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DIVISION OF MONUMENTS, FINE ARTS & ARCHIVES
LOMBARDIA REGION
APO 394

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23 August 1945

Subject: Propaganda Publications on Damage to
Italian Monuments.

To: Director, Subcommittee for Monuments,
Fine Arts and Archives.

1. In compliance with your request of
8 August 1945 (20369/MCC/MFAA) six copies each
of the following of the Le Pietre Parleranno
series is being sent you by official mail:

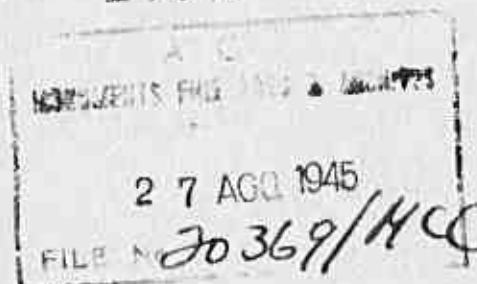
- a. I "Liberatori" su Bologna.
Milano, 1944.
- b. I "Liberatori" su Parma.
Milano, 1945.
- c. I "Liberatori" su Milano.
Milano, 1945.

2. The other publications mentioned in
your request are not available in Milano, but
will be acquired if found in any other city.

William D. McCain
William D. McCain
Capt., CAC
Regional Archivist,
Lombardia Region.

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*Capt McC will be here about
as soon as the books.*



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8 Aug 45

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FROM: Lt. Col. J.B. WARD PERKINS, R.A.

Dear

Listed hereunder are six propaganda publications produced in N-Italy in 1944 documenting damage to monuments through Allied air-raid action. I am wondering whether you ~~get~~^{can} round up copies of any or all. If they can be secured gratuitously we could use up to six copies; if only through purchase, please notify prices if they appear exorbitant. The first-named pamphlet was produced in VENICE and Perry was the first to let us know about; the others are mostly Milanese products. Please do your best.

Yours

W.D. McCain

Capt. W.D. McCain
Archives Officer
LOMBARDIA Reg.

"Distruzioni del patrimonio Storico-Artistico Italiano"
"La guerra contro l'arte"
"Le pietre parleranno" - "I 'liberatori' su TREVISO"
" " " " BOLOGNA"
" " " " MILANO"
" " " " PADOVA"

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3 August 1945

FROM: Major H.E. BELL, A.E.C.

Dear McCain,

I've talked to the Transportation people here to-day about the possibility of using the Verona - Ostiglia - Rome line.

They need to know approximate total tonnage, estimated weekly tonnage and points at which it is desired to effect loading - details that we can't supply until after the Commissioners have met at Milan.

But meantime it would perhaps be a good idea if you got in touch with your opposite number in Transportation there, and warned him that his advice will be required when the Commissioners arrive and get down to it.

I'm told that Major Talbot or Major Constable would be the man to see.

I hope all's well with you. Your last newspaper-cutting is wonderful: personnel problems now one a day.

Yours ever,

H.E.B.

Captain W.D. McCain
Archives Officer,
Lombardia Region, AMG

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25 June 1945

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From: Lt. Col. HERBERT T. DE WARD, Spec. Res.

Dear

I hope the new comment I've just added to your release file (copy attached) will do the trick.

Getting back into harness again after my long trip to the north I'm girding myself to tackle the mass of valuable reports sent down by MPAA LOMBARDIA (Archives).

Mr. Jenkinson is due today and, probably spurred by Bell, will no doubt be calling on you soon.

Yours

Herbert T. De Ward

Capt. William D. McGain
MPAA (Archives) Officer
LOMBARDIA Region

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14 May 1945

FROM: Lt.Col. ERNEST T. DE WALD, Spec. Res.

Dear

Here's a copy of the Tribuna del Popolo with an article by Re on the archives of the Fascist Gerarchs, procured after Re himself had arrived with a copy for S/C files. I thought it might interest you. Another goes to Brooke and to Bell, whom I've advised to expect before long a visit from Re (and possibly other Italian archives experts) and from de Gregori, Inspector General for Libraries. No doubt they may well come into your area also.

We shall be glad to hear of your doings.

Yours

E. T. De Wald

Capt. William D. MCCAIN
Archives Officer
AMG, LOMBARDIA Reg.

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