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To: CA Section, attn: Major Jollard

Letter at 5 for approval and signature please. Copies of covering letters mentioned in App. A (item SA) are attached at rear of file

8 Feb 45

James R. Sullivan
Lt. Col. SA

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To: CA Section, attn: Major Jollard

Letter at folio 6 for approval and signature please

17 Apr 45

James R. Sullivan
Lt. Col. SA

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To: CA Section

(all copies) Ref. fol. 7
For approval and signature please

James R. Sullivan
Lt. Col. SA
2/5/45 7083

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To: CA Section Ref. folio 8.

For approval and signature please
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10/7/45

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CA Sec: Original and ~~two~~ two copies for approval and signature please

30 Aug 45

Admiral W. J. A. C.
A/D Dir MPAA SIC

URGENT.

THE WAR OFFICE (C.A. 20.).

HOTEL VICTORIA,
NORTHUMBERLAND AVENUE,
LONDON, W.C.2.

C.A. 20. (5)/Xim.

12 April, 1916.

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that the cases referred to in your letter reference 20216/1/MPAA dated 13th March, 1916, have now arrived. I am to say that the cases together with the keys have been passed to the British Committee on the Preservation of Works of Art etc., Parliament Square House, Parliament Street, London, S.W.1.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Betty Grace
H. Jones

Director of Civil Affairs.

Headquarters Allied Commission,
Sub-commission for Monuments,
Fine Arts and Archives,
A.P.C. 394

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 194
Subcommission for Monuments Fine Arts and Archives
(Tel. 489081, Ext 442 & 254)

M.S.E./M.P.S.

20115/1/MFAA

13 th March 1946

SUBJECT: Photographic Archive of War Damage to
Italian Monuments.

TO : The War Office (C.A. 2(b))
Hotel Victoria
Northumberland Avenue
London, S.O.2

The Allied Commission has today despatched two cases addressed to Macmillan c/o Director of Civil Affairs, C.A.2(b). These contain one complete set of prints of the photographic record of war damage and of repairs to monuments in Italy taken by the Monuments and Fine Arts Subcommission. Keys for the two cases mentioned are forwarded herewith.

It is requested that, as arranged with Lt. Col. Sir Leonard Woolley, before his departure, this collection be passed to the Macmillan Committee (British Committee on the Preservation of Works of Art etc., Parliament Square House, Parliament Street, London S.W.1).

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H.E. BELL
Major, A.E.C.
A/Director

Copy to:
British Committee on the
Preservation and Restitution of Works of Art
Archives and other material in enemy hands
c/o Civil Affairs Branch
War Office
London

address for British Photographs

THE WAR OFFICE
HOTEL VICTORIA,
NORTHUMBERLAND AVENUE,
LONDON, W.C.2.

17 February, 1946.

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Dear Ward Perkins,

I'm very sorry to have missed you: I was away for 10 days, and on February 15th expect to be off to North Africa. I'm afraid that I shan't have a chance to see you en route.

I don't leave anyone in charge of this office, which will be definitely closed down. The photographic archives should be addressed to C.A.2(B), Hotel Victoria, and endorsed "for the Macmillan Committee"; anything else that may have to be sent should go to the same address which is that of the section dealing with Italy. I quite agree that the best repository for the archives, after use by the Macmillan Committee, would be the Courtauld, and you might ask Miss Clay to forward them there in due course.

I shall certainly see about N. Africa publication by Haynes and yourself. I also want to arrange for future excavations on an international basis, a point on which I've already taken steps at this end.

I hope you're enjoying the School and having a good time. With luck I might manage to look in on Rome on my way back at the end of May, but that depends on all sorts of transport questions.

Yours ever,

Lennox Woolley

Lt.Col. J.B. Ward Perkins,
H.Q. Allied Commission, Italy,
C.M.F.

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THE FOREIGN SERVICE
OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

AMERICAN EMBASSY

Rome, March 7, 1946

Major R. E. Bell,
Headquarters Allied Commission,
Subcommission for Monuments Fine Arts
and Archives,
R o m e .

Dear Major Bell:

With reference to your letter of February 28, 1946 (your file 20216/1/MFAA), I herewith acknowledge receipt of two boxes containing photographic archive of war damage to Italian monuments. They are at present at the American Academy in Rome and will be kept under library supervision.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

C. R. Morey

C. R. Morey
Attache for Cultural Relations

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

HEB/to

APD 394

Subcommission for Monuments Fine Arts and Archives
(Tel. 489081, ext 442 & 254)

20216/1/MFAA

28 Feb 46

SUBJECT: Photographic Archive of War Damage to
Italian Monuments .

TO : Dr. C.R. Morey, Cultural Attaché.

1. As arranged by telephone, I am forwarding to you at the American Academy two boxes containing the abovementioned photographic archive for eventual transmission to Roberts Commission in U.S.A.

2. Since I understand that you are proposing to use some of the photographs here in Rome prior to forwarding them to the U.S.A., I have not had the boxes battened down or prepared for transportation.

3. I shall be grateful if you will kindly acknowledge receipt.

H.E. HILL
Major, A.S.C.
A/Director

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

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20216/1/MFAA

30 August 1945

SUBJECT: Photographs - German Kunstschatz and Tuscan Works
of Art.

TO : G-5 Section, AFHQ.

1. Reference (a) report of this HQ, 20914/MFAA of 30 June 44 on the German Kunstschatz (MFAA Branch) in Italy, (b) para 5 of letter this HQ, 20500/MFAA of 15 Aug 45, and (c) para 2 of letter this HQ, 20216/MFAA of 19 Oct 44, herewith is forwarded in duplicate a ninth set of photographs--Series K. This group is intended to illustrate the history of the journeys of certain paintings and sculptures from museums and churches of FLORENCE during the years 1944 and 1945. The set of 50 photographs is divided into four phases as follows.

Phase I. (Photos. K. 1 - 15).

- (A) Removal in 1944 by Germans from LIOMANO (Prov. Firenze) of sculptures on deposit there from FLORENCE and the subsequent removal of this material to CAMPO TURCO (Prov. Bologna). (K. 1 - 3.) w 1773, w 1774, w 1775
- (B) Arrival at S. LEONARDO IN PABIRIA (Prov. Bolzano) in German transport of paintings from FLORENCE formerly in deposit at MONTAGNARA (Prov. Firenze). (K. 4 - 15.) w 1776, w 1777

Negatives of photos. K. 1 - 15 were made by the Photo Abteilung Kunstschatz.

