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O.V.R.A.

MAY 1944 - AUG. 1945

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5 Aug 45 on Major Harpoy instructions.
- List was given to Major Harpoy.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION.

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REF: SD/604

31st August, 1945

Subject: Travel to Austria - SCHMIDTKE Nathan.

To : Regional Security Officer, Venezia Region.

1. With reference to your RIII/P3/11.19 dated 21 AUG 45.
2. All known lists of OVRA agents have been searched but the name of the above has not been traced.
3. Enclosures are returned herewith.

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JOHN W. CHAPMAN
COLONEL J.A.C.D.,
DIRECTOR, PUBLIC SAFETY
SUB COMMISSION

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HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

21 August 45.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
(att: Public Safety Sub-Commission -
Security Division).

SUBJECT : Travel to Austria - SCHMIERER Nathan

FILE NO. : RXII/PS/11.19

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1. Reference attached application from SCHMIERER Nathan to travel to Austria and copy of a report from 311 Field Security Section regarding subject.
2. Although no derogatory information is contained in the report submitted by P.S.S., it is understood by this Division that SCHMIERER was a member of OVRA.
3. It would be appreciated therefore if you could ascertain if subject was, in fact, actually a member of OVRA.

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W. R. HARE, Major,
Regional Security Officer.

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TO	DATE
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REF : SD/604

21 August 1945

SUBJECT : FARINA Ernesto

TO : R.S.O. Venezia Region

1. Reference PS/15/S dated 17 August 1945.
2. Subject's name does not appear on the lists of OVRA agents, but as these lists cannot be regarded as complete, it is possible that he was a member of the organisation.
3. His name does not appear in FSB/CIC records here.

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

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HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

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13 AGO. 1945

7th. August 1945.

TO : Security Division P.S. Subcommission HQ AC. ✓
SUBJECT : FARINA ERNESTO. Oil trader of Trento.
FILE NO. : PS/15/ (S)

1. The subject is due for trial towards the end of August at the Corte Straordinaria d'Assisi at Trento.
2. One of the charges against him is that he was a member of OVRA, but subject strongly denies this.
3. Enquiries have been made in Trento Province and information obtained is that subject was a member of OVRA, but such information is not of the type that can be placed before a Court of Law.
4. Under the circumstances will you please cause enquiries to be made to ascertain if subject appears on any recognized official document as a member of the OVRA, and if so forward a certificate to that effect at your earliest convenience.

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W.R. HARE
Major,

Regional Security Officer.

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

27 Jan 1945

N. 500/70480

Subject : O.V.R.A.

To : A.C. Public Safety Sub-Commission - Rome

With reference to the A.C.s Letter n. AC/14755/FS dated 12 September 1944, we communicate that this General HQ., as soon as your letter, reporting persons deemed members of the O.V.R.A., has been received, has not only informed the High Commissioner for Sanctions against Fascist Crimes, but also sent to Naples, the P.S. General Inspector Dr. Solimando with the task to carry out the necessary investigation on the persons pointed out by the Commission, in order to establish who of them has really performed duties for the 7 Ovra Zone, directed at that time by the P.S. General Inspector Dr. Riccardo Pastore, who transferred himself to Northern Italy at the arrival of the Allied Troops.

The results of the investigations carried out by Inspector Solimando have been communicated to the Commission with letter n. 500/5270 dated 4 October 1944.

Subsequently, investigations in the subject having been extended, the appropriate denunciations were brought to the notice of the High Commissioner for Sanctions against Fascism, in order that they might be dealt with by law.

The below mentioned persons have been denounced because members of the O.V.R.A.

1. - 5 December 1944,
 - Avv. DEGNI Beniamino of late Francesco, born at Naples on the 1/2/1903, resident at Naples, Via Tasso n. 169;
 - MARUSO Domenico of Alfonso, born at Palmi the 15/2/1901, resident at Naples, Via Posillipo 2, already arrested;
 - Avv. DI DOMENICO of Niccolò, born at Vi. Ila Volturmo on the 25/6/1895, resident at Naples, Via Aniello Falcone 290, who, however, it appears, would not have been a member of the OVRA, whilst, it seems, under his name Avv. TILERA Domenico of Francesco, born at Ferrantina on the 14/7/1901 and resident at Naples, was hiding himself, he was already been arrested.
2. - 4 December 1944,
 - ANTICO Lello of late Giuseppe, born at Adria on the 12/8/1901, resident at Salerno, Via Porto 94. 3826
3. - 12 December 1944,
 - VINZI Egidio of late Luca, born at Taranto on the 14/2/1905 resident at Taranto, Via Duomo 39.
4. - 13 December 1944,
 - PERSONE' Ettore of late Ernesto, born at Lecce on the 29/5/1893 resident at Lecce, Via Bolognese 39.

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5. - 23 December 1944,
 - PARDATO Vincenzo of late Salvatore, born at Naples on the 14/9/1901,
 resident at Naples, via Margellina 44;
 - BUONOCORE Gennaro of late Antonio, born at Naples on the 10/9/1883,
 resident at Naples, Via Ponsessa 3;
 - DEMOZZA Umberto of late Antonio, born at Naples on the 10/9/1888,
 resident at Naples, Via Bonito 29.
6. - 16 December 1944,
 - Dr. CAZZI Giulio of Luigi, born at Naples on the 21/1/1899, resident
 at Naples, Via Andrea d'Isernia 4;
 - PAGLIA Angelo of late Luigi, born at S. Giorgio della Richinvelda
 (Udine) on the 7/10/1907, resident at Naples, Via Postillino 213;
 - Certain "BESTO" who could be identified - but it is not sure - as
BESTO Luigi of late Biagio, born at Bari on the 20/1/1884, P.S.
 sergeant on temporary duty.
 - MORFANO Romeo of late Aniello, born at Foggia on the 27/1/1896,
 resident at Foggia, via Felice Cavallotti 4.
 And finally steps are being taken for the identification of
 another member of the Ova Certain Colangelo Giuseppe, resident at Stigliano (Batera),
 who will be denounced, as soon as the particulars requested from the Batera Questura
 will be received.

Head of the Police
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LIST OF OVRA SPIES ON THE PAYROLL OF THE MINISTERO DEGLI INTERNI

Elencchi fissi mensili ai Confidenti della Polizia Politica

ELENCO DELLE RACCOMANDATE SPEDITE IL GIORNO 1° NOVEMBRE 1943-XXII

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- 1) ANDREI Gino
Borgo S. Jacopo, 16 - FIRENZE
- 2) BALESTRERI Nino
Via G. Aselli, 10 - MILANO
- 3) BAZZI Giovanni
Via Magenta, 10 - VARESE
- 4) BONATI Alfredo
Via Nino Bixio, 6 - GENOVA
- 5) BOTTIGLIA Emilio
Via Vittoria Colonna, 45 - MILANO
- 6) DE ANTONI Brichotti Josè
Via Stradella, 9 - MILANO
- 7) BURNET Giuliano
Via Vigoni, 5 - MILANO
- 8) CAGNANI Adelmo
Viale Alfrede Oriani - FORLÌ
- 9) CALABRETTA Jole
Fe. no-Posta 1 - VENEZIA
- 10) CANTALONI Marco
Viale Bonella, 2 - TRENTO
- 11) CARETTA Riccardo
Via Umberto, 13 - MURELLO
- 12) CARREI Gino
Piazzale della Vittoria, 31 - BOLZANO
- 13) CATTANEO Giulio
Via Goffredo Mameli, 19 - MILANO
- 14) CECCHARELLI De Doo

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- 4) BONATI Alfredo
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- 5) BOTTIGLIA Emilio
Via Vittoria Colonna, 45 - MILANO
- 6) DE ANTONI Bricchetti Jose
Via Stradella, 9 - MILANO
- 7) BURNET Giuliano
Via Vigoni, 5 - MILANO
- 8) CAGNANI Adelmo
Viale Alfredo Oniani - TORLI
- 9) CILABRETTA Jole
Fermo-Posta - VENEZIA
- 10) CANTALONI Marco
Viale Bonella, 2 - FIRENTE
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- 13) CATTANEO Giulio
Via Goffredo Mameli, 19 - MILANO
- 14) CECCARELLI De Deo
Via Gustavo Modena, 28 - MILANO
- 15) CIANI Augusto
Via Silvio Pellico, 1 - FIRENZE
- 16) CIRILLO Giuseppe
Casella Postale, 1113 - GENOVA
- 17) COLASANTI Ermanno
Fermo-Posta - TRIESTE

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- 18) SCALA Maria in Corsini
Corso Concordia, 8 - MILANO
- 19) CURTI Giuseppe
Via S. Benigno, 59 rosso - GENOVA
- 20) DIACOSTINO Giuseppe
Viale Bligny, 39 - MILANO
- 21) DE MEDICI Carlo
Via Coloniola, 30 - COMO
- 22) DE SANCIS Attilio
Via Palestro, 39 A - PADOVA
- 23) DI LORENZO Giuseppe
Via Plinio, 6 - MILANO
- 24) DISERTORI Vittorio
Lungo Adige S. Michele, 17 - VERONA
- 25) DUBOIS Attilio
Via Carlo Cattaneo, 3 - VARESE
- 26) FERRARI Adolfo
Via degli Ulivi - (Genova) USCIO
- 27) FISTERMACIER Alberto
Forno Posta - GENOVA
- 28) GOTTARDI Elvira
Forno-Posta - VERONA
- 29) GUERIERO Margherita
Via Andrea del Castagno, 10 - FIRENZE
- 30) MARZUJI Francesco
Via Martino Inzi, 24 - COMO
- 31) MARINO Giovanni
Albergo S. Marco - Ponte Dai - VENEZIA
- 32) MENGOLINI Giulia
Via Giovanni Pascoli - FIRENZE
- 33) NOVELLI Laciina
Via della Piazzola, 41 - FIRENZE
- 34) PERONI Claudio
Via Francesco Soave, 5 - MILANO
- 35) PILLA Nicola
Corso Firenze, 7/4 - GENOVA

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Via Coloniola, 30 - COMO

- 22) DE SANCTIS Attilio
Via Palestro, 39 A - PADOVA
- 23) DI LORENZO Giuseppe
Via Plinio, 6 - MILANO
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- 28) GOMMADI Elvira
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- 30) IMBRIJA Francesco
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- 35) PILLA Nicola
Corso Firenze, 7/4 - GENOVA
- 36) PIZZAMIGLIO Giuseppe
Via Sottobrini, 5 - MILANO
- 37) POZZI Alessandro
S.P. - (Trento) ROVERETO PER SERRAJO
- 38) POZZI Arnigo
Via Quarto, 15 - PADOVA
- 39) RICHETTI Arturo
Via Pia Gio, 8/3 - GENOVA

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- 40) RIZZA Attilio
Viale Laura Ciceri Visconti, 6 - MILANO
- 41) SACCHI Pietro
Via Assarotti, 40 - GENOVA
- 42) SALINI Lina
Via G. Menabuoi, 4 - PADOVA
- 43) SCIALPI Alfredo
Viale XX Settembre, 32 - TRIESTE
- 44) SONCELLI Aldo
Viale Abruzzi, 17 - MILANO
- 45) TAMBURINI BOSSI Luisa
Via Bernardo Castello, 8 - GENOVA
- 46) TONELLO Gino
Via Daverio, 5 - CANTÙ
- 47) VAINI Carlo
Via 28 Ottobre, 34 - FIRENZE
- 48) VIALARDI Enzo
Via Melzo, 12 - MILANO
- 49) ALICINO Michele
Viale Manzoni, 26 - ROMA
- 50) ALIOTTA Angelo
Via Luca Signorelli, 11/14 - ROMA
- 51) ANGELOTTI Giorgio
Via Michele di Lando, 10 - ROMA
- 52) ANTOCI Epifanio
Via Emanuele Filiberto, 233 - ROMA
- 53) BENVENUTI Polidoro
Passeggiata di Ripetta, 25 - ROMA
- 54) BERGOCO Natale
Via Pietro da Cortona, 1/11 - ROMA
- 55) BRESCIANI Italo
Via Pier Luigi da Palestrina, 8 - ROMA
- 56) BRONZINI Carlo
Via Torre Argentina, 13 - ROMA
- 57) CALINDRI Mamio
Dermo-Posta - ROMA
- 58) CALZOLARI Ferruccio

