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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION II

Ref. :- 2201/70/H 22 June 44

Subject:- Panel of Officers to sit on A.M.G. Courts

To :- C.L.O., Legal Subcommittee A.C.C. - SALERNO -

The following panel of officers to sit on A.N.G. Courts is forwarded for approval please.

District 2 have still not specified the exact qualifications of Group C, but they are stated to be legally qualified - Group B are not so.

A ACC Legal personnel

Lt.Col. D.E.S. COUSINS B
Major P. BACKHOUSE B
Major A.W.L. FRANKLIN B
Capt. A.C. GERMAN B

B American Army Personnel (Not legal)

Capt. Charles VOORHEER 22nd Replacement Depot 15th U.S.A. A.P.
Capt. Graham ERSKINE " " " " " " " " " " " "

C British Army Legal Personnel

Major G. HAWORTH RE
Lieut N.E. BOWER RAOC
Lieut J.N. SCRAGG RAOC
Lieut D.G. CARMICHAEL 30th Green Howards
Major QUENNEL HQ 42 Area
Capt U.S. MUNRO RAOC

D ACC Non Legal Personnel

Capt. D.L. BOTEAM B
Capt. R. FRAZER A
Major H. JENKINS B
Capt. R. F. GARDNER

Group 1
 Major P. BACKHOUSE B
 Major A.W.L. FRANKLIN B
 Capt. A.C. GERMAN B

B American Army Personnel (Not Legal)

Capt. Charles VOORHEER 22nd Replacement Depot 15th U.S.A. A.P.
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 Major G. HAWORTH RE
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 Lieut D.G. CARMICHAEL 30th Green Howards
 Major H. QUENNELL HQ 42 Area
 Capt U.S. MUNRO RAOC

D ACC Non Legal Personnel

Capt. D.L. BOTHAM B
 Capt. R. FRAZER A
 Major H. JENKINS B
 Capt. R.F. CARVER A
 Major G.K. CAVERNAUGH A
 Major R.H. AYRE A
 Capt D.B. ROBERTS A

In any case, it is proposed that the President and Prosecutor should be drawn from group A, and that when it is necessary to draw on group C, reference will be made to an officer of group C to be detailed by No 2 District.

D.E.S. Cousins
 D.E.S. COUSINS, Lt. Col.
 R.I.O.
 Region II.

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 HEADQUARTERS
 Rome Region
 A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

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HQ ACC, APO 394

19 June 1944

24 June 1944
 By *AB*

SUBJECT : Appointment of Panel for General Military Court.

TO : Chief Commissioner, HQ., ACC.

1. Pursuant to the provisions of Article 2, Paragraph 1b(2)(a), it is requested that the Chief Commissioner appoint the following as members of a panel from which General Military Courts may be convened from time to time for the trial of cases arising in this area:

Cap a - Col. H. G. WILMER (A) (B)
 a - Major ROBERT C. HENDRICKSON (A) (A)
 a - Lt. Col. J. L. WILLIS (A) (B)
 a - Major W. G. ELDER (A) (B)
 a - Major G. MacFADYEN (A) (B)
 b - Major STEVEN M. YOUNG (B) (A)
 b - Major PAUL D. SHRIVER (B) (A)
 c - Lt. Col. DONALD H. BAKER (C) (A)
 c - Lt. Col. PAUL D. CARTER (C) (A)
 b - Major CHARLES ANDERSON (B) (A)
 c - Major V. A. GIANELLI (C) (B)
 c - Lt. Col. (Count) J. DE SALIS (C) (B)
 c - Lt. Col. B. Mc. KAY GREELEY (C) (A)
 b - Captain TIBBS OATES (B) (B)
 b - Captain JOSEPH W. LEVY (B) (A)

HQ. IGH CAMPBELL (A)

WGR

Norm E. Fiske 77
 NORMAN E. FISKE
 Colonel, Cavalry
 Acting Regional Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army

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L-3071

24 June 1944

Subject : General Military Court.

To : CLO, Legal Sub-Commission, ACC.

- 50A
1. Reference is to your ACC/4002/II/L of 21 June 44.
 2. Herewith is sent a copy of a supplemental order nominating the third officer on the Court.
 3. Captain E.T. KERR of this Division will be prosecuting. The Army authorities are providing an interpreter who, I am told, will prove very satisfactory. The accused are being defended by Italian Counsel.
 4. The charges were served on the accused on the evening of Wednesday, 21 June 44.
 5. The trial will commence at S. Maria C.V. at 0830 hours on Monday, 26 June 44. Details have been arranged with Colonel GROSSMAN direct on the telephone.
 6. The assistance you have given in this case is greatly appreciated.

For the Regional Commissioner:

G.A. Barlet

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G.A. BARLET,
Major, G.L.,
Reg. Legal Off.
Acting

GAB/cm

Encl:

1 copy of a supplemental order.

Received 1200 hrs 26 June
Lt Col Grossman 10ft past afternoon
26 June

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394, U.S. Army

Allied Military Court Order)

Number

14)

24 June 1944

Whereas by an Order, dated 21 June 1944, under the hand of Maurice Stanley Lush, G.M.L., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, a General Military Court was appointed and convened to try seven persons charged the stabbing of Allied personnel at CAPUA and such other persons as may be brought before it, and it was directed that the constitution of the said Court should be as follows:

Lieut. Colonel Marc J. Grossman - President

Major G.L.F. Gilshenan - Member

and an officer to be nominated by Regional Legal Officer, Region 3,

Now I, GEORGEY AMBROSE BASSET, Major, Acting Regional Legal Officer, Region 3, by virtue of power vested in me, hereby nominate the under mentioned officer to be a member of the said General Military Court:

Captain J. H. Fielden.

J. A. Basset

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G.A. BASSET, Major
Acting Regional Legal Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

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Ref/275/59/CA.

22 June 1944.

SUBJECT: Stabbing case at Capua.

TO : Legal Sub-Commission.

- 50A
1. Reference your letter 21 June 1944, the attached convening order is returned herewith duly signed.
 2. A copy of the signed convening order has been sent to Region III.

See, No action?

Alford

Norman E. Fiske, Maj

/RAC.

N.A.
IC
23 Jun

NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Copy to: R.C. Region III - With copy of convening order.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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I, MAJOR STANLEY REED, C.B.M., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me and on behalf of the Chief Commissioner hereby appoint and convene a General Military Court to try seven persons charged with the stabbing of Allied personnel at GAFBA and such other persons as may be brought before it and I direct that the constitution of the said Court shall be as follows :-

Lt. Col. Marc. J. Grossman - President

Major C. L. T. Gilshenan - Member

and an officer to be nominated by Regional Legal Officer, Region 3.

(Sgd) M S Lush.

M. S. LUSH.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

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Dated this 21st day of June 1944.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

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21 Jun 44

SUBJECT: General Military Court.

TO : HQ Region 3 (thru RC).

1. I am enclosing herewith original and copy of order appointing a General Court to sit in the Capua stabbing case.

2. You will have to issue a supplemental order naming the third officer.

INTERPRETER. It will be essential that a satisfactory prosecutor and a satisfactory ~~prosecution~~ are arranged for and also if the accused do not have Italian counsel that an Allied officer of legal experience be arranged for as defence counsel.

4. Charges will have to be served immediately to avoid delays in the trial of this case.

RICHARD H. WILSON
Colonel, MAC
Deputy Chief Legal Officer.

