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LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION.

1 June 1945

REPORT ON TOUR OF NORTHERN PROVINCES BY THE DIRECTOR
OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION

19 May 45 - 27 May 45.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

In general Local Government is taking shape in the five Regions VENETIE, EMILIA, LOMBARDIA, LIGURIA and PIEMONTE. This particularly applies to the appointment of Prefects and to some extent to their staffs in the grade of Vice Prefect. There is a natural inclination on the part of Regional and Provincial Commissioners to wish for a career man in the position of Vice Prefect when the Prefect himself is not a career man. For this reason, where they have not been able to find them locally, they are requesting Local Government Sub-Commission to find professional Vice Prefects from the pool formed by the Ministry of the Interior.

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REMARKS

News, action to place record
of names in files etc.
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PATRIOTS.

In all Regions the Regional Patriot Staff has arrived and is beginning to function. The question of disarmament is, of course, the major problem. It has taken place over a considerable area of newly liberated territory, but this varies considerably from region to region, according to the circumstances therein. In the more rural districts and small provincial towns, parades have been held and a large number of arms handed in. This particularly applies in the area directly administered by Fifth Army. On the other hand, in the large cities of MILAN and TURIN, no parade has been held at which disarmament took place and considerable numbers of Patriots are still holding their arms. The first step has been made in that over the whole area covered, very few armed civilians were encountered. On the other hand the fact that they may no longer carry arms openly is possibly driving them to conceal them. In brief, the situation in each Region is as follows:

VENETIE : Carrying of arms in the open is forbidden and Patriots have been ordered to store their arms in unit armouries. This does not apply to the provinces of BELLUNO and BOLZANO where, at the time of the visit, the Patriots had not been ordered to disarm owing to the presence of considerable number of armed German troops and fascist elements.

LOMBARDIA : In that part of the province under Fifth Army, disarmament had taken place at parades, but in that area under IV Corps little or no disarming had taken place as it had not at that time been ordered by IV Corps Commander.

PYEMONTE : Disarming had been ordered, except in the area close to the frontier. Caches of arms were being located with a view to raids or other forced collection.

LIGURIA : In this province disarmament had taken place in those areas accessible to CAO's. It was reported that the French had forcibly disarmed Patriots in IMPERIA province.

GENERAL: In general disarmament is only partial and there is no doubt that some arms will be retained by extreme elements and bandit gangs. The fact that the area is almost completely covered by a disintegrated army makes collection of arms a long and difficult public safety matter. There is evidence that gangsterism and banditry are being carried out in many instances under the guise of Patriot activities. The killings which were taking place in MILAN, TURIN, GENOA, may well be attributed to a large part to these gangs. The only solution would appear to be a strong forceful police force. To assist in building this up, suitable police candidates are being selected from Patriot Groups for training as permanent policemen on a voluntary basis. Furthermore, the higher officials of the CVL and CLN state that in order to assist in the disbandment of the Patriot organisation it is essential that not only should those who wish to, be taken into the police force, but those who wish it, should be taken into the army. This question has been taken up with MIA since the return of the writer to PCIE and the immediate recruitment of 4,000 Patriots has been authorised. While the total number which General CADORNA considers will wish to join the Italian Army is estimated by him at 20,000, as a result of this survey

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Italian Military Patriot Representatives are functioning satisfactorily but a few changes in personnel were requested by Regional Patriot Officers; these are in hand.

In PIEMONTE and LOMBARDIA Regions there was a complete absence of Patriot Certificates in both Provincial and Regional Offices. A distribution of 100,000 of these had been made but on investigation it appeared that Fifth Army had considerable stocks undistributed. Action was taken to ensure that the two Regions concerned were adequately supplied.

The feeding of Patriots on the Italian Military scale had not been carried out in the early stages of liberation, although authority had been given; this appears to be due to the fact that IV Corps had been physically unable to supply rations. A release has now been obtained of 197,000 rations which were in the course of being distributed in LOMBARDIA, LIGURIA and PIEMONTE in suitable proportions to meet the immediate need of these Regions. Detailed immediate action required for Patriots is at Appendix "B" attached.

/NONE CLEARANCE.....

3.

MINE CLEARANCE

From a general survey the mined area is across the country on last winter's battle line, with the most thickly mined area of all on the east coast in the provinces of PAVENNA, FORLI, VERAPPA and BOLOGNA. Both coasts have some defensive mine-fields.

