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RELEASE OF WEAPONS CONFISCATED BY ALLIED
AUTHORITIES
DEC. 1944 - OCT. 1946

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CONTAINS PAPERS

FROM DEC - 44

TO OCT - 46

CATALOGUE.

- 2 -

It is recommended that the Regional Commissioner Southern Region be asked to report on the reasons for requesting the Prefect of Naples to issue the Ordinance.

Draft letter attached (15^A)

for

Colonel
D.P.S.

12/2/45

Room 8, 5th Floor
Tel. Ex: 696

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V.F. C.A. Sec.

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CA Sec.

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Chapman
for signature

19/5/45

19^A for signature please

Chapman Col
Director
Public Safety

Ext-686

MINUTE

MO : Vb CA Section

Ref. 14 A of this file.

The regulations governing the possession of fire-arms and ammunition in Italy may be summarised as follows:

MILITARY GOVERNMENT
TERRITORY

No weapon may be possessed without a permit from Allied Military Government (Proclamation No 1 Part II Article IV (5)).

ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TERRITORY

No fire-arm may be possessed unless it has been declared to the Police (Penal Code Article 697).

No fire-arm may be carried outside the owner's dwelling without a permit from the Police (Penal Code Art. 699).

All war weapons and explosives must be surrendered by civilians (Prefects' Ordinances issued on the instructions of the Ministry of the Interior).

518 (Decree 1944) 628 (Italian Art.)

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14 A of this file discloses that the Regional Commissioner Southern Region has requested the Prefect of Naples to issue an ordinance requiring the surrender of all fire-arms. This places Naples Province in a different position from other provinces in Italian Government territory. The Prefect of Naples and the Ministry of the Interior now disapprove of the Ordinance and ask for its rescission.

Two points arise:

1. Do special conditions exist in Naples Province which call for measures not needed in other Provinces in Italian Government territory? (the Italians evidently think not).
2. If the Allies consider the Ordinance desirable in view of special conditions, ought it to be imposed in Italian Government territory against the wishes of the Italian Government?

MINUTE SHEET

- 1 -

TO: Public Safety S/C,
(Attn. Col. Cheyran.)

1 I take it that Lt. Col. Millhouse obtained his information from an Italian source. If not, then I think that the Italians must be informed although we do not want them to take any rash and drastic action and I am sure you will be wise to keep yourself well informed of any such intention.

2 I understand from you that this information has co-incided with a request for all Public Safety Agents to be with-drawn from guard duties outside the Delegation concerned. I suggest that the Italians can tactfully refuse this on the grounds that political feeling is running high and they feel very deeply their responsibility for safe-guarding the personnel and property concerned.

3 I have told the Executive Commissioner about it. While I can hardly believe that they can import sufficient firearms to cause any serious alarm there is no doubt that an "incident" might be at the end of this affair and the effects of that incident might be far reaching. For that reason I would be glad if you would keep this Section in touch with any further developments which may come to your notice.

15 Jun 45,
C A Section

W. D. Bonham-Carter

A. D. BONHAM-CARTER, Lt. Col.,
CSO Civil Affairs Section.

Memo:

Communicated verbally to Lt. Col. Millhouse

W. D.

13 June 1945

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CSO Civil Affairs Section.

Memo: Communicated verbally to Lt Col Willard

13 June 1945

W.D.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 794

AC/14094/PS

16 October 1946

SUBJECT : Carrying of Arms in Nola Zone.

TO : Ministry of Interior,
Director General of P.S.

93A
1. Reference is made to your letter 10.13118/
10100 dated 6th Sept. 46.

2. I am directed to inform you that there is
no objection by the Allied Authorities to the revoca-
tion of the prohibition on the carrying of arms by
persons duly licensed.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

EJB/ae


E. J. BYE, Colonel
Acting Director.

P. SAFETY Doc
2567
95A

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

ADPS

G-5: 941.41

11 October 1946.

Read 4/10

SUBJECT: Public Security-Arms

TO : Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission,
(Attn: Public Safety S/C.)
APO 794.

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Reference: Ac/14094/Ps, 17 September 46.

1. It is agreed that the prohibition ^{on the} of carrying of arms
in the Nola Area Naples may now be revoked.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

[Signature]

[Signature]
A. L. HAMBLIN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 794

AS/AL924/P3

17 September 1946

SUBJECT : Carrying of Arms in Nola
Area Naples.

TO : AFHQ, G-5 Section.

1. With reference to attached copy letter from the Ministry of Interior.
2. The prohibition on the carrying of firearms all types and the issue of licences in the Nola area was made in consequence of complaints from No. 3 District of wide spread thefts from the large ammunition dump at Nola and cases of shooting at guards and Military Police patrols.
3. As this territory is now completely under Italian control and the ammunition dumps are being turned over to the Italian Government, there would appear to be no good reason why the issue of licences to carry arms in accordance with Italian law should not now operate in the normal way unless Hq. No. 3 District desired for some special reason that the prohibition should continue in force.
4. May a decision be given please.

EJB/as

E. J. MYE, Colonel
Acting Director.

1 encl.

TRANSLATION

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

P.S. General Direction

Div. Police Sect. III

No. 10.13118/10100

Rome, 6 Sept. 1946

To: Allied Commission
Public Safety S/C
Rome.

SUBJECT : Naples - Revocation of licence for carrying arms and
delivery of weapons in the Nola zone.

The Prefect of Naples, by ordinance issued on 17th
Dec. 1944, by request of local Allied Military Authorities, ordered
the handing over of weapons of whatsoever type and the revocation
of shooting licences in the Nola zone.

Owing to time elapsed, we beg that Allied Commission
to examine the possibility of a revocation of the prohibition for
carrying arms.

For the Minister

/s/ Ferrari

TRANSLATION M.C.

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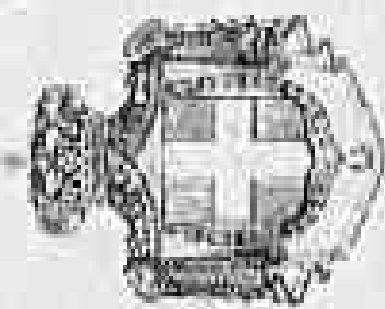
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Capt Ellis recd.

For the Minister
Ferrari

Recd. and translated 9/9

ADPS



Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Roma, 6 settembre

1946

ALL'ON. COMMISSIONE A L L E A T A
Sottocommissione per la P.S.

R O M A

Divisione Polizia *Sez. 3^a*

Prot. N. 10.13118 Allegati
10100

Risposta al Foglio del
Dir.

OGGETTO NAPOLI = Revoca delle licenze di porto d'armi e
consegna delle armi nella zona di Nola =

Il Prefetto di Napoli, con ordinanza in data 17 dicembre 1944, emessa a richiesta delle locali Autorità Militari Alleate, prescrisse la consegna delle armi di qualsiasi specie e la revoca dei porto d'armi nella zona di Nola .-

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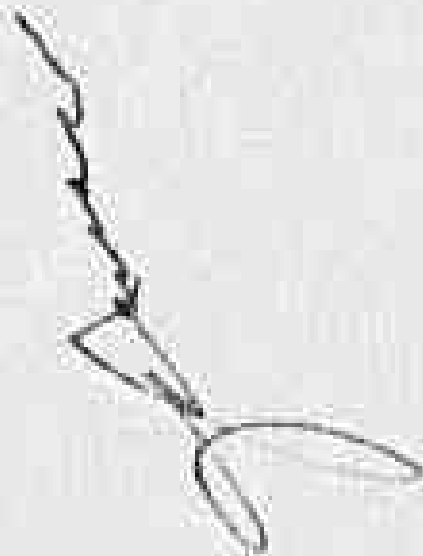
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PEL M I N I S T R O



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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AC/14094/PS

2 July 46.

SUBJECT : Surrendered Shot gun.
TO : Commanding General CC.RR.

see 91A and
91B (trans.)

1. The attached original letter received at
A.F.H.Q. Caserta is forwarded for your information
and such action as you may consider necessary.

E. J. Bye
E.J. BYE Colonel
Acting Director.

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FJW/AC

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Suspense:

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Translation furnished for appropriate disposition.

Incl: 1 ltr/trans

C. BOWEN
Captain, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

	TO	INT	EXT
DIRECTOR			
DEPUTY DIRECTOR			
CHIEF CLERK			
CLERK			
RECORDS			
TRAINING			
ADMIN. ASST.			
SECURITY			
CHIEF AGENTS			

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TRANSLATION

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Naples, 17 June 1946

DOC, EGIDIO CONTE
Via Cesario Console, 3
Scala C - Int. 4
NAPOLI

Subject: Research of a caliber 16 double-barrelled breech-loaded shot-gun owned by Vincenzo Bianculli, son of the late Egidio a U.S.A. citizen residing at Latronico (Potenza) with his family.

To : Allied Military Command - Caserta -

and for information to:

: The Questura - Naples -

I, the undersigned, Doc. Egidio Conte, on behalf of the American citizen Vincenzo Bianculli, son of the late Egidio, thru a regular commitment, take the liberty of pointing out to your Allied Military Command the following annoying fact:

In 1943, following a proclamation of your Command, the afore-mentioned citizen's wife (Angelica Conte married to Bianculli, residing at Latronico, in the province of Potenza), in compliance with the proclamation, handed to the local C.C. R.R. Station Command an almost new hunting-gun described in subject without being issued any receipt. No one was issued a receipt and this is well known at Latronico.

But, while the majority of the citizens were returned the guns which they had turned in, the American citizen Vincenzo Bianculli's wife received nothing, in spite of her requests and claims. I have notified the case to the Potenza Questura which, through a note of the Naples Questura # 002433 Div. III dated 3 April 1946 has informed that the CC.RR. Station Command of Latronico, to which I applied, had no record of the gun having been turned in. Anyhow I was invited to produce the receipt certifying delivery of the hunting-rifle. As a matter of course such a receipt cannot be produced inasmuch as it was never issued.

The gun's delivery can be proved by eyewitnesses as well as by other people of Latronico, should this be required. It is a fact that the gun was turned in and the only person accountable for the missing gun or for its worth, estimated at approximately 30.000 is the Latronico CC.RR. Station Command.

Since on 10 April 1946 I wrote to the Naples Questura

requesting it to further investigations necessary to find the gun without receiving an answer. I am now begging your Command to take your interest in this case on behalf of AN AMERICAN CITIZEN, Vincenzo Bianculli, who has been residing in New York for years.

yours truly

s/ Doc. Egidio Conte

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TRANSLATION T.P.

CS. AR. GENERAL COMMAND
Service and Situation Office

Rome, 21/3/46

N. 181/3 R.P.
Answer note AC/14094/PS
of 4/2/46

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
E.S. Sub Commission

R O M E

SUBJECT : Firearms hidden.

From investigations carried out by the FANO Arma it has not yet been possible to ascertain if a large quantity of arms and ammunition have been hidden in the a/m town.

Necessary directions have been issued in order to intensify and to continue the vigilance on the transport vehicles in transit along the sea-coast and a search of cellars and gardens.

DE	INT	DATE
DISTRICT	100	1/3
DEPT. SECRETARY	4/13	26/3
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THE GENERAL COMMANDER
/s/ Brunetto Brunetti

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Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SERVIZIO - SITUAZIONE ~~EX COLLEGAMENTI~~

N. 181/5 di prot. R.P. Roma, li 21 marzo 1946

Risposta al foglio del 4.2.946 n. AC/14094/PS, Allegati n.

OGGETTO: Occultamento armi.-

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

- Sottocommissione per la P.S. -

R O M A

Le indagini eseguite dall'Arma di Fano non hanno permesso, finora, di accertare che, in quella città, siano occultati grandi quantitativi di armi e munizioni. Comunque, sono state impartite le necessarie direttive per intensificare e continuare la vigilanza sui mezzi di trasporto in transito, sulla zona marina, nelle cantine e nei giardini.-

IL GENERALE COMANDANTE

- Brunetto Brunetti -

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Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali
 UFFICIO SERVIZIO - SITUAZIONE E COLLEGAMENTI

N. 181/3 di prot. R.F.

Roma, li 13 febbraio 1946

Risposta al foglio del 4.2.1946

n. AC/14094/legati n.

OGGETTO: Occultamento di armi.

AL COMANDO DELLA COMMISSIONE ALLIATA
 - Sottocommissione per la Pubblica Sicurezza -

R C M A

14094

Ringrazio per la gentile comunicazione, e
 mi riservo di tornare in argomento.

IL GENERALE COMANDANTE
 - Brunetto Brunetti -

Brunetti

Translation M. B.

Subject: Arms hidden.

I beg to thank you for communication received, and reserve to give you further news on regard of matter in question.

The General Commander
 S/ BRUNETTI

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel: 489081-365

AG/14094/RS

25 January 1946

SUBJECT : Shotgun - Seizure.
TO : Director of Public Safety,
Ministry of Interior.

1. The attached letter was sent to Major Kane Public Safety Liaison Officer Liguria, by ROMOLI Francesco, Via Cantocelle 38; Civitavecchia, and refers to the seizure of a shotgun by Maresciallo SANTINI, Corps of Agenti of P.S. at Viterbo.
2. It is stated by ROMOLI that SANTINI alleges that the shotgun was taken away by Major Kane.
3. Major Kane has forwarded the attached letter to this Headquarters with a statement that he knows nothing of this case. Prior to his transfer to Liguria, Major Kane (then Capt. Kane) was Public Safety Officer in Viterbo Province. Civitavecchia was not in his jurisdiction.
4. Forwarded for information and such action as you may consider necessary.

Frank Wilson
JOHN W. JEFFREY
Colonel, JAGD
Director

RJW/tm

Copy to:- CLO Liguria (Attn PSLO)
(Your LOP/532 dated 17 Jan. refers).

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
LIGURIA LIAISON GROUP
CMF - APO 394

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8PS *EJB*
Police *PR*

18th January, 1946.

REFERENCE: AO/16
SUBJECT : Illegal possession of Shotgun.
TO : *✓* Director, Public Safety Sub Commission.
H.Q. Allied Commission.

1. The attached letter from Major J. Kane is forwarded herewith for action please, as per para 4 of his letter.

W. Turner-Coles

W. TURNER-COLES.
Lt-Col.
Chief Liaison Officer.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
LIAISON GROUP
GENOA

REF : LOP/532 17th January 46
SUBJECT : Illegal Possession of Shot-gun.-
TO : Chief Liaison Officer
Liguria Region
(Attn. Director,
Public Safety Sub Commission A.C.

1. The attached letter from Signor ROMOLI Francesco, Via Centocelle 38, Civitavecchia, Rome Province, alleges that on the 18/12/44, Maresciallo M. SANTINI, Questura of Viterbo, seized a hunting gun from him, and has subsequently stated the gun was taken away by me.

2. The writer does not believe the word of the Maresciallo M. Santini and has written direct to me for information.

3. I have no knowledge of the circumstances, and Civitavecchia being in Rome Province would not normally have been in my jurisdiction as P.S.C. of Viterbo Province.

4. I therefore ask that the documents be passed to the Liaison Officer of the area, or the Questore of Viterbo, for enquiry, and the writer be informed of the result.

J. Kane
J. KANE, Capt.
Public Safety Liaison Officer,
Liguria.

Translation

To
Captain Kane,
Dear Sir,

Civitavecchia, 2-nd January, 1946

Kindly excuse me if I take the liberty to trouble you with a request.

On 18th December, 1944, a hunting gun was seized ~~from me~~ by the maresciallo Santini of the P. Questura of Viterbo from me, Remoli Francesco, resident of Civitavecchia, via Centocelle 38; Santini promised to me various times that the gun would be given back to me.

In view of my various reminders, the maresciallo finally informed me that the gun had been taken away by you, which to me does not appear to be true.

Now I would be extremely grateful to you if you would kindly give me some hint how I could get my gun back which is precious to me.

I thank you in advance.

Signature



HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478427

AC/14894/PS

4 February 1946

SUBJECT : Concealment of Arms.

TO : Ministry of Interior,
Director General of P.S.

1. An anonymous communication has been received at this Hq. in which it is alleged that the Communist Party, Pano Section, Pessaro are concealing large quantities of arms and ammunition including heavy machine guns, bombs and mines in cellars and gardens in that district.
2. It is also alleged that the Civil Police Agencies are powerless to take any action.
3. Forwarded for your information and such action as you deem appropriate.

BJB/ee

E. J. Bye
E. J. BYE, Colonel
Deputy Director.

Copy to General Commanding, CC.RR.

See 89A 3047

FOLAD (A)
HQ ALCOM

85A
Handwritten signatures and initials
January 29, 1946

TO : Public Safety S/C

SUBJECT: Report of Communist Uprising in Fano

The attached copy of letter received at the American Embassy, in an envelope postmarked "Fano, January 22", is transmitted for your information.

J. Wesley Jones (acc)
J. Wesley Jones
Political Adviser (A)

TRANSLATION M.C.

JANUARY 1946

SUBJECT: Report of Communist Uprising in Fano.

It is only dutiful to inform you that the Communist Party, Fano Section (Pesaro), has given orders to all its followers to strongly arm themselves, ^{because} in sight of orders coming from high sources, ^{we} to provoke an outbreak of serious nature. To bring this about, large quantities of arms, pistols of every type, heavy machine-guns, hundreds and hundreds of cartridges of various kinds, bombs, mines and even flame-throwers.

These arms are concealed in cellars and back-gardens.

The CC.RR. and the Italian Police are powerless and death threats are sent ^{the} them. As you have unwisely permitted the re-arming of civilians, it is for you, you yourselves to bring about a general disarming, under pain of death for those who disobey orders.

If measures are not taken at once, we are faced with a civil war with large scale demonstrations against those Anglo-Americans who have been so good to us - since the worst rascals, now in the Communist Party, are sold to Russia.

N.B. This translation was written in bad Italian.

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The CC.RR. and the Italian Police are powerless and death threats are sent them. As you have unwisely permitted the re-arming of civilians, it is for you, you yourselves to bring about a general disarming, under pain of death for those who disobey orders.

If measures are not taken at once, we are faced with a civil war with large scale demonstrations against those Anglo-Americans who have been so good to us - since the worst rascals, now in the Communist Party, are sold to Russia.

N.B. This translation was written in bad Italian.

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Queste armi sono depositate in sotterranei e qualche capo ha sotterrato nell'orto.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFO 394

Tel: 489081-365

AG/14094/PS

31 January 1946

SUBJECT : MICCOLI, Luigi -
Claim for shot-gun.

TO : G-4 Claims, Allied Commission.

1. Herewith correspondence from above named claiming compensation for shot-gun.
2. The gun was seized from him and he was sentenced by AMG Court in Ravenna for unauthorized possession, and Court ordered return of gun to him at expiration of AMG Administration.
3. The gun cannot now be traced.
4. No useful purpose would be served in making further enquiries of Military Police as stated in last letter from Liaison Office, Bologna, as this company of Military Police has been disbanded and in any case the gun after Court hearing should be in custody of AMG Provincial Officers, Public Safety or Legal.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

RCB/tm

ALLIED COMMISSION
Liaison Office I.G.T.
Bologna

24th January '46

Ref. AC=LG/PS/2.II-2
Subject: RETURN OF SHOTGUN. MICCOLI LUIGI OF
RAVENNA.
To: Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub-Commission,
APO 394.

1. Reference your letter AC/14094/PS dated 18 Dec.45.
2. Enquiry by CC.RR. at Ravenna reveals that the shotgun of Miccoli Luigi, an electrician, residing at No.10, Via Carlo Cattaneo, Ravenna, was taken from his house after a search by British Military Police.
3. The shotgun was not deposited at any CC.RR. caserma in the Legion of Ravenna.
4. It is suggested that the matter be pursued through A.P.M., Rome Allied Command, to ascertain the address of the Company of Military Police in Ravenna during the period March-April 1945, when further information may be forthcoming.

ANDREW G. P. WAY, MAJOR
Allied Commission Liaison Officer
(Public Safety)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel: 489081-365

AC/14094/PS

18 December 1945

SUBJECT : Return of Shot-gun.

TO : Public Safety Liaison Officer
A.C. Bologna.

1. Reference attached copies of letter from MICCOLI Luigi, Ravenna, asking for return of shot-gun confiscated by order of AMG Court.
2. Enquiries of Captain Braybrooke and Tampkins, who were Public Safety Officers at Ravenna, show that they have no recollection of this matter.
3. They state that the procedure in such cases was for guns to be deposited at the CC.RR. Station.
4. Please have CC.RR. make enquiries as to anything known at CC.RR. Station, Ravenna.

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JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 3604/EC

15 December 1945

SUBJECT : Shotgun.

TO : Public Safety Subcommittee.

Reference case of MICCOLI Luigi of Ravenna in claim for return of shotgun.

1. I regret that I have not the slightest recollection of this particular case.

2. In shotgun cases the normal procedure was that the weapon, either confiscated by Court or voluntarily declared by owner, would be deposited at the Carabinieri Station and a receipt handed to the owner.

3. It is suggested that the claimant should get in touch with the local CCR.

C.R. BRAYBROOKE,
Captain,
Intelligence Corps.

HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

Office of the Regional Public Safety Officer

REF PR/PS/34/65

SUBJECT : Return of shotgun.

TO : Allied Commission (Attn Public Safety Sub-Commission)

1. Ref your AC/14094/PS of the 19th November 1945.
2. Herewith copy of report received from Capt. Tompkins.
3. The Provincial Commissioner of Alessandria, Major Zervadachi, asked to comment, states:
""I was then C.A.O., Ravenna Commune. The Officer concerned is probably Lieut. (probably Capt. now) TESAURC (American). When last heard of was in Venezia Region; he was then Assist. C.A.O. of Ravenna. Capt. BRAYBROOKE is now on the staff of Executive Commission at A.C. Hqrs. After nine or ten months the gun will probably not be traceable in the CCRS Stazione of Ravenna where it should have been deposited has he applied there.""

