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COMPILATION OF ELECTORAL LISTS, CASELLARIO
GIUDIZIALE
JULY-OCT. 1945

MINUTE SHEET NO.

DATE	PAGE
24 Sept	10 We can - Please Transmit as ordinary Italian mail the cables (copy in folio 28 c) PRT. Dispatched 22/9/45 PRT PRT
1 Oct.	11 CAS - For your information please see folio 30 in response to aide - memoire delivered by hand of the CG. I assume the latter has seen this, if not he should. v. I don't think a reply to this is necessary PRT encl. - Major Director (12) 24 Oct. Chevannes, Please see folio 31 A. Translation required. Assurances

Local Govt. through
V.P. CAS.

Please see CC's minute of 10/9/45
in the memoire for him: 10/9/45
Commencement to Trip Temple.

10/9/45.

10. CAS

In accordance with the instructions at minute 44, there is
submitted an aide memoire of CC, at 10/9/45.
The amendment has been conveyed to 70/9/45 Temple.

L. G. O.
L. G. P. 45
X. G. O.

Ex C. Sec.

Aide memoire at 29. as requested.

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8. Memoire to PM Sep 45
Aide memoire 20 Sep 45
on 17/5

Chief Commissioner.

Approved &
Attached is submitted for your signature (LSC).
~~information~~

10 Sept. 45.

10/9/45

In accordance with the instructions at minute 44, there is
 submitted an aide memoire of C.C. at page 27.
 The amendment has been conveyed to Major Temple.

L. G. R.
 6 Sept 45
 V. C. G.

R. R. Knight
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Ex C. Sec.

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Aide memoire at 27. as requested.

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8. Memorial to PM Sep 45
 Aide Memoire 20 Sep 45
 on 1715

Chief Commissioner.

Approved & Attached is submitted for your signature (CSC).
~~Signature~~

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10 Sept. 45.

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C.A. Sec.

File now returned. Please
 note Aide Memoire no submitted 20 Sep.

21 Sept 45.

AT **R. W. REMSLEY**
 Officer, Ex Comm.

MINUTE SHEET NO. 1

DATE	PAGE
28 Aug.	① CAS - Herewith several copies of my report on condition of the Caracalla and Indigile Centrale for your information and any action you deem necessary. R.P. Temple, Mayor Muir. vac. gov. S/C
30 Aug 45	TO: Executive Commissioner. I think you should see Folio 24. I suggest that this is not a matter with which Professor Parri should be burdened and if you agree I could write a letter to the Minister of Grace and Justice and suggest action.
	Tri seems an excellent example of the value of a local FBI expert trouble-shooter. \$1 3/8. ML M. Carr, Brigadier, VF CAsession. Chief Commissioner.
	Submitted for reading. You should read of length. I propose that Brig Carr be on this which of Min. for G. & J. and the Min.

Undergraduate Centre for your information
and any action you deem necessary.

R.P. Temple, Mayor
D/Dir. haw. gov. S/C

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it is a complication in election sample
should be considered for turning this up. 200

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

10/45/20/LG

Tel : 478190

SUBJECT : Preparation of Electoral Lists :
Casellari Giudiziali

29 October 1945

TO : RI LIGURIA (with copy for RI Imperia)

1. Reference your LIG/HQ/140 of 19 October 1945 and letter dated 13 October 1945 from RI Imperia reference LIG/IMP/PO/19.

2. This Sub-Commission is aware of the unfortunate delay which the slow returns of the Casellari Giudiziali are causing in the compilation of the electoral lists. The difficulty, however, is one which is common to all Italy at the present time and this Sub-Commission has made a special point of keeping the Italian Government alive to the consequences of such delays.

3. The Italian Government in its turn has devised ways and means of combatting the bottleneck caused by the Casellari. All Prefects should by now have received instructions regarding the preparation of the male lists pending the returns from the Casellari. So far as the Casellari are concerned, we are assured by the Government that everything possible is being done to speed the returns by engaging additional staff, etc.

4. The Casellario Giudiziale Centrale in Rome was recently visited by the Director of this Sub-Commission and in his opinion the state of the offices "was chaotic and the methods employed archaic." The matter was immediately taken up by the Chief Commissioner who personally wrote to the Prime Minister pointing out the appalling conditions and urging the Prime Minister to do everything possible to speed the return of the penal certificates.

CEH
RALPH R. TEMPLE,
Major,
Director,
Local Government Sub Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
LIGURIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
A. P. O. 394

19 October 1945

Ref: LiE/HQ/140

SUBJECT: Electoral Lists.

24 OCT 1945

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394, Attention:
Local Government Sub-Commission.

1. Attached is forwarded for your information.
2. It would appreciated if the matter could be taken up from your end.

For the Regional Commissioner:

A. I. & W. L.

A.C.F. WHITE
Major, RA
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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PROVINCE OF IMPERIA

13 October 1945

Ref: Lig/Imp/PC/19

SUBJECT: Electoral Lists

TO : R.C. Liguria Region.

1. Delay is being caused in the compilation of electoral lists because the "Casellari Giudiziari" have not all returned the extracts sent to them for investigation.

2. The majority of electors in Imperia, of course, depend on the "Casellari" of San Remo, and it has nearly completed its work.

3. However, as the communal lists cannot be published until the returns on all residents are in their hands, the missing ones are retarding the work in a number of communes.

4. Forty-six "Casellari", including the Casellario Centrale of Rome, are reported as not having returned the extracts.

5. It is suggested that Hq, Allied Commission be informed of this state of affairs, as steps to hasten returns in (King's Italy) can only be taken by them. *Italian part*

6. I attach at Appx. "A" list of "Casellari" whose returns are still awaited.

/s/ H.M. Renwick

H.M. RENWICK
Major,
Acting Provincial
Commissioner

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Major,
Acting Provincial
Commissioner

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with 3 copies of
a handwritten tabulated*

13 October 1945

Ref. : Lig/Imp/PC/19
 Subj. : Electoral Lists
 To : R.C.

Appx. "A"

L I S T OF " CASELLARI GIUDIZIARI "

Alba--Alessandria--Ancona--Aquila--Arezzo--Bologna--Belluno--
 Cuneo--Cremona--Catanzaro--Casale Monferrato--Como--Ferrara--
 Firenze--Foggia--Genova--La Spezia--Massa e Carrara--Matera--
 Milano--Napoli--Novara--Pescara--Piacenza--Pisa--Pordenone--
 Palermo--Pavia--Roma--Reggio Calabria--Savona--Salerno--Sassari--
 Treviso--Torino--Trieste--Trento--Teramo--Trapani--Terni--
 Udine--Venezia--Vercelli--Verona--Lecco--Casellario Centrale Roma.