Phase II. (Photos. K. 16 - 27). May 1945. Deposit of works of art at CAMPO TURCO showing:

- (A) View of Castel Neumarkt, in which deposit was located. (K. 16.) w 1778
- (B) Officers of Allied MFAA Subcommittee and of German Abteilung Kunstschatz at Deposit. (K. 17 - 19.) w 1779, w 1780
- (C) Guards of the US Fifth Army at Deposit. (K. 20 - 24.) w 1781, w 1782
- (D) Contents of Deposit. (K. 25 - 27.) w 1783, w 1784

Phase III. (Photos. K. 28 - 37). May 1945. Deposit

1. Reference (g) report of this HQ, 20914/MFAA of 30 June 44 on the German Kunstschutz (KMAA Branch) in Italy, (h) para 5 of latter this HQ, 20500/MFAA of 15 Aug 45, and (i) para 2 of latter this HQ, 20216/MFAA of 19 Oct 44, herewith is forwarded in duplicate a ninth set of photographs--Series K. This group is intended to illustrate the history of the journeys of certain paintings and sculptures from museums and churches of FLORENCE during the years 1944 and 1945. The set of 50 photographs is divided into four phases as follows.

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- (A) Removal in 1944 by Germans from DICOMANO (Prov. Firenze) of sculptures on deposit there from FLORENCE and the subsequent removal of this material to CAMPO TURES (Prov. Bolzano). (K. 1 - 3.) W 1719, 1720, 1721
- (B) Arrival at S. LEONARDO IN PASSIRIA (Prov. Bolzano) in German transport of paintings from FLORENCE formerly in deposit at MONTAGNANA (Prov. Firenze). (K. 4 - 15.) W 1722-23

Negatives of photos. K. 1 - 15 were made by the Photo Abteilung Kunstschutz. 7076

Phase II. (Photos. K. 16 - 27). May 1945. Deposit of works of art at CAMPO TURES showing:

- (A) View of Castel Neumelans, in which deposit was located. (K. 16.) W 1719
- (B) Officers of Allied MFAA Subcommission and of German Abteilung Kunstschutz at Deposit. (K. 17 - 19.) W 1715-17
- (C) Guards of the US Fifth Army at Deposit. (K. 20 - 24.) W 1718-22
- (D) Contents of Deposit. (K. 25 - 27.) W 1723-25

Phase III. (Photos. K. 28 - 37). May 1945. Deposit of works of art at S. LEONARDO IN PASSIRIA. W 1726-1735

Phase IV. (Photos. K. 38 - 50). July 1945. Return of Florentine works of art from the ALTO ADIGE to FLORENCE. W 1736-1748

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter and one set of photographs of Series K be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, LONDON,
etc. Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, WASHINGTON,
(for transmission to the Roberts Commission, Mr.
Huntington Cairns Secy.).

For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

W. S. H. H. H. H. H.

M. CARR,
Brigadier,
VP CA Sec.

1 Incl (in duplicate)--
Set of 50 photographs as
above (para 2).

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

20216/1/MFAA

10 July 1945

SUBJECT: Photographs Enclosed.

TO : G - 5 Section, AFHQ.

1. Ref. para. 2 of this HQ. letter 20216/MFAA of 19 Oct. 44, subject as above, herewith is forwarded, in duplicate, an eighth set of photographs--Series H. The group illustrates various towns in the following regions:

- I. EMILIA
- II. VENETO
- III. VENETIA TRIDENTINA

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of photographs of Series H be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, LONDON,
attn. Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, WASHINGTON,
(for transmission to the Roberts Commission, Mr.
Huntington Cairns Secy.).

For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:


G.R. UPJOHN, Brig.
VP CA Sec

Incls--
Incl. 1, 2--Two sets of 53 photographs,
detailed in Appendix "A" hereto.

APPENDIX "A" to letter H. ALCH
20216/1/10/12 or June 45.
July

List of Selected Photographs (prepared by
Monuments, Fine Arts, and Archives Subcom-
mission). - Series "H", illustrating
monuments in EMILIA, VENETO & VENETIA TRI-
ESTINA.

I. EMILIA

a. H. 1 - 2 BOLOGNA

The badly damaged Palazzo dell'Archiginnasio, showing
repairs in progress.

- H. 1. Palazzo dell'Archiginnasio; repairs in progress.
- H. 2. Palazzo dell'Archiginnasio

b. H. 3 MODENA

Damage to the south facade of the Cathedral, which was not
seriously affected.

- H. 3. Cathedral. Damage to south facade. First
aid repairs already complete.

II. VENETO

c. H. 4 - 13 PADOVA

Probably the most serious individual loss to the works of
art of Italy was the destruction by Allied air attack of the
Mantegna series of frescoes in the Eremitani Church at PADOVA.
The church itself was badly damaged, the chapel which contained
the frescoes obliterated.

- H. 4 - 7. The Eremitani Church.
- H. 8. The Baptistry of the Cathedral, badly
shaken by a near-miss. The frescoes
within are substantially intact but
require consolidation. Note protective
barricade.
- H. 9 - 13. The famous Statue of Gattamelata by
Donatello (1453) has returned to its
pedestal.

d. H. 14 - 20 VENICE

Save for the damaged Tiepolo fresco of "Anthony and Cleopatra" in the Palazzo Labia, VENICE has suffered little more than broken windows and lifted roof-tiles, caused by the explosion of a German ammunition ship in March. A special effort has been made to provide troops with the exhibitions which war conditions did not permit in FLORENCE last winter. In addition to a small exhibition of Venetian primitives, already open in the Accademia, a very interesting temporary exhibit of bronzes has been arranged in the courtyard of the Palazzo Ducale. This includes the four much-travelled Horses from S. Marco, Verrocchio's Equestrian Statue of Bartolomeo Colleoni, and the Lion of St. Mark, down from his pedestal on the water-front. At the same time demolition of air-raid protective works is progressing fast and S. Marco is already free.

- H. 14 - 19. The exhibition of bronzes in the Palazzo Ducale
- H. 20. S. Marco. The columns from S. John at Acire emerge from the covering. On the right the famous porphyry group of the four emperors, already free.

e. H. 21 - 29 VERONA

One of the most senseless and beastly acts of German destruction was the mining of the two ancient bridges of Verona, the Republican Roman Ponte della Pietra and the lovely medieval Ponte Scaligero. This was done contrary to instructions by Kesselring and after both bridges had been rendered useless for military traffic by the establishment of massive concrete road-blocks. Bomb-damage to other monuments in VERONA is extensive but less disastrous than at first feared.

