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EMILIA REGION, MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS
AUG. 1944 - AUG. 1945

HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
ABO 394

WEP/17

Reference: RIX/EP/100.8

4 August 1945

Subject : Report on transition to Italian
Government

To : Regional Commissioner, Emilia Region

1. Changes Which May Occur on Turn-over

The turn-over to the Italian Government will likely bring few if any changes in the educational system because of the close liaison which we have maintained with the Italian Ministry of Education through the Education Sub-Commission during these past three months. Rectors of Universities have been elected by their faculties in accordance with Italian law. Provincial School Superintendents appointed by us have for the most part been retained by the Italian Government in other provinces. All those appointed in this region also have local support, except at Forlì where the President of the C.L.N. is seeking the position. Hence little change is expected in administrative personnel.

The present school year 1944-1945 will be completed in all provinces on 1 August 1945. Programs of study which have the approval of the Minister of Education have been distributed for the school year 1945-1946. Manuscripts for textbooks for the coming school year also have Ministerial approval. Transfers of teachers in recent months have been sent to the Ministry of Education for his advice. The turn-over will likely facilitate transfers to and from regions now under the Italian Government.

The only effect of the turn-over might be a delay in the granting of approvals for repair of school buildings, the approval of textbooks for publication and sale and in the evacuation of school buildings by troops, refugees and others. These actions will depend largely on the effectiveness of individual Prefects and Sindaci.

2. Unfinished work

a) Administration

In 7 of the Academies permanent Rectors and Presidents

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must still be elected by their faculties when the epuration is completed. During our administration many Presidi, Directors and Inspectors have been appointed temporarily to fill positions left vacant by suspensions and these permanent appointments will need to be made.

b) Epuration

Epuration has been completed by this Division in the provinces of Forlì and Ravenna and appeals should be heard immediately by the Italian Commission. In the other six provinces epuration under General Order No. 35 was well under way but will need to be completed under D.L.E. 139. In three of the four Universities the epuration of other than titular professors is only partially completed. Such is the case also in 7 of 9 Academies.

c) Instructional Materials

Textbooks for the coming year are being published by the Mondadori, Minerva, Zanichelli and proofs of these books must be sent to the Ministry of Education for final approval. Paper will need to be provided for an additional 300,000 quaderni for the coming school year. Supplies of pencils, pens, ink, etc. will also be necessary.

d) Building Needs

Projects which have not been submitted for the repair of school buildings in the region should be submitted to the Genio Civile. Some arrangements should be made for the collection of surplus desks and blackboards for distribution to communes where all this equipment has been taken or destroyed.

e) Finance

The payment of teachers' salaries for the period before liberation will need to be completed since funds allocated for this purpose were blocked by the Allied Military Government upon our occupation.

f) Teachers

The cases of teachers transferred by the Republican Fascist Government will need to be clarified in a few cases. Physical Education teachers who were formerly employed by the G.I.L. were transferred by us to the Provveditore agli studi. Since most of these were inscribed in the Republican Fascist Party, their status will need to be clarified and definite assignments made.

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g) School Lunches

Some provisions should be made by the Italian Government to carry on a program of supplementary rations for school lunches which we have initiated.

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REGIONAL EDUCATION OFFICER

Supplement

a) Survey reports for the Education Subcommittee are to be submitted by each province except Bologna and Modena.

b) Reports on buildings occupied by civilian agencies and political parties are to be submitted for Education Subcommittee for all provinces except Ravenna, Modena and Parma.

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HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ARMED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

ATO 324

WEP/51

Reference: RIX/ED/300.85

28 July 1945

Subject : sitrep for week ending 23 July 1945.

To : Regional Commissioner

PROVINCIAL SCHOOLS

1. Prof. Luigi Di Filippo appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Villi Antonio on 23 July 1945.
2. Prof. Bernini appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. Romani Bruno on 25 July 1945.
3. Thirty additional teachers suspended in Ravenna Province under Exec. Memo. No. 67.
4. At Modena 4 teachers suspended under Gen. Order No. 35.
5. Summer and evening courses approved for Bologna Province.
6. Textbooks Commission appointed at Parma province.
7. Italian classes for American and British troops inaugurated in Bologna City.
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9. Payment for all textbooks printed and published by Education Division collected and forwarded to proper sources. /031

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3. Duration of titular professors completed at Ferrara University. None were suspended. Permanent Rector elected on 26 July 1945.
4. Minister of Education rejected proposal of Modena University to inaugurate a department of Arts and Letters.
5. General Hume addressed Medical Faculty of Modena University on 23 July 1945.

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6. Projects in the amount of 91,000,000 lire for reconstruction of buildings at Bologna University approved at Rome. Additional projects in amount of 25,000,000 lire submitted.
7. Three professors suspended from the Accademia delle Arti.
8. Commissioner for Deputazioni di Storia Patria appointed.

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HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

WEP/EL

Reference: PI/EP/100.85

21 July 1945

Subject : Sitrep for week ending 21 July 1945.

To : Regional Commissioner.

GENERAL

1. 65150 quaderni arrived from Lucca for distribution in the provinces.
2. Window glass requests from each province have been compiled and sent to Provincial Supply Officers for approval and allocation.

BOLOGNA PROVINCE

1. Several school buildings released and two others occupied by troops.
2. 4216 secondary school textbooks delivered in the province.
3. 3 members of the staff of the R. Accademia di Belle Arti e Museo Artistico were suspended following decision of the Academy Expiration Commission on 20 July 1945.

FERRARA PROVINCE

1. Professor Luigi De Filippo appointed Provveditore agli Studi of Ferrara Province following the resignation of Prof. Antonio Villi.
2. Examinations continue. Building estimates being submitted.
3. The following communes of Ferrara have submitted requests for building repairs for schools:

FERRARA

N° 1694 - Elem. Scuola V. Galegnini	L. 2120000.00	++
1709 - Montalbano	90000.00	++
1708 - Malberghetta	500000.00	++
1712 - S. Martino	250000.00	++
1711 - Scabato	150000.00	++
1741 - Giesuol del Gesso	80000.00	++
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N° 2694 - Elem. Schools V. Caloagnini	L. 2120000.00	
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1708 - Malberghetta	500000.00	
1712 - S. Martino	260000.00	
1711 - Scabato	150000.00	++
1741 - Galesuel del Gesso	80000.00	++
1850 - Elem. School - Peledrelli	6900000.00	

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1882 - Elem. School	9900000.00
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++ Indicates projects already approved by the Provincial Commissioner.

4. 322 secondary school textbooks distributed in the province.

FORLI' PROVINCE

1. All but 4 school buildings released.

2. First case of suspended personnel appealed to High Commissioner and preside reinstated.

3. Expiration continuing.

MODENA PROVINCE

1. All schools functioning.

2. 318 secondary school textbooks distributed in province.

3. Estimates for repairs of school buildings are being implemented.

PARMA PROVINCE

1. Collegio S. Luigi occupied by 700 partisans.

PIACENZA PROVINCE

1. Provveditore agli Studi granted two weeks leave of absence.

RAVENNA PROVINCE

1. 1178 secondary school textbooks distributed in the province.

REGGIO EMILIA PROVINCE

1. 500 enrolled in summer schools.

2. 4 of 13 schools occupied by sinistrati and Quastura.

BOLOGNA UNIVERSITY

1. 8 members of the University staff were suspended following expiration in accordance with Executive Memorandum No. 76.

2. University building projects totaling 95,000,000 Lire were prepared and submitted.

3. All arrangements have been made to hold the reopening ceremony on 23 July 1945.

FERRARA UNIVERSITY

1. Expiration completed. No dismissals.

2. Examination beginning.

MODENA UNIVERSITY

1. Projects for repair of University buildings to be submitted shortly.

2. Brig. Gen. Hume to address medical faculty 23 July 1945.

PARMA PROVINCE

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PIACENZA PROVINCE

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RAVENNA PROVINCE

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REGGIO EMILIA PROVINCE

1. 500 enrolled in summer schools.
2. 4 of 13 schools occupied by administrators and Quasura.

BOLOGNA UNIVERSITY

1. 6 members of the University staff were suspended following epuration in accordance with Executive Memorandum No. 75.
2. University building projects totaling 25,000,000 Lire were prepared and submitted.
3. All arrangements have been made to hold the reopening ceremony on 23 July 1945.

FERRARA UNIVERSITY

1. Epuration completed. No dismissals.
2. Examination beginning.

MODENA UNIVERSITY

1. Projects for repair of University buildings to be submitted shortly.
2. Brig. Gen. Mume to address medical faculty 23 July 1945.

PARMA UNIVERSITY

1. Election of permanent Rector and faculty presidents held on 20 July 1945. Teodosio Marchi elected Rector.
2. University reopening ceremony to be held on 24 July 1945.
3. 3000 students enrolled. 22 of 27 professors have returned.

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HEADQUARTERS MILITIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

WEP/LN
12 July 1945

Reference: RM/AD/100.65

Subject : Sitrep for week ending 12 July 1945.

To : Regional Commissioner.

BALDWINA PROVINCE

1. A check on actual enrolment in 8 courses shows an actual enrolment of 4548 of a normal 3540 students.
2. Casalechio and Reno has group interested in Boy Scouts.
3. Plans are being arranged for a Boy Scouts camp for the region the summer.
4. Hospitals are to vacate school buildings on 1 Aug. 1945.

BOULI PROVINCE

1. Investigation made of proposal by prefect and C.L.N. to change provveditore agli studi. All parties are agreed that no change at present is desirable.
2. Communes are submitting requests for repairs to school buildings to Genio Civile. Window glass received by some schools.
3. Two suspensions ordered under Dec. Memo No. 87.