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28th 9.1945

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Translation

The President of the Council of Ministers
Minister of the Interior

n. 37011

Rome, 25 September 1945

Dear Admiral,

I received your memorandum of the 7th, A.C./45/29 L.G. on the position of the central individual record office.

This important matter had already been the subject of the attention of my Ministry, which took action, for the part concerning it, to try and improve the working conditions of the above mentioned office, assuming the expense for the larger staff which is necessary.

We already knew that the central individual record office, of which the Government formed after the liberation of Rome had inherited in a very disorderly state, not yet reorganized, had great difficulties in functioning. On the other hand, from what our offices knew, it seemed that no delay for the summoning of the elections was to be feared for such a reason. However, after what you have told me, I have ordered that an ascertainment be made.

I have at once drawn the particular attention of the Minister of Justice on the mentioned inconveniences, asking him to take in consideration the suggestions made and at once take the necessary action to eliminate the said inconveniences.

Yours very truly,

S. Ferruccio Farri

Admiral Ellery W. Stone
Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
Rome

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IL PRESIDENTE
DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI
MINISTRO DELL'INTERNO

Roma, 23 settembre 1945

28 SET 1945

Caro Ammiraglio,

ho ricevuto il Suo promemoria del 7 c.m. A.C./45/2/L.G.
sulla situazione del Casellario Giudiziale Centrale.

La importante questione aveva già formato oggetto della
attenzione del mio Ministero il quale è pure intervenuto, per la parte
di sua competenza, per cercare di migliorare le condizioni del lavoro
del predetto Ufficio, assumendo a proprio carico la spesa per il mag-
giore personale all'uopo occorrente.

Ci era già noto il faticoso funzionamento del Casellario,
che il Governo costituito dopo la liberazione di Roma aveva ereditato
in condizioni di grande disordine, non ancora completamente superate.
Peraltro, da quanto risultava ai nostri uffici, non sembrava che per
questo riguardo si dovessero temere ritardi alla convocazione delle
elezioni. Dispongo in ogni modo, dopo quanto Ella mi segnala, per un
più sicuro accertamento.

Non ho mancato di richiamare subito la particolare atten-
zione del Ministro di Grazia e Giustizia sugli inconvenienti lamentati,
invitandolo a tener conto dei suggerimenti forniti e da adottare con
carattere d'urgenza i provvedimenti necessari per la eliminazione de-
gli inconvenienti stessi.

Con viva cordialità

Fumio Rami

All'Ammiraglio Ellery W. S T O N E
Capo della Commissione Alleata

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 994

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

Notes on Interview held 12 Sept. 1945

SUBJECT : Preparation of Electoral Lists : All Italy.

PRESENT : Major R.R. TEMPLE, Deputy Director, Local Government Sub Commission.
 Major G.C.R. WILLIAMS, Local Government Sub Commission.
 Miss P. REAUMANN, Local Government Sub Commission.
 Mister Rice, interpreting
 Dott. VINCENZI, Acting Chief of Electoral Service, Ministry of Interior

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2. Major Temple said that we had received a report on the progress in Central and Southern Italy from the Ministry of Interior. This report indicated that there were still many communes which had not presented their lists to the Electoral Commissions.

3. Dott. VINCENZI said that the main difficulty was arising with the Casellari Giudiziali, both provincial and central. Dott. VINCENZI estimated that the work of the Casellari Giudiziali would be finished as follows :

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 " " - for Northern Italy - end of November

Casellario Giudiziale in the Province - at the end of November

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4. Major Temple said that this report on his visit to the Casellario Giudiziale Centrale was being taken up by the Chief Commissioner with *SAI* *gpt.*

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IN CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN ITALY

Lists until postal certificates

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IN CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN ITALY

- a) - Electoral Commissions cannot approve lista until penal certificates are returned;
- b) - All Public Assistance Authorities have completed their returns;
- c) - The electoral lista have been compiled as far as they can be;
- d) - Only the penal certificates are omitted;
- e) - there was 3% female criminality and 20% male criminality.

IN THE MONTH

- a) - The greatest difficulty again the Casellari Giudiziali;
b) - Communications and transport also difficult (e.g. Ministry
circular dated 6 June reached Macerata in September);

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- c) - Personnel had in many instances to be replaced by people without a sense of responsibility or duty;
 d) - A further difficulty is lack of magistrates;

7. PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONS

Dott. VINCENTI said that where a Prefect is not available it is possible to appoint a retired or honorary magistrate, but these are not available, and it is therefore sometimes necessary to entrust to the nearest Prefect the duty of heading his own Electoral Commission and an additional one as well.

The Ministry had sent a circular to Commissions urging speed in view of the number of lists sent to the Commissions and the few approved.

Again the fact that the lists are with the Commissions and not approved is the fault of the Cancellario Giudiziale.

8. COMMISSIONS FOR DENUNCIATIONS OF FASCISM

- a) - They had all been set up in Central and Southern Italy except 6 or 7;
 b) - Where denunciations have been received the Commissions have been working on them;
 c) - The Commissions had been set up only recently and there is no information on their work of many of them;
 d) - There are many cases where Commissions have remained inactive as denunciations have not been made;
 e) - Anyone could make denunciations, the police authorities, private persons, etc. and circulars had been sent to Sindaci asking them to collaborate with Commissions in making denunciations. Only if they have definite information is it their duty to make denunciations but they are asked to cooperate;
 f) - It is the specific duty of the Provincial Deputation of the High Commissioner for Sanctions against Fascism to make denunciations;
 g) - In the case of those persons who held high offices under the Fascist Regime, their position must be examined by the Provincial Commissions since it is possible that some who fall within the category have, since 3 September 1943, given some veridical work;
 h) - Direct reports are not received from the Commissions;
 i) - The Government was going to ask the High Commission for Sanctions against Fascism to instruct Provincial Commissions to report progress to the Prefects.

