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TRADING WITH THE ENEMY
NOV. 1944 - JUN. 1945

Ac/14147/P.S.

TRADING WITH THE ENEMY.

ca-14147-16/2.

ca-17/2.

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RS. 15/3.

CO-1712-1612

1712

Café 1712-1612

RS. 1613

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CONTAINS PAPERS

FROM NOV. 44

TO JUNE 45

CATALOGUE

CA Lee

16-2-45

CA Lee

14/3/45

P.D. Sub Commission

Letter signed

14/3/45

15th for signature please

Quoted

17 FEB 1945

(2)

22nd for signature please

Planned Reading - May
P. CA Section

W. J. P. Lee
25.9.45

W. J. P. Lee
25.9.45

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478427-580

16 June, 1945.

AC/14147/PS

SUBJECT : Trading with the enemy.

TO : P.M. R.A.A.C.

The attached enclosure G-5,383.8.1 dated 8 June 45
from G-5 A.F.H.Q. is forwarded for such action as you deem
necessary.

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

WE/G.

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P. Safety

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS MJH/ncr
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.8-1

14147

8 June 1945

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TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

1. Reference our G-5:383.8-1 dated
28 November 1944.

2. Attached is letter intercepted
by censorship.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

J. Heyl
J. HEYL,
1st Lieut, AUS.

	DATE
DIRECTOR	13/6
DEPT. DIRECTOR	
EXEC. OFFICER	13/6
PO. 12	
LIC. & REG.	
PRISONS	
ADM. OFFICER	
SECURITY	
CHIEF CLERK	

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MR G. H. FRANCIS

BRYNTANAT

LLANERFYL

NEAR WELSHPOOL,

MONTGOMERYSHIRE,
WALES.

from Mr. G. H. Francis R.A.
Cmfr.

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Formulario 1°

ITALIA



Data

Roma 7-12-66 Ord. N. 661

Ditta

Sig. LAMBERT JOHN POWYELAND

in

Fleurco N.

Consegnate

Liefern Sie
livrez
Deliver

Mazzo

bouquet
bunch

Corona

kranz
couronne
wreath

arrangement

di

aut
de
of

FIORI

Giorno di consegna

Lieferungstag
Jour de livraison
Date of delivery

SUBITO

Ora

uhr
heure
o'clock

a l' hon

Mr. L. A. FRANCIS BRYNTANAT

Via

L. A. FRANCIS BRYNTANAT

Con biglietto lettera

Mit Karte - Brief
Avec carte - lettre
With card - letter

GOMERY SHIRE WALES

Prezzo

spese comprese (all'estero sempre in Franchi Svizzeri)

Preis einschliess Lieferkosten (auch dem Ausland in Schweizer Franchen)
Prix avec frais de livraison compris (à l'étranger en francs Suisses)
Price including delivery charges (for abroad in Swiss francs)

2 STERLINE

Prezzo in lettere

2 STERLINE

Pietrini Gino

ROMA

Corso Umberto 283

2710

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

WD/C.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS MJH/nor
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.8-1

8 June 1945

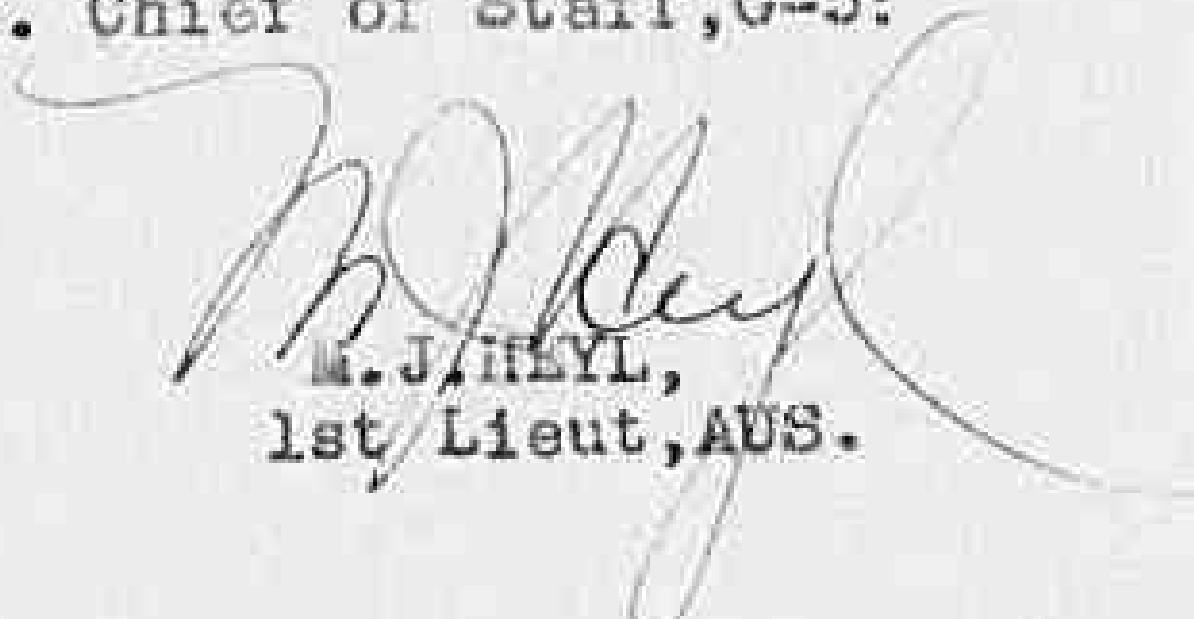
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M. J. HEYL,
1st Lieut, AUS.

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CJM/seb

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

5 May 1945

G-5: 383.8-1

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394.

6 MAY 1945
A. C.

1. Your reference is AC/14147/PS of 17 February 45.
2. Will you please forward two separate lists of U.S. and British personnel so that we can submit them to the Army Exchange on one hand and the Directorate of Army Welfare on the other for a refund, or a remittance at their discretion.
3. The fullest particulars are required.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

C. J. MacNamara
C. J. MACNAMARA
Captain, P.C.

TO		
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. DEPUTY		
ADJ. GEN.		
CH. & H.Q.		
PRISON		
ADJ. GEN.		
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P. SAFETY *yc*

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS MJH/see
 G-5 Section
 APO 512

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G-5: 383.8-1

2 May 1945

SUBJECT: Trading with Enemy

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
 APO 394.

/ 1A

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2. Attached is letter intercepted by Censorship.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

[Signature]
 M. J. BEAN
 1st Lt., AUS.

Incl:
 as above.

TO	
FROM	
SUBJECT	
DATE	7/5
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SEARCHED	585
SERIALIZED	
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Formulario 1°



ITALIA



Data, II/ 12/ 44

Ord. N. 471

Ditta PORTS 557 HIGH ROAD

in ILFORD Fleurop N

Consegnate

Liefere Sie
Livrez
Deliver

Mazzo

strauss
bouquet
hunch

Corona

kranz
couronne
wertath

arrangement

di

aus
de
of

UN FASCIO DI GAROFANI

Giorno di consegna

Lieferungstag
Jour de livraison
Date of delivery

DIC. 24/ 44

Ora

uhr
heure
o' clock

a | an | à | to :

Via | strasse | rue | street

N.

Con biglietto-lettera

Mit Kart - Brief
Avec carte - lettre
With card - letter

ACCLUSO

Prezzo

spese comprese (all'estero sempre in Franchi Svizzeri)

Preis (nicht) Lieferspesen (nach dem Ausland in Schweizer Franchen)
Prix avec frais de livraison compris (à l'étranger en francs Suisse)
Price including delivery charges (for abroad in Swiss francs)

£. 400

Prezzo in lettere

QUATTROCENTO

Petrelli Giorgio

TARANTO

Via d'Aquino 38

6782

Petrelli Giorgio

TARANTO

Via d'Aquino 38

6782

II/ 12 / 44 Ord. N. 471

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I SHALL BE
THINKING OF YOU,
JOYCE, THIS XMAS.
THEO -

HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Ref: PS/23

Date 30 March 1945

SUBJECT: Suspected Offences - Trading with the enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
(attention of the Director,
Public Safety Sub-Commission).

1. Reference your letter AC/14147/PS dated 24 Feb 45 received at this HQ together with enclosures relative to suspected irregularities by one PETRELLI Giorgio, a florist, of Via d'Aquino No. 38, Taranto.

2. As British Military personnel were involved the matter was handed to Special Investigation Branch and investigation requested. The enquiries have now been completed and attached hereto is a copy of self-explanatory report submitted on the subject by the Officer Commanding, 67 Section, S.I.B., C.M.P.

3. Upon examination of this report it is apparent no offence has been committed by PETRELLI; he is a person of good character, his records are in order and everything points to the fact that he has conducted this particular business in good faith.

3. In forwarding this correspondence for your information, I would draw attention to the last paragraph of the S.I.B. report in which it is stated that outstanding monies are now held by Head Office, U.I.T.O.F., Piazza Adriana, No.10, Rome. In the circumstances you may consider the case should now be handed in its entirety to HQ R.A.A.C. as it would seem a matter for the welfare authorities of that Command to take up on behalf of the as yet unidentified soldiers who still appear to retain ownership in the monies they deposited.

For the Regional Commissioner:

Richardson
5855
G. RICHARDSON
Major,
Regional Public
Safety Officer.

GR/tp.

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1 Copy S.I.B.
37 letters.

*Please
initial
reverse*

H.Q. 67 Section, S.I.B.,
C.M. Police, C.M.F.
20 Mar 45.

REFERENCE:- SIB/67/A/45/83.

SUBJECT:- Attempt Trading with the Enemy.

PETRELLI Giorgio,
38 Via D'Aquino,
TARANTO.

TO:-
The D.A.P.M.
67 Section, S.I.B.,
C.M. Police.

READ & SUBMITTED.

Sir,

On 10 Mar 45 a letter was received at this Office from D.P.M. 3 District, Ref Pro 424 dated 7 Mar 45 enclosing a letter Ref AC/14147/PS dated 24 Feb, from H.Q. A.C. Pub. Safety Commission, APO 394, and AFHQ C-5 Section, APO 512 letter C-5:383.8-1 dated 9 Feb 45, regarding 37 letters (enclosed) addressed to Florists in England, and which had been intercepted by Censorship. A request was made for investigation to be carried out by this Branch.

I examined the letters which I numbered A-1 to A-34 and B-1 to B-3. Those numbered A-1 to A-34 were addressed to Florists in England by PETRELLI Giorgio, a Florist in Taranto, and the contents were (a) an order in duplicate for bouquets of flowers at various prices to be sent to addresses in England, on dates round about the 24 Dec 44, and (b) a small envelope addressed to the recipient containing greeting etc., in a large celophane envelope. These letters I listed as per schedule "C". The letters marked B-1 to B-3 were of a similar nature and sent from florists in Rome to addresses in England and are also listed in this schedule.

On the 10 Mar 45 I made enquiries at the Y.M.C.A. who have organised a similar service and find they have no connection with PETRELLI I also made enquiries at the Bank D'Italia, Taranto and also at the Credito Italiano, Taranto, regarding the transmission of the necessary funds to cover these orders to the U.K., and was informed that owing to trade restrictions this is not allowed at the present time.

Captain,
D.A.P.M. Section.

