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COMMENDATIONS OF P.S. OFFICIALS
(FEB. 1944); JUN. 1944 - OCT. 1945

(Translation C.C.)

QUESTURA I BERGAMO

R 116/13/28
Bergamo, li 30 October 1945

Nº01330 P.S.

SUBJECT: V. Brigadiere of P.S. Ficarotta Salvatore
(di Luigi e di Battaglia Grazia) born at
Palermo 4/4/1905. Proposal of Advancement.

V.Brigadiere Ficarotta Salvatore (di Luigi)
in service at the local Company of P.S. Agents, has been
serving at the Questura Garage during the period of excep-
tional gravity when abuses were committed to vehicles, tyres,
gasoline etc.

Notwithstanding the serious threats to his person,
he continued to hold the responsibility due to his office
opposing, with all the means in his power, the irregularities
which were to be committed, and keeping a detailed record of
the different vehicles and tyres belonging to the Ministry
or sequestered.

We owe to his careful attention if much material
has been saved.

In consideration of his zeal and of his commended
technical competence, we retain that V. Brigadiere Ficarotta
Salvatore, who holds that rank since 1/6/43, could, with excep-
tion, be appointed to Brigadiere for extraordinary service rendered.

We beg you to confirm appointment, beginning from
Nov. 1st 1945, and to request the A.M.G. to do same.

The Questore
F.to Dott. De Nicolaïs

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub Commission
RFO 394

AG/14613/2/1/2S

5 Dec. 1945

SUBJECT : Vollore, Fortenzo, Angela
TO : SCAP, AG Venetie Giulia
(Att: SCAPO)

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1. Reference our letter of even number
dated 20 Oct. 45 and your reply VOF/R/4 of 24
Nov. 1945.

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2. The Italian Ministry can make no payment
at present time in Venezia Giulia, therefore the
matter appears to one for above named woman to apply
for relief or assistance under such regulations as
are in existence in Gorizia.

/ / No Sona May
/ JOHN W. CHAMBERS
Colonel, JAGD
Director

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POLIZIA DELLA VENEZIA GIULIA
DIVISIONE CRIMINALE INVESTIGATIVA

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No. 510/Sez. PROT

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RISPOSTA AL FOGLIO N.

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ALLEGATO: Istanza di Mme Partendo Angelo.
OGGETTO:Mme Signor Capitano HOODS
Sovraintendente la Di-
visione Criminale Inve-
stigativaT R I E S T E

In relazione alla domanda presentata dalla signora PARTENDO ANGELA, residente a Gorizia, Piazza Sant'Antonio N.9, preghiamo riferire che il figlio marito, PARTENDO Giuseppe, agente di Polizia, comandato di servizio di pien tonamento da un partigiano ferito che si trovava ricoverato in quel l'ospedale civile dallo stato 26 gennaio 1944, nello stesso giorno fu arrestato dalle SS. germaniche ed il 26 agosto dello stesso anno fu deportato in Germania.

Da quell'epoca la moglie ebbe notizie del marito in data 2 dicembre 1944 dal campo di concentramento di Dachau.

Purche il predetto agente non è ancora ritrovato, si ha motivo di ritenere che egli sia deceduto.

Cid premezzo a tenuto presente che la PARTENDO trovasi in misere condizioni economiche, esprimo perciò favorevole che alla medesima sia corrisposto un congruo sussidio mensile.

IL V. SOVRAINTENDENTE
(dott. Fracciardelli)

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION
HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIA GIULIA POLICE FORCE
13 CORPS

29 NOV. 1945

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24th November 1945.

FILE No. VGP/2/14
SUBJECT: WILFARKE
TO: Alcou (attn, Public Safety S/Comm.)

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Reference your N/14613/2/1/PS

1. dated 20th October 1945.

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2. Attached is report on Sig. PARTENGO Angels, widow of the Guardia P.S. PARTENGO Giuseppe, for information of Minister to the Interior.

For Chief of Police

E.N. Hobbs, Capt.

Supt. C.I.D. (PSO)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMINT IN
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

30 October 1945

AG/14613/2/1/20

SUBJECT : Commendations - Questura Pari

TO : Commanding Officer
HQ 6709 C.I.D. Platoon (OVHP)
APO 512 U.S. Army

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1. Reference your letter of 6 Sept 45, commanding good work of the questore and 6 officers of the Pari Questura.
2. Herewith translation of letter received from the Ministry of Interior for your information.

Colonel May
JOHN T. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director.

Attached copy
of letter 333/1105

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25.10.1945. (Translation M.B.)

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P.S. General Direction

Rome, 17/10/1945

Nr.333/1105

To: ALLIED COMMISSION
Sub Commission of P.S.

Ref.: A.C./14613/2/1/PS

dat. 6.10.45 — 484

SUBJECT: Praises.

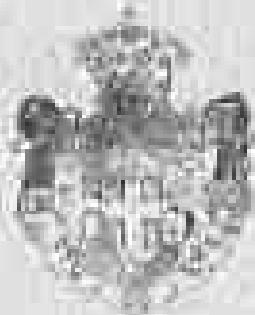
Referring to a/m note, we beg to assure you, that, following your proposals, a praise was granted to P.S. officials, officers and agents in force at Bari.

The praise has been inscribed in their personal files.

The Chief of Police
s/ Ferrari

TO	RE	RE
1 OFFICER	MR	29/10
2 DEPUTY O.	MR	29/10
3 EXEC. O.	MR	29/10
4 POLICE	MR	29/10
5 CIV. E.		
6 CIV. S.		
7 SECURITY		
CHIEF CLERK		

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Roma 17 ottobre 1945

Ministero dell'Interno
Direzione Gen. della P.S.

la Sottocommissione
per la P.S.-Commissione
Allerta

R O M A

Persone Pers. 1^
Tel N° 333/1105 Allegati
Oggetto Gioconi

Recepito dal 6.10.1945
Dm. Tel. 1AC/14613/
2/I/PS

In relazione alla lettera sopraindicata si
assicura che in accoglimento delle proposte
avanzate, sono state concesse ai funzionari,
ufficiali ed agenti di p.s. in servizio a Bari
un encomio di cui è stata presa nota negli
atti personali dei singoli funzionari.

IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

[Signature]

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFG 394

AC/14613/2/1/16

20 October 45

SUBJECT : Welfare.

TO : Regional Commissioner Venesia Giulia
(Atti EPSO)

1. The attached copy letter received from the Director of P.S. Ministry of Interior is forwarded for information and such action as you may deem necessary.

Frank Wilson Atal.
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.S.D.
Director.

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COPY TO : Director of P.S.
Ministry of Interior
Your 800/13408 dated 6 Oct. refers.

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(Translation MB)

Rome 6 October 1945

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
P.S. General Direction

To ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION OF P.S.

R O R E

F.A.P. 3 Section
N°800/I3408

SUBJECT: P.S. Guard PARTENGO Giuseppe Food allowance.

Mrs PARTENGO Angels, wife of the e/m guard in force by the GORIZIA Questura, ask the Italian Government for the assignment of the allowances due to her husband. He is since January 1944 in a German concentration camp, and his wife is since then without means.

We beg to ask your commission to interfere with the Gorizia Prefecture, in order to give every possible help to the e/m Lady who is living in Gorizia, Piazza S. Antonio N° 9, and is really in heavy need.

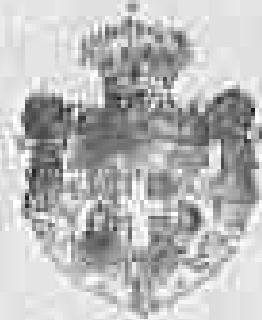
For the Minister

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TO	FROM	REASON
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DEPUTATO DI		
EXEC. GEN.		
POLICE	CHIAV	
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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Direzione F.A.P. Sez. 3
Tel. 1800/13408 Allegato

Oggetto Guardia di P.S. PARTENGO Giuseppe -
Assogni alimentari -

Alla COMMISSIONE ALLIATA
DI CONTROLLO-SOTTO=COMMISSIONE PER LA P.S.
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Proposta affidata
Dra. L. R.

La signora Partengo Angiola moglie della guardia in oggetto, in servizio alla Questura di Gorizia, con istanza diretta al Governo Italiano, chiede la corresponsione degli assegni dovati al proprio marito, prigioniero dei tedeschi fin dal gennaio 1944 che lo trasportarono in Germania, rimanendo priva di mezzi di sussistenza.

Se ne informa codesta Commissione Alliata con proghiera di voler intervenire presso il Prefetto di Gorizia, affinché in considerazioni della pietosa situazione della predetta signora abitante in quella città Piazza S. Antonio n. 9, sia ad essa prestato ogni possibile aiuto.

PER MINISTRO 7343

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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AC/14613/2/1/PS

6 October 45.

SUBJECT : Commendations.

TO : Director Public Security
Minister of Interior.

1. I forward herewith 7 copies of Commendations in respect of the undermentioned officers, N.C.O.s and C.C.R.R. received from the Commanding Officer C.I.D. 6709 C.I.D. Platoon (CVHD) U.S. Army, for such action as you may deem necessary.

Questore Francesco Di Salvia
Capo Gabinetto Dott. Giuseppe Roma
Comandante Agenti Dott. Nicola Rapana
Capitano Angelo Usai
Tenente Giuseppe Musolino
Vice-Brigadiere Giuseppe De Benedictis
Agente Gaetano Mazzotta

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

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HEADQUARTERS
6709 C.I.D. WATSON (QWED)
APO 512, U.S. ARMY

6 September 1945

SUBJECT: Commendation.

TO : Ministero dell'Interno, Direzione Generale della P.G., Divisione
Forze Armate Polizia, Roma.
Regia Prefettura—Gabinetto, Bari.
Regia Questura, Bari.

1. At a time when the services of the Criminal Investigations Division are drawing to a close, it is desired and is befitting that this command take the opportunity to thank the Questura of Bari for their wholehearted cooperation and assistance for a period of almost two years.

2. Their untiring and faithful collaboration made our task a great deal easier and they may justly be proud in having participated actively toward a victory over the enemies of freedom and civilization. The questura have worked silently and industriously, giving proof time and time again of their devotion to duty and love of their homeland.

3. It is the desire of this command to commend especially the following officers, non-commissioned officers and agents who have worked closely with the Bari office of the C.I.D. for their efficacious collaboration, great efficiency and untiring support during a period of almost two years:

Questore Francesco DISALVIA
Capo Gabinetto Dott. Giuseppe ROMA
Comandante Agenti Dott. Nicolo RAPARA
Capitano Angelo USAI
Tenente Giuseppe MUSOLFO
Vice-Brigadiere Giuseppe DIEMBRODZIE
Agente Giacomo MAZZOTTA

4. With respect to Vice-Brigadiere Giuseppe DIEMBRODZIE, as it had at a previous time requested, this office recommends that in consideration of the fine service rendered, he be promoted to the rank of Brigadiere. This office would appreciate any information as to that possibility at the earliest possible date.