9. PRODUCTION OF UNIS, BOTTLS, STAMPS, MATCHES, ETC.

- a) - The work is proceeding fairly well;
 b) - Only in a few provinces has there been a lack of material;
 c) - The stamps are being manufactured by the Royal Mint;
 d) - There was no possibility that the manufacture of unis, bottles, etc., would delay the holding of elections either

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8. COMMISSION FOR THE PURIFICATION OF RACIALS I

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- h) - Direct reports are not received from the Commissions;
- i) - The Government was going to ask the High Commissioner for Sanctions against Fascism to instruct Provincial Commissions to report progress to the Prefects.

9. PROVISION OF URNS, BOOTHS, STAMPS, MANIFESTS, ETC.

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- a) - The work is proceeding fairly well;
- b) - Only in a few provinces has there been a lack of material;
- c) - The stamps are being manufactured by the Royal Mint;
- d) - There was no possibility that the manufacture of urns, booths, etc., would delay the holding elections either in the North or Central and Southern Italy;
- e) - The actual making of urns and booths should be completed by the end of October in Central and Southern Italy;
- f) - There were no difficulties as to premises.

10. VOTING SECTIONS I

- a) - The Comunes are already compiling the sectional lists for women;
- b) - When the men's general lists are finished they will add the men's names;

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c) - The work of dividing the Communes into voting districts is going on and should not be a factor of delay in elections.

11. "CONSEDA" - VOTING EXPENSE

- a) - No decision has been made as whether there will be an official ballot paper or not for local elections; it is a matter for decision by the Consulta;
- b) - If there should be an official ballot paper printed by the State, it would take about a month for this to be done by the Istituto Poligrafico dello Stato and for distribution to the provinces, etc.;
- c) - If there should not be an official ballot paper, the political parties would provide them; in that case the printing would be done locally.

12. REVISION OF ELECTORAL LAW 1

- a) - The Consulta will be convened on 25 September 1945;
- b) - The Ministry has recommended to the Presidency of the Council that one of the first tasks of the Consulta should be the review of the electoral law for local elections;
- c) - The recently published "Progetto" (being the "blue book" of the Ministry of the Interior giving the results of a technical study of the electoral law of 1925 with the draft of a decree for reviving it) would be submitted to the Consulta; 2,000 copies have been printed;
- d) - The Demo-Christian Party had prepared a project which had been circulated amongst the Ministers but it was not yet known whether this project would be put before the Consulta;

Det. VINCENZI did not know whether the Allied Commission's proposals for the revision of the law would be submitted to the Consulta for consideration.

Det. VINCENZI thought that all points of view would probably be put before the Consulta.

G. C. R. WILLIAMS,
Major,
Local Government and Commissions.

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THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Direction General Civil Administration
Electoral Service.

Rome the 7th September 1945
To the Hon.
ALLIED COMMISSION
Local Government S/C

File N. 15600/Q
Enclosures 37

Subject : Forwarding of circulars.

- 1)- Reference is made to agreements made with the Allied Commission about the forwarding of circulars already sent to the Prefects of the Provinces of Central and southern Italy, to the Prefects of Northern Italy.
- 2)- The attached circular refers to a draft of legislative provision approved at the meeting of the 5th instant by the Council of Ministers, the object of which is to relieve the central Casellario from excess of work; this in order to expedite the compilation and approval of electoral lists.
- 3)- A copy of the decree - which will soon be registered and published on the Gazzetta Ufficiale - and a letter of explanation of the same, are heretofore attached for your information.
- 4)- Owing to the great urgency of the Provision, we should be very much obliged if the Allied Commission would kindly provide, if there is no objection, for the distribution of the enclosed circulars as soon as possible.

For the Minister
Vicedomini.

Translated LB
typed J.C.

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URGENTISSIMA

Roma, 7 settembre

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE AMMIN. CIVILE
Servizio Elettorale

11 SEP 1945

ALL'ON. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE GOVERNO LOCALE
R O M A

Divisione Leg.
Prot. N.º 15600/Q Allegato 37

Risposta al Foglio del
Dir. Leg. N.º

OGGETTO Trasmissione circolare.-

- 1) Si fa riferimento alle intese scambiate con codesta On. Commissione per l'invio ai Prefetti del Nord delle circolari diramate ai capi delle provincie dell'Italia centro-meridionale ed insulare.-
- 2) L'unita circolare è in relazione ad uno schema di provvedimento legislativo approvato dal Consiglio dei Ministri nella seduta del 5 corrente mese ed inteso a sollevare il Casellario centrale da parte dell'attuale oneroso lavoro. E ciò allo scopo di rendere quanto più spedita la compilazione ed approvazione delle liste elettorali.-
- 3) Per opportuna intelligenza di codesta On. Commissione s'invia un esemplare del decreto, alla cui registrazione e pubblicazione nella Gazzetta Ufficiale viene dato sollecitato corso, nonché la relazione illustrativa del decreto medesimo.-
- 4) Considerata la particolare urgenza del provvedimento e soprattutto la finalità ch'esso intende conseguire, si sarà assai grati a codesta On. Commissione se vorrà cortesemente disporre, ove nulla osti, che la circolare qui unita sia diramata con ogni possibile sollecitudine.-

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Direction General Civil Administration
 Electoral Service

Rome, 6 September 1945

C A B L E

TO THE PREFECTS OF THE PROVINCES ADMINISTERED BY THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT
 and for information:

HIGH COMMISSIONERS SICILY AND SARDINIA

1260 -Q The electoral Service. The Council of Ministers has approved a draft of legislative decree which intrusts the local Questure and the Commands of Royal Carabinieri with the verification of penal precedents of women, born in the districts where the Casellari Giudiziali were destroyed by war events. The object of this provision is to relieve the central Casellario from excess of work considering the small percentage of women's criminality, and also to quicken compilation of lists. Therefore the Sindaci will forward the extract of the elenchi referred to in article 3 of ministerial decree 24 Oct 1944, to the local Questura in the case of women residing in the chief town commune and in the case of women resident in other communes to the competent Royal Carabinieri station. The above mentioned Police authorities after the necessary inquiries in the records of their own offices, will send directly to the competent electoral commission, the extract of the elenco, noting "none" in the case of people not convicted, and in the other cases will attach a report on crimes committed. The electoral commissions when revising the lists for consequent approval, will naturally make distinction^x from the electoral rights and those which do not. For this purpose the Prefects will immediately send the electoral commissions and sub commissions ~~have~~ copies of elenchi A and B attached to circular No. 4663-H of the 14th February 1945 concerning the issue of certificates of convictions. However here are again the Provinces where casellari are out of order: Avezzano, Bolzano, Cagliari, Cassino, Catania, Ferrara, Foggia, La Spezia, Livorno, Pescara, Pistoia, Rovereto, Velletri and Vicenza. The present circular must be immediately forwarded to the Sindaci, the Presidents of electoral commissions, the Questori and the Chiefs of the Royal Carabinieri units, expressly recommending to exactly execute without delay the special aforesaid proceeding. It is also recommended that at the same time with the conveyance of the extracts the Sindaci will inform Police authorities of the residence of the electoral commission to which the same extracts will be forwarded. Will you please acknowledge receipt by cable.