The whole of the LIGURIAN coast is mined for its entire length and 25 kilometers inland. Within this 25 kilometer belt, mines have been set only in defiles and in the narrow passes through the mountains. It is estimated that 300 men with adequate transport will be able to remove all mines that are hindering movement and agriculture in three months.

In EMILIA and VENEZIA Regions mines do not seem to have been laid further north than the river PO and the mouth of the river ADIGE.

LOMBARDIA and PIEMONTE Regions state that they have no mine clearance problem.

Mine Clearance Schools have been set up at FORLI, BOLOGNA and GENOA and are functioning under the direction of Captain SHORT and Lt. McNAABB. In BOLOGNA 90 men are already under training and the number can be increased to 300 if suitable instructors are found. At GENOA 80 men are attending a course and it is anticipated that 60 will qualify. It had been anticipated that Patriots would be willing to take part in this work of National importance but this has not been the case to any large degree and in fact in GENOA Patriot organisations do not wish to take part or attend the schools, wishing to be independent to run their own organisation. The matter was given some consideration but in view of the fact that the instructors and the equipment have to be found by the Ministry of War it was decided not to set up or encourage a separate organisation to work in competition with the Italian Ministry of War's Mine Clearance Organisation. Nevertheless, the Italian Mine Clearance Officer had received from the Patriots mine field maps and charts which they had captured or taken from various German Headquarters.

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All schools were short of Mine Detectors and safety fuse. These matters have been given attention since the return of the writer and, in fact, mine detectors are already on the way to the schools and safety fuse is being obtained from the Ministry of War.

Detailed action required by Mine Clearance Branch is attached at Appendix "C".



R.E. CRIPPS, Colonel,
Director,
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION

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Appendix "A"
to Report on Tour of
Northern Provinces.
1 June 1945

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION

(Action to be taken by Local Government.)

<u>Serial</u>	<u>ACTION REQUIRED</u>	<u>ACTION COMPLETED</u>
1. PLACENZA	Can do with a career V.P. (I). Write and request confirmation of this requirement and then take action.	
2. FERRARA	V.P.(V) required. Action to be taken.	
3. BOLOGNA	V.P.(I) required. Action to be taken.	
4. IMPERIA	V.P.(V) required. Action to be taken.	

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4. IMPERIA V.P.(V) required. Action to be taken.

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Appendix "A" (i) to Report on
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LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION

1 June 1945

Serial No. (a)	REGION Province (b)	Prefect (c)	Party (d)	CLN Nominee (e)	Approved by R.C. (f)	Remarks. (g)
<u>PIEMONTE</u>						
1.	Aosto	Prof. PASSERIN D'ENTRES Alessandro	LIB	Yes	Yes	This Prefect is now suggesting he resign from CLN owing to differences over the French question and may not be the final choice.
2.	Asti	Not yet appointed				
3.	Cuneo	Avv. VERZONE Guido	Not known.	yes	yes	Is an active Patriot
4.	Novarra	Dott. FORNARO Pierro	Not known.	Yes	Yes	
5.	Vecelli	Dott. CANTONO Giovanni	Not known.	Yes	Yes	
6.	Alessandria	Not yet selected				
7.	Turino	Name not given	SOC	(Not known to D/R.C.)		
<u>LIGURIA</u>						
8.	La Spezia	Dott. BECHI	SOC	Yes	Yes	
<u>VENEZIE</u>						
9.	Venice	Dott. MATTER Camillo	C.D.	Yes	Yes	

10. LOMBARDIA (See Appendix "A" (ii).)
All Prefects are Prefetti Regenti; all are CLN Nominees approved by R.C.

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4.	Novarra	Dott. FORNARO Pierro	Not known.	Yes
5.	Vecelli	Dott. CANTONO Giovanni	Not known.	Yes
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- a) RGS of Regions PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA & LIGURIA have all been appointed D/SCAOs and may by now have been delegated the power of appointment of Prefects.
- b) In PIEMONTE Region SCAO had forwarded signed blanks of his confirmation Pro Formae for Prefects.

