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CONFERENCES WITH ITALIAN OFFICIALS
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Pages 17 to 20 handed to
Lt. Gratanelli for action by
Capt. Temple on 24-4-44. 18W.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION

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ACC/41/INT.

4 APRIL 44.

SUBJECT : Travel Permits.

TO : Public Safety Division, Campobasso Prov.
SCAPO thro' SCAO.

1. Acknowledgment is made of receipt of travel permits
Isernia to Salerno. Thank you.

J. Cunningham *Thank the Lieut*
for R.G.B. SPICER,
Lieut-Colonel
Director.
Sub Commission.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
(Governo Militare Alleato)
PROVINCE OF CAMPOBASSO.
(Provincia di Campobasso)
S. C. A. O. Lt. Col. H. K. PARSONS.

4 APR 1944

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PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION.
(Divisione della Sicurezza Pubblica)
S. C. A. P. O. Maj. G. W. Manifold.

SUBJECT: Travel Permits.
(Soggetto)

FROM: - PPSO, Campobasso Prov.
(Da: -)

TO: - ACC (Rear) Salerno.
(A: -)

DATA 30 Mar 44.

1. Receipt acknowledged this date of teleprint message requesting travel permits Isernia to Salerno.
2. Permits attached hereto.

Received the permits
from Lt. Col. Parsons
4 Apr. 44

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① Hand permits to Lt.

Grotanelli, obtain receipt.

② Ack rec. with thanks to PPSO.

1 April 44

G. W. Manifold
PPSO, Campobasso Prov.

attended to
4 April 44

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MINISTER OF INTERIOR PERSONALLY REQUESTS PERMISSION BE GIVEN TO FERDINANDO VENEZIALE CMA RESIDENT OF ISEGNIA PAREN CAMPOBASSO PROVINCE PAREN TO LEAVE FOR SALERNO CONFERENCE IN ITALIAN GOVERNMENT CAR AND THEN RETURN TO ISEGNIA PD TO DISTWO FOR REGION FIVE FOR PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER FROM FATIMA REAR FROM OFFICE SIGNED MACFARLANE PD YOUR PERMISSION ALSO REQUESTED FOR CAR TOGETHER WITH DRIVER GAETANO ARIA AND PASSENGER PROFESSOR VICENZO MARIA ROMAVELLI TO ENTER YOUR AREA FOR PURPOSE COLLECTING VENEZIALE

AUTHENTICATED:

E. J. Chiozza 4201
E. J. CHIOZZA
CWO, AUS
Asst Adj

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- 1 - DCC
- 1 - Interior Sub-Commission

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TO: PC, REGION V

MINISTER OF INTERIOR PERSONALLY REQUESTS PERMISSION BE GIVEN TO FERDINANDO VENEZIALE, RESIDENT OF ISEPNIA (CAMPOMASSO PROVINCE) TO LEAVE FOR SALERNO CONFERENCE IN ITALIAN GOVERNMENT CAR AND THEN RETURN TO ISEPNIA. YOUR PERMISSION ALSO REQUESTED FOR CAR TOGETHER WITH DRIVER GASTANO AICIA AND PASSENGER PROFESSOR VINCENZO MARIA ROMANELLI TO ENTER YOUR AREA FOR PURPOSE COLLECTING VEHICLES.

SPICER

INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION
ARC 394

AOC/12/6/Int

13 March 1944

SUBJECT: Cable

TO : Adjutant General

1. Please dispatch above cable priority - *urgent*.

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R. G. B. Spicer
R. G. B. SPICER
Lt Colonel
Director
Interior Sub Commission

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Ministero dell'Interno

10. Marzo

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 4/1/12
 1944

 Divisione Leg.
 Prot. N. 283 Sub. Allegati

 All. la Commissione
 Alleanza di Controllo
 Sotto-Commissione Inter-
 ni

 Risposta al f. del
 Dev. Leg. N.
OGGETTO Permessi per Ischia

TIP. 4. BUCCHIORE - SALERNO

Il Ministero dell'Interno desidera da tempo conferire con l'on. Ferdinando Veneziale, che risiede a Isernia (Campobasso).