- H. 21 - 23. The Ponte della Pietra. Only the medieval span remains. The concrete block can be seen in the arch of the approach-tower. In the background the Cathedral, undamaged.
- H. 24 - 27. The Ponte Scaligero and Castelvecchio, one wing of which was destroyed by bombing.
- H. 28. S. Fermo Maggiore. Extensive roof damage but little more.
- H. 29. The Library of the Cathedral Chapter. Many books were rescued.

I. H. 30 - 40 VICENZA

The most seriously damaged city is the VENEZIA both as regards individual monuments and the general complex of lesser buildings. The medieval roof of the Basilica Palladiana has been destroyed, but except for the vault of one bay of the north loggia the work of Palladio is more intact, and so is the Teatro Olimpico which had a miraculous escape.

- H. 30 - 32. Basilica Palladiana and Torre di Piazza
- H. 33. The Columns of Piazza and Palazzo del Monte di Pietà
- H. 34. The destroyed Castello with Teatro Olimpico undamaged within.
- H. 35 - 36. The shattered Cathedral
- H. 37. Palazzo Valmarana
- H. 38. Palazzo Braschi, facade two-thirds destroyed
- H. 39. Palazzo del Municipio, roofless
- H. 40. Typical Palladian street

III. VENEZIA CONTINUEDE. H. 41 - 46 TRENT

Damage both to the Cathedral and to S. Maria Maggiore, some of the Council of Trent, was happily limited and repairs are well advanced. The most serious potential loss is the 12th century church of S. Lorenzo, beside the station, which is threatened with collapse. The Castel del Buonconsiglio is virtually unharmed.

- H. 41. Cathedral
- H. 42 - 43. S. Maria Maggiore
- H. 44 - 45. S. Lorenzo
- H. 46. Palazzo Tabarelli

H. H. 47 - 53 BOLZANO

The old town, near the station, is gutted. The Cathedral, however, though a nasty wreck, can be restored as the masonry detail is in most cases preserved.

- H. 47. General view
- H. 48 - 53. The Cathedral

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CIVIL, APPEALS, FOREIGN

28 May 1965

In : O-S bottles, 1987.

1. Ref. para. 2 of this Hq. letter 22216/0314 of 19 Oct 44, subject as above, herewith is forwarded, in duplicate, a seventh set of photographs--Series C. The group illustrates various towns in the following regions:

- I. SMILEA
- II. LANTO
- III. TOSCHER
- IV. UDELLA

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with the Appendix) and one set of photographs of Seymour D. be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, London.
Attn. Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, Washington,
(for transmission to the Roberts Commission, Mr.
Harrington Quinn Berg).

Now the CHIEF COURT JUDGE

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Encl. 1, 2-Two sets each of 60 photographs,
detailed in Appendix "A" hereto.

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lack of interest the board has assumed by
deposition, the Air, and business affairs
should be on the way. Attention
should be paid to the Air, and

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This sort of photographic experimentation shows already promising results. A27-35 32246/1/ANAL of 9 Feb 45 inside by nos 6-11) and 17 Apr 45 (number 7, nos 43-60).

W657	Q. 1.	The <u>Antebellum</u>
W657	Q. 2.	<u>St. Vrain, Flooded</u>
W656	Q. 3-5	<u>the Providence</u>
W655		
W660		

6-7 ACQUAVIVA (Province of Vercelli).

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5. 0 - 9 ALPHA (number of stars).

W/196 Q. 8.
a. Plugging, stripped roof. b. concrete
slabs for structure.

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W 11-57 G. 10.

2. AREA

1. 1 - 5 AREA

This set of photographs represents views already furnished under
Letter H, AREA 10/1/1941 of 9 Feb 45 (Area 10, 100 6-10) and
17 Apr 45 (Area 10, 100 45-50).

W/657 G. 1. The Cathedral
W/657 G. 2. The Cathedral
W/656 G. 3-5 The Cathedral
W/655
W/660

AL. AREA

2. 6 - 7 AREA (Province of VENEZIA).

G. 6 - 7. The Cathedral is largely damaged by
the explosion of a German aircraft.
W/1297
W/1298

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3. 8 - 9 AREA (Province of VENEZIA).

W/1116 G. 8. The Cathedral is largely damaged.
W/1118 G. 9. The Cathedral is largely damaged.
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4. 10 AREA (Province of VENEZIA).

W/1157 G. 10. The Cathedral is largely damaged.
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5. 11-14 AREA (Province of VENEZIA).

The Cathedral is largely damaged.
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The Cathedral is largely damaged.

W/1299 G. 11. The Cathedral is largely damaged.
W/1300 G. 12. The Cathedral is largely damaged.
W/1301 G. 13. The Cathedral is largely damaged.
W/1302 G. 14. The Cathedral is largely damaged.

- Q. 15-16 San Juan (Province of San Juan).
W1203 Q. 15. Palacio de San Juan severely damaged.
W1204 Q. 16. Palacio de San Juan and medieval gateway during Latin War.
- Q. 17-20 San Juan (Province of San Juan).
W1251 Q. 17-18. San Juan's Villa. The majority of damage to the villa is very slight.
W1252 Q. 19-20. San Juan's Villa. The lateral wing destroyed (repair well advanced) and minor damage to the tower of the upper garden. Will have no permanent consequence to the major features of the villa.
W1253 Q. 21-22. San Juan's Villa.
W1254 Q. 23. San Juan's Villa.
W1255 Q. 24. San Juan's Villa.
- Q. 25-28 San Juan (Province of San Juan).
W1305 Q. 25-26. The San Juan's Villa.
W1306 Q. 27. San Juan's Villa.
W1307 Q. 28-29. San Juan's Villa.
W1308 Q. 30-31. San Juan's Villa.
- Q. 32-35 San Juan (Province of San Juan).
W1312 Q. 32. The San Juan's Villa.
W1313 Q. 33. San Juan's Villa.
W1314 Q. 34. San Juan's Villa.
W1315 Q. 35. San Juan's Villa.
W1316 Q. 36. San Juan's Villa.
W1317 Q. 37. San Juan's Villa.
- Q. 38-41 San Juan (Province of San Juan).
W1318 Q. 38. San Juan's Villa.
W1319 Q. 39. San Juan's Villa.
W1320 Q. 40. San Juan's Villa.
W1321 Q. 41. San Juan's Villa.

1. G. 15-17 YALUEN (Province of HAILU).

This town was briefly seized in the battle for Hailu. The subject mentioned however, the Collapsing and the Palace, however, can both be seen there.