R. H. Wilson
ROBERT H. WILSON,
Lieut. Col., C.M.C.P.
Director, C.I.D.

HEADQUARTERS
6709½, 100th Street (NW)
info 742-4200
ext 542

6 September 1945

SUBJECT: General List.

To : Chairman and Members, House Committee on Civil Liberties, Congress
House of Representatives, Washington, D.C.
Senate Select Committee on Civil Liberties, Senate,
Washington, D.C.

1. It is felt that the services of the Criminal Investigations Division are desired in authority to be granted and is indicating that full efforts will be expeditious to make the majority of legal and administrative cooperations and associations during the period of one or two years.

2. Your assistance and faithful collaboration make our task a great deal easier and since we will be your continuing partner you may consider a victory over the Communists as your own and a fulfillment. The Communists have worked skillfully and long-continuously giving new a life and the sign of their devotion to duty you have all their admiration.

3. It is the desire of this Bureau to furnish especially the following officers, non-commissioned officers and agents who have signed names with the post office of the U.S. for their exclusive collaboration, gen-t officers, and non-commissioned officers having a period of about two years:

Chairman House Committee on Civil Liberties
Rep. George H. Mahon, D-Mass.
Chairman Select Committee on Civil Liberties
Rep. John W. McCormack, D-Mass.
Rep. George H. Mahon
Rep. Stephen Pace, D-Mass.
Rep. George H. Mahon

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4. With respect to Vice-Lieutenant General Clegg, as it has at a previous time requested, this office recommends that in consideration of the fact service rendered, he be promoted to the rank of Brigadier. This office would appreciate any information as to that possibility at the earliest possible date.

Robert Wilson
Robert Wilson
Chairman
Committee on Civil Liberties

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HEADQUARTERS
VENEZUELA REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

3 September 45.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
(att: Public Safety Sub-Commission) ✓
SUBJECT : Promotion - Agents of P.S.
FILE NO. : RXII/P5/6.9.2

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Attached documents re promotion for
Agent of P.S. from Provincial Commissioner,
Udine, are forwarded for favour of transmittal
to the Minister of the Interior.

J. B. Green Capt

F.G. GREEN
Lieut. Colonel,
Regional Public
Safety Officer.

TO	INIT	DATE
DIRECTOR	GHD	7-10
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	GHD	7-10
EXEC. OFFICER	GHD	7-10
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PREFETTURA DI UDINE
GABINETTO

N. 4262/Cab

Udine, li 27 agosto 1945

OGGETTO: CARBONI Ilario - Agente di P.S. - Promozione.

Risposta a nota

A S.E. IL GOVERNATORE MILITARE ALLEATO UDINE
con pregiore di compiacente inoltro al
MINISTERO DELL'INTERNO Dir.Gen.P.S. ROMA

Dal giorno inavui, compiutasi la liberazione, ho
assunto l'incarico, ho potuto personalmente speri-
mentare le ottime qualità morali e professionali del-
l'Agente di P.S. CARBONI Ilario assegnato alla locale
Questura dal giugno del 1939 e dal primo maggio ad-
detto alla mia persona.

Di specchiata condotta sotto ogni riguardo, riser-
vato, prudente, preciso, si dedica senza limitazione
al proprio servizio, che dieimpegna in modo esemplare.

Lo ritengo meritevole della promozione a Vice
Brigadiere e rivolgo preghiera di voler cortesemente
esaminare la possibilità di concedergli questo miglio-
ramento che lo incoraggerà a perseverare nel lavoro
e nelle dedizione, come finora ha fatto, non curando
fatica e sacrificio.

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IL PREFETTO
(A.Candolini)

HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

6 September 45

AC/14612/1/1/23

SUBJECT : Assistance : Families of P.S. Agents
TO : SCACO ABC Venezia Giulia

1. Herewith translation of letter received
from the Ministry of Interior for information and
any action that may be possible.

Colonel Harms
f JOHN J. CHAPMAN
Colonel, U.S.A.C.
Director.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APC 354

6 September 45

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SUBJECT : U.S. Accepts of Revision
TO : Minister of Interior
Director of I.C.

Reference your Div. TAT 3.50 800/3236A
1.
of 26/6/45.

2. Particulars of your letter have been
forwarded to authorities in Venetia Giulia, for
information and any assistance that may be given
to facilities under the circumstances.

John W. Chatfield
John W. CHATFIELD
Colonel, J.A.S.D.
Director.

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(Translation I.S.)

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

Rome 26-8-1945

General Direction of P.S.
 DIVISION F.A.P. Sect. 3
 n° 300/9236-A

To the ALLIED COMMISSION
 SUB-COMMISSION FOR P.S.
 R.O.P.E.

SUBJECT: P.S. agents that made service at Gorizia.

Mrs. Bertola Pierina, Mrs. Forcisi Agata, Mrs Romeo Antoniette, Mrs Avellino Ide and Mrs De Dominicis Fausta, wives of P.S. agents that where doing service in the Questure at Gorizia, with application send to the Italian Government, they inform that their husbands and their sons on May 3 ult. where arrested by the yugoslavian police, and in the meanwhile ask the monthly payment and the arrears payment of their husbands, having remain with no means of subsistence.

We inform this Commission, beggin you to lend its support in this matter to the Prefect of Gorizia, so that in consideration of the piteous situation of the e/m women, will give to them every needful help.

For the Minister

FERRARI

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TO	FROM	DATE
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DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
SECRETARY		
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Roma 26 agosto 1945

Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Alia Commissione Alleanza-Sottocommissione per la P.S.

R.O.M.A.

F. A. P. n. 3
Ref. 1800/9236-Allegato

Reportato dall'ufficio
di... la V

Oggetto: Agenti di P.S. già in servizio a Gorizia-

Le signore Bortola Pierina, Forcisi Agata, Romeo Antonietta, Avellino Ida e De Dominicis Fausta, mogli di agenti di P.S. che erano in servizio presso la Questura di Gorizia con istanza diretta al Governo Italiano, fanno presente che i loro mariti ed i loro figli vennero il 3 maggio u.s. arrestati dalla polizia jugoslava, e chiedono, pertanto, il pagamento degli assegni mensili o delle competenze arretrate spettanti ai rispettivi mariti, essendo rimaste completamente prive di mezzi di sussistenza.

Se ne informa codesta Commissione, con viva preghiera di voler intervenire presso il Prefetto di Gorizia affinché, in conside-

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razzono della pietosa situazione dello suindicato signore, sia ad osse prestato ogni possibile aiuto.

PEL MINISTRO



- 8 AGO. 1945

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OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL
RODE AREA ALLIED COMMAND
Tel 478619

SUBJECT:- Comprehension.

Ref :- PK/80.

7 Aug 45.

Public Safety S/o, R.O., Alliea Commission

Maresciallo PIZZUTO (Prinavalle)

The above named member of the Italian Police has recently given invaluable assistance to the British Military Police which resulted in the arrest of three notorious deserters.

I should be grateful if you would convey my appreciation of his services to his Commander.

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Lt-Col.
Provost Marshal.
(R.S.L., R. Dobson).

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

9 August 1945

AC/14613/2/1/PS

SUBJECT : Commendation of Italian Public Safety Agents.
TO : Ministry of Interior. Head of Police.

1. The following is a copy of letter received by this Sub-Commission from the Provost Marshal, Allied Military Police, Rome Command, and is sent to you for information and any action you may care to take.

2. "Maresciallo PIZZUO (Primavalle)

The above named member of the Italian Police has recently given invaluable assistance to the British Military Police which resulted in the arrest of three notorious deserters.

I should be grateful if you would convey my appreciation of his services to his Commander."

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

RCB/C

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL
ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
Tel 478679

OSSERVAZIONE: - Elogio.

Ref : - FM/80.

7 Agosto 1945.

Public Safety S/C, II, I., Allied Commission.

Maresciallo PIZZUTO (Primavalle)

Il suonominato membro della Polizia Italiana ha recentemente prestato incalcolabili servizi alla Polizia Militare Britannica, culminanti con l'arresto di tre pericolosi disertori.

Vi sarò grato se vorrete comunicare al suo Comandante il mio riconoscimento dei servizi resi.

Hebber 33
Lt-Col.
Provost Marshal.
(R.S-L.B. Dobson).

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel. 409081-502

AG/14613/2/1/23

2 August 1945.

SUBJECT : Commendation of Italian Public
Safety Agents.

TO : Ministry of Interior, Head of POLICE

1. This Sub-Commission has pleasure in bringing to your notice the following Italian public safety agents for their excellent work rendered this installation while on duty at the Super Garage :-

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Organisation</u>
Tenente di P.S. MONASTERO, Alberto		(Battaglione Mobile)
Guardia " " SIMONE, Vincenzo		(Agenti di P.S.)
" " " PIRRUCCIO, Paolo		(Auxiliari, 2 Compagnie.)

2. These public safety agents have on various occasions demonstrated their loyalty and devotion to duty. Recently when a bribe was offered to them to allow the misuse of WD vehicle, they denounced and arrested the culprits. They have also uncovered and arrested several persons in connection with the thefts of gasoline and lubricants from this garage.

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W.D.

f JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.B.
Director.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Super Garage

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SG-930

31 July 1945

SUBJECT: Commendation of Italian Public Safety Agents.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission,
Headquarters Allied Commission.
(Through Channels)

1. It is requested that recommendation be made to the proper Italian authority to commend the following Italian public safety agents for their excellent work rendered this installation: *which are duty at the Super Garage:-*

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U.C.P.		
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A.D.		
I.S.		

Arthur M. McPhail
ARTHUR M. MCPHAIL
Capt., C.M.P.,
Motor Transp. Officer

TRANSLATION M.C.

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

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20/7/1945

Answer to AG/14613/3/1/PS

Dated 11/7/45

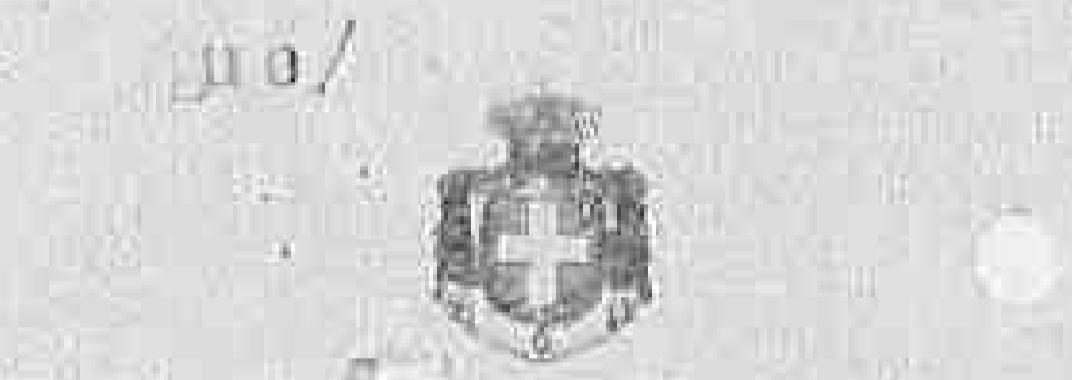
SUBJECT : V. Brig. of P.S. Porta Rebando - Commendation

Referring to aforesaid we inform: this Ministry, in agreement with proposal made by Allied Commission, has granted V. Brig. of P.S. Porta Rebudo commendation to be registered in his service number.