For the Regional Commissioner

W. RONNIE
Major,
Regional Public Safety Officer

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C O P Y

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
AOSTA PROVINCE

Aosta, November 24, 1945 -

SUBJECT : Collection of arms.-

TO : R.P.S.O. - TURIN -

1. In accordance with the instructions contained in P.S. Sub-Commission letter of 19th November 1945 reference AC/14094/PS, I submit the following information.

2. I have never been concerned in any case of shot gun at Ravenna (excepting a murder case, tried by a General Court) I have never had a shot gun in my possession at Ravenna or even seen one. I know nothing of the case.

3. My reply to paragraph 5 of the claimants letter, respecting a written request to the Legal Officer, Ravenna and to the Provincial Police Officer; asking for the restoration of the gun, is that I do not remember the application. In any case I never at any time saw or had a shotgun. The Legal Officer at the time was Major Andrews, British. He, like me, was O/C Forlì and Ravenna in his particular branch.

4. Lieut. Teramo is unknown to me. I knew Capt. Braybrooke (B) and Lieut. Brownstone (A) also the C.A.O. Major Zervadachi.

5. The administration at Ravenna was as follows: the Provincial AMG under Col. Kucera was at the Questura, Ravenna, and I was at the Municipio, with Major Zervadachi as C.A.O. Capt. Braybrooke as Police Officer and Lt. Brownstone as assistant C.A.O..

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7. I respectfully recommend that Major Zervadachi be approached as the matter was within his administration. The Major will probably be able to give the name of an American Lieut. whose name is similar to Teramo. This officer was in the administration before my arrival in Ravenna, but I cannot remember his name exactly although it is similar to Teramo.

LESLIE A. TOMPINS
P.P.S.O.
AOSTA PROVINCE

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSIONER
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

19 November 1945

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Return of Shot Gun

TO : R.C. Piemonte Region
(attn of RP30)

1. Reference attached copy of letter forwarded to this HQ for action, and which is self explanatory.
2. Particulars of sentence have been verified from files archives.
3. Captain Tompkins was P.P.S.O. at Ravenna. Will you please obtain report from him as to what he knows of the matter.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

Enc. as above

RCB/G

SUBJECT : Request for the Return of a Shot Gun confiscated
by AMG.

Ref. CH/90/C/154

Headquarters
Allied Commission
CMF

1. The attached original letter and translation dated 3 Sept. 45, received from NICCOLI Luigi, of Via Carlo Cattaneo N. 10, RAVENNA in connection with the above, is forwarded for such action as considered necessary.

Major RA,
DAD Claims & Hirings

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6 November 45
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Ref. AC-LG/PS/2.II-2

Subject: RETURN OF SHOTGUN. MICCOLI LUIGI OF RAVENNA.

To: Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub-Commission,
AFC 394.

1. Reference your letter AC/I4094/PS dated 13 Dec.1945.
2. Enquiry by CC.RR. at Ravenna reveals that the shotgun of Miccoli Luigi, an electrician, residing at No.10, Via Carlo Cattaneo, Ravenna, was taken from his house after a search by British Military Police.
3. The shotgun was not deposited at any CC. RR. caserma in the Legion of Ravenna.
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✓ **ANDREW G. P. WAY, MAJOR**
Allied Commission Liaison Officer
(Public Safety)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub Commission
APO 394

AC/14094/PS

Tel : 489081-365

11 January 1946

SUBJECT : Request for return of Firearms.

TO : Liaison Officer, Livorno
(Attn: of Public Safety Officer)

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1. Reference correspondence LIV/3A.1/6812 of 14 Nov. 45, and your letter dated 29 Dec. 45, respectively application by CASALI, Luciano of Lucca, for return of revolver surrendered under proclamations.

2. Both Lt. Glegg and Captain Hartley have now returned to America and no further information can be obtained as to the revolvers or their disposition.

3. It is pointed out that claims for compensation cannot be considered in respect of firearms, ammunition and explosives, which are surrendered.

RCB/pl

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

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HEADQUARTERS
LIVORNO ZONE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

AFD 394

29 DECEMBER, 1945

File: YOUR AC/14094/PS

Subject: REQUEST FOR RETURN OF FIREARMS
CASALI, LUCIANO OF LUCCA.

To:

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB-COMMISSION

1. REPLY TO YOUR AC/14094/PS DATED 20 DECEMBER 1945:
THE INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY THIS OFFICE HAS DEVELOPED THE FOLLOWING FACTS;
2. ON THE 18TH FEBRUARY, 1945, A MAJOR HAMBELTON APPEARED AT THE OFFICE OF THE QUESTURA OF LUCCA AND SUBMITTED A WRITTEN ORDER SIGNED BY 1ST. LIEUT. G.M. CLEGG, PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER, LUCCA PROVINCE, IN WHICH THE QUESTURA WAS INSTRUCTED TO HAND OVER TO MAJOR HAMBELTON SIX AUTOMATIC PISTOLS OF CIVILIAN TYPE. (SEE ENCLOSED COPY OF ORDER, AS CERTIFIED BY THE COMMISSARIO DI P.S. OF LUCCA)
3. MAJOR HAMBELTON SELECTED FOUR BRETTA, (9.00) CAL. AUTOMATIC PISTOLS, ONE SPANISH MAKE AUTOMATIC PISTOL, SPECIFIC MAKE UNKNOWN, (6.35 CAL.) AND ONE BROWING MAKE AUTOMATIC PISTOL (6.35) CAL. AND TOOK THEM AWAY. HE REFUSED TO SIGN A RECEIPT FOR THEM.
4. SOMETIME LATER, DATE UNKNOWN, THE QUESTURA OF LUCCA WROTE TO THE PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICE, A.M.G. LUCCA PROVINCE AND RENEWED HIS REQUEST FOR A WRITTEN RECEIPT FOR THE PISTOLS. HE RECEIVED A REPLY FROM CAPT. R.S. HARTLEY WHICH SAID IN SUBSTANCE THAT A RECEIPT WAS NOT NECESSARY AND THAT THE ORDER SIGNED BY LIEUT. CLEGG WAS SUFFICIENT. (ENCLOSED COPY OF LIST OF PISTOLS AND THE COMMENT MADE BY CAPT. HARTLEY, AS CERTIFIED BY THE COMMISSARIO A. DI P.S.)



STANLEY PEATTY
CAPTAIN, SPEC. RES.
LIVORNO ZONE PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER.

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TO	INITIALS	DATE
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	4/12	4-1
EXEC. OFFICER		
FOUR	5/14	5-14
CC & REG.		
PERSONS		
ADJ. OFFICER		
SECURITY		
CHIEF CLERK		

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(Copy)

Ref.

Subject:

To:

Head Quarter
 Banca Province
 Allied Military Government

Maj. General J. Lema

Nota autorizzata a consegnare al
 Magg. Hamblton (HAMBELTON) # 6
 pistola, che prelevate alle armi
 versate dai civili a questo Ufficio

firmato: G. M. CLEGG

1ST Lt. C. M. P.

Public Safety Officer

segue timbro con le parole:

Allied Military Government - P.T. Div.
 Official Stamp - Region VIII



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Milano 1945, addì 13 febbraio, noi sottoscritti Commissario Aggiunto e Maresciallo di Pubblica Sicurezza, sottosegretario alla Questura di Milano, nelle sottosegretarie alla Questura di Milano, sottoscritte sotto il Comandato Arresto, a firma G.M. Greco direttore di Sig. Questura di Milano, alla ore 12,15 di ora, abbiamo consegnato al Maggiore Hamilton del Comandato Arresto 7a Brigata armi e munizioni, che erano state depositate presso quest'ufficio a dei servizi sottodivisionari, in obbedienza ai noti bandi n.1 e 2 del detto Comandato Arresto:

- 1o) n.1 pistola Beretta cal. 5 e alcune cartucce, di proprietà di Orso-
lani Dott. Merino - Capitano di Artiglieria qui abitante in Corso
Garibaldi 30;
- 2o) n.1 pistola Beretta cal. 9 e alcune cartucce, di proprietà di Davini
Dott. Etrovi - Tenente del Genio, qui abitante in Via S. Giustina, 34;
- 3o) n.1 pistola epa-cuora cal. 6,35 e alcune cartucce, di proprietà di
Moretti Teona, qui abitante a Porta Ticina;
- 4o) n.1 pistola Browning cal. 6,35 e n.3 cartucce di proprietà di
Tucherski Merino - Sottotenente del Genio, qui abitante Via e 7,00-
sotto casa, 13;
- 5o) n.1 pistola Beretta cal. 9 di proprietà dell'Ente Protezione Ani-
mali - Piazza della Maggiore, 6;
- 6o) n.1 pistola Beretta cal. 9, di proprietà di Casa di Milano, S. Tenente
di Artiglieria, qui abitante in Via S. Andrea n.2.

Di quanto sopra abbiamo redatto il presente verbale, che confermiamo
e sottoscriviamo.

F.to Antonio Cesare - Maresciallo 302a.

" Antonio Alighi - Commissario A. di P.S.

- 20) n.1 pistola Beretta cal. 9 e alcune cartucce, di proprietà di Sott. Ettore - Residente nel Genio, qui abitante in Via S. Felicità, 34;
- 30) n.1 pistola spagnuola cal. 6,35 e alcune cartucce, di proprietà di Coretti Lucio, qui abitante a Forta S. Giovanni;
- 40) n.1 pistola Browning cal. 6,35 e n.3 cartucce di proprietà di Lucchesevini Mario - Sottotenente del Genio, qui abita in Via S. Felicità, 34;
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- 60) n.1 pistola Beretta cal. 5,34 di proprietà di Casali Luciano, S. Tenente di Artiglieria, qui abita in Via S. Andrea, n.2.
- Di quanto sopra abbiamo redatto il presente verbale, che conferiamo e sottoscriviamo.

Il/te Antonelli Cesare - Responsabile 302a S.

" Mario Rigoni - Commissario A. di P.S.

Fatto per copia conforme

29 DIC. 1945

Il Commissario A. di P.S.

(Adolfo Rigoni)

*La richiesta della Spertura d'Arma sul ruolo d'arma
La porzione dei civili proprietari delle armi, il
Capitano R. S. HARTLEY rispose: «La pistola in
questione non è stata presa per ragioni di sicurezza
quantità: firmata: R. S. HARTLEY. Il Commissario A. di P.S.
(Adolfo Rigoni)*

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel. 489081-365

AC/14094/PS

20 December 1945

SUBJECT : Request for return of firearm.
CASALI Luciano, of Lucca.

TO : The Commissioner, A.M.G., Livorno Zone.
(Attention Public Safety Officer)

1. Reference your 3A : 1/6812 dated 14th November, 1945, and the attached copy of a letter from CASALI Luciano, residing at Lucca.

2. The Allied Officers referred to are thought to be, Major Hamilton and Captain Clegg.

The former, now Lt. Colonel, is Liaison Officer at No 2 District Hq. and at present on leave in Great Britain. Captain Clegg returned to America on 3rd December 1945.

3. It is requested that Carabinieri of Lucca be asked to supply all possible information on this matter and, in addition, copies of any documents in their possession.

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[Signature]
COLONEL A. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

C O P Y

I, hereby, Casali Luciano of Luigi born in Lucca 1/8/1920, residing there, in compliance with Lucca A.M.G. Command, delivered on the 14/9/1944 my automatic pistol (F.Berretta cat. 9 M° 1934 Mat. 510008).

On the 29/7/1945 I went to Police Station to see the condition of the pistol and attend to the eventual cleaning of it, but, to my great surprise, it was told me that the pistol had been requisitioned on the 18/2/1945 by Major Hamblton upon request of the Command signed Clagg.

I, therefore, respectfully ask you to, if possible, obtain the arm, or the reimbursement of its present value.

HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE FORCE
13 CORPS

Tel No 8255
FILE NO. VGP/19/5
SUBJECT: Request for Return 7 December 1945
TO: of Firearm

H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

1. Reference your letter AC/14094/PS, dated 30th November 1945, regarding the return of a Beretta Pistol said to have been surrendered by Signor CASALI Luciano of Lucca, to a P.S. Officer, presumed to be Captain CLEGG.

2. It is regretted that this Office can offer no assistance, as Captain Clegg left this HQ en route for the United States on 3rd Dec. 1945.

For the Chief of Police

TO	INIT	DATE
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFF		
POWERS	lcs	13/12

W.A. Moody
W.A. MOODY Maj,
D/A C. of P. (CPSO).

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel. 489081-365

18 December 1945

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Return of Shot-gun.

TO : Public Safety Liaison Officer
A.C. Bologna.

1. Reference attached copies of letter from MICCOLI Luigi, Ravenna, asking for return of shot-gun confiscated by order of AMG Court.
2. Enquiries of Captain Braybrooke and Tampkins, who were Public Safety Officers at Ravenna, show that they have no recollection of this matter.
3. They state that the procedure in such cases was for guns to be deposited at the CC.RR. Station.
4. Please have CC.RR. make enquiries as to anything known at CC.RR. Station, Ravenna.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

15 December 1945

Ref: 3604/30

SUBJECT: Shotgun

TO : Public Safety Subcommittee

See 70A

Reference case of MICCOLI Luigi of Ravenna in claim for return of shotgun.

1. I regret that I have not the slightest recollection of this particular case.

2. In shotgun cases the normal procedure was that the weapon, either confiscated by Court decree or voluntarily declared by owner, would be deposited at the Carabinieri Station and a receipt handed to the owner.

3. It is suggested that the claimant should get in touch with the local CORR.



C.R. BRAYBROOKE,
Captain,
Intelligence Corps.

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Police - Col. 1814.
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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

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Office of the Regional Public Safety Officer

REF PR/PS/34/65

SUBJECT: Return of shot gun.

TO : Allied Commission (Attn Public Safety Sub-Commission)

TO	DATE
DIRECTOR	11/15/45
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	11/15/45
EXEC. OFFICER	
POLICE	11/17
I.C. 3153	
SECURITY	
CHIEF CLERK	

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1. Ref your AC/14024/PS of the 19th November 1945
2. Herewith copy of report received from Capt. Tompkins.
3. The Provincial Commissioner of Alessandria, Major Zervadachi, asked to comment, states:
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For the Regional Commissioner

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Major,
Regional Public Safety Officer

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
AOSTA PROVINCE

C O P Y

Aosta, November 24, 1945 - 7813

SUBJECT : Collection of arms. -

TO : R.P.S.O. - TURIN -

1. In accordance with the instructions contained in P.S. Sub-Commission letter of 19th November 1945 reference AC/14094/PS, I submit the following information.
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4. Lieut. Teramo is unknown to me. I knew Capt; Braybrooke (B) and Lieut. Brownstone (A) also the C.A.O. Major Zervadachi.
5. The administration at Ravenna was as follows: the Provincial AMG under Col. Kucera was at the Questura, Ravenna, and I was at the Municipio, with Major Zervadachi as C.A.O. Capt. Braybrooke as Police Officer and Lt. Brownstone as assistant C.A.O..
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R.P.S.O.
AOSTA PROVINCE.

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Public Safety Sub Commission
APO 394

AC/14094/PS

30 Nov. 1945

SUBJECT : Request for return of firearm.

TO : R.C. Venezia Giulia
(Attn: of WPSO)

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1. Herewith translation of letter received from Signor CASALI, Luciano of Lucca, asking for return of a Berreeta pistol which he surrendered to the CC.NR at Lucca.

2. It is stated that the pistol was taken from the CC.NR on 18/2/1945, on a order by a person signed Clagg.

3. Captain Clagg who was Public Safety officer there may be the person referred to. Will you please obtain report from him as to anything he may know of this matter, in order that the gun may be traced.

RCB/pl

See 78A

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

2 NOV 1945

HEADQUARTERS
LIVORNO ZONE
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

28 NOV 1945

C.A. Lee

14 NOVEMBER 1945

24 NOV 1945

FILE: LIV. 3A-1/EP12

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR RETURN OF FIREARMS.

TO: HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED COMMISSION,
APO 394.
(ATTN: EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER)

1. I ENCLOSE HERewith A COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM SIGNOR CASALI LUCIANO OF LUCCA DATED 1 AUGUST 45 REGARDING THE ALLEGED TAKING OF HIS AUTOMATIC PISTOL.

2. I THINK YOU WILL AGREE THAT A CIVILIAN TURNING IN HIS PISTOL TO THE CARABINIERI IN ACCORDANCE WITH A.M.G. PROCLAMATIONS HAS REASON TO EXPECT THE RETURN OF SUCH PISTOL AT SOME FUTURE DATE.

Harold V. Reilly
HAROLD V. REILLY, 4
MAJOR U.S.A.,
COMMISSIONER,
LIVORNO ZONE A.M.G.

INCL:

1. A/M LETTER WITH TRANSLATION.

TO	DATE	INITIALS
EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER	29/11	
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER		
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I, the undersigned, Casali Luciano of Luigi, born at Lucca 1/8/1920, residing in Lucca, following the advice of the A.M.G. Lucca, beg to remit you the enclosed petition.

Had such demand be not considered, I request you to return it to me at my private address.

(signed)

Enclosures: 1 postage stamp.



I, hereby, Casali Luciano of Luigi born in Lucca 1/8/1920, residing there, in compliance with Lucca A.M.G. Command, delivered on the 14/9/1944 my automatic pistol (P. Berretta cat. 9 M° 1934 Mat. 510008).

On the 29/7/1945 I went to Police Station to see the condition of the pistol and attend to the eventual cleaning of it, but, to my great surprise, it was told me that the pistol had been requisitioned on the 18/2/1945 by Major Hamblen upon request of the Command signed Clagg.

I, therefore, respectfully ask you to, if possible, obtain the arm, or the reimbursement of its present value.

Lucca 31/10/45

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Trac.

All' A. M. G. della città di Livorno



Io sottoscritto Casali Luciano di Luigi nato
a Livorno il 1-8-920 ed ivi residente, in risposta
dell' A. M. G. della città di Livorno, invio a
codesto Comando l'allegata domanda.
Nel caso che tale domanda non venga da
Voi espletata vi prego di rinviarla al
mio privato indirizzo. All'uso unico francobollo.

Livorno 1-8-945

Casali Luciano
S. Ten. d'Artiglieria di complementoresidente in Livorno, Via P. P. P. 2



Al Commissario provinciale della
città di Lucca:

L.T. Col. R. A. B. Hamilton.

Ho sottoscritto Cavali Lucciano di Luigi,
nato a Lucca, il 1-8-1920 ed in età di
venti, in obbedienza ai bandi dell'A.M.G.
di Lucca, consegnai alla Questura di
Lucca il giorno 14-9-1944 una pisto-
la automatica (P. Beretta cal. 9 M^o 1934
mat. 510008) di cui ero in legittimo posses-
so. Ricevutami il giorno 29 luglio 1945
alla Questura per prendere la consegna
virione dello stato dell'arma e praticare
la eventuale necessaria pulizia, mi fu
comunicato, con micrografico disappunto,
che la suddetta pistola era stata requi-

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A. di P. S.

Lucera il giorno 14-9-1944 una pistola-
la automatica (P. Beretta cal. 9 M^o 1934
mat. 51008) di cui ero in legittimo posses-
so. Poco dopo il giorno 29 Luglio 1945
alla Questura per prendere la consegna
vione dello stato dell'arma e praticare
la eventuale necessaria pulizia, mi fu
comunicato, con micrografico disappunto,
che la suddetta pistola era stata requi-
rita il giorno 18 Febbraio 1945 dal
magg. Tamburton in vista del
Comando a firma Clogg.
Faccio pertanto rispettosa domanda
al fine di avere, se possibile, la
restituzione dell'arma o il rimborso
del suo valore attuale.

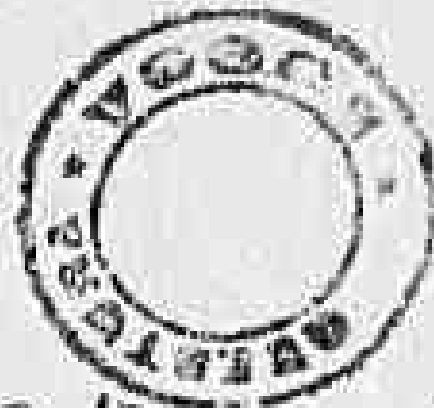
Luciano Caroli

S. Ter. d'Artigliera, di Complemento
Lucera, Via S. Andrea, 2

Lucera 31-7-1945

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Il Questore
Il Com. Lucera A. di P. S.
Lucera (Foggia)



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13 NOV 1945

PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

P. Safety s/c

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Ref. : Lig/Saf/616/1

9 November 45.

Subject : RecUparation of arms.

To : x H.Q. A.C. - Public Safety Sub-Commission,
H.Q. 2 District.

