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ITALIAN OFFICIALS FOR RAVENNA
(SEPT. 1944 - APR. 1945); JUN. - OCT. 1945

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Extract from "Notes on Brig. UPJOHN's Tour"

27 July 1945

RAVENNA - RC reports absence of any VP for Ravenna. Omission to make earlier report greatly regretted. They will try to get a V.P.I. locally but urgently require a V.P.V. and, if possible, the V.P.I. especially as the Prefect wants to resign

Copy/lb : 2 Aug 45
Leo. Govat. S/C

25/7/45

Re: situation Prefecture Ravenna Staff

Dr. Virgilio of the Min. Int. Personnel Department said that they received a letter dated 16/7/45 from the Prefect of Ravenna requesting:

- (a) one VPI with vicarious functions
- (b) one Censigliere
- (c) one 1st Secretary or Secretary

Reason for request: increased work owing to imminent transfer of the Province to Italian Administration.

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To Maj. Williams Ex. Off. LG/SC

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MINUTE SHEET NO. 5

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27 Feb	17 Maj. W. - Plan note p. 31 RRT	
Mar. 5.	18 Director 1. Ref. to 32 + for 32A-D. There were discussed with Lt. Col. H. H. Smith-Hartley when he called at this office this afternoon. 2. Major Temple & I told him that a new version of SA. Nuevo. No. 67 as to suspension of Mexican officials by AMG were shortly to be issued & we should like to advise (in reply to para 4 of fo. 32) in the light of this new Nuevo. We proposed to wait until the new Nuevo. was out, to which Lt. Col. Smith-Hartley agreed. March 12 Sheppard - p. 28/13. H. - March 21 Carded p. 39/11.	32 32A-D 28/13 H.
March 28	19 Director Reference 39. Dr. RUSSO was proposed as V.P.1 for Ravenna and was to replace Dr. GLAZZI. See ff 36. Similarly informed he is not now required. I suggest that information on 39 be placed on his card in case he is nominated for one other Prefecture.	39 36 19/16
Mar. 28	20 Capt. C agreed.	3629 20/ RRT

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March 22 Stepped - p. 28/19. H.
 March 27 Canceled p. 39/11.

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Mar. 28 Capt. C agreed. RRT 3629

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Staff based as in minute (19) NB. Canceled 30/1.

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 19/39.

March 28. Staff based as in minute (19) NB.
 April 2 Stepped p. 19 39/11.

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Reported to be not available. See 11-23 p. 5

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1. Reference p. 28 and 28 B.
2. The only officials in which this S/C is interested have been checked off by me.
3. you may desire other S/Cs to see the list also.

RR Temple, Major
for Director
1-9-51/c

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Direct
~~Report to be made in not acceptable. See 1/23/78 for 5~~

January 19. Canceled. p-26. R.
 " " J. Huffed p-27 R.

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24 Feb

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RR Temple, Major
 for Director
 L.G. S/C

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To Local Govt.

1. Minute (15) noted with Thanks
2. Copies of 28b are being sent to appropriate S/C's

W.A. Dillard Major

CAS see R.R.

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Write SCAC VIII if they can give any info.
as a matter of courtesy to Hq. Gort.

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— Action accordingly at #18

17.

Director

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Feb. 9.

1. Please see interview note at fo. 23, esp. para. 4. Details 23
of SANDRELLI are at fos. 104A + 104B in the Grosseto file
— 4/1/47, herewith.

2. On reflection I do not see that we can object to
SANDRELLI. The Special Agent's judgment is final & must
be accepted at this H/Q. In view however of the semi-
independent position of AMG Armies, I recommend putting
the full facts before SCAC & seeing what he says. Just
however I should recommend (a) waiting to see if SCAC
will pass in any circumstances with his present VPV,
GIAZZI: if he won't, there's no point in pursuing the
fitness of SANDRELLI for Ravenna: and (b) having
SANDRELLI pass our Security Branch before we write
to SCAC.

3. Please see also fo. 22, on another matter. Mr. Dwyer 22
wrote us at fo. 16. for info. about PASSANNANTI. 16

4. SCAC does not give any opinion on P's. request for
transfer. The H. Gort. are sure to ask us if they
can use him. I recommend we write SCAC for
his advice on this.

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Feb. 9.

Jan (12) agreed. Action accordingly H.

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MINUTE SHEET No. 2

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Oct 31

Director

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1. Ref. no. 8 — Have phoned this morning Capt. Aultin (Lt. Col. Barham Carter's asst., Lazio Umbria Region) & asked him to get Cipriani up here from Rieti to report to us.
2. Cipriani has not got his own car. It is one he "borrowed" from his former Sicily Prefecture! Camera says he must return it.
3. In fairness to the Ministry we must not allow him to use it, but must send him forward by rail. That.
4. Our instructions are to send officials to H/Q Army or Region concerned. 8 Army AMG are camping in the mud, goodness knows where now. Emilia Region H/Q is, I believe, in the same town as Ravenna Province H/Q, i.e. Riccione. This is a case, therefore, for direct flight from Rome to Riccione.
5. Modiano will have to accompany & it will take 2 full days.
6. I suggest (a) Adj. to put in hand the arrangements now, without waiting for Cipriani to appear: (b) Adj. & liaison Officer to co-ordinate all arrangements as soon as Modiano returns from Aquila. C. H. D.

(8)

1 Nov.

- adj. 1. Please make necessary arrangements pursuant to minute 7 (paras 4, 5, 6). 2. Keep Capt. W or L informed.

R.I.T.

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- 1 Nov. Div. — Made preliminary contact with Despatching officer. L.

- 3 Nov. Div. — Enquired at Despatch office whether transport available for 6th Nov. etc. D. O. going into matter and will report. L.

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HQ AMG Ravenna
11 June 1945

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DRC
Exo DDR

Subject: Transmittal of Prefects Letter.

TO: HQ Emilia Region

From: PC Ravenna:

1; The subject of the attached letter Dott Quinto Leone was dismissed from service here because of general inefficiency and lack of good will. The Ministry has written to the Prefect as to whether there is any objection to his being transferred to another place. The attached letter of prefect says that the man lacks capacity but he has no objection to being transferred out of Ravenna. He is not at present working for the preffettura.


Henry F Nucera. Lt Col
PC Ravenna.

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13 JUN 1945
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R. PREFETTURA DI RAVENNA

Dir. Gab. N. 139

Addi 9 Giugno 1945

Risposta a nota N.

del 19

OGGETTO: Dott. Quinto Leone

Allegati N.

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A S.E. IL COMMISSARIO PROVINCIALE DELL'A.M.G.

R A V E N N A

Per doverosa conoscenza trasmetto tre copie della lettera da me inviata al Ministero Industria, Commercio e Lavoro, circa la posizione del Dott. Quinto Leone, già Direttore del Consiglio Provinciale dell'Economia.

IL PREFETTO

(C. Cipriani)

Cipriani

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AE/14/1/99/10

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Personnel for the Prefecture of Ravenna.

19 September 1945

TO : The Minister of the Interior.

1. Receipt of the Ministry's letter No. 34398/13379 Gabinetto, dated 22 September 1945, is acknowledged, but the staffing of this Prefecture is of course now entirely a matter for the Italian Government.



R. R. CRIPPS
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Cabinet of H.E. the Minister

Rome, 12 September 1945.

File : N.34298/1337

TO:
Allied Commission Local Govt. S/C

Subject: Personnel for the Prefecture of Ravenna.

R O M E

With reference to above mentioned letter we beg to inform you that a Vice Prefect is going to be assigned to the Prefecture of Ravenna, and that the transfer of Counsillor Passannenti from Ravenna has been revoked.

So, with the second provision it is no longer necessary to assign a counsillor to Ravenna.

This Ministry is now examining the possibility of supplying the Prefecture of Ravenna with the secretary personnel required.

By order of the Minister

The Chief of Cabinet.

Translated J.C.

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Ministero dell'Interno
GABINETTO DI S. E. IL MINISTRO

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Alla Commissione Allentea
Sottocommissione Governo Locale

P. O. M. A.

Divisione *Sec.*

Prot. N. 34292/13373 Allegati

Risposta al Teleg. del 31 luglio
Dir. AC/4/4/1999 Int. N. 2

OGGETTO Assegnazione di personale alla prefettura di Ravenna.