LIST OF PRINCIPAL PROVINCIAL OFFICIALS

BRESCIA

Prefect (Reggente) Pietro Bulloni
President of the CLN Giuseppe Ghetti
Partisan Head Col. Giuseppe Zani
Head of C3.H.R. Lt Col Frailich Arnaldo
Head of Guardia di Finanza Lt Col Di Natale
Sindaco of Prov. Capital Avv. Guglielmo Ghislandi

COMO

Prefetto Reggente Avv. Virgilio Bertinelli
Vice Prefetto Bordogna Mario
Questore Ten Col. Avv. Luigi Grassi
Vice Questore Prof. Franco Cappuccio
Sindaco of Como City Armando Marnini

CREMONA

Prefect Regent Parietti Giulio fu Cesare
Vice Prefect (Acting) Cremonesi Giacinto fu Giac.
Vice Prefect (Acting) Cottarelli Alessandro di L.
Questore (Acting) Ferretti Roberto di Angelo
Sindaco (Cremona City) Calatrone Bruno di Guido

MANICOVA

Prefetto Reggente Avv. Tommaso Solci
Vice Prefetto Vicario Dott. Vario Campagnari
Vice Prefetto Ispettore Rag. Pietro Padulano
Capo Gabinetto Prefetto Dott. Orlando Antonio
Medico Provinciale Dott. Roberto Zanini
Veterinario Provinciale Dott. Enrico Bertolini
Questore Verona Aronne
Vice Questore Avv. Luigi Balzo
Amministrazione Provinciale :
Presidente Avv. Ennio Avanzini
Segretario Generale Dott. Atelio Leotti
Ingegnere Capo Ing. Giuseppe Mozzi
Sindaco di Mantova Carlo Carerlenghi
Vice Sindaco Angelo Gorni
Vice Sindaco Ing. Giuseppe Borella

Questore Prof. Franco Cappuccio
Vice Questore Armando Marnini
Sindaco of Como City

CREMONA

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Ferretti Roberto di Angelo
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Prefect Regent
Vice Prefect (Acting)
Vice Prefect (Acting)
Questore (Acting)
Sindaco

MANROVA

Prefetto Regente
Vice Prefetto Vicario
Vice Prefetto Ispettore
Capo Gabinetto Prefetto
Medico Provinciale
Veterinario Provinciale
Questore
Vice Questore
Amministrazione Provinciale :
Presidente
Segretario Generale
Ingegnere Capo
Sindaco di Mantova
Vice Sindaco
Vice Sindaco
Segretario Capo
Ingegnere Capo
Genio Civile : Ingegnere Capo
Camera del Commercio : Direttore
Ufficio del Lavoro : Direttore
Tribunale : Presidente
Procura del Regno : Reggente
Pretura : I' Pretore
Ufficio Vendita Monopoli di Stato : Regg.
Sovr.int. alle Gallerie
Banca D'Italia : Direttore
Prov.to agli Studi : Prov.v.re
Poste e Telegrafi : Direttore
Ispettorato Agricoltura : Reggente
Istituto Previdenza Sociale : Reggente

Avv. Tommaso Solci
Dott. Vario Campagnari
Rag. Pietro Padulano
Dott. Orlando Antonio
Dott. Roberto Zanini
Dott. Enrico Bertolini
Verona Aromne
Avv. Luigi Balzo
Avv. Ennio Avanzini
Dott. Amelio Leotti
Ing. Giuseppe Mozzi
Carlo Camerlenghi
Angelo Gorni
Ing. Giuseppe Borella
Dott. Achille Tuminello
Ing. Magelli Alessandro
Ing. Alfredo Masi
Prof. Mario Levi
Dott. Bruno Vivenza
Dott. Alessandro Finardi
Dott. Giannotti
Dott. Jannaccaro
Di Pisa Francesco
Prof. Leandro Ozzola
Spagnoli Orlando
Prof. Umberto Pizzini
Dott. Michele Alfi
Dott. Bernini Ottorino
Ferrero Cesare

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Comitato di Liberazione (Presidente) Avv. Carlo Bertazzoni
 Capo Partigiani Col. Lorenzo Mattiotti
 Capo CC.RR. Magg. Felice Corsaro
 Finanza : Vice Intendente Dott. Angelo Cucchi

MILANO

Prefetto Reggente Ing. Riccardo Lombardi
 Capo di Gabinetto Avv. Marco de Mais
 Vice Prefetto Ispettore Avv. Umberto Carcaponti
 Vice Prefetto Ispettore Dott. Adolfo Vagnarelli
 Consigliere Dott. D'Addario Rodolfo
 " Dott. Grillo Antonio
 " Dott. Natta Camillo
 " Dott. Paterno' Giovanni
 " Dott. Di Bona Giuseppe
 Direttore Ufficio Culti Dott. Luigi Curti
 Vice Segretario Dott. Miloni Antonio
 Medico Provinciale Capo Prof. De Socio Giuseppe
 " " Aggiunto Dott. Bontempo Giacomo
 " " " Dott. Leonello Mucciotti
 " " " Dott. Corradi Cesare
 Veterinario Provinciale Dott. Giorgio Salvi
 Ragioniere Capo Comm. Lazzarini
 " " " Loche Sebastiano