W1265-1266 G. 25-26. The Collapsing Palace.
W1267 G. 27. Collapsing Palace.
W1268-1269 G. 28-29. General view.

2. G. 30-37 YALUEN (Province of HAILU).

An attractive and terribly battered city. The houses include not only some of the major monuments but many of the characteristic smaller buildings.

W1310 G. 30. The Collapsing Palace.
W1311, W1312, W1313 G. 31-33. Collapsing Palace.
W1314 G. 34. Collapsing Palace.
W1315 G. 35. Collapsing Palace.
W1316 G. 36. Collapsing Palace.
W1317 G. 37. Collapsing Palace.

3. G. 38-43 YALUEN (Province of HAILU).

Main set of photographs supplies views along formation under latter W1318-1319 of 19 Oct 41 (Section A, 20-21).

W1317 G. 38. Collapsing Palace (after partial demolition). 7068
W1318 G. 39. Collapsing Palace.
W1319 G. 40. Collapsing Palace.
W1320 G. 41. Collapsing Palace.
W1321 G. 42. Collapsing Palace.
W1322 G. 43. Collapsing Palace.

III. YALUEN

4. G. 44-45 YALUEN (Province of HAILU).

W1271, W1272 G. 44-45. Abbey of St. Salvator.

5. G. 46 YALUEN (Province of HAILU).

W1249

G. 46. Collapsing, near Hailu, continuation of formation.

6. G. 47-49 YALUEN (Province of HAILU).

W1272

W1273 G. 47-49. Collapsing Palace.

W1277, W1278 G. 49-50. Collapsing Palace.

7. G. 51 YALUEN (Province of HAILU).

W1276 G. 51. The Collapsing Palace.

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1. G. 70-71 ELI (Province of VIETNAM).

W1276 G. 70. La
W1275 G. 71. La

2. G. 70-71 ELI (Province of VIETNAM).

The damage in this town is much less than most reports have suggested. If the town only the upper part of the town has been hit at all seriously damaged.

W1277 G. 70-71. General view, showing the town and damage to the
W1278 G. 71. La
W1279 G. 71. La

W1280 G. 71. La
W1281 G. 71. La
W1282 G. 71. La
W1283 G. 71. La
W1284 G. 71. La

W1285 G. 71. La
W1286 G. 71. La
W1287 G. 71. La
W1288 G. 71. La
W1289 G. 71. La

3. G. 70-71 ELI (Province of VIETNAM).

W1290 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1291 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1292 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1293 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1294 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously

W1295 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously

4. G. 70-71 ELI (Province of VIETNAM).

This town and town were the only two seriously damaged towns in the
At present no major monuments were destroyed, though several were damaged.

W1296 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1297 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1298 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1299 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1300 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously

W1301 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1302 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1303 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1304 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously
W1305 G. 70-71. The damage in this town is seriously

15 May

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MINISTRIAL PRINTS OF
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

17 April 1945

20216/1/MFAA

Subject: Photographs Enclosed.

To : G-5 Section, AFHQ.

1. Ref. para. 2 of this HQ. letter 20216/MFAA of 19 Oct 44, subject as above, herewith is forwarded, in duplicate, a sixth set of photographs--Series F. The group illustrates various towns in THE MARCHES and EMILIA, as follows:

- a. REGGONA
- b. FANO
- c. FORLI'
- d. GRADARA
- e. RAVENNA (supplementing Series E)
- f. RIMINI (supplementing Series E)
- g. SAVIGNANO

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of photographs of Series F be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, London, London,
attn. Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, Washington,
(for transmission to the Roberts Commission, Mr.
Huntington Cairns Secy.).

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For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

W.A.S. Dollard, Major

SS for G.R. UPJOHN, Brig.
Vr GA 560

Incls--
Incl. 1, 2--Two sets each of 72
photographs, detailed in
Appendix "A" hereto.

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- W 1 P. 1. The La Milla, typical of design in the photographs
narrow streets of the old town.
- W 119 P. 2. The Plaza del Alhambra, the only part of the old
city to escape lightly. One wing of the Palace
degl' Andalusi is badly damaged.
- W 117 P. 3. Palace of Comares. Set back internally but the facade
(A.D. 1364, with traces of earlier work) is intact.
- W 117 P. 4. Palace del Partido (13th century), showing first-hand
barbarism in position. The interior (gutted) was of
no importance.
- W 114, W 115, W 116 P. 5 - 9. The Cathedral, A. Giraldo. The first sculptural col-
lections buried in the crypt have recently been
recovered, somewhat damaged.
- W 112, W 113 P. 10-12. Alhambra. First aid repairs to this church, to provide
for local requirements for worship, and newly complete.
- W 114, W 115, W 116 P. 13-24. The Alhambra Palace of the Lions. The restoration was
aggravated by the collapse, across the minaret-building,
of the campanile of J. Perdomo. A small room at the
base of this campanile had been used as a safe-deposit
for the finest items of the museum-collectors and some
objects from the cathedral. The photographs show the
final restoration of this deposit, which was found to
have suffered little irreparable damage. The surviving
parts of the Museum have been re-erected to afford storage
for books, antiquities, and archives recovered from the
wreckage.

P. 25 - 39 Alhambra

The entire war-damage to this attractive town was caused by the
sinking of seven campanili, which in varying degrees damaged the
buildings upon which they fell.

- W 1109, W 1099 P. 25-26. Palace of the Lions (A.D. 1299). The destroyed
"Torre Realpala" was a rather empty work by
Vasquez (A.D. 1739). The intention is eventually to
restore the facade to its medieval form.
- W 1098, W 1099 P. 27-30. The Cathedral. The destroyed campanile was an early
medieval circular brick structure with hexagonal Gothic
lantern.
- W 1094, W 1093, W 1092 P. 31-33. Alhambra. Built over the remains of a Roman structure,
reported to be the basilica of Vitruvius.
- W 1091, W 1090, W 1089 P. 34-36. Alhambra. The campanile was modern.
For the destroyed campanile see Italia
Artistic No. 106, Papa e Camerlino, Bergamo 1931 p. 71.
- W 1087, W 1086 P. 38-39. Alhambra.
- W 1088, W 1084 P. 40-41. Alhambra. The magnificent Campanile (A.D. 1170-80)
was prepared by the Germans for demolition, but was
for some reason never blown. Substantial damage is
limited to the west door with its 13th century sculpture
of figures (absent and cracked, first-hand repairs
already complete) and to the attractive but heavily
restored open cloister adjacent.