La sua venuta a Salerno finora è stata impedita da disposizioni d'ordine generale della A.M.G. di Isernia, per le quali nessuno può lasciare la città.

Data l'urgenza che ormai si ha di avere a Salerno l'on. Veneziale, il Governo desidera inviare Martedì 21 corr., una macchina a prenderlo, e la stessa macchina poi lo riaccompagnerà a Isernia.

Si prega questa Commissione di ottenere il rilascio dall'ufficio di Collegamento di Salerno, dei necessari permessi, come da indicazioni qui accluse, per la data indicata e per il viaggio di andata e ritorno, senza dover attendere una risposta da Isernia.

IL MINISTRO

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Ministero dell'Interno

10 Marzo

Reg. 874
46/11Divisione _____
Dist. N. _____Sez. _____
Allegati _____Risposta al/ del _____
Dir. _____ Sez. _____ N. _____

OGGETTO Permessi per Isernia da lasciarsi
dal Commissario Provinciale di P.S.
Maggiore Green - Palazzo Edilizia
Salerno

Permesso di Viaggio da Salerno a Isernia
e ritorno, per la autovettura Fiat 1100
targata BA 0931 :

per l'autista Gaetano Aria

per il Prof. Vincenzo Marie Romanelli
Tessera U.N.O.C.I. 14796 Napoli

per l'on. Ferdinando Venezia

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MEMBRI EFFETTIVI DELLA G.P.A.

Membrì effettivi

- 1) Avv. Andrea Gallo
- 2) Avv. Vincenzo Di Palma
- 3) Avv. Giosuè Geraci
- 4) Avv. Paolo Paoletti

Membrì supplenti

- 1) Avv. Andrea Tartera
- 2) Ing. Giovanni Caliendo

Salerno

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First meeting
will be after next Saturday
Mar. 25

Interview: S. De Luca, A. Galloni, ^{18 Feb} ~~Luigi~~ Brattelli
 41/8
 Lt. Col. Spica - Lt. Col. Brattelli

Col. S. - Master who answers as matters lie
 gives information about women not affect
 personal relations

~~2 letters not to stop the same.~~

① Tam burro - Col. S. cannot consent
 to his removal from office.

= Sen. De Luca - will not answer for
 requirements of appointment matters.

Col. S. - Tam burro's head report on Tam burro.

= R. - 1/2 of man not agree to him by working.

= - I have personally handled refugees & sent

= 2 officials for him.

Col. S. - Refused - better up to follow.

Manion at high level.

② Questore of Campobasso.

Col. S. Facts: - Baroglio's letter no arrest - appoin for

Milano - health to age - Request Guard & Ar 4195

= [R. did not concern him]

Request wanted by Cond. for remaining frontier

administration by St. Cat - accord released.

16 Jan. letter dated 1.5.89 - to Questore from

of 1st - Read letter "as he has nothing

to answer for
 letter not to hand - asked for R.

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Col. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] - not known [unclear]
 [unclear] R. personally but his responsibility.

- Letter [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] release
 = R's [unclear] [unclear]

S. [unclear] [unclear] if [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] to
 be in [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
 [unclear]

= R. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
 S. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
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 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
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= R. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
 S. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
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 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

"no [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

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S. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
 = R.

S. [unclear] - A. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
 "re-arrest."

R. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
 [unclear] [unclear]

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Re Tamburo —

= R - Can only protect as Klier have
no right at all fundamental laws
re Mafia.

X S - Reminds R. Prologia's indication

R - Document of Prologia's indication
was - (x) correct.

S - No mistake.

R - may be too mean but principle is clear.

S - Each case as a whole by R. will be
dealt on merits.

3. I.G. Sicily - scheme known to [approx]
desire to collaborate. necessary for interim.
Cfr. Italian Order - [approx] [approx] [approx]
[approx] [approx] [approx]

R.E. study - Consider further out 4152

R. Italy, with [approx] necessary revisions.

If done - Acc - do same thing 340 [approx]
to form group.

[Cfr 2/18 Italian Order - part file]
[handwritten Int. Grubelli]
Agree Consider.

MEMORANDUM
ALLIED COMBAT COMMISSION
INTERIOR AND COMMISSION

February 1944

SUBJECT: Interview with the Mayor of Naples.