For the Minister
/s/ illegible

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July 19
✓ AB 2/8
✓ JA 1-8
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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

ALLA COMMISSIONE
ALLENATA = Sottocommis-
sione per la P.S. -

Durante P.A.P. Inv. 2°
Fot. A. 800/9228 Allegato

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Riportabili 11/7/45
ADM. / 14/23/2/3/P.S.

Oggetto V. Brig. di P.S. FUITA Rebundo di Ada-
bilo - Encosio.

Con riferimento al foglio sopraddistinto,
si comunica che questo ministero, in accogli-
mento alla proposta di codesta On. Commissione
AlLENATA, ha concesso al V. Brig. di P.s. P.R.
TA Rebundo un encosio da registrarsi in patri-
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P.G. MINISTRO

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel : 475427-530

25 July, 1945.

AC/14613/2/1/P3

SUBJECT : Promotion of ECOS of the P.S.

TO : Ministry of Interior.

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1. Reference your letter number 300/9809 L
dated 10 July 1945.

2. There is no objection to your preparing the
list of officers selected for promotion in the Provinces
in the North with the exception of Venezia Giulia.

W.D.

JOHN V. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.S.D.
Director.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel : 478427-550

25 July 45

AC/14513/2/1/PS

SUBJECT : Commendation of Dott. Filippo De Nardis.
TO : Ministry of Interior.

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The attached letter from the A.M.G. Police
Officer Naples is sent for your information.

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

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Enclosure copy of
letter as above.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
NAPLES COMMUNE
APO 394
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Ref: PS/ 5.10.2

Date 17 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Commendation of Dott. FILIPPO DE NARDIS.

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

1. Dott. Filippo de Nardis, Commissario di Pubblica Sicurezza Questura Naples, has been known to the undersigned for one year, during which time I have found him to be sincere, conscientious, efficient and energetic. Having a knowledge of English, he has been of great assistance to this office in its many contacts with the Questura, and has always been anxious to serve the Allies and his government during this time.

2. It is a pleasure to write this commendation, and it is requested that it be forwarded to the Ministry of the Interior, Attention the Director of Pubblica Sicurezza for future consideration.

3. Inclosed, also for forwarding, is a letter from the Provost Marshal, P.B.S., Southern Division.

FPL/cm.

Rev. 9/5/1
212 24-7 J.P. Luckman
F.P. LUCKMAN
Major, A.C.
S.C.A.P.O.

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Copy to the Questore, Naples.

TRADUZIONE

OGGETTO: Encambio per il Dott. Filippo DE NARDIS.

1. Il Dott. Filippo DE NARDIS, Commissario di Pubblica Sicurezza, Questura, Napoli è stato conosciuto dal sottoscritto da circa un anno.

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Durante questo periodo il l'ho trovato sempre sincero, scrupoloso, efficiente ed energico. Conoscendo l'inglese egli è stato di grande aiuto a questo Ufficio nei suci continui contatti con la Questura ed ha sempre cercato di servire con zelo gli Alleati ed il suo Governo durante questo periodo.

2. E' un piacere per me poter scrivere questo elogio, e chiedo pertanto che esso venga trasmesso al Ministero degli Interni, e per conoscenza al Direttore della Pubblica Sicurezza per essere preso in considerazione in futuro.

3. E' qui acclusa, affinchè sia anche questa trasmessa, una lettera del Provost Marshal, P.B.S. Southern Division.

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TRANSLATION M.C.

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Direzione Gen. Publ. Sic.

Rome, 10 July 1945

F.A.P. Sez. 1^a
N.800/9809 L

146 B/2/1

SUBJECT : Promotion of N.C.O's of the P.S.

We are preparing the list for the promotion of the N.C.O's in the P.S. Corps, who are on service in the provinces administrated by the Italian Government.

This Ministry for the same ends, intends to examine the position of the N.C.O's working in the provinces not yet returned to the Italian Administration.

Meanwhile, we beg the Allied Commission, to inform us if there are no objections to our demand for information to the Prefecture in the North.

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For the Minister

/s/ Illegible.

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Ministro dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Alla COMMISSIONE ALTAZIA
SETTORE COMITATO PER LA
P.S. - R.C.M.A.

Davanti T.A.P. G. T.
Sig. V. Acc/2809 L'Astigiani

Risposta al Taglio del
Dir. Gen. No.

OCCETTO Avanzamento sottufficiali 242. S. -

Questo ministero sta svolgendo i lavori preparatori per procedere all'avanzamento nei vari gradi dei sottufficiali del Corpo delle Guardie di P.S. in servizio presso la Provincia sottoposta all'amministrazione del governo Italiano.

Sarebbe intendimento di questo ministero di esaminare, al fine stimato, anche la possibilità dei sottufficiali in servizio presso le Province non ancora restituite all'amministrazione italiana.

Se ne informa, pertanto, questa Commissione con preghiera di volersi compiere per conoscere se nulla osti a che vengano svolte le necessarie pratiche con le rispettive Prefetture del Nord 327

PEL MINISTRO

[Firma]

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED CO. I. ION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AIO 394

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Tel: 489081-365

AC/14613/2/1/PS

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11 July 1945

SUBJECT : Commendation of P.S. Agent
TO : Director of Public Security, Ministry of Interior.

1. On 23 June 1945 at Florence, Brigadiere Rebando PORTA, Commissario di S. Giovanni commenced investigations to trace small Byzantine pictures missing from iconostasis of the church of Septissima Annunziata dei Greco, of Livorno.

2. The investigations were made together with Professor Filippo Rossi, Director of the Galleries of Florence, and Lt. Frederick Hertt, Monuments and Fine Arts Officer, Tuscan Region. Enquiries were completed within a few days and resulted in the recovery of 10 pictures.

3. Special mention is made of Brigadiere PORTA whose helpfulness, resourcefulness and ingenuity made the investigation possible. His good work is brought to your notice as being worthy of commendation.

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

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
ACG 394

Tel: 479800

AC/14613/2/1/PS

22 June 1945

SUBJEC^T : Lt. Alessandro FAZIOLI
TO : R.E. Dernice, Prefect of Rome.

1. Lieutenant Alessandro FAZIOLI, Agent of Public Safety, acts as Liaison Officer between the Ministry of Interior and this Headquarters, Public Safety Sub-Commission.
2. Lieutenant FAZIOLI served as Liaison Officer between the Questura di Roma and Allied Commission, Regional Headquarters, from June 12, 1944, to March, 1945, when he took up his present appointment.
3. Lieutenant FAZIOLI has performed his duties in a most painstaking and conscientious manner, and his work is of the highest order. His genial manner has done much to create the harmonious atmosphere that exists between the Italian Agencies and this Sub-Commission.
4. I understand that Lieutenant FAZIOLI has ⁷³²⁹ been a Member of Cavaliere of the Star of Italy since 1941, and it is felt that he has well merited a promotion to Commendatore of the Crown - Italy.
5. Forwarded for such action as you consider appropriate.

Wm. C. Bullock May

for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director.

WCB/G.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFU 39A

Tel : 478708

13 April, 1945.

AC/14613/2/1/P/S

SUBJECT : Commendation.

TO : Ministry of Interior
Director of Public Security.

The following members of the Corps of P.S. Agents have been commended by the H.Q. Commandant, this HQ, for their ability and devotion to duty in detecting a theft of Allied property and bringing the offenders to justice, and it has been requested that their work and whole-hearted co-operation be brought to your notice :

Maresciallo CLEMENTANO Guido,
Guardia PINRARI Franco,
Guardia ZONA Beniamino,

of the Battaglioni Mobili Agenti P.S. Ausiliari 7^a Compagnie.


JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Public Safety 7324
Sub-Commission.

cc/c.

SG-930

RFW/an

Hq. Allied Commission, Super Garage, APO 394, 10 Apr 45.

To: Hq. Commandant, Hq. A. C.

Concur.

R. Wiley
 R. F. WILEY
 Capt. Cav.
 C.O. Super Garage

HQ COMMANDANT	
FILE MAC/10	
11 APR 1945	
SPK.	<i>R. Wiley</i>
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OFFICE OF THE HEADQUARTERS COMMANDANT, HQ, AC, 11 April 1945.

TO Director, Public Safety Sub-Commission.

Reference attached commendation, in which I concur, would you please be good enough to convey the thanks of this Section to the appropriate Italian authority for the whole-hearted cooperation with the officers of 7323 the Super Garage.

R. H. Robertson Colonel
 R. H. ROBERTSON
 Hq. Commandant.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Super Garage

SG-930

10 April 1945

SUBJECT: Commendation of Italian Public Safety Agents.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission,
Headquarters Allied Commission.
(Through Channels)

1. It is requested that recommendation be made to the proper Italian authority to commend the following Italian public safety agents for their excellent work rendered this installation:

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Organization</u>
Maresciallo P.S.	CELENTANO, Guido	(Battaglione Mobile
Guardia " "	FERRARI, Franco -	{ Agenti P. S. Ausiliari - 2a Compagnia.
" " "	ZONA, Beniamino	

2. These public safety agents demonstrated great ability and devotion to duty in uncovering a theft of Allied property and through their efforts and initiative succeeded in finding and apprehending the culprits, from whom, when confronted with the evidences, written confessions were obtained.

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Arthur M. Mc Phail
ARTHUR M. MC PHAIL
CAPTAIN C.M.P.
MOTOR MAINT.OFFICER

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
A.C. 30A

Tel : 475500

29 Dec. 1944.

S/14613/2/1/PB

SUBJECT : Commendation of P.S. Officials.

TO : Ministry of Interior
Director of Public Security.

The below named Questura Officials have been commended by the A.C. authorities, Southern Region, for their extremely good work in a case where a number of persons were convicted at Naples of forging prison release warrants.

The Regional Public Safety Officer states that the results obtained were entirely due to the detective ability and resourcefulness displayed by the personnel named, and that their exemplary conduct and devotion to duty is worthy of the highest commendation.

This Sub-Commission is very pleased to forward these remarks for your information and whatever action you may deem advisable.

The Officials and Agents are :-

Coun. Cav. Alessandro Giansanti
Come. Ago. Dott. Federico Manganella
1st Class Marecchiallo Cataldo Ferrante
V/Brig. Francesco Cerdaropoli
Selected Guard Luigi de Costanzo
Guard Salvatore Russo.

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

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

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Ref: PS/ 3.2.2

Date 26 December 1944

SUBJECT: Commendation of P.S. Agents.

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

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1. Reference your attached correspondence No. AC/14613/2/1/PS of 20 Dec 44 relative to the recent case in Naples where a number of persons were convicted for the forgery of AM prison release warrants.

2. As intimated in your letter, I am conversant with this case, but was unaware of the correspondence with the Prefect of Naples.