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Presidenti Tribunali : Milano Comm. Carlo Marca
 Lodi Cav. Uff. Adolfo Fantoni
 Monza Segni Leonardo

Procuratori del Re : Milano Dott. Gino Miglietta
 Lodi Dr. Francesco Porchi
 Monza Salvatore Carcasio

Fastori :

Milano Bottesini Camillo
 Abbiategrasso Dott. Alfredo Vitiello
 Cassano D'Adda Dott. Pasquale Castore
 Codogno Dott. Riccardo Tagliarini
 Legnano Dott. Leonardo Lo Guercio
 Desio Dott. Giovanni Meli
 Lodi Dott. Michele Fiorillo
 Monza Dott. Enrico Cortesi Palazzi
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Pastori :

Dott. Gino Miglietta
Dr. Francesco Porchi
Salvatore Carcasio

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Dott. Alfredo Vitiello
Dott. Pasquale Castore
Dott. Riccardo Tagliarini
Dott. Leonardo Lo Quercio
Dott. Giovanni Meli
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Dott. Ezio Mariani

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Prefetto	Prof. Franco Borlandi
Vice Prefetto	Avv. Cesare Cavina
Questore	Alfredo Turri
Sindaco	Angelo Grassi
Vescovo	Ecc. Allorio Mons. Carlo
Rettore Università'	Prof. Plinio Fraccaro
Presidente Deputazione Provinciale	Geom. Angelo Piccoli
Procuratore del Re	Aragnetti Deonefto
Presidente Tribunale	Dott. Avv. Alessio Giuseppe
Intendenza Finanza	Dott. D'Avanzo Giuseppe
Consiglio Prov. Economia.	Prof. Pietro Ferreri
	Mario Zighetti

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Desanti Rita - Gatti Ernesto

Ing. Giuseppe Mariani

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Direttore Sez. Prov. Alimentazione Dott. Luigi De Corte
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 Provvedere agli Studi Prof. Aurelio Bernardi
 Capo Stazione Principale FF.SS. Romano Alfredo
 Ingegnere Capo di Catasto Ing. Mario Lazzaro
 Direttore delle Poste e Telegrafi Dott. Fadda Valerno
 Commiss. Prefett. Ospedale San Matteo Avv. Francesco Cortese
 Direttore Banca D'Italia Dott. Roberto Picucci
 Direttore Banca Popolare di Novara Rag. Aristide Panelli
 Direttore Banca Commerciale Rag. Enrico Viliani
 Direttore Cassa di Risparmio P.L.L. Rag. Giuseppe Merlo
 Capo dell'Ispettorato Agricoltura Prof. Giuseppe Formaci
 Direttore Istituto Nazionale Previdenza Sociale Dott. Nicola Vespa
 Direttore Ist. Naz. Ass. Infortuni Dott. Giovanni Zaglio
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 Polizia Economica Capt. Ingrosso
 R.M.C. Capt. Giuseppe Spano
 Guardia Finanza Maggiore Fetti Ottorino
 Comitato Liberazione Naz. Prov. Presidente Prof. Mariano Maresca

SONDRIO

Prefetto Reggente Plinio Corti
 Vice Prefetto Vicario Francesco Quaini
 Vice Prefetto Ispettore vacant
 Councilors 4 posts vacant
 Chief of Cabinet Lucilio retreccia
 Secretaries (G. Benevento - C. Pannuto
 (2 posts still vacant
 Mario Abbiezzi
 Questore Ettore Quasinodo
 Chief Accountant Carlo Camossa
 Intendente of Finance Romualdi Barresi
 Director Prov. Sec. y of Treasury Mauro Urs
 Supervisor of Marriage Office Augusto Rossi
 Chief of Registry Office Giuseppe Piperata
 Provincial Health Officer Vito Mazza
 Provincial Veterinary Emanuele Ferraris
 Provinciale Agricultural Inspector Luigi Ouster
 Provincial Engineers Vacant
 Provincial Director of Communications Ugo Martinelli
 Provincial Fire Officer Ugo Credaro
 Provincial Education Officer Stefano Forte
 Public Prosecutor Lino D'Assogno
 Provincial Director of Food (SEPRAL) Giuseppe Botti
 Provincial Director HPSRA

