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ALLIED COMMISSION FOR AUSTRIA
(British Element)

29 OCT. 1945

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25 Oct 45

Subject:- Albanian Trophies reported to be in Austria.

To:- Civil Affairs Section,
H.Q. Allied Commission for Italy,
A.P.O.394.

Ref. your 20904/4/MFAA dated 28 July 45.

1. Information has now been received from the Austrian Ministry of Education that the helmet and sword of the Albanian hero, Skanderbeg, belonging to the Kunsthistorisches Museum in Vienna, have been received by that Museum and are now stored by them, along with the rest of their collections.

J.W. Goodison W/Cdr.

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Wing Commander, RAF,
Controller,
MFA & A Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS U. S. FORCES IN AUSTRIA
REPARATION, DELIVERIES AND RESTITUTION DIVISION
Monuments and Fine Arts Branch

(Adv)-APO 777
6 October 1945

23 OTT 1945

SUBJECT: Albanian Trophies of Skanderbeg.

TO : HQ Allied Commission, VP, CA Section,
APO 394
ATTENTION: Director MFA & A

Reference request of CA Section, 20904/4/MFAA, of July 28 45, concerning the whereabouts of the sword and helmet of the Albanian hero, Skanderbeg, this office has been informed through official source that these trophies are safe in deposit in the Postsparkasse at Vienna.

FOR THE DIVISION CHIEF:

Very Good

Ernest T. DeWald
ERNEST T. DE WALD
Lt. Col., AUS
Chief, MFA Branch

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THE STARS AND STRIPES

Wednesday, October 3, 1945

# USFA Bans Removal Of All Art In Austria

WITH USFA, Oct. 2—No object of art, collection of archives or other cultural material will be removed from American zones in Austria without express authority of the U. S. Forces in Austria, the headquarters announced today in a move to further enforce the USFA policy of preserving and retaining works of art in the area it occupies.

This order is effective immediately and all collections found in the process of removal without proper authority will be seized and placed in the custody of the nearest USFA military government property control officer.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION JEWP/rc
APO 394
Subcommission for Monuments Fine Arts & Archives
(Tel. 489081; ext. 442 & 254; 478480)

20362/MFAA 22 September 1945

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

Dear

Attached Civil Censorship report, with appended clippings from Union Jack and comment by Central Reference Library, is just about void of meaning for this office. Bernard alleges a connection with a strange, strong-arm visitor you entertained in May and with a jewelry deposit near HOHENFURT, somewhere near LINZ, but this adds up to very little. Will you kindly take over the custody of these arcana and let us know in case there is anything to do this end.

A copy of Bernard's notes on your DC about the MONTECASSINO staff is forwarded for any use you can make of it.

No doubt you've heard about the Italian press reaction to the interview given the N.Y.Times by our ex-colleague. Copies for retention.

Yours, 711

Lt Col E.T. De Wald
RD&R Div (MFAA Branch)
US Allied Commission, AUSTRIA, Rear
APO 777, US Army

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20309/20/E/MFAA
19 Sept 45

NOTES from D.O. of Lt Col E. T. De Wald 23 Aug 45
(filed 20362/MFAA)

1. Movement of Collection within Germany/Austria:

"As we prognosticated, the material was sent to Goering in Berlin. In March of this year Goering had it all sent to Alt Aussee as "the most valuable objects" of his collection. They are specifically referred to as the property of the Feldmarschall! So the goods is on him and is one of the outstanding, and probably unique, instances where the Nazis appropriated objects from a national museum. To the best of my present knowledge all the Montecassino stuff was shipped to Munich during the Third Army activities in this zone. And it was all together."

2. Make-up of the Collection as known by "the German list"
(Col De Wald will soon go to MUNICH for a definitive check).

a. Paintings.

(i) Comparison with lists of the missing paintings as set out in file 20216/5/MFAA shows that all are on the German list. Discrepancies in attribution and designation of subject matter between the German list and those found in the S/C records are negligible.

(ii) Only possible losses (the lists on 20216/5/MFAA, 17 Apr and 29 May 45 being taken as basic) are from the Ligozzi watercolors (IT/67-72), it not being clear that an item reported by Col De Wald from the German list as-

3 large and 1 small packages by Italian masters of the 18-19 century (et al)

necessarily contains all the 21 Ligozzi watercolors. (Ligozzi)

(iii) Paintings reported from the German list but not listed by the MFAA S/C as missing:

Parmigianino, Female Portrait 710

Italian 19th century, Eruption of Vesuvius

Quite possibly some of the 18-19 cent. works in the 4 packages just mentioned also represent additions to the S/C lists.

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b. Bronzes.

(i) All the large bronzes (IT/15-19) are accounted for.

(ii) No mention made of the case of minor bronzes (candelabra etc.): para 3.a, 20216/5/MFAA of 29 May 45.

(iii) For other bronze objects see c.(ii) below.

c. Jewelry objects. The case in question (IT/20-64) is presumably accounted for by "1 locked case; contents, antique gold and silver objects".

d. "Armour of Charles V" (IT/75). A suit of armour appears on the German list.

e. Table-ware.

(i) Three items (IT/76-78) appears on the S/C lists, two certainly, the other probably, of Silver.

(ii) German list shows six objects, all said to be of bronze, as follows:

2 large two-handled amphora
2 smaller two-handled Kannengoffisse
1 vase with a foot
1 pitcher with a handle

Of IT/76-78 only the "silver-gilt waterjug" (IT/76) could be included among the German-listed items - but these are reportedly of bronze. Nothing in the German list has the proper shape to be either IT/77 or IT/78, not to speak of the difference in material.

(iii) Conclusion. If the descriptions of the German list are accurate, the three pieces of table-ware, IT/76-78, are unaccounted for and the 6 bronze objects, if from MONTECASSINO, were not reported as missing in the VATICAN check-over.

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3. Summary of Discrepancies

a. Gains: 2 panel pictures and possibly a number of apparently unframed watercolors or drawings. (Above, 2.a.(iii).

6 pieces of bronze tableware. Above, 2. e.(iii).

b. Apparent losses: 1 case of minor bronzes. Above, 2.b.(ii).

3 pieces of tableware. Above, 2.e.(iii).

c. Uncertain: some of the Agosti drawings. Above, 2.a.(ii).

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from:

S T A R S  A N D  S T R I P E S

September, 20 1945

USFA to set Up Agency for care of Monuments

(with U.S. Forces in Austria, Sept. 19) -

"The Institute Fur Denkmalpflege (Institute for the Care and Protection of Monuments) will be re-established directly under the control of the U.S. Forces in Austria, it was announced today.

This organization will be set up as a civilian agency under the USFA military government."

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HEADQUARTERS
MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAND KÄRNTEN

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August 27th 1945.

25 Jan 46

R.F: MGK/86

Subject : Fifth Report on Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives in Land Kärnten.

To : D.D.C.A./MG, Mil.Govt.Staff (Austria )

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## VISITS TO MONUMENTS

1. KLAGENFURT.

(a) The Burg.

As a result of a fire in the courtyard of this building, the interior facades were considerably damaged. The Piano Nobile facing north suffered water damage only. The frescoes in the Burg chapel have suffered slight water damage. Some damage also to parquet flooring. Recommendation. Examination of roof of northern wing to ensure that it is wat-ertight and no farther damage can ensue.

(b) Landesmuseum.

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2. ANNAICHL.

Seulosse Thurntal.

Not on list. Characteristic country house of first half of 18th century. Now occupied by R.A.F., previously by Luftwaffe. Rittersaal has frescoed walls and ceiling by a pupil of Fromuller, the Kärntner fresco painter. They date from circa 1760 and are not of remarkable quality. The building has been considerably shaken by near misses but the Rittersaal has suffered only to the extent of small cracks.

3. BERG.

Pfarrkirche.

Late Gothic church on original Romanesque ground- plan. Romanesque Karner the interior decorated with well preserved series of 15th Century frescoes, including a good "Last Judgement". Recently restored by Dr. Frodl.

4. FELDBACH.

(a) Dominikanerkirche.

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(b) Pfarrkirche.

Revisited. Scaffolding in position for restoration of interior. Exterior of no consequence owing to over drastic restora - tion in 19th century. 15th century glass removed from choir and stored in vault. Good Baroque pulpit and high altar.

(c) Deutsche Ritterordenskirche.

Revisited. Slight damage to modern glass windows. Important collection of 14th and 15th century Holzplastik, presented to Nursing Sisters who operate attached hospital, now replaced. Many pieces much restored but no apparent damage done. Accomodation in church quite inadequate for so important a collection which includes two very fine late Gothic carved wood altars.



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15th century Pieta of Gusc-stein damaged when moved to air raid shelter. Now locked away. Landeskonservator has arranged repair.

(d)Stadtbrunnen.

Revisited. Fine late 16th century marble fountain by Italian master, formerly in Schloss Tanzenberg. Bronze group forming finial stored in local deposit.

(e)Town walls.

Considerable stretches still standing but damage done by landslide during winter of 1943.
Recommendation. No action called for.

5. G R A D I S C H .

( See report No. 4 item 3) Work of erecting temporary roof completed.

6. ST. LEONHARD bei VILLACH.

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Revisited. O.C. contacted and premises inspected. No damage to Museum property, though personal property of Landeskonservator ther has been rifled. The unit have installed rather inappropriate light fittings in Rittersaal but without causing any serious damage to interior. One further room will be made available for occupation by unit through removal of Klagenfurt Museum deposit. Unit wishes to evacuate Schloss before winter. Every encouragement should be given to them to do so.



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(b) Pfarrkirche.

Undamaged. Possesses three Gothic winged altars , of which one ,painted by a pupil of Michael Pacher, is important. Another altar dates from Late 14th century.Other features include two fine carved late Gothic tomb stones. All monuments in place.
In churchyard, was memorial by Egger Lienz, typical production of Social- Democrat period.

8. Maria SAAL.

One of column at entrance to churchyard displaced by collision of German vehicle. No serious damage to masonry. Arrangements for replacement in position in hand.

9. MARIA- WÖRTH.

Pfarrkirche.

Revisited. Unusual spatial effects as result of rebuilding and raising of nave vault in 16th century. Good series of Baroque internal fittings . Restoration has begun scaffolding already in position.

10. MÖLLBRÜCKEN.

Revisited. Confirmed that 15th century carved altar is undamaged. Whole church somewhat drastically restored shortly before damage. Tracery in one window and walls damaged by bomb splinters. Roof in order. Interesting almost peasant - like Baroque altars and pulpit.

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12. SPITTAL .

(a) Pfarrkirche St.Maria.

Not on list. Partly Romanesque building, much impaired by 19th century restoration. Monuments in place and undamaged. In corner of cemetery wall a 15th century Steinguss Pieta.



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(b) Porcia Palais.

Revisited. Room on first floor with 16th century ceiling now used as Sergeants Mess. Pictures also uncovered. With exception of ceiling, all features in this room date from 19th century. One other room occupied by troops has Renaissance fireplace with fine carved panels. Discussion with O.C. of unit billeted there to ensure that importance of monument was recognised. German vehicle, leaving courtyard, collided with plinth of rear portal, causing some damage to architectural and carved details. Damage inspected with Landeskonservator, report from German firm responsible forwarded by unit, and arrangements for repairs in hand. First aid work to secure portal completed by local civilian authorities.

13. STRASSBURG!

Stadtpfarrkirche.

Extensive mid 15th century building, the aisles and facade rebuilt in the late 17th century. All monuments in place and intact. Excellent series of Baroque fittings including examples from all periods of Baroque style. Interesting side chapel with rather course late Baroque stucco ceiling. Church recently restored by Dr. Frodl.

14. STIVEIT .

(a) Stadtpfarrkirche.

Romanesque nave and 15th century choir, the former drastically restored in late 19th century. All fittings in place and undamaged. The church contains an unusually powerful altar at east end of north aisle. Also other good [illegible] altars and a fine Baroque organ with boldly designed

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(b) Ra-thaus.

Fine stucco facade of mid 18th century in excellent condition. Effect somewhat impaired by poor choice of colours during last restoration. Built into main portal is late Gothic heraldic panel in cast metal. Council chamber has stucco ceil... of quite exceptional quality by same hand as the facade.



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Wall frescoes in this room have been overpainted in course of last restoration. One of most important examples of German stucco work of the period.
No war damage .

(c)Dreifaltigkeitssäule.

Statuary in position and undamaged.

15. Teurnia.

Revisited. One of two buildings housing Roman architectural stones from settlement damaged by cannon fire and in need of repair. Recommendation. Not sufficiently important to warrant immediate action.

16. Viktring.

(a)Kloster.

Not on list.Secularized since 19th century and has fallen into considerable decay, now occupied partly by refugees and as commercial premises.Some of rooms contain good stucco ceilings of 18th century. Other good details, especially ironwork of 18th century remain. Building has features dating from early 15th century but is predominantly Baroque in character.

(b)Pfarrkirche unserer lieben Frau.

Revisited. 19th century church, facade and nave vault rebuilt in 19th century in lifeless Classical style. Impressive early Baroque high altar in somewhat provincial style.

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Revisited. Confirmed that 16th century glass windows have been destroyed. Baroque high altar blending well with Gothic architectural details.

(b) Khevenhüller- Haus.

Formerly used as public offices. Half destroyed by two direct hits from small H.E. bombs. One wing of fine 16th century arcades with sculptured spandrels still stands.
Recommendation. Allocation of priority status for repairs with a view to saving remaining wing.



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18. ZWEINITZ.

Pfarrkirche.

Revisited. This church contains the most important series of frescoes so far discovered in a village church in Kärnten. Examples dating from late 14th century, early 15th century and mid 15th century. In order to complete restoration, it is proposed to reduce width of one window to regulating lighting of Church.

Recommendation. In view of small quantity of bricks required, that this work should in due course be carried out.

19. MISCHENWASSERN .

Schloss Pöckstein.

See third report No. 7. Refugees are now accomodated in this building, but the painted rooms on the Piano nobile are not affected. The temporary work required is now completed. Further deterioration of frescoes is not to be reckoned with. The garden house - also in late 18th century Classical style is damaged beyond repair.

ARCHIVES

20. Klagenfurt.

Stadtarchiv.

Release of materials has been granted for re-equipment of the premises.

DEPOSITS

21. LAGENFURT.

Landbibliothek .

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21. KLAGENFURT.

(a) Studienbibliothek.

Listing of books sent from Adriatic Commission completed. Books repacked ready for dispatch.

2. Deposit of 18 cases at Stift Tanzenberg, returned to Studienbibliothek.

(b) Landesmuseum.

Collection of photographs and Museum records returned safely from Schloss Bruck.



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22. LIENZ.

Schloss Bruck.

Deposit of works of art from Klagenfurt and Villach Museums inspected.

23. PISCHELDORF.

Schloss Freudenberg.

Works of art from Italy ( see Report No. 2 item 26) brought back to Klagenfurt with one exception - to be collected later. Books from Castello Duino still in course of review. The librarian ~~XXXX~~ ming this deposit states that a considerable number of books are missing.

GENERAL

24. KLAGENFURT.

Künstlerhaus.

Application for release of this building rejected by 5 Corps. Arrangements to remove all property of Künstlerhaus from premises completed.

Endeavours are now being made to obtain as an exhibition centre, the rooms in the Burg formerly occupied as the Landesgalerie and at present vacant.

25. TANZENBERG.

Work at Tanzenberg is on too large a scale to be covered adequately by a monthly report. For progress, see weekly reports - of which copies may be had on application.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

JEWP/ps

20141/MFAA

7 August 1945

Subject: German MFAA Activities in the Operationszone Adriatisches Küstenland.

To : U.S. Group Control Council, RDR Division, APO 742, US Army, for Lt.Col. Mason Hammond, MFAA.

1. An additional copy of report by Lt.Col. Ward Perkins on German Activities 1943-5 in the Operationszone Adriatisches Küstenland is forwarded to you for transmission to Lt. C. Smythe, USNR.

2. It is understood that he has in his employ Frau Erika Hanfstaengl, who was the most active member in the field of the Abteilung Denkmalschutz under the Oberste Kommissar for this Zone. As will be seen, the Abteilung Denkmalschutz appears to have done a fairly correct job of work and Frau Hanfstaengl enjoyed a good reputation with her Italian colleagues.

3. There was on the other hand a good deal of dirty work, notably in the field of libraries and archives, and in general on the part of the SS. It would be appreciated if Frau Hanfstaengl could be questioned with a view to supplementing the many gaps indicated in the report. As primary questions of fact I would indicate:

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b. The activities of Untersturmführer Stangliana

c. The position of Möhrenshildt.

d. Relations with Huber.

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For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

G.R. UPJOHN, Brig.
VP CA Sec

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Subcommission for Monuments Fine Arts & Archives
(Tel. 489081, ext. 442 & 254; 476480)

20121/1FAA 2 August 1945

Subject: Jewish Properties, VENETO and VENEZIA GIULIA.

To : MFAA Officer, VENEZIE Region.

Herewith copy of correspondence with MFAA Officer, Klagenfurt, passed to you for action. The actual stuff is of little interest, but there will presumably be restitution claims coming along soon.

J.B. HARO PERKINS
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Mil Govt Staff (AUSTRIA),
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Subject:- Albanian Trophies reported in Austria

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To:- HQ Allied Commission,
CA Section.

Ref your 20904/4/MFAA dated 28 Jul 45.

1. The helmet and sword of Scanderbeg are the property of the Kunsthistorisches Museum Vienna (catalogue No. 71).

2. Information on their present whereabouts will be forwarded to you as soon as it is available.

R.A. Skelton Major R.A.

for Brig,
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28 July 1945

Subject: Albanian Trophies Reported to be in AUSTRIA.

To : Military Government Staff (AUSTRIA), CMF, attn. Monuments, Fine Arts, and Archives Branch.

HQ. US Group Control Commission, US Forces AUSTRIA, APO 777, attn. Monuments and Fine Arts Section.

1. The Helmet and Sword of the Albanian hero, Skanderbeg, are it is believed, the property of the Historical Museum at VIENNA. They were loaned to the Mostra delle Terre Italiane d'Oltremare held at NAPLES in 1940, and were subsequently stored in the deposit at MERCOGLIANO.

2. It is alleged that on 19 Jan 1943 they were handed over to the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs for transmission to VIENNA. There is an element of doubt however in the transaction, and it would be appreciated if confirmation could be obtained that the Helmet and Sword were in fact safely returned.

For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

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Subject: Index of Austrian Personnel connected with Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives

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# INDEX OF AUSTRIAN PERSONNEL

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| Inst. | Institut | u. | und |

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ADRIANI, Gert, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Age about 36. Reich German, of Westphalia; came to Vienna after Anschluss.
1938- Asst in Gemäldegalerie of Kunsthistorisches M, Vienna.
1943- Dir of Gemäldegalerie of Prinz-Eugen-M, Vienna.
Nazi party member, but said to be a decent and upright man.

AMESEDER, R. Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Oldish man.
Librarian of Akademie der bildenden Künste (before and since Anschluss).

ANDORFER, Eduard
(Graz)

Art historian.
Gaukonservator Denkmalamt, Styria.
(Succeeded H von Semetkowski).
Suitable for retention as Landeskonservator, if Semetkowski is not reappointed.

ANDRE, O., Ing.
(Vienna)

Museum official.
Vizedir. of Technisches M.für Industrie u. Gewerbe, Vienna (1939).

ANKWICZ von KLEEHOVEN, Hans, Dr, Hr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1883 in Lower Austria. ¼ Jewish.
1920-38. Librarian in Österr. M. für Kunst u. Industrie, Vienna. Forced to resign at Anschluss.
Politically reliable.

BALDASS, Ludwig, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1887 in Graz.
Asst in Gemäldegalerie of Kunsthistorisches M. Vienna (before and since Anschluss). Well known scholar.
Retained post in 1938 to support his family.
Liberal and reliable. Not a Nazi.

BALKE, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Of Inst. für Denkmalpflege, Vienna (1941).
Connected with distribution of confiscated Jewish collections to museums, 1939-41.

BARB, Alfons, Dr.
(Eisenstadt, Burgenland)

Art historian.
Born 1901.
Dir. of Burgenländisches Landes M., Eisenstadt (1938).

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| ANDRE, O., Ing.<br><br>(Vienna) | Museum official.<br>Vizedir. of Technisches M.für Industrie u. Gewerbe, Vienna (1939). |
| ANKWICZ von KLEEHOVEN, Hans, Dr, MR.<br><br>(Vienna) | Art historian.<br>Born 1885 in Lower Austria. ¼ Jewish.<br>1920-38. Librarian in Österr. M. für Kunst u. Industrie, Vienna. Forced to resign at Anschluss.<br>Politically reliable. |
| BALDASS, Ludwig, Dr.<br><br>(Vienna) | Art historian.<br>Born 1887 at Graz.<br>Asst in Gemäldegal. of Kunsthistorisches M. Vienna (before and since Anschluss). Well known scholar.<br>Retained post in 1938 to support his family. Liberal and reliable. Not a Nazi. |
| BALKE, Dr.<br><br>(Vienna) | Art historian.<br>Of Dept. für Denkmalpflege, Vienna (1941).<br>Connected with distribution of confiscated Jewish collections to museums, 1939-41. |
| BARB, Alfons, Dr.<br><br>(Eisenstadt, Burgenland) | Art historian.<br>Born 1901.<br>Dir. of Burgenländisches Landes M., Eisenstadt (1938). |
| BEETZ, Wilhelm, Dr.<br><br>(Wien IX, Lackeriergasse 9; or Wien IV, Karolinengasse 32.) | Art historian.<br>Born 1882 at Kiel.<br>Head of Porträt-Sammlung of Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1936).<br>Politically harmless, probably reliable. |
| BENESCH, Otto, Dr<br><br>(Princeton Univ., Cambridge, Mass., U.S.A.) | Art historian.<br>Age about 45, Jewish wife.<br>Formerly asst at Albertina. Emigrated 1938.<br>Brilliant scholar. Wishes to return to Austria. |
| BICK, Josef, Prof.Dr.<br><br>(Vienna) | Art historian.<br>Age 55-60.<br>Gen. dir. of Albertina till 1938. Dismissed at Anschluss and succeeded by H. Leporini.<br>Catholic Clerical and Monarchist. Pres. of Bauer-Kulturrat (1936). |
| BITTNER, Ludwig, Dr<br><br>(Vienna) | Archivist.<br>Generalstaatsarchivar in Archivrat, Vienna. Dir of Haus-Hof-und Staatsarchiv, Vienna. (1936)<br>Fine scholar and administrator. Good Austrian, not a Nazi. |

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BLAUENSTEINER, Kurt.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Age about 36. (Son of Leopold B.)
Asst in Österreichische Gal. (Belvedere).
Anti-Nazi, honest and reliable. Reported to have been killed in Russia.

BLAUENSTEINER, Leopold.
(Vienna)

Painter.
Born 1879 at Vienna. (Father of Kurt B.)
Pres of Künstlergenossenschaft, Gau-Kunstwart (co-operative assn, of Viennese artists); and of Künstlerhaus, Vienna.
Active Nazi, of idealistic type. Organised artistic life of Vienna on Party lines.

BODENSTEIN, Gustav, Dr.
(Vienna)

Archivist.
Generalstaatsarchiver. Dir, of Staatsarchivdesinnern und der Justiz (1936).

BOECKL, Herbert.
(Vienna)

Painter.
Born about 1890 in Carinthia.
Great figure in Austrian art life. Gifted painter and good teacher.
Politically harmless. At bottom anti-Nazi, devout Catholic, Christlich-Sozial.

BRADACZEK, Max, Prof.
(Klagenfurt)

Art historian.
Dir. of Kärntnerische Landes-galerie (enlarged in 1942), before and since Anschluss.
Has information on disposal of confiscated Jewish and monastic property.

BRADAWKA, Leo, Dr.
(Vienna)

Official.
Head of Österr. Lichtbildstelle, Vienna (1936).

BRECHLER, Otto, Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Of Handschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1935).

BRUCK, Adolf, Dr.
(Wiener-Neustadt, Lower Austria)

Art Historian.
Dir. of Städt. Sammlungen, Wiener-Neustadt (1935).

BRUNNER, August, Dr.
(Vienna)

Historian.
Of Inst. für Geschichtsforschung, Vienna (well known for its Nazism).
Formerly broadminded, latterly associated with Nazis (cf. H Sedlmayr).

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Politically harmless. At bottom anti-Nazi, devout Catholic, Christlich-Sozial.

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Dir. of Kärntnerische Landesgalerie (enlarged in 1942), before and since Anschluss.
Has information on disposal of confiscated Jewish and monastic property.

BRADAWKA, Leo, Dr. (Vienna)
Official.
Head of Österr. Lichtbildstelle, Vienna (1936).

BRECHLER, Otto, Dr. (Vienna)
Librarian.
Of Druckschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1935).

BRUCK, Adolf, Dr. (Wiener-Neustadt, Lower Austria)
Art Historian.
Dir. of Städt. Sammlungen, Wiener-Neustadt (1935).

BRUNNER, August, Dr. (Vienna)
Historian.
Of Inst. für Geschichtsforschung, Vienna (well known for its Nazism).
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BUNGER, Frl (Carinthia?)
Asst in medical staff of Zentral-bibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Carinthia (later at Tannenberg), Jan 1944.
Nazi.
See also GROTHE, W.

BURESCH, Alois, Ing. (Vienna)
Official.
Of Schl[illegible]verwaltung (Burghauptmannschaft in Wien) im Bundesministerium für Handel und Verkehr (1936).

BUSCHBECK, Ernst von, Dr (Oxford)
Art Historian.
Age about 52.
Formerly asst in Gemäldegal. of Kunsthistorisches M. Vienna. Export art historian and administrator.
Emigrated 1938. Now with ARP Caversham. Wishes to return to Austria.
Politics Christlich-Sozial. Reliable.

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CEPARIN, Rudolf
(Villach, Carinthia)
Art historian.
Dir. of Stadt. M., Villach (1935; succeeded by H. Dolenz).

COUDENHOVE, Eduard, Graf.
(Graz, Schubertgasse 21)
Art historian.
Born 1890 at Graz.
Dir. of Landes-M. Joanneum, Graz. Gifted art historian.
Politics Christlich-sozial and conservative. Thoroughly reliable.

CRUSE, Dr
(Carinthia?)
Librarian.
Probably Reich German.
Asst. librarian in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Carinthia (later at Tanzenberg), Jan 1944.
Nazi.
See also CROTHE, W.

CZERMAK, Emmerich, Dr.
(Hollabrunn, Lower Austria)
Official.
Vertreter der Wissenschaft und Kunst, Niederösterr. Landtag (1936).

DEMEL, Hans, Dr.
(Vienna)
Archaeologist.
Dir. of Ägyptisch-orientalische Sammlung of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.
Probably pan-German, but said to be not a Nazi.

DEMMEL, Dr.
Of Vienna.
Reported a member of Cracow staff of "Sonderbeauftragter für die Erfassung und Sicherstellung der Kunst-und Kulturschätze", 1940-44.

DEMUS, Otto, Dr.
(65 Ladbroke Grove, London W.11)
Art Historian.
Born 1902.
Landeskonservator, Denkmalamt, Carinthia, till 1936, when he went to Vienna. (Succeeded by W. Frödl).
Regierungsrat in Zentralstelle für Denkmalschutz, 1936-39.
First class scholar and administrator.
Emigrated May 1939. Wishes to return to Austria.
Anti-Nazi. Strong and upright character. Excellent judge of men.

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(Hollabrunn, Lower Austria)

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DIETZ, Ernst, Prof, Dr.

(Wien I, Franz-Josefs-Kai.)

Art historian.
Born 1877 at Pforzheim. (Reich German.)
1926-39. Prof. at Bryn Mawr College, USA.
1939-. Prof of Art history at Univ. of Vienna.
Head of Asiatic Section of Kunsthistorische. Inst. of Univ.
Unpolitical. Weak man who profited by Anschluss to obtain advancement.

— DINKLAGE, Dr.

Librarian.
Of Inst. für Kärntner Landesforschung (founded by Nazis).
Fanatical Nazi bibliophile. Responsible for looting books from Trieste and Gorizia, now stored in Schl. Karlsberg, Carinthia.
Now (June 1945) thought to be in Munich; or may be P/W.

— DOLENZ, Hans, Ing.

(Villach or Lienz)

Archaeologist.
Dir of StAdt. M. Villach (in succession to R. Cefarin).
Konservator, Denkmalamt.
Said to be at Lienz (June 1945).

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EGERSDORFER, Alfons, Dr.
(Vienna)

Historian.
Formerly dir. of Inst. fürGeschichtsforschung, Univ. of Vienna.
Now old.

DWORSCHAK, Fritz, Dr.
(Wien IX, Währingasse 11)

Art Historian.
Born 1890.
Asst in Coin collection of Kunsthistorisches M. Vienna, till Anschluss.
1938. Apptd dir of coin collection (in succession to A. Loehr); and Kommissarischer Leiter of Museum (in succession to A. Stix).
1941. Apptd Erster Dir. of Kunsthist. M.
Responsible for dispersal of confiscated Jewish collections of Vienna, to various museums.
Designated keeper of coin collection in projected Führersammlung Linz. Responsible for seizure of numismatic collections and books of secularised monasteries for this project.
Diligent Nazi party member. Said to have behaved (1938-39) decently to anti-Nazi colleagues.

EGGER, Hermann, Prof. Dr.
(Graz)

Art historian.
Asst in Landes. M. Joanneum, Graz.
1943. Commissioned to arrange print-room (newly enriched by collections of secularised monasteries) in Gau-Museum of Carinthia, Klagenfurt.

EGGER, Rudolf, Prof. Dr.
(Wien XVIII, Weinarerstr 25)

Archaeologist.
Age 50 - 55.
Prof. of Archaeologyin Univ. of Vienna; and Dir. of Österr. Archäologisches Inst. (1944)
Pan-German and Nazi.

EICHLER, Fritz, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art Historian. 7095
Born 1887.
Dir. of Antiken-Sammlung of Kunsthistorisches M. Vienna. Excellent scholar.
Scrupulously honest and reliable man, who helped many Jews. Anti-Nazi.

EIGENBERGER, Robert, Hofr. Dr.
(Wien IV, Blechturmgasse 23)

Art historian and picture restorer.
Born 1886 at Selitzbei Brüx, Czechoslovakia.
Prof. of Art History at Univ. of Vienna.
Prof. and Dir. of Gallery at Akademie der bildenden Künste, Vienna.