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- 44) SONOGLI ALDO
Viale Abruzzi, 17 - MILANO
- 45) TAMBURINI BOSCHI LUISA
Via Bernardo Castello, 8 - GENOVA
- 46) TONELLO GINO
Via Daverio, 5 - CATANIA
- 47) VAINI CARLO
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- 48) VIALARDI ENZO
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- 49) ALICINO MICHELE
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- 50) ALIOTTA ANGELO
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- 56) BRONZINI CARLO
Via Torre Argentina, 13 - ROMA
- 57) CALINDAI MARLIO
Dermo-Posta - ROMA
- 58) CALZOLARI FERRUCCIO
Via Tacito, 10 - ROMA
- 59) CAMBISI GINO
Piazza Adriana, 15 - ROMA
- 60) CASSONI GINO
Via Calatafini, 10/B - ROMA
- 61) CAVICCHIA CLELIO
Via dei Serpenti, 22 - ROMA
- 62) CECI TEMISTOCLE
Via Dixio, 91 - ROMA

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- 63) GIALLI Mezzaroma
Via degli Scipioni, 121 - ROMA
- 64) CHIE CHIA Mario
Via Conte Verde, 41 - ROMA
- 65) COLA ved. Stagnetti Giuseppina
Via Tuscolana, 152 - ROMA
- 66) COLAPINTO Giuseppe
Via Giuseppe Mercalli, 21 - ROMA
- 67) COSTANTINI Isabella
Via Silla, 35 - ROMA
- 68) D'AGNANO Tommaso
Piazza Campo Marzio, 5 - ROMA
- 69) D'AMBROSIO Bianca
Via Vincenzo Troia, 25 - ROMA
- 70) D'ASPRO Arturo
Via Cutilla, 39 - ROMA
- 71) DE GOTTRAU Bianca Maria
Via Germanico, 166 - ROMA
- 72) DEL CHIARO Michele
Viale Regina Margherita, 204 - ROMA
- 73) DE RITIS Domenico
Viale Regina Giovanna di Bulgaria, 24 - ROMA
- 74) DRAGO Edoardo Adolfo
Via Nazionale, 251 - ROMA
- 75) FABI Ernesto
Via d'Iscazio, 18 - ROMA
- 76) FILIPPI Luigi
Via Emilio Faa di Bruno, 4 - ROMA
- 77) FINIZIO Mario
Corso Trieste, 143 - ROMA
- 78) GIACOMUCCI Sirio
Piazza Lecce, 11 - ROMA
- 79) GIANNINI Lelia
Corso Trieste, 171 - ROMA
- 80) GIORDANO Domizio
Via Vittorio 40 - ROMA

- 66) COLAPINTO Giuseppe
Via Giuseppe Mercalli, 21 - ROMA
- 67) COSTANTINI Isabella
Via Silla, 35 - ROMA
- 68) D'AGNANO Tommaso
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- 80) GIORDANO Domizio
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- 81) GORI Ferdinando
Via degli Zingari, 55 - ROMA
- 82) GOVONI Gian Carlo
Via G. Pisanelli, 40 - ROMA
- 83) GREGORETTI Ugo
Via Flaminia, 336 - ROMA

- 84) GARETTI Luciana in Grimaldi
Via Basento, 37 - ROMA
- 85) LARI Enea
Via Cesare Correnti, 3/7 - ROMA
- 86) LATINI Raoul
Via Reggio Calabria, 7 - ROMA
- 87) LINK Felice
Via del Monte delle Gioie, 34 - ROMA
- 88) MAGGIOTTO Gloria
Viale Corso, 81 - ROMA
- 89) MANCUSO Manlio
Piazza Grati, 11 - ROMA
- 90) MENARDI Leo
Via Ipponio, 8 - ROMA
- 91) MEZZABOTTA Aldo
Via Pier della Francesca, 32/20 - ROMA
- 92) MELIESTI Antonio
Via della Giuliana, 38 - ROMA
- 93) MIOZZI Giuseppe
Viale Mazzini, 55 - ROMA
- 94) MONTUSCHI Alfredo
Viale Angelico, 36/b - ROMA
- 95) NICCOLI Ernesto
Via Germanico, 184 - ROMA
- 96) ORIGONI Lina ved. Manfredi
Via Monte Pertica, 11 - ROMA
- 97) PERONI Nelson
Via Piemonte, 63 - ROMA
- 98) PEZZULLO Giuseppe
Via Carlo della Bocca, case Popolari - ROMA
- 99) PIRANI Edoardo
Via Tolmino, 43 - ROMA
- 100) REDINO Pietro
Via Boezio, 92 - ROMA
- 101) ICESCHI Antonio
Via Condotti, 62 - ROMA
- 102) RIGGI Caterina

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- 87) LINK Felice
Via del Monte delle Gioie, 34 - ROMA
- 88) MACGIOTTO Gloria
Viale Carso, 81 - ROMA
- 89) MANCUSO Manlio
Piazza Crati, 11 - ROMA
- 90) MENARDI Leo
Via Ipponio, 8 - ROMA
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Via Boezio, 92 - ROMA
- 101) RICESCHI Antonio
Via Condotti, 62 - ROMA
- 102) RICCI Caterina
Via Giro Menotti, 24 - ROMA
- 103) ROSSI CLOTALDO
Via Modena, 5 - ROMA
- 104) SABBATINO Federico
Via Monte della Farina, 56 - ROMA
- 105) SCUCCHIA Angelo
Via Goito, 29 - ROMA

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- 106) SLEANE Jeanne Andrée
Via Sal aria, 400 - ROMA
- 107) SERGIO Carlo
Via Uffici del Vicario, 33 - ROMA
- 108) SILVESTRI Ubaldo
Lungotevere Flaminio, 70 - ROMA
- 109) TAGLIATERRI Ada
Via Vitruvio, 8 - ROMA
- 110) TAVOLATO Italo
Via Pasquale Stanislao Mancini - ROMA
- 111) TERRORI Giuseppe
Viale delle Province, 115 - ROMA
- 112) TROISE Giuseppe
Via S. Martino ai Monti, 56 - ROMA
- 113) TUZZI Giulio
Via Livorno, 14 - ROMA
- 114) VENDE Raffaele
Via Lombardia, 40/9 - ROMA
- 115) VERDILE Domenico
Viale Manzoni, 26 - ROMA
- 116) VILLI Achille
Via Antonio Gallonio - ROMA
- 117) ZENI Turbiglio Giorgia
Via XX Settembre, 1 - ROMA

CONTINGENTI PAGATI PER IL MESE DI MAGGIO 1944, SOLTANTO 3819
PERCHE' GLI ALTRI FURONO O LICENZIATI O PARTITI PER IL NORD.

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| 1) ALIOTTI Angelo | ROMA |
| 2) BENVENUTI Polidoro | " |
| 3) BALDACCIO Giovanni | " |
| 4) CALZOLARI Ferruccio | " |
| 5) CAMBISI Gino | " |
| 6) COSTANTINI Isabella | " |
| 7) COLA Giuseppina ved. Stagnetti | " |
| 8) CALINDRI Manlio | " |
| 9) D'AGNANO Tommaso | " |
| 10) D'AMBROSIO Bianca | " |

- Via Vitruvio, 8 - ROMA
- 110) PAVOLATO Italo
Via Pasquale Stanislao Mancini - ROMA
- 111) TERRONE Giuseppe
Viale delle Provincie, 115 - ROMA
- 112) TROISE Giuseppe
Via S. Martino ai Monti, 56 - ROMA
- 113) TUZZI Giulio
Via Livorno, 14 - ROMA
- 114) VERDE Raffaele
Via Lombardia, 40/9 - ROMA
- 115) VENDILE Domenico
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| 5) CARLISE Gino | " |
| 6) COSTANTINI Isabella | " |
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| 11) FINIZIO Mario | " |
| 12) GIACOMUSCI Sirio | " |
| 13) GIORDANO Domizio | " |
| 14) GOVONI Gian Carlo | " |
| 15) LINK Felix | " |
| 16) MEZZABOTTA Aldo | " |
| 17) MONTUSCHI Alfredo | " |

ROOM

e la sua squadra

(Montelatici Ernesto
Checcucci Oreste
Giacomelli Loris
Bonori Alfredo
Caleviti Magda)

41) Console Generale PICCONI Tullio e la sua squadra - ROMA
42) LATTI D'Inauli ROMA
43) LUCRO Niccolò " (fisso mensile anticipato)

(fissio mensile anticipat)

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49) Comm. ROSATI Mario " (su ordine dal 3818
50) Maresciallo CO. RR. CORRUZIONE Tiliippo - ROMA - (su or-
dine del Gabinetto)

51) HELMUT HUTTER

- Lavorava in Austria per notizie politiche sino allo scoppio della guerra mondiale.

52) **FERRARI Umberto** - Lavorava in Belgio per notizie poli-
tiche fino allo scoppio della guerra

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/604-10

25 June 1945

SUBJECT : PUPILLA Antonio

TO : Ministry of the Interior,
General Direction of P.S.
Div. Personnel Sec. 1

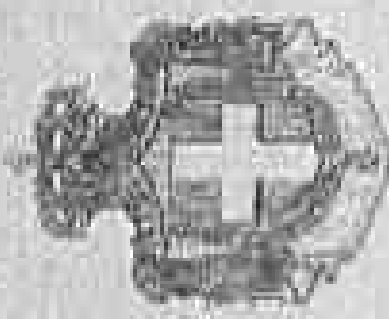
1. Reference your 332/323-B dated 19 June 1945
2. Information was received from the Allied Command on 4 May 1945, that Subject should remain interned.
3. If, however, there are special reasons why his release is necessary, please inform this office.
4. It is observed that he has been suspended from service.

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

CBH/nb

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Alia Sottocommissione di p.s.
Commissione Alleata - ROMA
e p.c. Alla Divisione A.G.R.

S E D E

Divisione personale L. 1

Prot. N. 333/323-E Allegato

OGGETTO: PUPILLA Antonio
Commissario di p.s.

Proposta al Togliatti del
Dir. 12/6
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332/6
File No 604-10

Con riferimento alla nota inviata da codesta On.le Sot-
tocommissione alla Divisione A.G.R. di questa Direzione Gene-
rale di P.S. in data 6.4.u.s.n. SD/5201, si fa presente che que-
sto ufficio, con nota del 1.3.u.s., ebbe a chiedere il riesame
della posizione del funzionario in oggetto indicato, ai fini di
un eventuale suo rilascio dal campo di concentramento, ove in
atto egli trovasi internato, assicurando, in pari tempo, che il
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rità Amministrativa.

Pertanto, nel caso in specie, nessun provvedimento di arresto

Divisione personale *Sc. 1^a*Prot. N. 333/323-E *Allegati*

OGGETTO: PUPELLA ANTONIO

Commissario di p.s.

