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CASE OF FRANCHINI & F
SALERNO
MAR., APR. 1944

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CASE OF FRANCHINI & FORTUNATO, MAIL BAG THEFTS AT
SALERNO
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22 April 44

Subject : Case of FORTUNATO BONAVENTURA
FRANCHINI DOMENICO

To : Provincial Legal officer, Salerno

1. Herewith the Mandati di Cattura in the above mentioned case; please hand these to the director of the prison where they are now held. The file copy is with the record, which is being held at this H. Q. for review.
2. Three copies of the order of the Court are also enclosed. Please arrange (a) for the order of the Court to be carried into effect and (b) for one copy of the order to be given to the avvocato for the accused, as soon as possible.

GERALD R. UPJOHN
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

Copy to: Regional Legal officer, Region III.
(Above sent direct to your PIO to
save work at your H. Q.)

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Form No. 4
(revised)

GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO

FOGLIO D'ACCUSA

Place SALERNO Date 14 April 44
Luogo Fortunato, Domenico
(Name of defendant)
(Nome dell'accusato)
(Address)
(Indirizzo)
Salerno.

IS HEREBY CHARGED WITH THE FOLLOWING OFFENSES:
e' accusato delle seguenti offese:

First Charge: See charge sheet attached.

Particulars: HA AC 80

Second Charge:

Particulars:

Third Charge:

Particulars:

TRADUZIONE

Prima Accusa: Vedere foglio d'accusa attaccato.

Dettagli:

Seconda Accusa:

Dettagli:

Terza Accusa: 18

Dettagli:

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LE SUDDETTE ACCUSE SONO RIFERITE A PROCESSO DAVANTI IL TRIBUNALE MILITARE ALLEATO
SOMARIO/SUPERIORE/A Salerno
DI Aprile 1944, ALLE ORE 1000
GENERALE (Indirizzo della Corte) ADDI' Giovedi IL 20 GIORNO
(Mese) (Data) (Orario)

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Firma dell'individuo autorizzato

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 - (b) Di consultare un avvocato prima del processo e, se le esigenze militari permettono, di avere un avvocato in sua difesa durante il corso del processo stesso.
 - (c) Di fare richiesta al Tribunale per ottenere un periodo di tempo sufficiente per preparare la sua difesa, richiesta che il Tribunale può concedere o rigettare a propria discrezione.
 - (d) Di farsi accompagnare dinanzi al Tribunale da testimoni a sua difesa, se così desidera, o far richiesta di farli comparire per ordine del Tribunale.
 - (e) Di fornire prove e suo vantaggio durante il processo, ma non potrà essere costretto a fornirle.
 - (f) Di farsi tradurre i procedimenti per il suo beneficio quando egli non e' capace di comprenderli diversamente.

PROCEEDINGS

(R No.)

Military Court sitting at _____ on _____ 194

Plea(s) of Accused:

1st Charge: _____
2nd Charge: _____
3rd Charge: _____

Summary of Prosecution Evidence:

Summary of Defence Evidence (including any statement in mitigation):

Verdict:

1st Charge: _____
2nd Charge: _____
3rd Charge: _____

Sentence (separate on each charge):

1st Charge: _____
Imprisonment: _____
term in default of payment _____
fine to be paid by _____
2nd Charge: _____
Imprisonment: _____
term in default of payment _____
fine to be paid by _____
3rd Charge: _____
Imprisonment: _____
term in default of payment _____
fine to be paid by _____

Terms of imprisonment to be consecutive/concurrent/partly concurrent (if so, give details)

Other orders (confiscation, restitution, etc.)

Signature of Presiding Officer

DECISION ON REVIEW

Summary of Prosecution Evidence:

Summary of Defence Evidence (including any statement in mitigation):

Verdict:

1st Character:

2nd Charge:

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Sentence (separate on each charge):

7st Charles:

1st Charge:

2nd Charge:

3rd Charge:

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Other orders (confiscation, restitution, etc.)

Signature of Presiding Officer

DECISION ON REVIEW

Date: 194-

Signature of Reviewing Authority

First Charge: Violation of Article 315 of the Penal Code of the Kingdom of Italy.
 Particulars : In that being a person entrusted with a public service in the British Army Post Office SALERNO he did, on or before the 9th March 1944, appropriate money and movable articles not belonging to the public administration, namely letters and packages dispatched by and to members of the Allied Forces in Italy.

