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COMMUNAL ELECTIONS, MACERATA PROVINCE, POLISH TROOPS  
JAN. - MAY 1946

THIS DATE NEWS SHEET NO. 1 DATE

31 Jan. M.G.W. - Hold until we get the formal request. R.S. J.G.S.

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L.G.S/c

8 March

Re letter 2A Ex-Commis Office 2A

are sending a wire following on the wire already sent re behavior of military personnel in general as regards elections, to AFHQ. Tell my team that letter has just been received from Lt. Gen. expressing fears re action of Peking troops. It will be left to AFHQ to decide whether any special action is called for.

I do not think it necessary to send copy of 2A to AFHQ but Ministry of Defense should be informed that the fears expressed have been referred to the Allied Substantive Authority concerned.

Ex-Commis Office are sending us copies to the telegrams. I have not yet seen copy of first telegram sent. 5360

M. Dan Byader 8/3/46

8 March

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are sending a wire following on the wire  
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in general as regards elections, to AFHQ.  
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from Ft. Galt expressing fears re action of  
PB back troops. It will be left to AFHQ  
as to whether any special or further action  
be called for.

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of 2A to AFHQ but Ministry of Defense  
should be informed that the fears expressed  
have been referred to the Allied Military Authority  
concerned.

Ex-Comms Office are sending two copies  
to the telegrams. I have cut yet teen copy  
of post telegram sent.

7/3/46  
M. J. Anderson  
V.P.C.A.S.

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B. Mar 16. file returned. Copies of files 2.1.6. extracted.  
for CC. file, etc. file.  
J.H.

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6. 13 COOPS 7. 2 AA BDE 8. 2 POLCORPS 9. HANGD 10. 3 DISTRICT  
11. FOGGIA XXXX AFAX BASE 12. 88 DIV 13. AGRS (MTO)  
INFO: 14 COM NAVMED

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1. The Italian National elections will be held throughout ITALY on 2 and 3 June. Personnel of all Military formations will be directed to avoid any kind of intervention or appearance of intervention in these elections.

2. In order to avoid embroilment of Allied Military personnel in any disorder attendant upon elections either preceeding, on or following the election dates, leaves and passes will be kept to a minimum during period 1 to 4 June.

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ACTION EX OFFR B 2  
INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER  
HQ COMDT  
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 794  
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

AG/45/44/16

SUBJECT: National Elections on 2 and 3 June—  
Conduct of Troops

21 May 1946

TO : AFHQ: G-5 Section

1. Reference is made to this Headquarters signal 1607 of 6 March relating to the local elections held in March and April and to AFHQ signal to military commanders reference PX 62271 of 8 March.
2. Instructions have been given to Allied Commission Liaison Officers to observe the national elections on 2 and 3 June in the same way as was done for the communal elections. A copy of this Headquarters Directive AG/45/8/16 of 21 May is inclosed for your information. You will note that the voting continues until 1200 hours on Monday, 3 June.
3. It is recommended that directions be issued to all Allied military formations for troops to avoid any kind of intervention or appearance of intervention during the national elections as was done for the local elections by the above quoted signal.
4. In this connection attention is drawn to this Headquarters signal to you No. 1701 of 8 March and to your reply by signal No. F 62430 on 9 March and which relate to the conduct of Polish troops during the local elections.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

*MC*

M. CARR, Brig.  
VP CA Section

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Copies to: AG/45/40/16  
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

AG/AS/AD/AC

Tel: 286

SUBJECT : Security Electoral Campaign  
( Polish Troops ).

11 March 1946

TO : Ministry of the Interior (Cabinette).

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1. Reference yours 4942/21439 dated 20 February 1946.
2. We have been informed that orders have been issued to ensure that Polish troops do not interfere during elections.
3. These orders state that Polish troops will be confined to barracks throughout the election days.

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WILHELM H. WENZEL  
Major  
Director  
Local Government Sub Commission

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ATTN: HIGHWAY BARRAGE UNIT FRONT  
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Ref your 1701 of 8 March.

1. Understood very comprehensive orders have been issued by 2 Pol Corps to ensure that Polish troops do not interfere in any way with local Italian elections; orders also see state that when polling takes place all Polish troops in the area will be confined to barracks throughout the day.
2. Consider above should enable Italian Government fears to be allayed.

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TELETYPE  
(10 MAR 1948)

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MARCH 11 1948  
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Staff  
Inform Ex-Command Office that L/C Section  
will take action re steps to be made of  
the steps which have been taken. Please help of the

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FROM HQ ALGOM SIGNED SOURCE CITY AGEXC  
TO (ACTION) G-5, AFHQ

8 MARCH 46  
9 MAR 1946

1701

Classification: CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT IS ITALIAN LOCAL RESISTANCE TO  
MURDER TO BE ONE SIX ZERO SEVEN OF SIX MARCH FOUR SIX PD  
LETTER JUST RECEIVED FROM ITALIAN GOVERNMENT EXPRESSING REA THAT  
POLISH THREATS MAY INTERFERE WITH RESISTANCE ACTIVITIES PD  
THIS IS NOTIFIED IN CASE FOR CONSIDER ANY SPECIAL ACTION  
NECESSARY

cc: Pold (A)  
Pold (B)  
CA Sec

*me*

Precedence: Priority

Executive Commissioner

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xx FROM HQ ALCOM SIGNED STONE CITE ACEXC  
TO (ACTION) C-5, AFHQ

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6 March 46

Classification  
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SUBJECT IS ITALIAN LOCAL ELECTIONS PD  
ABOUT FIVE THOUSAND COMMUNES WILL HOLD LOCAL ELECTIONS ON SUNDAYS  
CMA TEN CMA ONE SEVEN CMA TWO FOUR CMA AND THREE ONE MARCH AND  
SEVEN APRIL PD  
WITH FULL AGREEMENT OF EMBASSIES AND MINISTRY OF INTERIOR I HAVE  
ARRANGED FOR ALLIED COMMISSION LIAISON OFFICERS TO OBSERVE PD  
THEY HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO DO SO INCONSPICUOUSLY AND AVOID ANY  
APPEARANCE OF INTERVENTION OR SUPERVISION PD  
COPY THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOLLOWS PD  
RECOMMEND THAT ALLIED MILITARY FORMATIONS BE INFORMED OF HOLDING OF  
ELECTIONS AND BE ADVISED TO AVOID ANY KIND OF INTERVENTION OR  
APPEARANCE OF INTERVENTION

cc: Polad (A-)  
Polad (B)  
CASec

Precedence: PRIORITY.

