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Minute Sheet.

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Ipns-C 49A for your info. please.

19/1/45.
Ext. 478708.

J Steele Capt
for Director
Public Safety S-C

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Public Safety S/C

49a noted. Full information already with Military Railway Service

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for D/S

L.A.S. (Lt Col White) 3
Ref. 69-A, Please see 70-A
2-2-45

J P Buchanan Major AC
for DDS

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COS

49A was addressed to CC. You may wish to see 70A

CA
2 FEB 1945

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CA Sec

70 A noted with thanks & file returned.

E Wrangel Capt

Office of COS
2 Feb 45

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PS. Returned with thanks. AL.

CA Sec
3 Feb.

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CA Sec: 49a for Legation please. Observe CC

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in direction
for VC.

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CA Sec. 107a for Legation please. Chapman Col.
13/2/45. DPS.

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PS
Refer 70 A. Tirana is not in Italian Govt Territory please
investigate and report
H.Vichy Hd.

17 FEB 1945

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File 117

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478709

20 April 1945

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Evasions of Prison Censorship

TO : Allied Censor Control Office
Via Cola di Rienzo N°29, Rome

1. Reference our letter of 17 March 1945, AC/14057/PS, it is requested that postal items representing ordinary violations of prison censorship be forwarded to the Ministry of Grace and Justice for any administrative action deemed necessary.

2. Where Allied interests are concerned the communication may be sent to this Sub-Commission for appropriate action.

P. W. Pearson, Capt.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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RMF/ws.

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OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL
ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
Tel 478813 - 478675-6

SUBJECT:- Absentees.

Our Ref:- PM/6/3941.

11 Mar 45.

Director Public Safety,
Sub-Commission,
HQ., Allied Commission APO 394.

2nd letter.

No 955187 Gnr HOWARD F.J. - R.A.

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1. Your AC/11057/PS dated 20 Jan 45 refers.

2. It is notified for your information that as a result thereof, the above-named has been arrested ~~and charged with desertion~~.

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AKC/egl.

Capt.
for Lt Col.
Provost Marshal.
(Alan Charlton).

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478709

2 March 1945

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Appeal for Prisoner PGS.

TO : C.O. "R" Internee Camp - Terni

1. Attempts by this Headquarters, and others, to properly route the attached file have been unavailing.

2. Acting on the suggestion of R.P.S.O., HQ. AMG/AC. Abruzzi-Marche Region, the file is forwarded with the request that you use your good offices to expedite its delivery to competent authority.

P. M. Freeman, Capt.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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P. Safety

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TO : HQ. AC. Public Safety Sub Commission
FROM : HQ. AMG/AC. Abruzzi-Marche Region
SUBJECT : Appeal for Prisoner F.S.S. BRECCIA Filippo and Jolanda.
REF : R5/5I4/15
DATE : 27 February 1945.

14057
47A

1. Reference your AC/I4067/PS dated 14 Jan 45.

2. The attached file is self explanatory.

3. As there is no trace of the subject in "A" Civilian Internee Camp may the correspondence please be transmitted to "R" Internee camp C.M.F.

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER :

HEADQUARTERS
28 FEB 1945

TO	INIT	
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	A.	
EXEC. OFFICER		
POLICE		
LC 3		
PRISONS		
ADM.		
SECURITY		
CHIEF CLERK		

S.PICKERING
Lt. Colonel
R.P.S.O.

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File 20.2.45.

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POLITICAL PARTIES IN ITALY.

Since the liberation of Italy on the part of the victorious Allied Forces, the old political parties already known for their historical traditions have been reorganising themselves.

Besides the old parties, however, there have sprung up and continue to spring up, other political groups, some of which have not, at least for the present, even a definite programme, and whose ultimate aims therefore are uncertain.

Together the old and new political parties number more than 30 without counting internal splits, in some of them, on account of which their adherents follow different political currents among themselves, especially for as much as concerns methods of action.

We will give below a brief informative note on each party with more precise details as regards those which give rise to a certain preoccupation in connection with public order.

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Head Offices in Via Nazionale and Corso Rinascimento, corner of S. Andrea della Valle.

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Newspaper: "L'Unità". The enormous financing of the Party is undertaken by the Russian diplomatic representation.

Works indefatigably for the Communist revolution and the dictatorship of the proletariat. Aim: to form a republic on the lines of the federation of soviet republics. Works on parallel lines with the red army. Undertakes the gathering and buying of arms on a vast scale. Bears in mind the preparation of the ground and the atmosphere for armed revolt, making use of the present political situation and its collaboration in the Government. Takes active part in Bonomi's Government for the second time on explicit mandate entrusted to it, in accordance with Leninistic tatics, by the executives of the world communist party (or Third International). Has in all Italy about 200,000 members. It is not yet possible to say whether this figure includes the Communist

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2) Italian Communist Movement.

General Headquarters: Via Nazionale 230 - Press organ: "The Red Flag" now suppressed. Prints an internal bulletin with confidential editions.

Directorate: Antonino Poce, Ferro, Marino Ciccagli, Luciano Mancuso, Avv. De Luca, Mario Bernardini. Said to

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be in contact with a seditious Russian Mirko Lopez, organiser under the direct orders of the Third International. From 1943 (July) to to-day it has received subsidies amounting to Lire 4,000,000 from Russia.

Numerical strength: roughly 60,000. Membership is increasing daily. Has at its disposal militarily organised formations, they are armed and continue to acquire further arms and ammunition. They are in opposition to the C.L.N. and the Government. Affirm that they have received from the Third International, Moscow, instructions to replace the Italian Communist party in the event of the failure of Togliatti's policy of collaboration with the Government.

Programme: Constitution of a Government of workers and peasants for the realisation of a society based on orthodox marxist principles. Is in collaboration with the partisan movement. Is preparing for the Communist revolution to be initiated on the occasion of the next elections, in which they will take part as an entire movement.

3) Partisan Movement.

Offices: Via Sistina 48 - Newspaper organ "The Partisan" - Central Directorate: Carlo and Giacomo Andreoni, Matilde Bassani, Giorgio Braccialarghe, On. Gino Macrelli, Finocchi Dolfi, Alfredo Beccara, Raniolfo Pacciardi, Ettore Lighieri, Beniamino Cohen. Has given orders to its members (socialists, communists, anarchists, republicans) not to surrender their arms.

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Offices: Via Sistina 91 - Newspaper: "Avanti!" (Forward) - Central Directorate: Piero Nenni, Cacciatore, Olindo Vernocchi, Saragat, Oreste Lizzadri, Ignazio Silone, Umberto Calosso, Giuseppe Romita. Members: roughly 130,000. Has funds at its disposal which amount to about 200,000 Lire monthly. Has a number of salaried officials. Programme: Republican Socialist (or communist) for the

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are acti ly against him on account of his former activities as a "squadrista".

This party has points of contact with the Italian Republican Party and the Action Party, the latter being considered literally as one of its sections.

5) The Roman Social-Communist Union.

Is a political association which adheres to the Communist Movement whose ideas and programme it shares.

In the capital it is directed by Guidotti Guido, Turchetta Giovanni, Puglionisi Leonardo, Tetrucci Fabio, Spienelli Nicolò, Luciani Antonino, Ghezzi Luigi, Cittadini Mario.

It is affiliated with the Communist Party.

6) Proletarian Union Party.

Has emerged as a movement directed against the policies of all the other parties, and although it proclaims the struggle in favour of the proletariat, it has not yet formed a definite programme.

Is directed by Salvarezza Umberto, Landini Armando, Lazzaro Dante and has its own newspaper "The Proletariat Union", at present suspended.

7) Democratic Christian Party.

The President and Secretary General is the Hon. Alcide De Gasperi, the Vice-Secretary Avv. Scelba. Influential members are: Hon. Tupini Umberto, Prof. Canaletti Gaudenti, Hon. Mario Cingolani, Comm. Campilli, Prof. Cecconi, H.E. Spadaro, Prof. Guido Gonella, Hon. Corazzini, Ing. Battista and others. 6390

Its own newpaper is "Il Popolo" (The People) edited in Rome.

Programme: Has adopted the programme of the old popular party, founded by Don Sturzo before the Fascist régime, adapting it to the present times. Propose social reforms on the basis of Christianity, inspired by the directives given by the "Rerum novarum" enciclical of Pope Leone XIII. Chief points of the programme are:-
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Thi is a central party which enjoys the support of the clergy and has a large following in all classes especially among Catholics. Is classified by the Communist and Socialist Parties as a Party of the masses, as it deals with the organisation of workers and peasants into syndicates.

8) Party of the returned Italian P.W.

Office: Via Merulana 248 - Aims to collect into the proper channels all returned prisoners of war and those from concentration camps, those evacuated and those who have suffered war damages.

Is mainly a right party which intends to collaborate with the authorities in order to re-establish order, discipline and power of law, giving work and assistance to the unemployed.

Members: roughly 15.000; has constituted about ten sections in Southern Italy.

President: H.E., ex Lt. General of the Military Justice, General Secretary: Avv. Nicoletti Edgardo.

Proposes to print a newspaper entitled "Patria".

9) Liberal Radical Party.

Provisional Office: Piazza SS.Apostoli 53; Director: Ing. Ceas Casimiro.

Conforms to the classical principles of liberalism and affirms the necessity of placing "referendum" principles, private initiative and revision, as guarantees of the citizen's rights, before the arbitration of those governing and of the parties.

10) Italian Radical Economic Party. 6307

Provisional Office: Viale Regina 93. Emerged from the fusion of the Italian Economic Party with the Italian Radical Party. Has character of a central Party with republican tendencies, but is ready to collaborate with any Government whatsoever in power.

Leaders: Prof. Giorgio Anzalone, Comm. Amadio Armando, Comm. Tampieri Calisto, Avv. Michele Torelli, Ing. Cruciani Gino, Avv. Taormina Tullio.

11) Italian Monarchist Union.

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12) International Democratic Movement.

Office: Via dei Greci 3. Central Directorate: Federico Valenzani, Giulio Cenci, Giuseppe Papiglione, Giovanni Moffa. Newspaper: "International Democracy". It is not clear from where it draws funds, which, however, are limited and hardly cover the printing expenses. The Movement is in formation. Does not count more than 3.000 members. Is connected with

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the Communist of Italy, Spartaco and Partisan Movements. Is in op. sition to the Committee of National Liberation, to the State and the Government. Has numerous sections and groups. Has not a real and proper programme: at least up to the present. Declares itself favourable to the autonomy of the Communes and Regions and to the constitution of a federation of free States.

13) Left Christian Party.

Office: Via De Pretis 86. Newspaper: "La Voce Operaia" (Labourer's Voice). Central Directorate: Giulio Sella, Tonino Tatù, Antonio Rinaldini, Paolo Moruni: all officials dependent on the Italian Communist Party. Monthly salary: from 10.000 to 20.000 Lire. Is merely a Communist organisation, desired and subsatained by Togliatti and Scoccimarro. Members: more than 30.000. Founded in order to accomplish the downfall of the Christian Democrats and to enlist the workers and peasants communistically. Fixed monthly fund: 50.000 lire. This sum, plus the printing expenses, is bestowed through Mauro Scoccimarro. Works hard for the dictatorship of the proletariat. Its favourable attitude toward the actual Government is merely fictitious. Provides also for the military enrollment of its members. In this field work: Franco Rodano, Fedele D'Amico and certain Magno. Its danger should not be under-rated.

The official Programme of the party is to conciliate the catholics , as it boasts following Catholic principles, with the social programme of Communism. In reality it wants to convey the Catholic working masses towards Communism, overcoming the reluctances which they may feel on account of their religious principles, and draw them away from the Christian Democratic Parties.

Has been recently disavowed, as a Christian Party, by the Vatican, with an official note appearing in the "Osservatore Romano" (Roman Observer) on the 3/1/1945.

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14) Christian Social Party.

A Section of this party has fused with the left Christians, the other has fused with the Italian Democratic Party. It is now a fraction consisting of a few thousand adherents managed by Gerardo Bruni, and does not cause preoccupation even if it is in opposition to the Liberation Committee, the State and the Government.

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Is for the autonomy of the Communes and of the Regions. Is contrary to any dictatorship and therefore alsoto that of the would-be progressive democracies (or Communist). The Spartaco Movement is trying to achieve its absorption.

15) Party of Christian Reconstruction.

Leaders: Avv. Sebastiani Alberto, Conte Piella Paolo,

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Avv. Silve[illegible]relli Giovanni. Has in Rome roughly 6.000 adherents. Has no newspaper. Has Monarchist tendencies and Catholic calling.

16) Italian Republican Party.

Office: Via dei Prefetti 46. Newspaper: "La Voce Repubblicana" (Republican Voice). Central Directorate: Pacciardi Randolfo, Hon. Giovanni Conti, Hon. Facchinetti, Hon. Cino Marrelli. Adherents: roughly 80.000 continually increasing. Is in opposition to the State, the Government and the National Liberation Committee. Works actively against the Monarchy. Has a proper military organisation constituted by the Mazzinian Republican current in the heart of the Partisan Movement. Has co-operating contacts with the Spartaco Movement. Party with a revolutionary background. Its newspapers and speakers try to cause hatred among the classes. Is for the Mazzinist Republic, defined as democratic in the widest sense of the word, anti-clerical, patriotic, and for a social arrangement which aims at the respect of small property. Disposes of scarce financial means. Has secret points of contact with the Italian Communist Party.

17) Action Party.

Leaders: Hon. Emilio Lussu, General Secretary - Alberto Cianca - Luzzatti Ginc - Colombo Umberto - Moretto Aleeo - Gabrielli Romolo.

Central Office: Via Sistina 91 - Newspaper: "Italia Libera" (Free Italy).

Proposes the actuation of a democratic State and has Republican tendencies.

Its programme conforms partly to Liberalism and partly to Socialism, so that frequently in its sections two tendencies - liberal and socialist - are formed, giving rise to lively discussions.

18) Intransigent Anti-Fascist Movement.

Office: Via Bari 20. The adherents are little more than 3.000. The leaders are those of the Partisan Movement and of the Italian Communist Movement. Has no real and proper programme. Is for the struggle to the end against the remainders of Fascism. Is in opposition to the National Liberation Committee, the State and the Government. Has no funds of its own. Is financed by the Partisan Movement and the Italian Communist Movement.

Has no own press; adheres to the Spartaco Movement. The adherents: socialists and revolutionaries, independent [illegible] declare themselves favoura-

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19) Italian Democratic Party.

Enzo Selvaggi, general secretary, Marchese Lucifero. Newspaper : "Italia Nuova" (New Italy).

Has as programme the actuation of the democratic State within the limits of the law.

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20) Democr-tic-Liberal National Concentration.

Senator Alberto Bergamini - President.

Programme: Monarchist-Democratic. Aims to re-unite all parties and Monarchist movements. Counts few members belonging to the professional and aristocratic classes.

Office: Via della Croce 78.

21) National Union of the Italian Democracy.
(Or Italian Free Masonary).

Conte Marescalchi Belli Giacomo, President.

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Leaders: Cagliano Candela, Salvatore Armando. 6304

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26) Agrarian Party.

Office: Via G. Avezzana 51 - Central Directorate: General Ettore Lucente, Gen. Massimo Strani, Dr. Pietro Astuni Messineo, Avv. Riccardo Pizzicaria, Ing. Tanzarella, Giulio Olivieri, Riccardo Bondioli; Newspaper: Will publish a newspaper with the title: "L'Amico del Popolo" (Friend of

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Programme: Attainment of a certain welfare of the farmers through constitution of an extensive net of co-operative societies, of production and work. Would be financed by the Masonary Order of Scottish rite. This has leaked out at the Central Office. Is in opposition to the National Liberation Committee. In the heart of this party there are two tendencies: one republican and one monarchist.

27) Italian Agrarian Party.

Rome - Via Liguria 40.

Leaders: Prosperi Costantino - Paternò Ludovico - Prof. Morselli Emanuele - Fabery Angelo - Manetti Cusa Nicolò - Silos Lobini Paolo.

Programme: claims democratic principles and substains that in agriculture the forces of production and work must create their own political organisation.

28) Italian Reformist Party.

Leaders: Avv. D'Onofrio Giovanni, President of the promoting Committee - Dr. Masotti Ferruccio, General Secretary - Ing. Matteoli Americo and Silva Mario.

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Leader: Gioacchino Cipolla (there are no official reports).

Programme: Power of the Commune-Federation with partecipation of the Italian regions constituted in autonomous States.

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Adheres to the Italian Communist Movement.

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31) Communist Liberation Party.

Leaders: a certain Boggiani and Di Benedetto Ugo (there are no official reports).

32) Spartaco Movement.

Office: Corso Umberto 333 - Central Directorate: Avv. Roberto Secondari, Carlo Andreoni, Antonino Poce, Lino Lina, Giovanni Forbicini.

Publication: it uses the newspaper "Il Partigiano" and Democrazia Internazionale". It receives funds from the American political liberation organisations. Is a movement centralising the various groups with revolutionary character

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to which it issues instructions for the struggle against the National Liberation Committee, against the State and against the Government. Has launched a notice-programme which is an appeal to all parties for the world revolution, for the constitution of a federation of free States and the suppression of every form of slavery and tyranny. Insists above all on the necessity of a revolutionary action. Does not receive the adherencies of single persons, but of groups, movements and parties.

The Partisan Movement and that of Italian Communists is largely represented.

33) Italian Anarchist Federation.

Office: Via Latina 145 - Newspaper: "Umanità Nuova" (New Humanity) at Piazza Fiammetta n.11. Central Directorate: Armando Borghi (at present in America), Gigi Damiani, Giovanni Forbicini, A.Forbicini, G.Poneca, Frezioni, Attilio Paolinelli, Cesare Ciciarelli, Ivan Alliata, Lucentini, Nino Malera, Furio Spinaci.

Numerical Strength: roughly 8.000.

Funds: about 100.000 Lire derived from subscriptions. Receives money from America (liberation organisations). Adheres to the Spartaco Movement. Disposes of arms and ammunitions. Many of its adherents are members of the Partisan Movement. Is in opposition to the National Liberation Committee, to the Government and to the State.

Programme: Aims at the integral revolution of all problems of a "social nature" for an arrangement which should guarantee the individual the utmost possible social, political and economic welfare through a form of social unity felt as a free association of free and equal men. Will partecipate in the revolution for the Republic, which it considers as the 4th State preparatory to Anarchy.

34) Italian Party of Unity.

Office: Salita S.Nicolò da Tolentino 1.B Palazzo Moroni. Is in course of construction. The R. Questura is already cognisant of it.

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Should partecipate in the communist revolution as an active force, encouraging all ex partisan bands.

The constitution of the Red Army is confirmed by a conference held at Sezze Romano, on the 7th January,1945,

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by Antonino Poce, who precisely mentioned the power of this "Army" which is already composed, according to him, of 40.000 men.

36) Free Union of those Equal.

Emerged recently at Naples, has its Office there in Via Atri 31.

Leaded by Giordano Corrado, doctor. Has over 15.000 members.

Organ of the Party, the newspaper "Spartaco".

Its programme is not yet known, as it is still in elaboration.

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The latter party following upon the a/m amalgamation has taken the denomination of "Italian Progress Democratic Liberal Constitutional Party" and has a Monarchist character.

The promoters of its Committee have not yet been officially nominated and it is thought that these nominations will be approved at a meeting to be held shortly.

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The above named Juan Gatti, of Argentine nationality, has retired from the political stage and, actually, is the responsible director of the religious newspaper "Charitas", with editor's Office in Via Appia Nuova 151.

Eletto Emilio, son of Domenico and Napolitano Nicoletta, born in Bari on the 1st July, 1912, law-degree, appears to be of light character, a bully and addicted to women, he has been concerned in affairs not always lawful and lived by his wits.

Records show the following penal precedents:

1) Verdict Bari Magistrate dated 13/6/36, acquitted from the crime of injury for culpable negligence;
2) Verdict Bari Magistrate dated 25/10/35, acquitted having previously complied with the road fine;
3) Verdict of the Rome Appeal Court dated 7/1/39: acquitted from forgery of public documents for insufficient proof of action constituting crime;
4) Verdict Bari Magistrate dated 7/3/40, statement not to prosecute for the crime of usurpation of a title following amnesty;
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Besides which Eletto appears to have been denounced in May 1940 for the theft of a watch and in 1943 arrested for boasted credit with Magistrates.

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2) Purpura Sante, resident at Via Tupino 16, temporary Lieut. on duty, effective at the Forte Boccea, of good conduct, on the whole, no bad records in these files - Administrative Secretary;

3) Santillo Oreste son of Emilio and of Camella Malina, born at S. Maria Capua Vetere on the 17/1/1886, resident at Via Silvio Pellico 24, of good conduct, on the whole, and no bad records in these files - member;

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4) Corin Amleto son of Giuseppe and D'Otenzi Maria, born at Bolsena on the 21/5/1916, resident at Viale Medaglie D'Oro 411, of good conduct, on the whole, and no bad records in these files - member.

5) Scancarello Natale son of Bartolomeo and Purpura Giovanna, born at Gerace Sicula on the 11/10/1891, resident at Viale Mazzini 142, of good conduct, on the whole, and no records in these files - member.

Persons who in the past had carried out political activity cannot adhere to the "Italian Popular Union".

Aims at an organisation with sound popular forces demanding the abolition of the epuration law and the immediate institution of trials before the popular judges.

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Has a branch-section at Avezzano, presided over by the Army Major Sulfo Giovanni, and another section in the Catania Province in preparation.

It hopes to have other branch-sections in Rome in the future.

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The Committee in question, as ruling programme, shows tendencies towards the reconstruction of the country, towards the solution of problems in connection with unemployment and foodsupply, as well as with the continuance and intensification of the war, at the side of the Allies, the defence of Italian dignity abroad, the abolishment of the epuration law, the prevention of any form of dictatorship whatsoever, bringing therefore the country back again to its legitime national dignity.

The following have up-to-now adhered to the a/m Committee: 6293

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5) And lastly the "Italy Before All National Union", headed by H.E. General Rodolfi Corselli, resident at Viale Regina Margherita 1.

Corselli is also President of the Committee.

42) International Communist Party.

The recent congress in Naples of the Disunited Lefts from the allied parties (socialist and communist), called by the socialist revolutionary party (6-7 Jan.45) has decided, according to a communication transcribed below, which was sent to the Press of the Spartaco Movement, the constitution of a large Social-Communist Party. Carnevali Ottavio and Barella Gustavo have proposed the denomination: "International Communist Party"; but it seems that this name is not definite. The provisional Commission is working on its organisation in conjunction with the a/m Spartaco Movement. The leaders of the Italian Communist Movement, Pece Antonino and Cretara Francesco, participants at the a/m congress, reserved their proper adherence and that of their group, awaiting "Lights" from the Central Directorate of the Communist Party or Third International.

The new Party is in opposition to Nenni and Togliatti and complies with the revolutionary orthodox principles of the "notice of the Communists" by Marx.

Communication sent to the Press:

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passes resolution for the constitution of the true Communist Party, and for that purpose entrusts a Commission with the preparation of the first congress.

43) Democratic Constitutional Party.

Central Committee's Office: Piazza Esquilino 5, 5th floor, int.9.

Was constituted about 30 years ago and ceased its activity some years after the accession to power of the ex Fascist Party.

In September, 1944, it was again constituted, presided over by the former Vice President (now President)

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Gr.Uff. avoni Alberto.

The above party, faithful to the Kingdom's Status decreed by Carlo Alberto in 1848, has a purely monarchist character, has roughly 100 adherents. Collaborates with the parties of thesame political faith and aims at union with these.

The"Democratic Constitutional Party" in its Central Directive Committee besides professionals and titles persons, numbers among its advisers a representation of labourers.

The President Gr.Uff. Pavoni Alberto, aged 82, resident in Piazza Principe di Napoli 22, has no unfavourable records and never belonged to the ex Fascist Party.

The General Secretary Gr.Uff. Genco Bernardo Attilio, a member of the ex-Fascist Party, during the period of German occupation of the capital, has been arrested for the publication of an article of monarchist background in a review "Proprietà Edilizia" (Building Property), directed by him.

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Sede in Via Nazionale e Corso Rinascimento, angolo S. Andrea della Valle.

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Lavora intensamente per la rivoluzione comunista e la dittatura del proletariato.Scopo precipuo: inquadrare la repubblica nel grado della federazione delle repubbliche sovietiche.Svolge attività parallelamente all'armata rossa.Provvederebbe alla raccolta e all'acquisto di armi su vasta scala. Si propone di preparare gli ambienti e il clima della rivolta armata,servendosi della presente situazione politica e della sua collaborazione al Governo. Partecipa al Gabinetto Bonomi per la seconda volta per esplicito mandato ad esso affidato, secondo la tattica lenini-

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2) MOVIMENTO COMUNISTA D'ITALIA

Sede Centrale: Via Nazionale 230 - Organo: "Bandiera Rossa" ora soppresso. Stampa un bollettino interno con edizioni riservate.

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Ha una forza di circa 40.000 uomini. Ha raccolto circa L. 800.000 per

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sottoscrizione destinate al fondo "pro-repubblica"ed oltre L.500 mila pro stampa e organizzazione.Poce Antonino,del movimento comunista d'Italia,funge da collegatore con questo movimento.E'all'opposizione del Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale e del Governo Bonomi.

Parteciperà alla rivoluzione per la istituzione della repubblica come movimento armato,al fianco del partito repubblicano mazziniano o del movimento comunista d'Italia.

4) PARTITO SOCIALISTA DI UNITA'PROLETARIA

Sede: Via Sistina 9I - Giornale :"Avanti!"- Direzione Centrale:Pietro Nenni, Cacciatore,Olindo Vernocchi,Saragat, Oreste Lizzadri, Ignazio Silone, Umberto Calosso,Giuseppe Romita.Aderenti: I30.000 circa.Dispone di fondi i quali si aggirano mensilmente sulle 200 mila lire.Ha molti funzionari stipendiati. Programma: Repubblica socialista (o comunista) per la realizzazione graduale del comunismo marxista.Alleato del P.C.I. ha consentito ai propri iscritti di far parte delle forze armate al comando del Lopez.E'stato largamente finanziato dalla 3^ Internazionale.Si prevede una scissione a causa del ripristino della internazionale socialista.E',come noto, all'opposizione del Gabinetto Bonomi e della Monarchia. Moltissime sezioni del P.S. sono composte e dirette da comunisti autentici.In caso di rivolta armata codeste sezioni eseguiranno gli ordini di Togliatti. Il Nenni aspirerebbe all'alta carica di presidente della futura repubblica italiana.Molti,in seno al partito, lo combattono per i suoi precedenti di squadrista.

Ha punti di contatto segreti col Partito Repubblicano Italiano,e col Partito d'Azione considerato letteralmente come una sua sezione.

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mitato di Liberazione Nazionale e del Governo Bonomi.

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4) PARTITO SOCIALISTA DI UNITA' PROLETARIA

Sede: Via Sistina 91 - Giornale: "Avanti!"- Direzione Centrale: Pietro Nenni, Cacciatore, Olindo Vernocchi, Saragat, Oreste Lizzadri, Ignazio Silone, Umberto Calosso, Giuseppe Romita. Aderenti: 130.000 circa. Dispone di fondi i quali si aggirano mensilmente sulle 200 mila lire. Ha molti funzionari stipendiati. Programma: Repubblica socialista (o comunista) per la realizzazione graduale del comunismo marxista. Alleato del P.C.I. ha consentito ai propri iscritti di far parte delle forze armate al comando del Lopez. E'stato largamente finanziato dalla 3° Internazionale. Si prevede una scissione a causa del ripristino della internazionale socialista. E', come noto, all'opposizione del Gabinetto Bonomi e della Monarchia. Moltissime sezioni del P.S. sono composte e dirette da comunisti autentici. In caso di rivolta armata codeste sezioni eseguiranno gli ordini di Togliatti. Il Nenni aspirerebbe all'alta carica di presidente della futura repubblica italiana. Molti, in seno al partito, lo combattono per i suoi precedenti di squadrista.

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5) UNIONE ROMANA SOCIALISTA COMUNISTA

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Nella Capitale è diretta da Guidotti Guido, Turchetta Giovanni, Puglionisi Leonardo, Tetrucci Fabio, Spienelli Nicolò; Luciani Antonino,

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E'una filiazione del partito comunista

6) PARTITO DI UNIONE PROLETARIA

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E'diretta da Salvarezza Umberto, Landini Armando, Lazzaro Dante, e ha, per proprio giornale l'"Unione Proletaria" attualmente sospesa.

7) PARTITO DEMOCRATICO cristiano

Ne è presidente e Segretario Generale l'On.Alcide De Gasperi,Vice Segretario l'Avv. Scelba. Membri influenti: On.Tupini Umberto,Prof.Canaletti Gaudenti,On.Mario Cingolani,Comm.Campilli,Prof.Cecconi,Ecc. Spadaro,Prof.Guido Gonella, On. Corazzini,Ing.Battista ed altri.

Ha come proprio giornale "Il Popolo",edito a Roma. 6294

Programma: Ha ripreso il programma,aggiornandolo ai tempi presenti,del vecchio partito popolare creato da Don Sturzo prima del regime fascista. Propugna riforme sociali sulla base morale del cristianesimo,ispirandosi alle direttive dell'enciclica " Rerum novarum" del Papa Leone XIII°.Caposaldi del suo programma sono:I) conservazione della proprietà privata,coi limiti che impone il bene della collettività.Favorisce la piccola proprietà e il cooperativismo,vuole il frazionamento del latifondo e caldeggia riforme nei rapporti tra contadini e proprietari terrieri,in favore dei primi.Nelle industrie tende ad introdurre un sistema di compartecipazione degli operai agli utili delle aziende; 2) libertà di insegnamento,sotto la sorveglianza dello Stato con vantaggio,quindi, delle scuole private,che verreb-

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3) Regolamento dei rapporti tra lo Stato e la Chiesa, in riconoscimento della particolare posizione di questa in Italia; 4) Decentra-

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mento amministrativo in favore delle autonomie comunali e regionali.

E'un partito di centro, che gode il favore del clero ed ha un largo seguito tra ogni classe di cittadini specialmente cattolici. E' classificato, avanti ai partiti comunista e socialista, un partito di massa, occupandosi dell'organizzazione di operai e contadini in sindacati.

8) PARTITO DEL REDUCE ITALIANO

Via Merulana 248 - Si propone di raccogliere nelle proprie file tutti i reduci dalla prigionia e dai campi di concentramento, gli sfollati e i sinistrati dalla guerra.

E'un partito eminentemente di destra che intende collaborare con le autorità per ristabilire l'ordine, la disciplina e l'imperio della legge, dando lavoro ed assistenza ai disoccupati.

Conta circa 15.000 iscritti ed ha costituito una diecina di sezioni nell'Italia meridionale.

Presidente S.E. Tommasi, ex Tenente Generale della Giustizia Militare e Segretario Generale l'Avv. Nicoletti Edgardo fu Biagio.

Si propone la stampa di un giornale intitolato "Patria".

9) PARTITO LIBERALE RADICALE

Ha sede provvisoria in Piazza SS. Apostoli 53 ed è diretta dall'Ing. Ceas Casimiro fu Giulio.

Si ispira ai principi classici del liberalismo e pone la necessità dei principi "Referendum", iniziativa privata e revisione, come ga-

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10) PARTITO RADICALE ECONOMICO ITALIANO

Ha sede provvisoria al Viale Regina 93 ed è sorto dalla fusione del Partito Economico Italiano con il Partito Radicale Italiano.

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Ha carattere di partito di centro con tendenza repubblicana,ma si propone di collaborare con qualsiasi governo al potere.

Esponenti: Prof.Giorgio Anzalone, Comm.Amadio Armando, Comm.Rampieri Calisto, Avv. Michele Torelli,Ing. Cruciani Gino, Avv. Taormina Tullio.

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Si propone di sostenere e rafforzare l'istituto monarchico e, conseguentemente,richiede, negli iscritti,provato amor patrio e devozione assoluta alla Monarchia,nella quale vede l'unica forma di garanzia.