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numismatic collections and books of secularised monasteries for this project.
Illegal Nazi party member. Said to have behaved (1938-39) decently to anti-Nazi colleagues.

EGGER, Hermann, Prof. Dr.
(Graz)

Art historian.
Asst in Landes. M. Joanneum, Graz.
1943. Commissioned to arrange print-room (newly enriched by collections of secularised monasteries) in Gau-Museum of Carinthia, Klagenfurt.

EGGER, Rudolf, Prof. Dr.
(Wien XVIII, Weimarerstr 25)

Archaeologist.
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Prof. of Archaeologyin Univ. of Vienna; and Dir. of Osterr. Archäologisches Inst. (1944)
Pan-German and Nazi.

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EIGENBERGER, Robert, Prof. Dr.
(Wien IV, Blechturmgasse 23)

Art historian and picture restorer.
Born 1868 at Sedlitzbei Brüx, Czechoslovakia.
Prof. of Art History at Univ. of Vienna.
Prof. and Dir. of Gallery at Akademie der bildenden Künste, Vienna.
Picture restorer to Kunsthistorisches M.
Probably finest picture restorer in Germany. May be able to give useful infm about missing pictures.
Politically inclined to the right. Skilful in promoting his own position, hence fell in with Nazis.

EITLER, Paul, Prof. DR.
(Eisenstadt, Burgenland)

Archivist.
Dir. of Burgenländisches Landes-Archiv, Eisenstadt (1936).

ERNST, Richard, Dr.
(Wien I, Stubenring 5)

Art historian.
Born 1885 at Eger, Czechoslavakia.
Dir. of Österr.M. für Kunst u. Industrie, Vienna, before Anschluss.
1940- Dir, of Plastik und Kunstgewerbe in Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna (in succession to L. Planiscig).
Unreliable and a place-seeker. Nazi sympathiser if not a Nazi. Used his political position just before Anschluss to extort works of art from Jewish colleagues.

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FARCEL, Julius.
(Vienna)

Picture restorer.
Employed by Historisches M. der Stadt Wien, July 1941.

FELLNER, Anton, Dr.
(Linz)

(See entry in ADDENDA.)

FIALA, L, Dr.
(Wien IX, Strudelhofgasse 17.)

Art dealer.
Reich German.
Owner of Strudelhofgalerie.
May be a relation of Paul Fiala connected with proposed sale of 110 cases of objets d'art to art shop of Kurt Stern, New York.

FLATSCHER, Rudolf.
(Innsbruck)

Librarian.
Dir. of Universitätsbibliothek, Innsbruck (1935).

FLEISCHMANN, Bernd, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1906.
Asst in Albertina (1938).

FRAUHL, Gerhard.
(15 Thurlow Road, London, NW 3)

Painter.
Age about 44. ¾ Jewish.
Good knowledge of art history and experience of art teaching.
Emigrated 1938/39. Wishes to return to Austria.
Recommended for employment in art administration or education.

FREY, Dagobert.
(Breslau, Menzelstr 77)

Art historian.
Born 1883 at Vienna.
Prof. of Art History at Univ. of Breslau.
Numerous publications on art.
One of the most important art historians responsible for the looting of Polish art treasures.

FRISCH, Ernst von, Dr.
(Salzburg)

Librarian.
Dir. of Studienbibliothek, Salzburg (1935).

FRITZ, Emil

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Strudelhofgasse 17.)

May be a relation of Paul Fiala connected with proposed sale of 110 cases of objets d'art to art shop of Kurt Stern, New York.

FLATSCHER, Rudolf.
(Innsbruck)

Librarian.
Dir. of Universitätsbibliothek, Innsbruck (1935).

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FRITZ, Emil.

(Vienna)

Art dealer.
Arrested in Vienna at end of 1940 for sale of Italian paintings with forged expert opinions.

FRODL, Walter, Dr.

(Klagenfurt,
Museumastr 2, living in 1945 at Schloss Bruck, Lienz),

Art historian.
Born 1908.
Since 1936, Landes-(later Gau) Konservator, Denkmalamt, Carinthia (in succession to O. Demus).
Dir. of Landes-M. Klagenfurt (in succession to HP Meier).
Dozent für Kunstgeschichte u. Denkmalpflege at Univ. of Graz.
1943-45. Active in Italy, in Dept 5 of Alto Commissariato in Trieste (protection of monuments).
Nazi before Anschluss but not a fanatic. Considered efficient; may be re-employed under supervision in central office of Denkmalamt in Vienna.

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FIDORS, Dr.

(Klagenfurt)

Librarian.
Dir. of Studienbibliothek, Klagenfurt (1945; succeeded Theodor Schrodt).

GANS, Johann, Prof.Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Dir. of Universitätsbibliothek, Vienna (1936).

GAMBER, Emil, Dr.
(Bad Deutsch-Altenburg, Lower Austria)

Archaeologist.
Dir. of M. Carnuntinum, Bad Deutsch-Altenburg, Lower Austria.

GARGER, Ernst, Dr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Age about 48.
Asst in Österr. M. für Kunst u. Industrie, Vienna (textiles).
Violent anti-Nazi. Reliable but nervous and unsuitable for administrative position.

GARZAROLLI-THURNLACKH, Karl, Dr.
(Graz)

Art historian.
Born 1894.
Dir. of Palais Attems and of Gemäldegal. in Landes M. Graz, till Anschluss. Dismissed by Nazis.
Anti-Nazi, conservative, perhaps Monarchist.
Reliable.

GEIGER, Bernno, Dr.

(Venice, Rio Nuovo 3498)

Art dealer.
Involved in exchange and purchase of Italian works of art for German agents (eg. F Kieslinger).
Some of those objects and correspondence found in Schloss Freudenberg (Pischeldorf), Carinthia, May 1945.

GERSTINGER, Hans, Prof.Dr.

(Vienna)

Palaeographer.
Dir. of Handschriften-Sammlung and Papyrus-Sammlung in Nationalbibibliothek, Vienna (1936).

GIANNONI, Karl, Prof.Dr,RR.

(Vienna)

Official.
Head of Fachstelle für Heimatpflege in Zentralstelle für Denkmalschutz, Vienna (1936).

GIMMART, Karl, Prof.Dr.

(Wien IV, Mommsengasse 5; and Wien VIII, Rennweg 49)

Art historian.
Born 1888 at St Veit a.d. Glan.
Prof. of art history at Technische Hochschule, Vienna (well-known Nazi centre).
Staatskonservator in Inst. für Denkmalschutz, Vienna.
Connected with dispersal of confiscated Jewish collections of Vienna, 1939-41.
Politically [illegible]

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(Graz)

Born 1894.
Dir. of Palais Attems and of Gemäldegal. in Landes M. Graz, till Anschluss. Dismissed by Nazis.
Anti-Nazi, conservative, perhaps Monarchist.
Reliable.

GEIGER, Benno, Dr.

(Venice, Rio Nuovo 3498)

Art dealer.
Involved in exchange and purchase of Italian works of art for German agents (eg. F Kieslinger).
Some of these objects and correspondence found in Schloss Proudshberg (Pischeldorf), Carinthia, May 1945.

GERSTINGER, Hans, Prof.Dr.

(Vienna)

Palaeographer.
Dir. of Handschriften-Sammlung and Papyrus-Sammlung in Nationalbibibliothek, Vienna (1936).

GIANNONI, Karl, Prof.Dr,RR.

(Vienna)

Official.
Head of Fachstelle für Heimatpflege in Zentralstelle für Denkmalschutz, Vienna (1936).

GINHART, Karl, Prof.Dr.

(Wien IV, Mommsengasse 5; and Wien VIII, Rennweg 49)

Art historian.
Born 1888 at St Veit a.d. Glan.
Prof. of art history at Technische Hochschule, Vienna (well-known Nazi centre).
Staatskonservator in Inst. für Denkmalschutz, Vienna.
Connected with dispersal of confiscated Jewish collections of Vienna, 1939-41.
Politically erratic. "Ideological" Nazi.

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GLAISE-HORSTENAU, Edmund, Dr, HR.

(Vienna)

Archivist and historian.
Generalstaatsarchivar. Dir. of Kriegsarchiv, Vienna.
Deputy Chancellor in Seyss-Inquart government, 1938.
Nazi long before Anschluss. Extremely able and brilliant historian but a man of no scrupples.

GOSCH, Franz, Dr.
(Graz)

Librarian.
Dir. of Universitätsbibliothek, Graz (1936).

GRABER, Dr.

(Klagenfurt)

Official.
Head of Unterabt. IIc (Kultur u. Gemeinschaftspflege), Reichsgau Kärnten (1944).

GREGOR, Josef, Dr.

(Vienna)

Historian of the theatre.
Head of theatre collection in National-Bibliothek, Vienna.
Efficient, but a turn-coat and unreliable.

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GRIESSMAIER, Viktor, Dr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born about 1905.
Asst in Österr. M. für Kunst u. Industrie, Vienna (library). Very able scholar.
1941-45. In Luftwaffe (Flak unit). Now (June 1945) at Linz, employed by AMG. Wishes to return to Vienna.
100% anti-Nazi. Devout Catholic. Excellent character, conscientious and reliable.

GRIMSCHITZ, Bruno, Dr.

(Wien IV, Starhembergzgasse 3)

Art historian.
Born 1892 at Moosburg, Carinthia.
Asst in Österreichische Gal. (Belvedere) before Anschluss.
1938. Apptd dir. of Österreichische Gal. (in succession to F.M. Haberditzl).
Since 1938, has "reorganised" it.
1940. Apptd dir. of Gemälde-Sammlung of Kunsthistorisches M. (in succession to A. Stix). In charge of collections at Klosterneuburg.
1943. Apptd. dir. of newly founded Prinz-Eugen-M.
Good scholar in limited field (baroque architecture, 19th century painting).
Pan-German. Confirmed Nazi long before Anschluss.

GROSS, August, Dr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1889.
Dir. of Waffen-Sammlung in Kunsthistorisches M. Vienna, till 1938. Dismissed by Nazis for criticism of regime (succeeded by L.Ruprecht).

GROSS, Lothar, Dr. HR.

(Vienna)

Archivist.
Generalstaatsarchivar in Archivamt, Vienna, Joint dir. of Haus-Hof-und Staatsarchiv. Eminent historian.
Perhaps slightly pan-German in political bias.

GROTHE, Walter, Prof. Dr.

(Carinthia?)

Librarian.
Born 1895, (Reich German, perhaps of Lubeck)
Description: height 5'9", very thin, wears pince nez, greyish hair brushed straight back.
Connected with Einsatzstab Rosenberg in Paris. Decorated for his part in discovery and theft of Rothschild Library, Paris.
Dir. of Zentralbibliothek, of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Villach (later moved to Tegernsee)

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Dir. of Zentralbibliothek, of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Villach (later moved to Tanzenberg), 1943. This library contains the Rothschild collection of Paris and other loot.
Now (June 1945) in hiding, with his wife and the rest of the staff. Reported to be in Land Salzbur

GUGENBAUER, Gustav, Dr.
(Linz)

Art historian.
Head of Graphische Zentralsammlung in Oberösterr. Landes M., Linz. In charge of deposit of Landes M. at Schl. Starhemberg, Eferding.
Said to be involved in schemes for enlarging Graph. Zentralsammlung at expense of private and monastic collections.
Pan-German; perhaps Nazi, not active.
Romantic and unsystematic.

GUMBERHARDT, Frl.
(Carinthia?)

Secretary and typist in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Villach, Jan 1944; later at Tanzenberg (?).
Nazi. Probably Reich German.
See also GROTHE, W.

HAAS, Robert, Prof. Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Dir. of Musik-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1936).

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HABERDITZL, Franz Martin, Dr, MR.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1882 in Vienna. Died 1944 in Vienna. Wife ½ Jewish.
Dir. of Österreichische Staatsgalerie (Belvedere) till Anschluss, when he was discharged and succeeded by B Grimschitz.

HABERLANDT, Arthur, Prof.Dr, MR.
(Vienna)

Ethnologist.
Born 1889.
Dir. of M. für Volkskunde, Vienna.
Able, probably inclined to Nazism.

HAUSLE, Hugo, Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Dir. of Druckschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1936).

HAFNER, K, Dr.
(Graz)

Archivist.
In Steiermärk. Landes-Archiv, Graz (1935).

HAINISCH, Erwin, Dr.
(Linz; now prob. in Vienna or at Mürzzuschlag, Styria)

Art historian.
Born about 1895 in Upper Austria. Son of first Pres of Austrian Republic. ½ Jewish.
Landeskonservator, in Denkmalamt, Upper Austria, 1927-38.
Dismissed by Nazis, and employed in central office of Inst. für Denkmalpflege, Vienna.
Edited Bd 2 (Oberdonau) of 2nd ed. of Dehio's Handbuch, 1941.
Good scholar and administrator.
Liberal, anti-Nazi, honest, 100% reliable.
Now (June 1945) said to be in Vienna but not in good health. Should be re-appointed Landeskonservator for Upper Austria.

HAMMER, Heinrich, Prof.Dr.
(Innsbruck)

Art historian.
Born 1873.
Prof. of art history at Univ. of Innsbruck (1936).
Politics Christlich-Sozial. Said to be 'no turn-coat'.

HANFSTAENGL, Erika, Dr
(Munich, Gedonstr 4)

Art-historian.
Reich German.
Asst to Dr W FRODL, 1943-45, in Dept 5 of Allo Commissariato in Trieste (conservation of monuments). Considered highly efficient by Italian officials.
Believed to be in Munich.
See also FRODL, W.

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HARREL, Egon

Librarian.

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(Graz)

Archivist.
In Steiermärk. Landes-Archiv, Graz (1935).

HAINISCH, Erwin, Dr.

(Linz; now prob. in Vienna or at Mürzzuschlag, Styria)

Art historian.
Born about 1895 in Upper Austria. Son of first Pres of Austrian Republic. ½ Jewish.
Landeskonservator, in Denkmalamt, Upper Austria, 1927-38.
Dismissed by Nazis, and employed in central office of Inst. für Denkmalpflege, Vienna.
Edited Bd 2 (Oberdonau) of 2nd ed. of Dehio's Handbuch, 1941.
Good scholar and administrator.
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Reich German.
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Believed to be in Munich.
See also FRODL, W.

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HANNEL, Egon

(Vienna)

Librarian.
Librarian in Universitätsbibliothek, Vienna, till 1938. Dismissed by Nazis. Concentration camp and Wehrmacht.
Anti-Nazi. Now (June 1945) said to be in Vienna.

HAPEITHER, Karl, Dr.

(Wien I, Weihburggasse 9)

Art dealer.
Manager of Galerie Welz, Vienna, which was connected with Nazi collecting of works of art. Said to be anti-Nazi.
See also WELZ,F.

HATSINEK,
(Bad Ischl, Upper Austria)

Asst to V. Faithlen (qv) at Lauffen-Perneck salt-mine, Bad Ischl (deposit of art treasures).

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HEINRICH, Sebastian, Ing, HR. (Vienna)
Official.
Schlosshauptmann, Schloss Schönbrunn, Vienna (1936).
(In Schlosshauptmannschaft Schönbrunn u. Hetzendorf, Schlossverwaltung, Bundesministerium für Handel u. Verkehr.)

HEISCHMANN, Eugen, Dr. (Vienna)
Art historian.
Czech origin.
Asst in Österr. Moderne M., Vienna (1938).
Old Austrian officer. Not a Nazi.

HEIZINGER, Karl, Dr. (St Pölten, Lower Austria)
Art historian.
Dir. of St.Pölt. Sammlungen St Pölten (1935).

HEINST, Hans, Prof. (Wien I, Dorotheum, Dorotheergasse 11)
Art dealer.
Owner of Dorotheum, biggest auction rooms in Vienna.
Collected works of art in Brussels and Paris, 1944. Purchases, estimated at over 500 million francs in Paris alone, sent to Linz for Führersammlung. Some taken to Vienna by road.

HERMANN, Hermann Julius Prof, Dr. (Wien IV, Schikanedergasse 13)
Art historian.
Born 1869 in Vienna. ½ Jewish.
Formerly prof. of Art History at Univ. of Vienna.
Director Emeritus of Kunsthistorisches M.
Distinguished as art historian. Had retired before Anschluss.

HILLCH, Hans, Prof. Dr. (Vienna)
Historian.
Dir. of Österr. Inst. für Geschichtsforschung, Univ. of Vienna (before and since Anschluss). This inst. was a well-known centre of Pan-Germanism and Nazism.

HORNER, Emil, Dr. (Vienna)
Librarian.
Of Druckschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1939).

HOFFMANN, Alfred, Dr. (Linz)
Archivist.
In Oberösterr. Landes-Archiv, Linz.
Catholic; reliable.

HOFFMANN, Josef, Dr. (Vienna)
Artist.
Born about 1871 in Vienna.
Formerly Dir. of Wiener Werkstätten.

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HERMANN, Hermann Julius Prof, Dr.
(Wien IV, Schikaneder-gasse 13)

Art historian.
Born 1869 in Vienna. ½ Jewish.
Formerly prof. of Art History at Univ. of Vienna.
Director Emeritus of Kunsthistorisches M.
Distinguished as art historian. Had retired before Anschluss.

HIRSCH, Hans, Prof. Dr.
(Vienna)

Historian.
Dir. of Österr. Inst. für Geschichtsforschung, Univ. of Vienna (before and since Anschluss). This inst. was a well-known centre of Pan-Germanism and Nazism.

HORNIK, Emil, Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Of Druckschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1935).

HOSSMANN, Alfred, Dr.
(Linz)

Archivist.
In Oberösterr. Landes-Archiv, Linz.
Catholic; reliable.

HOFFMANN, Josef, Dr.
(Vienna)

Artist.
Born about 1871 in Vienna.
Formerly Dir. of Wiener Werkstätten
1941. Appt'd special mandatory of Vienna Municipal Kulturamt. for revival of Viennese artistic handicrafts.
1942. Awarded Alfred Roller prize in applied art.

HOFINGER, Josef, Dr.
(Linz)

Librarian.
Dir. of Stiftsbibliothek, Linz, until 1938.
(Succeeded by Dr Luegmayer)

HOFMANN, Gottfried, Dr.
(Wien IV, Karlsgasse 5)

Official.
Born 1893 in Tyrol.
Sektionsrat in fine arts section of Bundesministerium für Unterricht. Transferred some time after Anschluss to Reichskultusministerium, Berlin.
Secret Nazi before 1938 and one of Nazi keymen in Ministry. Dangerous man; may try to change sides again.

HOLLANDS, Karl, Dr, DR.
(Vienna)

Zoologist.
Dir. of Zoologische Abt., Naturhistorisches M, Vienna (1935).

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HOLEY, Karl Robert, Dr.

(Wien III,
Neulinggasse 25)

Architect.
Born 1879 at Leidenbach, Czechoslavakia.
Formerly prof. of Architecture in Technische Hochschule, Vienna; and Generalkonservator in Zentralstelle für Denkmalschutz. Designed many ecclesiastical buildings.
Politics christlich-sozial, belonged to Schuschniggcircle. No sympathy with Nazis.

HOLEZING,

(Wien IX, Wasagasse 10)

Archivist.
Generaldirektor, Kreisbezirk Niederdonau(1942).
Nazi party member.

HOLLNSTEINER, Johannes, Dr.

(St Florian, Upper Austria)

Librarian.
Librarian of Abbey of St Florian since 1941.
Augustinian.
Efficient Techn. quite harmless politically.
(Was in Lachau conc. camp 1940-1941.)

HOLTER, Kurt, Dr.

(Vienna)

Librarian.
Asst. in Handschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek.
Only member of this dept to remain in office after Anschluss.

HOLTZMANN, Dr

(Carinthia?)

Attached to Einsatzstab Rosenberg, Paris, Jan 1941.
On staff of Hauptbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Ammerbach, Carinthia (later moved to Tanzenberg), March 1943.
Nazi. Probably Reich German.
See also GROSS, W

HOLTZMEISTER, Clemens, Prof,Dr. Architect.

(Last Vienna address: office, Wien I,Schillerpl.; home, Wien, Nibelungergasse 1. Now in Ankara?)

Born 1886 at Matrei, Tyrol.
Well-known architect and teacher; designed many churches in Germany and Austria, buildings for Salzburg festival, etc.
Formerly Pres. of Acad. der bildenden Künste, Vienna.
Since 1939 has been in Ankara; designed Turkish Govt buildings.
Politically variable. Once Social-Democrat, he was a clerical under Dollfuss and in Schuschnigg circle. Showed no Nazi sympathies before Anschluss.

HOLZMAIR, Eduard, Dr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1902.
Asst. in Coin collection of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna (1938).

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HOLTER, Kurt, Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Asst in Handschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek.
Only member of this dept to remain in office after Anschluss.

HOLTERMANN, Dr
(Carinthia?)

Attached to Einsatzstab Rosenberg, Paris, Jan 1941.
On staff of Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Ammerlohn, Carinthia (later moved to Tarzenberg), March 1945.
Nazi. Prob[illegible], Reich German.
See also GROSS, W.

HOLTZMEISTER, Clemens, Prof, Dr. Architect.
(Last Vienna address: office, Wien I, Schillerpl.; home, Wien, Nibelungergasse 1. Now in Ankara?)

Born 1886 at Telfes, Tyrol.
Well-known architect and teacher; designed many churches in Germany and Austria, buildings for Salzburg festival, etc.
Formerly Pres. of Akad. der bildenden Künste, Vienna.
Since 1939 has been in Ankara; designed Turkish Govt buildings.
Politically variable. Once Social-Democrat, he was a clerical under Dollfuss and in Schuschnigg circle. Showed no Nazi sympathies before Anschluss.

HOLZMAIR, Eduard, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1902.
Asst. in Coin collection of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna (1938).

HOPPE, Theodor, Dr.
(Vienna)

Architect.
Age about 36. Wife is ½ Jewish.
In central office of Inst. für Denkmalschutz (1939).
Anti-Nazi, very able, 100% reliable.

HUBER, Herbert, Dr.
(Carinthia)

Official.
Native of Feldkirchen.
After Anschluss, was in succession Kreisleiter of St Veit a.d. Glan, Gauinspektor for Carinthia, and Dir. of Dept 5 (Education and Cultural Matters) in Alto Comm. Carinthia, Klagenfurt, served for a time in a SS Panzer Grenadier Company.
Arrested in Carinthia, June 1945.

HUTTER, Eduard, Ing, RR
(Salzburg)

Architect.
Oberstaatskonservator, Landeskonservator, Denkmalamt, Salzburg (1937). (Apparently succeeded by G Wittemigt.)

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HIZ, Erwin, Prof.
(Vienna)

Architect.
Prof. of Architecture in Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1941; succeeded M Theuer).

HINGOMAR, Victor.
(Salzburg)

Art historian.
Dir. of Stiftsmuseum, Abbey of St Peter, Salzburg (1936).

HSEPP, Sebastian.
(7 Bevington Rd, Oxford)

Picture restorer.
Well-known authority.
Emigrated (1938?)

JAEGER, Alfred, Dr, HR.
(Vienna)

Museum Official.
Dir. of Admin. Kanzlei, Kunsthistorisches M. Vienna (1936).

JURASCHEK, Franz, Dr.
(Linz)

Art historian.
Age about 50.
1938-45. Gau[illegible]conservator, Denkmalamt, Oberdonau, (in succession to E Hainisch).
Before Anschluss had disastrous career as publisher (Krystall-Verlag, Vienna).
Weak and unreliable man, prob. turned to Nazism to extricate himself from debt. May have been Nazi before 1938, received his appointment at Anschluss.
Has tried to ingratiate himself with AMG.
Arrested by CIC June 1945.

KAFTAN, Rudolph.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Head of the Uhren Museum, Vienna (1935).

KAINZ, Heinrich.
(Steyr, Upper Austria)

Art historian.
Dir. of S[illegible], Steyr (1935).

KALLBRUNNER, Josef, Dr.
(Vienna)

Archivist.
Generaldirektorstellvertr. Dir. of Hofkammerarchiv, Vienna (1936).

KASIMIR, Luigi.
(Wien I, Opernring 17)

Engraver and art dealer.
Took over business of Halm and Goldmann (Jewish art dealers) on its confiscation in 1938.
Nazi.

KEISSLER, K, Dr
(Vienna)

Botanist.
Dir. of Botanische Abt. Naturhistorisches M., Vienna (1935).

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(Krystall-Verlag, Vienna).
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KAFTAN, Rudolph. (Vienna)
Art historian.
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KAINZ, Heinrich. (Steyr, Upper Austria)
Art historian.
Dir. of S.Ö.St.M., Steyr (1935).

KALLBRUNNER, Josef, Dr. (Vienna)
Archivist.
Generalstaatsarchivar. Dir. of Hofkammerarchiv, Vienna (1936).

KASIMIR, Luigi. (Wien I, Opernring 17)
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Nazi.

KEISSLER, K, Dr (Vienna)
Botanist.
Dir. of Botanische Abt. Naturhistorisches M., Vienna (1935).

KERN, Eduard, Dr. (Vienna)
Official.
Apptd (1940) General Referendar of all art institutions in Vienna.

KERSCHNER, Theodor, Dr. (Linz)
Zoologist.
Age about 55.
Keeper of National Science collections in Oberösterr. Landes M., Linz (for many years).
Dir. of Landes M. since 1938.
Active Nazi for many years. Not recommended for retention in office. Fanatical and dangerous.

KIESLINGER, Franz, Dr. (Wien I, Backerstr 2; also Perchtoldsdorf)
Art historian and art dealer.
Born 1891 in Vienna.
Art dealer, esp. in sculpture, since 1918.
Assisted Oberregierungsrat Dr K Mühlmann in purchase of works of art in Holland and Italy, 1943.
See also Mühlmann, K.

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KIRSCH, Wilfried, Dr. (Vienna)
Architect.
In Zentralstelle für Denkmalschutz, Vienna (1937).

KITSCHELT, L, Dr. (Vienna)
Art historian.
Apptd asst in Kunsthistorisches M, Vienna, on Anschluss.
Member of SS and thought to be a strong Nazi.

KLAPSIA, Heinrich, Dr. (Vienna)
Art historian.
Born about 1905 in Vienna.
Asst in dept of Plastik u. Kunstgewerbe, Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna. May have succeeded R Ernst as dir. of dept between 1939 and 1943.
1943. Apptd dir. of Plastik und Kunstgewerbe in Prinz-Eugen M., Vienna.
Careerist who seems to have become Nazi party member after Anschluss for personal advancement.

KLEINER, Viktor. (Bregenz)
Art historian and archivist.
Konservator, Denkmalamt, Vorarlberg.
Landesarchivar, Vorarlberger Landes-Archiv, Bregenz.
Dir. of Vorarlberger Landes M. Bregenz. (Before and since Anschluss.)

KLEZL-NORBERG, ORR. (Vienna)
Official.
Head of Unterabt II (d) 2, Reichsgau Niederdonau. (1944). (Legal matters concerning Denkmal. and Heimatpflege.)

KNOLL, Fritz, Prof.Dr. (Vienna)
Botanist.
Rector of Univ. of Vienna (1938; succeeded by E Pernkopf).
Dir. of Botanisches M., Vienna (1935).

KOCH, Edith, Frl. (Klagenfurt)
Official.
Secretary of Kärntner Landes-M., Klagenfurt.
On staff of Dr W Frodl in Italy, 1943-45.
See also Frodl, W.

KÖRTE, Werner, Dr. (Innsbruck)
Art historian.
Apptd. (June 1941) Prof. of Art History at Univ. of Innsbruck.

KRAFT, Josef, Dr, HR.
Archivist.
Dir. of Archiv für Niederösterreich, Vienna (1936; apparently succeeded by K Lechner).

KRANZMAYER, Dr.
Dir. of Inst. [illegible]

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(Bregenz)

Konservator, Denkmalamt, Vorarlberg.
Landesarchivar, Vorarlberger Landes-Archiv, Bregenz.
Dir. of Vorarlberger Landes M. Bregenz. (Before and since Anschluss.)

KLEZL-NORBERG, ORR.

(Vienna)

Official.
Head of Unterabt II (d) 2, Reichsgau Niederdonau (1944). (Legal matters concerning Denkmal. and Heimatpflege.)

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(Klagenfurt)

Official.
Secretary of Kärntner Landes-M., Klagenfurt.
On staff of Dr W Frodl in Italy, 1943-45.
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KORTE, Werner, Dr.

(Innsbruck)

Art historian.
Apptd. (June 1941) Prof. of Art History at Univ. of Innsbruck.

KRAFT, Josef, Dr, HR.

Archivist.
Dir. of Archiv für Niederösterreich, Vienna (1936; apparently succeeded by K Lechner).

KRANZMAYER, Dr.
(Klagenfurt)

Dir. of Inst. für Kärntner Landesforschung (founded by Nazis in 1942).

KRAUPP, Josef, Dr.
(Baden b. Wien, Lower Austria)

Art historian.
Dir. of StMus. Rollett M. and of Stadtarchiv, Baden b. Wien (1935).

KRAUS, Dr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born about 1889 in Vienna.
Official in Denkmalamt until Anschluss, when he was apptd asst in Albertina. Not a great scholar.
Mild Nazi and secret party member long before 1938; not fanatical. Decent; helped a Jewish friend.

KRAUS, Hedwig, Dr.
(Vienna)

Dir. of M. der Gesellschaft der Musikfreunde, Vienna (1935).

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KRIS, Ernst, Dr.
(New York)

Art historian.
Jewish.
Formerly asst in dept of Plastik und Kunstgewerbe, Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna. First-rate scholar.
Expelled from Austria in 1938. Now in New York.
Suitable for apptmt as Dir. of Plastik und Kunstgewerbe in Kunsthist. M. if willing to return.

KRISCHAN,
(Styria)

Restorer (? of pictures).
Restored state rooms of Schloss Eggenburg, Styria, 1941.

KUNNERTH, Heinrich, Dr.
(Eisenstadt)

Archivist and official.
Head of Unterabt. II(d)6, Reichsgau Niederdonau (1944). (Control of branch Archives in Eisenstadt.)

KUNZ, Otto, Dr.
(Salzburg)

Art historian.
Dir. of Mozartmuseum, Salzburg (1938).

LANGE, Hans W.
(Bellevuestr 7, Berlin W 9; also at Vienna)

Art dealer.
Goering's agent for purchase of works of art.