3. However, I would like to add to the comments of the Regional Legal Officer by stating that the 'breaking-up' of this extremely dangerous gang of forgers was due entirely to the detective ability and resourcefulness displayed by the Questura personnel named. Throughout the investigation their conduct was exemplary and their devotion to duty is worthy of the highest commendation.

4. In these circumstances, it is suggested a suitable letter from H.Q. Allied Commission to the Italian Ministry of the Interior would meet the case.

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For the Regional Commissioner:

G. Richardson

G. RICHARDSON
Major,
Regional Public
Safety Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFO 394

Tel : 439001 - 365

20 Dec. 1944.

AC/11613/2/1/PS

SUBJECT : Commendation of P.S. Agents.

To : Regional Public Safety Officer, ✓
Southern Region.

1. The enclosed letters which do not appear to have
been seen by you, are forwarded herewith.

Letter dated 14 Dec. 1944 from
Lt. Col. Dawson to the Prefect of Naples

Letter dated 16th Dec. 1944 from
Lt. Col. Dawson to Public Safety Sub-Commission.

2. You may consider that this case, with which you are
familiar, is one in which the officials and agents of the Questura
should be commended.

John W. Chapman

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

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION ALLIED COMMISSION
LEGAL DIVISION
APO 394, U.S. Army.

16 December 1944.

SUBJECT : Promotion of the Agents at the Questura.
TO : HQ., Public Safety Sub-Commission, Rome.

1. Supplemental our conversation of recent date relative to the promotion of several Questura Agents who gave great assistance in the arrest and conviction of several civilians who were engaged in the unlawful release of prisoners sentenced by A.M.C. Court, I am attaching hereto copy of a letter recently sent to several Departments who can be of assistance in their promotion.
2. whatever your Department can do in this matter will be greatly appreciated.
3. S/Sgt. Padula is well familiar with the work of these Agents in connection with this case. With three exceptions, all were convicted and given long terms of imprisonment.

For the Regional Commissioner,

I.F. DAWSON
Lt. Col. C.L.
Regional Chief Legal Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
LEGAL DIVISION
394 APO, U.S. Army

14 December 1944

TO : H.E. the prefect of the Naples Province

I am glad to be able to congratulate you on the results, which have been obtained through enquiries carried out successfully by the Mobile Squad for the discovery of the persons, who effected the forgery of the papers authorising the release from prison of prisoners sentenced by Allied Courts.

The co-operation of the Questura in this important undertaking has been very efficacious and very much appreciated, as it brought to an end this criminal activity of a gang, which directly threatened the course of Justice.

Therefore, it is the desire of this Command, that the officials and P.S. agents be rewarded with a special promotion to the higher grade, as in carrying out the investigations, they showed particular intuition and ability and also an uncommon spirit of duty and self-sacrifice, resting neither night nor day, in order to succeed in their task, running serious dangers in arresting the forgers.

The officials and agents in question are as follows:

- 1) Commissario Cav. Alessandro Gaiani;
- 2) Commissario Agg. Dott. Federico Menganelli;
- 3) 1st class maresciallo Cataldo Ferrante;
- 4) V. Brigadiere Francesco Cardaropoli;
- 5) Selected Guard Luigi de Costanzo;
- 6) Guard Salvatore Russo.

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L.F. DAWSON,
Lieut. Colonel, C.I.

Reg. Legal Officer,
Southern Region, A.C.

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THE DUCHESS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AMC 394

POL : 532001 - 365

26 Dec. 1944.

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TO : Regional Public Safety Officer,
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JOHN R. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.C.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
 SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
 LEGAL DIVISION
 APO 394, U.S. Army

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For the Regional Commissioner:

See 314

L. F. Dawson
 L.F. DAWSON, *By C. T. [initials]*
 Lt. Col., G.L.,
 Regional Chief Legal Officer.

TO	
COL. CHAPMAN	
COL. YOUNG	
LT. COL. WILCOX	
MAJ. LUCKMAN	
MAJ. WILSON	Q 20/24
MAJ. HANBU	
MAJ. BALLANCE	
CAPT. POWELL	
CHIEF CLERK	

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HEADQUARTERS
 SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
 LEGAL DIVISION
 394 A.P.C., U.S. Army

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- 5) Selected Guard maggiore Costanzo;
- 6) Guard Salvatore Russo.

L.F. DAWSON,
 Lieut. Colonel, C.B.

Reg. Legal Officer,
 Southern Region, A.C.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED COMMISSION
LEGAL DIVISION
394 APO, U.S. Army

14 December 1944

AL: S.E. Prefetto della Provincia di
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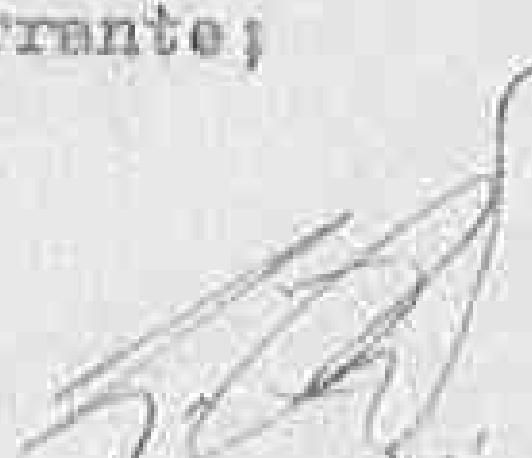
Sono lieto di potermi vivamente congratulare con
Lei per i risultati ed dirittura-inaspettati che sono stati
raggiunti attraverso le indagini portate brillantemente a
termine dalla Squadra Mobile per la scoperta degli autori
della falsificazione di fogli di scarcerazione di detenuti
condannati dalle Corti Alleate.

La collaborazione dataci dalla Questura in questa
importante operazione è stata efficacissima e molto apprezzata
perché è valsa a stroncare la criminosa attività di
una banda che minacciava direttamente l'efficacia della
Giustizia.

E' perciò desiderio di questo Comando che i Funzionari e gli agenti di P.I. che hanno svolto le indagini
dimostrando particolare intuito ed abilità nonché attaccamento
al dovere e spirito di sacrificio non comuni, poiché
non si sono concessi un attimo di riposo dì giorno e di
notte per portare felicemente a termine l'operazione ed
hanno affrontato gravi pericoli per l'arresto dei falsificatori,
siano premiati con una promozione straordinaria al
grado superiore.

I funzionari ed agenti operanti sono:

- 1) Commissario Cav. Alessandro Gaiani;
- 2) Commissario Agg.Dott. Federico Manganella;
- 3) Maresciallo di 1^a classe Cataldo Ferrante;
- 4) V.Brigadiere Francesco Cardaropoli;
- 5) Guardia Scolta Luigi De Contanzo;
- 6) Guardia Salvatore Fusco.


L.F. DAWSON,
Lieut. Colonel, G.L.
Reg. Legal Officer,
Southern Region, A.C.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

ACC/14613/2/1/PS

26 October 1944

SUBJECT : Acknowledgement of letter 533/3509 dated 23 Oct. 1944.

TO : Ministry of Interior. (Director of Public Security).

This Sub-Commission wishes to acknowledge receipt of letter
533/3509 dated 23 October 1944, and to express its thanks and appreciation
for the action you have taken in this matter.

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

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFG 394

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26 October 1944

SUBJECT : Marbego Salvatore - 3rd Class P.S. employee.

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

1. Forwarded herewith copy of translation from Ministry
of Interior No. 333/3509 dated 23 October, 1944, re Marbego Salvatore
3rd class P.S. employee. for information.

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

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Ministry of Interior
333/2509

10/13/2 / 274
2 October 1944

to : AC - P.S. subcommission
reply : ACC/I4/1/2.I/PS, dated 12/9/1944
subj. : Sorbogno Salvatore - 3rd class P.S. employee

Following our verbal agreement, I inform you, that instructions have been sent, by this Ministry to the Prefect of Reggio Calabria, stating that 3rd class P.S. official Sorbogno Salvatore, must provisionally continue in performing duties ad P.S. V.Commissario, till 31st of December 1944, and that, it has been definitively decided that, since then, he will be returned to his functions as an employee of group C.

This Ministry reserves, - and the Prefect of Reggio Calabria, is already acquainted with this, - to grant to Mr. Sorbogno, at the end of his actual appointment, a praise of 10.000 lire as acknowledgement of fulfilling superior task.

for the minister

fm.



Kravat
23 ottobre 1944

Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

la Commissione Alleata - Sottocommissione di
P.S. R O M A

Divisione Person. Se. I^a
tel. 1333-3509 Allegato

Registrazione 12.9.u.sc.
ACC/14613/2.1.P.S.

Oggetto Morbegno Salvatore - impiegato di polizia di 3^a classe.

In relazione alle verbali intese si fa presente che questo Ministero ha comunicato al Prefetto di Reggio Calabria che l'impiegato di polizia di 3^a cl. Morbegno Salvatore deve continuare ad esercitare in via del tutto provvisoria e fino al 31 dicembre '944 le funzioni di vice commissario di p.s., restando definitivamente inteso che alla data suddetta egli sarà restituito alle sue mansioni d'impiegato di gruppo C.

Questo Ministero, poi, si riserva, come è già stato comunicato a quel Prefetto di corrispondere al Morbegno, alla fine dell'attuale incarico, un premio di lire 10.000 a titolo di riconoscimento dell'opera da lui svolta nelle funzioni superiori da lui espletate.

PEL MINISTRO

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

File 23A

AGC/16513/2/1/PB

18 October 1944

SUBJECT : Promotion of Vice Brigadier LARRECHIA Juanuelo.

TO : Ministry of Interior, Director Public Security.

J.W.C.
The enclosed letters recommending the promotion of
the above named, are forwarded for your consideration.

The recommendation is supported by this Headquarters.

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

COPY TO: R.A.F.S.O. Southern Region.

2 Enclosures.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Ref: PS/ 3.2.2

Date 15 Oct. 1944

15/10/44

SUBJECT: Promotion of Agenti di Pubblica Sicurezza.

TO : Director, Public Safety Sub-Commission, HQ.ACC.

See 230

1. Attached recommendation for promotion of Vice-Brigadiere LAPERCHIA Emanuele, an agent of public security in Bari, is forwarded for consideration.

2. The Vice-Brigadiere was recommended to the Minister of Interior for promotion by the Prefect of Bari on 20 June 1944.

For the Regional Commissioner:

G. Richardson Capt.

G. RICHARDSON
Major,
Regional Public
Safety Officer.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
POLICE OFFICE
PALAZZO DEL GOVERNO
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11/10/44

SUBJECT:- Promotion of V.Brigadiere -
Laperchia Emmanuele to
Maresciallo.

TO :-- Headquarters Southern Region ACC
Regional Public Safety Officer

The above named who has been
employed in my office for the past
eight months was recommended by
the Prefect of Bari to the Minister
of Interior for promotion to
Brigadiere on 20 June 1944 last.
In view of the excellent work
done by this V.Brigadiere, may
representation please be made to
higher Italian Authority through
your office for this V.Brigadiere
promotion to Maresciallo.

