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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

30 October 1945.

AC/14061/21/6/PS

SUBJECT : Special Police Force

TO : Regional Commissioner, Venezia Region
attention RPSO

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1. Reference your letter RXII/024.13 dated 15th Sept. 1945 addressed to Civil Affairs Section, and our reply of even number dated 1 October 45.

2. The Director of Public Security, Ministry of Interior has informed the Prefect of Venice that he is not authorised to enlist persons into a Special Police Force for Venezia Giulia, as the area is under Allied Military Control.

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

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(Translation M.B.)

20 OCT. 1945

Ministry of Interior
P.S. General Direction
F.A.P. Division- 1st Section

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Rome, 23/10/1945

Risp. F.N.A.C. 14601/20-6-P.S.
dated 1.10.1945

To: ALLIED COMMISSION
Sub Commission of P.S.

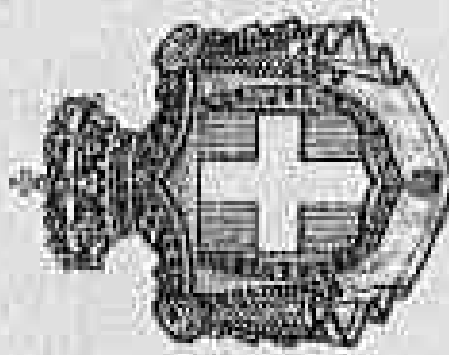
SUBJECT: Corp of special Police at Venice.

This Ministry, being of the opinion that the formation of a Corp of Special Police in the Venezia Giulia is highly inopportune, communicates to have informed the Venice Prefect, that he is not authorized to proceed to any enlistment, that area being still under the Allied Military Control.

The Chief of Police
s/ Ferrara

TO	INIT	DATE
DIRECTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>	23/10
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>	30/10
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Ministero dell'Interno

Direzione Generale P.S.
Divisione F.A.P.-Sezione I^a

Risp.F.N.A. C.I4501/26-b-P.S.
del 1^o ottobre c.a.

OGGETTO Corpo di Polizia Speciale a Venezia.-

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.

R O M A

Questo Ministero mentre conviene sulla inopportunità di costituire uno speciale Corpo di Polizia per la Venezia Giulia, comunica che da parte sua ha già provveduto ad informare il Prefetto di Venezia che non ha facoltà di autorizzare gli arruolamenti richiesti, dato che quel territorio si trova tuttora sotto il diretto controllo militare alleato.

IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

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AC/14601/21/6/PS

1 October 1945

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Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director.

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Copy to R.O. Venezia (att: RPSO)
Your RKII/024.13 dated
15 September 1945.

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Colonel, J.A.G.D.
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20 SEP 1945

HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION

Allied Military Government

APO 394

20 SET. 1945
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15 Sept 1945

TO : HQ A.C. Attn. Civil Affairs Section (two copies)

SUBJECT : Special Police Force

FILE NO : RXII/O24.13

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I send you herewith copy of a letter written by the Regional C.L.N. of the Veneto, to the Minister of the Interior and others, setting forth their plans for the formation of a special Police Force recruited from selected partigiani.

I have explained to them quite clearly that I should not myself adopt such a plan and that I have grave doubts as to its acceptance by the Italian Authorities. Further, I have explained that my main present preoccupation is to maintain, after our departure the present relatively small number of auxiliary Police in the Region who are acting with the Carabinieri or Questore.

However, the C.L.N. have proceeded with their plans and have now produced their scheme. I should make it clear that there has been no consultation at all with this office.

Interested parties in Venice are however talking fairly freely on the subject and have already invited local personalities to be candidates for the various positions.

You will see that what is contemplated is a separate force with its own hierarchy entirely divorced from both the Questura and the Carabinieri.

You will also notice the inclusion of a comando for Venezia Giulia, with a Headquarters, strangely enough, at Porto Gruaro.

In conversation this morning with Colonel Pizzoni, Head of the Partigiani organisation in the Veneto, I have expressed these views which he accepted.

