

ACC 10000/143/2719 600-13 CORRUPTION - ALLIED PERSONNEL

Ap. - Oct. 1945

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SECURITY DIVISION
MEMO
MINOR STAFF

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

REF : SD/600.01

31 October 1945

SUBJECT : Purchase of truck

TO : War Materials Disposal

1. Reference telephone conversation Lt. Phillips - Capt. Hayes.
2. The attached copy of a statement by Mario De Marchia is forwarded for your information.
3. The gratuity of 5000 lire was offered voluntarily by DE MARCHIS, and no demand for payment was made by the sergeant.
4. It is also possible that the occupants of the jeep were casual visitors who took advantage of an unexpected offer of money.
5. In any case, no offence is disclosed and no further action can be undertaken by this Division.
6. Enquiries to trace the "man in the bar" have been unsuccessful.

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

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Before me undersigned, Official of P.S., is Mario DE MARCHIS, son of Saturno and of Angela FERRAIOLI, born at VELLETRI (Rome) on August 10-1917, a driver, living in Velletri "Colle di Macellai", who states the following:

After the arrival of the Allied troops in Velletri I found, left in a "vigna" (vineyard) belonging to my wife, Rosa MARINI, a German shattered truck. Only the engine and the "chassis" of afore-said truck were available for use. As I am a driver, I meant to repair said material. Thus, about a month ago, I went to the Allied Commission in Rome "Ufficio Residuati di Guerra" (War Material Disposal?) - 2 floor - to obtain, on payment, the handing in of such material. I spoke to an interpreter who told me that nothing had to be done because it was an incomplete vehicle. Then I went to the Inspectorate for the Civil Motorization - Piazza della Croce Rossa addressed by the a/m interpreter. Ing. SOLARI told me that the matter did not concern him. Two days later I came to the Allied Commission again, but before entering, I stopped to speak with some drivers who were in front of the building and asked them if they knew how to obtain the authorization to use the a/m material. One of them, I could recognise seeing him again, pointed out a man of about 40, medium size, strong built, distinguished looking, who sat down at a little table before a bar situated near the H.Q. Allied Commission and said: "Perhaps he can suggest the manner".

Thus I went to said gentlemen and referred to him what I wanted and, on his request, I gave him my name and address.

Three or four days later a "Jeep" came to the "vigna" with an Allied sergeant who spoke Italian and two more soldiers who did not speak.

I showed them the truck remainders and begged them to solicit the proceedings referring to the regular giving up of the material in question.

The sergeant said I could start the repairing work and the use of the material as a few days later I would have received, by the Allied Authorities, a notice of payment of 20.000 lire required for the regular cession of said material as "residuato di guerra".

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On my request on what I should pay for their trouble the sergeant textually answered: "Give me 5000 lire". I paid said sum and the three left with their Jeep.

A month elapsed and as no other news came from the Allied Commission, I returned to Rome and went two or three times to the Bar of Via Veneto in the hope of seeing at least that gentleman I had met there. I did not succeed in finding him: thus I went to the Office "Residui di Guerra" at the H.Q. Allied Commission to know the progress of my proceedings. I was answered that nothing appeared on my name from their files.

Thus I understood I had been cheated. So the American Officer, to whom I spoke in said office, also said.

I should also be able to recognise the gentleman of the Bar in Via Veneto. This gentleman, however, did not ask me for money, nor have I seen him again.

Written, read, confirmed and undersigned.

/s/ Mario De Marchis
....(illegible) Commissario
of P.S.

Translation D.S.

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(U)
 Immagi alla radio, Farnborough di P.S. e' presente
 De Marchis Mario di La Torre e di Ferraroli Angela
 nato a Velletri (Roma) 10.8.1917, autista, a s. u.
 Velletri - Colle di Maccioni, il quale dichiara quanto
 segue: « Ho ferraro della truppa Alleata o Velletri,
 Fiori e stradonato, nella "vigna" di proprietà di mia
 moglie, Marina Rosa, una camion sconsigliata
 già offerta ai tedeschi. Di sette camion e in 22
 zedele soltanto il motore e la chassis. Invece
 io autista avevo un'impione di invecchiato in offi-
 cina dello materiale residuo di guerra -
 soltanto venne a Roma - circa un mese fa - e
 me lo ha alla commissione Alleata, in via
 Veneto, Ufficio Residuo di Guerra, per stendere
 le norme, che ho pagamente, solo fatto del colla-
 sione. Parlo con un interprete, all'Ufficio,
 il quale mi dice che non si poteva far nulla,
 che non si trattava di una vera e propria
 completa. Anche allora, all'Ufficio per
 le altre impieghi di ite, in Piazza della Croce
 Rossa. Mi viene colto, indugiato dalla storia
 interprete dell'ufficio residuo di guerra -
 l'ingegnere Colari - mi disse che non ero una
 competente - quindi si esaurì; dopo due, ho fatto
 alla Commissione Alleata. Vieni d. eu trade,
 mi fermar a parlare con leg. autista, a me
 L. per farare l'auto.