11/10/44
file 3.1.1

Copy to: R. Questura, Bari

G.M. Revels
G.M. Revels Major
Zone Police Officer
(Bari) A.C.C.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel : 478708

ACC/14613/2/1/RS

12 September, 1944

SUBJECT : Vice Commissario MORBENGO.
TO : Ministry of Interior
Director Public Security.

Your Excellency,

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see 20A
Forwarded herewith is Memorandum furnished by the
Questore of Reggio Calabria, and confirmed by the Prefect,
respecting the services of the above named Vice Commissario
Morbengo, for such action as you may deem suitable.

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A. E. YOUNG, Col.,
Acting Director
Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CATANZARO ZONE

Public Safety

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146132/1
Date: Wed. September, 1944

File Ref: QUES/POL/T

SUBJECT: MORBEGNO Salvatore,
Vice Commissioner, Reggio Calabria.
TO: DIRECTOR PUBLIC SAFETY,
HEADQUARTER ACC.
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB-COMMISSION,
ACO. 384.

Catania

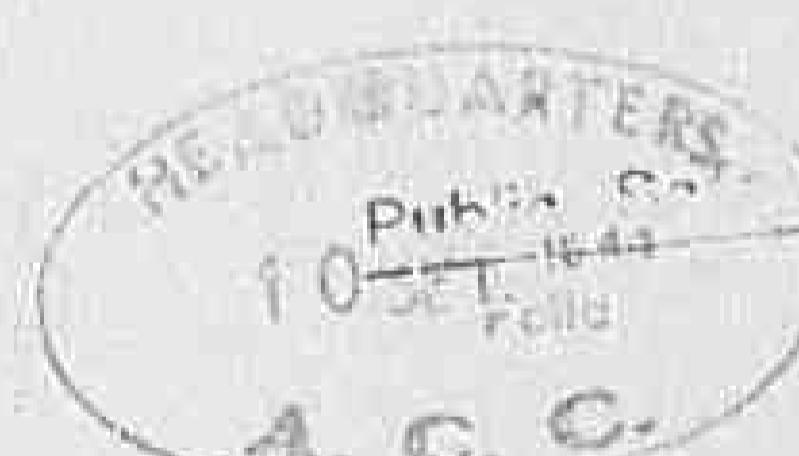
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146132/1 dated 24th August, 1944.

- Reference your ACO/14613/2/1/PS dated 24th August, 1944.
- In compliance with your request it is stated that that the information contained in the memorandum forwarded respecting the a/c sub 7304 was furnished by the Quarters of Reggio Calabria and confirmed by S.C. Prefetto di Reggio Calabria.

R. N. Hobbs, Capt.

*Zone Public Safety Officer
for Zone Commissioner,
Southern Region,
Catanzano Zone.*



A. C. C.

D. P. S.

D. D. P. S.

Ex Officer

POLICE

Prisons

Fire & C. D.

Regn. & Licensing

Adm. Officer

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel. 473700

ACC/14613/2/1/MS

24 August 1944

SUBJECT : MORRISON Salvatore,
Vice Commissario, Reggio Calabria.
TO : P.P.B.O. Region 7

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1. Your letter OSES/POL/1 dated 18th August
1944 enclosing a memorandum respecting the services
of Vice Commissario MORRISON is acknowledged.

2. There is no indication as to the author of See 20A
the memorandum. May we please be informed. 730.

Under X
PAUL G. KIRK, Lt Col
Colonial Inf.
Director Public Safety

AFW/hgd

HEADQUARTERS REGION VII
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

File Ref: 203/POI/1.

Date: 18th August, 1944.

SUBJECT: MORGAGNO Salvatore, Vice Commissioner, Reggio Calabria.
TO: The Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission,
Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission
AUG 1944.

See 198

1. Reference your 203/14613/2/TS dated 18th August, 1944.
2. I enclose herewith memorandum respecting the service rendered by the
a/o Vice Commissioner MORGAGNO Salvatore performing duties with
Questura of Reggio Calabria.
- 18B 18C
3. English and Italian copies are forwarded, the former for information
and record; the latter for forwarding to the Minister of Interior,
Italian Government.

R. H. Roth
R. H. Roth, U.S.A.
Fox G. Richardson, Major,
Regional Public Safety Advisor.

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MEMORANDUM RE MORBEGNO - LVATORE

Mr. MORBEGNO Salvatore has been in the P.S. Department, Group C, since June 1928 and was promoted from the 13th to the 11th degree, reaching, after the examinations, the position of employee of the Police of 3rd class, in 1932.

Although being in group C, during last year he has always co-operated with the officials whom he depended on, and by his personal special intuition and courage he has always efficiently contributed to the success of the Judiciary Police services.

In 1933 he received a silver medal for valour in connection with arrests of criminals who resisted him violently.

In September 1943, since the Allied landing, for his ability, which he had already shown in the past, and considering the shortage of P.S. Officials, he was charged by the Allied Command to perform the duties of an Official of P.S.; he fulfills those duties with ability, zeal and cleverness superior to any expectation, so that he was praised by the Allies, and in February 1944 the Chief of the A.M.G. of that Province confirmed with a regular decree, copy of which is here enclosed, his appointment as Vice-Commissioner of P.S. X degree.

Since his appointment he has made very important services for the Allies, particularly in repressing the olive oil contraband by sequestering several quintals of oil; in the struggle against delinquency, discovering a large association of delinquents responsible for a long series of thefts and robberies committed last year in the most intense period of bombardments. Lately, and enquiries are still pending, he has validly and efficiently co-operated in the struggle against a very dangerous gang of criminals, authors of several murders, robberies and brigandage actions, who had spread terror in the commune of Aspromonte, particularly at S. Rufeno where the bandits had occupied the village. Mr. Morbego, in this occasion, had many times put his life in danger, coming in direct conflict with the chiefs of the gang, who have been arrested together with the other members of it (about 70).

Mr. Morbego has always, even during the fascist regime, shown his feelings were completely opposite to the said party and in the new political order he is performing a very active service for the identification of residual elements still imbued of fascist spirit.

As to the impossibility for the Ministry of Interior to confirm the appointment of Morbego to degree A because he has not the necessary education, we must point out:-

- 1) A great many officials of the P.S. in service have not a University degree, but only a diploma of high school. Morbego, besides having that diploma, (license liceale classica) is at his second year of University for "Giurisprudenza" (Lawyer).

- 2) As the appointment has been done by the Allies, there is no matter of one or other group, moreover because the Allies have appointed him after he gave concrete and effective proofs that he had the attitudes and ability required to fulfill the duty of the office which he has been appointed to.
- 3) Art. 1 of Decreto Luogotenenziale of 26th July, No. 162, published on the Gazzetta Ufficiale of 1st instant, should overcome any question because in the 3rd Comma of the said article it is expressly said that the appointments made by the Allied Military Authority will be in any case confirmed as made by the Italian Government itself.
- 4) We must also bear in mind that by revoking the appointment made, though being an unjustified action, you would put the official in a very difficult position in front of the personnel of the Questura and also of the population that in this year in which he fulfilled so efficiently his duty of Vice Commissioner has always appreciated and admired him.

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Il S.M. Morbegno Salvatore fa parte dell'Amministrazione della P.S. Gruppo C dal giugno 1928 ed ha percorso i gradi dal 13° al 3° e raggiunse la qualifica di Impiegato di Polizia di 3° cl. per concorso nel 1932.

Egli però, pur facendo parte del Gruppo C, negli anni scorsi ha sempre collaborato con i Funzionari che lo hanno avuto alla dipendenza ed ha sempre con il suo particolare intuito e coraggio contribuito efficacemente alla riuscita di servizi di polizia giudiziaria.

Fu decorato nel 1933 con medaglia d'argento al valore civile per atto di coraggio compiuto contro delinquenti che lo avevano violentemente aggredito a mano armata per la sua azione svolta contro di loro.

Nel settembre del 1943 dall'epoca cioè dell'occupazione degli Alleati, per la sua capacità già dimostrata nel tempo passato ed in considerazione della deficienza specialmente qualitativa di Funzionari di P.S. fu del Comando Alleato adibito alle mansioni di Funzionario di P.S.; mansioni che egli espletò con competenza, zelo e capacità superiori all'aspettativa tali da meritarsi il plauso degli Alleati tanto che nel febbraio del c.a. il Capo del Governo Militare Alleato della Provincia volle confermare con regolare decreto di cui si allega copia la sua nomina a V.Commissario di P.S. = grado X.

Da che il Morbegno fu investito delle funzioni di V. Commissario di P.S. ha reso importanti servizi agli Alleati e si è particolarmente distinto nella repressione del contrabbando dell'olio, riuscendo con la sua azione a sequestrare diverse decine di migliaia di quintali di detto prodotto; nella lotta contro la delinquenza scoprendo una vasta associazione di malviventi responsabili di una lunga serie di furti e saccheggi commessi lo scorso anno nel periodo più intenso dei bombardamenti su questa città. Ultimamente, e sono tuttora in corso altre indagini, ha molto validamente ed efficacemente collaborato nella lotta contro una pericolosissima banda di malfattori autori di diversi omicidi, rapine, estorsioni che avevano sparso il terrore nei comuni dell'Aspromonte ed in particolare a S.Eufemia dove i banditi erano addirittura riusciti ad occupare il paese.

Il Morbegno in questa occasione ha più volte messo in pericolo la propria vita venendo a conflitto diretto con i capi della banda che sono stati arrestati insieme ad altri complici - circa una settantina.

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Il Morbegno ha sempre anche durante il regime fascista esternato sentimenti nettamente contrari al detto partito e nel nuovo ordine politico egli svolge intensa attività per la identificazione di residui elementi turbolenti ancora imbevuti di spirito fascista.

Circa la presunta impossibilità addotta dal Ministero dell'Interno Italiano di confermare il Morbegno al grado X gruppo A per mancanza di titolo di studio; si deve far presente:

- 1 - Moltissimi dei funzionari di P.S. in servizio non sono in possesso di laurea, bensì di diploma di scuola media superiore. ed il Morbegno oltre ad avere tale titolo (licenza liceale classica) è iscritto al 2° anno di giurisprudenza.
- 2 - Trattandosi di nomina fatta dagli Alleati esula la questione dell'appartenenza all'uno o all'altro gruppo tanto più che a lui sono stati riconosciuti per concrete ed effettive prove già date, i requisiti e le attitudini che si richiedono per il grado al quale è stato nominato.
- 3 - L'art. 1º del Decreto Luogotenenziale del 20 Luglio sc. N. 162 pubblicato nella Gazzetta Ufficiale del 1º corr. dovrebbe superare ogni altra questione in quanto nel 3 comma di detto articolo è esplicitamente detto che le nomine fatte dalle Autorità Militari Alleate saranno riconosciute in ogni caso come se compiute dal Governo Italiano.
- 4 - Dovrà altresì essere tenuto presente che l'eventuale revoca della promozione in parola, oltre ad essere non giustificata, metterebbe il Funzionario in una situazione equivoca nei confronti del personale della Questura ed anche nella popolazione che in questo anno in cui egli ha esercitato le mansioni di funzionario di P.S. lo ha seguito ed apprezzato.