In relazione alla nota controdistinta si comunica che è in corso la destinazione presso la Prefettura di Ravenna di un vice prefetto e che è stato revocato il trasferimento da Ravenna del Consigliere Passannanti.

Per tal modo, col secondo dei provvedimenti, è venuta meno la necessità di assegnare a Ravenna un Consigliere.

Questo Ministero, inoltre, sta esaminando la possibilità di destinare alla Prefettura citata il richiesto personale di segreteria.

D'ORDINE DEL MINISTRO
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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D'ORDINE DEL MINISTRO
IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

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AC/14/1/LC

SUBJECT: Note of interview - Local Government S/C offices.

DATE : 2 August 1945

PRESENT: Dott. CAMERA Ambrosi, resigning Secretary to the Cabinet, Ministry of Interior
 Dott. CATINACCI Corado, Chief of Cabinet, Ministry of the Interior
 Major Ralph R. Temple, Deputy Director, Local Government S/C
 Sig. Arrigo NICE, interpreting

1. Major Temple informed Dott. CATINACCI that the Ministry's nominee for the position of Prefect of Crenona--Dott. GIACHETTI--was not acceptable to the S/C and added that a letter had been addressed to the Ministry on 1 August requesting a further nomination. Major Temple pointed out that local Government conditions in the northern provinces were somewhat delicate at present and it was our policy to send to the North only those Prefects who were known to be good and to have irreproachable records. Major Temple asked Dott. CATINACCI to let the S/C have the name of the new nominee as soon as possible. Dott. CATINACCI said that he regretted that the S/C was unable to accept GIACHETTI, since the Government knew of no objection to him. However, he fully appreciated the need for the best officials in the North and he would submit a new name as soon as possible.

2. Dott. CAMERA said that owing to the great shortage of officials, President PARRI had said that those officials already at the disposal of the Ministry in Rome should be used first. Dott. CAMERA said that Major Williams had already agreed to have included in the pool those Prefects who might have some minor charges of disavowal against them. However, President PARRI was anxious to send to the North Prefects against whom no objection could possibly be made, particularly as far as epuration was concerned.

3. Major Temple raised the question of the Ministry's nomination of DE ROSA for the position of Prefect of Lucca, and said that no biographical details had been received.

4. Dott. CATINACCI handed a letter containing these details to Major Temple and said that DE ROSA was not subject to epuration proceedings.

5. Major Temple stated that he believed the details to be incorrect insofar as they stated DE ROSA had been Prefect of Lecce during the period 1943-1944. Our records indicated that ROCCA had been Prefect in that Province during the same period.

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6. Major Temple said that from the man's record he seemed to be experienced and he would probably be acceptable. Major Temple asked that DE ROSA be sent to the S/C for an interview as soon as possible. Dott. CATENIACCI said he would do this.

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7. Major Temple then spoke of Rovigo. A request had been made in the middle of July for a VP for Rovigo and we had suggested that a consigliere ff. may be suitable. Major Williams had asked the Prefect of Rovigo to write direct to the Ministry on this matter and we had no information as to whether this had been done. In any event we had presumed, and had written to the Ministry yesterday, that he had written. Our reports show that a VP is needed in Rovigo, particularly as someone with training was essential for the compilation of electoral lists. Dott. CATENACCI said he would take up the matter.
8. Major Temple then spoke of Ravenna, stating that there was urgent need for both a VP and a VPI. Major Temple gave a resume' of the correspondence which had already taken place with the Ministry on this subject and asked Dott. CATENACCI to give this matter his urgent attention. Dott. CATENACCI promised to take the matter up.
9. Major Temple said that the Ministry had been asked to nominate a Prefect for Modena. Dott. CATENACCI said that the Ministry were proposing General ZANETTI, who is in the pool, for Modena. General ZANETTI would be promoted Prefetto dal Regno if and when he was appointed Prefect of Modena.
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RALPH R. TEMPLE
Major
Deputy Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

40/4/99/LG

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Officials for RAVENNA

4 August 1945

TO : The Minister of Interior

1. It is regretted that it was not possible for the request contained in the attached letter to be passed to the Prefect of Ravenna before the territory in question came under the jurisdiction of the Italian Government.
2. It is therefore returned in order that the Ministry may communicate with the Prefect directly.

FOR THE DIRECTOR:

W.C.
RALPH R. TEMPLE
Major
Deputy Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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FOR THE DIRECTOR:

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f- RALPH R. TEMPLER

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Deputy Director

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THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Direction General of
General Affairs and Personnel.

Rome the 28th July 1945

to the Hon
ALLIED COMMISSION
Local Government S/C

Div. Pers.
File : 5152/1-1

Subject : Situation of Group A personnel in Ravenna.

With letter dated 16th July, the Prefect of Ravenna has asked that, on account of the augmented service necessities, a V.P.I. with Vicar functions, a Counsellor and a 1st secretary or secretary be assigned to that Province.

In order to take the request in due consideration, in proportion with the small number of Communes of that Province, we kindly request the Hon Allied Commission to ask the Prefect of Ravenna to inform us about the situation of the Group A personnel of that Prefecture.

For the Minister
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION

ACC/4/1/99/INT

31 July 1945

Subject: Officials for RAVENNA.

To: The Ministry of the Interior

1. It is understood that on 16 July 1945 the Prefect of Ravenna wrote to the Ministry requesting that the following officials be supplied:
 - a) a Vice Prefect Inspector (capable of acting as Vice Prefect Vicario);
 - b) a Consigliere;
 - c) a First Secretary or Secretary.

2. This Sub-Commission has now been advised by the Vice President, Civil Affairs Section, who recently visited Ravenna Province, that the Prefecture is in urgent need of a Vice Prefect Inspector, as well as a Vice Prefect Vicario and the Prefecture is, at the present time, entirely without a Vice Prefect.

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R.A.C. Officer, Colonel
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Local Government Sub-Commission

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Local Government Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/4/1/99/LG

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Officials for Ravenna Prefecture

26 July 1945

TO : EG. EMILIA Region

1. A telephone message from Brig. UPJOHN was transmitted to this Sub-Commission this morning to the effect that Ravenna has no Vice Prefect and that a Vice Prefect Vicario is particularly urgent.

2. When the province was surveyed by Major Williams on 25-27 April last, the Prefect was emphatic that no additional officials were needed - see paras 10 and 11 of the report sent to you with this Sub Commission's letter AG/1/9/3/LG of 11 May. Nothing further has been heard on the point by this Sub Commission or by the Ministry of the Interior until about a week ago.

3. In response to inquiries made this morning, the Ministry state that the Prefect wrote to them on 16 July requesting :

- a) - a Vice Prefect Inspector capable of acting as Vice Prefect Vicario;
- b) - a Consigliere;
- c) - a I Secretary or Secretary;

The Ministry have been asked to hasten the appointments of all the above in particular the V.P.I.


R.R. CRIPPS,
Colonel

Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

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COPY FOR PG RAVENNA

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AC/27/15/LGREPORT No. 137

SUBJECT : Report of tour - Ravenna and Forlì Provinces, etc. — 25 April-1 May 1945

TO : Director, Local Government Sub Commission

FROM : Major C.G.R. WILLIAMS

APPENDIX "A"

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10. Prefectural Staff. The position is as follows :

VPV — RMIPI, a Consigliere 1st class, with vicarious functions
Prov. Inspector — RMI, 4 Rag. (Grade IX)

I suggested this was rather a low grade for a Provincial Inspector : the Prefect agreed but said he was very satisfied with RMI's work and desired to keep him as Inspector at present.

There are also a I' Segretario, Segretario, 4 Regionieri and 3 Avventizi.

The Prefect requires no further staff at present. He was quite definite about this. He has no Capo Gabinetto and does not want one. He says this is a very small province and he can easily do the work himself. He prefers to do that and keep his fingers on what is going on rather than have a stranger sent down.

11. The PG. told me, however, that he had been urging the Prefect to get a good Provincial Inspector and that the Prefect and the Rag. Capo should get out into the Communes, for which purpose the Prefect was being urged to requisition the transport.

C. G. R. WILLIAMS, Major,
Local Government Sub Commission

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HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

18 June 1945

REF : RIX/HQ/O/1/3/6

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Prefect's letter.

TO : HQ Allied Commission, APO 394, U.S. Army,
(Attention: Local Government Sub-Commission) ✓

1. Enclosed is copy of letter and report of the
Prefect of RAVENNA, in regard Dott. Quinto Leone.

2. This is forwarded pursuant to a request from
the Italian Ministry for information in regard the above
named individual.