novae et innovato, nulla res. et profecto et una
 suavia, Marini Roas, una comion scorguemat
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 zabile istant e motore e la charis. Inventa
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quattro giorni: giunse nelle vigilia dove chi-
 ma "Fino" con Topis un seguito di diva al
 Cate, e quelli facciano in italiano e altri due
 militari, un centro americano. I suoi compa-
 rono mai. Mostri loro i centri del Ca-
 nion e gli americani abbandonati nel
 terreno spregiudicati. di fare il più presto
 possibile, per venire in possesso ~~del~~
 repole. quello che parlava italiano, un
 ripose che aveva parlato subito ingiere
 i loro per la rapina e per il suo stile
 materiale pochi depositi. Giorno ieri
 niente, ma' arriva la parte degli Alti,
 per sapere alla base dell'Alti la somma
 di 200.000 (ventimila) per la somma del
 materiale riservato. I giorni di giustione
 Chienti loro che cosa loro per il ~~del~~
 il seguito, che parlare italiano, un. dire de-
 stualmente: si fa ciò in 80' 5000 - lire.
 loro segue: questa somma al momento
 seguito, che viene a far altri due val-
 lontanò in macchia -
 meno farete per un mese senza ri-
 gli affari affari

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avere un'alta Santa Comunità. Allora,
 e senza che qualcuno si accorga, si-
 brucia a Roma e universi che tu colti al
 affido in Venezia, sopra indicata, e si avve-
 sti a vendere a buoni prezzi ignorare che avve-
 sti in contrabbando. Ma non, come si dice,
 e a braccia, un portatore all'ufficio Penale
 di guerra, al 17 gennaio dell'anno scorso
 detto, per chiuderlo a che punto sono le mie
 pretese. Mi ha risposto che nulla risulterà.

Tutta la mia nome.
 La più allora che eroghi la tua. Ma
 un po' anche se ti è ufficiale americana,
 un qualche parlare in sede ufficio -
 sarei in grado di riconoscere anche
 quel signore del Bar di via Veneto, il quale
 però, tempo a d'ora, non mi si riesce
 ottenere quando egli è partito. Mi
 salda il tuo più amico.

Fatti letto confermale e sottoscrivite -

Agg. all'autore e
 Carlo di via dei Lombardi d. P.S.

e a l'ho rasto, me p'ra l'ho, e a l'ho rasto
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LOMBARDIA REGION
APO 394
Regional Security Officer

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CONFIDENTIAL

Ref. S/394

18th June 1945

SUBJECT: Alleged A.C. Officer

TO: A.C.HQ. SECURITY DIVISION
(Attn. Maj. HARVEY)

FROM: R.S.O.

Security
Division
Rec'd 29/6
Book No. 8262
File No. 600.01
Action

1. Attached hereto is a copy of a report from N°3 S.C.I. unit (NAM 184/40 reference)

2. Unless my memory fails me, Count and Countess LEONARDI have an apartment at N°1 via Bertoloni, ROME. I recall making enquiries about Countess LEONARDI as I heard at the beginning of the year she intended to come to Milano when it was liberated. I understand they have a property somewhere in the neighbourhood. As far as I recollect there were no security objections.

3. Altho' I understand that the LEONARDI's did come to MILANO, I have been unable to ascertain when and with whom. I am fairly certain, however, that they left ROME whilst it was still necessary to have permits. I have no idea where they are residing at present.

4. With regard to Lt.Col. MacRARY, it is possible that he is identical with an American officer of that name who was with M.A.A.F. A Col. "Tex" McCrary recently married Jinx Falkenburg. Details regarding the marriage appeared in a recent edition of the "Stars and Stripes".

5. Owing to the delicate nature of the enquiry you may care to refer this to the Executive Commissioner, Brig. LUSH, for guidance as to further action.

6. Could this R.S.O. be informed whether he is required to undertake any further enquiries?

A.E. HEATH

Major I.C.

Regional Security and
Intelligence Officer

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Major Harry

The names of G-1 (B) and G-1 (A)
have been checked and the
name "Mc (RAB)" does not
appear as being on list of
of R.C.

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LEONARDI DI CASALINO countess Laura - Via Bartoloni
n° 24.

Regarding the Political Orientations of the a/m it results that she, as all the rest of her relations from where she descends, are of monarchic sentiments.

As it was previously referred, the above mentioned persons' mother, Countess Corinne, was the Queen's noblewoman and during the nazi-fascist domination she was searched by the republican guards to be arrested.

It is understood that in such period, they have kept hidden a general and other officers, also some United States prisoners who were searched by the Nazi-Fascist Authorities.

At present Countess Laura Casalino gives hospitality in a Villa of hers to several Allied Officers with whom she is in good relation.

She does not appear to be interested in political affairs. Her activities are confidentially followed.

Rome, 19 September 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LOMBARDIA REGION

APO 394
Regional Security Officer

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Ref. S/394

18th June 1945

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TO: A.C.HQ. SECURITY DIVISION
(Attn. Maj. HARVEY)

FROM: R.S.O.