Guardia Finanza
Comitato Liberazione Naz. Prov. Presidente
Prof. Mariano Maresca

SONDRIO

Prefetto Reggente	Plinio Corti
Vice Prefetto Vicario	Francesco Quaini
Vice Prefetto Ispettore	vacant
Councillors	4 posts vacant
Chief of Cabinet	Lucio retreccia
Secretaries	(G. Benevento - C. Pannuto (2 posts still vacant
Questore	Mario Abbezzzi
Chief Accountant	Ettore Quasinodo
Intendente of Finance	Carlo Carossa
Director Prov. Sec.y of Treasury	Romualdi Barresi
Supervisor of Marriage Office	Mauro Urs
Chief of Registry Office	Augusto Rossi
Provincial Health Officer	Giuseppe Piperata
Provincial Veterinary	Vino Mazza
Provinciale Agricultural Inspector	Emanuele Ferraris
Provincial Engineers	Luigi Ouster
Provincial Director of Communications	Vacant
Provincial Fire Officer	Ugo Martinelli
Provincial Education Officer	Ugo Credaro
Public Prosecutor	Stefano Forte
Provincial Director of Food (SEPRAL)	Lino D'Assogno
Provincial Director UPSEA	Giuseppe Botti
Provincial Director of Commerce and Industry	Rosario Antoci
Chief of Carabinieri	Cap. Ferdinando Malafarina
Forest Guards	Cap. Ettore Gandolfi
Finance Guards	Major Attilio Melchionda
Municipal Guards	Ruggiero Bettini
Military Zone Commander	Teresio Sala
Commissioner of the CLN	Plinio Corti

VARESE

Prefetto Reggente	Avv. Carlo Tosi
Comdr. RR. CC.	It. Col. Corrieri
Guardia di Finanza	Cap. Franzosi
Guardia Forestale	Cap. Banti
Questore	Monicelli Giorgio
Guardia Municipale	(Rossi - Vice Commissario)

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Appendix "B" to Report on
Tour of Northern Provinces.
1 June 1945

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION
PATRIOTS BRANCH

ACTION COMPLETED (date)

ACTION REQUIRED

Serial

EMILIA REGION

1. Replacement required for BORELLI at FERRARA.

" " " FERRARI at REGGIO E.

2. Find a substitute Food Officer to replace Capt. ELLS now doing PATRIOTS OFFICER.

3. Relief required for CALZAVARA

Note only: GALLINA is to move from VENICE to BOLZANO.

4. Clarification of 1000/5000 lire payment.

5. S/Sjt. SARKISS urgently required by Regional Patriot Officer. Hasten move.

6. Director to write Brigadier DUNLOP re position of Capt. ELLS.

ANG FIFTH ARMY

7. To note in files please: The following centres are opening and functioning :

BOLOGNA
MODENA
VERONA
BOLZANO

Cpts. McCLOUGHLIN and HALMOND moving to MILAN.

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4. Clarification of 1000/5000 lire payment.
5. S/Sgt. SAKISS urgently required by Regional Patriot Officer. Hasten move.
6. Director to write Brigadier DUNLOP re position of Capt. ELLS.

AMC FIFTH ARMY

7. To note in files please: The following centres are opening and functioning:

BOLOGNA
MODENA
VERONA
BOLSANO

Cpts. McCLOUGHLIN and HALLOND moving to MILAN.

LOMBARDIA

8. Director to discuss matter of uniform of IPRs with Colonel FAVA.
9. Praise question of Italian rations being drawn for IPRs who are required to pay 70 lire per diem for messing.

/10. LOMBARDIA (Continued)...

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ACTION COMPLETED (DATE).

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LOMBARDIA REGION (Cont'd).

10. FRIGERIE to be returned. (Della FURA as Patriot Leader on the spot has been appointed to carry out the work). Regional Patriot Officer asks if it is possible to have LAVENACK Major of ARTY as a replacement.

11. Certificates required, none in stock. AMF Fifth Army to supply and this is arranged. However, this will require a follow up.

12. To take up with Minister of Justice the use of Patriots as Prison Guards.

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13. Certificates required. Already taken up with LIMBERT, a follow up required.

LIGURIA

14. NOTE that centres have been set up at :

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Appendix "C" to Report on
T.C. of Northern Provinces.
1 June 1945

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION

MINE CLEARANCE

ACTION COMPLETED (DATE)

ACTION REQUIRED

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EMILIA REGION

1. Agreed transmission of mail through AMG channels. HQ to see, inspect and forward to Ministry of War.
2. Require additional instructional staff at BOLOGNA (Lts. BALFI and GARPOLO.)
3. In future officers (Italian) reporting to ZONE and HQ in Regions must be fully equipped with uniform.
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LIGURIA REGION

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