TRANSLATION S.D.

REGIONAL C.L.N. OF THE VENETO

11 September 1945

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TO : GENERAL DUNLOP

TO MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

F A D O AR O M E

TO MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE

R O M E

SUBJECT : Special Police Force

TO C.L.N. of NORTHERN ITALY

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The REGIONAL C.L.N. of the VENETO

having examined the situation of the public order in the VENETO where serious criminal incidents are daily taking place and will very likely increase next Winter;

owing to the shortage of police forces both in the towns and in the countries and considering, on the other hand, that 23 years Fascism have defiled the a/m forces and deprived them of authority;

referring to the talks having taken place among its members appointed to survey justice and public order, the Allied Regional Commissioner and other Allied Commands _ on the situation which will take place when the provinces of Northern Italy are restored to the Italian Government;

deeming it necessary the formation of a special police force recruited from selected partigiani and having an establishment of no less than 5.000 men to guarantee the public order and security in the whole Region

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the Government to guarantee the payment of salaries to the Agents of the a/m Forces when Veneto will re-enter under its administration, having the Allied Regional Authorities assured they will provide for

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the necessary weapons and transport means. The enlistment applications will be made by the Chief Groups who will assume all responsibilities for the men they will introduce. The applications will be examined and definitely judged by a Commission including the following members:

1. a representative of the Allied Military Command;
2. a representative of the Allied Regional Command C.V.L.;
3. Captain.PICCIONE (CC.RR.) commanding the judiciary Police of the Provisional Assizes Court - Venezia;
4. the Questore of Venezia.

The Regional C.N.L. of the Veneto

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SCHEME FOR THE FORMATION OF A REGIONAL POLICE FORCE
STRENGTH: 5147 men

COMMANDS	Commanders	Vice-commanders	Colonels	Lieut. Colonels	Majors	Captains	Lieut.	Sub-lieutenants	Agents	TOTALS
Regional Command	1	1	1CSM	1	1	1	1	12	24	43

Venezia Euganea Command			1	1	1AM	1AM	1	6	12	23
1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th , 5 th Euganeo Battalion					5	10	20	50	1240	1325

Venezia Tridentina Command			1	1	1AM	1AM	1	6	12	23
1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th , 5 th , 6 th , 7 th , 8 th , 9 th , 10 th Tridentino Battalion					10	20	40	100	2480	2650

Venezia Giulia Command			1	1	1AM	1AM	1	6	12	23
1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th Venezia Giulia Battalion					4	6	16	40	992	1060
TOTALS	1	1	4	4	23	43	80	220	4071 4772	5147

A battalion is formed by two Companies. A Company is composed of two platoons and a platoon of three squads.

The scheme for housing, weapons, allotment of vehicles and equipment will be drafted when the formation of the Corps is approved.

As the Corps in question would aim at the public order on a political basis, its headquarters might be fixed as follows: the General Command with the C.A.I. whilst the quarters of the other Commands (Euganeo, Tridentino and Giulio) might respectively be at Padoa, Verona and Portogruaro.

The three a/m department commands would establish the displacements of the commands of battalion, company and platoon in accordance with the necessities of the jurisdiction.

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COMITATO LIBERAZIONE NAZIONALE
REGIONALE VENETO

345/Giust.

11 Settembre 1945

AL GENERALE DUNLOP
PADOVA

AL MINISTRO DELL'INTERNO

ROMA

AL MINISTRO DELLA GIUSTIZIA

ROMA

AL COMITATO LIBERAZIONE NAZ. ALTA ITALIA
MILANO

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- 1) un Rappresentante del Comando Militare Alleato;
- 2) un rappresentante del Comando Regionale Militare C.V.I.;
- 3) dal capitano dei Carabinieri Piccione, comandante la Polizia giudiziaria presso la Corte d'Assise Straordinaria di Venezia;
- 4) dal Questore di Venezia.