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On 13 Mar 45 I interviewed PETRELLI (Statement attached at H) who conducts a high class Florist's business in Via D'Aquino, Taranto. He informed me that he was a member of the UNIONE ITALIANO TRASMISSIONE OMAGGI FLOREALI which is affiliated to FLEUROP, an international organisation for the sending and receiving of flowers etc., to and from various countries and districts in Europe and the U.S.A. Accounts between members are adjusted quarterly and a commission of 20% on each order is credited to the Florist obtaining the order, on receipt of an acknowledgement from the Florist delivering the flowers, who obtains a receipt from the addressee. PETRELLI informed me that he became a member of the Italian Branch of FLEUROP (HQ Piazza Adriana 10, ROME) during March 1940. This service was discontinued to U.K. and U.S.A. on the entry of Italy into the War on June 10, 1940.

About the middle of October 1944, PETRELLI was notified by SIG. BRUNI, manager of U.I.T.O.F. at ROME that the service was resumed and that he could carry on business with U.K. and U.S.A. He therefore solicited orders and between 25 Nov 44 and 3 Jan 45 obtained 269 orders to the total value of 160,480 Lire for the distribution of flowers to U.K. and U.S.A. On this date - 3 Jan 45 he received a letter from the Headquarters of the U.I.T.O.F. at ROME (marked 'D') Ref 176/944 dated 12 Dec 44 stating that although business relations between the Allied countries and Italy had now been resumed, formalities regarding financial transactions had not yet been established and that the service for the delivery of flowers must be suspended for the time being. He was also instructed that in case of complaint

Captain.
P.A.P.M. Section.

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by his customers of the non-delivery of these flowers, he must refund the money. He accordingly ceased to solicit for orders of this nature. A few days after this an Officer of the A.C. called at his shop regarding this business and took away the letter which he had received which authorized him to commence the business of sending the flowers. He did not know the name of the Officer and enquiries were made at BARI to trace this Officer or the letter but owing to change of location of the A.C. there, it was not possible.

On the 2nd Mar 45 the manager of the U.I.T.O.F., Sig. BRUNI called at PETERELLI's shop in Taranto and brought with him a letter of Ref 177/45 dated 7 Feb 45 (marked E-1) which gave him instructions regarding the clearing up of the outstanding orders and cash which he had received in respect of such orders. Enclosed with this letter was a circular letter (marked E-2) written in English, explaining the positions to persons who had taken advantage of this service and informing them that it would be possible in the near future to complete their orders and saying that if necessary they would reimburse the customer if application was made to the Head Office of the Organisation at Rome.

Between the period 3 Jan and 2 Mar 45 various customers had complained to PETERELLI that their orders had not been executed and he therefore refunded their money after explaining what had happened with the aid of the letter (E-2) written in English. He obtained a receipt for the money on the triplicate copy of the original order.

Money has been refunded in respect of four of the censored letters. These are marked A-24, A-26, A-30 and A-51 and receipts had been obtained in the Order Book by PETERELLI.

In all, 63 persons had been refunded a total of 41,280 Lire by PETERELLI who gave the remainder of the money received, i.e. 119,200 Lire to Sig. BRUNI for retention at the Head Office at Rome. Since Sig. BRUNI's visit, PETERELLI has refunded 500 Lire in respect of order No. 423 and he expressed a desire to be put into touch with the remainder of the customers, so that they could be reimbursed either by himself or the Headquarter's at Rome. He did not obtain the Regimental No. or Units of his customers thereby complying with G.R.O. 1074/44 (Copy attached) at 'I'.

PETERELLI also produced a schedule (marked 'P') of all the orders he had received in connection with the business, as required in letter (E-1) a copy of which he had forwarded to his Head Office. He also produced a receipt from a Florist in S. Francisco (marked 'G') in respect of one particular order which had been completed. No. 302 on the schedule 'P'. I also saw a number of letters from Florists with which he had placed orders, stating they could not execute the orders owing to the fact that trading had not properly been resumed with Italy. A letter from John HUNT, president of the Florists Delivery Association (British Unit Ltd) dated 7 Feb 45 informed him that such orders as he had sent to England could not be executed owing to Government Restrictions.

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The 37 letters received from A.P.M. 52 Area are returned herewith as requested together with correspondence. It does not appear that any offence has been committed by PETRELLI.

As previously stated, the money received for the execution of these orders is now held at Head Office U.I.T.O.F., Piazza Andriana 10, Rome and it would seem, in view of the fact that the names and addresses of the men who originated the orders are not available that the only alternative left is that arrangements might be made whereby this money might be collected and transmitted to the intended recipients, the names and the addresses of which are to be found in the orders. Tendered to the Florist.

Respectfully submitted.

(S. BURTON) Sergt.
67 Section, S.I.B.

UNIONE ITALIANA TRASMISSIONE
OMAGGI FIORALI.

Piazza Adriana 10, ROMA.

Circular letter No. 176/944.

Rome, 12th December 1944.

TO:- MEMBERS OF THE U.I.T.O.P. DEALING IN FLOWERS IN THE
" LIBERATED ZONE ".

We inform you that it is necessary to discontinue immediately conveyance of orders for deliveries of flowers to America, England and Allied Countries.

Such order must be scrupulously observed, because notwithstanding the advertised re-establishment of commercial intercourse between Italy and the Allied Countries, real commercial transaction cannot be concluded because the formalities about the payments have not yet been established.

At the present time we are carrying on correspondence with the English and American P.T.D.s and as soon as the necessary agreements are established we will obtain the authorisation from the Allied Military Government in Italy, and will inform you about the re-establishment of conveyance of orders to be carried into execution abroad.

Regarding the orders that you have already forwarded, only today we can tell you that their execution is doubtful, therefore if any customer applies to you complaining about the non-delivery of the flowers ordered by him, you have to pay him back the amount he paid less your charges (postage and accessories) which under our regulations are calculated at 10% on the amount of the brokerage. Naturally such deduction is not to be made if the customer had already ~~been~~ paid the amount of your charges the moment that the order was given.

NEW MEMBERS. Take good note of the following new memberships:

PARUCIA - BALESTRI Giovanni - Via L. dal Pozzo 35 - 48
Telegraphic address: BALESTRI SCHIACCOLONI FLORICOLTORI.

ROME - MELONI Enrico - LA FLORICOLTURA - Via Flaminia 64, Telephone No. 35872
Telegraphic address: MELONI FLAMINIA 64.

ROME - GREGORI Alberto "IL MIO FIORAIO" Viale del Vignola 62,
Telephone No. 363-069, Telegraphic address GREGORI VIALE VIGNOLA 62.

INLAND ORDERS TRAFFIC.

The exchange of orders within Liberated Italy is going to become normal again, in this so difficult moment, specially for the high price of flowers. More than ever you must pay all the possible attention in order to satisfy entirely the customers and in the same time to gain credit to our organisation.

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Keep in mind that even in the big towns it is not possible to pick many sorts of flowers to delivery so in your orders. Indicate the kind of flower wanted; but it is only right of information; the colleague who has to carry into execution the order will try his best to satisfy the customer, according to his availability.

Nothing else for now but to wish you a happy New Year.

Hearty greetings.

U.I.C.O.F.
The Manager.
(G. DRUMI).

File : Adriana No. 10,
ROMA.
Tel. No. 53801.

7th February 1945.

MEMBERS OF THE U.I.T.O.P.
DEALERS IN FLOWERS IN THE "LIBERATED ZONE".

With reference to the orders, you have sent to America and England, we inform you that, as agreed with the competent Allied Authority, every pending affair for orders not carried through must be settled as soon as possible and only through this management.

Therefore you must proceed as follows:-

- 1) Each member shall draw up an accurate list of all the orders received from Allied soldiers. Such list must be compiled in DUPLICATE, according to the following scheme.

Date of Issue	No. of the Order.	Florist who had to carry into execution, and town where the flower had to be delivered.	Gross Price		NOTES
			£	s	

and it must include, at the foot, the following statement:- "I state that all the orders I have assumed from Allied soldiers are included in this list and that, in due time, all the same orders were sent by me to colleagues belonging to the S.F.T.D. in order to carry them in execution."

You shall send to this management, one copy of the above said list while you shall keep the other one.

Even if your firm has not assumed orders, you are obliged equally to make a statement that you have not traded with colleagues of the S.F.T.D.

- 2) All the amounts cashed must be immediately handed over to this management and according to the amount, from which must not be deducted any brokerage, which shall appear on the above said list.

Those amounts that you have already reimbursed to your customers are exempt from the above instructions (No. 2) in the above list, and in the column "NOTES" you shall add "AMOUNT REIMBURSED TO THE CUSTOMER" and such amounts shall be deducted from the sum that you have to pay.

UNIONE ITALIANA TRASMISSIONE OMAGGI FIORALI.

No. 177/45.

Via Adriana No. 10,
ROMA.

Tel. No. 53801.

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Those amounts that you have already reimbursed to your customers are exempt from the above instructions (No. 2) in the above list, and in the column "NOTES" you shall add "AMOUNT REIMBURSED TO THE CUSTOMER" and such amounts shall be deducted from the sum that you have to pay.

If for any order you have cashed the 10% extra for your brokerage, it is not necessary that you pay also the said amounts but you will mention them in the above mentioned list.

If besides the gross price of the order you have cashed supplements for delivery-expense or postage, you must pay also these amounts, and in the list you will add, where it is necessary the amounts of such supplements, to the gross amount of the order.

3) Many orders have been carried into execution, even if you have not yet received the regular confirmation. Many others on the contrary have been returned to the sender by order of the F.T.D.; about others we have no information. For all the orders which have been not been carried into execution, excepted, of course, those reimbursed, but including those returned to the senders, you can assure your customers who eventually apply to you, that the flowers will be delivered in due course, when our reports with the F.T.D. will become normal again.

If the customer urges the reimbursement of what he paid, ask him to apply to this management. We will satisfy him as he likes, with reimbursement or with the delivery of the flowers ordered, as soon as possible. For this purpose we enclose a letter written in the English language which you will show the customer to inform him what has happened about his order.

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We are waiting to hear from you as soon as possible.

Yours very truly

U.I.T.O.F.
THE MANAGER.
(G.Brani).

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UNION ITALIANA
TRASMISSIONE OMAGGI FLOREALI
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Societa civile aderente alla Fleurop.

ROMA,
Piazza Adriana 10,
Telef. 53.801.

7th February 1945.

Dear Sir,

It is probable that the flowers you have ordered some time ago to this flower seller, one of our associated, have not yet been delivered to the person to whom they were destined; but the flower seller is not responsible for this fact. This has occurred only because, according to the provisions of the Allied Military Government in Italy, trade operations between the Italian and foreign firms are not allowed, and this was known only when your order had already been sent to the flower seller who was to execute it.

Therefore it is not a fault of the Italian flower seller who has acted in a perfect good faith and in accordance with what was already made since many years before the war.

Now transactions are being made in order to get a quick return to the normality; it is to say that as soon as the permit from the competent Allied Military Authorities will be obtained, we shall manage so as your order be executed with a regular delivery of the ordered flowers. This is quite sure but of course we cannot indicate the day.

If instead you wish to have reimbursed the sum you have paid cancelling the order, we must beg you to apply directly to us as the flower seller has given us your money and we only are in a position to send you back the money on your demand. In this case we will reimburse you immediately, but we need to know the name of the flower seller, the town where the flowers were to be delivered and the amount of the order.

We beg to excuse what has happened and to maintain unaltered your trust in the service executed by the flower sellers who are members of our association and who collaborate with the flower sellers of your country.