NAVARRA PROVINCE

1. Protests against examinations admitted.

VALLEA PROVINCE

1. Communes are submitting requests for building repairs.
2. Exams are under way.

REGGIO PROVINCE

1. Armed courses in progress.

PARMA PROVINCE

1. Many protests lodged against the type of examinations given.

PIACENZA PROVINCE

1. Schools giving examinations.

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BOLONGA PROVINCE

1. A check on actual enrolment in 6 communes shows on actual enrolment of 4543 of a normal 6840 students.
2. Casalechio sul Reno has group interested in Boy Scouts.
3. Plans are being arranged for a Boy Scouts camp for the region the summer.
4. Hospitals are to vacate school buildings on 1 Aug. 1945.

FORLÌ PROVINCE

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2. Communes are submitting requests for repairs to school buildings to Genio Civile. Window glass received by some schools.
3. Two suspensions ordered under Law. Memo No. 67.

RAVENNA PROVINCE

1. Protests against examinations submitted.

REGGIO EMILIA PROVINCE

1. Communes are submitting requests for building repairs.
2. Exams are under way.

MODENA PROVINCE

1. Summer courses in progress.

PARMA PROVINCE

1. Many protests lodged against the type of examinations given.

PIACENZA PROVINCE

1. Schools giving examinations.

MODENA PROVINCE

1. Buildings occupied checked for possible school use.

BOLONGA UNIVERSITY

1. Projects being prepared for repairs to university buildings in a total of 55,000,000 lire.
2. Evening ceremony scheduled for 23 July 1945.
3. Election of head of Conservatory of Music held 10 July 1945.

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TERRELL UNIVERSITY

1. Duration of titular professors is now complete.

TERRELL UNIVERSITY

1. Severment sector elected 12 July 1941.
2. Reopening ceremony to be held during week of 23 July 1941.

TERRELL UNIVERSITY

1. No report.

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EMERGENCY MILITARY DIVISION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
AEG 304

Reference: XIX/AM/100.23

23 June 1945

Subject : Atrop for week ending 23 June 1945

To : Regional Commissioner, Berlin Region

1. General

- a) Survey of window glass needs for each province is well under way.
- b) Teachers in grades I to XII will be separated under General Order No. 35 as reported by Provveditor.
- c) Arrangements made for special examinations and admissions in each province.
- d) Weekly visits to provinces by an Education Officer arranged as follows:

Monday ----- Forli and Ravenna
Tuesday ----- Ferrara
Wednesday ----- Modena
Thursday ----- Piacenza
Friday ----- Reggio and Parma

e) Quaders are being delivered by Messagerie Italiana to Bologna, Parma, Modena, Reggio, Piacenza.

2. Bologna Province

- a) More information on each building in city is being collected by personal visitation.
- b) Conservatory of Music has requested release of 4 rooms now used by Prefecture.

3. Modena Province

- a) S. Carlo building in city has been de-commissioned and is now available for school use.
- b) Schools in the province are functioning.
- c) Summer courses at the Istituto Tecnico Industriale will be held from 20 August to 29 September.

d) Evening courses approved for courses of Solieri, Carpi and Camelliano.

4. Ferrara Province

1. General

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- c) Arrangements made for special examinations and scrutinies in each province.
- d) Weekly visits to provinces by an Education Officer arranged as follows:

Monday ----- Foggia and Benevento
 Tuesday ----- Foggia
 Wednesday ----- Benevento
 Thursday ----- Foggia
 Friday ----- Benevento and Foggia

- e) Quinquennial are being celebrated by Montecassino Institute to Benevento, Foggia, Benevento, Benevento.

2. Benevento Province

- a) Basic information on each building in city is being collected by personal visitation.
- b) Conservatory of Music has requested release of 4 rooms now used by Prefecture.

3. Modena Province

- a) S. Carlo building in city has been requisitioned and is now available for school use. 4028
- b) Schools in the province are functioning.
- c) Summer courses at the Istituto Tecnico Industriale will be held from 20 August to 29 September.
- d) Evening courses approved for communes of Solfero, Gavi and Camogliani.

4. Ferrara Province

- a) School heads, Incerti, have been approved to replace these student or suspended.

5. Forlì Province

- a) Question of the scuola media at Merciano has been resolved.

6. Parma Province

- a) Allocation of 490 square meters of window glass made for 10 communes.

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b) Provveditori to check report that Fascist books are still being used at Ferrares.

c) Two members added to Emulation Commission.

d) Schools in province functioning.

e) Provveditori has not yet returned from Rome.

7. Piacenza Province

a) Emulation to be given in accord with Ministerial Council.

b) Provveditori in visiting schools in the province.

c) Ministerial ordered. Will be sent within a few days.

d) Two names added to Emulation Section of Emulation Commission.

8. Reggio Province

a) Approval given for use of 150 surplus teachers for summer courses.

b) New preside of Institute Sciences needed, other had difficulty with mathematics.

9. Ferrara University

a) Ten of 13 titular professors have returned and emigration is continuing.

10. Bologna University

a) Emulation of titular professors completed on 10 June 1945 and 12 professors were suspended.

b) Alfredo Bartolotti appointed pro-President of Accademia di Belle Arti and Ferruccio Giacomelli as pro-director.

c) Emulation Commission for University Library and Conservatory of Music have been appointed.

d) Professor Volterra Edoardo elected Rector of University on 19 June 1945 by ballot. Vote - Volterra 53, Battaglia 29, Strada 2.

11. Modena University

a) University resumed on 16 June 1945 with an appropriate renaming. Colonel Bionni delivered an address.

b) Guido Steuardo appointed as pro-Director of University Library.

12. Parma University

a) University ready to open. Will begin classes on 1 July 1945.

- b) To be given in visiting schools in the province.
- c) Quaterni ordered. Will be sent within a few days.
- d) Two names added to Quaterni Section of Evaluation Commission.

8. Sicilia Province

- a) Approval given for use of 150 student teachers for summer courses.
- b) See provide of Institute Tecnico needed, other had difficulty with problems.

9. Ferrara University

- a) Ten of 13 titular professors have returned and operation is continuing.

10. Bologna University

- a) Duration of titular professors completed on 15 June 1945 and 12 professors were suspended.
- b) Alfredo Barbacci appointed pro-President of Accademia di Belle Arti and Ferruccio Giacomelli as pro-Rector.
- c) Evaluation Commission for University Library and Conservatory of Music have been appointed.

- d) Professor Valtorta Mosardo elected Rector of University on 19 June 1945 by ballot. Vote - Valtorta 53, Battaglia 29, Brunon 2.

11. Padua University

- a) University reopened on 18 June 1945 with an appropriate reorganization. Colonel Boman delivered an address.
- b) Guido Stenardo appointed as pro-Director of University Library.

12. Parma University

- a) University ready to open. Will begin exam on 1 July 1945.
- b) Duration of faculty nearing completion.

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HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

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Reference: RLM/MD/100.95

16 June 1945

Subject : Sitrep for week ending 16 June 1945.

To : Regional Commissioner, Emilia Region

1. General

- a) 57,500 more quaderni brought from Lucca for distribution in provinces of Bologna, Modena, Reggio, Parma and Piacenza. Other textbooks have been located at Milan.
- b) Provveditori have been instructed to submit names of school employees in Grades I, XI and XII who should be vetted to Provincial Education Commission.
- c) Only two provinces, Bologna and Reggio, have reported the appointments on the Education operation section.
- d) Special examinations approved in all provinces.

2. Provincial Schools

- a) In Ferrara province summer courses will begin on 15 June 1945. Classes will be held 3 times weekly. School lunches approved for Portomaggiore and S. Agostino.
- b) In Modena province all scuole medie are operating on 4 hour per day schedule. Elementary schools in city operating. C.I.M. refused to allow schools in Concordia to reopen. Adult evening classes approved. Commissioners for C.I.M. appointed.
- c) In Bologna province, release of some buildings has enabled Scuole Medie to reopen on full schedule. Music Conservatory has been occupied by Prefettura.

3. Universities and Academies

- a) Survey of facilities at Bologna University completed for Army Education Corps, MVUSA.
- b) Programs completed for reopening of Modena University on 15 June 1945.
- c) Bologna University needs 4,612,580 Lire to operate to 30 June.
- d) Education Commission for Bologna Biblioteca and Conservatory of Music appointed.

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- d) Expunction Commission for Bologna Biblioteca and Conservatory of Music appointed.

4. New Appointments

- c) Professor Giuseppe Osti appointed Commissario of Fleming College.
- b) Professor Antonio Certani appointed President of the Conservatory of Music of Bologna.
- c) Professor Guido Spagnoli appointed Director of the Conservatory of Music of Bologna.

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d) Professor Giuseppe Cavasutti appointed President of the Academy of Science Literature and Arts.

e) Professor Alfredo Barbacci appointed President of the Academy of Fine Arts and of the Liceo Artistico of Bologna.

f) Professor Domenico Fava appointed Director of the University Library and Library Superintendent.

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HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
AMO 384

Reference: HLM/EM/100.03

WZF/lcm
9 June 1945

Subject : Summary for week ending 9 June 1945

To : Regional Commissioner

1. PROVINCIAL SCHOOLS

a. Data filed by provincial school superintendents show the following:

1247 of 2370 buildings now in operation;
223 buildings occupied by troops and refugees;
412 buildings badly damaged or destroyed;

In adult and elementary schools 64 % of total pupils are now enrolled; in secondary schools, 62%.

b. Instructional Materials.

Textbooks were delivered during the past week to the communes of Modena, Cervia, Ferrara, Vigonza, Reggio Emilia, Sassuolo, Conselice, Imola, Castel S. Pietro and Cesena.

2. UNIVERSITIES

a. Professor Nor Guido was elected permanent rector of Modena University at a meeting of the emerited faculty on 2 June 1945. The University will be reopened on or about 18 June 1945.

b. The University of Ferrara was formally reopened on 2 June 1945 with appropriate ceremonies.

3. MISCELLANEOUS

a. The Education Division is assisting the W.S. Army Education Corps in surveying the University of Bologna for possible use by troops for college courses.

b. Ing. Reginald Arcoli is regional commissioner of Boy Scouts. 110 leaders have been trained and 30 scout troops already formed in Bologna, Cesena, Ferrara, Rimini and Castel San. Pietro.