Second Charge: Violation of Article 619 of the Penal Code of the Kingdom of Italy.
 Particulars : In that, being on the staff of the postal service of the British Army Post Office, Salerno, he did, on or before the 9th March 1944, destroy and suppress correspondence.

Third Charge : Violation of Articles 624, 625 and 61 of the Penal Code of the Kingdom of Italy.
 Particulars : In that, while employed in the British Army Post Office, Salerno, he did, on or before the 9th March 1944, with abuse of authority and with violation of the duties inherent in a public service, take possession in the British Army Post Office, Salerno, for the purpose of deriving therefrom profit for himself or for others, movable articles belonging to members of the Allied Forces in Italy.

The Prosecution will also involve Art. 9 of RDL of 11/6/42 No. 584, in respect of increase of penalty for offences committed in time of war.

TRADUZIONE

Prima Accusa : Violazione dell'Articolo 315 del Codice Penale del Regno D'Italia.
 Dettagli : In quanto, l'accusato, esplicando pubbliche funzioni presso l'Ufficio Postale dell'Esercito Britannico, Salerno, si è appropriato, il 9 Marzo 1944 o nei giorni precedenti, di moneta e oggetti mobili non appartenenti alla pubblica amministrazione, e precisamente di lettere e pacchi spediti o ricevuti da membri appartenenti alle Forze Alleate dislocate in Italia.

Seconda Accusa: Violazione dell'Articolo 619 del Codice Penale del Regno d'Italia.
 Dettagli : In quanto, l'accusato, quale funzionario al servizio dell'Ufficio Postale dell'Esercito Britannico, Salerno, ha distrutto e soppresso della corrispondenza, il 9 Marzo 1944 o nei giorni precedenti.

Terza Accusa : Violazione degli Articoli 624, 625, e 61 del Codice Penale del Regno d'Italia.
 Dettagli : In quanto, l'accusato, nell'esplicare le sue funzioni, quale impiegato addetto all'Ufficio Postale dell'Esercito Britannico, Salerno, ha, il 9 Marzo 1944 o nei giorni precedenti, abusato della sua autorità e violato i doveri inerenti al servizio pubblico, impossessandosi, nei locali del predetto ufficio, di oggetti mobili appartenenti a membri delle Forze Alleate dislocate in Italia, al fine di trarne un lucro personale o per beneficiare altri.

Il Pubblico Ministero chiedera anche l'applicazione dell'Art. 9 del R.D.L. del 11/6/42 No. 584, per quanto riguarda l'aggravio della pena per i reati commessi in tempo di guerra.



MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

Gabinetto

Protoc. N. 5435

Risp. al foglio N. ACC/4012/1/L
del 11 Aprile 1944

Salerno 15 Aprile 1944

OGGETTO: Processo a carico di FORTUNATO Bonaventura e
FRANCHINI Domenico imputati di furto all'Ufficio di
Posta Militare di Salerno.

ALL COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO
Sottocommissione Legale

S A L E R N O

In esito al foglio a margine, si comunica di
aver dato le debite disposizioni perché la Sala delle
Udienze principale (lato sud) sia tenuta il giorno 20
Aprile 1944 ore 10 a disposizione del Tribunale Militare
Alleato di Salerno per il processo in oggetto.

[Signature]
IL MINISTRO

[Signature]
Comandante
Spivelli 16

~~Capt. Mage~~
~~HQ Commandant~~

REAR HEAD JUMPERS
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
 Legal Subcommittee
 APO 394

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ACC/4012/1/L

12 April 1944.

SUBJECT: General Military Court, Salerno.

TO : Lt. Col. P.H. Wilmer
~~Major J.H. Thacker~~
~~Major I.G.H. Campbell~~

1. You have been appointed by CLO as President-Member of a General Military Court for the trial of FORTUNATO, Bonaventura and FRANCHINI, Domenico, on charges of theft from APO Salerno. C.L.O.'s order is attached; also copy charge sheet.
2. The Court will sit at 10 AM on 20 April 1944 in the Italian Court, Giustizia Building, 1st floor, south side.
3. The prosecuting officer will be Capt. Correa, Region 3.
4. Lt. Col. Robertson, Provincial Commissioner, Salerno, has been asked to provide an interpreter.
5. A Military guard is being provided by HQ Commandant, ACC.
6. The trial is expected to last approximately one day.