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12/12 477	Sally, 5th Chandos Parade	London	Ingh.	141,900.-
12/12 478	Young E. Walters, 90 Van Houton	Peterson	Canada	600.-
12/12 479	Smith James, 674 Main Ave.	Passaic	N.J.	500.-
12/12 480	Hopper T. Ridley, 17 Cair St.	manca		500.-
12/12 480	Oberg's Flower Shop, 1461 E. 57th St.	Chicago	Ill.	400.-
12/12 482	Lynbrook's House of Roses, 3 Union Ave	Lynbrook	N.Y.	1,000.-
12/12 483	Main Street Flower Shop, C.D. Allenpack March	March		700.-
12/12 484	Mary's Flower Shop, Monroe La.	Monroe	La.	1,000.-
12/12 485	Haydens Flower Shop, 304 E. 2nd Street	Bound Brook	N.J.	1,000.-
12/12 486	Fox L.D. Mary, 194 London Rd.	Glasgow	Ingh.	400.-
12/12 487	Cole R.E., Queen Rd. Nursery	London	Ingh.	600.-
15/12 484	Langhans Flowers, Professional Blvd.	Pittsburgh	Pa.	500.-
15/12 488	Sahn A., 24 Sandy Rd.	Liverpool	Ingh.	600.-
15/12 489	Eastham Ltd., 24 Duke St.	Rochdale	Ingh.	400.-
15/12 490	illegibile	London	Ingh.	1,280.-
16/12 491	Hunt & Tyne, 8 Union St.	Dundee	Ingh.	700.-
16/12 492	Dickenson's, State Highway Route 6	Dover N.J.	N.J.	1,000.-
16/12 493	Watson Herbert, 5 Gran Parade	Epsom	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 494	Marguerite Artistic, The Broadway	Worthing	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 495	Zimmer's Flowers Shop, 1319 Delaware St.	Paulsboro	N.J.	500.-
16/12 496	Poley Madame, 75 Allerton Rd.	Liverpool	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 497	Cooper & Co's Stores, Church St.	Liverpool	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 498	Laycock Miss W.A., 35 Princess St.	Blackpool	Ingh.	800.-
16/12 499	Kimball's Flowers Shop, 14 Brook St.	Manchester	Ingh.	800.-
16/12 500	Johnson Alexander, 227 Oxford St.	Swansea	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 501	Care Bros., 3 St. John Square	Gardiff	Ingh.	1,200.-
16/12 502	Vesper's, 49 Marlborough St.	Devonport	Ingh. Ph.	600.-
16/12 503	Seymour & Dench, 139 Portland Rd.	Hove	Ingh.	800.-
16/12 504	Keller Harold, 1023 So. Ave.	Rockester	N.Y.	1,200.-
16/12 505	Kedrick D.K., 5th Callerehill	Perkasie	Pa.	600.-
16/12 506	France Muison, 22 Rue Michelet	Algeria	North Afr.	600.-
16/12 507	Williams, 79 Tribess St.	Stockport	Ingh.	600.-
16/12 508	Beatrice Odling, 207 Trafalgar Rd.	London S.E.10	"	600.-
16/12 509	Groves H.W., 60 Ocean Rd.	South Shields	"	800.-
16/12 510	Rowley & Sons, Covent Garden House	Derby	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 511	Lewia & Sons, 37 Quadrant	Richmond	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 512	A.J. King, 28 High St. Ealing	London W.5	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 513	Harrods Ltd., Brompton Rd.	manca		500.-
16/12 514	Robinson S., 5 Church St.	Runcaton	Ingh.	500.-
16/12 515	Snee E. & E., 52 London Rd.	Portsmouth	Ingh.	400.-
20/12 516	Strattons Kirkwick Nurseries 4 Cordon St.	Luton	Ingh.	500.-
20/12 517	Green Chan E. Fore St.	Sidmouth	Ingh.	400.-
21/12 518	Snee E. & E., 52 London Rd.	Portsmouth	Ingh.	600.-
21/12 519	Vilven W. & Sons, 17 New Bond St.	Bath	Ingh.	600.-
21/12 520	Armstrong J.R., Sands Nursery	Durham City	Ingh.	800.-

16/12 500	Johnson Alexander, 227 Oxford St.	Swansea	Ingh.	1,200.-	
16/12 501	Case Bros., 3 St. John Square	Cardiff	Ingh.	600.-	Rimborsato
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16/12 512	A.J. King, 28 High St. Relling	London W.5	Ingh.	500.-	
16/12 513	Harrods Ltd., Brompton Rd.	manca		500.-	
16/12 514	Robinson S., 5 Church St.	Mancunton	Ingh.	400.-	
16/12 515	Smee E. & E., 52 London Rd.	Portsmouth	Ingh.	500.-	
20/12 516	Strattons Kinkwick Nurseries 4 Gordon St.	Luton	Ingh.	400.-	
20/12 517	Green Chan E. Fore St.	Sidmouth	Ingh.	600.-	
21/12 518	Smee E. & E., 52 London Rd.	Portsmouth	Ingh.	600.-	
21/12 519	Valver W. & Sons, 17 New Bond St.	Bath	Ingh.	800.-	
21/12 520	Armstrong J.R., Sands Nursery	Durham City	Ingh.	400.-	
23/12 521	Baselvy Bros., 23 Leigh Rd.	Eastleigh	Ingh.	400.-	
23/12 522	Trower Ltd., 73 High St.	Boson	Ingh.	400.-	
26/12 523	Grosvenor Flower Shop	Swansea	Ingh.	400.-	
27/12 524	Raiment & Co., 48 Grand Blvd.	Leicester	Ingh.	400.-	
23/12 525	Baselvy Bros., 23 Leigh St.	Eastleigh	Ingh.	400.-	
23/12 526	Trower Ltd., 73 High St.	Boson	Ingh.	400.-	
23/12 527	Murray M., 30 Grainger Arcade	Newcastle on Tyne	Ingh.	400.-	Rimborsato
23/12 528	Mosery Ltd., 1 Portage Ave.	Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	
29/12 529	Thomas Perkins, Kettering	Tottering	Pa.	700.-	Rimborsato
29/12 530	Harcourt, 219 Westminster Bridge	manca		700.-	Rimborsato
29/12 531	Smith & Co., 11 Wallington Place	Belfast	N.I.	400.-	
29/12 532	Carrey Harold & Sons, High St.	manca		400.-	
29/12 533	Cornett Bros. 1185 Bradley St.	Watertown	N.Y.	500.-	Rimborsato
2/1 534	S.J. Davies, 1165 Burnaby	Vancouver	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/1 535	Leococq Florist, 505 Victoria Ave.	Port William "		500.-	
29/11 282	Hill Caas, 4897 Shearbrock St.	Montreal	Canada	500.-	
29/11 283	Spencers Flower Shop, 304 Seymour	Vancouver	Canada	500.-	
29/11 284	Campbell Florist, 721 - 2nd St.	Calgary	Canada	500.-	
29/11 285	Taylor's, Railway Station	London S.E.23	Ingh.	800.-	Rimborsato

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25/11	269	Wilks Fl. Shop, 35 Geolgate	Stafford	Ingh.	400.-	
25/11	270	Hotel Pennsylvania Flowers, New-York	New York		700.-	
26/11	271	Ideal Florist Greenhouse, Washington Ave.	Endicott	N.Y.	500.-	
26/11	272	Laver J.V., 704 State St.	Eric Pa.		500.-	
26/11	273	Glenn W. Turner; Park Plaza Hotel	St. Louis	Missour.	500.-	
26/11	274	Emery the Florist, Hampton N.H.	Hampton	N.H.	500.-	
26/11	275	Jensens Floral Shop, 5115 W. Chicago Ave	Chicago	111.	500.-	
26/11	276	South Yonkers Floral Shop, 505 Broadway	Yonkers	N.Y.	500.-	
26/11	277	Fischer Chas. L. 1622 Pacific Ave	Atlantic City	N.Y.	500.-	
27/11	278	Handysides W. 7 Grainger St.	New Castle-On-Tyne		1,600.-	
27/11	279	Ramsay Walter	Edmonton	Canada	500.-	
29/11	280	Peley Madame, 75 Alberton Rd. Mossley Hill	Liverpool	Ingh.	800.-	
29/11	281	Ferry the Florist	New Bedford	Mass.	700.-	
1/12	283	Curn & Sons Ltd. Central Ave	Birmingham	Ingh.	500.-	
2/12	284	Brown Bros., 665 Granville St.	Vancouver	Canada	600.-	
2/12	285	Terrill A.M., 809 First St. W.	Calgary	Canada	600.-	
2/12	286	" " " " "	"	"	1,000.-	Rimborsato
2/12	287	Victoria Floral Co.	Victoria	B.U. Can.	600.-	
2/12	288	Morgan Harry, 823 King St.	Hamilton	Canada	600.-	
2/12	289	Knodell Flowe Shop, 107 Princess St.	Saint John	"	600.-	
2/12	290	Saskatoon Nursery, Avenue H. & 32th St.	Saskatoon	"	600.-	
2/12	291	Sally's Florist, 241 Portage	Winnipeg	"	600.-	
2/12	292	Brown Bros. & Co., 665 Granville St.	Vancouver	"	600.-	
2/12	293	Victoria Floral Co., 745 Fort. St.	Victoria	"	600.-	Rimborsato
2/12	294	Illegibile	Illegibile		1,200.-	Rimborsato
2/12	295	Chatham City Floreal Shop, William Pitt Hot.	Chatham	Canada	600.-	Rimborsato
2/12	296	Illegibile	Illegibile		800.-	Rimborsato
2/12	297	Herworth H., 180 High St.	Gillingham	Ingh.	800.-	
2/12	298	Broadway Flower Shop, 277 Portage Ave	Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	299	Spencer Flower hop, 340 Seymour St.	Illegibile		500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	300	Broadway Flower Shop, 277 Portage Ave	Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	303	Illegibile	Danforth Ave	Ingh.	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	304	Sally's Florist, 241 Portage Ave	Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	305	Eastham Ltd., 24 Drake St.	Reckdale	Ingh.	400.-	Rimborsato
2/12	306	Westson Herbert, 5 Grand Parade	Epsom	Ingh.	600.-	
2/12	307	Sanders W.M., Wossex Nurseries	Andover	Ingh.	400.-	Rimborsato
2/12	308	Eastham Ltd., Church St.	Blackburn	Ingh.	400.-	
2/12	309	Ritchie Bros., 10 Granville St.	Vancouver	Canada	500.-	
2/12	310	Terrill A.M., 809 First St.	Calgary	Canada	500.-	
2/12	311	Dallis Rogers, 1020 Conn. Ave.	Washington	D.C.	500.-	
2/12	312	Dally's Florist, 241 Portage Ave.	Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	
2/12	313	Terrill A.Y., 809 First St.	Calgary	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
3/12	314	Brown Bros., 665 Granville St.	Vancouver	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
3/12	315	Brown's Bros., 618 View St.	Victoria	B.C. Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
3/12	316	" " " " "	"	"	500.-	