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JULY 1968
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Reference: 01/11/100.455

2/1/68
7 July 1968

Subject: Letter for each ending 2 July 1968.

To: Regional Commissioners

Summary

1. 2000 more books for class 11 projects from Union for distribution in the region.
2. Director of Education (Education) visited Regional Education Office on 30 June - 2 July. Schools and University in Bologna visited.
3. Requests for books and periodicals from American and British collected from schools and universities.
4. All requests for teachers of teachers now forwarded to Ministry.

Details

1. Local E.A.C. wishes a change to be made in the number of staff.
2. School changed to class schools on 31 July 1968.
3. Five teachers suspended under No. 100. 07.

Details

1. School lunches served in several countries.
2. 32 teachers confirmed and 18 suspended under No. 100. 07.

Details

1. Projects have been submitted for the repair of 11 schools in the city of Bologna.
2. Recent study and visitation to schools in city reveal that 35 are occupied by students, 7 by teachers and 5 by troops. Refugee, hospital and communal authorities are now working to return these buildings to school use.
3. Unfunded delivered to 10 countries in the project.

Details

1. Unfunded delivered to two countries in the project.

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26. 2020 sono previsti per il prossimo anno circa 20 milioni di investimenti in

2020-2021.

D. Director of American School in Japan, International Education Center
at 10 June - 11 July, Tokyo and University in Niigata visited.

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4. All parties are for power to the citizens and power to the people.

5014 *Arctostaphylos*

10. Total V.M. minus a balance to be paid to representatives of the

Fig. 4. *Centropomus* as prey for *Microstomus* on July 1985.

3. 3590 parishes investigated under 1000, 1000 to 1750

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

1. School lunches covered in several articles.

0. 33 benzene-carbonyl and 1% suspended matter; 300 10, 67,

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1. The funds have been utilized for the purpose of 12 volumes in the amount of \$6025 of volume.

5. Recent study and visitation to consols in city reveal that 35 are occupied by military, 7 by hospitals and 5 by groups. Refugee, hospital and consular authorities are now working to convert these buildings to use of non-military.

uniformed personnel to 20 persons in the great new

Journal of Management Education

1. (subject referred to as subject A) was given

2. Special courts oversee the national council.

9. Request that my agent conduct the following:

4. School lunch program: \$400.00

SUBJECTS

1. Employment of "asymptotic" functions for average modeling

2. Centro operativo autorizzato da una ordinanza prefettoriale.

3. Counsel advised to provide school officers for investigations.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

1. Session of school personnel under General Order No. 35 is continuing.
2. Means are continuing. Provosts are not yet returned. Lord has been sent to some reviewing his office reports.
3. Meeting held with group interested in new courses. Provosts to meet of group in northern part of region.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

1. An article in the local paper which pointed out some students to actions taken by Provosts to save their jobs.

2. School lunch requests approved for three courses.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

1. Operation of school personnel continuing.
2. Request made to some for possible substitute for present Provosts.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

1. Current courses continuing.
2. Election of personnel for units return of three professors.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

1. Projects for the repair of university buildings are now being prepared in two parts - those requiring critical materials and those not requiring such materials.

2. Approximately 10,000 students are now enrolled.

3. Students have protested the 100 percent increase in tuition fees.

4. Duration of Conservatory of Music completed. Election of personnel to be held in July 1965.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

1. Courses in letters approved by GEM now discontinued.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

1. Duration of faculty has been completed with the final of a chapter professor. Election of personnel to be held in July 1965.
2. Prof. Farver appointed temporary director, Conservatory of Music.
3. Means and other conditions have been investigated. Scientific institutions have been requested.

2. School lunch requests approved for three continue.

UNIVERSITY

1. Operation of school personnel continuing.
2. Request made of one for possible substitute for present provost.

UNIVERSITY

1. School continues continuing.
2. Election of permanent rector and rector of three professors.

UNIVERSITY

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2. Approximately 10,000 students are now enrolled.

3. Students have protested the 100 percent increase in tuition fees.

4. Election of temporary rector of one completed. Election of permanent rector to be held 12 July 1955.

UNIVERSITY

1. Current in letters received by UN is now discontinued.

UNIVERSITY

1. Operation of faculty has been completed with the dismissal of 9 student professors. Election of permanent rector will be held 12 July 1955.

2. Prof. Ferrel appointed temporary director, Conservatory of Music.

3. Plans and other measures have been implemented. Scientific institute has been reorganized.

W. E. Lane

W. E. LANE
DIRECTOR
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

AFC 394

4 June 1945

Reference : RIX/ED/100.85
Subject : Sitrep for week ending 2 June 1945
To : Regional Commissioner

GENERAL =

1. A total of 145,000 quaderni have been brought from Lucca for distribution.
2. Vetting in all provinces except Ravenna and Forlì is continuing under General order No 35.
3. Distribution of textbooks carried on by Messaggerie Italiane.
4. Textbooks Commission is approving books for publication in 1945-46.
5. 100 % increases in University tuition approved.
6. University budgets have been filed.

FORLÌ PROVINCE =

1. Vetting of school officials under Gen. Order 67 is continuing.
2. Elementary and secondary schools operating in all urban centers.
3. 32,500 quaderni shipped to province.

RAVENNA PROVINCE =

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FERRARA PROVINCE =

1. Candidates for a new Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. Villi have been investigated.
2. Elementary school examinations will be completed by 15 June 1945.

BOLOGNA PROVINCE =

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BOLOGNA PROVINCE =

1. Schools in the province have begun to reopen. Much equipment is lacking in many buildings in southern part of the province.
2. Textbooks are now available in some bookstores of the province.
3. Buildings continue to be occupied by hospital, refugees, and others.

MODENA PROVINCE =

1. Schools are being reopened and will continue until 30 July 1945.

REGGIO PROVINCE =

1. Inquiries made concerning the organization of Boy Scouts will receive attention soon.
2. Program of special examinations approved for partisans and others.
3. Examinations given during last week in May.

PARMA PROVINCE =

1. Schools are operating regularly, will close on 20 June 1945.
2. Many buildings have ^{been} badly damaged.

PRAENZA PROVINCE =

1. Schools in province have reopened and will continue until 26 July 1945.

FERRARA UNIVERSITY =

1. Epuration Committee has been appointed and is now at work.
2. Plans have been completed for the formal reopening of the University on 8 June 1945.
3. 464 of a normal 588 students were enrolled during this year.

BOLOGNA UNIVERSITY =

1. Epuration Commission is expected to complete its investigation of titular professors within a period of ten days.
2. The University has completed a detailed report of war damage to buildings.

MODENA UNIVERSITY =

1. Epuration Commission has completed the vetting of titular professors. Six have been recommended for suspension.
2. Election of the permanent Rector will take place on 2 June 1945.
3. Tentative plans for reopening the University on 11 June 1945 have been made.
4. 1196 students were enrolled during year.

PARMA UNIVERSITY =

1. 2893 students enrolled during year.
2. Financial status of University is in serious condition.

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PERUGINA PROVINCE =

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PADUA UNIVERSITY =

1. 2893 students enrolled during year.
2. Financial status of University is in serious condition.

Willis E. Pratt
Captain A.U.S.
Regional Education
Officer

HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR FORCE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
AFG 504

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28 May 1945

Reference: RIL/ED/100.85

Subject : Circuit for week ending 28 May 1945.

To : Regional Commissioner

GENERAL

1. On advice of the Legal Division, vetting of school personnel was suspended and Provincial Commissioners and Provosts will all stand have been notified to continue with Commission appointed under General Order No. 38 percent in provinces of Peshawar and Rawalpindi.

2. 7,000 textbooks for grade one received from here for distribution in district. 38,000 papers found in Province are to be brought here this week. A sufficient supply will be available for the balance of this year and reprinting will begin for next school year.

PROVINCE

1. Study of building situation is being made and reported to proper authorities.
2. Schools are operating on a restricted program.
3. Textbook Commission has approved textbooks for publishing.

PESHAWAR PROVINCE

1. The present Provosts are all working very hard due to pressure by the U.S.
2. Examinations completed and arrangements are now made for giving special courses this summer.
3. 50,000 quads have been sent to province for distribution.

RAWALPINDI PROVINCE

1. All secondary schools in the province are operating including all elementary schools with exceptions of some in rural areas.
2. 6 school buildings are occupied by troops.
3. Instructional supplies are available in sufficient quantities.
4. Education has been practically completed.

NOODIA PROVINCE

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GENERAL

1. On advice of the Legal Division, vetting of school personnel was suspended and Provincial Commissioners and Provincial Directors and all staff have been notified to continue with Commission appointments under General Order No. 36 (except in provinces of Porti and Havana).

2. 7,000 textbooks for grade one received from Rome for distribution in Region. 53,000 others found in literature are to be brought here this week. A sufficient supply will be available for the balance of this year and reprinting will begin for next school year.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. Study of building situation is being made and reported to proper authorities.
2. Schools are operating on a restricted program.
3. Textbook Commission has approved textbooks for publishing.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. The present Provincial Director will study may resign due to pressure by the G.I.
2. Examinations completed and arrangements and now made for giving special courses this summer.
3. 30,000 textbooks have been sent to province for distribution.

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BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. All secondary schools in the province are operating including all elementary schools with exceptions of some in rural areas.
2. 8 school buildings are occupied by troops.
3. Instructional supplies are available in sufficient quantities.
4. Operation has been practically completed.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. Provincial Director has been formally appointed Provincial Director and has assumed office.
2. Directives have been issued and schools will be reopened on 1 June 1945, and will continue until 15 July 1945.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. Schools are now in operation and will operate until 15 June 1945.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. Schools to reopen on 2 June 1945 and will continue until 14 July 1945.
2. Provincial Director and Directors are being advised to use whatever anti-fascist text material is available.

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3. Special examinations and courses have been approved for partisans and others.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. Schools generally throughout province have been reopened, and many "closed districts" have been established.