3. This headquarters has no objection to Dott.
Leone being transferred out of this Region.

For the Regional Commissioner:



DUANE D. FREESE,
Major, Infantry,
Executive Officer.

3 Incls:

Ltr PC Ravenna Province same
subject dtd 11 June 45 and
rpt dtd 9 June 45.

This is only action necessary 

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AO/4/1/99/LG.

Tel: 478190.

19 April 1945.

SUBJECT: Promotion of Italian officials.

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Your Excellency :

I forward the annexed correspondence received from the Prefect of Ravenna through the Allied Military authorities of that Province.

FOR THE DIRECTOR

RRT
RALPH R. TEMPLE
Major
Deputy Director
Local Government Sub Commission.

Encl.

CC/4 / cm.

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HQ EIGHTH ARMY
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15 April 1945

Reference:- R EX/HQ/L/1/3/6

19 APR 1945

Subject:- Promotion - Italian Officials.

To:- HQ., Allied Commission
(For Civil Affairs Section)

P. 4 (4/21)

Dott Leone Balice
Dott Galasso Vincenzo
Dott Della Salandra Ferruccio

Reference your AG/4/21/13 dated 28 February 45.

Applications from the above named officials of RAVENNA Province
are forwarded.

for P.R.P. Knell Major
Air Commodore
Officer Commanding
AG EIGHTH ARMY
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ALLIED COMMISSION

SICILIA REGION HEADQUARTERS

APO. 394

(PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION)

26 MAR 1945

FILE NO: RC/014.12.

DATE March 22nd, 1945.

SUBJECT: Promotions to Vice Prefect Inspector.

TO: Headquarters, Allied Commission.

For the att'n of,
Director, Local Government Sub Commission.

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With further reference to your letter AC/4/L/99/LG of 6
6 Feb. 45.

1. The necessary enquiries have now been completed by F.S.S. with regard to Dr. RUSSO and subjoined herewith is their report.

"RUSSO, Cav. STEFANO."

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McRae Byader
M. CRAE

Brigadier

Regional Commissioner.

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Carded 12/13/45 W -
Keppel 2/24/45 J -

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AC/4/1/99/LG

Tel: 478190.

SUBJECT: VP Comm. Dott. GIANZI Agostino.

18th March, 1945.

TO : SOAO AMG 8th Army.

In confirmation of my signal No. 3594 of 15th March, I enclose
for your information and that of the IC RAVENNA, copy letter AC/4/1/45/LG
dated 18th March, this Sub-Commission to PD Lazio-Umbria Region.

R.G.B. Spicer
R.G.B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/4/1/46/13

Tel: 478190.

SUBJECT: VPI for Perugia Province.

13th March, 1946.

TO : EC Lazio-Umbria Region (with copy for EC Perugia)

1. To fill the vacant post of VPI Perugia, the Minister of the Interior has recommended GLAZZI, Commendatore Agostino. I enclose copies of the biographical particulars supplied by the Ministry. *see file*

2. I also enclose for your information copies of a letter RA/54/5 EC Ravenna to SCAG 8th Army dated 13th February relating to Commendatore GLAZZI. *see file*

3. This HQ would not normally view with favour the appointment to an office in an AMG Province of an official who has been suspended from duty in some other AMG Province as in the case with Comm. GLAZZI. In this case however, as you will observe, nothing is alleged against the official; on the contrary both the OLN, the EC and FSB have passed him. In these circumstances I see no objection in making use of him in PERUGIA; I have accordingly accepted the Italian Government's nomination of him for that Province.

4. Although Comm. GLAZZI is of the rank of Vice Prefect Vicario (Grade 5) the Ministry of the Interior advises me that this does not prevent him being sent to PERUGIA to discharge the functions of Vice Prefect Inspector (Grade 6); ~~that~~ have stated there will be no objection to this course.

5. I have requested AMG 8th Army to notify GLAZZI of his new appointment and to try to arrange to transport him from RAVENNA to PERUGIA direct. If anything further should be necessary on the question of transport, perhaps you or the EC will make contact direct with AMG 8th Army.

R. G. B. Spicer
R. G. B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/4/1/99/LG

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Consig. PASSANANTI, Dott. Vittorio.

16 March 1945

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Your Excellency:

1. I refer to the Ministry's Letter No. 1549/1 (Dir. Gen. Personale) dated 9 January, making inquiries as to this official.
2. I am informed that he held the office of Capo Gabinetto at Ravenna from which office he was suspended by Allied Military Government because his post had put him in close touch with the Fascist regime and he was, therefore, objectionable to the people.
3. I am informed that Dott. PASSANANTI has requested transfer to another province, preferably in Southern Italy.

CGRM/pec

for


R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AC/4/1/99/12

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Vice Prefect GIAZZI Dott. Agostino.

16 March 1945

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Your Excellency:

1. I refer to the Ministry's letters No. 5000 (Dir. Gen. Personale) dated 26 and 31 January. The transfer of the above-mentioned Vice Prefect to Perugia is agreed. The necessary dispositions are being made for him to travel from Ravenna to his new seat.

2. The Allied Military authorities at Ravenna inform me that they do not need a substitute for Dott. GIAZZI as the vicarious functions have been confided to Avv. BARONCINI, who had been designated by the GHI as Prefetto Reggente during the period when the Germans were leaving and the Allies entering the city. I am informed that his appointment as acting Vice Prefect has been well received by the people.

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for
R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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A. M. G.
HQ EIGHTH ARMY
REAR

R - MAR 1945

4 March 1945

Reference: RIX/HQ/O/1/3/5

Subject : PASSANANTI, Dr. Vittorio

To : Headquarters, Allied Commission
(Attn. Local Government Sub-Commission) ✓

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1. Reference your AC/4/1/99/LG on the same subject, dated 11 Feb 45.

2. This matter was discussed verbally with Colonel Spicer when he visited this HQ on or about 24-25 Feb 45, and a copy of the P.C's. report in response to your letter was given Colonel Spicer prior to his departure on or about 25 Feb 45. In addition, a copy of the report was forwarded to your HQ on or about 24 Feb 45 as an enclosure to a letter written in answer to your letter, ref AC/4/1/99/LG, subject Forli Prefecture, dated 6 Feb 45.

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3. It is regretted that no direct written reply was made in regard your letter of 11 Feb. Enclosed is a copy of the report of the Provincial Commissioner Ravenna on Dr. Passananti for your information. Your attention is directed to para 3 of this report, wherein it is stated that it would be best to transfer Dr. Passananti into Italian territory.

HEADQUARTERS
7 MAR 1945
A. G.

Ronan D. Moore Maj.
For Group Captain
Officer Commanding
AMG Eighth Army

LDF/pjh

1 incl: Report, PC Ravenna

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HEADQUARTERS
RAVENNA PROVINCE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

RA/54/6

19 February 1945

SUBJECT : Passananti, Dr. Vittorio

TO : SO (1) 8th Army

1. On the date January 2, I suspended the above named as Capo Gabinetto, Prefettura di Ravenna. This man also was objectionable to the populace because his position put him in close contact with Fascist Regime.

2. The above named requested a transfer to another province, preferably Southern Italy.

3. In my opinion, it would be better for this person to be transferred for service into Italian territory. The reason for this suggestion is, that he is a Neapolitano by birth, and Neapolitanos are not well received as Public Officials in Northern and Central Italy.

4. This seems to be a traditional point of view which I gathered during my service.

(s) Henry P. Kucera
(t) HENRY P. KUCERA
Lt. Col. AUS
Provincial Commissioner
Ravenna Province

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HEADQUARTERS
RAVENNA PROVINCE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

RA/54/6

19 February 1945

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TO : SO (1) 8th Army

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2. The above named requested a transfer to another province, preferably Southern Italy.

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4. This seems to be a traditional point of view which I gathered during my service.

/s/ Henry P. Kucera

/t/ HENRY P. KUCERA
Lt. Col. AUS
Provincial Commissioner
Ravenna Province

Brought back by Col. Spicer from his visit to Emilia
Region end of Feb. 1945

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HEADQUARTERS
RAVENNA PROVINCE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

23 December 1944

To:- AMG EIGHTH ARMY.
Subject:- Vice Prefetto Vicario Dr. Agostino Glazzi,
Ragioniere Capo Cappuccio Rag. Francesco.
Ref:- RA/PC/01

1. On the 19th day Vice Prefetto Vicario Dr. Agostino Glazzi of the Fascist Government reported for duty at the Prefettura. He has been released from jail by the Field Security Section. He is objectionable to the people because he had served under the Fascist Regime and I have suspended him, but I believe he could serve elsewhere as his past record seems good.