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2/12	Sally's Florist	665 Granville St.	Vancouver	Canada	600.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Brown Bros. & Co.	745 Fort. St.	Victoria	"	1,200.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Illegibile		Illegibile			
2/12	Chatham City Floreal Shop,		Chatham	Canada	600.-	Rimborsato
2/12	William Pitt Hot.		Illegibile		800.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Illegibile		Gillingham Ingh.		800.-	
2/12	Hepworth H., 180 High St.		Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Broadway Flower Shop, 277 Portage Ave		Illegibile		500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Spencer Flower Shop, 340 Seymour St.		Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Broadway Flower Shop, 277 Portage Ave		Denforthave Ingh.		500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Illegibile		Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Sally's Florist, 241 Portage Ave		Reckdale Ingh.		400.-	
2/12	Eastham Ltd., 24 Drake St.		Epsom Ingh.		600.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Weston Herbert, 5 Grand Parade		Andover Ingh.		400.-	
2/12	Sanders W.B., Wossex Nurseries		Blackburn Ingh.		400.-	
2/12	Eastham Ltd., Church St.		Vancouver	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Ritchie Bros., 10 Granville St.		Calgary	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Terrill A.M., 809 First St.		Washington D.C.		500.-	
2/12	Dallis Rogers, 1020 Conn. Ave.		Winnipeg	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Dally's Florist, 241 Portage Ave.		Calgary	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Terrill A.Y., 809 First St.		Vancouver	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Brown Bros., 665 Granville St.		Victoria B.C.	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Brown's Bros., 618 View St.		"	"	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	"		Edmonton	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Kerrison's Adam, 10241 Jasper Ave.		Vancouver	Canada	1,000.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Brown Bros., 665 Granville St.		Montreal	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Hill Chas., 4897 Sherbrooke St.		St. Helens	Ingh.	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Miss. A. Collins, 7 Hardshaw St.		Leeds	Ingh.	500.-	
2/12	Addison William, 15th. Rd. Headingly		Chatham	Ingh.	500.-	
2/12	Lawrence & Sons, 2 High St.		Durfermline	Ingh.	500.-	
2/12	Ferguson R.H. 399 Queen Anne St.		Providence R.I.		1,000.-	
2/12	Scott the Florist, 327 Broad St.		Victoria B.C.	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Ballantyne Bros., 1211 Douglas St.		Victoria B.C.	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Brown's Victoria Nurseries, 618 View St.		Calgary	Canada	500.-	Rimborsato
2/12	Steel W.J., 116 - 7th Ave.		Halifax N. Scotia	Ca.	500.-	
2/12	Rosedale Nurseries, 418 Barrington St.		Calgary	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Terrill A.M., 809 First St.		Ipswich	Ingh.	400.-	
2/12	Hooper Fridley, 17 Carr St.		Brantford	Canada	600.-	Rimborsato
2/12	The Hosery Florists, Dalhousie St.		Manchester	Ingh.	500.-	
2/12	Rodgers F. & L., Cemetery Nurserie		Victoria B.C.	Canada	500.-	
2/12	Brown's Victoria Nurserie, 618 View St.				500.-	

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6/12	354	Heaton R., 82 Bradshawgate		Bolton	Ing	36,300.--	Riparto
6/12	355	Handysides W. 7 Grainger St.		Newcastle	Ingh.	400.--	
6/12	356	Knowles & Sons Fl., Market St.		Aberdeen	Ingh.	600.--	
6/12	357	Davies & Son, 740 Columbia St.		New Westminster	Can.	600.--	
6/12	358	Saskatoon Nurseries, Avenue H. & 32th St.		Saskatoon	Canada	500.--	Rimborsato
6/12	359	Kerrison & Adams, 10241 Jasper St.		Edmonton	Canada	500.--	Rimborsato
6/12	360	Campbell Malcolm, 457 Sauchiehall St.		Glasgow	Ingh.	500.--	
6/12	361	Smith Frank, 53 King St. W.		Hamilton	Canada	600.--	
6/12	362	Saskatoon Nurseries, Avenue H & 32th St.		Saskatoon	Canada	600.--	Rimborsato
6/12	363	Le Cocq, 505 Victoria Ave		Port William	Canada	600.--	Rimborsato
6/12	364	University Flower Shops		New York	N.Y.	600.--	Rimborsato
6/12	365	Illegibile		Schenectady	N.Y.	600.--	Rimborsato
6/12	366	Pewster & Sons Ltd., 5 Bichopton Lane		Stockton-on-Tees			
6/12	367	Spencer Flowers Shop, Seymour St.		Seymour	Canada	500.--	Rimborsato
6/12	368	Smee B. & E., 52 London Rd.		Portsmouth	Ingh.	600.--	
6/12	369	Illegibile		Illegibile		500.--	
6/12	370	Kauffman The Royal, 123 James St.		Vancouver	Canada	500.--	Rimborsato
6/12	371	Bazeley Bros., 23 Leigh St.		Hamilton	Canada	1,200.--	
6/12	372	Queen City Florist		Eastleigh	Ingh.	500.--	
6/12	373	Hilliers Florist		Regina	Sask	400.--	Rimborsato
7/12	374	Lawrence & Son Ltd., 2 High St.		Worcester	Ingh.	400.--	
7/12	375	Strike Ltd., 11 North Parade		Illegibile		400.--	
7/12	376	Simpsons & Sons		Bradford	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	377	Evans L. & J.		Birmingham	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	378	L.M. Tresodor, The Nurseries		Swansea	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	379	Macklin's Flower Shop, 137 Lockiel St.		Cardiff	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	380	Pox Mary, 194 London Rd.		Sarnia	Canada	600.--	
7/12	381	Cooper & Co., 58 Howard St.		London	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	382	Regina Flower Shop		Glasgow	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	383	Groves Town Hall		Regina	Sask	600.--	
7/12	384	Barker & Son		Taunton	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	385	Silven, 14 New Bond St.		Retford	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	386	Adams F., Station Rd.		Taunton	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	387	Fay & Son, Elm Grove		Portsmouth	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	388	Skinner & Hook, Ph. 44504		Nottingham	Ingh.	600.--	
7/12	389	Edgewater Beach Hotel		Chicago	Ill.	600.--	
7/12	390	Richlings Flowers, 1511 Sherman Ave		Evansville	Ill.	1,800.--	Rimborsato
7/12	391	" " " "		"	"	1,800.--	Rimborsato
8/12	392	Rossi Floral Co. 1147 Fulton St.		Fresno	Calif.	600.--	Rimborsato
8/12	393	Edgewater Beach Hotel		Chicago	Ill.	600.--	Rimborsato
8/12	394	George W. Blackmon, 844 Conter St.		Trenton	N.J.	600.--	Rimborsato
8/12	395	" " " "		"	"	1,200.--	Rimborsato
8/12	396	Pray W.C. & Son		"	"	600.--	Rimborsato
8/12	397	Ward P.M., Clifford St. Corner		Bordentown	N.J.	600.--	
8/12	398	Cross M., 2 Station Parade		New York	N.Y.	600.--	
8/12	399	Illegibile		Ashford Midd.	Ingh.	600.--	
8/12	400	Groves H.A.J., 1 Town Hall Lane		Liverpool	Ingh.	600.--	
8/12				Taunton	Ingh.	600.--	

7/12	376	Simpsons & Sons	Birmingham	Ingh.	600.-	
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7/12	389	Edgewater Beach Hotel	Evanston	Ill.	1,800.-	Rimborsato
7/12	390	Richlings Flowers, 1511 Sherman Ave	"	"	600.-	Rimborsato
7/12	391	" " " "	"	"	600.-	Rimborsato
8/12	392	Rossi Floral Co. 1147 Fulton St.	Fresno	Calif.	600.-	Rimborsato
8/12	393	Edgewater Beach Hotel	Chicago	Ill.	600.-	Rimborsato
8/12	394	George W. Blackmon, 844 Concor St.	Trenton	N.J.	1,200.-	Rimborsato
8/12	395	" " " "	"	"	600.-	Rimborsato
8/12	396	Tray W.C. & Son	Bordentown	N.J.	600.-	
8/12	397	Ward F.M., Clifford St, Corner	New York	N.Y.	600.-	
8/12	398	Cross M., 2 Station Parade	Ashford Midd.	Ingh.	600.-	
8/12	399	Illegibile	Liverpool	Ingh.	600.-	
8/12	400	Groves M.A.J., 1 Town Hall Pore St.	Taunton	Ingh.	600.-	
8/12	401	Joy, 23 The Pavement, Clapham, S.W.4.	Clapham	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	402	Spencer's, Rly. Approach. Tulse Hill, West Norwood, S.E. 27	Illegibile		400.-	
8/12	403	Taylor's 119 High St.	London	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	404	Allendale Ltd., 71 Piccadilly	Manchester	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	405	Strike Ltd., 11 North Parade, Bradford	York	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	406	Carter Page Ltd., 52 London Wall	London	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	407	Treseder Ltd, Wm. Nurseries	Cardiff	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	408	Vilvon W. & Son 17 New Bond St.	Bath	Ingh.	600.-	
8/12	409	Jenkins Flower Shop, 5 Queens Rd.	Bristol	Ingh.	600.-	
8/12	410	Vilvon W. & Son, 17 New Bond St.	Bath	Ingh.	600.-	
8/12	411	Millicents Florists, 28 Frodsham St.	Chester	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	412	Eschoff Floral Shop, Springfield Mo	Inghfield	Missouri	600.-	
8/12	413	Abilene Greenhouse	Abilene	Texas	600.-	
8/12	414	Crescent Street Floral Co.	Grand Rapids	Mich.	600.-	
8/12	415	Kinnas Leonard; 77 George St.	London	Ingh.	600.-	
8/12	416	Stearns A. & Son., 300 Treenlanes	London	Ingh.	400.-	
8/12	417	Palmer's Green	New Haven	Conn.	1,000.-	
8/12	418	The Myers Flowers Shop, 931 Chaoel St.				