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FOR THE MINISTER
 (Vicedomini)

AB
 Translated by J.C. 12/9/45
 Typed by M.C.

(This circular transmitted 1185)
 22 SEP 1945

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE AMMINISTRAZIONE CIVILE
SERVIZIO ELETTORALE

Roma, 6 settembre 1945

T E L E G R A M M A

PREFETTI PROVINCE AMMINISTRATE DA GOVERNO ITALIANO

e per conoscenza:

ALTI COMMISSARI SICILIA ET SARDEGNA

1260 - Q Servizio elettorale alt Consiglio Ministri habet approvato schema decreto legislativo che demanda at Questure et Comandi Carabinieri Reali Comuni residenza accertamento precedenti penali donne nate in circondari cui casellari giudiziali siano impossibilitati funzionare seguito vicende belliche alt Provvedimento intende alleviare oneroso compito Casellario Centrale tenuto conto minore entità delinquenza femminile et accelerare procedura compilazione liste alt Sindaci trasmetteranno pertanto estratto elenco previsto articolo tre decreto ministeriale ventiquattro ottobre 1944 at Questura luogo residenza per donne residenti comune capoluogo provincia aut Comando Stazione Carabinieri Reali competente territorio per donne residenti altri Comuni alt Organi polizia predetti eseguite debite ricerche atti rispettivi uffici inviano direttamente at competente commissione elettorale estratto elenco previa annotazione virgolette nulla virgolette per nominativi cui carico non risultino condanne per delitto et allegano per altri nominativi attestazione contenente delitti risultanti alt Commissioni elettorali in sede revisione liste per conseguente approvazione procederanno at necessaria discriminazione tra condanne comportanti esclusione da diritto elettorale et condanne che tale effetto non producono alt At uopo Prefetti forniranno subito at commissioni et sottocommissioni elettorali copia elenchi A et B allegati circolare quattordici febbraio 1945 numero 4663-H riguardante rilascio certificati penali alt Ripetonsi per ogni buon fine casellari impossibilitati funzionare due punti Avezzano Bolzano Cagliari Cassino Catania Ferrara Foggia La Spezia Livorno Pescara Pistoia Rovereto Velletri et Vicenza alt Presente circolare dovrà subito comunicarsi at Sindaci Presidenti commissioni elettorali Questori et Comandanti Gruppi Carabinieri Reali con opportune raccomandazioni per pronto esatto adempimento speciale procedura sopraindicata alt Est necessario altresì raccomandare che contemporaneamente invio estratti sindaci comunichino at organi polizia sede commissione elettorale cui estratti medesimi dovranno essere trasmessi alt Pregasi assicurare telegrafica recezione alt

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From : MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Dir. Gen. Amm. Civile

Rome, 25 August 1945

REPORT ON THE DRAFT OF A LEGISLATIVE DECREE CONTAINING PROVISIONS FOR THE
ASCERTAINMENT OF PENAL PRECEDENTS CONCERNING WOMEN TO BE REGISTERED IN THE
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extracts of the respective electoral "elenchi", instead of being forwarded to
the Casellario Centrale, be transmitted by the sindaci to the Questura and
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authorities let it be known on the basis of the records existing in the respective
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It is to be foreseen that part of the women with penal precedents may be over-
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Draft ID containing provisions for the ascertainment of penal precedents concerning women which are to be registered in the electoral lists.

By virtue of the power conferred on us:

Having seen the RD 28 sept 44, n. 247 and RD 24 oct. 1944 on the compilation of the electoral lists;

Having seen RD 1 st february 1945, n. 28, concerning the extension of the electoral right to women;

Having seen art. 4 of RD 25 June 1944, n. 154, and art. 2 of RD 1st february 1945 n. 58;

Having seen the deliberation of the Council of Ministers:

On proposal of the President of the Council of Ministers, Prime Minister and Secretary of State, Minister of the Interior, in agreement with the Minister of Grace and Justice;

WE HAVE SANCTIONED AND PROCLAIM THE FOLLOWING:

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For the purpose of registration in the electoral lists of women born in districts, the casellari giudiziari of which are not in a position to function owing to war events, in lieu of the certificates issued by the Casellario centrale as provided in art. 4 of RD 24 oct 44, similar certificates to be issued by the Questura or by Royal Carabinieri Headquarters in conformity with the following provisions may be substituted.

Art. 2

Within fifteen days from the day when the present decree will be become effective, each Comune shall transmit and extract of the "elenco" referred to in article 3 of RD 24 oct 44, comprising the names of women indicated in the preceding article:

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The present decree shall become operative the day subsequent to the day of its publication in the Gazzetta Ufficiale of the Kingdom.

We order etc.

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by A. Nice on 12/9/45



Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELL'AMMINISTRAZIONE CIVILE

Roma 25 Agosto 1945

RELAZIONE SULLO SCHEMA DI DECRETO LEGISLATIVO CONTENENTE NORME
PER L'ACCERTAMENTO DEI PRECEDENTI PENALI NEI RIGUARDI DELLE
DONNE DA ISCRIVERSI NELLE LISTE ELETTORALI.

Per disporre dell'art. 22 del R.D. 18 giugno 1931, n. 778, spetta al Casellario centrale l'assumere temporaneamente il servizio dei casellari giudiziari locali distrutti in tutto o in parte.

Attualmente risultano distrutti 14 Casellari giudiziari locali (Avezzano, Bolzano, Cagliari, Cassino, Catania, Ferrara, Foggia, La Spezia, Livorno, Pescara, Pistoia, Rovereto, Velletri e Vicenza), concernenti nel complesso una popolazione di circa due milioni e mezzo di iscrivendi nelle liste elettorali (uomini e donne maggiori di 21 anni).