2. The same is true of Capo Cappuccio Rag. Francesco. I have suspended him and believe that if he were transferred to some other Province he could perform services there. Until further advice from you this Headquarters will keep the suspension order in effect.

HENRY P. KUCERA, MAJOR, AUS
PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER,
RAVENNA PROVINCE.

RIX/HQ/1/1/1
Headquarters, AMG Rear Eighth Army, 4 Jan 45.

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TO: P.C., Ravenna.

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HENRY P. KUCERA, MAJOR, AUS
PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER,
RAVENNA PROVINCE.

RIX/HQ/1/1/1 1st Ind. DDF/pjh
Headquarters, AMG Rear Eighth Army, 4 Jan 45.

TO: P.C., Ravenna.

1. Reference the suggestions made in the basic communication.
2. Normally, where Italian officials are suspended by an order of a Provincial Commissioner, they will remain suspended until, their cases are heard by the Epuration Commission under R.D.L. No. 159.
3. This Headquarters is in full accord with the above procedure and does not deem it advisable to initiate another policy in regard to these matters.
4. The suspension order entered by you should therefore continue in effect until the matter is determined in the normal way.

/s/ Duane D. Freese, Capt
for Lt Colonel
Coldstream Guards
SO 1(2)

*Brought back by Col. Spence from his visit to the
to Emilia Region in 27 Feb. 1945*

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A.M.G.
HQ EIGHTH ARMY
REAR

2 MAR 1945

Reference: BEX/2/1/5

24 February 1945

Subject : Forlì Prefecture

To : Hon. Allied Commission
(Attn. Local Government Sub-Commission)

2 MAR 1945

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1. Reference verbal conversation Col Spicer, Lt. Col. Hartley on 24 February 45 and your letter AG/4/1/95/AG. dated 6 Feb. 45 subject as this letter.

2. Enclosed is a report from the Provincial Commissioner of Ravenna as requested in the above mentioned letter.

3. In addition copies of letters from the Provincial Commissioner Ravenna concerning Dr. Vittorio Pazzananti formerly Capo Gabinetto, Prefettura di Ravenna and Capo Cappuccio, Rag. Francesco also of Ravenna are inclosed for your information.

4. Any instructions in regard the policy to be followed in these cases will be much appreciated.

H. H. S. Hoadley
H-Col
for Group Captain
Officer Commanding
AME Eighth Army

3 Incls -

Incl. 1 - Vice Prefect Comm. Dr. GEMINI Agostino,
now at Ravenna.

Incl. 2 - Pazzananti, Dr. Vittorio

Incl. 3 - Vice Prefetto Vicario Dr. Agostino Gianni,
Ragioniere Capo Cappuccio Rag. Francesco.

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HEADQUARTERS
RAVENNA PROVINCE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

RA/54/5

18 February 1945

SUBJECT: Vice Prefect Comm. Dr. GIAZZI Agostino,
now at Ravenna.

TO : HQ. AMG 8 Army Rear.

1. On the date January 23 I reported the suspension of the above named party as Vice Prefect because of general objections by the people since he served under the Fascist Regime. When Ravenna City was liberated he was arrested and placed in jail by the Partisans and Committee of Liberation. FSS released him as not being dangerous.

2. CLN whom I contacted personally, say he is a good man but objectionable to the people as a whole since he then represented the Fascist Regime. I believe he can perform service in some other Province in similar capacity.

3. Replacement is not needed for this man at the present time. I nominated shortly after my arrival in Ravenna, Avv Baroncini as Vice Prefect who had been designated by the CLN as Prefetto Regente during the period the Germans were leaving and the Allies were entering the city. He is well received by the public.

Henry P. Kucera
HENRY P. KUCERA
Lt. Col., AUS
Provincial Commissioner
Ravenna Province

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RAVENNA PROVINCE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

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RA/54/6

19 February 1945

SUBJECT : Passamanti, Dr. Vittorio

TO : SO (1) 8th Army

1. On the date January 2, I suspended the above named as Capo Gabinetto, Prefettura di Ravenna. This man also was objectionable to the populace because his position put him in close contact with Fascist Regime.

2. The above named requested a transfer to another province, preferably Southern Italy.

3. In my opinion, it would be better for this person to be transferred for service into Italian territory. The reason for this suggestion is, that he is a Neapolitano by birth, and Neapolitanos are not well received as Public Officials in Northern and Central Italy.

4. This seems to be a traditional point of view which I gathered during my service.

(c) Henry P. Kucera
(t) HENRY P. KUCERA
Lt. Col. AUS
Provincial Commissioner
Ravenna Province

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HEADQUARTERS
RAVENNA PROVINCE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

23 December 1944

To:- AMG EIGHTH ARMY.
Subject:- Vice Prefetto Vicario Dr. Agostino Giazzi,
Regioniere Capo Cappuccio Rag. Francesco.
Ref:- RA/FO/01

1. On the 19th day Vice Prefetto Vicario Dr. Agostino Giazzi of the Fascist Government reported for duty at the Prefettura. He has been released from jail by the Field Security Section. He is objectionable to the people because he had served under the Fascist Regime and I have suspended him, but I believe he could serve elsewhere as his past record seems good.

2. The same is true of Capo Cappuccio Rag. Francesco. I have suspended him and believe that if he were transferred to some other Province he could perform services there. Until further advice from you this Headquarters will keep the suspension order in effect.

(s) Henry P. Kucera
(t) HENRY P. KUCERA, MAJOR, AUS,
PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER,
RAVENNA PROVINCE.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: E/127
 Date/Time of Origin: FEB 25 1230A

Message Centre No: D/3318
 Date/Time Rec'd: FEB 25 2010A
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG REAR 8 ARMY
 TO: HQ ALCON

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26 FEB 1945

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Ref your number 2347 Cite ACLCT. Vice Prefect GIAZZI of
 RAVENNA suspended by Provincial Commissioner. Report forwarded
 your office on 24 February 1945.

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 Info - A/President
 Chief Commissioner
 CA Sec
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AC/41/99/LG.

SUBJECT : Dott. SANDRELLI Luigi.

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Tel. : 236

26 February 1945

Your Excellency :

I should be glad to receive a reply to my letter No. AC/41/99/LG.
dated 17th February.

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government S/C.

See page 36.

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SUBJECT : Dott. SANDRELLI Luigi.

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Your Excellency :

I should be glad to receive a reply to my letter No. AC/41/99/1G.
dated 17th February.

R. G. B. SPIGER
Colonel
Director
Local Government S/C.

See page 36.

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EIGHTH ARMY REAR FOR AMG

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23 February 1945

ROUTINE

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PARA ONE PD PLEASE REPLY EARLIEST LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION LETTER
 REFERENCE AS BLANK FOUR BLANK ONE BLANK NINETY NINE BLANK LG DATED SIX FEBRUARY
 AS TO TRANSFER OF VICE PREFECT GLAZZI OF RAVENNA PD
PAREN TO EIGHTH ARMY REAR FOR AMG FROM ALCOM CITE ASIDE PAREN
 PARA TWO PD ITALIAN PRIME MINISTER ANXIOUS FOR EARLY DECISION ON THIS

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 C. G. R. W.
 LOCAL GOVERNMENT S/O

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NICHOLAS FIORENTINO
 OVO, AUSA,
 Asst. Adjutant

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EIGHTH ARMY REAR

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Reference: R IX/HR/O/1/3/6

14 February 45

Subject : Provincial officials - RAVENNA

To : HQ. A.C.

20 FEB 1945

The attached list of officials of the Province of
RAVENNA dated 9 Feb 45 is forwarded for your information.



W. S. Blouby
For Group Captain
Officer Commanding
AMG Eighth Army

To: Local Govt.
H.A. S. Dollard, Major
C.A. Sec.

20 Feb 45

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OFFICIALS OF THE PROVINCE OF R A V E N N A.