Date	Business Name	Address	City	State	Amount	Notes
8/12	Manhattan Flora Co.	142 S.O. 5th St.	Manhattan	Kan.	75,300.-	Riparto
9/12	Fishlock Bros. Ltd.	Elliot St.	Liverpool	Ingh.	600.-	
9/12	Skinner & Rock, Phone 44504		Nottingham	Ingh.	600.-	Rimborsato
9/12	Iles George, 246 Stapleton Rd.		Bristol	Ingh.	600.-	
9/12	Doreen, 126 London Rd.		Lowestoft	Ingh.	1,200.-	
9/12	Colman's, 9 Springfield Parade		London	Ingh.	500.-	Rimborsato
9/12	Parker, 87 Victoria Rd.		Remford	Ingh.	600.-	
9/12	Webber & Sons, Park Hill Cross		Newton Abbot	"	600.-	
9/12	Smartwaite H., 14 Nile St.		North Shields	"	700.-	
9/12	J.E. Knight, Central Arcade Dudley St.		Wolverhampton	"	400.-	
9/12	Thomas P., 85 Albany Rd.		Cardiff	Ingh.	800.-	
9/12	Perkins & Sons, Warwick Rd. Nurseries		Coventry	Ingh.	600.-	
9/12	Van Bochove G., 225 So. Burdick St.		Kalamazoo	Mich.	1,000.-	
9/12	Ratledge, 37 Victoria Rd.		Surbiton	Ingh.	400.-	
9/12	Pedders Greenhouse		Dansville	N.Y.	500.-	
9/12	Vilven W. & Son, 17 New Bond St.		Bath	Ingh.	600.-	
9/12	Adams P. Ltd., 42 Station Rd.		Taunton	Ingh.	600.-	
9/12	Mosmiller Florist, 115 E. Main St.		Richmond	Va.	500.-	
9/12	Brill Flowers		illegibile		500.-	
9/12	Albemarle Greenhouse, 921 Pee Dee Ave		illegibile		500.-	
9/12	Magnolia, 1059 Leydon Rd.		Groydon	Ingh.	400.-	Rimborsato
9/12	Libbie's Flowers, 916 Truxille		Ruston	Texas	500.-	
9/12	Van Cleves Flowers, 186 E. Clayton St.		Athens	Ga.	1,000.-	
9/12	Rowden & Mitchell, 68 Academy St.		Wallingford	Conn.	1,000.-	
9/12	Blatchley's Flower Shop, 115 W. Main St.		Morrison	Conn.	500.-	
9/12	Mathews the Florist, 221 N. Main St.		Dayton	Ohio	500.-	
9/12	Lomrose Florist, 1301 Cochran Rd.		illegibile		600.-	
9/12	Thoms Walter R., New R. I Wash. Ave		Pleasantville	N.J.	500.-	
9/12	Fischer Chas. R., 630 Pacific Ave		Atlantic City	N.J.	500.-	
9/12	Mohlers Flowers Inc., 1060 Bellefontaine		Lima	Ohio	500.-	
9/12	Park Floral Co., 1643 Broadway		Denver	Colo.	500.-	
9/12	Vevers Peter, Market Hall		Burnley	Ingh.	400.-	
9/12	Pennell & Sons, 11 High St.		Doncaster	Ingh.	400.-	
9/12	Lewis & Sons, 37 The Quadrant		Richmond	Ingh.	400.-	
9/12	Biltmore Florist Michigan Ave 2222		Los Angeles	Calif.	2,000.-	
10/12	Myers Flowers Shop, 136 Chapel St.		New Haven	Conn.	500.-	
10/12	Christensen Pl. Shop, 11 E. Superior St		Duluth	Minn.	500.-	
10/12	Johnson the Florist, 163 Broadway		Bayonne	N.J.	500.-	
10/12	Camden Floral, 211 Laurens St.		Camden	S.O.	500.-	
10/12	Koller F. 14 - 36 Astoria Ave		Long Island	N.J.	500.-	
10/12	Walker J.A., 93 Union St.		manca		500.-	
11/12	Scott the Florist, Phone Lincoln 4320		Buffalo	N.Y.	600.-	
11/12	Corner Flower Shop, 4828 New Utrecht Ave		Brooklyn	N.Y.	600.-	
11/12	Vindem, 24 Friar St.		Reading	Ingh.	500.-	
11/12	Cole R.E., Queens Rd. Nurseries		London	Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	Perkins & Sons, Warwick Rd. Nurseries		Coventry	Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	Butcher E., 18 Victoria Ave.		Bridgewater	Ingh.	500.-	
11/12	Best's Florist Market St. Chorley		illegibile		600.-	
11/12	Florifolia, 205a Stockwell		Brixton	London	600.-	
11/12	I. Westwood, 497 Statford Rd.		Birmingham	Ingh.	400.-	

9/12	Thoms Walter R., New R. I Wash. Ave	Pleasantville N.J.	500.-	
9/12	444 Fischer Chas. R., 600 Pacific Ave	Atlantic City N.J.	500.-	
9/12	445 Mohlers Flowers Inc., 1060 Bellefontaine	Lima Ohio	500.-	
9/12	446 Park Floral Co., 1643 Broadway	Denver Colo.	400.-	Rimborsato
9/12	447 Vevers Peter, Market Hall	Burnley Ingh.	400.-	Rimborsato
9/12	448 Pennell & Sons, 11 High St.	Doncaster Ingh.	400.-	
9/12	449 Lewis & Sons, 37 The Quadrant	Richmond Ingh.	2,000.-	
9/12	450 Baltimore Florist Michigan Ave 2222	Los Angeles Calif.	500.-	
9/12	451 Myers Flowers Shop, 136 Chapel St.	New Haven Conn.	500.-	
10/12	452 Christensens Fl. Shop, 11 E. Superior St	Duluth Minn.	500.-	
10/12	453 Johnson the Florist, 163 Broadway	Bayonne N.J.	500.-	
10/12	454 Camden Floral, 244 Laurens St.	Camden S.C.	500.-	
10/12	455 Koller F. 14 - 36 Astoria Ave	Long Island N.J.	500.-	
10/12	456 Walker J.A., 93 Union St.	Manca N.Y.	600.-	
10/12	457 Scott the Florist, Phone Lincoln 4320	Buffalo N.Y.	600.-	Rimborsato
11/12	458 Corner Flower Shop, 4828 New Utrecht Ave	Brooklyn N.Y.	500.-	
11/12	459 Vinders, 24 Friar St.	Reading Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	460 Cole R.E., Queens Rd. Nurseries	London Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	461 Perkins & Sons, Warwick Rd. Nurseries	Coventry Ingh.	500.-	
11/12	462 Butcher E., 18 Victoria Ave.	Bridgewater Ingh.	600.-	
11/12	463 Best's Florist Market St. Chorley	Illegibile	600.-	
11/12	464 Florifolia, 205a Stockwell	Brixton London Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	465 I. Westwood, 497 Statford Rd.	Birmingham Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	466 Irene Florist, 274 Bree St.	Manca	400.-	
11/12	467 Jenkins Flower Shop, 5 Queens Rd.	Bristol Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	468 Gullick W.F., Phone 186	Salisbury Ingh.	400.-	
11/12	469 Ports, 557 High Rd.	Ilford Ingh.	1,000.-	
11/12	470 Rosacker Hans, 1850 Stinson Blvd.	Minneapolis Minn.	700.-	Rimborsato
11/12	471 Richmond Floral, 69 Arthur Hill Rd.	Staten Island N.Y.	800.-	Rimborsato
12/12	472 Blake Curil, 16 High St.	Thornton Heath Ingh.	400.-	
12/12	473 Watt's Nurseries Ltd., 472 Hordenhurst	Bournemouth Ingh.	400.-	
12/12	474 Addison W.M. & Sons, 15 & 19 Otley Rd.	Leeds Ingh.	1,000.-	
12/12	475 Aidus Flower Shop	Iowa City Iowa	400.-	Rimborsato
12/12	476 Saltmarsch & Son, High St.	Chelmsford Irlanda	600.-	Rimborsato
12/12	477 Krowless & Sons, 27 Grafton St.	Dublin Irlanda		

29/11	238	Victor Scott, 311 Donald Ave Winnipeg	Ripporto	500.-
29/11	289	" " " " "	Manca	500.-
29/11	290	" " " " "	illegibile	500.-
29/11	291	" " " " "	"	600.-
29/11	292	Lawrence Flower Shop, 296 College St.	"	600.-
29/11	293	Carpentier B.B., 306 Susquehanna Ave.	Pittston Pa.	500.-
29/11	294	Bantelman Henry, 300 Tuckahoe Rd.	Yonker N.Y.	500.-
30/11	295	Browns Floral	Victoria B.C. Can.	600.-
30/11	296	Browns Floral	Victoria B.C. Can.	400.-
30/11	298	Cooper Store, Church St.	Liverpool Ingh.	600.-
1/12	299	Spencer Flowers, 340 Seymour St.	Vancouver Canad.	600.-
1/12	300	Brown's Nurseries, View St.	Victoria B.C. Can.	600.-
1/12	301	Diversey Parkway Florist, 553 Devezey	Manca	600.-
1/12	302	Pinelli's Flowerland, 714 Clement	S. Francisco Cal.	1.000.-
1/12	303	Spencer's Flower Shop, 342 Seymour St.	Vancouver Canada	500.-
1/12	304	Rosery Flower Shop, Moose Jaw.	Sask. Canada	500.-
1/12	305	Ballantynes Bros.	Victoria B.C. Can.	500.-
Totale Lire				160.480.-

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Firm:- PETRELLI Giorgio, Via D'Acquino 38, TARANTO.

Serial No.	Name of Florist	Date	Order No.	Amount Paid	Deliver to address
A. 1.	Wilks Flowershop, 35 Gaolgate, Stafford	25.11.44.	269.	400.- L	R.B. Billington, 13 F Stoke on Trent.
A. 2.	Taylor, adjoining Rly.Stn., Forest Hill, London S.E.23.	29.11.44.	287.	800.- "	Mrs. M. Phillips, 9 Park, London S.E. 23
A. 3.	Hepworth H. 180 High St. Gillingham Kent.	30.11.44.	297.	800.- "	Mrs. V. Miller, 525 Gillingham, Kent.
A. 4.	Gunn & Sons Ltd., Central Ave. Birmingham	1.12.44.	283.	500.- "	Mrs. G. Teague, 49 Birmingham.
A. 5.	Watson Herbert, 5 Grand Parade, Epsom, Surrey	2.12.44.	306.	600.- "	Ms. J. Franks, 43 B Surrey, England.
A. 6.	Sanders W.E. Wessex, Andover Hamps.	2.12.44.	307.	400.- "	Mrs. F. Byrne, 57 S
A. 7.	Eastham Ltd. (Florists), S. Church St. Blackburn	2.12.44.	308.	400.- "	Mrs. J. Fanell, 24
A. 8.	Addison Wm., Son, 15 - 19A Otley Rd. Headingley, Leeds.	4.12.44.	341.	500.- "	Miss N.A. Hurst, 1 Leeds.
A. 9.	Lawrence & Sons, Ltd., High St. Chatham, Kent.	4.12.44.	342.	500.- "	Mrs. P.N. Barrett, Kent.
A. 10.	Campbell Malcolm Ltd., 457 Sauchiehall St. Glasgow.	6.12.44.	360.	600.- "	Miss Edna Dodd, B
A. 11.	Fewster & Sons, (Thos. Ragworth) Ltd. 5 Bishopton Lane. Stockton on Tees.	6.12.44.	366.	500.- "	F.M. Cheetham, 63
A. 12.	Lawrence & Sons Ltd., 2 High St. Chatham.	7.12.44.	374.	400.- "	Miss Cobbing, 58
A. 13.	Simpsons & Sons, 14 Bennets Hall, Birmingham	7.12.44.	346.	600.- "	Mrs. L.D. Lemartre Yardley Wood, Bir
A. 14.	Mary Fox Ltd., 194 London Rd. Glasgow SE 1.	7.12.44.	380.	600.- "	Mrs. J. Bowes, 3
A. 15.	Cooper & Coy's Stores 8 - 38 Howard St. Glasgow.	7.12.44.	381.	600.- "	Mrs. A. Bowes, 13

	Order No.	Amount Paid	Deliver to address	Delivery date
11.44.	269.	400.-	R.B. Billington, 13 Leveson Rd. Hanford. Stoke on Trent.	4.1.45.
11.44.	287.	800.-	Mrs. M. Phillips, 9 Ackroyd Rd. Honor Oak Park, London S.E. 23.	31.12.44.
11.44.	297.	800.-	Mrs. V. Miller, 525 Maidstone Rd. Wignore Gillingham, Kent.	24.12.44.
12.44.	283.	500.-	Mrs. G. Teague, 49 Burnham Rd. Great Baer Birmingham.	24.12.44.
12.44.	306.	600.-	Ms. J. Franks, 43 Bramble Walk, Epsom Common Surrey, England.	23.12.44.
12.44.	307.	400.-	Mrs. F. Byrne, 67 South St. Andover.	25.12.44.
12.44.	308.	400.-	Mrs. J. Fanell, 24 Moseley St. Blackburn.	25.12.44.
12.44.	341.	500.-	Miss N.A. Hurst, 11 Dorset, Ten Horehills, Leeds.	25.12.44.
12.44.	342.	500.-	Mrs. F.N. Barrett, 20 City Way, Rochester, Kent.	25.12.44.
6.12.44.	360.	600.-	Miss Edna Dodd, Borch Rd. Drive, Glasgow.	24.12.44.
6.12.44.	366.	500.-	P.M. Cheetham, 63 Martin Ave. Stockton on Tees.	24.12.44.
7.12.44.	374.	400.-	Miss Cobbing, 58 Elm Ave. Chatham.	24.12.44.
7.12.44.	346.	600.-	Mrs. L.D. Lemartre, 108 Cleeve Rd. Yardley Wood, Birmingham 14.	24.12.44.
7.12.44.	380.	600.-	Mrs. J. Bowes, 3 Invercup St. Glasgow 3.	24.12.44.
7.12.44.	381.	600.-	Mrs. A. Bowes, 131 Chaythorne St. Glasgow.	24.12.44.