Al Casellario centrale, stante la sua conformazione e gli altri suoi incumbenti, occorrerebbero, per portare a termine gli accertamenti tuttora in corso per gli iscrivendi svindicati (oltre due milioni), almeno dieci mesi, mentre è necessario che le liste elettorali siano preparate nel più breve tempo possibile.

Allo scopo di dare un più spedito ritmo agli accertamenti dei precedenti penali si dispone con l'unito schema che, per le donne note nei circondari i cui casellari giudiziari sono rimasti distrutti, gli estratti degli elenchi elettorali relativi, anziché al Casellario centrale, siano inviati dai sindaci alla Questura ed al Comando di Stazione CC.RR. del Comune di residenza, affinché detti organi facciano conoscere, in base agli atti esistenti nei rispettivi uffici, quali sono, fra le iscritte negli estratti, quelle che hanno precedenti penali.

E' da prevedere che una parte delle donne con precedenti penali potrà sfuggire all'accertamento; ma si tratterà di condannato per lievi reati. D'altra parte, di fronte all'enorme compito di un milione e mezzo di ricerche che graverebbe sul Casellario centrale, delle quali soltanto il 3% darebbero un risultato positivo, ~~54481~~ il grandissimo vantaggio di poter portare a compimento tali ricerche entro breve tempo, in guisa da addivenire alla formazione delle liste elettorali con una maggiore sollecitudine.

In conformità poi della procedura abbreviata stabilita per la compilazione delle liste femminili dell'art. 3 del D.L.L. 12/4/1945 n° 291, è stato disposto che la restituzione degli estratti annotati sia fatta, anziché ai comuni, direttamente alle Commissioni elettorali, che già sono in possesso delle liste stesse, le quali, in sede di revisione delle iscrizioni procederanno alla discriminazione tra le condanne che comportano la esclusione dal diritto elettorale e le altre, non essendosi ritenute opportune di affidarle, anche per difficoltà tecniche, alle Questure o ai Comandi di stazione dei CC.RR.

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SCHEMA di decreto legislativo contenente norme per l'accertamento dei precedenti penali nei riguardi delle donne da iscriversi nelle liste elettorali.

In virtù dell'autorità a noi delegata;

Visti il decreto legislativo Luogotenenziale 28 settembre 1944, n. 247 ed il decreto ministeriale 24 ottobre 1944 sulla formazione delle liste elettorali;

Visto il decreto legislativo Luogotenenziale 1° febbraio 1945, n° 28, per la estensione alle donne del diritto di voto;

Visti l'art. 4 del decreto-legge Luogotenenziale 25 giugno 1944, n° 151, e l'art. 2 del decreto legislativo Luogotenenziale 1° febbraio 1945, n° 58;

Vista la deliberazione del Consiglio dei Ministri;

Sulla proposta del Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri, Primo Ministro Segretario di Stato, Ministro dell'Interno, di concerto con il Ministro per la Grazia e Giustizia;

ABBIAMO SANZIONATO E PROMULGHIAMO QUANTO SEGUE :

Art. 1

Ai fini della iscrizione nelle liste elettorali delle donne nate nei circondari, i cui casellari giudiziari sono impossibilitati a funzionare in seguito ad eventi bellici, possono tener luogo delle attestazioni del Casellario centrale, previste nell'art. 4 del Decreto Ministeriale 24 ottobre 1944, analoghe attestazioni da rilasciarsi dalle Questure o dai Comandi dei Carabinieri Reali in conformità delle disposizioni seguenti.

Art. 2

Entro quindici giorni dall'entrata in vigore del presente decreto, ciascun Comune trasmette un estratto dell'elenco di cui all'articolo 3 del decreto ministeriale 24 ottobre 1944, comprendente le donne indicate nell'articolo precedente:

a) alla Questura del luogo di residenza, per le donne residenti nei Comuni capoluogo di Provincia;

b) al Comando della Stazione dei Carabinieri Reali competente territorialmente per le donne residenti negli altri Comuni.

Art. 3

Le Questure e i Carabinieri Reali, fatti le opportune ricerche negli atti esistenti presso i rispettivi Uffici, inviano alle Commissioni elettorali competenti, entro quindici giorni dalla ricezione, l'estratto dell'elenco, previa apposizione della annotazione "Nulla" e fianco di ciascun nominativo per il quale non risulti alcuna precedente condanna per delitto od allogano, per gli altri nominativi, una attestazione contenente la indicazione dei delitti risultanti.

Art. 4

Il presente decreto entra in vigore il giorno successivo a quello della sua pubblicazione nella Gazzetta Ufficiale del Regno.

Ordiniamo, ecc.

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ATTN MEMPHIS

MO/45/20/12

7 September 1945

SUBJECT: Condition of Cancellario Giudiziale Centrale - Piazza Firenze, Rome.

1. I wish to draw your attention to the condition of the Cancellario Giudiziale Centrale. As you are no doubt aware, it is necessary in the compilation of electoral lists for provinces to refer to that office to obtain extracts of criminal records in cases where no record is obtainable in the pertinent Provincial Cancellario Giudiziale.
2. The information of this Commission is that 14 of the Provincial Cancellari Giudiziali have been destroyed, thus putting a very heavy burden on the Central Registry.
3. As a result of an explanation given by the Electoral Service in the Ministry of the Interior with regard to the apparent excessive time that it is taking to compile the electoral lists, which was attributed to the fact that considerable time is lost at the Central Registry in making extracts, one of my officers obtained permission to visit the Cancellario Giudiziale Centrale.
4. This officer reports that the keeping of the registers is in an extremely bad condition. It appears that:--
 - (a) the original index cards are only completed up to the year 1930;
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5. It is therefore necessary for the clerks working in these offices to make 3 separate searches under conditions that in no way lend themselves to accuracy. It is reported that several million names have already been handled in this way, but at the present time there are some 700,000 names incomplete, and it is estimated by the officials of the Central Registry that it will take 3 months to complete the names at present outstanding without any additions that are to be expected.

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6. I am considerably disturbed by this state of affairs, as you will appreciate if it is going to take so long for only one process of the electoral system to be completed, it is going to be a very considerable time before elections, either national or local, can be held throughout the country. The fact furthermore does not appear to be appreciated when statements are made by responsible government officials that elections can and will be held at an early date.