LATZEL, Franz, RR.
(Vienna)

Official.
Of Inventursbüro, Verwaltung des Bundes Mobiliendepots, Vienna (1936).

LEBZELTER, V, Dr.
(Vienna)

Anthropologist.
Dir of Anthropologische Abt., Naturhistorisches M, Vienna (1935).

LECHNER, Karl, Dr,
(Vienna)

Archivist and official.
Before Anschluss: archivist in Niederösterr. Landesarchiv.
Since Anschluss: head of Unterabt. II(d)4 (Archives) of Reichsgau Niederdonau (1944). Dir. of Reichsgauarchiv of Niederdonau (succeeded J Kraft).

LEIENDECKER,
(Carinthia?)

Hausmeister in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Carinthia (later at Tanzenberg), Jan. 1944. (succeeded by Zapf)
Nazi. Probably Reich German.
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Nazi. Probably Reich German.
See also Grothe, W.

LEINWEBER, Dr.

(Salzburg)

Official.
Head of Unterabt IId (Kultur und Geneinschaftspflege), Reichsgau Salzburg (1944).

LEITHNER, Maria or Mizzi.

(Wien I, Johannesgasse)

Art dealer.
Age 40-45. Born in S Styria.
Built up flourishing business in Johannesgasse since 1930. After Anschluss, sent collections belonging to her Jewish customers out of Austria, at personal risk. Shortly before war, she had a large collection of such objects which she had been unable to export.

LEPORINI, Heinrich, Dr, RR.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1895 in Italy.
Apptd Kommissarischer Leiter in Albertina at Anschluss (on dismissal of J Bick). Is now Dir. of Albertina. Not a great scholar.
Nazi. Described as 'more of a fool but also a little of a crook'. Not fanatical, but bias of his administration appears to have been anti-Jewish.

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LIPP, Franz, Dr.
(Linz)

Ethnologist.
Discharged from Wehrmacht 1945.
Keeper of Volkskundliche Sammlung, Oberösterr Landes M. Linz.
Thought to be a Nazi but not violent.

LIPPE, Prinz zur.
(Linz)

Private collector and art amateur.
Conservative, reliable.

LOEHR, August, Dr, HR.

Art historian.
Born 1892. Died 1939 in USA. ½ Jewish.
Dir. of coin collection of Kunsthistorischen M., Vienna, till 1938. Dismissed at Anschluss (succeeded by F Dworschak).

LUEGMAYER, Dr.
(Linz)

Librarian.
Dir of Studienbibliothek, Linz, 1938-45.
(Succeeded by E Stranzmayr.)
Dismissed for Nazi activities, May 1945.

LUGMAYER, Karl, Dr.
(Vienna)

Official.
Volksbildungsreferent in Bürgermeisterschaft, Vienna (1936). Member of Bundes-Kulturrat.

LUITHLEN, Viktor, Dr.
(Bad Ischl, Grazerstr, Upper Austria)

Art historian.
Asst in Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.
At present (June 45) in charge of works of art deposited in Laufen-Perneck salt-mine.
Assisted by - Hatzinek.

MACHURA, Lothar, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1909.
Asst in Niederösterr. Landes M., Vienna (1938).

MAHR, Adolf, Dr.
(Vienna)

Archaeologist.
Sudeten German who came to Austria after 1914-18 war.
Something asst in Prähistorisches M., Vienna; Dir. of National M., of Ireland.
Said to have been designated by Hitler as Gauleiter for Ireland.

MAHDL, Johann, Dr.
(Graz)

Art historian.
Dir. of Diözesan M. Graz (1935).

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MAITTE, Franz, Dr. (E)

Art historian and art [illegible]

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LUCHAYER, Karl, Dr.
(Vienna)

Official.
Volksbildungsreferent in Bürgermeisterschaft, Vienna (1936). Member of Bundes-Kulturrat.

LUITHLEN, Viktor, Dr.
(Bad Ischl, Grazerstr, Upper Austria)

Art historian.
Asst in Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.
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Art historian.
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Asst in Niederösterr. Landes M., Vienna (1938).

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Archaeologist.
Sudeten German who came to Austria after 1914-18 war.
Sometime asst in Prähistorisches M., Vienna; Dir. of National M., of Ireland.
Said to have been designated by Hitler as Gauleiter for Ireland.

MANDL, Johann, Dr.
(Graz)

Art historian.
Dir. of Diözesan M. Graz (1935).

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MARTIN, Franz, Dr, HR.
(Salzburg)

Archivist and art historian.
Generalstaatsarchivar.
Dir of Archiv der Landesregierung, Salzburg; Archivist in Städt. M. Carolino-Augusteum; Dir of Residenz-Galerie, Salzburg. (1938).

MATZENAUER, Friedrich, Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Head of Zuwachsabt. of Druckschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1935).

MAUER, Otto.
(Wien II, Karmeliterngasse 10)

Priest.
Head of Amt für religiöse Kultur der Kath. Aktion, Vienna.
Well-known in anti-Nazi circles, esp. among artists.

MAYRHOFER, Petrus, Dr O.S.B.

Benedictine Monk.
Kunstverwalter at Abbey of Kremsmünster, 1938-45.
Passed as anti-Nazi during Nazi regime; but discovered to be an agent of SS. Arrested by CIC May 1945.
Has information on movements of art treasures (esp. those for Führersammlung) to and from Kremsmünster.

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MEERAUS, Robert, Dr. (Graz)
Art historian.
Dir. of StAdt. M., Graz (1935).

MEIER, Hans P., Prof, Dr. (Klagenfurt)
Art historian.
Dir. of Historisches M., Kärntner Landes M., Klagenfurt (1938; succeeded by W NEGDL).

MEIL, Alfred, Dr. (Vienna)
Art historian.
Dir. of Österr. Heeres M., Vienna (1935).

MENGHIN, Oswald, Prof. Dr. (Vienna)
Palaeontologist.
Prof. of Palaeontology at Univ. of Vienna. Rector of Univ. (1936).
Dir. of Prähistorische Abt. of Naturhistorisches M.
Minister of Education under Seyss-Inquart.
Pan-German and active Nazi.

MICHEL, Hermann, Prof, Dr, HR. (Vienna)
Geologist.
Erster Dir. of Naturhistorisches M., Vienna (1935).
Dir. of Mineralogisch-petrographische Abt., Naturhistorisches M. (1935).

MIETHKE, Josef, Dr.
Art historian and art dealer.
Age about 45. Born at Salzburg. (Brother of Kajetan M.) Formerly lived in Linz.
Head of Warsaw office of 'Sonderbeauftragter für die Erfassung und Sicherstellung der Kunst-und Kulturschätze'. Said to have removed objects from Royal Palace, Warsaw.
Nazi party member. Went into art trade after Anschluss.

MIETHKE, Kajetan, Dr. (Unter den Linden 27, Berlin)
Staatssekretär. (Brother of Josef M.)
Representative in Cracow and S Poland of "Sonderbeauftragter für die Erfassung und Sicherstellung der Kunst-und Kulturschätze".
Responsible for looting in and near Cracow.
Active in 1940 in Holland, Belgium and France.
Directed in Holland a special dept in Reichs-kommissariat for purchasing of works of art.
Concerned in transactions for purchase of art treasures in Italy, 1943.
Assistants: Dr E Flietzsch and Dr F Kieslinger.
See also ADDENDA.

MÜLLNER, Michael, Dr
Art historian (?).

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MICHEL, Hermann, Prof, Dr, HR. (Vienna)
Geologist.
Erster Dir. of Naturhistorisches M., Vienna (1935).
Dir. of Mineralogisch-petrographische Abt., Naturhistorisches M. (1938).

MUHLMANN, Josef, Dr.
Art historian and art dealer.
Age about 45. Born at Salzburg. (Brother of Kajetan M.) Formerly lived in Linz.
Head of Warsaw office of 'Sonderbeauftragter für die Erfassung and Sicherstellung der Kunst-und Kulturschätze'. Said to have removed objects from Royal Palace, Warsaw.
Nazi party member. Went into art trade after Anschluss.

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Assistants: Dr E Plietzsch and Dr F Kieslinger.
See also ADDENDA.

MULLNER, Michael, Dr (Vienna)
Art historian (?).
Born 1889.
Asst in Niederösterr. Landes M., Vienna (1938).

MUNZ, Ludwig, Dr. (13 Meridew Court, Chelsea Manor Rd, London)
Art historian.
Jewish.
No official position before 1938. Expert on graphic art and Dutch painting.
Emigrated 1938/39. Wishes to return to Austria.
Suitable for post at Albertina or Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.

MUTTER, Dr. (Linz)
Engineer.
Asst. in Führersammlung.
Now (June 1945) custodian of collections remaining at Abbey of Hohenfurth.

MZIK, Hans, Prof, Dr, HR. (Vienna)
Librarian.
Dir. of Karten-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1935).

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NEUMÜLLER, Willibrord, Dr, OSB. (Kremsmünster, Upper Austria)
Benedictine Monk
Formerly head of Gymnasium at Kremsmünster.
Expelled from Upper Austria 1939.
Recalled June 1945 to be Kunstverwalter at Kremsmünster (in succession to P Mayrhofer).

NEY, Dr. (Carinthia?)
Librarian.
Probably Reich German.
Asst. librarian in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Arnoldheim, Carinthia (later at Tanzenberg), March 1943.
Nazi.
See also GROTHE, W.

NICOLUSSI, A, Dr. (St Florian, Upper Austria)
Art historian.
Kunstverwalter at Abbey of St Florian (1935).

NIKOLUSSI, Anton, Dr. (Klagenfurt)
Archaeologist.
"Inspector" of Kärntner Landes M. Klagenfurt.
Asst. to Dr W Frödl in Italy.
See also FRODL, W.

NOSSLBOCK, Ignaz, Dr. (Graz)
Archivist.
Landesarchivdirektor in Steiermärk. Landes-Archiv, Graz; and dir. of Landesregierungs. archiv (1935).

NOLL, Rudolf, Dr. (Wien XVIII, Koschatgasse 104)
Art historian.
Age about 40.
Asst in Antiken-Sammlung of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.
Although apparently leader of Vaterländische Front in Kunsthist M., Noll was a secret Nazi.
Despicable opportunist, who acted as spy among his colleagues and tried to rob Jewish emigrants.

NOVOTNY, Fritz, Dr. (Vienna)
Art historian.
Age about 42.
Asst at Österreichische Gal. (Belvedere) (1938).
Dozent at Univ of Vienna.
Good Scholar.
Anti-Nazi and internationalist. Reliable.

OBERLEITNER, Johann, Dr. (Linz)
Librarian.
Librarian of OberÖsterr. Landes M., Linz (before and since Anschluss).

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(St Florian, Upper Austria) — Kunstverwalter at Abbey of St Florian (1935).

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OBERMEITNER, Johann, Dr.
(Linz)
Librarian.
Librarian of ÖberÖsterr. Landes M., Linz (before and since Anschluss).

OBERWALDER, Oskar, Dr.
(Vienna)
Art historian.
(Woman.)
Oberstaatskonservator, in central office of Inst. für Denkmalschutz (1939).
Nazi party member. Not recommended for employment.

ORTEL, Alfred, Dr.
(?Alexander)
(Vienna)
Archaeologist.
Born 1891.
Asst. in Historisches M. der Stadt Wien (1938).

OTTINGER, Karl Dr.
(Vienna)
Art historian.
Age about 45.
Formerly asst at Österr. M. für Kunst und Industrie.
Prof. of Art History at Univ. of Vienna. Clever art historian.
Secret Nazi party member under Schuschnigg.
Dangerous intriguer, ambitious and pushing.
Persecuted anti-Nazi colleagues.
Friend of L Ruprecht and R Eigenberger.

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PERKTNIG, Josef Friedrich, (Klagenfurt) — Prof. Vertreter der Wissenschaft und Kunst, Kärntner Landtag (1936).

PERNKOPF, Eduard, Prof.Dr. (Vienna) — University Professor.
Born 1888.
Rector of Univ. of Vienna (1944; in succession to F Knoll).

PETRIN, Leodegar, Dr. (Vienna) — Art historian.
Pres of Zentralstelle für Denkmalschutz (1937; succeeded by H Seiberl).

PINDUR, Dr, ORR, (Wien, Herrengasse 11) — Official.
Head of Unterabt. IIId (Kulturangelegenheiten), Reichsgau Niederdonau (1944).

PINK, Karl, Dr. Pater. (Wien XII, Sechshauserstr 99) — Archaeologist.
Age about 57.
Asst. in Antiken-Sammlung, Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna (1937).
Catholic and anti-Nazi.

PLANISCIG, Leo, Dr. (Florence?) — Art historian.
Dir. of Plastik und Kunstgewerbe in Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna, till 1938. (Succeeded by R Ernst.)
Fled to Florence to avoid a scandal connected with the purchase of pictures by 'another great European museum'.
Said to be 'of great learning and intelligence'.

PLIETZSCH, Eduard, Dr. (Vienna?) — Art historian.
Age about 55.
Expert on Vermeer.
Assisted K Mühlmann in Holland 1941-44, in special bureau for 'acquiring' works of art.
See also Mühlmann, K.

PÖSCHMÜLLER, Dr. (Wien I, Judenpl 11; also Bad Ischl) — Gen. dir. of salt mines.
Should have information on deposits of art treasures in salt mines of Salzkammergut.

POKORNY, Kurt, Dr. (Graz, Ballhausgasse 1) — Official.
Head of Unterabt. IId (Kultur u. Gemeinschaftspflege), Reichsgau Steiermark (1944).

POLASCHEK, Erich , Dr. (W[illegible]) — Art historian.
Born 1885.

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(Florence?)

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POLASCHEK, Erich , Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1885.
Dir. of Städt. Sammlungen der Stadt Wien (1938; in succession to H Reuther?).

POLHAMMER, Karl, Prof, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian and picture restorer.
Born 1891 at Salzburg.
Perhaps asst at Albertina, Vienna.
After 1939, was a collaborator of the 'Sonderbeauftragter für die Erfassung und Sicherstelling der Kunst-und Kulturschätze' in Cracow. Connected with removal of scientific collections and libraries.
Said to be a Nazi 'of the provincial idealistic brand'.

POPP, Alexander.
(Wien XVII, Rieglergasse 8)

Architect.
Age about 55.
Pres. of Akademie der bildender Künste, called after Anschluss' Meisterschule für Kunsterziehung (1944; succeeded K Storrer).
No certain information on his political attitude.

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POPP, Johann, Mgr. (Vienna) — Dir. of Erzbischöfl. Dom u. Diözesan M., Vienna (1935).

POSSE, Hans, Dr — Art historian.
Born 1879 at Dresden. Died 1942 at Berlin.
1910-42. Dir. of Staatl. Gemäldegalerie, Dresden.
1939. Apptd Dir. of projected Führersammlung, Linz, with the task of forming collections.
Active in 'collecting' works for Führersammlung 1939-42:- Confiscated Jewish collections in Vienna (1939-41); France, Belgium, Holland, Italy (1941-42); Prague, Lobkowitz collection and Prague Museum; etc, etc.

PRASCHNIKER, Camillo, Prof, Dr. (Vienna) — Archaeologist.
Born 1884.
Prof. of Classical Archaeology at Univ. of Vienna.
Dir. of Österr. Archäologisches Inst. A good scholar.
Formerly pan-German and anti-semitic. Not known if a Nazi.

PROBST, G. von, Dr. (Stift Hohenfurth, Czechoslovakia) — Art historian.
Designated deputy keeper of coin collection of Führersammlung.
Now (June 1945) living in Abbey of Hohenfurth.

PROSSER, Theodor. (Klagenfurt) — Botanist.
Head of Botanischer Garten of Naturkundliches M., Kärntner Landes M., Klagenfurt (1935).

PUHRINGER, Rudolf, Dr. (Vienna) — Art historian.
Asst in Hofgres M. Vienna.
Able man. Probably pan-German. 7089

RATHE, Kurt, Dr. (Vatican) — Art historian.
Asst in Graph Sammlung of Nationalbibliothek till 1935.
Emigrated 1938/39. Wishes to return to Austria.
Very good scholar; many publications.
Suitable for post at Albertina or Österr. M. für Kunst und Industrie. Willing to consider taking such an apptmt if offered.

RATZER, Franz, Dr, HR. (Klagenfurt) — Official.
Before Anschluss, head of Abt 11 (Schulangelegenheiten) and 12 (cultural affairs) in Landeshauptmannschaft, Carinthia.

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Official.
Before Anschluss, head of Abt 11 (Schulangelegenheiten) and 12 (cultural affairs) in Landeshauptmannschaft, Carinthia.
Since Anschluss, head of Abt II (Erziehung, Volksbildung, Kultur u. Gemeinschaftspflege), Reichsgau Kärnten.

REDLICH, Oswald, Prof, Dr, Hr.
(Vienna)
Pres. of Akad. der Wissenschaften, Vienna (1936; succeeded by H von Srbik).

REICHEL, Anton, Dr, HR.
(Wien III, Ungergasse 71)
Art historian.
Born 1877 at Graz.
Asst and Stellvertr. Dir. of Albertina.
Said to be 'politically colourless'. May have been Nazi sympathiser. Very ill in 1939.

REIMER, Dr.
(Dresden)
Art historian.
Reich German.
Designated deputy dir. of Führersammlung (under H Voss).

Reiter, Julius, Ing, HR.
(Vienna)
Official.
Dir. of Bundes mobiliendepot, Vienna (1936).

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REUTHER, H.
(Vienna)
Art historian.
Dir. of Städt. Sammlungen der Stadt Wien (1935; succeeded by E Polaschek).

RICHTER-BIENENTHAL, Prof.
(Styria)
Restorer (?).
Restored state rooms of Schloss Eggenburg, Styria, 1941.

RINGLER, Josef, Dr.
(Innsbruck)
Art historian.
Born 1895.
Dir. of Tiroler Volkskunst-M., Innsbruck (1938).
Reliable. No politics before the war.

ROCK, Fritz, Prof, Dr.
(Vienna)
Ethnologist.
Born 1879.
Dir. of M., für Völkerkunde (Ethographische Abt. of Naturhistorisches M.), Vienna (1938).

RUMPOLD, Anton.
(Graz, Konrad von Hötzendorferstr 22)
Archivist.
In Landesregierungsarchiv for Styria, Graz (1936).

RUPRECHT, L, Dr.
(Vienna)
Art historian and art dealer.
Age about 50.
At Anschluss, appt'd Dir. of Waffensammlung in Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna (in succession to A Gross).
Illegal Nazi party member and informant before 1938; influential and dangerous. Personal honesty doubtful.
Connected with confiscated Jewish collections of Vienna.

RUPRICH, Hans, Dr.
(Wien VIII, Piaristengasse 36/37)
Historian.
Born 1899 at Alt-Rupperdorf.
Prof. at Univ. of Vienna and at Akademie der bildenden Künste. Special field: history of humanism.
Convinced Nazi.

SALIGER, Rudolf, Dr.
(Vienna)
Rector of Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1938; succeeded by H Sequens).

SASSI, Moritz, Dr.
(Vienna)
Zoologist.
Keeper of collection of birds in Zoologische Abt., Naturhistorischen M., Vienna.

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| [illegible], Anton.<br>(Graz, Konrad von Hötzendorferstr 22) | Archivist.<br>In Landesregierungsarchiv for Styria, Graz (1936). |
| [illegible], L, Dr.<br>(Vienna) | Art historian and art dealer.<br>Age about 50.<br>At Anschluss, apptd Dir. of Waffensammlung in Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna (in succession to A Groaz).<br>Illegal Nazi party member and informant before 1938; influential and dangerous. Personal honesty doubtful.<br>Connected with confiscated Jewish collections of Vienna. |
| HUPFAUER, Hans, Dr.<br>(Wien VIII, Piaristengasse 35/37) | Historian.<br>Born 1899 at Alt-Aussee.<br>Prof. at Univ. of Vienna and at Akademie der bildenden Künste. Special field: history of humanism.<br>Convinced Nazi. |
| SAILER, Rudolf, Dr.<br>(Vienna) | Rector of Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1938; succeeded by H Seguens). |
| SASSI, Moritz, Dr.<br>(Vienna) | Zoologist.<br>Keeper of collection of birds in Zoologische Abt., Naturhistorisches M., Vienna.<br>Conservative, not a Nazi. |
| SAX,<br>(Graz, Landhaus, Herrengasse 16) | Archivist.<br>Gauarchiver, Reichsgau Steiermark (1942).<br>Nazi party member. |
| SCHADLER, Josef, Dr.<br>(Linz) | Geologist.<br>Age about 50.<br>Keeper of Mineralogisch-Geologische Abt., Oberbaustr. Landes. M. Linz.<br>Pan-German, may have been Nazi. Not active politically; probably harmless. |
| SCHAFFER, F, Prof, Dr, HR.<br>(Vienna) | Geologist.<br>Dir. of Geologisch-paläontologische Abt., Naturhistorisches M., Vienna (1939). |
| SCHAFFERNAK, Friedrich, Prof.<br>(Vienna) | Pro-doctor of Technische Hochschule, Vienna (before and since Anschluss). |

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SCHLESINGER, Günther, Prof, Dr, HR.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Dir. of Niederösterr. Landes M., Vienna (apptd since Anschluss).
Head of Unterabt II(d)3,
Reichsgau Niederdonau (1944). (Technical matters relating to Heimatpflege.
Thought to be a Nazi.

SCHLOSSER, Ignaz, Dr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Age about 45.
Asst in Österr. M. für Kunst und Industrie, Vienna.
Solid scholar.
Quiet, reliable, decent man. Not a Nazi.

SCHLOSSER, Julius, Dr, HR.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Asst in Kunsthistorisches Inst. of Univ. of Vienna.
Said to be not a Nazi.

SCHMID, Theodor, Dr.

(Klagenfurt)

Librarian.
Dir. of Studienbibliothek, Klagenfurt (1935; succeeded by - Fuchs).

SCHMID, Walter, Prof, Dr.

(Graz)

Archaeologist.
Head of Altertums-Sammlung und Münzkabinett, Landes M., Graz (1938).

SCHMIDT, (Heinrich) Justus, Dr.
(Linz)

Art historian.
Age about 50.
Since 1936 keeper of Kunsthistorische Abt., Oberdonau, Landes M., Linz.
1941-45. Vollmachtbeauftragter of Unterabt. IIa, Reichsgau Oberdonau (in succession to A Feltner).
May 1945. Apptd, by AMG, Leiter of Kulturamt in Landesleitung Oberdonau.
Sound scholar, honest and reliable man; not much of an administrator. Certainly anti-Nazi.

SCHOBER, Arnold, Prof.Dr.

(Graz)

Archaeologist

Prof. of Archaeology at Univ. of Graz (apptd 1940).

SCHRUTKA, L. ,Prof. Dr.

Dozentenführer of Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1942).

SCHÜTZ, , Prof,

Librarian (?).

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(Klagenfurt)

Dir. of Landesbibliothek, Klagenfurt (1955; succeeded by - Fuchs).

SCHMID, Walter, Prof, Dr.
(Graz)

Archaeologist.
Head of Altertums-Sammlung and Münzkabinett, Landes M., Graz (1938).

SCHMIDT, (Heinrich) Justus, Dr.
(Linz)

Art historian.
Age about 50.
Since 1956 keeper of Kunsthistorische Abt., Oberösterr. Landes M., Linz.
1941-45. Kulturbeauftragter of Unterabt. IIId, Reichgau Oberdonau (in succession to A Fellner).
May 1945. Apptd, by AMG, Leiter of Kulturamt in Landesregierung Oberösterr.
Sound scholar, honest and reliable man; not much of an administrator. Certainly anti-Nazi.

SCHOBER, Arnold, Prof.Dr.
(Graz)

Archaeologist

Prof. of Archaeology at Univ. of Graz (apptd 1940).

SCHRUTKA, L. ,Prof. Dr.

Dozentenführer of Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1942).

SCHÜTZ, , Prof.

Librarian (?)
Probably Reich German.
Personalreferent in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Carinthia (later at Tanzenberg), Jan. 1944.
Nazi.
See also GROTZ, W.

SCHÜTZENHOFER, Viktor, Ing.

Official.
Born 1878.
Dir. of Technisches M. für Industrie u. Gewerbe, Vienna (1938).

SCHWARZ, Heinrich, Dr.
(In U.S.A.)

Art historian.
Age about 43. Jewish.
Formerly asst in Osterreichische Gal. (Belvedere). Dismissed in 1938.
Emigrated to U.S.A., and holds museum post. Wishes to return to Austria.
Reliable.

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SCHWARZ, K.
(Innsbruck)
Art historian.
Asst. in Tiroler Landes.M., Innsbruck (1938).

SCHWEIDLER, Egon, Dr.
(Vienna)
Vice-Pres. of Akademie der Wissenschaften in Wien (1939).

SCHWEITZER,
(Klagenfurt, Wienergasse 11/I)
Archivist.
Gauarchivar, Reichsgau Kärnten (1942).
Nazi party member.

SEDLMAYR, Hans, Prof. Dr.
Art historian.
Born 1896 in Vienna.
Prof. of Art History and Dir. of Kunsthistorisches Inst., at Univ. of Vienna. (Before and since Anschluss.)
Brilliant scholar and art historian.
Very unbalanced, unreliable and ambitious.
Illegal Nazi, active before 1938.
Has attempted to apply Nazi and pan-German doctrines to art history.

SEIBERL, Herbert, Dr.
Art historian.
Age about 35.
Before 1938, was junior asst in central office of Inst. für Denkmalschutz.
At Anschluss, was only Nazi party member in office and became Kommissarischer Leiter, later Pres., of Inst. für Denkmalpflege, and Gaukonservator, Niederdonau. (presumably in succession to L. Petrin).
Nazi party member under Schuschnigg; not a fanatic. Said to have behaved decently and not misused power.
Might be re-employed in less important post. Now (June 1945) at Bad Aussee, in charge of deposits in Alt-Aussee saltmine.

SEMETKOWSKI, Hans von, Dr, RR.
(Graz)
Art historian.
Age about 55.
Formerly Landeskonservator, Denkmalamt, Styria (succeeded by L. Anderfer).

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SEIBERL, Herbert, Dr.

Art historian.
Age about 35.
Before 1938, was junior asst in central office of Inst. für Denkmalschutz.
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Might be re-employed in less important post.
Now (June 1945) at Bad Aussee, in charge of deposits in Alt-Aussee saltmine.

SEMETKOWSKI, Hans von, Dr, RR.
(Graz)

Art historian.
Age about 55.
Formerly LandesKonservator, Denkmalamt, Styria (succeeded by E. Anderfer).
Good man, liberal, anti-Nazi.

SEQUENZ, Heinrich, Prof. Dr.

Rector of Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1944; succeeded R. Saliger). (The Tech. Hochschule was a well known centre of Nazism.)

SIEGRIS, Emmerich, Ing.

(Vienna)

Architect.

StaatsKonservator in Zentralstelle für Denkmalschutz (1936).

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SILBER, Max, Dr.
(Salzburg)

Art historian.
Died 1942 at Salzburg.
Asst. in Städt. M., Salzburg; and
Dir. of Salzburger Volkskunde-M.
(Monat-Schlösschen), Hellbrunn.

SILBERBAUER, Fritz, Prof.
(Styria)

Restorer (?)

Restored state rooms of Schloss Eggenburg,
Styria, 1941.

SITTE, H. , Prof. Dr.
(Innsbruck)

Archaeologist.
Dir. of Archäologische Sammlung, Univ. of
Innsbruck (1938).

SOMZEE, Gisela von, Frau.
(St. Florian)

Picture restorer.
On staff of Oberösterr. Landes-M., Linz.
Since 1942, resident at St. Florian, in
charge of pictures of Abbey.
Very reliable and efficient.

SPÄTH, , Prof.
(Vienna)

Secretary of Akademie der Wissenschaften
in Wien (1942).

SPILLMANN, Franz, Dr.
(Linz)

Palaeontologist.
Age about 45.
Keeper of Palaeontological collection,
Oberösterr.Landes-M., Linz.
Has worked in S. America.
Nazi. Close associate of T. Kerschner.

SPITZMÜLLER, Anna, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born about 1904 in Austria.
Asst. in Albertina (before and since Anschluss).
Sound scholar. Strongly Anglophile.
Christlich-sozial; Vaterländischer
Front. Anti-Nazi. Thoroughly reliable.

SRBIK, Heinrich von, Ritter.
(Vienna)

Historian.
Born 1878.
Sometime Dir. of Österr. Inst. für
Geschichtsforschung.

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Very reliable and efficient.

SPÄTH, , Prof.
(Vienna)
Secretary of Akademie der Wissenschaften in Wien (1942).

SPILLMANN, Franz, Dr.
(Linz)
Palaeontologist.
Age about 45.
Keeper of Palaeontological collection, Oberösterr.Landes-M., Linz.
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SPITZMÜLLER, Anna, Dr.
(Vienna)
Art historian.
Born about 1904 in Austria.
Asst. in Albertina (before and since Anschluss).
Sound scholar. Strongly Anglophile.
Christlich-sozial; Vaterländischer Front. Anti-Nazi. Thoroughly reliable.

SRBIK, Heinrich von, Ritter.
(Vienna)
Historian.
Born 1878.
Sometime Dir. of Österr. Inst. für Geschichtsforschung.
Pres. of Akademie der Wissenschaften in Wien (in succession to O. Redlich).
Pan-German. Member of Reichstag.

STARZACHER, K.
(Klagenfurt)
Archivist.
Landesarchivdirektor for Carinthia.
Violent Nazi; in service of SS in Italy.
Thought to have been killed in Italy by partisans.

STERNER, Karl, Prof. Dr.
(Wien I, Böcklinstr.1)
Art historian.
Pres. of Akademie der bildenden Künste, Vienna (1938: succeeded by .Popp).
Said to be not a Nazi.

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STIX, Alfred, Dr. HR.

(In U.S.A.?)

Art historian.
Born 1882 in Vienna.
1923-34. Dir. of Albertina.
1934-38. Erster Dir. of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna; and Dir. of Gemäldegalerie.
Dismissed by Nazis at Anschluss.
Clerical and monarchist; member of Vaterländische Front. Anti-Nazi.
May now be in U.S.A.

STOLZ, Otto, Prof. Dr.

(Innsbruck)

Archivist.