COMITATO DI LIBERAZIONE NAZION.
REGIONALE VENETO

SCHEMA PER LA COSTITUZIONE DI UN CORPO DI
POLIZIA REGIONALE - POPOLAZIONE UOMINI 5147

COMANDI	Com- man- dan- do	7. Co- san- dan- do	Co- lon- nel- lo	8. Co- lon- nel- lo	Mag- gior- più	Se- gret- to	Se- gret- to	TOTALI
COMANDO REGIONALE	1	1	108M	1	1	1	12	24
Comando Reparto Venezia- Bergamo			1	1	1AM	1AM	6	12
1°, 2°, 3°, 4°, 5°, Battaglione Tugano					5	10	20	1240
Comando Reparto Venezia- Tridentina			1	1	1AM	1AM	15	12
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Comando Reparto Venezia- Giulia			1	1	1AM	1AM	15	12
1°, 2°, 3°, 4° Battaglione Giulia					4	8	16	992
TOTALI					23	42	80	2772

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TRANSLATION M.C.COMANDO GENERALE DELL'ARMA DEI CARABINIERI REALI
Ufficio Segreteria e Riservato

N.1/191-13 Ris

Rome, 14 July 45

Ref: AC/14601/21/6/PS
dated 5 inst.With reference to above mentioned letter from Allied
Sub-Commission:

- 1 - The small number of officers in the Venezia regions depends on the few officers that this Command can dispose of. (And we beg to lay before you that within the 25th of this month, as ordered by Ministry of War 30 more officers will be replaced in retirement. This new disposition will only render the situation more critical). And so we pray you, to examine the possibility of informing the Allied Commands, that all those Liaison Officers not retained absolutely indispensable to them be placed at the disposal of this General Command.
- 2 - a= Regarding Lieut-Colonel Ventura and Major Mannucci, kindly refer to our letter, No. 1/191-11, of the 9th inst.
b=Colonel Luca was transferred from Verona and was assigned the Bolzano Legion.
- 3 - To Verona we have assigned Colonel Cozzo transferred there from Bologna. He is to be re-placed by Colonel Borla.
- 4 - We deem necessary to have Major Mannucci at our disposal?

TO		
☒ DIRECTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>	24/7
☒ DEPUTY DIRECTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>	24/7
☒ EXEC. OFFICER	<i>[Signature]</i>	24-7
☒ POLICE	<i>[Signature]</i>	31-7
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For the General Commander a.p.s.
The Vice Commander

General Leonetto Taddei.



RISERVATO

Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E RISERVATO

N. 1/191-13 di prot. Ris.

Roma, il 14 luglio 1945

Risposta al foglio del 5 corrente n. AC/14601/21/Allegati n. 6/PS ::

OGGETTO: Movimento di ufficiali.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA - Sottocommissione per la P. S.

R O M A

Riferimento foglio sopradistinto di codesta Sottocommissione :

- 1)- La scarsenza di ufficiali nella regione delle Venzie dipende dall'insufficiente numero di ufficiali di cui questo Comando può disporre. (Da tener presente che entro il 25 corrente dovranno essere ricollocati in congedo d'ordine del Ministero Guerra circa 30 ufficiali di complemento già appartenenti alla milizia, la qual cosa aggraverà ancor più la situazione). Si cercherà di provvedere nel miglior modo possibile ed a tal fine si pre-
ga esaminare la possibilità di restituire a questo Co-
mando Generale tutti gli ufficiali di collegamento o comunque a disposizione dei comandi alleati che non fossero ritenuti assolutamente indispensabili. 4000
- 2)- a= circa il tenente colonnello VENTURA, è già stato rispeso col foglio n. 1/191-11 del 9 corrente.
b= Circa il maggiore MANNUCCI, vedasi pure precitato foglio.

Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

- c)- Alla costituenda legione di Bolzano è stato assegnato il colonnello LUCA trasferitovi da Verona.
- 3)- A Verona è stato assegnato il colonnello COZZO, trasferitovi da Bologna, nella qual sede è stato destinato il colonnello BORLA, recuperato nel Nord.
- 4)- Confermo l'opportunità che il maggiore MANNUCCI sia rimesso a disposizione dell'Arma.

p. IL COMANDANTE GENERALE 'a.p.s.
IL VICE COMANDANTE
- Generale Leonetto Taddei -

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

File 5A

Tel: 489081-365

5 July 1945

AC/14601/21/6/PS

SUBJECT : CC.RR Officers for Venezia

TO : Commanding General CC.RR

1. Regional Public Safety officer Venezia has represented to this Headquarters the serious shortage of officers in his Region.

2. Through CC.RR channels, the RPSO has asked for:

- (a) Lt.Col.Ventura of Grosseto to take command of Treviso Group.
- (b) Major Maniuci of Florence to be transferred to Venice, where the present officer does not enjoy the full confidence of the RPSO.
- (c) A Legional Commander in Bolzano.

3. It is known that 2(a) has been refused, and it is stated that Verona Legion Commander was transferred to Bolzano, leaving Verona without a commander. Nothing is known of 2(b).

4. Will you please urgently consider the officer requirements of Venezia Region particularly regarding Par.2 above.

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

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Copy to : RPSO Venezia
(Encl RXII/PS/6/2 dated 27 June refers) 4000

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HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

27 June 45.

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

SUBJECT : CC.RR. Officers. *pe*

FILE NO. : RXII/PS/6.2 *14/10/45*

1. The situation in regard to CC.RR. officers is becoming rapidly more serious in this Region, and requires the urgent attention of the Rome Command, CC.RR.

2. I have already asked for Lt. Col. VENTURA of Grossetto to take Command of the Treviso Group, and been refused. I have asked for Major MANIUCI of Firenze to take Command of the Venice Group, where the present man is useless. I have asked for a Legion Commander in Bolzano, and the only thing done is to strip Verona Legion of its Commander.

3. Very few officers were sent from the South and now the Rome Command is ordering the dismissal of several of the officers found in the North, who we have been obliged to retain in service for lack of alternatives.

4. Shortage of officers is causing difficulty and also a lowering of morale in the ranks of CC.RR.

5. It is of the utmost importance to the maintenance of law and order, that the CC.RR., especially in the difficult North, be properly officered and suitably clad; this is a matter Rome CC.RR. Command do not apparently seem very concerned about.

6. It is requested that the strongest representations be made to the CC.RR. Command that their assistance to the North will be appreciated.

TO		DATE
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
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A.W. Rowler
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A.W. ROWLERSON
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 Lieut. Colonel,
 Regional Public
 Safety Officer.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel : 489081 - 365

7 June, 1945.

AG/14601/21/PS

SUBJECT : Carabinieri.

TO : Regional Commissioner Venezia
(att: R.P.S.O.)

1. Attached for your information and action are
(a) Order of Battle - Carabinieri - 37
(b) Copy letters dated 25 May from AFHQ and dated 28 May from MMIA.
2. The Order of Battle shows the breakdown of the established strength of 55000 carabinieri. The AFHQ letter of 25 May 45 authorized an increase of 3000 on the strength of 55000 CC.RR. In our cable 8872 dated 1st June you were authorized to enroll 500 recuperated CC.RR. MMIA require as soon as possible a list of units to fill these manpower spaces.
3. The letter from MMIA suggests that new units will be formed as a result of the allocation of 3000 men. This is not so. At present the northern Legions are 7500 below their 55000 ceiling. Accordingly the 3000 CC.RR. will be used partially to activate existing units up to their 55000 ceiling.
4. Will you please supply as soon as possible a list of the companies in your Region affected by the increase of 500 CC.RR. Your return should be a copy of certain companies shown in the Order of Battle with the number of men allotted to the company and totalled to 500. Please quote serial numbers.
5. It is understood that Companies may not be completely reconstituted from the 500 CC.RR. For example Bolzano Company totals 197. You may have allotted 50 from spearhead, and a further 80 may now be allotted from your increase of 500. Your return would thus show :-

Serial	Unit designation	OFFR.	ORS	TOTAL	Location	Remarks
289	Bolzano Coy	1	79	80	BOLZANO	

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It would assist records in this office if you would show in the Remarks column the number of CG.RN in the company already supplied from the south.