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- (a) that additional personnel be hired immediately;
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- (c) that all documents be put in wooden boxes and arranged alphabetically according to provinces;
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- (e) that if photographic material and machinery is available and can be procured that photocasts of criminal records be made which could be sent to the Communes, thereby obviating the time-consuming process of making extracts by hand.

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HENRY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Delivered to
The President of the Council of Ministers.
on 20 Sep 45.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Chief Commissioner
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AIDE MEMOIRE

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EMERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

Note of Conference 29th August, 1945.

Present:-

Dr. Catenacci. Capo di Gabinetto, Ministry of Interior.
Dr. Pino. Vice-Capo di Gabinetto, Ministry of Interior.
Colonel Cripps. Director, Local Government Sub-Commission.
Major E.R. Temple. Deputy Director, Local Government Sub-Commission.
Mr. Nice. Interpreting.

1. Oath of Sindaci.

Dr. Catenacci said that he wanted to present the new Vice-Chief of Cabinet of the Ministry, Dr. Pino.

Dr. Catenacci then stated that he had been requested by the President of the Council of Ministers, Prof. Parri, to discuss the following matter. Although he had no special cases in mind, Parri believed that the question as to the oath to be taken by sindaci had presented itself. Parri wished that AMG would not force the issue of taking the oath of loyalty to the king as prescribed by the 1915 law but that it let the matter rest until the territory was returned to the jurisdiction of the Italian Government. Dr. Catenacci was informed by Colonel Cripps that this was precisely the attitude that had been taken in the instances where the matter had come up and that we would conform with the request retaining that position.

2. Payment of Prefectural employees, Venezia Giulia.

Dr. Catenacci stated that the Ministry had been visited by a group of former officials from Trieste, Pola and Gorizia. These officials stated that they represented many functionaries who had been suspended from office. These officials were receiving about 50 lire a day and were near to starvation point. Dr. Catenacci said that the Ministry would like to send a representative to a neighbouring province such as Udine to give money to these people periodically as they came to that province from the Venezia Giulia territory. He pointed out that in Pola the prefecture had been abolished and was in fact located in territory outside. He was particularly grieved about the people from Trieste on the outskirts of Pola who seemed to be abandoned. It was pointed out to Catenacci that Trieste and territory outside the comune of Pola was under the protection of Yugo-Slavia and not under AMG. Furthermore, Colonel Cripps indicated that he doubted whether the presence of a "paymaster" at Udine was a good solution to the problem. He asked for a written statement as to the matter on receipt of which he would take it up with higher authority. The implications, it was pointed out, were political and democratic. Dr. Catenacci promised to have such a statement sent.

3. Cassellario Giudiziale.

Major Temple then described briefly his visit of the day before to the

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the Cassellario Giudiziale Centrale at Rome and described the filing conditions there as very disorderly and could quite understand the reason for great delay in providing extracts of criminal records for purposes of excluding people from electoral lists.

4. Provincial Commissions for disfranchisement of fascists - electoral lists.

Major Temple then briefly outlined the substance of his conference with Dr. Vicenzi of the Electoral Service of the Ministry on August 25th. He pointed out that we were anxiously awaiting a statement from the government as to what they wanted to do about the appointment of provincial commissions referred to in article 8 of decree No. 159 whose function was to draw up lists of former fascists to be excluded from the electoral registers. Dr. Catenacci promised to see that this matter was disposed of immediately.

R. Temple
RALPH R. TEMPLE,
Major,
Deputy Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

RRT/pdr.

30th August, 1945.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

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28th August, 1945.

REPORT ON CONDITION OF CASSELLARIO GIUDIZIALE CENTRALE - PIAZZA
FIRINZE-ROME

1. Inasmuch as the Electoral Service of the Ministry of Interior had indicated that the greatest source of delay in the compilation of the electoral lists was in the preparation of extracts of criminal records at the central criminal registry office (Cassellario Giudiziale Centrale) Rome, I suggested to Dr. VICENZI of Electoral Service that he arrange with the Ministry of Grace and Justice that I visit the Central Registry in order to see for myself what difficulties present themselves. We had already been informed that in fourteen provinces the Cassellario Giudiziale had been destroyed thus making it necessary for extracts of duplicate copies of criminal records to be made at the Central Registry.
2. Accordingly, on 28th August, 1945, accompanied by Dr. VICENZI of the Electoral Service and Mr. NICE, interpreter employed by Local Government Sub-Commission, I visited the Central Cassellario Giudiziale. What I saw there can only be described as fantastic.
3. The procedure in informing Sindaci as to whether people on the initial electoral lists have convictions against them which would prevent them from voting is as follows :-
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(g) The elenco and certificates are then sent back to the Sindaco of the pertinent commune.

4. The Manager of the Cassellario Giudiziale Centrale stated that several million names have been handled and at the present time they have about 700,000 names completed. They ~~are~~ ^{are} an average of about 12,000 to 15,000 names a day which includes searches and notations on extracts and certificates. He estimates that it will take three months to go through the back log of 700,000 names.

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5. The thing that amazed me most was the fact that nothing had been done to file records of convictions and prepare index cards therefor for the last fifteen years. All records since 1930 have no index cards but are either put in boxes or else lie on shelves with strings wrapped around them. The Manager estimated that it would take six months to properly file and index these records. He stated that lack of personnel and material accounted for the failure to keep the files and records in proper shape.

6. I personally investigated the judicial record keeping of many Courts in the United States having installed modern systems in many; I can only state that the way in which these criminal records were kept is about the worst that can possibly be imagined. Records are lying all over the place; on tables; on shelves; on the floors; in aisles; under tables; on window sills. There are no filing cabinets in any place. All the documents are covered with dust, dog-eared from constant handling, dirty, all subject to the hazards of fire, rain, dust, smoke and gnawing by rats.

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Mayor,
Deputy Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

Tel: 476190

28 July 1945

AG/45/4/LG

SUBJECT: Preparation of electoral lists--Casellari
Giudiziali.

TO : The Minister of the Interior.