Please find herewith attached copy of report received from Legion CC.RR. of Genoa-Chiavari-station for your information, and ~~an attached copy of a letter~~

For the Regional Commissioner:

J. L. TOUGH,
Captain,
Public Safety Officer.

✓	TO		
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LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI GENOVA

Tenenza di Chiavari

N.9/37 di Prot..Ris.P. Chiavari, li 5.11.45

OGGETTO: Recupero di Armi e Munizioni.=

PREFETTURA GENOVA
 Sig. Magg. GUARDONE Capo Polizia Alleata GENOVA
 QUESTURA GENOVA
 COMANDO GRUPPO CC.RR. ESTERNO GENOVA
 COMANDO COMPAGNIA CC.RR. CHIAVARI
 e.p.s. COMANDO LEGIONE TERR. CC.RR. GENOVA
 UFF. SERVIZIO

AL COMANDO DELLA LEGIONE CC.RR. = Uff. Arm./ne=GENOVA

La stazione di S. Stefano d'Aveto comunica che i dipendenti militari, il 1° Novembre corrente, durante un servizio perlustrativo, sulle pendici del Monte Maggiore, nascosti in una caverna, hanno rinvenuto e recuperato i seguenti quantitativi di armi e munizioni:

1°=	Mitra Sten, efficiente.....	N 1
2°=	Machine Pistola, non efficiente.....	N 1
3°=	Bombe a mano= Tipo Americano.....	N 17
4°=	Caricatori per Sten.....	" 4
5°=	Cartucce per Sten.....	" 100
6°=	Bombe incendiarie (A.T.M.O.A.I.i).....	" 1

Si fa riserva di riferire in merito altre notizie, secondo quanto viene richiesto dalle disposizioni vigenti, e di inoltrare eventuali proposte di gratificazione a favore dei militari che si sono distinti nell'operazione di recupero stesso.=

lustrativo, sulle pendici del Monte Maggiore, nascosti in una caverna, hanno rinvenuto e recuperato i seguenti quantitativi di armi e munizioni:

1°=	Mitra Sten, efficiente.....	N 1
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Si fa riserva di riferire in merito altre notizie, secondo quanto viene richiesto dalle disposizioni vigenti, e di inoltrare eventuali proposte di gratificazione a favore dei militari che si sono distinti nell'operazione "il ricupero stesso". Per l'Ufficio Amministrazione si fa presente che, salvo contrarie disposizioni, la suddetta stazione, essendone in deficienza, dovrà trattenere per uso proprio lo Sten con i caricatori e le cartucce relative nonché le bombe a mano.=

IL S. TENENTE COMANDANTE LA STAZIONE
= Tista Martini =

(Translation M.B.)

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CG. AR. GENERAL COMMAND
Situation and Liaison Office

IOG/26-1

Rome 3 Nov. 1945

SUBJECT: Naples - Sequestration of weapons and ammunition -

On the 25th last Oct., the Arms sequestered at Naples
following weapons and ammunition to war veterans loaded to
Meridius:

- 1 pistol
- 13 handgrenades
- 12 knives
- 100 cartridges

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The Gen. Commander

Brunetto Brunetti

Inter release side file.

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RISERVATO PERSONALE

Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SERVIZIO - SITUAZIONE E COLLEGAMENTI

N. 100/86-1 di prot.

Roma, li 8 novembre 1945

Risposta al

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Allogaster n.

OGGETTO: Napoli - Sequestro di armi e munizioni.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA - Sottocommissione per la P.S. -

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In Napoli, il 29 ottobre scorso, l'Arma sequestrò i seguenti materiali a reduci e congedati, diretti in Sardegna:

- 1 pistola;
- 13 bombe a mano;
- 12 coltelli vari;
- 100 cartucce.

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IL GENERALE COMANDANTE

-Brunetto Brunetti-

Prunet:

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

19 November 1945

AG/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Return of Shot Gun

TO : R.C. Piemonte Region
(attn of RPSO)

1. Reference attached copy of letter forwarded to this HQ for action, and which is self explanatory.
2. Particulars of sentence have been verified from files at archives.
3. Captain Tompkins was P.P.S.O. at Ravenna. Will you please obtain report from him as to what he knows of the matter.

John S. Chapman
f JOHN S. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director

Enc. as above.

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Ref. CM/90/C/134

Headquarters
Allied Commission
CMF

10 NOV 1945

Sec. 75A. 76A

1. The attached original letter and translation dated 3 Sept. 45, received from MICCOLI Luigi, of Via Carlo Cattaneo N. 10, RAVENNA in connection with the above, is forwarded for such action as considered necessary.

90 Claims & Hirings CMF
6 November 45
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TO	DATE	INITIALS
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Major RA,
DAD Claims & Hirings

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5 SEP 1945

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ALL'UFFICIO CALINI & HIRLING DI FORLÌ

Io sottoscritto MICCOLI ENIGI residente in Ravenna

Via Carlo Cattaneo N.10

ESPONGO

il giorno 2 Aprile 1945 comparii avanti la Summary Court of Ravenna essendo stato trovato in possesso di proprietà Alleata e di un fucile da caccia. Fu condannato al pagamento della multa di L.3000 e al sequestro del fucile.

Ricorsi contro detta sentenza e questa fu modificata come segue:

"Sentence affirmed. Shotgun to be returned to defendant when A.M.G. administration terminates".

La sentenza fu la Sentenza N.8716 e giudice il

Let/Tesauero, AMGOT, Ravenna.

Prima che l'A.M.G. Administration terminasse a Raven-

na io presentai domanda scritta al Legal Officer 301

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ai proprietà Alleata e di un mezzo di trasporto
più condannato al pagamento della multa di L.3000
e al sequestro del fucile.
Ricorsi contro detta sentenza e questa fu modificata
come segue:
"Sentence affirmed. Shotgun to be returned to defendant
when A.M.G. administration terminates".
La sentenza fu la Sentenza N.8716 e giudice il
Liet/Tesauero, AMGOT, Ravenna.
Prima che l'A.M.G. Administration terminasse a Raven-
na io presentai domanda scritta al Legal Officer 301^o
ed al Provincial Police Officer perchè il mio fucile
le mi fosse restituito come prescritto dalla deci-
sione d'appello. Ma il fucile non fu più ritrovato.

CHIERO

pertanto il risarcimento del danno nella misura di

L.20.000 essendo il fucile marca "Cockeril".

Ravenna 3 Settembre 1945

M. M. M. M. M.

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To: Claims & Hirings - Forli.

I, Miccoli Luigi, residing in via Carlo Cattaneo 10, Ravenna, states:

On 2 April 1945 I appeared before the Summary Military Court of Ravenna for having been found in possession of Allied property and one hunting-gun. I was sentenced to L. 3,000 fine and the rifle was ordered forfeited.

I applied for the review of this sentence and the decision was as follows:

"Sentence affirmed. Shotgun to be returned to defendant when A.M.G. administration terminates".

The sentence referred to is N° 8716, and the Judge was Lt. Teramo, A.M.G.O.T., Ravenna.

Before the A.M.G. administration terminated in Ravenna I made a written request to Legal Office and to the Provincial Police Officer asking for restoration of the gun according to the decision of the review. But the gun could not be found.

I therefore ask for the reimbursement of the damage amounting to L. 20,000, the 3,000 being a "Cockeril".

3 Sept. 1945

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1st Ind.

18 Oct. 45

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION Public Safety S/C AC APO 394

TO : Allegri Anselmo
Piazza Baracca 4 - Ravenna Italy

1. This commission does not deal with claims.
2. The proper agency to which your claim should be addressed is:
Claims and Hirings
C.M.F.

FFB/pl

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

16 OCT 1945

TRANSLATION D.S.

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION - ROME -
 FROM : ALLEGRI ANSELMO - RAVENNA -

The undersigned Anselmo ALLEGRI, living at RAVENNA Piazza Baracca 4 applies to be indemnified for a hunting-double-barrelled- gun which was withdrawn by an Allied Officer.

Such gun was delivered to the local CC.RR. Barrack in accordance with an Allied ban referring to the delivery of fire-weapons.

At present all the weapons delivered were returned to their owners except those taken away from Allied officers.

Attached herewith are a receipt and the estimate of the gun in question drawn up by a technical armourer, to obtain the indemnification for damages.

/s/ Anselmo Allegri.

CC.RR. TERRITORIAL LEGION - BOLOGNA
 Ravenna Station

Mr. Anselmo Allegri fu Lodovico and fu Assunta Mattioli, born at Piangipane on December 19, 1888 residing in Ravenna, living Piazza Baracca No 4 delivered to-day to this Office a "Doppietta" (breech-loading, caliber 12 - LIGI trade mark - matriculated G.173) lacking of the "sotto-canna" (under-barrel). NOTE: withdrawn.

Ravenna, 16 March 1945.

/s/ Renato Bassi

TO	INIT	DATE
SECRETARY		
DEPUTY SECRETARY		
EXECUTIVE		
FINANCE		
LEGAL		
ADMIN		
SECURITY		
CHIEF CLERK		

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ARNOLDO ZACCARIA - ARMOURER

A hunting-breech-loading-gun Hammerless HAMMERLESS
ANSO DALEY of Belgian trade mark, "Scholberg" make, belonging
to Anselmo ALLEGRI, living Piazza Baracca No 4 Ravenna, is
estimated 40.000 (forty thousand) lire.

13 September 1945.

In Faith
/s/ Arnol'do Zaccaria

HEADQUARTERS ALIENED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub Commission
APO 394

Gift

AC/14094/PS

4 Oct. 45

SUBJ CT : Hunting Area

TO : Zone Commissioner Livorno
(Att: SCARO)

1. The attached copy of letter Ref. 128/2 dated 19 September 1945, from Federazione Italiana della Caccia, passed to this Headquarters by APHQ is forwarded to you for information please.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, JAGC
Director

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

MJH/mcc

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26 September 45

G-5: 151

SUBJECT: Detention of Hunting Arms.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

Attached copy of letter dated 18 September 45, written by one
Ing. L. VETTORI is forwarded for any action deemed appropriate.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

M. J. Heyl
M. J. HEYL
Capt. A.S.

Incl: Copy ltr as above ref. 128/2



TO		
☒ DIRECTOR		
☒ DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
☒ EXEC. OFFICER		
☒ POLICE		
☒ MIL. & S.		
☒ INTELL.		
☒ A.S. SECTION		
☒ SECURITY		
☒ CHIEF CLERK		

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FEDERAZIONE ITALIANA DELLA CACCIA
Sezione Provinciale di Pisa

Pisa. 19 September 45.

To: Allied General Command,
of Caserta.

Ref: 128/2

Subject: Hunting Arms Detention.

This Sezione Provinciale Cacciatori (Hunters Provincial Section) address a request to the end that Pisa Townhall get permission to detain hunting arms.

Seeing that in every province under the jurisdiction of the Italian Government all the hunters have power to detain hunting arms, we remark the particular condition of hardship wherein find themselves the hunters, in number of 600, of this Townhall, compelled to leave their arms out of the town, every time they come back from a hunting party.

We trust you will take in good consideration the request and send many thanks.

THE PRESIDENT
(Ing. L. VETTORI)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFC 394

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AC/14094/PS

2 October, 1945

SUBJECT : Arms cases

TO : Legal Sub-Commission

1. Reference the attached correspondence, your AC/4011/10/L of 27 September, 1945, and PR/LE/310 of 21 September, 1945.

2. The policy of the Italian Government in Italian Government territory is to require the surrender of all weapons of war and to prosecute those who fail to so surrender.

3. This Sub-Commission has no information as to whether any difficulties have been encountered in securing convictions under DLL 234 of 1945.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION *12094*

/Ac.

27 September 1945.

AC/4011/10/L.

Subject : ARMS Cases.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission.

The attached copy of letter PR/LE/310 of 21 Sept 45 received from Regional Legal Officer Piemonte Region, is passed to you for consideration and advice.

TO	INIT	DATE
☒ DIRECTOR	<i>[initials]</i>	<i>3/10</i>
☐ DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
☐ EXEC. OFFICER	<i>[initials]</i>	<i>1-10</i>
☒ POLICE	<i>[initials]</i>	<i>6/10</i>
☐ I.C. A.C.		
☐ PERSONS		
☐ ATOM. ENERGY		
☒ SECURITY		
☐ CHIEF CLERK		

G. G. Hamford

G. G. HAMFORD,

Lt. Col.,

for Chief Legal Advisor 3001

PR/L2/310

21 September 1945.

SUBJECT: Arms Cases.

TO : H.S. A.C. for Legal Sub-Commission.
(Attn. Italian Branch).

1. The Military Authorities and the Public Safety Division are very much interested in the position of persons found in possession of arms after Allied Military Government ceases.
2. The position of such persons under D.L.R. 234 of 1945, under which some prosecutions are now being carried on, has been raised. This Division takes the view that A.S.G. orders to surrender arms remain valid after the handover to the Italian Government, but that in strict law in any prosecution after A.S.G. has ceased it would be necessary to prove that the accused had possessed during A.S.G. The Procuratore Generale while admitting that this position is strictly accurate does not anticipate any difficulty in obtaining convictions either directly or under Art. 378 of the Penal Code.
3. Any difficulty on the point would be removed if the Prefect of each Province issued an order by him as competent authority immediately on the handover requiring surrender of arms.
4. Will you please inform us as soon as possible what is the policy of the Italian Government in territory already handed back, which policy it is presumed will be the same here; and, if "disarmament" is the policy, whether any difficulties have been experienced in securing convictions under the D.L.R.

For the Regional Commissioner.

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Copy to R.F.S.C.

D.L. Mc Cola
Major, R.A.
Act'g Regional Officer.

(C)helation A.C.)

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
General Direction of P.S.

Rome 17 Settembre 1948

Division A.S.R. Section II

To ARDIRE COMMISSION

SUB COMMISSION OF P.S.

R.S.L.B.

Ann. sheet II.9. vs P. 40140,4
P.S.

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P° 442/11092

SUBJECT: "BERGAMO" rifle owned by BIGNARDI Francesco.

Ref. to s/m, we transmit what communicated by the Arms
C.R.R. General Command to this Ministry:The question referred to in enclosed petition, can
be exclusively attributed to the numerous withdrawals brought
about by the Arden.It is well to point out that, Francesco BIGNARDI reco-
gnized, among fire-arms exhibited in public, and owned as his
property a "Gambeco-turco" rifle cal. 16; which was handed him.Later the rifle was claimed by another "party, DE. ILLIO
BIGNARDI.The former insisted on his claim as owner and only gave
this up when his opponent faced him ^{with} proofs that he was the rightful
owner of fire-arm.

For the Minister

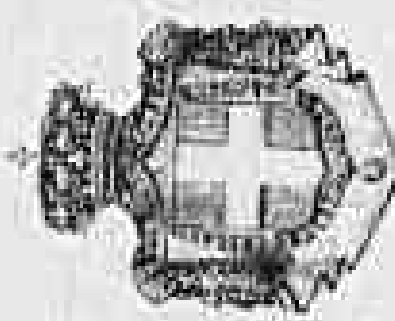
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EXEC. OFFICE	MA 299	
POLICE		
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Roma, 17 settembre 1945



R.O.

Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

ALL'ON. COMMISSIONE

della Camera = sottocommissione
per la P.S.

R. O. M. O.

Divisione n. 3. R. L. n. II
Prot. N. 442/11092 AllegatiRisposta al Foglio del 11.5.45.
Dir. L. n. II
N. 3. R. 14094
P. S.OGGETTO Fucile Beretta di proprietà di
GIORGIO Francesco.

Con riferimento alla nota contraddistinta, si trascrive qui di seguito quanto ha comunicato il Comando Generale dell'Arma CC. RR. opportunamente interessato da questo Ministero:

“quanto forma oggetto dell'accluso esposto, si deve attribuire esclusivamente ai numerosi prelievi operati dagli alleati.

E' bene chiarire, però, che il ricorrente, in un primo momento, aveva riconosciuto di sua proprietà e quindi avuto in restituzione un fucile damasco-turco cal. 16, esposto, con altro armi, al pubblico per il riconoscimento. -Anzi, essendo sorte in prosieguo di tempo contestazioni circa il possesso di detta arma con altro civile, tale CONSIGLIO Pacifico, il ricorrente presentò persino prove testimoniali a sostegno del suo presunto diritto di proprietà e desistette da tale atteggiamento solo dopo numerosi confronti con la parte in contesto.”

Con riferimento alla nota contraddistinta, si trascrive qui di seguito quanto ha comunicato il Comando Generale dell'Arma CC.RV. opportunamente interessato da questo Ministero:

"Quanto forma oggetto dell'acclaso esposto, si deve attribuire esclusivamente ai numerosi prelievi operati dagli Alleati. E' bene chiarire, però, che il ricorrente, in un primo momento, aveva riconosciuto di sua proprietà e quindi avuto in restituzione un facile damascio-turco cal.16, esposto, con altre armi, al pubblico per il riconoscimento. -Anzi, essendo sorte in prodeguo di tempo contestazioni circa il possesso di detta arma con altro civile, tale Consiglio Pacifico, il ricorrente presentò persino prove testimoniali a sostegno del suo presunto diritto di proprietà e desistette da tale atteggiamento solo dopo numerosi confronti con la parte in contestato. ""

PEL MINISTRO

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(Translation C.C.)

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

Rome 29 Agosto 1945

Division Police Section III°

N° IO.12272
IOICQ

10 SET. 1945

TO ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION P.S. R O K EAns. 171 inst. N° C.14094
P.S.

SUBJECT: Restitution of firearms

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The Montella CC.RR. lieutenantcy, interpellated at the subject to which we are answering, has informed that the double barreled gun reclaimed by GUARINO Gerardo, From Teora, had been taken away by Allied troops, conformed in report n.23- IC/4/45 at Teora CC.RR. barracks and of which we include a copy.

For the Minister
/s/ illegible

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TO	DATE	INITIALS
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER	21/8	11-9
FORCE	21/8	11-9
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(Translation C.C.)

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

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CC.RR. TERRITORIAL LEGION

TEORA Station

Written report of proceedings N°23 for the removal of numerous fire-arms by American soldiers from depot of this CC.RR. Station. The firearms carried away were mostly double barreled guns used for hunting purposes, and belonging to civilians who gave them up in answer to the known Allied Military proclamation.

At TEORA- CC.RR. police barracks, 0730 h.- 10/4/45

We the undersigned PUSCO Angelo, commander of station, and Cirillo "etale, carabinieri of same, report the following NOW FOR THEM to competent authorities:

Following superior orders for the reconnaissance of material stored by each CC.RR. station, and referring to the time when this station was under the supervision of Brig. Gelsomino Nicola, during Sept-Oct. 1943 period, American mil. elements, on continued passage through town, penetrated into this station store and took away numerous firearms belonging to civilians, without opposition by the CC.RR. in charge, leaving no document or receipt. Up to the present it has been ascertained that the firearms carried away belonged to following persons:

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|-----|-------------------------------|----------|-----------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| 1) | Donatello Nicola from TEORA, | one | barrelled | breech-loader | | |
| 2) | Ferrara Michele from Teora, | two | barrelled | muzzle-loader | | |
| 3) | Ferrara A. Maria from Teori, | two | barrelled | muzzle-loader | | |
| 4) | Racioppi Antonio from Teora, | cal. 16, | double | barrelled | breech-loader | |
| 5) | Casale Bartolomeo from Teora, | single | barrelled | muzzle-loader | | |
| 6) | Zarra Gerardo from Teora, | double | barrelled | breech-loader | cal. 16. | |
| 7) | Zarra Nicole from Teora | " | " | " | " | " |
| 8) | Casciano Nicola " | " | " | " | " | " |
| 9) | Milano Giuseppe " | " | " | " | " | " |
| 10) | Cordaccio Giuseppe " | " | " | " | " | " |
| 11) | Rosamilla Saverio " | " | " | " | " | " |
| 12) | Cordasco Francesco " | " | " | " | " | " |
| 13) | Guardino Gerardo from Conza | " | " | " | " | " 12 |
| 14) | Fiore Pietro " | " | " | " | " | " 16 |
| 15) | Casciano Gerardo " | " | " | " | " | " 12 |
| 16) | Ferrara Gaetano from Teora | " | " | " | " | " 2990 |

17) Lardieri Gerardo	from Teora	double	barrelled	breech-loader	cal.16			
18) Melillo Luigi	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
19) Vitello Angelo	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
20) Guardino Carmine	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	24
			single	barrelled			"	12

As commander of Station of that time did not take a list of guns given to his charge, it might be possible that many owners failed to put on a claim and in such case the present list, given by us, would result incomplete.

Three copies are taken from present statement, the first is sent to Pretore of Celsabritto, the 2nd. to superior command and a 3rd is kept at this station.

Cirillo Patole (Carabiniere)
Fusco Angelo (Maresciallo Capo)

S/no



Roma, 23 Agosto 1946

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DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

AL COMANDO DELLA COMIS-
SIONE ALLEATA

= Sottocommissione per la P.S. =

Direzione Polizia *Lex* III[^]
Prot. 110.12272. *Allegato*
10100

R.O.M.A.
Ripartizione 17^a carr.
Lex *Lex* N. C. 14094
P. S.

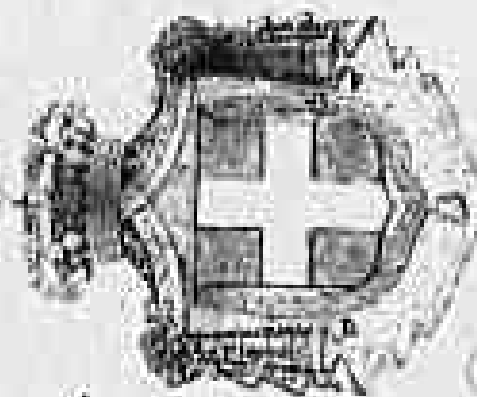
Oggetto: Restituzione fucili.

La tenente dei CC.RR. di Montella, interpellata
in merito alla nota cui si risponde, ha fatto
conoscere che il fucile reclamato da Guarino
Gerardo, da Teora, venne asportato dalle truppe
Alleate, giusta verbale n. 23 del 10 aprile u.s.
della stazione CC.RR. di Teora ^{di cui} si unisce copia.