2. Building situation in each town as casualties, high death toll, Molins, Molins, Molins, Molins and Molins is particularly grave.

3. Enrollment at present is nearing normalcy.

4. Instructional material has been provided in quantity.

5. Operation is nearing completion.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. School were reopened on 10 May 1945 and are now functioning.

2. School term will close 3 June 1945. Examinations are to be held on 15 June 1945.

3. Special courses for partisans and others will begin 20 June 1945.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. Operation Commission is at work and should complete its assignment within a week or 10 days.

2. Financial condition of University is serious, will ask special appropriation from province.

3. Investigations are being made concerning appointment of teachers for Institute of Fine Arts and Conservatory of Music.

4. Enrollment of students has been approved.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. UJI has lodged protest against appointment of teachers stating that their own candidate was not considered.

2. Operation Commission has been notified but not as yet appointed.

3. Tentative arrangements are being made for reopening University on 5 June 1945.

BARCELONA PROVINCE

1. Changes and additions have been made to the operation Commission which is now at work.

2. 14 of 24 titular professors have returned and articles have been sent to others.

3. University should be ready to reopen on or about 5 June 1945.

REPORT ON VISIT

1. School was reopened on 14 May 1945 and are now functioning.
2. School term will close 5 June 1945. Examinations are to be held on 13 June 1945.
3. Special courses for partisans and others will begin 20 June 1945.

REPORT ON UNIVERSITY

1. Expiration Commission is at work and should complete its assignment within 10 days.
2. Financial condition of University is serious, still ask special appropriation from province.
3. Investigations are being made concerning appointment of Rector for Institute of Fine Arts and Conservatory of Music.
4. Enrollment of students has been approved.

REPORT ON UNIVERSITY

1. CLM has learned present exist appointment of Rector stating that their own candidate was not considered.
2. Expiration Commission has been nominated but not yet appointed.
3. Tentative arrangements are being made for reopening University on 8 June 1945.

REPORT ON UNIVERSITY

1. Changes and additions have been made to the expiration Commission which is now at work.
2. 14 of 24 titular professors have returned and notices have been sent to others.
3. University should be ready to reopen on or about 5 June 1945.

REPORT ON UNIVERSITY

1. Expiration Commission is now completing work and election of permanent Rector should take place 5 June 1945.
2. 10 of 20 titular professors are present, others have been asked to return.
3. Financial status of University is satisfactory.
4. Buildings are in fine condition.
5. Enrollment last year 2,800 of a normal of 3,000.

Willis L. Hest
Capt. A.S.S.
Regional Education
Office

HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
AFO 394

WEP/lm

14 May 1945

Reference: HIX/ED/100.85

Subject : Sitrep for week ending 12 May 1945.

To : Regional Commissioner

GENERAL

1. A Commission for the examination of textbooks has been appointed at Bologna. Manuscripts are now ready for printing both elementary and secondary school books.
2. 30,000 elementary books at Forli ready for transportation to Bologna.
3. New programs of study and directives distributed in every province.

FORLI' PROVINCE

1. Most schools in province are operating and textbooks provided.
2. Public schools at Morciano now open.
3. Schools to continue during the summer months.

RAVENNA PROVINCE

1. Schools reopened in balance of province.
2. Schools will continue throughout the summer.
3. Vetting of school personnel continues.

FERRARA PROVINCE

1. Prof. Villi Antonio appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. G.A. Borzellino dismissed.
2. Most chief school heads inscribed in P.F.R.
3. Reopening will be difficult for some time.

BOLOGNA PROVINCE

1. Prof. Valli Evangelista appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. Lorenzo Celio, dismissed.
2. Schools to reopen on 14 May 1945 to operate during summer.
3. Most buildings in City of Bologna occupied by troops and refugees.

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1. A Commission for the examination of textbooks has been appointed at Bologna. Manuscripts are now ready for printing both elementary and secondary school books.

2. 30,000 elementary books at Perla ready for transportation to Bologna.

3. New programs of study and directives distributed in every province.

FORLÌ PROVINCE

1. Most schools in province are operating and textbooks provided.

2. Public schools at Morciano now open.

3. Schools to continue during the summer months.

RAVENNA PROVINCE

1. Schools reopened in balance of province.

2. Schools will continue throughout the summer.

3. Vetting of school personnel continues.

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3. Reopening will be difficult for some time.

BOLOGNA PROVINCE

1. Prof. Valli Evangelista appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. Lorenzo Galdo, dismissed.

2. Schools to reopen on 14 May 1945 to operate during summer.

3. Most buildings in City of Bologna occupied by troops and refugees.

4. Vetting of school personnel begun.

MODENA PROVINCE

1. Umberto Pezzini selected as Provveditore agli Studi to replace Pecorelle Giovanni Battista, but not yet appointed.

2. Provincial school office put in order.

3. Schools will operate during summer.

REGGIO PROVINCE

1. Prof. Lindner Ettore appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Gasaccio Vittorio dismissed.

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2. Some schools, which functioned poorly during year, will operate this summer. To reopen 16 May 1945.

PARMA PROVINCE

1. Prof. Romani Bruno (Provveditore agli Studi before P.E.R.) appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. Cantoni Giuseppe, dismissed.

2. Provincial school office in order.

3. Schools will reopen for examinations immediately.

4. Allocation of 450 meters of window glass made. Inquiries concerning needs sent to each commune.

PIACENZA PROVINCE

1. Prof. Larosa Antonio appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. Goli Pantaleo (killed during occupation).

2. Schools to reopen on 16 May 1945, for one or two months during summer.

REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO

1. Schools in operation but additional textbooks needed.

UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA

1. Prof. Volterra Edoardo appointed Pro-Rector to replace Prof. Felice Battaglia Commissario.

2. Four University buildings now occupied by troops.

3. Attendance at present 3000 of a normal 13000.

4. University to operate during the summer to enable partisans and others to finish 1944-45 year.

5. Vetting has begun. Committee of Epuration has been appointed.

6. Education Officer accompanied group to recover a gram of radium hidden by partisans and returned to the University.

UNIVERSITY OF PERUGIA

1. Prof. Gioelli Felice appointed as Pro-Rector to replace Calzolari Filippo, dismissed.

2. Examinations will be held after epuration of faculty.

3. Only 4 of 17 titular professors remaining at present.

UNIVERSITY OF MODENA

1. Prof. Mor Guido appointed as Pro-Rector. Was the former rector but a member of National Committee of Liberation.

PLACENZA PROVINCE

1. Prof. Larosa Antonio appointed Provveditore agli Studi to replace Prof. Goli Pentaletto (killed during occupation).
2. Schools to reopen on 18 May 1945, for one or two months during summer.

REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO

1. Schools in operation but additional textbooks needed.

UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA

1. Prof. Volterra Edoardo appointed Pro-Rector to replace Prof. Felice Battaglia Commissario.
2. Four University buildings now occupied by troops.
3. Attendance at present 3000 or a normal 13000.
4. University to operate during the summer to enable partisans and others to finish 1944-45 year.
5. Vetting has begun. Committee of Epuration has been appointed.
6. Education Officer accompanied group to recover a group of radium hidden by partisans and returned to the University.

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2. Examinations will be held after epuration of faculty.
3. Only 4 of 17 titular professors remaining at present.

UNIVERSITY OF MODENA

1. Prof. Mor Guido appointed as Pro-Rector. Was the former rector but a member of National Committee of Liberation.
2. Epuration Committee appointed and at work.
3. University will operate during the summer.

UNIVERSITY OF PAVIA

1. Prof. Marchi Teodosio appointed as Pro-Rector to replace Prof. Ruggero Bertelli, dismissed (now jailed).
2. University operated all year. Will reopen for examinations and for special courses for patriots.

Willis E. Pratt
 Captain A.U.S.
 Regional Education Officer

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City of Bologna
Allied Military Government
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2 May 1945.

Reference: RIX/ED/800.8

Subject : Weekly Report

To : S.C.A.G., Bologna City

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS

1. On the initial visit to the Provveditorato (Provincial School Office), it was found that the Capo segretario of this office was left in charge by the National Committee of Liberation. He was instructed to remain in charge of the office until a Provveditore agli Studi was selected.
2. Directives for the reopening and functioning of schools were left for the Provveditore agli Studi (Copies are attached).
3. The screening of all school officials was begun with the distribution of Schede Personali.
4. Programs of Study for the elementary and secondary schools were distributed.
5. A survey of school buildings in the city was initiated. Although an accurate report is not yet available, it is evident that most of the school buildings are occupied by refugees, hospitals and other units. 184 of the 515 classrooms in the City are now occupied.
6. Eight candidates for the position of Provveditore agli Studi were interviewed. These had been suggested by the National Committee of Liberation, the Minister of Education, and other school officials in the city of Bologna. Each was asked to give a preference for the position and in each case the name of Prof. Valli Evangelista was given preference. His nomination was approved today by the Provincial Commissioner.
7. The Provveditore agli Studi was ordered today to reopen the elementary and secondary schools as soon as possible and not later than 15 May 1945. The present school year will then terminate on the 15th of August of the current year.

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UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA

1. A first visit to the University of Bologna found in charge Prof. Battaglia Felice, appointed Pro-Rettore by the National Committee of Liberation. It was also learned that the Committee of Liberation had also appointed, to succeed him, Prof. Volterra at that time situated at Rome. Conferences were held with Prof. Battaglia, Prof. Volterra and the President of the National Committee of Liberation and, on the orders of General Hume, Prof. Battaglia was requested to remain at his post until a final decision was made.
2. Only two buildings of the University were occupied, the School of Forestry by American troops and the School of Engineering by Carabinieri. The former has now been evacuated and a report of the latter is forthcoming.
3. The University operated, more or less normally, during the past year until a month ago. It will be possible to complete the current year by operating the university during the summer months.
4. The screening of faculty has begun with the distribution of schede personali to faculty members.
5. There is evidence that this university was as Fascist as any in Italy. The former rector, Prof. Cappolo, was executed with Mussolini a few days ago and Prof. Pericle and Prof. Pagliacci were killed recently by the partisans here and at Modena. The latter was the chief of the Fascist Party in the Region of Emilia.
6. As soon as a final decision of the Pro-Rector is made, the operation of the faculty and the opening of the University will proceed.