Per tutte le ragioni su esposte si è d'avviso che la nomina del Morbegno a Vice Commissario di P.S. debba essere confermata da parte delle Autorità Italiane avendo egli, ripeto, già dato in questo anno di tempo più che sufficienti prove di capacità e attitudini per continuare ad espletare le funzioni che in atto lodevolmente svolge, anche in servizio di ordine pubblico ove agisce con signorilità, tatto ed energia, rivelandosi un Funzionario perfetto.

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ARMED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
Province of Reggio in Calabria

Ref:

Subject:

To: Moi Capt W.H. Harrison
Capo del Governo Militare istituto per la Provincia di Reggio Cal.

Considerato che per le deficienze di funzionari di P.S. l'impiegato di polizia Sig. Monbano Salvatore, dal settembre u.s. è stato affidato a svolgere le mansioni inerenti al grado di funzionario di P.S. dimostrando di possedere requisiti di esperienza, intelligenza e competenza
stremo da dare sicuro affidamento di bene continuare in tali funzioni;
considerato che per la sua leale attività merita un giusto riconoscimento;

In forza dei poteri a Moi conferiti:

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O R D I N A N C E
Il signor Monbano Salvatore è nominato Vice Comandante di P.S. (grado
T.O.P.) con decorrenza dal 10 febbraio 1944.-

Reggio Cal. 8 febbraio 1944

Firmato Capt. W.H. Harrison
S.O.A.O. Reggio Calabria

P.D.C.
Il cui titolo di P.D.
Lorenzo Quagliari

proprietario conduttore
proprietario con beni affittati (o Sig.
affittuario (di beni del Sig. _____))
proprietario (o affittuario) direttor coltivatore
(scrivere le rote che non interessano)

Consignado, conforme autorizado

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HEADQUARTERS
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
 Public Safety Sub-Commission
 APO 394

Tel : 478708

9 August, 1946.

SUBJECT : Morbegno Salvatore,
Vice Commissario, Reggio Calabria.

TO : U.S. Director of Public Safety
 Ministry of the Interior.

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1. Reference is made to your letter 333/352.
2. The deposition of Morbegno Salvatore, who was appointed Vice Commissario of Public Security in Reggio Calabria by A.M.G., is a matter to be decided by your Department in accordance with Italian regulations.
3. This Sub-Commission has written to the Public Safety Officer in Reggio Calabria for a report on the services rendered to A.M.G. by Vice Commissario Morbegno and this will be forwarded to you in due course.

PAUL C. KIRK
 Colonel Inf.
 Director Public Safety
 Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

See 16A
Tel: 478708

8 August, 1944.

ACC/14613/2/re

SUBJECT : MORBEGNO Salvatore, Vice Commissario
Reggio Calabria.

See 16A

TO : Regional Public Safety Officer
Region 7. *16A*

1. The enclosed letter dated 31st July, 1944 has been received
from the Minister of the Interior.

2. Although it is not possible to insist on the Italian
Government confirming appointments contrary to Italian law, you may
wish to record your appreciation of the abilities and services rendered by
Morbegno.

3. Any such remarks, which may assist Morbegno's future career,
will be forwarded to the Minister.

PAUL G. KIRK
Colonel Inf. *7295*
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR
General Direction of Public Safety

Personal Div. Sec. I
333/3502

31 July 44

SUBJECT: Morbegno Salvatore, Police employee Group C - appointed vice-commissario
P.S. Group A

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

The prefect of Reggio Calabria has communicated that by order of February 8th 44, issued by the Chief of the A.M.G. of that province, the police employee - 3rd class, Group C, rank XI, Morbegno Salvatore, in service there, has been appointed Vice-Commissario P.S. -(Group A, rank X).

Regarding such appointment this ministry has to bring to notice, that the Italian legislation sub-divides its state dependents into 3 distinct groups A - B - C, each one of these groups has different functions and consequently the cultural preparations and attitudes requested are different.

Therefore Group A - only those who are in possession of a University degree.

Group B - those in possession of a High school certificate.

Group C - those in possession of a Lower grade certificate

Consequently the appointment into Group A of Morbegno, who, owing to his course of studies and his personal qualifications, was, at that time admitted into Group C, this is against the dispositions which regulate the juridical condition and career of the personnel of the state Administrations, which do not even foresee the possibility of passing from one group into another.

This commission is humbly begged to examine the necessity of removing the above appointment, with the understanding that Morbegno will be taken into special consideration in order to improve his career further, from Group C, while an adequate prize in recognition of his excellent services rendered shall be given to him.

Translation 6/8/44
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AFFAIRED TRADE CARRIERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

15th July, 1944

AAC/14613/2/1

SIR: Your Commendation on my office.

To : Minister of the Interior.

1. Enclosed is a letter dated 5th July 1944, from the Regional Public Safety Officer, Sicily, concerning a report from the Provincial Public Safety Officer in Palermo.
2. These papers are forwarded for your information.

R. W. W.

✓ RALF G. KIRK,
Colonel, R.A.C.,
Chair, Public Safety
Sub-Commission
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION, Sicily Region HQ. AFC 354.

5/7/44 BA

to : Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission, ACC, HQ.

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1. Forwarded. Shortly after our arrival in Palermo, Dr. ANANDCLEA became the Liaison Officer between this Division and the Questura. In this capacity I gained a personal knowledge of his exceptional qualities and his readiness to co-operate and assist at all times. Later he was placed at the disposition of the Regional Office of Public Security and loaned for various special services to this Division. He has recently been working with Lt. Col. FITE who pays tribute to the valuable services he has rendered.

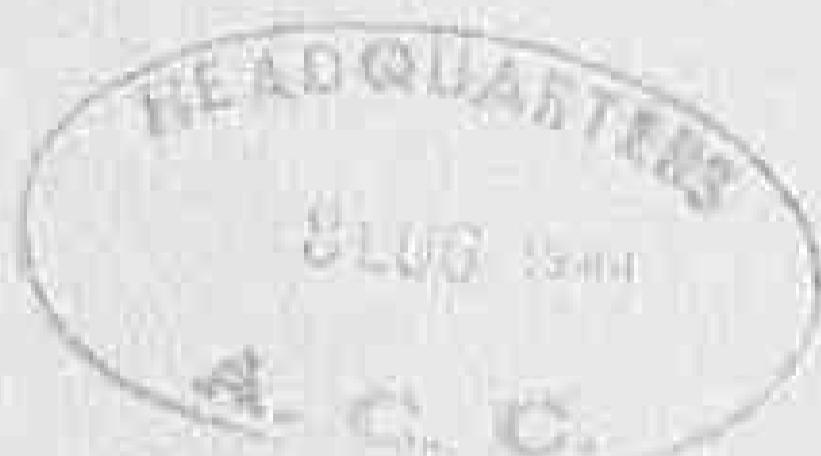
2. I therefore suggest that this report should be forwarded through appropriate channels with a strong recommendation that Dr. ANANDCLEA should be promoted at the earliest possible moment, to the higher rank for which he qualified in 1941.

For the Regional Commissioner.

R. A. Snook, 7293

Lt. Colonel,

Regional Public Safety Officer.



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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Division
PALERMO

3/7/44.

P.B

SUBJECT : Recommendation of a Civil Police.

TO : Lt.Col. Russel A. Snook,
Regional Public Safety Officer,
REGION 1.

1. I beg to bring to notice the excellent work performed by Dr. Matteo Renato AMENDOLEA of the P.S. Dept.
2. He has been closely associated with Major G. Richardson whilst he was in charge of the Special Police Dept. at Palermo and has been working under my direction in Palermo since Jan. this year.
3. To mention only two cases, Dr. Amendolea did invaluable work in the case of the French trouble at Trapani in March and later in May he rendered yeoman service during the investigation of a complicated case of the larceny of flour at Picarazzelli. The latter case was extremely delicate by reason of allegations against Allied Personnel, however he displayed such tact and discretion whilst interrogating Italian Officials that none of them obtained the slightest hint that other personnel might be involved.
4. In all his dealings I have found him to be level headed, calm, and strictly impartial, a very necessary qualification in a good Police Officer.
5. Dr. Amendolea has 16 years service in the P.S. Dept. and in 1941 passed the necessary examination qualifying him for promotion to higher rank.

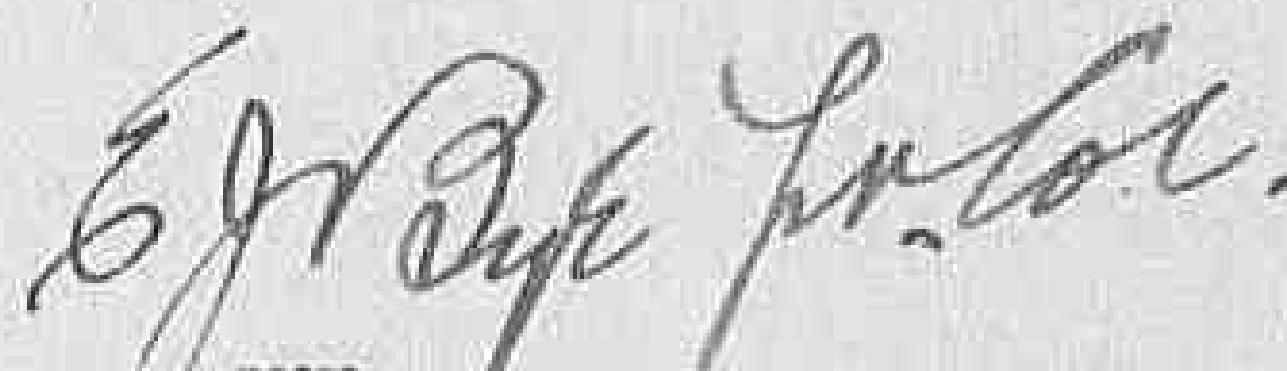
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6. He held the position of Lieut. Commander in the Italian Navy, and he speaks three languages in addition to his native tongue i.e. English, French and Spanish.

7. He is definitely Democratic in his ideals. He has done such sterling and faithful work for the Allied cause that his promotion would be a distinct advantage to the Allies and Italian Government.

8. For these reasons I ask that this report be forwarded through the appropriate channels in order that Dr. Amendolea may be suitably rewarded for the very excellent work he has performed.

For the Provincial Commissioner.



E.J. BYE,
Lt Colonel,
Provincial Police Officer 7290

HEADQUARTERS REGION VII
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

Date: 8th August 1944

File Ref: RVII/PS/431

SUBJECT: SERIOUS CRIME - MURDER AND ARMED ROBBERY
TO: THE CHIEF, PUBLIC SAFETY SUB-COMMISSION,
HEADQUARTERS, A. C. C., APO NO. 394.

1. Further reference to my report under correspondence quoted above and dated 15th July 1944 relative to the activities and 'breaking up' of two bands of armed criminals at Santa Euphemia Aspromonte, Province of Reggio Calabria, on 11th July 1944 by a combined force of CC.RR and officers and agents of the Questura of the Province.