UNCLASSIFIED
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

file;

(SDB)

I, HENRY STANLEY LAMM, C.B.M., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me and on behalf of the Chief Commissioner hereby appoint and convene a General Military Court to try seven persons charged with the stabbing of Allied personnel at CASUA and such other persons as may be brought before it and I direct that the constitution of the said Court shall be as follows:-

Lt. Col. Marc J. Crossman - President

Major G. L. T. Gilsenan - Member

and an officer to be nominated by Regional Legal Officer, Region 3.

M. S. Lamm
M. S. LAMM.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
For Chief Commissioner.

Dated this 21 day of June 1944.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Sub-Commission
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ACC/4002/11/L

21 Jan 1944

Subject: Panel for General Military Courts.

To : Regional Legal Officer, Region IV.

1. Reference your RA/LE/Reg/A/5 of 16 June 44.
2. Herewith appointment by the Executive Commissioner of certain officers to form a panel for General Military Courts in Region 4.
3. Please acknowledge receipt.

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GERALD H. UPJOHN
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
ARTO 394.

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1. I, Brigadier H. S. LUSH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offences in Region IV.
 2. Such Court shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the Regional Commissioner, Region IV.
 3. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.
 4. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the following provisions:
 - a. One member of the Court who shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and
 - b. Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below.

GROUP A

Col. H. G. Willmer
Lt. Col. V. J. Russell
Lt. Col. Ian Campbell
Major G. W. Macdonald

GROUP B

Major W. P. Vaughn
Capt. W. G. E. Oates
Capt. L. I. Cox
Capt. Jasper Ross

GROUP C

Major A. G. Graham
Major J. B. Carroll
Major T. L. W. Barclay
Major W. Lee - Stewart

*Approved for
Signature
1/1/1948*

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b. Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below.

GROUP A

Col. H. G. Willner
Lt. Col. V. J. Purcell
Lt. Col. Ian Campbell
Major G. W. MacFadyen

GROUP B

Major W. P. Maugh
Capt. W. G. R. Oates
Capt. E. L. Cox
Capt. James More

GROUP C

Major A. C. Graham
Major J. B. Cartoll
Major T. E. T. Bortney
Major W. Lee - Stewart
Major L. E. Stoner
Capt. R. A. Collier

Dated the 21st June 1944.

M. O. LASH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for China Commission.

*Approved
for 11/11/44
M. O. LASH*

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

(48A) *File*
JH/pa

4002/11

21 Jun 44

SUBJECT : stabbing case at Japan.

TO : Chief Legal Officer.

1. Major Bamlet telephoned to say he thought it necessary to convene a General Court to try seven Italian charged with stabbing Allied personnel at Japan. He has not yet seen the papers, (which are expected to reach him today) but from preliminary information thinks that sentences of more than 10 years are called for.

2. The case should if possible be heard early next week. At least 14 witnesses (including the seven accused) will require to be heard.

3. The only legal officer available in Region III is Major Gilshenan.

4. Attached is a convening order, for signature by Brigadier Lush; if you so decide.

JH
J. MORE,
Capt.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CHIEF COMMISSION
APO 324

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I, MAJOR BRUCE LEE, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me and on behalf of the Chief Commissioner hereby appoint and convene a General Military Court to try seven persons charged with the stabbing of Allied personnel at CAPRA and such other persons as may be brought before it and I direct that the constitution of the said Court shall be as follows:-

M. Col. H. J. Gorman - President

Major C. L. V. Gilchrist - Member

and an officer to be nominated by Regional Legal Officer, Region 3.

M. B. LEE,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

Dated this day of June 1944.

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 HEADQUARTERS REGION IV
 Allied Control Commission
 APO 394

Legal S.C.
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 HEADQUARTERS
 20 JUN 1944
 A.C.C.

TO : Chief Legal Officer, Legal Sub-Commission, A.C.C.
 FROM : R.L.C. Region IV.
 SUBJECT: Panel of Officers for General Military Court.
 REF : 34/LE/Reg/A/5.
 DATE : 16 June 1944.

1. Pursuant to Article 2, Paragraph I, of the Consolidated Instructions for Allied Military Courts, application is made for the appointment of a panel of officers for service on General Military Courts within such provinces of Region IV as are now under the jurisdiction of the Regional Commissioner -- i.e. the Provinces of Rome, Littoria and Grosinone.

2. The following names are submitted:-

(a) Presidents:

Colonel H.G. Willmer
 Lt. Col. W.J. Purcell
 Lt. Col. Ian Campbell
 Major G.W. MacFadyen

(b) Legal Members:

Major T.M. Wough
 Capt. V.G.R. Gates
 Capt. L.L. Cox
 Capt. Jasper Hone

(c) Non-Legal Members:

Major A.S. Graham
 Major J.B. Carroll

Major T.E.P. Euxbury
 Capt. R.A. Gellier

Major W. Lee - Stewart
 Major L.A. Storer

Rome Province

Littoria Province

Grosinone Province

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3. Request will be made for further names to be added to the panel when further territory is handed over to Regional control.

H.G. Willmer

Colonel,
 R.L.C. Reg. 4

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army

L-3071

14 June 1941

Subject: Panel for General Military Court.

To : Lt.Col. I.G.H. Campbell, Legal Sub-Commission, ACC.

Herewith I send you a copy of the panel of officers nominated by Brigadier M.S. Lush, Executive Commissioner, A.C.C., for appointment to a General Military Court. You will observe your name is included therein.

By Order of Colonel POLETTI:

John W. Chapman

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, JAGD,
Reg. Legal Officer.

GAB/mo

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*See 12
to June*

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

I, Brigadier M. S. LUSH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor hereby declare as follows:-

1. I hereby revoke the order executed by me on the 15th May 44 appointing a General Military Court for the trial of offences in Region 3.

2. I hereby appoint in place thereof a new General Military Court for the trial of the said offences.

3. Such Court shall meet from time to time as directed by the Regional Commissioner of Region 3 and shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the said Regional Commissioner.

4. The composition of the said Court shall be subject to the following provisions:-

- (a) One member of the Court, who shall be President, shall be one of the officers named in Group A below.
- (b) Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group B below.

GROUP A

Col. John K. Weber	A
Col. John W. Chapman	A
Lt. Col. J.G.H. Campbell	B
Lt. Col. G.G.J. Ainslie	B
Major W.J.G. Rolfe	B
Major G.A. Aulst	B
Major M.G. Holt	B
Major E.L. Palmeri	A
Capt. A.E. Gola	A

GROUP B

Major R.C. Bennet	B
Major B.A. Culloton	A
Major C.W.C. Taylor	B

GROUP C

Lt. Col. R.N. Holmes	B
Lt. Col. Wynot R. Irish	A
Lt. Col. James L. Kincaid	A
Lt. Col. G.A. Snodgrass	E
Major Paul Gardner	A
Major C.M. Gulland	B
Major A.E. Stuart	B
Capt. John A. Briegeman	A
Capt. Thomas B. McNary	A
Capt. Sam V. Noe	A
Capt. N.A. Sirota	A

/s/ M. S. Lush.
M. S. LUSH
brigadier,
Executive Commissioner
for Chief Commissioner

Dated 11th June 1944.

JOINT HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

GRU/pa. (45A)

12 June 1944

REFERENCE : AGC/4002/11/1.
SUBJECT : General Military Court.
TO : R.L.O. (thru HQ) Region 1 .

1. herewith enclosed appointment of additional officers to General Military Court Panel, duly signed by the Executive Commissioner on 9 June 1944.

2. Please acknowledge receipt.

GERALD R. WRIGHT,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

Whereas I, Brigadier M. S. LUSH did on the 15th day of May appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offences in Region I and did direct that such Court should consist of not less than 3 of the officers named in such appointment.

