracts from the above mentioned reports may be of interest to you.

Military Government Staff (AUSSTIA) History dated 20 June 45.

The arrangements made for the surrender of foreign exchange by Restrictions from AUSSTIA are as follows monthly. During the period 3 - 13 June 45 (and) the amount banked in displaced persons blocked accounts with the authorized banking agency KASSEL is as follows:

Belgium/Belgium	407,610	
Vorarlberg/Germany	1,315	
Poland/Wilhelmsstrasse	540	
French France	17,143	
Italian Italy	77,526	
Yugoslav Italy	1,059,150	
Yugoslav Italy	42,870	
Yugoslav Italy	5,105,740	
Yugoslav Italy	930	
Yugoslav Italy	295	
Yugoslav Italy	19,214.50	
Yugoslav Italy	13,451	
Yugoslav Italy	87,650	699
Yugoslav Italy	525.97	
Yugoslav Italy	576.85	
Yugoslav Italy	5,670,625	
Yugoslav Italy	290	
Yugoslav Italy	7250	
Yugoslav Italy	450	
Yugoslav Italy	6,150	

AUSSTIA Civil Affairs Report (AUSSTIA) for period 4 - 13 June 45.

The sums surrendered by German Army at 1740 total 1,506,891 in currency and 1,065,173 in travel documents have been delivered to the HQ and deposited with the authorized banking agency.

SUBJECT: Military Government Staff (AUSTRIA)
Sitrep dated 20 June 45 and
AMG Civil Affairs Report (AUSTRIA)
for period 14 - 15 June 45.

TO: Finance Sub Committee

The following extracts from the above mentioned reports may be of interest to you

Military Government Staff (AUSTRIA) Report dated 20 June 45.

"The arrangements made for the surrender of Foreign Exchange by designated firms in AUSTRIA are pending assembly. During the period 13 June 45 (local) the amounts denoted in the enclosed form as blocked accounts with the Authorized Banking Agency KASSELUNG are as follows:-

Belgium/Schilling	457,610
Verrechnungsbuch (V.B.)/Schilling	1,515
Währungsfond/Schilling	540
French Francs	17,145
1st Austrian lire	770,528
Yugoslav lire	1,050,150
Polish Zloty	14,670
Czech Koruna	5,165,740
Swiss Francs	930
Belgian Francs	295
Polish Zloty	13,214.50
Rumanian Lei	13,433
Swiss Francs	87,650
Swiss Francs	925.57
French Francs	576.29
Belgian Francs	5,670,625
Dutch Guilder	290
Belgian Francs	7850
Swiss Francs	450
Swiss Francs	6,450

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AMG Civil Affairs Report (AUSTRIA) for period 14 - 15 June 45.

"Five funds are ordered by German Army at 13000 total 1 340 691 in our currency and 1,56 673 in travel money otherwise have been collected to the AMG HQ and deposited with the authorized Banking Agency."

[Signature]
For Chief Staff Officer,
The Executive Committee.

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27 June

ROUTINE

IN CLEAR PD

REGIONAL COMMISSIONER WILL VISIT YOUR HEADQUARTERS ON WAY BACK FROM HOME PD
PAREN TO PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER LUCCA PROVINCE FROM HQ ALCOM FROM CARH PAREN
WOULD APPRECIATE IF YOU COULD ACCOMMODATE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER GMA AIDE DE CAMP
GMA ONE CIVILIAN DRIVER NIGHT TWO NINE THREE ZERO ARRIVING ABOUT ONE EIGHT ZERO ZERO
HOURS

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OFFICE EXECUTIVE COMR.

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Tel: 735.

27 June 1945.

Ref: 146/80/80

SUBJECT: Military Government Staff (AUSCHWITZ)
 Sitrep dated 20 June 45 and
 AFHQ Civil Affairs Report (AUSCHWITZ)
 for period 4 - 13 June 45.

TO : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission.

The following extracts from the above-mentioned reports may be of interest to you.

Military Government Staff (AUSCHWITZ) Sitrep dated 20 June 45.

"We evacuated from AUSCHWITZ to ITALY during the period 17 - 20 June incl. ITALIANS 240."

AFHQ Civil Affairs Report (AUSCHWITZ) for period 4 - 13 June 45.

"Italians in DP camps number 150. 19,765 DP were evacuated to Italy during the period 26 May to 2 June. The national breakdown of this group was as follows:-

Italians	2,693	Russians	265	Greeks	270	Austrians	7
French	5,184	Yorks	1	Dutch	549	Belgians	93
Polish	10,037	Jugoslavs	68	Hungarians	266	Danes	5
Czechs	136	Swiss	1	Polish	9	Algerians	102

"During the week ending 9 June 8,100 DP were evacuated to Italy."

Hevelly
 for Chief Staff Officer,
 To the Executive Committee.

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26 June 45.

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FIFTH ARMY PD

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PLEASE INFORM US IF YOU ARE ACTING ON THIS SIGNAL. ~~VERY TRUST WAVE~~
~~THIS NUMBER OF THIS ROAD NUMBER~~

Catly To : C A Sec
(for legal sec)

Office of Executive Commissioner

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E. T. Box

Lieut. Col.

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C.C.

Ref: 291/102/21.

Tel : 473204

26 June 1945

SUBJECT : Official Mail.

TO : D.O., TONGAREVA Region.

1. I refer to your RMT/57/Off/122 dated 20 June 45.
2. All offices at this Headquarters were advised by letter 9/65/GA dated 3 June 45 of the closing of TONGAREVA Region effective 0001 hours 19 June 45. At the same time Message Centre were instructed to dispatch only administrative correspondence in connection with the closing of the Region. The latter must be expected.

[Signature]
 Brigadier,
 Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 478207

25 June 1948.

Ref: 408/12/AC.

SUBJECT: Telegram for Japanese Army to Vatican.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: C-2 Section.

1. The enclosed telegram, addressed to the Japanese Army to the Vatican, was received over the MOSCOW - ROME radio link.
 2. A translation, the best it has been possible to obtain, is also enclosed.
 3. This message has not been delivered to addressee.
 4. Will you kindly advise of any action you require.
- For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Reserve Commissioner.

Incl:
as above

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Ref 2208/491/48

25 June 1945

MEMORANDUM

TO : Economic Section (for Colonel M. F. Balser, USA) -
 Liaison Officer

1. Reference is made to our memorandum 2208/491/48 of 15 June
 request for clarification of statement appearing in "transportation" subsection's
 Monthly Report for April under "Warehouses" be clarified.

2. It would be appreciated if an answer to our first memorandum
 could be had as soon as possible.

A. B. ARNOLDY

Chief Liaison Officer
 Co-Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 994/99/43.

23 June 1955.

SUBJECT: Mail Irregularities.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. The attached envelope addressed to Capt. R. Section contains private correspondence personally from one of your Italian civilian employees. This envelope was intercepted in the All AC Mail Exchange Center.

2. It will be noted that an official envelope of the VP CA Section has been used in an attempt to disguise the letter through official mail channels.

3. This is highly irregular. I shall be pleased to have your assurance that appropriate action has been taken in this case and to avoid a future recurrence.

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Communications.

cc: 10.

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Tel: 735

23 June 45

Ref: 997/121/73.

SUBJECT: Welfare and whereabouts.

TO : Marchese Cittadini-Lendi.

With reference to your inquiry as to the welfare and whereabouts of the Marchese and Marchesa Pallavicino 19381, I am glad to be able to tell you that information has been received that they are in good health, and are at present residing temporarily at Terrione di Costanzana (Verocelli). It is expected, however, that they will return in the course of the next few days to their permanent address at Via S. Teresa 11, Turin.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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23 June 1945.

Subject: Motor Car - Registration Number 10005 MI.

Re: Establishment Section.

1. I refer to my 5845/19/45 dated 7 May 45, 5845/66/45 dated 16 June 45, and my 1115/45 dated 19 June 45, in which you advised that the above mentioned car was decommissioned and returned to the owner on 19 June 45.

2. Enclosed is a further letter received by the Chief Commissioner from Mr. Philip H. Ryan, from which it will be noted that the car was released and set in a safe state for the road.

3. This case would appear to warrant investigation and I shall be pleased if you will cause the necessary enquiries to be made and submit a full report to this office for the information of the Chief Commissioner.

A. B. WILSON

Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

Yours,

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AND VARIOUS PLACES FOR BAPTIST, METHODIST

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1st. Col.
G. S. O.

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Ref: 591/57/80

22 June 1945

SUBJECT: Official Mail Service.

TO : Regional Commissioner, ASD Liguria Region

1. Informant your LIC/10/39 dated 12 June 45 and your signal number 235 dated 15 June 45.

2. The official mail service between this H. and Liguria Region has now been fully considered and for the following reasons decision taken to continue the present service:

(a) The A.C. plane to Milan is at present taxed to its utmost capacity in serving Lombardia Region alone.

(b) The present method of despatching mail to your H. is apparently faster than would be the alternative proposed by you.

3. At present the mail leaves Rome at 0810 hours by A.C. arriving Milan at 1130 from where it is transmitted direct to H. Sub-Area at Genova who clear to you. One of the A.C. plane leaving Rome at 0930 for Lombardia Region, Milan, could entail delivery by the latter to H. Sub-Area who would pass to H. Sub-Area for onward transmission to you, and there is the possibility in this way that the pouch would miss the connection to Genova on that day, resulting in a delay of at least 24 hours.

4. It is anticipated that a new plane service will be instituted at the end of this month between Rome and Genova when advantage will be taken of this direct service.

E. Talbot

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Brigadier,

Executive Commissioner.