J. MORE.

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for

G. B. UPJOHN
 Colonel
 Chief Legal Officer

Copy to: HQ Commandant, ACC.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

I, COLONEL G. R. UPJOHN, hereby and on behalf of the Military Governor appoint any three or more of the following officers of the Allied Forces to be a General Military Court for the trial of offences in SALERNO Province, namely, Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. WILMER, Major A. R. THACKRAH and Major I. G. H. CAMPBELL or such other officers as the said Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. WILMER may appoint.

(Signed) G. R. Upjohn

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

for Chief Commissioner

Dated this 12 day of April 1944.

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

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ACC/4012/1/L

12 April 1944

SUBJECT: Trial of FORTUNATO Benaventura and FRANCHINI Domenico by Allied
Military Court on charges of thefts at APO Salerno.

TO : Capt. Correa, Region 3.

Ref my letter of 2 April 44 (ACC/4012/1/L).

1. Attached hereto are copies of the Charge Sheets in English and
Italian, with copy of covering letter to Lt. Col. Robertson, Provincial
Commissioner, Salerno.

2. It is understood that you will make contact direct with Capt.
Johnson, 66 S.I.B. Salerno, by whom this matter has been handled.

J. MORE,

Capt

for
G. R. UPJOHN
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

Copy to: Capt. Johnson, 66 S.I.B., Salerno.

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Rear Headquarters
 Allied Control Commission
 Legal Sub-Commission

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ACC/4012/1/K

12 April 1944

Subject: Trial of FORTUNATO, Bonaventura,
 and FRANCHINI, Domenico, by
 Allied Military Court on charges of thefts
 at A.P.O. Salerno.

To: Lt Col Robertson, Provincial Commissioner,
 Salerno Province.

1. Attached hereto are the charge sheets in English and Italian in the above case.
2. The trial has been fixed to take place at 10 am. on 20 April 1944 at the Tribunale Building, Salerno, before Lt Col R.H. Wisner, Major A.H. Thackeray and Major I.G. H. Campbell. Copy C.L.O.'s order attached.
3. The prosecuting officer will be Capt. M.F. Correa, Region 3.
4. It is understood that you will arrange for the accused to be served and to be advised of their rights to defending counsel, etc. in accordance with Para 6. of Directive 283/42/CA. of 5 March 1944.

(signed) T. Aspinall
 Capt
 for G.R. Upjohn
 Colonel
 Chief Legal Officer

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

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ACC/4012/1/L

11 April 1944

SUBJECT: Trial of FORTUNATO, Boneventura and FRANCHINI, Domenico by
Allied Military Court on charges of thefts at APO Salerno.

TO : H.E. The Minister of Pardon and Justice.

1. The Chief Legal Officer has directed that the above trial shall
be held before an Allied Military Court at Salerno at 10 A.M. on 20
April 1944.

2. Would Your Excellency be good enough to make available the
principal Court Room (South Side) in the Giustizia Building, Salerno,
for the trial on the date stated?

J. G. Hennepf
Major
for Chief Legal Officer.

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

SUBJECT: Postal Thefts, Salerno
TO: Major Hammarford

FILE No.

AMGOT HQ., SICILY

16/4/1944

1. Flagged "A" is the proposed Italian translation of the English charges framed by us in this case. (Flag "B")
2. Will you please approve it before I have it typed on the charge sheet?

Set typed
on charge sheet.

Thompson
PA

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Draft

10 April 1944

(1) Violazione dell'Articolo 315 del Codice Penale del Regno d'Italia.

In quanto, l'accusato, esplicando pubbliche funzioni presso l'Ufficio Postale dell'Esercito Britannico, Salerno, si è appropriato, tra i giorni 4 e 9 Marzo 1944, di moneta e oggetti mobili non appartenenti alla pubblica amministrazione, e precisamente di lettere e pacchi spediti o ricevuti da membri appartenenti alle Forze Alleate dislocate in Italia.