Now, I hereby direct that there shall be added to the list of officers named therein and forming Group B the names of the following further officers, namely:-

Lt. Col. D. Morley Fletcher
Lt. Col. A. S. Giles
Major Frank L. Vecchiolla
Major G. R. Koopman

M. S. Lush
M. S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

Dated the 9th June 1944.

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394

File : KLE 013.02/FLV

30th May 1944

SUBJECT : General Military Court Panel

TO : Legal Sub-Commission, A.C.C. Headquarters (REAR)

Reference this Headquarters letter 013.02/FLV dated 11th
May 1944.

The sub-joined further list of officers available to sit on
a General Military Court is forwarded with the request that they be
added to the panel forwarded under your reference ACC/4002/11/1 dated
16th May 1944. Can the necessary approval be given please.

RANK	NAME	ASN.	BRANCH	KAT.	CAPACITY IN WHICH EMP'D.
Major	Morley - Fletcher D.	51345	The Rifle Bde.	B.	Exec. Offr.
Major	Vecchiolla, Frank L.	0347524	JAGD.	A.	R.L.O.
Major	Koopman G.R.	0.517750	Specialist (N.B.)	A.	R. Education Offr.
Major	Giles, A.S.	91220	R.A.O.C.	B.	Prov. Comm.

For Colonel WILLIAM R. JORDAN :

Frank L. Vecchiolla
FRANK L. VECCHIOLLA
Major, JAGD.
Regional Legal Officer.

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Do you want above added?

I suggest that existing panel quite big enough, the Region being
Italian Govt Territory. They have 3 Group A & 6 Grp B
Officers — of which two (Matthews & Ciliberti) are legal &
will be available for any Court.

The only point is Vecchiolla: perhaps we should add him
in Group A? *to*

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JOINT HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Sub-Commission
APO 374

Date 17
/jpl

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ACC/4002/11/L

2 June 44

Subject: General Court.

To : Regional Legal Officer, Region 3.

Ref. your letter L-3046 of 23 May 44.

Herewith appointment of a General Court for the trial of CARBONIA
and others.

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GERALD R. UPJOHN, Col.
Chief Legal Officer.

Encls: Documents encare.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.D.B., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me and on behalf of the Chief Commissioner hereby appoint and convene a General Military Court to try GASCIA Arcangelo, GASCIA Pasquale, JULIANO Bernardino and CLEMENTE Luigi and such other persons as may be brought before it and I direct that the constitution of the said Court shall be as follows:-

Lt. Col. W.R. Irish, Inf. - President

Major A.H. Randall, Pz - Member

Captain A.E. Gold, AMB - Member

(sgd) M S Lush

M. S. LUSH.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

Dated this 31st day of May 1944.

Carbon Copy sent in 4073
Original to Reg 3.2/6/44

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army

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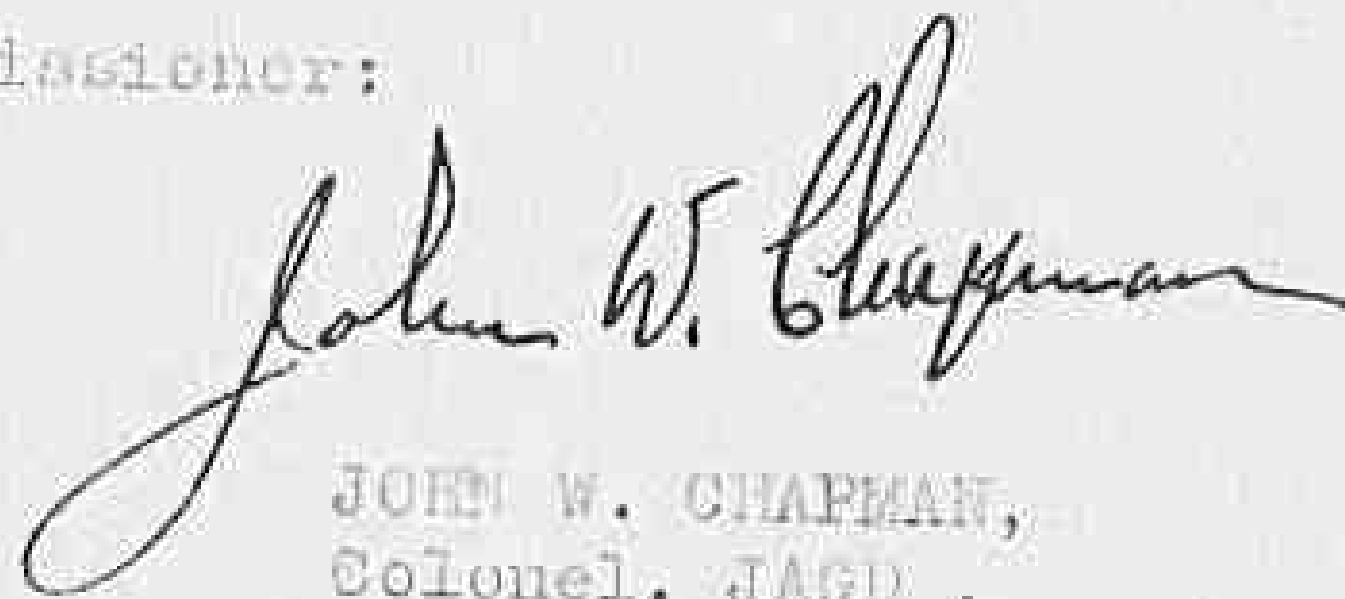
26 May 1944

Subject: General Court at Avellino.

To : C.I.O. Legal Sub-Commission, A.C.C.

1. Will you procure the appointment of a General Court to convene in the Province of Avellino.
2. The required detail of information are contained in the documents enclosed.

For the Regional Commissioner:



JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, JAGD,
Reg. Legal Officer.

JWC/no

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| LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION | |
| CLO | |
| DCLO | |
| Chief Counsel | |
| CJO | |
| Italian Section | |
| CL RKS | |
1. Letter from PIO Avellino, dated 23 May 1944
 3. Report of Paolo Salvatore, dated 24 April 1944

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Spoke Chapman
Panel broken down - hence the application
He thinks well of it and thinks he would
make a good President.

Appointing signed
but on 2 June.

to 29 May

File

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394

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ACC/4002/11/L

12th June 1944

Subject: Panel for General Military Courts

To : R.L.O. (thru R.C.) Region 3

Ref your L.3071 of 4 June 1944 — *41A*

1. Herewith new panel for General Courts in your Region, signed by the Executive Commissioner.

2. You will notice that Group A has been enlarged by transferring thereto 4 names from Group B. This will increase the flexibility as, of course, there is no upward limit to the number of persons of Group A who may sit on any Court.

G. R. UPJOHN.
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

I, Brigadier M. S. LUKH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor hereby declare as follows:-

1. I hereby revoke the order executed by me on the 15th May 44 appointing a General Military Court for the trial of offences in Region 3.
2. I hereby appoint in place thereof a new General Military Court for the trial of the said offences.
3. Such Court shall meet from time to time as directed by the Regional Commissioner of Region 3 and shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the said Regional Commissioner.
4. The composition of the said Court shall be subject to the following provisions:-
 - (a) One member of the Court, who shall be President, shall be one of the officers named in Group A below.
 - (b) Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below.