P. 40 - 45 Alhambra

- W1083 P. 42. Cathedral. The campanile (A.D. 1173-80), mined and partially destroyed.
- W1082 P. 43-44. Destroyed clock-tower of the Palazzo del Governatore, a medieval campanile, modified and enlarged in 1822. In falling it demolished the late 15th century Concattedrale.
- W1090 P. 45. The site of St. Maria, reduced to rubble by German shell fire and since cleared. The Mausoleo Francesco are a total loss, but the fragments of the tomb of Barbara Manfredi (A.D. 1466) have been recovered.

2. P. 46 - 48 SALEMA (near PRATO)

- W1079 P. 46-48. The Medietate Castle at Oradea, together with the adjacent circuit of town-walls, the finest not of late-medieval fortifications in the Marche, suffered heavy, but mainly superficial, damage from shell fire, all of it repairable. The castle itself, heavily rectified 1920-24, has since been restored authentic.

2. P. 49 - 60 SAVERNA

This set of photographs supplements those already forwarded under letter No. ALON, 20216/1/WND of 9 Feb 45. The remaining freedom from serious damage, despite many very near misses by bombs and in one case repeated artillery hits, can be attributed to excellent building and the resilient quality of the brick-work (already illustrated at SALEMA, 10079, and elsewhere). The protective blinding of windows (see photos 54 and 60) proved invaluable in limiting blast-effect.

- W1076, W1075, W1074 P. 49-51. St. Apollinare Nuovo had a miraculous escape from serious damage. The roof has already been repaired, and a careful check-over of the mosaic reveals no damage.
- W1073, W1072 P. 52-53. St. Apollinare in Classe received a number of shell-hits, which did only very minor damage to the apse-mosaic and to the sculptures within. The nave-roof is already repaired and work is in progress on the transepts.
- W1071, W1070 P. 54-55. St. Giovanni Evangelista, built by Galla Placidia early in the 5th century (since much restored). The 14th century frescoes in the lateral chapels are now protected, and the wall between mosaic panels have been recovered.
- W1069, W1068, P. 56-57. Monastery of Theodoros, at present flooded as a result of the general flooding of the area. Water has also invaded St. Vitale. The Mausoleo received some damage from two very near misses.
- W1067, W1066 P. 58-59. Archaeological Museum. With careful clearance the total loss should be slight.
- W1065 P. 60. Orto dei Santi, quite unamaged (except for roof, already repaired) despite the near miss shown in photograph.

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adjacent circuit of towers, the finest set of late-medieval fortifications in the Marches, suffered heavy, but mainly superficial, damage from shell fire, all of it repaired. The castle itself, heavily restored 1930-24, has since been rendered earthquakeproof.

2. P. 49 - 60 ANZURE

This set of photographs supplements those already forwarded under letter No. A1034, 20216/1/1001 of 7 Feb 45. The remaining frescoes from various damage, despite many very near misses by bombs and in one case rejected artillery hits, can be attributed to excellent building and the resilient quality of the brickwork (already illustrated at GILGARA, 50100, and elsewhere). The protective blocking of windows (see Photos 54 and 60) proved invaluable in limiting blast-effect.

W1074, W1075, W1079 P. 49-51. San Esteban Negro had a miraculous escape from serious damage. The roof has already been repaired, and a careful check-over of the mosaic reveals no damage.

W1073, W1072, P. 52-53. San Apollinare in Classe received a number of shell-hits, which did only very minor damage to the apse-mosaic and to the sculptures within. The nave-roof is already repaired and work is in progress on the transept.

W1071, W1070 P. 54-55. San Giovanni Evangelista, built by Galla Placidia early in the 5th century (since much restored). The 14th century frescoes in the lateral chapel are now protected, and the wall between mosaic panels have been recovered.

W1069, W1068, P. 56-57. Mausoleum of Theodorich at present flooded as a result of the general flooding of the area. Water has also invaded San Vitale. The Mausoleum received some damage from two very near misses.

W1067, W1067A, P. 58-59. Archaeological Museum. With careful clearance the total loss should be slight.

W1066 P. 60. Orthodox Synagogue, which was damaged (except for roof, already repaired) despite the near miss shown in photograph.

3. P. 61 - 71 RAVENNA

This set of photographs supplements those already forwarded under letter cited in 2. above.

W1065, W1064, P. 61-62. Arch of Augustus. The north pier has settled as a result of near-misses and subsequent fire-bombing. It has been securely braced.

W1063, W1062, P. 63-64. Basilica Massimiana (A. P. Antonian), illustration:

W1061, W1060, W1059, W1058, W1057, a. Work of clearance completed (Photo 63)
b. Restorative masonry of sculptured pilasters (Photo 64)
c. Outward settlement of facade, with resulting structural cracks along the flanks (Photos 65-68)

W1056, P. 70. Mausoleum in the former cloister of San Francesco, very severely damaged.

W1055, P. 71. Palazzo Comunale, A.D. 1610, which houses an important library and archive.

2. 72 AVIATION

1054 3. 72. The destroyed Japan bridge over the River Indoan. This was the scene of heavy fighting and the Pelladion Villa di Bagno (an interesting, but not very successful example of the style) suffered heavily.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
OOB 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

20216/4/1000

2 February 1945

Subject: Photographs Enclosed.

Re : O-5 Section, AMB.

1. Ref. para. 2 of this H. Letter 20216/4/1000 of 19 Oct 44 subject as above, herewith is forwarded, in duplicate, a fifth set of photographs--enclosed. The subjects of the 27 prints forming the group are detailed in Appendix 'A' hereto. The group illustrates

- 1. the Temple Melancholia at ALBANI,
- 2. the monuments of ALVANI,
- 3. assorted monuments in ALBI and Central Italy.

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of photographs of ALBANI be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, London, attn.
Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, Washington,
(for transmission to the Roberts Commission,
Mr. Huntington Cairns Secy.).

For the CHIEF COMMISSION

W. G. S. D. Holland, Esq.

for G. L. WILSON, Esq.
VP CA Sec
D. C. C. Sec

Encls--

Encl. 1, 3--two sets each of 27 photographs,
detailed in Appendix 'A' hereto.

ATTACHED to Letter H, ALGER
2011/1/27/2011 of 2 Feb 45

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List of Selected Photographs (assembled by HANSEN)

These arts, and Artillery (assembled by HANSEN)

(Illustrations submitted at ALGER, ALGERIA, and various

sites in Central Italy)

2. 1 - 5 ALGER, Tunisia Malatesta, Five photographs illustrating condition in Dec 44. Notes:

1. W 475
2. W 476
3. W 477
4. W 478
5. W 479

- (1) Protective masonry covering sculptural detail.
- (2) Severe vertical structural crack caused by the bodily outward movement of the facade. There appears to be no immediate fear of further movement.