(2) Violazione dell'Articolo 619 del Codice Penale del Regno d'Italia.

In quanto, l'accusato, quale funzionario al servizio dell'Ufficio Postale dell'Esercito Britannico, Salerno, ha distrutto e soppresso della corrispondenza, tra i giorni 4 e 9 marzo 1944.

(3) Violazione degli Articoli 624, 625, e 61 del Codice Penale del Regno d'Italia.

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Il Pubblico Ministero chiederà anche l'applicazione dell'Art. 9 del R.D.L. del 11/6/42 No. 584, per quanto riguarda l'aggravio della pena per i reati commessi in tempo di guerra.

PRO MEMORIA PER IL SIGNOR MAGGIORE HANNAFORD

- 1) Ove gli impiegati avventizi siano considerati dei militarizzati incaricati di funzioni amministrative, dovrebbero applicarsi gli articoli 215, 216 del C.P.M. di Pace in relazione agli articoli 7, 15 e 47 C.P.M. di Guerra. Si dovrebbe inoltre esaminare, in relazione alla fattispecie, se ricorrono gli estremi degli art. 128 e seguenti del C.P.M. di Pace.
- 2) Ove gli impiegati avventizi non siano dei militarizzati, e si considerino le Poste Militari Alleate identiche alle Poste Militari Italiane; dovrebbero applicarsi, secondo la fattispecie, gli art. 314, 315 del C.P. oltre agli art. 616 e 618 del detto codice, con l'eventuale aumento delle pene di cui al R.D.L. 11 giugno 1942 N.584 (art.9).
- 3) Ove infine non si vogliano equiparare le Forze Militari Alleate alle Forze Militari Italiane, e quindi alle Pubblica Amministrazione Italiana, si dovrebbero applicare gli art. 625 n.7, ultima parte, e 61 n.11 C.P., oltre gli articoli 616 - 619 del detto codice, con l'eventuale aumento di pena stabilito dal citato decreto legge.

Per quanto è dato desumere dalla ipotesi di fatta prospettata, appare più corrispondente all'ipotesi stessa quanto si è detto al paragrafo 2).

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394.

2 April, 1944.

REFERENCE : ACC/4042/1/L.
SUBJECT : Proposed Military Court at SALERNO.
TO : Capt. M. F. Correa, H.Q., A.C.C. (Region 3)

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1. It will be seen from the enclosed papers that it has been decided to convene an Allied Military Court at SALERNO for the trial of two Italian employees on charges of theft from the A.P.O., SALERNO.

2. The Court will consist of the following officers :-

Lt.Col. R. G. Wilmer - President.
Major A. R. Thackrah.
Major I. G. H. Campbell.

3. In accordance with para. 4 of the Directive (reference 283/42/CA) of 5th March 1944 the offenders will be punished under the Italian codes. The proposed charges are attached hereto.

4. The statements enclosed herewith appear to be comprehensive. It may, however, be necessary to have evidence as to the terms of employment of the accused and as to their status in the A.P.O. The officer responsible is understood to be Capt. J. Howard Appleton, 12 L. of C. Postal Unit, C.M.F. (Telephone Naples 51, 117).

5. May we please be informed of the date when you will wish the Court to sit?

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GERALD R. UPJOHN.
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

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Copy to :- Lt.Col. J. W. Chapman, C.L.O. Region 3.

- (1) Violation of Article 315 of the Penal Code of the Kingdom of Italy.

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The Prosecution will also invoke Art. 9 of RDL of 11/6/42 No. 584, in respect of increase of penalty for offences committed in time of war.

Subject: Proposed Allied Military Court at Salerno
To: Major Hammett.

1. The accused are clearly triable under the Italian penal code, and probably under three different charges

2. Article 9 of the Decreto Legge No. 584 of 11 June 1942 provides for the tripling of penalties for violation of correspondence sent by or to 'militari'.

Whether 'militari' in this context includes members of Allied forces can, I think, be left to the Court to decide. It does not seem to me necessary to refer to ~~the~~ article 9 in the charges.

3. Articles 215 and 216 of the Military Penal Code of Peace prescribe penalties for offences by 'militari' against 'militari'.