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 Headquarters Eighth Army
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10 March 1948

Reference: RIA/22/890,83

Subject : Reopening of Schools in Ravenna Province.

To : C.A.O.'s through Provincial Commissioner

1. The following information about the schools of Ravenna Province may be of interest to you in dealing with school problems in the commune under your direction:

a) No authorization has been given to open schools in the commune of Cervia and that part of Ravenna commune which lies south of the city and east of the Verli-Ravenna road. Notice will be given when the Provincial Commissioner authorizes the reopening of schools in other parts of the Province.

b) The reopening of all private schools should have the approval of the Education Officer.

c) A provveditore agli studi, Prof. Bertoni Giuseppe, has been appointed by the Provincial Commissioner and maintains the Provincial School Office at Ravenna.

d) All local inspectors, directors and presidi of schools are responsible to the Provveditore agli studi.

e) Education Directives have been prepared for the opening and operation of schools as follows: No. 3 - To the Prefect and Sindaco; No. 4 - To the Provveditore agli studi; No. 5 - To the Inspectors, Directors and Presidi of Schools; No. 7 - To bookshelves.

f) In issuing instructions to reopen schools, directors and teachers have been requested to house children in teachers' homes when buildings are not available.

g) School heads have been instructed to file school personnel with the Provveditore agli studi and these are being vetted by the Education Division. Some Fascist school heads have been removed and replaced by temporary employees.

h) Programs of study for all elementary and secondary schools have been distributed through the Provincial school office.

i) Textbooks for elementary and secondary schools are now available at the Cartoleria Rimini at Rimini. Others will be ready for distribution at Ravenna within a few days. Your assistance in helping local school officials to obtain these books will be appreciated. Other instructional materials will be distributed through the Provincial school office. All books and school supplies are purchased by the students themselves.

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J) In each commune the sindaco is responsible for the buildings and equipment of the schools. Where possible, minor repairs to school buildings should be made to allow their use at the present time.

K) In the reopening of schools, it is desired to keep civilian movement to a minimum. Secondary school students who wish to travel to other communes should be advised that another session of examinations will be provided for them at a later date. In other communes, temporary classes have been established to reduce movement to a minimum. Where possible within security regulations, the issuance of passes to inspectors, directors and principals to travel in the performance of their duties will be appreciated.

L) All school personnel are paid through the Bank of Italy on certification of the *Provveditorato agli Studi*. Local directors must file a list of personnel to be paid for elementary schools and principals for secondary schools. Back salaries are paid in installments of two months each month from the time of liberation.

M) All activities of the ex-IGL have been discontinued. A commissario of IGL property and equipment, Prof. Gastone Foggi, has been appointed by the *Provveditorato agli Studi*.

N) Requests for school lunch materials to be served to children in *nelli* and *scuole medie* have been sent to sindaco where schools may reopen through the prefect. When these are returned and approved, rations for this purpose will be authorized. Lunches must be served on school property.

O) A directive giving instructions for approval, sale, price and confiscation of school books has been sent to all booksellers through the prefect. A list of approved and disapproved textbooks is on file in the Provincial School Officer.

P. During the current month we trust that it will be possible for us to complete visits to all localities in which schools are operating or where reopening is authorized.

Q. In the meantime, if we may be of any assistance, we would appreciate your calling upon this office.

For the Provincial Commissioner:

Willie E. Pratt
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Education Officer
AMG, 8th Army Rear

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HEADQUARTERS ARMED COMMISSION
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19 March, 1945

SUBJECT : Information to PO's and CAO's.

Ref. 479081-236

TO : Regional Education Officer,

1. A copy of the enclosed letter from a RSO to the CAO's in his Army Region has come to my desk.

2. It is forwarded to all RSO's because it seems to me that this does something that we have not previously done, and that needs doing - i.e., it brings CAO's (or could bring PO's) actively into the picture.

3. Since, especially in the north, such dependence has to be placed on local cooperation of PO's (or CAO's); I believe you may well find it desirable to use some such scheme for informing them of your plans and the status of education in their provinces.

CARLETON W. BASHIRNE
Major, AMH
Director of Education.

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 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
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WEP/1M
 21 May 1945

Reference: RIX/ED/150.25

Subject : Sitrep for week ending 19 May 1945.

To : Regional Commissioner

CENTRAL

1. School calendars are being prepared for each individual province according to needs. In some provinces schools will operate during summer. In others, special courses will be offered.
2. University education committees at work in three of the four institutions.
3. Approval given for increase in tuition rates in four universities.
4. State textbooks imported, others ordered from Rome. Publication of new series ready for printing here. 500,000 quaderni ready at Lucca.

FORLÌ PROVINCE

1. Schools in operation. Buildings in Forlì City are being evacuated and will soon be available for school use.

RAVENNA PROVINCE

1. All schools have now been reopened except at Cotignola and Riolo di Segni. Schools at Alfonsine are opening this week.
2. Screening of school personnel is virtually completed.
3. Class distaccate have been organized at Russi, Bagnacavallo, Brisighella and urge to care for children who cannot travel to other centers.
4. Free textbooks have been provided for children unable to buy them.
5. Additional school heads appointed to replace suspended personnel.

FERARA PROVINCE

1. Holding of examinations on 15 May 1945 was the signal for student protest of the appointment of Prof. Villi, Provveditore agli Studi. This protest or may not have been instigated by the U.I.N. The Provincial Commissioner acted with promptness and firmness, dispatched carabinieri to the schools and examinations were held as scheduled. During the time of the trouble, a "flier" was published by the "Unione Studenti Italiani".
2. A conference was held with the Secretary of the C.I.N. on 18 May 1945 and an understanding reached.
3. Schools will now be formerly closed and special courses in both elementary and secondary schools opened for the summer.

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RAVENNA PROVINCE

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2. Screening of school personnel is virtually completed.
3. Class disaccate have been organized at Rugosi, Bagnacavallo, Pristigallie and -ugo to care for children who cannot travel to other centers.
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BOLOGNA PROVINCE

1. Survey of buildings completed. Damaged buildings reported to Genio Civile through Public Works Division. Buildings occupied by refugees now being studied.

2. Survey of school buildings reveals the following:

Occupied by Binistretti	23
Occupied by Hospitals	6
Occupied by Allied Command	2
Occupied by Civilian Offices	2
Damaged	32 (16 severely)
Total	65

Of 515 elementary school rooms, only 16 are now available for school use. Of 401 secondary school rooms, 64 are available for school use. The Education Officer is bringing this matter to the attention of proper authorities.

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3. Schools were reopened in City of Bologna on 15 May 1945. At the same time orders were sent by the Provincial School Superintendent to reopen schools in the province. Secondary school children are attending 3 or 4 sessions per week. Elementary school children are attending only in homes of teachers, pending the availability of buildings.

4. Screening of school officials is underway. Schedules have been returned for 63 school heads.

5. Arrangements have been made for transportation of 28,000 new textbooks from World on 17 May 1945.

MODENA PROVINCE

1. Prof. Pezzini nominated as Provveditore agli Studi but has not returned to province to date.

2. Pending his return, reorganization of the schools has been delayed.

REGGIO PROVINCE

1. Special courses for partisans and others during the summer months have been approved.

2. Schedules Personnel distributed. Provincial school office operating efficiently.

3. Schools reopened on 17 May 1945. Four principals whose status is doubtful, were instructed not to assume their posts for the present to prevent any incidents.

PARMA PROVINCE

1. Schools in the province are continuing to function.

2. Schedules Personnel are being distributed.

3. Provveditorato not yet efficiently organized.

PIACENZA PROVINCE

1. Provveditore agli Studi formally appointed by the Provincial Commissioner.

BOLOGNA UNIVERSITY

1. All buildings, except four, were posted on 18 May 1945. The four excepted were already occupied.

2. Epuration Committee is at work.

3. Survey of buildings and financial condition completed.

FERRARA UNIVERSITY

1. Formal opening of the University will be held on 31 May 1945.

2. At present students are attending informally to prepare for examinations.

MODENA UNIVERSITY

1. Epuration Committee at work. One member declined to serve and others appointed.

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PARMA PROVINCE

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2. School personnel are being distributed.
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PADOVA PROVINCE

1. Provveditorato agli Studi formally appointed by the Provincial Commissioner.

BOLOGNA UNIVERSITY

1. All buildings, except four, were posted on 18 May 1945. The four excepted were already occupied.
2. Epuration Committee is at work.
3. Survey of buildings and financial condition completed.

PERUGIA UNIVERSITY

1. Formal opening of the University will be held on 31 May 1945.
2. At present students are attending informally to prepare for examinations.

MODENA UNIVERSITY

1. Epuration Committee at work. One member declined to serve and others appointed to fill this post.
2. Four members of Modena faculty were "squadristi". Their suspension may make it difficult to reopen medical school.

PARMA UNIVERSITY

1. Epuration Committee has been appointed.
2. University buildings in excellent shape and will be ready to reopen as soon as epuration is completed.

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 Allied Military Government
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10 March 1945

Reference: RIX/25/420.82

Subject : Reopening of Schools in Furi Province.