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12) MOVIMENTO DEMOCRATICO INTERNAZIONALE

Sede:Via dei Greci 3.Centrale: Federico Valenziani,Giulio Censi, Giuseppe Papiglione,Giovanni Moffa. Giornale: "Democrazia Internazionale". Non si sa precisare dove attinge i fondi che,però,sono limitati e coprono appena il totale delle spese per la stampa. Il movimento è in via di formazione.Non conta più di 3000 iscritti.S'inquadramento coi movimenti: Comunista d'Italia,Spartaco, Partigiano.E' d'opposizione del Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale,dello Stato e del Governo. Ha numerosi sezioni e gruppi. Non ha un vero e proprio programma: almeno per ora. Si dichiara favorevole all'autonomia dei comuni e delle regioni e alla costituzione di una federazione di li-

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13) PARTITO DELLA SINISTRA CRISTIANA

Sede: Via De Pretis 86. Giornale: "La Voce Operaia". Centrale: Giulio Sella, Tonino Tatò, Antonio Rinaldini, Paolo Moruni: tutti funzi

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nari dipendenti del Partito Comunista Italiano.Stipendio percepito: dalle 10.000 alle 20.000 mensili. E'un'organizzazione prettamente comunista voluta e alimentata da Togliatti e Scoccimarro.Iscritti: oltre 30.000.E'sorta per abbattere la democrazia cristiana e inquadrare gli operai e i contadini comunisticamente.Fondo fisso mensile:L.50.000. Questa somma,oltre alle spese di stampa,viene elargita per mezzo di Mauro Scoccimarro.Lavora alacremente per la dittatura del proletariato.Il suo atteggiamento di favore verso l'attuale Governo è puramente fittizio.Provvede all'inquadramento anche militare degli iscritti.Lavorano in questo campo: Franco Rodano, Fedele D'Amico e certo Magno. Da non sottovalutare per la sua pericolosità.

Programma ufficiale del partito è quello di conciliare il cattolicismo,dei cui principi si vanta seguace,col programma sociale del comunismo.In realtà vuole convogliare le masse operaie cattoliche verso il comunismo,vincendo le riluttanze che possano provare per i loro principi religiosi, e distraendole dai partiti democratici cristiani.

E'stato recentemente sconfessato,come partito cristiano,dal Vaticano, con una nota ufficiale apparsa sull'"Osservatore Romano" del 3-I-45.

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14) PARTITO CRISTIANO SOCIALE

Una parte di questo partito si è fusa con la sinistra cristiana,altra parte si è fusa col partito Democratico Italiano.Una frazione composta da poche migliaia di aderenti diretti da Gerardo Bruni, non comporta preoccupazioni anche se è all'opposizione del Comitato di Liberazione,dello Stato e del Governo.

Ha sede in Via del Tritone 101. Aderisce al movimento di Spartaco.

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al programma primitivo sturziano. Programma: La realizzazione di una organizzazione sociale che cancelli "cristianamente" ogni privilegio. E'per l'autonomia del Comune e della Regione. Si dichiara contrario ad ogni dittatura e quindi anche a quella delle sedicenti democrazie progressiste (o comuniste).Da parte del movimento di Spartaco si lavora per il suo assorbimento.

I5) PARTITO DI RICOSTRUZIONE CRISTIANA

Esponenti: Avv. Sebastiani Alberto, Conte PiellaPaolo, Avv.Silvestrelli Giovanni.

Conta,a Roma,circa 6.000 aderenti. Non ha giornale.Ha tendenza monarchica e professione cattolica.

I6) PARTITO REPUBBLICANO ITALIANO

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I7) PARTITO D'AZIONE

Esponenti: On. Emilio Lussu,Segretario Generale - Alberto Cianca- Inzzatti Gino - Colombo Umberto- Moretti Aldeo- Gabrielli Romolo.

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Sede Centrale: Via Sistina 91- Giornale: "Italia Libera".

Si propone l'attuazione di uno Stato democratico ed ha tendenza repubblicana.

Il suo programma si ispira in parte al liberalismo ed in parte al socialismo, cosicchè nelle sue sezioni spesso si formano le due tendenze liberale e socialiste, dando luogo a vivaci confronti.

18) MOVIMENTO ANTIFASCISTA INTRANSIGENTE

Sede: Via Bari 20. Gli aderenti sono poco più di 3.000. I dirigenti sono quelli del movimento partigiano e del movimento comunista d'Italia. Non ha un programma vero e proprio. E' per la lotta a fondo contro i residuati del fascismo. E' all'opposizione del Comitato di liberazione Nazionale, dello Stato e del Governo. Non dispone di fondi. viene sussidiato dal movimento partigiano e dal movimento comunista d'Italia.

Non possiede stampa propria; Aderisce al movimento di Spartaco. Gli aderenti: socialisti e rivoluzionari, comunisti indipendenti, repubblicani dissidenti, si dichiarano favorevoli all'azione diretta antimonarchica, repubblicana.

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19) PARTITO DEMOCRATRICO ITALIANO

Enzo Selvaggi, segretario generale, Marchese Lucifero. Giornale: "Italia Nuova".

Ha come programma l'attuazione dello Stato democratico nell'ambito dell'imperio della legge.

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20) CONCENTRAZIONE NAZIONALE DEMOCRATICO-LIBERALE

Senatore Alberto Bergamini - Presidente.

Programma: monarchico-democratico. Mira a riunire tutti i partiti e movimenti monarchici. Conta pochi iscritti appartenenti alla classe dei professionisti e dell'aristocrazia.

Ha sede in Via della Croce 78.

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21) UNIONE NAZIONALE DELLA DEMOCRAZIA ITALIANA
(o Massoneria Italiana)

Conte Maresoalchi Belli Giacomo, Presidente.

Giornale: " Unione Nazionale", quindicinale, per la pubblicazione del quale è in corso pratica di autorizzazione.

Si vuole che conti varie migliaia di aderenti.

22) PARTITO DEMOCRATICO DEL LAVORO

Esponenti: On. Mauccio Ruini - S.E. Francesco Cerebona - S.E. Mario Cevelotto, Segretario Generale - On. Enrico Molè - S.E. Carlo Bassano - S.E. Antonio Manes - Prof. Enrico Paresce.

Giornale: " Ricostruzione".

Programma: democrazia e laburismo.

Si vuole conti circa 20 mila iscritti.

23) PARTITO LIBERALE ITALIANO

Esponenti: Nicolò Carandini Benedetto Croce, Presidente - Marcello Soleri - Manlio Brosio, Segretario politico - Leone Cattani - Franco Libonati - Vincenzo Arangio Ruiz.

Giornale: "Risorgimento Liberale". 6286

Programma: democratico sotto l'imperio della legge.

Si vuole conti qualche migliaia di iscritti.

24) FRONTE MONARCHICO GIOVANILE CAVOUR

Esponenti : Cagliano Candela Salvatore Armando.

Programma: riunire e riordinare l'attività dei giovani di fede mo-

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25) MOVIMENTO COLLABORAZIONISTA COSTITUZIONALE

Esponenti: Donato Antonio Tommasi.

Si è fuso col "partito del reduce" di cui il Tommasi è divenuto presidente.

26) PARTITO AGRARIO

Roma - Via Liguria 40.

Esponenti: Prosperi Costantino -Paternò Ludovico - Prof.Morselli Emanuele -Fabery Angelo - Manetti Cusa Nicolò - Sjlos Lobini Paolo.

Programma: propugna i principi della democrazia e sostiene che nell'agricoltura le forze della produzione e del lavoro debbono creare la loro propria organizzazione politica.

27) PARTITO AGRARIO ITALIANO

Sede: Via G.Avezzana 51 - Centrale: Generale Ettore Lucente,Gen. Massimo Strani,Dr.Pietro Astuni Messineo,Avv. Riccardo Pizzicaria, Ing. Tanzarella,Giulio Olivieri,Riccardo Bondioli. Stampa: pubblicherà un giornale dal titolo : "L'Amico del Popolo". Ha poche migliaia di aderenti.

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Programma: Raggiungimento di un certo benessere degli agricoltori attraverso la costituzione di una vasta rete di cooperative,di produzione e lavoro. Sarebbe finanziato dall'Ordine massonico di rito scozzese.Ciò viene fatto trapelare a quella sede centrale. E'all'opposizione del Comitato di liberazione Nazionale. Esistono in seno a questo partito due tendenze: una repubblicana,ed una monarchica.

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28) PARTITO RIFORMISTA ITALIANO

Esponenti: Avv. D'Onofrio Giovanni, Presidente del Comitato promotore - Dr. Mascotti Ferruccio,Segretario Generale- Ing.Matteoli Americo e Silva Mario.

Conta poche centinaia di iscritti. Programma a sfondo socialista.

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29) PARTITO FEDERALE COMUNALISTA

Esponenti: Gioacchino Cipolla (non vi sono notizie ufficiali).

Programma: potenziamento del Comune-federazione con partecipazione delle regioni italiane costituite in Stati autonomi.

30) FEDERAZIONE COMUNISTA LIBERTARIA

Aderisce al Movimento Comunista d'Italia.

Esponenti: Di Bernardino Ugo - Bernabei Tommaso - Gentilezza Tommaso- De Dominicis Bernardino.

Conterebbe due o trecento aderenti.

Programma: anarchico.

31) PARTITO COMUNISTI LIBERTARI

Esponenti: certo Boggiani e Di Benedetto Ugo (non vi sono notizie ufficiali).

32) MOVIMENTO DI SPARTACO

Sede: Corso Umberto 333 - Centrale: Avv. Roberto Secondari, Carlo Andreoni, Antonino Poce, Lino Dina, Giovanni Forbicini. 9284

Pubblicazione: si serve del giornale "Il Partigiano" e di "Democrazia Internazionale". I fondi gli pervengono dalle organizzazioni politiche libertarie d'America. E'movimento accentratore dei diversi aggruppamenti e carattere rivoluzionario ai quali impartisce direttive nella lotta contro il Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale, contro lo Stato e contro il Governo. Ha lanciato un manifesto-programma che è un appello a tutti i partiti per la rivoluzione mondiale, per la costituzione di una federazione di liberi Stati e la soppressione di

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Il movimento partigiano e quello comunista d'Italia vi sono largamente rappresentati.

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33) FEDERAZIONE ANARCHICA ITALIANA

Sede: Via Latina 145- Giornale: " Umanità Nuova" in Piazza Fiammetta N.11. Centrale: Armando Borghi (presentemente in America), Gigi Damiani, Giovanni Forbicini, A. Forbicini, G. Poneca, Preziosi, Attilio Pellinelli, Cesare Ciciarelli, Ivan Alliata, Lucentini, Nino Malera, Furio Spinaci.

Forza numerica: 8.000 circa.

Fondi: un centinaio di migliaia di lire tratto da sottoscrizioni. Le perviene denaro dall'America (organizzazioni libertarie). Aderisce al movimento di Spartaco. Dispone di armi e munizioni. Molti suoi aderenti fanno parte del movimento partigiano. E' all'opposizione del Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale, del Governo e dello Stato.

Programma : Si propone la rivoluzione integrale di tutti i problemi della "questione sociale" per un ordinamento che garantisca all'individuo il massimo possibile di benessere sociale, politico ed economico attraverso una forma di convivenza sociale concepita come libera associazione di liberi e di uguali. Parteciperà alla rivoluzione per la repubblica, che considera come 4° Stato preparatore dell'anarchia.

34) PARTITO ITALIANO DI UNITA'

Sede (anzi recapito) alla Salita S.Nicolò da Tolentino I.B. Palazzo Moroni. In via di costituzione? La R. Questura già interessata di cfr.

Dirigenti: certo Dr. Maggio e il noto Dr. Mario Quadalti, presentemente a Regina Coeli. Non se ne conosce il programma. Non ha consistenza finanziaria. Non ha aderenti. Non possiede stampa propria. Non offre garanzia di serietà.

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35) ARMATA ROSSA

Si parla della cosidetta "Armata Rossa", che sarebbe o dovrebbe essere l'organizzazione armata clandestina del Partito Comunista Italiano, alle dirette dipendenze di un funzionario russo della 3^ Internazionale certo Mirko Lopez. Disporrebbe di grandi mezzi finanziari. Vi aderirebbero comunisti di fede provata e socialisti estremisti. Si denominerebbe anche prima armata "Nicola Lenin" e gruppo autonomo bande "stella rossa". Ogni membro sarebbe fornito di armi.

Dovrebbe partecipare alla rivoluzione comunista come forza attiva risolutiva, incoraggiando anche ex bande di partigiani.

La costituzione dell'Armata Rossa è confermata da una conferenza tenuta a Sezze Romano, il 7 gennaio c.a., da Antonino Poce, il quale ha, appunto, accennato alla potenza della detta "Armata" che conta, a suo dire, già 40.000 uomini.

36) LIBERA UNIONE DEGLI UGUALI

Sorto recentemente a Napoli, ha colà sede in via Atri, 31.

Diretto da Giordano Corrado, medico, conta oltre 15 mila iscritti.

Organo del partito, il giornale "Spartaco".

Non si conosce ancora il programma, tuttora in elaborazione.

Programma anarchico.

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37) PARTITO OPERAIO COMUNISTA BOLSCEVICO LENINISTA

E' all'opposizione del Partito Socialista Italiano, del Partito Comunista Italiano, del Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale e del Governo.

Non si conoscono, ancora, il nome dei dirigenti, ma si sa che

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38) PARTITO SOCIALISTA RIVOLUZIONARIO ITALIANO

E'un partito che è in via di formazione ed ha già i suoi primi nuclei a Napoli e Roma.I suoi elementi,ancora non noti, provengano dal partito comunista e dal partito socialista.

Si propone di realizzare la rivoluzione proletaria con la violenta espulsione degli incompetenti,dei disonesti e dei vili dai posti di comando e di responsabilità,attuando un sistema di governo effettivamente popolare.

39) PARTITO PROGRESSISTA ITALIANO

Il "Partito progressista Italiano",già con sede generale in Via Appia Nuova I5I,fu fondato nell'agosto u.s. dal Prof.Gatti Juan,italo-argentino,abitante all'indirizzo sopra indicato.

Detto Partito che contava,non oltre un migliaio di iscritti e che tendeva per la repubblica cattolica,in data 22 Dicembre I944 si fuse col partito Democratico Liberale Costituzionale "Unione e Progresso", già con sede provvisoria in Via Veneto N.lll,con sede al Corso Trieste N.52,presso il Dr. Eletto Emilio (promotore).

Quest'ultimo partito in seguito alla fusione sopra menzionata ha assunto la denominazione di "Partito Progressista Italiano Democratico Liberale Costituzionale" ed è di carattere monarchico.

I promotori del suo Comitato non sono finora ufficialmente nominati e si prevede che detta nomina sia approvata in sede d'assemblea prossimamente.

Juan Gatti anzi nominato, di nazionalità argentina,si è ritirato dalla vita politica ed,in atto, è direttore responsabile del periodico "Charitas" giornale religioso,con redazione in Via Appia Nuova N.15I.

Eletto Emilio di Domenico e di Napolitano Nicoletta,nato a Bari il

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Detto Partito che contava, non oltre un migliaio di iscritti e che tendeva per la repubblica cattolica, in data 22 Dicembre 1944 si fuse col partito Democratico Liberale Costituzionale "Unione e Progresso", già con sede provvisoria in Via Veneto N.111, con sede al Corso Trieste N.52, presso il Dr. Eletto Emilio (promotore).

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Eletto Emilio di Domenico e di Napolitano Nicoletta, nato a Bari il I Luglio 1912, laureato in legge, risulta di carattere leggero, prepotente, dedido alle donne, risulta che si è occupato di affari non sempre leciti ed ha vissuto di espedienti.

Dagli atti si rilevano i seguenti precedenti penali:

I) Sentenza Pretore Bari in data 25-10-35, assoluzione per oblazione contravvenzione stradale;

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2) Sentenza Pretore Bari in data I3-6-36, assoluzione per non aver commesso il fatto dal reato di lesione colposa;

3) Sentenza Corte Appello di Roma in data 7 Gennaio I939: assoluzione perchè il fatto non costituisce reato per falso in atto pubblico e falso materiale;

4) Sentenza Pretore Bari in data 7-3-40 dichiarazione a non doversi procedere a seguito di amnistia per il reato di usurpazione di titolo;

5) Sentenza Giudice Istruttore di Roma in data I5-5-40; dichiarazione di estensione per amnistia del reato di usurpazione di titolo ed abusivo esercizio della professione forense.

L'Eletto risulta inoltre denunziato nel maggio I940 per furto di un orologio e nel I943 arrestato per millantato credito presso magistrati.

Il Dr.Eletto è un ex ufficiale dei Granatieri, ex ufficiale della m.v.s/n. ex volontario in A.O.I. ed iscritto al p.n.f. dal I932.

E'coniugato con Besi Fausta di Luigi, con la quale per qualche tempo ha vissuto more uxorio.

Il "Partito Progressista Italiano" ha chiesto di far parte della "Concentrazione Democratica Liberale" presieduta dal Senatore Bergamini.

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40) UNIONE POPOLARE ITALIANA

E'stata costituita con sede provvisoria, in Roma Viale Mazzini I42, (l'abitazione del Signor Scancarello Natale) ed in avvenire assumerà la denominazione "Unione Patriottica Italiana"?

Il Comitato Promotore di esso è costituito da:

a) Cunsolo Vico Francesco di Leonardo, abitante in Via Crescenzio 62,

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ne perchè il fatto non costituisce reato per falso in atto pubblico e falso materiale;

4) Sentenza Pretore Bari in data 7-3-40 dichiarazione a non doversi procedere a seguito di amnistia per il reato di usurpazione di titolo;

5) Sentenza Giudice Istruttore di Roma in data 15-5-40; dichiarazione di estensione per amnistia del reato di usurpazione di titolo ed abusivo esercizio della professione forense.

L'Eletto risulta inoltre denunziato nel maggio 1940 per furto di un orologio e nel 1943 arrestato per millantato credito presso magistrati.

Il Dr.Eletto è un ex ufficiale dei Granatieri,ex ufficiale della m.v.s/n. ex volontario in A.O.I. ed iscritto al p.n.f. dal 1932.

E'coniugato con Besi Fausta di Luigi,con la quale per qualche tempo ha vissuto more uxorio.

Il"Partito Progressista Italiano" ha chiesto di far parte della "Concentrazione Democratica Liberale" presieduta dal Senatore Bergamini.

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40) UNIONE POPOLARE ITALIANA

E'stata costituita con sede provvisoria,in Roma Viale Mazzini 142, (l'abitazione del Signor Scancarello Natale) ed in avvenire assumerà la denominazione "Unione Patriottica Italiana"?

Il Comitato Promotore di esso è costituito da:

1) Granata Vico Francesco di Leonardo,abitante in Via Crescenzio 62, ex capitano di Fanteria,di buona condotta in genere e senza precedenti in questi atti-Segretario Generale;

2) Purpura Sante,abitante in Via Tupino 16,tenente di complemento in attività di servizio,effettivo al Forte Boccea,di buona condotta in genere e senza precedenti in questi atti -Segretario Amministrativo;

3) Sentillo Oreste di Emilio e di Camella Malina,nato a S.Maria Capua Vetere il 17-1 1886,abitante in Via Silvio Pellico 24,di buona

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condotta in genere e senza precedenti in questi atti - membro;

4) Corini Amleto di Giuseppe e di D'Ortenzi Maria,nato a Bolsena il 2I-5-I9I6,abitante al Viale Medaglie d'Oro 4II,di buona condotta in genere e senza precedenti in questi atti - membro.

5) Scancarello Natale di Bartolomeo e di Purpura Giovanna,nato a Gerace Sicula l'II-IO-I89I,abitante al Viale Mazzini I42,di buona condotta in genere e senza precedenti in questi atti -membro;

All'Unione Popolare Italiana",che è di tendenze nettamente Monarchiche,non possono aderire persone che per il passato abbiano svolta attività politica.

Essa tende ad organizzarsi con sane forze popolari chiedendo l'abolizione della legge sull'epurazione e l'immediata instaurazione di processi avanti ai Giudici popolari.

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Al predetto Comitato hanno finora aderito:

I) Un gruppo di elementi delle "Bande d'Annunzio", a capo dei quali è l'Avv. Castaldo Augusto di Augusto e di Fontana Fanny, nato a Napoli il 2 Aprile I900, libero professionista, ex tenente colonnello del R.Esercito, abitante in Via Salaria I26, di buona condotta in genere e senza precedenti sfavorevoli in questi atti;

2) Il "Partito Democratico Costituzionale" e "l'Azione Popolare Italiana", con a capo il colonnello Fanelli Giuseppe Attilio fu Francesco e di Colombella Nicoletta, nato a Giovinazzo (Bari) il 3I-8-I893, abitante al Largo Brancaccio 82, ex consigliere nazionale, di regolare condotta in genere e senza precedenti sfavorevoli in questi atti;

3) "L'Unione Popolare Italiana", a capo della quale è l'Avv. Granata Vico Francesco di Leonardo, abitante in Via Crescenzio 62, ex capitano del R.Esercito, di buona condotta in genere e senza precedenti in questi atti;

4) "Movimento Partigiano d'Italia", a capo del quale è il Dr.Palmisano;

5) Infine "l'Unione Nazionale Italia Innanzi tutto" a capo della quale è l'Ecc. il Generale Rodolfo Corselli, abitante al Viale Regina Margherita N.I.

Il Corselli è anche Presidente del Comitato.

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Il "Partito Democratico Costituzionale" nel proprio Comitato Centrale Direttivo oltre a professionisti e titolati, annovera tra i consiglieri una rappresentanza di lavoratori.

Il Presidente Gr.Uff. Pavoni Alberto,di anni 82,abitante in Piazza Principe di Napoli N.22 non ha precedenti sfavorevoli e non è stato mai iscritto all'ex p.n.f.

Il Segretario Generale Gr.Uff. Genco Bernardo Attilio,già iscritto all'ex p.n.f.,durante il periodo di occupazione tedesca della Capitale fu tratto in arresto per aver pubblicato un articolo a sfondo morachico su di una rivista "Proprietà Edilizia" da lui diretta.

Lo scrutatore Mennini Luigi, di anni 68,abitante in Roma Via Val Malaina N.34,generico cinematografico,già iscritto all'ex p.n.f., nel 1891 riportò la condanna di giorni 3 di reclusione per furto semplice,amnistiato e nel 1923 L.250 di multa per indebita esazione premio mobilitazione,pena condonata.

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POLITICAL PARTIES IN ITALY.

Since the liberation of Italy on the part of the victorious Allied Forces, the old political parties already known for their historical traditions have been reorganising themselves.

Besides the old parties, however, there have sprung up and continue to spring up, other political groups, some of which have not, at least for the present, even a definite programme, and whose ultimate aims therefore are uncertain.

Together the old and new political parties number more than 30 without counting internal splits, in some of them, on account of which their adherents follow different political currents among themselves, especially for as much as concerns methods of action.

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Works indefatigably for the Communist revolution and the dictatorship of the proletariat. Aim: to form a republic on the lines of the federation of soviet republics. Works on parallel lines with the red army. Undertakes the gathering and buying of arms on a vast scale. Bears in mind the preparation of the ground and the atmosphere for armed revolt, making use of the present political situation and its collaboration in the Government. Takes active part in Bonomi's Government for the second time on explicit mandate entrusted to it, in accordance with Leninistic tatics, by the executives of the world communist party (or Third International). Has in all Italy about 200,000 members. It is not yet possible to say whether this figure includes the Communist adherents to the General Labour Conference.

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2) Italian Communist Movement.

General Headquarters: Via Nazionale 230 - Press organ: "The Red Flag" now suppressed. Prints an internal bulletin with confidential editions.

Directorate: Antonino Poce, Ferro, Marino Ciccagli, Luciano Mancuso, Avv. De Luca, Mario Bernardini. Said to

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be in contact with a seditious Russian Mirko Lopez, organiser under the direct orders of the Third International. From 1943 (July) to to-day it has received subsidies amounting to Lire 4,000,000 from Russia.

Numerical strength: roughly 60,000. Membership is increasing daily. Has at its disposal militarily organised formations, they are armed and continue to acquire further arms and ammunition. They are in opposition to the C.L.N. and the Government. Affirm that they have received from the Third International, Moscow, instructions to replace the Italian Communist party in the event of the failure of Togliatti's policy of collaboration with the Government.

Programme: Constitution of a Government of workers and peasants for the realisation of a society based on orthodox marxist principles. Is in collaboration with the partisan movement. Is preparing for the Communist revolution to be initiated on the occasion of the next elections, in which they will take part as an entire movement.

3) Partisan Movement.

Offices: Via Sistina 48 - Newspaper organ "The Partisan" - Central Directorate: Carlo and Giacomo Andreoni, Matilde Bassani, Giorgio Braccialarghe, On. Gino Macrelli, Pinocchi Dolfi, Alfredo Beccara, Randolfo Pacciardi, Ettore Lighieri, Beniamino Cohen. Has given orders to its members (socialists, communists, anarchists, republicans) not to surrender their arms.

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4) The Socialist Party of Proletarian Unity. 6274

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are actively against him on account of his former activities as a "squadrista".

This party has points of contact with the Italian Republican Party and the Action Party, the latter being considered literally as one of its sections.

5) The Roman Social-Communist Union.

Is a political association which adheres to the Communist Movement whose ideas and programme it shares.

In the capital it is directed by Guidotti Guido, Turchetta Giovanni, Puglionisi Leonardo, Tetrucci Fabio, Spienelli Niccolò, Luciani Antonino, Ghezzi Luigi, Cittadini Mario.

It is affiliated with the Communist Party.

6) Proletarian Union Party.

Has emerged as a movement directed against the policies of all the other parties, and although it proclaims the struggle in favour of the proletariat, it has not yet formed a definite programme.

Is directed by Salvarezza Umberto, Landini Armando, Lazzaro Dante and has its own newspaper "The Proletariat Union", at present suspended.

7) Democratic Christian Party.

The President and Secretary General is the Hon. Alcide De Gasperi, the Vice-Secretary Avv. Scelba. Influential members are: Hon. Tupini Umberto, Prof. Canaletti Gaudenti, Hon. Mario Cingolani, Comm. Campilli, Prof. Cecconi, H.E. Spadaro, Prof. Guido Gonella, Hon. Corazzini, Ing. Battista and others.

Its own newpaper is "Il Popolo" (The People) edited in Rome.

Programme: Has adopted the programme of the old popular party, founded by Don Sturzo before the Fascist régime, adapting it to the present times. Propose social reforms on the basis of Christianity, inspired by the directives given by the "Rerum novarum" enciclical of Pope Leone XIII. Chief points of the programme are:- 8275
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This is a central party which enjoys the support of the clergy and has a large following in all classes especially among Catholics. Is classified by the Communist and Socialist Parties as a Party of the masses, as it deals with the organisation of workers and peasants into syndicates.

8) Party of the returned Italian P.W.

Office: Via Merulana 248 - Aims to collect into the proper channels all returned priscners of war and those from concentration camps, those evacuated and those who have suffered war damages.

Is mainly a right party which intends to collaborate with the authorities in order to re-establish order, discipline and power of law, giving work and assistance to the unemployed.

Members: roughly 15.000; has constituted about ten sections in Southern Italy.

President: H.E., ex Lt. General of the Military Justice, General Secretary: Avv. Nicoletti Edgardo.

Proposes to print a newspaper entitled "Patria".

9) Liberal Radical Party.

Provisional Office: Piazza SS.Apostoli 53; Director: Ing. Ceas Casimiro.

Conforms to the classical principles of liberalism and affirms the necessity of placing "referendum" principles, private initiative and revision, as guarantees of the citizen's rights, before the arbitration of those governing and of the parties.

10) Italian Radical Economic Party.

Provisional Office: Viale Regina 93. Emerged from the fusion of the Italian Economic Party with the Italian Radical Party. Has character of a central Party with republican tendencies, but is ready to collaborate with any Government whatsoever in power.

Leaders: Prof. Giorgio Anzalone, Comm. Amadio Armando, Comm. Tampieri Calisto, Avv. Michele Torelli, Ing. Cruciani Gino, Avv. Taormina Tullio.

11) Italian Monarchist Union.

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is mainly a right party [illegible] with the authorities in order to re-establish order, discipline and power of law, giving work and assistance to the unemployed.

Members: roughly 15.000; has constituted about ten sections in Southern Italy.

President: M.E., ex Lt. General of the Military Justice, General Secretary: Avv. Nicoletti Edgardo.

Proposes to print a newspaper entitled "Patria".

9) Liberal Radical Party.

Provisional Office: Piazza SS.Apostoli 53; Director: Ing. Ceas Casimiro.

Conforms to the classical principles of liberalism and affirms the necessity of placing "referendum" principles, private initiative and revision, as guarantees of the citizen's rights, before the arbitration of those governing and of the parties.

10) Italian Radical Economic Party.

Provisional Office: Viale Regina 93. Emerged from the fusion of the Italian Economic Party with the Italian Radical Party. Has character of a central Party with republican tendencies, but is ready to collaborate with any Government whatsoever in power.

Leaders: Prof. Giorgio Anzalone, Comm. Amadio Armando, Comm. Tampieri Calisto, Avv. Michele Torelli, Ing. Cruciani Gino, Avv. Taormina Tullio.

11) Italian Monarchist Union.

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President: Misuri Alfredo; other leaders: Asinari di San Marzano Giorgio, Conte Benedettini Luigi, Dr. Calvara Silvio, Dr. Trotta Giuseppe, Gen. De Signor Augusto.

12) International Democratic Movement.

Office: Via dei Greci 3. Central Directorate: Federico Valenzani, Giulio Cenci, Giuseppe Papiglione, Giovanni Moffa. Newspaper: "International Democracy". It is not clear from where it draws funds, which, however, are limited and hardly cover the printing expenses. The Movement is in formation. Does not count more than 3.000 members. Is connected with

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the Communist of Italy, Spartaco and Partisan Movements. Is in opposition to the Committee of National Liberation, to the State and the Government. Has numerous sections and groups. Has not a real and proper programme: at least up to the present. Declares itself favourable to the autonomy of the Communes and Regions and to the constitution of a federation of free States.

13) Left Christian Party.

Office: Via De Pretis 86. Newspaper: "La Voce Operaia" (Labourer's Voice). Central Directorate: Giulio Sella, Tonino Tatù, Antonio Rinaldini, Paolo Moruni: all officials dependent on the Italian Communist Party. Monthly salary: from 10.000 to 20.000 Lire. Is merely a Communist organisation, desired and substained by Togliatti and Scoccimarro. Members: more than 30.000. Founded in order to accomplish the downfall of the Christian Democrats and to enlist the workers and peasants communistically. Fixed monthly fund: 50.000 lire. This sum, plus the printing expenses, is bestowed through Mauro Scoccimarro. Works hard for the dictatorship of the proletariat. Its favourable attitude toward the actual Government is merely fictitious. Provides also for the military enrollment of its members. In this field work: Franco Rodano, Fedele D'Amico and certain Magno. Its danger should not be under-rated.

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Has been recently disavowed, as a Christian Party, by the Vatican, with an official note appearing in the "Osservatore Romano" (Roman Observer) on the 3/1/1945.

14) Christian Social Party.

A Section of this party has fused with the left Christians, the other has fused with the Italian Democratic Party. It is now a fraction consisting of a few thousand adherents managed by Gerardo Bruni, and does not cause preoccupation even if it is in opposition to the Liberation Committee, the State and the Government.

Office: Via del Tritone 101. Adheres to the Spartaco Movement.

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Is for the autonomy of the Communes and of the Regions. Is contrary to any dictatorship and therefore alsoto that of the would-be progressive democracies (or Communist). The Spartaco Movement is trying to achieve its absorption.

15) Party of Christian Reconstruction.

Leaders: Avv. Sebastiani Alberto, Conte Piella Paolo,

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Avv. Silv[illegible]trelli Giovanni. Has in Rome roughly 6.000 adherents. Has no newspaper. Has Monarchist tendencies and Catholic calling.

16) Italian Republican Party.