Proposta al Fg. del
Div. 3^a Divisione
REGIONE - *226*
BOOK No. *8328*
FILE No. *604-10*
ACTION

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rità Amministrativa.

Pertanto, nel caso in specie, nessun provvedimento di arresto
o di internamento potrebbe essere adottato da questo Ministero
che peraltro non può procedere nemmeno alla denuncia all'Au-
torità Giudiziaria, non avendosi elementi a carico del Pupella
da sottoporre al di lei esame.

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Ciò stante, si ritiene opportuno precisare nuovamente che ove il predetto funzionario venisse rilasciato dal campo di concentramento in cui in atto trovasi internato, egli verrebbe lasciato in libertà, continuando a rimanere sospeso dall'Ufficio in attesa del giudizio di epurazione.

Assicurando di fare, a suo tempo, conoscere a codesta On.le Sottocommissione l'esito di tale giudizio, si prega di volere dare un cortese cenno di risposta alla richiesta fatta con la nota del 1.3.u.s. sopra accennata.

PEL MINISTRO



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TRANSLATION

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
General Direction of Public Safety

Div: Personnel Sec: 1
Ref No: 333/323-E

Rome, 19 June 1945

SUBJECT: PUPELLA Antonio - P.S. Commissary.

TO : Allied Commission, Public Safety Sub-Comm. HQ
Copy to: A.G.R. Division, HQ.

With reference to your letter SD/5201 dated 6/4/45 which was sent to the A.G.R. Division, we notify you that this office with letter dated 1/5/45 has asked that the a/m subject's position be re-examined for an eventual release from the concentration camp where is at present interned and in the mean time assuring that the same would not be re-assumed in service until the Epuration judgement would be concluded on his account with a definite decision in his favour.

Being that your Sub-Commission, in reply to the a/m letter has brought to our acknowledgement that you would release the a/m Official from the concentration camp, only if the same would be arrested by the Italian authorities, this office has precised with letter dated 12 April 1945 that the arrest with the consequent detention, according to the existing regulations, can only be disposed by the Judiciary Authorities and that such steps cannot be taken by the Administrative Authorities.

Therefore, referring to the above case, no steps of arrest or internment can be adopted by this Ministry who further more cannot even proceed to denounce the case to the Judiciary Authorities, as we have no elements to submit in the examination against Pupella.

It is deemed advisable to inform you that in case the a/m Official would be released from the concentration camp where he actually interned, he would be put in liberty continuing to remain suspended from service awaiting the Epuration Judgement.

Assuring that, when the time comes, we will inform your Sub-Commission the result of such judgement, we beg you to please reply to our request made in the a/m letter

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/s/ For the MINISTER

cc.

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File

ALLIED FORGE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
APO 512, U.S. Army

GHI.389.450/2-B.

30 April, 1945.

SUBJECT: PUPILLA, Antonio,
PETTI, Michele.

TO : Commandant,
"A" Internment Camp,
C.S.F.

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Security

Reference A/1400/AC dated 27 April, 1945.

1. It is agreed that PETTI, Michele need no longer be considered a danger to our security. Authority is therefore given for his release from internment.

2. This Headquarters concurs with the Review Board's recommendation that PUPILLA, Antonio remain interned at the present time.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:

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LEWIS Capt
FRANK B. NICHOLS,
Colonel, G.S.C.,
Asst AC of S G-2.

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Copies to: G.S.L., H.Q., No.3 District.
Public Safety Sub-Commission, (Ref SD/604-10
Allied Commission. of 17 Apr. 1945).
File: GHI.389.455/32-A.

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ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
APO 512 U.S. ARMY

GVL:390.455/32-A

20 April 1945

SUBJECT: PUPILLA, Antonio
FELIX, Michele

TO : Commandant,
"A" Interned Camp,
C.M.F.

1. Information has been received from Public Safety Sub Commission that after repeated reminders and requests to the Ministry of the Interior that it should either arrest or state its intentions with regard to the above named internees, a letter has now been received from the Ministry from which it appears that there is no power of arrest.

2. If there are not sufficient grounds for the continued internment of subjects in the interests of Allied security it may be considered advisable to release them, rather than merely hold them for the Espionage Commission.

It is requested, therefore, that their cases be reviewed and your recommendations submitted to this office.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:

W. M. ... Capt
WILLIAM D. RICHARDS
Colonel, U.S.A.,
G-2 (OI) Section.

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Division
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File NO 624-10
Action

Copy to: Security Division
Public Safety Sub Commission
Headquarters Allied Commission
(Ref. SD/604-10 dated 17 April, 1945)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.C. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/604-10

17 April 1945

Subject : PUPILLA Antonio
PETEX Michele - Internees

To : G-2 (CI) AFHQ

1. Reference GHI. 389.450/2-1 dated 22 Sept. 1944 and 26 Oct. 1944, and GHI. 389.455/32 -A of 15 Feb. 1945.

2. After repeated reminders and requests to the Ministry of the Interior that it should either arrest or state its intentions with regard to the above named internees, a letter has now been received from the Ministry, a translation of which is attached, from which it appears that there is no power of arrest.

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

GBH/nb

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TRANSLATION

Rome 12 April 1945

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
General Direction
of
Public Safety

TO: Allied Commission
Public Safety Sub Commission
R O M E

Div. Personnel Sez I

Answer to SD/3604/10 dated 21.3.45

Prot. N. 333/9040-3

SUBJECT: Pupella Antonio, Commissario of P.S.
Petix Michele, Guardia of P.S.

Reference to your letter SD/604/10, we precise that the arrest and consequent detention, according to the law in force can be only disposed by a Warrent of Arrest issued by the Judicial authority. Such dispositions however does not concern the administration.

Therefore for what concerns the position of the Commissario of P.S. Pupella Antonio and the Guard of P.S. Petix Michele, who as you already know, have been deferred to the Epuration Commission, no dispositions for the arrest or internment could be adopted by this Ministry, who, could not even request for this matter the intervention of the Judicial authorities, not being in the possession of any accusations against the two internees.

Therefore we inform you that the a/m would be released but not resumed in service until the Epuration Commission has taken a decision on the matter.

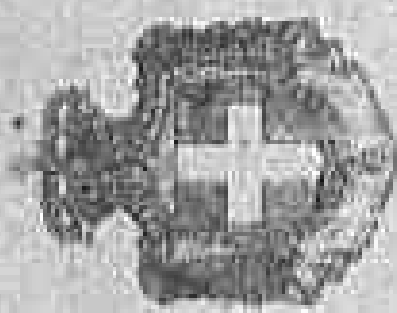
As soon as the result of the decision will be known we will inform your Commission.

THE HEAD OF THE POLICE.

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Roma, 12 aprile 1945.-

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE DI
P.S.COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

R O M A

Divisione personale L. I.

Prot. N. 333/9040-3 Allegato

Risposta al Foglio del 21.3.945
Dir. L. N. 5D/604/10OGGETTO Pupella Antonio Commissario di P.S.
Petix Michele Guardia di P.S.-

Con riferimento alla nota sopradistinta ed a seguito della Ministeriale pari numero del 13.12.45., si precisa che l'arresto e la conseguente detenzione, ai sensi delle disposizioni vigenti, può essere soltanto disposto, con proprio mandato di cattura dall'Autorità Giudiziaria. Tali provvedimenti non rientrano invece nella competenza degli organi amministrativi.

Per quanto concerne, pertanto, la posizione del Commissario di P.S. Pupella Antonio e della Guardia di P.S. Petix Michele, i quali, com'è noto, sono già stati deferiti alla Commissione di epurazione, nessun provvedimento di arresto e di internamento potrebbe essere adottato da questo Ministero, che, peraltro, non potrebbe neppure richiedere al riguardo l'intervento dell'Autorità Giudiziaria, non essendo in possesso di elementi a carico degli internati da sottoporre al loro esame.

Ciò stante, si fa presente che i predetti verrebbero lasciati in libertà, ma non riassunti in servizio, in attesa che la Commissione di epurazione abbia emesso la propria decisione in merito alla loro posizione.

Si assicura di fare, a suo tempo conoscere a codesta On.le Commissione l'esito del procedimento stesso.

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Direzione personale *Sp. I°*
Prot. 7533/9040-3 *Allegato*

Proposta al Tribunale del 21.3.945
Dir. Sp. N. 5D/604/IO

OGGETTO Pupella Antonio Commissario di P.S.
Petix Michele Guardia di P.S.-

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IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA



HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.C. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/604-10

17 April 1945

SUBJECT : PUPELLA Antonio

TO : Commandant "A" Internee Camp G.M.F

1. A translation of a letter from the Ministry of the Interior is attached requesting that subject be caused to sign a certificate to enable his wife to draw a food allowance, is forwarded for your attention and necessary action.

2. Please transmit the certificate to this office when completed.

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

CHH/nb

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TRANSLATION

11 April 1945

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
General Direction
of
Public Safety

to: Allied Commission
Public Safety Sub Commission
Security Division
R O M E

Div. Personnel Sez. III

Prot. N. 333/323

SUBJECT: Pupella Antonio - Commissario of P.S.

Reference to note n.604-10 Ref.Sd. of the
20.3.45, we inform you that Commissario of P.S. Pupella An-
tonio, interned in the concentration camp. Civilian "A",
has been granted with D.M.5.9.1944, a food allowance, as by
D.L.L.27.7.1944 n.159 beginning from the 15 August 1943.

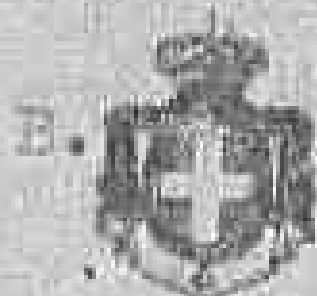
As Pupella's financial transactions are in
the hands of the Ufficio Provinciale del Tesoro of Catania,
it is necessary that the a/m internee issues a certificate
which grants his wife permission to collect the allowance for
him.

FOR THE MINISTER

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Divisione Pers. 3°
Rel. N° 333/323 Allegati

Oggetto: *Papella Antonio Commissario di P.S.*
Assegni-

Al Comando Commissione
Allegato A.P.O. 394-Sotto-
Commissione per la P.S.
Divisione Sicurezza-

Rapporto al f. del

Rel. N° 333/323

Con riferimento alla nota n. 604-IO Rif. Sd. del 20.3.44 si comunica che al Commissario di P.S. Papella Antonio internato nel campo di concentramento civile A., è stato concesso con D.M. 5.9.1944 l'assegnio alimentare previsto dal D.L. 27.7.1944 n. 159. a decorrere dal 15 agosto 1943. =

Poiché la partita contabile del Papella è in carico all'Ufficio Provinciale del Tesoro di Ostia e necessario che l'interessato rilasci delega alla di lui moglie per la riscossione degli assegni come sopra spettantigli. =

PEL MINISTRO

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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REF : SD/604-10

21 March 1945

SUBJECT : FUPELLA Antonio
FETIX MicheleTO : Ministry of the Interior,
General Direction of Public Safety.

1. Reference your Personal Sec. 1 Prot. 333/9040-3 of the 9 March 1945 received at this office on 20 March 1945, and SD/604-10 of the 19 Feb. 1945.

2. Authority has already been given for the above named internees to be handed over to you and it only remains for them to be taken from the "A" Internee Camp.

(a) It is a condition of the release that the Italian Authorities shall not, after any hearing or completion of any sentence imposed, release any internees without the consent of the Allied Command. The Allied Command reserves the right to re-intern any person if the sentence is insufficient to meet Allied Security needs.