- (3) Absence of temporary roof. In view of probable weakening of walls this condition is deliberate.

For detailed report on this monument see (a) report of AREA OFFICER, ALGER, 8 Army, 04/132 of 25 Sep 44, forwarded to LAMON and WASHINGTON under letter H, 100 20500/2011 of 21 Oct 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II, 2. (1), and (b) that of Prof. R. Lavignani dated 11 Nov 44, forwarded to LAMON and WASHINGTON under letter H, 100 20500/2011 of 27 Dec 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II, 2. (1).b.

2. 6 - 10 ALGERIA

6. W 484
7. W 485
8. W 486
9. W 487
10. W 488
11. W 489
12. W 490

2. 6 - 8 U. Apollinaire in Glass
2. 9 Damaged cloister of Museo Nazionale, adjacent to S. Vitale
2. 10 Arian Baptistery undamaged by war miles
2. 11-17 S. Giovanni Evangelista
2. 18 S. Francesco

For detailed reports see (a) 04/132 of 6 Dec 44, transmitted to LAMON and WASHINGTON under letter H, 100 20500/2011 of 27 Dec 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II, 2. (10), and (b) 04/132 of 18 Dec 44, transmitted to LAMON and WASHINGTON under letter H, 100 20500/2011 of 2 Feb 45, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II, 2. (2).

13. W 572
14. W 573
15. W 574
16. W 575
17. W 576
18. W 577

2. 19-27 Various sites in central Italy

19. 19-20 Towers on the Via Latina, outside Rome, damaged by artillery fire. See report 100 20500/2011 of 9 Oct 44, forwarded to LAMON and WASHINGTON under letter H, 100 20500/2011 of 21 Oct 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II, 2. (6).
20. 20-21 Various sites in central Italy
21. 21-22 Various sites in central Italy
22. 22-23 Various sites in central Italy

Notes in Central Italy.

Re. 1 - 5 APRIL, Turin, Italy. Five photographs illustrating condition in Dec 44. Notes

1. W475
2. W477
3. W478
4. W479
5. W480

(1) Protective masonry covering sculptural detail.
(2) Severe vertical structural cracks caused by the heftily external movement of the facade. There appears to be no immediate fear of further movement.

(5) Absence of masonry roof. In view of probable weakening of walls this condition is deliberate.

For detailed report on this monument see (a) report of SPA officers, AM, 8 Army, 04/132 of 25 Dec 44, forwarded to LHM and HADJINIS under letter H. 100 20500/SPA of 21 Oct 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II. B. (1), and (b) that of Prof. R. Langgins dated 11 Nov 44, forwarded to LHM and HADJINIS under letter H. 100 20500/SPA of 27 Dec 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II. B. (1).b.

Re. 6 - 10. SAVONA

6. W484
7. W485
8. W486
9. W487
10. W488
11. W489
12. W490

Re. 6 - 8 S. Apollinare in Classe
Re. 9 Damaged cloister of Museo Nazionale, adjacent to S. Vitale
Re. 10 Arian Baptistery undamaged by war when
Re. 11-17 S. Giovanni Evangelista
Re. 18 S. Francesco

For detailed reports see (a) 04/132 of 6 Dec 44, transmitted to LHM and HADJINIS under letter H. 100 20500/SPA of 27 Dec 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II. B. (10), and (b) 04/132 of 18 Dec 44, transmitted to LHM and HADJINIS under letter H. 100 20500/SPA of 2 Feb 45, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II. B. (2).

13. W541
14. W542
15. W543
16. W544
17. W545
18. W546

Re. 19-27. Various sites in central Italy.

19. W450
20. W451
21. W452
22. W453
23. W454
24. W455
25. W456
26. W457
27. W458

Re. 19-20 Tombs on the Via Latina, outside Rome, damaged by artillery fire. See report AM/SPA of 9 Oct 44, forwarded to LHM and HADJINIS under letter H. 100 20500/SPA of 21 Oct 44, listed in App. "A" thereto as item II. B. (6).
Re. 21 Michelangelo's Tomb in S. Pietro in Vincoli, Rome, the removal of its protective covering.
Re. 22 Proconnesos, near the S. Angelo, raised by German mine. It contained a small private theatre of A.D. 1698, which was utterly destroyed.
Re. 23 Castel di Stabia. The cathedral escaped remarkably intact.
Re. 24-26 Palestrina. See photographs already forwarded as Series A, nos. 1-5 (Ref. II. A. 101, 10216/SPA of 19 Oct 44).
Re. 27 Epomeo, Church of S. Stefano.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APC 394

CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

6/1/MPAA

20 December 1944

Subject: Photographs Enclosed.

To : C-5 Section, AFHQ.

1. Ref. para. 2, my 20216/MPAA of 19 Oct 44, subject as above, there is forwarded herewith, in duplicate, a fourth set of photographs--Series D. The subjects of the forty-eight (48) prints forming the group are detailed in Appendix "A" hereto. The group illustrates the progress of works of repair to monuments in NAPLES, BENEVENTO, and POMPEII. The repairs at NAPLES and on the Cathedral of BENEVENTO are dealt with in a recent printed report (Per il Monumenti d'arte danneggiati dalle guerre nella Campania) by Major P. Carder and Dr. B. Molajoli. This report was transmitted to AFHQ (for London and Washington) under letter, this Section, 20500/MPAA of 21 Oct 44 (listed in Sect. II. A.(2) of Appendix "A" thereto).

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of photographs of Series D be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, London, ettn.
Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, Washington,
(for transmission to the Roberts Commission, 1003
Mr. Huntington Cairns Secy).

3. An additional copy of Appendix "A" is enclosed for AFHQ files.

For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

W G S Holland, Major

for O.S. PARKINSON, Brig.
A/VP CA Sec
A/D.C.O.S.

1. Ref. para. 2. by 20216/WFAA of 17 Oct 44, subject as above, there is forwarded herewith, in duplicate, a fourth set of photographs--Series D. The subjects of the forty-eight (48) prints forming the group are detailed in Appendix "A" hereto. The group illustrates the progress of works of repair to monuments in NAPLES, BENEVENTO, and POMPEII. The repairs at NAPLES and on the Cathedral of BENEVENTO are dealt with in a recent printed report (Parli Monumenti d'Arte Antica della Valle Giulia Campanica) by Major P. Gardner and Dr. B. Molajoli. This report was transmitted to AFHQ (for London and Washington) under letter, this Section, 20500/WFAA of 21 Oct 44 (listed in Sect. II. A.(2) of Appendix "A" thereto).

