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CCRR RECRUITING, SARDINIAN BATTALION  
FEB., MAR. 1944

REAR HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
Public Safety Sub-Commission  
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SUBJECT: Enlistment into Carabinieri

TO : RG & MG Section.

Reference 302/70/CA of 19 March 1944.

1. This matter has been brought to the attention of the Commanding General CC.PP.
2. The 13 members of the militia referred to were attached to the CC.PP awaiting the decision of the Italian Government who have now decided that Militia will not be admitted to the Carabinieri.
3. If action has not already been taken these 13 ex-militia members will be removed as soon as arrangement can be made for their disposal.

VIA A. E. YOUNG  
Colonel,  
Deputy Chief,  
Public Safety Sub-Com.

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21 March 1944

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SUBJECT: Enlistment into Carabinieri

TO : General FIMCHE, Commanding CG.RR.

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Herewith copy of letter to RC & MG Section, ACC.

Please report to this sub-commission when the 43 members of the militia have been removed.

*Chew-Lock*  
f. A.E. YOUNG Major  
Colonel,  
Deputy Chief,  
Public Safety, Sub-Com.

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

Ref/302/70/CA.

19 March 1944. *6A*

SUBJECT: Enlistment into Carabinieri.

TO : Admin. Section for P.S. Sub-Commission.

1. The following letter has been received from Region VI  
Sardinia :

"An investigation of the position shows that in Sardinia 43 members of the Highways and Port Militia have been admitted into permanent service with the Carabinieri.

They are disposed as under :

<u>At CAGLIARI:</u>	1 Capitano	<u>At OLPIA:</u>	1 Maresciallo
	1 Maresciallo		11 Militi
	28 Militi		

The Carabinieri consulted all agree that there is considerable dissatisfaction among the regular Carabinieri because of the admission of these men. The reasons are that the Militia men are reported to be strong Fascists and cannot be trusted to do their job impartially, but show favours to their friends. It is further added that the public has no confidence in them. They wear the same uniform as the Carabinieri except the lapel insignia is worn on the lower part of the sleeve."

2. This matter was discussed (Col. Young - Col. Shipp) and it is agreed that those 43 members of the Highways and Port Militia should not be allowed to continue to serve in the Carabinieri.

3. Will you please take the necessary action.

*W. Shipp J.M.*

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NORMAN E. FISKE  
Colonel, Cavalry,  
Deputy Executive  
Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
Public Safety Sub-Commission

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D.C.P.S. ....

Police ....

Prisons ....

Fire & C.D. ....

Regn. & Licensing ....

- Adm. Officer ....

Remarks:

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C.P.S. ....

I think we should bring this up  
to Mr. Peile and ask him to refer.  
Possibly they have already gone.

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 ACTION SHEET

File 11601/1

18 MAR.

Date

Suspense \_\_\_\_\_

FROM \_\_\_\_\_ TO \_\_\_\_\_

- Chief Commissioner
- Deputy Chief Commissioner
- Secretary General
- ✓ ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION
- Economic Section
- Rog. Control & M.G. Section
- Political Section
- Interior Sub Commission
- Public Safety Sub-Commission
- ✓ Public Health Sub-Commission
- Property Control Sub-Comm.
- Legal Sub-Commission
- Education Sub-Commission
- Monuments, Fine Arts & Archives
- NAVY Sub-Commission
- Land Forces Sub-Commission
- AIR
- Telecommunications & Posts
- War Material Disposal Sub-Comm
- PRO
- Liaison Section
- Finance Sub-Commission
- G-1
- G-4
- Adjutant General
- Filos
- Personnel
- Publications
- Message Centre
- Miscellaneous
- Pool of Interpreters
- Archives & Reference Library
- Cables
- HQ. Commandant.
- Sub-Commission, -

FOR:

- Signature
- Remarks/Recommendation
- Information only
- Approval/Disapproval *2848*
- Appropriate Action
- Investigation and Report
- Dispatch
- Return to Admin. Section

REMARKS: *See VP's remarks*

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*World News Radio**Feb 23, 1964*Carabinieri Head Defends Personnel of Police Force

SEAT OF THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT, February 22--In a communication authorized by the Council of Ministers the head of the Carabinieri today (Tuesday) came to the defense of those members of the former Port and Highway Militia, now disbanded, who have been accepted for service in the Carabinieri.

These two militia units, active during the Fascist regime, were dissolved by the present government.

The text of the statement is as follows:

"The commander of the Carabinieri in Liberated Italy, in view of recent tendentious statements which have been circulated, believes that it is opportune to restate that the incorporation of some members of the dissolved Port and Highway Militia into the permanent service of the Carabinieri - yet in process of being incorporated - is being carried out in accordance not only with the rigorous selection standards to be found in the Decree of de-Fascistization insofar as previous political affiliations are reflected but also with those standards normally required of recruits from civilian life, taking into account the previous moral reputation, the personal associations and the behavior of each applicant." (PWB).

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100% aluminum production in December, 1943, was almost three times as high as in January, 1942.

At Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Rubber Director Bradley Dewey said that by April the U.S. will be making synthetic rubber as fast as the nation used crude rubber in pre-war years. The Associated Press further quoted Dewey:

"Any shortage in civilian tires now can be accounted for by military usage, and that tells the complete story. (OWI).

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Roosevelt Vetoes Tax Bill

WASHINGTON, February 22-- President Roosevelt vetoed the 2315 million dollar tax bill. In a sharply worded message to the Congress President Roosevelt described the bill as wholly ineffective.

"He declared that such a taxation was a relief measure not for the needy but for the greedy."

President Roosevelt said: "The Bill is replete with provisions which not only afford indefensible special privileges to favored groups, but set dangerous precedents for the future."

He calculated that the bill would enrich the treasury by less than 1,000 million dollars net yearly. This is the second time in this week that President Roosevelt has vetoed a congressional bill. On Friday he rejected a measure which would have banned food subsi-

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PUBLIC OPINION

22. Fascist infiltration into Carabinieri.

A certain La Nave, a former console in the Fascist port militia, has recently been made a Lieut. Colonel of the carabinieri in Naples. Some of his former militiamen are said to have been brought along with him.

It is also stated that many men, formerly members of the ordinary Black Shirt Militia, are being drafted into the carabinieri, for the purpose, in the view of many people, of forming a corps to defend the monarchy. The news is said to have created great discontent among people who have heard of it, and in political circles and anti-Fascist carabinieri circles.

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Col. Martin:

The matter of release of CCRR who are POW's is receiving the personal attention of the Chief Commissioner. The proposal re-recruiting in Sardinia will be discussed with Gen. Pieche.

Believe no correspondence should be indulged in until a definite decision is reached as to the former, and a specific recommendation made as to the latter.

Admin. Staff Officer should be so advised.

PAUL G. KIRK  
Colonel Inf.  
Chief, Public Safety  
Sub-Commission

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11th February 1944IA

Subject: Recruitment of Units from Sardinia

TO : Vice-President, Administrative Section.

In a letter from Sardinia, Brigadier Dunlop has brought to my notice a proposal from the Sassari Party of Action that a Sardinian Division should be formed as part of the Italian Army.

For various reasons, this, of course, is not possible, but Brigadier Dunlop makes a suggestion that if special units are to be recruited voluntarily from Sardinia, as I think they well might be, they should take the form of Carabinieri units; He has explained that the Sard is a stolid, disciplined individual who would probably do good work in the Carabinieri. I know that the Carabinieri are woefully short of manpower and I think the suggestion should be examined by your Sub-Commission for Public Safety in consultation with General Pieche.

M.S.Lush  
Brigadier  
Executive Commissioner

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