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COPIA



Ministero dell'Interno

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE CARABINIERI REALI

Stazione di Teora

N. 23 del verbale. =

PROCESSO VERBALE di esportazione da questo magazzino di stazione da parte dei militari dell'esercito americano di numerose armi lunghe da fuoco per uso caccia appartenenti ai civili che le avevano versate in seguito al noto bando del Comando Militare Alleato. =

L'anno 1945 addì 10 aprile, in Teora, Ufficio Stazione, ora 7,30. =====

Noi sottoscritti Fusco Angelo, Maresciallo capo a piedi, comandante la Stazione carabinieri a piedi Cirillo Natale, pure della medesima, riferiamo alla competente autorità, ORA PER ALLORA, quanto appresso:

In seguito a disposizioni superiori per la ricognizione e del materiale presso le caserme, riferiamo che allorché questa stazione era comandata inizialmente dal V. Brigadiere Gelsomino Nicola, durante il periodo che va da settembre all'ottobre 1945, elementi militari americani, qui continuamente di passaggio, penetrarono in questo magazzino di stazione, esportarono numerosi fucili da caccia appartenenti a civili senza che i militari di allora potessero opporsi e senza che i predetti militari americani rilasciasero alcuna ricevuta o documento.

Più tardi è stato accertato che furono asportate le armi appartenenti alle seguenti persone:

- 1°) Donatiello Nicola fu Salvatore da Teora un fucile ad una canna dietro/can
- 2°) Ferrara Michele fu Pasquale da Teora un fucile a due canne susseguenti

dei militari dell'esercito americano di numerose armi lunghe da fuoco per uso caccia appartenenti ai civili che le avevano verate in serbo al noto baro del Comando Militare Alleato.

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1°)	Donatiello Niccolò fu Salvatore da Teora un fucile ad una canna dietroc/ce		
2°)	Ferrara Michele fu Pasquale da Teora un fucile a due canne avanzatrice =		
3°)	Ferrara A. Maria di ignoti da Teora un fucile a due canne avanzatrice =		
4°)	Racionopi Antonio fu Pietro da Teora = un fucile a due canne cal. 10		
5°)	Casale Bartolomeo fu Pietro da Teora un fucile una canna avanzatrice =		
6°)	Zarra Gerardo fu Saverio da Teora un fucile e due canne di retroc/ce 16 =		
7°)	Zarra Niccolò fu Saverio da Teora un fucile due canne di retroc/ce 16 =		
8°)	Casciano Niccolò fu Raffaele "	"	" cal. 12
9°)	Milano Giuseppe fu Niccolò "	"	" cal. 16
10°)	Cordasco Giuseppe fu Gabriele "	"	" cal. 12
11°)	Rosamilia Saverio fu Niccolò "	"	" "
12°)	Cordasco Francesco di Vito "	"	" "
13°)	Guardino Gerardo di Castano da Conza "	"	" "
14°)	Piore Pietro di Pasquale "	"	" "
15°)	Casciano Gerardo fu Saverio "	"	" "
16°)	Ferrara Gaetano fu Pasquale da Teora "	"	" "
17°)	Lardieri Gerardo fu Niccolò "	"	" "
18°)	Melillo Luigi fu Giuseppe "	"	" "

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- 19°) Vitiello Anzelo Michele fu Nicola da Teora fucile due carne cal.16
 20°) Guardino Carmine fu Vito da Teora " " " cal.24
 " una " cal.12

Diò non esclude che vi possa essere ancora qualche arma asportata e non ancora reclamata dal proprietario, perchè non è stato possibile fare un conteggio preciso siccome il comandante della stazione dell'epoca non compilò alcun elenco della armi versate dai civili.

Perchè così abbiamo compilato il presente verbale in triplice copia di cui la prima la rimettiamo al Sig. Pretore di Galatritto, la seconda ai Signori Superiori e la terza per gli atti di questo ufficio.

Fatto letto e sottoscritto in data e luogo di cui sopra, ci sottoscriviamo.

I° Cirillo Natale Carabinieri a piedi

I° Fusco Anzelo M/llo Capo

1st Ind.

AC/14094/PS

20 Sept., 45

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety, APO 394

TO : Claims and Hearings (Br.) 2 district

1. Attached correspondence relative to claim
forward for your action or onward transmission.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director

FHH/sk

31/8/45
Pablo Treccia ya Bonavino

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1st Ind.

20 Sept., 45

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety, APO 394

TO : SCAPO NAPLES AMG

1. Attached forwarded for such action as
you deem indicated.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director

FFH/sk

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

30 August 45

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Fire arms handed over by civilians.

TO : Commanding General CG.RR
Attn: Col. Ezio Bolani

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Reference your 23/158-3 of 13 August 45.

1. The only way to reach a satisfactory conclusion in matters of this nature is for the owners of the rifles etc to file a claim with

HQ Claims and Hirings
Naples, Italy.

2. They should state all pertinent information and complete descriptions of the items and cost or value etc. The Claims and Hirings will then investigate the claims and render a decision to the claimant.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director.

EPH/G

37100 (Translation M.C.)

GENERAL COMMAND OF THE CC.RR.
Service Office Situation and Liaison

Nº 23/I58-3 di prot.

Rome 13 Aug. 1945

Replay sheet of I8.5. N.AC/I4094/PS

Encl. 2

SUBJECT: Fire-arms handed over by civilians.

In Oct. 1943, following ben of Bri. Allied Command, civilians of GUGLIONESE (Campobasso) handed over to local CC.RR. barracks, 199 rifles of various types, besides revolvers, swords, bayonets, daggers etc.

While 21 pistols and 12 rifles were withdrawn and receipts given for same by English officers.

Among rifles handed over, is that claimed by, Macarlino Giuseppe.

The aforesaid receipts were later withdrawn by an officer of the A.M.G.O.I., who was sent to Guglionesi as Civilian Governor. He gave the assurance that he would inform the Commander of Occupation Troops for measures deemed fit.

Since then we have heard nothing further of e/m fire-arms.

Attached is report made by the Guglionesi CC.RR. Barracks- as also returned statement.

Head of the S.M.

Col. Ezio Polani

TO:		
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY		
EXEC. DIR.		
CHIEF		
CLERK		
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RECEPTION		

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Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SERVIZIO - SITUAZIONE E COLLEGAMENTI

N. 23/158-3 di prot.

Roma, li 13 agosto 1945

Risposta al foglio del 18-5-u.s. n° AC/14094/P/S. Allegati n. 2

OGGETTO: Versamento armi da fuoco.-

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA - Sottocommissione per la P.S. -

R O M A

Nell'ottobre 1943, in seguito al bando del Comando Militare britannico di occupazione, furono versate dai civili di Guglionesi (Campobasso) a quel comando di stazione CC.RR. le armi da caccia (199 fucili di vario genere), nonché pistole, sciabole, baionette, pugnali, ecc.-

In seguito, n.21 pistole e n.12 fucili vennero ritirati da ufficiali inglesi, mediante rilascio di relative ricevute.-

Fra i fucili risulta quello del reclamante, MACARLINO Giuseppe fu Pasquale.-

Le suddette ricevute vennero successivamente ritirate dall'ufficiale dell'A.M.G.C.T. inviato a Guglionesi come governatore civile, il quale assicurò che avrebbe svolto pratiche con il comando truppe di occupazione perchè fossero adottati i provvedimenti del caso.-

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Da quel tempo nulla si è più saputo delle armi di cui sopra.-

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Si allega copia di un verbale redatto nella circostanza
dalla stazione di Guglionesi, e si restituisce l'esposto.-

d'ordine
IL COLONNELLO CAPO DI S.M.
- Ezio Polani -



REGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI L'EMERALE DI CHIETI
STAZIONE DI CUGLIONESE

N° 189 del verbale

OGGETTO: Verbale di constatazione delle armi versate dai civili a questo Comando in seguito ad ordinanza autorità militari inglesi di occupazione del 1° ottobre 1943, e di requisizione delle predette armi stesse da parte delle autorità suddette. =

AL COLONNATO DELLA COMPAGNIA DEI CARABINIERI REATI DI

T E R R A C I N A

L'anno millenovecentotrentatré, addì ventidue del mese di Novembre, nell'ufficio della stazione, noi Maresciallo maggiore PELLEGRINO ANTONIO comandante la stessa, Vicebrigadiere a cavallo NUCOLA GIOVANNI della stessa e guardia forestale, CIAMPIETRO ADOLFO, assunto in servizio presso questa stazione a seguito ordine governatore Civile Inglese, Ufficiale dell'A.M. G.O.T. abbiamo proceduto alla verifica numerica delle armi versate a questo Comando dai civili in seguito ordinanza Comando Militare Britannico di occupazione in data 13 Ottobre 1943; ed abbiamo rilevato che sono state versate le seguenti armi:

" FUCILI DA CACCIA A RETROCARICO DI VARIO CALIBRO	N° 125
" FUCILI DA CACCIA AD UNA CANNA DI VARIO CALIBRO	" 24
" FUCILI DA CACCIA AVANCARICA A DUE CANNE vario calibro	" 19
" FUCILI DA CACCIA AD UNA CANNA AVANCARICA vario calibro	" 30
" FUCILE VECCHIO TIPO MILITARE A PALLOTTOLONE	" 1
" PISTOLE AUTOMATICHE VARIO CALIBRO	" 17
" RIVOLTELLI A ROTAZIONE VARIO CALIBRO	" 79
" RIVOLTELLI A SPILLE DI VARIO CALIBRO	" 42
" PISTOLE A RETROCARICA A DUE CANNE	" 1
" PISTOLE AVANCARICA A DUE CANNE	" 2
" PISTOLA AVANCARICA AD UNA CANNA	" 1
" SCABOIE DA UFFICIALE DI DIVERSO TIPO	" 18
" BAIONETTE DI VARIO TIPO E FORMA	" 5
" PUGNALI COMUNI	" 5
" PUGNALI ANIMATI	" 1

Dal su elencato materiale si è constatato che n. 27 rivoltelle di vario tipo e calibro sono state requisite dalle Autorità Militari Inglese che hanno rilasciato dichiarazione comprovante il ritiro delle citate armi che erano di proprietà dei sottocelencati signori a fianco dei quali è segnato il tipo di arma versata e requisita:

DI DOMENICO Raffaele fu Ferdinando pistola automatica cal. 7,65
SACCHETTI Francesco di Adamo pistola automatica id. 6,35

FUCILI DA CACCIA AVANCIATA A DUE CANNE vario calibro	"	19
FUCILI DA CACCIA AD UNA CANNA AVANCIATA vario calibro	"	30
FUCILI VASCOTTO TIPO MILITARE A PALLOTTOLONE	"	1
PISTOLE AUTOMATICHE VARIO CALIBRO	"	17
RIVOLTELLI A ROTAZIONE VARIO CALIBRO	"	75
RIVOLTELLI A SPILLE DI VARIO CALIBRO	"	42
RIVOLTELLI A RETROCARICA A DUE CANNE	"	1
PISTOLE AVANCIATE A DUE CANNE	"	2
PISTOLA AVANCIATA AD UNA CANNA	"	1
SCIABOLE DA UFFICIALE DI DIVERSO TIPO	"	18
DAIOMENTE DI VARIO TIPO E FORMA	"	5
PUGNALI COMUNI	"	5
PASTORI ANTIANTI	"	1

Dal su elencato materiale si è constatato che n. 21 rivoltelle di vario tipo e calibro sono state requisite dalle Autorità Militari Italiane che hanno rilasciato dichiarazione comprovante il ritiro delle citate armi, che erano di proprietà del sottotenente signori a fianco dei quali è segnato il tipo di arma versata e requisita:

DI DOMENICO Raffaele fu Ferdinando pistola automatica cal. 7,65	id.	7,65
SACCHETTI Francesco di Adamo pistola automatica	id.	6,35
CACCHIONE Giuseppe fu Bartolomeo id.	id.	6,35
TENACIA Giuseppe fu Antonio rivoltella a rotazione	id.	3,20
CIZZI Vincenzo fu Ferdinando id.	id.	9,00
DADDI Giuseppe fu Pasquale pistola automatica	id.	7,65
GENNETTI Giovanni fu Matteo rivoltella a rotazione	id.	9,00
LEONE Pasquale rivoltella a rotazione	id.	9,00
MULVITO Domenico fu Pasquale pistola automatica	id.	6,35
MULVITO Francesco fu Pasquale pistola automatica	id.	6,35
SCAPA Luigi di Vincenzo pistola automatica	id.	6,35
ROCCIA Eraldo di Francesco pistola automatica	id.	6,35
SALVATORE Filippo fu Antonio pistola automatica	id.	6,35
ALDORATI Vincenzo pistola automatica	id.	6,35
TELLATI Raimondo fu Cristoforo pistola automatica	id.	7,65
BEVIMACQUA Adamo fu Adamo pistola automatica	id.	6,35
LACCIANO Nicola fu Ernesto pistola automatica	id.	6,35
D'ANGELO Nicola fu Luigi rivoltella a rotazione	id.	3,20

BOTTALINI Francesco fu Michele rivoltella a rotazione calibro 7,35
 DELLA PONTA Pietro di Michele rivoltella a rotazione id. 6,65
 PIRROPAOLO Vincenzo fu Giuseppe rivoltella a rotazione id. 9,00

La stessa sorte è toccata a n. 12 fucili da caccia, relativamente dei Sigg.
 PRINDELLI Nicola fu Giuseppe fucile da caccia a due canne calibro 16, retr.
 ROMANOLI Carlo fu Michele fucile da caccia a due canne retrocarica cl. 16
 RACCHI Domenico fu Gabriele fucile a due canne retrocarica calibro 12
 VERACCHIA Michele fu Carlo fucile a retrocarica a due canne id. 16
 MARCHETTI Federico fu Antonio fucile a due canne retrac. id. 12
 CARUSO Guglielmo fu Remigio fucile a due canne a retrac. id. 12
 PROCCO Giuseppe fu Domenico fucile da caccia a due retrac. id. 16
 TOTARO Tedele fu Nicola fucile a due canne a retrocarica id. 12
 TONATA Antonio di Adamo fucile a due canne retrocarica id. 16
 CROCCANO Nicola di Vincenzo fucile a due canne retrac. id. 16
 MACCHETTI Giuseppe fu Pasquale fucile a due canne avanzata id. =
 BEVILACQUA Antonio fu Domenico fucile a due canne a retrac. =
 Abbiamo così constatato che dai 125 fucili da caccia a due canne a retrac.
 carica, ne sono rimasti 114 depositati nel magazzino di questa stazione
 con applicato tabellelino di versamento con numero d'ordine della bolletta
 delle ricevute rilasciate ai versanti.

Dai 24 fucili ad avanzata, ne sono rimasti numero 23 nelle stesse condi-
 zioni dei primi, e da numero 121 pistole ne rimangono 100. Dei 5 purnali
 versati ne rimangono 3 significando che i purnali relativamente di DE LTL=
 ITS Guido fu Nicola; MASTRULLI Michele di n. n. seguino le sorte di tutte le
 altre armi. =====
 cessione ufficiale britannico che ha preso armi nel contempo che venivano
 versate a questo comando ha rilasciato dichiarazione di requisizione con
 relativa firma e ricevuta. Dette dichiarazioni vennero ritirate dall'uffi-
 ciale DEM. A. G. D. T., cui mandato come Governatore Civile, il quale intan-
 deve produrre contestazione all'Esco. il Generale Comandante le Truppe di
 Occupazioni perchè intervenisse onde evitare l'abuso di continuata requis-
 izione di armi da parte dei Sigg. Ufficiali Britannici. =====
 Abbiamo redatto il presente verbale in triplice copia che alleghiamo alla
 rubrica delle armi consegnate per qualsivoglia evenienza. =====
 fatto, letto e confermato in data e luogo di cui si pra ci sottoscriviamo. =

Giampietro Adolfo R. G. Forentale

Nicola Giovanni V. Brig. 90. RR.

Pirropao Antonio A. M. dei CC. RR.

con applicato tabellino di versamento con numero d'ordine e
delle ricevute rilasciate ai versanti.
Dai 24 facili ed avanzaria, ne sono rimasti numero 23 nelle stesse condi-
zioni dei primi, e da numero 121 pistole ne rimangono 100. Dei 5 pugnali
versati ne rimangono 3 significando che i pugnali relativamente ai DE LIL-
LIS guido fu Nicola; ASTILLI Michele di n.n. seguano le sorte di tutte le
altre armi. =====
Ciascun ufficiale britannico che ha preso armi nel contempo che venivano
versate a questo comando ha rilasciato dichiarazione di requisizione con
relativa firma e ricevuta. Dette dichiarazioni vennero ritirate dall'uffi-
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Occupazioni perchè intervenisse onde evitare l'abuso di continuata requi-
sizione di armi da parte dei Sirr. Ufficiali Britannici. =====
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rubrica delle armi consegnate per qualsivoglia evenienza. =====
Fatto, letto e confermato in data e luogo di cui e pra ci sottoscriviamo. =
Giampietro Adolfo R. F. Forestale
NICOLA GIOVANNI V. Brig. CC. RR.
PELLICCIATO Antonio M. L. dei CC. RR.

P.O.C.

Gu-Lionesi, li 22 luglio 1945. =

Il Comandante della Stazione

COMANDANTE DELLA STAZIONE

(CAVANO)



ALTA COMMISSIONE CENTRALE ALIQUATA

Il sottoscritto Nacerlino Giuseppe di Pasquale e di Greco Vittoria nato a Castellonesi il 10 Febbraio 1911, contadino ivi abitante in via

In 2003 ci quanto sopra mi sottogoverno.

Qualitative Li I maggio 1945.

albicollino Giuseppe

STALIN

GUGLIONESE (Campobasso)

11. t. x. longissima percut. rapum
Pezomachus' L. 2/5/65.

aburcudino Gimpfel

STATION ADVISORY BOARD

GUGLIONESE (Campobasso)

11. t. x. conferimus quod supra
 Gregorius ver. h. 2/3/45.

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~~8 IL MARCHIO BARON PRINCE
OF ANASTASIOVICH
(CALVANOVA)~~

(CALYAND 2000)

Calvin C. Johnson

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478709

28 July 1945

AC/14094/FS

SUBJECT : Ramazzotti Alfredo di Alfineo resident
Selci Sapino.

TO : Ministry of Interior - Chief of Police.

1. Report from CC.RR Stazione is forwarded
for your attention as this matter is in Italian
territory.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director.

FPH/G

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SUBJECT:- Return of gun
confiscated by
Carabinieri.

59 Town Major, *SP*
CMF.

Phone RIETI 399

Ref - 59.TM/43

HQ Allied Commission,
ROME.

1. Copy of letter with translation from Carabinieri
FORANO SABINO is forwarded for infm and necessary action
please.

2. As this matter was originally dealt with by AC when
located in RIETI it is considered that any further
instructions should come from your office.

CMF

14 July 45

ECM.

Encls

(N.H. Bell).

Major, RA.

59 Town Major.

18 JUL 1945

TO	DATE
DIRECTOR	
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	
EXECUTIVE	
POLICE	
U.S. ARMY	
PRISONS	
ADM. OFFICE	
SECURITY	
CHIEF CLERK	

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TRANSLATION J.B.

TERRITORIAL LEGION CC.RR - FORANO SABINO STATION

N.17/70

5/7/45

SUBJECT : Ramazzotti Alfredo di Alfineo resident Selci
Sabino

TO : Provincial Legal Officer - A.M.G. Rieti

During the month of June 1944 a double -barrelled gun was seized by the Carabinieri of this Section from Ramazzotti Alfredo. The gun was used by him to kill members of the Allied Forces.

This office was chosen to resolve the matter.

As the crimes committed by this man had no penal proceedings owing to the special circumstances, no action was taken. Please inform this office if we may return the gun to Ramazzotti.

/s/ Malagesi Benedetto

TRANSLATION M.C.

GENERAL COMMAND OF CC.RR.

9th July 1945 - ROME

NO.499/40 - R.P.

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION AND SUB-C. FOR P.S. - ROME

Subj.: Puglie - Disorders. -

We enclose you copy of phonogram No.78/69, from Bari, 8th July by
CC.RR. Legion.

Up till this morning the following arms have been consigned:

ANDRIA - I machine-gun(usable) , 17 two-barrelled guns, 9 pistols, 1 musket,
50 Ballilla muskets, 1 sword, 32 revolvers.

CORATO - I two-barrelled gun, 6 muskets, 1 Ballilla musket, 2 foreign-made
guns, 2 hand-granades and a variety of cartridges.

For THE GENERAL COMMANDER a.p.s.

TO	DATE
DIRECTOR	
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	
CHIEF OFFICER	
CHIEF	
CHIEF 2 DEPT.	
CHIEF 3	
ADM. OFFICER	
SECURITY	
CHIEF CLERK	

THE VICE COMMANDER

GENERAL LEONETTO TADDEI



Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SERVIZIO - SITUAZIONE E COLLEGAMENTI

N. 479/43 di prot. A.I.

Roma, li 3 LUGLIO 1943

Risposta al

del

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Allegati n.

OGGETTO: Puglia - disordini.-

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA -
- Sottocommissione per la P.S. -

R O M A

Trascrive il seguente fonogramma n°78/33 in data 3
luglio della Regione ... di Bari:

""Versate fino a settimane seguenti armi:

DATA - una mitragliatrice non efficiente, 17 fucili cac-
cia, 2 pistole, un moschetto, 93 moschetti tipo
"belilla", una sciabola et 12 rivoltelle.

GRATO - un fucile caccia, 6 moschetti, un moschetto tipo
"belilla", due fucili tipo straniero, due bombe a
mano et cartucce varie.""

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P. IL SOTTOCOMMISSARIO GENERALE S.P.S.
IN VICE COMANDANTE
- Generale Renato Tassini -

[Handwritten signature]

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HEAD QUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
ANCONA PROVINCE

Subject: Firearms.

To: HQ.AC.Public Safety Sub-Commission Rome.

From: PFSS/Ancona.

Ref: ANG/P/21

Date: 21/5/45

TO	DATE
DIRECTOR	23/6
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	26/6
EXEC. OFFICER	
CHIEF CLERK	15/6

PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICE

Ancona.

SECRET.