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of photographs of Series D be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, London, attn.
Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, Washington,
(for transmission to the Roberts Commission, 1000)
Mr. Huntington Cairns Secy).

3. An additional copy of Appendix "A" is enclosed for AFHQ files.

For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

W.G. S. Dillard, Major

for C.S. PARKINGTON, Brig.
A/VP CA Sec
A/D.C.O.S.

Incls--

Incl. 1, 2--Two sets each of 48 photographs,
detailed in Appendix "A" hereto.
Incl. 3-- Extra copy of Appendix "A".

APPENDIX A to letter No. 415M
 10/15/1944 of 24 Dec 44

List of Selected Photographs (prepared by Monuments, Fine
 Arts, and Archives Subcommission). - Series "P" (illustrating
 progress of work of repair at NAPLES, BENEVENTO, and PESTUM).

NAPLES (Province of Naples)

Repairs to damaged monuments. Set of photographs illustrating condition
 of repairs in November 1944. See P. Gardner and B. Mala Joli, Fig. 1
Appunti d'arte danneggiati dalla guerra nella Campania (Naples 1944)

Negatives by Capt. A. H. Penneyer Nov. 44.

- W 131-2 D. 1-2 Church of the Corleonesi. Provisional repairs to cupola complete.
- W 131-3 D. 3-4 Church of St. Annunziata. Repairs to the damaged Varricelli dome
 in progress.
- W 131-4 D. 5-6 Church of St. Pietro Martire. Provisional repairs complete involving
 the complete re-roofing of the nave.
- W 131-5 D. 7-10 Church of St. Paolo Maggiore. Repairs in progress to the apse which
 received a direct hit, causing heavy blast damage. The Sallustiana
 fresco in the adjacent sacristy, though cracked, had a fortunate
 escape from serious damage.
- W 131-6 D. 11-16 Church of St. Eligio, one of the oldest Gothic churches (A.D. 1270),
 completely altered internally. Scaffolding revealed the earlier
 structure beneath the baroque ornament, and it will probably be
 restored eventually in its original form. Provisional repairs
 in progress.
- W 131-7 D. 17-26 Church of St. Rita Chiara. Clearance of the tomb of Robert of Anjou and
 repairs to Santa Giustina. The vaulting of the latter has had to
 be dismantled and reassembled. Within the main church the Gothic
 structure has reemerged from its baroque covering.
- W 131-8 D. 27-28 Church of St. Giovanni a Carbonara. The nave has been completely re-
 roofed and recently in part re-tiled. In the Chapel of Santa
 Monica it was found more practicable to restore the original vaulting
 than to attempt provisional repairs.
- W 131-9 D. 29 Church of St. Lorenzo Maggiore. The nave was undergoing retransformation
 before the war into its original Gothic form. The weakening of
 the lateral walls has not a very complex problem of buttressing.
- W 131-10 D. 30 The Cathedral. Repairs to roof and to the great gilded wooden ceiling.
- W 131-11 D. 31 Church of San Spirito Santo. Repairs to nave roof.
- W 131-12 D. 32 Church of Sansepolcro. Condition of Pignatelli chapel. Brick
 supporting structure completed.
- W 131-13 D. 33 Church of San' Angelo. Provisional repairs to the north transept.
- W 131-14 D. 34 The Fine Arts staff at Naples who have been mainly responsible for the
 work of repairs. Left to right: Dr. Bruno Mala Joli, Superintendent
 of Galleries, Major Paul Gardner, Regional Monuments & Fine Arts
 Officer, Dott. Giorgio Rossi, Superintendent of Monuments, Prof.
 Giorgio Ortolani, Director of Galleries.

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BRIVATO (Province of Benevento)

W40W96 D. 35-41 The Cathedral showing work of clearance & spliced and consolidation of the damaged facade. The campanile is untouched. The badly damaged Sacristy Confraternity stands against the column to the right of the sanctuary steps.

Negatives by Capt. A.C. Penneyer Nov 44.

W32W34 D. 43-44 The Lyceum Varvittelli and devastated zone adjacent. The work of restoration has been done in a matching brick. The bridge had already been once widened since the 18th century.

Negatives by Major J.F. Lord Perkins June 44.

NOAPOLI (Province of Naples)

W214W215 Repairs to houses damaged by air-bombardment shortly after the Salerno landings.

W216W217

- D. 45-47 House of the Vettii, damaged peristyle.
- D. 48 House of Epifanio Surian, damaged atrium.

Negatives by Capt. A.C. Penneyer Nov 44.

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APR 394

CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

20216/A/223

11 November 1944

Subject: Photographs Submitted.

To : 2-5 Section, AFM.

1. Ref. para. 2, my 20216/AFM of 19 Oct 44, subject as above, there is forwarded herewith, in duplicate, a third set of photographs--~~including~~ the subjects of the thirteen (13) prints forming the group are detailed in Appendix "A" hereto. The group illustrates some of the organized aspects of work of Art around P.O. 22378, which have recently been the subject of a report by the Director of the Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives Commission. This report (20206/AFM of 3 Oct 44) was transmitted to AFM under my 20206/AFM of 6 Oct 44.

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of photographs of Article 2 be sent to each of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, London, AFM.
Advisor on Monuments and Fine Arts.

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, Washington, D.C.
(For transmission to the Roberts Commission,
Mr. Huntington Cairns Secretary.)

3. An additional copy of Appendix "A" is enclosed for AFM files.

Per the CIVIL COMMISSION:

W. A. S. D. Clark, Major

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3 Incls--

Incl. 1, 2--Two sets each of 13 photographs, detailed in Appendix "A" hereto.
Incl. 3-- Letter copy of Appendix "A"

APPENDIX "A" to letter HQ, ALCOA
29216/1/MPAA of 11 Dec 1944

List of Selected Photographs (prepared by
Monuments, Fine Arts, and Archives Sub-
commission). - Series "A" (Illustrative
deposits of works of art in the neigh-
borhood of FLORENCE).