1. Further to this Sub Commission's letter on this subject under the same heading and reference and dated 26 July, information as to the Casellari in the provinces of Bolzano and Piacenza has now been received as follows:

Bolzano Casellario completely
destroyed
Piacenza Casellario in operation
and records intact

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R. R. GRIPPS
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: FXII/025.111Date/Time of Origin: JULY 261200Message Centre No: F 1446Date Time Rec'd: JULY 270840Precedence: IMPORTANTFROM: VENEZIE REGIONTO : HQ AC LOCAL GOVERNMENT SECTION

2 JUL 1945

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Further to our telegram of 24 July on subject compilation electoral lists. The Casellario Giudiziale attached to procure Del Regno in Province of BOLZANO was completely destroyed.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 594
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/45/1/10

Tel: 476190

SUBJECT: Preparation of electoral lists--Casellari
Giudiziali.

26 July 1945

TO : The Minister of the Interior.

1. Further to this Sub Commission's letter on this subject under the same heading and reference and dated 15 and 23 July, information has now reached this HQ that all of the Casellari Giudiziali in the under-mentioned provinces are functioning and their records have not been damaged:

<u>Region</u>	<u>Province</u>
Liguria	Savona
Venezia Euganea	Belluno
	Padova
	Rovigo
	Treviso
	Udine
	Venezia
	(It is confirmed that the Casellario at Vicenza has been destroyed)

2. As to Venezia Tridentina, the Casellario at Trento is in order. That at Rovereto is not functioning. No information has yet been received as to Bolzano.

3. It only remains, therefore, to inform the Ministry as to the condition of the Casellari in the provinces of Bolzano and Piacenza, which will be done as soon as possible.

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R. R. CRIPES
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION *Local Govt*

Originator's Reference:

Date/Time of Origin: JUL 24 0930BMessage Centre No: F/1139Date Time Rec'd: JUL 25 0830BPrecedence: IMPORTANTFROM: VENEZIA REGIONTO: HQ ALLIED COMMISSION LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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Reference your telegram nr 950 of 1 July subject compilation electoral lists. In confirmation of telephone conversation 24 July 0900 hours. CASSELLARIO GIUDIZIALE attached to PROCURA DEL REGNO are operating in all Provinces except VICENZA where duplicate copies of records have been requested from ROMA and ROVERETO in TRETO Province. Full information regarding BOIZANO Province follows shortly.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Local Govt.

Originator's Reference: E/516

Message Centre No: F/1098

Date/Time of Origin: JULY 24

Date Time Rec'd: JULY 24 1945B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG EMILIA REGION

TO : HQ ALCOM CITE ACLGT

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Reference your signal 960 of 1 July 45 and ours number E/440 dated 15 July 45.

CASELLARIO GIUDIZIALE in PIACENZA Province in operation and records intact.

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Telephone message from
Venezia Region at 09.30 hours
24th July 1945.

- Cassellario Sindacale

All provinces intact and
functioning with exception of
VICENZA and town of
ROBERTO in Trento province.

No reply yet from
BOLZANO.

Ref: 24/7/45
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/15/1/16

Tel: 478190

23 July 1945

SUBJECT: Preparation of electoral lists--Casellari
Giudiziali.

TO : The Minister of the Interior.

1. Reference is made to this Sub Commission's letter under the same heading and reference of 1 July.

2. Further information has now been received as to certain of the Casellari Giudiziali in Emilia Region.

3. The following Casellari are in operation and their records are intact:

Parli
Modena
Parma
Reggio nell'Emilia
Ravenna

The Casellario of Bologna is in operation, but the records extending from the name CARLETTI Gastone to CAVICCHI Maria have been destroyed.

4. The Casellario of Ferrara is not in operation and all records have been destroyed by fire.

5. No information has as yet been received with respect to Piacenza.

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R. H. CRIPPS
Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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INCCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 572
Date/Time of Origin: JULY 201730B

Message Centre No: F/613
Date Time Rec'd: JULY 210945
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AMG LIGURIA REGION

TO : ALCOM CITE ACLGT

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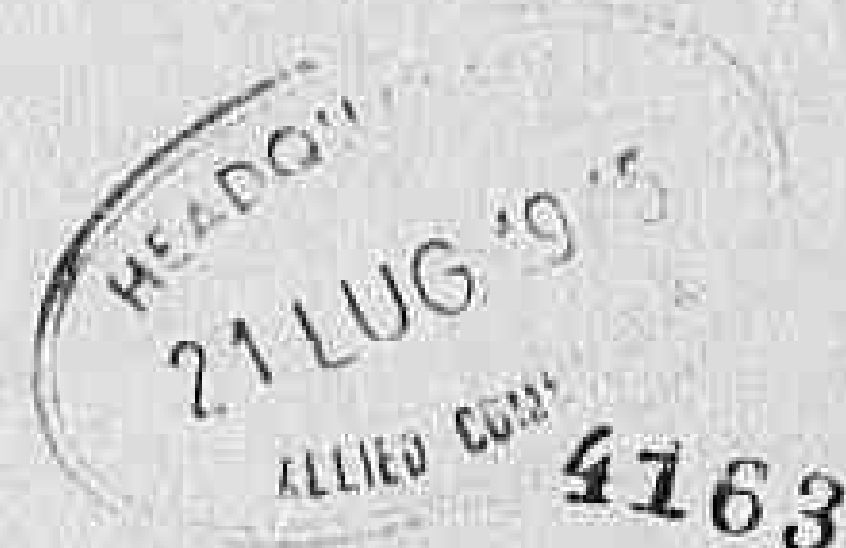
Ref your cable 1885 of 15 July CASSELLARIO GIUDIZIALE in Province
SAVONA in operation and records of conviction are up to date.

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INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator's Reference: E/484

Date/Time of Origin: JULY 19

Message Centre No: T/364

Date Time Rec'd: JULY 19 1960

FROM: ANG EMILIA ROYTON

Precedence: ROUTINE

TO : HQ ALCOM OTTE ALCOT

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Reference your signal 960 of 1 July 45 and our number E/440 dated 15 July 45.
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION *Local Govt*

Originator's Reference: E/440
 Date/Time of Origin: JULY 15

Message Centre No: E/9902
 Date Time Rec'd: JULY 16 1630
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: ARG EMILIA REGION
 TO: HQ ALISON CITE 40101

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Reference your signal 960 of 1 July 45. Casellario Guidiziale in MODENA, PARMA, RAVENNA and REGGIO EMILIA Provinces in operation and records intact. In BOLOGNA Province this office in operation but records ranging from CARLETTI GASTANO to CAVICCHI MARIA destroyed. In FERRARA Province office not in operation and all records were destroyed by fire. No information yet received from FORLI and PIACENZA Provinces. Have requested immediate reply from these Provinces. ✓

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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394.