TO : Lt. Col. R. G. B. Spicar

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2. The Mayor was at one time a Prefect. I explained Interior Sub-Commission's interest in I. G. administration, and asked his help to explain the following points which have arisen during our work.

3. The below mentioned matters were discussed and the position with regard to them appears, as explained by the Mayor,

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- VI. Public works.

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It has been the Italian practice for a separate citizen member to be "assigned to" or responsible for a particular branch of the work which is dealt with in the different divisions in I. above.

In Naples (see 4 below) the arrangement is as follows: Each member is given general instructions by the Mayor regarding his particular branch. To a limited extent, the Mayor delegates his powers to that member who is responsible for the discharge of its particular work by the officials. The member signs documents as "Sub-Commissario". Any matters of importance must be brought before the Mayor for decision, e.g., dismissal of officials. In addition, each member represents and speaks for his section's work at the meetings of the Giunta which are presided over by the Mayor. In the result, the member sees to the discharge of routine work, but always subjects to the instructions and responsibility overriding

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III. Use of Description "Giunta Municipale" and/or "Giunta Comunale"

These two titles are quite definitely synonymous, and raise no doubt whatsoever in I. G. circles. The use of the former in the Regional order for reorganization is accurate and perfectly ~~correct~~ proper.

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IV. Inspection Service (referred to in MG School and H.C. document UD 201. ~~was~~)

The ~~system~~ set up in a Prefettura during Fascism was:

- (a) Prefect
- (b) Vice Prefect
- (c) Vice Prefect Inspector

The duties of (c) included the inspection of areas and communes in the Province, to ensure that work was being properly carried out and Prefectural orders and legal regulations being obeyed and observed. In addition to (c) the Ministry also appointed inspectors who were themselves Prefects and worked from Rome. They paid periodic and/or unannounced visits to Provinces for the same purpose as in (c).

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V. Giunta Provinciale - Cooperativa Economica (see document UD 201)

Before Fascism there existed the system of Chambers of Commerce which (on the British basis) were autonomous bodies composed of representatives of trade, commerce, and industry, for the purpose of furthering the interests of those activities.

Fascism abolished the Chambers of Commerce as such, and substituted the above. The new body was planned on a provincial scale and was placed under the Prefect. It consisted of the same interests ~~and~~ the addition of agriculture, and was maintained financially by a compulsory levy on the interests concerned.

The work of this Giunta was not directly connected with L. G. administration as such, other than the fact that it was subordinated to the Prefect who or whose department was probably associated with the work of levying and collecting the financial contributions.

All previous members were dismissed by AMG with the dissolution of the syndicates and further payments were suspended. In Naples, the Secretary and his office still carry on under directions of the Prefect.

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(b) These are unpaid persons in number 2 for each of the recognized parties.

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(e) The Municipio has the following divisions of work:

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4. Finance
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5. The Mayor was helpful and promised any required assistance.

6. Major Knight was most interested in the Sub-Commission's L. G. work and said he would welcome a representative with Region III to assist there, as promised by you. I assured him that this was still your intention and that you had only been prevented from sending a Liaison Officer through shortage of staff and the difficulties caused through the posting of interior personnel to other work.

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I promised to convey to you his request and express his hope that this should be done as soon as practicable.

7. I suggest the attached letters be sent.

Walter Lewis / *ca.*

WARDON L. LEWIS

LC

Interior sub Commission

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W. J. [unclear] [unclear]
VAGUE LAMIE
LE
Interior sub Commission

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RE. AT PEN. BASE SECT. SIG. MES. CENT.

25 JAN 44

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FARGO FOR MCFARLANE

NONE

SEARS FOR POLETTI

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WITH MUNOTTO, PROPOSED ITALIAN REGIONAL COMMISSIONER I WISH
 TO CONFER WITH REALE, MINISTER OF INTERIOR, ON 31 JANUARY OR 1
 FEBRUARY. REALE HAS WRITTEN MUNOTTO PRIVATELY THAT HE DESIRES
 CONFERENCE. ADVISE WHETHER SATISFACTORY TO YOU AND CITY WHERE
 REALE MAY BE SEEN.

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ACTION AMG HQ

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