GROUP A

Col. John K. Weber	A
Col. John W. Chapman	A
Lt. Col. I.G.H. Campbell	B
Lt. Col. G.G.J. Ainslie	B
Major R.J.G. Rolfe	B
Major G.A. Banlet	B
Major W.C. Holt	B
Major E.L. Palmieri	A
Capt. A.E. Gold	A

GROUP B

Major R.C. Bennet	B
Major P.A. Culloton	A
Major C.W.S. Taylor	B

GROUP C

Lt. Col. R.N. Holmes	B
Lt. Col. Wynot R. Irish	A
Lt. Col. James L. Kincaid	A
Lt. Col. G.A. Snodgrass	B
Major Paul Gardner	A
Major C.M. Gulland	B
Major A.M. Stuart	E
Capt. John A. Briegeman	A
Capt. Thomas B. McNery	A
Capt. Sam V. Hoe	A
Capt. N.A. Sirats	A

(sgd) W S Lash.

W. S. LASH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

Dated, 11th June 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army

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L-3071

4 June 1944

Place see file 35A

Subject : Panel for General Military Courts.

To : C.L.O. Legal Subcommittee, A.C.C.

1. Submitted herewith is a list of names to constitute a new panel of officers for General Military Courts.

2. The officers most unlikely to be able to sit for extended periods are those in Group C and the rule prohibiting the placing of more than one officer from that group on a court prevents me from protecting a court against delay. So long as I was using Region 4 officers that difficulty did not present itself. But now the officers composing that group are all officers having active assignments in this Region and who cannot be expected to be held away from their regular duties days at a time.

3. At the present moment there are eleven general court cases actually set for trial covering the period to and including 9 August. Of these six are homicide cases, two are assault with intent to kill, two are auto theft cases, and one is charged with right serious offences. There are general court cases coming in at the rate of at least two each week. The estimated average time for trial in approximately four days for each case. There must be an interval of a day or two between each trial to enable the prosecutor to make final preparations for the following case. This must be so as I am not able, in view of the reduced strength and the volume of other work, to assign more than one officer as prosecutor.

4. In view of the present situation the General Military Court is a full time job for the members of the

court as well as the prosecutor. There are no officers in the Region who can be assigned to a full time court.

5. May I suggest that either greater flexibility be provided for the appointment of a General Military Court or Hq. A.C.C. set up one or more permanent General Courts to function on a full time basis. As stated, this Region could use one on that basis for at least two months.

For the Regional Commissioner:

John W. Chapman

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel , J.A.G.D.,
Reg. Legal Officer.

JWC/cm

Encl:

List of officers.

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GROUP A

Col. John K. WEBER
 Col. John W. CHAPMAN
 Lt. Col. G.G.J. AINSLIE
 Major R.J.G. ROLFE
 Major J.G.H. CAMPBELL

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GROUP B

Major R.C. BENNET
 Major G.A. BARLET
 Major B.A. CULLOTON
 Capt. A.E. GOLD
 Major M.C. HOLT
 Major E.L. PALMIERI
 Major C.W.G. TAYLOR

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GROUP C

Lt. Col. R.N. HOLMES
 Lt. Col. Wynot R. Irish
 Lt. Col. James L. KINCAID
 Lt. Col. G.A. SNODGRASS
 Major Paul GARDNER
 Major C.M. GULLAND
 Major A.M. STUART
 Capt. John A. BRIEGEMAN
 Capt. Thomas B. Mc NARY
 Capt. Sam V. NOE
 Capt. N.A. SIROTA

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. ARMY

23 May 1944.

L-3071

Subject: Panel for General Military Court.

To : Major I.G.H. Campbell, Legal Sub-Commission, A.C.C.

Herewith I send you a copy of the panel of officers nominated by Brigadier M.S. Lush, Executive Commissioner, for appointment to a General Military Court. You will observe your name is included therein.

By Order of Colonel POLETTI:

J. Samlet
Major for
JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Lt.Col., JAGD,
Reg. Legal Officer.

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copy of panel dated 15 May 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 354

1. Brigadier M.S. LUSH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region III.

2. Such Court shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the Regional Commissioner, Region III.

3. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.

4. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the following provisions:

a. One member of the Court shall be President and shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and

b. Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group B below;

GROUP A.

Col. H.B. Miller
Col. John E. Weber
Lt. Col. John E. Chapman
Major I.C.E. Campbell

GROUP B.

Major O.L.E. Gilshenan
Major H.J.G. Fulle
Major O.E. Berlin
Major H.G. Holt

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Following provisions:

2. One member of the Court shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and
3. Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below:

GROUP A.

Col. H.B. Willner
Col. John E. Sayer
Lt. Col. John W. Chapman
Major I.O.S. Campbell

GROUP B

Major O.L.F. Olohenon
Major A.J.B. Wolfe
Major O.B. Parlin
Major H.C. Holt

GROUP C.

Major H.J. Fitzgerald
Major E.S. Evans
Major S.A. Knodgen
Major C.W.G. Taylor.

5. This authority cancels any panel of officers previously nominated by me to sit on a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Section III.

/s/ H.B. Willner,
Adjutant General,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner

Dated the 15th day 1944.

CERTIFIED COPY:

for Samuel.

C.A. Samuel,
Major,
General List.

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394

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File : RLE 013.02/FLV

23rd May 1944

SUBJECT : Panel of officers for General Courts.

TO : Legal Sub-Commission, A.C.C. Rear Headquarters.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of the appointment by the Executive Commissioner of a panel for General Military Courts in Region 1, forwarded under reference ACC/4002/11/L dated 16th May 1944.

2. Attached hereto an order convening a General Military Court at CATANIA on the 2nd June 1944, and the composition of the Court, for your information. This court has been appointed to try SCARPATO Natale & Others concerned in the murder of a British Naval Rating (D. HAMNETT) at AUGUSTA on 19th March 1944.

For Colonel A.N. HANCOCK :

Frank L. Vecchiolla
FRANK L. VECCHIOLLA
Major, JAGD.
Regional Legal Officer.

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ENCL. 1 - Form 1a.

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In place of Form 1a 39BAPPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS TO A GENERAL
MILITARY COURT.

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

In pursuance of the power conferred upon me by the appointment dated the 15th of May 1944

I hereby DIRECT that the General Military Court shall meet at A.C.O. Headquarters, Piazza Duomo, CATANIA at 1000 hours on the 2nd (second) day of June 1944 and such other days as may be necessary for the trial of the offenses brought before it AND that the composition of the Court (in compliance with such order) shall be as follows :

Colonel William R. Jordan	0-121579	(A)	<u>President</u>
Major J.O. Radice	199195	(B)	Member
Captain M.E. Marshall	210549	(B)	Member
Captain Anthony RMI Ciliberti	0-915142	(A)	Member
Captain E.K.W. Mathews	220695	(B)	Prosecutor

Dated 22nd May 1944

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(Signature of Reg. Comm.)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

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23 May 1944.

SUBJECT : Convening Order for General Military Court.
TO : Regional Legal Officer, Region II (THRU: Regional Commissioner).

I am enclosing herewith order convening General Military Court.

RICHARD H. WILLIAMS,
Colonel, GAC,
Deputy Chief Legal Officer. 46

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394.

I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, by virtue of the powers in that behalf vested in me hereby delete the name of Capt. T. MURPHY and substitute therefor the name of Capt. FRAZER as a member of the General Military Court established by me on the 15th May 1944 for the trial of PISCUPO Francesco NOPARISTEFANO Eustacchio LEUCCI Luigi and LAVOLPICELLA Nicola, and the General Military Court established by me on the 8th May 1944 for the trial of CHIRONI, Remualdo and 37 others.

Cancelled

Maurice S. Lush
Colonel
For M. S. LUSH.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dated this *19th* day of May, 1944

REAR HEADQUARTERS
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Legal Sub-Commission
APO 394

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17 May 44

ACC/4002/R/L

Subject : General Court Panel.