Executive Commissioner

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( Translation M.B. )

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR  
P.S. General Direction  
Cabinet

Rome, 20/2/1946

Nr. 4942/21409

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To: ALLIED COMMISSION  
Sub Commission of P.S.  
R O M E

SUBJECT: Macerata. Election campaign.

The Macerata Prefect has pointed out to our Ministry the fear expressed by the representatives of the various Parties, that the propaganda activity and the election campaign in that district might get disturbed by the intervention of Polish Troops.

In order to avoid that a such <sup>an</sup> eventuality may take place, our Ministry begs to ask your Commission to examine the possibility that Allied Troops be displaced in that district during the election campaign with the purpose of carrying out a Police service control on the Polish Troops.

We furthermore point out that the said Polish Troops are displaced at the following localities of the Macerata district:

Macerata, Montecassino, Montefano, Urbisaglia, Corridonia, Cingoli, Treia, Monte S. Giusto, Mogliano, Porto Recanati, Civitanova Alta, Portocivitanova, Potenza, Pivana, Recanati, Morovalle, Montelupone, Montecorsaro, Camerino, Castelraimondo, Matelica, S. Severino Tolentino, S. Ginesio, Loro Piceno, Pollenza, Colmareno and Petriolo.

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For the Minister  
s/ SPATARO

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Note - this + fo. 2A passed to h. b. g. c.  
by PS s/ps in their file for our action. Papers  
returned to this file + PS file returned. 1/3/46



Ministero dell'Interno

GABINETTO

Roma, 20 febbraio 1940

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA  
Sottocommissione della F.S.

R O M A

Divisione Leg.  
Prot. N. 494 e l. 21409 Allegati

Respuesta al Foglio del  
Gen. ...

OGGETTO : Macerata- Campagna elettorale.

Il Prefetto di Macerata ha segnalato a questo Ministero la preoccupazione manifestata da rappresentanti di diversi partiti circa la possibilità che l'attività di propaganda e lo svolgimento delle elezioni elettorali in quella provincia possano essere turbate dall'eventuale intervento di truppe polacche.

Al fine di evitare che tale eventualità possa tradursi in atto, questo Ministero prega codesta Sottocommissione di volere esaminare la possibilità che truppe alleate siano destinate in quella provincia in occasione dello svolgimento della campagna elettorale col compito di esercitare funzioni di polizia sulle truppe polacche.

Si fa presente che le truppe polacche sono dislocate nei seguenti Comuni della Provincia di Macerata : Macerata, Montecosiano, Montefano, Urbisaglia, Corridonia, Cingoli, Treia, Monte S. Giusto, Mosciano, Portorecanati, Civitanova Alta, Portocivitanova, Potenza Picena, Recanati, Morrovalle, Montepulzone, Montecosaro, Camerino, Castellaino, Matelica, San Severino Volentino, S. Ginesio, Loro Piceno, Pollenza, Uclmuro, Petriolo.

Pel. MINISTRO  
*[Signature]*

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Divisione  
 Tel. N. 4942/21403 Allegato

Risposta al Foglio del  
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Per il MINISTRO



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AC/45/40/LG

SUBJECT: Note of Interview - AC HQ

DATE : 31 January 1946 - 1045 hours

PRESENT: Dr. SCANDAGLIATO from Cabinet of the Ministry of Interior  
Maj R. R. TEMPLE, Director, Local Government Sub Commission  
Maj C. G. R. WILLIAMS, Executive Officer, Local Govt S/C  
Sig. Arrigo NICE, interpreting

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1. Dr. SCANDAGLIATO showed the Director a telegram sent to the Ministry of Interior by the Prefect of ~~the~~ Macerata, Dr. CARTA. The telegram stated that the Prefect had held a meeting of the leaders of all political parties in the province, at which the Socialist and Communist representatives referred to the presence of Polish troops and said they feared these troops would disturb public order during the electoral campaign and the elections. The telegram suggested that the police service of the Polish troops should be entrusted also to Allied elements of other nationalities.

2. Dr. SCANDAGLIATO said that he had been entrusted to call to ascertain whether, if the suggestion made in the telegram was put to Allied Commission, it would be considered.

*The Director said that*

3. ~~the~~ if the Italian Government were of opinion that the fears of the Socialist and Communist political leaders in Macerata were founded and communicated accordingly with Allied Commission, such a communication would certainly be considered. If the Ministry were of that opinion, he suggested they should write to the Sub Commission accordingly, inclosing a copy of the telegram.

4. The Director also suggested, however, that before writing to Allied Commission, the Ministry should ascertain the facts from the Prefect, particularly what and how many Polish troops were referred to and where they were stationed and what exactly the Prefect meant by "Allied elements of other nations" and what these additional troops were supposed to do. If these points were clarified and stated in the Ministry's letter, it would assist him in obtaining a decision as the matter would have to be referred to the appropriate military command.

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C.G.R. WILLIAMS  
Major  
Executive Officer  
Local Government Sub Commission

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