Office: Via dei Prefetti 46. Newspaper: "La Voce Repubblicana" (Republican Voice). Central Directorate: Facciardi Randolfo, Hon. Giovanni Conti, Hon. Macchinetti, Hon. Cino Marrelli. Adherents: roughly 80.000 continually increasing. Is in opposition to the State, the Government and the National Liberation Committee. Works actively against the Monarchy. Has a proper military organisation constituted by the Mazzinian Republican current in the heart of the Partisan Movement. Has co-operating contacts with the Spartaco Movement. Party with a revolutionary background. Its newspapers and speakers try to cause hatred among the classes. Is for the Mazzinist Republic, defined as democratic in the widest sense of the word, anti-clerical, patriotic, and for a social arrangement which aims at the respect of small property. Disposes of scarce financial means. Has secret points of contact with the Italian Communist Party.

17) Action Party.

Leaders: Hon. Emilio Lussu, General Secretary - Alberto Cianca - Luzzatti Gino - Colombo Umberto - Moretto Alceo - Gabrielli Romolo.

Central Office: Via Sistina 91 - Newspaper: "Italia Libera" (Free Italy).

Proposes the actuation of a democratic State and has Republican tendencies.

Its programme conforms partly to Liberalism and partly to Socialism, so that frequently in its sections two tendencies - liberal and socialist - are formed, giving rise to lively discussions.

18) Intransigent Anti-Fascist Movement.

Office: Via Bari 20. The adherents are little more than 3.000. The leaders are those of the Partisan Movement and of the Italian Communist Movement. Has no real and proper programme. Is for the struggle to the end against the remainders of Fascism. Is in opposition to the National Liberation Committee, the State and the Government. Has no funds of its own. Is financed by the Partisan Movement and the Italian Communist Movement.

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19) Italian Democratic Party.

Enzo Selvaggi, general secretary, Marchese Lucifero. Newspaper : "Italia Nuova" (New Italy).

Has as programme the actuation of the democratic State within the limits of the law.

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20) Democratic-Liberal National Concentration.

Senator Alberto Bergamini - President.

Programme: Monarchist-Democratic. Aims to re-unite all parties and Monarchist movements. Counts few members belonging to the professional and aristocratic classes.

Office: Via della Croce 78.

21) National Union of the Italian Democracy.
(Or Italian Free Masonary).

Conte Marescalchi Belli Giacomo, President.

Newspaper: "Unione Nazionale" (National Union), fortnightly, for the publication of which steps to obtain authorisation are being taken.

It is said that it has several thousand members.

22) Democratic Labour Party.

Leaders: Hon. Mauccio Ruini - H.E. Francesco Cerabona - H.E. Mario Cevelotto, General Secretary - Hon. Enrico Molè - H.E. Carlo Bassano - H.E. Antonio Manes - Prof. Enrico Paresce.

Newspaper : "Ricostruzione" (Reconstruction).

Programme: Democracy and Labour.

Claims to have roughly 20.000 members.

23) Italian Liberal Party.

Leaders: Nicolò Carandini - Benedetto Croce, President - Marcello Soleri - Manlio Brosio, Political Secretary - Leone Cattani - Franco Libonati - Vincenzo Arangio Ruiz.

Newspaper: "Risorgimento Liberale".

Programme: Democratic within the limits of the law.

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24) Juvenile Monarchist Front Cavour.

Leaders: Cagliano Candela, Salvatore Armando.

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Leaders: Donato Antonio Tommasi.

United with the "Partito del Reduce" (Returned P.W. Party), of which Tommasi has become President.

26) Agrarian Party.

Office: Via G. Avezzana 51 - Central Directorate: General Ettore Lucente, Gen. Massimo Strani, Dr. Pietro Astuni Messineo, Avv. Riccardo Pizzicaria, Ing. Tanzarella, Giulio Olivieri, Riccardo Bondicli, Newspaper: Will publish a newspaper with the title: "L'Amico del Popolo" (Friend of

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the People). Has a few thousand members.

Programme: Attainment of a certain welfare of the farmers through constitution of an extensive net of co-operative societies, of production and work. Would be financed by the Masonary Order of Scottish rite. This has leaked out at the Central Office. Is in opposition to the National Liberation Committee. In the heart of this party there are two tendencies: one republican and one monarchist.

27) Italian Agrarian Party.

Rome - Via Liguria 40.

Leaders: Prosperi Costantino - Paternò Ludovico - Prof. Morselli Emanuele - Fabery Angelo - Manetti Cusa Nicolò - Sjlos Lobini Paolo.

Programme: claims democratic principles and substains that in agriculture the forces of production and work must create their own political organisation.

28) Italian Reformist Party.

Leaders: Avv. D'Onofrio Giovanni, President of the promoting Committee - Dr. Masotti Ferruccio, General Secretary - Ing. Matteoli Americo and Silva Mario.

Has a few hundred members- Programme: Socialist background.

29) Communal Federal Party.

Leader: Gioacchino Cipolla (there are no official reports).

Programme: Power of the Commune-Federation with partecipation of the Italian regions constituted in autonomous States.

30) Communist Liberation Federation.

Adheres to the Italian Communist Movement.

Leaders: Di Bernardinò Ugo - Bernabei Tommaso - Gentilozza Tommaso - De Dominicis Bernardino.

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32) Spartaco Movement.

Office: Corso Umberto 333 - Central Directorate: Avv. Roberto Secondari, Carlo Andreoni, Antonino Poce, Lino Dina, Giovanni Forbicini.

Publication: it uses the newspaper "Il Partigiano" and Democrazia Internazionale". It receives funds from the American political liberation organisations. Is a movement centralising the various groups with revolutionary character

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to which it issues instructions for the struggle against the National Liberation Committee, against the State and against the Government. Has launched a notice-programme which is an appeal to all parties for the world revolution, for the constitution of a federation of free States and the suppression of every form of slavery and tyranny. Insists above all on the necessity of a revolutionary action. Does not receive the adherencies of single persons, but of groups, movements and parties.

The Partisan Movement and that of Italian Communists is largely represented.

33) Italian Anarchist Federation.

Office: Via Latina 145 - Newspaper: "Umanità Nuova" (New Humanity) at Piazza Fiammetta n.11. Central Directorate: Armando Borghi (at present in America), Gigi Damiani, Giovanni Forbicini, A.Forbicini, G.Foneca, Preziosi, Attilio Paolinelli, Cesare Ciciarelli, Ivan Alliata, Lucentini, Nino Malera, Furio Spinaci.

Numerical Strength: roughly 8.000.

Funds: about 100.000 Lire derived from subscriptions. Receives money from America (liberation organisations). Adheres to the Spartacc Movement. Disposes of arms and ammunitions. Many of its adherents are members of the Partisam Movement. Is in opposition to the National Liberation Committee, to the Government and to the State.

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34) Italian Party of Unity.

Office: Salita S.Nicolò da Tolentino 1.B Palazzo Moroni. Is in course of construction. The R. Questura is already cognisant of it.

Leaders: a certain Dr. Maggio and the well-known Dr. Mario Quadalti, at present at Regina Coeli. Programme is not known. Has no adherents. Has no funds. Has no proper newspaper. Does not appear to be serious.

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Should partecipate in the communist revolution as an active force, encouraging all ex partisan bands.

The constitution of the Red Army is confirmed by a conference held at Sezze Romano, on the 7th January,1945,

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by Antonino Poce, who precisely mentioned the power of this "Army" which is already composed, according to him, of 40.000 men.

36) Free Union of those Equal.

Emerged recently at Naples, has its Office there in Via Atri 31.

Leaded by Giordano Corrado, doctor. Has over 15.000 members.

Organ of the Party, the newspaper "Spartaco".

Its programme is not yet known, as it is still in elaboration.

Anarchist programme.

37) Workers' Communist Bolshevist Leninist Party.

In opposition to the Italian Socialist Party, to the Italian Communist Party, to the National Liberation Committee and to the Government.

The names of the leaders are not yet known, but it has been ascertained that it has revolutionary programme, adheres to the "Spartaco" Movement, has joint contacts with the Italian Anarchist Union. Aims at the constitution of a new large socialist-communist party, which should be contrary to Nenni and Togliatti and will be in opposition to the National Liberation Committee.

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The latter party following upon the a/m amalgamation has taken the denomination of "Italian Progress Democratic Liberal Constitutional Party" and has a Monarchist character.

The promoters of its Committee have not yet been officially nominated and it is thought that these nominations will be approved at a meeting to be held shortly.

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The above-named Juan Gatti, of Argentine nationality, has retired from the political stage and, actually, is the responsible director of the religious newspaper "Charitas", with editor's Office in Via Appia Nuova 151.

Eletto Emilio, son of Domenico and Napolitano Nicoletta, born in Bari on the 1st July, 1912, law-degree, appears to be of light character, a bully and addicted to women, he has been concerned in affairs not always lawful and lived by hiswits.

Records show the following penal precedents:

1) Verdict Bari Magistrate dated 13/6/36, acquitted from the crime of injury for culpable negligence;
2) Verdict Bari Magistrate dated 25/10/35, acquitted having previously complied with the road fine;
3) Verdict of the Rome Appeal Court dated 7/1/39: acquitted from forgery of public documents for insufficient proof of action constituting crime;
4) Verdict Bari Magistrate dated 7/3/40, statement not to prosecute for the crime of usurpation of a title following amnesty;
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Is married to Besi Fausta, with whom he lived for some time out of wedlock.

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40) Italian Popular Union.

Has been established with provisional office in Rome, Viale Mazzini 142, (habitation of Mr. Scancarello Natale) and in future will assume the denomination "Italian Patriotic Union".

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2) Purpura Sante, resident at Via Tupino 16, temporary Lieut. on duty, effective at the Forte Boccea, of good conduct, on the whole, no bad records in these files - Administrative Secretary;

3) Santillo Oreste son of Emilio and of Camella Malina, born at S. Maria Capua Vetere on the 17/1/1886, resident at Via Silvio Pellico 24, of good conduct, on the whole, and no bad records in these files - member;

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4) Corini Amleto son of Giuseppe and D'Otenzi Maria, born at Bolsena on the 21/5/1916, resident at Viale Medaglie D'Oro 411, of good conduct, on the whole, and no bad records in these files - member.

5) Scuncarello Natale son of Bartolomeo and Burpura Giovanna, born at Gerace Sicula on the 11/10/1891, resident at Viale Mazzini 142, of good conduct, on the whole, and no records in these files - member.

Persons who in the past had carried out political activity cannot adhere to the "Italian Popular Union".

Aims at an organisation with sound popular forces demanding the abolition of the epuration law and the immediate institution of trials before the popular judges.

The U.P.I. has to-day no more than roughly 100 members.

Has a branch-section at Avezzano, presided over by the Army Major Sulfo Giovanni, and another section in the Catania Province in preparation.

It hopes to have other branch-sections in Rome in the future.

41) National Concentration Committee.

On the 5/12/1944 the National Concentration Committee was established with provisional Office in Rome, Via Po, 22 (habitation of Mr.Aldo Forra).

This Committee aims at the re-union of various parties, political and economic groups and organisations with Monarchist tendencies.

The Committee in question, as ruling programme, shows tendencies towards the reconstruction of the country, towards the solution of problems in connection with unemployment and foodsupply, as well as with the continuance and intensification of the war, at the side of the Allies, the defence of Italian dignity abroad, the abolishment of the epuration law, the prevention of any form of dictatorship whatsoever, bringing therefore the country back again to its legitime national dignity.

The following have up-to-now adhered to the a/m Committee:

1) A group of elements of the "Bande D'Annunzio", headed by Avv. Castaldo Augusto, born at Naples on the 2nd April, 1900, professional, ex Lt.Col. of the Army, resident at Via Salaria 126, of good conduct, on the whole, and without unfavourable records in these files; 6264

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On the 5/12/1944 the National Concentration Committee was established with provisional Office in Rome, Via Po, 22 (habitation of Mr.Aldo Borra).

This Committee aims at the re-union of various parties, political and economic groups and organisations with Monarchist tendencies.

The Committee in question, as ruling programme, shows tendencies towards the reconstruction of the country, towards the solution of problems in connection with unemployment and foodsupply, as well as with the continuance and intensification of the war, at the side of the Allies, the defence of Italian dignity abroad, the abolishment of the epuration law, the prevention of any form of dictatorship whatsoever, bringing therefore the country back again to its legitime national dignity.

The following have up-to-now adhered to the a/m Committee:

1) A group of elements of the "Bande D'Annunzio", headed by Avv. Casteldo Augusto, born at Naples on the 2nd April, 1900, professional, ex Lt.Col. of the Army, resident at Via Salaria 126, of good conduct, on the whole, and without unfavourable records in these files; 6264

2) The "Democratic Constitutional Party" and the "Italian Popular Action", headed by Col Fanelli Giuseppe, born at Giovinazzo (Bari) on the 31/8/1893, resident at Largo Brancaccio 82, ex national Counsellor, of rgular conduct and without unfavourable records in these files;

3) The "Italian Popular Union", headed by Avv/ Granata Vico Francesco, resident at Via Crescenzio 62, ex Army Captain, of good conduct, on the whole, and without unfavourable records in these files;

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4) The "Italian Partisan Movement", headed by Dr. Palmisani;

5) And lastly the "Italy Before All National Union", headed by H.E. General Rodolfi Corselli, resident at Viale Regina Margherita 1.

Corselli is also President of the Committee.

42) International Communist Party.

The recent congress in Naples of the Disunited Lefts from the allied parties (socialist and communist), called by the socialist revolutionary party (6-7 Jan.45) has decided, according to a communication transcribed below, which was sent to the Press of the Spartaco Movement, the constitution of a large Social-Communist Party. Carnevali Ottavio and Barella Gustavo have proposed the denomination: "International Communist Party"; but it seems that this name is not definite. The provisional Commission is working on its organisation in conjunction with the a/m Spartaco Movement. The leaders of the Italian Communist Movement, Rocc Antonino and Cretara Francesco, partecipants at the a/m congress, reserved their proper adherence and that of their group, awaiting "Lights" from the Central Directorate of the Communist Party or Third International.

The new Party is in opposition to Nenni and Togliatti and complies with the revolutionary orthodox principles of the "notice of the Communists" by Marx.

Communication sent to the Press:

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43) Democratic Constitutional Party.

Central Committee's Office: Piazza Esquilino 5, 5th floor, int.9.

Was constituted about 30 years ago and ceased its activity some years after the accession to power of the ex Fascist Party.

In September, 1944, it was again constituted, presided over by the former Vice President (now President)

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Gr.Uff. Pavoni Alberto.

The above party, faithful to the Kingdom's Status decreed by Carlo Alberto in 1848, has a purely monarchist character, has roughly 100 adherents. Collaborates with the parties of thesame political faith and aims at union with these.

The"Democratic Constitutional Party" in its Central Directive Committee besides professionals and titles persons, numbers among its advisers a representation of labourers.

The President Gr.Uff. Pavoni Alberto, aged 82, resident in Piazza Principe di Napoli 22, has no unfavourable records and never belonged to the ex Fascist Party.

The General Secretary Gr.Uff. Genco Bernardo Attilio, a member of the ex-Fascist Party, during the period of German occupation of the capital, has been arrested for the publication of an article of monarchist background in a review "Proprietà Edilizia" (Building Property), directed by him.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478900

25 February. 1945.

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Alleged Robberies, etc.

TO : Regional Commissioner Lazio Umbria Region
Attention R.P.S.O.

The enclosed letters received at this office from Sig. Paul Franchetti, Via Sallustiana, 25, Rome, are forwarded for your information, investigation and report.

Will you please return the letters with your report.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

Encl. report.

BF/G.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 502

23 February, 1945.

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Signor TANTARI

TO : Political Section.

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Reference is made to your inter-office Memorandum P/505-TA 16 February 1945.

Reproduced for your information is a letter sent to Political Section 8 February 45 on the above entitled subject .

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JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

LJF/C.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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FILE No. P/505-TA

SUBJECT: Signor TANTARI - Traffic violation report.

16 February 1945

TO : Public Safety S/C

Pol 102A

1. Reference is made to Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs Memorandum No. 6/204/99 dated 18 January 1945, which Political Section forwarded to your office on 20 January 1945 for appropriate action.

2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has now requested that a reply to their memorandum under reference be given.

Vice-President
for Political Section

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Pol Safety 1089

Originator's Reference: 4623 CITE OUR 780
Date Time of Origin: FEB 161805A

Message Centre No: D/2147
Date Time Rec'd: FEB 162018A
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG 5 ARMY
TO: HQ ALCOM

1160/8/1 Patriots Br 1108/7/P5

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1. Ref ACPAT cable 1821 of 15 February. Approved.

2. Ref ACPSF cables 1717 and 1769 of 14 and 15 February, both approved.

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ACTION

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Action - Patriots Br
P Safety SC
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
CA Sec
File (2)
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TO	INIT	DATE
COL CHAPMAN		
COL YOUNG		
LT COL WILCOX		
MAJ LUCKMAN		
MAJ WILSON		19 Feb 45
MAJ HANBURY		
MAJ BALLANCE		
CAPT POWELL		
MISS BLOCK		

Copy 1160/8/1 re 1717

Cable 1821 Patriots Br 6258

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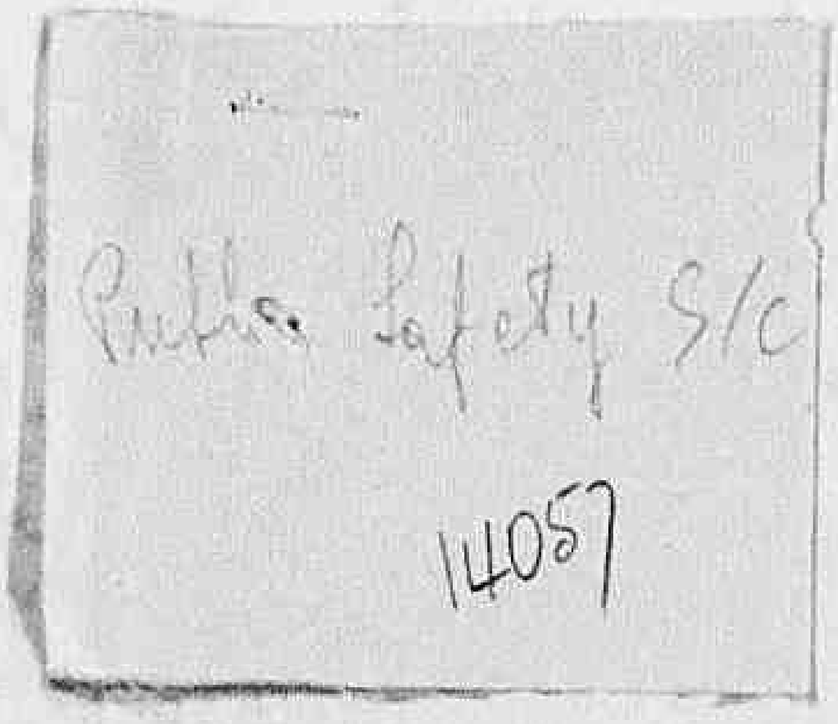
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F.J.Filmon Lt Col.

NICHOLAS FIORENTINO
CPO, USA
Asst. Adjutant.

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ALLIED COMMISSION - TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION. A.P.O. 394 -

TRAIN SERVICE CIRCULAR Nº 3 - AMENDMENTS Nº2 - 8 February '45

Following amendments are made to Train Service Circular Nº3 dated 1 February 1945 :

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1. Commencing Monday 12 February 1945

NAPLES - BARI - NAPLES

Trains TV.815 and TV 816

Two compartments will be reserved on these trains in each direction for AC personnel travelling on duty.

Regional Commissioner, Southern Region will arrange issue of warrants 494 A as required.

Ref. AC TN 100/94.

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2. Commencing Monday 12 February 45.

ROME -FRASCATI - ROME -

Trains 6863 and 6864 .

Both trains will run every week-day in each direction to cover incoming wheat traffic.

Weight of 100 tons per train will not be exceeded.

Ref. AC Tn/100/267.

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3. Commencing Monday 12 February 45.

ROME-NAPLES and NAPLES-BARI.

Trains 781 and 815 .

A coach will be reserved on train 815 from Rome for passengers proceeding to Bari. Such passengers will change at CASERTA and will not continue to Naples. ISR will ensure that passengers are informed of this when booking tickets.

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Ref. AC Tn/100/90/94.

By Command of Rear Admiral Stone:

TO
COL. CHAPMAN
COL. YOUNG
LT. COL. W...
MAJ LUCK
MAJ W...
MAJ HANBURY
MAJ BAL...

for MERRITT H.TAYLOR
Director.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

Tel 469081 Ext 502
19 February 1945

AC/14057/FS

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SUBJECT : Alleged Assault.

TO : Provost Marshal, R.A.A.C.

The attached letter with translation of an Alleged incident at Chianciano is forwarded for any action deemed necessary.

For the Chief Commissioner:

G.R. UPJOHN, Brig
VP CA Sec
DCOS, AC

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TRANSLATION

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The Communist Newspaper "L'UNITA" forwards the attached note complaining against the ill-treatment suffered by an Italian partisan in Chiencíano (Siena) at the "Barga" Hotel.

Without any justified reason he was assaulted and roughly handled by two british officers who noticing the communist insignia on his pocket, persisted in their work.

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THINGS WHICH HAPPEN IN THE PROVINCES

Reward for the Patriots.

The comrade Feste Casaglia from Chianciano (Prov. Siena) volunteer of the Spartaco Lavagnini, on a few days leave for the death of his mother, had gone to the Baga Hotel in Chianciano for reasons purely in connection with his work carried out in the above mentioned hotel before he left as volunteer, while he was remaining in the entrance of this hotel to answer the greetings of his colleagues, he was without any plausible reason, and unexpectedly, brutally beaten up by two English officers occupying the hotel. The assaultees during the fight, if fight it must be called, because the poor man was only looking to shelter himself for the best, perceived the communist badge which he wore in the button hole of his jacket under his overcoat. The dose of the beating up was therefore increased and the Allied police was immediately sent to his domicile to carry out a search, they found a pistol. Casaglia was arrested and is a prisoner up till now.

Sgd. Canestrelli Antonio.

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COPIA CHE SUCCEDUTO A ALLE PROVINCE

RICONOSCIUTO AI PARTIGIANI

Il compagno Parte Casaglia da Chianciano, (Prov. Siena) volontario della Spartaco Lavagnini, in licenza di pochi giorni per la morte della mamma, recatosi all'albergo Buca a Chianciano per ragioni puramente inerenti al suo lavoro che gli vieta di partire volontario «spiegava nel suddetto albergo, nell'intrattenersi all'ingresso dell'albergo medesimo per rispondere ai saluti dei colleghi, venne senza alcuna ragione plausibile, ed improvvisamente, malmenato brutalmente da due ufficiali inglesi, occupanti l'albergo, i quali nella colluttazione, se colluttazione si deve chiamare perchè il poveretto cercava soltanto di riparare alla meglio, gli venne scelto dagli assalitori il distintivo comunista che portava all'occhiello della giacca sotto il paletot. La lezione delle botte fu quindi rincarata e gli fu mandato immediatamente la polizia allesta il suo domicilio per una perquisizione, rinvenutagli una rivoltella, il Casaglia è stato arrestato e tutt'ora è detenuto.

F.to Canestrelli Antonio

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• l'Unità
Organo del Partito Comunista Italiano

REDAZIONE

Roma, li 3 febbraio 1945

Via IV Novembre 149
Telef. 66-430 - 66-492 - 66-431 - 66-437 - 66-439 - 64-435

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Prot. nº 258

Alla Commissione Alleata di
Controllo - ROMA -

Accludiamo per conoscenza una copia di una lettera pervenuta al nostro giornale.
Distinti saluti.

For your information herewith enclosed copy of letter received by this news-paper.
Best regards.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff.

1405 7

Tel : 451

Ref/4005/1-c/COS.

6 Oct 45

SUBJECT: Communications regarding Local Resources.

TO : Distribution below.

Attention of Sections and Sub-Commissions concerned is invited to para 7 of AFHQ Admin. Instr. No. 46 of 15 Nov 1944 quoted below :

" Services will not communicate directly with Allied Commission on matters of local resources except for the settlement of detailed negotiations, where the basic matter has been concurred in by the Allied Force Local Resources Section".

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Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 473800

8 February, 1945.

AC/14057/93

SUBJECT : Accident. Luigi TAFFARI

TO : Political Section.

With reference to your Memo 6/204/99 dated 20 January 1945, respecting an accident in which the above named was involved.

The case was referred by Provost Marshal RAAC to the Italian Police authorities, and it is stated that no further action is being taken by the Police.

Papers returned herewith.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081 - 365

8 February, 1945.

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Courts - attendance of witness.

TO : Regional Commissioner Southern Region
(att: RPSO).

The attached correspondence is forwarded to you for necessary action and reply direct to R.O. Abruzzi Marche.

John W. Chapman Lt. Col.
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AC/14057/PS

7 February, 1945

SUBJECT : Via degli Avignonesi 5, building belonging to Vassalli

TO : Regional Commissioner, Lazio-Umbria Region
(Attn: R.P.S.O.)

AGM

1. The attached letter of complaint from Avv. Prof. F. Vassalli of Lungotevere Vallati, 19, Rome, is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.

2. It is alleged that the persons named are operating immoral houses.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

1 Enclosure

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AVV. PROF. F. VASSALLI

RO[illegible] Lungotevere Vallati, 19 - Tel. 55-521
GENOVA, Piazza Portello, 6 - Tel. 28-583

Via degli Ulivi,5./ Stabile di proprietà VASSALLI.

Elenco degli inquilini che affittano camere e letti a militari delle Forze Alleate:

CECCONI

IZZI

SUATONI

FELICI,

LOJACONO DE ANGELIS

MASSELLI

BORRI DE ANGELIS

DEL BUE PRATI

I proprietari dello stabile chiedono che le Autorità Alleate non consentano ai detti inquilini di dare alloggio a militari,non avendo gli apparta_ menti impianti igienici corrispondenti all'uso di tamerone persone ed essendosi ve rificati gravi inconvenienti per quanto riguarda la moralità ,con proteste da parte di altri inquilini della stessa casa.

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COPY of translation ea.

Avv. Prof. F. Vassalli

Rome, Lungotevere Vallati 19
Tel. 55-521

Via degli Avignonesi 5, building belonging to VASSALLI

List of tenants who let rooms or beds to soldiers of the Allied Forces :-

CECCONI
IZZI
SUATONI
FELICI
LOJACONO DE ANGELIS
MASSELLI
BORRI DE ANGELIS
DEL BUE PRATI

The proprietors of the building ask that the Allied Authorities should prohibit the tenants to take in soldiers since the aprtments are lacking in hygenic installations fit for the use of large numbers of persons and because grave infringments of decency and mord ity have occurred, resulting in protests from other tenants in the same building.

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Temporary on 14057

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 49061 - 365

8 February, 1945.

AC/14057/15

SUBJECT : CC.RR. in Prison.

TO : Commanding General CC.RR.

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The attached letter received from Biondi Alberto, Brigadiere, CC.RR. is forwarded for your information and such action as you may consider necessary.

For Brig. Gen. Wilson M. Hall.
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

FJW/G.

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22-1-1945. 97A

Summary

B/m.

Biondi Alberto of Settimo - class 1914 - Sergeant of the C.C.R.R. for the moment a prisoner in the judicial prison of Palermo wants to be enlisted and sent as voluntary to fight on any front even in the Pacific. He is not in prison for criminal or political crime but simply for violation. He asks for the constitution of a battalion of all the young boys 1914 - 1924 who are in prison. To set them free and let them enlist.

What do you think about this, please.

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Roma 5 Febbraio 1945

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

All'On. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA -
Sottocommissione per la Pubblica Sicurezza - ROMA

Div. A.G.R. Sez. IV
Prot. N. 500/70545 Allegati

Risposta al foglio
Div. Sez. N.

OGGETTO Documenti mancanti.

Si ringrazia della comunicazione in data 30 gennaio p.p. n.AC/14057/P.S., significando che i documenti mancanti, alle cui ricerche questo Ministero ha interessato codesta On.Commissione, sono stati rinvenuti.

PEL MINISTRO

Chiaro - 73A

We thank you for your letter n. AC/14057 dated 30 January 1945, and inform you that the missing documents for the researches of which this Ministry has contacted the Commission have been traced.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington 25, D. C.

AG 380.01(15 Jan 45)OB-S-F-M

CJ /md 27-939 Pentagon

18 January 1945

SUBJECT: Unauthorized Disclosures by Personnel of Armed Forces.

TO : * * * * *

Commanding Generals,
Theater of Operations

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1. The safeguarding of classified military information is the responsibility of all military personnel and civilian employees of the War Department and of the management and employees of all commercial firms engaged in classified work or projects for the armed forces.

2. Publication or communication to any unauthorized persons of experiences of escape or evasion from enemy-occupied territory, internment in a neutral country or release from internment not only furnishes useful information to the enemy but jeopardizes future escapes, evasions and releases. Such information is classified "Secret".

3. Notwithstanding the provisions of letter AG 383.6 (31 Jul 43) OB-S-B-M, 6 August 1943, subject: Amended Instructions Concerning Publicity in Connection with Escaped Prisoners of War, to Include Evaders of Capture in Enemy or Enemy-Occupied Territory and Internees in Neutral Countries, military and civilian personnel under the War Department are releasing classified information which is being published in the news and editorial columns of the press, as well as on the radio.

4. All concerned are again warned that information coming from military and civilian personnel of the War Department must be cleared by the appropriate military agency before it is released to anyone. A statement of assurance by a newspaper or radio representative seeking such information (story) that it will be properly cleared prior to publication is no authority for any disclosure.

5. Commanding officers will be responsible for instructing all personnel under their commands as to the provisions of the directives issued on this subject, warning them that violations will subject them to severe disciplinary action. In addition, all commanding officers concerned will make every reasonable effort to investigate thoroughly all violations of the directives on this subject and where the degree of the offense justifies it, bring such offenders to trial and in all lesser violations impose severe disciplinary action under the 104th Article of War.

6. The commanding generals, domestic service commands, will bring the contents of this letter to the attention of all Class I, II, III and IV installations within the territorial limits of their service commands.

By order of the Secretary of War:

/s/ Robert H. Dunlop
/t/ ROBERT H. DUNLOP
Brigadier General
Acting The Adjutant General.

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REPRODUCED HQ 2675th Regt, Allied Commission, (Ovhd), 2 Feb 45

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380.01
(18 Jan 45) 1st Ind. N.D/jtg
HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVERHEAD), APO 394, U. S. Army, 2 February 1945.

TO: All Concerned.

For compliance.

By order of Colonel PARKIN:

N. D. DRAGNEFF
Lt Col, AGD
Adjutant

DISTRIBUTION:
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO=UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

Public Safety Division
5 February 1945.

FILE :- LUR/6/3/PS

SUBJECT :- Luigi TANTARI
Traffic accident at Via della Gatta on 28/12/44.

TO :- The Director Public Safety, Sub-Commission.

1.- Reference AC/14054/PS dated 24/1/45.

2.- I have been in communication with the Provost Marshal (A), R.A.A.C. and am informed that traffic violation cases involving civilians are turned over to the Italian Civil Police but no further action was pending or contemplated in this case by his Office.

3.- The department concerned at the Questura has also been consulted and no action will be taken by them.

4.- Papers are returned as requested.

F.G.GREEN, Major
D/RPSO.,LAZIO=UMBRIA REGION.

Encs.

TO	INIT	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. [illegible]		
MAJ. [illegible]		
MAJ. WILSON		
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

6 February 1945

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Rescinds Field Order No. 1 HQ PENSCOUTH dated 31 December.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region.

1. Circular copy number 37 and attached map received from HQ Penscouth, entitled, Rescinds Field Order No. 1 HQ Penscouth dated 31 December, is enclosed for your information and guidance.

2. Request acknowledgement of receipt by indorsement hereon.

JOHN H. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 502

1 February, 1945

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Operations Memorandum No 4

TO : Lazio-Umbria Region
(Attn: R.P.S.O.)

The attached for information and necessary action, please.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO 794, US Army

CPEF TIO"S MEMORANDUM) 27 January 1945

NUMBER 4)

RESTRICTED TRAINING AREA: OSTIA LIDO

MAP: ITALY 1:50,000 SHEET 149/[illegible], OSTIA LIDO

POLICY

1. A new Restricted Training Area as given in para 2 below, is "Off Limits" (US) and "Out of Bounds" (Br), to all Military and Civilian personnel with effect 28 January 1945 and until further notice.