To : Regional Legal Officer, Region 5.

As asked in your letter RS/511/16, dated 7 May 44, herewith
amendment to your Regional General Court Panel, Major L.C. DEWING, being
Substituted for Captain Harry S. POLLARD.

GERALD R. WETCHER
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394

I, BRIGADIER MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Executive Commissioner, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor amend the appointment of a General Military Court for the trial of offences in Region V signed by me on the 8th April, 1944, by deleting from Group C the name of Capt. Harry S. POLLARD and substituting therefor the name of Major L. C. DEWING.



M. S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1944.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

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16 May 1944

ACC/4002/11/L.

SUBJECT : Panel of Officers for General Courts .

TO : Regional Legal Officer (thru RG) Region 3 .

1. Reference your L/3071 of 12 May 1944 .
2. Herewith appointment by the Executive Commissioner of certain officers to form a panel for General Military Courts in Region 3.
3. Please acknowledge receipt.

GERALD R. UPJOHN,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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1. I, Brigadier M. S. LUSH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region III.
2. Such Court shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the Regional Commissioner, Region III.
3. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.
4. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the following provisions:
 - a. One member of the Court who shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and
 - b. Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below.

GROUP A

Col. H. G. Willmer
Col. John K. Weber
Lt. Col. John W. Chapman
Major I. G. H. Campbell

GROUP B

Major G. L. T. Gilshenan
Major R. J. G. Rolfe
Major G. B. Parlin
Major H. C. Holt

GROUP C

Major M. J. Fitzgerald
Major E. B. Evans
Major G. A. Snodgrass
Major G. G. Taylor

5. This authority cancels any panel of officers previously nominated by me to sit as a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region III.

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M. S. LUSH;
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

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Dated the 15th May 1944.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

35B

1. I, Brigadier M. S. IUSH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region III.
2. Such Court shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the Regional Commissioner, Region III.
3. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.
4. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the following provisions:
 - a. One member of the Court who shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and
 - b. Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below.

GROUP A

Col. H. G. Willner
Col. John K. Weber
Lt. Col. John W. Chapman
Major I. G. H. Campbell

GROUP B

Major C. L. T. Gilshenan
Major E. J. G. Rolfe
Major G. S. Parlin
Major H. C. Holt

GROUP C

Major M. J. Fitzgerald
Major E. B. Evans
Major G. A. Snodgrass
Major C. G. Taylor

5. This authority cancels any panel of officers previously nominated by me to sit as a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region III.

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M. S. IUSH;
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

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Dated the 15th May 1944.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

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16 May 1944

ACC/4002/11/T.

SUBJECT : Panel of officers for General Courts .

TO : Regional Legal Officer (thru RC) Region 1 .

1. Reference your RLE 013.02/PLW of 11 May 1944.
2. Herewith appointment by the Executive Commissioner of certain officers to form a panel for General Military Courts in Region 1 .
3. Please acknowledge receipt.

GERALD R. UPRICH,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer .

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 594

1. I, Brigadier M. S. DASH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region I.
2. Whenever a General Court is convened by Hq, ACC in Sicily for the hearing of an offense charged as a hostile act against the Allied Forces in accordance with Article 3 of Consolidated Instructions for Allied Military Courts, the Regional Commissioner may nominate a Court composed and constituted in the manner following.
3. Such Court shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below.
4. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.
5. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the provision that one member of the Court who shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below.

GROUP A

Lt. Col. W. R. Jordan
Lt. Col. V. B. Thomas
Major C. E. Monk

GROUP B

Major J. O. Radice
Major W. H. Cusley
Capt. W. H. Savin
Capt. E. A. Mathews
Capt. M. E. Marshall
Capt. Anthony M. Giliberti

M. S. DASH 35

M. S. DASH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
for Chief Commissioner.

Dated the 15th May 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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I, MARCO SPANIELI LINTI, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, by virtue of the powers in that behalf vested in me hereby appoint the following officers of the Allied Military Government, namely: Colonel G. R. URJEH, R.G., Lieutenant Colonel D.E.S. COUSINS, Major J. S. LARCELL, Captain T. BERRY and Captain P. BROWNLEE, or any three of them, to be a General Military Court, the presiding officer of which will be either Colonel G. R. URJEH, R.G., or Lieutenant Colonel D.E.S. COUSINS, for the trial of PISCOPO Francesco di Antonio, NICHISTEFANO Antonio di Francesco, LUCCHI Luigi fu Giuseppe, LUCCHIGNOLA Nicola di Luigi.

(Sgd) M.S. Lush.

M. S. LINTI,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED FORCES COMMISSION
APO DA

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1. Brigadier M. S. USA, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region III.
2. Such Court shall consist of not less than three of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the Regional Commissioner, Region III.
3. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.
4. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the following provisions:
 - a. One member of the Court who shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and
 - b. Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group B below.

GROUP A

Col. H. G. Williams
Col. John K. Baker
1st Col. John W. Simpson
Major L. G. H. Campbell

GROUP B

Major C. L. C. Williamson
Major E. J. C. White
Major C. G. Martin
Major H. G. Ellis

GROUP C

Major H. J. Fitzgerald
Major E. D. Ryan
Major C. A. Rodriguez
Major D. G. Taylor

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5. This authority cancels any panel of officers previously nominated by me to act as a General Military Court for the trial of offenses in Region III.

Dated this

May 1944.

M. S. USA,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner,
Armed Forces Commission.

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SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
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File : RHE 013.02/PLV

11th May 1944.

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SUBJECT : General Court Panel

TO : D.C.L.O. - Legal Sub-Commission, A.C.C. Headquarters (REAR)

The attached list of officers available to sit on a General Military Court is forwarded having been approved by the Regional Commissioner.

Captain E.F.W. Mathews (B) and Captain Anthony M.M. Ciliberti (A) have been nominated as Prosecuting Officers.

For Colonel A.N. HANCOCK:

Frank L. Vecchiolla
FRANK L. VECCHIOLLA
Captain, JAGD.
Regional Legal Officer.

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SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
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File : RLE 013.02/FLV

3rd May 1944.

SUBJECT : General Court Panel.

TO : Colonel A.N. Hancock - Regional Commissioner.

The following list of Officers is submitted for
appointment to serve as the Panel for trial of General Court Cases:-

RANK	NAME	ASN.	BRANCH	NAT.	CAPACITY IN WHICH EMPLOYED.
Lt. Col.	William R. Jordan	0-121579	C.A.C.	A.	Reg. Exec. Offr.
Lt. Col.	Floyd B. Thomas	0-120717	Inf.	A.	P.C. Palermo.
Major	George E. Monk	0-256717	C.M.P.	A.	Supply Officer.
Major	J.O. Radice	199195	Gen.List	B.	Prov. Comm.
Major	W.H. Ousley	152595	Int.Corps	B.	C.A.O.
Captain	William H. Savin	0-511995	C.M.P.	A.	Pub. Wel. Off.
Captain	E.K.W. Mathews	220695	R.A.C.	B.	Legal Offr.
Captain	M.E. Marshall	210549	R.A.C.	B.	C.A.O.
Captain	Anthony NMI Ciliberti	0-915142	C.E.	A.	A/ Legal Offr.

Approved
js.
8/5/44

Frank L. Vecchiolla
FRANK L. VECCHIOLLA
Captain, JAGD.
Regional Legal Officer.

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(Rear HQ)

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army

L-3071

12 May 1944

Subject: Panel of Officers for General Military Court.

