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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTERIOR SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

ACG/4/3/17/Int.

16 August 1944

SUBJECT : Particulars of Prefects career - Siracusa.

TO : Regional Commissioner
Region I A.C.C.

Herewith copies of particulars of COGUZZA Giuseppe
Prefect of SIRACUSA. The second copy is sent to you for
forwarding to your Provincial Commission should you desire so
to do.

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

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PROVINCIA Siracusa

FUNZIONARIO Profetto

Cognome	Nome	Titolo	Attuale Posizione
<u>Cocuzza</u>	<u>Giuseppe</u>	<u>Profetto</u>	<u>Profetto</u>
Data di nascita: <u>22-10-1882</u>		Luogo di nascita: <u>Mirco (par. Catania)</u>	
Educazione: <u>Dottore in legge</u>		<u>Sicilia</u>	

Carriera: Segretario di Prefettura - Consigliere - Viceprefetto
Profetto - Dipendente dal Ministero, Palermo

Data di nomina	Carica	Grado	Luogo
<u>Maggio 1907</u>	<u>Profetto</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>Siracusa</u>

Servizio Militare: No

Pubblicazioni, ricompense, decorazioni: Grande Ufficiale della
Corona d'Italia 6703

Osservazioni:

Guido 4/8 K -

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Residuo Inante la carrera

^{Supremo} 1900 } ^{Consejo} 1911 } ^{Presidencia} 1922 } ^{Vicepresidencia} 1926 }
 Llacusa - Capurusa - Nicusa - Vaca
^{Presidencia} 1937 } ^{Presidencia} 1943 }
 Campesano - (Nieto) 1943 cesato 9/ottobre 1943

(4)

COMMENTS:

14/8/44 - I have interviewed this Prefect and formed a very high opinion of him. He strikes me as a man who has a real personality and who should know his business. He stated that he was persecuted by the Squadristi in view of the fact that he placed a high Squadrista ~~xxxxxxx~~ official under arrest when he was in Trieste. He is a man of a few words, which is surprising in an Italian. He is direct and to the point, and from a short interview I can only say that I have been possibly more favourably impressed with him than with the majority of Italian Prefects I have met. His wife speaks excellent English and has English relations.

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ACTING VICE PREFECT

PROVINCIA DI SIRACUSA

FUNZIONARIO GRASSI CAV.UFF.DOTT.MARIO

Cognome	Nome	TITOLO	Attuale Posizione
GRASSI	DOTT.MARIO	Dottore in legge	-Regg.te Prefettura

Data di nascita :

4 Dicembre 1899

Luogo di nascita :

Pescopagano (Potenza)

Educazione:

Carriera :

Data di nomina	Carica	Grado	Luogo
6 Sett.1924	Consigliere di 1° classe con funzioni Vice Prefetto Ispet- tore	Consigliere di 1° classe	Siracusa

Servizio militare:

Pubblicazioni ,ricompense ,decorazioni : Cav.Uff.della Corona
d'Italia

OSSERVAZIONI :

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*Carded as
2/7/55
[Signature]*

This civil servant has been acting Vice Prefect Inspector since 1942.

I consider that he is of practically no use and takes very little interest in the affairs of the Province.

Letters of instruction have a remarkable way of getting lost in the Prefettura.

He is most unpopular.

L. L. L.

Lt. Col.
P.C.
A.C.C.

Siracusa
15 June 44

*Have met this official
only once & was not
well-impressed*

*A. J. Hancock Col
Regional Commissioner
Sicily.*

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Date

Honorary or professional title, e.g. - "Cav. Bruno, Giovanni", "Avv. Bianche, Giuseppe".

- (ii) Surname followed by christian names (if known - if unknown, the initials)
 (iii) After (i) and (ii) and on the right-hand side of the line in every case, the date of appointment to present position.
 (iv) In cases a, b, c, and h (7)-(10) also state the rank or grade of the official immediately before his appointment to present position.
 (v) If any comments are necessary, mark the case in question "See remarks" and enter under "Remarks".