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A. M. HATH
Major I.C.
Regional Security and
Intelligence Officer

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A. E. HEATHMajor I.C.
Regional Security and
Intelligence Officer

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To: Regional Security Officer,
A.M.G. Lombardy Region.

NAM 184/40.

From: No.3 S.C.I. Unit.

17.6.45.

Subject :- Alleged A.C. Officer.

1. Certain partisans informed this Unit that an Alfa Romeo Car No.915527, of the 2500 Supersport type, had been bought by the Germans but was never delivered and could be found at the Carrozzeria TURINGA, Via L. DE BRUGES 65, MILAN.
2. A visit to these premises revealed that the car had been there but that it had been sold on 7th June 1945 for Lire 700.000 (Seven hundred thousand lire) to a certain Lt/Col. R. McCARRY, "A.C.", who had paid partly by cash and partly by Italian bankers draft.
3. You may consider checking the above story with Lt/Col. McCARRY, and would mention that an Italian by the name of CONTE LEONARDI appears to be connected with the matter.

Signed.

Major,
O.C. No.3 S.C.I. Unit.

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Signed.

Major,
G.O. No. 3 S.C.I. Unit.

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HEADQUARTERS

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

LEONARDIA REGION

APO 394

Regional Security Officer

CONFIDENTIAL

Ref. 5/394

10th June 1945

SUBJECT: Alleged A.C. Officer

TO: A.C.HQ. SECURITY DIVISION

(Attn. Maj. HARVEY)

FROM: R.S.O.

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4. With regard to Lt. Col. MACCHARY, it is possible that he is identical with an American officer of that name who was with M.A.A.F. A Col. "Tex" MACCHARY recently married Jinx FAL-KENBURG. Details regarding the marriage appeared in a recent edition of the "Stars and Stripes".

5. Owing to the delicate nature of the enquiry you may care to refer this to the Executive Commissioner, Brig. LUSH, for guidance as to further action.

6. Could this R.S.O. be informed whether he is required to undertake any further enquiries?

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Major T.C.

Regional Security and
Intelligence Officer

TO: A.C.HQ. SECURITY DIVISION
(Attn. Maj. HARVEY)

FROM: R.S.O.

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A. E. HUGH
Major I.C.
Regional Security and
Intelligence Officer

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To: Regional Security Officer,
A.M.G. Lombardy Region.

NAM I84/40.

From: No.3 S.C.I. Unit.

17.6.45.

Subject :- Alleged A.C. Officer.

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3. You may consider checking the above story with Lt/Col. MCCRARY, and would mention that an Italian by the name of CONTE LEONARDI appears to be connected with the matter.

Signed.

Major,
O.C. No.3 S.C.I. Unit.

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Major,
O.C. No. 3 S.C.I. Unit.

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HEADQUARTERS

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

LOMBARDIA REGION

APO 394

Regional Security Officer

CONFIDENTIAL

Ref. S/394

18th June 1945

SUBJECT: Alleged A.C. Officer

TO: A.C.HQ. SECURITY DIVISION

(Attn. Maj. HARVEY)

FROM: R.S.O.

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3. Altho' I understand that the LEMONARDI's did come to MILANO, I have been unable to ascertain when and with whom. I am fairly certain, however, that they left ROME whilst it was still necessary to have permits. I have no idea where they are residing at present.

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5. Owing to the delicate nature of the enquiry you may care to refer this to the Executive Commissioner, Brig. LUSH, for guidance as to further action.

6. Could this R.S.O. be informed whether he is required to undertake any further enquiries?

[Signature]
Major J.C.

Regional Security and
Intelligence Officer

SUBJECT: Alleged A.C. Officer

TO: A.C.HQ. SECURITY DIVISION

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Regional Security and
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NAM 184/40.

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

REF : SD/600.01

11 April 1945

SUBJECT : Allied officer involved in business.

TO: : G-2 RAAC.

1. A telephone intercept is attached for your attention relating to a deal in cellulose apparently involving an English officer.

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

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TRANSLATION

From: Telephone 14286 - NAPLES -
FERQUED GUIDO
 Salita del Casale -Posillipo
 (caller - a gentleman)

To: Telephone 871638 - Rome -
POMPEI GIANFRANCA
 Via Bertoloni, 1
 Callee - Enrico)

ALLIED OFFICER INVOLVED IN BUSINESS

The caller - Good evening, Enrico. There would be 250 Quintals of white cellulose at 6500 lire a quintal. The seller is a certain person, who will sell the goods to the "Meridionali" if we do not buy it.

The callee - Tomorrow, Engineer Zeni will come to Naples.

The caller - We must give the answer tomorrow morning early. The payment must be paid at once, at Ceprano.

The callee - If it is good, buy it.

The caller - Orazi already knows what kind of goods it is.

The callee - Orazi is here near me and says that it regards that English officer.....

The caller - Yes.

The callee - If it regards white cellulose of fir tree, in original sacks like the ones we could get before the war, buy all the 250 Quintals at 6,500 lire di quintal.

The caller - All right, good night.

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