(b) When release of an internee is authorized, the Italian Authorities will be responsible for transportation of internees from, and if necessary, to the Internee Camp, and also for the safe internees while at their disposal.

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

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
General Direction of
Public Safety

Rome, 9 March 1945

To Public Safety Sub Commission
ROME

answer to note SD/604.10
dated 19.2.45

Subject : Pupella Antonio - Commissioner of P.S.

With reference to the above mentioned note, we beg
you to release Pupella Antonio, Commissioner of P.S.

We inform you also that the above named official is
submitted to epuration and suspended from his office
according to art. 22 of the D.L.L. 27-7-1944 n. 159, and
will not therefore be resumed in service again.

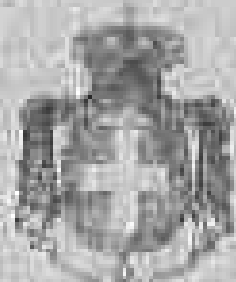
Awaiting your reply.

THE HEAD OF THE POLICE
Ferrari

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Divisione personale *1°*
Det. N. 333/9040-3 Allegato

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE
DI P.S. COMMISSIONE AL-
LEATA R. O. M. A

Proposto al f. del 19.2.945
Ref. 30/604-16

OGGETTO *Pupella Antonio - Commissario di P.S.*

Con riferimento alla nota sopradistinta,
si prega codesta On.le Commissione volere di-
sporre il rilascio dell'Internamento del Com-
missario di P.S. *Pupella Antonio*.

Al riguardo, si fa presente che il predetto
funzionario, che è sottoposto a procedimento di
epurazione e sospeso dall'ufficio ai sensi del-
l'art. 22 del D.L.L. 27.7.1944 n° 159, non verrà
nelle more del procedimento stesso, riassunto
in servizio.

Si resta in attesa di cortese riscontro.

Security
Division
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Antoni

IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

Sciarra

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O.394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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REF. : SD/604-10
SUBJECT : PUFELLA, Antonio.
TO : Ministry of Interior.
Gen. Dir. of P.S.

20 March 1945

1. The attached letter from subject, interned at "A"
Civilian Internee Camp, is forwarded for your consideration.

Ch

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

CBH/lm.

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Subject:- Forwarding of Letter.

To HQ, Allied Commission,
ROME.

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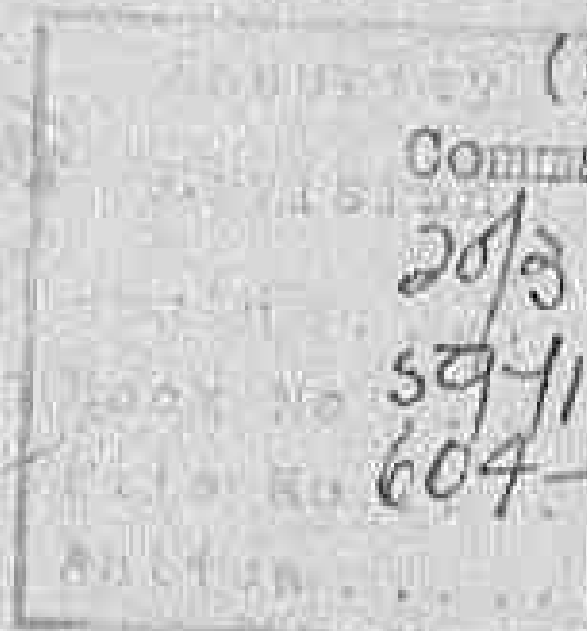
"A" Civilian Internee Camp, CMF.

Ref. 1500/139.

15 March 1945.

May attached letter please be forwarded to Ministero degli Interni
Direzione Generale della P.S. It relates to a claim for salary by
PUPELLA Antonio, interned in this camp.

HLR/



(N. L. GARISS)

Commanding "A" Civilian Internee Camp.

Lieut. Col.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

16 March 1945

REF : SD/604-10

SUBJECT : PETIX Michele

TO : G-2 (CI) AFHQ

1. Reference GAI 389.450/2-E of 22 Sep. 1944,
26 Oct. 1944, and GAI 389.451/32-A of the 15 Feb. 1945.
2. A copy of a letter received from the Ministry
of the Interior is attached for your information.

CH
JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.M.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

CEE/nb

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TRANSLATION

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
General Direction of
Public Safety

Rome, 2 March 1945

To Allied Commission
Public Safety Sub Commission
Security Division

A.P.O. 391

To the Divisione AA.SS. e Riservati
SEDE

answer to note SP/604.10 of
the 19/2/1944

Subject : PETIX Michele of lage Luigi - Guard of P.S.

With reference to the above mentioned note we inform you that Petix Michele of Luigi, P.S. Guard, presently interned in the concentration Camp "A" of Padana, has been denounced to the High Commissariat for Emigration with letter dated 19 October 1944 and according to the Legislative Decree n. 159 of the 27 July 1944.

With our letters N. 800/9891 A.2.A.7. dated 17 November, 3 December 1944, and 29 January 1945, we asked the High Commissariat to examine as soon as possible the case of the above named and that of other non commissioned officers interned in the same concentration camp.

The High Commissariat answered saying that Petix's documents are still being examined, and that his deferment to the Emigration Commission is imminent.

We shall therefore inform you of the measures which will be taken against him for every action you may deem necessary to take.

/s/ The Head of the Police

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Direzione P.S. - Fasc. 14
Sub. N. 800/7614 *Allegato*

Sezione	14/3
Divisione	5822
Sub. No.	604-10
Allegato	

OGGETTO

PETIT MICHELE FA INIZIAL-CONTINUA DI P.S.

Respectful Taylor del 12/2/1947
Dir. - Fasc. 14/32, 802-10

e p.c.

ALLA DIVISIONE AL. G. e CISTOVI

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AL COMITATO COMMISSIONE ANTELA

Sottocommissione per la P.S.

Divisione di Sicurezza

Prima 2 Marzo 1945

Con riferimento alla nota repentinista, si comunica che la Guardia di P.S. Petix Michele di Luigi, attualmente inquisita nel corso di concentramento "A" di Fagnola, con lettera pari numero del 19 ottobre 1944 venne deferita all'Alto Commissariato legittimo per il perfezionamento di epurazione, ai sensi del Decreto Legislativo in vigore del 27 luglio 1944, n. 155.

Con successiva lettera n. 800/9801, n. 2.4.7. del 17/11/1944, 8/12/1944 e 29/1/1945 vennero rivolte premure all'Alto Commissariato predetto per il sollecito esame della pratica concernente il giudizio di epurazione nei confronti di detto agente e di altri sottufficiali del Corpo già istituiti nello stesso campo di concentramento.

E' ora pervenuta notizia da parte dell'Alto Commissariato che trattasi che la pratica della Guardia Petix è tuttora in istruttoria e che il suo deferimento alla Commissione di epurazione è imminente.

Si fa pertanto rilevare di conseguenza le deliberazioni adottate dal detto agente per i provvedimenti di competenza di questa Commissione.

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Sottocommissariati per la P.S.

Divisione di Sicurezza

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ALL. DIVISIONE AA.GG. e RISERVATI

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Prot. N. 500/761 - Allegato

Protesta del 19/2/1945

Per: Inuit / SD / 102-10

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OGGETTO

ATTI Michele Ca Inuit - Guardia di P.S.

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Si fa pertanto sapere di comunicare le deliberazioni adottate sul merito di detto agente per i provvedimenti di competenza di questa Commissione.

IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

[Signature]

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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REF : SD/604-10

19 February 1945

SUBJECT : FUFELLA Antonio - O.V.R.A. Officials
PETIX MicheleTO : Ministry of the Interior,
General Direction of Public Safety.

1. Reference letters from this office AG/14755/PS of 12 Oct. 1944 (FUFELLA) and SD/604 of 2 Nov. 1944 (PETIX) by which authority was given for these men to be handed over to the Italian Authority. Reference is also made to one letter SD/604 of 20 Dec. 1944.
2. It is understood that the two men are still held at "A" Internoo Camp, Padula.
3. It is urgently requested that you state your intentions with regard to these two men, in order that the necessary dispositions can be made in their cases.

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

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2.
APO 512, U.S. ARMY.

GBL.389.455/32-A.

15 February, 1945.

SUBJECT : PUPILLA Antonio
PETIX Michele

TO : Administrative Section,
Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

1. It was indicated in this Headquarters letters GBL.389.450/2-E dated 22 September, 1944 and 26 October, 1944 that no objection was raised to the removal of above mentioned from internment in order that they might appear before the Italian Commission for the Epuration of Pubblica Sicurezza officials.

2. It is understood that subjects are still held in "A" Internee Camp, PADULA and it would be appreciated if the Italian Authorities could be urged to take action in this matter.

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For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2.

E. B. Nichols
E. B. NICHOLS,
Colonel, GSC,
Asst A.C. of S., G-2.

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Copy to: Comdt,
"A" Internee Camp,
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REF : ED/604

20 December 1944

SUBJECT : Expiration - OVHA officials

TO : Ministry of Interior, Public Safety, HQ.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter 113.9040.

2. It has been agreed that officials and agent of OVHA would appear before the Commission for Expiration of Public Security personnel, and accordingly enquiries were made to ascertain the names of such people detained by the Allies in Security Grounds.

3. The names given in my letter of 17th December were said to be ex-OVHA officials, and authority was granted for you to bring them before your Commission if you so desired.

4. The right to re-intern them is claimed by the Allied Authorities because, primarily, they are considered a danger to military security, and would only be released to the expiring commission for the purpose of trial by that body. Such action does not effect the Allied Military Security position, and the decision to continue to intern or to release rests with the Allied Military authorities.

5. It is noted that VINCENZO Salvatore and RUGGERO Vincenzo are not of your dependent personnel.

6. If you have no case against FUSILLA Antonio and PERIL Michele I will advise the Camp authorities in order that they may be dealt with in the same way as other officials.

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RMV : SM/604

20 December 1944

SUBJECT : Expunction - OVRA Officials

TO : Ministry of Interior, Public Safety, HQ.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter 133.9040.
J.F. of 11th December 1944.

2. It has been agreed that officials and agent of OVRA would appear before the Commission for Expunction of Public Security personnel, and accordingly inquiries were made to ascertain the names of such people detained by the Allies in Security Grounds.

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5. It is noted that FRANCESCO Salvatore and VINCENZO are not of your dependent personnel.

6. If you have no case against FRANCESCO Salvatore and FRITZ MICHAEL I will advise the Camp authorities in order that they may be dealt with in the same way as other civilian internees.

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JOHN F. CHAMBERLAIN,
Colonel J.A.P.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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The OVRa at Work.

C O P Y

SD/604

Provincial OVRa men worked in close collaboration with local Questura agents, assisting them with arrests and searches of a political nature, but themselves concentrating almost exclusively on the anti-state activities of Italians. Movements of foreigners as such did not interest them; these were the concern of SIM/PS, and information of this nature gathered by OVRa could be only handed over. Collaboration of a kind also existed with the plain clothes CC.M. (Reparti Investigativi CC.M.), to whom OVRa gave information on criminal gangs. Relations with the UPI were uniformly bad, the professionals regarding to latter (justifiably no doubt) as "clumsy dabblers" in counter-subversive work. Unlike the usual Public Security investigator, OVRa members were empowered to pursue their investigations freely from one province to another. Their numbers would alter in each zone as subversive activity was thought to wax and wane, and in times of stress reinforcements were frequently borrowed from amongst the personnel of the Ufficio Politico of the Questura, these additions being known as "aggregati".