Dir. of Landesregierungsarchiv für Tirol, Innsbruck (1935).

STRASSER, Josef, Peter.

(Salzburg)

Archivist.
Archivist of Abbey of St. Peter, Salzburg (1935).

STRASSMAYR, Eduard, Dr.

(Linz)

Archivist and librarian.
Age about 50.
Landesarchivrat, in Oberösterr. Landes-Archiv, Linz.
Asptd. Dir. of Studienbibliothek Linz, May 1945 (in succession to Dr. Luegmayer).
Reliable.

STROH, Franz, Dr.

(Linz)

Archaeologist.
Keeper of Prähistorische Sammlung, Oberösterr. Landes-M., Linz. (before and since Anschluss).

STROHMER, Erich, Dr.

(Wien VIII, Landongasse 18)

Art historian.
Born 1884 in Vienna.
Librarian in Kunsthistoriches M. in Vienna since 1922.
Very able man.
Harmless; possibly Nazi sympathies.

STUCHL, Karl.

Archivist.
In charge of

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| (Salzburg) | Archivist of Abbey of St. Peter, Salzburg (1935). |
| STRASSMAYR, Eduard, Dr.<br><br>(Linz) | Archivist and librarian.<br>Age about 50.<br>Landesarchivrat, in Oberösterr. Landes-Archiv, Linz.<br>Apptd. Dir. of Studienbibliothek Linz, May 1945 (in succession to Dr. Luegmayer).<br>Reliable. |
| STROH, Franz, Dr.<br><br>(Linz) | Archaeologist.<br>Keeper of Prähistorische Sammlung, Oberösterr. Landes-M., Linz. (before and since Anschluss). |
| STROHMER, Erich, Dr.<br><br>(Wien VIII, Laudongasse 18) | Art historian.<br>Born 1884 in Vienna.<br>Librarian in Kunsthistoriches M. in Vienna since 1922.<br>Very able man.<br>Harmless; possibly Nazi sympathies. |
| STUCHL, Karl.<br><br>(Linz, Spittelwiese 13/I; and Urfahr, Franz-Foisner-Pl.3) | Archivist.<br>In charge of political archives of non-Nazi parties in Landeshauptmannschaft before Anschluss. Re-apptd Gauarchivar 1940. Still (1945) holds this hon.apptmt provisionally.<br>S., though not a trained archivist, is an enthusiast who has saved a great deal of political mate ial from destruction. He has a large private collection; and was responsible for evacuating the 'Gauarchiv' to the repository at Aschach, which should be investigated with him or with his secretary (Frl Seidl).<br>Politically, although he made his peace with the Nazis, he is considered harmless. If retained, he should work under direction of Landes-Archiv. |

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STÜCKER, N. , Dr.
(Graz)

Librarian.

Dir. of Landesbibliothek, Graz (1935).

TEICHL, Robert, Dr, HR.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Formerly deputy dir. of National-Bibliothek, Vienna.
At Anschluss, became director (in succession to J. Bick).
Very able librarian.

Always pan-German, probably Nazi.
Unsavoury connection with sequestrated Jewish property, where his respect for intellectual work proved weaker than his conservatorial greed. Connected with confiscation of Jewish libraries in Trieste.

THEUER, Max, Prof.
(Vienna)

Architect.
Prof. of Architecture in Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1938; succeeded by E.Ilz).

THOMAS, Bruno, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born 1910.
Asst in Waffen-Sammlung of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.
Interested in Polish art. May have infm on art treasures looted from Warsaw museums and collections, esp. Army Museum.
Mildly Nazi. Became party member; said to be really non-political.

TIETZE, Hans, Prof. Dr.
(U.S.A.)

Art historian.
Jewish?
Prof. of Art History in Univ. of Vienna till 1938.
Dismissed at Anschluss.
Emigrated in 1938 to U.S.A.

TILL, Walter, Prof. Dr.
(Vienna)

Orientalist.
In Papyrussammlung (Oriental...

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confiscation of Jewish libraries in Trieste.

THEINER, Max, Prof.
(Vienna)
Architect.
Prof. of Architecture in Technische Hochschule, Vienna (1938; succeeded by E.Ilz).

THOMAS, Bruno, Dr.
(Vienna)
Art historian.
Born 1910.
Asst in Waffen-Sammlung of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.
Interested in Polish art. May have infm on art treasures looted from Warsaw museums and collections, esp. Army Museum.
Mildly Nazi. Became party member; said to be really non-political.

TIETZE, Hans, Prof. Dr.
(U.S.A.)
Art historian.
Jewish?
Prof. of Art History in Univ. of Vienna till 1938.
Dismissed at Anschluss.
Emigrated in 1936 to U.S.A.

TILL, Walter, Prof. Dr.
(Vienna)
Orientalist.
In Papyrussammlung (Oriental. Abt.), Nationalbibliothek, Vienna (1936).

TONY, Anton.
(Carinthia?)
Deputy Hausmeister of Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP HoheSchule, Ammerheim, Carinthia (later at Tanzenberg), Jan. 1944.
Wife was deputy housekeeper.
Nazi.
See also CROTIE, W.

TRAEER, Franz Xavier.
(Salzburg)
Archivist.
Dir. of Fürstbischöfliches Konsistorialarchiv, Salzburg (1935).

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TRAIT, Oswald, Grof.
(Innsbruck)

Art Historian.
Age 45-47. Old Austrian family, from Churburg in S.Tyrol.

Landeskonservator, Denkmalamt, Tyrol, and Dir. of Tiroler Landes-M., Innsbruck. (Before and since Anschluss.) Very efficient.
Typical Tyrolean conservative Art aristocrat. Strongly anti-Nazi. Good, reliable man.

TRATZ, Eduard Paul.
(Salzburg)

Scientist.
Dir. of Museum f.Naturkunde, Salzburg.

TRENDE, Adolf, Dr.
(Carinthia?)

Librarian.
Born 1892. Probably Reich German.
Deputy dir. of Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Ammenheim, Carinthia (later at Tannenberg), March 1943.
Wife also employed in Zentralbibliothek.
Nazi.
See also GROTHE, W.

TRENKLER, Ernst, Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Asst in Druckschriftensammlung, National-bibliothek, Vienna (1935).
Said to be not a Nazi.

TREVEN, Karl.
(Klagenfurt)

Scientist.
Dir. of Naturkundliches M., Kärntner Landes-M., Klagenfurt (1938).

TRINKS, Erich, Dr.
(Linz)

Archivist.
Age about 45.
Landesarchivrat, in OberDonau Landes-Archiv, Linz. Good scholar.
Non-political, reliable.

TUAL, Siegfried,

Art historian.

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TOENNE, Adolf, Dr.
(Carinthia?)

Librarian.
Born 1892. Probably Reich German.
Deputy dir. of Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Ammerheim, Carinthia (later at Tanzenberg), March 1943.
Wife also employed in Zentralbibliothek.
Nazi.
See also GROTHE, W.

TRENKLER, Ernst, Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Asst in Druckschriftensammlung, National-bibliothek, Vienna (1935).
Said to be not a Nazi.

TREVER, Karl.
(Klagenfurt)

Scientist.
Dir. of Naturkundliches M., Kärntner Landes-M., Klagenfurt (1938).

TRINKS, Erich, Dr.
(Linz)

Archivist.
Age about 45.
Landesarchivrat, in ÖberÖsterr. Landes-Archiv, Linz. Good scholar.
Non-political, reliable.

TROLL, Siegfried,
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born about 1883, prob. in Austria.
Asst in Österr. M. für KunstundIndustrie, Vienna (oriental carpets).
'Ideological' Nazi. Secret party member under Schuschnigg. Said to be decent.

VANCSA, , Dr.
(Vienna)

Librarian.
Head of Unterabt II(a) 5, Reichsgau Niederdonau, 1944. (Libraries in general and administration of Gau-Bibliothek.)

VOSS, Hermann, Dr.
(Dresden)

Art historian.
Reich German.
Dir. of Staatl. Gemäldegalerie, Dresden, since 1942 (in succession to H. Posse).
1942. Apptd dir. of Führersammlung (in succession to H. Posse).

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WAGNER,
(Wien I,
Gauhaus, Room 96)

Archivist.
Gauarchivar, Reichsgau Wien.
(1942)
Nazi party member.

WALTNER, Karl, Ing. HR.
(Vienna)

Official.
Of Schlossverwaltung (Burghauptmannschaft in Wien) in Bundesministerium für Handel u. Verkehr (1936).

WALLNER, Emil, Dr.

(Vienna)

Librarian.
Of Handschriften-Sammlung, National-bibliothek, Vienna (1938).
Excellent-scholar.
Probably unpolitical.

WEINMULLER, Adolf.

(München, Marie-Theresienstr;
Am Gäckerplatz 1.
Wien I, Rothentumgasse.)

Art dealer.
Age about 60.
Has been working for Nazi officials in acquisition of works of art.
Party member before 1933. Sly and unscrupulous.

WEISS, Frau L.

(Carinthia?)

Housekeeper in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Ammenheim, Carinthia, Jan. 1944; and probably later at Tanzenberg.
Nazi. Probably Reich German.
See also GROTHE, W.

WEIXLGÄRTNER, Arpad, Dr. Hr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born about 1873. Died 1939/40.
Jewish wife.
Formerly Dir. of Weltliche & Geistliche Schatzkammer, Vienna.
Forced to resign at Anschluss.

WELZ, Friedrich.

(Salzburg)

Art dealer.
Owner of Galerie Welz, Salzburg; with branch in Vienna (run by K. Haereither).
Commissioned by Gauleiter & Reichsstatthalter of Salzburg to buy works of art in Paris.

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WEILMULLER, Adolf.

(München, Maria-Theresienstr; Am Odeonsplatz 1. Wien I, Rothenturmgasse.)

Art dealer.
Age about 60.
Has been working for Nazi officials in acquisition of works of art.
Party member before 1933. Sly and unscrupulous.

WEISS, Frau L.

(Carinthia?)

Housekeeper in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Ammenheim, Carinthia, Jan. 1944; and probably later at Tannenberg.
Nazi. Probably Reich German.
See also GROTHE, W.

WEIXLGÄRTNER, Arpad, Dr. HR.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Born about 1873. Died 1939/40.
Jewish wife.
Formerly Dir. of Weltliche & Geistliche SchatzKammer, Vienna.
Forced to resign at Anschluss. 768

WELZ, Friedrich.

(Salzburg)

Art dealer.
Owner of Galerie Welz, Salzburg; with branch in Vienna (run by K. Hareither).
Commissioned by Gauleiter & Reichsstatthalter of Salzburg to buy works of art in Paris for Schloss Klessheim, near Salzburg, where Hitler projected a new "Landesgalerie".
Numerous works of art of all kinds purchased.
Galerie Welz held exhibition of 19th century French Art, Sept. 1941.
Said to have been arrested by Freiheitsbewegung early in 1945.

WENDL , Frl.

(Carinthia?)

Librarian.
Probably Reich German.
Asst. librarian in Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Ammenheim, Carinthia (later at Tannenberg), Jan. 1944.
Nazi.
See also GROTHE, W.

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WENZ, Willie, Dr.

(Carinthia?)

Librarian
Probably Reich German.
Born 1899 in Berlin. Reich German.
Description: bald, dark, emaciated, with a 'suffering look'.
On staff of Zentralbibliothek of NSDAP Hohe Schule, Annenheim, Carinthia (later at Tanzenberg). Acted as spy on staff for Dir., W. GROTHE. Knows all secret hiding places of collection.
Nazi.
See also GROTHE, W.

WIESINGER, Ferdinand.

(Wels, Upper Austria)

Official.
Dir. of Städt. Museum, Wels (1935).

WILDE, Johannes, Dr.

(England)

Art historian.
Formerly asst. in Gemäldegalerie of Kunsthistorisches M., Vienna.
Emigrated 1938. Very bad health.

WILHELM, Gustav, Dr.

(Wien VIII, Schönborngasse 15)

Art historian and archivist.
Age about 70.
Sometime Dir. of HofKammerarchiv.
Dir. of Galerie Liechtenstein.
Excellent archivist.
Probably anti-nazi.

WILLVONSEDER, Franz von, Dr.

(Vienna)

Archaeologist.
Age about 40.
Referent in central office of Inst. für Denkmalschutz, Vienna (1939).
Dozent in prehistory at Univ. of Vienna.
Party member, 100% Nazi. Ambitious, ruthless, unreliable. Right-hand man of O. MENGHIN.
Should not be employed.

WIMMER, Friedrich, Dr.

Art historian.
Born 1897 at Salzburg.

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| (Wels, Upper Austria) | Dir. of Städt. Museum, Wels (1955). |
| WILDE, Johannes, Dr.<br>(England) | Art historian.<br>Formerly asst. in Gemäldegalerie of Kunsthistoriches M., Vienna.<br>Emigrated 1938. Very bad health. |
| WILHELM, Gustav, Dr.<br>(Wien VIII, Schönborngasse 15) | Art historian and archivist.<br>Age about 70.<br>Sometime Dir. of HofKammerarchiv.<br>Dir. of Galerie Liechtenstein.<br>Excellent archivist.<br>Probably anti-nazi. |
| WILLVONSEDER, Franz von, Dr.<br>(Vienna) | Archaeologist.<br>Age about 40.<br>Referent in central office of Inst. für Denkmalschutz, Vienna (1939).<br>Dozent in prehistory at Univ. of Vienna.<br>Party member, 100% Nazi. Ambitious, ruthless, unreliable. Right-hand man of O. MENGHIN.<br>Should not be employed. |
| WIMMER, Friedrich, Dr.<br>(Wien VIII, Piaristengasse 15) | Art historian.<br>Born 1897 at Salzburg.<br>Sometime asst. at Niederösterr. Landes.M., Vienna.<br>Staatssekretär (for Justice) in Seyss-Inquart-government.<br>Welcomed Hitler in Linz, March 1939.<br>Illegal Nazi, violent, ambitious, dangerous. |
| WITTERNIGG, Greta, Dr.<br>(Salzburg) | Art historian.<br>LandesKonservator, Denkmalamt, Salzburg.<br>(Presumably in succession to E. Hütter.)<br>Anti-Nazi. Should be retained. |
| WOLF-BAUER, Georg, Dr.<br>(Graz) | Art historian.<br>Age about 40.<br>Dir. of Historische und Kunstgewerbliche Sammlung of Landes-M. Joanneum, Graz.<br>One source states that he was illegal Nazi and spy for Germans before Anschluss. |

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WOLFF, , Dr.
(Salzburg, Chiemseehof)

Archivist.
Gauarchivist, Reichsgau Salzburg (1942)
Nazi party member.

WUTSCHNIG, Paul, Ing. H.R.
(Vienna)

Official.
Of Dienststelle für Bundesgebäudeverwaltung in Wien, in Bundesministerium für Handel u. Verkehr (1936).

WUTTE, Martin, Dr. HR.
(Klagenfurt
Korchalstr. 12)

Archivist and historian.
Born 1876 at Obermühlbach, near St. Veit a.d. Glan.
1923-36. Landesarchivdirektor for Carinthia; and Dir. of Historisches M. in Landes-M., Klagenfurt.
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Deputy dir. of Kärntner Landesarchiv, Klagenfurt. Now (June 45) in charge, in absence of director (K.STARZACHER).
Elderly. Not a Nazi.

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(Linz, Promenade 33)

Archivist.
Born 1878 at St. Florian.
Landesarchivdirektor in Oberösterr. Landes-Archiv, Linz, since 1912.
Fine scholar and good administrator.
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Nazi.
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ZOHRER, August, Dr.

(Linz)

Art historian.
Keeper of Stadt. Sammlungen, Linz, until dismissed in May 1945.
Active Nazi.
Not to be employed.

ZYKAN, Karl, Dr.

(Vienna)

Art historian.
Age about 38.
Asst in central office of Inst. für Denkmalschutz (1939).
Active member of Vaterländische Front.
Nazis considered him harmless.
Anti-Nazi but hardly militant.
Quiet, decent man.

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ADDENDA (July 1945)

BRECHLER, Otto, Dr.
(Vienna)

(See also main entry.)
Age about 60.
Dir. of Handschriften-Sammlung, Nationalbibliothek (1943; in succession to H. HÄUSLE?).
Reliable. Refused Nazis' offer to go to Poland, because of health.

BRUHNS, Leo, Prof. Dr.
(Italy)

Art historian.
Dir. of Biblioteca Hertziana Rome (removed to deposits in Austrian salt-mines, 1943).
From Feb. 1943 on staff of Kunstschutz beim O K H in Italy. Active in inspecting collections and cataloguing deposits in Alto Adigo (assisting J. RINGLER).

DEGENHARDT, Bernhardt, Dr.
(Vienna)

Art historian.
Asst in Albertina, Vienna (1945).
Joined Kunstschutz beim OKH in Italy as technical asst to J. RINGLER at deposits in Alto Adige, April 1945.

FELLNER, Anton, Dr.
(Linz; at present in Italy)

Official.
Born 1908 at LasKirchen, near Gmunden.
Before Anschluss, Rechtsanwalt in LINZ.
1938-41. Kulturbeauftragter, Unterabt. IId, Reichsgau Oberdonau; and Gaupresse-amtleiter. Dismissed after disagreement with KALTENBRUNNER.
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HANDEL, Ellen, Dr.

(Tyrol?)

Art historian.
Asst to J. RINGLER in Fine Arts administration of Voralpenland (Bolzano and Trento), 1944-45.

HOFFMANN, Heinrich, Dr.

(Munich and Vienna)

Official photographer of NSDAP.
Had an office in Operaring, Vienna.

HOYOS, Gräfin.
(Alt-Aussee Upper Austria?)

Employed at deposit in Alt-Aussee salt-mine (1944)

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FURST, Hans.
(Wien VI, Linkewienzeile 70)

Art dealer.
Bought large quantities of furniture and small sculpture in France 1942-43.

HUTER, Dr.

(Tyrol?)

Archivist.
Archival adviser to Gauleiter Hofer of Tirol-Vorarlberg; and asst to J Ringler, 1944-45.
Fervent Nazi. Active in photographing and storing separately "Germanic" archives of S Tyrol (Voralpenland).

LANG, Gottfried, Dr.

(Rome)

Archivist and historian.
Formerly of Austrian Historical Inst in Rome (suppressed after Anschluss); then in German Historical Inst in Rome.
Archival adviser to Kunstschutz beim OKH in Italy, 1944-45. Active in Lombardy and Piedmont.
Appears to have behaved scrupulously. Ignored Reichsarchiv's orders for seizure of Italian archives.
Now (July 1945) in Rome.

MAYR, Karl, Dr.

(Tyrol)

Art historian.
Dir. of Bolzano Museum (1944). Interested in "acquisition" of "Germanic" art treasures of N. Italy for his museum.

MOSER, R.
(Wien IV, Margaretenstr 54)

Art dealer.
Purchased furniture in Paris 1942.

MÜHLMANN, Kajetan, Dr.

(See also main entry.)
Description: about 44 years of age, tall, broad shouldered.
May be in hiding near Wolfgangsee, Salzkammergut.

OBERHAMMER, Vinzenz, Dr.

(Innsbruck)

Art historian.
Dir. of Landes-M. Ferdinandeum Innsbruck (1944).
Specialist on Tyrolean sculpture.

PEPPER, Franz, Dr.

(Linz)

Referent for Heimatpflege in Unterabt IIA, Reichsgau Oberdonau.
Said to be not a Nazi.

RINGLER, Josef, Dr.

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Appears to have behaved honestly and scrupulously.

SCHWARZINGER, Karl.
(Wien IX, Nussdorferstr 1)
Art dealer.
Purchased furniture in Paris 1942.

STIASSNY, Hans.
(Wien I, Riemergasse 13)
Art dealer.
Bought works of art in Paris 1941.

STROBEL, Dr.
Art journalist.
Hauptschriftleiter of periodical "Kunst dem Volke" (published in Vienna), since Anschluss.
Well informed on Austrian art affairs and personnel.
Said (on doubtful evidence) to be anti-Nazi.
Connected with H HOFMANN.

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To: D.D.C.A./M.G. Mil. Govt Staff (Austria)

VISITS TO MONUMENTS - KARNTEN.

1. KLAGENFURT
Landesmuseum: Work of tidying up has been initiated with the aid of 10 German PWs who were allotted for a period of one week by Civil Labour Unit.

2. GAISBERG
Pfarrkirche St. Georg. Intact. Two important painted glass windows (XV Cent) in apse removed to safety. All other works of art, including late Gothic painted wood relief of St. Martin (restored), in place and uncovered. Frescoes in good condition.

3. LIEDING.
Pfarrkirche St. Margareta: Intact. Three important glass windows (XIV cent) in apse, removed to safety. All other works of art in place and uncovered.

4. LIENZ.
Schloss Bruck. (See Second Report, No. 8 (b)): Part of Museum occupied by Officers' Mess of local British Unit, who fully appreciate their responsibility. Fragile articles removed to safety.

5. MOLLBRUCKEN.
St. Leonards Kirche. (See Second Report, No.11): Priest of SACHSENBURG (via Regierungsrat - Zenegg) has reported that Gothic altar is all intact and is awaiting to be re-assembled by ARCHITISCH, official restorer to the Denkmalpflege at Klagenfurt (information confirmed by Dr. Walter FROHL).

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VISITS TO MONUMENTS - STEIERMARK.

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Pfarrkirche St. Margareta: Intact. Three important glass windows [illegible] in apse, removed to safety. All other works of art in place and uncovered.

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8. JUDENBURG.
(a) Stadtpfarrkirche St. Nikolaus: Intact. All works of art in place and uncovered.
(b) Magdalenenkapelle. Not visited, as on N. bank of R. Mur, and therefore in Russian - occupied zone.

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MURAU.

(a) Pfarrkirche St. Matthaus: Intact. Important painted windows removed and stored in Pfaarhof, as well as two small ivory statuettes from a Crucifixion group. All other works of art in place and uncovered. Important Gothic frescoes in good condition.

(b) St. Leonardskirche. Interior not visited. Parish Priest (Vater Josef VOGL) assured undersigned that there had been no damage, but that two Gothic statues of SS. Ana and Barbara had been acquired for Landesmuseum at Graz by Director Dr. GARZAROLLI, in 1940, for 6000. There had been a fear that Goering might take these for his own private collection.

(c) Friedhofskapelle: Interior not visited. Vater Vogl assured undersigned that there had been no damage. Painted windows removed to Pfarrhof for safety. Vater Vogl also states that a XV cent picture of 'some Jewish Ritual' had been removed by a local Nazi authority in Summer of 1938 (further details of this to be obtained).

(d) St. Aegidiuskirche: Intact. XV cent. frescoes in good condition.

10. ST. GEORGEN OB MURAU.

Pfarr kirche. Not on List. Interesting late Gothic building. Intact. Contains 4 important Gothic carved and painted altarpieces brought here by Priest (Vater Josef SCHACHNER) from other churches under his jurisdiction.

11. ST. LAMBRECHT.

Benedictiner Abtei. Secularised by Nazi Government in 1938, and a large part of the collections removed, then and subsequently, by a Commission which came from Graz. No detailed information forthcoming, but full investigation of the matter will be initiated in due course. Abbot is said to be living at Maria Zell. One of the former monks, Vater EMMERANG, is said to be living in village, but was not contacted. Present Parish Priest, Vater Josef KNOTH, is a newcomer and was unable to give undersigned much information. Hausmeister also interviewed, but could give little help. Part of buildings occupied by school for evacuated children.

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Action taken: Above mentioned three rooms posted with Protected Monuments Notices, and keys of all the doors entrusted to Vater KNOTH.

Recommendation: That Katherina PFEIFFER be interviewed as to whether she has in her possession the missing gold vessels, or whether she can throw any light on their alleged theft.

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Action taken: Posted with Protected Monuments Notice.

Recommendation: That, as soon as Graz comes under British jurisdiction, steps should be taken to trace the missing books via the Landesbibliothek authorities there.



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(c) Archives: At present housed in Library, partly in crates. Apparently in good order.
(d) Abtssaal: Interesting room decorated with XVIIIth stnechi framing painted portraits of former abbots. Formerly houses Folklore Museum (see above at (b)).
Action taken. Posted with Protected Monuments Notice.

ARCHIVES.

12. Klagenfurt, Landesarchiv: Material formerly deposited at TÖSCHELBERG (see First Report, No.15 (1)) has been in part brought back to Klagenfurt. It had been hoped to complete this work, but owing to the fact that the German PWs, who were doing the loading, were required for other services, this has not been possible, and a number of crates still remain at TÖSCHELBERG to be collected on some future occasion.

DEPOSITS.

13. Schloss Halegg. (See First Report, No.15 (d)): Pictures belonging to the Klagenfurt Landesgalerie have been brought back to the Museum at Klagenfurt, under the direction of Dr. Walter FRODL (Landeskonservator) and Prof. ZUNK, (Custos designate of the Landesgalerie).

14. Klagenfurt, Dorotheum: Deposit of pictures, sculpture and other objects (all of secondary interest) from confiscated Jewish property from Trieste, sent to Klagenfurt under auspices of the German High Commission for the Adriatic Coast Lands. Documents relating to these have been found amongst Dr. Fredl's papers (see below at 16).

GENERAL

15. Tanzenberg: Two former employees of the Library, Dr. NEY and Herr Zapf, have made their way back to Tanzenberg from Salzburg, whither they had fled. NEY is of Estonian origin and was employed on cataloguing the Russian books in the library. He has given some information about the organisation of the Library, and has said that:-
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16. Landeskonservator Dr. Walter Frodl. Has returned to Klagenfurt, where he has set up his office in the Landesmuseum. His fragebogen has been returned with an order by F.S.S. for his dismissal owing to his long-established Nazi connexions. Undersigned has, however, put forward a request for his retention in office, at any rate for the present, both because of his obvious ability, and because it would be impossible to find an adequate substitute for him. No reply to this has yet been received. In the meantime, Frodl's papers relating to his service, as head of the Denkmalschutz in the German High Commission for the Adriatic Coast Lands, have been impounded, and he has been questioned on these by LT Col John Ward-Perkins, Deputy Director, MFA & A Sub-Commission, A.C. Italy.

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17. Oberinspektor Otto Weinlich, Landesmuseum, Graz. As a result of the Ordinance put out by Mil Govt for the Declaration of Deposits of Works of Art (See Second Report, No.33), Oberinspektor Weinlich, who is now living with his family at the Ossach Gasth., Reiterbauer, near Judenburg, delivered to MGO Judenburg a handlist of all deposits of the State owned collections at Graz. Weinlich was interviewed by the undersigned and received the following information, that:-

(a) None of the deposits is in the British-occupied territory, and are all in the at-present Russian zone -

(b) Damage to Monuments, as far as he (Weinlich) knows is confined to the Ständisches Zeughaus, Graz (the armoury was evacuated), the Pfarrkirche St Johann Bapt. Knittelfeld (damaged by bombs) and the Abbey Vorau (damaged by shell-fire).

Weinlich also gave the following names of Personnel at Graz:-

Landeskonservator: Dr. von ZIMMERKOWSKY
Prof. Walther RIEHL.
Landesmuseum: Directors. Dr. GARZAROLLI
Dr. TEPPNER.
Universitätsbibliothek: Director. Dr. KERN.
Steiermärkische Landesbibliothek: Director. Dr. SCHMUTZ.
Konservatorium: Director. Dr. SCHEIDL.
Landesregierungsarchiv: Archivrat, Dr. POPELKA.
Landesarchiv: Director. Dr. MOSSLECK.
Fürstbischöflich Ordinariatsarchiv: Director. Dr. SPRINGER.

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Subject: Library Material in Deposit in AUSTRIA.

To : ~~Chief~~ Section, AFHQ.

1. Information has now been received that the former Director of the Hofburg Library that one or both of the Vienna Libraries believed from which is located in a salt-mine at [illegible] near [illegible] (Map ref. 1:250,000 Sh. 4Ab.W.Sh.1). This conflicts with the information previously available, but should be the more accurate.

2. It is suggested that notification of the safety of these libraries be forwarded in due course to this Commission.

For the CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

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Subject: Interrogation of Doctor Frodl.
To : Mil Govt Staff (AUSTRIA), CMF.

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1. Scope of Dr Frodl's work in Italy.

Frodl worked in Italy from September 1943-April 1945. He was head of a group of fine arts experts who worked in provinces of Udine, Gorizia, Trieste, Pola, Fiume, and Lubiana. They came under the administration of Department 5 in the Supreme Commissariato at Trieste (Gauleiter RAINER). This Department dealt with Education and Cultural matters and its Director was Dr. HUBER. Their work was to protect Monuments by supervising additional air raid protection and first aid work on war damage. (Examples quoted of salvage of archives at Udine and protective strengthening of various building in that city). It was also a part of their functions to see that Italian Fine Arts personnel were not conscripted for forced labour or the Army.

2. Staff.

Frodl's staff consisted of himself (head), but owing to ill health and duties in Carynthia he was not in Italy for long periods. Most of the work was done by Dr. Erika HANFSTAENGEL, of Munich (4 Gelonstrasse); believed to have returned there safely early in May 45. She was assisted by Dr. Anton MIKOLASCH, an archeologist, inspector of Klagenfurt Landesmuseum, and Fraulein Edith KOCH, Secretary of the same Museum. These last two are both in Klagenfurt.

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Frodl says that the only works of Art removed from Italian territory were a few pieces from a store of Jewish goods in Trieste. Most of these had come from Austria (Vienna) before the war for shipment abroad. The Nazis intended selling them off but Frodl was allowed to pick certain things for the Landesmuseum at Klagenfurt. He has lists of these. Other pieces from the same store were given at his instigations to the Museum at Trieste.

6. Photo Collection.

The collection of photographs made of works of Art, Monuments etc. in Italy by Frodl's staff are all at Schloss Brueck, near Lienz.

Note: Office Papers of Frodl.

All Frodl's papers, including those relating to his activities in Italy, are at Schloss Brueck. The question of transmitting these has been discussed with Public Safety and it has been decided to leave them where they are for the time being. The building is under Mil Govt. protection and Frodl himself is not allowed to leave Klagenfurt, so the danger of his tampering with them does not arise.

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SUBJECT: Hidden Works of Art in AUSTRIA.

TO : Monuments and Fine Arts Commission,
C/o RAAC.