2. Since that 'incident' and as a result of police activity many persons suspected of complicity have been detained; furthermore, information has now been received at this Headquarters that on 6th August 1944 Questura personnel apprehended the two ringleaders who evaded arrest on 11th July, namely, PINNERI Vincenzo and LEONELLO Gioscchino - they will now take their trial on an Indictment containing 72.3 at least four Counts charging them with wilful murder.

3. Forwarded for information.

Richardson
G. Richardson, Major,
Reg. Public Safety Officer,
for Regional Commissioner.

Copy to Reg. Commr. HQ Reg. VII, ACC.

*Foto
12A*TRANSLATION

Letter from Ministry of Interior, General Direction P.S., dated 20 July, 1944.

SUBJECT : Simulation.

We very much appreciated the report on Vice-Commissioner
Guirino Doct. Salvatore, and the Agents PAGANO, Giuseppe, GINTOLE Cor-
rado and DONATELLI Niccola, on services done at the Questure of Palermo.

We thank you and assure that this reports were alleged to
the personal fascicles of the above named."

Sgd. for the Minister.

1st IND.

ACG/14601/17/1/ps

Tel : 489081
Rmt : 502

SUBJECT : Recommendations of Police.

30 July, 1944.

TO : R.P.S.O. Region I.
(through R.O.)

SP/MAP/MA refer

The above is passed to you, with reference to your
XJB/sf dated 5 July, 1944.

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

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TRANSMISSION

Letter from Ministry of Interior, General Direction P.S., dated 20 July 1944.

SUBJECT : Signification.

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We very much appreciated the report on Vice-Commissioner GUARINO Doctor Selvatore, and the Agents PAGANO Giuseppe, CINTOLE Conrado and DONATELLI Nicolo, son services done at the Questure of Palermo.

We thank you and assure that this reports were alleged to the personal faculties of the above named.

/s/ for the Minister

JUL 22 1944



Ministere dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Direzione PUBBLICA SICUREZZA
Tel. N° Allegato

OGGETTO: Segnalazione

Mai. N° 406

Roma, 20 luglio 1944

Pubb. Safety

PER CONCESSIONE AUTORITÀ
DI CONTRARRE SOTTOCOSTAN-
SIONE DELLA F.S. S.D.B.

Ricordando il
Dir. P. S. N°

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E' stata molto gradita la segnalazione che
dette Commissione si è compiaciuta far cirve-
nire nei riguardi del Vice Commissario di p.s.
Giovanni Salvatore e degli Agenti di p.s. Pa-
gano Giuseppe, Santole Corrado e Donatello Nico-
la, per l'opera da essi prestata alla questura di
Palermo.

Mentre si ringrazia vivamente, si auspica che
della segnalazione stessa è stata presa nota nei
fascicoli personali degli interessati perché pos-
sa essere valutata a tutti gli effetti la cam-
pagna.

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HEADQUARTERS REGION VII
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

File Ref: RV11/PG/431

15th July 1944.

SUBJECT : SERIOUS CRIME - MURDER AND ARMED ROBBERY
 TO : The Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission,
 Rear Headquarters, A.C.C.

G.A. refers.

1. The submission of this special report is to bring to your notice the creditable conduct of combined forces of the Garabinieri Reali and Questura officials and agents in "rounding up" two armed bands of criminals who have been operating recently in the SANTA EUFENIA ASPROMONTE district of the Province of REGGIO CALABRIA. Before giving the details I would like to mention that this is purely a criminal matter and has no political significance whatsoever.

2. Briefly, the facts are that prior to 10th July 1944 a number of armed robberies occurred in this particular area and eventually it was established that two armed bands under the "command" of PIRERI Vincenzo and LNUCELLI Giacchino, respectively, were responsible for those acts of terrorism - needless to say, these two "leaders" are well-known local criminals.

3. It appears that dissention arose between the two bands, a vendetta commenced and during the conflicts it has been established that four members of the bands and six civilians have lost their lives.

4. On 10th July 1944 these armed criminals were traced to the Comune of SANTA EUFENIA ASPROMONTE where they had put the local population in terror, forcibly entered and taken over the Municipio and local O.C.R.R. Station and established "strong points" commanding entry to the Comune.

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5. On the early morning of the following day, 11th July, a strong force of O.C.R.R. and Questura officials and agents from REGGIO CALABRIA, accompanied by Captain HOPBS our P.P.S.C. of REGGIO Province acting as observer, entered the village and after a brief skirmish thirty-six of these "bandits" were arrested and order restored. Two of the "bandits" were wounded, but no member of the police agency was injured.

6. A miscellaneous assortment of arms and ammunition was recovered from the possession of the armed criminals such as Freda light machine guns and automatic rifles, rifles, side arms and hand grenades. The source of supply of this property is interesting in as much as it is suspected it has

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been obtained in the majority of cases by theft subterfuge from Italian military "dumps" - enquiry in this direction is proceeding and should the suspicion prove correct, the appropriate action will be taken to ensure the future safety of such stores.

7. Unfortunately, the leaders of these gangs escaped during the raid, but an intensive search is being conducted by the Italian police agencies and we have little doubt that their early apprehension will be effected.

8. As will be appreciated the investigations into this case have not as yet been completed, but as particulars are received by this Headquarters, same will be forwarded for your information.

G. RICHARDSON, MAJOR,
Regional Public Safety Officer,
for Regional Commissioner.

1st IND.

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Tel: 489081
Ext: 502

AOC/14601/17/1

From : A.C.G. Public Safety S/C.
TO : Ministry of Interior 14613/2/1
TO : Commanding General CC.HQ.

26 July, 1941.

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The above report is passed to you for information and any action deemed desirable.

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PAUL O. KIRK
Colonel Inf.
Chief Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS REGION VII

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

File Ref: RV11/PS/431

Date: 15th July 1944

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G. Richardson, Major,
Regional Public Safety Officer,
for Regional Commissioner.

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ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
Office of the Provincial Commissioner

3 July, 1944.

To : P.C. Waters.
From: P.P.C. Waters.

Subject : Brandi, Dennis.

1. I believe that the outstanding work of Dennis Brandi, Commissioner of Public Security at Waters, in the apprehension of three Canadian deserters should be brought to the attention of the Public Safety Sub-Commission and the Minister of the Interior.
2. Commissioner Brandi worked long hours and under constant pressure until the job was complete. He did much of the interrogating and investigation which led to the arrest and capture of the deserters. In doing this, he brought to an end one of our greatest sources of the leakage of grain into the black market.
3. Commissioner Brandi has proven his willingness to cooperate with the Allies and also his ability as a policeman. For such talents should not go unrewarded, therefore I ask that he be given some recognition before the Minister of Interior.

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H. J. Anderson
Provincial Police Officer.

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3 July 1944 JCL/latp

HQ - P.D. - ACC - Waters
To: RC Region III HQ ACC.

1. Greeting.
2. Commissioner Brandi, over the past four months, has shown outstanding ability in completing difficult tasks.
3. Requesting that recognition be given of his meritorious service.

J.S. Bonnell, Lt. Col.
P.C.

2nd TPS.

7 July, 1944.

TO. REGION II, ACC.

RE: Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission, ACC Rear M.R. 304.

1. The case referred to in the above communication involved the arrest of three Canadian soldiers who had been in desertion nearly two months. While in desertion, the men stole a British Army 3 ton truck at Park, which they used in Black Market activities. They operated on gasoline and oil which they stole in large quantities at Fermoli. They bought another 3 ton truck, one of two stolen at Park, loaded with 1000 pairs of shoes, by four other Canadian deserters. They rented a warehouse on a farm in L'Aquila province and stored in hessian wheat, flour, cement, lumber and timber for civilian recciving 500 to 2000 lire per trip. At the time of the arrest of the first soldier, in addition to the two trucks, 264,175 lire were seized by the P.S.C. Agent (Lt. C. Anderson) Pvt. Anthony Vassano, and 20 bushels grain. The arrest of the two other soldiers was effected by G.C.M.

The subsequent investigation and interrogation required several hours of consecutive effort by Commissioner Brandt and Pvt. Vassano. It involved the use of French, Italian and English languages. The investigation resulted in obtaining information which led to the arrest by Italian Police of the four other Canadian deserters mentioned above.

I concur with the Provincial Commissioner, Rieti, that such 7260 meritorious service deserves recognition, and recommend that the matter be brought to the attention of the Minister of Interior.

JOHN D. ZELLA,
Col. Inf.,
Regional Commissioner.

3rd TPS

15th July, 1944

ACG/14613/2/5

TO : M.E. The Minister of Interior.

From: H.Q. Public Safety Sub-Commission ACC.

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1. Forwarded herewith are recommendations for certain Venture Agents, on duty in ACC Region II. These men are commended by Public Safety Officers and the Regional Commissioner, Region II ACC, for efficient and patriotic performance of duty under difficult conditions.

2. The Chief Public Safety Sub-Commission is pleased to refer these commendations for such consideration as your Excellency may deem commensurate.

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

LHM/bgd

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ARMED FORCES COMMISSION
REGION 2 HEADQUARTERS

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PS/19

12th June, 1944

SUBJECT: Comendations.

TO : Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission,
400 Room A70 334.

Reference attached memo Re. PSO/2 of 6 June, 1944 and
enclosure addressed to Provincial Police Officer, Trinissi,
by D.A.P.M. 71 Sub-Area.

You may wish to consider bringing the excellent work of
these British officials to the notice of the Minister con-
cerned. It is also suggested for your consideration that
letters might be addressed by you individually to these men
commending and thanking them for the service they have
rendered.

John T. ZEPHARUS,
Col. Enq.
Regional Commissioner

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ARMED COMBINED COMMISSION
BRITISH

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OBJECT : Comendations.

TO : Regional Police Officer,
HQ, Region 2, ACC.

The attached correspondence, which is self explanatory
is forwarded for your information.

It appears that the men are deserving of an official
commendation but I am not certain whether it would be better
if it came from the Military or ACC.

In any event I think that more value would be placed
on any praise by the Allied Government if it came from a higher
ranking officer than myself.

H. Strand,
^{Captain} Provincial Police Officer.

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Office of the D.I.R.C.

71 Sub-area,

Reference Pro/2.

Subject : Queenan Agents.

To : Provincial Police Officer,
Add Grindisi.

6th June, 1944.

The attached report received from C i/c Det. 231 rev.
Coy is forwarded for your information.

It is felt that a further communication by this office
should be added.

All three have really worked hard and nothing has been
too much trouble for them.

Cantin,

Deputy Assistance woyost Marshal.,

71 Sub-area,

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Reference No. 727/137

Subject : Services of attached Quisling Agents.

To: The D.A.P.M.
71 Sub-Area,
Principe.

1. I would like to bring to your notice, and that of the Allies Control Commission, and Italian officials concerned the services rendered by the undermentioned Quisling Agents attached to this Detachment.

BORG OMICRON DI P.
GUARDIA DI V.
HARDIA DI P.S.