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- a. Prefect Comm. Dr. GUERINIA D'Aliprandino Prefect on 30 August 1943
(Prefetto) (Former Vice Prefect)
- b. Vice-Prefect _____
(Vice-Prefetto "Vicario") Zaccaria Ferdinando
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector Dr. Alf. GIACCI Mario. Promoted to Inspector
(Vice-Prefetto Ispettore) on February 1942 (Former 1st grade Consiglieri)
- d. Councillors (Consiglieri):
(Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade (Secondo Grado)
after each name)
- (1) Comm. Dr. ANTONIO GIROLAMO-1st grade-since 1/12/1938
- (2) Comm. Dr. ANTONIO GIROLAMO-1st grade-since 16/6/1942
- (3) Dr. CAMERLINI ANGELO-2nd grade-since 16/4/1943
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- e. Secretaries (Segretari):
(Indicate whether First Secretary, Secretary, or Under Secretary, after each
name)

- (1) Dr. HARRY HARRISON JONES, Secretary-Captain, 1st Cavalry Division,
60 3rd Army, presently P.O.W.
- (2) Dr. WILLIAM ANTONIO ALICE, Sergeant-Lieutenant, 1st Cavalry Division,
60 3rd Army, whereabouts not known.

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- a. Prefect Comm. Dr. Spadaccia, nominated Prefect on 30 August 1943
(Prefetto) (Former Vice Vice Prefect)
- b. Vice-Prefect _____
(Vice-Prefetto "Vicario") Zaccaria Ferdinando
- c. Vice-Prefect Inspector Gov. Uff. Giuseppe Mario, nominated Inspector
(Vice-Prefecto Ispettore) on February 1942 (Former 1st Grade Consigliere)
- d. Councillors (Consiglieri),
(Indicate whether First Grade (Primo Grado) or Second Grade (Secondo Grado)
after each name)
- (1) Comm. Dr. AMENPA Girolamo-1st grade-since 1/12/1943
- (2) Gov. Dr. MIRKINA Giuseppe-1st grade-since 18/5/1942
- (3) Dr. CAPPANALI Angelo-2nd grade-since 18/2/1942
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- e. Secretaries (Segretari):
(Indicate whether First Secretary, Secretary, or Under Secretary, after each
name)
- (1) Dr. DI MARIA Andrea-First Secretary-Secretary of Administration
to the Army. Presently E.O.V.
- (2) Dr. RIZZA Antonio-Vice Secretary-Intendant of Industry
to the Army. Presently not known.
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- f. Special Secretary
(Segretario Particolare)
- g. Quositor Gov. Uff. Dr. Consoli Giovanni-Vice Quositor-since Quositor
(Quositor) since 10 February 1944
- h. Heads of Prefectural Divisions or Officers
- (1) Head Accountant Gov. Uff. RUFFINO Giuseppe Chief Accountant
(Regionale capo) 2nd grade since 13 October 1939
- (2) Intendant of Finance
(Intendente di Finanza) Gov. Uff. Dr. CIU Giuseppe-Intendente di
Finanza-since 1/2/1944

Sheet 2

Province of _____ Date 10 March 1944

See General Note (i), (ii), (iii), and (v) on Sheet 1.

ADMINISTRATIVE BODIES OF PREFECTURE

a. Giunta Provinciale Amministrativa

Total number: five, members, plus two alternates.
Officer members (with name of office held)
(1) Comm. Dr. SPALLALUIGI-Prefect President since 8/2/44
(2) Comm. Dr. AMONNA GIROLAMO-Consigliere-Member since 8/2/44
(3) Cav. Dr. MIRMINA CORRADO- " " "
(4) _____
(5) _____
(6) _____

Citizen members (with occupation)

(7) Avv. CIARACCA' EMANUELE, since 8/2/44
(8) Avv. BOZZANCA GIOVAMBATTISTA, since 8/2/44
(9) _____
(10) _____

Alternates ("Supplementari")

(11) Avv. CALISTO ANGELO, since 8/2/44
(12) Costa Giuseppe, since 8/2/44

b. Prefectural Council (Consiglio di Prefettura - with official position held).