19 ✓	1.	PREFETTO	ECC DR. CIPRIANO CIPRIANI
19 ✓	2.	VICE PREFETTO VICARIO.	DR. BARONCINI
19 ✓	3.	VICE PREFETTO ISPETTORE.	RAG. RICCARDO BONETTI
	4.	MEDICO PROVINCIALE	DR. OTTORINO CAVINA
	5.	VETERINARIO PROVINCIALE.	DR. PIETRO TEDESCHI
	6.	RAGIONIERE CAPO.	RAG. ODDONE SANI
19 ✓	7.	UFFICIO GABINETTO.	DANIELE VISCO
19 ✓	8.	QUESTORE	VINCENZO BARILE
	9.	INTENDENZA FINANZA	DR. FELICE NINNI
	10.	VICE INTENDENTE DI FINANZA	NOT. DESIGNATED
	11.	SEZIONE DEL TESORO	GAETANO RIZZO
	12.	CONSERVATORE DELL'UFFICIO DELLE IPOTECHE	GIUSEPPE GIUDICE
	13.	UFFICIO DEL REGISTRO	DOMENICO SCARFILLINI
	14.	PROCURATORE SUPERIORE DELL'UFFICIO DIS RETTUALE DELLE IMPOSTE DIRETTE	GUIDO SANTONELLI
	15.	GEOMETRA CAPO DELL'UFFICIO TECNICO CATASTALE.	CLAUDIO MORIGI
	16.	GENIO CIVILE	GEOM. TONI
19 ✓	17.	PRESIDENTE DEPUTAZIONE PROVINCIALE	SIG. BINO GIACOMO CALETTI
	18.	CONSIGLIO ECONOMIA	SIG. CAMILLO GARAVINI
			SIG. UTILI
	19.	UFFICIO ALIMENTAZIONE. (SEPRAL)	DR. UGO BATTISTINI
	20.	POSTE E TELEGRAFI.	RAG. PRIMO DOLI
	21.	ISPETTORATO AGRICOLTURA.	PROF. MARIO MARANI
	22.	CONSORZIO AGRARIO.	DR. FERNANDO RESCA
	23.	GUARDIA FORESTALE.	CHIOVENDA CAMILLO
	24.	BANCA D'ITALIA	BRANCACCIO ANTONIO
	25.	CASSA DI RISPARMIO	CASADEI LELLI
	26.	CREDITO ROMAGNOLO	REGGIANI LORENZO
	27.	BANCA POPOLARE COOPERATIVA	MAZZONI GIUSEPPE
	28.	BANCA NAZ. AGRICOLTURA.	BARONCINI LELIO
	29.	BANCA COMMERCIALE ITALIANA	DONADONI MARIO
	30.	BANCA NAZIONALE DEL LAVORO	PATRIGNANI GUGLIELMO
	31.	PROVVEDITORE AGLI STUDI.	PROF. BERTONI
	32.	CORPO VIGILI DEL FUOCO	COM. TASSINARI GIAN CESARE V/ COM. LUCCHETTI GIAN OSVALDO

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AUG 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AS/4/1/99/13.

Tel. : 473190

SUBJECT : Dott. SANDRELLI Luigi.

17 Febr. 1945

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Your Excellency :

1. I refer to your letter Div. I Sec. 1 No. 5000 dated 31st Jan. 1945 nominating Dott. Sandrelli Luigi as Vice Prefetto Vicario of the Prefecture of Grosseto, and also to the subsequent interview of 9th Febr. 1945 (Monsieur Perenti - Major Williams) when Sandrelli was proposed for Ravenna.
2. Investigations have shown that Sandrelli is not acceptable from a security standpoint.
3. Please nominate another official as soon as possible for this Prefecture.

for E. G. B. GROSSER,
Colonel,
Director,
Local Government S/O.

Added - 19/1/45

Tel. : 473190

27 Febr. 1945

SUBJECT : Dott. SANDRELLI Indigi.

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Your Excellency :

1. I refer to your letter Dny. I Dec. 1 No. 5930 dated 31st Jan. 1945 nominating Dott. Sandrelli Indigi as Vice Prefetto Vicario at the Prefecture of Grosseto, and also to the subsequent interview of 9th Febr. 1945 (Marchese Ravarini - Major Williams) when Sandrelli was proposed for Ravenna.
2. Investigations have shown that Sandrelli is not acceptable from a security standpoint.
3. Please nominate another official as soon as possible for this Prefecture.

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for P. C. D. AMOR,
Colonel,
Director,
Local Government S/O.

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Reminder sent 26/2 - JAW. See p. 30.

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See page 36.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.G. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

7 FEB 1945

Ref. : SD/I40.10

16 February 1945

SUBJECT : SANDRELLI Luigi.

TO : Director Local Government
Sub Commission.

I. Reference your AC/4/1/99/LG dated
II February 1945.

2. According to your request Sandrelli
Luigi, the proposed Vice Prefect Inspector for
Ravenna has been screened, and is NOT acceptable
from a security standpoint.

3. He has been squadrista, marcia su Roma,
sciarpa littorio, and also moschettiere del Duce.
The High Commissioner for Epuration has protested
against the lenient decision of the Epuration Com-
mission in his regard.

C. Hayes
JOHN W. CHAPMAN, *Cap.*
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director, Public Safety
Sub Commission.

Recd. 19/1/45
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/4/1/95/102

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: PASSANTIANI, Dr. Vittorio.

11th February 1945.

TO : SCAO 8 Army (with copy for RU Ravenna)

1. Thank you for your R.IX/PS/33/143 of 5 February.
2. I should be grateful for further information as to the above-named official. What exactly are his Fascist connections; and was he suspended because of these or is this another case of an official being unpopular merely because the office he held (Capo Gabinetto) brought him into close contact with a Fascist personage?
3. I should also be glad to be advised whether in your opinion Dr. PASSANTIANI can safely be used in another province in (a) Military or (b) Italian Government Territory.

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Ng
R.G.B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

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Reminder sent 26/2 JBC

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AC/4/1/99/LG

Tel: 478190.

SUBJECT: Vice-Prefect Inspector.

11th February 1945.

TO : Security Branch.

1. The above-named has been suggested by the Minister of the Interior for the office of Vice-Prefect Inspector of RAVENNA. He has been judged by the Epuration Commission of the Ministry who have awarded "censure" only. Nevertheless, seeing that he is nominated for the most forward province we have and one under Army control, I think it would be advisable for him to be screened.

2. Biographical particulars as supplied by the Ministry herewith, and also copy of the Epuration decision. SANDRELLI is believed to be working in the Presidency of the Council of Ministers at present.

3. May I have your report in due course, please.

Y.H.S. Piper
R.G.B. SPICER,
Colonel,
Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

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DECISIONS

The Epuration Commission of the Civil Administration of the Interior, composed by:

- 1) Ecc. Ficchy Vincenzo-
- 2) " Cardamone Cesare-
- 3) Avv. Occhiuto Alfredo-

President
Member
"

in the procedure of Epuration against Sandrelli dr. Luigi Vice Prefect, considered responsible having been antemarcia, marcia su Roma, squadrista, sciarpa littorio, moschettiere del Duce, having left for the North by order of Barracu, having been praised by the Segretario federale of Rome for his work done in the Inspectorate of the 1st zone of the local Fascio.

The Commission considers that this fascist qualifications of antemarcia, marcia su Roma, sciarpa littorio and squadrista do not correspond to an effective real situation, as dr. Sandrelli has proved.

He has as well proved that he left for the North for the threatening order of barracu, and that he remained there for very short time and after having returned to Rome he voluntarily procured himself an infirmity in order to avoid another order of departure.

Dr. Sandrelli has also justified the work done by him (for which he received a praise from the Fascist Federation of the Capital) as being only part of his public assistance duties. Therefore all the afore mentioned charges cannot be matter of disciplinary sanctions.

On the other hand his behaviour of having requested and obtained the qualification of moschettiere del Duce is reproachable, even if, as he states, with the only purpose of being admitted to a course of pilotage.

For the following reasons the Commissioner for epuration decides to give to Dr. Luigi Sandrelli the disciplinary sanctions of "Censura" for having received the qualification of moschettiere del Duce.

Roma, 10 gennaio 1945

Il Segretario
Branchi

l.to De Ficchy
" Cardamone
" Occhiuto

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MINISTRY OF THE INTERIORGENERAL DIRECTION OF THE GENERAL AFFAIRS AND PERSONNEL

SANDRELLI Dr. Luigi - Vice prefect Inspector,

Born in 1902.