BOUNDARIES

2. The boundaries of the area referred to in para 1. are as follows:

SOUTH bank of Tiber from all incl: 532499 - 546504 - incl rd 546503 - incl rd junc 544502 - incl rd to Coast 533497.

SECURITY OF AREA

3. HQ AC is requested to ensure that Italian authorities are made clearly aware of the ban.

4. G-2, Rome Area will arrange for det Field Security Section already in the area of OSTIA LIDO to be responsible for general supervision of the Restricted Area in addition to their present duties.

PASSES

5. RE Bridging Wing will ensure that NO ENTRY will be permitted, attempted or effected UNLESS individuals are in possession of a pass issued by Rome Area.

6. All applications for passes together with reasons for entry will be made direct to G-3 (Br), Rome Area.

GENERAL

7. Real Estate, Rome Area will liaise with Claims and Hirings and will make such arrangements that are necessary in respect of this area required for use by Allied Troops.

By command of Brigadier General BROWN:

J. E. Clerk
I. E. CLERK
Captain AGD
Adjutant General

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"R"
Plus: Major Tunison, CC I SA I of C FS Sec.

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P/S.

Is there anyone

here

See Bill

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Security Div
89A Roma

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 794 U. S. Army
Office of G-3 (British)

RAAC/18/88/G3(Br)

29 January 1945

SUBJECT: Security Area - OSTIA LIDO

TO: HQ Allied Commission

SMARCHI, Dante

Permission and authority is given for the above-mentioned, of Via Claudia 2, Scala B Int. 5, OSTIA, to re-occupy premises at Piazza Tor San Michele 4-5, OSTIA, for the purpose of carrying on his business as Grocer.

HEADQUARTERS
29 JAN 1945
A. C.

E. SEDGWICK,
Major GS,
G-3 (British).

Co-ordinated with AA & QMG.

Copy: AMG Lazio-Umbria Region
Real Estate
G-2
SMARCHI, Dante.

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 794 U. S. Army
Office of G-3 (British)

RAAC/18/86/33(Br) 24 January 1945

SUBJECT: Security Area - OSTIA LIDO

TO: HQ Allied Commission

DE RENZIS, Luigi
DE RENZIS, Gennaro

Permission and authority is given for the above-mentioned, of Via de Lucilii 60, Lido di Roma, to re-occupy premises at Via degli Aldobrandini 19-21, Lido di Roma, for the purpose of carrying on their business as bakers.

B. SEDGWICK,
Major GS,
G-3 (British).

Co-ordinated with AA & QMG.

Copy: AMG Lazio-Umbria Region.

HEADQUARTERS
25 JAN 1945
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HEADQUARTERS VENEZIA REGION
Allied Commission
APO 394

21 January 45.

TO : AMG, 5 Army; Att. Col. Dougherty.

SUBJECT : SVIGELJ, Dimitry case.

FILE NO. : RXII/PS/21.

1. This case, nor its correspondence has never been presented to Public Safety Div. of Venezia Region -- but, by enquiries through all sources, we find the file in Public Works and Utilities Div. - Venezia Region.

2. A letter (no date) in answer to PPSO Florence Region, has been copied and attached hereto.

3. We have no letter from AMG - 5th Army in our Public Safety - Venezia Region files referring to this case.

4. Enquiry elicits information that, as subject, SVIGELJ was employed by Major Perley of Public Works and Utilities DIV. - Venezia Region, he was handed the case for action requested.

5. Any further action on our part awaits your request addressed "Attention Regional Public Safety Officer - Venezia Region."

Major S.R.,
Acting Regional Public Safety Officer.

1. Copy to Lt. Col. R.T. Millhouse.

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HEADQUARTERS VENEZIA REGION AGP/js 87B
Allied Commission
APO 394

TO : Regional Commissioner, Toscana Reg. (IPSC Florence Prov.)

SUBJECT : Suspected illegal use of motor car.

FILE NO. : RXII/000.5(WP).

1. Reference is made to your office letter (no ref. Number) dated 20/12/44 in respect to the s/m subject by SVIGELJ, Dimitri Alexis, and the precis of the case against him.

2. The statements made by SVIGELJ, are true in respect to his employment with Region IV and subsequently Region XII A.C.

3. SVIGELJ, was released by Region XII on or about 18 Nov. 44 and paid to 1 Dec. 44.

4. At the time of his release from employment it was understood that he would be re-employed if and when the Region became functional, i.e. when it went into operation as a working Region.

5. At the time SVIGELJ was released he was in Pesaro and driving a grey Lancia Aprilia which bore two temporary A C green and white rectangles painted on either metal or light wood. These were to act as "safe conduct" between Rome-Pesaro and return to Rome, and had previously been used by him on the Fiat mentioned in page 12 of the precis.

6. When released, SVIGELJ, was given enough petrol to return to Rome and informed that no more would be forthcoming from Military or A C sources. He was further warned not to use the A C signs on the car after his arrival in Rome and definitely ordered to remove them immediately he reached the city.

7. The letter from the Yugoslav Mission pages 9 and 10 was accepted at face value by Major Perley and no question raised as to its validity.

8. It is felt that SVIGELJ was fully warned and cautioned in respect to the use of both the A C signs and government petrol, and inas much as he speaks English fluently there is little or no opportunity for a misunderstanding on his part of the order and warning, given him.

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Acting Regional Commissioner.

A TRUE COPY 21 Jan. 45.

Francis P. Hasbrouck Major, SR.,
Acting Regional Public Safety Officer.

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ITALIANS

In the North your brothers are waiting.
This message is dropped in their name. Nobody can have forgotten what it means to live under the German slavery.
Nobody can think that Italy will have to die to-morrow.
Liberated Italy has a chance to give a greater contribution to the war. Among the sacrifices of millions of men throughout all continents, there is still place for a new Italian sacrifice.
Our soldiers are already fighting, others are called to join them.

ITALIANS

Time passes and nothing brings to whom is hesitating.
To-day we are fighting in order to free Northern Italy, for a better future of all, among all free populations of the world.
Your minds and your strengths be for the war of liberation.
Come and help those who are suffering under the Nazi oppression, assist who is fighting, succour ourdastinies.

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ITALIANI

Al Nord i fratelli aspettano.

Questo messaggio scende a voi in loro nome. Nessuno può aver dimenticato che cosa vuol dire vivere sotto il giogo tedesco. Nessuno può pensare che l'Italia debba domani morire.

Si offre all'Italia liberata la possibilità di dare un contributo maggiore alla guerra. Tra i sacrifici di milioni di uomini di tutti i continenti, c'è posto per un nuovo sacrificio italiano. I nostri soldati sono già al fronte, altri sono chiamati per raggiungerli.

ITALIANI

L'ora passa e nulla porta a chi indugia.

Oggi ci si batte per liberare il Nord, per un migliore avvenire di tutti, tra tutti i popoli liberi del mondo.

I vostri spiriti, le vostre forze, siano per la guerra di liberazione.

Correte in aiuto di chi geme sotto l'oppressione nazista, sostenete chi combatte, aiutate il nostro stesso destino.

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CC.RR. FORCE GEN \L HQ/

No. 11/10-1

23rd Jan. 1945

SUBJECT: S. Felice Circeo (Littoria) - Stranded American ship.

TO : A.C. - P.S. S/C

Following letter 11/10, dated 17th inst.

On the 14th January 1945 at about 1730 hrs., at a distance of 10 kms. from the beach of S. Felice Circeo (Littoria), a boat which was cruising between the stranded ship and the Tittoni villa capsized owing to the rough sea. Aboard there were an American Officer, two American soldiers and five local boatmen.

The two soldiers and three civilians, who knew how to swim, reached the beach, whilst the others clung to the capsized boat and remained there.

The Diego, Annibale and Mario CARRONI brothers and one Domenico MANCINI plunged into the sea and succeeded in reaching the capsized boat and saving the American Officer.

Two of the boatmen, CHIOCCA and LUCCI, had got drowned and their bodies were found near the place of the accident the next day.

COMMANDING GENERAL

sig. Taddeo Orlando

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RISERVATO PERSONALE

Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SERVIZIO – SITUAZIONE E COLLEGAMENTI

N. 11/10-1 di prot. Roma, li 23 gennaio 1945

Risposta al del n. Allegati n.

OGGETTO: S.Felice Circeo (Littoria) – Nave americana arenata.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S. -
R O M A

Fa seguito alla segnalazione n.11/10 del 17 corrente.

Il 14 corrente, verso le ore 17,30, a 10 chilometri dal la spiaggia antistante al comune di S.Felice Circeo (Littoria) una barca in servizio di cabotaggio fra la nave arenata e la villa Tittoni, a causa del mare grosso si capovolse. Si trovavano a bordo un ufficiale e 2 soldati americani e 5 barcaioli del luogo.

I 2 soldati e tre civili, sapendo nuotare, raggiunsero la riva, mentre gli altri rimasero aggrappati al natante capovolto.

I fratelli Diego, Annibale e Mario CARPONI e Domenico MANCINI, gettatisi in mare riuscirono a raggiungere la barca capovolta e trassero in salvo l'ufficiale americano.

I barcaioli CHIOCCA e LUCCI erano annegati e i loro cada veri furono rinvenuti il mattino successivo vicino al posto del naufragio.

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IL GENERALE DI CORPO D'ARMATA
COMANDANTE GENERALE
- Taddeo Orlando -

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CC.RR.H.Q.

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31-1-1945

No. 49/7-1
Subject: L'Aquila -Interruption of communications.

I re-write the following telegram in date 29th.instant from the Commander of the CC.RR.legion of the Abruzzi:
"""Owing to heavy snow fall which still continues,communication routes with dependent Commands interrupted stop.Impossible to send office correspondence stop It is urgent to send heavy vehicles equiped for the snow for withdrawal of food stuffs dependent Commands stop Population Casteldisangro needs supplying food stuffs by air stop """

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For translation

RISERVATO PERSONALE

Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SERVIZIO - SITUAZIONE E COLLEGAMENTI

N. 49/7-1 di prot. Roma, li 31 gennaio 1945

Risposta al del n. Allegati n.

OGGETTO: L'Aquila - Interruzione di comunicazioni.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
- Sottocommissione per la P.S. -
R O M A

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Trascrivo il seguente telegramma in data 29 corrente del Comandante della Legione CC.RR. degli Abruzzi:

"""Causa abbondanti nevicate che tuttora persistono via comunicazioni con dipendenti comandi interrotte alt Impossibile spedire corrispondenza ufficio alt Urge invio pesanti automezzi attrezzati neve per prelevamento viveri comandi dipendenti alt Popolazione Casteldisangro necessita rifornimento viveri mezzo aereo alt""".

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IL GENERALE DI CORPO D'ARMATA
COMANDANTE GENERALE
-Taddeo Orlando-

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22 Jan 1945

N. 49/4-1

Subject : Campobasso - Road communication interruptions

To : A.C. Public Safety Sub-Commission - Rome.

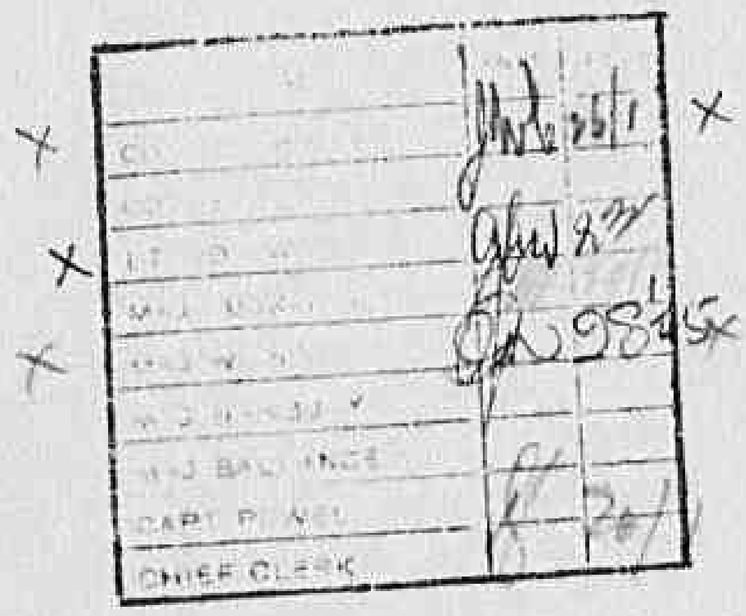
Following letter n. 49/4 dated 20 inst. I transcribe the following report received from the CC.RR. Group of Campobasso dated 18 inst.:

"" Heavy snow-falls are continuing. Traffic is impossible even among neighbouring Communes. At S.Giuliano Sannio, Cerce Piccola, Sepino (Campobasso) several roofs subsided in consequence of heavy snow. No victims. At Vinchiaturo (Campobasso) a case of frostbite occurred. Many Communes are lacking means of communications whdrefore no reports can be received. Flour and fuel indispensible for bread baking begin to get scarce.

In order to spare the available fuel the Prefect of the Province has given instructions that the offices be not heated and the work restricted to the necessary minimum. ry

Commanding General
- Taddeo Orlando -

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Translation.

CC.RR. Gen. HQ.

22 Jan 1945

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- Taddeo Orlando -

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Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SERVIZIO - SITUAZIONE E COLLEGAMENTI

N. 49/4-1 di prot. Roma, li 22 gennaio 1945

Risposta al *del* *n.* *Allegati n.*

OGGETTO: Campobasso - Interruzioni stradali.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S. -
R O M A

Fa seguito al foglio n.49/4 del 20 corrente.

Trascrivo la seguente segnalazione del Gruppo CC.RR. di Campobasso in data 18 corrente:

"""Continuano insistenti nevicate. Traffico impossibile anche tra comuni limitrofi. In S.Giuliano Sannio, Cerce Piccola, Sepino (Campobasso) causa neve sono crollati alcuni tetti. Nessuna vittima. Vinchiaturo (Campobasso) verificatosi un caso assideramento. Molti comuni sono sforniti mezzi comunicazione per cui ignoransi notizie. Farina et combustibili indispensabili panificazione cominciano scarseggiare. Scopo riservare scarsi combustibili disponibili Prefetto provincia ha disposto che uffici sieno privi riscaldamento et lavoro limitato stretto necessario.""

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IL GENERALE DI CORPO D'ARMATA
COMANDANTE GENERALE
- Taddeo Orlando -

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081 - 365

1 February. 1945.

AC/46057/PS.

SUBJECT : A.F. G 1098 (Controlled) Stores.

TO : Regional Commissioner Abruzzi-Marche
(Attention Capt. Wardrepper)

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1. Reference your R5/704/1 dated 20 January. 1945.

2. Map Board referred to is returned herewith.

Frank J. Wilson

FRANK J. WILSON
Lt. Col.

FJW/G.

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HEADQUARTERS
AMG/AC
ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION.

Subject : AF G 1098 (Controlled) Stores. To : Major J.J. Wilson
P.S. Sub Branch
H.Q. A.C.

Ref : R5/704/1

Date : 20 January 1945.

Records held at this H.Q. show the undermentioned Controlled Stores on :- ~~H.Q.~~ / PERSONAL / ~~REGIMENTAL~~ charge.

1. ~~Please check and submit return of present holding.~~

or 2. Please return to Region HQ so that item may be struck off your charge.

or 3. ~~Please renew your holding by acceptance of attached voucher.~~

or 4. ~~Please pass stores to a responsible Unit Officer or NCO and obtain his signature on attached vouchers, which should be forwarded to me.~~

S. WAINDROPER
Captain, Border Regiment,
Admin Officer (E).

Date.	Item.	Quantity.	Remarks.
	Goggles, Oval		
	" Cases		
	Gloves, M.T.		
	Helmets, Crash		
	Coats, R/P, D.R.		
	Axes, hand		
	Shovels, GS		
	Boxes, Stationery, Large		
	Containers, water, 2 gall		
	Cookers, Portable, No. 2		
	Kettles, Camp, Oval		
	" " " Lids		
	Pans, Frying, Large		
	Forks, Flesh		
	Cases, Map, with Slings		
apart 44	Boards Map, No. 1	1	
	" " No. 2		
	" " Panels.		
	Charts, Pictors, Filed.		
	Gauges, Pressure, Tyre		
	Lamps, Hand, No. 1		
	" " Batteries		

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	Forks, Flesh		
	Cases, Map with Slings		
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	" " No. 2		
	" " " Panels.		
	Charts, Pilots, Filled.		
	Gauges, Pressure, Tyre		
	Lamps, Hurl, No. 1		6224
	" " Batteries		
	Flags, UJ, 12 x 6		
	" " 6 x 3		
	Outfits, First Aid		
	Scissors, S.B.		
	Duplicator No.		
	Typewriter Make:		
	Number		
	Make		
	Number		
	Make		
	Number		
	Nets, Camouflage, 24 x 24		
	" " 14 x 14		
	Rolls, camouflage, brown		
	" " green		

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 794 U.S. Army
Office of G-3 (British)

25 January 1945

RAAC/16/57/G3(Br)

SUBJECT: Calibration Ranges - NETTUNO

TO : 104 CRE Wks

1. The attached copy of notices in Italian and English marked A, B, C and D required for use at the Artillery Calibration Ranges, NETTUNO, are passed for info and action for the manufacture of same.

2. Notices will be as large as possible and made preferably of tin, in order that these are not taken by civilians, as may be the case if wood is used.

3. Total number required is as follows:-

A. 2
B. 5
C. 1
D. 1

4. Colours: Background WHITE
Lettering as indicated RED
Balance of lettering BLACK

5. The Italian translation will be painted above the English inscription. This is of importance.

6. On completion of this detail please advise G-3 (Br) who will arrange collection.

R. H. CAMBRASS,
Lt Col,
Deputy Chief of Staff.

EO

Copy to:- P.A. E.R.
HQ Allied Commission.
HQ AMG Lazio-Umbria Region.
Land Forces Sub Commission AC (MMPA)
WTSFF (Med Area) CMF.

Local Government
? Inform Prefettura S/C and
ministry of Interior Sect.

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HEADQUARTERS
25 JAN 1945

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HOME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 794 U. S. Army
Office of G-3 (British)

RAAC/16/21/03(Br)

25 January 1945

SUBJECT: Artillery Calibration Ranges, NETTUNO

TO: Il Sindaco, NETTUNO

1. Further to the visit made by a British Staff Officer of this Headquarters to Il Sindaco on 20 Jan, subject - Safety Precautions at the Artillery Calibration Ranges, NETTUNO, trace of which is held by your office.

2. It is confirmed that firing will take place at intervals by British personnel and that at least four days notice will be given prior to the date/s of commencement.

3. The periods for which the Range will be required are not yet known but it is of the utmost importance that due warning by means of a general proclamation be given to the civil population as quickly as possible. This was arranged at the time of the visit of the above-mentioned officer on 20 Jan.

4. The proclamation will definitely include the important point that when red flags are flying the civil population and all other persons will keep clear of the area and that entry will be made at their OWN RISK.

5. Notice boards in Italian and English are being prepared and will be mounted at salient points of the Range area; a copy of these notices are attached herewith.

6. It is the responsibility of Il Sindaco to ensure that full publicity and notice of the use of this area is given to the civil population immediately in the form of a proclamation. Normal safety precautions will be taken by the formation who will use the Ranges.

7. Liaison will be made with Il Sindaco by Headquarters Rome Area Allied Command prior to the dates of firing to ensure that the periods of shoots have been notified to the civil population and that all possible warning has been given.

8. A copy of the general proclamation referred to in paragraph 3 is requested by this Headquarters within the next seven days.

9. Your co-operation and assistance would be appreciated in this matter and in the interest of the civil population.

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to Il Sindaco on 20 Jan, subject - Safety Precautions at the Artillery Calibration Ranges, NETTUNO, trace of which is held by your office.

2. It is confirmed that firing will take place at intervals by British personnel and that at least four days notice will be given prior to the date/s of commencement.

3. The periods for which the Range will be required are not yet known but it is of the utmost importance that due warning by means of a general proclamation be given to the civil population as quickly as possible. This was arranged at the time of the visit of the above-mentioned officer on 20 Jan.

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R. E. CAMRASS,
Deputy Chief of Staff,
Rome Area Allied Command.

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A.

DANGER (in red)

ARTILLERY RANGES (in red)

IT IS DANGEROUS TO LEAVE THIS MAIN ROAD WHEN THE RED FLAGS ARE FLYING. PERSONS DISREGARDING THIS WARNING DO SO AT THEIR PERIL.

B.

DANGER (in red)

ARTILLERY RANGES (in red)

IT IS DANGEROUS TO PASS THIS NOTICE WHEN THE RED FLAGS ARE FLYING. PERSONS DISREGARDING THIS WARNING DO SO AT THEIR PERIL.

C.

DANGER (in red)

ARTILLERY RANGES (in red)

DIVERSION → (in red)

ALL TRAFFIC FOR NETTUNO AND ANZIO WILL GO THROUGH ACCIARELLA WHEN THE RED FLAGS ARE FLYING. PERSONS DISREGARDING THIS WARNING OR LEAVING THE MAIN ROAD TO ACCIARELLA DO SO AT THEIR PERIL.

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Moveable 'Diversion' sign to be placed in position by Range Party.

B.

D A N G E R (in red)

A R T I L L E R Y R A N G E S (in red)

← D I V E R S I O N (in red)

ROAD CLOSED. FIRING IN PROGRESS.
ALL TRAFFIC WILL PROCEED THROUGH
ACCIAPRILA.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief of Staff

109/Ffs.

5 January 1945

SUBJECT : Proficiency in Italian.

TO : Distribution below.

1. It is clearly desirable that all officers of the Allied Commission should have a working knowledge of the Italian language. It is felt that the number of Italian speaking officers is far too small considering the length of time most officers have spent in this country.

2. Regional Commissioners and Heads of Subcommissions will ensure that all officers under their command take advantage of opportunities afforded to learn the language and will impress on all the importance of such action. Where necessary classes may be set up for formal instruction. There is a sufficient number of bilingual officers in the various Regions and Subcommissions to make such a procedure easy and efficacious.

3. Regional Commissioners and Heads of Subcommissions will submit at the end of January, 1945 a report indicating the number of officers under their command adequately skilled in the language and the number still in need of instruction. Similar reports will be made at the end of each month until further notice.

Action on 77A

Brigadier,
Chief of Staff.

TO		
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COL YOUNG		
LT COL WILCOX		
MAJ LUCKMAN		
MAJ WILSON		
MAJ HANBURY		
MAJ BALLANCE		
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9 January, 1945

SUBJECT: Report on Local Procurement

TO: Agriculture Sub-Commission
Commerce Sub-Commission
Industry Sub-Commission
Food Sub-Commission
F.F.A.C. Sub-Commission
M.G. Commandant for Forwarding
~~Navy Representative~~ Contracting Officer.

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1. Attached is copy of a report dated 18 October 1944 on the subject "The Effect of Italy's Changing Status from Co-Belligerent to Ally upon Local Procurement".

2. [illegible] from their recommendations effective immediately the limit [illegible] Allied Forces.

3. [illegible] upon the subject and [illegible] a meeting between [illegible] and to be given this [illegible].

4. It is now [illegible] by 15 January, 1945, as to whether officers of your sub-commissions who have dealings with Italian officials, persons and firms, have noticed any alterations of attitude.

C. W. Alkins
for BRIGADIER GENERAL
Executive Officer
Economic Section

Enc. 1 copy report dated Oct. 18.

Dist: 1 to C.A. Section
1 to Political Section

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Inter-Office Communication, PMG Officer, [illegible] to [illegible] terminator 15 Oct. 1944

Effect of Italy's Changing Status from Co-Belligerent to Ally upon Local Procurement.

1. Ever since the Quebec Conference, reports, news broadcasts and [illegible] memoranda have constantly stressed the greater aid which Italy will receive from the Allies with emphasis upon the more complete economic and political freedom which the Italians will receive as a result of this Conference.

2. The first and greatest effect has been felt in the attitude of local Italian Government officials. In the past they have worked very willingly with us, assisting us greatly to procure local items, but recently, since they have been informed that they will gain economic as well as political freedom, they have tended to hold back supplies and local resources which they are able to use for their own purposes, and only in cases where pressure is brought to bear will they release these items, instances of which are leather and potatoes.

3. The second effect has been felt on the part of the contractors who have taken a more independent stand with the contracts we are making now as compared with those made previously. They have taken the attitude that if we do not meet their terms they will work on civilian contracts where greater profit is forthcoming and where they might take advantage of the Black Market and also to prepare themselves for the coming needs of the newly liberated people in Northern Italy where supplies are short, or they will go to [illegible] and most likely get a contract to work for them making items for the civilian population under [illegible] supervision. Two recent cases of this have been, first, the new coffee roasting and grinding contract which price had to be set at 1.10 units per lb. instead of the figure of 3/4 cent per lb. felt to be reasonable by this office. This price was forced upon us due to our inability to furnish the necessary technicians and personnel to operate our plant ourselves, and therefore, had to rely on the local contractors to do this work. The second case is that of our glass factory which we put into production approximately 10 months ago, and has been selling exclusively to the Quartermaster, PMG. This factory has now found that due to the scarcity of these items they can get from 3 to 4 times the price the Army pays them, on the Black Market.

4. The Black Market which, according to reports has been cleaned up by [illegible], has benefitted tremendously by this change in the status of the Italian people and is now flourishing on a big scale. In fact, you can buy almost any item of Army foodstuffs on this market as well as clothing, and all civilian items produced or manufactured locally.

5. The extent to which the Italians will go to withhold local resources from the Allied Armies is shown by the recent killing of a British officer working for [illegible] who, on his assignment of making potato crop surveys, was killed in the outskirts of Naples. However, most of the opposition has been in the conversation and attitude of the contractors dealt with.

6. This information is presented in order to keep you up to date on local procurement and its problems, and your suggestions and recommendations are requested.

J.J. PERRY, JR.
Major, C.M.P.
P. & C. Officer

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MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

28 December 1944

COL. CHAPMAN
COL. YOUNG
LT COL WILSON
MAJ HUGHES
MAJ WILSON
MAJ HARRIS
CAPT P.

AG 370.5 (10 Aug 44) OB-S-SPAIS-M

SUBJECT: Clearance Necessary Prior to Procurement of Transportation by ATC Facilities

TO: All Concerned

1. The War Department Publication, AG 370.5 (10 Aug 44), subject, "Procedure for return of Individuals (Short Title: PRI)," dated 16 August 1944, contains specific directives concerning records, clothing and equipment, and physical inspections with which the command should be thoroughly familiar. As facilities do not exist in the theater at ATC installation for full processing of personnel, it is especially important that compliance with this directive be accomplished prior to coming under control of the ATC in all cases of personnel under orders to depart the theater by aircraft for the United States.

2. To insure that personnel departing from this theater by aircraft have complied with applicable parts of PRI, the following instructions will become effective 15 January 1945:

a. When applying to an ATC booking office for air reservations, each officer will present a certificate as to his personnel records, freedom of communicable diseases and statement by a medical officer as to prevalence of communicable disease in the area in which officer was last stationed.

b. When applying to an ATC booking officer for air reservation each civilian will present a certificate similar to that described in a above.

c. When application is made for air reservation for enlisted personnel a certificate will be presented containing information as to records and equipment, freedom of communicable disease and condition as to prevalence of communicable diseases in area in which last stationed.

d. All individuals will have in their possession an adequate number of copies of their orders. (minimum of 6 copies).

3. References:

a. Paragraphs 15, 83, 84, and 85, PRI.
b. War Department Circular Number 276, 1943.
c. War Department Circular Number 200, 1944.

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28 December 1944. (Cont'd)

4. The attched sample certificates are furnished only as a guide. Modifications will be made to fit peculiar conditions.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

/s/ C. . Christenberry
/s/ C. . CHRISTENBERRY.
Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

2 Incls:
Incl #1 - Certificate, Officers and Civilians.
Incl #2 - Certificate, Enlisted Men.

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(28 Dec 44) 1st Ind. E.D/jtg
HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVHD), APO 394, U.S. ARMY, 20 January 1945.

TO: All Concerned.

For your information, guidance, and compliance.

By order of Colonel PARKER:

. . DRAGHETT
Lt Col, AGD
Adjutant

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* I certify that I have in my possession all records required by paragraph 13a, PMI, War Department, 16 August 1944, except as stated below. (If no exceptions, so state)

_____
Signature

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

I certify that the above named officer has been examined in accordance with Circular Number 270, War Department, 1 November 1943, and found free of communicable disease.

Statement as to prevalence of communicable disease in area in which officer was stationed:

_____
Signature

*Certificate not required to be executed by civilian.
This certificate will be delivered to the AFC booking officer when application for air reservation is made.
Records required for officers, by paragraph 13a, PMI, War Department, 16 August 1944, as listed below:

*Form 65, 65-1 or 65-10 (Officer's Identification Card)
Form 66-1, 66-2, or 66-3(Officer's and Warrant Officer's Qualification Card)
*Form 77 (Officer's Pay Data Card)
Form 78 (Syphilis Register) (For individuals under treatment for syphilis)
*Form 81 (Immunization Register)
*Copy of Orders authorizing flying status (flying personnel only)
*Copy of Orders announcing rating (flying personnel only)
*Record of leave accrued and granted (to be carried by officers, as prescribed in Circular Number 55, War Department 19 February 1943)
Certificate covering any missing records (this certificate, stating all available facts in the case, will be furnished whenever missing records cannot be replaced or can be only partially reconstructed prior to return of the individual)
Adequate number of copies of orders directing travel. (minimum 6 copies)
*To be carried by each individual.

Inclosure #1 to Ltr, MTOUSA, AG 370.5/476 P-O
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ENLISTED MEN

I certify that the individual (individuals) named herein has (have) in his (their) possession all records required by paragraph 15a, FRI, War Department, 16 August 1944, has (have) been examined in accordance with Circular Number 276, WD, 1 November 1943 and found free of communicable disease, has (have) in his (their) possession all articles of clothing and equipment required by Circular Number 200, War Department, 20 May 1944, as amended, and that C and E Adjustment Form (Forms) are complete.

Statement by medical officer showing prevalence of communicable disease in area where stationed is attached for each individual.

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Signature

*This certificate will be delivered to the ATC booking office when application for air reservation is made.
Records required for enlisted men by paragraph 15a, FRI, War Department, 16 August 1944, are listed below:

Form 20 (Soldier's Qualification Card)
Form 24 (Service Record)
*Form 28 (Individual Pay Record)
C & E Adjustment Form, as prescribed in Circular Number 200, War Department, 1944.
Form 78 (Syphilis Register) (For individuals under treatment for syphilis)
*Form 81 (Immunization Register)
*Copies of orders authorizing flying status (flying personnel only)
*Copy of orders announcing rating (flying personnel only)
Board proceedings under Section VIII, AR 615-368, if applicable, properly indorsed by the convening authority and approved by the officer having discharge authority.
Certificate covering any missing records (this certificate, stating all available facts in the case, will be furnished whenever missing records cannot be replaced or can be only partially reconstructed prior to return of the individual).
Adequate number of copies of orders directing travel (minimum 6 copies)
*To be carried by each individual.

Inclosure #2 to Ltr, HTUSA, AG 370.5/476 P-O
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel 502
27 January 1945

SUBJECT : Proficiency in Italian

TO : Office of the Chief of Staff

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1. Reference is made to 109/PRB dated 5 January 1945.

2. Attached reports submitted by officers of this Sub-Commission concerning their individual proficiency in Italian.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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UNITED STATES ARMY
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Q Public Safety
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5 January 1945

AG 421.4/016 A-O

SUBJECT: Insignia for Army Cameramen.

TO : All Concerned.

1. The following extract of War Department Circular Number 437, dated 13 November 1944, is republished for the information and guidance of all concerned.

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III INSIGNIA

1. Authorization.

a. A combat photographer's sleeve insignia is authorized for wear by personnel designated by the commanders of the United States Army forces in all oversea theaters, oversea departments, oversea bases, and oversea defense commands.

b. No other insignia denoting photographic duty will be worn by Army photographic personnel in the theaters of operation, except as provided by AR 600-35.

2. Description. (See fig 1.) The insignia consists of a rectangle 1-1/4 inches in width and 3-3/4 inches in length of black within a 1/8 inch border of golden orange with the words "Official U.S. Army Photographer," in golden orange letters.