To : C.I.A. through Provincial Commissioner

1. The following information about the schools of Furi Province may be of interest to you in dealing with school problems in the communes under your direction:

a) Authorization has been given to open schools in all communes of the province except the following: Tredozio, Medigliana, Novedolo, Cassinetta e Terra del Sole and Partico S. Benedetto.

b) The reopening of all private schools should have the approval of the Education Officer.

c) A Provveditore agli Studi, Prof. Arnaldo Olivieri, has been appointed by the Provincial Commissioner and maintains the Provincial School Office at Furi. A branch office is maintained at Rimini.

d) All local inspectors, directors and presidi of schools are responsible to the Provveditore agli Studi.

e) Education directives have been prepared for the opening and operation of schools as follows: No. 3 - To the Prefect and Sindaco; No. 4 - To the Provveditore agli Studi; No. 5 - To the Inspectors, Directors and Presidi of Schools; and No. 7 - To Booksellers.

f) In issuing instructions to reopen schools, directors and teachers have been requested to house children in teachers' houses when buildings are not available.

g) School heads have been instructed to file school personnel with the Provveditore agli Studi and these are being vetted by the Education Division. Some assistant school heads have been removed and replaced by temporary employees.

h) Programs of study for all elementary and secondary schools have been distributed through the Provincial school office.

i) Textbooks for elementary and secondary schools are now available at the Caroleria Business at Rimini. Others will be ready for distribution at Furi and Cesena within a few days. Your assistance in helping local school officials to obtain these books will be appreciated. Other instructional materials will be distributed through the Provincial school office. All books and school supplies are purchased by the students themselves.

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Reference : RIA/EG/100.51

Subject : Status for period ending 18:00 hours 9 March 1945

To : A.C., Administrative Section, 301 Army A.M.S.

GENERAL

1. Civilians were apprehended & distributing unauthorized literature to children in the schools of Rimini. Orders were issued to confiscate literature and to prohibit such distribution in the future. Copies of the confiscated literature are attached.
2. 20,000 textbooks for children of the first class are being shipped from Rome tomorrow.

FOULI' PROVINCE

1. Secondary schools at Cesena have been reopened. Books will need to be found in the city proper for elementary school children.

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Subject : Situation in period ending 18:00 hours 9 March 1945
 To : C.C., Administrative Section, 5th Army A.S.C.

GENERAL

1. Civilians were apprehended distributing unauthorized literature to children in the schools of Rimini. Orders were issued to confiscate literature and to prohibit such distribution in the future. Copies of the confiscated literature are attached.
2. 20,000 textbooks for children of the first class are being shipped from Rome tomorrow.

FOOTNOTES

1. Secondary schools at Cesena have been reopened. Names will need to be found in the city proper for elementary school children.

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Allied Military Government
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Itinerary for Brigadier G. H. Upjohn
Vice-President, Civil Affairs Section, A.G.

5 March 1944

- 08:00 - Riccione Marina - Scuola Media, Ortello Ciniseppe, Preside - 140 students under 12 teachers in two sessions per day. This school corresponds to the lower secondary school in U.S. and England.
- 09:15 - Riccione Marina - Elementary School located in one room of Pensione Franchini. Cares for 191 pupils under 5 teachers in 5 sessions per day. (Acc. by Direttore Magrini).
- 09:30 - Riccione Marina - Refugee Center. Arrangements just made for reopening school here on 8 March 1944. 90 elementary school children under 4 teachers. Also there will be 40 children in the Asilo. (Acc. by Dir. Magrini).
- 09:45 - Positano - Children here are housed in homes of teachers of which there are 12 in this comune. Visits will be made to Casa Lepri - Viale Cimarra No. 32 - 129 pupils, 2 teachers Casa Vallini - Via Tasso No. 4 - 50 pupils, 2 teachers. (Acc. by Dir. Magrini).
- 10:30 - Riccione Capoluogo - 4 rooms, 247 pupils under 8 teachers. Two sessions per day. (Acc. by Dir. Magrini).
- 11:00 - Cattolica - Elementary 387 pupils under 14 teachers Scolastico Femile - 3 sessions per day. (Acc. by Director Prato Angelo).
- 11:15 - Cattolica - Scuola Avvicinato - Only type of secondary school without tuition. 90 pupils and 9 teachers. Housed in a temporary building. (Acc. by Director Prato Angelo).
- 11:30 - Cattolica - Scuola Media - This is a temporary school which has been opened this year to care for secondary school pupils who normally attend at Rimini. (Acc. by Director Prato Angelo).
- 12:00 - Return to Headquarters

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For your information are enclosed copies of directives under which schools are opened and organized, a copy of the monthly report of this Division for February, copies of the programs of study, copies of some of the old and new textbooks (six of the ten new books and 7 of the ten old Fascist books are included).

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Allied Military Government
Headquarters Eighth Army
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Reference : RM/ED/100.91

Subject : Status for period ending 1800 hrs. 4 March 1945.

To : C.O., Administration Section, 9th Army A.M.S.

Perli Province

1. School organized at Refugee Center in Nidione, desks and books provided. Teachers obtained.

2. Inspection of schools held in homes in southern part of Perli Province has proved they are progressing satisfactorily.

General

1. Paper for quaterni available as soon as electric power can be obtained for printers to prepare them.

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Forli Province

1. School organized at Refugee Center in Niscione. Desks and books provided. Teachers obtained.
2. Inspection of schools held in homes in southern part of Forli Province has proved they are progressing satisfactorily.

General

1. Paper for quaderni available as soon as electric power can be obtained for printers to prepare them.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
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Reference : HKK/ED/100.81

Subject : Situation for Period ending 1300 hrs. 26 February 43.

To : G.O., Administrative Section, 8th Army A.D.G.

Forli Province

1. Provincial School Office at Forli has been vacated and again is in use by the Provincial School Dept.
2. 429 of the 469 elementary schools in Forli Province have been reopened.
3. 41 of the 46 secondary schools in Forli Province have been reopened.

Arezzo Province

1. Survey of buildings has been made in liberated area.
2. Reopening of schools in southern part of Arezzo Province and in Cervia authorized.

General

1. Suspension of Fascist school books has continued.

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To : O.C., Administrative Section, 5th Army A.D.C.

Porti Province

1. Provincial School Office at Porti has been vacated and again is in use by the Provincial School Dept.
2. 420 of the 480 elementary schools in Porti Province have been reopened.
3. 43 of the 46 secondary schools in Porti Province have been reopened.

Bavenna Province

1. Survey of buildings has been made in liberated area.
2. Reopening of schools in southern part of Bavenna commens and in Carvis authorized.

General

1. Suspension of Fascist school funds has continued 2010

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Allied Military Government
Headquarters Eighth Army
Rome

Reference : HX/10/100.51

Subject : Citing for

To : C.O., ADMINISTRATION SECTION, 8th Army A.C.

ITALY: NORTHERN

1. All school buildings in Forli occupied or damaged - examinations for opening of schools will be held in 7 rooms in a temporary theatre.
2. Directives from Prefects to Sindaco concerning schools have been distributed.
3. Survey of schools in the province has been completed.

RAVENNA PROVINCE

1. Screening of school officials have begun.
2. Survey of school in the province has been completed.

GENERAL

1. Information being collected on condition of buildings and occupancy in both provinces.
2. Sources of school supplies have been found in Florence.

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TO : C.O., Administrative Section, 8th Army A.S.C.

PHILIP PROVINCE

1. All school buildings in POFI occupied or damaged - examinations for opening of schools will be held in 7 rooms in a seminary there.
2. Directives from Prefects to Cindesl concerning schools have been distributed.
3. Survey of schools in the province has been completed.

RAVANA PROVINCE

1. Screening of school officials have begun.
2. Survey of school in the province has been completed.

GENERAL

1. Information being collected on condition of buildings and occupancy in both provinces.
2. Sources of school supplies have been found in Florence.

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Allied Military Government
Headquarters Eighth Army
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Reference : 100.81

Subject : Sitrep for NAIAD AND NO 2 Feb. 1945

To : O. C., Administrative Section, 8th Army A.M.G.

1. Orders have been given to reopen other schools in corps area in Putil Province in accordance with instructions from 4th Army. Many of these campuses are now ready to reopen. This will include all commonwealth except Casocero e Terra del Sole, Modigliany Dovadola, Craterie and Fortico San Benedetto.

2. Balance of 100,000 textbooks are being shipped from Florence to Rimini and Putil by train next week.

3. Corrections for the approval of elementary and secondary school textbooks have been appointed.

4. Some schools are now open in every commune in rear of corps boundaries. Specific data will be included in monthly report

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Willie E. Pratt
Captain, U.S.

Subject : Given for Public Schools No. 100

To : O. C., Administrative Section, 8th Army A.D.G.

1. Orders have been given to reopen other schools in corps area in Peral Province in accordance with instructions from 8th Army. Many of these schools are now ready to reopen. This will include all communes except Casapocero e Terra del Sole, Madiglisio Bovale, Orsogna and Fortino San Benedetto.
2. Balance of 100,000 textbooks are being shipped from Florence to Rimini and Forli by train next week.
3. Commissions for the approval of elementary and secondary school textbooks have been appointed.
4. Some schools are now open in every commune in rear of corps boundaries. Specific data will be included in monthly report

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Headquarters Emilia Region
Allied Military Government
APO 394

WEP/sg

Reference : 100.53

23 December 1944

Subject : Reopening of School

To : Education Subcommittee, A.C.
(Attention, Major C.W. Washburne, A/Director) ✓

1. Reference your ED/SA/4.2/AG of 19 December 1944.

2. In 11 communes of the 27 in Forli Province in which authorization has been given to open schools at the present time, the following buildings have been requisitioned by the military.

Elementary Schools 13
Secondary Schools 8.

3. Since there are 49 communes in the province, the data submitted are very incomplete at this time.

4. Since all schools occupied are in a forward area, none may be considered as not strictly essential for military purposes.

5. Schools in Ravenna Province have not yet been authorized to reopen and hence no data for this province are yet available.