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JUN 28 1965
A.B.C.

REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS LOMBARDIA, LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, VENETIA, EMILIA.

SAB.

22 June 65.

Priority
Express.

IN CLEAR BY MY HANDS TO

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IS HOLDING A CONFERENCE ON THE TWENTYTHIRD
AND TWENTYFOURTH JUNE AND WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU SUBJECT TO AGENCY
APPROVAL, CAN YOU AND YOUR DEPUTIES WOULD ATTEND

PAGE TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS LOMBARDIA, LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, VENETIA, EMILIA
FROM HEADQUARTERS ALGERIA

AND BRING WITH YOU ANY LOCAL ITALIAN OFFICIALS WHOSE WORK YOU CONSIDER
WOULD BE BENEFITED BY CONFERRING WITH MEMBERS OF ALGERIA HEADQUARTERS AND THEIR
OPPOSITE NUMBERS IN THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TO

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Office of Executive Commissioner

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Lieut. Col.

JUN 22 1945

Ref: 6254/102/12.

21 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Relaxation of control of the Italian Army.

TO: 1. 4/1100 President,
Executive Section.

1. Under reference 6254/102/12 dated 7 June 1945 I obtained a copy of a memorandum prepared by General BOWEN, U.S.C. Staff Section Sub-Coordinator (U.S.C.S.) on the subject of the relaxation of control of the Italian Army.
2. I shall be grateful if you will let me have, as early as possible, the result of the consideration you wish requested to make, reference para 15(a) of General BOWEN's memorandum.

For the Chief Commissioner:

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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21 June 45
C.E.
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Date: 26/3/50.

21 June 45.

Subject: Regional Orders.

To: See distribution below.

1.

With a view to achieving as much uniformity in administration as is possible in the Regions in Northern Italy, I think it would be useful if each Regional Commissioner had the opportunity of seeing the Regional Orders posted by other Regions.

2.

I will be grateful therefore if each Regional Commissioner will take steps to ensure that copies of his Regional Orders are sent to the other Regions with a view to:-

- a) attaining the uniformity referred to in para: 1
- b) giving each Regional Commissioner the opportunity of picking the brains of his colleagues.

By Command of
Chief Commissioner:

John L. Hall
(Signature)
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Distribution:

Regional Commissioner	LOMBARDIA
"	PIEMONTE
"	LIIGURIA
"	VENETIA
"	EMILIA

Copies to: AHC 5th Army
AHC 8th Army
AHC IV Corps
C.A. Section
Economic Section.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 398
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 212/153/20

22 June 45

SUBJECT: Insertion for Daily Bulletin

TO: Adjutant

Please publish the following entry in Daily Bulletin tomorrow, Saturday, 23 June 45:

SIGNALS AND CORRESPONDENCE FOR AMG XIII CORPS

USAG, XIII Corps, advises that it continues to receive signals and correspondence addressed to VENEZIA GIULIA Region.

Para 3 of Executive Commissioner's letter 222/22 dated 14 June 45 is repeated below for information and immediate compliance:

"All correspondence for VENEZIA GIULIA will be addressed to AMG XIII Corps with a copy, when the correspondence deals with matters of high policy, to AMG Eighth Army."

No repeat HQ signals or correspondence will be addressed to VENEZIA GIULIA Region nor to Regional Commissioner, VENEZIA GIULIA. (Ex Corcor)

Copy to: File 596/20
File 390/20

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Gen-5 AFHQ

HQTT JOURNAL COMPLETION PLANNING

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16 June 45.

Priority.

In CLEAR PD

AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED FOR GENERAL MARSHALL TO VISIT HEADQUARTERS TWENTY
CORES FOR A PERIOD OF ABOUT FOUR DAYS COMMENCING TWENTIETH JUNE 45
WITH GENERAL FIVE AFHQ REQUESTED JOURNAL COMPLETION PLANNING FROM
HEADQUARTERS ALONG WITH ACTING PAPER

Office of Executive Commissioner.

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Lt.Col.

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JUNE 18 1945
C.C.

FIVE ARMY

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16 June 45

ROUTINE

SECRET PD

INTERESTED AXIS DIPLOMATS IN CUSTODY ARE BEING TRANSFERRED FROM MONTICATANI
TO ANOTHER LOCATION IN FIFTH ARMY PD

PARTIC TO FIVE ARMY HQS ARE HIGHLY CONCERNED TO AVOID PERIOD

INTENTION IS TO TRANSFER ALL GRABERS TO SPACE TOGETHER WITH THOSE HELD AT
TACOMA PD ALSO IS INSTRUCTED TRANSFER ALSO THOSE AT TACOMA TO THE NEW
LOCATION PD PLEASE ADVISE LOCATION PD WILL BE ADVISED LATER PD NUMBER
INVOLVED BELIEVED TO BE TWELVE PD ULTIMATE DISPOSITION OF REMAINING DIPLOMATS
NOT YET KNOWN

Office of Exec Commissioner

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JUN 18 1945

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Tel: 478261

15 June 1945.

Ref: 6529/95/ED.

SUBJECT: Exchange of Diplomats.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
BURUNDIA region.

1. I am informed that the diplomatic representatives accredited to the Republican Government by HUNGARY, ROMANIA, CROATIA, THAILANDIA, BOSNIA and SERBIA are detained at UJESIGIO. The total number is said to be about fifty.

2. The situation with regard to these diplomatic representatives is a little obscure and I shall be glad if you will endeavour to ascertain who at the moment is responsible for them. It will also be appreciated if nominal roll of persons of diplomatic status could be obtained showing name, rank, status and country from which accredited.

3. Will you please reply as soon as possible.


Brigadier,
Regional Commissioner.

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Tel : 473204

15 June 1945

Ref/4735/153/45.

SUBJECT : Requisitioning.

TO : Commissioner, AMS Naples Province.

1. The attached copy of memorandum dated 3 June 45 emanates from the Italian Liaison Officer to Chief Commissioner.
2. Will you please take appropriate action.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to : Lt. Grottafelli.

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Liaison Office

File No. 127

Request of Surrequisition.

8 June 1945

Major Morlen.

- 1) On 31 Oct. 1943 Allied Police Forces requisitioned a flat in Naples, Via Leone Marsicano 6, 1.2, property of Sig. Salvatore MAITALENA.
- 2) Sig. MAITALENA has appealed to H.R.H. the Lieutenant General of the Realm, asking for his intervention in order to obtain the Surrequisitioning of this flat.
3. We should be grateful if some action could kindly be taken on this matter.

V.L. CROTTI Lt. Artv:
Liaison Officer to G/C

cc
JUN 18 1945

Tel: 476730

12 June 1945.

Ref: 11-7/133/80.

SUBJECT: Signal Communications.

TO : SO(M) Liaison Staff,
Rome.

1. I refer to your signal 962 dated 9 June 45 addressed to KEYCHAIN.
2. The facilities you have made available to us will, I am pleased to say, not be required after the end of June.
3. Please accept my sincere thanks for your invaluable help in this matter.

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Mr. Hopkins.

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S E C R E T

Ref: 6525/58/PC

13 June 45

SUBJECT: Reparations for War Damage to Jap Marine

TO : HQ JMC Emilia Region, Allied Commission

Reference our 6525/56/PC, of 5 June 45, it will be appreciated if a reply could be expedited in connection with the question raised by AFHQ.

A. B. ARNOLDY

Chief Staff Officer
to Executive Commissioner

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[Signature]

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Ref: 9267/21.

8 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Dissolution of PEB ITALY.

TO : Public Relations Branch.

1. Reference Paper No. SAC (P) (45) 28 of 29 May 45 copy of which was passed to you by this office on 31 May 45.
2. Herewith for your information an extract from the Minutes of SACMCO's 13th Meeting (Political) held on 31 May 45 at which this Paper was discussed.

/JG.

[Signature]
Per Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

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Ref : 6523/20.

TO : The Honorable Myron C. Taylor,
Personal Representative of the President
of the U.S. to His Holiness the Pope,
2 Via Boncompagni,
ROME.

1. With reference to your letter of 30 May 1945 enclosing Note No. 94700/SA from the Holy See, I have to inform you that the Japanese Diplomats to whom reference is made have all been accounted for, are in Allied hands in Italy and all are well.

2. I trust this information will be satisfactory to you.

For the Chief Commissioner :

E. Talbot

Brigadier

Executive Committee

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Ref: 542/42/80.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Report on Partisans.

TO : Regional Commissioners,
LIBERIA Region
PIEDMONT Region
LIMBANGUA Region
VIRGILIA Region

The enclosed report from a Secret source is sent to you for information.

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Encl.

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Ref: 542/43/10.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: List of Collaborators.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Lombardy Region.

We have received the enclosed list of Fascist collaborators from an independent source. This is stale news to you but it is forwarded in case it tells you something you do not already know.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Encl.

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SECRET.

Ref: 542/47/20.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Political Report.
TO : Regional Commissioner,
PINDAR'S Region.

I enclose a copy of a report received from a Secret source
for your information.

E. Talbot

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Encl.

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SECRET

Ref: 542/45/BO.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Political Report.

TO : Finance Sub-Commission.
Regional Commissioner, VANDERBILT Region.

I enclose a copy of a report received from a secret source for your information.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 542/15/30.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Situation Report.

TO : G.C.A.D. 13 Corps (for Regional Commissioner, VENEZIA AREA)
Regional Commissioner, VENEZIA Region.

I attach a copy of a report from a Secret source for your information.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Encl.

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SECRET.

Ref: 542/44/30.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Political/Military Report.