16 JUL 1945

13 July 1945

REF : 014.1

SUBJECT: Compilation of Electoral Lists.

TO : Headquarters AC (Local Government S/C)

1. Confirming this Headquarter's signal 121 dated 13 July all Provinces report that the Casellario Giudiziale in the Provinces are functioning and that none of the records have been destroyed.

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER:



A.W. Micklewright

A.W. MICKLEWRIGHT
Captain,
Executive Staff Officer

TC/JG

Copy to: R.L.O.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/15/1/10.

Tel: 178190.

SUBJECT: Preparation of Electoral Lists -
Casellari Giudiziali.

15th July, 1945.

TO : The Minister of Interior.

1. Reference is made to the Ministry's request to be informed as to the state of the records of the Casellari Giudiziali in the provinces under Allied Military Government.
2. All Casellari in Lombardia and Piemonte Regions are in order.
3. All are in order in Liguria Region except La Spezia - records partly destroyed by fire; Savona - information not yet received.
4. Information is not yet available as to the Casellari in Emilia and Venetia Regions. It is known however that the records at Vicenza have been destroyed. The Casellarie at Pordenone (Udine province) has also suffered some small damage.
5. Any further information will be communicated to the Ministry immediately on receipt.

R.R. Cripps

R.R. CRIPPS, Colonel.
Director,
Local Government Sub-Commission.

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15th July, 1945

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PARA TWO FOR ACTION AND LIGURIA REGION FROM ALCON SIX SEVEN
INFORMATION MOST URGENTLY REQUIRED

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

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[Signature]
NICHOLAS FIGUEROA
CWO USA
Asst. Adjutant.

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AMG EMILIA REGION AND AMG VENETIAN REGION

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15th July, 1945

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CWO USA
Asst. Adjutant.

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INCCMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION *Local Govt*

Originator's Reference: 121

Date/Time of Origin: JULY 13

Message Centre No: E/9591

Date Time Rec'd: JULY 140830B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: HQ. PIEMONTE REGION

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and no records have been destroyed.



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INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION *CAS. 196*

Originator's Reference: 1455

Message Centre No: E/9485

Date/Time of Origin: JULY 130900

Date Time Rec'd: JULY 131345

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LEGAL FOR POLETTI SIGNED BICHIE

TO : ALLEN ROMB ACCAS

13 JUL 1945

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Subject is compilation of electoral lists. All Provinces LOMBARDIA Region report
CASELLARI GIUDIZIARI in operation and records of convictions intact.

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HEADQUARTERS
13 JUL 1945
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INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
LEGAL SEC
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INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION *Local Govt.*

Originator's Reference: 528
Date/Time of Origin: JUL 13 1030B

Message Centre No: E/9474
Date Time Rec'd: JUL 13 1200B
Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: AMG LIGURIA REGION
TO : HQ ALCON CITE DELGT

13 JUL 1945

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Reference your cable 960 of 1 July.

CASSELLARETO GIUDIZIALE in Province of IMPERIA in operation and records
of convictions are in existence.

ACTION

HEADQUARTERS
13 JUL 1945
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DIST

ACTION: Local Govt
INFO: Chief Commissioner
CA Sec
File 2
Float

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 488

Message Centre No: E/8854

Date/Time of Origin: JULY 091625

Date Time Rec'd: JULY 091715

Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: ALG LIGURIA REGION

TO : HQ AICOM CITE ACLEO *4 JUL 1945*

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Ref your 960 of 1 July. Cassellario Giudiziale in Provinces of APUANIA and GENOA
functioning and records of convictions are in existence.

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ACTION
ACTION LOCAL GOVT
INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
C A SEC
LEGAL SC
FILE 2
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 477

Message Centre No: E/86.18

Date/Time of Origin: JULY 07.1600H

Date Time Rec'd: JULY 07.1935

Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AMB LIGURIA REGION

TO : HQ ALCON CITE ACLGT

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Ref your cable 960 of 1 July. *p29*

CASSELLARIO GIUDIZIALE in Province of LA SPEZIA not functioning records partly destroyed by fire on 17 June. CASSELLARIO GIUDIZIALE in LUCCA Province functioning and records of convictions are in existence.

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ACTION - LOCAL GOVT SC
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
CA SEC
FILE 2
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ACTION

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AMG EMILIA REGION FOR ALL FCS CMA AND LIGURIA REGION FOR ALL FCS CMA AND PIEMONTE
REGION FOR ALL FCS CMA AND LOMBARDIA REGION FOR ALL FCS CMA AND VENETIA REGION FOR
ALL FCS

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1st July, 1945

PRIORITY

CONFIDENTIAL PD

SUBJECT IS COMPILATION OF ELECTORAL LISTS PD

PARA ONE PD ASCERTAIN AND REPLY IMMEDIATELY TO THIS HQ WHETHER THE CASSELLARIO
GUIDIZIALE ATTACHED TO EACH PROCURA DEL REGNO IN YOUR PROVINCE IS IN OPERATION
PARTE TO FOR ACTION AND EMILIA REGION FOR ALL FCS CMA AND LIGURIA REGION FOR ALL FCS
CMA AND PIEMONTE REGION FOR ALL FCS CMA AND LOMBARDIA REGION FOR ALL FCS CMA AND
VENETIA REGION FOR ALL FCS FROM HQ ALSO CITE AGAIN PARTE
AND WHETHER ITS RECORDS OF CONVICTIONS ARE IN EXISTENCE OR DESTROYED

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

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NICHOLAS PIONEIRO
CWO USA
Asst. Adjutant.

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Casellari: GiudizialeRegions:Lombardia — ~~intact~~ ok

Piemonte — ok

Liguria — ok, except La Spezia
which is partly destroyedEmilia — ok, except Ferrara
completely destroyed.
+ Bologna some "C"
names missing.Venezie — ok, except Vicenza +
^{BOLZANO}
~~Bologna~~ destroyed. *

Rovereto (Trento) not functioning

Pordenone (Udine) small damage.

Provinces Damaged

Ferrara (EMILIA) completely destroyed.

Vicenza (VENEZIA) destroyed

Bologna " destroyed

La Spezia (LIGURIA) partly destroyed 1150

Bologna (EMILIA) — some "C's" missing

"Rovereto" (Trento) not functioning — 20,700

"Pordenone" (Udine) small damage. — 22,000

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