3. How worn.--The combat photographic insignia will be worn on the outside half and parallel to the end of the right sleeve of all outside garments with the lower edge of the device centered 6-1/2 inches above the end of the sleeve.

4. Eligibility.--This insignia will be worn only by qualified Army photographic personnel actually assigned to operate a still or motion picture camera in the performance of official duties. Such personnel must be specifically authorized to wear this insignia by the Chief Signal Officer, and Commanding General, Army Air Forces, or their designated representatives, and designated by one of the overseas commanders named in paragraph 1a.

5. Qualification.--Authorized Army photographic personnel to be qualified will be--

a. Graduates of the Signal Corps or Army Air Forces Photographic Schools,

or

b. Personnel who have demonstrated their technical ability in the actual performance of duty as official photographers.

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6. Supply.--Pending issue, commanders are authorized to procure the combat photographic insignia through any facility available, charging cost thereof to appropriate local procurements.

7. Record.--Authority to wear the combat photographic insignia will be noted on identification cards per War Department Pamphlet 11-2, 20 April 1944.

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2. Authority is hereby delegated to the Commanding General, Fifth Army, the Commanding General, 15th Army Group, and the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, MTO, to designate the motion picture cameramen, still photographers, and motion picture sound recordists within their commands, who will be authorized to wear this insignia. It should be noted that this circular does not authorize the wearing of the special insignia by laboratory personnel, drivers, and others not assigned to operate cameras.

3. To implement paragraph 6 quoted above, local procurement will be effected by Peninsular Base Section and Adriatic Depot. Requisitioning organizations will submit requisitions to the Quartermaster, Peninsular Base Section, or the Quartermaster Supply Officer, Adriatic Depot, depending upon geographical location, citing as authority a written authorization from the appropriate Commanding General of those named in paragraph 2 above. This authorization will specify the number of personnel in the organization authorized to wear the insignia, shoulder, sleeve, Official U.S. Army Photographer. Allowances will be computed on the basis of issue of two (2) each per authorized individual.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

/s/ Jack Carter
JACK CARTER,
Captain, AGD,
Asst Adjutant General.

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AG 200.2/C53 A-O

20 January 1945

SUBJECT: Possession of Red Cross Cards by Combatant Personnel.

TO : All Concerned.

1. Reports have been received that German soldiers in possession of Red Cross identification cards certifying them as protected personnel have been captured while engaged in combatant duties. Where it is known that such personnel are captured while so engaged or where subsequent interrogation reveals that they were combatants at the time of capture, the identification cards will be taken from such individuals and will be forwarded to Headquarters MTOUSA, Attention: Provost Marshal General, or in the case of British owned prisoners of war, to this headquarters, Attention: G-1 (B). Personnel from whom these cards are removed will be accorded the status of prisoners of war and not that of protected personnel.

2. German military personnel who have received special instructions enabling them to be used when necessary as auxiliary attendants or litter bearers for the movement or treatment of sick and wounded and having possession of a Red Cross identification document attesting this fact will be treated as protected personnel if captured while they were actually engaged in the care or movement of sick and wounded.

By command of Field Marshal ALEXANDER:

Jake Carter.

JACK CARTER,
Captain, AGD,
Asst Adjutant General.

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11 January 1945

U. S. MILITARY GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS

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I -- GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Purpose

a. U.S. Military Censorship in this theater will be conducted in accordance with this circular under is based on FD FM 30-25, dated 15 September 1942. All prior theater regulations and instructions contrary to the provisions hereof are rescinded.

b. No subordinate commander will issue orders at variance with or more restrictive than instructions contained here, except. Upon any unit or organization receiving warning, alert, or movement orders for movement to destination, the commanding officer will place in effect within his unit or organization such additional censorship regulations as may be deemed appropriate and necessary to prevent compromise of information in any way connected with the proposed or actual plans for movement (such as routes, dates, destination, geographical location, present or future assignments or attachments known or suspected, type of duty or mission to be performed, and equipment, armament, and supplies of all classifications issued or which may be issued for use by the unit or organization, reorganization or concealment of unit or organization to that of another type by means of the use of services and special or new types of training or conditioning.) Commanding officers of all separate units or organizations smaller than regiments, or similar units will secure written concurrence for any additional or more restrictive censorship regulations imposed by them from a headquarters of at least regimental level, and within the branch of the unit or organization, arm or service. A copy of the additional or more restrictive censorship regulations will be expedited to the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, USFOR.

2. Responsibility

a. Military censorship is a function of command. It is the direct responsibility of the Theater Commander, exercised through the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, USFOR. All United States commanders in this theater are responsible that the provisions of these regulations, and those pertaining to mail censors and censorship, are observed and enforced within their commands.

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b. Each organization and detachment commander will explain fully the provisions of this circular to all officers, civilians under military jurisdiction and enlisted men of his unit within forty-eight (48) hours after receipt thereof. Regimental and similar commanders will be responsible that this explanation is made to all units and personnel newly arrived in this theater. Thereafter periodic instruction will be given therein to all concerned as may be required to maintain efficient censorship and security of information.

3. Jurisdiction - Military censorship will be effected over all private communications to and from all personnel in this theater under United States military jurisdiction, to include all civilians (War Correspondents, Red Cross Representatives, etc.), accompanying or serving with this command in this theater.

4. Authorized Channels for Private Communications

a. Army Postal Service facilities are strictly limited to persons in or attached to the military service of the U.S., except when specifically authorized by this headquarters.

b. Personal or unofficial mail from persons in or attached to United States Armed Forces in this theater will be transmitted only through the United States Army Postal Syster. It is forbidden to use the civil postal service or telegraph facilities as a means of sending personal communications, except in the case of Senders Composition Messages (SCM), as authorized in paragraph 20, this circular, and Expeditionary Force Messages (EFM) as authorized in Circular Number 115, this headquarters, 1944. Messages of an urgent nature may also be sent in accordance with provisions of Section I, Circular Number 31, this headquarters, 1944, through the American Red Cross. For transmittal of money see Circular Number 17, this headquarters, 1944.

c. It is forbidden to transmit or carry private communications for posting or delivery outside this theater unless such communications have been examined and passed by a Chief Base Censor.

d. United States military personnel will carry classified official material from this theater only when one of the following conditions is met:

(1) The bearer is in possession of AG Orders designating him as an official courier. In such case the package containing the classified material must be addressed to a responsible officer other than the bearer; or

(2) The bearer is on a special mission which makes it necessary for him to carry classified material. In such case classified material in connection with the mission may be carried provided the travel orders so state.

(3) Private and unofficial communications will be carried only when passed and stamped by a base censor.

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5. Mail to and from Enemy POW - Mail of any description to or from enemy prisoners of war in this theater will be censored only by the Prisoner of War Censorship Unit, APO 512, United States Army, or other duly authorized prisoner of war agency. Any organization or individual obtaining possession of any such mail which has not passed through authorized prisoner of war censorship, will forward it to the above unit for censorship. United States troops may NOT correspond with prisoners of war held by the Allies.

II --- INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSONNEL

6. General

a. With few exceptions, all private correspondence will be in plain English. Permission to write letters in a foreign language must be obtained from the unit commander. Such permission will be granted by him at his discretion. The unit commander will immediately notify the chief base censor that permission has been granted, giving the soldier's name and language authorized. Personnel authorized to write in a foreign language will indicate in pencil the language of the communication on the face of the envelope. Chief base censors are authorized to withdraw individuals foreign language privileges when deemed appropriate for censorship violations.

b. The use of codes, ciphers and shorthand, or any other forms of secret writing in private correspondence is forbidden. Crosses, X's, and other marking of a similar character in the text or at the end of a letter or on the envelope will not be permitted.

c. All articles and photographs, including those of a non-service nature which it is desired to dispatch for publication in the press will be forwarded, properly enveloped in an outer cover and addressed to Press and Radio Censorship Branch (PRC), AFHQ. Such submissions must be forwarded in duplicate and will be accompanied by the approval of the sender's commanding officer.

7. Guidance

a. Conditional Statements - Under no circumstances will either open or hidden reference be made in private or unofficial correspondence, or in private records, to any matter which might be of value or comfort to the enemy, be detrimental to the war effort, or disparage the forces or prejudice the foreign relations of the United States or her Allies. The following list indicates some subjects, the mention of which should be made only after careful consideration of the above:

(1) Information concerning military or naval forces of the United States or an Ally.

(2) Military, naval or aircraft armament or equipment. (No new designs should be mentioned until publicity has been given in the press)

(3) Description of billets, bivouacs, camps, or location of groups of soldiers.

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(4) Specific information as to the numbers of casualties, AWOL's, or desertions (numbers are of value to the enemy). Mention by name of casualties and AWOL or desertion cases in private correspondence before the elapse of thirty (30) days subsequent to such status is prohibited. References to specific grave locations will not be made in private correspondence at any time.

(5) The military status of any person in transit, or the fact of his movement. (Possible future military operations might be revealed by identifying an individual known for a specialized activity)

(6) Reference to the presence in this theater of any officer of the rank of full colonel or higher if such information links him with a unit or an assignment. Officers whose names have been released in the press may be mentioned. Care will be taken not to disclose their present location.

(7) Unauthenticated or false reports or misleading statements.

(8) Troops of units in actual combat may state in their private mail, addressed to the continental United States or United Kingdom, descriptions of purely personal combat experience providing no reference is made to military units or to geographical location except as prescribed in paragraph 7b (1), hereof. Censors will be held responsible for an intelligent interpretation of the above.

(9) Troops are permitted to mention in their personal correspondence their personal participation or experiences in the following operations in letters addressed to United Kingdom, Eire, British Empire and continental United States of America. No military formation or unit (even the writer's own) will be identified except by the correct return address and no mention of participation in the following operations is permitted in blue envelope mail or telegram:

(a) North African campaign, Sicilian campaign, and the following operations of the Italian campaign:

(1) Salerno Landing

(2) Crossing of Volturno

(3) Crossing of Sangro

(4) Cassino battles

(5) Crossing of Garigliano

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(6) Anzio bridgehead and breakout therefrom

(7) Breakthrough of Hitler Line

(8) Battle for Florence

(9) Breakthrough of the Gothic Line.

(10) Troops are also permitted to say they have visited Rome or witnessed eruption of Vesuvius. Personal visits to other places may also be mentioned but in no case will dates or references to the relative distances of writer's or any other military unit may be mentioned and writers may not link their personal accounts in any way with their unit or headquarters.

b. Prohibited Statements - Under no circumstances will reference be made to the following:

(1) The exact geographical location of any unit, or the geographical location of the Army Post Office number which is assigned to any particular base or force.

(a) Location of units or individuals may be disclosed only to the extent of saying "Somewhere in Italy", "Somewhere in North Africa", "Sicily", "Corsica", "Sardinia", or "Southern France" as follows:

(1) To personnel anywhere who are under United States military jurisdiction.

(2) To persons not under United States military jurisdiction who are located in the continental limits of the United States, United Kingdom, or this theater only.

(3) Except as in paragraphs (1) and (2), above, no location whatsoever will be disclosed in personal communications.

(b) When forwarding War Department forms on official business, the locations of units should be identified by APO number only. In cases where it is necessary to show geographical location, the form or correspondence must be classified in accordance with AR 380-5.

(2) The location, identity, movement or prospective movement of any United States or Allied naval or merchant vessel, or any United States or Allied naval, military, or commercial aircraft, or troop or supply movements.

(3) Distinguishing signs used for identity of organizations or their transportation or baggage.

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(4) Plans and forecasts, or orders for future operations, whether known or merely surmised.

(5) The use, condition or probable extension of roads, air routes, railways, bridges, utilities or other transportation facilities.

(6) The effect of enemy operations to material suffered by the United States or any Ally previous to the official publication of such information.

(7) Statements criticizing or disparaging the effort of the Allies of the United States or causing a disunity between members of the Allied nations.

(8) Reports of atrocities, unless released by appropriate authority.

c. Escape and Evasion Experiences - All evaders, escapees and interns, and all military personnel having knowledge of their experience will be warned that divulging to unauthorized persons

(1) Any information whatever concerning operational briefings on, or equipment for, evasion and escape, or

(2) In the case of an evasion or escape experience any information whatever beyond the fact of status change from M.I.A. or POW,

not only is a serious breach of security, but also entails disciplinary action under Army Regulations 380-5. Presentation of preparations or reports on evasion or escape experiences to censorship representatives for approval is prima facie evidence of breach of security and NOT a defense against disciplinary action.

d. Prohibited Correspondence

(1) Chain Letters - The mailing of chain letters is a violation of postal laws and regulations and is forbidden.

(2) Round Robin or Newsletters - "Round Robin" or "Newsletters" will not be permitted because of their probable value to the enemy.

(3) Communications to Unknown Persons

(a) Communications to and from unknown persons, including "pen pal" letters, will be referred to the chief base censor by unit censors, who will condemn the communication.

(b) Replies to advertisements or trade circulars or to letters of congratulation from unknown persons, will be referred to the chief base censor.

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(c) Advertisement or letters for publication inviting correspondence with unknown persons are forbidden and will be condemned by censorship officers.

(4) Communications to the press except as provided in paragraph 6c.

(5) Allied troops on the mainland of Italy may NOT correspond with local inhabitants or Italian troops on the mainland of Italy.

(6) United States troops will not correspond with prisoners of war held by the Allies.

(7) The writing of letters by members of the Armed Forces or civilians under military jurisdiction for or in behalf of local civilians or enemy prisoners of war, is prohibited. This also includes the addressing of envelopes or V-mail stationery by military personnel for use of local civilians or enemy prisoners of war.

f. Enclosures - (Parcels are subject to the same censorship regulations as any other form of communication.)

a. To send or to attempt to send to any person or agency, otherwise than in the course of official business, any of the following is forbidden:

(1) Official documents, classified documents, or any materials which violate the provisions of AR 380-5. (Citations and personnel 201 file material may be mailed if contents are not at variance otherwise with regulations herein)

(2) Documents captured from the enemy or found in places occupied by the enemy, or containing information about the enemy.

(3) Official documents belonging to civil authorities in Allied or enemy territory.

(4) Any items of United States or Allied government issue including clothing, equipment and supplies.

(5) Reproductions of currency.

(6) Pistols and revolvers.

(7) Captured enemy trophies, except when accompanied by the proper certificates, and as authorized by Section V, Circular Number 64, this headquarters, 1944.

(8) Mail from or on behalf of local inhabitants in Allied occupied territory will not be included in the personal mail of military personnel or personnel under military jurisdiction.

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b. In addition, none of the following will be inclosed in private communications unless specifically permitted below: (Parenthetical explanations are included to clarify restrictions.)

(1) Service newspapers serving Army or higher headquarters unless listed by Army or higher headquarters as approved for mailing. Clippings may be sent if they do not indicate the location of a unit.

(2) Local civilian newspapers, publications or news bulletins published by or serving units or formations smaller than Army (Those are not press censored) The service newspapers listed below are approved for mailing in accordance with the foregoing provisions:

Union Jack
Eighth Army News
Crusader
Parade
Stars and Stripes (Italy Edition)
Stars and Stripes (Mediterranean Weekly Edition)
Maple Leaf
APW (Polish)
NEAF Times
Yank
Basic News (Compiled by PWB)
12th Air Force Weekly Mission
15th Air Force Weekly Newspaper

(3) Postage stamps, except in small numbers. (All stamps must be examined for coded messages)

(4) Phonograph records. (These cannot be censored in the theater)

(5) Blank sheets of paper, including envelope linings. (All must be thoroughly examined for possible coded messages)

(6) Foreign currency or coins except in small numbers and denominations. (Export control of currency)

(7) Drawings, sketches, music manuscript and paints, except when submitted directly to the chief base censor for censorship. The submissions will not be accompanied by correspondence and will be wrapped ready for mailing.

(8) Private Diaries and Memoranda. Such material will be dispatched to the chief base censor for storage. Before being dispatched to base censor diaries will be enclosed in sealed covers marked as follows:

"Private diary of (give full return address and name), upon release to be mailed to (give exact name and full address)."

After censorship, or after censorship is no longer in effect, diaries will be forwarded to addressee.

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(9) Studio type portraits unless studio designations, trademark, and address have been excised.

c. The mailing or sending through the mails, for any purpose whatsoever, of explosives or inflammable articles, devices, substances or materials of any kind such as live ammunition, lighter fluid, matches or other articles of a similar nature is specifically and strictly prohibited. Such articles will not be sent through the mails even for official purposes. To do so constitutes a violation of both United States and British postal regulations. All concerned will take positive action to detect and prevent violations of this nature. Commanders are responsible that all members of their commands are properly instructed in this connection, and also that prompt and adequate disciplinary action is taken against offenders. Unit censors will delete from all correspondence requests that prohibited articles be sent through the mails.

9. Addresses

a. Incoming - The correct address of all personnel governed by this circular to be used by their correspondents is as follows:

(1) Sender's name and address in upper left corner.

(2) Grade, first name in full, middle initial, and last name of person addressed, followed by his Army serial number.

(3) Letter or number of the company or other similar organization to which the addressee is assigned or attached.

(4) Designation of the regiment or separate battalion, if any, to which the company is assigned or attached.

(5) The APO number, care of the postmaster of the city assigned by the Army postal service as a mail address.

b. Outgoing - Return address on personal mail from all personnel governed by this circular will appear in the upper left corner of the envelope and will conform to the form and conditions prescribed for addressing mail outlined above.

(1) One-half inch margin will be left blank along the left edge of envelope to facilitate resealing after base censorship.

c. Exceptions

(1) The initials "MTOUSA", "AMHQ", "PRS", "MRS", etc., may be used as part of the address of personnel governed by this circular who are assigned or attached to such headquarters. Appropriate staff section will be used in lieu of paragraph a(3) above, and the appropriate initials in lieu of paragraph a(4), above.

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(2) Communications originating at an APO in this theater to an APO in the theater or to an APO in another theater which can be dispatched direct without passing through the United States will be addressed as outlined in a and b above, except that the term "U.S. Army" will be substituted for "c/o Postmaster, New York City, N.Y."

(3) A military return address will not be used anywhere on or in any communication intended for a neutral, enemy or enemy-occupied country. Such mail must be sent through a friend or relative residing in the continental United States. The friend or relative may forward such mail using a domestic civilian return address. Communications to Allied prisoners of war in enemy hands fall into this category. No mention will be made in such communications identifying the sender or anyone else as being a member of the military service. All mail from members of the armed forces addressed direct to prisoners of war held by the enemy, which is discovered in Army postal channels, will be forwarded to the Prisoner of War Department, New York Censorship Station, Post Office Box 20, GPO, New York, N.Y.

(4) Military return addresses may be used on mails addressed for delivery at civilian addresses in Allied or Allied occupied parts of this theater where such communications have been authorized, and on mail addressed for delivery in Allied countries. The foregoing refers only to the type of return address that may be used when and if such communications are authorized. Each U.S. Army Post Office has information as to the countries to which mail matter may be sent, including rates, conditions and type of mail that may be sent to each and will have information relative to new services as they are placed in effect in the future. All concerned are directed to make inquiry at a U.S. APO.

(5) No return address will be used on any acknowledgement card for a gift.

d. Private addresses will not be used.

e. Official, hotel or other headed, printed or embossed stationery will not be used for private correspondence in such a manner as to disclose the exact geographical location of the writer, his unit or an APO number.

f. All personnel governed by this circular will advise their correspondents to address mail to them in accordance with the applicable provisions outlined above.

10. Picture Postcards

a. Picture postcards are subject to the same censorship regulations as ordinary mail. General views of Italy and North Africa are permitted provided they do not disclose the writers present or past location, or the route by which movements of the writers unit have taken place.

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b. Picture postcards including those showing an identifiable locality or scene may be mailed, subject to foregoing, and any additional restrictions which may be imposed by the senior commander officially authorized to exercise censorship control for operational purpose.

c. Any reference in communications to postcards previously sent, or to be sent, which when considered with the postcard or separately violates military censorship regulations is prohibited.

11. Acknowledgement Cards for Gifts - Civilian organizations, firms, and individuals making gifts of cigarettes, playing cards, etc., frequently inclose acknowledgement forms or cards to be filled in and returned by the recipient. In all cases where the donor is not personally known to the recipient such acknowledgement cards may be sent provided only:

a. Postage has been prepaid by donor.

b. Cards bear only the signature of recipient, and do not disclose return address, grade, military organization, APO or location.

12. Blue Envelopes

a. WD AGO Form 911, used by soldiers for a letter relating to private or family matters, to be censored by a base censor and not by a unit censor.

b. Enlisted military personnel in this theater are authorized to use blue envelopes for the transmission of letters relating to private or family matters only.

c. The purpose of the blue envelope is to offer more privacy to the sender and to protect him from possible embarrassment. Communications so sent are subject to censorship by the base censor only.

d. Each blue envelope will contain no inner cover, only one letter, and will be addressed directly to the addressee.

e. Enlisted men will not be induced or compelled to send their letters in blue envelopes. The rate of issue and use will not exceed two per man in any one month. Blue envelopes will be requisitioned from the chief base censor.

f. Blue envelopes will not be imitated without written approval from the chief base censor for production of a specified number.

g. Letters sent in blue envelopes and not justifying the use of blue envelopes will be returned to the senders.

13. Mail of Officers and Civilians under Military Jurisdiction

a. The provisions of this circular apply to the mail of officers and civilians under military jurisdiction (War Correspondents, Red Cross Representatives, etc.) as well as to all other types of mail.

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b. Mail of officers and civilians under military jurisdiction will not be unit censored nor stamped with the unit censorship stamp, but will be subject to censorship by a base censor. Officers and civilians under military jurisdiction will sign their names without rank on the lower left hand corner of the envelope. When using V-mail, the writer will sign his name on the inside of the form in the space provided for the "Censor's Stamp" in addition to signing it on the lower left corner of the "envelope". The signature certifies that he has read, understood and complied with military censorship regulations.

14. Method of Posting

a. Enlisted Personnel

(1) All mail of enlisted men will be deposited in mail boxes in company, battery, or similar unit orderly rooms, unsealed and ready for mailing. Blue envelope mail will be deposited sealed.

(2) Registered and insured mail is not subject to unit censorship and will be deposited direct with the Army postal service. Color and motion picture film addressed to the Base Censor in accordance with provisions contained in paragraph 13c(1)(c), hereof, will be similarly treated.

b. Officers and Civilians - All mail of officers and civilians under United States military jurisdiction will be deposited in Army post office channels sealed and ready for mailing.

15. Handling of Violations

a. Mail and other communications which do not strictly conform to the instructions contained in this circular will not be forwarded and need not be returned to the writer, but are liable to such disposition as the Theater Censor or chief base censor may direct.

b. Persons revealing information prohibited by this circular, other than in the course of official business, are subject to disciplinary action.

16. Film Censorship

a. In this theater, the use of privately owned cameras has been authorized for all personnel, except those in combat zones.

b. Photographers will familiarize themselves with film censorship regulations. No picture will be taken that contains information of aid or comfort to the enemy.

17. Photographic Information to be Suppressed

a. In addition to the information prohibited by paragraphs 6, 7 and 8, above, the following classes of information are not to be released for export from this theater, except in the course of official business or with the written approval of this headquarters.

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(1) All aerial photographs and film of friendly territory. Official aerial photographs intended as souvenirs may be carried or mailed out of the theater, provided the following steps are accomplished:

(a) They are declassified by appropriate authority as specified in paragraph 15, AG 380-5, dated 15 March 1944.

(b) All identification data on margins are removed.

(c) They are submitted to either Base or Unit Censor who will stamp each photograph with authorized U. S. Military Censorship Stamp, provided it contains no objectionable data.

(2) High-angle views showing military installations, possible military objectives, or landscape where prominent features would disclose location.

(3) All views of plant operations engaged in Allied war manufacture, assembly or repair of material used for furtherance of the Allied cause. Close-up views of machinery or technical equipment.

(4) Pictures which could be distorted by the enemy and used as propaganda against the war effort.

(5) Pictures which might focus attention on training, personnel, or equipment from which the character of future operations might be determined. Also pictures which show state of training or morale of troops.

(6) Pictures revealing general location of such equipment as planes, tanks, large guns, combat cars, etc.

(7) Pictures of all classified equipment.

(8) Pictures indicating a quantity or the presence of, a particular type of equipment in any general locality.

(9) Pictures indicating route, type of aircraft, nature of cargoes and installations of the Air Transport Command.

(10) Pictures of temporary graves or cemeteries.

b. Any reference in communications to photographs previously sent or to be sent which, when considered with the photographs or separately, violates military censorship regulations, is prohibited.

c. Photographs or films furthering the objectives of enemy propaganda will not be imported into this theater.

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d. Particular attention will be given to backgrounds. Frequently the principal subject in the foreground of a picture is not objectionable while the background will reveal information to be suppressed.

13. Instructions for Handling Photographic Material

a. Photographic material exposed by amateur photographers will be disposed of in accordance with the following instructions:

(1) Black and white film (still pictures) will be handled through the Army Exchange Service or APPROVED civilian laboratories.

(a) Army Exchange Service will receive exposed film from military personnel and have it processed at civilian laboratories approved by U. S. Base Section Headquarters. After processing, film will be censored by Chief Base Censor and returned to military personnel or mailed to an addressee designated by the soldier.

(b) Where such service as outlined in (a) above, is not available or its use entails undue delay, as in case of units distant from such services, military personnel may have exposed film processed by commercial photo finishers that have been properly investigated and authorized by U. S. Base Section or British District or Sub-District Headquarters. In areas where there is no approved commercial photo finisher, request for investigation of commercial photo finishers in the vicinity will be made of the intelligence officer of the unit in the area.

(c) Color film and motion picture film in which cost of processing is included in the original cost of the film will be prepared for mailing in an outer wrapper addressed to the Base Censor. Such envelopes or packages are not subject to Unit Censorship. It will not be turned in to the Army Exchange Service. Color film and motion picture film in which cost of processing is not included in the original cost of film will be handled in the same manner except that a U. S. postal money order, payable to film manufacturer, sufficient to cover cost of processing and mailing to addressee, will be included with the film. It is the responsibility of the owner to determine processing and postage costs involved. Film received by chief base censor which is not accompanied by proper processing fees will be returned to sender. All film forwarded to Chief Base Censor for dispatch will have attached thereto, name and address of sender, as well as name and address of person in the U. S. to whom the processed film will be sent. Processed film of the above classes will not be returned to addressee in this theater by the

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processing agency. Film coming within the above category received and dispatched by Base Censors will be classified CONFIDENTIAL in accordance with the provisions of AR 380-5.

(d) Undeveloped film will not be sent out of this theater except as in (c) above.

(e) Any film in violation of these regulations will be confiscated by the base censor and will not be returned to the owner as no facilities are available to the base censor to process or forward film so acquired. This applies also to any unprocessed film intercepted by the base censor in the mail.

(f) All negatives and prints condemned by the base censor will become the property of the United States Government and will be disposed of as directed by the War Department or by the Theater Commander.

19. Cables and Radiograms

a. Cable - In this circular, the word "cable" signifies a personal message transmitted from this theater to a point outside the theater by electrical means, whether by submarine cable or by wireless. Radiograms are specifically included. Telegrams from one point to another, both within this theater, are specifically excluded.

b. Ordinary Cable - Sender's Composition Message or SCM - A cable written in the sender's own words.

c. Expeditionary Force Message or EFM - A cable written in fixed form with numerical designation of set phrases in a published list.

20. Instructions, Ordinary Cables (SCM)

a. General

(1) Designation of personnel permitted to send ordinary cables, or sender's composition messages, and places to which these may be addressed will be as specified in instructions issued separately from this headquarters. (Reference is made to the provision of Circular Number 115, this headquarters, 1944)

(2) Ordinary cables (SCM) in areas where these have been specifically authorized may NOT be handed in at any local civilian telegraph or cable office, except that in North Africa they may be submitted to any commercial telegraph, cable or radio office in French North Africa. The sender will identify himself to the telegraph clerk and will enter on the form his regular army postal address, including serial number, with no additional information as to locality.

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The army postal address is for purposes of record and tracing only, and will not be incorporated in the text or signature sent.

(3) Ordinary cables (SCH), except in North Africa, will be filed with the EFM censors in the same manner as EFM's. They will not be unit censored, but will be subject to base censorship only. Any message contravening these regulations will be stopped. Permission to send messages without unit censorship emphasizes personal responsibility and senders are warned to study these regulations carefully and to adhere to them strictly.

b. Form

(1) Address - Cables will be directed to normal, clear addresses. Code or registered addresses will not be used. Abbreviated addresses or addresses not readily understood may subject the cable to delay. If the message is addressed to other than an individual, it may be held while the reliability of the firm or group addressed is established.

(2) Signature - All messages must be signed. The signature will be the normal signature of the sender and must include last name and initials; last name, middle initial, and first name; or full name. Nothing else may be shown. Rank, serial number, unit or organization, and APO number will NOT be included in the signature nor shown elsewhere in the message text.

c. Subject and Language

(1) Ordinary cable (SCH) service as covered by these regulations is authorized in order to facilitate the transaction of urgent personal business, family affairs, greetings not sufficiently covered by EFM texts, and other personal matters. The following special types of messages for which other facilities are provided are specifically excluded from this service:

(a) Official business.

(b) Press dispatches or other matter intended for publication.

(c) Money transfers.

(d) Orders for flowers, candy, or other merchandise.

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(2) Ordinary cables (SCM) will be in English, unless specific authorization to use some other language is obtained from the Chief Base Censor of the Base Censorship Detachment through which the cable is cleared. They will be in plain language. Commercial, private, or other codes will not be used. Use of any phrasing, abbreviations or expressions, the meaning of which is not entirely clear, may subject the message to delay or suppression.

c. Prohibited Statements

(1) The sender must assume that his cable will be intercepted by the enemy. Information transmitted in this manner becomes more quickly available to enemy agents than that sent in any other way. Valuable intelligence can sometimes be obtained by the study of large numbers of messages each of which is innocent in itself. For these reasons, the sender must be particularly alert to preserve security in personal cables and these are subject to restrictions in addition to those placed on postal communications.

(2) Matter forbidden in ordinary letters is also forbidden in ordinary cables.

(3) "Conditional Statements" as listed in this circular are prohibited in ordinary cables.

(4) The following are also prohibited in ordinary cables:

(a) Any reference to location of sender or other military personnel. (For example: the expression "I am in North Africa", although permitted in letters, is prohibited in cables. A statement such as, "Have seen Uncle Joe", may reveal location if addressee can be assumed to know location of persons mentioned)

(b) Designation or location of a unit, branch, arm or service, or any installation of the United States Armed Forces and related agencies or those of its Allies. This applies to units outside, as well as within this theater. Addresses of military personnel within the United States should include only the name, serial number and name of the military establishment, such as post, camp or station and its location in place of the APO address. Rank and all reference to military organization must be omitted. No provisions have been made for the transmission of personal cables between overseas United States military locations either to clear or coded APO addresses.

(c) Notification of safe arrival (d) any form.

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(d) Any reference to movement. (For example, such statements as : "Hope to see you soon", or "Am leaving this station", are prohibited.

(e) Movement or prospective movement of any high government official.

21. Expeditionary Force Messages (EFM)

a. General - Basic instructions for dispatch and censorship of EFM's are given in Circular Number 115, this headquarters, 1944, (EFM Service). Instructions are summarized in part and in brief in this circular from the point of view of censorship, only, as it affects senders and unit EFM censors and will not be construed as rescinding any existing regulations.

b. Form and Contents

(1) Addresses to which EFM's are directed will be normal and clear and will conform generally to the requirements in paragraph 20b(1) above.

(2) The normal signature will be used, without grade, unit, arm or service or army serial number and will consist of the last name and two initials; last name, middle initial and first name; or full name.

(3) Any reference to the country or place of origin, APO number, or military organization will be omitted from the message form. Unit designation will be entered by the unit EFM censor on form WAR 1001, but will not be entered on the message form. The sender's code cable address, the six letter code word equivalent to the APO number, will be entered in the space provided on the message form. (If the sender does not know his code cable address, this will be supplied by the unit EFM censor)

(4) The code word, name of sender, and name and address of addressee must be completely printed in block letters. All entries on the message form must be clear and legible.