Generally speaking the key position in OVRa was that of zone Inspector. Each of these developed his own territory quite independently of the Questura, receiving indirectly all the findings of Rumicari, agenti and aggregati and thence passing them forward in OVRa code to the head of the Political Police Division in ROMA. INFO was expected to keep the Chief of Police services in the Ministry of the Interior informed, but more important still to report directly to MANGONI himself, if urgency so demanded. Another important duty of the zone Inspector was to recommend suitable candidates from the Public Security for permanent OVRa employment, and it seems that a strong feeling soon developed within the force against the admission of "non-professionals" to this, the more lucrative side of police work. Party influence, however, ensured that nepotism affected entry and patronage advancement and also opened the way to the appointment of Officers and men in the Armed Forces who had shown themselves particularly loyal to the fascist cause.

OVRa men were encouraged to spend a good deal of their time out of the office "making contacts", their principal hunting grounds being cafes and places of entertainment. Drawings on the ministry for secret funds appear to have been heavy and frequent. From these monies the Inspectors paid the additional stipend mentioned above and used the residue (roughly 50%) to pay "expenses" and informers. One zone Inspector, INCASIA (OVRa Chief for TOSCANA) spent 50,000 lire a month in the spring of 1941 before the Allies took over his FLORENCE HQ., though his cars were at the time operating on Black Market petrol, an expedient which probably increased his overheads. The steady side of OVRa is reflected most obviously in its notorious development of the informer system. Originally it was intended to have a number of informers in every social and political circle, acting voluntarily out of idealistic motives: soon, however, the system embraced a large collection of shady characters, including many ex-convicts, who were rewarded from time to time by their particular OVRa sponsor, officer or CP/ML, by gifts of cash (500 lire was a general payment) or by party protection. Some of the informers abroad were leaders of the Italian colonies or respectable members of Italian firms who acted out of sense of patriotism, though here too considerable or social advantage was often sought. It is a sorry fact that many a person saved himself from criminal or political penalty by turning OVRa informer. Informers were never briefed, but gathered what information they could in their own way. There was no obligation on the part of the individual OVRa

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It has been asserted by an OVRA Inspector recently interrogated that all reports made by his officers were written in clear, that the writer's full name was added and that such reports were generally sent through the post. Further, that third degree methods of interrogation were never used, nor were false documents issued to agents and informers. His explanation of the sinister reputation of OVRA was that unscrupulous members of other police and security services would often commit atrocities in OVRA's name. It must be remembered, however, that this source was no doubt using a certain amount of whitewash in an effort to save himself from internment. The truth probably lies somewhere between the lurid picture drawn by the anti-fascist and this "civil servant" pose.

of the trapped OVRA official.

Specialist Activities.

It is not known exactly at what date OVRA started to function abroad but details of payments abroad suggest that work was afloat in LONDON, for example, as early as 1934. It appears that by degrees certain of the main Italian OVRA Centers acquired territorial responsibilities overseas. MILAN dealt with Western and North Western Europe, ROMA with the Mediterranean countries, and also with RUSSIA, the Western Hemisphere and the Far East. Agents sent abroad were usually given cover by the Italian Embassy, consulate or Legation concerned, from which they were paid by cheques forwarded by the Ministry of the Interior at home. They were assigned an identity number, the significance of which was known only to DS OFFICER or LYO, to whom they reported on the political tendencies of Italians living abroad, and - a departure from their original function - also collected items on the state of military preparedness of the country concerned. These reports reached ROMA in the diplomatic bag, a favour which was sometimes reciprocated by the inclusion of some of the diplomatic staff on the lists of undesirable thus despatched. Records show that three regular OVRA agents operating in LONDON from 1937 onwards received monthly cheques, evidently on a graded scale, for about 1100, 275 and 250 respectively, some of the money undoubtedly being used for maintaining some sort of informer system. In Sep. 39, these regulars migrated to NEW YORK, where they stayed until the entry of ITALY into the WAR. Another point of interest is that QUERO DE LORO, one of GRASCO's leading contacts during the Spanish Civil War, was "on the books" of an admitted OVRA agent operating in MADRID in 1943-45.

Those who travelled on the International Express Train carrying ITALY before the war may be interested in the OVRA trick of examining forcing mail in special vans. Letters were secretly opened and photographed, then thoughtfully avoiding any delay in the delivery of correspondence. Centres for this activity existed in GENE for North and Northwest European mail, ROMA for Balcanic and RUE for Egyptian, Western Mediterranean and Tunisian Mail.

OVRA and the Fall of Fascism.

MUSOLINI had called the OVRA into being and had sponsored its activities throughout. Some trepidation must therefore have been felt in this body at the time of his forced resignation. When SALICRUT took over the Government, the OVRA's care and political orientation were changed, but it continued to exist as an organization and its purpose remained the same, viz the protection of the regime (not now fascist) against subversion. OVRA donors were renamed IMPERIALI APPELLI. SALICRUT, a former chief of Police at ROMA, assumed duty as SALICRUT's Chief of Italian Police Services, and one of the few things he was able to accomplish before he was disposed of by the Germans was to dismiss together LEO and all Gora Instructors and to order an enquiry into the illegally assumed Fascist fortunes. Little work seems to have been undertaken, however, due to the generally chaotic condition of all State and Party institutions, to the lack of resolve of many of the ex-OVRA officials.

After the Armistice, the OVRA reverted to its former political orientation, under MONTI, who succeeded SALICRUT. By the end of the year MONTI moved with the Ministry of the Interior to MADRID. The OVRA Headquarters, which was by now no longer swelling out the fortunes of Fascist millionaires but had the role of protecting the new Republican regime, remained in ROMA until March 44 when LEO moved the entire Political Police Division to MADRID.

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Meanwhile the Ministry at VALENTINO was loud in its complaints about the dearth of reports. The zone inspectors (all zones, that is, not occupied by the Allies) had had a hard winter looking for informers and were often unable to produce anything but "routine reports" on the renovations of the local populace to the VET, the SS, entering and the like. Stress was also felt at the centre of the organization, as the Germans had previously ordered the evacuation of both VALENTINO and VALENTINO at short notice. (It is not clear why this order was given or if it was in fact carried out). By this time, many of the OVRa personnel had become as elusive as the informers and were not appearing for duty. Further, as liaison between centres had not been developed by radio, the poor state of road and rail communications made it difficult to keep touch. A few Richards continued to work, assisted at times by SID which was permitted to exist, as described in a previous issue of these Notes, very much under German control in practice if not in spirit. Just as they have shown little confidence in SID, so the Germans seem also to have distrusted OVRa agents as informers and opportunists, though the latter, as supporting pillars of a regime

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Republican regime, should eventually have been numbered amongst their most valuable Italian allies.

Conclusion

Generally speaking, in view of their intimate association with the repressive (and corrupt) elements in the Fascist creed, OVRA Officials wherever encountered should be regarded as potentially dangerous elements, well trained in police methods, almost universally disliked by the populace, with a flair for trickery and subterfuge. In some cases, doubtless, OVRA officers and men merely "followed their trade" without much conviction or undue malice, but most rank, and of course especially those who have continued to operate loyally for the Republic, are highly promising candidates for internment. Their informers, however, who so frequently find their way into Black Lists under such high-sounding titles as "OVRA spy" etc are in general of remote security significance.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/604 - 7

27 December 1944

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SUBJECT : TRIPODI Dr. Domenico

TO : R.P.S.O. Southern Region

1. Further to your letter PS/125 of 17th October 1944 respecting the above named.
2. Upon receipt of your letter re-emphasizing his unsuitability, the matter was again taken up with AFHQ.
3. A letter has been received this day from them stating that Dr. TRIPODI ceased to work with the Allied Forces on or about 9 December, 1944, and returned to the Rome Questura for reposting.

[Signature]
JOHN T. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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: SD/604-7

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27 December 1944

SUBJECT : TRIPODI, Dr. Domenico

TO : Ministry of the Interior

1. With further reference to your letter 33/1699 of the 17th Sep. 1944, relative to the above named, I have to inform you that his services with the Allied forces were terminated on or about 9th Dec. 1944.

2. He then returned to Rome to report to the Questura for reassignment.


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

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Tel:- 459081

Ext:- 367

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
APO 512 U.S. ARMY

OBT. 300.450/A-52

21 December, 1944

SUBJECT : ~~REFUGEE~~, Dr. Doanico

TO : Security Division,
Public Safety Sub Commission,
Headquarters Allied Commission.

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1. Reference your letter SA/GO/3223 of 29 November 44 subject as above.

2. This section has been informed by Counter Intelligence Corps IAF/ICG that subject is no longer used by Section "H" of that Detachment, his services having been terminated on or about 9 December 1944.

3. Dr. ~~REFUGEE~~ returned to ROSE where he was to report to the Ministry of Interior for reassignment in the Gestapo.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2.

Vladimir K. Majal
E.B. NICHOLS,
Colonel, G-2,
Asst AG of S, G-2.

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A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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REF : SD/604/5223.

29 November 1944

SUBJECT : TRIPODI Dr. Domenico

TO : C-2 (C.I.) A.P.H.Q.

1. With reference to your letter CBI - 389.450 of
10 November 1944 concerning the above named.

2. Will you please notify this office when Dr. TRIPODI's
work with CIC terminates in order that the matter can be considered
purely from an Italian Government point of view.

[Signature]
JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

Tel:- 489081
Ext:- 367

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SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/604 / 3233 .

29 November 1944

SUBJECT : TRIPODI, Dr. Domenico - Commissario Aggiunto di P.S.

TO : Ministry of the Interior

1. With reference to your letter 33/1699 of 17th September 1944 relative to the above named.

2. Enquiries have been made into the Allegations and I have been informed that Dr. TRIPODI will terminate his work with the Allies in the near future.

3. He can then be dealt with by the Purging Commission for ex-OVRA officials, or transferred from Foggia in the normal way.

[Signature]
JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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17 November 1944

SUBJECT : TRIPOLI, Dr. Domenico

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

1. Reference your PS/125 of 17 October 1944
2. The attached reply from AFHQ explains the present position.


JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.Tel:- 489081
Ext:- 367

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2

GBI-389.450

10 November 1944

SUBJECT : TRIPODI Dr. Domenico

TO : Director,
Public Safety Sub-Commission
Allied Commission

1. Reference is made to your AGC/14755/PS of 23 October.
2. Preliminary enquiries have been made on the basis of your letter, and further details will be developed. At the outset it was shown that antagonism to TRIPODI was evidenced on the part of certain local officials not because of his previous connections but rather because of he had rendered some effective service for Allied agencies.
3. The report submitted with your letter does not present a true picture of the facts in the case and certainly magnifies the TRIPODI participation, since his only connection was to assist in the interrogation. The transaction mentioned was carried on with the knowledge of an Allied Intelligence agency since Stelle reported the first contact and carried on in an effort to ascertain the reasons why the fraudulent pass was desired.
4. TRIPODI's services are of no value in any other area but it is expected that work upon which he is presently engaged will be terminated in the near future.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2

s/EARLE B. NICHOLS,
t/EARLE B. NICHOLS,
Lt. Colonel, GSC,
Asst. AC of S, G-2.

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REGION 6 A.C.C.

18th June, 1944.

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SUBJECT : Weekly report on Sardinia.

TO :- Colonel A.E. Young, Director, Security Branch, A.C.C.

Ref. No :-

SIR.