DR DONATO GIOVANNI
AMBROSCIO LA FUFACIMO
GACCO POLEO

2. I have come into close personal contact with DR DOMATO, and we formed a high opinion of him both as a detective 7275 and a man. He is hard working, thorough, conscientious, and anxious to do everything he can to further the War Effort.

3. While I have not seen AMBROSCIO and GACCO at such 7276
the same extent, I have seen the results of their work with the Security Section of this Detachment. These results have been excellent. Both men are tireless in their efforts to combat prostitution, and its attendant evils, and their work is accurate and pains taking. L/Cpl. DOMIGLIANI, UMP, under whose orders they work, has nothing but praise for their efforts.

4. I feel it is only just that such whole hearted co-operation as has been shown by these men, should be duly recognised, and I hope that you will see fit to forward this to the correct quarters.

LIEUT R.A.
OO DETACHMENT
C.M. POLICE

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4/6/44

ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
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13th July, 1944

AOC/14613/2/1/23

SUBJECT : Work of Public Security Agents in Palermo.

TO : Director of Public Security,
Minister of the Interior.

SA

1. The attached report dated 8th July, 1944 from
the Regional Public Safety Officer, Sicily, is forwarded
for your information and any action you may deem suitable.

PAUL J. KING,
Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Public Safety 277
Sub-Commission

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ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AFD 394

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12th July, 1944

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AC/14613/2/1/2

SUBJECT: Work of Public Security Agents in Palermo.

To : R.P.S.C. I.

SA

1. Reference is made to your letter dated 8th July, 1944 recommending that the services of Vice Commissioner Salvatore GUARINO,

Brigadier PAGANO Giuseppe

Brigadier GIACOMO Corrado

Guardia DONATELLI Giacinto

receive recognition.

A copy of Dr. Del Dye's report and your recommendations have been forwarded to the Director of Public Security Ministry of the Interior.

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

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Palermo Province

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10 AUG. 1944

SUBJECT : Recommendations of Police.

TO : Lt. Col. Russel A. Snook,
Regional Public Safety Officer,
REGION 1.

1. I beg to draw to notice the work of Vice Commissario Salvatore GUARINO and the Officers working under him in cleaning up cases of Vice and Crime in the City of Palermo since the Allied occupation in July last.
2. This Officer has been working under my direction since I was appointed to Palermo in January last and he has shown outstanding ability and enthusiasm in his work.
3. His cooperation and integrity has been one hundred per cent.
4. As an example of his work I would mention the following cases. In February last I received information that at three Clubs in Palermo, Roulette was being played by influential persons for very high stakes and that innocent people were being "fleeced" by a vicious set. 72/0
5. Although the keepers of these establishments were experienced Gamesters and wary of possible police action, nevertheless within a week Dr. Guarino had raided and arrested the principals in all three Clubs and had seized ~~at~~ 1,500,000 lire which was on the tables.
6. In late March and early April this year in conjunction with the C.I.D. he worked on information regarding certain Forgery plants situated in Palermo and the immediate vicinity.
7. The information was scanty, yet with his Officers he

raided two forgery Plants, arrested 39 persons connected with the forgeries and seized 42,000 forged 1000 lire notes. This case was especially commendable for Guarino had with his squad worked night and day and had spared no efforts to locate and bring the persons responsible to justice.

8. Not content to rest on his "Laurels" he continued his energetic action with the result that on 24th June 1944 he raided yet a third Plant in Palermo, where 1000, 500 and 100 lire notes and ration cards were being forged. 17 men were arrested in connection with this forgery and a quantity of forged notes and ration cards were seized.

9. In connection with these enquiries I would specially mention the undermentioned P.S. Agents who have worked unsparingly in the enquiries.

They are :-

- Brigadier PAGANO Giuseppe
- Brigadier GINTOLE Corrado
- Guardia DONATELLI Nicola

10. These 3 Officers have done splendid work in the case and are worthy of the highest commendation. 7209

11. In addition to the cases of Crime Dr. Guarino has directed the efforts of a squad of agents in an endeavour to clear up Prostitution within the City. It is true he has not succeeded in this, (an impossible task) but the work performed has been such that Prostitution and V.D. has shown a definite decrease.

12. Dr. Guarino is 31 years of age. He joined the P.S. Dept. in 1937. He was promoted to Vice Commissario on 1/12/40 and was due for further promotion in July 1943. This, due to war operations is long over due.

13. His conduct and work has been such that I am convinced he is deserving of accelerated promotion and that such promotion would be a definite asset to the Italian Police Force. I therefore ask that this report be forwarded through channels to the proper quarter with a view to this being accomplished.

Public Safety S.C.
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- 14) I also suggest that his splendid work for the Allied Government be brought to the notice of HQ. A.C.C. in that he may be suitably commended by that Headquarters.

For the Provincial Commissioner.

E. J. BYE,
Lt. Colonel,
Provincial Public Safety Officer.

1st Ind.

TO: Chief, Public Safety, Sub-Commission, AGO Headquarters.

1. Forwarded some of the good work performed by these officers, under the direction of Lt. Col. Bye is already known to you, particularly in connection with the recent important forgery cases.
2. I suggest that this report be forwarded through channels with the strongest possible recommendation that the valuable services rendered by these police officers should receive tangible recognition, if possible by way of promotion, as soon as possible.

For the Regional Commissioner.



Russell A. SNOOK,
Lt. Colonel,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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HQ. SECTION II, A.C.C.

7 July, 1944. Enc/2

TO: Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission, A.C.C. Mar, 1944. ✓

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The subsequent investigation and interrogation required several hours of concentrated effort by Commissioner Franklin and Pet. Palermo. It involved the use of French, Italian and English languages. The investigation resulted in obtaining information which led to the arrest by Military Police of the four other Canadian deserters mentioned above.

I concur with the Provincial Commissioner, Salerno, that such meritorious service deserves recognition, and recommend that the matter be brought to the attention of the Minister of Interior.

JOHN T. MULCAHY.
O.C. Inf.
Regional Commissioner.



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Allied Control Commission
Office of the Provincial Commissioner

1 July 1944.

To: P.C. Matera.
From D.P.O. - Matera.

Subject: Brendi, Gennaro.

1 I believe that the outstanding work of Brandi Gennaro, Commissioner of Public Security at Matera, in the apprehending of three Canadian deserters should be brought to the attention of the Public Safety Sub Commission and the Minister of the Interior.

2 Commissioner Brendi worked long hours and under constant pressure until the job was complete. He did much of the interrogation and investigation which led to the arrest and capture of the deserters. In doing this, he has brought to an end one of our greatest sources of the leakage of grain into the black market.

3 Commissioner Brendi has proven his willingness to cooperate with the Allies and also his ability as a policeman. Work such as this should not go unrewarded, therefore I ask that he be given some recognition before the Minister of Interior.

C. Anderson
Lt. C. Anderson
Provincial Police Officer.

1st Ind.

HQ -PC- ACC - Matera.
To: R.C. - Region II HQ ACC.

- 1 Concur.
- 2 Commissioner Brendi, over the past four months, has shown outstanding ability in completing difficult tasks.
- 3 Recommend that recognition be given of his meritorious service.

J. J. Davis //
J.S. Lansill, Lt. Col.
P.C.

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1st. Ind.

Communication of

HEADQUARTERS, REGION II, ACC. R.P.S.O. 4 July, 44. PS/19.

TO: Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission, ACC. Rear. APO 394.

1. The enclosures referred to in PS/19 of 18 June, 1944, are forwarded, herewith.

LAMD. LILK

LLOYD E. KELLY

Lt. Col. Inf.

Regional Public Safety Officer.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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ACC/14057/PS

23 June 1944

SUBJECT: Commendation to Italian Officials

TO : RPSO, Region II ✓

Reference your PS/19 dated 18 June 1944.

The enclosures to your a/m letter, memo PRO/2 of 6 June 1944
and attachment, have not reached this office.

Please forward same by return.

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

7/1/44

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
REGION 2. HEADQUARTERS

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OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL POLICE OFFICER

Your ref _____

My ref PS/19

Subject Commendations.

18 June 1944

TO : Chief, Public Safety Sub-Commission, ACC. Rear,
APO 394.

Reference attached memo N°PRO/2 of 6 June 44
and enclosure addressed to Provincial Police Officer,
Brindisi, by D.A.P.M. 71 Sub-Area.

You may wish to consider bringing the excellent work of these Italian Officials to the notice of the Minister concerned. It is also suggested for your consideration that letters might be addressed by you individually to these men commending and thanking them for their services they have rendered.

T. T. ZELLARS Lt. Colonel

X JOHN T. ZELLARS.
Col. Inf.
Regional Commissioner.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
BRINDISI

Subject: Commercations.

Ref: PRO/3

To: Regional Police Officer,
R.R. Region L, A.C.C.

The attached correspondence, which is self-explanatory is forwarded for your information.

It appears that the men are deserving of an official commendation but I am not certain whether it would be better if it came from the military or A.C.C.

In any event I think that more value would be placed on any praise by the Allied Government if it came from a higher ranking officer than myself.

H. Strand
Captain,
Provincial Police Officer.

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Subject:- Bystore Agents.

Office of the D.C.
71 Sir Area.
Reference PRO/2.
Dy. June, 1944. *IC*

provincial Police Officer,
ACC, Princisi.

The attached report received from O/C Det. 331 Prov. Govt
is forwarded for your information.

It is felt that a further commendation by this office
should be given.

All three have really worked hard and nothing has been
too much trouble *for* them.

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Brotti - Captain.
Deputy Assistant Provost Marshal.
71 Sir Area.

Subject:- Services of attached Questura Agents.

Reference No. MTP/137

TO:- THE D.A.P.M.
71 SUB AREA,
BRINDISI.

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I would like to bring to your notice, and that of the Allied Control Commission, and Italian officials concerned the services rendered by the undermentioned Questura Agents attached to this Detachment.

SOTT'UFFICIALE di P S DE DONATO GIOVANNI

GUARDIA di P S AMBROSECCIA EUSTACHIO

GUARDIA di P S SACCO COSTIMO

2. I have come into close contact with DE DONATO, and have formed a high opinion of him, both as a detective and a man. He is hard working, thorough, conscientious, and is anxious to do everything he can to further the War Effort.

3. While I have not seen AMBROSECCIA and SACCO at work to the same extent. I have seen the results of their work with the MORALITY Section of this Detachment. These results have been excellent. Both men are tireless in their efforts to combat prostitution, and its attendant evils, and their work is accurate and painstaking. L/CPL DONOGHUE, CMP, under whose orders they work, has nothing but praise for their efforts.

4. I feel it is only just that such whole hearted co-operation as has been shown by these men, should be duly recognised, and I hope that you will see fit to forward this to the correct quarters.

BRINDISI
4/6/44.

LIEUT R.A.
O.C. DETACHMENT,
C.M.POLICE.

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BRINDISI
4/6/44.

LIEUT R.A.
O.C. DETACHMENT,
C.M. POLICE.

Re/2.
Re/1.
Ans.

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