To : C.L.O. Legal Subcommittee A.C.C.

1. Herewith is a list of officers suggested for inclusion in a panel as available for General Military Court duty. The categories are as in the present order.

Group A.

Col. H. G. Willmer
Col. John K. Weber
Lt. Col. John W. Chapman
Major I. G. H. Campbell.

Group B.

Major C. L. T. Gilshenan
Major R. J. G. Rolfe
Major G. S. Parlin
Major M. C. Holt.

Group C.

Major M. J. Fitzgerald
Major E. B. Evans
Major G. A. Snodgrass
Major C. W. G. Taylor.

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2. All officers on the list are Region 3, except Col. Willmer and Major Campbell.

For the Regional Commissioner

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John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Lt. Col., J.A.G.D.,
Reg. Legal Officer.

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HEAD QUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, by virtue of the powers in that behalf vested in me hereby appoint the following officers of the Allied Military Government, namely: Colonel G. R. UPTON M.C., Lieutenant-Colonel D. E. S. COMBES, Major J. S. LAMBILL, Captain T. MURPHY and Captain P. BUCKHOUSE, or any three of them, to be a General Military Court, the presiding officer of which will be either Colonel G. R. UPTON M.C. or Lieutenant-Colonel D. E. S. COMBES, for the trial of CHIRONI, Remaldo and 37 others.

(Sgd) M. S. Lush

M. S. LUSH.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1944.

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HEAD HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
ARO 394.

8 May, 1944.

REFERENCE : ACC/4002/1/L.
SUBJECT : Case of MICHELA, Carullo.
TO : Regional Legal Officer (thru
Regional Commissioner), Region 3.

1. Confirming telephone conversation Colonel UPJOHN - Lt. Col. CHAPMAN this morning in view of the unavailability of a number of officers on the Region 3 General Court panel as a matter of emergency I authorize the appointment of Major MIDALL to be a member of the General Court which is sitting at BENEVENTO tomorrow to hear the case of the above mentioned accused.

2. You will submit a list of names for a revised panel as soon as possible for submission by this Sub-Commission to the Executive Commissioner for his signature.

GERALD R. UPJOHN.
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

GHI/RCW.

Copy to : Executive Commissioner.

P.S.

I enclose some notes made by Col. Chapman at the meeting on 1 May which appear to have got into my possession.
(sp) GRU.

TO CLO REAR HQ ACC
 FROM HQ REGION V AMG
 SUBJECT General Court Panel
 REF R5/511/816

7 May 1944

1. Ref your ACC/4002/L of 9 April and other correspondence in connection with the General Court panel in this region, it has just been brought to the notice of this HQ that Capt Harry S Pollard, whose name was submitted and accepted for a lay member of general courts, is in fact a qualified American lawyer.
2. It would be appreciated if the name of Major L.C. Dewing (A) could be substituted for that of Capt Pollard on the panel for this region.

For the Regional Commissioner

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W E. BEHRENS
 LT COL.
 R. L. O.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION II

24 April 1944

Ref. :- 2201/58/10
Subject :- Application for a General Court at Lecce
To :- C.L.O. Legal Subcommittee ACC. SALERNO

Application is hereby made for a General A.M.G. Court to sit at Lecce:

- 1) The charge will be "Spying"
- 2) If an officer of the Special prosecutions branch may be provided, the case should be ready for trial on 10.5.44.
- 3) Officers available to Sit on the Court are
Lt.Col. D.E.S.COUSINS (B) President
Col. J.T. ZELLARS (A)
Capt. P.BACKHOUSE (B)
In reserve, Major J.S.LANSILL (A) and Capt.E.J.MURPHY (A).
- 4) The prosecutor will be the officer detailed from the Special Prosecutions branch.
The interpreter will be J. NEUMANN.
In default of an advocate, the defending officer will be Major A.W.L. FRANKLIN.
- 5) The likely duration of the case is two days.

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Legal Section	
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D.E.S. Cousins
D.E.S.COUSINS, Lt.Col.
R.L.O.
Region II

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Letter already written by
Capt. Moore.
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
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ACC/4002/1/1.

14 April 1944.

SUBJECT: General Military Courts.

TO : HQ Allied Control Commission; PG & IS Section.

1. Ref 283/71/CA of 11 April 44.
2. One copy of the copy order enclosed in your letter is returned as this Subcommittee has another copy.
3. This Subcommittee has no knowledge as to the disposition of the order. It was signed by Col. Fiske, without any previous reference to us.
4. It will be appreciated if you will inform us how it came about that such an order was put direct before Col. Fiske without Legal Subcommittee having been consulted.
5. The order you refer to in para 2 of your letter (which was signed by the Executive Commissioner after discussion with the Chief Legal Officer) is an entirely separate order.

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G. B. UPTON
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

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ACC/4002/L.

14 April 1944

SUBJECT: Personnel for General Military Courts.

TO : HHS (thru RC) Region 3.

Having regard to the appointment of a panel of officers for General Military Courts dated 10 April 1944, forwarded with our letter ACC/4002/L dated 11 April 1944, the appointment of Col. H.G. Willmer and others to constitute a General Military Court (order signed by Col. FISKE on 1 April 44, copy attached) will be treated as cancelled.

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G. B. UPTON
Colonel
for Chief Legal Officer.

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HEAD HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

ACC/4002/1/L.

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13 April 1944.

SUBJECT : General Courts.

TO : Regional Legal Officer (THRU: RC), Region V.

1. Your letter R5/511/16 of 9 April 44 must have crossed ours (ACC/4002/L dated 9 April 44) enclosing an appointment of a panel of officers for General Courts; so no action is being taken on your above quoted letter.

(e)
G. R. UPTON,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. Section
APO 394

Ref/283/71/CA.

11 April 1944.

SUBJECT: General Military Court.

TO : V.P. Admin. Section - For Legal Sub-Commission.

1. Enclosed is copy of an order appointing a General Court, this day received by this Headquarters from Region III.
2. It is believed this is the same order you took up with Brigadier Lush three days ago.
3. Will you please advise what disposition was made of the order? Capt. Stewart cannot furnish the information.

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Chief Counsel	☐
CJO	☒
Italian Section	☐
CLERKS	☒
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2 letters to
type (attached)

Norman E. Fiske
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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Also note to Region
concerning this order
as well as any other of
this kind.

Copy of this order signed
by Col. Fiske without my reference to
the office as we still have to
get out early it was put before the
Plenary last night.

It is for the order by hand
Signed this morning

File 4002/1

HEAD HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

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ACC/4002/L

11 April 1944

SUBJECT: Panel of Officers for General Courts.

TO : MLO (thru EC) Region 3.

1. Ref ACC/4002/L of 14 March 44.
2. Herewith appointment by the Executive Commissioner of certain officers to form a panel for General Military Courts in Region 3.
3. Please acknowledge receipt.

See folio 35A

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GERALD H. UPJOHN.
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer. 26

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED-CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

1. I, Brigadier M.S. LUSH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offences in Region 3.
2. Such Court shall consist of not less than 3 of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the Regional Commissioner No. 3 Region.
3. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.
4. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the following provisions:-
 - (a) One member of the Court who shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and
 - (b) Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below.

Group A

Col.	H. G. WILLMER (B)
Col.	John K. WEBER (A)
Major	R. C. HENDRICKSON (A)
Major	I. G. H. CAMPBELL (B)

Group B

Major	C. L. T. GILCHRIST (B)
Major	Jesse E. CANTOR (A)

Group C

Lt. Col.	J. S. ARNOID (A)
Major	J. E. CARROLL (A)
Major	V. A. GIANELLI (B)

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M. S. LUSH
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner
for Chief Commissioner

Dated April 1944.