1. Herewith translation of a statement made by Dr ANTON FEILNER on "Hitler's hidden treasures".

2. Dr FEILNER was arrested in ROME on 25 May 1945, while on a mission from the Bishop of TRIESTE to the Holy See. He is an Austrian who was closely associated with the Nazis before the Anschluss and later became Leiter des Gaupressesamtes of OBERDONAU. He claims to have considerable knowledge of Nazi hiding places in UPPER AUSTRIA.

3. Further information on Dr FEILNER can be obtained from G-2 CI(ii), AFHQ.

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For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2.

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TRANSLATION OF STATEMENT BY Dr ANTON FELLNER
on "HITLER's HIDDEN TREASURES"

In OBERDONAU, there are two large treasures belonging to HITLER.

1. In STIFT HOHENFURT/BÖHMERWALD a collection of the most valuable goldware and precious stones in steel safes specially brought there, mainly the property of MANNHEIMER, the Dutch jew. HOHENFURT is just on the border, in territory that belonged previously to CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

2. In an abandoned mine-gallery near ALTAUSSEE in the SALZKAMMERGUT there are thousands of the most valuable antiques, paintings and sculptures from all over AUSTRIA and every part of EUROPE, which HITLER had had purchased and otherwise "organised" by his personal intermediaries (Prof POSSE, VOGT, MÜHLMANN etc).

For years, I and my colleagues in OBERÖSTERREICH have kept records of all these objects, in order to avoid any misuse or theft.

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Reference:-MG/86

Subject :-Second report on Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives in Gau Kärnten.

To :-D.D.C.A./MG, Mil Govt Staff (Austria)

VISITS TO MONUMENTS

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SCHLOSS:

Not on list. Interesting 18th. century country house with important painted room, good collection of family portraits, valuable library and well-kept archives. Contains deposits (see previous report No 15 (m)). Protected Monuments Notice posted (26.V.45).

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(f) Stadtbrunnen: intact and uncovered. Contained numerous articles of Nazi finery floating in the water.

(g) Stadtmuseum: Small collection of local interest. Normally housed in three rooms of Rathaus. Material stored in Probsthof (Priest's house) and Versorgungshaus (hospital). Latter also contains Town-Archive. Most important object, a 15th. century carved wood altar piece, sent to KLAGENFURT for restoration and is now with deposit of Landes Museum material at STRASSBURG (see previous report No 19(a))

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Museum is under direction of Schulrat Thomas ZELDROSSER to whom Protected Monuments Notices were given for both localities (2.VI.45).

5. GRADES.

(a) St. Wolfgangs Kirche: Intact. Important late gothic church, surrounded by fortified wall. Contains good frescoed vault and carved Alter piece (circa 1500).
(b) Schloß: See under DEPOSITS VISITED, No 29.

6. GRAFENSTEIN.

SCHLOß: Not on list. Contains Library and part of family archives of Prince ORSINI-ROSENBERG. Collection in need of cleaning and attention. H.Q. of 17/21 Lancers occupy the building and Major PARBOUR showed undersigned round. RSM's batman who was sleeping in Library to be moved elsewhere and Protected Monuments Notice posted on door (29.V.45). TWO incunabula handed to the Prince for safer keeping. Remainder of Castle is dilapidated but contains TWO 18th.century frescoed rooms. Troops occupying one of these had put nails in walls for hanging Kit. Major PARBOUR at once volunteered to have these removed and to see that the room is respected in future by its inhabitants.

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9. MAINSBERG. (Italy T.C. Approx.MD. 3599)

Schloß: Not on list. Interesting 15th. century castle with fine examples of armour. Small deposit from Landesarchiv. For a short time contained property, including pictures, of the late Führer, which is said to have been transferred a few months ago either to MUNICH or to BAD AUSSEE, Steiermark. Protected Monuments Notice posted 2.VI.45.

10. MARIA GAIL.

Pfarr-Kirche: intact. Framework of late Gothic Altar piece with predella in place, Figures of Saint George and Flor...

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15. SPITTAL a.d.DRAU.

Porcia Palais: intact. Interesting Austrian version of an Italian Renaissance Palazzo, with good sculptured decoration in handsome portile and on main staircase. Interior of little interest but contains one room on first floor (used as clothing store by Burgomeister for civilians) with 16th. century wooden ceiling, and some family portraits on walls, boarded up. In part occupied by 1st.Bn Kensington Regt. Posted with Protected Monuments Notice (28.V.45).

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16. VILTHING.

Pfarr-Kirche Unserer Lieben Frau: Intact. Building of negligible merit. Heavy provincial High Alter (17th.century) in place as are other objects.

17. VILLACH.

Museum: Housed in building at one corner of Kaiser Josef Platz half of which has collapsed owing to bombardments of March 20th. and 31st.1945. Remaining rooms, still containing some exhibits of secondary importance in great disorder. Better material in deposits at SCHLOß FRUCK, LIENZ, TREFFEN (SchloA), and KELLERBERG (SchloB). Stadtarchiv (see previous report No. 12 (b)) intact at KELLERBERG and STADLBACH (old building of Mining Corporation near Kellerberg). Ing. Hans DOLENZ, the Director was contracted and introduced to the MFO, Major JT GOLLOP, who has arranged to assist him in removing all exposed material on the premises to a place of safety.

Recommendation. That as soon as labour can be obtained excavations of the rubble should be initiated to recover what material remains beneath.

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ARCHIVES.

20. The collections of historical archives in Carinthia have suffered no losses of any kind during the war; this is not surprising in view of the light scale of damage generally, the rarity of the material, and the ease with which it was possible to evacuate from places of danger.

21. As stated in the preliminary report most of these collections have been concentrated in the Landesarchiv at KLAGENFURT and are safe either in situ or in deposit. The acting Director, Regierungsrat ZENEGG has produced a useful summary list.



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Recommendations. (a) Return to St Paul i. Lavanthal of the monastic archives at present preserved in the Haus der Technik, KLAGENFURT, but not until a librarian or other competent official is available in the Monastery to take charge of them.
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22. Stadtarchiv; (historical town archives) not as yet transferred to KLAGENFURT are preserved in three centres.
(a) FRIESACH. on a few shelves in a room of the hospital ( see above No. 4(g)) where they were recently arranged by Reg. Rat ZENEGG. From 17th century (earlier material is already in Landesarchiv). Room locked and key with Schulrat ZEELROSSER.
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DEPOSITS VISITED.

24. KLAGENFURT.

Studienbibliothek: 8 packing cases of books ( Non-German property) from a Trieste Source, including two early printed books, books on Freemasonry ( from the Loggia Reale di Trieste) and medical works. Cases addressed to Dr,Heigh, Nationalbibliothek, WIEN. Dr. FUCHS ( librarian of Studienbiblilthek) says he knows nothing of their origin, exept that they were left there by order of the local Government Authorities in March. Also 8 cases of sculpture and antiquarian object addressed to Reichsgau Museum Klagenfurt. This, according to Fuchs, is actual property of Landesmuseum, KLAGENFURT, but information on this point is being checked.



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Porcia Palais: intact. Interesting Austrian version of an Italian Renaissance Palazzo, with good sculptured decoration in handsome cortile and on main staircase. Interior of little interest but contains one room on first floor (used as clothing store by Burgomeister for civilians) with 16th. century wooden ceiling, and some family portraits on walls, boarded up. In part occupied by 1st.Bn Kensington Regt. Posted with Protected Monuments Notice (28.V.45).

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25. FRAUENSTEIN.
Schloss: See under MONUMENTS VISITED No.3.

26. FREUDENBERG (PISCHELDORF)

Schloß: 5 packing-cases containing works of Art (private property, probably from VENICE. Includes:- (1) Terra-cotta Virgin and Child (late 14th. Century North Italian).(2) Carved wood, painted and gilt, Virgin and child,(15th.century?North Italian). (3)Marble bust of Flora (Roman).(4) Stone figure of Hooded Woman seated (antique). (5) Oil painting of Allegorical Figure holding cup, with cherub and cross in background (good, style of Rubens). (6) Oil painting of Holy Family (Italian mid 16th. century).(7) Oil painting of Landscape with brigands attacking coach (? Flemish late 17th. Century). (8) Trunk containing books on Art subjects, Portfolio of prints, drawings and photographs, marble head of Bearded Man (Roman), wood statue, painted and gilt, of Female Saint (German early 16th.Century), small wooden group of Virgin and Child, painted (? early 15th.century), and private papers relating to German art transactions in Italy. The names of the persons concerned with the latter are Dr.Franz KIESLINGER, Dr. Benno GEIGER,(Venetian Art dealer), Staatsschreiber DOHLMANN. Correspondence relates to exchange and purchase of Italian pictures, including attempts to secure the Botticelli Altarpiece of the Coronation of the Virgin from a Convent in FLORENCE (exact location not recalled), and the Male Portrait by Dürer and two St.Florian Subjects by ALTDORFER in the Uffizi. All packing cases are stamped with the initials "B G" (for Benno GEIGER) and serial numbers 461-465. One of them contained an invoice slip (hastily used for packing a chipped fragment) consigning the marble Flora and the Terra-cotta Madonna to the Marchese Di Crosara,Palazzo Valier, S.Stefano,Venezia, from Dr. Benno GEIGER, Rio Nuovo 3406 Venezia, dated 6th.June 1944. The Transport Firm were Ferrovie Navigazione Nazionali Cendrano, Palazzo Morosini, S.Stefano Venezia.

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Recommendation. That Fine Arts Divisions of A.C. Austria and A.C.Italy thoroughly investigate whole matter. Copies of documents are being forwarded to these two Departments.

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27. KARLSBERG.

Schloss: Cases of books from Trieste and possibly other sources. Four examined contained very little of any interest. Books were placed there by Institut für Kärnther Landesforschung and were supplied by German Alto Commissariat for TRIESTE. According to the Director of the Institute, Dr. KRAINZMAYER, all books had been bought and that receipts could probably be produced. He has been asked to do this. KRAINZMAYER also states that some of the books are from the Nazi Party High School Library (now at TANZENBERG). Man responsible for this deposit was Dr. DIENLAGE (of same Institute, but now believed to be P.O.W.). Matter to be investigated later. Protected Monuments Notice posted 26.V.45.

28. KELLERBERG. (Not as thought ROTHENTHURN see previous report No 16 (h)).

Schloss: Deposit of 14 cases of books from ANNENHEIM-TANZENBERG, stored in cottage of grounds occupied as billets by Hungarian troops. 3 Cases opened contained good specimens from ROTHSCHILD LIBRARY. In attic of Schloss are cases of material from Stadtmuseum VILLACH. Arranged with owner, Baronin ROTHER, to assemble all packing cases in one large room on second floor. The ANNENHEIM-TANZENBERG deposit to be transferred as soon as possible to TANZENBERG.

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Schloss: Deposit of Diocesan archival material from Bishop's Palace, KLAGENFURT, stored in one room. Not seen, as door was locked and Parish Priest, who holds key, was away. French Ex-PW's living on premises confirmed that important records were stored there, and that no one was ever able to enter.

30. MAINSBERG.

Schloss: See above under MONUMENTS VISITED, No. 9.

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(a) On 30.V.45 undersigned escorted members of the Press and BBC round Library. Photographs were taken by Army Film Unit. Articles and Broadcasts have stressed Propaganda value of deposit, which has had good r locally.

(b) A further small collection of books, including some good incunabula, were found by undersigned in Air Raid shelter. It would appear however that others, possibly of even more importance, had been removed by fleeing Library Staff. Books were extremely damp and are being treated on the premises.

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(c) Detailed information as to personal of Staff has been obtained from proprietor of Grand Hotel ANNENHEIM and Herr LAENDNER, former Hausmeister under Dr. GROTHE, together with interesting details as to characteristics of NAZI bibliophiles (including the fact that Dr. GROTHE received a military decoration for his discovery of the well hidden ROTHSCHILD - Library, which he celebrated with a party in the Hotel at Annenheim). Public Safety and other Security Officials have been given lists and descriptions of the missing persons and asked to apprehend them as soon as possible.

(d) The question of transporting the approximately 150 cases from Annenheim, Treffen and Mellerberg to Tenzenberg has been taken up with the D.T.O., 38 (Irish) Brigade, Capt. NIGHTINGALE, who has promised to find vehicles as soon as possible (probably in course of present week). The problem is very difficult owing to priority of D.P. transport etc.

32. LANDTSKONSERVATOR WALTER F R Ö D L.

The above was contracted at Schloss BRUCK, LIENZ (see above 8(b)). Undersigned are impressed by the efficiency of his administration and general Scholarship and he has undoubtedly been successful in making a good job of the rather unspectacular monuments under his jurisdiction. On the otherhand all reports, though stressing his outstanding ability, confirm that he was prominent in the NAZI movement even before the Anschluss and derived benefits from his adherence to the party. It remains to be investigated as to how far he was concerned in the shadier German art traffickings or sequestrations of private collections. He will remain in his job pending further developments and investigations of his Fragebogen.

33. DECLARATION OF NAZI LOOTED WORKS OF ART etc.

(A) Military Government Ordinance is in course of preparation demanding the immediate declaration of all works of Art, books and documents deposited by NAZI Institutions or individuals. Broadcast appeals on the same lines have already had good effects.

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450 Copies of the lists for KÄRNTEN have been delivered to Divisional HQ's in the Gau for distribution to Units and further copies to MGO's. It may now be admitted that the decision of Mil. Govt. Staff, 8th.Army, to include only a minimum of Archival Repositories in these lists.was fully justified. Evidently the request for the inclusion of archives on a wider scale was either based on a misapprehension or modelled on the practise adopted for Italy(a country where even small communes are often extremely rich in ancient records). As mentioned in this and the previous report, the collections of archives in Gau KÄRNTEN are only of very minor importance with the single exception of the Landes archiv,KLAGENFURT.

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2 Nov.

Subject:- Preliminary report on Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives in Gau KARNTEN.

To: DSCA/MG, Mil Govt Staff (AUSTRIA).

1. The undersigned reported at Klagenfurt to Lt.Col. A.J.W. Clarke, GSO I, Gau Karnten, on 14 May. They were ordered to operate only in those parts of the Gau where British troops were stationed.

2. Through the offices of Dr. Kommetter a conference was held in the Landhaus at 1000 hrs on 15 May 45, at which were present, besides the undersigned, the following:-

Prof. Friedrich Turnowsky (of the Karnten Landesmuseum);

Doct Fuchs (Director of the Studienbibliothek);

Msr Rainer (Director of the Diözesanmuseum);

Counsillor Emerich Von Zenegg (of the Landesarchiv).

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3. At this meeting, Dr Kommetter interpreted the policy of MFA & A officers and asked for the co-operation of all officials concerned, particularly in the matter of information regarding deposits and damage to buildings in the Gau. Later in the day very satisfactory detailed lists were provided. All Austrian personnel present at the meeting completed Fragebogen which have been passed on to M.F.A.&.

4. The damage to monuments in the Gau is not serious, but the buildings of the two most important Museums, KLAGENFURT and VILLACH, have both suffered severely (particularly in the case of the latter which is destroyed). As far as is known, however, most of their material is safe in various deposits in the neighbouring countryside.

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VISITS TO MONUMENTS (11-18 May 45).

6. KLAGENFURT.

(a) Cathedral: Intact except for 1 hole at N.W. angle of roof, now covered. Organ damaged. Also upper arcade of W. gallery (stucco decoration and capital of column). All pictures and other works of art in place and uncovered.

(b) Priesterhaus-Kapelle: Tiles on roof shaken by nearby bomb explosions. Interesting 18th Century frescoed vault suffering somewhat from damp; sculptured group of Deposition over alter in place and uncovered.

Recommendation: Early inspection of roof for repairs to prevent further deterioration of frescoes.

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(c) Gurkerhaus-Kapelle: Of no artistic interest in itself; intact. Alters removed to deposit (whereabouts not yet established).

(d) Landhaus: Some damage to exterior and many windows out. Wappensaal intact.

(e) Museum: Gravely damaged in March 1945. Upper storey fallen in in parts. Interior in considerable disorder. All important material safe in deposits, but some minor objects, pictures and books still on premises. From September 1944 occupied by Volkssturm who left quantity of arms in hall. Museum staff, under Prof Turnowsky, have now returned and are using as offices two rooms in leastdamaged portion while initial clearing up work proceeds. Re-establishment of Museum will, however, be a long term concern.

Action taken: Posted "Out of Bounds" and damaged windows boarded up.

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(g) Kärnten Landesgalerie: Normally housed in Burg. Building intact but occupied by Tito's troops. All pictures safe in deposit. 16th and 17th century weapons and armour on loan from Museum removed by undersigned under escort from 2 R.B. and returned to Museum.

(h) Lindwurmbrunnen: Intact. Decorated with red swastika.

(j) Botanical garden: Somewhat damaged by bombs. Recently used for growing vegetables. Now occupied by British troops, but without damage.

(k) Studienbibliothek: Building intact and contents safe. Early printed books and other valuable volumes in deposit.

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Action taken: Arranged with Camp Comdt for the two basement rooms to be boarded up and posted "Out of Bounds": obtained Town Major's undertaking not to allow billeting in either of other repositories.

(m) Stadtarchiv: In Rathaus: the earlier series have been evacuated with the Landesarchiv. The Director died about a year ago and has not been replaced; records safe.

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7. GURK.

Cathedral: Intact. All frescoes and other works of art safe and in place, except for glass in window of west porch, which is stored in vaults below church. Archives safe.

8. MARIA SAAL.

Church, Karner and PestKreuz: All three monuments intact. Carved alters, pictures, frescoes and other works of art in place and uncovered.

9. MARIA WÖRTH.

Church, Karner and Winter-Kapelle: All three monuments intact. Works of art in church (including high altar) in place and uncovered.

10. OSSIACH.

Church: Intact. All works of art in place and uncovered.

11. ST. VEIT.

(a) Parish Church St. Veit: Intact. Carved altars in place and uncovered.

(b) Städtischesmuseum: Intact and material on premises. Key in custody of Herr Panger, Spengler-Meister (plumber of St. Veit).

12. VILLACH.

(a) Church of St. JAKOB: Structure in the main intact though shaken by nearby bombing. All windows shattered. Those of nave said to be of 16th century. Some fragments saved and piled in S.W. corner of church. Leaks in roof of two side chapels in South aisle. All other works of art in place and uncovered.

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13. ZOLLFELD.

Kärntner Herzogstuhl: Intact. Decorated with Yugoslav national banner and painted with slogan in the language of that country.

14. ZWISCHENWÄSSERN.

Schloss Pöckstein: 18th century country seat of Bishop of Klagenfurt. Building shaken, all windows out, and many tiles off roof through nearby bombing on 12 Apr 45. Staircase with stucco decorations in good condition. Piano nobile on 2nd floor, containing rooms with frescoed decorations, damaged in places by blast, but can be restored. Room in cupola, also with frescoed decorations, similarly damaged. Chapel undamaged. Some rooms on 2nd floor contain deposits of books and pictures, (neither of any importance) belonging to the Mariainstitut of/

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/of Klagenfurt. Archives of Schloss also stored there. Material in some disorder and said to have been rifled by Greek and Russian workers from German forced labour camps, soon after bombing. Main door standing open, but caretaker lives on premises on ground floor. Key of door to Piano nobile held by village priest, Father Josef Picaz. 18th century formal garden, with interesting features (including covered skittle-alley), in neglected state.

Action taken: Recommended to Father Picas that windows of rooms on 2nd floor with decorations should be boarded up to prevent deterioration to stucchi and frescoes. Also left with him note, to be shown to any entering troops, recommending that 2nd floor should not be occupied without consultation with MFA & A officer. Informed MGO St. Veit of action taken.

DEPOSITS.

15. Deposits visited 15-18 May. All contents of the undermentioned were found to be safe and in good condition. Fortunately, except where otherwise stated, the troops in occupation have been British and in every case willing co-operation has been obtained for safeguarding the material. It is interesting to note that the present visits have confirmed the information, previously supplied by the MFA & A Division of Allied Commission for Austria (W/Comd J.W. Goodison), to the effect that the Austrian authorities distributed material from their Museums and other cultural institutions, for safety, in a number of small deposits rather than concentrating them in a few large repositories.

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Church: In sacristy. From Klagenfurt Landesmuseum. Parish priest in charge.

(b) Gurk.

Monastery: In Probstkapelle. From Klagenfurt Landesmuseum, also Episcopal Archives. Father Valerian in charge.

(c) Drasing. (Italy 7$^{b}$RD 1864 approx).

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Schloss: Pictures from Klagenfurt Landesgalerie. Building also contains Nazi Party records for Karnten; GSI (b) in charge.

(e) Treffen. (Italy 7bRC 8986).

Schloss: Material from Villach Stadtmuseum and Judicial Archives from same town. Herr Von Gal (owner) in charge.
In adjoining Tannery Factory, also owned by Gal, are 29 cases from former Nazi book deposit at Annenheim (see under).
Case opened contained incunabula and other early printed books all stamped "Wesselski".

Recommendation: That as soon as transport and labour are available, these cases be removed to the main deposit at Tanzenberg.

(f) Annenheim. (Italy 7b RC 9385 Approx).

Grand Hotel:/

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/Grand Hotel: Building now in use as German Military hospital. Approximately 100 cases of books abandoned here when Nazi collection was moved to Tanzenberg (see under). Some are in the Lake-side Loggia of main Hotel building in close proximity to medical stores. Remainder in Outhouse in grounds, stacked under piles of lumber and broken crates.

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(g) Himmelberg. (Italy 7b RD 0495).

Schloss and Piberstein: Archives from Klagenfurt Landesarchiv and books from Studienbibliothek. Hungarian officers in building undertook to remove certain archival material from room where their womenfolk were cooking to more suitable accommodation elsewhere in the house. Owner (Gräfin Lodron), English-speaking and efficient, in charge. Local unit warned of value of deposit.

(h) Ossiach.

Church: Material from Klagenfurt Diozesanmuseum. Father Mathis (priest) in charge and keeps church locked.

(j) Nieder-osterwitz. (Italy 7b RD 3396).

Schloss: Material from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum. Graf Georg Khevenhüller in charge. Building occupied by CRA.

(k) Hoch-Osterwitz. (Italy 7b RD 3396).

Schloss: Materials from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum. Not visited, but informed by Graf Khevenhüller that all is safe.

(l) Tänchelberg vei Treibach. (Italy 7b RV 3408). 7065

Schloss: Material from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum and Konservatorium. Amtmann Kamburg (of forestry school) in charge.

Adjacent chapel: Archives from Landesarchiv. Some windows are broken, but the contents are dry and in good condition. It is recommended however that transport be made available when possible for the return of this material to Klagenfurt (about five truck loads).

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(m) Ebenthal. (Italy 7[b] RD 2679).

Schloss: Books and natural history specimens from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum. Graf Goss (owner) in charge.

(n) Tanzenberg. (Italy 7[b] RD 2893).

Former Monastery: Vast collection of books (over 3,000 crates and many thousands on shelves) brought from Annenheim (see above). Contains German loot from France, Belgium and other occupied countries, including the Rothschild Library from Paris, and what is believed to be the whole of Rosenberg's Nazi Party Library. German Staff working under Party directions fled with local garrison troops, but custodian of monastery and three labourers remain, who were in process of drying and re-crating certain books at the time of the visit. Troops are in occupation and have undertaken strict 24 hour

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/hour guard and supervision. Karnten Gau Comd, Lt.Col. Smith, has arranged with Corps for this unit to remain as long as possible and to be replaced by permanent guard. Small deposit from Klagenfurt Studienbibliothek also in building.

16. NEGLECTED DEPOSITS NOT YET VISITED.

(a) KLAGENFURT.

Bankfurkarnten: Material from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum. Reported safe.

(b) MARIENBERG. (Italy 7b RV 0435 Approx.).

Schloss: Material from Klagenfurt Landesarchiv. Reported safe.

(c) LIENZ.

Schloss Bruck: Material from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum.

(d) DIETRICHSTEIN. (Italy 7b RV 0695 Approx.).

Schloss: Material from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum. Reported safe.

(e) KARLSBERG. (Italy 7b RV 2687 Approx.).

Schloss: Material from Klagenfurt Musik-Konservatorium. Said not to be important.
Owner, Graf Coss (see above under Ebenthal), informed undersigned that building also contained looted books from Trieste and Gorizia, former property of Jews and priests. Collection was organised by fanatical Nazi bibliophile, Dr. Dinklage (now believed to be in Munich), who tried to take over the whole of Schloss Karlsberg for this purpose. Owner refused to co-operate.

(f) GRAZ.

Mehnitztal: Ecclesiastical Archives and books of the Diocese.

(g) FRAUENSTEIN. (Italy 7b RV 2500).

Schloss: Books from Klagenfurt Studienbibliothek and Landesmuseum.

(h) HERBERSTEIN. (Italy 7b RV 6897).

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(d) DIETRICHSTEIN. (Italy 7b RD 0995 Approx.).

Schloss: Material from Klagenfurt Landesmuseum. Reported safe.

(e) KARLSBERG. (Italy 7b RD 2667 Approx.).

Schloss: Material from Klagenfurt Musik-Konservatorium. Said not to be important.
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Schloss: Books from Klagenfurt Studienbibliothek and Landesmuseum.

(h) ROTHENTHURM. (Italy 7b RC 6897).

Schloss: Believed to contain 14 cases of most valuable volumes from Annenheim (see above).

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17. It is hoped that at an early date the work of the Fine Arts and Archives officers will be facilitated by the allotment of adequate transport both for inspection purposes and the movement of material. Also it is recommended that civilian or POW labour be provided for the purpose of loading and unloading trucks and the cleaning up of damaged buildings.

18. In the absence of the official Warning Notices for Monuments and the impossibility of local printing at Klagenfurt (due to occupation of the only printing works by Yugoslav troops), it has only been possible, in the main, to protect buildings and deposits through personal contact with the Town Major concerned (as at Klagenfurt) or the Officer Commanding of troops stationed in the locality.

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19. Questions relating to modern archives will be dealt with in a subsequent report, as owing to an arrangement with Lt.Col. Benton-Jones, the undersigned have carried out preliminary inspections only of the historical collections. Heads of Military Government Sections have been asked to co-operate in protecting the records of the local offices with which they are concerned, and contacts have been established with Intelligence Services.

20. Up till now, no deposits of looted material from Italian sources have been identified. But, apart from the books at Harlaberg, mentioned at 16 (e) above, a report has been received of archives from Gorizia abandoned in a barracks at Lassnitz near Tarvisio, enroute for Vienna. This will be investigated at the earliest opportunity.

21. The undersigned would like to put on record their appreciation of the co-operation and assistance which they have received from all British Military personnel with whom they have had to deal.

(Signed EDWARD CROFT-MURRAY,
Captain, Intelligence Corps.

(Signed) T. H. BROOKE,
Captain, K.R.R.C.

Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives Officers,
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Lt.Col.,
CMGSO,
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19 May 45.

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MEMORANDUM

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4 May 1945

SUBJECT : M.G. Staff Austria - Officers

TO : Vice President,
Civil Affairs Section

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| Capt. | T.E. | BROOKE | (H. & Pers. S/C) |

The above named officer earmarked for Austria will report immediately to M.G. Staff Austria at VIENNA, late HQ Eighth Army Rear, on permanent change of station.

Departure will be reported to this office.

Please acknowledge receipt.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT, ESTABLISHMENTS SECTION

Sir J.H.F. RITCHIE Bt.
Lt.Colonel,
G-1(B)

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PARA ONE YD IT IS REQUESTED THAT ALL OFFICERS REMARKED FOR AIMERIA WILL BE WITHDRAWN IN VERY NEAR FUTURE YD

PARA TWO YD PLEASE WARN ALL CONCERNED TO BE PREPARED TO MOVE WITHIN FOUR EIGHT HOURS OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE FROM THIS HQ QUERY

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
G-1 (B)

REFERENCE : G-1B/140/A

28 April 1945

SUBJECT : Release from the Army.

TO : Distribution below.

1. Further to this Office letter of even number dated 26 Apr 45 (to internal addressees) and cable 6106 dated 25 Apr 45 (to external addressees).

2. War Office Release Regulations and A.F.H.Q. Release Instructions have now been received in this Headquarters but, at present, insufficient copies are available for a general distribution to be made. When additional copies are obtained distribution will be made on the widest scale possible.

3. Para 326 of Release Regulations provides that personnel who do not wish to be released when eligible may continue to serve provided their services can be utilised by the Army. Confirming authority for their retention will be A.F.H.Q. and O2E for Officers and Other Ranks respectively. Individuals volunteering for continued service are required to complete Appendix "B" in the case of Officers and Appendix "C" in the case of Other Ranks. Appendices to be forwarded to this HQ in triplicate for consolidation and onward transmission.

4. The foregoing is only applicable to those individuals in Release Groups 1 to 26 inclusive. Application on Appendix "B" and "C" in respect of Groups 1, 2 and 3 will be forwarded to reach this HQ not later than 14 May 45. Date for submission of Groups 4 to 26 will be notified as soon as possible.

5. A.C.I. 140/45 provides that all personnel born 1895 or earlier are now placed in Group 1.

6. These instructions do not apply to the Women's Services.

Sir J.E.T. RITCHIE Bt.
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AGE/SERVICE GROUP

'Appendix "B"

APPLICATION BY AN OFFICER VOLUNTEERING TO CONTINUE TO SERVE AFTER HIS AGE/SERVICE GROUP IS DUE FOR RELEASE.

Note :- This form will be modified where necessary in the case of officers of the Women's Services.

1. Personal No. _____ 2. Rank W/S.T.A. _____ 3. Name _____

4. Date of Birth _____

5. Regt.or Corps _____ 6. Unit _____

7. Date of Commission _____ 8. Nature of Commission _____

9. How at present employed _____

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10. Short synopsis of service during this war: _____ Zero _____

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11. I hereby volunteer to continue to serve as an officer, although eligible for release. I fully understand that if I am retained as an officer in the Army I shall:
    (a) be liable to serve until general demobilization is ordered, and until my release is authorised under the regulations for such general demobilization, provided my services are so long required.
    (b) be subject to the normal rules regarding transfer, posting, promotion, pay.

Date _____ Signature _____

12. Recommendation by OC on whether the officer should be retained.

Date _____ Signature _____

13. Decision of confirming authority.

Date _____ Signature _____

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ACE/SERVICE GROUP

Appendix "C"

APPLICATION BY AN O.R. VOLUNTEERING TO CONTINUE TO SERVE AFTER HIS ACE/SERVICE GROUP IS DUE FOR RELEASE

Note:- This form will be modified where necessary in the case of O.Rs of the Women's Services.