TO : S.C.A.C. 13 Corps (For Regional Commissioner, VENEZUELA BRIGADE)
Regional Commissioner, VENEZUELA Region.

I attach a copy of a report from a Secret source for your information.

E. J. 45
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Tel : 735

7 June 1945

Ref/5845/56/30.

SUBJECT : Application for Derequisitioning
of LANCIA-APRILIA (Rome 63780)

TO : Establishment Section.

1. Reference 5845/55/83 dated 13 May 45, subject as above.
2. The draft reply to Prime Minister DEWOLF has not yet been submitted.

A. B. ARNOLDY.

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Chief Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
AHC 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 735

Ref: 550/104/EC.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Visitors to Northern Regions.

TO : Distribution below.

1. Embarrassment is being caused to Regional Commissioners in the North by the large number of Italian civilians and others of non Allied nationality who are sent to them by Sub-Commissions for accommodation and messing.
2. It is not the desire of Regional Commissioners to refuse hospitality but Directors of Sub-Commissions must realise that accommodation is often stretched to the utmost and rations cannot be drawn for other than Allied military personnel. Therefore, it must be borne in mind that only persons of the category mentioned above who are of special importance should be offered AHC accommodation.
3. Naturally, Regional Commissioners must always be consulted in advance as to the availability of accommodation.

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Brigadier
Executive Commissioner.

DISTRIBUTION:

"C"
plus Lombardia Region (for info)

[Handwritten signature]

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Ref: 735

Ref: 146/45/XX.

7 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Military Government AUSTRIA Sitrep
dated 3 June.

TO : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission.

1. The following extracts from the above mentioned sitrep may be of interest to you:

DISPLACED PERSONS.

Further evacuation across AUSTRO-ITALIAN frontier has been suspended by order of Eighth Army.

Arrangements to adjust evacuation of DPs from AUSTRIA to the new Army 1. of G, i.e. by sea from VENICE, are being made through Eighth Army and AMHQ.

Assistance is being given by DAF who will lift about 2000 from TREVISO to TRIESTE."

2. The attached Appendix "B", referred to in para 6 of the above mentioned sitrep, is forwarded for your information.

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for Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 735

6 June 1945.

Ref: 555/95/EC.

SUBJECT: G-5 Section, 15 Army Group.

TO : Distribution below.

1. G-5 Section, Headquarters, 15 Army Group is now located vicinity VERONA (F 6955).
2. Telephone exchange remains MILFOT.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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and Group III)

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Ref: 735

6 June 1945.

Ref: 162/27/50.

SUBJECT: Interim Report for the Provinces of FORLI, RAVENNA, FERRARA and the Republic of SAN MARINO for week ending 26 May 45.

TO : Pol Adv (A)
Pol Adv (B)

The following extracts from the above mentioned reports may be of interest to you:

Political.

The political situation is improving throughout the province of FORLI, and in FERRARA and RAVENNA is quite quiet. A reorganization of the CLN in FERRARA is in progress. The new list of officers will be shown to the Provincial Commissioner, who reports that three of the names proposed are excellent choices.

Patriots.

At RAVENNA the "laying down of arms" ceremony passed off without incident and by 26 May the Patriot Centre was emptied. It has since been learned that while the RAVENNA patriots handed in all the arms belonging to 8th Army, other arms in their possession were retained. Arrangements are in hand to locate and collect these.

Relations between Troops and Civilians.

An incident occurred in MERCATO SARACENO (FORLI Province) between Poles and Partisans. The Poles took a Red flag from parading Partisans, and during the demonstration that followed, one Polish Corporal was killed and two others wounded. The feeling is becoming more intense between the Italians and the Poles, and, from information received, it is by no means always the fault of the Italians.

San Marino.

Trials of San Marinense fascists are proceeding with no pronouncements of judgment to date. All Italian fascists were expelled from the Republic three weeks ago."

for Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 735

6 June 1945.

Ref: 553/95/EC.

SUBJECT: C-5 Section, 15 Army Group.

TO : Distribution below.

1. C-5 Section, Headquarters, 15 Army Group is now located vicinity VERONA (F 6955).
2. Telephone exchange remains FILLET.

[Signature]
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner.

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and Group III)

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SECRET

Tel: 478201

5 June 1945

Ref: 118/58/101.

SUBJECT: Sitrep on VERONESE Region dated 5 June.

TO : R.O. VERONESE Region.
C.A. Section (for Patriots Branch).

The following information on the above subject, received through a secret source, may be of interest to you:

"The Partisan situation in the VERONESE is still not normal. The areas in which there is most disorder are :

SAN DONA DI PIAVE
QUERZET
VAL D'AGNONE
and the area NORTH EAST OF VITTORIO VERONESE

According to information received from the local Prefect and the Regional Military Command in PADOVA it would appear opportune to remove Capt. CARLINI, Vice-Commander of a Partisan group who by ordering his men to commit acts of violence, is preventing the restoration of order. In general the population of the VERONESE would like to see quiet restored and wholly disavow the present chaotic situation created by a number of bands still armed which are committing acts of violence and aggression to an extent which at the moment is not significant but if it were to continue might lead to reactions of an unforeseeable nature."

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/MND No. 785015

Ref: 7046/RO.

5 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Officer Replacement.

TO : Executive Officer (H).

1. Brigadier RICHARD, Deputy Chief of Staff, 15 Army Group, rang me up to pass on Colonel Nelson HODGKIN's message requesting that a replacement should be found for Lt. Colonel FREDERICK JONES.

2. I told Brigadier RICHARD that our view here was that the work of G-5, 15 Army Group was steadily decreasing and that I expected a replacement would not be made. I explained to him that we have recently been given the right to correspond direct with Regional Commissioners in the North and I did not think that the work was more than Colonel Purcell and Captain Lewis could handle.

3. He was inclined to agree with this, but I promised to put it up to the appropriate quarter, which I am now doing.

E. Talbot

Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 678801

5 June 1945.

Ref: 6529/83/80.

SUBJECT: German and Japanese Diplomatic and Consular
Officials Interned in Northcott.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: G-5 Section.

Reference your 091.112-75 of 31 May 1945, a copy of a
letter on the above subject to the Minister for Foreign Affairs
is attached for your information.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Lt. Col. Talbot
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Incl:
Ltr 6529/82/80 dtd June 45.

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1 JUN 1945

No. 6735/10.

SUBJECT: Regulation of Property.

30. Official Correspondence
71. Announcements

1. The Chief Commissioner has directed me to inform you of the following situation.

2. A house belonging to Frances Williams, located at Plana del Municipio 6, SANTIAGO, is reported to be required for use by certain Allied troops. The owner of this house is in PRU, and in view of the services rendered by her son, American citizens, to the Allied Government and the Allies, I shall be grateful if requisitioning of the property can be avoided.

For the Global Commission

(neg) H. Walker, Sec. Cal.
Agriculture Commission.

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Ref: 735

2 June 1945.

Ref: 2216/67/EC.

SUBJECT: Concentration Camp at MAUTHAUSEN.

TO : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Comm (Thru C.A. Section)

1. A letter and telegram from AME Lombardia Region (RC/C-LE/113) and the Prefect of MILAN respectively are attached. MAUTHAUSEN is in Upper AUSTRIA, as shown on the attached map.

2. It has been decided not to forward the telegram to Field Marshal Alexander as requested in the telegram from the Prefect of MILAN. You are required to take this matter up and to report the action taken to this Office.

Chief Staff Officer,
Deputy Commissioner.

Incl:
as above

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGION LOMBARDIA
APO 394

Reference : RC/G-1E/113

Subject : Telegram - (Prefect of Milan)

To : Headquarters,
Allied Commission (attn: Executive Commissioner)

1. The attached telegram addressed to the S.A.C. Med. Theatre has been received through the Provincial Commissioner (Milan City) from the Prefect of MILAN.

2. The telegram is forwarded for such action as may be deemed advisable.

For the Regional Commissioner:

V.B. WATCHER,
Capt., E.A.
Adm. Officer.

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Translation

Milan prefecture

n. 629/7508

Milan, 26 May 1945

TELEGRAM

To H.M. Marshal Alexander

The population of Milan was greatly upset on hearing of the tragical fate of the Italians interned in the Mauthausen concentration camp, and begs your Excellency to take immediate action to relieve, as much as possible, the sufferings of the survivors, and repatriate them as soon as possible.
Trusting in your kind interest, I thank you and remain, Excellency,

THE PREFECT OF MILAN LOMBARDI

seen: IL CAPO DI CARINETTO

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

A.P.O. 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tele No : Ext 243.

1 June 1945.

Ref/201/54/31.

SUBJECT : Report - Iguria Region.

TO : Chief Staff Officer
Civil Affairs Section.

The following extract from a report by I.C. Iguria
Region is forwarded for your information and appropriate action :

"As regards Patriots, all current directives which I possess
clearly lay down that the feeding of them, their movement
and the setting up and maintenance of Patriot Centres is
a military responsibility. It is only with the greatest
difficulty that we can get any assistance from the military.
The fault does not lie with the local organisations who are
frequently only too willing to help - the trouble lies
higher up."

E.T. P. 37
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 472223

1 June 1945.

Ref: 142/25/20.

SUBJECT: MILWA Region report dated 28 May.

TO: 4-5 Section, etc.

The following extracts from the above mentioned report may be of interest to you:

1. The chief problem in all these provinces is a lack of sufficient law-enforcement personnel, and the low morale of those who are available for duty. The SS are especially unreliable to execute effectively against partisan bands, and as a consequence, murders, illegal arrests, executions, evictions and extortions continue, especially in Pomerania, where 20 persons were recently arrested by alleged partisans, and 11 shot. The sole survivors refused to testify.