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Serial No.	Name of Florist	Date	Order No.	Amount Paid	Deliver to address
A. 16.	F.H. Ward, Clifford St. Corner York.	8.12.44.	397.	600.-	Mrs. B.D.C. All
A. 17.	H. & A.J. Groves, 1. Town Hall Fore St. Taunton.	8.12.44.	400.	600.-	Mrs. I.J. Harvey Somerset.
A. 18.	Toy, 23. The Pavement, Clapham	8.12.44.	401.	400.-	Mrs. I. Oliver, Rd., Clapham, L
A. 19.	Spencer's Rly. Approach, Tulse Hill West, Norwood SE. 27.	8.12.44.	402.	400.-	Mrs. M. Dove, 12 SE. 27.
A. 20.	Allendale Ltd., 71 Piccadilly, Manchester	8.12.44.	404.	400.-	Mrs. F. Heston, 8th-27, Hokenbr
A. 21.	Strike H. North Parade, Bradford, Yorks.	8.12.44.	405.	400.-	Mrs. E. Foster, Shipby, Yorks.
A. 22.	W. Vilven & Son, 17 New Bond St., Bath.	8.12.44.	408.	1200.-	Mrs. R.A. Parson Mrs. L. Humphrie Park, Bath.
A. 23.	Leonard Kinns, 77 George Lane, 52 South Woodford E 18.	8.12.44.	416.	600.-	Mrs. J. Murphy, Green, Essex.
+A. 24.	Fishlock Bros. Ltd., Elliott St. Fishlocks Liverpool.	9.12.44.	420.	600.-	Mrs. M. Edwards, Liverpool Y.
A. 25.	George Iles, 246 Stapleton Rd. Bristol.	9.12.44.	422.	1200.-	Mrs. Kiray, 14 B Mrs. H. Thompson
+A. 26.	Doreen, 126 London Rd. N. Lowestoft, Suffolk	9.12.44.	423.	500.-	Mrs. White, 102 Lowestoft.
A. 27.	Te. Knight & Son, Central Arcade Dudley St. Wolverhampton.	9.12.44.	428.	400.-	Mrs. L. Turvey, Wolverhampton.
A. 28.	Ratlidge, 37 Victoria Rd. Surbiton, Surrey.	9.12.44.	431.	400.-	Mrs. C.H. Mills, Surbiton.

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Date	Order No.	Amount Paid	Deliver to address	Delivery date
3.12.44.	397.	600.-	Mrs. B.D.C. Allen, 28 Dive St. York	24.12.44.
3.12.44.	400.	600.-	Mrs. L.J. Harvey, 10 Garden City, Langport, Somerset.	24.12.44.
3.12.44.	401.	400.-	Mrs. I. Oliver, 13 Park Court, Clapham, Park Rd., Clapham, London SW.4.	24.12.44.
3.12.44.	402.	400.-	Mrs. H. Dove, 120, Romany Rd., West Morwood, SE. 27.	24.12.44.
3.12.44.	404.	400.-	Mrs. F. Heston, 485. Bollen RD. West Merwood. SE. 27 Hokenbre Brook, Bury.	24.12.44.
3.12.44.	405.	400.-	Mrs. E. Foster, 52 Dallam Ave. Saltaire, Shipby, Yorks.	18. 1.45.
6.12.44.	408.	1200.-	Mrs. R.A. Parsons, 4 Abbey Gate Bldgs. Bath. Mrs. L. Humphries 47 The Oval Englishcentre Park, Bath.	24.12.44. 24.12.44.
8.12.44.	416.	600.-	Mrs. J. Murphy, 23 St. Barnabas Rd. Woodfind Green, Essex.	24.12.44.
9.12.44.	420.	600.-	Mrs. M. Edwards, 6 Laurel Rd. Fairfield, Liverpool Y.	
9.12.44.	422.	1200.-	Mrs. Kiray, 14 Bath St. Staple Hill, Bristol Mrs. R. Thompson, same address.	25.12.44. 25.12.44.
9.12.44.	423.	500.-	Mrs. White, 102 Grd. Store Rd. Culton Broad, Lowestoft.	24.12.44.
9.12.44.	428.	400.-	Mrs. L. Turvey, 39 Hinton St. Springfield, Wolverhampton.	25.12.44.
9.12.44.	431.	400.-	Mrs. C.H. Mills, 31 Seapath Gardens, Stook, Surbiton.	24.12.44.

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Serial No.	Name of Florist	Date	Order No.	Amount paid	Deliver to add
A. 29.	W. Vilven & Son, 17 New Bond St., Bath.	9.12.44.	453.	600.-	Mrs. R. Jones, Bath.
+A. 30.	P. Vevers, Market Hall, Burnley.	9.12.44.	448.	400.-	Miss T. Pollar
+A. 31.	Pennel & Sons, 11 High St. Doncaster.	9.12.44.	449.	400.-	Mr. A.E. Knowl
A. 32.	J. Westwood, 497 Stratford Rd. Spark Hill, Birmingham.	11.12.44.	464.	400.-	Mrs. F.T. Mook Birmingham 6.
A. 33.	Florifolia, 205 A, Stockwell Rd. Brixton, London.	11.12.44.	466.	600.-	Mrs. S. Sewell London SW 2.
A. 34.	R.C. Ferguson, Queen Anne St. Dunfermline F & FE.	4.12.44.	345.	500.-	Mrs. J. Hunter Scotland.

Firm:- "F L O R A & A R T E" di M. BARDUAGNI, Via 4 Fontane No.41, ROME.

B. 1.	Bond. 1. The Broadway, Bromley Kent.	23.11.45.	730.	400.-	Mrs. Gordon Ki Orpington, Ken
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Firm:- P I E T R I N I Gino, Corso Umberto 283, ROMA.

B. 2.	Aluff & Sons, 49 Hill Rd. Wimbledon, London SW. 19.	17.11.44.	654.	400.-	Mrs. Dorner, 4 London SW. 19.
B. 3.	Campbells, 12 Parliament St. Hanogali Yorks	30.11.44.	657.	400.-	Mrs. B. Aykroft Yorks.

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Date	Order No.	Amount paid	Deliver to address	Delivery date
9.12.44.	433.	600.-	Mrs. R. Jones, 6 St. Michels Rd. Whiteway, Bath.	24.12.44.
9.12.44.	443.	400.-	Miss T. Pollard, 3 Pallham St. Burnley.	24.12.44.
9.12.44.	449.	400.-	Mr. A.R. Knowles, 24 Lennox Rd. Doncaster.	24.12.44.
11.12.44.	464.	400.-	Mrs. F.T. Mock, 42 Stn. Rd. Witten, Birmingham 6.	24.12.44.
11.12.44.	466.	600.-	Mrs. S. Sewell, 39 Tonnens Rd. Brixton Hill, London SW 2.	24.12.
4.12.44.	445.	500.-	Mrs. J. Hunter, 41 Buffris Brac, F & FE. Scotland.	25.12.44.
<u>4 Fontane No. 14, ROME.</u>				
23.11.45.	730.	400.-	Mrs. Gordon King, 28 Sitherland Ave. Orpington, Kent.	23.12.44.
17.11.44.	654.	400.-	Mrs. Dorner, 43 A, Trinity Rd. Wimbledon, London SW. 19.	25.12.44.
30.11.44.	657.	400.-	Mrs. B. Aylroid, The Priory, Knausborough, Yorks.	25.12.44.

H.Q. 67. Section, S.I.B.
C.I. Police C.M.F.

14th March, 1945.

STATEMENT OF: -
PETERLUI Giorgio,
Via D'Aquino, 50,
TARANTO.

WHO STATES:-

I am an agent for the FLOROP (Unione Italiana Trasmissioni Omega di Floreale) and have belonged to this since about 10 March 1939. This is an organisation for the sending and receiving of flowers etc., to and from persons in other countries and districts. This service was suspended to Britain and the U.S.A. and the Allies on 10 June 1940.

The 34 letters which are marked A.1. to A.34 are letters which I sent between the 25th November 1944 and 3rd January 1945. The other three marked B.1 - B.3 are a similar type of letter sent by other members of this organisation from Rome.

About October 1944 I received a letter from the HQ of this Branch of the U.I.F.O.F., Sig. G. BRUMI, Piazza Acetum 10, Rome, informing me that this business could now be resumed between U.S.A. and England at a price of 400 Lire for England and 500 Lire for U.S.A. This was done by sending a letter containing a duplicate order and any enclosure necessary for enclosing with the flowers. This was sent to a member of this organisation in the required town. When the flowers were delivered, a receipt for them was signed and then forwarded to me, after which I could claim 20% on the order. The receipt C.1. is an example. I am entitled by the rules to charge 10% for postage etc. and with the exception of the first few orders, this was paid by the customer for expenses. The letter I received was required from me by the A.C.C. Taranto as a result of correspondence sent to them by my head office of the organisation, after this service was suspended again. An Officer came to see me from the A.C.C. after I received instructions to cease the business, and took away this letter.

I took my first order on 25th November 1944 and altogether I took 269 orders, to the total value of 163,490 Lire.

On 3rd January 1945 I received another letter from the organisation at Rome telling me it was not possible to trade like this

other members of this organisation from Rome.

About October 1944 I received a letter from the HQ of this branch of the U.I.F.O.F., Sig. G. BRUNI, Piazza Adamello 10, Rome, informing me that this business could now be resumed between U.S.A. and England at a price of 400 Lire for England and 500 Lire for U.S.A. This was done by sending a letter containing a complete order and any enclosure necessary for enclosing with the flowers. This was sent to a member of this organisation in the required town. When the flowers were delivered, a receipt for them was signed and then forwarded to me, after which I could claim 30% on the order. The receipt C.1. is an example. I am entitled by the rules to charge 10% for postage etc. and with the exception of the first few orders, this was paid by the customer for expenses. The letter I received was required from me by the A.C.C. Paranto as a result of correspondence sent to them by my head office of the organisation, after this service was suspended again. An Officer came to see me from the A.C.C. after I received instructions to cease the business, and took away this letter.

I took my first order on 25th November 1944 and altogether I took 263 orders, to the total value of 160,420 Lire.

On 3rd January 1945 I received another letter from the organisation at Rome telling me it was not possible to resume like this and so I immediately ceased the business. The letter is marked D.1. and dated 12 Dec 44. About 26 Jan 45 when soldiers came in to ask why the flowers had not been delivered, I explained that I had been ordered to stop the business and refunded their money. In all I refunded 21,700 Lire.