6. The above data are, of course, quite unreliable under present conditions. More exact data are now being collected.

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HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

Reference : 100.32

22 October 1944

Subject : Provincial Staff Officers for Education

To : Regional Commissioner

1. As a result of conferences held with Provincial Commissioners during the past two weeks the following have been designated as provincial staff officers for education:

Reggio Emilia Province	- Lt. Col. J. Del Medico (Provincial Commissioner)
Modena Province	- Major E. G. Cousins (Provincial Officer)
Piacenza Province	- Major W. J. McCallum (Executive Officer)
Parma Province	- To be appointed by Provincial Commissioner
Ferrara Province	- Lt. Col. F. G. Lee (Provincial Commissioner)
Ravenna Province	- Captain Jasper Moore (Legal Officer)
Forlì Province	- Major R. E. Cusley (Executive Officer)
Bologna Province	- Captain Arthur Carter (Executive Officer)

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Capt. A. U. S.
Regional Education
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HEADQUARTERS BRITISH REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

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19 October 1944

Reference : REX/ED/100.32

Subject : Report of visit to East Headquarters

To : Regional Commissioner

1. Following is a report of the visit of the Regional Education Officer to East Headquarters and Provincial Teams in that area on 13 to 18 October 1944.

2. On 14 October 1944 a conference was held with Lt. Col. Yee, P.O. of Formosa Province, at Fano. Education Directives were discussed. Lt. Col. Yee will serve as Provincial Staff Officer for Education.

3. On 15 October 1944 a conference was held with Major Nucera, P.O. of Ravenna Province, at Anso. Education Directives were discussed. Capt. Jasper Moore will serve as Provincial Staff Officer for Education.

4. A conference was held with Lt. Col. Potter, P.O. of Parma Province, at Ricioni on 16 October 1944. Major W.H. Gurdley will act as Provincial Staff Officer for Education. Asili in Rimini and Ricioni have been opened to care for small children during this period.

5. A conference was also held with Wing Commander E.F. Beer of the 8th Army AMG. Permission was obtained to organize schools in provinces under command of 8th Army as soon as territory is occupied. Education Directives prepared for Region II are to be forwarded to 8th Army AMG for the issuance of a letter making them operative in 8th Army territory. Commander Beer requested that all schools remain closed at the present time because of the need for billets for troops.

6. Arrangements for financing schools was discussed with Major Keirle and directives revised and approved by him.

7. On 17 October 1944 the school lunch program was discussed with Lt. Col. Rush and plans made for the implementation of this program in the region at an early date.

8. The Education Officer returned to Main Headquarters on 18 October 1944.

W. E. Pratt
WILLIAM E. PRATT
Capt., A.U.S.
Regional Education
Officer

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HEADQUARTERS REGION IX
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

APO 394

Education Division

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25 August 1944

SUBJECT : Plans and Policies.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Region IX.

I. PURPOSES

1. To reopen schools on or about 2 October 1944 and assist the Italian school administration to operate them as efficiently as conditions will permit.
2. To defascistize the school personnel and the materials of instruction.
3. To assist in restoring normal civilian life as soon as possible in the area through which war has passed.
4. To provide ways and means of feeding children in the initial stages through a school lunch program.
5. Through suggestion to give assistance in planning a more democratic and more adequate educational system for Italy.

II. PLANS AND POLICIES1. Provveditore agli Studi

- a) Select qualified person from lists provided by the Minister of Education, obtain and evaluate scheda and write letter of appointment for signature of Regional Commissioner. 004
- b) Provveditorato - Obtain site, if necessary, and assist in rehabilitation and in gathering staff.
- c) Give copies of Directives No 4 and 5 and explain procedures to be followed.

2. Administrative Personnel

- a) Inspectors - Evaluate scheda for all former inspectors and new appointments. Suspend undesirable ones and approve appointment of others.

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- b) Presidi - Evaluate scheda for all former Presidi and new appointees. Suspend undesirable ones and approve appointment of others from list supplied by the Minister of Education.
- c) Directors - Follow the same procedure as in the case of Directors and Presidi. Consider the advisability of increasing the number because of communication difficulties. Appointments should be "incaricati" for periods not to exceed the current school year.

3. Vetting Personnel

- a) Have Provveditore agli Studi submit scheda for each administrative official listed above and for all members of the provveditorato having others under their supervision.
- b) Prepare vetting cards in duplicate for each of such officials and file scheda with the Public Safety Division. File one copy with Provveditore and retain one in Regional files.
- c) Have Provveditore agli Studi submit list of all administrators and teachers who should be suspended according to categories and write letters of suspension for signature of Provincial Commissioner.
- d) For each person suspended, retain scheda and fill out A.C.C. card in triplicate. Send one copy of card and other supporting data to A.C.C., one copy to the Provveditore agli Studi and retain one.
- e) Approve the appointment of a Hearing Commission of five trustworthy persons who will hear individual cases of those suspended. On basis of the Commission's report consider the retention or continuation of suspension. The Hearing Commission may also advise on doubtful cases referred to it before suspension.
- f) Any suspended person, after suspension has been confirmed by the Hearing Commission, may file an appeal for ultimate action by the Italian Government. Such appeals, in Military Government Territory, will be forwarded to the Education Subcommittee, A.C.C. for action by the Italian Government when it assumes jurisdiction.
- g) Policy - All administrative officials are to be vetted. Teachers, except those about whom the Provvedi-

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tore or any A.C.C. official has a question, need not fill out schedas. Any teacher concerning whom there is a doubt should be vetted and retained or suspended in the same manner as school officials.

4. Organization of Schools

- a) Have Provveditore agli Studi submit outline of school organization showing schools, location, names of administrators, number of teachers and number of pupils enrolled.
- b) Send directive n° 3 to the Prefect to make ready the secondary schools and the sindaci to find locations for elementary schools.
- c) Where possible, visit communes to assist in finding suitable locations especially in areas which have suffered much damage.
- d) Authorize the opening of all elementary and secondary schools and announce date of opening.
- e) Have Provveditore agli Studi prepare for approval a school calendar.
- f) Authorize the opening of Asili and Private Schools if deemed advisable.
- g) Keep cumulative list of schools opened and the number of teachers and pupils in each.
- h) Distribute programs of study to Provveditore agli Studi Inspectors, Directors, and Presidi.
- i) Have the provveditori submit lists of damaged and occupied buildings at earliest possible time.
- j) Policy - Organization of the elementary and secondary schools will not be changed. No new schools, except secondary school classes "distaccate", may be established. Asili and private schools may reopen with authorization.

5. Textbooks and Supplies

- a) Send Directive n° 3 to Prefect and Sindaci for the confiscation of Fascist textbooks. Check to see that orders are followed in both schools and bookstores.

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- b) Have textbooks delivered from Florence to the Provveditore agli Studi in each Province. When librerie are not open texts may be sold direct to children, the profit allowed the bookseller to be used for costs of transportation or to provide books for needy children. Have provveditori sign receipts and remit as soon as possible to publishers.
- c) Deliver quaderni to Provveditori agli Studi and remit to publishers through Education Subcommittee, A.C.C.
- d) Arrange with Supply Division for distribution of textbooks and quaderni in other communes of the province.
- e) Assist in finding other materials and equipment such as pencils, chalk, blackboards etc.

6. Universities

- a) Write letter of appointment of Rettore for signature of the Regional Commissioner.
- b) Approve appointment of the Epuration Committee and make Scheda cards in triplicate of all staff members, one copy for the University, one for Education Subcommittee and one for the Regional Education Office.
- c) Have Scheda submitted for all members of the University staff.
- d) Approve new appointments on a temporary basis.
- e) Have Rettore submit information concerning the operation of the University.

7. Finance

- a) Approve monthly budget of the Provveditore agli Studi for elementary teachers and for each Preside for secondary schools.
- b) Consult Intendenza Finanza concerning allocations for schools formerly supported by the Minister of Education.

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- c) Policy - "Di ruolo" teachers will be paid from first of month of occupation, "incaricati" from first of month in service and "supplenti" for actual days taught. Suspended personnel will be paid base salary. Increases will be allowed according to scale of Finance Division.

8. School Lunch Program

- a) Send directive n° 3 to Prefects and Sindaci concerning application for soup powder for school lunches.
- b) Approve applications for number of children and forward for signature to Provincial Supply Officer. When approved send to Sindaci. Check to see if proper preparation and distribution is made.

9. G.I.L.

- a) Write letter making Provveditore agli Studi responsible for all G.I.L. property and equipment.
- b) Approve appointment of member of Provveditore's staff for this purpose.
- c) Obtain report of inventory and forward to Minister of Education through Education Subcommission.

III. TRANSITION

1. Provincial Education Officer

- a) Request Provincial Commissioner to appoint staff member to be responsible for educational system.
- b) Acquaint such an officer with the procedures to be followed.
- c) Turn over necessary records and equipment.

2. Information to Minister

- a) Make monthly reports to the Regional Commissioner and forward two copies to the Education Subcommission, one for the Minister of Education.
- b) Keep Minister of Education informed of actions which will facilitate transition.

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3. Survey of Schools

- a) If time allows, make a survey of the schools of each province on the forms provided.

DISTRIBUTION:
Regional Comm. (3)
Educ. Subcomm. (2)

WILLIS E. PRATT
Capt. A.U.S.
Regional Education Officer

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United States Government
Department of the Army
Washington, D.C. 20315

Reference: WJ/SC/

Subject: School Lunches

Re: School Lunches

1. In some areas it may be found that children are suffering from under-nourishment. If supplies are available the United States Government will endeavor to provide supplementary rations for children in these areas (adults) and high school (adults) and other conditions could be in the nature of powdered soup and dried vegetables.
2. If such supplementary rations are available, they will be provided only to those schools in which arrangements have been made for preparing and serving the food at school lunches.
3. In order to determine the amount of food necessary to run this program into effect, kindly fill out and return the form below to the education officer, through the Principal Commissioner, at once.
4. If your application is approved, arrangements will be made with the supply officer to include the amount for school lunches in the regular supplies of food to your account through the supply officer. You would then collect and pay for these supplies just as you would for all other food supplies from this source.
5. You should understand that the implementation of this program will depend upon the supplies available at the time the request is made.

William E. Smith
Captain, U.S. Army
Education Officer
School Army

[Initials Here]

Request for Additional National Commodity for School Lunches

This is to certify that children in the schools of the district of _____ are in need of school lunches for nutritional reasons. If supplies are furnished the preparation and distribution of food will be made under the direction of _____ and served and consumed in the schools. Supplies are needed for a total of _____ children enrolled in kindergarten (adults) and _____ children in the junior high schools (adults) in the district.