*Cancelled 15 May
see file 35 B*

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 TO: CLO HQ AGC
 FROM: HQ REGION 5 AGC
 SUBJECT: General Courts
 RE: 85/513/12

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9 April

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1. It is requested that a general court be appointed to sit in vacuo from 19 April 1964 for trial of the following charges:
 - (a) 6 post office employees on charges arising out of theft of US mail; and
 - (b) 2 persons alleged to have been in possession of firearms and ammunition, to have discharged the arms at allied troops and to have killed a US soldier.
2. The court could be composed of the panel proposed to you; it is assumed that a court of 5 members will suffice. The prosecutor will be Lt W.L. Boone; all the accused will be defended by advocates; the cases are expected to last 2 days.
3. This application is made as no official order has been received delegating authority to the AG to appoint general courts, nor any official order of the panel of courts submitted.
4. If this application is approved could you please inform this HQ as early as possible to give time for the witnesses to be produced.

For the Regional Commissioner

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- ① To see above
- ② It crossed in the first with the order creating the panel.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 594

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9 April 1944.

ACC/1202/L.

SUBJECT : Panel of Officers for General Courts.

TO : RLO (THRU: RC), Region V.

1. Reference ACC/1202/L of 11 Mar and your replies thereto RS/511/16 of 21 Mar and 1 Apr 1944.

2. Herewith appointment by the Executive Commissioner of certain officers to form a panel for General Military Courts in Region V.

3. Please acknowledge receipt.

GERALD R. DEJON
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

1. I, Brigadier M.S. LUSH, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint a General Military Court for the trial of offences in Region 5.
2. Such Court shall consist of not less than 3 of the officers named below who shall be nominated for the purpose by the Regional Commissioner No. 5 Region.
3. Such Court may meet from time to time as directed by the said Regional Commissioner.
4. The composition of the Court shall be subject to the following provisions:-
 - (a) One member of the Court who shall be President shall be one of the officers named in Group A below; and
 - (b) Not more than one member of the Court shall be from the officers named in Group C below.

Group A

Lt. Col.	W. E. BERNERS
Major	Alexander R. THOMAS
Major	W. H. LEVIT
Major	I. G. H. CAMPBELL

Group B

Major	BOYD CARPENTER
Capt.	A. P. McNULTY
Capt.	F. C. RADER
Lieut.	W. T. BOONE

Group C

Major	Joseph D. SCHOLTZ
Capt.	V. A. WILLOUGHBY
Capt.	Harry S. POLLARD
Capt.	Clarke PAINTER

Major DEWING
(see 362)

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M.S. Lush.
M. S. LUSH
Brigadier
Executive Commissioner
for Chief Commissioner

Dated 8th April 1944.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C. Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, by
virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf
vested in me hereby appoint the following officers of
the Allied Forces, to wit: Colonel H.G. Willmer (B),
Major R.O. Hendrickson (A), Major J.B. Carrol (A), Capt.
W.S.H. Oates (B), Lt. Colonel J.R. Arnold (A), Major
Gianelli (Canadian) and Captain R.E.C. Benson (A) or
any three of them to be a General Military Court for
the trial of any and all cases brought before it for
trial

M. S. Lush { *Truce*
Colonel

For M.S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dated this 1 April 1944.

Major Campbell.
What is this all about

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf vested in me hereby appoint the following officers of the Allied Forces, to wit: Colonel H. G. Willmer K.C, Major Robert C. Henrickson and Major Moses J. Aranson to be a General Military Court for the trial of :

PATIERNO FRANCESCO

BARBATO VINCENZO

MUSELLE ANTONIO

(Sgd) M. S. LUSH

M. S. LUSH.
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dated this 2st March 1944.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394.

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ACC/4002/1/L

20 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Personnel.

TO : ELC Region 3, 4 (thru EC).

Majors Laugh, Elder and Lt. Gatriano will not now be appointed as a permanent General Court and will be available to continue in their normal duties as heretofore.

G. B. UPRICH, Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

Copy to: ACC/4023/L

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 3, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTOR OF GENERAL MILITARY COURT

19 March 1944

Subject: PERSONNEL FOR GENERAL MILITARY COURT.
To: EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER FOR CIVIL AFFAIRS, BRITISH.

It is requested that names of officers be submitted from Region 8 and 9 who will be available from time to time to sit as judges of the General Military Court. These officers need not be judicial officers, however, if there be solicitors or barristers among them, the same should be indicated. Members of the Court will be consulted as to their availability prior to any trial.

For Lt.Col. John W. CHAPMAN
J.A.G.D.
REGIONAL LEGAL OFFICER

Col Chapman seen in
this letter today. No
further action to be taken
as all Reg 8 & 9 officers already
at our loan.

Louis A. Sabatino
LOUIS A. SABATINO
PROSECUTOR, G.M.C.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

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19 March 1944

ACC/4002/L.

SUBJECT : Appointment of Permanent General Court .

TO : SIO 5th Army A.M.G.

Reference conversation Col. Upjohn - Lt. Col. Shields yesterday
it has been decided that the appointment of the above mentioned Court is not
to be proceeded with as the arrangements already made by Col. Shields are
entirely adequate for the purpose .

If enquires are made by HQ. A.A.I. Lt. Col. Shields will no doubt
explain the nature of the arrangements already made and to satisfy them that
accused spies can be promptly tried .

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GERALD R. UPJOHN
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer .

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TO ACC LEGAL SUB COMMISSION ACC HQ NAPLES
FROM REGION 5 AMG

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GENERAL COURT ORDERED BY YOU AT FOGGIA FOR TRIAL OF CARABINIERE VERDE TAKES PLACE 23 MAR.
REQUEST AUTHORITY SAME COURT TO HEAR WIRE CUTTING CASE D. ACHILLE VITO. PRISONER ARRESTED
WITH HALF MILE WIRE IN HIS POSSESSION AND KNIFE WITH TRACE OF INSULATING CABLE. CASE
WILL LAST HALF DAY. PROSECUTOR MAJOR LEVIT ACCUSED REPRESENTED BY LOCAL ADVOCATE.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

GHU/rfp.
9 March 1944.

AGC/4002/1/L.

SUBJECT : General Court.

TO : WLO (THRU: RG), Region V.

1. Reference yours 4 March 1944, RS/511/16, be advised that your letter of 11 Feb 1944 was duly received.
2. Order was forthwith prepared but not executed until 27 Feb.
3. We immediately so advised you by cable. Original order was sent to you 1 March.
4. Enclosed you will find (1) copy of cable and (2) copy of order.
5. We repeat we have no legal officer available to act for prosecution.

GERALD R. UPJOHN,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

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TO : C.L.O., HQ. C.C.
 FROM : HQ., A.M.G. Region 5.
 SUBJECT: General Court
 REF : R5/511/16
 DATE : 4 March 1944

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1. It is thought that you can not have received this HQ. letter of 11 Feb. and a copy is therefore enclosed.

2. With reference to para 5

(a) (b) (d) (e) (g) unchanged.

(c) The case is ready for trial. A date should be fixed to give time for the correspondence to arrive.

(f) 2/Lt. MANCK is now engaged in Economics and Supply - see separate letter. No legal officer available to prosecute. The local C.A.P.O. *Could* ~~will~~ conduct the prosecution but a qualified officer would obviously be an advantage.

(h) Maj. Wm. H. LEVIT, judicial officer, will be available but not Lt. M.E. ARONOFF.

For Regional Commissioner

W.E. Emmons

W.E. EMMONS
 Lt. Col.
 R.I.O.