On 2nd March 1945 the Manager Sig. G. BRUNI came to the shop regarding this business and brought with him a letter dated 7th Feb 45 (marked E.1.) and which had enclosed another letter in English dated 7 Feb 45 (marked E.2.) This letter explained the procedure with regard to orders already received by me and I immediately complied with it. The enclosure (E.2.) was to show to soldiers who called for their money back so that they could apply to the proper quarter for a refund of their money. The list I drew up (marked Y) contains the whole of the orders and amounts received and also noted are orders in respect of which I have refunded the money. Of the 34 orders marked A.1 - to A.34, four of these customers have had their money refunded. These are marked A.24, A.26, A.30, and A.31 I gave all the money I received to Sig. BRUNI when he came on 2 Mar 45, with the exception of 41,200 Lire which I had already refunded in respect of 63 orders. The amount was 119,200 Lire.

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On 5 March 1945 I refunded a further 500 Lire in respect of Order No. 423, although I had already given this amount of money to Sig. BUNNI. I did not take the money and Units of the soldiers or their Regimental Numbers as I understood this is not allowed. I am anxious that the soldiers can be put in touch my head Office at Rome or myself so that they can either have their money refunded or the flowers sent when the business is resumed. I have since have had several letters from Plorists overseas telling me that they cannot execute the orders. I also had one from the T.T.D.A. in England informing me of the position regarding the Govt. Restrictions. I acted in good faith on instructions from the HQ of the Association at Rome.

I have read over the above statement and it is true and correct.

(Signed) G. VERMILI.

Statement taken and signature witnessed by me in the presence of Sergt. BURTON, 67 Section, S.I.B., C.M. Police on 14th March 1945.

I hereby certify that to the best of my belief and ability this is a true and correct translation of the statement made by G. VERMILI.

CROVARE Isidoro,
Official Interpreter
67 Section, S.I.B.

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GENERAL ROUTINE ORDERS.

Serial No. 52.

29 December, 1944.

1074. DISCIPLINE - PURCHASE OF FLOWERS.

1. Cases have occurred in which military personnel have placed orders with Italian florists for delivery of flowers in the United Kingdom and other parts of the world through the FLORISTS TELEGRAPH DELIVERY ASSOCIATION and others.
2. In many such cases personnel have been requested to leave their military addresses so that they may be notified of orders which cannot be executed and the necessary refund made.
3. The above practice, both of placing orders and of leaving military addresses, will cease. Because of Treasury regulations the transmission of funds to the United Kingdom by the Italian civilian firms is prohibited, so that none of the orders have been or can be executed. Moreover, the leaving of military addresses constitutes a danger to security.
4. Troops desirous of having flowers delivered in the United Kingdom and other parts in the world should remit funds through normal APO channels direct to a florist or make use of one of the official schemes which are sponsored by HFI or Army Welfare.

CR/4368/G1 (Dr).

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

KPM/as

NOT RECORDED

G-5: 383.8-1

22 March 1945

SUBJECT: Trading with Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference is made to your AC/14147/PW dated 17 Feb 45 and 14 March 45.

2. The question raised in your letter of 17 Feb 45 is under consideration by the Finance Dept. this Section and a further communication will be sent to you as soon as possible.

3. With regard to para 2 of your letter of 14 Mar 45 attached is a copy of this HQ letter AG 0913/039 PMG-O dated 14 Jan 45 in which it was requested that attention to all personnel be drawn to this subject.

4. This HQ GRO 1074 dated 29 Dec 44 and Section V Circular 40 MTOUSA dated 14 Mar 45 were published as a warning to all Troops.

For the Asst. Chief of Staff G-5:

K. P. Mannock
K. P. MANNOCK
Jnr/Comd

Incl:
as above

TO		
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER		
POW		
HC. & LEG.		
PRISON		
RECORDS		
STAFF		
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MAIL		
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STAFF		
CLERK		
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

KPM/as

G-5: 383.8-1

22 March 1945

SUBJECT: Trading with Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

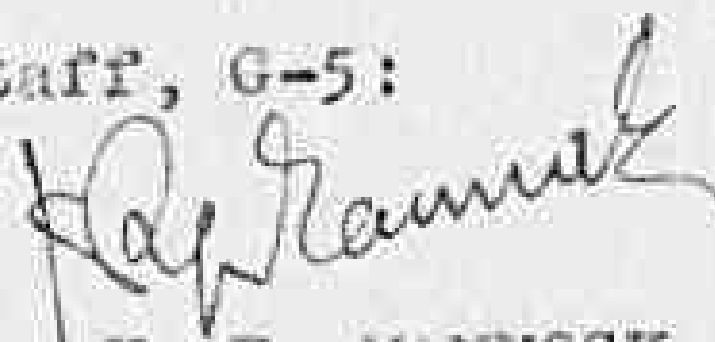
1. Reference is made to your AC/14147/PW dated 17 Feb 45 and 14 March 45.

2. The question raised in your letter of 17 Feb 45 is under consideration by the Finance Dept. this Section and a further communication will be sent to you as soon as possible.

3. With regard to para 2 of your letter of 14 Mar 45 attached is a copy of this HQ letter AG 091.3/039 PMG-0 dated 14 Jan 45 in which it was requested that attention to all personnel be drawn to this subject.

4. This HQ GRC 1074 dated 29 Dec 44 and Section V Circular 40 MTCUSA dated 14 Mar 45 were published as a warning to all Troops.

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



K. P. MANNOCK
Jnr/Comd

Incl:
as above

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

Tel : 478800

14 March 1945

AC/14147/PS

SUBJECT : Trading with the Enemy.

TO : AFHQ G-5.

With further reference to this office letter AC/14147/PS dated 17 February, 1945, it would be appreciated if this HQ could have your observations on the suggestions made in paragraph 7 of the letter referred to.

Intercepted letters now being received indicate that orders are being given to Florists in Southern Region, and it would appear opportune that action be taken to bring to the notice of all ranks in this theatre that the orders placed with florists cannot be executed.

For the Chief Commissioner :

G. R. Upjohn
G. R. UPJOHN Brig.
VP, CA Sec.

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

CIRCULAR)
:
NUMBER 40)

11 March 1945

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V -- FLORAL PURCHASES

Section II, Circular Number 132, this headquarters, 1944, is rescinded and the following substituted therefore:

1. In the past Italian florists have solicited floral telegraphic orders for transmission to the United States and United Kingdom from United States and British personnel.

2. There is no way at the present time by which and Italian florist can effect delivery of flowers in the United States or United Kingdom. Such activity is patently illegal. Consequently, any member of the Allied Forces, who expends moneys for such service can expect to suffer the resulting financial loss.

3. Personnel having knowledge of such activities are requested to report the facts to the nearest Military Police.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478708

23 March 1945.

AC/14147/PS

SUBJECT : Trading by Florists.

TO : Ministry of Interior
Director of Public Security.

Herewith are 19 letters dealing with order placed
by Allied personnel with Florists in Rome and elsewhere.

This matter has already been dealt with in Rome
by the Questura with the Secretary of the Florists Association,
as it is declared to be illegal by the British Board of Trade.

May necessary action be taken with the enclosed
letters.

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

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G-5 Section
APO 512

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20 March 1945

G-5: 383.8-1

DIRECTOR

DEPUTY

SUBJECT: Trading with Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 Nov 44.

2. Attached are further 7 letters addressed to Florists in England, intercepted by Censorship.

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

K.P. MANNOCK
Jr/Cmdr.Incl:
as above.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

Tel : 478800

14 March 1945

AC/14147/PS

SUBJECT : Trading with the Enemy.

TO : AFHQ G-5.
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With further reference to this office letter AC/14147/PS dated 17 February, 1945, it would be appreciated if this HQ could have your observations on the suggestions made in paragraph 7 of the letter referred to.

Intercepted letters now being received indicate that orders are being given to Florists in Southern Region, and it would appear opportune that action be taken to bring to the notice of all ranks in this theatre that the orders placed with florists cannot be executed.

For the Chief Commissioner :

[Signature]
G. R. UPJOHN Brie.
VP, CA Sec.
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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18 February 1945.

G-5: 383.8-1

SUBJECT : Trading with the enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394

1. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 November, 1944.
2. Attached are further 9 letters addressed to Florist in England intercepted by Censorship.

For Asst.Chief of Staff, G-5.

/s/ K.P. MANNOCK
Jr. Comdr.

Incl:

As above.

1st Ind.

20 February 1945.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission,
APO 394.

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

For attention and necessary action, please.

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

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2nd IND.

6 March 1945.

FILE NO :- LUR/14/PS
Public Safety Division, HQ.
Lazio-Umbria Region.

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

Herewith returned are six letters concerning orders
placed in Southern Region.

For the Regional Commissioner:

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Lt. Colonel,
RPSO., LAZIO-UMBRIA R.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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3 March 1945

G-5: 383.8-1

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference is made to our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 Nov. 44.
2. Attached are further 6 letters addressed to florists accepted by censorship.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

K. F. MANNOCK,
Jr. Comdr.

Incl: as above

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 383.8-1

9 February 1945

SUBJECT : Trading with the enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
A.P.O. 394

1. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 Nov. '44.
2. Attached are further 37 letters addressed to Florists in England and intercepted by Censorship.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5.

K.P. MANNOCK,
Jr. Comdr.

Incls: as above.

1st Ind.

AC/14147/PS

24 Feb 1945

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission, APO 394.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Southern Region (Attn: R.P.S.O.).

For attention and necessary action, please.

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

LJP/jwf

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

Public Safety Division
21 Feb 45

LUR/14/PS

SUBJECT : Trading With the Enemy

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission,
HQ, Allied Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference your 1st Ind AC/14147/PS dated 13 Feb 45 to G-5 AFHQ letter G-5 383.8-1 dated 9 Feb 45, thirty-seven of the letters enclosed with the above are returned herewith as they refer to transactions in TARANTO, Southern Region.

2. It is pointed out that thirty-nine letters only were originally enclosed and not forty as stated in your letter.

For the Regional Commissioner,

C.T. Francis

C.T. FRANCIS,
Lt-Colonel,
APO 394, LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION.

RMC

COL. CHESNIN	
COL. YOUNG	
LT. COL. WILCOX	
MAJ. LUTKINS	
MAJ. WILSON	
MAJ. HENRY	
MAJ. BELL	
CAPT. P. WILSON	
MAJ. LUTKINS	

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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18 February, 1945.

G-5: 383.8-1

SUBJECT : Trading with the enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

1. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 November, 1944.
2. Attached are further 9 letters addressed to Florists in England intercepted by Censorship.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5.

/s/
K.P. MANNOCK
Jr. Comdr.

Incl:
As above.

1st Ind.

20 February, 1945

AC/14147/PS
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission, APO 394.

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

For attention and necessary action, please.

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

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G-5: 383.8-1

18 February 1945.

SUBJECT: Trading with the enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 3941. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1
dated 28 November 1944.Letters held
by C.C.2. Attached are further 9 letters
addressed to Florists in England inter-
cepted by Censorship.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

K. P. Mannock

K. P. MANNOCK,
Jr. Comdr.

TO	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN	
COL. YOUNG	
LT. COL. WILSON	
MAJ. LUCK	
MAJ. WILSON	
MAJ. HANDEL	
MAJ. BALDWIN	
CAPT. POWELL	
CHIEF CLERK	

Incl:
as above.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

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Tel : 478300 See 29 A
17 February, 1945.