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- I. In reply to your letter AC/14094/PS of the 12 June on the subject of trafficking in Firearms enquiries have been made as requested.
2. There is no evidence that this is true so far as Ancona district is concerned. Continual patrols of GAPP are employed under the surveillance of the PSS.
3. In the absence of more concrete information as to the locality and the fact that is not desired that it is known that C.D. cars are being used, it will be appreciated that the field of enquiry is so cramped as to be almost negligible.
4. Should any further information come to hand a further report will be submitted.

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W. M. J. 2930

Major

Public Safety Liaison Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref: AC/14094/PS

12 Jun 45

SUBJECT: Firearms.

TO: AMQ Commissioner,
ANCONA Commune.

- 1 The following report has been received from Public Safety Liaison Officer with Rome Area Allied Command:

"Confidential source has informed that quantities of firearms and ammunition are shipped across the Adriatic and landed on uncontrolled points of the Italian shore, presumably in the Ancona district.

"These arms are then loaded on motorcars bearing C.D. plates and smuggled into Rome."

- 2 Will you please make discreet enquiries and if you can obtain any information, let us have a report in due course. It may be necessary for any action you may think to be desirable to be taken officially by Italian police agencies but we think it undesirable at this point to pass on to them the second paragraph of the above report.

RB
G.R. UPJOHN, Brig.,
VP CA Section.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY LIAISON OFFICE
R.A.A.C. QUESTURA BLDG. VIA S. VITALE

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To : Director Public Safety S/C - AC/HQ.
From : Lt.Col. R.T. Millhouse, L.O.
Subject : Firearms.

Rome, 11th June 1945.

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R.T. Millhouse, Lt. Col.
A.C. Public Safety L.O.

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Translation. 3/3

MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

N. 555/

To : A.C. P.S. S/C.

4.6.45

Seizure of Arms

During the last ten days of the month of April and during the month of May, 1945, the following arms have been seized in liberated Italy, as a result of gathering-up operations or repression of criminal activities:

Calabria = 3 rifles - 5 guns - 1 mitra - 2 hand-grenades - 450 cartridges - 58 loaders - 10.500 Kg. ~~ammunition~~ gun-powder.

Campania = 22 guns - 4 pistols - 115 cartridges - 2 loaders - 1 bayonet - 1 anti-gas mask.

Lazio = 3 rifles - 3 pistols - 11 guns.

Marche = 134 rifles - 3 guns - 22 mitra - 22 pistols - 151 hand-grneades - 944 cartridges - 9 bayonets - 4 barrels - 1 kg. bullets - 44 boxes of various projectiles - 4 tubes containing explosives.

Sardinia = 3 guns - 1 rifle.

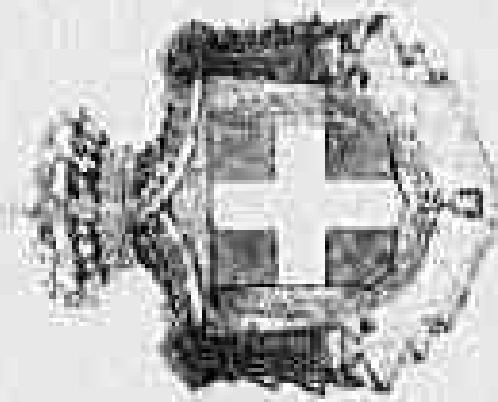
Sicily = 14 rifles - 10 mitra - 1 pistol

Tuscany = 53 rifles - 37 machine guns - 203 hand-grenades - 7 pistols - 6 bayonets - 17446 cartridges - 9 bands for machine-guns - 300 projectiles - 10 Kg. explosives - 120 loaders - 10 rolls detonator.

Chief of the Police

TO	DATE
DIRECTOR	Feb 8/6
DEPT. OF JUSTICE	
EXTERIOR	
POWERS	9/6
EC. & REG.	
FINANCE	
ARMY SERVICES	
SECURITY	
CHIEF OF POLICE	

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

N. 555/

Roma, 4 giugno 1945

ONOREVOLE COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la Pubblica Sicurezza

R O M A

REGISTRO ARMI -

Durante l'ultima decade di aprile e il mese di maggio u.s. si è proceduto nell'Italia Liberata, al sequestro delle armi appresso descritte in operazioni di rastrellamento o di repressione di malandrinaggio:

CALABRIA = N° 3 moschetti - n.5 fucili - n.1 mitra - n.2 bombe a mano
n.450 cartucce - n.58 caricatori - n.10.500 kg. polvere.-

CAMPANIA = N.22 fucili - n.4 pistole - n.115 cartucce - n.2 caricatori
n.1 baionetta - n.1 maschera antigas.-

LAZIO = N. 3 moschetti - n.3 pistole - n.11 fucili -

MARCHE = N.114 moschetti - n.3 fucili - n.22 mitra - n.22 pistole -
n.151 bombe a mano - n.944 cartucce - n.9 baionette - n.4
canna per fucili da guerra.- n.1 kg. piombo per armi - n.44

armi sequestrate veri - n.4 tubi gelatina.-

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n. 151 bombe a mano - n. 944 cartucce - n. 9 baionette - n. 4
canne per fucili da guerra.- n. 1 kg. piombo per armi - n. 44
casse proiettili vari - n. 4 tubi gelatina.-

SARDEGNA = n. 3 fucili - n. 1 moschetto.-

SICILIA = N. 14 moschetti - n. 10 mitra - n. 1 pistola.-

TOSCANA = N. 53 moschetti - n. 37 fucili mitragliatori - n. 203 bombe a
mano - n. 7 pistole - n. 6 baionette - n. 17446 cartucce - n. 9
nastri per mitragliatrice - n. 300 proiettili per mitragliera

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n.10 kg. esplosivo - n.120 caricatori per moschetto - n.10 rotoli miccia.-

TOTALE ARMI SEQUESTRATE

N.208 moschetti - n.44 fucili - n.73 fucili mitragliatori - n.356 bombe a mano - n.37 pistole - n.180 caricatori - n.13955 cartucce - n.9 nastri per mitragliatrice - n.10 kg.di esplosivo - n.300 proiettili per mitragliera - n.44 casse proiettili vari - n.10.500 kg. di polvere - n.10 rotoli di miccia - n.4 tubi gelatina - n.1 kg. piombo per armi - n.1 mazzuola antigas.-

IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

Germani

TRANSLATION MC. 115

MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

V.

n: 10.12555/IOI73

Subject : Release of hunting licence.

To : Allied Commission Public Safety s/c.

Rome 23th May 1945

With reference to the circular letter n.10.11084/IOI73, dated 23th December 1944, with which has been abolished the obligation of the inscription to the local Hunters Section from the person who require the licences to carry arms for hunting use, the Ministry of Agriculture and Forest has pointed out that in consequence of the abolition of this obligation the Italian Federation of the Hunting Club and the dependent sections are in very serious difficulties either for the explication of their activities or for the study of corrections to be introduced into the organisation, in order to make in connection with the democratic precepts ideas.

And therefore has requested the renewing of the a/m obligation, awaiting for the reformation of the hunting legislation to-day in use.

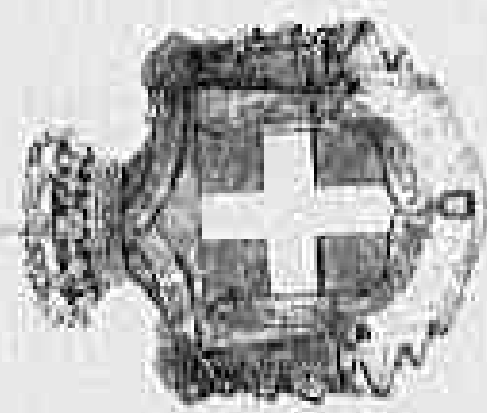
On account of the above mentioned, it is requested to issued to the dependent questure, the concerning dispositions in order to consider revoked the regulations issued with the a/m circular letter, in occasion of the release or renewal of the hunting licences, putting again into effect the regulations of which in the article 8 of T.U. in regard to the hunting dispositions, approved with decree 5 June 1938 n: IOI6, and therefore ask the prove of the inscription to the Hunters Club, before giving the permit to carry arms for hunting use.

For the Minister
-Ferrari-

TO		
DIRECTOR	10/6	1/6
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1/8	1/6
EXECUTIVE		
SECRETARY	1/5	1/9
LEG. & REG.		
FINANCE		
ST. & CORR.		
SAFETY		
CHIEF CLERK		

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA
Divisione Polizia - Sezione 3

Roma 23 Maggio 1945

n. 10.12555/10173

OGGETTO: Rilascio delle licenze di caccia.

ALLE LL. EE. I PREFETTI DELL'ITALIA LIBERATA
ALLE LL. EE. GLI ALTI COMISSARI PER LA SICILIA -- PALERMO
-- CAGLIARI
-- ROMA
E LA SARDEGNA

AL COMANDO GENERALE DELL'ARMA DEI CC. RR.

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO DELL'AGRICOLTURA E DELLE FORESTE -- ROMA

AL MINISTERO DELLE FINANZE -- ROMA

AL MINISTERO ALLEATO-SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER LA P. S. -- ROMA

OR. COMMISSIONE ALLEATO-SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'AGRICOLTURA

OR. COMMISSIONE ALLEATO-SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'AGRICOLTURA
ROMA

A seguito della circolare n. 10.11084/10173, in data 23 dicembre 1944, con la quale veniva abolito l'obbligo della iscrizione alla locale Sezione Cacciatori da parte dei richiedenti le licenze di porto di armi per uso di caccia, il Ministero dell'Agricoltura e delle Foreste ha ora fatto presente che, a causa dell'abolizione di tale obbligo, la Federazione Italiana della Caccia e le dipendenti Sezioni versano in gravi difficoltà sia per lo svolgimento delle loro normali attività sia per lo studio degli emendamenti da introdurre all'organizzazione, al fine di renderla aderente ai principi democratici. E, pertanto, ha richiesto il ripristino dell'obbligo suddetto, in attesa che si provveda alla riforma della legislazione venatoria oggi vigente.

Cio posto, si pregano le LL. d'impartire alle dipendenti Questure le occorrenti disposizioni perchè siano considerate atrogate le

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO DELL'AGRICOLTURA E DELLE FORESTE - ROMA

AL MINISTERO DELLE FINANZE - ROMA

ON. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA-SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER LA P.S.-ROMA

ON. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA-SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'AGRICOLTURA

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Cio posto, si pregano le D.E.L.L. d'impartire alle dipendenti Questure le occorrenti disposizioni perchè siano considerate abrogate le norme emanate con la circolare di cui sopra, in occasione del rilascio o rinnovo delle licenze di caccia, ripristinandosi la piena efficacia delle disposizioni di cui all'articolo 8 del T.U. delle leggi sulla caccia, approvato con il R. decreto 5 giugno 1938, n. 1016, e chiedere, di conseguenza, la prova della iscrizione alla Federazione Cacciatori, prima di consentire il porto di fucile per uso di caccia.

TEL. MINISTERO



HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LOMBARDIA REGION

AFG 394
Regional Public Safety Office

PS/17.5

SUBJECT: Firearms.

TO :	ITSO Milan Province	ITSO Mantova Province
	Bergamo "	Pavia "
	Como "	Sondrio "
	Brescia "	Varese "
	Cronona "	Milan City

16 May 1945

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1. You are reminded that by Proclamation No 1 it is an offence to possess firearms, ammunition, explosives or similar war supplies except in accordance with a permit of Allied Military Government. Notice No 1, which should already have been posted in your Province, calls for the surrender of such articles.

2. Certain arrangements, with the sanction of IV Corps, regarding the carrying and use of firearms have been made and the following is given for your information and that of the civilian police of your area.

(a) Partisans.

The partisans have been ordered by their own Commanding General to disarm and to surrender their arms to their Command, storing them in their own barracks. Authority has been given to the General to retain, purely as a temporary measure, a percentage of his original force, not exceeding 1000 in the City of Milan and 500 in each Province, for the undermentioned

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(i) Guarding their own barracks, store-houses and installations previously under their control.

(ii) Patrolling for the purposes of informing remaining partisans of the disarming order and ensuring that they disarm by either conducting them to their own barracks or disarming them on the spot.

These specially selected and accredited partisans will have no other police powers and they will wear the white brassard with CVL, a five pointed star and identification number thereon. They will carry an identification card to correspond with the number on the armband. They will be allowed to carry arms only when on duty.

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(b) Railway Police.

The Railway Militia, who have ceased to exist, were replaced by Railway Guards selected from Railway employees (some of them were Patriots as well) and these are now performing armed guard duty for the protection of the railways, bridges, stations, and premises connected therewith. The continuation of this duty is approved, subject to the following:

- (i) Authorized guards will wear a white armband with the words "Railway Guard" and a five-pointed star thereon.
- (ii) They will carry an identity card.
- (iii) They will possess a permit to carry arms when on duty. Such permits can be prepared by the Railway authorities but must bear your counter-signature and AIG stamp.
- (iv) They will carry arms only when on duty and will draw them from a depot on the railway premises and on termination of their duty return them thereto.

By Order of Colonel Poletti.

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By Order of Colonel Poletti.

C.T. FRANCIS

Lieut. Colonel
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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Copies to:

SCAPD 5 Army
SCAPD IV Corps
HQ AC Public Safety Sub-Commission
Regional Commissioner, Lombardia Region
Partisan Liaison Officer (Lt. Col. de Garsten)

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
 Lombardia Region

17 May 45

SUBJECT : Firearms

TO : RPSO, Lombardia Region

1. Reference AC/14094/PS dated 2 May 45.

2. There appears to be some error in the above letter as I have never had a Beretta pistol or any other German or Italian pistol in my possession.

3. It is probable that some other officer was involved as I have never been either stationed or resident at Arezzo.

4. If HQ, AC is not satisfied with this explanation may I please be supplied with the date of the alleged loan from the CC.RR.

/s/ P.E. REYNOLDS,
 Major.
 Legal Division

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HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT, Public
 Safety Division.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission, HQ, AC.

19 May 45

Forwarded in reply to your letter AC/14094/PS dated
 2 May 45.

For the Regional Commissioner,

TO	DATE	INITIALS
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER		
POLICE		
LIC. & REG.		
PRISONS		
ADJ. OFFICER		
SECURITY		
CHIEF CLERK		

Francis
 C. FRANCIS,
 Lt-Colonel,
 RPSO, LOMBARDIA REGION.

1 Ministry will obtain
 particulars of receipt.
 2 then reply to 76

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 396
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Tel: 478127, Ext. 686

Ref: AC/14034/PS.

20 May 45

SUBJECT: Unauthorized Possession of Weapons.

TO: AFHQ, G-5 Section.

- 1 Information has reached this Headquarters that with the dispersing of the German forces, numbers of pistols and other weapons are coming into the hands of individual Allied soldiers and that there is good reason to believe that many of these weapons are being sold or bartered to civilians.
- 2 The assistance of AFHQ is sought to prevent this dangerous and additional source of arms being made available to the civilian population.

Will you please bring the matter to the notice of the appropriate Section?

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:



G.R. UPJOHN, Brig..
VP CA Section.

Copy to: DCCAO, 15 Army Group.
SCAO, 5 Army.
SCAO, 8 Army.

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16094/115
ALLIED [REDACTED] COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM *PL*

SUBJECT:

FILE No.

TO *Public Safety*

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With the disarming of the German forces numbers of
pistols and other weapons have come and are coming
into the hands of individual soldiers.

There is good reason for believing that many
of these weapons are later sold or bartered.

Can representations be made to limit this
traffic.

18 MAY 1945

Please initial reverse side

[Signature] 2970
11/11/45

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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CAS 17 MAG 1945

Originator's Reference: 372
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 16 1500B

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Message Centre No: E/1120
Date Time Rec'd: MAY 17 1305B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: 5 ARMY LIAISON GROUP CUSC SOUTH WEST FROM FESKE
TO: ACOM

17 MAY 1945

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Of German military police and restriction of German troops to billets when not duty have greatly relieved tension. However large numbers of the population are armed, the Germans having bartered or sold large quantities of small arms and munitions especially to their sympathizers here. Pro-Partisan activity is not great at the moment but may be expected to increase when German armed troops are withdrawn. Some French Partisans (possibly ex Vichyites) have been operating in the area and are now being rounded up. Work on BRENNER railroad is progressing satisfactorily. CLN intransigence abated. Roundup of suspected war criminals is making some progress with limited personnel available.

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ACTION: Executive Commissioner 2
CA Sec
Econ Sec
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
PFB
File

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TO	10/6 19/5
FROM	
SUBJECT	
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REMARKS	
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AC/14094/PS

18 May 1945

SUBJECT : Firearms

TO : Commanding General CCRM

1. Attached is request for re-imbursment of firearm.
2. If particulars of receipt given by Allied Authorities can be obtained, this Sub-Commission will be able to make enquiries.

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

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Translation

To : Allied Commission

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The undersigned Macarlino Giuseppe son of Pasquale and of Greco Vittoria, born at Guglionesi on the 10 February 1944, peasant there resident in via Guiscardo 252, on the 22 Oct. 1943 delivered to the local CC.RR. Station a shooting rifle calibre 16, breech-loading, n. 43834, as appears from the receipt n. 220 issued by the a/m Command.

As the a/m rifle has been seized by the Allied Authorities (British), I apply to the Commission, so that arrangements be made for the re-imbusement of the sum of 15.000 Lire, price of this arm.

In faith.

Guglionesi, 1st May 1945.

Sgd. Macarlino Giuseppe

CC.RR. Station Guglionesi (Campobasso)

The above statement is herewith confirmed.

Guglionesi, 2nd May 1945.

Maresciallo
(Calvano Giuseppe)

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Please initial reverse side.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478707-257

11 May 1945

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Berretta gun - property of Francesco Buonanno.

TO : Ministry of Interior
Director of Public Security.

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Attached is copy of complaint which was received
at this HQ.

It is requested that investigation be made to
ascertain present whereabouts of this weapon and in whose
possession it might be.

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

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TO THE ADMIRAL STONE

Allied Commission Public Safety Subcommittee.

Avellino 27-4-45

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With letter dated 16th April 1945, the under-signed Francesco Bounanno, son of Giuseppe, from Avellino, reported to the Commission that a gun (Beretta type cal.29) delivered to the CC.RR. of Avellino following an order issued by the Allies, has been never given back to him, because withdrawn by Allied soldiers, who delivered the regular receipt. On account of the cost of the gun, more than L.30.000, as well as of the economical conditions of the writer, which will never allow him to buy it, he applies to the Commission in order that the amount will be sent to him.

Awaiting for acknowledgment of receipt.

Francesco Bounanno

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Address: Via S. Antonio Abate n:31 -Avellino-

A Sua Eccellenza il Contrammiraglio Stone

Capo della Commissione Alleata

R O M A

Con suo esposto del 16 febbraio 1945, il sottoscritto, Rag. Francesco Buonanno di Giuseppe, di Avellino, informò l'Eccellenza Vostra che un suo fucile da caccia (tipo "Beretta" cal.24, quasi nove) consegnato ai Reali Carabinieri di Avellino, per ordine di un bande Alleate, non gli fu più restituito, giacchè, secondo le dichiarazioni dei Carabinieri stessi, detto fucile fu ritirato da militari alleati, i quali rilasciarono all'uopo regolare ricevuta.-

Peichè detto fucile costa oltre le L. 30.000.=-, e poichè lo scrivente non è, nè sarà mai, in condizioni di poterselo comprare, tale è il suo disagio economico, prega vivamente l'Eccellenza Vostra per-

si nuove) consegnate ai Reali Carabinieri di Avellino, per ordine di un bando Alleato, non gli fu più restituite, giacchè, secondo le dichiarazioni dei Carabinieri stessi, detto fucile fu ritirato da militari alleati, i quali rilasciarono all'uopo regolare ricevuta.-

Peichè detto fucile costa oltre le L. 30.000.=, e peichè lo scrivente non è, nè sarà mai, in condizioni di poterlo comprare, tale è il suo disagio economico, prega vivamente l'Esccellenza Vostra perchè si compiacca disporre l'invio della somma anzidetta.-

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Sicuro che la presente venga benevolmente accolta, e nella speranza di ricevere frattanto un cortese cenno di riscontro, ringrazia e porgo deferenti essequi.-

Avellino, 27 aprile 1945

Via S. Antonio Abate n. 31=
Avellino

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478708

2 May, 1945.

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Firearms.

TO : Regional Commissioner Lombardia Region
att: P.S.O.

It is stated that Major P.E. Reynolds (B) (legal) Lombardia Region, when stationed at Arezzo, received on loan from the CC.RR barracks, MONTEVAPCHII, a Beretta pistol, two loaders and 14 rounds of ammunition.

May Major Reynolds be requested to make arrangements to return the above to the CC.RR.

BF
1 month to see 491
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

BP/G.

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HQ Piemonte 19 AMO
Date 28/4/45
No 3838

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APC 394

Tel : 478708

26 April, 1945.

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Firearms.

TO : H.Q. Piemonte Region
(Attention R.P.S.O.)

Public Safety S/C

1. Will you please ascertain from Major P.E. Reynolds, Legal Officer, whether if when stationed at Arezzo he received on loan from the Carabinieri barracks at MONTEVARCHI, a beretta pistol, two loaders and 14 rounds of ammunition.

TO	INIT	DATE
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DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER		
POLICE		
LIC. & REG.		
PERSONS		
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GPD/G.

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

1st Incl.

FROM: PIEMONTE REGION, APC, RPSO., 28 April 45

TO : HQ., A.C. (Attn. Director, Public Safety S/C).

1. There is no Maj. P.E. Reynolds assigned to this Region.

W. Briggs
Lt. Col.
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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From: Deputy Provost Marshal,
Provost & Security Unit,
Sub-Headquarters, North Italy.

To : Headquarters Allied Commission
Public Safety Sub-Commission.

Date: 27th April, 1945.

Ref : DI/S.139/Air.

Possession of Firearms.