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envelopes and this supplementary request for supplies (Amill) and high schools (Amill). Such envelopes would be in the nature of powdered soup and dried vegetables.

2. If such supplementary requests are available, they will be served only to young schools in which such requests have been made for wrapping and serving the food in school lunches.

3. In order to determine the amount of food necessary to run this program into effect, kindly fill out and return the form below to the attention officer, through the provided channels, at once.

4. If your application is approved, correspondence will be made with the supply officer to include the amount for school lunches in the regular supply of food to your district through the Food Service Bureau. You would then collect and pay for these supplies just as you would for all other food supplies from this source.

5. You should be assured that the implementation of this program will depend upon the supplies available at the time the request is made.

Willis H. Pratt
Captain U.S.A.
Kitchen Officer
Sixth Army

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Request for additional National Comptroller for school lunches

This is to certify that children in the schools of the Government of are in need of school lunches for nutritional reasons. If supplies are furnished the preparation and distribution of food will be made under the direction of _____ children enrolled in schools. Supplies are needed for a total of _____ and served and consumed in the kindergarten (Amill) and _____ children in the Junior high schools (Amill) to (Amill).

Approved _____
(Education Officer) _____

Approved _____
(Senior Public Health Officer "Am") _____

This will authorize the (Provisional Supply Officer) to furnish the following food supplies to the above mentioned

to cover this period _____ to _____ for _____ children.

Signed _____
(Senior Supply Officer "Am") _____

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Quartiere Generale Ottava Armata
Governo Militare Alleato
Rome

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Protocollo : RIX/ED/

Oggetto : Refezione Scolastica

Al : Sindaco

1. In certe zone, si prevede che i fanciulli non abbiano il nutrimento sufficiente. Se vi saranno rifornimenti disponibili, il Governo Militare Alleato farà il possibile per fornire delle razioni supplementari per i fanciulli negli asili e nelle scuole medie. Tali razioni consisterebbero di minestrone in polvere o di vegetali secchi.
2. Se tali razioni supplementari saranno disponibili, verranno distribuite solamente a quelle scuole nelle quali sono stati fatti tutti i provvedimenti per la preparazione e la distribuzione di una refezione scolastica.
3. Acciò che si possa stabilire quanti viveri necessitano per effettuare un tale programma di refezione scolastica, verrà subito compilato e rinviare il modulo sotto-incluso all'Ufficio dell'Educazione, tramite il Commissario Provinciale.
4. Se verrà approvata la Sua domanda, verranno presi appositi provvedimenti coll'Ufficio dell'Alimentazione, il quale includerà l'assegnazione per le refezioni scolastiche nelle razioni regolari di viveri indicato per il suo consumo tramite la SERRAL ed il Consorzio Agrario. Lei ritirerà o preleverà tali razioni secondo le modalità seguite per qualsiasi altro prelevamento fatto dallo stesso ente.
5. Lei dovrà intendere che l'effettuazione di questo programma dipenderà dalle razioni disponibili quando viene fatta la Sua richiesta.

Willis E. Pratt
Captain A. U. S.
Ufficio dell'Educazione
Ottava Armata

(Staccare qui)

Richiesta per le razioni supplementari per la Refezione Scolastica

Questo vale a certificare che i fanciulli nelle scuole del Comune di _____ hanno bisogno della refezione scolastica per ragioni di nutrimento. Se le razioni verranno fornite la preparazione e la distribuzione dei viveri verranno fatte sotto la direzione di _____ e verranno distribuite e consumate nelle scuole. Ci occorrono delle razioni per _____ fanciulli iscritti negli asili e _____ fanciulli iscritti nelle scuole medie.

Approvato

Sindaco

ficiente. Se vi saranno rifornimenti disponibili, il Governo Militare Alleato fare' il possibile per fornire delle razioni supplementari per i fanciulli negli esili e nelle scuole orfane. Tali razioni consisterebbero di minestra in polvere e di vari altri cibi.

2. Se tali razioni supplementari saranno disponibili, verranno distribuite solamente a quelle scuole nelle quali sono stati fatti tutti i provvedimenti per la preparazione e la distribuzione di una refezione scolastica.
3. Acciocchio' si possa stabilire quanti viveri necessitano per effettuare un tale programma di refezione scolastica, voglia subito compilare e rinviare il modulo sotto-incluso all'Ufficiale dell'Educazione, tramite il Commissario Provinciale.
4. Se terra' approvata la Sua domanda, verranno presi appositi provvedimenti col l'Ufficiale dell'Alimentazione, il quale includera' l'assegnazione per le refezioni scolastiche nella razioni regolari di viveri indicate per il Suo comune tramite la S.F.P.A.I. ed il Consorzio Agrario. Lei ritirera' e paghera' tali razioni secondo le modalita' suggerite per qualsiasi altro prelevamento fatto dallo stesso ente.
5. Lei dovra' intendere che l'effettuazione di questo programma dipendera' delle razioni disponibili quando viene fatta la Sua richiesta.

Willie E. Pratt
Captain A. U. S.
Ufficiale dell'Educazione
Ottava Armata

(Staccare qui)

Richiesta per le razioni supplementari per la Refezione Scolastica

Questo vale a certificare che i fanciulli nelle scuole del Comune di _____ hanno bisogno della refezione scolastica per ragioni di nutrimento. Se le razioni verranno fornite la preparazione e la distribuzione dei viveri verranno fatte sotto la direzione di _____ o verranno distribuite e consumate nelle scuole. Ci occorrono delle razioni per _____ fanciulli iscritti negli esili e _____ fanciulli iscritti nelle scuole medie.

Approvato _____ Sindaco
(Ufficiale dell'Educazione)

Approvato _____ Data
(Capo Ufficiale Medico "2")

Con questo si autorizza l'Ufficiale Provinciale dell'Alimentazione di fornire le seguenti razioni al suddetto comune:

a decorrere dal _____ al _____ per _____ bambini.

Firmato _____
(Capo Ufficiale dell'Alimentazione "2")

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Headquarters Emilia Region
Allied Military Government
APO 394

Vignettes of the Education Division

1. A School in a Teacher's Home

Along the Via Adriatica, now one of the main arteries for military traffic of the 8th Army, are tucked away, unseen, many children busy with their studies in private homes. In the commune of Misano, one may discover such a home upon inquiry. To reach it, one found it necessary to go through what looked like a barnyard to a little door leading to a basement. Once inside, one found what was once a living room now converted to school purposes. Benches, badly used and in poor condition, held about 20 children ranging in ages from 6 to 11 years. The embarrassed teacher, a young chap of scarcely more than 20 years, was illustrating an arithmetic example as we entered. For a blackboard he was utilizing a little slate, perhaps a foot square, suspended by a string from the ceiling. Most of the children, the poorly-dressed off-spring of contadini, were clean of face and hands but clothes and shoes were old and worn. Only a bright ribbon on the heads of one or two of the black-haired girls gave color to the dark room. The "new" textbooks were in evidence on the desk, the teacher having purchased them for the children in a neighboring town. Parts of copy books, some with old Fascist covers obviously removed, were being fast filled with the "lessons" of the pupils. Here, and in scores of similar homes, the future of the new Italy was being formed - and along the road outside rumbled the tanks and trucks to drive the enemy from their country.

2. Five in One

That any school building should escape damage in the city of Rimini seems miraculous. But the Liceo Classico, shielded by other buildings on two sides, had only a couple of holes in the roof. These were soon repaired and the school made ready to house five of the secondary schools of Rimini, each having use of the building 8 hours each week. Children are given much home study by their teachers to occupy their time. Amid the ruins of a once-beautiful town on the sea, preparation of Italian Youth goes on to help them rebuild a future of

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peace and world-cooperation.

3. From Club to School

Before the war the only secondary school at Cattolica, a city of about 8000 people, was a Scuola Avviamento for sons and daughters of contadini. Other children traveled to Rimini and Pesaro when they finished their elementary school course. Travel prohibited, a scuola media was established in this city to care for the needs of secondary school children. What was formerly a Fascist Club was soon converted into a school by an energetic sindaco. Windows were replaced by requisitioning the glass from pictures in the homes of citizens. Lewd pictures, which we saw had been placed on the walls by some German soldier "artist" were covered. Benches were found in the old Scuola Avviamento, now a hospital for troops. And thus within a few weeks after war had passed, a new school to care for high school children in this city was organized and in operation.

4. Refugees go to School

The thousand men, women and children brought from the dangers of the fighting front were housed in one of the Army's refugee centers not far from the front. Food and housing these unfortunates was speedily accomplished, but finding useful tasks for children was a problem unsolved. Most found something to do on their own account, a favorite past-time being to hang about army vehicles and kitchens.

A call for help was directed to the Education Division by the officials of the Refugee Center to provide educational facilities for 150 children between the ages of 3 and 10. Class rooms were placed in what was the lobby of the large hotel which was housing the refugees. Benches and blackboards were found in a destroyed building in the village. Only two "di ruolo" teachers were found among the refugees themselves, one an old man of 80 and another the mother of 5 small children. Hence four young substitute teachers were found in the village for the kindergarten and the five elementary classes. Books and supplies were made available and purchased by the Center. Four days after the call was made, a new school was operating in the Refugee Center.

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5. Fascist "Academic Freedom"

Typical of the "lack of academic freedom" in fascist days

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is this incident which came to our attention recently. A preside who was to be suspended, made the plea that he had always served the schools well and had not been active politically. An investigation of this past record was made. It was learned, and later confirmed, that a year or two ago, Mussolini had made a speech stating that the Almighty would "strike down" the English and American people. A professor of religion in this school, when pressed by his students, said that he did not think this would be the case. Soon after, the secretary of the fascist Party called at the school and asked the professor if he had made such a statement and upon receiving an affirmative answer, the Provveditore agli Studi promptly dismissed him from service.

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