1. Attached herewith is a further report on the O.V.R.A., together with details of all known O.V.R.A. personnel known to have operated in Sardinia since 1937. Also another list of all the O.V.R.A. paid informants.
2. Colonel SPICER has visited Sardinia and I have had two long interviews with him. At his request I have handed him a copy of the above-mentioned report, together with two copies of each list.
3. At the Colonel's request I have just spent two days at Cagliari in order to be able to examine all Dr. Colonna's records and ascertain all the information that was required.
4. I am happy to report that Colonel SPICER thoroughly understands the difficult position in Sardinia and that so very little has been done to weed out Fascists from the high positions they occupy.
5. My colleagues and I are still doing everything within our power to achieve some results.
6. Brigadier Carr, Region 6, has questioned my presence in Sardinia, although the day after I arrived I called upon him, explained my mission and showed him my travel orders, which I had received from A.A.I. I have again explained to him why I am here and I do not think my presence here will again be questioned.

*Richard Phillips*Captain.
Security Branch A.C.C.

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REGION 6. A.A.C.

18th June, 1944.

SUBJECT :- O.V.R.A. STAFF IN SARDINIA.
TO :- Colonel A.E.Young. Director, Security Branch.A.C.C.
Ref. No :-

Sir;

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6. The six paid informers marked, "Now with Special Police", are according to Dr. Colonna the only ex-paid O.V.R.A. informers still working for Dr. Colonna. He says they are all Anti-Fascists.

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X Security Branch: A.G.C.

Copy ~~XXXXXXXX~~ with two complete sets of these lists to Colonel SPICER.

-X- Attached C.I.C.
on Special Investigation
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LIST OF OVRA PERSONNEL

Comm Dott DINO FARRIS di Omero. Born at Asti in 1885, Inspector General of Public Security. (Questore, 2nd class).

Entered Ministry of Interior (Pubblica Sicurezza) in 1909.

After serving in the Servizio Frontiera at Trieste for a number of years, he was transferred in 1937 to Sardinia as Inspector General of Police and Chief of the OVRA. He has a wife and two daughters, believed to be living at Pisa. Has one brother, a General, now interned by the Germans. Another brother, a Lt. Col. in the Italian Army. Now living at Corso Vittorio Emanuele 14, Sassari.

Gen. SALVATORE Michele di Alberto di Francesco Ceccoli. Born at Province of Naples on 31 July 1903. Commissario di Pubblica Sicurezza. Promoted to Commissario on 16 March 1942 having entered the service on 1 July 1925. On the 10th of January 1944, he was transferred from Dr. COLOMBA's staff at Sassari to the Questura at Bari. Now living at Via Firenze 7, Cagliari. Dr. COLOMBA believes that he has never been to Bari and that he is apparently out of work. Has wife and seven daughters.

Gen. UFF. MARINOLO Dr. Giovanni. Born 1886. Father Eleuterio. Was Commissario di Pubblica Sicurezza in the OVRA under FARRIS in Sardinia until 11 August 1940. Transferred to Divisione A.D.R., Ministry of the Interior, Rome.

Gen. UFF. CARLOSSA Dr. Umberto. (No other personal details known). Joined the OVRA staff under FARRIS in Sardinia as Commissario di Pubblica Sicurezza in October 1941. It is not known where he came from. He was only in Sardinia a few weeks when he was transferred elsewhere. It is believed either to Germany or France.

Maresciallo F. S. VOLLARO Stanislas di Michele. Born at Brugnato (Naples) on 18/2/1904. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 30 June 1926. Maresciallo since 16/3/1941. Wife and one daughter? Present address, Via Carlo Alberto, Sassari. Now working with Dr. COLOMBA at Cagliari but awaiting to be transferred onto the staff of one of the Questure in Sardinia.

Maresciallo F. S. PARI Ferdinando di Domenico? Date Perugia 30/10/1904. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 30/11/1926. Maresciallo since 16/3/1941. Wife and four children. At present on sick leave. Address, Via Dante 45, Cagliari. On Dr. COLOMBA's staff at Cagliari.

Y. Brigadiere DOMENICO Salvatore di Battista. Born Pace (Naples) on 26/10/1909. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 15/2/1933. Wife and child believed now in la Spezia. Present address, R. Questura of Sassari. Will be transferred to Dr. COLOMBA's staff in Cagliari.

Car S. VASTANO Michele di Alberto di Francesco Govoli. Born at Province of Naples on 31 July 1905, Commissario di Pubblica Sicurezza. Promoted to Commissario on 16 March 1942 having entered the service on 1 July 1926. On the 10th of January 1944, he was transferred from Dr. COLONNA'S staff at Sassari to the Questura at Paris. Now living at Via Firenze 7, Cagliari. Dr. COLONNA believes that he has never been to hard and that he is apparently out of work. Has wife and seven daughters.

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Maresciallo P. S. VOLLARO Stanislao di Michele. Born at Gragnano (Naples) on 13/2/1904. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 30 June 1926. Maresciallo since 16/8/1941. Wife and one daughter. Present address, Via Carlo Alberto, Sassari. Now working with Dr. COLONNA at Cagliari but awaiting to be transferred onto the staff of one of the Questure in Sardinia.

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V. Brigadiere BOHARNO Salvatore di Battista. Born Pace (Messina) on 26/10/1909. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 15/2/1933. Wife and child believed now in La Spezia. Present address, E. Questura of Sassari. Will be transferred to Dr. COLONNA'S staff in Cagliari. Is probably being transferred on the staff of one of the Questure.

Guardia Scelta P. S. QUESTEDU Giovanni di Filipo. Born at Chiesi (Sassari) on 23/6/1901. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 1/12/1926. Married, no children. Present address, Via Armando Diaz 72, Sassari. Will be transferred to Dr. COLONNA'S staff in Cagliari within a few days. Will probably be transferred to the staff of another Questura.

Guardia P. S. PARRI Adeo fu Andrea. Born Umberto, Perugia on 13/4/1919. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 10 June 1940. Present

address, Via Gracia Deledda 3, Cagliari. On Dr. COLONNA'S staff at Cagliari. Single.

Guardia P. S. VINCENZO Pasquale di Gaetano. Born at Maddaloni (Naples) on 10 April 1914. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 4 July 1936. Single. Present address, Via Gracia Deledda 3, Cagliari. On Dr. COLONNA'S staff at Cagliari.

Guardia P. S. ROMANOLI Giovanni di Carlo. Born at Bologna on 26/1/1905. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 15/9/1929. Married, two children. Present address, Via Gracia Deledda 3, Cagliari, but wife and family in Bologna. ~~Present address, Via Gracia Deledda 3, Cagliari.~~

Guardia P. S. VALLARO Sebastiano di Michele. Born (Gragnano) (Naples) on 12/1/1910. Joined Pubblica Sicurezza on 1/2/1935. Single. Present address, Via Gracia Deledda 3, Cagliari. On Dr. COLONNA'S staff in Cagliari.

General PIZZA, High Commissioner for Sardinia, has informed Dr. COLONNA that Naresciallo VOLLARO, Guardia CHESSERDY and Guardia VOLLARO will be the first to be transferred. The remaining staff of 5 might will be transferred later.

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LIST OF OVRA PAID INFORMANTS

ADAMI AVV. Candido, Alghero (7) ✓
 ARTIZU Reg. Mario, Segretario Comunale di Calasetta. ✓
 AGOSTINI Luigi, Bar, Corso V. Emanuele 2, Carloforte. ✓
 ANDANTE Pietro, Via Garibaldi 113, S. Antioco. ✓
 ALBARO Vincenzo, Oristano, Now with Special Police Inspectorate. ✓
 ANGOZZI Giovanni, Via S. Eulisia 4, Cagliari. ✓
 ANTONI Francesco, Via Roma 5, Cagliari. ✓
 ANTONI Umberto, Caput Agnaf 7, Carbonia ✓
 BARRA Giorgio, Via 20 Settembre 40, Cagliari ✓
 BIGNARDI Pietro, Via Amedeo, Guspini ✓
 BULLA Cav. Guglielmo, Macomer. ✓
 BILANCINI Arturo, Canelles 2, Iglesias. ✓
 2 PARSELLINI Elbano, Elettrocista, Carbonia, Now with Special Police. ✓
 BIRTI Domenico, Via Pugliese. ✓
 BRUGNATTINI Bruno, Via Bollini 24, Cagliari. ✓
 BUSINCH Ettore, Nuoro. ✓
 CARBONI Gavino, Via Soras 57, Sassari. ✓
 CORTESI Domenico, Via Maberio, Iglesias. ✓
 CASSEI Stefano, Miniere Baou Abis. ✓
 COLANTONIO Pasquale, Via Unità Italiana 10, Torre del Greco. ✓
 CALZOLARI Lettina, Via Gello 5, Oristano. ✓
 COSSU Giovanni, Iglesias. ✓
 CASTELLIS Mario, Marunalo. ✓
 CALI Sebastiano, Via Baylle 23, Cagliari. ✓
 CHIAI Giuseppe fu Valentino, Via Garibaldi 14, Racino Alto Flumendosa ✓
 CADORIN Gialio, Menza Impiegati, Carbonia. ✓
 CROBU Salvatore, Via Garibaldi 19, S. Antioco. ✓
 CACCIAPUOTI Raffaele, Via Bellini 32, Cagliari. ✓
 CUGCA Giovanni, Maresciallo Marino, La Maddalena. ✓
 CONTU Pietro, Corso V. Emanuele 23, Lanusei. ✓
 CUMMOPARI Giovanni, Concentramento Telegrafico Militare, Sassari. ✓
 COSTA Antonino, Cameriere, SS Garibaldi, Ganziri, Messina. ✓
 CORBI Aldo, barbiere, Via S. Domenico 9. ✓
 GARNEDU Mario, Via Lemarmore 15, Cagliari. ✓
 CARTA Fittu Antonio Angelo, Via Convento 29, Villacidro. ✓
 CARTA Vittorio, S. Bartolomeo. ✓
 CUPURULLU Ascanio, Pattada. ✓
 CADA Francesco, Marunalo, Olbia. ✓
 DE CURTIS Gaspare, Via Olisio 9, Roma. ✓
 DARDANI Ernesto, Via Colombo 16, La Spezia. ✓
 D'ALIO Franco, Piazza Arionsten 11, Ferrara. ✓
 DOMENICANI Luigi, Garage Birai. ✓
 DESSI, Impiegato Municipio, Via Lepanto 12, Cagliari. ✓
 DE MURTAG Balila, Via Cagliari 16, Sassari. ✓
 DI MARCO Giuseppe, Messina. ✓
 DEBETTORI Giovanni, Telesina. ✓