Reference your letter AC/14094/PS.
dated the 22nd April, 1945, your remarks
have been noted and this Sub-Headquarters
very much appreciates the efforts you
have made to help us and for your
promised co-operation.

2. R.A.P. Provost Officers operating
in the Rome area have been advised to keep
in touch with you and your representatives.

Director	
Deputy Director	
Executive Officer	
Provost Marshal	
Deputy Provost Marshal	
Inspector	
Sub-Inspector	
Assistant	
Secretary	
Chief Clerk	

R. W. Johnson
(R. W. JOHNSON)
Wing Commander,
Deputy Provost Marshal.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478708

26 April, 1945.

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Firearms.

TO : H.Q. Piemonte Region
(Attention R.P.S.O.)

1. Will you please ascertain from Major P.E. Reynolds, legal officer, whether if when stationed at Arezzo he received on loan from the Carabinieri barracks at MONTEVARCHI, a beretta pistol, two loaders and 14 rounds of ammunition.

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

GTO/G.

HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
Public Safety Division
APO 394

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HEADQUARTERS
18 APR 1945
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File : R.IX/PS/50/3.
Subject : Firearms.
To : Director,
Public Safety Sub-Commission
HQ., AC.

16 April 1945

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1. Reference your letter AC/14094/PS dated 11 April 45.
2. Major P.E. Reynolds, Legal Officer who has been temporarily attached to this Region, left today for Rome to join Piemonte Region, to whom he is assigned.

RCB/ar.

TO	NO	
Director		
Public Safety Division		
Public Safety Sub-Commission		
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W.E. COLLINS, Major,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

C o n f i d e n t i a l .

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394.

11 April, 1945.

AC/14094/PS.

SUBJECT : Fire arms.

TO : Headquarters Emilia Region.
(Att. R.P.S.O.)

1. Would you please ascertain from Major P.E. Reynold, ^{which} if when stationed in Arezzo he received on loan from the Carabinieri barracks at MONTEVARCHI, a Beretta pistol, two loaders and 14 rounds of ammunition. If so, would he please arrange to return them.

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

GRD/rv.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APC 394

Tel : 478708

22 April, 1945.

AG/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Possession of Firearms.

TO : Deputy Provost Marshal, Provost and Security Unit,
Sub-Headquarters, North Italy.Reference your LI/S.139/Air dated 6 April and 15 April
1945.

1. As you are aware the use and possession of firearms by civilians in Italian government territory is governed by Italian law and not by Allied Military Government proclamations.

2. In the two cases quoted in your letter the offences committed by the Italian civilians were :

"Failing to declare a firearm to the police, contrary to Italian Public Safety Regulations."

3. It is to be noted that Italian civilians are not required to obtain a licence to possess fire-arms (other than Military weapons) within their own homes, but are merely required to declare the weapons to the Italian police.

4. When a weapon is confiscated as a consequence of an offence against the fire-arms regulations, the Italian procedure is as follows :

"If it is a non-Allied weapon it is confiscated by the police and the offender prosecuted. By consent of the Court the weapons are disposed of by the quastore either to the Min. of War or to the Min. of Interior. Allied weapons are returned to Allied Police."

5. In the two instances quoted Dott. James acted correctly, but the question of copies of the denunciations not having been sent to you as usual has been taken up with Dr. MARCOCCO, the new Director 23/4/45

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Squadra Mobili, who has promised to see that copies are sent to you.

6. As regards the relations of Allied Police with the Italian Police, you will appreciate that in Italian Government territory Italian law is enforced by the Italian Authorities in accordance with Italian procedure.

7. This Sub-Commission will be pleased to discuss with your officers at any time any problems relating to law enforcement in Italian Government territory. As far as Allied Military Government territory is concerned, the services of local Public Safety Officers (usually to be found in Provincial capitals) are always at your disposal.

Dr. MARROCCO has intimated his willingness to meet any of your representatives and will be pleased to discuss any matter which will help co-operation with your services.

Assistance in dealing with questura officials in Rome can always be obtained by contacting Lt. Col. MILLHOUSE (E) Public Safety Liaison officer at the questura, Via St. Vitale, Rome.


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

RF/G.


Copy to Lt. Col. MILLHOUSE.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 476700

17 April, 1945.

AG/14091/PG

SUBJECT : Return of shotgun.

TO : Ministry of Interior
Director of Public Security.

Complaint has been made by Gerardo Guarino di Gaetano, of Teora, Avellino, that a two-shot hunting gun, which he surrendered to the police on 3 October, 1943, has not been returned to him.

It would be appreciated if you would direct immediate enquiries to be made into this matter, and inform this office the result as soon as possible.

BF, cc. 1 month
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JOHN V. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.S.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

EP/C.

Copy to AFHQ G-5 -
Letter G-5:368 dated 10/4/45
refers.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478708

17 April, 1945.

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Return of Surrendered Arms.

TO : Regional Commissioner Umbria Marche Region.

With reference to this office letter AC/14094/PS
dated 28 February 1945, with enclosures, copies attached for
easy reference, may a reply now be given please.

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

Encl. copies (as above)

HP/C.

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Public SafetyALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS JB/KPM/sob
G-5 Section
APO 51231A
16094

G-5: 386.

10 April 1945

SUBJECT: Firearms belonging to Italian citizens

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394.

1. Reference is made to attached copies of letters:-

- 1) War Dept., Civil Affairs Branch, dated 10 March 45.
- 2) House of Representatives dated 19 Feb. 45.
- 3) J.J. Guarino, Newark, dated 12 Feb. 45.

2. It is requested that this case be investigated and a report sent to this Headquarters with the least possible delay.

For the Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

Julius Byles
JULIUS BYLES
Major, F.A.

TO		
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Inols.		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	as above.	
EXECUTIVE		
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SEC. STAFF		
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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Chief of Staff
Civil Affairs Division
Washington 25

10 March 1945

Brigadier General Charles M. Spofford
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5
Allied Force Headquarters
APO 512, c/o Postmaster
New York, N.Y.

Dear Chuck:

I am enclosing a letter forwarded to this Division by
Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr. of New Jersey concerning
the alleged appropriation of a shot-gun belonging to Mr.
Gerardo Guarino of Teora, Provincia Avellino, Italy.

It would be appreciated, if it is feasible to do so,
that the matter be investigated and a report returned to
this Division.

Incl

Ltr frm Hon. Fred Hartley, Jr
dtd 10 Feb 45, w/incls

for /s/ ? ? ? ? ?
/t/ WM. C. CHANLER
Colonel, GSC
Acting Director
Civil Affairs Division

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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

February 19, 1945

The Provost Marshal General
War Department
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am inclosing a letter from Mr. Jerry J. Guarino regarding his uncle, Gerardo Guarino, Teora, Provincia Avvellino, Italy, who desires to have the gun returned to him that was taken by American authorities when he entered Teora.

If this case does not come under your jurisdiction, please forward it to the proper officials.

Thanking you for your consideration, I am

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Fred A. Hartley, Jr.

FAH:T

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JERRY J. GUARINO

Counsellor at Law

309 Warren Street
Newark, N.J.

February 12, 1945

Hon. Fred Hartley
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Dear Fred:

Here is a translation of the letter enclosed herewith
which my father received from my uncle in Italy.

"Dear Brother:

The President of the U. S. enacted a law
requiring all who had arms to surrender them to the Police
Department. I too surrendered a double barrel shot hunting gun
on October 3, 1943. The Police Department has returned all
arms taken from the people but it has not returned my two shot
hunting gun. Thus request the President of the U. S. to authorize
the authorities to return to me my gun. Teora, Provincia
Avellino, Italy. Gerardo Guarino di Gaetano."

My uncle claims that a two shot hunting gun was taken from
him by the American authorities upon entering Teora. He claims the
American authorities have returned all arms taken from the citizens
of Teora. But for some unexplainable reason the American authorities
have not returned to him his two shot gun. He would, if possible, like to
have the American authorities return same to him

Anything that you may do to refer this matter to the proper
authorities for consideration to have the gun returned to him will be
greatly appreciated by all concerned.

Thanking you in advance, I am

Very truly yours,

/s/ Jerry J. Guarino

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AG/14094/PS

12 April 1945

SUBJECT : Possession of firearms

TO : DPM, Provost and Security Unit
Sub-Headquarters, N. Italy

1. Reference your DI/S.139/Air dated 6 April 1945.
2. " Your letter is not fully understood. Reference is made to two cases quoted below and also the undermentioned cases but no particulars are given.
3. On receipt of further information this Sub-Commission will be pleased to explain the position as to possession and surrender of firearms.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, S.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

EW/lb

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From: Deputy Provost Marshal,
Provost & Security Unit,
Sub-Headquarters, North Italy.

To : Public Safety Officer, A.C., Rome.

Date: 6th April, 1945.

Ref : DI/S.139/Air.

Cases involving civilian type firearms.

The two cases quoted below have recently been dealt with by the R.A.F. S.I.B. in conjunction with Squadra Mobile.

2. In each case the civilian involved was found to be in possession of a civilian type firearm without having the necessary authority.

3. The usual procedure adopted by this Sub-Headquarters in such cases is to confiscate the firearms and dispose of them through the Military authorities against receipt. The Squadra Mobile take action to have the offenders denounced to the Regia Procura and our Flight Commanders are sent a copy of the denunciation.

4. In the undermentioned cases no copies of the denunciation have been received and, on making enquiries from the Squadra Mobile, it has been ascertained that action is suspended until the firearms are handed over to the Questura.

5. Upon making further enquiries it was ascertained that Dott. MANES, Dirigente of Squadra Mobile, has issued an instruction to his agents to the effect that all civilian type firearms recovered are to be handed over to the Questura and not to the Allied Military Police Forces.

6. In order that there should be no delay in dealing with the undermentioned cases the D.P.M. has given instructions that the firearms concerned be handed to the Questura against receipt.

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7. It would be appreciated if you would advise this Sub-Headquarters whether the instruction given by Dott. MANES to his agents is correct. Further, this Sub-Headquarters would like to be notified when there is any alteration in policy regarding the relations of the Allied Police with the Questura, and other civil police organisations.

R.W. Johnson
 (R.W. JOHNSON)
 Wing Commander,
Deputy Provost Marshal.

Copy to: D.A.P.M., R.A.F., 37 Flight (For information)
 D.A.P.M., R.A.F., 46 Flight " "

Director	
Deputy Director	
Encl. Officer	
Police	
UC. & REG.	DN 124
Personnel	

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission

AC/14094/PS

15 March 1945

SUBJECT : Illegal Possession of Weapons

TO : R.P.S.O. Abruzzi-Marche

1. The attached information which comes from a trustworthy source, relates to the illegal possession of weapons by civilians in Ascoli. It is alleged that the local CCAR are aware of the situation but have taken no action.
2. May this Sub-Commission please be informed of the result in due course.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, U.S.A.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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PROVENIENZA DELLE ANNI NASCOSTE NEL COMUNE DI MONTAPONE
 S. 11434 FARMENA (Prov. Arezzo, Arezzo, Arezzo)

Le armi si trovano nelle seguenti località:

1a) - A. Maresca Farmena sopra la volta della Chiesa dei Santi o nel sottotetto della stessa Chiesa. In questo posto si sono trovati armi e munizioni ed anche nell'oz con stato aderente alla Chiesa stessa. Da tutti armi fossero state rinvenute il tutto sarebbe stato operato da uomini in casa che certamente le avrebbe dette trasportare presso i propri contadini.

2a) - A. Maresca Farmena presso Santucci Orlando omer-
 diante abitante in paese ed a tutti noto.

3a) - A. Maresca Farmena presso Gianni Gervasio detto Bro-
 uccini abitante in campagna e reperibile nel seguente modo: lungo la strada che lo Montapone conduce a Massa, al lato destro esiste una fontana; in questo punto di di stacco una strada vicinale nel cui interno e cinquante metri dal viaio a sinistra trovarsi la casa di Gianni Gervasio detto Broccini.

4a) - A. Montapone presso Della Vittoria in finca abitan-
 te nel borgo.

5a) - A. Montapone presso Gianni Gervasio di Carmine con-
 tressa Selva.

6a) - A. Montapone presso Gianni Gervasio in contrade
 di Gervasio; le armi se non sono state rinvenute si trovano
 in un pagliolo.

Very, ref. 11434, 11435

20) - A Massa Ferrarena presso Santucci Orlando commerciante abitante in paese ed è tutti noto.

30) - A Massa Ferrarena presso Donni Generoso detto Broccolino abitante in campagna e reperibile nel seguente modo: lungo la strada che da Montappone conduce a Massa, al lato destro esiste una fontana; in questo punto di sfascio una strada vicinale nel cui interno è rinvenuta dietro un albero a sinistra trovansi la casa di Donni Genesio detto Broccolino.

40) - A Montappone presso Della Vittoria Raffaele abitante nel borgo.

50) - A Montappone presso Donni Enrico di Carmine con troia Soliva.

60) - A Montappone presso Donni Dott. Giovanni in contrada Spicceri; la casa se non sono state rimosse si trovano in un pagliolo.

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Very reliable source

SUBJECT: - Return of surrendered AGMs.

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U.S. Staff (Austria)
c/o NO. 22 CA Unit CTF,
Tel: HAFEB 55043-3 ext. 22

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To: Headquarters Allied Commission,
Civil Affairs Section,
A.P.O. 394.

4/15/43/AR

5 Mar 45.

- 8 MAR. 1945

Reference your AB/1409, PB dated - Feb 45, and A.P.O. 3-5
letter 388 of 3 Mar 45.

(1) Lt-Col H.H. NICHOLLS now serving with this Headquarters is not the
Col NICHOLLS referred to in the translated copy of request for the return of a
surrendered AGM.

(2) It is believed that the Col NICHOLLS and Major FRANKLIN referred to
in this translation are located at Eisen and Passau respectively.

TO	INIT	DATE
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DEPT. of Defense		
FAAC, C. 120		
FOIA		
EC & REG.		
PERSON.		
ADMIN. SERV.		
SECRET		
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Copy to: 8-5,
A.P.O. 394.

W. G. Brown
Asst. Chief of Staff,
U.S. Staff (Austria).

Answer reply to

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Translation.

M. in. of Suburban

2nd March, 1945. *26A*

N. 10.11294

10100

Subject : Surrender of arms.

To : A.C. Public Safety Sub-Commission - Rome. *14A*

Following letter, even numbers, dated 31 Jan. 45, and with reference to previous interviews, we transmit a copy of the ordinance issued by the Prefect of Naples on the 17 December, 1944, regarding the revocation of the licence for carrying arms, formerly granted, and the surrender of all arms in possession of the inhabitants of the Nola zone.

In consideration of the reasons which have brought about the exceptional measure, the attention of the dependent P.S. Bodies has been called to the exact accomplishment of the a/m matter.

For the Minister
Ferrari

rv. *10/3*

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Roma, 2 Marzo

M. 872

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

ALL' ON. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.

R O M A

Divisione Polizia *Sez.* 3^a

Aut. N. 10.11294 *Allegato* 1
10100

Proposta al f. del

Dir. *Sez.* *N.*

OGGETTO. Consegna delle armi.

A seguito del foglio pari numero in data 31 gennaio u.s., ed in relazione ai colloqui avuti in merito, si trasmette copia dell'ordinanza emessa dal Prefetto di Napoli in data 17 dicembre 1944, per la revoca delle licenze di porto di armi, già concesse, e la consegna delle armi comunque in possesso degli abitanti della zona di Nola.

Tenuto conto dei motivi che hanno determinato l'eccezionale provvedimento, non si è mancato di richiamare l'attenzione dei dipendenti organi di P.S. per l'esatto adempimento di quanto prescritto.

PEL MINISTRO

[Signature]

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Roma 2 Marzo

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

ALL' ON. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.

R O M A

Divisione Polizia *Sez.* 3^a

Prot. N. 10.11294 *Allegato* 1
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Responsabile del
Div. *Sez.* *N.*

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PEL MINISTRO

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N. 1012557 P. S.

IL PREF DELLA PROVINCI

Vista la nota n. NZ.PS/F del 4 dicembre 1944
Constatata l'anormalità delle condizioni della
Comuni di Roccarainola, Baiano, Avella, Visciano, C
dici, Sarno, Striano, Poggiomarino, Terzigno, S. Giu
viana, Pomigliano d'Arco, Castello di Cisterna, Brus
Cancello, Acerra ;

Visti gli articoli 30 e 45 del T. U. delle Leggi
In virtù dei poteri conferitigli dall'articolo 2

REFETTO

VINCIA DI NAPOLI

dicembre 1944 del Public Safety Office A. C. Naples Zone
condizioni della pubblica sicurezza nella zona delimitata da
rella, Visciano, Casamarciano, Marzano di Nola, Lauro, Quin
Terzigno, S. Giuseppe Vesuviano, Ottaviano, Somma Vesu
di Cisterna, Brusciano, Mariglianella, Marigliano, Cicciano,

U. delle Leggi di P. S. approvato con R.D. 18-6-1931 n. 773
dall'articolo 2 Testo citato :

ETTO

A DI NAPOLI

Public Safety Office A. C. Naples Zone ;
ubblica sicurezza nella zona delimitata dai
amarciano, Marzano di Nola, Lauro, Quin-
ope Vesuviano, Ottaviano, Somma Vesu-
no, Mariglianella, Marigliano, Cicciano,

P. S. approvato con R.D. 18-6-1931 n. 773 ;
to citato :

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Cancello, Acerra ;

Visti gli articoli 30 e 45 del T. U. delle Le

In virtù dei poteri conferitigli dall'articolo

In conformità alle disposizioni impartite da

O R D

1.) - Chiunque nel territorio dei comuni di Camposano, S. Paolo Belsito, Palma Campania, S. Gennaro Vesuviano, Casertano di Nola, Striano, Poggiomarino, Terzigno, S. Giuseppe Vesuviano, Castel di Cisterna, Brusciano, Mariglianella, Marigliano, Cicciopoli, munizioni e materie esplodenti di qualsiasi genere deve con CC. RR. che rilasceranno agli interessati singole ricevute bollate e

2.) - Con decorrenza dalla data di pubblicazione del presente decreto di qualsiasi genere concesse a persone domiciliate, residenti o in possesso dovranno temporaneamente depositarle entro il 31 dicembre 1944 che rilasceranno agli interessati singole ricevute bollate e

3.) - Per armi da fuoco, armi bianche, munizioni e materie esplodenti da caccia, pistole, rivoltelle, mazze ferrate o bastoni ferrati, coltelli acuminato, sciabole, pugnali ed ogni altro strumento da punta persona, bombe e qualsiasi macchina o involucro contenente di qualsiasi tipo, polveri piriche, dinamiti, detonanti e artificieri

4.) - Chiunque dopo il 31 dicembre 1944 venga trovato in possesso di armi da fuoco, armi bianche, munizioni e materie esplodenti

le Leggi di P. S. approvato con R.D. 18-6-1931 n. 773 ;
articolo 2 Testo citato ;
dalle Autorità Alleate ;

R D I N A

posano, Cimitile, S. Vitaliano, Scisciano, Saviano, Nola, Comiziano,
ano, Carbonara di Nola, Roccarainola, Visciano, Casamarciano, Mar-
sepe Vesuviano, Ottaviano, Somma Vesuviana, Pomigliano d'Arco,
no, Cicciano, Cancellò, Acerra detiene armi da fuoco, armi bianche,
ve consegnarle entro il 31 dicembre c. a. alle stazioni locali dei
tute bollate e firmate.

e del presente ordine sono revocate tutte le licenze per porto d'armi
residenti o dimoranti nel territorio suddetto. Coloro che ne sono in
ro il 31 dicembre c. a. presso gli Uffici di P. S. dei locali Municipi
ate e firmate.

e materie esplodenti si intende ogni specie di fucili da guerra o
ferrati, noccoliere, sfollagente, bastoni animati o muniti di puntale
da punta o da taglio la cui destinazione naturale è l'offesa alla
tenente materie esplodenti, gas asfissianti o accecanti, munizioni
e artifici che possano recare offesa alla persona.

rovato nel territorio dei Comuni sopra menzionati in possesso di
plodenti della specie sopra elencate, sarà passibile delle sanzioni

approvato con R. D. 18-6-1931 n. 773.

Cancello, Acerra ;

**Visti gli articoli 30 e 45 del T. U. delle Leggi
In virtù dei poteri conferitigli dall'articolo 2
In conformità alle disposizioni impartite dalle**

ORDI

1.) - Chiunque nel territorio dei comuni di Camposano, Ciriace, S. Paolo Belsito, Palma Campania, S. Gennaro Vesuviano, Carboxano di Nola, Striano, Poggiomarino, Terzigno, S. Giuseppe Vesuviano, Castel di Cisterna, Brusciano, Mariglianella, Marigliano, Cicciano munizioni e materie esplodenti di qualsiasi genere deve consegnarle ai CC. RR. che rilasceranno agli interessati singole ricevute bollate.

2.) - Con decorrenza dalla data di pubblicazione del presente decreto di qualsiasi genere concesse a persone domiciliate, residenti o in possesso dovranno temporaneamente depositarle entro il 31 dicembre 1944 che rilasceranno agli interessati singole ricevute bollate e firmate.

3.) - Per armi da fuoco, armi bianche, munizioni e materie esplosive, da caccia, pistole, rivoltelle, mazze ferrate o bastoni ferrati, no acuminato, sciabole, pugnali ed ogni altro strumento da punta persona, bombe e qualsiasi macchina o involucre contenente m

Leggi di P. S. approvato con R.D. 18-6-1931 n. 773 ;
Articolo 2 Testo citato ;
emanate dalle Autorità Alleate ;

D I N A

...ano, Cimitile, S. Vitaliano, Scisciano, Saviano, Nola, Comiziano,
... Carbonara di Nola, Roccarainola, Visciano, Casamarciano, Mar-
...ppe Vesuviano, Ottaviano, Somma Vesuviana, Femigliano d'Arco,
...Cicciano, Cancellò, Acerra detiene armi da fuoco, armi bianche,
...e consegnarle entro il 31 dicembre c. a. alle stazioni locali dei
...e bollate e firmate.