(5) The message will consist of one, two or three of the numbers corresponding to the texts appearing on the reverse side of the message forms approved for use by United States Forces. Text numbers in use by British Forces or others, but not appearing on the U.S. message form, will not be used.

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c. Channels and Unit EFM Censorship

(1) EFM's will be filed with designated unit EFM censors. They will not be filed by senders or by unit censors at local civil post or telegraph offices. (Note difference in sending on ESM and in sending on SCR. See paragraph 20a (3))

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(2) Unit EFI censors will scrutinize message forms for compliance with the provisions of paragraph 21b, above. Messages found to be improperly prepared will be corrected or returned to sender. Messages found to be in proper form will be listed on Form MAP 1001, and forwarded, with Form MAP 1001, to a designated Central EFI Station, as official mail.

(3) Other duties that are, or may be, required of unit EFI censors by existing regulations or by order of EFI officers include collection of charges, affixing of EFI stamps to forms making of EFI allotments, and similar duties. Such duties are necessary for the operations of the service but are not censorship. They are in addition to, not a part of, censorship policy and regulations.

(4) Unit EFI censors will provide information on SCI services and censorship and may assist personnel in their units to prepare SCI's but will not accept them for filing or dispatch.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

GEORGE D. PENCE,
Brigadier General, GSC,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

C. W. CHRISTENBERRY,
Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

AC/14057/PS

30 January, 1945

SUBJECT : Missing Documents

TO : Ministry of Interior
Director Public Security

With reference to your letter 500/14036 dated 2 Jan. 45, enquiries have been made to trace the missing documents but so far without result.

Further enquiries are being made and if any further information should be received, you will be informed.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

30 January 1945

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Lost Property

TO : Adjutant - AC. HQ.

May the following information be circulated in the Daily Bulletin :-

"Lost in transit since about 20 Nov. 44, between HQ Toscana Region and this HQ, an envelope containing important papers, including correspondence, Bank Deposit Book and Travellers Cheque Book, Banca Commerciale Italiana, Rome Office, in name of PAVOLINI, and a sheet of blue paper concerning the course of the war. Any information to Public Safety Sub-Commission, AC. HQ."

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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Message Centre - Does
no knowledge Re-
ceiving the documents
referred to. Also
Docket with Towers
and Fowler &c

Pte Harley

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TO	
COL CHAPMAN	
COL YOUNG	
LT CO W[illegible]	
MAJ LUCK[illegible]	
MAJ WILS[illegible]	
MAJ HANB[illegible]	
MAJ BAL[illegible]	
CAPT P W[illegible]	

HEADQUARTERS
AMG FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 U.S.Army

WD/ewp

22nd January 1945.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence. 203/1.

TO : H.Q., Allied Commission,
Attn: Public Safety Sub-Commission.

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1. Reference AC/14057/PS dated 8th January, 1945.

2. The A/P.C., Lucca, reports that the documents referred to were forwarded to Toscana Region whose Message Centre Chief Clerk recalls documents were received loose and separated from letter of transmittal. They were forwarded to H.Q., A.C., on a separate envelope.

For the Commanding General:

Walter Doherty

W. DOHERTY,
Lt.Colonel,
Chief of Public Safety,
A.M.G. Fifth Army.

/ewp

Chief Clerk.
Make any at message
Centre etc. to trace.
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 459081 Ext 365

AC/ 14057/PS

24 January, 1945

TO : Sig. Paul Franchetti
Via Sallustiana 25, Rome

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I am directed to acknowledge your letter of the 20th instant and in reply inform you that as Terni is situated in Italian Government territory, this matter is one which comes within the jurisdiction of the Italian police.

General Orlando, to whom it is observed you have addressed similar letters, is no doubt giving this matter his attention.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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Phone: 45594

VIA SALLUSTIANA 28
ROMA

JAN 20 RECD
CC 177
21 JAN 1945

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January 20th 1945

Dear Admiral Stone.

I acclude a memorandum, dated Jan. 15th 1945, about events which seem to me to be of some gravity and symptomatic of a whole state of things, which is assuming threatening proportions.

As the facts related occurred in the province of Terni, which is under the control of the Allies, our authorities do nothing about a situation which is such as to make it dangerous for a landowner to go on the spot.

I would be extremely grateful if it were possible for you to take the necessary measures.

Please believe me, sincerely your

Count Sforza

PS 1 Ack "I am directed to ask your ... the matter is under investigation". for C.C. ... DPS.
2 Investigate and draft reply in same form

21 JAN 1945

P.S. I also acclude a memorandum dated Oct. 30th 1944: and a letter dated Jan. 7th 1945. I handed both to General T. Orlando. You will see that the facts reported in the two memoranda are closely connected together.

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FCAO.

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Maj. Ballance

Can you throw any light at all on the original letter mentioned?

Buckman

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

P Safety 67

Originator's Reference: R/95
Date Time of Origin: JAN 241500A

Message Centre No: C/9267
Date Time Rec'd: JAN 242155A
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG REAR 8 ARMY

TO : HQ ALCOM

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RESTRICTED.

Your ref Nr 169. Regret no other information available. Suggest Public Safety SC may have letter which requested issue of pass.

ACTION

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Action - P Safety
Info - A/Pres
Chief Commissioner
CA Sec
File (2)
Float

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TO	INIT	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. WILCOX		
MAJ LUCKMAN		
MAJ WILSON		
MAJ HANBURY		
MAJ BALLANCE		
CAPT P.W.I.		
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25 JAN 1945
A. C.

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EIGHTARMY REAR FOR ARC

169 19 January, 1945 ROUTINE

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CONFIDENTIAL FD

PARA ONE FD UNABLE TO IDENTIFY LIAISON OFFICER REFERRED TO IN YOUR ROGER SIANT

SIX SEVEN FD

PAREN TO EIGHTARMY REAR FOR ARC FROM Hq AIDOM PAREN

PARA TWO FD IDENTITY REQUESTED SO THAT YOUR ROGER SIANT TWO NINE CAN BE FORWARDED

THERETO FD

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Public Safety Sub-Commission

Ext. 257

F.F. LUCKMAN Maj.

Nicholas FIORENO
CWO, USA
Asst. Adjutant.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

PSAFETY 65

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSIO

Originator's Reference: R/67
Date Time of Origin: JAN 181130A

Message Centre No: C/8446
Date Time Rec'd: JAN 181605A
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG REAR 8 ARMY
TO : HQ ALCOM

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IN CLEAR.

Your 9831 of 14. RAVENNA letter WAD was addressed to issuing officer AC ROME.

ACTION

Dist

Action - F Safety
Info - A/Pres
Chief Commissioner
CA Sec
File (2)
Float

TO	INIT	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. WILCOX		
MAJ. DUNCAN		
MAJ. WILSON		
MAJ. REID		
CAPT. BAILEY		
CAPT. PAGE		
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10 JAN 1945
A. 1493

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AMG REAR EIGHTH ARMY

ROUTINE

11 January 1945

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IN CLEAR BY ANY MEANS FD

PARA ONE FD REFERENCE ROGER ABLE SLANT PETER SUGAR SLANT ONE ZERO OF EIGHT JANUARY

FOR FIVE SENT YOU BY PETER PETER SUGAR OBOE RAVENNA FD

PAREN TO AMG REAR EIGHT ARMY FROM HQ ALLIED FORCE PAREN FD

PARA TWO FD THIS OFFICE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF ABOVE REFERENCE FD PLEASE EXPEDITE

OUT FD

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PUBLIC SAFETY S/C

Ext 257

F.F. [illegible], Major

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSIO

Originator's Reference: R/29
Date Time of Origin: JAN 111215A

Message Centre No: C/7468
Date Time Rec'd: JAN 111832A
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG REAR 8TH ARMY
TO: HQ ALCOM

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RESTRICTED.

Reference RA/PS/10 of 8 January 45 sent you by PPSO RAVENNA. This HQ have no objection to a permit being issued to GIANNI MARIO under circumstances stated.

ACTION

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ACTION: P.Safety
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
C.A. Sec
File 2
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21 JAN 1945
G1 Sec

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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Originator's Reference CITE SCIT 8145
Date Time of Origin JAN 231259A

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Message Centre No. C/9211
Date Time Rec'd JAN 241410A
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AAFSC MTO

TO: 15TH AFSC; CAO 214 GROUP RAF (FOR FLT LT BUCK) ACTION MMIA, AIR FORCES SUBCOMMISSION, AC ROME AND BARI; 18 ADG AAFMTO(FOR COL PECK) ALL FOR INFO GRNTTO 15 AFSC PASS TO AC BARI AND 5 BOMB WING PASS TO 18 ADG

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INFO - ACTION

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Confirming arrangements with Flight Lieutenant BUCK 214 Group the 71 Nucleo Guard Detachment air strength of approximately 73 is transferred from RAF to USAAF (16 Air Depot Group - 15 Air Force. 15th AFSC please advise when transfer is completed and exact numbers of officers and EM envolved. Personnel will become members of 40 Air Service Company (Italian) upon transfer.

TO	INFO	ACTION
COL. CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. WILCOX		
MAJ LUCKMAN		
MAJ WILSON		
MAJ HANBURY		
MAJ BALDWIN		
CAPT P.W.		

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INFO-ACTION: Land Forces S/C 2
" " Air Force S/C
" " P. Safety S/C
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
C.A. Sec
File 2
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Nor Public Safety
No action.
Land/Sea/Air Wire
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24 JAN 945 6187
A. C.

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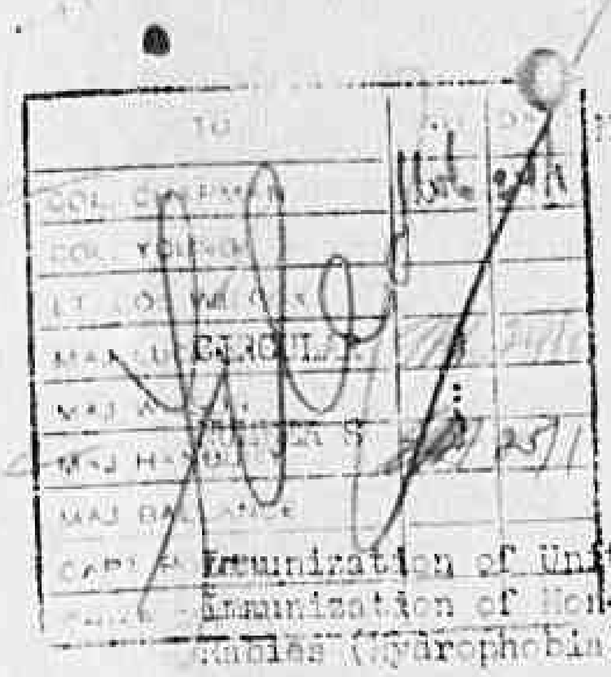
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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

13 January 1945



Immunization of United States Military Personnel 1
Immunization of Non-United States Military Personnel II
Examinations (Dysarophobia) III

I --- IMMUNIZATION OF UNITED STATES MILITARY PERSONNEL

Section IV, Circular Number 96, this headquarters, 1944, is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. Each unit commander will ascertain monthly that the military personnel under his command are immunized, and medical records thereof maintained as follows:

a. All personnel.

Disease & Agent	Initial Dose	Stimulating Dose
Smallpox (vaccine)	Vaccination on entry into service	Vaccination once yearly
Typhoid - paratyphoid fevers (triple vaccine)	3 subcutaneous injections of 0.5 cc, 1 cc and 1 cc, respectively, at weekly intervals	0.5 cc annually
Typhus fever (vaccine)	2 subcutaneous injections of 1 cc each at weekly intervals	1 cc every 6 months
Tetanus (plain toxoid)	3 subcutaneous injections of 1cc each at 3 week intervals	1 cc at end of first year. Then 1cc at time of injury, operation or manipulation where tetanus may become a complication

b. Personnel entering the specified areas or under special circumstances determined by the Chief Surgeon:

Disease & Agent	Injection	Initial Dose	Stimulating Dose
Yellow Fever (vaccine)	At least 10 days prior to but not more than 4 years prior to entering that portion of Africa lying	0.5 cc	0.5cc on entering specified

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Disease & Agent	Indication	Initial Dose	Stimulating Dose
	between latitude 18° south and the northern border of French W. Africa, French Equatorial Africa, and the Anglo Egyptian Sudan, including the islands immediately adjacent thereto; and South America between Latitudes 13° North and 30° South including the islands immediately adjacent and the Republic of Panama including the Canal Zone. However, transit through the Panama Canal with brief sojurns within the terminal port cities or military posts within the Canal Zone will not be considered as travel through an endemic area.		area and previous vaccination over 4 years old.
Plague (vaccine)	Upon serious threat of exposure to epidemic	2 subcutaneous injections of 0.5cc and 1cc respectively at weekly intervals	1cc when deemed necessary
Diphtheria (toxoid) (plain)	Rarely indicated for adults but may be given if definite hazard plus positive Shick Test present. If more than a few individuals are to be immunized it should be done only after consultation with Surgeon ETOUSA	3 injections of 0.5cc, 1cc and 1cc, respectively at 3 week intervals	
Cholera (vaccine)	Travel or station in Asia (including Middle East), East Indies and Southwest Pacific area.	2 subcutaneous injections of 0.5 cc and 1cc respectively at weekly intervals	1cc every 4 to 6 months as long as danger of infection exists
Influenza	To be given only at the direction of the Theater Surgeon	1cc subcutaneously	1cc subcutaneously 90 days later at the direction of Theater Surgeon.

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2. The prescribed time interval between doses will be adhered to as closely as possible. However, if a series is interrupted, the remaining doses will be administered as soon as possible (in accordance with the time schedule set forth in paragraphs 1a and 1b, above) and a complete new series will not be started.

3. a. Attention is directed to the provisions of paragraph 12c AR 40-210, 15 September 1942, as amended, to the effect that the only records of tetanus immunization required on the identification tag are those of the initial immunization and the routine stimulating dose administered one year later. Subsequent stimulating doses are not required to be so recorded.

b. All tetanus immunizations (including all stimulating doses) will be recorded on WD AGO Form No. 81, and, in the case of an enlisted man, in his Service Record. In addition, whenever injections of either tetanus toxoid or tetanus anti-toxin are given in a combat zone, immediate notation of the date of administration will be made on either WD AGO Form No. 52b or 52c.

4. In the case of personnel returning to the United States, evidence of smallpox vaccination is required for entry.

II -- IMMUNIZATION OF NON-UNITED STATES MILITARY PERSONNEL

1. United States Civilians - on field duty status will be required to adhere to the same regulations (except for tetanus) as required for United States Military in Section I above.

2. Prisoners of War - will be immunized in accordance with the same regulations (except for Tetanus) as required for United States Military personnel in Section I above. All immunizations received prior to capture will be disregarded.

3. Foreign Civilian and Military Personnel - traveling under the jurisdiction of the Army or Navy are required to be immunized to smallpox (within 1 year) and also to yellow fever as indicated in Section I above.

III - RABIES (HYDROPHOBIA)

Section V, Circular Number 96, this headquarters, 1944, is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. Because of the prevalence of rabies, dogs, cats and other pets will not be allowed to stray about organization areas. The provisions of paragraph 351 AR 40-210, dated 15 September 1942, covering the quarantine of animals which have bitten military personnel and any animal suspected of being rabid will be followed.

2. In the absence of a veterinary officer, medical officers will confine and observe animals for a period of ten weeks or until symptoms of rabies develop. If suspicious symptoms develop, the animal should be permitted to live until definite symptoms of rabies occur. It should then be killed, and

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Hq ITOUSA Circular #8 (cont'd)

decapitated and the head sent to the nearest Army Laboratory, Medical General Laboratory, or General Hospital Laboratory where the brain will be examined. If the head cannot be delivered immediately, it should be iced and delivered in the most expeditious manner possible.

3. Except in the case of bites around the face and neck, individuals who have been bitten, will be kept under observation in their organizations. In those cases that have been bitten around the head or neck it is not safe to delay treatment while observing the animal, and such cases will be treated at once. In all other cases, treatment will be determined by the course of the responsible animal. If the suspected animal does not develop symptoms or signs of rabies, immunization need not be carried out.

4. Those patients who are to be treated, will be referred to the nearest United States Army hospital where the necessary treatment will be given on an outpatient status unless complications warrant other hospital treatment.

5. The material to be used for this treatment is Semple type anti-rabies vaccine, W.D. 1, which is available through medical supply channels. The unit is a vial which contains sufficient vaccine for one injection. Fourteen injections given on successive days are required for prophylactic immunization as preventive treatment for rabies.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

GEORGE D. PENCE,
Brigadier General, GSC,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

C. H. CHRISTENBERRY,
Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

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APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

AC TN MEMORANDUM)
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NUMBER 1)

19 January 1945

RE-ORGANIZATION OF TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION, AC

1. With effect from the date of this memorandum, the Transportation Sub-Commission, AC, will be composed of a Director, Deputy Director, Planning Staff, and five divisions - Administration, Movements, Rail, Road, and Port and Warehouse. Their duties are set out in the following paragraphs. It is emphasized, however, that the duties are in all cases within the general framework of the Transportation Sub-Commission's responsibility and subject to any changes in policy that may be laid down by higher authority.

2. The Planning Staff will be responsible for all forward planning on transportation questions; it will advise and work closely with the Prioritios Board (see Executive Order Number 4) and with the Movements Division.

3. The Administration Division will cover all internal administration, keeping of personnel records, assignments and transfers of personnel and central secretarial work. Its Accounting Branch will be responsible for accounting for all stores handled at AC warehouses, keeping records, etc. Its Statistical Branch will keep records of all movements by rail, road, sea and other means.

4. The Movements Division will ensure that the policy laid down by the Prioritios Board is carried out; it will determine, in accordance with the bids made to it, what traffic is to be carried by rail, road, sea, including coastal, inland water transport, or other means, and how best this work can be coordinated with military movements; for this purpose it will have Rail, Road and Shipping Branches. The Movements Division will make out and circulate programs and be responsible for seeing that they are fulfilled or for notifying those concerned of changes of program. The Movements Division will not, however, be responsible for the technical aspect of the carrying agency's work which is the concern of the Rail, Road, and Port and Warehouse Divisions referred to below, and of the Shipping Sub-Commission. 618-1

5. The Rail Division will be responsible for the technical aspect of the Italian Railways' work, for advising the Movements Division what can be carried by rail, of any changes in capacity, and for seeing that the program laid down is carried out in the best way possible. It will also plan and assist with the repair and reconstruction of [redacted] rolling stock.

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3. The Administration Division will cover all internal administration, keeping of personnel records, assignments and transfers of personnel and central secretarial work. Its Accounting Branch will be responsible for accounting for all stores handled at AC warehouses, keeping records, etc. Its Statistical Branch will keep records of all movements by rail, road, sea and other means.

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5. The Rail Division will be responsible for the technical aspect of the Italian Railways' work, for advising the Movements Division what can be carried by rail, of any changes in capacity, and for seeing that the program laid down is carried out in the best way possible. It will also plan and assist with the repair and reconstruction of all rail facilities including track, locomotives, rolling stock, stations, buildings, etc. It will work in close contact with the DMRS and the Italian State Railways.

6. The Road Division will be responsible for technical questions on all operation by road, for advising the Movements Division what can be carried by road, of any changes in capacity, and for seeing that the program laid down is carried out in the best way possible. It will also plan and assist with the repair and provision of road vehicles. It will be responsible for the raising of new road transport units. It will assist and render technical advice to the Italian road organizations.

7. The Port and Warehouse Division will be responsible for the technical aspect of port, warehouse and inland and coastal water

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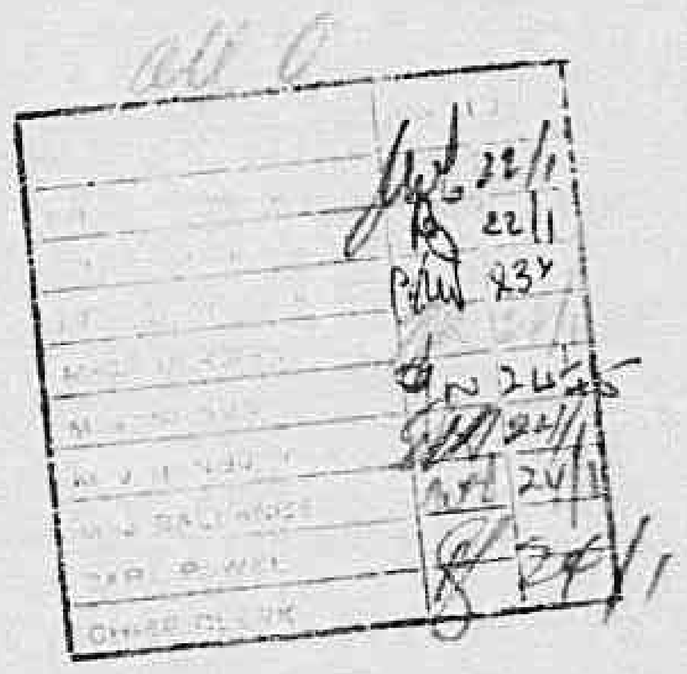
transport work and for seeing that all installations are worked in the best way possible. Its responsibilities for warehouses will extend only to those warehouses which are used as incidental to transportation, e.g., at ports and at certain limited points in the interior. The Port and Warehouse Division will advise the Movements Division of port capacities for loading and discharging ships, and of any changes in capacity. It will plan and assist with the repair and construction of all facilities at ports, warehouses, and in connection with coastal and inland water transport. The division will work in close contact with the Shipping Sub-Commission.

6. When rail, road, port, shipping and other facilities are controlled by a military formation, the Movements Division will request an allotment of capacity from the competent military authority.

By command of Rear Admiral STONE:

MERRITT H. TAYLOR
Director
Transportation Sub-Commission

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File 59

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081 Ext 686

24 January, 1945

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Applicants for Army and Navy Staff College, Eleventh Course.

TO : HQ 2675th Regt. Allied Commission (Overhead)

Reference AG.352.15/334 A-O dated 15 January, 1945, above subject :

No Officers of this Sub-Commission eligible.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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Public Safety
Sub Case 58

HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

15 January 1945

AG 352.15/334 A-O

SUBJECT: Applicants for Army and Navy Staff College, Eleventh Course.

TO : All Concerned.

1. The eleventh course of the Army and Navy Staff College commences on or about 31 March 1945. It is desired that recommendations for officers deemed qualified to attend be submitted so as to reach this headquarters not later than 2400 hours, 20 February 1945.

2. To be eligible for attendance, an officer must:

a. Be in the grade of Major or above, with the following limiting ages:

Major	35
Lt Colonel	40
Colonel	45
Brig General	50

b. Be a graduate of Command and General Staff School or have had experience in command and staff positions involved in joint operations with the navy that may be considered in lieu of attendance at Command and General Staff School.

c. Have a superior general efficiency rating or an excellent general efficiency rating with a demonstrated superior capacity not yet reflected in general efficiency rating.

d. Be physically qualified for overseas duty.

3. Officers of all components are eligible. Only officers of the highest caliber will be considered.

4. Recommendations will include the following information:

a. Name, rank, and serial number.

b. Present station and assignment.

c. Age.

d. General efficiency rating and last annual efficiency rating, if available.

e. Brief resume of important duties performed during past two (2) years.

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Ltr MTOUSA, AG 352.15/334 A-O,
dtd 15 January 1945 (Cont'd)

5. Candidates selected will be ordered to the Army and Navy Staff College on a temporary duty status. Commanders concerned will be advised at earliest possible date, if any of their candidates have been selected.

6. Negative reports are desired.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

/s/ C. W. Christenberry
C. W. CHRISTENBERRY,
Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

Reproduced by Hq 2675th Regt, Allied Commission, (Ovhd), APO 394, 22 January 1945.

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HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVERHEAD), APO 394, U. S. Army, 22 January 1945.

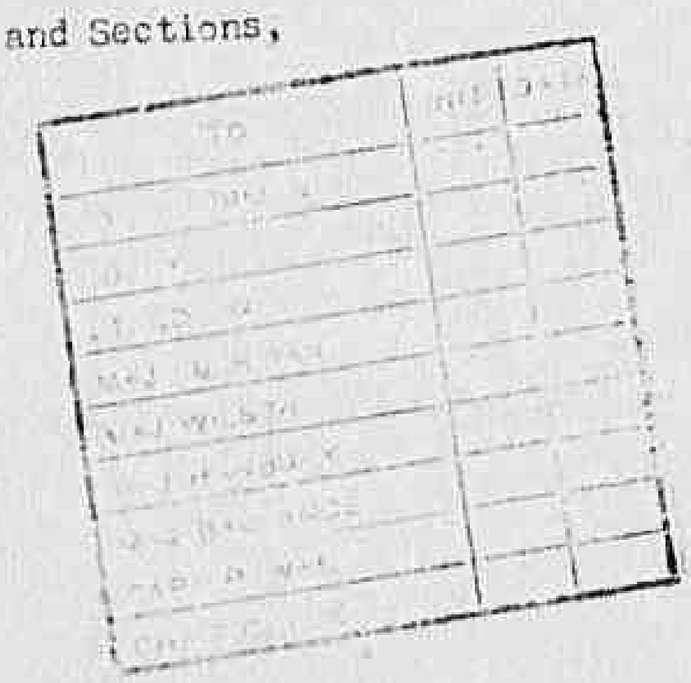
TO: All Concerned.

Names of eligible personnel will be sutmitted to this headquarters not later than 8 February 1945.

By order of Colonel PARKIN:

N. W. DRAGNEFF
Lt Col, AGD
Adjutant

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Al Signor Col. POLLOCK = Capo della Polizia Inglese di

ROMA

AL MINISTRO DELL'INTERNO ROMA

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Senza ascoltare ragione alcuna l'Ufficiale Alleato si rifiutò di aprire il mio bagaglio per esaminare il contenuto onde accertarsi che non vi erano generi sequestrabili.

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Testimoni dell'accaduto furono:

= Il Ten.Col. Silenzi Elio = Via Camozzi n.9 = Roma

= i seguenti agenti del Commissariato di P.S. del Compartimento di Napoli:

= Brigadiere di P.S. Favale Vito

= V.Brigadiere di P.S. Marino Florindo

= Guardia Scelta La Pietra Vincenzo

= Guardia Scelta Santoro Ciro

= Guardia Bertelloni Carcuccio

= Guardia Stanziano Emilio.

F/to Maggiore Nascio Luigi

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Roma, 28 novembre 1944

Al Sig. Col. POLLOCK = Capo della Polizia Inglese di

ROMA

Al Ministero dell'Interno

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Invece ha ottenuto un rifiuto di quanto sopra da parte dell'Ufficiale inglese.

Il sottoscritto eleva pertanto formale protesta contro la errata procedura tenuta nei suoi riguardi poichè il bagaglio personale doveva essere aperto, visitato e restituito a verifica effettuata. Poichè quanto sopra non è stato compiuto chiede di essere rimborsato al più presto del danno subito.

A testimoni di quanto asserito si citano:

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3) V.Brigadiere di P.S. Marino Florindo

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5) Guardia Scelta Santoro Ciro

6) Guardia Bertelloni Carduccio

7) Guardia Stanzione Emilio.

Il sopracitato personale di P.S. appartiene al Commissariato di P.S. del Compartimento di Napoli.

F/to Ten.Colonnello Elio Sileñzi.

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Roma, 27 dicembre 1944 A.

Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

All'ON. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
(Sottocommissione Pubblica Sicurezza)
ROMA

Direzione Polizia Sez. IV^
Prot. N. 10.35615 Allegati 2

Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N.

OGGETTO Ten. Colonnello SILENZI Elio e Maggiore MASCIO Luigi - Esposto.

Per opportuna notizia e per gli accertamenti e provvedimenti che codesta On. Commissione riterrà di adottare, si trasmette copia degli esposti qui inviati dai due ufficiali del R.E. indicati in oggetto, a causa del patito sequestro dei loro bagagli personali avvenuto il 24 novembre nella stazione ferroviaria di Vaglio di Lucania.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

8 January 45.

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Transmittal of Correspondence.

TO : AMG 5 Army (Att: C.P.S.).

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The attached letter from the Ministry of Interior, Director Public Security, is forwarded.

Could enquiries be made as suggested to trace the missing documents referred to.

JOHN P. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

Encl. as above.

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COPY

MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

Rome, 2-1-1945.

500/14036

SUBJECT : Research documents.

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With letter 08055 gab. of the 20.11.a.a. the Lucca V. Prefettura sent to this Ministry the below specified documents, seized at Capannori in the villa of the movie actress Doria Durenti, mistress of the secretary of the Republican Fascist Party Alessandro Pavolini.

1st A free deposit bank book n.4903 released the 12.6.942 in the name of Pavolini from the Banca Commerciale Italiana Rome office for 127.029 lire.

2nd A "travellers" check book, N.4903 released from the same bank the 12.6.1942 in the name of Pavolini.

3rd Some letters of correspondence with the above mentioned bank in which it is pointed out that Pavolini had cashed a check of 130.000 lire.

4th A sheet of blue paper containing conventional words and phrases, concerning the course of the war.

However, these documents were not returned enclosed in the letter above mentioned therefore the Prefetture which sent them has been requested to make the research for them.

The Prefetture referred to has certified that the above mentioned documents were attached to his letter, both at the moment of sending it from his office and by the A.M.G. of Lucca.

This stated, we beg your Commission to be willing to order a verification with your own office in case that the documents in question have been kept without warning during the transit through dependent offices.

FOR THE MINISTER.

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Mod. XII

Roma 2 gennaio 1945

Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Al l'On. COMMISSIONE
ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la
Pubblica Sicurezza
ROMA

Direzione A.G.R. Sez. IV
Prot. N.° 500/14036 Allegati

Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N.°

OGGETTO: Ricerca documenti.

Con lettera 08055 Gab. del 20.11.c.a. la R. Prefettura di Lucca trasmetteva a questo Ministero i documenti sottospecificati, sequestrati a Carpanori nella villa dell'artista cinematografica Doris Duranti, amante del segretario del partito fascista repubblicano Alessandro Pavolini:

1°) un libretto di conto di deposito libero n.4903 emesso il 12.6.942 al nome del Pavolini dalla Banca Commerciale Italiana- sede di Roma- per L.127.029;

2°) un libretto di "assegni per viaggiatori" n.4903 emesso dalla stessa banca il 12.6.1942 al nome del Pavolini;

3°) alcune lettere di corrispondenza con la banca predetta, dalle quali si rileva che il Pavolini aveva scontato un effetto di L.130.000;

4°) un foglio di carta sottile contenente parole convenzionali e frasi riguardanti l'andamento della guerra.

Tali documenti, però, non sono stati rinvenuti allegati alla lettera succitata per cui è stata interessata a farne ricerche la Prefettura mittente.

Questa ha riferito di aver accertato che i documenti predetti erano uniti alla sua lettera, sia all'atto della partenza dall'ufficio 6175 dell'A.M.G. di Lucca.

Ciò premesso, si prega codesta On. Commissione di compiacersi disporre

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Sottocommissione per la
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Si resta in attesa di cortese riferimento.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Ref: PS/23 Date 2 January 1945

SUBJECT : Found Property

TO : HQ. Allied Commission
(For Attention of Public Safety Sub-Commission)

1. The attached temporary Identity Card issued to Capt. J.A. LODWICK of Allied Control Commission, Bulgaria, was found in Bari and transmitted to this HQ. by HQ. 5th Area.

2. Will you please arrange for it to be handed to the appropriate authority.

For the Regional Commissioner :

/s/ ? ? Capt.

/t/ for C. RICHARDSON
Major.
Regional Public
Safety Officer.

1st Ind.

AC/14057/PS 6 January 1945

FROM HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION APO 394

TO : F.M. RAAC

(384)

Forwarded for disposal please.
This Officer is not known at this Headquarters.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

BP/wmg.

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HEADQUARTERS
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PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

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C. RICHARDSON
Major,
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TO		DATE
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MAJ BALLANCE		
CAPT P.W.L.		
CHIEF CLERK		

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TRANSLATION. Rome, 28th November, 1944.

To Col. Pollock - Head of the British Police of Rome.

To the Ministry of the Interior.

SUBJECT: Request for investigation into abusive sequestration of luggage.