2. Prisons everywhere are overcrowded, and in many cases the situation is delicate because ordinary civilian prisoners, prisoners of war, Italian military prisoners and alleged fascists are held under one roof. Segregation is taking place in most of the prisons by transferring prisoners of war to cages and releasing the "small fry" fascists who were guilty of nothing but minor activity.

3. The food situation remains good. There are surpluses in the area, and there will be more, but distribution has been hampered by the scarcity of rail. Just recently the situation has been eased by the allocation of 101 in these provinces by Rome.

4. The number of refugees passing through the Pomerania Centre averages 175-200 per day. The Pomerania Centre is seriously overcrowded. In addition to the transients there is a "constant" population, which keeps the daily figure at approximately 7,000. During this week 20,000 passed through the Pomerania Centre. The Red Cross is distributing clothing in all these provinces.

5. 1,241 mines were lifted in the provinces of Pomerania and Pomerania during the week.

6. Deep prospects: Estimates reveal that there will be a 30 to 40% decrease in the harvest. The harvest continues, and copper sulphate is badly needed everywhere. Efforts are still being made to obtain it from VICHY.

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The following extracts from the above mentioned report may be of interest to you:

24. The chief problem in all these provinces is a lack of sufficient law-enforcement personnel, and the low morale of those who are available for duty. The O.S. especially are unable to cooperate effectively against partisan bands, and as a consequence, rampant, illegal arrests, executions, violations and extortions continue, especially in PERUZZA, where 20 persons were recently arrested by alleged partisans, and 14 shot. The sole survivors refused to testify.

25. Prisoners everywhere are overcrowded, and in many cases the situation is delicate because ordinary civilian prisoners, prisoners of war, Italian military prisoners and alleged fascists are held under one roof. Segregation is taking place in most of the prisons by transferring prisoners of war to cages and releasing the "small fry" fascists who were guilty of nothing but minor activity.

26. The food situation remains poor. There are shortages in the area, and there will be more, but distribution has been hampered by the scarcity of fuel. Just recently the situation has been eased by the allocation of fuel in these provinces by retaco.

27. The number of refugees passing through the PERUZZA Centre averages 175-200 per day. The PERUZZA Centre is seriously overcrowded. In addition to the transients there is a "constant" population, which keeps the daily figure at approximately 7,000. During this week 50,000 passed through the PERUZZA Centre. The red cross is distributing clothing in all these provinces.

28. 1,200 mines were lifted in the provinces of PERUZZA and PERUZZA during the week.

29. Crop prospects: Statistics reveal that there will be a 20 to 40% decrease in the harvest. The drought continues, and crops are badly needed everywhere. Efforts are still being made to obtain it from PERUZZA.

For the Chief's records

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for transmission
Executive Conference

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31 May 45

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YOUR TWO ONE FOUR SEVEN DATED TWO FOUR MAY CITE FOX ONE EIGHT FOUR PD
PAREN TO FIVE ARMY FOR GEORGE FIVE FROM HQ ALCOM CITE ACXC PAREN
DIPLOMATIC BAGGAGE SHOULD BE WITH DIPLOMATS OR FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY PD
SPARE NO EFFORT TO KEEP TOGETHER PD BOTH GERMANY AND JAPAN MADE EVERY
EFFORT IN THIS WITH ALLIED DIPLOMATS

Office of Exec Commissioner

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30 May 1948.

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RECEIVED: BY Bureau Information Services.

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This national estimate given IV Corps of troops under 21.
22 and 23 May 48 are passed to you for information.

For the Chief of Communications.

for information,
Respectfully Submitted,
[Signature]

End.

PIEMONTE

MOBILE

20 May 1945

On 18 May, a demonstration took place in town by persons who wish the annexation of the Valley of Aosta to France to take place. 300-400 were not in sufficient numbers to cope with the situation and the Commander of troops was asked to assist by having some of his units brought into the square and to move around, thus keeping the crowd on the move. As a result in various trouble took place until French soldiers appeared on the balcony of the hotel and saluted the crowd. The P.A.O. was approached by a French Major who asked to place patrols of French soldiers in the town. The P.A.O. refused to allow armed French soldiers to patrol and stated, for the maintenance of law and order, he had asked the various commander to furnish the troops to maintain order and that there was no need for French soldiers. The French Major stated the refusal of the P.A.O. to use French troops was an insult to his Government. At this time a platoon of French soldiers appeared in the square and the P.A.O., requested the French officer to have them returned to their barracks. After slight hesitation he agreed. The P.A.O. did not allow the Italian soldiers to demonstrate and requested them to disperse which they did and unless of "long live the Allies."

5 arrests were made but it was determined if they were the leaders of this demonstration. If an accusation is made, they will appear before an Italian Court for trial.

A French Paratrooper for presentation of American decorations passed off with minor incidents, can be being visited in the lag. Increased Communist activity many numbers of several large plants in noted. Close watch on situation is being kept. All other political parties vigorously at least are working time.

VALLEY MARKET

In Torino Province, the dismantling of partisan groups is progressing very slowly. Lack of qualified personnel in enforcement agency seriously hampers the administration of justice work.

VALLEY

In the Valle, Ridge and People's areas of Corso Province the occupational troops are French. All officials do not visit these areas. A French Civil Committee has closed the Banks and decreed that only French francs are legal currency. Lire are being taken up by the French at the rates of two Lire to one franc.

In parts of Aosta and Torino provinces French troops are being substituted for lire through the carabinieri. A certain amount of compulsion is used by the French in order to force these measures. When the foreigning areas come under proper All control a difficult situation will arise as the presence of French in appreciable quantity will conflict with our ban of the importation, or dealing in, foreign currency. It may be mentioned that the French allow little currency over this matter as there is a considerable amount of French currency circulating in these areas in normal times. They suggest that the rates should be 1.5 lire to 1.

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22 May 1945.

Communist activity continues unabated. They are especially active in large industrial plants and busily engaged in attempts to organize workers. Political parties are at present feeling their way to see how far they are prepared to allow them to go. The political parties are not unduly troublesome. It is reported from GUSO that French are looting at ANZANI, BASSANO and FINEA PORTO, taking foodstuffs and clothing. Italian civilians have been struck.

23 May 1945.

(Report made by the Sindaco of VIMARCO)

For about fifteen days French troops have occupied the territory of this Comune. After so many German and Fascist arrogant inroad times, this occupation at first seemed a liberation but it soon appeared in a few days a merciless domination, and a protest against the Italian occupation of 1940.

The population is deeply indignant, having taken the French troops as liberators.

The schools are occupied, school benches burnt - or destroyed, the hospital occupied as a Barracks and all furniture and linen destroyed. The civilians were maltreated and suffered robbery.

After all this the Military troops shamelessly declared to the school teachers that from now on they will be subjected to French laws. I will be obliged if you will suppress this behavior and insure honorable attention.

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4410/126/EC.

Import of Rock Phosphate
from North Africa.

30 May 45

Economic Section

1. It would be appreciated if the Executive Commissioner's Office were informed what has been the final action with reference to the import of rock phosphate from North Africa.
2. It is understood that M. Verde Dshiale, delegate of Institute of Phosphate, has visited your Section in connection with this question.

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 6523/59/80

29 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Italian Diplomatic Pouch from Switzerland.

TO : Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Italian Government.

1. Reference Ministry for Foreign Affairs memorandum 6/1396/630 of 18 May 1945 regarding Italian diplomatic pouch from Switzerland.

2. This matter has been referred to Allied Forces Headquarters with a request that the Italian Legation in Switzerland be informed to accept and forward to Rome sealed diplomatic pouches containing official correspondence for the Italian Government.

Copy to: Communications Sub-Commission.

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FIVE AMEX
EIGHTHARMY

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28 May 1945

PRIORITY

SIR CLIFFORD HATHCOTE SMITH URGENTLY REQUIRED IN HOME FOLLOWING ARRIVAL
OF MOST IMPORTANT LETTER PD

PARSH TO FIVE AMEX CMA EIGHTHARMY NPT CMA FIVE AMEX GROUP CMA FOUR CORPS
FROM HQ ALCON CITE AGEND PARSH

GRATEFUL YOU DO YOUR UTMOST

Copy to:

Lt. Col. Tomlin,
Inter Governmental Committee on Refugees.

Office of the Executive Commissioner.

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Lt. Col.
O. S. S.

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Ref: 9267/73/EC.

27 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Psychological Warfare Sub-Committee.

TO : A.F.H.C.
(Attention: R.A.C.'s Secretariat).

1. It will be appreciated if three copies of papers and minutes of all future meetings of the Psychological Warfare Sub-Committee can be sent to the Chief Commissioner.

2. May one further copy of paper Ref 90(45) 6 dated 23 May 1945 subject "P.W.B. Functions in North Italy" and minutes of meeting held 24 May be forwarded.

For the Chief Commissioner:

E. JALBOT
V Brigadier, I.C.C.
Executive Commissioner.

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Ref: 8252/118/20.

27 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Memorandum from Gen. de Pradono.

TO : R.C., PIRSONIA Region.

The enclosed copy of a memorandum from Gen. de Pradono to the Minister for War is forwarded for information.

For the Chief Commissioner:


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: S.C.A.C. Fifth Army.

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Ref: 735

Ref: 577/15/EC.

26 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Reports - Officers.

TO : Establishment Section.

The Chief Commissioner directs that the attached correspondence concerning Colonel Charles Polatti is to be filed in Colonel Polatti's personal 201 file.