1. Army No. ..... 2. Rank W/S.A. ..... 3. Name .....

4. Date of Birth .....

5. Regt or Corps .....

6. Unit .....

7. Date from which war service reckons .....

8. Nature of employment .....

9. Now at present employed .....

10. I hereby volunteer to continue to serve in the Army although eligible for release. I fully understand that if I am retained in the Army, I shall:
(a) be liable to serve until general demobilisation is ordered, and until my release is authorised under the regulations for such general demobilisation, provided my services are so long required.
(b) be subject to the normal rules regarding transfer, posting, promotion, pay.

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Date ..... Signature .....

Signature of Officer witnessing signature .....

11. Recommendation by CO on whether the soldier should be retained.

To G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon.

Date ..... Signature .....

CO .....

12. Decision of G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon:-

Date ..... Signature .....

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Subcommission for Monuments Fine Arts and Archives
(Tel. 489081, ext. 442 & 254; 478480)

20200/3/MFAA 27 April 1945

Subject: Release from the Army - British Personnel.

To : CA Section (2)

1. Ref. C-1B/140/A, dated 26 April 45, subject as above, with indorsement CA Section of same date.

2. a. Officers : NIL Return

b. OR's : NIL Return.

J.B. MARY PERKINS
Lt.Col., R.A.
D/Director

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
C-1 (3)

REFERENCE : C-12/140/A

26 April 1945.

SUBJECT : Release from the Army - British Personnel

TO : Distribution below.

1. This H.Q. has been instructed to submit names of all British officers and Other Ranks in Age Service Groups 1, 2 and 3 wishing to volunteer for service after release of those Groups.

2. Those volunteering will be liable to serve until general demobilisation is ordered, provided their services are so long required and will be subject to the normal rules regarding transfer, posting, promotion, pay, etc.

3. Names of volunteers will be forwarded to this Branch not later than 29 Apr 45.

4. In accordance with A.C.I. 140/45 all personnel born in 1895 or earlier are in Group 1.

5. The above does not apply to the Women's Services.

6. In the case of Officers, the foregoing is required in confirmation of previous application submitted in response to this H.Q. letter C-12/140/A dated 4 Nov 44.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT ESTABLISHMENTS SECTION

Sir J.H.H. RIMMER Bt.
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IMMEDIATE

TO : All CA S/Cs

**The above information must reach this office by 12 hrs 29 Apl 45. Lists should be in duplicate and separate lists for officers and O'RS are requested.**

26 April 45

J.C. HARVEY J/Cmdr
for CSO CA Section

NIL

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25 April 1945

File: DRC-100

SUBJECT: Recall of Officer Personnel

TO : HQ Allied Commission - APO 394
Attention: Vice President - Establishment Section

1. It is requested that the following officers be called up immediately for duty with Liguria Region Headquarters at its new location, LUCCA:

a. Capt. C.I. DUNN (A) (Toscana)
Capt. W.A. MALKIN (B) (Hqs. AC)
1st Lt. P. D'ERASMO (A) (Toscana)
Capt. D.J. PETRUZZI (A) (IV Corps)
These officers are needed to complete the Genoa team.

b. Major H.B.S. NODDINOTT (B) (Toscana)
This officer is needed to form the cadre for the Imperia team.

c. Major R.K. SMITH (A) (Was on T/Dy to the U.S.; not known whether he has returned.)
Capt. H.A. SCHMIDT (A) (Emilia)
These officers are required to form the cadre for the Savona team.

d. Lt.Col. P. GARDNER (A) (Hqs. AC)
This officer is needed for the Monuments & Fine Arts Section, as there is no representative of this section now with this Region.

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e. A Labor officer.
There is no representative of the Labor Sub-Commission with this Region and the latest situation as regards assignments is not known.

M. Carr Brigadier

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Brigadier
Regional Commissioner

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ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM )
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NUMBER 23 )

10 April 1945

PRESERVATION OF PROPERTY OF HISTORICAL AND EDUCATIONAL IMPORTANCE IN AUSTRIA.

1. The following instructions for the protection of property of historical and educational importance apply only to AUSTRIA. Similar instructions were issued with regard to ITALY in AFHQ Administrative Memorandum Number 20, 1945.

2. Tactical considerations must obviously influence the occupation of historical monuments, deposits of important documents (archives) and artistic treasures during actual fighting but a rigid control over such occupation will be imposed by commanders as soon as fighting has ceased. In areas where active operations are in progress it is not proposed to forbid the occupation by troops of any specific buildings except that churches will NOT be used for normal troop accommodation. In cases of extreme necessity in such areas, churches may be used temporarily to shelter wounded personnel awaiting evacuation but this authority is not to be interpreted to allow their use as casualty clearing stations or hospitals. The responsibilities for decision as to whether historical and other buildings are to be occupied or not within areas where active operations are in progress may be delegated to commanders not below the rank of Divisional Commander or officer of equivalent status, except that during actual fighting, in cases of extreme operational necessity it is realized that lower commanders may have to act.

3. As by far the greater part of the damage is likely to occur between the time the battle moves forward and the time reserve formations and administrative units assume full control, it will be the responsibility of commanders to place guards on all historical buildings and those in which archives are stored during this phase, in so far as their resources allow, so that their eventual occupation will be planned and orderly.

4. In areas where active operations are not in progress historical buildings and those in which archives are housed, will not be occupied when alternative accommodation is available, or without the express authority in writing of Army Headquarters. In such areas churches will NOT in any circumstances be occupied.

5. To assist commanders in preventing needless damage to works of art, lists of the principal historical monuments, deposits of important documents (archives), and artistic treasures of AUSTRIA, have been prepared. These lists are known as the Official Lists of Protected Monuments and Archives - AUSTRIA.

a. For easy reference these lists are printed in sections on a regional basis, one for each Gau, as follows:

(1) GAU VIENNA

(2) NIEDER DONAU

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(3) OBERDONAU

(4) SALZBURG

(5) STEIERMARK

(6) KARNTEN

(7) TIROL-VORARLBERG

They will be issued on demand by G-5 Section Army Headquarters.

b. Headquarters Armies, independent formations and any static headquarters which may be under their command will hold a complete set of the lists referred to above and will insure that appropriate sections of these lists are issued to all concerned. Districts, base sections and other equivalent territorial commands in AUSTRIA will insure that complete sets are maintained at their headquarters and that the undermentioned keep a file of these sections which affect their areas of administrative control:

Headquarters Areas
Headquarters Sub-Areas
Town Majors
Real Estate Officers.

6. Whenever it is found essential for operational reasons to occupy any such buildings, the commander of the occupying troops will be responsible for seeing that G-5 Section are informed at the earliest opportunity, and that every reasonable precaution is taken to prevent careless or willful damage, and especially souvenir hunting. In the case of museums, galleries, libraries, repositories of documents and other cultural institutions, the contents will be stored separately from the parts occupied, communicating doors between the occupied and unoccupied parts of the building will be blocked, as will also all unnecessary entrances from outside whether to the occupied parts or unoccupied parts. Notice boards will be erected, and all troops billeted in the building will be issued with passes and will be the only troops permitted to enter. A single officer will in each instance be made responsible for the observation of these precautions and arrangements will be made whereby responsible Austrian officials can have access for purposes of inspection.

7. Partial occupation of a large historical building, i.e. the occupation of only a small corner, or occupation by troops of more than one Allied Nation will be avoided whenever possible. In the past buildings so occupied have suffered a high proportion of loss and damage, not necessarily attributable to the occupying unit (s).

8. AMG has a staff of Monuments and Fine Arts officers with expert knowledge of such matters who are attached to Armies and in some cases to lower formations and who should be consulted in all cases of doubt. Where such officers rule that specific items e.g. of furniture should be included in those stored separately, their ruling will be binding subject to the right of appeal of the occupying unit to this headquarters through the normal channels.

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AFHQ Administrative Memo #23 (Cont'd)

9. In addition to the historical monuments mentioned in the lists, there exist important repositories to which the more valuable treasures of museums and galleries have been removed for safety. The sites of such repositories are, with a few exceptions included in the lists. There may, however, be other repositories which are not included in the lists. It is to be noted that repositories may be situated in the open country and that they may not on first impression appear to contain art treasures. It is essential that except in case of extreme operational necessity they be not occupied, and that particular care be exercised to protect the sites and not to disturb or move the contents until examination can be made. Appropriate action for this purpose will accordingly be taken by commanders and the sites of repositories will immediately be reported to the appropriate AMG Monuments and Fine Arts officer in order that inspections and examinations of the contents may be made forthwith.

10. In the case of organized collections, written papers (archives) and of books it is to be noted that even those which do not appear to be ancient may be of great importance, not only historically but as containing information necessary for the practical purposes of the war. Careless handling or disarrangement can, moreover, be as harmful as destruction. In the event of the occupation of buildings, or parts of buildings, containing such collections, the commander of the occupying troops will be responsible for seeing that all reasonable precautions are taken to prevent damage or dispersal.

11. All operation and administrative orders involving the occupation of territory containing historical buildings will contain clear and specific instructions to troops on the lines indicated in this instruction.

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDER:

C. J. CHRISTENBERRY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

REFERENCE: G-1B/83/A

21 March 1945

SUBJECT : Planning for Austria

TO : Distribution below.

1. Attached herewith is a new Nominal Roll showing amendments as referred to in para. 2 of our letter of even reference dated 18 Jan 45.

2. It is possible that further amendments may be necessary, and these will be communicated to you in due course.

3. Your attention is again invited to paras. 6 and 7 of our above quoted letter.

4. We are informed by AF HQ that there has been much discussion among officers earmarked for Austria regarding the appointments which it is intended they should fill, and addressees are reminded that this document is SECRET and that there is no necessity for an officer to be given any information other than that he has been earmarked provisionally for Austria.

5. Once an officer is earmarked, he will not be removed from the list without the approval of AF HQ.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER

/s/ NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel Cav.
Vice President-
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APPENDIX "A1"

G-5 STAFF AUSTRIA

PERSONNEL EARMARKED

| Serial | Detail | ME | Selected or Prospective Officers |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | ACOS Brig | 1 | Gp Capt C.E. Benson, DSO, RAF |
| 2. | Deputy Col. | 1 | W/Comd E.T. Boer, RAF (AC) |
| 3. | MILITARY GOVT BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt Col P.F. Benton-Jones, RA (AC) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj A.J.W. Clarke, SUFFOLK (22 CAU)<br>Maj D.R.B. Mynors, SG (AC) |
| 4. | INTELLIGENCE SECTION | | |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt P.A. Dillon, 12 L (22 CAU)<br>J/Comd M.J. Frise, ATS (22 CAU) |
| 5 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | D.A.&Q.M.G | 1 | Maj R.W. Harriman, RA (AC) |
| | Staff Capts | 2 | Capt B.T. Faherty, NORCR (22 CAU)<br>Capt R. Walters, RA (22 CAU) |
| | Camp Comdt | 1 | Capt L.B. Adams, RAC (22 CAU) |
| 6. | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj E.J. Pullen, Gen. List (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt E.J.R. Roberts, Gen. List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Lt M.L. Turner (Essex R) (AC) |
| 7 | HEALTH BRANCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj L.G. Norman, RAMC (AC) |
| | SO3 (Med Sups) | 1 | Capt. P.T. Light, RAMC (AC) |
| 8. | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. I.G.H. Campbell (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Sqn/Ldr P.H. Layton, RAF (22 CAU) |
| 9 | FINANCE BRANCH | | |
| | Col C. | 1 | Col P.C. Anderson, DSO, MC (ACA) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj G.K. Tyrell, Gen. List (AC)<br>Maj T.W.G. Gilbertson, RA (22 CAU) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt P.E. Husband, Gen. List (22 CAU) |
| 10 | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |

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| | Staff Capts | 1 | Maj R.W. Harriman, RA (AC) |
| | | 2 | Capt B.T. Faherty, MORCR (22 CAU) |
| | Camp Comdt | | Capt R. Walters, RA (22 CAU) |
| | | 1 | Capt L.B. Adams, R.C (22 CAU) |
| 6. | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj E.J. Pullen, Gen. List (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt E.J.R. Roberts, Gen. List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Lt M.L. Turner (Essex R) (AC) |
| 7 | HEALTH BRANCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj L.G. Norman, RAMC (AC) |
| | SO3 (Med Sups) | 1 | Capt. P.W. Light, RAMC (AC) |
| 8. | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. I.C.H. Campbell (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Sqn/Ldr P.H. Layton, RAF (22 CAU) |
| 9 | FINANCE BRANCH | | |
| | Col C. | 1 | Col P.C. Andersen, DSO, MC (AC) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj G.K. Tyrell, Gen. List (AC) |
| | | | Maj T.W.G. Gilbertson, RA (22 CAU) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt P.E. Husband, Gen. List (22 CAU) |
| 10. | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. P. Rodd (W.C.) (UK) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj D.J.B. Tennant, RASC (AC) |
| | SO3 (QM) | 1 | Capt. G. Smith (Eighth Army) |
| 11 | SUPPLY BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj C.H. Sykes, RASC (AC) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj R.C. Helliwell, RASC (22 CAU) |
| | | | Maj W.F.D. Young, RA (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt E.F. Beresford (22 CAU) |
| | Civ Sup Det | | |
| | Major | 1 | Major R.H. Kennedy. Hamps. (AC) |
| | Capt | 1 | |
| | Sub | 1 | |
| 12 | TRANSPORTATION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj J... Readman, WILTS YEO (UK) |
| | TOTAL OFFICERS | 33 | |

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APPENDIX "A2"

PROPOSED
A.C. ATTACHMENTS TO
G-5 STAFF AUSTRIA

| Serial | Detail | No of Officers | Selected or Prospective Officers |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj F.C. Baker, RA (22 CAU) |
| 2. | ACCOUNTING SECTION | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt Col J.H. Hall, RA (AC) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Capt J.E. Hayes, RA (AC)<br>Capt M.B. Scott, RASC (AC) |
| | SO3 | 3 | Lt R.J.L. Bell, RA (AC)<br>Lt W.... Roberts, RA (AC) |
| 3. | CURRENCY SECTION | | |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj D. Drinnie, RA (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt J.W. Clay, Gen. List (AC)<br>Capt A.G. Sorrell, KRRC (22 CAU)<br>Capt W.D. Hodder, KRRC (AC) |
| 4. | MFA | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt E. Croft-Murray, Int. Corps (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt T.H. Brock, KRRC (AC) |
| 5. | SUPPLY AND ECONOMICS | | |
| | SO2 (Agriculture) | 1 | |
| | SO2 (Industry) | 2 | |
| 6. | PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | |
| | SO3 | 1 | |
| 7. | LABOUR | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | |
| | SO3 | 1 | |
| 8. | EDUCATION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | |

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|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Capt A.C. Sorrell, R.R.ICK (22 C.U) |
| | | | Capt W.D. Hodder, KRRC (A.C) |
| 4. | MFA. | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt E. Croft-Murray, Int. Corps (A.C) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt T.H. Brook, KRRC (A.C) |
| 5. | SUPPLY AND ECONOMICS | | |
| | SO2 (Agriculture) | 1 | |
| | SO2 (Industry) | 2 | |
| 6. | PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | |
| | SO3 | 1 | |
| 7. | LABOUR | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | |
| | SO3 | 1 | |
| 8. | EDUCATION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | |
| 9. | PUBLIC HEALTH | | |
| | SO3 (Welfare) | 1 | |
| | Total Officers | 23 | |

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Appendix A"3"

G.U STAFF AUSTRIA
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PERSONNEL EMBARKED

| Serial | Detail | AE | | Selected or prospective officers |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | SMGO - Brig | 1 | | - |
| 2 | PA | 1 | | - |
| 3 | D/SMGO - Col | 1 | | Lt.Col. J.H. Giffen, Gen.List (AC) |
| 4 | MILITARY GOVERNMENT BRANCH | | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | | Lt.Col. H.B. Simson, Pnr. Corps (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | | Maj. F.R.I. Williams, R.Fus (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | | Capt A.H. Salway, Gen.List (AC) |
| | | | | J/Cdr. G.M. Palmer, ATS (AC) |
| 5 | BERLIN D. | | 1 | Capt W.R. Bartley, IC (22 C.U) |
| | SO3 (MGCS) | 8 | 2 | Capt J. Goulding, RA. (AC) |
| | | | 3 | Capt G.H. Campbell, RA. (AC) |
| | | | 4 | Capt P.E. Clarke, Int.Corps (AC) |
| | | | 5 | Capt C. Ellis, Queens R (22 C.U) |
| | | | 6 | Capt D.R. Vallance, RA. (22 C.U) |
| | SO3 (Police Officers) | 4 | 1 | Capt R. Hunt, Gen.List (AC) |
| | | | 2 | Capt P.H. Bricknell, Gen.List (AC) |
| | | | 3 | Capt J. Medhill, Gen.List (AC) |
| | | | 4 | Capt. N.M. Mackenzie Gen. List (AC) |
| 6 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | | Lt.Col. J.B. Thompson, RA. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | | - |
| 7 | LABOUR SECTION | | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | | Capt C.M.H. Buckwell, Int.Corps (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | | Capt J. Topliss, RA. (AC) |
| 8 | INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE | | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | | Maj J.R. Stockman, RA. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | | Lt J.E.M. Bury, R.Signals (AC) |
| 9 | FINANCE SECTION | | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | | Maj G.E. Galaud, RA. (22 C.U) |
| | SO2 | 1 | | Maj A.G. Withers, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | | Capt. M.C.J. Hall, INNISKS (AC) |
| 10 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|
| | SO3 (Police Officers) | 4 | 1 Capt [illegible]<br>2 Capt F.H. Brickhell, Gen.List (AC)<br>3 Capt J. Hadhill, Gen.List (AC)<br>4 Capt. N.M. Mackenzie Gen. List (AC) |
| 6 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. J.B. Thompson, RA (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | |
| 7 | LABOUR SECTION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt C.M.H. Buckwell, Int.Corps (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt J. Topliss, RA (AC) |
| 8 | INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj J.R. Stockman, RA. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Lt J.E.H. Bury, R.Signals (AC) |
| 9 | FINANCE SECTION | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj G.E. Golaud, RA (22 C.U) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj [illegible].G. Withers, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt. [illegible].C.J. Hall, INNISKS (AC) |
| 10 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Lt B[illegible] Bickerton (UK) (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | |
| 11 | TRANSPORTATION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt R.C. Gardner, RASC (22 C.U) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt R.H. Walker, R.SC (AC) |
| 12 | SUPPLY SECTION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj R.J. Mayer, R.E. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt T.[illegible].D. Hatt, AQC (AC)<br>Lt. R. Homer, RAOC (AC) |
| 13 | PUBLIC UTILITIES | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj J.S. Merritt, C.I.C. (22 C.U) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj [illegible].G. Perley, RCOC (AC)<br>Maj [illegible].H. Gamble, Gen.List (AC) |
| 14 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. S.H. White, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | To be nominated by AC |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 15 | PUBLIC SAFETY | | |
| | Col | 1 | Lt.Col. A.F. Wilcox, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. J.R. Pollock, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO2 | 3 | Maj J.C. Reid, Gen.List (AC) |
| | | | Maj G.M. Brooke, Gen.List (AC) |
| | | | Capt L.R. Ashton, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt C. Noble, Gen.List (AC) |
| | | | Capt T.W.K. Greenhill, Gen.List (AC) |
| | Staff Lt | 2 | - |
| 16 | LEGAL SECTION | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj G.A. Bamlet, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt L.A. de Pinna, AEC (22 CAU) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt W.T. Fielding, Int.Corps (AC) |
| 17 | DISPLACED PERSONS | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Major G. Hartmann, Gen.List (AC) |
| 18 | PUBLIC HEALTH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj F. King, RAMC (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt C.O.S. Brooke, RAMC (AC) |
| 19 | EDUCATION & RELIGION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| | P.T.T. | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj E.W. Weaver, Gen.List (22 CAU) |
| 20 | INTERNAL ADM SECTION | | |
| | Major i/c adm | 1 | Capt F.A. Dolby (AFHQ) |
| | CSM Supervising clerk | 1 | - |
| | Camp Comdt | 1 | - |
| | Total Officers | 60 | |

N.B. Interpreters are omitted.

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|---|---|---|---|
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt C.O.S. Brocke, RAMC (MC) |
| 19 | EDUCATION & RELIGION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | " - " |
| | P.T.T. | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj E.W. Weaver, Gen.List (22 CMU) |
| 20 | INTERNAL ADM SECTION | | |
| | Major i/c adm | 1 | Capt F.M. Dolby (AFHQ) |
| | QM Supervising clerk | 1 | " - " |
| | Camp Comdt | 1 | " - " |
| | Total Officers | 60 | |

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Appendix "A4"

C.U STAFF AUSTRIA.

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PERSONNEL REQUIRED

| Serial | Detail | W.E. | Selected or prospective officers. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | COMMANDER | | |
| | COLONEL | 1. | Lt.Col. A.C. Wilkinson, DSO, MC, Gds - R.A. (AC) |
| 2 | MILITARY GOVT BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1. | To be nominated by AC |
| | SO2 | 2. | Maj A.G. Wereee, The Buffs (22 C.U) |
| | | | Capt S.C. Welsh, R. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt V. Milloughby, HLI (AC) |
| | | | J/Cmd J. Gumming, ATS (AC) |
| 3 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj P.R.P. Knoll, R. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt A.N.L.C. Allen, RA (22 C.U) |
| | | | J/Cmd D.M. Findlay, ATS (AC) |
| 4 | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj G.M. McFadyean, SOM. L.I. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Lt. L.M. Slade, RA (22 C.U) |
| 5 | FINANCIAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj C. Drummond, R. (AC) 703 |
| | | | Maj A. Nichols, RA (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt E.F. Tyler, Gen List (AC) |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj G.C.F. Duncan, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt L.J.T.G. Bartlett, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt A.P. Shaw, Gen.List (AC) |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj W.D.R. Thompson, RAMC (AC) |
| 8 | SUPPLY & ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj W.R.S. Hodgson, R. (AC) |
| | SO2 (supply) | 1 | Capt H. Hayden, RAC (22 C.U) |

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|---|---|---|---|
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj P.R.P. Knell, R. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt ... L.C. ...llen, RA (22 C.U) |
| | | | J/Comd D.... Findlay, ...TS ( C) |
| 4 | LEGAL BR.NCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj G.W. McFadyean, SOM. L.I. (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Lt. L.... Slade, R. (22 C.U) |
| 5 | FIN.NCI.L BR.NCH | | |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj C. Drummond, R. (AC) |
| | | | Maj ... Nichols, RA (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt E.F. Tyler, Gen List (AC) |
| 6 | PUBLIC S.FETY BR.NCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj G.C.F. Duncan, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt L.J.T.G. Bartlett, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt ...P. Shaw, Gen.List (AC) |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BR.NCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj W.D.R. Thompson, R.AMC (AC) |
| 8 | SUPPLY & ECONOMIC BR.NCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj W.R.S. Hodgson, R. (AC) |
| | SO2 (supply) | 1 | Capt H. Haydon, R.C (22 C.U) |
| | SO2 (..gric, Forests, Fisheries) | 1 | Maj T.O.S. White, KRRC (AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Lt. R. Linchan, R. (22 C.U) |
| 9 | TR.NSPORT.TION BR.NCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj ..R. Hughes, R. (AC) |
| 10 | UTILITIES BR.NCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj D... Boyd, RE (AC) |
| | SO3 (Electrical Engineer) | 1 | Capt E.P. ...dc-Brown, R. (AC) |

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| Serial | Detail | W.E. | Selected or prospective officers. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 11. | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Maj J.E. Dufour, RCR (ACC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | To be nominated by ACC |
| 12. | LABOUR BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Capt D.L. Betham, RA (ACC) |
| 13. | PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Capt R. Crosby, RASC (ex UK) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Lt. E.D. Ham, RA (ex UK) |
| 14. | KREISE ADMINISTRATION | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | Lt.Col. W.F. Simpson, DLI (ACC) |
| | SO 2 | 18 | 1. Maj P.H. Barre, C Inf (ACC) |
| | | | 2. " C.C. Sturgis, Fmr C (ACC) |
| | | | 3. " S.S. Patrick, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 4. " R.S. Mount, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 5. " E.G. Tweedie, Cheshire (ACC) |
| | | | 6. " G.D. Auchlow, Lancs Fus (ACC) |
| | | | 7. " J. Ellice, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 8. " J.D. Leggett, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 9. " L.R. Denning, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 10. " B. du B.F. White, E.Surreys (ACC) |
| | | | 11. " C.G. Supeene, RCAF (ACC) |
| | | | 12. " C.E.F. Hanbury-Tracey, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 13. " H.G. Hare, RA (CMPU) |
| | | | 14. " R.H. Barton, Inniskg (ACC) |
| | | | 15. " C.N. Lane, RA (22 CMU) |
| | SO 3 | 28 | 1. Capt R.N.K. Beresford, RAOC (ACC) |
| | | | 2. " D.P. Schleibnuf, Cdn Inf (ACC) |
| | | | 3. " F. Turner, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 4. " R.W. Buckley, Int.Corps (ACC) |
| | | | 5. " J. Whyte, Gen.List. (ACC) |
| | | | 6. " K.G. Kemp, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 7. " K.D. Erskine, RA (ACC) |
| | | | 8. " H.G. Harris, Int.Corps (ACC) |
| | | | 9. " R.E. Cook, Int.Corps (ACC) |
| | | | 10. " H.C. Titchmarsh, WLI (ACC) |

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7. " J. Ellice, R. (.C)
8. " J.D. Loggett, R. (.C)
9. " L.R. Denning, R. (.C)
10. " B. du B.F. White, E.Surreys (.C)
11. " C.G. Supeone, RC.P (.C)
12. " C.E.F. Hanbury-Tracey, R. (.C)
13. " H.G. Hare, R. (C.PU)
14. " R.H. Barton, Inniskg (.C)
15. " C.N. Lane, R. (22 C.U)

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28 1. Capt R.N.K. Beresford, R.OC (.C)
2. " D.P. Schleibauf, Cdn Inf (.C)
3. " F. Turner, R. (.C)
4. " R.W. Buckley, Int.Corps (.C)
5. " J. Whyte, Gen.List. (.C)
6. " K.G. Kemp, R. (.C)
7. " K.D. Erskine, R. (.C)
8. " H.G. Harris, Int.Corps (.C)
9. " R.E. Cook, Int.Corps (.C)
10. " W.G. Titchmarsh, HLI (.C)
11. " D.J.C. Brown, R. (.C)
12. " R. Leach, R.OC (.C)
13. " E.R. Richman, Pnr.Corps (.C)
14. Lieut. G.W. Murray, Cdn.Inf. (.C)
15 Lieut. W.E. Jones, Pnr.C. (.C)
16. Lieut. R...M. Hastings, BUFFS (.C)
17. Capt. R. Adair, R. (22 C.U)
18. " H.U.I.Jones, R. (22 C.U)
19. " G.T. Fullerton-Carnegie, SG(22 CAU)
20. " G.M.L. Smith, (22 C.U)
21. " R.M. Williams, (22 C.U)
22. " W.E.J. Bullock, Gen.List (.C)
23. " G.M.E. Coult, Gen.List. (.C)
24. " F.C.V. Hayward, Gen.List. (.C)
25. " T.F. Hunter, Gen.List. (.C)
26. " F. Massingberd-Mundy, Gen.List. (.C)

TOTAL OFFICERS 77

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G.U KARNTEN
PERSONNEL REQUIRED

| Serial | Detail | ME | Selected or prospective officers |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | COMMANDER | | |
| | Colonel | 1 | Lt.Col. D.G.H.H. Smith, London Scot (AC) |
| 2 | MILITARY GOVERNMENT BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | Lt.Col. H.H. Nichols, The Buffs (AC) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | Maj F.N. Baldren, R. BERKS (AC)<br>S.Comd. P.R. Stones, RNS (ex UK) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt A.C.F. Mitby RNC - R. (AC) |
| 3 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt E.R.S. Pope, R. (AC) |
| 4 | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Maj [illegible] Caldwell, R. (AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt E.N. Blacklock, KOSB (AC) |
| 5 | FINANCIAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 2 | Capt [illegible].P. Dryburgh, Gen.List (AC)<br>Capt [illegible]. Coombes, R. (AC) |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | Maj [illegible].E. Collins, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Maj J.A. McKay, Gen.List. (AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt J.E.K. Dunstan, Gen.List. (AC) |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt C.T. Jones, RAMC (AC) |
| 8 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | Lt.Col. [illegible].N. Stewart, R.SC (AC) |
| | SO 2(Supplies) | 1 | Maj D.L. Struth, R. (22 CAU) |
| | SO 2(Agric, Forests, Fisheries) | 1 | Maj V. Guy, [illegible]. Cdo (AC) |
| | SO 3(Supplies) | 1 | Capt [illegible]. Hunt, Pnr.Corps (AC) |
| 9 | TRANSPORTATION BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Capt J.F.D. Halstead, R.SC (AC) |
| 10 | UTILITIES BRANCH | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt F.L.H. Stephens, RE (AC) |

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| | SO 2 | 2 | | Capt [illegible].P. Dryburgh, Gen.List (AC)<br>Capt [illegible]. Coombes, R. (AC) |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | | Maj [illegible].E. Collins, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | | Maj [illegible]. McKay, Gen.List. (AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | | Capt J.E.H. Dunstan, Gen.List. (AC) |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | | Capt C.T. Jones, RAMC (AC) |
| 8 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | | Lt.Col. [illegible].N. Stewart, R.SC (AC) |
| | SO 2(Supplies) | 1 | | Maj D.L. Struth, RA (22 C.U) |
| | SO 2(Agric, Forests, Fisheries) | 1 | | Maj V. Guy, W. Gds (AC) |
| | SO 3(Supplies) | 1 | | Capt [illegible]. Hunt, Pnr.Corps (AC) |
| 9 | TRANSPORTATION BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | | Capt J.F.D. Halstead, R.SC (AC) |
| 10 | UTILITIES BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | | Capt F.[illegible].H. Stephens, RE (AC) |
| 11 | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | | Maj E.H.[illegible]. Samson, RA (AC) |
| 12 | LABOUR BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | | Capt C.F. [illegible]son, RA (AC) |
| 13 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | | Capt P.H. Vincent, [illegible].F (AC) |
| 14 | KREISE ADMINISTRATION | | | |
| | SO 2 | 10 | 1 | Maj [illegible].H. Barton, OXF BUCKS (22 C.U) |
| | | | 2 | Maj P. Bryer, RA (22 C.U) |
| | | | 3 | Maj [illegible].B. Butter, RA (22 C.U) |
| | | | 4 | Maj G.F.G. Edlin, RA (AC) |
| | | | 5 | Maj [illegible]. McGahan, RA (AC) |
| | | | 6 | Maj I.D. Turner, P.R. (AC) |
| | | | 7 | Capt [illegible]. Purvis, R.Fus (AC) |
| | | | 8 | Capt J.T.T.R. Gollop, R.C (AC) |
| | | | 9 | Maj H.C. Corbin, Gen.List (AC) |
| | SO 3 | 13 | 1 | Capt D.E. Hurles, [illegible]CRC R (AC) |
| | | | 2 | Capt H. Baker, Gen.List (AC) |

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3 Capt H.H.F. Hillin, DEVONS (AC)
4 Capt G.B. Ingham, R. (22 CAU)
5 Capt G. Watson, HLI (AC)
6 Lt R.E. Bido, R. (22 CAU)
7 Capt D.M. Watson, SEAFORTHS (22 CAU)
8 Capt R.T. Lloyd-Delby, RECCE (22 CAU)
9 Capt K.M. Cheyne, R. (22 CAU)
10 Lt W.C. Cubberley, M. (AC)

11 Lt R.M. Hetherington, M. (22 CAU)

TOTAL OFFICERS 46

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29 Feb 45

SUBJECT : Planning for AUSTRIA

TO : All Sub-Commns

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FILE No 320.00 (Secret)

1 Attached hereto is revised nominal roll of Officers earmarked for Austria (G-1B/83/A dated 22 Feb 45).

2 Sub-Commissions desiring amendments to be made to this list should submit particulars to 3A Section by 27 Feb 45.

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R.R. [illegible] Col,
GSO 3A Section

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22 February 1945

REFERENCE: G-1B/83/A

SUBJECT : Planning for Austria

TO : Distribution below

1. Attached herewith is a new Nominal Roll showing amendments as referred to in Para.2 of our letter of even reference dated 18 January 1945.