HEADQUARTERS REGION 5
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

11 Feb. 1944

TO : C.I.C. HQ. ACC.

SUBJECT : General Court.

1. It is requested that a General Military Court be appointed to sit at Foggia about the 1st March 1944, for the trial of VERDE Paolo, a member of the Carabinieri Reali, who shot and killed a member of the Allied Forces.
2. In outline the facts of the case are as follows:
On 25 Dec. 1943 Sgt. Douglas Lyons and three friends, all American coloured Troops, obtained permission to proceed in a weapon carrier from their camp to the town of Panni. On arrival they left the vehicle at the entrance to the town. They proceeded to the Houses of some local inhabitants and consumed a quantity of native whisky and other alcohol. At least three members of the party, including Sgt. Lyons, became drunk; they were unable to remember where they had left their vehicle and could not find it; they therefore entered the local cafe and threatened to shoot the occupants if the vehicle was not immediately returned. They undoubtedly created a nuisance in the cafe, punching and threatening the people and forcing them to sit on the muddy floor; they broke up the cafe and rifled the till. The proprietor persuaded the least drunk of the party to accompany him to the Carabinieri Station in order to recover their vehicle. At the station he reported the disturbance to the Marshal, and the Marshal despatched VERDE and one other Carabinieri to the scene. On arrival the Carabinieri were attacked by the three remaining soldiers. Sgt. Lyons attacked VERDE with a knife. In the course of the fight VERDE fired his rifle twice and with the second shot killed Sgt. Lyons.
3. The case was fully investigated by CID 12th Air Force between the 26th and 31st Dec. 1943. They formed the opinion that the shots were fired by VERDE "in the exercise of his duties as a policeman and in self-defence" and that he was justified in firing.
4. Nevertheless HQ. 12th Air Force are anxious that the accused should be brought to trial "not only for his own protection but also in order to avoid any possible criticism in the future because of any failure to take such action". It is felt that if a trial is held it should be before a General Military Court.
5. Particulars of the proposed Court are as follows:
 - a) Accused : VERDE Paolo
 - b) Charge : Killing a member of the Allied Forces contrary to Proclamation 2, Art. I, Para. 16, -in that he-On or about 25 Dec. 1943 in Panni in the Province of Foggia did kill one Sgt. Douglas Lyons ASN 34222515 of the 498th QM Laundry Co, a member of the Allied Forces.
 - c) Proposed date of trial. Approximately 1st March 1944.
 - d) Proposed place of trial. Foggia.
 - e) Probable duration of case. Not more than 2 days. There is a total of some 25 witnesses who may be called either for the prosecution or the defence, but most of these will be short.
 - f) Prosecutor. The only officer available in Foggia Province with Legal Qualifications is 2nd Lt. I. Manck AUS but he has had comparatively little experience of criminal prosecutions.
 - g) Advocate for accused will be Avv. Saggese Antonio, of Foggia.
 - h) Officers available locally to sit on the Court are Capt. V.H. Willoughby and Lieut. M.E. Aronoff AUS (Judicial Officer).

For R.C.A.C.

W. E. Behrens, Lt. Col.
R.C.I.C.

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REAR HAD HATES
ARMED CRIMINAL COMMISSION
LOCAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

1 March 1944

ACG/4002/c/c

SUBJECT : Appointment of General Military Court.
TO : HSC (HMD: 32), Region V.

Herewith original appointment of a General Military Court in Region V dated 27 February 1944 and signed by Brigadier H. S. Lash.

ARMED V. CRIMINAL,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.O. & M.G. Section
APO 394

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Ref/283/22/CA.

27 February 1944.

SUBJECT: Appointment of General Military Court.

TO : Admin Section - For Legal Sub-Commission.

Reference your ACC/4002/2/1 of 21 Feb 44, the document,
duly signed by the Executive Commissioner, is returned herewith.

[Handwritten signature: N. E. Fiske]
Ltd.

[Handwritten initials]
NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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I, MARSHAL STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, hereby appoint the following officers of the Allied Military Government to be a General Military Court for the trial of offences within the jurisdiction of the Allied Military Courts in Region V, ITALY; namely, Lieut. Colonel W.E. BARRONS, Capt. V. H. WILLOUGHBY and Lieut. M.R. ARNOFF AGS or such other officers as the said Lieut. Col. W.E. BARRONS may appoint.

(sgd.)

M. S. Lush.

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner
for the Chief Commissioner

Dated this 27 February 1944

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ORDER APPOINTING GENERAL COURT WITH PERSONNEL AS REQUESTED OR PAREN
TO COLONEL & POINT E POINT BEHRNS CMA AND HEADQUARTERS REGION FIVE CMA
CAMPOBASSO VIA LETA CMA FOGGIA PLEASE DELIVER BY QUICKEST MEANS FROM
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WISH SIGNED AND FORWARDED TO YOU PD PROCEED ACCORDINGLY

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394.

LT/gmf

21 February 1944.

ACC/4002/1/L

SUBJECT: Appointment of General Military Court, Region 5.

TO : Executive Commissioner, ACC.

1. Enclosed is appointment of General Military Court for Region 5 in usual form which I have approved. This Court will sit on or about 1 March 1944.
2. Will you please sign and return the appointment to me if approved by you.

RICHARD H. WILMER
Lt. Col. CAC
Deputy Chief Legal Officer.

HEADQUARTERS REGION 5
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

T : C.L.O. HQ. ACC.

11 Febr. 1944

SUBJECT : General Court.

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5. Particulars of the proposed Court are as follows:

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf vested in me hereby appoint the following officers of the Allied Forces, to wit: Colonel H.G. Willmer, K.C., Lt. Col. W.J. Purcell, Major Elder, Major Robert C. Hendrickson and Lt. Miller or any three of them to be a General Military Court for the trial of

APRILE Maria

MANSINI Francesco

MANSINI Giuseppe

M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner

Dated this February 1944.

*Original of these
two orders retained
by platoon until 15/2/44
to submit for signature*

Recd in original file

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner Allied Control Commission, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf vested in me hereby appoint the following officers of the Allied Forces, to wit: Colonel H.G. Willmer, K.C., Lt. Col. W.J. Farrell, Major Elder, Major Robert C. Hendrickson and Lt. Miller or any three of them to be a General Military Court for the trial of

SALVATORE RIVITUSO

M. S. LUSH
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner

Dated this February 1944.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
Salerno Detachment.

8 February 1944

ACC/4002/44

SUBJECT: Appointment of General Military Court.

TO : Colonel Pollock.

Brigadier Lush has signed the authorization copy which is enclosed.

GERALD UPJOHN

Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
A.F.O. 394

(28) 4002/1

I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, hereby appoint the following officers of the Allied Military Government to be a General Military Court for the trial of offences within the jurisdiction of the Allied Military Courts in Region II, ITALY; namely, Colonel GEORGE POLLOCK, Lt. Col. D.E.S. GOSWINE and Major P. RACKHORN or such other officers as the said Colonel GEORGE POLLOCK may appoint.

(Sgd) M S Lush

M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dated this 7 February 1944.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394

I, MAURICE STANLEY LUSH, C.B.E., M.C., Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, hereby appoint any three of the following officers of the Allied Military Government to be a General Military Court for the trial of offences within the jurisdiction of the Allied Military Courts in Region II, ITALY; namely, Colonel George POLLOCK, Lt. Col. D.E.S. COUSINS and Major P. BACKHOUSE or such other officers as the said Colonel George POLLOCK may appoint.

M. S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dated this 5th February 1944.

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