J. H. H. H.
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
as above

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Tel: 735

Ref: 3207/103/50.

26 May 1985.

SUBJECT: Recruitment of Patriots into the Army.

TO : SAC, Lead Forces Sub-Commission (1231A).

At the Vice-President's Meeting on 23 May you undertook to re-examine group enlistment of Patriots. I should be grateful if you would let us know if there have been any further developments in this matter.

E. ALBO, LT Col
✓ Brigadier,
Executive Commission.

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Tel: 735

Ref: 252/157/30.

26 May 1946.

SUBJECT: Employment of Allied Civilians in Allied Commission.

TO : Establishment Section.

Please see attached copy of a letter from the British Ambassador and arrange that these two persons mentioned therein are returned to U.K. by air with Priority 2.

J. H. H. H.
for Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

Indls:
as above

Copy to: Communications Sub-Commission (With copy of
letter under reference from British
Ambassador for information)

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Tel : 473204

Ref: 997/103/70.

25 May 1945

SUBJECT : Horsebouts Inquiry.

TO : AVG, ANCONA Consulate.

1. With reference UMBRIA-MARCHE Region letter Ref. 5/507/26 of 5 April 45, regarding the furniture of Mrs. Lina BOTTICCI, the following details have now been received.

- a. Shipper: "All Rapid Transport Service" 107 Fincham Street, London E.C.3 on 9 August '39.
- b. Consignor: Ditta Humbert Kone, 10 Via A. Saffi Ancona.
- c. Goods were known to have arrived safely at Ancona and until June 1944 were known to have been kept in a Customs House there.
- d. No invoices or documents available.
- e. Marchese Membrini Consaga, Ancona or Countess Charis de Bosis of Pietra da Croce, Ancona and Via De Macelli 66 Rome. Maggi, Corso Mazzini, Ancona was the notary connected with the property.
- f. The Goods amounted to furniture and utensils for a small cottage. "

2. I hope that this information will be of some assistance to you in tracing the furniture.

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To, Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

MAY 25 RECD

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Tel: 478301

24 May 1945.

Ref: 5589/16/20.

SUBJECT: Captured Enemy Diplomatic.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: G-5 Section.

1. The following is an extract of a report made by Lt. Col. J. H. WILSON of this HQ on his return from recent duty with the German South Western Command:

"I learned Sunday afternoon that the German Ambassador has on him \$ million lire, alleged private funds and the rest of the staff about \$ million each. Whether this is really private, I don't know, but assuming it is, it is altogether too much for legitimate personal needs while they are in our hands. They will not, I presume, have access to expenditures to enable them to spend on that scale. I think that the excess of reasonable requirements if it is private money should be held for them."

2. The above is passed to you for any action you consider appropriate.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785045

Tel ext 341

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Ref: 8272/74/20

21 May 45

SUBJECT: The "110" Italian Army Vehicles

TO : Land Forces Subcommission, NMIA, (For Col Ingledew)

On 18 May General Washlin of AFHQ informed Colonel Walton, Economic Section, that the object of Circular 5, 11 April, AFHQ, was to insure that the title for Italian Army vehicles was vested in the Italian War Ministry. The General stated he would check the statement and amend it to permit 110 vehicles to remain in the AMG pools as desired by the Economic Section subject to the condition that the title to the vehicles would be clearly vested in the War Ministry. He stated that he would inform NMIA and in the meantime desired that we postpone any definite action to transfer the vehicles physically to NMIA.

[Signature]
Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

SECRET

Ref: 478201

18 May 1945.

Ref: 6529/MC.

SUBJECT: Captured Enemy Diplomats.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
TOSGANA Region.

1. Thank you for your letter reference C-V-REC 1 dated 16 May 1945 with nominal roll of German and Japanese diplomats accommodated at the Argentina Hotel, MARTINIEN. It is noted that you will advise us daily of any amendments thereto.

2. We are pressing AFHQ for disposal instructions.

 Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/8HD No. 785015

SECRET

Tel: 478201

16 May 1945.

Ref: 6522/33.

SUBJECT: Captured Enemy Diplomats.

TO: Allied Force Headquarters,
Attn: G-5 Section.

1. With reference to your signal F 74402 dated 12 May 1945, attached hereto is nominal roll of German and Japanese diplomats now contained at the Hotel Argentina, BERNHARDT.

2. This nominal roll is up-to-date as of 16 May. For information and any further arrivals are expected and you will be kept advised of any additions to the list.

For the Chief Commissioner:

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
as above

Copy to: G-5, 15 Army Group

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16 May 1945.

The nominal roll of GERMAN and JAPANESE Diplomats who have arrived at MOSCOW and are accommodated at the Hotel Argentina is as follows:-

GERMAN CIVILIAN DIPLOMATS.

1. ALBRECHT,	Frederic Wilhelm
2. DITZBERG,	Harold
3. BOEHM,	Gottfried
4. BRUNN,	Bernhard
5. BUCK,	August
6. DECHERT,	Adolf
7. FASSBENDER,	Johnson
8. FERNER,	Walter
9. HARMANN,	Adolf
10. HART,	Frederic
11. KLEIN,	Halter
12. KUEHL,	Josef
13. MARTIN,	Rugo
14. MONTIER,	Hans
15. SALZMANN,	August Alexander
16. SCHAEFER,	Dorothea Max
17. SCHUTTERER,	Wilhelm
18. STUBER,	Heinrich
19. STUBERICH,	Wolfgang
20. VON DORF,	Doris
21. TESSA,	Helmut
22. VON FRIEDRICH,	Hans
23. HAESELMANN,	Kurt
24. WILF,	Heinz
25. WUNDERPFEIL,	Paul
26. RAB,	Rudolf
27. HOFMANN,	Harold
28. VON HEDDICH,	Wilhelm-Gundter
29. GUNDEL,	Gottfried
30. VON VERNER,	Herbert
31. HALL,	Hubert
32. SCHULZ,	Walter
33. SCHMIDT,	Johnson
34. KADDER,	Josef
35. SCHULZ,	Herbert

GERMAN FAMILIES.

1. BAIER,	Dora
2. BEISWITZ,	Johnna
3. BRUNN,	Gottfried
4. BRUNN,	Gisela
5. BRUNN,	Klara Elisabeth
6. BRUNN,	Gottfried
7. BRUNN,	Grote
8. BRUNN,	Meta
9. BRUNN,	Irma
10. BRUNN,	Katharina
11. BRUNN,	Kurt

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7. FASSENER,
 8. FENNER,
 9. HAUSEMAN,
 10. HAUT,
 11. KLEIN,
 12. KRELL,
 13. MADDER,
 14. MOLLER,
 15. SALZMAN,
 16. SCHLATER,
 17. SCHWENKE,
 18. STACHEL,
 19. STEINMULLER,
 20. VON BARNHART,
 21. FRANK,
 22. VON ECKHARDT,
 23. WATZEMANN,
 24. WILF,
 25. RECHENFENIG,
 26. RAK,
 27. BOMANN,
 28. VON FRIEDRICH,
 29. GROSSE,
 30. VON VELHARDT,
 31. HAAS,
 32. SCHLITZ,
 33. SCHMANN,
 34. KOFER,
 35. SCHULZ,
1. Johann
 2. Walter
 3. Adolf
 4. Frederic
 5. Walter
 6. Josef
 7. Hugo
 8. Hans
 9. August Altmann
 10. Schmellings Max
 11. Wilhelm
 12. Heinrich
 13. Wolfgang
 14. Ernst
 15. Helmut
 16. Hanso
 17. Kurt
 18. Helms
 19. Paul
 20. Rudolf
 21. Handlkar
 22. Wilhelm-Genther
 23. Gerhard
 24. Herbert
 25. Huben
 26. Walter
 27. Johann
 28. Josef
 29. Robert

SHARF WILDER.

1. BAEGER,
 2. BEHNHOFER,
 3. BRENN,
 4. BRECHT,
 5. BAUMANN,
 6. CIERICH,
 7. HAEPTIGER,
 8. MARTEN,
 9. MAIER,
 10. MOLLER,
 11. SCHMANN,
 12. TOMMICH,
 13. VON FRANKMONT,
 14. VON KRAUSE,
 15. WIESE,
 16. WOLFF,
 17. WUNDER FERNIG,
 18. RAIN,
 19. HARMANN,
 20. VON VETTER,
 21. NEUGEBAUER,
 22. FRIEDRICH,
1. Dora
 2. Johanna
 3. Gertrude
 4. Gisela
 5. Clara Elisabeth
 6. Gertrude
 7. Greta
 8. Meta
 9. Lina
 10. Madalen
 11. Erna
 12. Marianne
 13. Alfr
 14. Shartenstein Ingeborg
 15. Gertrant
 16. Marianna
 17. Clara
 18. Marta
 19. Jevoona
 20. Dorvthea
 21. Klise
 22. Josefa

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JAPANESE

1. BOO,	Hiaka
2. KINCHI,	Yoshitane
3. SUTELU,	Horikawa
4. YAMAMURA,	Dango
5. ABE,	Iseo
6. SHIZUKA,	Koshonaka
7. SHIMIZU,	Kiyoshi
8. HOSHINO,	Takio
9. OHNO,	Ginsan
10. SHINOMOTO,	Konakichi
11. KOBAYASHI,	Toshitaka
12. TSUBOTA,	Tomiyasu
13. TOYAMA,	Motomasa
14. KATO,	Issai
15. INUMARO,	Akira
16. SUGIYAMA,	Motoko
17. YAMAGUCHI,	Chunichi
18. SUZUKI,	Toshitaka
19. TSUKI,	Kinji
20. YAMASHITA,	Yoshitaka
21. YAMASHITA,	Fukio
22. YAMASHITA,	Nichie
23. YAMASHITA,	Isao
24. YAMASHITA,	TADASHI
25. YAMASHITA,	Yoko
26. MIYABUCHI,	Kosaburo
27. TSUKI	

Arrangements have been made to secure daily assessments to this list and these will be forwarded to you as received.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 478201

28 May 1945.

Ref: 2201/12/45.