2. It is expected that further amendments will be made, and these will be communicated to you in due course.

3. Your attention is again invited to paras. 6 and 7 of our above quoted letter.

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Liguria Region
Piemonte Region
Lombardia Region
Venezia Region
S.C.A.O. AMG HQ Fifth Army
S.C.A.O. AMG HQ Eighth Army

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NOTE
Further to para 1 above, amendment No.1 to Nominal Roll referred to therein is attached hereto.

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APPENDIX "A1"

G-5 STAFF AUSTRIA

PERSONNEL EMBARKED

| Serial | Detail | WE | Selected or Prospective Officers |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | ACOS Brig | 1 | Gp Capt C.E. BENSON, DSO, RAF |
| 2 | Deputy Col. | *1 | W/Comd E.T. BEER RAF (AMG & AC) |
| 3 | CO-ORDINATING STAFF | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt Col P.F. BENTON-JONES RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj A.J.W. CLARKE, SUFFOLK (22 CAU) |
| 4 | INTELLIGENCE SECTION | | |
| | SO2 | *1 | - |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt J.R. HATTLEY Int Corps (22 CAU)<br>J/Comd M.J. FRISE, ATS (22 CAU) |
| 5 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | DA&QMG | 1 | Maj R.W. HARRIMAN RA (AMG & AC) |
| | Staff Capts | 2 | Capt B.T. FAHERTY NORD R (22 CAU)<br>Capt R. WALTERS RA (22 CAU) |
| | Camp Comdt | *1 | Capt L.B. ADAMS RAC (22 CAU) |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj E.J. PULLEN Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj. J.A. McKAY Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt E.J.R. ROBERTS Gen List AMG & AC) |
| 7 | HEALTH BRANCH | | 704 |
| | SO2 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 8 | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. I.G.H. CAMPBELL (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Sqn/Ldr P.H. LAYTON, RAF (22 CAU) |
| 9 | FINANCE BRANCH | | |
| | Col CA | 1 | Col P.C. ANDERSON DSO, MC (ACA) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj G.K. TYRELL Gen List (AMG &AC)<br>Maj T.W.G. GILBERTSON RA (22 CAU) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt P.E. HUSBAND Gen List (22 CAU) |
| 10 | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |

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|---|---|---|---|
| | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | DA&QMG | 1 | Maj R.W. HARKIMAN RA (AMG & AC) |
| | Staff Capts | 2 | Capt B.T. FAHERTY WORC R (22 CAU) |
| | | | Capt R. WALTERS RA (22 CAU) |
| | Camp Comdt | *1 | Capt L.B. ADAMS RAC (22 CAU) |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj E.J. PULLEN Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj. J.A. McKAY Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt E.J.R. ROBERTS Gen List AMG & AC) |
| 7 | HEALTH BRANCH | | 764 |
| | SO2 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 8 | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. I.G.H. CAMPBELL (AMC & AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Sqn/Ldr P.H. LAYTON, RAF (22 CAU) |
| 9 | FINANCE BRANCH | | |
| | Col CA | 1 | Col P.C. ANDERSON DSO,MC (ACA) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj G.K. TYRELL Gen List (AMG &AC) |
| | | | Maj T.W.G. GILBERTSON RA (22 CAU) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt P.E. HUSBAND Gen List (22 CAU) |
| 10 | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj J.E. DUFOUR. RCA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj D.J.B. TENNENT, RASC (AMG & AC) |
| 11. | SUPPLY BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Maj C.H. SYKES, RASC (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj R.C. HELLIWELL, RASC (22 CAU) |
| | | | Maj W.F.D. YOUNG, RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | Capt E.F. BERESFORD (22 CAU) |
| 12 | TRANSPORTATION BRANCH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj J.A. READMAN WILTS YEO (UK) |
| | Total Officers | 28 | |

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APPENDIX "A2"

PROPOSED
A.C. ATTACHMENTS TO
G-5 STAFF AUSTRIA

| Serial | Detail | No of Officers | Selected or Prospective Officers |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj F.C. BAKER RA (22 CAU) |
| 2 | ACCOUNTING SECTION | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt Col J.H. HALL, RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Capt J.E. HAYES RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 3 | Capt M.B. SCOTT RASC (AMG & AC)<br>Lt R.J.L. BELL, RA (AMG & AC)<br>Two to be nominated |
| 3 | CURRENCY SECTION | | |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj D. DRUMMIE RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt J.W. CLAY Gen List (ACA)<br>(Capt A.C. SORRELL WARWICK<br>or (22 CAU)<br>(Capt A.D. HODDER KRRC (AMG & AC) |
| 4 | MFAA | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt E. CROFT-MURRAY Int Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | | 2 | Capt T.H. BROOKE KRRC (AMG & AC) |
| 5 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMICS | | - |
| | SO2 (Agriculture) | 1 | Maj A.M. STUART RA (UK) |
| | SO2 (Industry) | 1 | Maj S.H. MACKNELLY RAOC (SHAEF) |
| | SO2 (Economics) | 1 | - |
| 6 | PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| | SO3 | 1 | - |
| 7 | LABOUR | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| | SO3 | 1 | - |
| 8 | EDUCATION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| 9 | PUBLIC HEALTH | | |
| | SO3 (Welfare) | 1 | - |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | MFAA | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt E. CROFT-MURRAY Int Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | | 2 | Capt T.H. BROOKE KRRC (AMG & AC) |
| 5 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMICS | | - |
| | SO2 (Agriculture) | 1 | Maj A.M. STUART RA (UK) |
| | SO2 (Industry) | 1 | Maj S.H. MACKNELLY RAOC (SHAEF) |
| | SO2 (Economics) | 1 | - |
| 6 | PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| | SO3 | 1 | - |
| 7 | LABOUR | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| | SO3 | 1 | - |
| 8 | EDUCATION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| 9 | PUBLIC HEALTH | | |
| | SO3 (Welfare) | 1 | - |
| | Total Officers | 23 | |

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Appendix A"3"

CAU STAFF AUSTRIA
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PERSONNEL EARMARKED

| Serial | Detail | WE | Selected or prospective officers |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | SMGC - Brig | 1 | - |
| 2 | D/SMGO - Col | 1 | - |
| 3 | PA | 1 | - |
| 4 | MILITARY GOVERNMENT BRANCH | | |
| | SC1 | 1 | LT.COL. J.H. GIFFEN Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SC2 | 1 | M.J.F.R.I. WILLIAMS R.Fus. (AMG & AC) |
| | SC3 | 2 | CAPT A.W. PURVIS R. Fus (AMG & AC)<br>J/CDR C.M. PALMER ATS (AMG & AC) |
| 5 | BEZIRKE AM | | CAPT P.A. DILLON 12L (22 CAU) |
| | SC3 (MGOS) | 8 | CAPT J. GOULDING RA (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT G.H. CAMPBELL RA (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT P.E. CLARKE Int Corps (AMG & AC)<br>and 4 to be nominated |
| | SC3 (Police Officers) | *4 | CAPT R. HUNT Gen List (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT P.H. BRICKNELL Gen List (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT J. MADHILL Gen List (AMG & AC)<br>one to be nominated |
| 6 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | SC1 | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SC3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 7 | LABOUR SECTION | | |
| | SC2 | 1 | CAPT C.W.H. BUCKWELL Int Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | SC3 | *1 | To be nominated |
| 8 | INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE | | |
| | SC2 | 1 | MAJ H.G. REID RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SC3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 9 | FINANCE SECTION | | |
| | SC1 | 1 | MAJ G.E. CLAUD RA (22 CAU) |
| | SC2 | 1 | MAJ A.G.WITHERS Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SC3 | 1 | CAPT W.C.J. HALL Inniskg (AMG & AC) |
| 10 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | |
| | SC2 | 1 | CAPT P.H. VINCENT SAF (AMG & AC) |

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| | | | and 4 to be nominated |
| | SO3 (Police Officers) | *4 | CAPT R. HUNT Gen List (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT P.H. BRICKNELL Gen List (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT J. MADHILL Gen List (AMG & AC)<br>one to be nominated |
| 6 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | Col | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 7 | LABOUR SECTION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | CAPT C.W.H. BUCKWELL Int Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | *1 | To be nominated |
| 8 | INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | MAJ H.C. REID RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 9 | FINANCE SECTION | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | MAJ G.E. GALLAND RA (22 CAU) |
| | SO2 | 1 | MAJ A.G.WITHERS Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | CAPT W.C.J. HALL Inniskg (AMG & AC) |
| 10 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | CAPT P.H. VINCENT SAF (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | LT B... BICKERTON (UK) (AMG & AC) |
| 11 | TRANSPORTATION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | CAPT R.C. GARDNER RASC (SHAEF) |
| | SO3 | 1 | CAPT R.H.WALKER RASC (AMG & AC) |
| 12 | SUPPLY SECTION | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | MAJ R.J. MEYER RAF (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 1 | CAPT T.H.D.H.TT ACC (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | LT. R. HOMER RAOC (AMG & AC) |
| 13 | PUBLIC UTILITIES | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | MAJ J.S. MERRITT C.I.C. (22 CAU) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Both to be nominated |
| 14 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | Col | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO3 | 1 | To be nominated |



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| 15 | PUBLIC SAFETY | | |
| | Col | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO1 | 1 | LT.COL. J.R.POLLOCK Gen List (.MG & .C) |
| | SO2 | 3 | M.J J.C. REID Gen List (.MG & .C) |
| | | | M.J C.W. BROOKE Gen List (.MG & .C) |
| | | | C.PT L.R.ASHTON Gen Lists (.MG & .C) |
| | SO3 | 2 | C.PT C. NOBLE Gen List (.MG & .C) |
| | | | C.PT T.W.M. GREENHILL Gen List (.MG & .C) |
| | Staff Lt | 2 | To be nominated |
| 16 | LEG. L SECTION | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | M.J G... B.NLET Gen List (.MG & .C) |
| | SO2 | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO3 | 1 | C.PT W.T. FIELDING Int Corps (.MG & .C) |
| 17 | DISPL CED PERSONS | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 18 | PUBLIC HEALTH | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO3 | 1 | C.PT C.O.S. BROOKE R.MC (.MG & .C) |
| 19 | EDUC.TION & RELIGION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| | P.T.T. | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | M.J E.W. WE.VER Gen List (22 C.U) |
| 20 | INTERN.L .DM SECTION | | |
| | Major i/c adm | 1 | C.PT F... DOLBY (.FHQ) |
| | Ch Supervising clerk | 1 | - |
| | Camp Comit | 1 | - |
| | Total Officers | 60 | |

* Proposed that these appointments be added to WE.

N.B. Interpreters are omitted.

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|---|---|---|---|
| | 302 | 1 | M.J E.W. WE.VER Gen List (22 C.U) |
| 20 | INTERN.L .DM SECTION | | |
| | Major i/c adm | 1 | C.PT F... DOLBY (.FHQ) |
| | Ch. Supervising clerk | 1 | - |
| | Camp Comit | 1 | - |
| | Total Officers | 60 | |

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Appendix "A".

C.G.S. STAFF DUTIES.

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PERSONNEL REQUIRED

| Serial | Detail | | Selected or prospective officers. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | COMMANDER<br>COLONEL | 1 | LT COL [illegible].C. WILKINSON, DSO, MC, GM - R... ( MG & C) |
| 2 | MILITARY GOVT BRANCH<br>SO 1 | 1 | LT COL W.F. SIMPSON, DLI ( MG & C) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | MAJ W.R.S. MORRISON, R. ( MG & C)<br>C PT D.C. WELSH - R. ( MG & C) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | C PT W. HILLOUGHBY, DLI ( MG & C)<br>S/QMS J. GUNNING - AMS ( MG & C) |
| 3 | ADJUTANT GENERAL BRANCH<br>SO 2 | 1 | MAJ F.R.P. NEILL - R. ( MG & C) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | C PT G. [illegible]TSON - HLI ( MG & C) |
| 4 | T/S BRANCH<br>SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| | SO 3 | | To be nominated. 7045 |
| 5 | INTELLIGENCE BRANCH.<br>SO 2 | (a) 2 | MAJ .C. DRUMMOND - R. ( MG & C)<br>MAJ . NICHOLS - R. ( MG & C) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | C PT W.F. TYLER - One List ( MG & C) |
| 6 | MOVEMENT & SAFETY BRANCH<br>SO 1 | 1 | MAJ C.C.F. DUNCAN - Gen List ( MG & C) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| | SO 3 | 1 | C PT. .F. SHAW - Gen List ( MG & C) |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | DEFENCE LIVESTOCK BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ D.R.P. KNELL - R. (MG & C) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | CAPT G. WATSON - HLI (MG & C) |
| 4 | L & S BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| | SO 3 | | To be nominated. |
| 5 | EMPLACT 1 BR MCH. | | |
| | SO 2 | (a) 2 | MAJ J.C. DRUMMOND - R. (MG & C)<br>MAJ . NICHOLS - R. (MG & C) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT L.F. TYLER - One List (MG & C) |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | MAJ C.C.F. DUNCAN - Gen List (MG & C) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT. .P. SHAW - Gen List (MG & C) |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ .D.R. THOMPSON - RAMC (MG & C) |
| 8 | SUPPLY & ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | * 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO 2 (supply) | 1 | CAPT .G. HALL - Int Corps (MG & C) |
| | SO 2 (Agric,Forests, Fisheries) | * 1 | To be nominated. |
| | SO 3 | 1 | LT R. LINEHAN - R. (22 C U) |
| 9 | TRANSPORTATION BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ .R. HUGHES - R... (MG & C) |
| 10 | UTILITIES BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ D.. BOYD - RE (MG & C) |
| | SO 3(Electrical engineer) | * 1 | To be nominated. |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 11. | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| | SO 3 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| 12. | LABOUR BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | CAPT J. TOPLISS - R. (LAG & LC) |
| 13. | PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ L. H. WILSON - R. (22 CAU) |
| | SO 3 | * 1 | To be nominated. |
| 14. | [illegible] ADMINISTRATION | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | LT COL M.H. NICHOLLS - DUFFS (LAG & LC) |
| | SO 2 | 18 | 1. MAJ P.H. BARRE - C Inf (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 2. " C.O. STURGIS - Pmr C (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 3. " W.J. MCCULLUM - C Inf (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 4. " S.S. PATRICK - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 5. " R.S. MOUNT - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 6. " E.G. TWEEDLE - Cheshire (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 7. " G.D. LUCHLOW - LancsFus (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 8. " J. ELLICE - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 9. " J.D. LEGGETT - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 10. " L.R. DENNING - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 11. " B. du B.F. WITT - E.Surreys (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 12. " O.G. SUPERNE - RCIP (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 13. " C.E.F. HANBURY-TRACEY - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 14. " D.L. STRUTH - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 15. " R.H. BURTON - Inniskg (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 16. " C.N. LANE - R. (22 CAU) |
| | | | 17. " LORD A. GORDON - R. (22 CAU) |
| | SO 3 | 28 | 1. CAPT R.N.K. BERESFORD - RCC (LAG & LC |
| | | | 2. " D.F. SCHLEIMUF - Cdn Inf (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 3. " F. TURNER - R. (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 4. " R.W. BUCKLEY - IntCorps (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 5. " J. HYTE - Gen List (LAG & LC) |
| | | | 6. " K.G. KEEP - R. (LAG & LC) |

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| | | 7. | " G.D. BUCKLEY - Lancs Fus (.MG & .C) |
| | | 8. | " J. ELLICE - R. (.MG & .C) |
| | | 9. | " J.D. LEGGETT - R. (.MG & .C) |
| | | 10. | " L.R. DENNING - R. (.MG & .C) |
| | | 11. | " B. du B.P. WHITE - E.Surreys (.MG & .C) |
| | | 12. | " O.G. SUPERNS - RCAF (.MG & .C) |
| | | 13. | " C.E.F. HANBURY-TRACEY - R. (.MG & .C) |
| | | 14. | " D.L. STRUTH - R. (.MG & .C) |
| | | 15. | " R.H. BARTON - Inniskg (.MG & .C) |
| | | 16. | " C.N. LANE - R. (22 C.U) |
| | | 17. | " LORD A. GORDON - R. (22 C.U) |
| SO 3 | 28 | 1. | CAPT R.N.K. BERESFORD - R.OC (.MG & .C |
| | | 2. | " D.P. SCHLEIHAUF - Cdn Inf (.MG & .C) |
| | | 3. | " F. TURNER - R. (.MG & .C) |
| | | 4. | " R.W. BUCKLEY - IntCorps (.MG & .C) |
| | | 5. | " J WHYTE - Gen List (.MG & .C) |
| | | 6. | " K.G. KEMP - R. (.MG & .C) |
| | | 7. | " K.D. ERSKINE - R... (.MG & .C) |
| | | 8. | " H.G. HARRIS - Int Corps (.MG & .C) |
| | | 9. | " R.E. COOK - Int Coprs (.MG & .C) |
| | | 10. | " A.C. TITCHMARSH - HLI (.MG & .C) |
| | | 11. | " D.J.C. BROWN - R... (.MG & .C) |
| | | 12. | " R. LE CH - R OC (.MG & .C) |
| | | 13. | " E.R. RICHEN - Par Corps (.MG & .C) |
| | | 14. | " J/COMD D.A. FINDLAY - .TS (.MG & .C) |
| | | 15. | LIEUT. G.A. MURRAY - Cdn Inf (.MG & .C) |
| | | 16. | LIEUT. W.E. JONES - Par C (.MG & .C) |
| | | 17. | LIEUT. R.A.M. HASTINGS - BUFFS (.MG & .C) |
| | | 18. | CAPT. R. DYER - R. (22 C.U) |
| | | 19. | " D.R. VALLANCE - R (22 C.U) |
| | | 20. | " H.U.I. JONES - R. (22 C.U) |
| | | 21. | " W.L.C. ALLEN - R. (22 C.U) |
| | | 22. | " G.T. FULLERTON-CARNEGIE - SG (.MG & .C) |

TOTAL OFFICERS 77

* Proposed that these appointments be added to W.E.

(a) Proposed that an existing SO 3 be upgraded to SO 2



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GAU KARNTEN
PERSONNEL EARMARKED

| Serial | Detail | WE | Selected or prospective officers |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | COMMANDER | | |
| | Colonel | 1 | LT COL D.C.H.H. SMITH London Scot(AMG&AC) |
| 2 | MILITARY GOVERNMENT BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | LT COL S.H. WHITE TD Gen List(AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | MAJ P.H. WALDRON R BERKS (AMG & AC) |
| | | | CAPT J.T.T.R. COLLOP RAC (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 3 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT R.R.S. POPE RA (AMG & AC) |
| 4 | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO 3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| 5 | FINANCIAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | (a) 2 | CAPT W.P. DRYBURGH Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | | | CAPT C.H. ANGELL RA (AMG & AC) |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | *1 | To be nominated |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ W.E. COLLINS Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT L.J.T.G.B BUTLETT Gen List (AMG &AC) |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT C.T. JONES RAMC (AMG & AC) |
| 8 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 (Supplies) | *1 | To be nominated |
| | SO 2 (Agric,Forests,Fisheries) | *1 | To be nominated |
| | SO 3 (Supplies) | 1 | CAPT A.W. HUNT Fmr Corps (AMG & AC) |
| 9 | TRANSPORTATION BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ W.T. MARTIN R Sigs (AMG & AC) |
| 10 | UTILITIES BRANCH | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT R.M.J. HIBBERD RE (AMG & AC) |
| 11 | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| | SO 2 | (a) 2 | CAPT T.P. DRYBURGH Gen List (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | CAPT C.H. ANGELL RA (AMG & AC) | |
| 6 | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 1 | *1 | To be nominated | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ [illegible].P. COLLINS Gen List (AMG & AC) | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT L.J.T.G.B [illegible]TT Gen List (AMG &AC) | |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT C.I. JONES RAMC (AMG & AC) | |
| 8 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | | 7843 |
| | SO 1 (Supplies) | *1 | To be nominated | |
| | SO 2 (Agric,Forests,Fisheries) | *1 | To be nominated | |
| | SO 3 (Supplies) | 1 | CAPT A.W. HUNT Dnr Corps (AMG & AC) | |
| 9 | TRANSPORTATION BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ W.T. M[illegible]RTIN R Sigs (AMG & AC) | |
| 10 | UTILITIES BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT R.M.J. HIBBARD RT (AMG & AC) | |
| 11 | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated | |
| 12 | LABOUR BRANCH | | | |
| | SO 2 | *1 | To be nominated | |
| 13 | PROPERTY CONTROL | | | |
| | SO 2 | *1 | To be nominated | |
| 14 | MARINE ADMINISTRATION | | | |
| | SO 2 | 10 | 1. MAJ M.H. BARTON OXF BUCKS (22 CAU) | |
| | | | 2. MAJ I. [illegible]EYOR RA (22 CAU) | |
| | | | 3. MAJ G.B. BUTTER RA (22 CAU) | |
| | | | 4. MAJ P.V.J.C. SNEE RA (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 5. MAJ G.F.G. [illegible]DLIN RA (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 6. MAJ F.M. HARRISSON Gen List (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 7. MAJ A. MCGAHAN RA (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 8. MAJ L.D. TURNER R.R. (AMG & AC) | |
| | SO 3 | 13 | 1. CAPT H.C. CORBIN Gen List (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 2. CAPT D.E. HURLES WORC R (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 3. CAPT H. BAKER Gen List (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 4. CAPT H.H.F. WILLS DEVONS (AMG & AC) | |
| | | | 5. CAPT D. ROSE RA (22 CAU) | |
| | | | 6. CAPT G.H. INGHAM RA (22 CAU) | |
| | | | 7. CAPT B.M. WILLIAMS RA (22 | SECRET |

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8 CAPT D.W. WATSON,SY FOUTHS (22 CAU)
9 CAPT G.M.L. SMITH, RA (22 CAU)
10 CAPT R.T. LLOYD-DOIBY, TECCR (22 CAU)
11 CAPT M.W. CHEYNE, RN (22 CAU)
12 LT W.C. CUBBERLEY,RA (ANG & AC)
13 LT L.W. SLADE, RA (22 CAU)
14 LT R.W. HETHERINGTON, RA (22 CAU)
(Surplus Captains are against deficiencies in Majors)

Total officers 46

* Proposed that these appointments be added to "F

(a) Proposed that existing SO 3 be up graded to SO 2.

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APPENDIX 'B'

SCHEDULE OF AMENDMENT

N.B. The amendments shown below are those which affect the Allied Commission, ITALY. Amendments not directly affecting A.C. are omitted from this summary.

DELETIONS.

The following nominations included in the lists forwarded under G-5 letter of 14 Jan. '45 have been excluded from the lists now submitted.

1. G-5 STAFF (USCRI).

Legal. W/Cond H.....H. DICKIE. R.F.

2. G. ST CH ANTS.

(a) Accounting Section
(b) Currency Section

See Appendix A2 for alterations.

3. G.S VISORY.

(a) Property Control
(b) Public Utilities.
(c) Public Safety
(d) Legal
(e) Public Health

4. G S STAFF (UK).

(a) Adm Branch
(b) Legal
(c) Public Safety.
(d) Supply.
(e) Property Control.
(f) Engineering.

Maj C. E. GULLAND R.
Maj A. G. PEARLEY ACOC
Maj H.A. WESTWOOD RE
Lt Col W. DOHERTY Gen List
Maj C. E. REVELY RA
Maj W. A. CALDWELL R.
Maj L.G. NORMAN R.A.C

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Capt L.A.COHEN R Sigs
Maj G.A. MCFADYEN Gen II
Capt E.N. BLACKLOCK RCSC
Maj. A. J. LACY. Gen List.
Capt. R.A.A. SCHLESINGER. Pnr. Corps.
Maj. W.M. HAMILTON. Buffs.
Maj. J.K. HARRIS. Kings.
J/Cond N. MILLER. R.A.
Capt. T.B.H. OLTON.M. (but see para 11(b)
Capt. C.B. ATKINSON-CRI SH " )
Capt. R.A. OUTHET. Can. Inf. " )
Capt. R.A. S VIL. Cheshire. " )

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(a) Accounting Section
(b) Currency Section

See Appendix 2 for alterations.

3. G.U VIENNA.

(a) Property Control
(b) Public Utilities.
(c) Public Safety
(d) Local
(e) Public Health

Maj C.H. GULLAND R.
Maj ... C. PEARLEY RCOC
Maj H.... WESTWOOD RE
Lt Col W. DOHERTY Gen List
Maj C. ... REVELY RA
Maj W. ... C.LDWELL R.
Maj L.G. NORMAN RASC

4. G.U STUTTGART.

(a) Adm Branch
(b) Legal
(c) Public Safety.
(d) Supply.
(e) Property Control.
(f) Kreise Adm.

Capt L...COHEN R Sigs
Maj G.... MCFADYEAN Gen List
Capt E.N. BLACKLOCK ROSO
Maj. ... I C.V. Gen List.
Capt. B.... SHELLISH.... Pnr. Corps.
Maj. E.N. HAMILTON. Buffs.
Maj. J.K. HARRIS. Kings.
J/Cond N. MILLER. ...T...
Capt. T.B.H. ULTON.RA (but see para 11(b)
Capt. C.B. ATKINSON-CRI... "
Capt. R... OUTHET. Cdn. Inf. "
Capt. R. . S VIL. Cheshire. "
Capt. ..H. S L..Y. Gen List. "

5. G.U K IEL.

(a) Military Govt. Branch.
(b) Legal.
(c) Supply.
(d) Kreise Adm

J/Cond. ...F.E. GOGGIN. ...T.S.
Maj. P. B.CKHOUSE.
Capt. J. LOWE.
Maj. H. BRING. S. Lancs.
Capt. H.V.N. F.NE. R...(but see para. 11(b) below)

ADDITIONS.

Following appointments which are included in the lists now submitted are additional to the nominations in lists forwarded under G-5 letter of 14 Jan.

6. G-5 STAFF USTAT.

(a) Legal,

Lt. Col. I.G.H. CAMPBELL, R.B.



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7. C. .TT.CH.ENTS.

(a) .ccounting Section )
(b) Currency Section ) see .ppendix .. 2 for alter tions
(c) FF..

Capt. E. CROFT-.URR Y. Int. Corps.
Capt. T.H. BROCK. K.A.C.

8. G.U VIENN..

(a) Bezirke .dm (Police Offr.) Capt. R. HUNT. Gen List.
(b) Public Safety. Capt. L.R. SHTON. Gen. List.

9. G.U STEI.R.RK.

(a) Finance. Capt. L.F. TYL.R. Gen. List.

10. G.U K.NTEN.

(a) Kreise .dm. Capt. D.L. HUdLes. .rc R.

ADDITIONS TO BE CONSIDERED BY H.. ..C.

11. The following officers will be considered for nominations for appointments in .U.TRI..

(a) Displaced Persons.

Maj. G. H.WT.N. Gen. List.
Maj. H.J. EKTHOV.N. R..
Maj. R.H. . G .SON. R. .
Capt. F.. H RRISON. R. .

(b) Public Safety Police Officers.

number of Police officers are required to replace .CCs in Kreise .dm. The following will be considered as replacements for those .CCs referred to in paras. 4 (b) and 5 (d) above.

Capt. D.C.J. BULLOCK. Gen. List.
Capt. S. .E. COULT. Gen. List.
Capt. F.C. . H.Y RD. Gen. List.
Capt. T.P. HUNTER. Gen. List.
Capt. P. .SSINGBERD-.NDY. Gen. List.
Capt. J. .HYTE. Gen List.

(c) Supply & Economics Branch ( of n G.U)

Lt. Col. .N. STE.RT. R. .S.C.

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ments in .USTRI..

(c) Displaced Persons.

Maj. G. H.RT.I N. Gen. List.
Maj. H.J. .NTHOV.N. R..
Maj. L.H.. S .LSON. R..
Capt. F.L. H.RRISON. R..

(b) Public Safety Police Officers.

A number of Police officers are required to replace .GOs in Kreise .dm. The following will be considered as replacements for those .GOs referred to in paras. 4 (b) and 5 (d) above.