- C. 1 MONTAGUPOLO, Prov. Florence. The Villa of Sir Osbert
Sitwell, repository for works of art from Florence.
- C. 2 MONTAGUPOLO, Prov. Florence. Deposit of pictures at
Montegufoni; the Primavera of Botticelli.
- C. 3 MONTAGUPOLO, Prov. Florence. The Giotto Madonna.
- C. 4 MONTAGUPOLO, Prov. Florence. Pope by Lorenzo di Nicolo
Santo Lorenzo by Zenobia Strassi. Annunciation,
School Filippo Lippi.
- C. 5 MONTAGUPOLO, Prov. Florence. Pictures stored in the
living-room.
- C. 6 MONTAGUPOLO, Prov. Florence. Pictures, including Sebastiano
Mainardi's "St. Stephen, James, and Peter"
stored in the living-room.
- C. 7 MONTAGUPOLO, Prov. Florence. Italian experts checking
the pictures: Prof. E. Lavagnino, Inspector for Gal-
leries (holding trinity); Prof. Gaetano (right);
and Prof. Fusco (centre, with glasses) who walked
out from Florence to look after the pictures during
the fighting. 1050
- C. 8 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Corner of Villa Guicciardini,
damaged by shell-fire above ground-floor room where
paintings were stored.
- C. 9 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Vestibule of the Castle used
as quarters for Austro-Hungarian guards.
- C. 10 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Deposit in Castle of pictures
from Galleries of Florence: checking of contents
in progress.
- C. 11 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Villa Guicciardini, the visi-

- C. 1 MONTESUPONZI, Prov. Florence. The Villa of Mr Osbert Mitwell, repository for works of art from Florence.
- C2 2 MONTESUPONZI, Prov. Florence. Deposit of pictures at Montesuponi; the Primavera of Botticelli.
- C. 3 MONTESUPONZI, Prov. Florence. The Giotto Madonna.
- C. 4 MONTESUPONZI, Prov. Florence. Pope by Lorenzo di Nicolo Santa Lorenzo by Zenobia Strombi. Annunciation, School Filippo Lippi.
- C. 5 MONTESUPONZI, Prov. Florence. Pictures stored in the living-room.
- C. 6 MONTESUPONZI, Prov. Florence. Pictures, including Sebastiano Malinardi's "St. Stephen, James, and Peter" stored in the living-room.
- C. 7 MONTESUPONZI, Prov. Florence. Italian experts checking the pictures: Prof. E. Lavagnino, Inspector for Galleries (holding triptych); Prof. Gaetano (right); and Prof. Vasola (centre, with glasses) who walked out from Florence to look after the pictures during the fighting.
- C. 8 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Corner of Villa Guicciardini, damaged by shell-fire above ground-floor room where paintings were stored.
- C. 9 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Vestibule of the Castle used as quarters for Australian guards.
- C. 10 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Deposit in Castle of pictures from Galleries of Florence; checking of contents in progress.
- C. 11 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Villa Guicciardini, the Visitation by Postorno; showing surface damaged by trampling.
- C. 12 POPPIANO, Prov. Florence. Moving packed pictures from Castle back to the Accademia Florence.
- C. 13 CASTEL OLIVETO, Prov. Florence. Moving church panel paintings back to the Accademia, Florence.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

20216/MYAA

25 October 1944

Subject: Photographs enclosed.
To : C-5 Section, AFHQ.

Received by 1

1. Ref. para. 2, my 20216/MYAA of 19 Oct 44, subject as above, forwarded herewith, in duplicate, is a second set of photographs--Series B. The subjects of the eighteen (18) prints forming the group are detailed in Appendix "A" hereto.

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of the photographs of Series B be sent to each of the following:-

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, LONDON, with.
Advisor on Monuments & Fine Arts

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, WASHINGTON,
for transmission to the Roberts Commission (Mr. H. Cairns Recy).

3. An additional copy of Appendix "A" is enclosed for AFHQ files.

For the ACTING CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

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Signed by *[Signature]*
C.R. UPJOHN, Brigadier.
Vp CA Sec.
Dep. C. of C.

1. Ref. para. 2, of 20216/AFSA of 19 Oct 44, subject as above, forwarded herewith, in duplicate, is a second set of photographs--Series B. The subjects of the eighteen (18) prints forming the group are detailed in Appendix "A" hereto.

2. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its Appendix) and one set of the photographs of Series B be sent to each of the following:-

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, LONDON, etcn.
Advisor on Monuments & Fine Arts

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, WASHINGTON,
for transmission to the Roberts Commission (Mr. H.
Cairns Secy).

3. An additional copy of Appendix "A" is enclosed for AFHQ files.

FOR THE ACTING CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

Signed by [Signature]
G. R. UPJOHN, Brigadier.
VP GA Sec.
Dep. C. of S.

3 Incls--

Incl 1, 2--Two sets each of 18 photographs, detailed
in Appendix "A" hereto
Incl 3--Extra copy of Appendix "A"

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Appendix "B" to letter, HQ, AGO,
20216/AFSA of 25 October 1944. -

List of Selected Photographs (Prepared by

Moncenisio, Fine Arts and Archives Sub-

Commission). - Series "B"

- B. 1 FLORENCE, Prov. Florence. Looking north across the Arno immediately below Ponte Vecchio.
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Adm. Com., AOC (copy to 0-5, AWC) under cover-letter of 21 Aug 45,
Colonel Henry G. Herbert, Special Representative on IFA of the War
Department, referred to the inquiries attended by the War Department
in connection with receiving an advance photograph of our design
to construct an Italy and family-projects there. It is believed
that a similar opinion is held by the Advisor on Investigation and Plans
as to the Civil Affairs Branch of the War Office, London.

2. For that the lack of copies which will possibly be
prevented the IFA recommendation from producing such a photograph
as to being included, it is possible to investigate the
submission of particular selected groups from the central record
which is being compiled by the IFA, Washington. The first of
these groups of photographs is forwarded herewith, in duplicate.
Appendix "A" hereto details the 16 pictures which form the present
group--series A; subsequent groups will be designated by the successive
letters of the alphabet.

3. It is requested that a copy of the present letter (with its
Appendix) and one set of the photographs of Appendix A be sent to each
of the following:

Civil Affairs Branch, War Office, London, attn. Advice
on Photographs & Film Arts

Civil Affairs Division, War Department, Washington, for
transmission to the Roberts Commission (Mr. H. Quinn Tamm, Secy.)

4. ^{Additional} copy of Appendix "A" is now used for still films.

W. G. S. Dillard, Major

For the ACTING CHIEF COMMISSIONER

for G. H. HARRIS, Brigadier
General, USA, Secy.
Army, U. S. A.

5. Serials--

Serial 1, 2--Two sets each of 16 photographs, detailed
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20216/MPAA of 19 October 1944.

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Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives Sub-
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