Began his career in 1924.

Inscribed in the P.N.F. since 1920.

Held offices in Arezzo, Rome (Ministry), Florence, Novara, Rome
(Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri).

Classified "distinto" in 1924, 1925 and excellent in the other
years.

Received praises in the fulfilment of special jobs.

Cultivated official, capable, active, highly distinguished.

Card - 13/2/45 JP -

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AG/4/1/47/LG

SUBJECT: Note of Interview (Local Government S/C offices)

DATE : 9 February 1945 - 11:50 hours

PRESENT: Marchese PARENTI, Consigliere, Dir. Gen. Personale, Ministry of the Interior.

Major C. G. R. Williams, Local Government S/C

Signorina T. CAETANI, interpreting

1. Please refer to fo. 104 and 105.
2. PARENTI said the Ministry had had confidential information that the Prefetto Reggente of Grosseto, Avv. MATI, being a Left-winger, would not welcome a man with SANDRELLI's background--see fo. 104A. PARENTI described SANDRELLI as a sound official with no real Fascist background, as shown by the fact that the Epuration Commission have only decreed "censura" against him, for having obtained the distinction of "Duce's Musketeer". PARENTI called him a "collector", meaning that he had a weakness for acquiring decorations: his record shows that none of his Fascist decorations have any real meaning. fo. 104A
on file
4/1/47
(Grosseto)
3. I said the point had already occurred to me and I had written to our Provincial Commissioner to raise it.
4. PARENTI said the Ministry would propose that SANDRELLI should be sent to Ravenna, instead of Grosseto. They have already proposed to transfer the Vice Prefect CIAZZI from Ravenna to Perugia, and to send up in his place the Vice Prefect RUSSO from Ragusa. They now propose that SANDRELLI should be sent to Ravenna to replace CIAZZI and RUSSO brought up from Sicily to go to Grosseto.
5. I said there were two points about this. In the first place, I should like to consider whether it was wise to send a man with SANDRELLI's apparent Fascist record to so forward a province as Ravenna. Secondly, we had been informed that there was a career official at Grosseto available. We did not know his name or anything about him, but we had asked for particulars. If this local man should be suitable, it might be better to appoint him rather than to drag RUSSO up all the way from Sicily.
6. I said we would let the Ministry know our views when we considered these two points.

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C. G. R. WILLIAMS,
Major
Local Government Sub Commission

CGR/pec

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 AMG
 HQ EIGHTH ARMY
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FILE : R.IX/PS/33/14B
 SUBJECT : Dott. VITTORIO PASSANANTI
 To : The Director,
 Local Government Sub-Commission,
 HQ, AC.

5 Feb 45.

1. Reference your letter AC/4/1/99/LG. dated 17 Jan 45.
2. The a/n resides at Via Molinetto 361, Ravenna.
3. He was in Office as Capo di Gabinetto of the Ravenna Prefettura until the end of October 1944.
4. He is suspended from office. The report to HQ AMG Eighth Army of 6 Jan 45 by PC Ravenna Province giving the reason that his official services at Ravenna could not be continued because of public feeling against him during the last months of the Fascist-German occupation.
5. With his report the P.C. enclosed Dott. PASSANANTI's request for transfer to another Province.

WEC/ar.

W.E. COLLINS, Major,
 S.C.A.P.O., (2),
 for Group Captain,
 Officer Commanding,
 AMG Eighth Army.

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Copy to : P.C., Ravenna Province (your RA/PS/31 dated 29 Jan 45 refers)
 File R.IX/PS/9A.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
AFO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AO/1/1/99/LG

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Vice Prefect Comm. Dr. GIAZZI Agostino, now
at Ravenna.

6 February 1945

TO : 33AO 8 Army (with copy for FC Ravenna).

1. The Ministry of the Interior have proposed to me that the above-named, who they state is at present Vice Prefect Inspector at Ravenna, should be transferred to Perugia in the same capacity, and that another official should be sent to Ravenna to replace him. I should not normally welcome a proposal to transfer an official from a province under Army control, but there are special circumstances in this case. It is particularly important to have a good Vice Prefect at Perugia.

2. I should like to know, therefore, if you have any particular strong objections to the proposal. Comm. GIAZZI would not, of course, be removed from Ravenna until his substitute has actually arrived there, and the latter will be screened and reviewed here first.

3. I presume Comm. GIAZZI has been satisfactorily screened.

R. G. B. SPIGHER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

CGF/psa

Reminder sent 23/2. See page 29.
JR

Copy on 4/1/49 - Ravenna

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AC/4/1/99/LG

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Vice Prefect Comm. Dott. GIAZZI Agostino,
now at Ravenna.

6 February 1945

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Your Excellency:

1. I refer to the Ministry's letters No. 5000 dated 26 and 31 January, in which the proposal is made to transfer the Vice Prefect Inspector Comm. GIAZZI from Ravenna to Perugia, and to the transfer to Ravenna in his place of the Vice Prefect Dott. RUSSO Stefano from Ragusa.
2. There is certainly a need for a Vice Prefect Inspector at Perugia. The inspective functions are at present being discharged by the Consigliere Dott. BARONI Riccardo. It is considered preferable that he should return to his functions as Consigliere and that a Vice Prefect Inspector should be sent there to discharge the inspective functions.
3. I will examine your proposal as to Comm. GIAZZI as quickly as possible and will write you again.
4. For your information, there are serving in the Prefecture of Perugia, in addition to the Vice Prefect Vicario GANNONI and the Consigliere BARONI, above mentioned, the following personnel in Group A:

BOPELLI Nello
MALTESE Luigi
MONTEBELLO Silvio
LALLI Mario
SANTORO Francesco

Primo Segretario
" "
" "
Vice
" "

Replied. 20/2/45 R L

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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Copy to 4/1/44 - Ravenna

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/4/1/99/LG

Tel: 478190

SUBJECT: Vice Prefect Dr. RUSSO Stefano.

6 February 1945

TO : RC Sicilia Region.

1. I wrote to you yesterday under reference AG/4/27/LG about the security clearance of two officials in Sicily, who if satisfactory will be wanted for North Italy later on--Dr. MANCUSO of Caltanissetta and Dr. DE FELICE of Siracusa or Trapani.
2. A similar case has arisen today. An official stated by the Ministry of the Interior to be at present employed at Ragusa--RUSSO, Dr. Stefano--has been nominated by them to go to Ravenna as Vice Prefect Inspector. A proper clearance in this case is, of course, particularly important, Ravenna being the most forward province we have and under 8 Army control.
3. Would you be good enough to consider, therefore, whether the suggestion made in my letter of yesterday's date referred to above could not be applied in this case also.
4. Such biographical particulars as have been supplied by the Ministry are enclosed in duplicate.

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

CG/W/pec

Encls. as in (4) above.

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MINISTRY OF THE INTERIORGeneral Direction of General
Affairs and Personnel.8 FEB 1945
Rome, 31 JAN. 1945DIV. I - Sez. I
File No. 5000TO : The Allied Commission
Interior Sub CommissionROME

SUBJECT : Prefecture of Ravenna -

Referring to our letter of 26 Jan. 1945, we inform the Commission that if you agree on the transfer of the ^{Vice-}Prefect Comm. Dr. Agostino Giazzi to the Prefecture of Perugia, Dott. Stefano Russo, now acting as Vice Prefect with the Prefecture of Ragusa, could be assigned to the Prefecture of Ravenna, in substitution of the afore mentioned Official.

We enclose a Biographical note of Dr. Russo, informing you that, owing to the situation of the personnel of Group A. working with the Prefecture of Ragusa, it is not necessary to substitute the above Official in that Prefecture.

Will you kindly give us an answer.

FOR THE MINISTER

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Copy to Perugia file 4/1/45 page 87.

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GENERAL DIRECTION OF THE GENERAL AFFAIRS AND PERSONNEL

First Class Councillor RUSSO Dr. Stefano

Born in 1905

Began career in 1930

Inscribed to the Fascist Party after the March on Rome

Has been in Office in the Prefecture of Bolzano, Gorizia,
Trieste, Modena, Ravenna, Savona, Ragusa.Classified always "excellent" with analytical opinions all
in the superlative.He carried out very well many special appointments and was
praised once.

Official serious, active, diligent.

