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EDUCATION SUBCOMMISSION  
APO 394

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14 February, 1946

Subject: Appraisal of Officer  
To : G-1, American (2675th Reg't., AC)

1. The following appraisal is for inclusion in the 201 file of Major Joseph M. Murphy, O-508292, formerly in the 2675th Regiment and at that time assigned to the Education Subcommittee.

2. Major Murphy was assigned to the Education Subcommittee of the Allied Commission in Italy on 1 August, 1944. After about two months at this Hq he was assigned as Regional Education Officer for Naples Zone and Southern Region, remaining in that post until the spring of 1945 when he was assigned to AMG Austria.

3; During the above assignments he proved himself efficient and cooperative at all times. He won the personal and professional esteem of all Allied and Italian personnel with whom he came into contact. He combined fairness with kindness in all his dealings. As a consequence of these facts he did an effective and successful piece of work.

4. Under conditions of considerable difficulty and charged with heavy responsibility he lived up to the finest standards of the American army and rendered distinctive service to the Allied cause.

CARLETON W. WASHBURN  
LT. COL., AUS  
DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION



G-5, VIENNA AREA COMMAND  
APO 58, U.S. ARMY

10 January 1946

Dear Carleton:-

This is a long, long time since last you wrote me and I am ashamed at the delay. But this has been the hardest job I've ever had and it has kept my nose to the grindstone every minute of the time. Since I entered Vienna on 24 July I haven't been away once and every day has been a work day. I believe I did take some time off on Christmas Day and New Years.

Tomorrow I go to Frankfurt for a week at the Safety School. Someone had to go and the General thought it would also give me a chance to be near my boy. He got over here for ten days during the holidays. I'll be back on the 22nd.

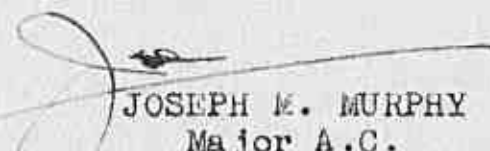
I am planning to leave here on or about the 15th of February for Rome to attend the Consistory. My friend Archbishop Spellman is to be made a Cardinal. My cousin, the Auxiliary Bishop of Boston is expected to be there, also.

There will be many things to tell you so I'll save them until I have the added pleasure of seeing you face to face. My Lieutenant was pleased with his visit and reported you well and busy. Unfortunately, so few of my old friends are left.

By the way, I did want to include your gracious testimonial to my service with you in the files but it was turned down as not being sufficiently specific. May I impose on you for another?

Remembrances to Miss Rombo and every good wish to yourself.

Sincerely,

  
JOSEPH M. MURPHY  
Major A.C.  
Chief, Education, Religious  
Affairs Sub-Section

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SUBJECT : Commendation.

17 May, 1945

TO : Major Joseph M. MURPHY,  
O-508292.

1. Before you leave this theater I want to express to you my warm appreciation for the fine job you have done.

2. You have been efficient and cooperative at all times. You have won both personal and professional regard from the Allied and Italian personnel with whom you have dealt. You have combined fairness with kindness, in all your dealings. As a consequence of these facts you have done an effective piece of work with great success.

3. The best of good wishes from this Subcommittee and from me personally go with you on your new assignment.

CARLETON W. WASHBURN  
Lt. Col., A.U.S.  
Director of Education.

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7 March 1945

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15. The fol named O, asgd and atchd as indicated, are placed on temp dy w G-5 AFHQ, for a period of approximately one (1) week and are further atchd to Southern Reg for administration and to PBS (South) for rat and qrs. Will report on 11 Mar 45 to Terminus Hotel, Naples, Italy, and upon completion of temp dy will ret to their proper sta. Ret will be provided as required. Travel by mil aircraft and/or any other available transport is atzd. No per diem atzd.

Maj	JOSEPH M. MURPHY	0508272	AC	(A) Education Sub-Com, this Hq
Capt	DEXTER G. TILROE	0290182	Inf	(A) Lombardia Region, atchd

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17 November 1944

SUBJECT : Personal data.

TO : Regional Education Officers.  
(Major MURPHY)

I find that we have little personal information about our staff here in the office. I know that each of you has filled out a thousand blanks on his past history; but none of them have been for Subcommittee files. Will you, therefore, please complete the following form?

*Carleton W. Washburne*  
CARLETON W. WASHEURNE  
Major, A.U.S.  
A/Director of Education.

Name JOSEPH M. MURPHY Serial No. 2508272 Organization All Corps  
Born July 6 1892 Place of birth Boston, Mass.  
Permanent address 202 Fayerweather Hall, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.  
Name of wife \_\_\_\_\_ Her Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Ages of children 18, 20, \_\_\_\_\_, (adopted)  
Education beyond secondary school (with dates):  
1916-18 State Normal School, Bridgewater, Mass. 1917-20 Harvard Summer Sch. 1919-20 Boston Univ. Ext.  
1924-25 Teachers College, Col. Univ. grad. Sch. 1925-28  
Educational experience (with dates):  
1919-21 Bridgewater Mass. H.S. 1921-24 Abington Mass. H.S. 1921-23 Summer Session State Normal, Marlborough, Mass.  
1925-28 Harvard College, N.Y.S. 1927-28-30 Educational Council (Europe) 1928-31 Asst. Dir. Univ. Ext. Col. Univ. 1931-41 Catholic Univ. Wash. D.C. 1925-28 Asst. Dir. Col. Univ. grad. Sch. 1925-28 Ed. School Press Div. 1941-42 Asst. Dir. Univ. Ad. Col. Univ. Wash. D.C.  
Military record:  
First commissioned 26 Dec. 1942  
Present rank Major Date of present rank 24 May 1944  
Date assigned to Education Subcommittee 1 August 1944  
Assignments in Education Subcommittee (with dates):  
1-31 1944 - 1st. Name  
27 " 1944 - 1st. Name  
18 Oct 1944 - Att. Sec. Registry

Signed

*Joseph M. Murphy*



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