...del presente ordine sono revocate tutte le licenze per porto d'armi
...sidenti o dimoranti nel territorio suddetto. Coloro che ne sono in
...il 31 dicembre c. a. presso gli Uffici di P. S. dei locali Municipi
...e e firmate.

...materie esplodenti si intende ogni specie di fucili da guerra o
...rrati, noccoliere, sfollagente, bastoni animati o muniti di puntale
...a punta o da taglio la cui destinazione naturale è l'offesa alla
...nente materie esplodenti, gas asfissianti o accecanti, munizioni

di qualsiasi tipo, polveri piriche, dinamiti, detonanti e artifici e

4.) - Chiunque dopo il 31 dicembre 1944 venga trovato con armi da fuoco, armi bianche, munizioni e materie esplodenti di quelle previste dall' articolo 17 del T. U. delle Leggi di P. S. approvate

Di eguali sanzioni sarà possibile chiunque non avrà entrato nel Municipio nel territorio del quale domicilia, risiede o dimora in possesso.

5.) - La presente ordinanza non si applica alle persone autorizzate a tenere od a portare armi per ragioni del loro servizio

6.) - L' autorità locale di P. S. nel territorio dei Comuni di questa presente ordinanza e gli Agenti della Forza Pubblica sono incaricati

7.) - Le disposizioni di cui trattasi saranno estese ai Comuni di Avellino ed al Comune di Sarno della Provincia di Salerno

Dato in Napoli dal Palazzo del Governo il 17 dicembre

che possano recare offesa alla persona.

nel territorio dei Comuni sopra menzionati in possesso di
della specie sopra elencate, sarà passibile delle sanzioni
vato con R. D. 18 - 6 - 1931 n. 773.

entro il 31 dicembre 1944 consegnato all' Ufficio di P. S. presso
ora la licenza o le licenze di porto d' armi di cui fosse in

ne che, a norma delle leggi e dei regolamenti vigenti, sono
ufficio.

i sopra menzionati è incaricata dell' esecuzione della pre-
aricati di assicurarne l'osservanza.

Comuni di Lauro, Quindici, Baiano e Avella della Provincia
no con apposite ordinanze dei Prefetti di Avellino e Salerno.

dicembre 1944.

IL PREFETTO
F. SELVAGGI

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

Public Safety Division,
3rd March, 1945.

FILE N° :- LUR/45/PS

SUBJECT :- FIREARMS.

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

1. With further reference to my letter dated 18/1/45.
2. The weapons and ammunition referred to were handed into this HQ. by Major Battersbey and have now been restored to the owner against receipt, which is attached.
3. The papers are forwarded for information and record.

For the Regional Commissioner:

C. T. Francis

C.T. FRANCIS.
Lt. Colonel,
RPSO., LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION.

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ZONA SPECIALE
R. GUARDIA DI FINANZA
ROMA

Roma, li 1° Marzo 1945

Al Comando Alleato

Ufficio POLIZIA stanza 101

ROMA

N. 9875 di prot. - Allegati N. Risp. a nota N. del

OGGETTO: Ritiro armi. =

Giusta richiesta telefonica di cotesto
Ufficio, s'invia il Brigadiere della R. Guardia di
Finanza ARCIDIACONO Paolo, munito di tessera di
riconoscimento N° 028649, al quale potranno essere
consegnate le armi ritirate al Finanziere AVALONE
Francesco.



FUS

(Diz. Giuseppe Comito)

J. Comito

(see over, please,)
for receipt -

LVR/AS/AS 18 Jan

I have received from AMG
Public Safety HQ, via Lucullo 6,
the following arms and ammunition:

- 1) Tommy Gun No. 5328 -
with bayonet.
- 2) two clips of ammunition for
said gun
- 3) Beretta pistol No. 864351 -
- 4) one clip of ammunition
for said pistol.

belonging to R.F.C. Wallon
Francisco -

J.C. Aristizabal Pado
Serial - N° 028649 -

14 Mar. 1945

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J. H. Johnson Capt
1/3/45

25c

- calibre.
Recovered from 31 Via Lima
Intern. 9110 on 2877/44.

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Post Station ^{Long}

DEPUTY CHIEF MAJOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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July 29/44 250

Guardi di Finanza Owallone
Francesco is the owner of the
arms which were turned in to
you yesterday. Attached find
your receipt. Owallone Francesco
is serving with the Legione
Aerea in Rome.

G. A. D'Amico

Capt by
Policia Svizzera
Q.C.C.

CONFIDENTIALALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

TBJ/sep

24 February 1945

G-5: 311.18

SUBJECT: Censorship Intercept

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394.

Attached is a copy received in this
Section of a censorship intercept relating to
possession by civilians of fire arms in PESCARA
for action as appropriate.

For the Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

T. B. JACKMAN
T. B. JACKMAN
Lt. Colonel

Incl:
as above.

Copy to:

G-2 (CI) your GBI-389
455/37-A of 2 February refers.

DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
CHIEF OF STAFF		
ASST. CHIEF OF STAFF		
SEC. & REG.		
RECORDS		
26 FEB 1945		
CHIEF		

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Prisoner of War Censorship Detachment
APO 512, U. S. Army

Number IFW- 3152

U.S. MILITARY CENSORSHIP

FROM: PANDOLFI, Angela Dina Via Nazionale A., 83 Pescara Italia		TO: PIERMATTEO, Francesco "A" Internee Camp CMF
DATE OF LETTER 27 January 1945	CLASS OF MAIL Incoming	SERIAL NUMBER(S) OF PREVIOUS RECORD(S)
DATE OF SUBMISSION 15 February 1945	P/W HELD BY British	ACTION TAKEN ON ORIGINAL COMMUNICATION Passed (P) Deleted (D) Held (H) Condemned (C) P Photo (Ph) Returned (R)
EXAMINER Maione	LANGUAGE Italian	Or forwarded with comment to:
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CIVILIANS POSSESS FIRE-ARMS

Girl writes Italian internee:

"Tonight uncle fired two shots. It was like
an alarm. After him everybody started to fire —
a hundred shots."

Examiner's note: The writer is referring to neigh-
borhood's fear of being robbed.

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Copies to:

- ✓ G-2, AFHQ (CC)
- Dir of Int, ASF
- MI-12, London
- (Modified WD, AG Form 912)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APC 394

Tel : 478800

27 February, 1945.

AS/1409h/PS

SUBJECT : Arming of Civilian Guards.

TO : Sh. 2675 Regt. C.

1. With reference to the suggested issue of Rifles to Civilian Guards at the AFAC Plant, Via Prenestina, as discussed by Capt. Peterson, Transportation S/C.

2. The Questore of Rome has been interviewed regarding the issue of permits for the Guards to carry arms for the purpose of guarding the above mentioned premises, and he has suggested as follows :-

The Guard who will be in charge should take to the Questore a nominal roll of the Guards who will be employed.

The Questore will give an authorization and the Guards will then be required to attend the Prefettura and make a formal declaration.

3. This procedure will have the effect of making the Guards regularly appointed watchmen under Italian law, and gives them more authority to properly carry out their functions.

4. The Questore has promised to give every assistance to expedite the matter.

HP/C.

Copy to Transportation S/C
Att: Capt. Peterson.

J
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

Tel : 478800

28 February 1945

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Return of surrendered Arms

TO : Regional Commissioner, Abruzzi-Marche Region

1. The attached translated copy of a request for the return of a surrendered gun received at this Headquarters from Southern Region, is forwarded.
2. It is understood that Major Franklin (B) a Legal Officer, is attached to your Region, and he may be the officer referred to.
3. Enquiries have already been made of Lt. Col.E.H.I. Nicholls, now a Prov.Comm.Toscane Region, who is not the officer referred to.

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

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1 Enclosure

Copy to: R.P.S.O. Southern Region

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

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Tel : 478800

AC/14094/PS

28 February 1945

SUBJECT : Return of surrendered Arms

TO : AFHQ, G-5.

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1. The attached translated copy of a request for the return of a surrendered gun, has been received at this HQ from Southern Region.

2. It is possible that the "Col Nicholls" referred to is Lt Col.H.H. Nicholls, now serving with AFHQ, G-5.

3. May Lt Col. Nicholls be asked if he can give any information in this matter, please ?

For the Chief Commissioner :

See 27

G.R. UPJOHN, Brig.
VP CA Sec

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1 Enclosure

Copy to: R.F.S.O. Southern Region

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HEADQUARTERS
TOSCANA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

Pub Safety

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RVIII/29/174.

21 Feb 45.

SUBJECT : Return of Surrendered arms.

TO : HQ, AC. ✓

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1. Reference your AC/14094/IS dated 8 Feb 45.

2. The following text of a report submitted by Lt-Col.E.H.J.NICCOLIS is forwarded :

" I know nothing about it. I have never been to CATANZARO MARITIMA or have ever taken a gun. It might refer to another Col.NICCOLIS who I believe is at ANCONA. The only Major.FRANZINI I know was Legal Officer at CATANZARO and who I believe is now with the UNDESTE party."

TO		
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER		
POW. C.		
SEC. & REG.		
PROV. S.		
ADJ. GEN.		
CHIEF OF STAFF		

For the Regional Commissioner:

D.M. Findlay
Thomson A.S.

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D.M. FINDLAY,
Junior Comdr, A.T.S.,
Acting Adjutant.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section.
AWO 394

AC/14094/12

Tel : 489081 - 365

26 February, 1945.

SUBJECT : Surrender of Firearms.

TO : Regional Commissioner Southern Region.

Reference your R.1621 dated 20 Feb.1945.

1. The views contained in your letter have been represented to the Minister of the Interior.
2. He has agreed not to rescind the decree requiring the surrender of firearms in the vicinity of No.16 B.A.D. Nola and is replying to the Prefect accordingly.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE,

G. R. UPJOHN, Brig.
W. CA Sec.

AFW/C.

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P. Safety-
18A

20 February 1945

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8. The argument about the loss of game to the market shows clearly the mistaken idea about the area covered by the order. I have frequently driven through the Wolf Ammunition Dump area and have never seen any wild life at all.

J. C. Dunlop
J. C. DUNLOP,
Bridgeman.

Copy to: Court, Naples Zone.

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Agreed to let-

John Coxhead

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List of Communes affected by Prefectural Decree.

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Camposano
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Nola
Comiziano
S. Paolo Belsito
Palma Campania
S. Gennaro Vesuviano
Carbonara di Nola
Roccarainola
Terzigno
S. Giuseppe Vesuviano
Visciano
Casamarciano
Marzano di Nola
Striano
Poggiomarino
Terzigno
Ottaviano
Somma Vesuviana
Pomigliano d'Arco
Castel di Cisterna
Brusciano
Mariglianella
Marigliano
Cicciano
Cancello
Acerra.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
AGRICULTURE SUB COMMISSION

AGR/103.2

17 February 1945

SUBJECT: Firearms.

See 16A

TO : HQ - AC - Public Safety Sub-Commission.

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1.. Reference attached items relating to certain firearms in possession of Major Battersby who is temporarily attached here for duty on the Olive Oil collection program.

2. We contacted Major Battersby as requested and he has agreed to contact the Lazio-Umbria Region and deliver the firearms to them.

Leland G. Allbaugh
LELAND G. ALLBAUGH
Director

Enclosures: 3

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H/fo

Lazio Umbria Info.
Receipts returned
to H/fo.

TO		
COL CHAFFIN		
COL YOUNG		
LT COL W		
MAJ LUCAS		
MAJ WILSON		
MAJ HANCOCK		
MAJ BALE		
CAPT P. WILSON		

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

Public Safety Division.
18th January, 1945.

File No. :- LUR/45/PS.

Subject :- Firearms.

To :- HQ., AC., Public Safety Sub-Commission.

1. It is desired to trace the firearms, enumerated on attached receipt, which were received from Allied Commission in July last by Major Battersbey, then Deputy Chief of Public Safety, Rome.
2. As Major Battersbey is now attached to Allied Commission, I should be grateful if you would cause him to be seen and asked as to how he disposed of the Tommy gun and Beretta pistol.
3. These arms are, I understand, the property of the Royal Guardia di Finanza and, when traced, it is desired to return them.

Please let me have accompanying documents back with your reply.

*Returned
personally to
Capt Wilson 26/2/45*

For the Regional Commissioner:

TO		
COL. CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. WILCOX		
MAJ. LUCAS		
MAJ. WILSON		
MAJ. HANDELY		
MAJ. BALLY		
CAPT. PIVET		
CAPT. PIVET		

*The Tommy Gun (Stetson)
+ Beretta Pistol with
relative ammunition
with me to include
returned at once
17/2/45*

*C.T. FRANCIS.
Lt. Colonel. 290
RPSO., LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION*

*Aut. Halliday
mag.*

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 47800

11 February, 1945.

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Enquiry - Major PATTERSBY.

TO : Agriculture Sub-Commission.

With reference to the attached letter IUR/45/PS dated 18 January 1945, from R.P.S.O. Lazio Umbria Region, regarding disposition of certain arms by Major Pattersby.

Major Pattersby is no longer Public Safety Officer and it is understood that he is attached to your Sub-Commission.

Could you please have the enquiry forwarded to him, for action, and return the enclosed documents with his report to this office.

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

Enclosures ;
Receipts for

Italian

- 1 Tommy gun ~~Model~~ No 5328, with bayonet
- 2 Charges with ammunition
- 1 Beretta pistol No 734334, no ammunition
- 9 Rds pistol, ammunition various calibre.

BF/C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

(15A)
Tel 489081
Ext 365

Ref AC/14094/IS

13 Feb 1945

SUBJECT : Surrender of Arms

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region

- 1 The Ministry of the Interior has drawn attention to an Ordinance recently issued by the Prefect of Naples requiring the surrender of firearms by civilians. A copy of the letter dated 31st January 1945, received from the Ministry is enclosed.
- 2 The desirability of amending the Italian law governing the possession of firearms has already been the subject of discussion between this Commission and the Italian Government. The Italian Government has expressed the view that the existing law is adequate, particularly as Article 39 of the Law of Public Security authorises the Prefect to forbid the retention of arms by persons considered capable of misusing them. This view has been accepted.
- 3 May this Headquarters please be informed if any special conditions exist in Naples which call for measures not needed in other Provinces under the jurisdiction of the Italian Government.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE :

[Signature] 2925
G.R. URJOEN Brig
VP CA Section
DCOS AC

Translation

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

31 Jan 1945
N. 10.11294/10100

See 15A

Subject : Surrender of arms.

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

The Naples Prefect has communicated that following the request of the Regional Commissioner of A.C., he has issued an order by which the citizens resident in all communes of that province are obliged to surrender the arms to the P.S. Authority.

As the Prefect has already reported to mentioned Commissioner, many Mayors of the communes in question, the farmers' association and various CC.SS. Commands, have reported that the order entirely results to the damage of the peaceable citizens, who, in such way, will be stripped of the arms of defence against dangerous and evil-minded persons, who will certainly abstain from surrendering the arms they abusevely detain. Besides which, in view of the fact, that in this order also the consignment of shooting-guns is foreseen, every hunting activity in zones rich of game will be impossible, thus depriving the market of over 5 quintals of game daily.

This Ministry cannot but agree with the considerations put forward by the Naples Prefect and observes on his side, that the decisions in this regard, concluded lately in the circular n. 10.10751/10100 dated 31 October 1944, have been taken in agreement with the A.C. and that, as it has been already reported with the letter n. 10.10100, dated 7 December 1944, very severe instructions have been issued for the release of the shooting license, i.e. only to trustworthy persons who are deemed incapable to make abuses.

Besides which, in such a way, a different treatment will be given to the provinces under the jurisdiction of the Italian Government.

A different treatment which could cause excitement among the citizens, who are affected by the new ordinance.

Of course, these considerations do not apply to the Naples Commune, where different exigencies impose different measures, which the Commission will deem suitable to adopt.

Therefore, we beg you kindly to re-examine the order issued by the Military Commander of that Zone and kindly to issue instructions in this regard.

For the Minister
Ferrari

TO	
COL. CHAPMAN	
COL. YOUNG	
LT. COL. WILSON	
MAJ. LUCK	
MAJ. WILSON	
MAJ. HANBURY	
MAJ. BALLANCE	
CAPT. POWER	

D. Kelly

OK

M. J.



Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Roma 31 gennaio 1945

ALL'ON/LE COMMISSIONE

ALLEATA =

SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER LA P.S.

ROMA

Divisione Polizia L. Terza
Prot. N. 10.11294. Allegato
IOICC

OGGETTO Consegna delle armi =

Proposta al Regio del
Gen. L. N.

Il Prefetto di Napoli ha ~~spesso~~ comunicato che, a richiesta di quel Commissario di Zona di cotesta On/le Commissione Alleata, ha emesso un'ordinanza con la quale si fa obbligo ai cittadini, residenti in ~~tutti~~ comuni di quella provincia, di consegnare le armi all'Autorità di P.S.

Come il Prefetto ha già segnalato al detto Commissario, molti Sindaci dei comuni colpiti dal provvedimento, l'associazione degli Agricoltori e vari Comandi dell'Arma dei CC.RR., hanno fatto presente che l'ordinanza è tutta a danno dei pacifici cittadini, che, in tal modo, si vedranno privati delle armi di difesa contro elementi pericolosi e maleintenzionati, i quali si guarderanno bene dal consegnare le armi che abusivamente detengono. Inoltre, dato che in detta ordinanza è prevista anche la consegna di fucili da caccia, in tal modo viene inibita ogni attività venatoria in zone ricche di selvaggine, privando quel mercato di oltre cinque quintali di

comuni

gne di fiducia e ritenute incapaci di abusarne.

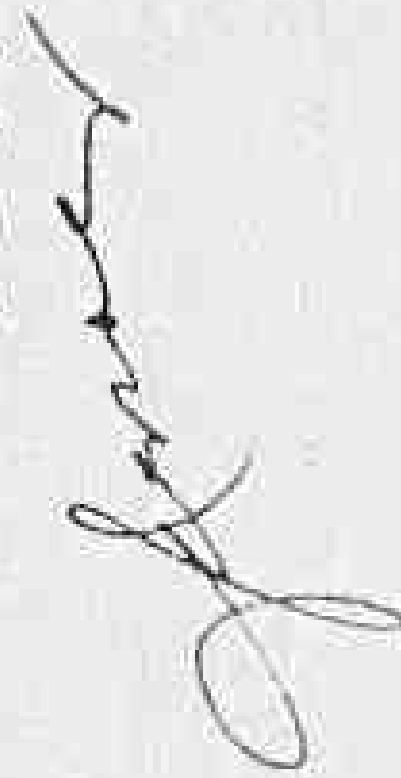
Inoltre, in tal modo, si viene a fare un diverso trattamento alle provincie, sottoposte al Governo Italiano.

Diversità di trattamento che potrebbe ingenerare dei malumori fra i cittadini, che vengono colpiti dalla nuova ordinanza.

Queste considerazioni non valgono, naturalmente, per il comune di Napoli, dove esigenze differenti impongono delle differenti misure, che codesta On/le Commissione ritiene di adottare.

Si prega, pertanto, volere cortesemente riesaminare l'ordine emesso del Comandante Militare di quella Zona e volere impartire le disposizioni del caso.

PEL MINISTRO



TRANSLATIONMINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

General Directorate of Public Security - Police
Division - Third Section.

Prot. No. 10,10751/10100.

31st October, 1944

SUBJECT : Disarming of civilians.

TO : Their Excellencies the Prefects in Liberated Italy
" " " High Commissioners for Sicily
and Sardegna.
The Questore of Rome.
and for information to :
The Public Safety Sub-Commission, Allied Commission
The High Command of the Royal Carabinieri, Rome

The order issued by the Prefecture in accordance
with instructions from this Ministry, for disarming the civil
population, lays down :-

- a) the obligation to declare ordinary shot-guns
and all other arms naturally designed to inflict personal harm;
- b) the prohibition to carry arms outside one's
dwelling without a licence;
- c) the obligation to surrender war weapons and
parts of war weapons, ammunition and explosives of any kind,
which are in the possession of civilians not holding the
requisite permit.

Since this order has, in its application, given
rise to some uncertainty, it is considered necessary to
specify exactly as follows : (in order to ensure a just and
uniform application of the regulations in force) -

- 1) It must be understood as obligatory to
declare all weapons, war and ordinary, all ammunition and
explosives of any kind, excepting only artistic, ancient and
rare weapons, exception also being made for arms and ammu-
nition in possession of persons who on account of their employ-
ment are authorised by law to carry arms without a permit.
The exceptions in question find their justification respect-
ively in the provisions of Art. 32 and those of Art. 38
letter c) of the Police Law; in the first case because the
declaration has already been made at the time of application
for the concession and the licence which has a permanent

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character; in the second case because the law itself dispenses from the necessity to declare arms, those persons who are authorised to carry arms without a licence, viz. employees and agents contemplated by Art. 73 of the regulation enforcing the P.S. law;

2) It may be considered permissible to keep war-weapons and non-war-weapons, as well as ammunitions and explosives when, for the one a licence has been issued and for the other the "requisite permit".

The words "requisite permit" concern and cover :-

a) the licence issued by the Ministry of the Interior as indicated by Art. 26 of the P.S. law, as far as war-weapons are concerned;

b) licences issued by Prefects and Questori (Art. 42 of P.S. law); as regards ammunition and explosives for common shot-guns;

c) Ministry of the Interior licence (Art. 46 of the above-mentioned law) or the Prefect's licence (Art. 47 of the same law) as regards explosives;

d) the exemption from ordinary arm-carrying licence for shot-guns on the part of employees and agents referred to in Art. 73 of the P.S. Regulation.