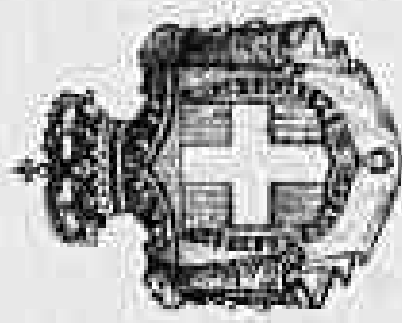
Roma, 31.1.1945.

FOR THE MINISTER

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Ministero dell'Interno

Direzione Generale degli Affari Generali e del Personale

Roma, 31 gennaio

18/1 1945

1 FEB 1945

Al la Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione Interni

Divisione 1^a Se. 1^a
Prot. N.º 5000 Allegato

Risposta al Foglio del
Dir. 242

OGGETTO : Prefettura Ravenna.

Con richiamo alla lettera in data 26 gennaio u.s., si ha il pregio di informare codesta On. Commissione che, ove venga consentito il trasferimento del Viceprefetto Comm. dr. Agostino Giazzi presso la Prefettura di Perugia, potrebbe essere destinato a Ravenna, in sostituzione del predetto funzionario, il ff. Viceprefetto dr. Stefano Russo, attualmente in servizio a Ragusa.

Si allega un cenno biografico sul conto del dr. Russo, con l'avvertenza che la situazione del personale di gruppo A) in servizio presso la Prefettura di Ragusa non rende necessaria la sostituzione del funzionario in quella sede.

Si rimane in attesa di cortesi notizie.

PEL MINISTRO

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Si rimane in attesa di cortesi notizie.

PEL MINISTRO

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE DEGLI AFFARI GENERALI E DEL PERSONALE

Consigliere di 1^a Classe RUSSO Dott. Stefano

Nato nel 1905

Entrato in carriera nel 1930

Iscritto al p.n.f. dopo la marcia su Roma

Ha prestato servizio nelle sedi di Bolzano, Gorizia, Trieste, Modena, Ravenna, Savona, Ragusa.

Classificato sempre "ottimo" con giudizi analitici al superlativo.

Ha assolto lodevolmente vari incarichi speciali meritando un elogio.

Funzionario serio, attivo, diligente.

Roma, addì 31.1.1945

PEL MINISTRO

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 324
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AC/4/1/99/1G

Tel: 476190

SUBJECT: Dott. Vittorio PASSANANTI.

17 January 1945

TO : SCAO 8 Army (with copy for PC Ravenna).

1. I have received an inquiry from the Italian Ministry of the Interior regarding the present location of Dott. Vittorio PASSANANTI.
2. He was in office in the Prefecture of Ravenna on 8 September 1943.
3. Will you please cause enquiries to be made and notify me of the result in due course.

Clhs
for *Major*

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

15 JAN 1945

Rome, 3 Jan. 1945

General Direction of General Affairs
and Personnel

DIV. Pers. - SEZ. 1
File No. 1549/1

TO : THE ALLIED COMMISSION
Interior Sub Commission

ROME

SUBJECT : Dr. Vittorio PASSANTANTI -
Councillor in the Prefecture of Ravenna.

Mr. Memisto PASSANTANTI, living in SERRA DI SALIZADA, has requested from this Ministry news of his brother Dott. VITTORIO, who on the date of 8 September was in Office in the Prefecture of Ravenna.

As it did not appear in this Office that Dott. PASSANTANTI is actually working in the Prefecture of Ravenna will the Commission kindly inform us about the above named official.

We thank-you.

FOR THE MINISTER

(We have no information. Bw)

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLI AFFARI GENERALI E DEL PERSONALE

Divisione Pers. I
Sub. A. 1549/1

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Roma 9 gennaio 1945

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ON.COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
(Sottocommissione Interni)

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Prospetto al f. del
Gen. Per. N°

Oggetto: Dr. Vittorio PASSANNANTI-
Consigliere della Prefettura di Ravenna.

Il Sig. Memisto PASSANNANTI, residente a Serre di Salerno, ha chiesto a questo Ministero notizie del fratello dott. Vittorio che alla data dell'8 settembre 1943 prestava servizio quale Consigliere alla Prefettura di Ravenna.

Poiché non risulta a questo Ufficio se il dott. Passannanti presti tuttora servizio in quella sede, si prega codesta On. Commissione di voler fornire cortesemente notizie sul conto del funzionario *g. v. 1/2*

Si ringrazia.

PEL MINISTRO

[Signature]

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AND EIGHTH ARMY (FOR ACTION)

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Local Government 3/C

CONFIDENTIAL PD

PARA ONE PD REFERENCE MY SIGNAL FIVE NINE FOUR FIVE OF THREE NOVEMBER PRESENT
 CIPRIANI OF RAVENNA UNABLE TO LEAVE SIX NOVEMBER DUE TO INTERRUPTION ROAD
 COMMUNICATIONS PD

PARA TWO AND EIGHTH ARMY FOR ACTION FROM HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION FROM LOCAL
 GOVERNMENT SIGNED BYONE PARSE

PARA TWO PD HE WILL LEAVE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE PD WILL SIGNAL, ETC

H. W. DRAGNETT
 MAJOR, AGD
 Adjutant

CGRW

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AC/4/1/39/16

4 November 1944

SUBJECT : Prefect of RAVENNA

TO : Whom it may concern

1. This is to introduce Lt. D. Modiano Liaison officer who is conducting Dott. CIPRIANI Cipriano Prefect of the Province of RAVENNA.
2. It would be appreciated if all facilities were afforded to enable them to reach their destination and provide accomodation.

for *RK*
R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director

Local Government Sub Commission

Replied 3/Nov/44

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

Local Govt SIC

NOV 1944

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AGJ: 300.4

4 November 1944

SUBJECT: Travel Orders

TO : All Concerned

1. Lieutenant Dario Mediano (Italian Army) attached to Local Government Sub-Commission, this Sq, accompanied by Pfc William H. Luedtke, 30876429 (4) AS Motor Pool, will proceed to Riccione, Italy on or about 3 November 1944 on temporary duty for a period of approximately three (3) days for the purpose of accompanying Comm. Cipriani to new post, and upon completion thereof will return to this station.

2. Rations will be provided for two (2) men for three (3) days.

3. Travel by government motor transport is authorized.

By command of Commodore STONE:

NICHOLA PIGNERO
CWO, USA
Asst AdjutantDISTRIBUTION:

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- 1 - Local Govt Sub-Com
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

NOV 1944

4 November 1944

Adj: 300.4

SUBJECT: Travel Orders

TO : All Concerned

1. Comm. Dott. Cipriano Cipriani, (Italian civilian) Ministry of Interior, will proceed to Riccione, Italy on or about 6 November 1944 on a permanent change of station, to assume new duties thereat.

2. Travel by govt motor transport is authorized.

By command of Commodore STONE,

*Nicholas Pionbino*NICHOLAS PIONBINO
CWO, USA
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QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

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AG/4/1/99/LG.

4 November 1944

SUBJECT : Prefect of RAVENNA
TO : FC. Ravenna Province

1. This is to introduce Dott. CIPRIANI Cipriano who has been appointed Prefect of Ravenna, accompanied by Sig. Dario MODIANO, Italian interpreter of this office.
2. Copy biographical notes regarding Dott. CIPRIANI are attached.
3. Dott. CIPRIANI being a full substantive prefect should be appointed by the title "Prefetto" without the word "Reggente". A form of appointment is enclosed accordingly.

FGW/cg.
Encl. 1 as n. 2

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government S/O

Copy to : SCAO - AME 8th ARMY

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS

APPENDIX "A"

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OFFICIAL ORDER)

NUMBER _____

(Date) _____

WHEREAS the office of Prefect of the Province of RAVENNA has become vacant, and

WHEREAS it has in consequence become necessary to make provision for the exercise of the functions of Prefect in the said province:

XXXXXX BY VIRTUE of the powers conferred upon me, I, Costantine Evelyn BENSON - Group Captain
Regional Commissioner for Officer, Eight Army in

O R D E R

XXXX Dr. CIPRIANI Cipriano
XXXXXX at Ser RAVENNA be appointed, as from to-day's date Prefect
Regent of the Province of _____ with the powers inherent in the office of Prefect.