Under Article 2 Allied military personnel would not be included among the injured 'militari'; but if the definition in Article 15 of the War Code applies, they would be included, but apparently only if reciprocal rights to Italian soldiers are granted by Great Britain. In the time available it seems impracticable to pursue this question.

Whether the accused ~~are~~ are 'militari' within Articles 215 and 216 depends on whether the provisions of the War Code apply. In this case they

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Whether the accused ~~are~~ are 'militari' within Articles 215 and 216 depends on whether the provisions of the War Code apply. In this case they may be covered as being 'assimilati' within Article 7; or 'persone estranee alle forze armate dello Stato Italiano' within Article 15; subject again, in the latter provision, to the question of reciprocity mentioned above.

4. Article 128 of the Military Code of Peace lays down penalties for violation and communication of despatches; but, so far as I can understand it, this would probably not cover private (as distinct from official) communications. It authorizes imprisonment up to 5 years, which under Article 47 of the War Code, could be increased by 50%.
5. I therefore suggest that the charges be limited to the ordinary Penal Code. Suggested forms of charge are attached hereto.

Thores.

31/3/44.

1- If the two Italian workmen can be considered in view of their conduct and functions as "followers" that is to say assimilated to military personnel articles 215 & 216 of the Military Code apply & also articles 7-15 & 47 of the War Code. It might be well to examine the case in the light of the provisions of art. 128 of the Military Code of Peace, which provides penalty for "violation, suppression or violation of contests of Military Mnt." (reclusion up to 5 years).

2- If the accused are not followers (in the Italian sense), but civilian employees of the Allied Military Post office, which should be treated "pari passu" with the equivalent set up of the Italian Military P.O. it seems that art 314-315 of the CP and possibly art 616 & 618 apply. - Process of penalty under war conditions is provided by R.D. 11 June 42 N. 1781 (art 9)

3- If it is not desired to treat Allied & Italian Military administration on the same footing then I believe that Art 625-7, last part, & 61. (1) of the C.P. apply - and also articles 616-619 - Process of penalty from provisions of same R.D. as in 2.

- At first sight, it seems that Para 2 Councils of the facts -

Art 215 & 216 of Military Code of Penal
deal with perulate, embezzlement by
military personnel during their service and
against the administration - (2 to 10 years)

Art 7 of the C P M G deals with the
quality of military, how obtained etc

Art 15 - gives severity to convicted military
personnel -

Art. 47 - increases penalty in time of war

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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ACC/4012/1/L

28 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Proposed Allied Military Court at SALERNO.

TO : Chief Commissioner (~~thru V.P. Adm. Section~~).

1. An application has been received for the appointment of a Military Court in unoccupied ^{Italy} (SALERNO) to try two Italians accused of thefts from an Army Post Office. This is the first application of its kind. The policy you laid down was that such courts will only try cases of a most serious nature.

2. The following is a resume of the facts:

(a) Pilferage at APO, SALERNO was noticed.

(b) The two accused are the only two civilian employees at the APO.

(c) As a result of enquiries, the two accused were searched.

(d) On FRANCHINI was found a brown paper parcel wrapper addressed to a British soldier. This was hidden tucked down his left sock.

On FORTUNATO were found two similar wrappers also addressed to British soldiers. These were found hidden round his waist under his clothes.

(e) When asked to account for the contents of these parcels they said "We have smoked them".

(f) They admit the theft of the above parcels but deny any other ² thefts.

(g) The two accused live in the same house. This house was searched and a large quantity of material was found. See lists A & B at pp. 4 & 5 of attached report.

(h) It is suggested that the articles in List A have been stolen from incoming parcels (the articles are new and of British origin) and that those in List B have been stolen from outgoing parcels. In some cases it has been possible to trace soldiers who can identify items in List B as items they have posted home.

(i) The pay of the accused is 480 lire per week. Hidden in the house were 10,377 lire.

3. In view of the facts;

(a) That thefts of soldiers' parcels have been extremely common;

(b) That this case seems a clear case of substantial and continued theft;

(c) That the APO concerned is at SALERNO

it is suggested this is a fit and proper case for trial by an Allied Military Court and your directions are requested.

G. R. UPJOHN, Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

I agree.

Mafsen 29/3/44

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