AC/14147/PS

SUBJECT : Trading with the Enemy.

TO : AFHQ C-5.

1. With reference to AFHQ letter C-5:383-2-1 dated 28 November 1945, and subsequent correspondence respecting the dispatching of flowers by civilian firms to persons in U.K. on behalf of Military personnel.
2. A report has now been received from the R.P.S.O. Lazio Umbria Region, to the effect that a complete investigation has been made in respect of all the "intercepted" letters forwarded from AFHQ.
3. It has not been possible to trace soldiers who have paid money in advance for delivery of flowers, as the Order Forms enclosed in each letter only gives the names and addresses of the persons to whom the flowers are to be delivered, and the amount to be expended.
4. Investigation has shown that the sum shown in letters submitted, amounts to some £ 77.1s.0., whereas general investigation on this whole question reveals that a sum of £1000 to £1250 has been expended in Rome.
5. The secretary of the Association of Florists is obtaining a complete list of all orders accepted, together with the names of persons to whom the goods were to have been dispatched, which will be submitted to the R.P.S.O. Lazio Umbria upon completion.
6. Information has been received by the Association that some orders in America have been executed, and payment will in due course have to be made.

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7. It has been suggested that as the soldiers who have left money with the florists cannot be traced, that the sums outstanding be collected and forwarded to AFHQ G-5, and that the money be sent from AFHQ to the persons named on the order forms, with a covering letter explaining the circumstances.

For the Chief Commissioner :

GR

fu G. R. UPJOHN Brig.
VP. CA Sec.
~~Sec. 18.~~

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LATVIA LITHUANIA REGION
ROME

PS/039

10th. February 1945

To: Regional Public Safety Officer
Region Headquarters.
From: Major Coxhead P.S.O. Rome.
Subject: Trading with the Enemy.

1. Ref. G.5. A.P.H.Q. 393.2-1 dated 28th. November and 27th. January 1945, a complete investigation has been made of the letters submitted, but it has not been possible to trace any soldier who has paid money in advance for delivery of flowers.

2. The order forms enclosed in each letter gives the names and addresses of the persons to whom flowers were to have been sent, together with the amount of cash to be expended.

3. Investigation has shown that the sum shown in letters submitted, amounts to some £77.1s.0., whereas general investigation on this whole question reveals that a sum of £1000 to £1250 has been expended in Rome.

4. The secretary of the Association of Florists is obtaining a complete list of all orders accepted, together with the names of persons to whom the goods were to have been dispatched, which will be submitted to this office upon completion.

5. Information has been received by the Association that some orders in America have been executed, and payment will in due course have to be made.

6. It is suggested by this office that in view of the inability to trace the soldiers who placed the orders, that G.5. A.P.H.Q. may consider the question as one in which they would have the sums outstanding collected and forwarded to them for transmission to the beneficiaries.

3. Investigation has shown that the sum shown in letters submitted, amounts to some \$77.1s.0., whereas general investigation on this whole question reveals that a sum of \$1000 to \$1250 has been expended in Rome.
4. The secretary of the Association of Florists is obtaining a complete list of all orders accepted, together with the names of persons to whom the goods were to have been dispatched, which will be submitted to this office upon completion.
Re. P. E. Conhead's letter
5. Information has been received by the Association that some orders in America have been executed, and payment will in due course have to be made.
6. It is suggested by this office that in view of the inability to trace the soldiers who placed the orders, that S.5. A.P.F.C. may consider the question as one in which they would have the same outstanding collected and forwarded to them for transmission to the beneficiaries named on the order forms with a suitable letter explaining the circumstances.
7. Forwarded for information and directions.

TO	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN	
COL. YOUNG	
LT. COL. WILSON	
MAJ. LUCKMAN	
MAJ. WILSON	
MAJ. HANBURY	
MAJ. BALCH	
MAJ. P. WILSON	

P. E. Conhead
P. E. CONHEAD
Major,
Public Safety Officer
Rome.

SEE OVER

1st IND.

12 February 1945. *6505-6*

FILE N° :- LUR/14/PS
Public Safety Division, HQ.
Lazio-Umbria Region.

TO :- HQ., A.C., Public Safety Sub-Commission.

For consideration and directions, please.

For the Regional Commissioner:

C.T. Francis

C.T. FRANCIS.

Lt. Colonel,

RPSO., LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 383.8-1

9 February 1945

SUBJECT : Trading with the enemy

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
A.P.O. 394

1. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 Nov. '44.
2. Attached are further 40 letters addressed to Florists in England and intercepted by Censorship.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5

Incls: as above.

A.P. MARGOCK,
Jr. Comdr1st Ind.

AC/14147/PS

13 Feb. 1945

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission, APO 394

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

For attention and necessary action, please.

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

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G-5: 383.8-1

9 February 1945.

SUBJECT: Trading with the enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
A.P.O. 394

1. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1
dated 28 Nov. '44.

2. Attached are further 46 letters
addressed to Florists in England and inter-
cepted by Censorship.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

K. P. Mannock
K. P. MANNOCK,
Jr. Comdr.

TO	DATE	DATE
COL. CHAPMAN	Incl:	
COL. YOUNG	as above.	
LT. COL. WILSON		
MAJ. LUTHER		
MAJ. WILSON		
MAJ. HANBURY		
MAJ. BALE		
CAPT. P. WEL		
THIRD OFFICER		



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G-5: 385.8-1

27 January 1945

SUBJECT : Trading with the Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394

1. Reference our G-5 385.8-1 dated 28 November 44.
2. Attached are further 17 letters addressed to Florists in England and intercepted by Censorship.

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

K.P. MANHOOK
Jr., Comdr.

Incls: as above.

AC/14147/PS

1st Ind.

2 February 1945

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission, APO 394

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

For attention and necessary action, please.

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

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G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 383.8-1

27 January 1945

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394

1. Reference our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 November 44.
2. Attached are further 17 letters addressed to florists in England and intercepted by Censorship.

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

K. P. Manno
K. P. MANNOCK
Jr. Comdr.

Incls: as above.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.8-1

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy.

TO: Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

Reference our memo. G-5 383.8-1 of 28 November and 20 December.
Attached are a further four letters addressed to florists in England and
intercepted by Censorship.

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

(Signed)

T.D. JACKMAN,
Lt Colonel.

Incl: 4 letters, as above.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission, APO 394
TO: Regional Commissioner, Lazio-Umbria, Region (Attn: R.F.S.O.).

For attention and necessary action.

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

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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4 January, 1945

G-5 383.8-1

SUBJECT : Trading with the Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission

Reference our G-5 : 383.8-1 dated 26 November 1944.

Attached are further 40 letters addressed to Florists
in England and intercepted by Censorship.

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

K. P. MANNOCK
Jar/Coord.1st LRD

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6 Jan. 45

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission APO 394

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

For attention and necessary action.

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

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G-5 Section
APO 512

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4 January 1945

G-5: 383.8-1

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

✓ Reference our G-5: 383.8-1 dated 28 November 1944.

Attached are further 40 letters addressed to Florists
in England and intercepted by Censorship.

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

K. P. Mannock
K. P. MANNOCK,
Jnr/Comd.Incl:
as above

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 363.2-1

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy.

TO: Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

29 December 1944

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reference our memo. of 23 November and 20 December.
Attached are a further four letters addressed to florists in England
and intercepted by Censorship.

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

B. R. Peyton

T. B. JACKMAN,
Lt. Colonel.

Incl:

4 letters, as above.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
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G-5: 38318-1

20 December 1944

SUBJECT : Trading with the enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

Reference our G-5; 383.8-1 dated 28 Nov.

1. Eleven letters have been intercepted in censorship and are enclosed herewith. You will note that two other firms are concerned - PIETRINI GINO of 1 Corso Umberto and M. BARDUAGNI.
2. These letters may assist you in having refunds made to the soldiers concerned wherever possible; in several cases soldiers are said to have left their military addresses with the florists.

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

/s/ H.Y. Anderson, Major

/s/ H.Y. ANDERSON
Major, RA.

Incl:
as above

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AC/14057/PS

22 Dec 1944

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION, Public Safety Sub-Commission, APO 394
TO: Regional Commissioner, Lazio-Umbria, Region(Attn: R.P.S.O.) .

For attention and necessary action.

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

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

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Public Safety Division.
16th December, 1944.

File No. :- LUR/14/PS.

Subject :- Cav. Arnaldo BERARDUCCI.
Trading with the enemy.

To :- The Director, Public Safety Sub-Commission,
HQ., A.C., APO 394.

1. With reference to your letter No. AC/14057/PS, dated 30/11/44.
2. The matter has been investigated by Major Coxhead, whose report is attached.
3. In connection with para 3 of AFHQ letter G-5. 383.8-1 of 25/11/44 it is brought to attention that MTOUSA dealt with the question of US personnel placing orders with civilian florists in this theatre for the delivery of flowers to the United States on Circular No. 132, dated 5/11/44.

C.T. Francis

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

Encl. 2

Report by Major Coxhead.
AFHQ letter referred to.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-EMERIA REGION
A.P.O. 394

P.S./C/39

Rome, 14 December 1944

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Public Safety Division

TO : R.P.S.O.
Region H.Q.

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy.

1. Ref. A.C./14057/P.S. On 10th December 1944 I saw Cav. Arnaldo BERARDUCCI and he informed me that he was a member of the Florists Telegraph Delivery Ass in Detroit 7 Michigan and that he was associated with Mr. G. Bruni, who was the manager of Unione Italiana Trasmissione Omaggi Floreali - Piazza Adriana 10.
2. On 12th December 1944 the above named attended this office and I informed them of the nature of my enquiries. Bruni informed me that a circular letter had been sent to all members of the Association informing them that transactions of the nature referred to was not permitted at present and that orders must not be accepted.
3. Berarducci stated that he has no outstanding orders, that he would refund cash where deliveries had not been made; and he fully understood that he was not to accept any further orders in the future.
4. I believe that the instructions given by ^{BRUNI.} the manager of the above Association to its members will stop this type of trading.
5. Forwarded for information.

R. Coxhead

P.E. COXHEAD

Major

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Rome.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AC/14057/PS

30 Nov 1944

SUBJECT : Trading with the Enemy (Cav. Arnaldo Berarducci)
TO : Regional Commissioner, Lazio-Umbria Region,
(Attn: R.P.S.O.).

Inclosed letter GOS Sec AFHQ, G-5 383.8-1 is
forwarded for action in accordance with para 2 thereof.

It is requested this Headquarters be informed of the
results.

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

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Public Safety *1A*
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS HYA/seb
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.8-1

28 November 1944

SUBJECT: Trading with the Enemy.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394.

1. Information has been received from the Trading with the Enemy Department of the Board of Trade in London that a florist, CAV. ARNALDO BERARDUCCI of ROME is in effect "trading" which cannot be allowed by them. BERARDUCCI has a scheme whereby soldiers in ITALY pay over one pound to him in consideration of instructions being given to English Florists to despatch flowers to their relatives in U.K. The Board of trade have been informed of twelve cases.

2. You are requested to take action to prevent BERARDUCCI continuing these transactions and make him refund if possible, any money already received in respect of similar transactions.

3. This Headquarters does not consider this practice sufficiently widespread to justify publication of a GRO on the subject. If however, you learn that this or similar transactions are increasing, please inform this Section.

For Asst. Chief of Staff, *G-5* *H. Y. Anderson*H. Y. ANDERSON
Major, R.A.

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