SUBJECT: German Displaced Persons.

TO : Allied Forces Headquarters,
Attn: G-3 Section.

Reference cable S-38113 dated 15 May 45 from SHAN to AFHQ,
copy to ALCON for info, will you please forward for our information
copy of your FX 75465 of 14 May 45 therein referred to.

For the Chief Commissioner:


Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APD 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel : 478201

18 May 1945

Ref/569/30/53.

SUBJECT : Administration Pantelleria,
Lampedusa and Linosa.

TO : G-5 AFHQ.

Authority is requested to downgrade your G-5: 014.14-2
dated 4 May 45 from the classification TOP SECRET.

For the Chief Commissioner:

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 478201

18 May 1945

Ref: 996/112/EC.

SUBJECT: Applications for Employment.

TO : Dr. Vittorio DEBOLLI,
Via S. Marcello 26/A, ROME.

I am directed by the Chief Commissioner to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 15 May 1945 and I have to state that your application should be addressed to the appropriate department of the Italian Government.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 289

Ref: 8252/108/EE.

15 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Italian Missions for GREECE and CORFU.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission (ISCLA)

1. Attached is Note Verbale No. 1730 dated 15 May 45 from the Greek Delegation to the Advisory Council for Italy, on above subject.
2. Will you please communicate the decision of the Greek Ministry of War to the Italian Ministry of War.
3. File P/22043 referred to in para 1 of enclosed letter was transferred to Land Forces Sub-Commission by the Liaison Division on abolition of the Political Section.

Major L. W. STEARNS

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commission.

Encl:
as above

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FOURTH ARMY COMMAND HONORARY ARMY REG. (INFO)

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REPORT TO YOUR OFFICE FROM HONORARY ARMY REG. OF THE ARMY

UNITED STATES ARMY COMMAND HONORARY ARMY REG. (INFO)

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ONLY FOR ADVISORY IN THE HONORARY ARMY REG. (INFO)

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OFFICE OF HONORARY ARMY REG.

Major C. W. [illegible]

For Executive Commissioner

RICHARD FOSTER
CMDR, USA
Asst Adjutant

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Ref: Situation Report.

Tel : 173201

15 May 1945

SUBJECT : Situation Report.

TO : G-5 Section,
Allied Force Headquarters.

The attached copy of a situation report for the week ending 6 May 45 has been received from EMILIA Region.

For the Chief Commissioner :

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✓ Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to : P.R.O.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
ARMY MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 304

10 May 1945

Reference: MIL/22/2/4/6

Subject: Interim Report for Province of PUEL, VALPARAISO and SANTIAGO
for week ending 5 May 1945.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.

REPORT

1. Political Situation quite calm. Many cooperatives. Five parties represented.
2. Administrative Administration. Six months March appointed Prefecto Regional. A Vice-prefecto Vicario is being sent from Lima. All functions of the Prefecture are beginning to function. General organizations being organized and are already functioning well in the eastern section.
3. Public Health. All principal C.I. in stations have been reactivated. State of public order and morale good.
4. Public Health. Electric current now available for water pumping in Puerro town. It is expected that water will be available at low pressure shortly. Surveys and plans are being made for the reclamation of flooded areas.
5. Public Health. Curatido, Puerro, and Argente are badly damaged and are receiving particular medical attention.
6. Resources and Supply. The food situation is good.
7. Finance. Banks and Post Offices will be opening in stages next week.
8. Finance. Banks established as at 3 April, including 30% and 100% in Puerro. No great hostility by local authorities.
9. Finance. It is believed that stocks of beer in the area Puerro - Puel - Puerro - Bologno amount to 19,762 tons of bottled beer and 6,970 tons of green beer.
10. Patrols. The dismantling of barracks and the final parade took place before the province was handed to Regional control. Only 22 Patrols remain undisturbed in the town of Puerro.
11. Industry. Puerro possesses the largest shoe factory in Chile. Though the building was destroyed, all the machines except five have been saved. US Engineers are being made to restart production in another building.

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12. Political. May Day celebrations passed off very quietly. A Fascist who retreated with the Germans and returned to Puel was recognized and shot.

13. Public Health. Total number of mines cleared since the start of week now amounts to 15,000.

14. Public Health. A visit and survey for the province of Puel and the Puerro.

1. Politics. Situation quiet. C.L.N. Very cooperative. Five parties represented.
2. Provincial Administration. Six Senate March appointed Francisco Magallon, a Viscountess of Vicuña to being sent from Rome. All members of the Prefecture are beginning to function. Constructed organizations being organized and are already functioning well in the custom service.
3. Public Safety. All principal C.L.N. stations have been reactivated. State of public order and results good.
4. Public Works. Electric car and new available for water pumping in Port of Lima. It is expected that water will be available at low pressure shortly. Surveys and plans are being made for the reclamation of flooded areas.
5. Public Health. Vaccination, bacteriophages and arsenic are being distributed and are receiving particular medical attention.
6. Commerce and Finance. The food situation is good.
7. Minerals. Bunker and Port Offices will be opening in stages next week.
8. News. News established as at 3 April, including JON and Andean in provinces. No great hostility by local authorities.
9. Army. It is believed that stocks of hemp in the area require - 2000 - 2500 tons. Bologna amount to 19,762 tons of retted hemp and 6,370 tons of green hemp.
10. Embroidery. The disarming of interiors and the final parade took place before the province was handed to Regional control. Only 22 factories remain unoperated in the town of Arequipa.
11. Industry. Peru has possessed the largest shoe factory in Italy. Through the building was shattered, all the machines except five have been saved. 150 garments are being made to restart production in working buildings.

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12. Political. May Day celebrations passed off very mildly. A Fascist who intervened with the Germans and returned to Berlin was recognized and shot.
13. Wage Changes. Total number of wages cleared since the start of war has amounted to 13,500.
14. Postal Service. A post card service for the production of Berlin and the Republic of San Marino still carries off about 25 bags.
15. Levy. Implementation of Italian Decree has been carried out.
16. Refugees. 10,000 kilograms of heavy salvage coupons have been released by the Government for trading stores in Berlin.

For the Regional Coordinator

✓ FLUORO, THALIA

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Abstract *On the basis of*

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Ref: AGOS/10/10.

15 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Bills of Office Transport of War.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
Lombardy Region.

1. In connection with the operations of the Office Transport of War, the Finance Sub-Commission has received more than one thousand invoices (totalling approximately 24,000,000 lire) which were submitted for approval and payment apparently with the consent of the former LAMIO-UMILIA Region.

2. These invoices relate to work which was carried out from June 1944 by S.P.S. for LAMIO-UMILIA Region relative to the transportation of civilian supplies. Finance Sub-Commission cannot pay these bills until they have been properly checked and certified by the responsible Regional officers.

3. It is understood that the work as originally carried out was authorized by the former Regional Transportation Officer, Captain Joseph E. Livi, and later by Lieutenant O'Donnell. Undoubtedly, in addition to these two officers, there are personnel of the former Economics & Supply Division, LAMIO-UMILIA Region, who have an accurate knowledge of these transactions. Colonel DONALD GASTON has been consulted in respect to this matter but he has not been able to shed any light on the problem.

4. It is requested that as soon as operational conditions permit you send to this HQ Lieutenant O'DONNELL and/or any other officers who may have accurate knowledge of this work in order to examine and make the necessary certifications so that Finance Sub-Commission can properly clear the invoices for payment. In the meantime, Finance Sub-Commission is arranging for the payment of 10,000,000 lire on the account pending the proper checking of the invoices. It is further directed that a full explanation be given of the failure to clear outstanding accounts before Regional HQ in Rome were closed.

For the Chief Commissioner.

M. S. (us)
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy for: Finance Sub-Commission (Ref: your 10079/P of 4 May 45).

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Ref: 152/70.

File 178201

16 May 1945.

SUBJECT: HQ AGC Eighth Army Situation Report.

TO: Resident Minister
U.S. POL AMB
British Embassy
American Embassy
G-5, AMB
Political Advisor (A)
Political Advisor (B)

The attached situation report dated 10 May 45 received from HQ AGC Eighth Army may be of interest to you.

For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Deputy Director,
Executive Commissioner.

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MAY 16 1945

Tel : 476201

15 May 1945

Ref: 151/20.

SUBJECT : Report of Trip to Banner &
Belmont Area 7/3 May 1945.

TO : S.O.A.O. AMC Fifth Army.

The Chief Commissioner has asked me to thank you for a most useful and interesting report by Major D.R.B. Wynne on the above subject. Reports of this description are of great value in keeping this Headquarters informed of conditions prevailing in the North.

M. S. LUSH

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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IN REPLY TO

SUBJECT: RE MEMPHIS REPORT DATED 15 JUL 45

FROM: RE MEMPHIS REPORT DATED 15 JUL 45

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Ref: 4204/NO.

14 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Sitrep - TOGASA Region.
TO : Economic Section (2).

1. Reference Sitrep TOGASA Region May I, 6A/57, dated 11 May 45,
a copy of which has been passed to you for information.

2. Please note para 3 BE, which reads as follows, and advise this
office of action, if any, taken.

"Unless more gasoline allocated fishing will cease.
Coal distributed to hospitals and bakeries only.
None available for industry."