6. The return required is one of established strength. You may have arranged concentrations in certain areas above the established strength to deal with local conditions existing at the present time, but this would not be reflected in your allotment to Companies for the purpose of this return.

7. An Order of Battle is being prepared on a 65000 ceiling and a copy will be forwarded to you when approved by AFHQ. Increases from 55000 to 65000 will all be absorbed in the North, as the strength in the South is now approximately at the 65000 level.

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

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VENEZIA MAIN THROUGH EIGHTH ARMY REAR ATTENTION F-20 CMA EIGHTH ARMY REAR FOR AMO

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1 June

1945

PRIORITY

CONFIDENTIAL PD

SUBJECT DE CARABINIERI PD

PARA TO VENEZIA MAIN THROUGH EIGHTH ARMY REAR ATTENTION F-20 CMA EIGHTH ARMY REAR FOR AMO

PARA ONE PD FIVE ZERO ZERO CARABINIERI ALL PARKS MAY BE TAKEN ON STRENGTH OF VENEZIA
REGION WITH EFFECT FROM FIRST JUNE ONE NINE FOUR FIVE PD

PARA TWO PD REQUESTS FOR CLOTHING HAVE BEEN MADE AND ITEMS WILL BE FORWARDED WHEN
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P.J. WILSON LT. COL.

NICHOLAS FLOMBINO
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Asst Adjutant.

SUBJECT:- CORR

PC AMG ROVIGO Province
PC AMG PADUA Province
PC AMG VENEZIA Province
PC AMG UDINE Province
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PC AMG BELLUNO Province
PC AMG GORIZIA Province
PC AMG TRIESTI Province

Copy to:- HQ AC ✓
HQ VENEZIA Region
AMG LO 5 Corps
AMG LO 13 Corps
Capt. Roberts
Capt. Jones

1. Herewith for compliance is copy HQ AC letter 1450173/PS of 1 May 45 and letter 13232/F of 2 May 45.

2. Owing to uncertain movements of this HQ, ECs will signal soonest to HQ VENEZIA Region number of such CCRH taken on duty as known at 1200 hrs 7 May 45 there after weekly.

3. Will VENEZIA Region HQ please collate and signal HQ AC.

TO	DATE
DIRECTOR	15/5
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	15/5
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	15/5
FOUNDER	15/5
L.C. & P.C.	
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JOINT VENEZIA	
SECURITY	
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F. J. Duncanson
Air Commodore,
Officer Commanding,
AMG Eighth Army.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

1 May 45

AC/14661/3/TS

SUBJECT: Re-employment of Refugee Carabinieri
in Northern Italy.

TO: S.C.A.O. Fifth and Eighth Army, AMG.
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Venetia Regions.
for attention R.P.S.O.
Finance Sub-Commission

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APO 394

FINANCE SUB COMMISSION

Tel. 478604

2 May 45

13232/P

SUBJECT: CRR - Northern Italy

TO : RC, Emilia Region (for R.F.O.)
 RC, Liguria " " "
 RC, Lombardia " " "
 RC, Piemonte " " "
 RC, Venezia " " "
 SCAO AMG 5th Army (for SFO)
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By Command of Rear Admiral STONE.

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 for Joint Director,
 Finance Sub-Commission

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To IV Corps Information ^{R.P.} Lombarda Region

Subject is ~~secret~~ Carabiniers

Par 1 Reference your 1109 dated
9 May 1945

Par 2 Employment of local
carabinieri will be in terms
of ~~the~~ directive AC/14601/3/PS
dated 1 May 1945 forwarded
to your G-5 and all Regional
Commissioners.

Not sent to DPS

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
AFO 394

1 May, 1945.

AC/14601/3/PS

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