The undersigned, Major Mascio Luigi resident in Rome at Via Faà di Bruno 10, declares as follows:-

On the 24th November, 1944, I was returning to Rome on train No. 3538 (then No. 8000 from Battipaglia Naples) when at the station of Vaglio di Lucania at about 2400 hours, a British Captain, assisted by Allied Military, Carabinieri, Finance Guards and P.S. Agents stooped it.

The object of this stop should have been the inspection of the passengers' luggage, among which was mine, comprising:

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1 travelling case containing a pair of red and white striped silk pijamas, a pair of brown leather bedroom slippers, shaving things, soap, towel etc.

1 leather bag containing some papers and food for the journey.

Without listening to any reasons, the Allied Officer refused to open my luggage and by examining it ascertain that it contained nothing to be sequestrated.

I therefore make formal protest against the conduct of the Allied Officer towards an Italian Officer and I claim the speedy ré-imbursement of the losses sustained.

Witnesses of what happened were:-
Lt. Col. Silenzi Elio - Via Camozzi 9, Rome. 6172
[illegible] following agents of the Commissariat of Public

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The following Agents of the Commissariat of Public Security, Naples:
(see names on original letter)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission

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WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington 25, D. C.

AGO/er 2B-939 Pentagon

8 December 1944

AG 000.7 (1 Dec 44)OB-S-WDGAP-M

SUBJECT: Statements by Responsible Military and Civilian Public Officials

Public Safety Sub-Pam

TO : Commanding Generals,
* * * *
Theaters of Operations
* * * *

1. We are in the most critical period of the war. Production of essential supplies vital to the war effort must be kept at a high level in order to support our military operations.

2. There is increasing evidence of a slackening of effort in the production of essential war materials. In part, this may be attributed to speculative public statements made by responsible military and civilian public officials at home and abroad indicating the possibility of an early termination of the war. Such statements serve no useful purpose. To the contrary, they are destructive of our all-out war effort.

3. All officers of the Army and War Department officials and civilian employees will refrain from making such public statements and will take the necessary action to prevent such statements being made by personnel under their control.

4. The commander of each force serving within the continental limits of the United States will make the contents of this letter known to each officer of his command.

5. The commander of each force serving outside of the continental limits of the United States will disseminate this letter within his command as he deems advisable.

By order of the Secretary of War:

s/ Robert H. Dunlop
t/ ROBERT H. DUNLOP,
Brigadier General,
Acting The Adjutant General

/vmg

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AG 000.7/754 - O
HEADQUARTERS MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army, 13 December 1944.

TO: All Concerned

For your information and compliance.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

s/ C. W. Christenberry
t/ C. W. CHRISTENBERRY,
Colonel, AGD
Acting Adjutant General

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HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVERHEAD), APO 394, U. S. Army, 21 December 1944.

TO: All Concerned.

For your information and compliance.

By order of Colonel PARKIN:

N. W. DRAGNEFF
Major, AGD
Adjutant

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PAREN TO AMG REAR EIGHTH ARMY FROM HQ ALCOM PAREN FD

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PUBLIC SAFETY S/C

Ext 502

B. POWELL, Capt.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

Suspense _____ Date 30 Dec 44

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	Staff Officer to A/CC			Establishment Section	
	Chief of Staff			Executive Officer (A)	
	Message Centre			Executive Officer (B)	
	Civil Affairs Section			G-1 (A)	
	DP & Rep			G-1 (A) Civilian Emp.	
	Local Govt			G-1 (B)	
	Patriots Branch			G-4 (A)	
	Public Safety	✓		G-4 (B)	
	Security Division			2675th Regt	
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Room 12
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Information from Mrs. Talucci

Thru Education S/C JVC

Alvisi Francesco Antonio

was a substitute teacher (supplenti)
in the secondary school in Bologna
(Istituto Tecnico, Sezione
Geometri) instructing in
Agronomy, Economics and
Rural Technology in 1942.
Records available do not cover
1943. — Since this man was
not a permanent employee
descriptive information of him
is not available.

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Lt. C.A.
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
G-1 (E)

REFERENCE : G-1E/109/A. 30 December 1944.

SUBJECT : Welfare.

TO : Distribution below.

1. This office letter of even number dated 23 October 1944 is cancelled.

2. Lieut. Colonel S.W. MILLER, R.A. relinquishes the appointment as Welfare Officer to the British Personnel of Allied Commission w.e.f. 1 January 1945 and the duties will be assumed by Major A.S. FARRAR R.A.S.C. (G-1 Br.Office)

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE

TO	INIT	DA
COL CHAPMAN		
COL YOUNG		
LT COL WILCOX		
MAJ BUCKMAN		
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MAJ HENRY		
MAJ BALL		
CAPT POWELL		

J.L. JONES
Lieut. Colonel,
Executive Officer (E)

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OUTGOING MESSAGE
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TO		
COL. CHAPMAN		X
COL. YOUNG		
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CAPT. POWEL		
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Copy to:
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

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28 December 1944

Adj: 334.

SUBJECT: Allied Commission Association

TO : Chiefs of Sub-Commissions and Sections, and all Regional Commissioners

1. A suggestion has been put forward that a post-war association for members of the Allied Commission should be formed in the United States and in Great Britain. The undermentioned officers have been nominated as members of a provisional committee which will meet at this Headquarters early in January 1945 for the purpose of investigating and reporting on the formation of an Allied Commission Association and the activities thereof.

2. Please discuss this matter fully and forward your views addressed to the Headquarters Commandant, Headquarters, Allied Commission. The provisional committee will meet at a time and date which will be notified later.

U.S.

Lt Col Grossman - Legal Sub-Com
Major Timmons - Finance Sub-Com
Capt Silveira - Public Health Sub-Com
Capt Solenberger - Labor Sub-Com
Capt Freese - Emilia Region

BRITISH

Lt Col Robertson - Hq Commandant
Lt Col White - Civil Affairs Section
Major Fielden - Public Relations Br
Major Harriman - Lazio-Umbria Region
Major Birch - Transportation Sub-Com

NICHOLAS PISANO
C/O, USA
Asst Adjutant

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TO	DATE	
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COL. YOUNG		
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CAPT. POWELL		
CHIEF CLERK		

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ACTION: ALCOA

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Information has been received that Italian nationals WILLIAM ACQUAFREDDA and ENZO RECCHI who were assigned as armed guards aboard the SS BRETAGNE deserted the ship at New York on 22 April 44 are being held on deportation charges by Department of Justice. They are considered deserters from the Italian Navy. Your view as to deposition in event of deportation is desired.

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~~Action~~ - P Safety (2)
Info - Chief Commissioner
CA Sec
Action - Navy SC
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To: Navy Sub-Commission

In accordance with our telephone conversation will you please take the necessary action on this signal.

See 32A

K. W. Wilcox Lt. Col.
for Director Public Safety

28 December 1944

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Headquarters
ALLIED COMMISSION
(Adjutant's Department)
APO 394

21 December 1944.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM)
NUMBER 20)

Channel of Communication with Ministry of Marine

1. The Navy Sub-Commission has been informed that various offices of the Ministry of Marine are receiving directly an increasing number of requests for information and assistance from Allied Organizations.

2. In the interest of obtaining such information for Allied representatives in a rapid manner, and to permit the Navy Sub-Commission to have knowledge of the material that is disseminated by the Italian Navy, it is requested that all Sections and Sub-Commissions submit their requirements to the Ministry of Marine through the Navy Sub-Commission.

By command of Rear Admiral STONE:

NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
CWO, USN
Asst Adjutant

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY
(U.S. Contingent)(Ovhd) APO 777
U.S. Army

GEN MEM ORDERS)
:
NUMBER 16) 16 December 1944

REDESIGNATION OF HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY

I. Under authority of AFHQ Cable FX 47803, 12 December 1944, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Allied Armies in Italy (U.S. Contingent) (Ovhd), is redesignated Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 15th Army Group (Ovhd), effective 1200 hours, 16 December 1944.

II. All publications previously issued by Headquarters Allied Armies in Italy (U.S. Contingent)(Ovhd), are hereby confirmed and made record of 15th Army Group.

By command of Major General LEMNITZER:

CHAS. T. LANHAM,
Colonel, G.S.C.,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

/s/ G. C. Lewis
G. C. LEWIS,
Lt. Col., GSC,
Act. Adj General.

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16 Dec. 1944.

To all Officers of Public Safety S/C.

The 16 Edition of a Directory of Communes regrouped in regions and provinces has been received by this Sub-Commission.

Information on military districts, provinces, population, post offices location, railway station, pretura courts, court of appeal, tax office and telephone offices in addition to other pertinent information is listed.

The Directory will be kept in the Chief Clerk's office and is available for all the officers of this Sub-Commission.

Executive Officer.

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Ministero delle Corporazioni

DIREZIONE GENERALE DEL PERSONALE
DELLA PREVIDENZA E DEL COLLOCAMENTO

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

DIRECTOR. PUBLIC SAFETY S.C.

DPS 24A
G.N.D.

The undermentioned extract from the Basic News of 18.12.44 shows the results of the cases in which Major Hare is interested in Bari.

SEVERE SENTENCES PASSED ON FOOD THIEVES

BARI, December 17 — The trial of 33 individuals charged with theft of Allied food supplies ended yesterday in heavy sentences by the Allied Military Court on all but two of the accused.

The men received sentences ranging from six months to six years' imprisonment and heavy fines. All of them had been in Allied employ.

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S.C. Hare
Major.

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

5 December 1944

AG 014.35/724 -O

SUBJECT: Post Card Application for State Absentee Ballots.

TO : All Concerned.

1. The War Department has stated that US WBC Form Number 1 (Post card application for state absentee ballots) will be used in the 1945 elections.

2. It is desired that any surplus of this form on hand in units under your command be returned direct to the nearest base section.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

/s/ R. H. Frese
R. H. FRESE,
Captain, AGD,
Asst Adjutant General.

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Hq Headquarters Command Allied Force, APO 512, US Army, 6 December 1944.

To: Commanding Officers, All Units, Headquarters Command, AF.

1. For compliance.

2. Surplus forms will be forwarded direct to this headquarters as soon as practicable.

By order of Colonel RAMSEY:

/s/ J. P. Meister
J. P. MEISTER,
1st Lt, Infantry,
Asst Adjutant.

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HEADQUARTERS, 2675TH REGIMENT, ALLIED COMMISSION, (OVERHEAD), APO 394, U. S. Army, 13 December 1944.

TO: Units this Regiment & Directors Sub-Commissions, Allied Commission.

1. For compliance.

2. Surplus forms will be forwarded to this headquarters as soon as possible.

By order of Colonel PARKIN:

N. W. DRAGNEFF
Major, AGD
Adjutant

TO	INIT	D
COL CHAPMAN		
COL YOUNG		
LT COL WILCOX		
MAJ BOKMAN		
MAJ WILSON		
MAJ HANBURY		
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CAPT POWEL		
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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

Public Safety Sec

8 December 1944

AG 210.711/740 A-O

SUBJECT: Facilities for Armed Forces Married Couples on leave, furlough, or pass in Rome.

TO : All Concerned.

1. To provide hotel facilities for armed forces married couples on leave, furlough, or pass in Rome, arrangements have been completed as follows:

STATUS	BILLET
Officer, with wife having officer status	Hotel San Giorgio
Officer, with wife having enlisted status	Hotel San Georgio
Enlisted man, with wife having officer status	Hotel Di Italia
Enlisted man, with enlisted wife	Hotel Di Italia

2. Upon arrival in Rome married couples desiring to be billeted as above will report to the Billeting Officer, Rome Command MTOUSA, presenting at that office certificates signed by each of their respective commanders which will state that billeting under the provisions of this letter is authorized and is requested.

3. Upon verification of the authorized absence status of this personnel and the validity of the certificate of request billets and meals will be furnished.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

/s/ A. B. King
A. B. KING,
Major, AGD,
Asst Adjutant General.

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COL YOUNG	
LT COL WILCOX	X
MAJ BERMAN	
MAJ WILSON	
MAJ HANBURY	Left 15/12 X
MAJ BALLANCE	
CAPT POWELL	
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Executive Officer.

Seen & noted. The only people who can answer CA's query are Region (Lazio-Umbria) or Economic Section. The part released is quite small and is heavily damaged by the fighting

J Flannery
Maj

Col Whitt notified [illegible]
re the [illegible] 7/12

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No. 794 U. S. Army

1 December 1944

OPERATIONS MEMORANDUM)
:
NUMBER 18)

- 4 DIC 1944

4 DEC. 1944

SECURITY AREA: OSTIA LIDO

Map: Italy 1/50,000, Sheet 149 (II) OSTIA LIDO

INTENTION

1. The de-restriction of a certain part of the Security Area at OSTIA LIDO with effect 3 Dec 44.

2. The return to the Italian Authorities of that part of the Security Area thus released by this Operations Memorandum.

3. The cancellation of Operations Memorandum No. 3 dated 22 July 44.

BOUNDARIES: SECURITY AREA

4. With effect 3 Dec 44 the boundaries of the Security Area at OSTIA LIDO will be amended as follows:

a. NORTH Viale delle Galee - Viale Duca di Genova.
b. EAST Viale Duca di Genova - junc rd Route 8 - ROME.
c. SOUTH Junc rd Route 8 - ROME - Sea at Viale della Marina.
d. WEST Sea.

5. The area thus de-restricted is thereby released for such use as may be required by the Italian Authorities in conjunction with Allied Commission.

SECURITY AREA

6. The amended Security Area as given vide para 4 will ON NO ACCOUNT be utilised for any purpose without the written authority of this Headquarters.

7. Houses, Villas, and all other premises within the Security Area WILL NOT be entered by Allied Military personnel, civilians or Italian Military personnel without the authority of this Headquarters (see para 6).

PASSES

8. Passes to enter this Area will be issued as hithertofore by G-3 Rome Area. Passes to enter or take over premises as outlined in para 7 will be issued by Real Estate Rome Area.

NOTICE BOARDS

9. G-2 will arrange for Notice Boards at present in position around perimeter of Area as laid down in Operations Memorandum No. 3, para 3, to be re-erected [illegible] Bd 1 SA I of C PSS as required on the new boundaries of the Security Area

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10. 1 SA L of C FSS will remain for duty at OSTIA LIDO until further notice.

By command of Brigadier General BROWN:

I. E. CHEEK
Captain AGD
Adjutant General

TO	
CHIEF OF STAFF	
SIGNAL	
DISTRIBUTION	
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Fifth Army	
Eighth Army	
Union Jack	
CHIEF CLERK	

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Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E RISERVATO

ORDINE DEL GIORNO

Nella ricorrenza delle prossime feste natalizie rivolgo il mio affettuoso saluto augurale a tutti gli ufficiali, sottufficiali e militari di truppa dell'Arma, che amo e considero come la mia grande Famiglia.

Ora che il nostro Esercito riprende onorevolmente posto a fianco agli Alleati per liberare il suolo patrio e piantare il vessillo della libertà sullo scintillante scudo delle Alpi, il nostro pensiero è vicino ai valorosi combattenti, nei ranghi od alla macchia, ovunque batta un cuore e si brandisca un'arma per i nobili e santi ideali della Patria.

Sono presenti, al nostro memore affetto, i nostri commilitoni prigionieri e quelli deportati in lontani campi di concentramento, cittadini e soldati intemerati che tennero fede al giuramento dato e fedelmente seguirono la via dell'onore.

Dispersi nella bufera della guerra, essi nelle prossime feste, non avranno il conforto di riabbracciare i loro cari che, in questi giorni, sentiranno più viva la nostalgia del loro distacco.

Le ferree esigenze del servizio negheranno anche a molti di voi la possibilità di trascorrere questa ricorrenza in seno alle vostre famiglie.

Ma le contingenze della vita militare, anzichè affievolire, ravvivano nei cuori generosi gli affetti familiari ed il loro culto si nobilita nel sereno adempimento del proprio dovere, che sospinge a sopportare con animo sereno rinunce e sacrifici per la nostra più grande immortale famiglia: l' **Italia!**

Mentre il vecchio anno tramonta tra lutti e rovine ed il nuovo sorge tra balenanti luci di Vittoria, riprendiamo con rinnovata lena il cammino verso le luminose mete che ci attendono per le più grandi fortune dell'Arma.

Con questo lieto auspicio, porgo a tutti i militari dipendenti ed alle loro famiglie, fervidissimi auguri di ogni bene.

Roma, 8 dicembre 1944.

IL GENERALE DI CORPO D'ARMATA COMANDANTE GENERALE
Taddeo Orlando

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

12 Dec 44

Ref 6/11B/CA

SUBJECT : Intra Theatre Travel

TO : Loc Govt S/C
Legal S/C
Ed S/C
PH S/C
PS S/C
DP &R S/C
MFA&A S/C
Pats Branch

1 AFHQ Admin Memo 55 dated 8 Dec on the subject of Intra Theatre Travel nevertheless contains instructions which apply to travel inside Italy.

2 As to this it provides that all subordinate HQs will submit to COS AFHQ the names of all officers desiring to visit on temporary duty places in Italy north of the line PIOMBINO - SIENA - ANCONA (all incl), the HQ it is desired to visit, the purpose of the visit and the probable duration thereof will also be stated.

3 Officers desiring to visit HQ AAI or subordinate formations will obtain AFHQ sanction before approaching AAI for permission to enter Army Areas.

4 The memo then proceeds to state that these instructions will not be construed to prohibit travel required by unit personnel in performance of functional duties. This exception is considered to cover the cases of officers proceeding north of the line on actual duty for AC purposes.

S.H. WHITE Lt Col
for CSO CA Section.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel. 489081 Ext. 392

1 December 1944

TO : ALL SECTIONS & SUB-COMMISSIONS, A.C.

FROM : Colonel C.B. FINDLAY, D.P.R.S.C. H.Q.A.C.

I am forwarding you 2 copies of a letter on the subject of the R.A. War Memorial. Would you be kind enough to have one copy passed to each Gunner officer in your Section or Sub-Commission at this H.Q.

Additional copies can be obtained on application to my office.

C.B. FINDLAY.
Colonel.

Public Safety S/C.

TO	
COL CHAPMAN	
COL YOUNG	
LT COL WILSON	
MAJ THOMPSON	
MAJ [illegible]	
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MAJ [illegible]	
CAPT [illegible]	
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From: Major General E.C.W. HARRISON.

DO/331.2-2(c)

Field Artillery Section.
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,
C.M.F.

21 October, 1944.

I am writing to ask you to bring the attached paper to the notice of all Gunners and ex-gunners, officers and ORs, in your formation or establishment.

I suggest that contributions from those ORs who wish to subscribe to the R.A. War Memorial should be collected over the pay table at any convenient pay day before the end of November. I also suggest that an entry should be made in the ORs' pay books to indicate that they have subscribed so that they may not be asked to subscribe again at a later date.

A supply of Bankers orders is enclosed.

(2)

From Colonel C.B. FIRMAY, D.P.R.S.C.

27 November, 1944.

TO All Gunners, Allied Comdnsion.

Reference above. Will you

(a) If you are prepared to help send your Bankers order direct to the Secretary, Royal Artillery Association, Earls Court, LONDON, S.W.5.

(b) Explain this scheme to any Artillery ORs that you know, and forward any subscriptions to me at once, I will send on a cheque with names of all subscribers. I suggest that the scale should be, say, 100 lire, 200 lire or 300 lire, according to rank and not odd sums.

C.B. FIRMAY,
Colonel.

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ROYAL ARTILLERY WAR MEMORIAL

1. Consideration is being given to the form of memorial which should be erected to members of the Regiment who have lost their lives in this war.

The proposal under discussion at present is that the memorial should take the form of a building in central London, which, in addition to housing the RA Institution and the RA Association, would comprise a 'Gunner Centre' for Old Comrades of all ranks. It is suggested that there should be a place for social meetings, lectures, films, etc., and also that this Centre should act as an 'exchange' where - for instance - ex-Gunners seeking work could be put in touch with others who had jobs to offer. It is hoped that many ex-Gunner officers would feel able to play a useful and constructive part in the charitable organisations of the Regiment if the RA Association were conveniently located in Central London.

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2. This proposal has been submitted to the Colonels Commandant RA and has received almost unanimous support. The Executive Committee of the RA Association has also given its approval to the scheme, provided it can be shown that it is in accord with the wishes of the Regiment as a whole.

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It is emphasised that discussions are still in the exploratory stage and no firm decision has been taken on any part of the scheme. It is desired, when the time comes, to erect a memorial which will meet with the approval of the majority of Gunners.

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The contribution is absolutely voluntary. It is hoped however that all Gunners who can do so will respond to this appeal so that the War Memorial may be worthy of the Royal Regiment.

Contributions should be forwarded either by banker's order or by cheque or APO money order marked 'RA War Memorial' and make payable to

The Secretary,
RA Association,
Artillery House,
Earls Court,
London, S.W.5.

(sd) E.G. W.W. HARRISON,

Major General Royal Artillery
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BANKER'S ORDER

BANKER'S NAME :

BANKER'S ADDRESS :

On receipt of this order please pay to the account of the ROYAL ARTILLERY ASSOCIATION at Lloyds Bank Ltd, Cox's and King's Branch, 6 Pall Mall, London, S.W.1., the sum of (words)..... .....

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for credit of RA War Memorial Fund.

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Signature .....

Address.....

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Date.....

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AG GROUP
A.M. H.Q. 2 DISTRICT
CRF

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TO	INIT	DATE
COL CHAPMAN		5/12
COL YOUNG		6/12
LT COL WILCOX		5/12
MAJ WILSON		7/12
MAJ HANBURY		
MAJ BALLANCE		11/12
CAPT POWEL		
CHIEF CLERK		

AG/AG/331

TO : A.G Gp Rep - Region Lombardia.
A.G Gp Rep - Region Liguria.
A.G Gp Rep - Region Piemonte.

SUBJECT : 2 District Planning - Carabinieri and Questure assistance to Military Police.

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1. A.M.G. 2 District requests that allotment be considered of the following Carabinieri in main towns of each of the 3 Regions of Lombardia, Liguria and Piemonte.

2. One officer and 30 Carabinieri are suggested in order to carry out the necessary preliminary tasks under the A.M.G. or C.A.M.G. controlling the British Military Police of the area concerned.

3. List of duties when presence of Carabinieri is considered by the Army to be essential is:

a. Closing of all Brothels, Wine Shops, Cafes and the observance of Curfew orders by civilians.

b. Dealings with the civil population.

c. Checks on civilian movement (traffic and pedestrians).

d. Enforcing orders by the Military Commander, regarding civilians.

4. In addition there will be 2 S.I. Sections, C.F with H.Q. 2 District and it is requested that 2 Questure Agents be allotted to each of these 2 Sections and make contact and be with these 2 Sections before the day on which H.Q. 2 District and its Administrative troops move forward to occupy the areas concerned.

5. It is requested that this matter be discussed with your Regional Public Safety Officers and replies forwarded for each Region to AMG, H.Q. 2 District.

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D. HORSEY-FLETCHER,
Lt. Colonel.
Staff Officer, AMG Group,
2 District.

RL.

Copy to: APM 2 District.
Public Safety Sub-Commission, Allied Commission.
A.A.I. Civil Affairs Section.

Note These jobs ought to be done by Mobile CCKR attached to 5 + 8 Armies Lt/Under.X det 60

5th Dec 1944/

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
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AC/14057/PS

24 January 1945

SUBJECT : P.R. Information Sheets.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Toscana Region.

With reference to your letter HVIII/9/4/41 dated 19 January, 1945, the previous letters were passed in error to this Sub-Commission, they were sent from this Sub-Commission to War Material Disposal and Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission for action.

Your latest letter has been forwarded as above and is being dealt with at once by War Material Disposal and Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

CIRCULAR)
: 9 January 1945
NUMBER 4)

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II
III

Officers Pay Vouchers . . . . . .
Out of Bounds Area . . . . . .
Per Diem . . . . . .

I -- OFFICERS PAY VOUCHERS

In order to enable disbursing officers to maintain accurate and complete files of essential information regarding payments made in this Theater to officers, warrant officers (including flight officers), members of the Army Nurse Corps and other female personnel in grades corresponding to officers, warrant officers and flight officers, it is directed that all officers furnishing the statement required by paragraph 2c, AR 35-1360, dated 11 April 1944, include therein the following:

"I was last paid by _____ (Insert Name of Disbursing Officer, if known) for the month of _____, 19___, while on duty at _____ (Name of Unit and Station)."

II - OUT OF BOUNDS AREA

1. All restaurants and eating houses in the mainland of Italy will be out of bounds to all U. S. personnel with the following exceptions:

a. Clubs, restaurants, etc., organized or controlled by U. S. troops themselves.

b. Cafes, etc., where no foodstuffs are sold.

III - PER DIEM

Section II, Circular Number 142, this headquarters, 1944, is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. Per diem allowances for military personnel on orders issued by all commanders for travel or temporary duty to be performed wholly within the theater is not authorized, so orders issued should state in all cases "no per diem", except that:

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Hq MTOUSA Circular # 4 (cont'd)

a. Upon receipt of requests, made in advance of the travel or temporary duty to be performed, showing that the above limitation would cause undue hardship, this headquarters may grant authority for a per diem allowance, the amount to be determined by the circumstances incident to the travel or temporary duty involved.

b. Any headquarters having authority to issue travel orders for temporary duty in Albania, Bulgaria (except Sofia), Gibraltar, Greece (except Athens), Hungary, Malta, Rumania (except Bucharest) and Jugoslavia is authorized to include per diem at not to exceed $7.00 per day for not more than thirty (30) days for such duty. Government billeting and messing facilities are now available in Sofia, Bulgaria; Athens, Greece; and Bucharest, Rumania, so no per diem is authorized while on duty in those places.

2. Monetary allowances in lieu of subsistence and quarters will not be paid to enlisted men while on duty in Sofia, Bulgaria; Athens, Greece; and Bucharest, Rumania.

3. For all travel, others than intra-theater travel described in paragraph 1 above, the provisions of Section II, W.D. Circular 356, 1944, will apply.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

GEORGE D. PENCE,
Brigadier General, GSC,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

C. W. CHRISTENBERRY,
Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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SUBJECT : Accidents: Sig. I. TANTARI

TO : Public Safety S/C.

20th Jan 1945

Please see the attached memorandum number 6/204/99 of January 18th which please return to Political section after action.

We shall be greatful for a reply to the writer.

/s/ A.C. HALFORD

/t/ A.S. HALFORD
Asst Political Adviser
Political Section

1st Ind.

24 January 1945

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission, APO 394.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Lazio-Umbria Region, (Attn: R.P.C.O.).

For action please as suggested in letter from Political section.

Please return papers with your reply.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Publicsafety
Sub-Commission

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ALLIED [redacted] COMMISSION

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Incidents: Sign & TANTARI FILE No.

TO : Public Safety O/C 21st Jan 1944

Pl. see the attached memo. from the Lgn Dir. (no. 6/284/99 1) dtd. 13th.; — which pl. return to Pol Sec. after action.

We should be grateful for material for a reply to the Lgn Dir.

A S Halford

(A. S. HALFORD) 6141
Asst. Political Adviser
Political Section

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Tel.489081

M E M O R A N D U M

13 Jan. 45

Reference : 158/PWU
Subject : Conservation of Electric Power

From : P. W. & U. S/C

To : Agriculture S/C, AC
Air Force S/C, AC
Army S/C, AC
Commerce S/C, AC
Communications S/C, AC
Displaced Persons & Repatriation S/C, AC
Economic Section
Education S/C, AC
Finance S/C, AC
Food S/C, AC
Industry S/C, AC
Labour S/C, AC
Legal S/C, AC
Local Government S/C, AC
Navy S/C, AC
Public Health S/C, AC
Public Safety S/C, AC
Shipping S/C, AC
Transportation S/C, AC

TO		
COL CHERRY	MAY	15
COL YOUNG	AIA	16
LT. CO WILCOX	CAS	17
MAJ BUCKMAN		
MAJ WILSON		
MAJ HANBURY		
MAJ BALLANCE	WCL	18
CAPT POWELL		
Capt Daley.		

1) - Attached General Order for your information and distribution.

Wm. Lapper
W.M.LAPPER
Lt-Colonel
Chief Elec.Div.

cc : File 051
cc : File 060

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
APO 512

AG/675/171 GDS-O 31 October 1944

Subject : Conservation of electric power facilities of Italian Utilities

To : ALL CONCERNED

1) - A critical shortage of electric utility service exists throughout wide sections of occupied Italy, In order to conserve the limited supply of electric power available, and in order to meet the increasing military and essential civilian requirements, it is necessary that all possible means be utilized to reduce non-essential electric consump tion from utility sources, by both military and civilian users in Italy.

2) - The following steps will be taken to reduce loads on commercial electric systems :

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By command of General WILSON,

(Sgd) H.V.ROBERTS

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Colonel, ACD
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20 January 1945

SUBJECT : Alleged Absentee.

TO : Provost Marshal, H.A.A.C.

The attached letter with summary translation is forwarded for any action you may deem necessary.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

19 January 1945

AG 1: 200.4

SUBJECT: Travel orders

TO : All Concerned

1. Pietro Persone, Italian civilian, attached Public Safety Sub-Commission this, Headquarters, will proceed to Naples, Italy, on or about 22 January 1945 on temporary duty for a period of approximately fifteen (15) days in connection with activities of the above-mentioned Sub-Commission and upon completion thereof will return to this station.

2. Travel by government motor transport is authorized. (Courier).

By command of Rear Admiral STONE:

Nicholas Piombino

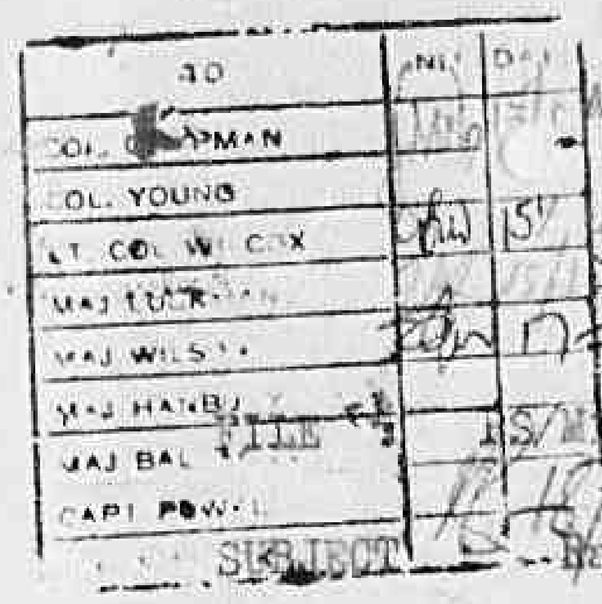
NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
CWO, USA
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
A.P.O.394
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION.

491A

10/1/45.

SUBJECT :- Railway Accident - Collision between two trains.

TO : Lt. Col. C.T.Francis, R.P.S.O. Lazio-Umbria Region.
(Through Major P.Coxhead, P.S.O. Rome City.)

1. The attached translation of a report from Commissario of P.S. Monte Sacro Station, refers to a collision between two trains, on the railway between Rome and Tiburtina Stations, at 1900 hours on 2/1/45.

2. As a result of the accident, two civilians were killed and twenty one injured, all railway employees.

3. The accident was apparently caused by the failure of the persons in charge of one of the trains to stop at danger signals at a single track line, over which another train had received the signal to proceed.

4. The driver and fireman responsible, absconded after the accident and have not yet been traced.

5. No Allied personnel involved.

6. Respectfully forwarded for your information. The first detailed report respecting this accident was received at this Office on 9/1/45.

File No.:- 40R/613/PS 1st Ind.
To: HQ., CC., Public Safety Sub-Commissions.

For information only.
Translation referred to in para 1 not send

11 Jan '45

D.J.HOPKINS, 6135
CAPTAIN,
P.S.O.

R.P.S.O

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
APO 512

7 January 1945

AG 000.4/019 GCT-O

SUBJECT: Protection of Historical Monuments and Civilian Population.

TO : All Commanders.

1. It is desired at this time to restate the policy of this headquarters with respect to the preservation of historical and cultural monuments and the protection of the civilian population within the areas of operations. In all cases, military necessity remains the over-riding consideration. However, it is the personal desire of the Supreme Allied Commander that, subject to the limitations imposed by military necessity, the civilian population, cities, and historical and cultural monuments should be spared from bombardment or attack by our land, sea and air forces.