Capt Arnold
for Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

Copy to file 5010/NO.

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Tel : 735

14 May 1945

Ref/2204/41/53.

SUBJECT : Complaint from British Subject.

TO : Displaced Persons & Repatriation Sub-Commission.

1. The attached letter has been received in this office from Lady Randow, an alleged British subject now in the Displaced Persons Camp in Cincittz', who complains about conditions in the camp.
2. Please make an investigation of Lady Randow's complaints and submit a report to this office.

Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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22 May 45

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Ref: 4214/2/53

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Ref: 4214/2/53

12 May 65

SUBJECT: Employment of Italians in the East

TO: Navy Administration, Hy, 10

1. At the Executive Committee's meeting on 11 May, the subject of employment of Italians in the Far East was brought up, and statement was made to the effect that the British Royal Navy had entered into a contract for the employment of some 15,000 Italians in the Far East.

2. The Executive Committee wishes to have a complete report on this subject.

Major L. W. STEWART

Chief of Staff Officer
Navy Administration

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Ref: 47024

12 May 1945.

Ref: 575/9/45.

SUBJECT: Escaped British and Allied PW.

TO : ROAR Fifth Army HQ
 ROAR Eighth Army HQ
 R.C. Piemonte Region
 R.C. Lombardia Region
 R.C. Liguria Region
 R.C. Venetia Region
 R.C. Emilia Region
 R.C. Toscana Region

Reference 575/2/45 of 27 April 45, please note the following locations of Camps, Collection Post and Detachments of the Allied PW Repatriation Unit (Map of Italy 1/50000):-

- Allied PW Collection Post attached 2 Transit Camp CALCHERO 5547.
- No. 2 Det att'd 2 (Br) COB 3001 11377.
- No. 4 Det c/o No. 5 Transit Camp 110014.
- No. 5 Det moving VERONA c/o 5 Army Hqs.
- No. 6 Det c/o 57 57 Area 01001.
- No. 9 Det moving VERONA c/o 5 Army Hqs.
- No. 10 Det att'd 23 Det Regt 110014 01001.
- No. 11 Det c/o 34 110014 01001.

For Release by
 Brigadier,
 Executive Commissioner. JEP

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Ref: 1521/13/21

11 May 1945

SUBJECT: Request for Military Commissions

TO: 1. Acting President

Further to the Executive Commission's recommendation
1521/13/21, of 12 March, subject as above, the Executive
Commission wishes to draw your attention to the enclosed
copy of the Administration Memorandum No. 21 on the procurement
and payment policy in "Trust Territory" for supplies and
services. This is the one memorandum referred to in that report.

L. W. FENKLE
Chief Staff Officer
To: Exec. 2nd Commission 1425

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel. 735.

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Ref : 212/HC.

9 May 1945.

TO : Establishment Section.

1. On 8 May at about 1745 hrs orders were issued that 9 May would be observed as a whole day's holiday by all personnel, except for the provision of duty officers by Sections and Sub-Commissions.

2. As it was not possible to warn civilian personnel in time, the Adjutant was instructed by my office to arrange with HQ Commandant that someone would be posted at the entrances to HQ this morning in order that the civilian staff could be informed on their arrival.

3. I desire to know:-

- (a) Why no arrangements were made by HQ Commandant to warn civilian personnel. Up to 0835 hrs this morning some of the personnel on duty at HQ entrances had been instructed.
- (b) Failing appropriate action by HQ Commandant, why did not the HQ night duty officer take steps. I understand he assisted the Adjutant in the issuance of the orders and was therefore aware of the circumstances.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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AME PHILIP HENSON

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MAY 5 1945

Ref: 735

Ref: 2402/EC.

5 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Formation College CEF - University of MICHIGAN Buildings.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Attached hereto is letter from AFM, reference G-5; 680.3 dated 2 May 45. AFM has been informed by telephone that Lt. Col. Westburne is holding himself at their disposal for the purpose of the recon referred to in para 2.

2. As soon as a reply is received you will be informed so that arrangements can be made.

Chief Staff Officer
Executive Commissioner

Incl:
as above

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HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES
ARMY
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 47300

Ref: 575/1/30

4 May 1945

Subject: Suspended Detainees and Allied Forces

- 1. The following are the names of the detainees who are being released:
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- 10. The following are the names of the detainees who are being released:

Reference is made to the report of the following detainees who are being released from the collection point and the names of the Allied Forces Detachment Unit (Ref: 575/1/30).

1. The following are the names of the detainees who are being released from the collection point and the names of the Allied Forces Detachment Unit (Ref: 575/1/30).

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for Brigadier JCA.
Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 57A/7/EC

3 May 1945.

Subject: Move of Liguria Region
Operational Transport.

To: Regional Commissioner,
LIGURIA REGION.

1. Thank you for your letter LIG/RC/77 dated 25th April 1945.
2. While a territory is still in an area administered (militarily) by 15 Army Group, Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5 Section, 15 Army Group, can issue instructions to Regional Commissioners ON BEHALF of the COMMANDING GENERAL.
3. When a territory is no longer in such an area, Regional Commissioners come directly under Headquarters Allied Commission.

/s/ M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,

Copy to: G-5 Section, 15 Army Group
SCAG, Fifth Army.

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Tel: 454.

Ref: 567/48/SC.

30 April 1945.

SUBJECT: Italian Draft Decree.

TO : VP, Civil Affairs Section.

1. You are requested to prepare a letter to G-5, AMM, giving them information on the current status of this decree.
2. It is understood that a draft of the new decree has been submitted to the Chief Commissioner as requested in the minutes of the VP's Meeting.
3. G-5 stated in their letter of 27 March 45 that further action on our letter 567/42/SC of 19 March 45 has been suspended pending receipt of further communications from us.
4. May this be expedited, please.

JGP
A Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

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Tel: 735

30 April 1945.

Ref: 2606/135/EO.

SUBJECT: Local Defense Plans.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission (MGL).

1. With reference to your letter G/92 dated 24 Apr 45, draft letter appendix "C" is approved as necessary and is returned herewith for preparation for final signature by the Chief Commissioner. It should be addressed to both the Minister of the Interior and Minister of War, and Commanding General Carabikari should have a copy.
2. Appendix "B" to your letter is returned as requested.

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Incl:
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APR 30 1945

Ref: 5009/33/ED.

28 April 1945

SUBJECT: Societa Italiana Elettrodi A.W.P.

TO : Regional Commissioner,
LOMBARDIA Region.

Enclosed is forwarded for your information. The War Office replied to the effect that Mr. Zebian should make contact with your office after occupation.

M. S. LUSH

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to : Gen. Sec (with copy of correspondence under reference)

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35, SPITBOWS-GARDENS, S.F.

Ld on 14th April 1945

To : WAR OFFICE G.A.2. (b).
for the attention of General. Sharpe.

Whitehall S.F.I.

Sir,

Following my call at your Office this morning I am availing myself of your kind suggestion and am sending you enclosed herewith a copy of a letter which Mr. Holden and myself are sending jointly to Ing. Tito Vittorio Zabban, at present in Lugarno, Switzerland, in order that as soon as he will be able to return to Milan after it has been cleared of the enemy, he may be able to contact the Chief Civil Affairs Officer on the spot and lend all possible assistance in connection with the production of the S. It. Elettrodi A.E.W. (Electrodes & Electric Welding) which is of the highest priority.

Our Company is probably the largest of its kind and as reported by Mr. Zabban was undamaged and in operation up to the middle of March. It was taken over by the Fascist Govt. in 1940 and its present Management is unlikely to be helpful. Under these circumstances I feel that it would be very useful if you could acquaint A.W.G. and C.A. in Italy with the circumstances in order that when occupation takes place they may make appropriate arrangements, and possibly facilitate the return to Milan of Mr. Zabban whose presence and knowledge of personalities etc. might be very useful to them.

In any case Mr. Holden and myself will be very grateful for your kind assistance in this matter and hope you will find it possible to bring it to the personal notice of the Chief C.A. Officer for Milan.

Thanking you I am Sir,

Yours faithfully

(Albert Loria)

Enclosure.

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London 14th April 1945

To the Chief Civil Affairs Officer,
or A.C.G. Officer,
in MILAN, Italy.

Sir,

The undersigned FREDERICK HILTON HODGES of Inverleith, Abergele, North Wales, and ALBERT LORRA of 33 Brixmore Gardens London N.W.7. Both resident in MILAN prior to the War and joint owners of the share Capital of the SOCIETA' ITALIANA ELETTRODI A.R.L. of 10 Via Pasquale Paoli Milan (which up to 1935 was the Italian subsidiary Company of Marx Welding Coy. Ltd. Waltham Cross, Herts.) hereby authorise Ingegnere TINO VITTORIO PARAN who was prior to the war General Manager of said Company and who has been resident in Casa S. Carlo in Selva, Lugano, Switzerland to take over the Company from the Allied Authorities or the Italian ones as the case may be, and generally to act on their behalf and in their joint interest for the purpose of rehabilitation and production as soon as conditions allow leaving all questions and claims as between the Company and the Italian Government to be dealt with by the undersigned at a later date.

They will gratefully acknowledge any assistance that the A.C.G. and the Chief Civil Affairs Officer can extend to Ing. T.V. Zanen to enable him to take complete charge of the Company again, and start production which will doubtless be classed as of the highest priority.

Appropriate instructions will be given by the undersigned to their legal representatives on the spot to furnish proof of their title to ownership of the Company and to legalize the present mandate in favour of Ing. T.V. Zanen as and when required.