XXXXXX
Regional Commissioner
SONO - AMG 8th ARMY

(Italian translation)

GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
QUARTIERE GENERALE
DELLA OTTAVA ARMATA

ORDINE UFFICIALE)

NUMERO _____

(Date) _____

VISTO che il posto di Prefetto della Provincia di RAVENNA e'
divenuto vacante:

RITENUTO, pertanto, che si rende necessario provvedere all'esercizio delle funzioni di Prefetto nella suddetta Provincia;

XXXXXX IN VIRTU' dei poteri conferitimi, Io Costantine Evelyn BENSON, Group Captain Ufficiale
Regionale degli Affari Civili della OTTAVA ARMATA

O R D I N O

Dott. Cipriano CIPRIANI
Il Signor RAVENNA e' nominato, a decorrere da oggi, Prefetto
Reggente della Provincia di _____ con i poteri inerenti alla carica di Prefetto.

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XXXXXX Capo
Ufficiale Regionale
degli Affari Civili

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AIR EIGHTH ARMY (FOR ACTION)

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CONFIDENTIAL PD

PARA ONE PD CIPRIANO LEAVING ON MONDAY SIXTH PD

PARA TWO AIR EIGHTH ARMY FOR ACTION FROM HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION FROMLOCAL GOVERNMENT SIGNED STONE PAPER

PARA TWO PD REFERENCE YOUR OA DASH ZERO NINE OF TWENTY FOUR OCTOBER

H. W. DRAGBET
MAJOR, AGD
Adjutant

TCS

4/1/99

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SUBJECT: Prefect designate of RAVENNA*Local Govt*

AMG Rear Eighth Army. (8)

CA/109

24 Oct 44.

OCT 1944

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HQ Allied Control Commission.

1. MAY H.E. CIPRIANI now at RIETI be ordered to report immediately to PC RAVENNA at VILLA MUSSOLINI RICCIONE Province of Forli.
2. This letter is sent to HQ despite your letter AOC/4/1/99/IG of 6 Oct 44 as this HQ has been informed by LAZIO Region that there is no AMG at RIETI and so cannot contact CIPRIANI or the Prefect of RIETI.

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Lt. Col. RA,
S.O.I.,
for Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
AMG Eighth Army.



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Subject: Prefect for RAVENNA.Local Govt

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Main H.Q., A.M.G.
Eighth Army.OA/109/122A6 Oct 44.Civil Affairs Section,
H.Q., A.C.C.
A.P.O. 394.*Letter
on page 3
this file.*

1. Reference your ACC/4/1/99/Int of 27th September, 44. It is noted that the Prefect provisionally selected for RAVENNA is available as soon as he is required.
2. The experiment of having the Prefect with the Provincial Commissioner from the moment of entry into his province, which is being tried in FORLI at the moment, is proving very successful. It is accordingly intended to ask you to send up the Prefect designate for RAVENNA as soon as the borders of that province are reached.

HEADQUARTERS
12 OCT 1944
A.C.C.*E. B. ...*
Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., A.M.G. Eighth Army Main.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION
APO 394

(6)

ACC/4/1/99/LG

6 October, 1944.

SUBJECT : PREFECT FOR RAVENNA.

TO : H.E. The Prefect of REITI.

1. The Bearer of this letter, H.E. CIPRIANI Cipriano, has been designated as Prefect of RAVENNA.

2. For economic reasons he has asked that he be permitted to reside in REITI until called forward to REVENNA. This permission has been granted.

3. It is requested that you inform H.E. Prefect CIPRIANI that he keep in touch with you; also that you inform him to proceed to REVENNA when the Provincial Commissioner calls for him. Intimation of this will be sent to you.

R.G.B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Com.

TCS

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION
APO 394

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ACC/4/1/99/LG.

6 October, 1944.

SUBJECT : CIPRIANI, Prefect designate of Ravenna.

TO : SCAO 8 Army.
R.C. Lazio Region for PC Rieti.

1. Reference my letter of 27 September (No. as above).
2. H.E. Cipriani, for economic reasons, has asked to be permitted to reside in RIETI until cd led forward to RAVENNA. This permission has been granted. His whereabouts will be known to the Prefect there.
3. When required please communicate direct with AMG Rieti who will pass on your instructions through the Prefect of Rieti to Cipriani. Such instructions must include any pass arrangements that may be necessary. Cipriani has his own car.

TCS.

R.G.B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Com.

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CIPRIANI, Cipriano (Prefect designate for Rever.) interview by
Director at 1045 hours 6 October. 44. (4)

By the Director's permission H.E. Cipriani, for economical reasons,
will go forward to RIETI where he will report to the Prefect who
will inform him immediately, should a call be sent for him to go
forward to the Province for which he is designate, i.e. REVENNA.

Travel Order to be made out for 7 October, 1944 when H.E. Cipriani
to is to call here at 1000 hours to pick it up.

Letter to be sent to Prefect of RIETI informing him of above.

*Letter typed to be handed to H.E. Cipriani for delivery to
Prefect of Rieti. L.*

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTERIOR SUBCOMMISSION
APO 394

ACC/4/1/99/Int.

27 September 1944

SUBJECT : Prefect for RAVENNA

TO : SCAO 8 Army

1. The official provisionally selected to be Prefect of RAVENNA, Comm. Cipriano CIPRIANI has arrived in Rome. I have seen him and formed a good opinion.
2. He has arrived in his own car and is prepared to travel forward in it. He would take with him his personal servant, an Agent di P.S.
3. When you want him therefore, he can be sent forward immediately.

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Interior Sub-Commission

CGRW/ cm.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION
APO 354

ACC/4/1/35/Int

20 September 1944

SUBJECT: CIPRIANI, Dott. Ciriaco - at present Vice Prefect RAGUSA

TO : His Excellency the Minister of Interior

Your Excellency:

1. I refer to your letter no. 3753 Gabinetto dated 25 August written in reply to my letter dated 22 August.
2. Since this correspondence, it was agreed, in an interview on 5 September between your Chief of Cabinet and myself, that Dott. CIPRIANI should be called to Rome and kept at disposition here with a view to his appointment as Prefect of some newly liberated province; he was provisionally nominated for RAVENNA.
3. I understand from Captain Williams, who saw H. E. Dr. Berruti on the point yesterday, that you agree that the arrangements made on 5 September cancel our previous agreement with respect to Dott. CIPRIANI becoming Prefect of RAGUSA.
4. I should be glad therefore to receive a nomination for the office of Prefect of RAGUSA. I am anxious to have this as soon as possible so that I can inform the Regional Commissioner in Sicily and request him to make arrangements to assist Dott. CIPRIANI's journey to Rome.

RRT
for. Capt.

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Interior Sub-Commission

SGRW/jgt

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Subject: Pool of Prefects

4/1/99

Main H.Q., A.M.G.
Eighth Army

OA/109

15 Sep 44

Administrative Section,
H.Q., A.C.C.
A.P.O. 394

1. Reference is made to Interior Sub-Commissioner letter AOC/4/22/INT dated 9th Sep. 44.

2. It is noted that an official by the name of DE COZZUETA has been annotated for PESARO Province should he be required. This man is well known to the Provincial Commissioner, who considers that he is undoubtedly better than the man he had in mind for Prefetto Reggente, or anyone he is likely to find in the province. Under the circumstances may DE COZZUETA please be sent forward as Prefect of PESARO at the earliest possible opportunity. He should report to the Provincial Commissioner ANCONA/PESARO at ANCONA.

3. It is also noted that three Prefectural nominees have been made for the provinces of RAVENNA, BOLOGNA and FORLI. It is considered that although only a very small portion of FORLI Province has yet been occupied, considerable advantage might be gained if the Provincial Commissioner had the Prefect with him from the start, when visiting the occupied portion of the province, and helping to select Communal and Provincial officials etc. from the beginning. May TORTORICI therefore, please be sent forward to the Provincial Commissioner FORLI at SENACALLIA (Near ANCONA).

4. If the arrangement for FORLI turns out to be satisfactory, it is probable that the Prefects nominated for RAVENNA and BOLOGNA will be asked for when the Armies reach the Provincial boundaries.

5. May this H.Q. also please be informed whether it is intended that these officials should be nominated as "Prefetto" or "Prefetto Reggente", if and when they take up duty.

/s/ E. T. Beer
For Group Captain
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., A.M.G. Eighth Army Main.

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Copy to: HQ. AMG. Region V.
HQ. AMG. Region IX Adv.
P.C. Forli Province
P.C. Ancona Province

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