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 ARO Giorgio, Via 20 Settembre 40, Cagliari. ✓
 BIONERE Pietro, Via Amedeo Guspini ✓
 FULIA Cav. Guglielmo, Macomer. ✓
 MILANOINI Arturo, Canelles 2, Iglesias. ✓
 MARGELLINI Elbano, Elettroista, Carbonia, Now with Special Police. ✓
 BITTI Domenico, Via Pugliese. ✓
 BRUGUTTINI Bruno, Via Bellini 24, Cagliari. ✓
 BUSINCU Ettore, Nuoro. ✓
 CARBONI Gavino, Via Sors 57, Sassari. ✓
 CERRESE Domenico, Via Umberto, Iglesias. ✓
 CASTI Stefano, Miniere Bacu Abis. ✓
 COLANTONIO Pasquale, Via Unità Italiana 10, Torre del Greco. ✓
 CALZOLARI Leontina, Via Gallo 5, Oristano. ✓
 COSSU Giovanni, Iglesias. ✓
 CASTELLIS Mario, Marignano. ✓
 CALLI Sebastiano, Via Bayllo 23, Cagliari. ✓
 CHIAI Giuseppe fu Valentino, Via Garibaldi 14, Racino Alto Flumendosa. ✓
 CADORIN Giulio, Mensa Impiegati, Carbonia. ✓
 CECU Salvatore, Via Garibaldi 19, S. Antineo. ✓
 CACCIAPUOTI Raffaele, Via Bellini 32, Cagliari. ✓
 CUSCA Giovanni, Maresciallo Marina, La Maddalena. ✓
 CONTU Pietro, Corso V. Emanuele 23, Lussari. ✓
 COMODARI Giovanni, Concentramento Telegrafico Militare, Sassari. ✓
 COSTA Antonino, Cameriere, 53 Garibaldi, Gassini, Neussina. ✓
 COPPET Aldo, barbiere, Via S. Domenico 9. ✓
 CANEDDU Mario, Via Lamarmora 15, Cagliari. ✓
 CARFA Pittau Antonio Angelo, Via Convento 29, Villacidro. ✓
 CARTA Vittorio, S. Bartolomeo. ✓
 CUGURULIU Ascanio, Pattada. ✓
 CABA Francesco, Marignano, Olbia. ✓
 DE CURTIS Gaspare, Via Clivio 9, Roma. ✓
 DARDANI Ernesto, Via Colombo 15, La Spezia. ✓
 D'ALICO Franco, Piazza Aricetea 11, Ferrara. ✓
 DOMENICANI Luigi, Garage Sirai. ✓
 DESSI, Impiegato Municipio, Via Repanto 12, Cagliari. ✓
 DE MURTAS Emilia, Via Cagliari 18, Sassari. ✓
 DI MARGO Giuseppe, Neussina. ✓
 DETTORI Giovanni, Iglesias. ✓
 DEL ROSSO Federico, Via Dante 29, Cagliari. ✓
 DESSINA Raimondo, (address unrecdable). ✓
 FALCHI Eugenio, Via Frigaglia 15, Sassari. ✓
 FERRIGO Angelo, Manganeso Italiano, Carloforte. ✓
 FOSSATI Giuseppe, Via Grossa 7, Gavi (Alessandria) ✓
 FALCONI Lys nata Masuoci, Via Argoi 50, Cagliari. ✓

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FORTELLONE Giovanni, Via Lemarmora, Cagliari.
 FRONCIA Aldo, Assicuratore, Nuoro.
 FANTUZZI Elio, Marina, Cagliari.
 GIORGETTI Marcello, Albergo Miramare, Cagliari.
 GAGLIARDI Angelo, Orto Botanico, Cagliari.
 GARRINI Nello, Minatore, Carbonia.
 CAROFANO Salvatore, S. Gavino.
 GIORGONI Andrea Goletta, Tunisi.
 GARGIA Giuseppe, Via S. Giacomo 28, Cagliari.
 GIOIA Ubaldo, Carbonia.
 GHINI Mario, Elmas.
 IACONI Franco, 13 Squad. Aerea, Gendar, AOI.
 INDE Antonio, Via V. Emanuele 39, S. Gavino.
 LORI Renzo, Via Baccharini 2, Nuoro.
 LONGO Giuseppe, Salita S. Rocco 37-2, Genova.
 LOY Salvatore, Carbonia. Now with Special Police Inspectorate.
 LURANO Salvatore, Via Monte Grappa 25, Cagliari.
 LUCIGNANO Sirio, Via Roma 13, Cagliari.
 LAMPIS Arturo, Montevecchio.
 LEONI Giovanni, Marinello, S. Bartolomeo.
 LOCCI Antonio, Via Rio IX, Cagliari.
 LORIA Luigi, Nuoro.
 LISIA Luigi, Ferroviere, Isili.
 MASCIA Salvatore, Bonarrai.
 MUSCAS Francesco, Villa Massaglia, Iglesias.
 MONNI Avv. Antonio, Nuoro.
 MASCIA Rag. Reimondo, Via S. Giovanni 74, Cagliari.
 MANNUCCI Myrta, Piazza Costituzione 5, Cagliari.
 MORICO Antonio, Miniera Sirrai.
 MATTU Francesco, Via Eleonora D'Arborea 70, Cagliari.
 MARONGIU Leonardo, Via Masia 3, Sassari.
 MURTAS Italo, Carbonia.
 MELIS Felice, Via S. Croce 40, Salergius.
 MADDEDU Michele, Via Grazia Deledda 5, Cagliari.
 MARTA Natalina, Rue el Karamed 14, Tunisi.
 MELLONI Mario, Rue el Karamed, Tunis;
 MANNUCCI
 MARONGIO Giuseppe, Corso V. Emanuele 18, Sassari.
 MASUCCI Lya, Via Angiolini 50, Cagliari.
 MARCHI Ettore, Via Merello 30, Cagliari.
 MANUNDO Giovanni, Via Piave, S. Gavino.
 MADEDDU Giuseppe, Argentario.
 MASSAGRANDE Mario, Aeroporto Elmas.
 MARRINELLI Francesco, Via Trieste 30, Carbonia.
 MARTINO Pasquale, Via Giglio 17, Iglesias.
 MASTRATI Alberto, Aviere, Elmas.
 MARI BRUNO, Rag. Ferrovie Complementari, Sfoliato Osili.

LACONI Bruno, 13, Lung. Aerea, Cagliari, 201.
 LORDE Antonio, Via V. Emanuele 39, S. Gavino.
 LORI Renzo, Via Baccarini 2, Nuoro.
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 LOCCI Antonio, Via Pio IX, Cagliari.
 LORIA Luigi, Nuoro.
 LISIA Luigi, Ferroviere, Isili.
 MASCIA Salvatore, Monserrate.
 MUCIAS Francesco, Villa Massargia, Iglesias.
 MONNI AVV. Antonio, Nuoro.
 MASSIA Reg. Raimondo, Via S. Giovanni 74, Cagliari.
 MANTUCCI Myrta, Piazza Costituzione 5, Cagliari.
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 MATTEU Francesco, Via Eleonora D'Arborea 70, Cagliari.
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 MASSAGRANDE Mario, Aeroporto Elmas.
 MARTINELLI Francesco, Via Trieste 30, Carbonia.
 MERTUCC Pasquale, Via Giglio 17, Iglesias.
 MASTATI Alberto, Aviere, Elmas.
 NEGRI Bruno, Rag. Ferrovie Complementari: Sfoliato Osili.
 PILLA Salvatore, Assuntore FF. Monteyoni.
 PARI Venanzio, Rag. Bacu Abis.
 PAVI Luigi, Via Mazzini 6, Arbus.
 PELLEGRINI Carlo, Radio, Via Garibaldi, Nuoro.
 PODDA Felice, Bacu Abis.
 PORRA Enrico, Medico, Cagliari.
 PITIGU Antonio, Via Trieste, S. Gavino.
 PALMERI Stefano, Via Lanterna 63, Cagliari.
 PISU Luigi, Via S. Giorgio 5, Cagliari.
 PETRILI Antonio, Carbonia.
 PERINOZZI Piero, Via Spano 29, Cagliari.

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PETTINELLI Aristide, soldato Genio Telegrafista.
 PAPA Afisio, Vie (unreadable)
 PIANA Salvatore, Sassari. Now with Special Police Inspectorate.
 PRIORI, Sassari. Now with Special Police Inspectorate.
 RUBIANI Salvatore, S. Teresa Di Gallura.
 ROMERO Girolamo, Via Puccini 40, Cagliari.
 RUTINO Angelo, Militare, Sassari, Cagliari.
 RIRAMONTI Ovidio, Sgt Maggiore Marina.
 RUGGIU Giovanni, Via Bonaroti 5, Cagliari.
 RIVOLUTINI Ezminio, Questura, Lanatruona.
 SIMEOLA Emilio, Villaputzu.
 SACCHERI Giovanni, Via Coccone 14, Cagliari.
 SCAMPUBDU Raffaele, Cagliari, Via Sallis 75.
 SIGNORI Giocondo, Miniera di Montevicino.
 SENIS Ottavio, S. Antio.
 STUOYTI Vito, Carbonia.
 SARTOMMAGO, Inghirto.
 SERVENTI Antonio, Via Taveri 130, Cagliari.
 SASSA Mario, Mensa Impiegati Buon Abis.
 STOK Bonomi Bianca, Via Sardegna 50, Cagliari.
 SARDI Settimo, Via Baille 16, Cagliari.
~~SCAMPUBDU-R.~~
 SASSA Nicolo, Iglesias.
 SIEDI Micoardo, Via Lanarora 111, Cagliari.
 SORRANI Mario, Sgt Inf. Now with Special Police Inspectorate.
 SILLI Andrea, Via Dusa D'Aosta 20, Carbonia.
 TRAYVERA Prof. Umberto, Via S. Lucifero 74, Cagliari.
 TARTARINI Giovanni, Via S. Giovanni 244, Cagliari.
 TOLA Ettore, Segretario Comunale.
 USAI Reginaldo, Bardare.
 URAS Lavinio, Via Roma 36, Sassari.
 ULTIMINI Salvatore, Via Romagna 2, Cagliari.
 USAI Gesuino, Via S. Greco 14, Cagliari.
 VALENTI Ernesto, Viale Bonaria 74, Cagliari.
 VIRDIS Giuseppe, Albergatore, Oliai.
 ZEDDA Armano, Vicolo Mazzini 3, Arbus.
 D'ALESSANDRO avv. Francesco, Sassari.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS LIST OF NAMES IS A TRUE COPY
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 BY DR. COLONNA. THE ORIGINAL LIST, AFTER MAKING THIS COPY,

WAS HANDED BACK TO DR. COLONNA.

Richard Frazier
 RICHARD FRAZIER,

Captain,

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RIVOLTA Irmio, Quercia, L'Inferno.
 SINGOLA Emilio, Villaputzu.
 SACCHINI Giovanni, Via Cocco 14, Cagliari.
 SCARFONDU Raffaele, Cagliari. Via Sullis 75.
 SIGNORI Giocundo, Miniera di Monteverde.
 SENIS Ottavio, S. Antio.
 SCUOTI Vito, Carbonia.
 SANTOMASO, Inghetto.
 SERVANI Antonio, Via Taveri 130, Cagliari.
 SARRA Mario, Mensa Impiegati Buon Avis.
 STOK Bonomi Bianca, Via Sardegna 50, Cagliari.
 SARDI Settimo, Via Baile 16, Cagliari.
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 BARRA Nicolo, Iglesias.
 SIDI Edoardo, Via Lamarmora 111, Cagliari.
 BORMANI Mario, Sgt Inf. Now with Special Police Inspectorate.
 SILLI Andrea, Via Duca D'Aosta 20, Carbonia.
 TRAVERSA Prof. Umberto, Via S. Lucifero 74, Cagliari.
 TARTARINI Giovanni, Via S. Giovanni 244, Cagliari.
 TOLA Ettore, Segretario Comunale.
 USAI Reginaldo, Sardinia.
 URAS Iovinio, Via Roma 16, Sassari.
 ULTIMINI Salvatore, Via Rossignia 2, Cagliari.
 USAI Gesuino, Via S. Croce 14, Cagliari.
 VABETTI Ernesto, Viale Donarica 74, Cagliari.
 VIRDIS Giuseppe, Albergatore, Olbia.
 ZEDDA Armando, Vicolo Mazzini 3, Arborea.