(1) Comm. Dr. AUGUSTA LUIGI-Prefect-President 8693

ADMINISTRATIVE BODIES OF PREFECTURE

a. Giunta Provinciale Amministrativa

Total number: five members, plus two alternates.

Officer members (with name of office held)

- (1) Comm. Dr. STELLA Luigi - Prefect President since 8/2/44
- (2) Comm. Dr. AMENGA Giosuè - Consigliere - Member since 8/2/44
- (3) Cav. Dr. MIRINA Corrado - " " "
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

Citizen members (with occupation)

- (7) Avv. GIARACÀ Emanuele, since 8/2/44
- (8) Avv. BOLZANCA GIOVANNETTISTA, since 8/2/44
- (9) _____
- (10) _____

Alternates ("Supplementi")

- (11) Avv. RAFFINIO Amadeo, since 8/2/44
- (12) Costa Giuseppe, since 8/2/44

b. Prefectural Council (Consiglio di Prefettura - with official position held),

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- (1) Comm. Dr. STELLA Luigi - Prefect - President
- (2) Comm. Dr. AMENGA Giosuè - Cav. Consigliere Corrado Dr. Gennaro
- (3) Giosuè - Cav. Eusebio Gennaro, Chief Sec. Prefecture - P. 222
- Francesco, Director of Intendenza di Finanze - Member

c. Cabinet (Cabinetto) (Excluding Prefect - state official position):

- (1) Cav. Dr. MIRINA Corrado - Capo di Gabinetto
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____
- (7) _____

Sheet 3

Date 15 March 1944

Province of _____ See General Note (i), (ii), (iii), and (v) on Sheet 1.

PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION

a. President, and Head of Provincial Administration (Preside, e Capo dell'Amministrazione Provinciale)

(1) CIGERO Francesco-Pharmacist- President of PROV. Admin. since 23/11/43

b. Vice-Presidents (Vici-Presidenti):

(1) _____

(2) _____

c. Provincial Deputation (Deputazione Provinciale) _____ members, plus

Total number (including President): _____
alternates.

(Give full name and occupation of each member):

(1) Avv. Giovanni Salvatori since 25/12/44

(2) Avv. Bruno Rosario

(3) Avv. Cassone Pietro

(4) Castro, Filadelfo-workman

(5) Ing. Guido Caruso Paolo

(6) _____

(7) _____

(8) _____

(9) _____

(10) _____

(11) _____

(12) _____

Alternates ("Supplementi"):

b. Vice-Presidents (Vice-Presidenti):

- (1) _____
- (2) _____

c. Provincial Deputation (Deputazione Provinciale)

members, plus

Total number (including President): six
alternates.

(Give full name and occupation of each member):

- (1) Avv. Giovanni Salvatori Avv. 25/12/42
- (2) Avv. Branca Rosario " "
- (3) Avv. Cassone Pietro " "
- (4) Castro Filadelfo-Morimano " "
- (5) Ing. Maria Comoda Paolo " 22/11/42
- (6) _____
- (7) _____
- (8) _____
- (9) _____
- (10) _____
- (11) _____
- (12) _____

Alternates ("Supplementi"):

- (13) 683
- (14) _____
- (15) _____

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Sheet 4

Province of Siracusa Date 16 March 1944

Note: (i) See General Note (i), (ii), (iii), and (v) on Sheet 1.
(ii) In each case state whether the Mayor is styled "podesta", "Sindaco", or "Commissario Prefetizio".
(iii) The present population figures should be obtained from the Segretario.