Persons authorised to carry ordinary shot-guns without a licence may retain them and carry them with the requisite ammunition, without any obligation to declare them.

Persons having no licence to carry common shot-guns, may retain these weapons, but must not carry them out of their dwellings and must not keep the necessary ammunition and explosives. In any case they are obliged to declare the weapon.

Officers on the Reserve may retain, but must not carry out of their dwelling, unless in possession of a licence, the arms issued to them, even if they are unloaded or a short range, and even if they are of different characteristics from those described under letter F) of Art. 44 of the regulation enforcing the P.S. law.

These officers must, however, declare their weapons.

N.C.O's on reserve may keep only the sabre with which they were armed, when this weapon is their own property. They are obliged to declare its possession.

3) The obligation to surrender war-weapons and parts thereof, ammunition and explosives of every kind, is incumbent upon all citizens having them in their possession, without the necessary permits.

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In setting out the above with regard to the regulations in force on this subject, Your Excellencies are earnestly requested to instruct the P.S. Authorities responsible to you, to the effect that great circumspection should be used in issuing permits or licences for the retention, or for the carrying, of arms - to limit themselves to cases of absolutely proved necessity, as it is demanded by the actual state of the country and the urgent needs of public order and public security that the disarming of the population should be effectively carried out and particularly that the maximum reduction in the issue of permits to carry arms be maintained.

At the same time it may be well to explain that to those who make the request, ordinary shooting guns may be returned, (excluding war-weapons) surrendered at the time in obedience to Allied Proclamation No.1 or to subsequent orders issued by the various Prefectures.

FOR THE MINISTER

Sgd. FERRARI.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

AC/14094/ES

8 February 1945

SUBJECT : Return of surrendered arms.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Toscana Region

1. The attached translated copy of a request for return of a surrendered gun, received at this Headquarters from Southern Region is forwarded for the attention of Lt Col. E.H.J. Nicholls, now a P/C in Toscana Region.

2. May the present location of the gun be given for the information of Regional Commissioner, Southern Region.

3. The Major Franklin referred to is not known at this Headquarters. There was a Lt R. Franklin (A), who was a P.S. Officer at Cosenza, but he has now left this theatre.

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

1 Enclosure

Copy to:
R.P.S.O. Southern Region

BP/wg.

BF. 24/2/45 *See 20A*
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File 12A

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081 - 365

AC/14094/PS

5 February, 1945

SUBJECT : Arming of Guardia Campestre
TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region
(Attn: R.P.S.O.)

1. Reference your PS/3 dated 30 Jan, 1945.
2. In Italian Government territory the question of the issue of arms to civilians is dealt with by the Questore.
3. However, if advice is sought, this Sub-Commission is not in favour of the issue of arms either to civilians or semi-official bodies.

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

FJW/wg.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081 - 365

AC/14094/PS

5 February, 1945

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(Attn: R.P.S.O.)

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

BJW/wg.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081 - 365

5 February 1945

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Permit to carry firearms

TO : Procuratore Generale,
La Corte d'Appello - Roma

1. Reference is made to your letter N°1070 dated 23 January, 1945.
2. Your application for a firearm permit on behalf of Dott. MAURO Giuseppe, Vice Pretore of Littoria, should be referred to the Questore - Littoria.

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

GRD/wg.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Ref: PS/ 26

Date 3 Feb. 45.

SUBJECT: BASILE Antonio fu Pasquale -
Catanzaro Marina -
Application for return of sporting gun.

TO : HQ. Allied Commission,
(Attention of: Public Safety Sub-Commission).

1. Reference the attached copy translation
of letter received from the above named through the
R. Questura of Catanzaro.

2. Could enquiries please be made of Col.
Nicholls and Major Franklin as to the present
location of the gun.

3. An early reply would be appreciated.

For the Regional Commissioner:

TO	INIT	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. ...		
MAJ. ...		
MAJ. ...		
MAJ. LWT/aa.		
MAJ. BAL...		
CAPT. POWELL		
CHIEF CLERK		

L.W. Loes Capt
for G. RICHARDSON
Major,
Regional Public
Safety Officer.

C O P YTRANSLATION

The undersigned BASILE Antonio fu Pasquale, aged 39 and employee of FF.SS. of Catanzaro Marina is asking that his gun "damasko cal.12" be returned to him.

The gun in question was taken from the magazine of the Legion of CC.RR. by Col. E.H.I. Nicholls formerly at Cosenza and by Maj. Franklin formerly at Catanzaro Province as Chief of Police.

Please treat this as urgent.

Lt/Col E.H.I. (B)
P/O Zaccaria
Reg.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Ref: PS/ 3

Date 30 January 1945

SUBJECT: Arming of Guardie Campestri

TO : HQ. Allied Commission,
(Attention of: Public Safety Sub-Commission).

1. Reference the attached correspondence received from ZPSO Foggia.
2. The Guardie Campestri consist of approximately 10 guards who are maintained and paid by a Consorzio of Farmers in the Trinitapoli area of Foggia for the sole purpose of guarding their farms in isolated areas.
3. This HQ. is of the opinion that as these guards are members of a privately-maintained body and not of a recognised police agency, they should not be granted permission to carry firearms.
4. However, as it is understood there are other similar bodies in Southern Italy, your opinion would be appreciated.

For the Regional Commissioner:

LWT/aa.

COL. CHARMAN		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. VANCE		
MAJ. LUCKY		
MAJ. WILSON		
MAJ. HANBURY		
MAJ. BALDWIN		
CAPT. BROWN		

L. W. Young Capt
for G. RICHARDSON
Major,
Regional Public
Safety Officer.

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CONSORZIO GUARDIE CAMPESTRI 9B

Trinitapoli 11th January 1945

SUBJECT: Approval to arm Field Guards
TO : Allied Command LUGERA

In order to give the Guards Corps an Official Character, will you please approve, this request to arm the Field Guards Corps with rifles type 1891, stored and out of use in the local CC.RR. Station Command ?.

All our Guards were disarmed by the Germans.
This Corp would repair these rifles and then would set up again the Field Guards Corp to avoid the spreading of the delinquency and robberies.

This fact would be appreciated by your Command, because our Corps together with other Police Corps, would cooperate in any work to be performed in such moments.

Furthermore, the Ministry of Interior cannot issue a fresh written authorisation to carry fire arms, if the Allied Command will not give a proper approval.

This is the point of our request.

Kind sign of acknowledgement would be appreciated.

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CONSORZIO DELLE GUARDIE CAMPESTRI

TRINITAPOLI

N. 3/V di prot.

Classe Fasc.

N. 11-1- 194

OGGETTO:

Risposta al foglio N.

del 194

Concessione N.O. per riarmo Vigili Campestri

Al l'On.le Comando Militare Alleato

L U C E R A

Per l'armamento

Al fine di poter riarmare a questo Corpo quella veste giuridica che ha sempre avuto internamente dal 1920, si prega codesto On.le Comando di voler disporre il riarmo del Corpo con moschetti M. 1891 attualmente in deposito ed in efficienza presso il locale Comando Stazione CC. RM.

All'epoca dell'insediamento del Padeschi, le costre Guardie subirono, al pari di quelle del altro Corpo, il distacco a quindi la confisca dei moschetti dopo averli resi inosservibili.

Questo Consorzio, eletto nell'interpretazione di codesto On.le Comando, nel quale ripone illimitata fiducia, riparerrebbe i moschetti e rimetterebbe il Corpo in piena efficienza come nel passato per ridurre al minimo la delinquenza ed il perpetrare del continuo furti che si verificano giornalmente.

Ciò che si chiede dovrebbe tornare utilissimo a codesto On.le Comando, per che il nostro in collaborazione degli altri Corpi di Polizia, riuscirebbe il compito del conflitto in corso.

Inoltre il superiore Ministero degli Interni, da cui il Corpo dipenderebbe non potrebbe rilanciare il rinnovo della licenza se non vi è il Nalla Onli 7% Dell'On.le Comando alleato del quale tanto si chiede.

Si prega voler dare cortese e sollecita comunicazione in merito.
Con osservanza

Il Commissario
(D. M. e F. e F. e F.)



Chian

Al fine di poter rinviare questo corpo quella veste giuridica che ha sempre avuto indistintamente dal 1920, si prega codesto Qu/le Comando di voler disporre al riassetto del corpo con moschetti Mol. 1821 attualmente in deposito ed inefficienti presso il locale Comando Stazione CC. RR. -

All'epoca dell'invasione dei Tedeschi, le nostre Guardia subivano, al pari di qualsiasi altro corpo, il destino e quindi la confisca dei moschetti dopo averli resi inosservabili.

Questo Comandante, siccome dell'interpretazione di codesto Qu/le Comando, nel quale ripone l'efficienza attuale, ripartirebbe i moschetti e rimetterebbe il corpo in piena efficienza come nel passato per ridurre al minimo la delinquenza ed il rispetto. Nel contempo tutti gli si verifichino giornalmente.

Ciò che si chiede dovrebbe tornare all'uso il codesto Qu/le Comando, per che il nostro in collaborazione degli altri Corpi di Polizia, migliorerebbe il compito del conflitto in corso.

Inoltre il superiore Ministero degli Interni, da cui il Corpo dipenderebbe non potrebbe rilanciare il rinnovo della licenza se non vi è il nulla osta di Dell'Qu/le Comando all'atto del quale tanto si chiede.

Si prega voler dare cortese e sollecita comunicazione in merito.
Con osservanza

Il Comandante
(Dr. Biase Pasquale)

Chian



File 8A

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478709

30 January, 1945

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Requisition of Firearms

TO : U.S. Claims Service, Regional Office 1,
Southern District, PHS. A.P.O. 782

Reference your letter of January 23, 1945,
concerning a pistol obtained from CC.RR. by Capt. Clarence
L. Farber, claim in connection therewith, and particularly
in answer to your paragraph 6.

This organization has no requisitioning authority
and cannot authorize any other means of compensation. This
is not an organizational matter and should be dealt with by
the Officer concerned.

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

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U. S. CLAIMS SERVICE
REGIONAL OFFICE I
SOUTHERN DISTRICT, PBS
APO 762 - U. S. ARMY

23 January 1945

SUBJECT: Requisition of Firearm.

TO : CC, Hq. Allied Commission, APO 394, U. S. Army.
(Attn: Col. John W. Chapman, JAGD, Director Public Safety Sub-Commission).

1. Receipt of your communication of 30 December 1944 is hereby acknowledged.

2. Please refer to the communication of Capt. Clarence L. Farber, dated 22 December 1944.

3. Attached is a copy of CRR report on the matter under investigation by which it appears the pistol was not returned to that agency which therefore still holds the receipt signed by Capt. Farber.

4. The undersigned has taken up this matter with the local Z.P.S.C., Capt. Madill who states he has no records at his disposal to indicate to whom Capt. Farber issued claimant's pistol. Capt. Madill has also contacted the local Questura, the agency which supplied the guards for AMG food warehouses, and has learned that such agency has no record of the pistol.

5. Therefore as the CRR hold a receipt signed by Capt. Farber, for the pistol which cannot be located, it appears this weapon should be requisitioned in order that the owner might be rightfully compensated. If it is possible therefore, may Martuscelli, Nicola, Via D'Enzi #1, Salerno, Italy, be issued a requisition for the pistol as described in basic communication, this Headquarters, dated 5 December 1944.

6. If it is not possible to issue such requisition and if your organization cannot authorize other compensation for this pistol may this Service be so notified.

7. Request endorsement hereon as to action taken.

For the Claims Officer in Charge:

Sub
Julian D. Morse
JULIAN D. MORSE
1st Lt., JAGD
Claims Officer 2900

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CCRR STATION * * SALERNO

At request of 1st Lt. Morse, Chief Officer of U. S. Claims Service, located at Salerno, 21 Via Roma, we state that by these documents of this station a pistol Glisenti 6.35 caliber, collected by the Lt. Farber of the Allied Police on Sept. 29, 1943 does not result to have been given back, nor it results, by some investigations made among the soldiers actually on duty, by this Command, to have been returned in any way.

For the best proof, we refer that this Command is still keeping of the above mentioned officer the original receipt of which herewith is enclosed a copy.

Salerno, 11 January 1945

s/ Vincenzo Esposito
Marshal

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

Julian D. Morse
JULIAN D. MORSE
1st Lt., JAGD
Claims Officer

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5A
 DOTT. MAURO Giuseppe applies to this S/C for permission
 to carry arms. (He is a V. Pretore at LITTORIA)
 Sent/acc.

TO	
COLONEL ARNOLD	redo 30/1
COL. YOUNG	1/407
LT. COL. H.	
MAJ. LUCAS	
MAJ. WILSON	31/15
MAJ. HARRIS	
MAJ. BALANCE	
CAPT. R. WEE	
CHIEF CLERK	

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DOTT. MAURO Giuseppe ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ requests this
S/C



PS ~~LAUREA~~
PROCURA GENERALE PRESSO LA CORTE D'APPELLO
DI ROMA

N. 1070 Prot.

Roma, li 23 gennaio 1945

Dip. I Sez. I

Risp. a nota del di N.

OGGETTO: Concessione di permesso per porto d'arme
 al Dott. MAURO Giuseppe, V. Pretore di Vittoria.

Allegati N. I

Arla SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ~~LEGALE~~ *PS*

della Commissione Alleata di Controllo
 in R O M A

In osservanza di quanto è stato disposto dal Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia, con la circolare in data 9 settembre 1944 n. 1653 g/2409 circa la concessione di porto d'arme ai magistrati che, per disposizione di legge, ne hanno diritto, si trasmette a codesta Sottocommissione Legale l'unita domanda del magistrato sopraindicato, con preghiera di compiacersi esaminarla, e dare le opportune disposizioni del caso all'Ufficio Legale di Vittoria.

Da parte di questa Procura Generale si esprime parere favorevole per l'accoglimento della domanda, che appare giustificata. **2906**

Si gradirà cortese comunicazione della disposizione che verrà adottata.

IL PROCURATORE GENERALE DEL REGNO
 (G. Rubbiani)



Rubbiani

ALLA SOTTO COMMISSIONE MILITARE
presso la Commissione Militare in

Il sottoscritto Dr. MAURO GIUSEPPE ha detto
Vice Prefetto in Littoria dal 1941 che gli è stato concesso
l'autorizzazione a portare l'arma senza licenza es-
sendo spesso, per motivi di servizio, costretto ad ac-
cadere in zone campestri per niente sicure.

Con osservanza.

Littoria, 15.1.1945

Giuseppe Luciani

File 2A.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081 - 365

19 January, 1945.

AC/14094/PS

SUBJECT : Carrying of Arms by Civilian.

TO : Political Section.

1. Reference your inter office memorandum on the subject of ADOLFO BRIST.
2. Permission cannot be granted for the carrying of revolvers by civilians.

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

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COMMISSION

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT:

Request to carry arms.
ADOLF ERNST.

TO :

Public Safety S/C.

TO	
COL. CHARMAN	
COL. YOUNG	
RE. DOJ W.C. X	
MAJ LUCKNA	
MAJ WILSON	1845
MAJ HANBURY	
MAJ BALLANCE	
CAPT POWEL	1845
CHIEF CLERK	

R. see the attached letter from the Secretary
of the Jewish Committee.

I have no doubt that people may be
gunning for Mr. Ernst, but I do not think we are under
any responsibility to protect him. I take it that his
request to carry a revolver cannot be authorized.

K. Halford
for A.V.P. (Br.) 2903

ADOLFO ERNST
V. Pinturicchio 69, int. 20
R O M A

Rome, the 15th January 1945.

To the Allied Commission
Political Section
R O M E

Gentlemen,

As First Secretary of the "JEWISH COMMITTEE" I allow myself to communicate as follows:

We have not given much publicity to our activity until now, because we do not want to give to the enemy material for propaganda. The Nazi cry: "The Jews will take a part of Germany" would perhaps stiffen the resistance of their soldiers.

Nevertheless it is not possible for us to work completely in secrecy especially with such a large number of executive members, and so it cannot be completely avoided that some secret Roman fascist circle and probably some hidden German spies in Rome get information about our plans.

They are probably well informed that I, as the First Secretary am the most exposed and most active of the members, so that they may try to make me harmless.

Already I have been offered a million Lira if I retired from this movement.....

It has been further threatened to have me expelled from Italy..... I have replied that I will continue to work and try to procure a home for the Jewish Nation.

But perhaps they will succeed in doing me some other wrong..... Or to have me arrested under false accusations, or, to kill me. I have already several times observed, that in the evening hours in the dark streets I have been followed. But I try to never go out alone and am

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But perhaps they will succeed in doing me some other wrongs..... Or to have me arrested under false accusations, or, to kill me. I have already several times observed, that in the evening hours in the dark streets I have been followed. But I try to never go out alone and am taking a stick with me....

But I think as I am dealing in the public interest that the Allied Commission should give me the permission to carry a small revolver and a bag to ask to kindly take this request into consideration. 290~

It will perhaps be also of interest to you to know, that until August 1943 I have lost fortyfour of my relatives in Jugoslavia and Hungary, killed by the Nazi bandits. Between them my only two boys of 27 and 30. Since that time I have no more relation with those countries, and I do not know what may be happened to my other relatives. At this time still remained in Budapest my mother and my only brother with his family.--- But there are many more Jews with larger losses.....

In summary the reason for this letter is to inform you, that if I should be killed to know why I have been killed, and if I should be arrested by the Italians, to know why I have really been arrested....

Finally I beg to ask you not to inform our Vice-President, Professor Azzi, who is a known Antifascist, about this letter, because he would be worried, and I would like to avoid publicity.....

Yours very sincerely

Adolf Hitler

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International Union of the
Antifascist emigrants and refugees

THE JEWISH COMMITTEE

Rome the 29th December 1944

V. Pinturicchio 89, int. 20.

Telephone 393.004

To the Foreign Office
of the United States of America

WASHINGTON

Your Excellency

At our conference of the 27th December 1944 it was decided to
POST OFFICIALLY THE REQUEST TO THE ALLIED NATIONS, THAT THE "JEWISH
COMMITTEE" MAY BE DECLARED AS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE EUROPEAN JEWS.

As known there are four groups of Jews in the World:

- 1) The Jews in the U.R.S.S.
 - 2) The Jews in America, represented by the "JEWISH AGENCY"
 - 3) The Jews in Palestine with their "Zionist Organisation" throughout the World.
 - 4) The remaining Non-Zionists of the whole World, especially in Europe. For this group is dealing the "JEWISH COMMITTEE".
- As it seems the Russian Jews sub 1) are all satisfied with their fate, also a large number of the American Jews sub 2).... The Jews living in peace are mostly not much interested in their fellow Jews living in misery. That is one of the main reasons why these two groups have been very little to find a fatherland for the other Jews.

The Zionist Organisation sub 3) is also not in the possibility to do much for the Jews generally, because they are handicapped by shortage of room, work and security in their small State. They are able to work on immigration numbers of only thousands or hundreds, meanwhile there are perishing outside Palestine millions of Jews....

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Therefore none of the first three groups is able to safeguard the future of the remnants of the Jews in Europe, where antisemitism is growing more and more. Of the Jewish refugees and emigrants all over the World, and of many hundred thousands other Jews of other Continents, who are living in misery or suffering under antisemitism in their Countries.--- They have never made a concrete and radical official proposal on this behalf, and not even had the idea to ask the Allied Nations for the most natural and necessary thing, that is that the Jewish Nation be declared officially and DE JURE as an Allied Nation....

As nobody seems to be capable to achieve success with the great problems of the WHOLE Jewish Nation, the European Jews decided to take themselves the initiative and have created the "JEWISH COMMITTEE" in Rome, having as one of the main points of program the collaboration with the "ZIONIST ORGANISATION" and the "JEWISH AGENCY".--- To the Zionists it has been offered already a kind of Confederation on the base that besides the projected new State also Palestine could remain a Home-Country for the Jews....

In the "JEWISH COMMITTEE" there are intensively working only a limited number of men, but men who do not wish for money and honours, but who want only one satisfaction, to create a FORUM that thinks and deals for ALL JEWS OVER THE WORLD, and which will solve once and for ever thoroughly and definitely the 2000 years old Jewish problem, which will build up a Home-Country for ALL Jews and transform the "Errant Jew" into a peaceful citizen in its own independent State, where he will have work, bread and peace.

That cannot be achieved in holding innumerable Congresses, in issuing communiques, in travelling around, in collecting money for some Jewish School or Astronomic Institute, but in dealing on positive vital questions, working them out and finishing them, without wasting his time with too many parleys.....

There is also another reason why the "JEWISH COMMITTEE" shows much more interest, initiative and energy for a radical solution of the Jewish problem, than the "Jewish Agency" and the "Zionist Organisation", that is that only about 15% of the 6,500,000 Jews killed in Europe during the Hitler period were relatives of the members of the "Jewish Agency" in America, and only about 10% of the Palestinians. However the "JEWISH COMMITTEE" is dealing for that important group of Jews who are the fathers, mothers, brothers and children of about 75% of the killed European Jews.

We are further working on our projects without making any rumour with publicity and collaboration with the Press. Therefore is also an important reason the Security Reason. When Germany would know about our project, to build up a Jewish State on German territory, they would perhaps then kill the remnants of the Jews, the Halijews, the baptised Jews etc. in Germany, Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Poland and Northern Italy. They also would have good material for propaganda to stiffen the resistance of their soldiers.

We believe therefore all Allied Nations will find fully justified our request, and we beg to ask them to recognise the "JEWISH COMMITTEE" and to communicate with us as soon as possible.

Yours very respectfully

For the "JEWISH COMMITTEE"

JEWISH COMMITTEE

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Years very respectfully

For the JEWISH COMMITTEE



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