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Subject : Decree of Gazzetta Ufficiale - Special Series N.55
Establishing the grade of "selected carabiniere"
and new rules for promotions to the grades of "appunta-
to" and "vice-brigadiere".

Art. 1

The qualification of selected carabiniere is instituted.
Said qualification may be conferred, as by rules, which settle
the promotion of the troops military of the Arma, to the CC.RR.,
who having performed 5 years of effective service, the last three
of which with very good disciplinary qualifications, who possess
the necessary authoritative behaviour and result of distinguished
professional capacity.

If requested by superiors in rank, the General Commandant
of the Arma, may revoke the qualification in cases of serious
disciplinary violations or persistent bad behaviour.

Art. 2

The selected carabiniere is authorized to wear the expressly
made stripe, the characteristics of which shall be determined
by the War Ministry.

Art. 3

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The rank of "appuntato" of CC.RR. is conferred only to selected
carabinieri, who have given evidence of capacity and passed an
examination at the end of a technical-practical course, not less
than 2 month, to be attended at the Legion Command, qualifica-
tion for int. Command at units of less importance.

The appuntati, who have praiseworthy commanded the units for
at least one year and are worthy as a whole for their military
and professional qualifications, may compete for the promotion,
by selection with examination, to vice-brigadiere. The number
of those promotions, however, cannot be more than one tenth of
the vacancies of the strength of the grade of vice-brigadiere.

Art. 4

The present decree comes into force on the day of its publica-
tion in the special series of the Gazzetta Ufficiale del Regno.

We order, whomsoever is concerned, to comply with the present
decree and to make it comply as a law of the State.

Gazzetta Ufficiale, dated 14 /9/1944.

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This Decree introduces three changes:-

- 1) Carabinieri may, by length of service, efficiency and good behaviour, earn the title of "Selected Carabinieri" and wear a distinctive stripe.
- 2) Before promotion to Appuntato (senior corporal) Carabinieri must undergo a two months' course and pass an examination.
- 3) Appuntati, with special qualifications, may be promoted to Vice Brigadier (sergeant) without going through a special course. This concession is limited to 10% of the promotions to Vice Brigadier.

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It is suggested that:-

In any region of occupied Italy, when a vacancy occurs, whether by removal or otherwise, in any post for which there is not immediately available within the region a competent replacement of the same or next lower grade in the Italian Governmental service, the Regional Commissioner, through the RC and MG Section, will make known to the Sub-Commission which deals with the ^a Governmental Agency concerned, the fact that such/vacancy exists.

The Sub-Commission concerned will consult with the appropriate Italian Ministry with a view to nominating for the vacancy a qualified person from the same or next lower grade. The nomination so made will be submitted to the Regional Commissioner through the RC & MG Section. Regional Commissioners will normally accept such nominations unless cogent reasons to the contrary can be advanced.

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In cases where a qualified person of the same or next lower grade is available within the Region and the Regional Commissioner appoints such person to fill the vacancy the appropriate Sub-Commission will be informed, and will advise the Italian Ministry accordingly.

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The foregoing procedure will not apply to the Carabinieri Reali or to the Guardia di Finanza. Dispositions of personnel of these forces in unoccupied Italy will be made by the Commanding Generals thereof after consultation with the Public Safety Sub-Commission.

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