2. The locations of historical and cultural monuments, both ahead of our front lines and in territories occupied by us, are known to Allied Military Government officers. It is the responsibility of Allied Military Government officers to keep higher commanders in the field informed of these locations. Similar information will be furnished to Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean and Mediterranean Allied Air Force by G-5, this headquarters.

3. It is desired that all commanders comply with the spirit of this letter.

4. It is further desired that higher commanders pass this information to lower echelons.

By command of Field Marshal ALEXANDER:

TO	INIT	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL WILCOX		17
MAJ LUCKMAN		
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MAJ HANBURY		
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AG 000.4 1st Ind. IEC/was
ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND, APO 794, US Army, 11 January 1945

TO: See Distribution.

For information and compliance.

By command of Brigadier General BROWN:

I. E. Cheek

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Captain AGD
Adjutant General

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478709

14 January, 1945

AC/14057/PS

SUBJECT : Appeal for Prisoning F.S.S.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Abruzzi-Marche
(Attention Regional Public Safety Officer).

1. Attached is an appeal for a prisoner of the Field Security Section of Jesi that has been passed to this office by a representative of the Secretary of States office of the Vatican.

2. This Sub-Commission is not interested in prisoners of Field Security but ask that this be passed on to them for their action.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

JWH/G. N.R.

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO 794, US Army

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2 January 1945

HEADQUARTERS
1945
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Memorandum:

To : See Distribution.

The following letter was received from Allied Force Headquarters and is reproduced for the interest of all concerned. Coming from such a high level it reflects great credit upon this command and is a source of pride to the Commanding General:

" ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
CR/6412/G-1(B)
28 Dec 44.

"Commanding General
Rome Area Allied Command

"SUBJECT:-Criminal Activities in Rome.

"Reference your letter TKB/jg dated 16 Dec 44.

1. The Supreme Allied Commander has noted with satisfaction the efficient and courageous manner in which the various police agencies involved in these cases have done their work.

2. He wishes you to convey his appreciation to the officers and men concerned, and also his approval of the manner in which the efforts of all concerned in this most successful investigation have been coordinated."

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"/s/ M.W.M. MacLeod
Major General, DAG.,
G-1 (B)"

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By command of Brigadier General BROWN:

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
C-1 (B)

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REFERENCE : C-1B/30/A

11 January 1945

SUBJECT : Security.

TO : H.Q., Tokio Unterin Region
(Attention Regional U.S. Officer)

1. The Acting President, Allied Commission has now taken up residence at VILLA PARESI - Via Nomentana, 297 ROME.

2. It is thought that some form of Police surveillance should be maintained on these premises and it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements and inform this Headquarters accordingly.

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDER

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CHIEF CLERK		

Sir J.E.T. RITCHIE Bt.
Major
C-1 (B)

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Lt Col Dilen.
I think a C.C.R.R. person is desirable. Will you please arrange with Lt Col Francis and report. Yrs. You might also take it up with Lt Col Francis as Officers of the Control Commission for C.C.R.R. have been [illegible] Lt Col Francis advised 18.1.45 Geoffrey H.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
LAZIO UMBRIA REGION
APO 394
MOVEMENT CONTROL DIVISION

1. December 1944.

SUBJECT: Change in Movement Control.

TO : Division Head listed.

1. By direction of Colonel Poletti this division ceases active operation in the field of Movement Control and becomes an advisory unit as of this date.

2. In the organization of Ente Nazionale Autotrasporti di Cose (E.N.A.C.) a Control Office is provided which will function as a counterpart of this Division. Eng. Saul Greco is the head of that Control Office with offices in the Ministry of Communications Building, located in Piazza Croce Rossa. Telephone installation is not completed at present.

3. From this date all application for civilian road transport should be made directly to Ufficio Trasporti di Roma (U.T.R.) by the person, organization or Division using the transport and paying for it. Time is lost rather than saved if a Division submits a request for transport on behalf of a civilian organization. When the request is unusual or out of the ordinary it would be well for the Division concerned to endorse the request and explain the need or urgency of it.

4. A certain amount of paper work and record keeping is necessary for the Control Office to properly function. Therefore, emergency requests should be restricted to honest emergencies and not include lack of foresight in getting application filed in reasonable time.

Bernard A. Culleton, Major
Director Movement Con 6130

Maj. Horn - Economics & Supply
Maj. Mason Economics & Supply
Maj. Sutherland - Agriculture
Maj. Harris - Transportation
Capt. Hay - Economics & Supply
Capt. Scott - Economics & Supply
Capt. Lester - Economics & Supply
Capt. Kain - Agriculture

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

30 December 1944

AC/TN/R/7

SUBJECT: Change in Movement Control Division.

TO : (See distribution)

The attached letter has been received from Region Lazio - Umbria, and is forwarded to you for information.

MERRITT H. TAYLOR
Director.

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LT COL [illegible]		
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MAJ BALLANCE		
CAPT POWELL		
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TO	INITIAL	DATE
COL CHAPMAN		
COL YOUNG		
LT COL WILCOX		
MAJ [illegible]		
MAJ WHITE		
MAJ HANBURY		
MAJ BALLINGER		
Memorandum:		

NBASE AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO 794, US Army

RHS/IEC/hp
6 January 1945

To : See Distribution.

1. Attention is invited to the following Extract of Section III, Circular #17, Hq MTOUSA, Office of the Surgeon, dated 25 March 1944:

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III - LEAD POISONING.

1. The hazards connected with handling and use of leaded gasoline warrant the attention of the Army Medical Officer, especially since the concentration of tetraethyl lead in this fuel has been increased above levels formerly employed. Contact of the skin with the leaded gasoline in use up to the present time has not resulted in the absorption of significant or dangerous amounts of tetraethyl lead into the body; however, inhalation of the vapors of the gasoline and its products of combustion is detrimental. The rate of absorption by inhalation under ordinary exposures is about three times more rapid than the rate of excretion so that the poison is cumulative.

2. Poisoning with organic lead compounds contains few of the essential clinical features of classical lead poisoning with inorganic lead salts. The picture is essentially that of a generalized intoxication culminating with the manifestations of an encephalopathy. The onset may be either insidious or abrupt depending on the nature of the exposure. If the onset is insidious the first symptoms are lassitude, easy fatiguability, headache and insomnia with sometimes more generalized constitutional symptoms. If the illness progresses or if the onset is abrupt the symptoms are predominantly mental and are those of a toxic psychosis the pattern of which is determined by the patient's previous personality. Intractable insomnia is perhaps the most characteristic single symptom. There are few or no neurologic signs and none of the manifestations (colic, leadline on the gums, basophilic stippling of the erythrocytes, peupheral neuritis), characteristic of poisoning with inorganic lead. The diagnosis should be suspected in any patient who has been exposed to tetraethyl lead who is afebrile and who presents minor or major symptoms of a disturbance of the central nervous system. Treatment should be supportive and symptomatic; efforts either to mobilize or demobilize

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3. The following preventive measures should be practised where leaded gasoline is handled or used:

a. Provide adequate ventilation, especially when the field range is used indoors.

b. Avoid excessive spillage. Where such occurs the gasoline should be removed by washing away with water or covering with [illegible]

c. Care should be taken to protect food as far as possible from the fumes during the process of cooking. Do not toast

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or grill food directly over the fire.

d. Field ranges should be cleaned and filters replaced in accordance with the operating instructions issued for their use.

e. Avoid repeated contact of the gasoline with the skin, and where such has occurred the affected parts should be washed thoroughly with soap and water immediately.

NOTE: The medical officers of units manning gasoline supply depots, or using lead paints or solder should be particularly watchful of the personnel involved and assure the use of proper safety precautions. Medical officers in general, station, and neuropsychiatric hospitals will send to the Surgeon, NATOUSA, a copy of the case history of any patient on whom the diagnosis of "Lead Poisoning" is made.

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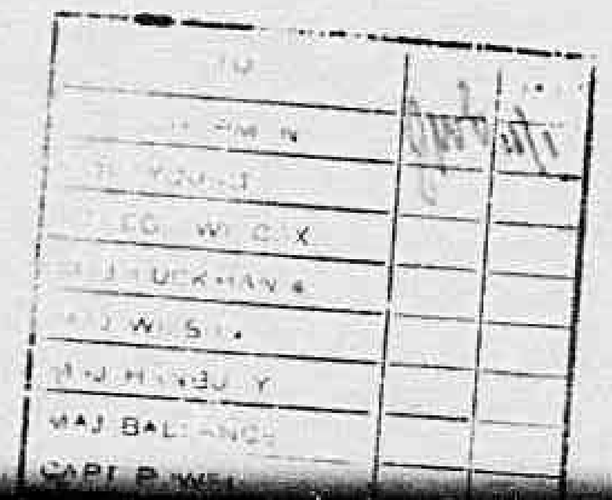
2. The deaths of two civilians from the effects of lead poisoning contracted while washing clothes in leaded gasoline have been recently reported.

3. Effective immediately, gasoline will not be used for the cleaning of clothes by any unit of this command.

By command of Brigadier General BROWN:

I. E. CHEEK
Captain AGD
Adjutant General

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF

1405/7 Tel. 239
30 Dec. 44

SUBJECT: Italian Population Figures

TO: Distribution List A, Groups 1, 2, and 3.

1. The tabulation of results of the Census of liberated Italy has now progressed sufficiently to enable revised estimates of the resident population to be prepared.

2. Comparison of the figures resulting from the present census with the corresponding figures in the 1936 Census provides an index which has been applied to the 1936 population figures for the 56 provinces of Italy not included in the present census.

3. Attached is a tabulation of population of Italy by provinces. The population of the provincial capital, which is included in the total for the province, is shown separately.

4. It is requested that in all future staff Studies, appreciations, etc., involving calculations based on population, these figures be used throughout, so that all planning in this respect, will be working on a common basis.

L. D. DENMORE
Colonel, PA
Acting Deputy Chief of Staff
Economic Section

TO	INIT	DATE
COL CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL WILCOX		
MAJ LUCKMAN		
MAJ WILSON		
MAJ HANBURY		
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478900

8 January, 1945

AC/HQ57/PS

SUBJECT : Lt. Colonel GILENZI and Major MASCIO.

TO : Regional Commissioner Southern Region
Att: PTSO.

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The attached translated copies of complaints made by the above named are forwarded for investigation and report.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

BF/G.

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TRANSLATION

Rome, 28th Nov. 1944.

To Col. Pollock, Head of the British Police in Rome.
and
To the Ministry of the Interior.

The undersigned Lt. Col. Elio Silenzi, Via Gabriele Camozzi No. 9, Rome, reports that he was on train No. 3538 changed to No. 8000 from Battipaglia to Naples, on the night of the 24th November, 1944, when the train was stopped at the station of Vaglio di Lucania for customs inspection by British officers assisted by Allied soldiers, Finance Guards and Carabinieri.

The personal luggage of the writer consisted of the following:

a) A leather suitcase containing:
A brown woollen cloth suit
Two poplin day-shirts
Two pairs of woollen pants
Four pairs of socks
Four handkerchiefs.
One pair of Japanese silk pijamas
One spring woollen overcoat.

b) A leather travelling case containing toilet necessities and eatables for the following three days' journey to return to Rome.

When the train stopped for the customs inspection the aforesaid luggage was thrown out of the window on to a heap of other passengers' luggage near the carriage.

After a time as no examination was taking place the undersigned asked that his personal luggage should be inspected and legally returned after the examination has been completed.

Instead of which he received a refusal on the part of the £1'c British Officer.

The undersigned therefore makes formal protest against the procedure adopted in his regard because his personal luggage should have been opened, inspected and returned at the conclusion of the examination. As this was not done he asks to be re-imbursed

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as soon as possible for the losses sustained.

Witnesses to what is asserted above are:
1) Major Mascio Luigi - Via Faà di Bruno 10, Rome.
2) Brigadier (P.S) Favale Vito
3) Vice Brig. (P.S) Marino Florindo
4) Guard La Pietra Vincenzo
5) Guard Santoro Ciro
6) Guard Bertelloni Carduccio
7) Guard Stanzione Emilio.

The above-mentioned P.S. personnel belongs to the Public Security Commissariat of Naples.

(Signed) ELIO SILENZI, Lt. Col.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ECONOMIC SECTION

11 Dec 44

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SUBJECT: Alleged Improper Allotment of Railway Wagons at Reggio Calabria

TO : Merritt H. Taylor
Transportation Sub-Commission

1. The attached papers deal with what appears on its face to be a rather serious case of graft (by Italians) and neglect of duty (by Allied officers).

2. Please look into this matter carefully, along the lines of the attached memorandum from the Civil Affairs Section, and take the necessary action with information copies to Economic Section.

HARLAN CLEVELAND
Executive Director
Economic Section

Distribution:
Civil Affairs Section
Public Safety S/C
Regional Commissioner, So. Region

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COPY

10 Dec 44

TO: Economic Section

This is a case where Italians are being prosecuted for improperly and by false pretences obtaining allotments of "rail transport" which they sold to the highest bidder (see report of 18 Nov).

It is suggested that some one should watch the proceedings on behalf of AC. It may be desirable that not only should a transportation officer watch the proceedings to ascertain details of the mechanics of the fraud, but that a legal officer should watch AC's interests and also see whether the evidence implicates any AC officer.

There will have to be considered:

a. Whether the procedures of allocating wagons requires tightening up and if so how.

b. Whether any disciplinary action is called for.

All these questions are primarily a matter for your Transportation S/C. The papers are therefore passed to you.

/s/ S.H. WHITE, Lt. Col.
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

DAILY BULLETIN)
: 11 December 1944
NUMBER 133)

O F F I C I A L

1. DATE — DUTY OFFICERS — DUTY CLERKS

11 December'44.....Maj R.E.F. HORN..... ...Pfc R. Russell

12 December'44.....Maj R.C. HENDRICKSON....Pfc J. Morano

13 December'44.....Maj K.C. WILSON.....Pfc L. Menna

14 December'44.....Maj A.E. HEATH. .....Pfc R. Carrea

DETAIL OF DUTY OFFICERS

a. Tour of duty for Duty Officer is from 1730 hours to 0830 hours.

b. The Duty Officer will report to the Adjutant for instructions in person or by phone (Telephone 478296 or Ext 23), at 1630 hours and report for duty to the Adjutant in Room #8, Lazio-Umbria Region Hq, at 1730 hours.

c. Duty Officer may have meals preceding and following tour of duty at Hotel Moderno Mess Via Marco Minghetti.

d. Instructions for Duty Clerk are governed by Staff Memo #20 Hqs Rome Region Dated 26 July 1944.

2. RETREAT

a. Effective 10 December 1944 the hour of Retreat is changed to 1630 hours.

b. Flags of all Allied Nations in the Rome Area will be lowered at that hour. (Adj)

3. RETURN TO U.K. OF LONG SERVICE PERSONNEL

a. G.R.O. 992/44 calls for a return of all British Officers who embarked for overseas service between 1 July 1942 and 31 December 1943. Heads of Sections, Regional Commissioners and S.C.A.Cs of Armies are requested to forward nominal rolls of all British Officers under their command, who are in this category, giving regimental particulars and date of embarkation in U.K. of the officers concerned. The returns should reach G-1 (B) this H.Q., not later than 27 December 1944. (DB #318, AC, dtd 9/12/44)

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4. WEARING OF THE UNIFORM

a. Attention is invited to current instructions as issued by this headquarters pertaining to the wearing of sweaters. Under no circumstances will a sweater of any type be worn as an outer garment. (Adj)

5. PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICES

Name	HEADQUARTERS Assignment	Room No.	Telephone Internal	Telephone External

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Captain W.L. Wilson	Executive	"	"	"
Lt Col L.E. Vining	P.S.C.	113	25	"
Captain R.M. Freeman	Supt. Prisons	114		478570
Captain F.C. Stiles	Prisons	"		"
Major F. Brenningen	Fire & Civil Defence	107	10	
Captain A.T. Brown	" " "	"	"	
Clerks		101	33	
	ROME CITY			
Major T.E. Coxhead	P.S.O.	102	36	478757
Capt D.J. Hopkins	"	103		478523
Capt J.B. Fleetwood	"	104	89	
Clerks		105	88	

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For information
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6. TELEPHONE NUMBER - DISBURSING SECTION

a. The Disbursing Section of the HQ Commandant's Office may now be reached by calling 26, P.F.C. Nornholm is in charge of the section.
(HQ Comdt)

7. QUESTIONNAIRE FORMS - AMERICAN PERSONNEL

a. Information sheets for transmission to higher Headquarters are being distributed to all American Officers and enlisted men assigned or attached to Co. D, 2675th Regt. It is requested that these sheets be filled out in full and returned immediately to Message Center Headquarters Lazio-Umbria Region. This matter should be treated as urgent and given immediate action.

By order of Lieutenant Colonel AMES.

NEIL C. BAKER
Captain, QMC
Adjutant.

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Neil C. Baker
NEIL C. BAKER
Captain, QMC,
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

Tel: 220

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AC/TN/0916

13 Dec. '44

SUBJECT: Alleged Improper Allotment of Railroad Wagons at Reggio Calabria
Ref: 15.60/TS

TO : Executive Director, Economic Section

1. Acknowledgment is made of your communication of 11 December 1944 and attached file in connection with irregularities in allotment of rail wagons at Reggio Calabria.

2. Instructions have been issued to the Rail Division, Transportation Sub-Commission to comply with recommendations made in the report of Zone Public Safety Officer.

3. Transportation Sub-Commission will arrange to have an officer attend the trial of alledged guilty persons in this connection on advice of the Legal Sub-Commission as to the time and place of such trial.

MERRITT H. TAYLOR.
Director, Tn. S/C.

Distribution:

Rail Division, Tn. S/C
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Regional Commissioner - Southern Region (1)

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OFFICE OF THE SURGEON
HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION
(OVERHEAD)

13 Dec 44

SUBJECT : Schick Tests.

TO : Headquarters Commandant, Allied Commission.

1 There has been a positive case of diptheria reported in an officer living at the Esperia Hotel.

2 All officers who so desire may take a Schick Test for determination of susceptibility to diptheria.

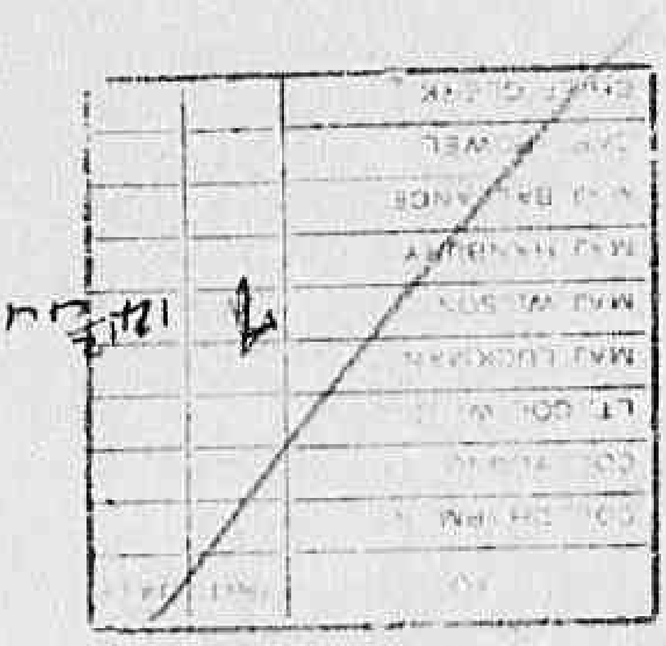
3 If found susceptible, immunization can then be carried out.

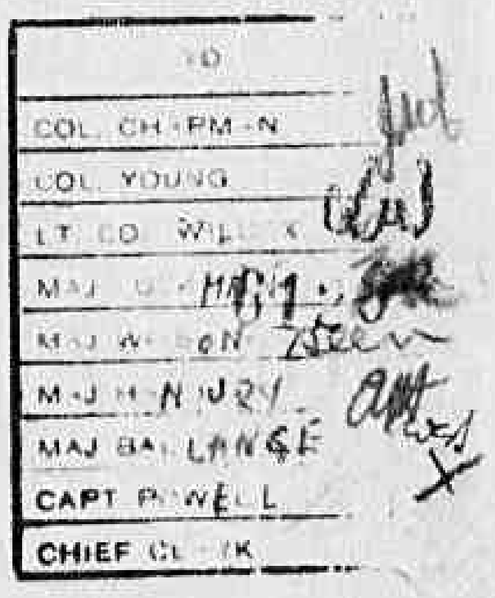
4 Tests will be performed at the Dispensary, 2675th Regiment, Allied Commission, 1st floor, room number 8 on December 14th and 15th from 1400 to 1600 hours.

(sgd.) HENRY A. SELAWSKY
Major Medical Corps
Surgeon

Distribution:

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Availability Section

TEL: 478703

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Ref. AC/5032/Commerce

7 December 1944

SUBJECT: Essentaal Civilian Requirements.

TO : See Distribution.

1. A copy of a letter received from Allied Military Government, Toscana Region Industry & Commerce division is attached for your information.

2. While this S/C is in a position to forward certain items for which there is a demand, it is felt that the list would be much more comprehensive should other Boards and Sub-Commission be invited to suggest their requirements within the limits as laid down in para 4 and 5 (c).

3. As this HQ. is desirous of dealing with this matter with some degree of urgency all suggestions and correspondence should be forwarded to reach this S/C by the 14 Dec. 1944.

For the Chief Commissioner:

for W. F. EVANS
Colonel
Director
Commerce Sub-Commission.

Encls: Copy of letter from Allied Military Government, Toscana Region ref. RVIII/77/Policy/3 dated 29 November 1944

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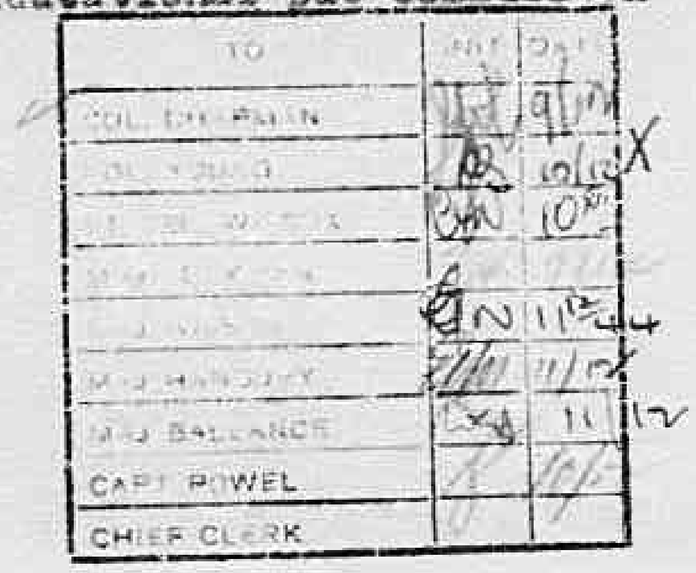
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HEADQUARTERS A
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
TOSCANA REGION

29 November 1944

File: Ref: RVIII/77.Policy/3

SUBJECT: S.U.I. and others.

TO : Commerce Sub-Commission, HQ AC.

1. Industry Sub-Commission's letter AC/5680/IND dated 21st. November 1944 refers, copy attached.

2. We are glad to have this letter for it opens up the whole question of which plants for tyy and rehabilitate and reactivate.

3. Electricity, transport, raw materials and fuel being in such short supply it has been our policy to concentrate on those firms which could supply the needs of the Armies and who had definite orders from Army sources. An exception to that was of course the firm of de Micheli who had a definite order for 10,000 barrels of 44 gallon capacity from A.C. for the purpose of amassing olive oil.

4. There are quite a number of firms, some small, some large, which can produce a variety of articles just as S.U.I. can but cannot produce any orders to justify our giving them our support. To make for stock would be a terrible waste of primary materials just now and then again unless firms sell their output they cannot continue to pay wages indefinitely.

5. Will you kindly look into this question of ordering:-

(a) Can we have a recognised channel of enquiry from A.C. for essential civilian articles to be made, giving specifications and approximate prices.

(b) After submission of samples and/or quotations will official orders be placed by A.C. or individuals?

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6. Your general comments on the above are eagerly awaited.

(Sgd) T. Drake, Major R.A.

T. DRAKE, Major R.A.
INDUSTRY & COMMERCE DIVISION

Copy to: Industry Sub-Commission. HQ. AC

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HEADQUARTERS - ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH
Information Division
AFO 394

3113/INFO
17 December 1944

SUBJECT: Dizionario dei Comuni
1944 Edition.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission.

Reference your AC/14057/PS d/d 6 December 1944.

1. Pursuant your a/m request herewith please find one (1) copy of "Dizionario dei Comuni" 1944 Edition for your retention.

George W. Cashman
George W. CASHMAN
1st Lt. Inf.
P. R. O.
Information Division

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO UMBRIA REGION

Regional Public Safety HQ
6th Dec. 1944

File No. : PS/LUR/3196

To : Public Safety Sub-Commission;
A.C. HQ

SUBJECT : Re-instatement of suspended Postal Officials

1. Enclosed is translation of a document, forwarded by P.P.S.O., Rieti, in which it is alleged that certain members of the Postal and Telegraph Services, suspended by A.M.G. for Fascist activities, are being re-instated.

2. For your information and transmission to Communications Sub-Commission please.

C.T. FRANCIS
LT. COLONEL
Chief, Public Safety Division
Lazio Umbria Region

1st Ind 12 Dec. 1944

AC/14657/PS

TO : Communications Sub-Commission

FROM : Public Safety Sub-Commission

Forwarded for information and necessary action, with translated copy.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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Communications Sub. Commission
for attention AGS
9 Dec 44.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394.

Tel. 478708.

AC/14057/PS.

11th December, 1944.

SUBJECT : Alleged Wrongful Imprisonment.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region.

1. The attached telegram, with translation, received at this Headquarters is forwarded for necessary action.

2. Driver Pargenis Vincenzo is not known at this Headquarters.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN.
Colonel, J.A.G.D.,
Director, Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

Translation of Telegram from Salerno :

"I have been wrongfully imprisoned in Salerno. I beg your intervention. Driver Pargenis Vincenzo."

FT/ee.

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DEI SERVIZI ANTINCENDI e P.A.
Via Bertoloni 27

Roma, 2 dicembre 1944

Alla COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sub-Commission P.S.
ROMA

Divisione I^ Sez. II^
Prot. N. 6075 Allegati
B.58.45

Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N.

OGGETTO: Recupero strumenti musicali.-

Circa gli strumenti musicali dati in consegna dal 6° Rgt. Fanteria nel luglio 1943 al 58° Corpo dei Vigili del Fuoco di Palermo, il Comando del predetto Corpo ha comunicato che effettivamente nello scroso anno furono recuperati, nei pressi di Corleone, alcuni strumenti della Banda Presidiaria e anche per aderire al desiderio del Comando Alleato fu ricostituita la banda di quel Corpo.

In seguito, avendo il Comando Militare della Sicilia chiesta la restituzione dei suddetti strumenti, il Comando dei Vigili del Fuoco di Palermo ha interessato il Colonnello Snook che ha promesso di fare in modo che gli strumenti recuperati rimangano presso il Corpo.-

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFO 394

Tel : 479/08

6 December, 1944.

AC/14457/PS

SUBJECT : Literature.

TO : Central Reference Library
Information Division
HQ A.C.

Would you please obtain for this Sub-Commission a copy of -

"Dizionario dei Comuni",
1944 edition.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

CIRCULAR)
:
NUMBER 145) 1 December 1944

Safety and Accident Prevention Program I
Classification of Letter II
Fuel System Gum Preventive III

I --- SAFETY AND ACCIDENT PREVENTION PROGRAM

Circular Number 138, this headquarters, 1944, is amended as follows:

1. In sub-paragraph 2 a, delete "2675th Regiment, Allied Commission."

2. Add sub-paragraph c to paragraph 2 as follows:

"c. Responsibility for this program in units which are assigned to one command but attached to another will rest with the command to which the unit is attached for administration."

II -- CLASSIFICATION OF LETTER

The "SECRET" classification has been removed from TD letter, AG 320.2 (26 Aug 44) OB-S-A-M, 9 October 1944, subject: "Request for Approval of War Department Table of Organization for Military Personnel for Contract Settlement and Property Disposal on "V" Day" which was distributed by this headquarters under first indorsement, file AG 320.3/528 P-O, dated 1 November 1944. 611

III - FUEL SYSTEM GUM PREVENTIVE

1. General - Gasoline stored in contact with air tends to oxidize and form a resinous compound of a gummy nature. When gasoline, which has begun to deteriorate, is burned in the engine, the gum is consumed, forming excessive carbon. As the gasoline passes through the carburetor and intake system, gum is deposited, particularly on intake valves, where it causes valve sticking by acting as a binder for other products of combustion, as well as causing sticking by reason of its own gummy nature.

2. Instructions - As a preventive measure against gum formation in fuel systems of stored gasoline-powered equipment, gum compound, Federal Stock No. 51-C-1566-225, should be used. The instructions for use of the gum-preventive are as follows:

a. All vehicles or other equipment, powered by gasoline engines or having gasoline auxiliaries, which are to remain idle for 30 days or more, and which are stored with gasoline of unknown storage stability, or with gasoline meeting U.S. Army Specification 2-114 (72 octane), will have the gasoline remaining in the fuel system treated with gum-preventive compound.

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Hq ETOUSA Circular #145 (cont'd)

b. The fuel systems of equipment to be treated must be free from accumulated gum. Unless the equipment is entering its first storage and has never been issued for use, the following parts should be inspected and cleaned if necessary:

(1) Fuel Pump: Valves - Screens

(2) Carburetor: Screens - Accelerator pump plunger - Venturi of carburetor throat - Choke and throttle valves - Float mechanism

(3) Fuel Lines: Fuel tanks - Screens.

c. As a remover, if gum is present in the above parts, use benzol, acetone, alcohol, or a mixture of these solvents.

d. After cleaning and reassembling, fill the fuel tank half full of fresh gasoline which has not been long in storage.

e. Add gum-preventive compound in accordance with following table:

Fuel Tank Capacity	Amount of Compound
1 to 30 gal.	1 container (4 oz.)
30 to 60 gal.	2 containers (8 oz.)
60 to 90 gal.	3 containers (12 oz.)

f. Fill the fuel tank to 95% capacity.

g. Operate the equipment at least 5 minutes.

3. Caution

a. The fact that gum-preventive compound is a preventive measure only and not a corrective agent is stressed. It does not prevent gum from depositing from gasoline which has already deteriorated in storage.

b. Gum preventive compound is for use in gasoline only, under the conditions set forth above. No other type or brand of gum solvent will be added to motor fuels.

By command of Lieutenant General McNARNEY:

GEORGE D. PENCE,
Brigadier General, GSC,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

C. W. CHRISTENBERRY,
Colonel, AGD,
Acting Adjutant General.

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SUBJECT: Italian Audience

Civil Affairs Section
HQ Allied Armies in Italy
Tel: FILPOT 132

5 DEC 1944

TO : Office of Chief of Staff
HQ Allied Commission

DCCAO/1/9.1
2 Dec 44.

It is reported for information that personnel from Italian Military units and Italian camp followers attached to strength of formations may attend ENSA Entertainments, providing they in no way prohibit the admission of British troops, and that the Cs/C/c Districts are satisfied that the Italian personnel concerned are bona fide camp followers.

/s/ P. Friend James

Lt. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer
for DCCAO

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4 Dec 44.

Civil Affairs Section
Establishment Section
Land Forces Sub-Comm.

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Ministry of Interior

AMPS 14057
2 December 1944
6075 B.Sc.45

TO : A.C. -Public Safety Subcommission

SUBJ. : Recovering of musical instruments.

About the musical instruments delivered in July 1943, by the 6th Inf. Regm. to the 5th VV.FF. Corps of Palermo, the Command of that Corps has communicated that last year, indeed, several instruments of the Garrison Band, have been recovered near Corleone, and that, in order to meet to a wish of the Allied Comsnd, the band of the Corps has been re-organised.

Following, as the Sicily H.Q. has asked those instruments to be given back, the Palermo VV.FF. Corps H.Q. has interested Col. Snook, who promised that he would have done so, to have recovered instrument, keeped by the Corps.

TO		
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COL YOUNG		
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