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20 April 45

My dear Minister:

The attached notes signifying approval of
regulations regarding the use of the word "Italian" in
connection with the word "Italian" are enclosed
for your information and action.

Yours very truly,

L. D. STEWART
Brigadier
Major General Commandant

6523/11/33

His Excellency Alcide de Gasperi
The Minister of Foreign Affairs
Italian Government
Rome

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APR 22 1945

Ref: 4005/155/EC.

22 April 1945.

SUBJECT: Briefing Meeting.

TO: VP, Economic Section (3).

This is to confirm telephone conversation (Major RIVER-Capt. ARNOLD) that a Briefing Meeting has been set preparatory to the ARNOLD Board Meeting of Saturday, 5 May 1945, as follows:-

Briefing Meeting: 1500 hrs, Thursday, 5 May 1945,
in the Office of the Executive Commissioner.

Chief Staff Officer,
To the Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Major Green, Commerce Sub-Commission.

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Ref: 8761/91/BC

21 April 45

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Establishment Section

Reference AFHQ letter, file OK/312/G-1(Br), dated 17 April 45, subject "Use of 'Personal' Signals," copy of which was passed to you on 21 April, will you please publish this information in suitable condensed form in the Daily Bulletin?

L. W. STEARNS

Chief Staff Officer
To Executive Commissioner.

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Tel : 478204

20 April 1945

Ref/154/476/EG.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep No. 35.

TO : G-5, AFHQ.

1. Reference telephone conversation of to-day's date, it is confirmed that the first paragraph of the General Remarks section of the above mentioned Sitrep should read :

" Exports during the week were 300 tons of industrial soap to USA. 136 tons of oranges to SAFTA".

2. The error is very much regretted.

For the Chief Commissioner :

D. Bach
Colonel, SA.
Acting Executive Commissioner.

Int Dist : Civil Affairs Section
Economic Section
Public Relation Branch
Maj. Weidman
G-5, PRLO, AFHQ.

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Ref. 4224/21/20.

Incl. 451

19 April 1945

SUBJECT: Importing of Food Stuff's from Argentina.

TO : Economic Section.

1. The attached series of correspondence from the Soc. Import. y Export. Bienes, Buenos Ayres received from the Office of the Chief Commissioner is forwarded to you for special attention of your Commerce Sub Commission.

2. Please inform this office regarding the appropriate action being taken regarding this trade proposal.

JK
4 Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

Incl. Letter from Soc. Import. y Export. Bienes dated 27 June 1944.
" " " " " " " " 20 Jan. 1945 (with translation)
" " Asistencia Servicio Asesorado " 21 Jan. 1945
" " Soc. Import. y Export. Bienes " 31 Jan. 1945 (with translation)
" " " " " " " " 7 April 1945 (with translation)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 354
Office of the Executive Commissioner

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17 April 45

Ref: 7019/33/44

SUBJECT: Return of US and British Personnel to US and UK
Detachment Section

Reference letter, this office, ref. 70773/3/44,
subject as above, dated 13 February 45.

It will be appreciated if steps are immediately taken to ensure that the provisions of this letter are carried out by the showing weekly submission of a personnel return to the office of the Executive Commissioner. The last American return received is dated 17 February; on the other hand, G-11, under their file 6-12-44/210, had submitted a regular weekly return showing the names of their officers from date with the Allied Commission.

Major L. W. STEARNS

Chief Staff Officer
To Acting Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

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15 April 1945

SUBJECT: Italian Military Travel in Back-South

1. Very Subversive Italian Activities

Reference your letter 007/1/45, dated 1 March 45, subject "Itinerary of Italian Military, Land Forces, and Air Force in which you requested the Office of the Executive Commissioner to advise Italian Military travel to the islands."

2. Paragraph 1 of your Bureau Memorandum letter 007/95, dated 12 April 45, subject "Itinerary of Italian Military Activities in the Island of Sicily" is being referred to the War Relocation Authority for their information and action. This information memorandum briefly the Commission's policy on this matter.

3. The War Relocation Authority letter of 10 April 45, subject "General Guidance" is being referred to the War Relocation Authority for their information and action.

(Sgd) L. W. STEAKINS
for [Signature]
Acting Executive Commissioner
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

C.C.

APR 15 1945

Tel. 451

14 April 1945

Ref. 5818/18/KC.

SUBJECT: Civilian Road Transportation Under EAC.

TO : Economic Section for Transportation S/C.

1. The organization and initial operation of EAC as described in recent Monthly reports of Transportation S/C has been noted with interest.

2. Please furnish a brief statement as to the degree of success enjoyed at the present time regarding the functioning of this organization in Italian Government territory.

+ Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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APR 15 1945

Tel: 478201

14 April 1945.

Ref: 504/56.

SUBJECT: Town Major TRINCHI.

TO : HQ No. 3 District, G.W.

1. The Chief Commissioner has been approached unofficially by the Italian Government with reference to the Town Major designate of TRINCHI, believed to be Major TRINCHI who is, or was, Town Major of TRINCHI.

2. It is said that Major Revely has as Secretary a woman of Yugo Slavon antecedents whom he intends to take to TRINCHI.

3. You will be aware of the extremely delicate political situation in VENETIA GUILIA, and if this report is accurate it is feared that if Major Revely transferred his Secretary to TRINCHI it would create an unfortunate impression and in the eyes of the Italians could be magnified out of all proportion.

4. It is suggested therefore that the matter is worthy of your enquiry.

HURMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Acting Executive Commissioner

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15 April 1945

Ref: 891/54/100

15 April 1945

SUBJECT: Courier Service

TO: HQ 2nd Infantry Division

Reference your 20/5/1/13, dated 11 April 45, subject as above. This will confirm telephone conversation -- STEWART-PODANOSKI -- who was directing that your courier service to this headquarters be suspended as alternate cars until further notice.


To Acting Executive Commissioner

20/5/1/13

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Tel. 491

13 April 1945

Ref. 7001/11/10.

SUBJECT: Rehabilitation of Electric Power Plants and
Transmission Systems - E.P.S. S/C Personnel.

TO : V.P., Economic Section.

1. Your draft letter on this subject reference 197/100 of
10 April submitted to the V.P., Establishment Section, has been
referred to this office for a policy ruling.

2. If the officers of these electrical construction teams
are to be assigned to the Regions concerned for nations and quarters
only, while remaining operationally responsible to the Public Works
and Utilities S/C, any clarification of their channels of responsi-
bility and control will be a matter for decision within your Section.

3. If, because of operational necessity and special nature of
their assignment, these officers are simply to be attached to the
Regions but remain on the Sub Commission's assigned strength, then a
letter to that effect might go forward from your Section, or the Sub
Commission itself, informing the Regional Commissions.

4. It is felt that no new policy ruling is necessary to effect
this method of assignment, keeping in mind that the Section is master
of its own personnel in such matters and that the Regional Commissions,
through Establishment Section, must, of course, be kept informed.

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4 Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

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Copy to: Establishment Section.

Incl.: Draft letter.

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Tel. 451

Ref. 5012/30/50.

13 April 1945

SUBJECT: Policy on Italian Licitia Protection.

To : Economic Section.

Two copies of LSW letter instructions dated 11 Feb 45 on the above subject are forwarded to you for your information as requested in conversation (Majora Doe - Rively) this date, when our file on this subject was returned.

[Signature]
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commission.

Incl.: as above.

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SUBJECT: Special Reports

TO: Civil Communications Group

Re: your Special Report No. 113, dated 1 April 45, subject: "Amplification and Summary Report on Italian Civilian and Military Mail for War Zone Africa 17th March 1945", addressed to G-2 (Communications Section), AFHQ.

* A copy of the above report is being furnished to the Department of Defense for their review and is being retained in this office.

It is noted that there is no need for further action on this report, and accordingly it will be discontinued at the AFHQ. Future reports will be addressed to this office.

[Signature]

Colonel
Special Executive Commissioner

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NRF/mrd
13 April 1945

My dear Admiral:

I refer to your letter of 9 April 1945, concerning CASPERIO, Giulio. With the concurrence of the 5th Army, this office issued the permit for Casperio to go to Florence under the mistaken impression that the request had been made by the Ministry of War. At the time, it was not realized that he was on active duty with the Navy. I have asked that the permit be cancelled. At the time the permit was issued, Casperio did not disclose that he had applied and been refused permit by the Navy Subcommittee.

Sincerely yours,

NRF

NORMAN E. FIEKE
Colonel

Acting Executive Commissioner

G. L. Warren
Rear Admiral
Chief
Navy Subcommittee

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Tel: 755.

13 April 1946.

Ref: HQ/5/32.

SUBJECT: Wearing of Unauthorized Badges.

TO : Chief of the Section.

1. An individual has been observed in HQ wearing British Badges on the shoulders of which were green and white flashes bearing the initials "ADULTER".
2. It is requested that you check this wearing of unauthorized badges.

Chief Staff Officer,
The Executive Committee.

Copy to: Establishment Section.

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Tel Ext 341

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Ref: 2761/35/30

13 April 45

RECEIVED: Security

TO : Establishment Section

1. It is noted that paragraph 7, POSTAL ADDRESS, of Daily Bulletin 101, dated 11 April, discloses the geographical location of certain military formations.

2. It is noted a serious security violation to publish such information in the Daily Bulletin.

3. Any further military addresses disclosing unit location used for personnel will

[Signature]
Chief Staff Officer
to Acting Executive Commissioner

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20301

DATE: 10/10/78

TO: THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

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