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES

(Include provincial capital and each commune having a population of 15,000 or over, as of 1936 census)

a. Commune of Siracusa Population (1936) 23,166

Present estimated population 34,859

- (1) Mayor (and his occupation) Dr. Minerva Corrado - Commissegario Prefetizio since 29/11/43
- (2) Vice-Mayor (Vice-Sindaco or Vice-Podesta)

(a) _____

(b) _____

- (3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Segretario Comunale):

(a) Don Minni Diliberto - Chief Secretary since 22/11/1931

b. Commune of Augusta Population (1936) 14,690

Present estimated population 22,269

- (1) Mayor Catalano Sebastiano since 2 Settembre 1943

(2) Vice-Mayor:

(a) _____

(b) _____

- (3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk:

(a) Fabbri Dott. Luigi Segretario since 18.11.1939

c. Commune of A V O L A Population (1936) 21,883

Present estimated population 24,015

(Include provincial capital and each commune having a population of 15,000 or over, as of 1936 census)

a. Commune of Siracusa Population (1936) 53,166
Present estimated population 52,260
(1) Mayor (and his occupation) Dr. Mirulina Corrado- Commissario Prefettizio since 29/11/41
(2) Vice-Mayor (Vice-Sindaco or Vice-Pedesta)
(c) _____
(b) _____
(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk (Segretario Comunale);
(a) Cav. Vintio Tribento- Chief Secretary since 20/1/1931
b. Commune of Augusta Population (1936) 19,690
Present estimated population 22,269
(1) Mayor Catalano Sebastiano since 2 Settembre 1943
(2) Vice-Mayor;
(a) _____
(b) _____
(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk;
(a) Fabrizi Dott. Luigi Segretario Capo since 16.11.1930
c. Commune of A V O I A Population (1936) 21,383
Present estimated population 24,015 3633
(1) Mayor Piedone Avv. Giuseppe-Commissario Prefettizio since {
(2) Vice-Mayor, 24.2.1940. }
(a) =====
(b) =====
(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk;
(a) Federico Cav. Rag. Giuseppe-Segretario Capo since 10/12/1937

Sheet 4-a

Province of Siracusa Date 16 marzo 1944

See Note - Sheet 4

OFFICIALS OF PRINCIPAL COMMUNES (continued)d. Commune of Lentini Population (1936) 23,830Present estimated population 28,365(1) Mayor: Magnano comm. avv. Vincenzo-Sindaco dal 23.12.1943

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk: _____

(a) Berra Cav. Giuseppe-Segretario Capo dal 9 Ottobre 1930e. Commune of NOTO Population (1936) 29,992Present estimated population 33,567(1) Mayor: De Grazia Comm. avv. Francesco-Sindaco dal 21.2.1944

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) _____

(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk: _____

(a) Motta Cav. Dr. Giuseppe-Segretario Capo dal 10 Giugno 1934f. Commune of PACHINO Population (1936) 20,524Present estimated population 22,103(1) Mayor: Sbano avv. Santi-Sindaco since 16.2.1944

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(1) Mayor: Magnano Comm. Avv. Vincenzo-Sindaco dal 23.12.1943
(2) Vice-Mayor: _____
(a) _____
(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk:
(a) Berca Cav. Giuseppe-Segretario Capo dal 9 Ottobre 1939

e. Comune of N O T O Population (1936) 29.992
Present estimated population 33.567
(1) Mayor: De Grazia Comm. Avv. Francesca-Sindaco dal 21.2.1944

(2) Vice-Mayor: _____
(a) _____
(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk:
(a) Motta Cav. Dr. Giuseppe-Segretario Capo dal 10 Giugno 1934

f. Commune of P A C H I N O Population (1936) 20.554
Present estimated population 22.103

(1) Mayor: Sbano Avv. Santi-Sindaco since 16.2.1944
(2) Vice-Mayor: _____

(a) 6600
(b) _____

(3) Communal Secretary (Segretario) or Town Clerk:
(a) Campisi Cav. Corrado-Segretario Capo dal 15 Aprile 1925

NOTE: If particulars for further Communes are necessary, they should be written on additional sheets, as above, and attached to this pro-forma.

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