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 Security Branch, A.O.C. 3781

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

2 November 1944

Ref : SD/604/2693

Subject : O.V.F.A. Officials, Interned

To : Ministry of Interior

1. It has been decided that the u/m can be handed over to the Italian Commission for the Epuration of O.V.F.A. Officials. It is understood of course that the Allies reserve the right to re-intern them should the Epuration Commission decide to release them. For this reason it is requested that this Headquarters be informed of the decision of the Commission.

D'AMFOSIO Renato fu Carmelo
FLORA Michele di Giuseppe
MICOL Cosimo di Giuseppe
PATIX Michele

2. Will you please make arrangements to collect the u/m internees from 371 P.O.W. Camp

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

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Ref : ST/604/2693

2 November 1944

Subject : O.V.P.A. Officials, Interned

To : Ministry of Interior

1. It has been decided that the u/m can be handed over to the Italian Commission for the Epuration of O.V.P.A. Officials. It is understood of course that the Allies reserve the right to re-intern them should the Epuration Commission decide to release them. For this reason it is requested that this Headquarters be informed of the decision of the Commission.

D'AMBROSIO Renato fu Carmelo
PICCA Michele di Giuseppe
NICOL Cosimo di Giuseppe
POMIX Michele

2. Will you please make arrangements to collect the a/m internees from 371 P.O.W. Camp

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JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel E.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION
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Ref. : A.M.O./14755/P.S. 12 October 1944

Subject : O.V.F.A.

To : His Excellency The Director of Public Security,
Ministry of the Interior.

1. The undermentioned ex-member of the O.V.F.A. are
at present at 391 P.O.W. Camp, Padula, Salerno Province

POPPIA, Antonio

Interned at CANTANIA on 4 Sep.
1943. Commissario Pubblica
Sicurezza.

BRACCIANTE, SIL ATONE

Arrested at RAGUSA on 17 Sep.
1943. Active Fascist and OPA
Agent.

RUSCO, Vincenzo

Arrested 23 August, 1943 at
CANTANIA. OPA agent. Strongly
anti-Allied.

2. It has been decided that they can be handed
over to the Italian Commission for the Repatriation of Pub-
blica Sicurezza Officials. It must be understood, however,
that the Allied authorities reserves the right to re-intern
them should the Repatriation Commission decide to release them
and for this reason it is requested that this M. be informed
of the decision of the Commission.

3. Will you please make arrangements with the
Commandant of 391 P.O.W. Camp for the collection of the
above named.

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JOHN W. CRAPPA,
Colonel, A.F.O.
Director, Public Safety

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12 October 1944

Subject

P.O.W.S.A.

To

His Excellency The Director of Public Security,
Ministry of the Interior.

1. The undermentioned ex-member of the O.V.F.A. are
at present at 31 P.O.W. Camp, Padula, Salerno Province

PURELLA, Antonio

Interned at CATANIA on 4 Sep.
1943. Commissario Pubblica
Sicurezza.

DEANANTH, SALVATORE

Arrested at RAGUSA on 13 Sep.
1943. Active fascist and O.V.F.A.
agent.

RUSCO, Vincenzo

Arrested 23 August, 1943 at
CATANIA. O.V.F.A. agent. Strongly
anti-Allied.

2. It has been decided that they can be handed
over to the Italian Commission for the Epuration of Pub-
lica Sicurezza Officials. It must be understood, however,
that the Allied Authorities reserves the right to re-intern
them should the Epuration Commission decide to release them
and for this reason it is requested that this HQ. be informed
of the decision of the Commission.

3. Will you please make arrangements with the
Commandant of 31 P.O.W. Camp for the collection of the
above named.

S.M./lm.

CHAS. W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, A.A.D.C.
Director, Public Safety,
Security Division.

Copy to Commandant,
31 P.O.W. Camp.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/604

7 December 1944

SUBJECT : O.V.R.A. Officials, Interned.

TO : Director of Public Security, Ministry of the Interior

1. On 12th October 1944 by letter reference ASD/14755/PS I informed you that certain persons were available at No. 1 Internment Camp. Pending for collection by you for their appearance before the Epuration Commission.

2. The position now is that:

PUPILLA Antonio
BRAMANTE Salvatore
RUSSO Vincenzo
FELIX Michele

are available for collection. Will you please inform this Hq. of the decision made by the Epuration Commission in respect of them.

3. Meanwhile, the following ex O.V.R.A. Officials have been released:

D'AMEROSIO Renato
FLORA Michele
NICOLI Cosimo

4. Will you ensure that those mentioned in paragraph 2 are collected as soon as possible.

[Signature]
JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.C.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission

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HEADQUARTERS
LIND CONTROL COMMISSION
SECURITY BRANCH

REF: SB/604

20 SEPT 1944

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SUBJECT: O.V.R.A. Agent: Concealed microphones.

TO : Director - Security Branch, A.C.C.

1. Information has been received from a very reliable source that there is in existence a system of microphones "built in" at the Grand Hotel, with secret wiring, by means of which conversations in any room may be overheard.

2. The informant who was in close contact with Italian officials prior to the Armistice says that his attention was drawn to this in August, 1943, at which time the hotel manager was one - MABIRONI - who according to Italian officials of that time, who were in a position to know, was an agent of O.V.R.A. MABIRONI is said to be still living at the Grand Hotel, although he is no longer employed there.

3. It is suggested that a copy of this report be forwarded to Lieut-Col. D.A.D. Young, G-2 Branch, R.A.A.C., for the necessary action.

Louis V. Gale
LOUIS V. GALE.
CAPTAIN.
SECURITY BRANCH.

Action as at para. 3.

FOR THE DIRECTOR

JOHN A. MCKAY.
MAJOR.
SECURITY BRANCH.

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Region 6. A.C.C.

29th May, 1944. ①

SUBJECT:- O.V.R.A. activities in Sardinia.

TO :- Colonel A.E.Young, Director - Security Branch. ACC, Hq.

Ref. No:-

Sir.

1. The O.V.R.A. in Sardinia consisted of an Inspector General and eight men. The headquarters was located in a private house in Cagliari. There were about 70 paid informants. These informants were paid 250 to 500 lira per month, according to the value of the information they supplied. In exceptional cases they were given as much as 1,000 lira.

2. The Inspector General received 20,000 lira per month to pay all expenses, informants, the salaries of himself and his staff. The money was sent from the headquarters in Rome, and the Inspector General was responsible directly to headquarters.

3. His staff of 8 men carried out investigation work and obtained information. They also visited from time to time the paid informants to pay them and collect what information they had, which had to be written. The paid informants also used to send information by post to the Inspector General, who had a post office box for this purpose. The paid informants were drawn from all walks of life, waiters, bar tenders, Fascist Party members, professional men, and anti-Fascists. The last named men were forced to become paid informants in order to ensure that they were not sent to internment on the Lipari/or elsewhere.

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4. There were also in Sardinia a number of O.V.R.A. agents, or more probably paid informants, who were unknown to the Inspector General or his staff. These persons used to report by post direct to the headquarters in Rome and from time to time copies of their reports were sent to the Inspector General in Sardinia for investigation and verification. The names of these persons were never given in the copy reports. Some of these persons were undoubtedly big Fascists, who were spying on other Party members, but the last Inspector General, Dino Fabbri, told me that he did not know the identity of any of these persons.

5. In May, 1943, Cagliari was very heavily damaged by Allied bombers and the City was evacuated. The O.V.R.A. staff and headquarters then moved to Sassari. On 24th July, 1943, the day before Mussolini fell, instructions were received from Rome that the O.V.R.A. in Sardinia should come out into the open and cease to be a secret organisation. They were known as the Special Police, with Fabbri still in charge and still known as the Inspector General. Fabbri was also made Questore of Sassari, and the man who was the Questore was transferred to North Italy. 3770

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6. Fabbris's C.V.R.A. staff then became known as the Special Police and they came out in the open and carried out arrests and searches in the normal way. As the C.V.R.A., however, they had been working completely under cover and not effecting arrests. When an arrest had been found necessary as the result of their investigations, or upon orders from Rome, the Inspector General had directed the Questore or the Carabinieri to effect the arrest.

7. Upon the arrival of the Allies in September, 1943, Fabbris came with the local Major of Carabinieri in Sassari to meet the Allies on their arrival in the town. Fabbris never tried to hide the fact that he and his men were ex-C.V.R.A., and he gave the Allies all possible assistance.

8. Early in March, 1944, Fabbris was relieved of his position and ordered to report to the Badoglio Government at Salerno. Dr. Colonna was then appointed Inspector General of the Special Police, and like Fabbris since 24th July, 1943, was responsible direct to the Minister of Interior. A man named Tisso was at the same time appointed Acting Questore. The two small forces in Sassari were then separated working under Colonna and Tisso respectively. Tisso was responsible for Sassari province, and Colonna and his Special Police covered the whole island.

9. Fabbris left Colonna his list of about 70 paid informers, and many of them are now being used by Colonna. Colonna has changed three of the ex-C.V.R.A. men for agents of public security. One of the three ex-C.V.R.A. men has been transferred to the mainland, whilst the other two are working as agents of public security under different Questore's in this island. Colonna is hoping to be able to exchange some more of his five remaining ex-C.V.R.A. men.

10. Colonna has little left of the C.V.R.A. records, whilst Fabbris says some were destroyed in the bombing of Cagliari, and the remaining secret files he burnt when the Germans temporarily took over Sassari in September, 1943, in order to expedite their evacuation of Sardinia.

11. Tisso, the Acting Questore of Sassari, is from all accounts, honest and anti-Fascist, but he is obviously a man of no great ability. He was previously an Commisario under the old Questore, who held office up till 24th July, 1943.

12. Colonna, like Fabbris has worked very well with the Allies. There is no doubt that his ex-C.V.R.A. men are better trained and have more ability than most of the Questore's agents of public security. Colonna was previously ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ in the agents of public security on the Yugo-Slav boarder. Then he came to Alghero in Sardinia and was in charge of the agents of public security responsible for checking all persons coming from Spain, who used to arrive in Sardinia by air and sea at Alghero.

13. Colonna is anti-fascist, but unfortunately not honest.

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From all accounts he and his wife are mixed up in the Black Market in Sassari. However, he has worked very well with the Allies, secured some good information and effected a number of very good arrests involving Fascists. Colonna and his eight agents are shortly transferring their headquarters to Cagliari on the instructions of General Pinna, the High Commissioner for Sardinia. (Italian)

14. There is no evidence that the O.V.R.A. is still active as the old Fascist O.V.R.A. On the contrary its staff here is actively working in co-operation with the Allies. However, the members of the O.V.R.A. who were unknown to Fabbri, may still be individually working and collecting information, but unless they have radios then cannot get their information to the O.V.R.A. headquarters in German Occupied Italy.

15. Commandatore Dino Fabbri became a member of the Fascist Party only in 1933. He was 33 years in the agents of public security, eventually becoming Vice-Questore of Trieste. In 1937, he was sent by Bocchini, chief of all Italian Police, to become Inspector General of the O.V.R.A. in Sardinia. Whilst here Fabbri reported many gerarchs to Rome for graft and corruption.

16. As already stated Fabbri co-operated whole-heartedly with the Allies, and when General Martini was arrested trying to leave the island to join the Germans, in this General's possession was found a note saying that Fabbri was dangerous and that all Fascists must keep away from.

17. Fabbri is a man of considerable ability, and was, in my opinion, the best informed man in Sardinia. His information was also reliable. If it is possible for him to be found work as a Questore in any part of liberated Italy, I am quite certain he would be invaluable and continue to work in conjunction with the Allies. He has served in Rome many years ago.

Richard L. Lister
Captain.

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Copy to C.I.C. Detachment, Sardinia, for their information.

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