Capt. D.E.J. BULLOCK. Gen. List.
Capt. S..E. COULT. Gen. List.
Capt. F.C. . H.Y .RD. Gen. List.
Capt. T.P. HUNTER. Gen. List.
Capt. F. .SSINGBE.D-.UNDY. Gen. List.
Capt. J. .HYTE. Gen List.

(c) Supply & Economics Branch ( of a G.U)

Lt. Col. .N. STE.RT. R..S.C.

(d) Local.

Maj. D.D.. COL.. R..



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AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO A.F.H.Q. LETTER

G-5: 210.3-30 of 15 February

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AMENDMENTS.

1. Proposed ACA attachments to G-5 Staff AUSTRIA

(a) MFAA - for SO 3, 2 read SO 3, 1

(b) Supply & Economics - delete all details and substitute

SO 2 (Agriculture) 1 to be found ex U.K.
SO 2 (Industry) 2 to be found ex U.K.

2. CAU VIENNA

(a) Industry & Commerce - delete Maj H.G. REID. R.A. (AMG & AC)

3. CAU STEIERMARK

(a) Military Govt. Branch - delete Lt Col W.F. SIMPSON DLI (AMG & AC)
insert Lt Col H. LLOYD-CARSON R. Lan.R (from U.K.)

INTERNAL ADJUSTMENTS. (not affecting AC ITALY)

4. G-5 Staff AUSTRIA.

(a) Intelligence Section - delete Capt. W.R. HADGLEY. Int.Corps (22 CAU)
insert Capt. DILLON. P.A. 12 L (22 CAU)

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5. CAU VIENNA

(a) Bezirke Adm - delete Capt. P.A. DILLON 12 L (22 CAU)
insert Capt. W.R. HADGLEY Int. Corps. (22 CAU)

(b) Industry & Commerce - insert Maj. S.H. McCHESNEY RAOC (ex SHAEF)

6. CAU STEIERMARK

(a) Military Govt. Branch - delete Maj. W.R.S. HODGSON R. (AMG & AC)
insert Maj. L.H. WILSON R. (22 CAU)

(b) Adm. Board - insert J/Comd D.M. FINDLAY RTS (AMG & AC)

(c) Supply & Economic Branch - insert against 301, Maj W.R.S. HODGSON R. (AMG & AC)

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INTERNAL ADJUSTMENTS. (not affecting AC ITALY)

4. G-5 Staff AUSTRIA

(a) Intelligence Section - delete Capt. W.R. HARTLEY. Int.Corps (22 CAU)
insert Capt. DILLON. P.A. 12 L (22 CAU)

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5. CAU VIENNA

(a) Bezirke Adm - delete Capt. P.A. DILLON 12 L (22 CAU)
insert Capt. W.R. HARTLEY Int. Corps. (22 CAU)

(b) Industry & Commerce - insert Maj. S.H. MACKNELLY RAOC (ex SHAEF)

6. CAU STEIERMARK

(a) Military Govt. Branch - delete Maj. W.R.S. HODGSON RA (AMG & AC)
insert Maj. L.H. WILSON RA (22 CAU)

(b) Adm. Board - insert J/Comd D.M. FINDLAY ATS (AMG & AC)

(c) Supply & Economic Branch - insert against SO1, Maj W.R.S. HODGSON RA (AMG & AC)
insert against SO2, Maj A.M. STUART RA (ex U.K.)

(d) Property Control - delete Maj L.H. WILSON R.A. (22 CAU)
insert Capt. R. CROSBY RASC (ex U.K.)
insert against SO3 LT. E.D. HAM RA (ex U.K.)

(e) Kreise Adm. - delete Maj D.L. STRUTH RA (AMG & AC)
delete J/Comd D.M. FINDLAY ATS (AMG & AC)

7. CAU KARNTEN

(a) Military Govt. Branch - insert against SO2 S/Comd P.R. STONES ATS (ex U.K.)

(b) Supply & Economic Branch - add SO2 (supplies)
insert against SO2 supplies, Maj. D.L. STRUTH RA (AMG & AC)

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TO : Allied Force Headquarters, G-5 Section

Herewith is a German report on the activities of German Archivists in France during the Occupation, which mentions certain archival material taken to Italy. It is requested that this document be passed on to the MFA&A Sub-Commission on the A.C.C., please.

For The Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

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G-5 Operations Branch
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SUBJECT: Activities of German Archivists in France.

The following report on the activities of the German Archivists under military sponsorship in France was found at Aachen and a copy forwarded to this Headquarters by the MFA&A Officer attached to the Ninth U.S. Army. The translation has been prepared by British Element of the Control Commission. Copies of the German text can be made available.

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GEOFFREY WEBB
Lt. Colonel,
Adviser, MFA&A.

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   c. for the Military Government

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## I. Organization and Tasks

On July 17th 1940 the OKH ordered the setting up on the HQ Staff (Admin) of Supreme Military Commander for France of an Archives Group charged with "the protection and exploitation of archives discovered in France". The proposal for this Group originated with Dr. ZIPFEL, Director-General of Prussian State Archives and Director of the Reichsarchive, who, as Commissioner for the Protection of Archives under the Reich Ministry of the Interior, had made plans for the pro-



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seized by the representative of the Director of the Army Archives.

2) The Archives of the Ministères des Colonies, de l'Air and de la Marine.

3) The Archives of the Foreign Office (Quai d'Orsay - cf however II (4) below) for which the Archives Commission of the Foreign Office (German) was responsible.

4) Those Archives dealing with Freemasons and Jews, which, according to orders from CKW of 5th July 1940, were to be left to the Einsatzstab Rosenberg.

In practice the work of the Group was concerned with territory under the control of the Directeur-Général des Archives Nationales, with the exception of the two Departments of Nord and Pas de Calais which came under the Military Commander in BRUSSELS. Altogether our responsibility covered 46 State Archives, about 130 major municipal Archives and an inestimable quantity of private archives of varying importance. In addition the Group was responsible jointly with the Group for the Protection of Libraries, for collections of MSS in libraries insofar as they also contained archival material, which is as frequently the case in France as in Germany.

The enormous scope of this work, coupled with the great richness of French Archives and their very great importance for the histroy of Germany, demanded a numerically strong operational team, at least at the start when the available time could not be clearly estimated. It was essential to make the fullest possible use of a uniquely favourable moment and secure some part of the archives of France for Germany. With a generous understanding of this situation CKH permitted the German Archival Administration to have truly adequate representation within the framework of the Military Administration. Altogether 15 Military Administrative Officers were employed (including 13 senior archival officials, assisted by 1 lawyer and 1 historian as representative of the Reich Institute for the History of the New Germany), supplemented by 2 shorthand-typists and for photographic reproduction work two specialists (photographers) and two orderlies. (See Personnel List - Appendix 1).

In accordance with the special technical directive issued by the Director-General of the Prussian State Archives, the operation was under the command of M.V.C.R. (Director of State Archives) Prof. Dr. SCHNATH. The Group was originally an Advisory Body within Admin. Group I (Internal Admin.), but from 1/11/1940 till 10/6/42 was organized independently as Admin. Group 13 (Admin. Group 6 after 1/3/1942). The majority of the professional personnel and assistants were withdrawn in the winter 1941/42; the remainder (2 officers, 1 female assistant) reverted in June 1942 to the status of Advisers within the Art and Culture Admin.

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The objects of this operation were as follows:

1) Protection and Preservation of French Archives

2) Location and removal of all missing German Archival material

3) Closing and examining the contents of French Archives for the benefit of German science, administration and politics.

4) Preparation of the lists of archival demands to be presented by the German government to the French, especially as regards the return of German archival treasures looted in earlier times and not obtained under the Peace Treaties of 1814/15 or 1871.

The competence of the Archives Group did not extend to:-

1) Military archives (including those of the Ministère de la Guerre) seized by the representative of the Director of the Army Archives.

2) The Archives of the Ministères des Colonies, de l'Air and de la Marine.

3) The Archives of the Foreign Office (Quai d'Orsay - cf however II (4) below) for which the Archives Commission of the Foreign Office (German) was responsible.

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It was never possible to extend the Group's field of activity to cover the additional part of France which was occupied in November 1942.

II. The Operation and its Results

1. The Group's Plan of Operation

The outstanding importance of the Central Archives and Libraries of France determined Paris as the main centre of activity in advance. Here two Working Parties set up, one to comb through the Archives Nationales, the other to deal with the MS. collections of the major libraries. Provision was made for the attachment of specialists to Area Commanders, but it proved unnecessary to make a thorough study of the archives of particular importance to Germany in the eastern border provinces, namely those in the former Reich provinces of Burgundy and Lorraine. This was carried out in Documents Centres, each run by one specialist officer and set up as follows:-

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In carrying through the survey of the French Archives Administration, protecting archives, carrying out checks, bringing back evacuated or missing objects and making enquiries of one sort and another, a total of 65 official tours and duty runs were made, taking in several Departmental Archives (many of them more than once) in that part of France which was occupied in 1940, a great number of non-State-owned Archives, evacuation repositories and hiding-places. The total mileage covered by car runs to 36,670 km. Other official trips were in connection with liaison with Archive services in the Reich, Alsace, Lorraine, Luxemburg and the neighbouring Occupied Territories (Belgium and Holland).

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quarters such as stables, caves etc.) would suffer severe damage when the bad weather set in, as happened in the excessively hard winter of 1940/41.

It was at this stage that the Archives Group took up the work of protection at the beginning of August 1940, and as the members of its staff were professional German archivists the staffs of the French national archival administrations showed every confidence in co-operating with them. Despite a certain reserve this collaboration continued smoothly and correctly to the end. The French Archives Administration under its Director-General P. CARON and Charles SAMARAN (as from April 15th, 1941) showed itself always willing to carry out the demands and regulations imposed by the German authorities in control. Our first common concern was for the return of officials, the repair of damage to buildings, the re-creation of normal working facilities and the return of documents, which had been evacuated on a scale hardly conceivable. On the outbreak of war (partly in fact before) the French had removed the Archives not only from the eastern frontier provinces, but also from Paris. As the German armies advanced they removed important (and naturally the most valuable) objects from a number of Archives in the interior of the country; this time however they were not stored in the neighbourhood of archival centres but frequently in the most remote parts in the South and West. The return of these objects within the limits of possibility and reason set by the war situation was governed not only by concern for their preservation but above all by the research needs of the German archivists. The enormous transport demands - the Archives Nationales in Paris alone had evacuated 605 tons of Archives - were, thanks to the thorough-going co-operation of the Army, met and carried through with such pressure and speed that, generally speaking, all the Archives were again ready to function at the end of 3 months and our investigations could be started.

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Château de Verteuil (Charente) for the southern ones.

These repositories were specially fitted out and exempted from military occupation. Thanks to this foresight scarcely any serious losses of archives through aerial bombardment have occured to date. The most serious loss is that of the Municipal Archives of BREST, destroyed by British incendiary bombs on 4th July, 1941. Other losses - in LORIENT, St. NAZAIRE, BORDEAUX etc - did not really involve historical archives, but only the contents of legal and administrative personnel registries, communal registers etc. which are also called Archives in French. The protection of these so-called Archives, which amounted to more than 10,000 municipal and provincial items, was neither necessary nor possible for the German Archives Group, although the frequent damage and losses suffered by this category of archives (e.g. in 128 communes in Côte d'Or, in 113 communes in Hte. Marne and in 156 communes in Meuse) was subsequently attributed to German looting and wantonness.

On the other hand where aid and protection was needed for collections of historical archives, whether communal, clerical or private, there the Archives Group always did what it could. Innumerable city and château archives



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were sorted and put in safety, documents showing the origin of the owners which had been removed and turned up in Germany were restored either to them or to the Departmental Archives, valuable documentary collections from the Taxation authorities of LILLE and from the Law Courts and Savings Bank of VERDUN which turned up as "war booty" in the Reich were likewise returned by the Archives Group. Again it was with their collaboration that, in the spring of 1941, the royal Archives of Simancas, retained since the time of Napoleon I in the Archives Nationales, were restored to the Spanish Government in accordance with a Franco-Spanish agreement.

Although the records of the French central authorities which had been removed from Paris (especially those from Ministries) do not rank as Archives in the German sense, the Archives Group acting on orders from CKH of Nov. 19th, 1940 took these in charge (in the Loire-Cher area in particular) in order to prevent further damage to this large corpus of abandoned documents. It was then discovered that the material which was of most importance to Germany had invariably been safely stored already. Thus the remainder of the material could be handed over to the French.

3. Location and Seizure of Archival material for the Reich: 7037

a. List of Demands from German Archives.

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The operation was based on the well-known facts of the French removals of cultural material from Germany, especially in the time of Louis XIV, of the French Revolution and of Napoleon I, as a result of which German Archives were deprived of vast quantities of the most valuable documents, MSS, Plans and Deeds which passed to their western neighbour. The same principle applied to collections of works of art and libraries. The removals from the Occupied Territories, the principles and organization of which were laid down by the Reich Ministry for Enlightenment and Propaganda, took the form of an official List of Demands which have now been completed and awaits the Führer's recognition. Considering the quantity of missing archives claimed for Germany and the very patchy removals by German archivists during the occupation of 1870/71, the contribution towards the satisfaction of the List on the part of the present Archives Group has exceeded all possible expectation. By taking much trouble in examining details and by probing deeper and deeper into all the archival material relative to our interests, it was possible to prove with a quite unexpected finality by documents that cultural material - both works of art and the contents of libraries - had in fact been carried off. In the case of archival material it was possible to compile a List of Demands which in completeness and exactitude left nothing to be desired. This final List of Demands for archives, which was forwarded to Reichsminister

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20,903 objects from some 25 French Libraries and Archives.

In detail there were:-

Some 2,400 original deeds from the 9th century and later
375 MSS (Tax receipts, collections of letters, administrative records, etc.)

Some 500 hand-drawn Plans
17,500 individual documents of varying kinds.

By far the greater part (about 12,000 items) is archival material of German origin which for the most part was quite unlawfully brought to France (so-called booty). A lesser portion of the German demands related to material which was of great present significance for Germany (e.g. Documents of the Inter-Allied Rhineland Commission and the Plebiscite Commission) or which should have been surrendered



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The booty which was sought reverts chiefly to the Archives of Alsace, Lorraine and the Rhine, Moselle and Main areas, which have suffered most as a result of French rapine, but the Reichsarchive in Berlin and Vienna have also profited, as well as some State Archives in Northern and Southern Germany (Appendix 2).

The Group likewise took much care in establishing the considerable quantity of Archives of Dutch and Belgian origin. It is greatly to be hoped that the immense trouble taken in these researches will not have been in vain and that it will lead to a righting of old wrongs and to a final clearing up and settlement between the Archives of France and Germany.

The question of whether the German archival demands could not at least in part have been satisfied by exchange, as was the case in Belgium and Holland, had to be answered in the negative owing to the lack of exchange facilities due to the absence of sufficient valuable archival material of French origin in Germany, but also reason that stolen goods are not repurchased.

b. Removals so far carried out.

Forbidden by the clauses of the Hague Convention and by specific instruction from the highest quarters from taking any measures against the French civil archives towards meeting the German List of Demands, the Archives Group has hitherto been able to make but little progress - and that largely with items not on the List - towards seizing and removing to Germany the necessary papers. Such progress as has been made has been due to the exploitation of special facilities. The following for example have been already secured:-

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In exchange the Heeresarchiv handed over to the Prussian State Archives a share of the maps and plans seized as war booty from the vast collection in the Ministere de la Guerre. By arrangement with the Heeresarchiv a specialist member of the Archives Group carefully examined and sorted these over the course of two years. A total of 25,120 objects were seized, of which no less than 6,678 were manuscript topographical plans of German origin, particularly of the 17th and 18th centuries. As these were unimportant from the point of view of military history they were handed over to the German State Archives and this uncommonly valuable addition to their collections makes good at least some part of the archival loot removed by the French.

c. Return of evacuated archival material to Alsace and Lorraine.

The archival evacuation measures planned for French archives were naturally devised to remove all possible local archives from the border provinces of Alsace and Lorraine. Their prompt return after the armistice was one of the first cares of the Group after these territories had once more been taken into the Reich. Although at the beginning the civil administration of Lorraine went its own ways and the Archives Group only stepped in at a later stage in the



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return of missing archives, in Alsace it was possible to take active steps from the very beginning. The Provincial Archives of STRASBOURG, which had been removed to NEVERS was brought back in 3 railway trucks as early as August 1940. Likewise, the three deliveries AL 37,38 and 40, which were sent from Strasbourg to Paris shortly before the war and consisted of valuable archives from French units in Alsace during the World War (1914/18) were brought back in January 1941. The Group was involved in some fifty cases in the search for, securing and return of missing communal and notarial archives from Alsace and Lorraine, particularly from the eastern frontier areas as well as from the Departments of Charente, Vienne and Landes. Moreover the French Archives Administration was ordered to effect the return of all documents and manuscripts from Alsatian Archives which had been lent for study. After long and wearisome negotiations with the French Direction Générale des Forets the surrender was achieved of all personnel files dealing with forestry personnel remaining in Alsace.

An important part of the Archives missing from Alsace and Lorraine were, at the time of the Armistice, outside the immediate reach of the German forces in the Unoccupied Zone; such for example were the very complete State Archives of COLMAR (41 railway trucks full) in AUCH and the important Archives of the Chapter of St. Thomas in Strasbourg which were at the Chateau de Hautefort near PERIGUEUX. The surrender of these Archives and their return was only effected in August 1942 after years of wrangling and indeed after the threat of recriminatory measures to be taken against the Archives of the Occupied Zone. Here too the Archive Group was always ready with support and advice for the Alsatian Restitution Commission, with which it worked in great harmony and earned the special praise of the head of the civil administration in Strasbourg.

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The claim of essential scientific research and the need to examine everything proved a most useful cover for our real and most immediate aims. What in origin seemed a quite limitless mass of work was carried through satisfactorily as far as the number of available bodies allowed and in March 1944 was temporarily suspended. Apart from final revision the manuscript of the "Inventory of papers in French Archives and Libraries bearing on the History of the Greater German Reich and its People" is ready for printing. This "Inventory" (see Appendix 3) consists of some 2,400 typewritten sheets, 900 pages of manuscript and 237 Index

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The quantity of documents which had to be produced for the Archive Group in the Archives Nationales alone - some 18,000 separate documents (cartons, dossiers, registries) were examined between August 1940 and March 1944 - shows the amount of work accomplished by German research.

5. Photographic Reproduction.

Hand in hand with the cataloguing the operation was supported by the most modern technical aids known to archivists and a great programme of photo-



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graphic reproduction of selected MSS and documents was done on microfilm of 34 x 58 mm. The recording apparatus (Kototphot system) as well as the special technical staff was provided by the German Archives Administration. After April 1942 the photographic work was carried on entirely single-handed by an orderly who had in the meanwhile been fully trained to the job. The developing of exposed films, the preparation of enlargements and the safe storage of the accumulated material was undertaken by the Photographic Section of the Geheimes Staatsarchiv in BERLIN-DAHLEM.

One photographic installation X operated in the Archives Nationales from 6th Feb. 1941 - 18th March 1944; a second installation A operated in the Bibliothèque Nationale from 6th June, 1941 - 2nd October 1941; a third Z was for a time operating in the Quai d'Orsay. Documents from outside Paris, especially from NANCY were sent to the capital to be dealt with. On an average 500 photographs per day were taken by each apparatus, giving a total by March 1944 of 483,393 exposures. The distribution of this photographic material in the various German Archives is shown at Appendix 4.

Following the directive of the German Archives Administration the documents which were photographed were chiefly:-

1) those of special importance for German research,

2) those not already produced by the French for political reasons (e.g. papers of the Inter-Allied Rhineland Commission, documents of the Chambres de Réunion etc.)

Naturally documents included in the List of Removals were very widely photographed, so that in all events photographic records of these could be brought back to Germany. As photographic records had to be a substitute for the originals it was essential to photograph as a general rule complete volumes. The special research needs of the two Reich Historical Institute were dealt with on a selective principle and between the two of them received over 26.000 prints. As far as time and labour permitted work was also carried out for private individuals on payment of the photographic fees.

A word must be said about the outstanding technical success of the photographic process. Although it was generally impossible to examine the results of exposed film until it was developed months later in Berlin, the number of failures was very small (a few hundred out of near a million) and occurred on an ever decreasing scale.

6. Requisitioning of archives for operative and special use.

a. For official purposes.

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2) those now partly provided by the Archives for [illegible]
(e.g. papers of the Inter-Allied Rhineland Commission, documents of the Chambres de Réunion etc.)

Naturally documents included in the list of Demands were very widely photographed, so that in all events photographic records of these could be brought back to Germany. As photographic records had to be a substitute for the originals it was essential to photograph as a general rule complete volumes. The special research needs of the two Reich Historical Institute were dealt with on a selective principle and between the two of them received over 26.000 prints. As far as time and labour permitted work was also carried out for private individuals on payment of the photographic fees.

A word must be said about the outstanding technical success of the photographic process. Although it was generally impossible to examine the results of exposed film until it was developed months later in Berlin, the number of failures was very small (a few hundred out of nearly a million) and occurred on an ever decreasing scale.

6. Requisitioning of Archives for enquiries and special use.

a. For official purposes.

Although the large-scale exploitation of the inventories and photographic records cannot be undertaken before the end of the war, the archives of France were in many individual cases requisitioned to permit special enquiries to be made in the name of German research or administration. The Reich Institutes for the early History of Germany and for the History of the New Germany made frequent calls on the Archives Group to carry out research, verification or photography (11,410 negatives and 15,596 for the two respectively). The Reich Institute for the History of the New Germany was represented on the Group from Sept. 1940 till Feb. 1942 by two of its own technical staff who devoted themselves to the study of the Separatist Movement during the occupation of the Rhineland, the Jewish problem and the great political scandals in French history (Panama, Dreyfus etc.), subjects on which the basic documents were till now hardly available.

The Reich Ministry of Finance was supplied with details of the documents in the Archives Nationales dealing with the Reparations Commission, the Reichsgipponent (Family Bureau) and the "Ahnenerbe" was sent extracts from the births, deaths, marriages and heraldic registers. The Chief Race and Settlement Office of the Reich Leader of the SS was provided, for photographic and copying, with the documents from the Archives Nationales dealing with the exodus of the Huguenots to Germany. Altogether 359 boxes of archives were sent to Berlin and the results incorporated in the pedigree tables of the members of the SS. The



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Reich Ministry for Propaganda and Enlightenment, as well as the Principal Archives of the NSDAP were supplied with information about and photographic records of papers dealing with the bloodshed during the German risings of 1806-13 (PALM, STARS, SCHILL, NORDA etc.) and 1923 (SCHLAGETER); the Reichsarchiv in Vienne received a transcript of the documents of the Court of Enquiry into the SARAJEVO incident in 1914, from French private possession. Other information and photographs were sent to: The Bavarian Academy of Sciences for inclusion in its edition of old German Reichstag deeds in the time of WENZEL and MAXIMILIAN I; the German Historical Institute in ROME received information about Reich 14th Century history; the Prussian Academy of Sciences was helped in its edition of LEIBNIZ; the Colonial and Politic l Office received information about early German colonial history; also supplied were several historical Commission, Societies, Municipal Administrations and such like interested in the history of particular parts of Germany (BADEN, ALSACE, HESSEN, LORRAINE, LUXEMBURG, [illegible] PRUSSIA, the UPPER RHINE) and/or towns (SPONHEIM, HEILIGEN, FRANKFURT a.M., FREIBURG i.B., METZ, STRASBOURG, TILSIT). No account has here been taken of the exhaustive enquiries and removals undertaken by the Group on behalf of the German State Archives in the course of returning missing papers. The correspondence on this subject, principally with the Reich Commissar for the Protection of Archives, fills no less than 10 very large folios.

b. For private research. 7037

German science does not stand still even during a war. Innumerable cases occurred of German research workers, both at home and with the armies in the field, addressing queries and requests for study facilities to the French Archives. As far as it was possible to give these official support this was done by the Archives Group. The French Archives Administration was instructed that before requests from German nationals were granted these had to be communicated to the Group as well as copies of all information supplied. However, in increasing numbers applicants came directly to the Group which then did everything in its power to supply information and photographic reproductions, and in many cases took steps to have individuals admitted to the French Archives. More than 200 such cases were handled, mainly dealing with family histories and other private enquiries of this sort, but there were also numerous queries of interest to ourselves and a selection of these is given as Appendix 6. The Group was often consulted as well about requests to visit France by German historians from the OKH library; as regards these it was decided only to admit persons for research which could not be done equally well after the war. As the war progressed the number of these requests declined greatly after January 1943, but a survey of this aspect of the Group's operations cannot lack its liaison work in France for German Archival research not only satisfied a certain need but also produced most valuable fruits, even in the middle of a war. When the Archival Inventory is published after the war this will become easily observed; in the meanwhile one cannot suppress feelings of satisfaction for [illegible]

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c. For the Military Government

Finally, mention must be made of the many-sided activities of the Group on behalf of the German Military Government. These included information on particular historical problems, the preparation of reports dealing with the German Military Government in 1870/73 and 1914/18 in France, active participation in the organization of lectures and conducted tours for members of the Military Staff and other military formations, advice to the Military Government authorities on the sorting and handing-over of documents in M 942/43 and finally the sponsoring of an exhibition "1. Thousand Years of German History as Seen in the Archives Nationales" held in August 1943, which gave some idea of the richness of the holdings of this Institution as regards source documents for German history as well as a picture of the research work carried out by the Group.

III. Summary

Seemingly there is little connection between the direct tasks and concerns of a Military Government and the silent, almost unnoticed work carried on by the



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the Archives Group. Yet the results which it achieved for German science (quite a part from its work of protection and supervision of Archives) and the fostering of international relations will only become apparent with the passage of time. Then indeed the patronage extended to its work by the German Army will come to be regarded as one of its crowning achievements, for only thus could so much have been achieved. No civilian task force would ever have had sufficient authority vis-à-vis either the Germans or the French in the Unoccupied Zone to carry through the work of supervision of Archives and the several other technical jobs which were demanded of us.

Of the tasks which were set for the Group the following were achieved:-

1) The preparation of archival claims against France, in the form of a List of Demands containing 21,000 items.

2) The requisitioning of the Archives of France for German science by the preparation of a publication in several volumes " The Inventory of the French Libraries and Archives with a bearing on the history of the Greater German Reich and its peoples", as well as by the securing of some 500,000 photographic points of selected documents and deeds.

3) The return of Archives evacuated from Alsace and Lorraine to the Central regions of France.

These important tasks were brought to a certain conclusion. Others, such as the Protection and Supervision of French Archives and the provision of information and research facilities will continue so long as France is occupied. Under the threat of coming operations indeed these tasks gain in significance. The satisfaction of German archival demands is still outstanding; indeed, the greater the disasters caused by the war of terror the more important it is from a German archivist's point of view that satisfaction be given. For this reason, therefore, the continuation of professional supervision of those Archives in France which belong to or are of interest to Germany is of great importance.

Nevertheless, the Archives Advisory Group on HQ Supreme Military Commander for France was dissolved on 1st April 1944 as part of the war-imposed measures of economy. Thus, the only remaining professional archivist, was released for use in another sphere of Military Government, though by order of the Supreme Commander he was to be still available to attend to Archival matters of Reich importance. The Inventories, Card Indices, Films and other results of our research were safely stored

a) in BERLIN (Flak tower at [redacted])

b) in the repository of the [redacted] Staatsarchiv at Schloss [redacted] near HILDESHEIM.

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Appendices 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 continue on.



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APPENDIX 1

Professional Staff and Assistants of the Archives Group

| Lfd.Nr. | Name | Rank | Length of Service | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Prof.Dr. Schnath | M.V.O.R. | 1. Aug.1940-31.März 1944 | Gruppen-bzw Referatsleiter |
| Sachbearbeiter: | | | | |
| 2 | Dr. Winter | Hauptm. später O.K.V.R. | 26.Juli 1940-7.Okt.1941 | stellv.Gruppenleiter |
| 3 | Dr. Pfeiffer | O.K.V.R. | 1.Aug. 1940-15.Dez.1941 | St.Gr.Ltr. 7.10.41-15.12.41 |
| 4 | Dr. Burkard | O.K.V.R. | 19.Sept.1940-31.März.1942 | St.Gr.Ltr. 15.12.41-31.3.42 |
| 5 | Jung | O.K.V.R. | 20.Sept.1940-31.Jan.1942 | Vertreter des Reichsinstituts für Geschichte des neuen Deutschlands |
| 6 | Dr. Meinert | K.V.R. | 7.Aug.1940-31.Dez.1940 | |
| 7 | Dr. Vock | K.V.R. | 1.Aug.1940-21.Dez.1942 | |
| 8 | Dr. Güthling | K.V.R. | 7.Okt.1940-5.Okt.1941 | |
| 9 | Dr. v.Lacroix | K.V.R. | 3.Nov.1940-17.März.1942 | |
| 10 | Dr. Grube | K.V.R. | 1.Aug.1940-31.März.1942 | |
| 11 | Dr. Schlechte | K.V.R. | 1.Aug.1940-8.März 1942 | |
| 12 | Dr. Hoberg | K.V.R. | 20.Sept.1940-1.März 1942 | Vertreter d. Reichsinst.für Geschichte d.Neuen Deutschlands. |
| 13 | Dr. Büttner | K.V.R. | 1.Aug.1940-31.März 1942 | |
| 14 | Dr. Schieffer | K.V.Assessor | 12.Aug.1940-1.März 1942 | |
| 15 | Dr. Diezel | K.V.Assessor | 20.Sept.1940-25.März 1942 | |
| Fotografen: | | | | |
| 16 | Wölfert | Angestellter | 21.Jan.1941-30.März 1942 | |
| 17 | Gampe | Angestellter | 21.Jan.1941-5.Okt.1941 | |
| 18 | Sommerschuh | Gefr. | 27.Mai 1941-27.Sept.1941 | |
| 19 | Bienert | Obgf. | 11.Sept.1941-31.März 1944 | |

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| 10 | Dr. Grube | K.V.R. | 1.Aug.1940-31.März.1942 | |
| 11 | Dr. Schlechte | K.V.R. | 1.Aug.1940-6.März 1942 | |
| 12 | Dr. Hoberg | K.V.R. | 20.Sept.1940-1.März 1942 | Vertreter d. Reichsinst.für Geschichte d.Neuen Deutschlands. |
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| | **Schreibkräfte:** | | | |
| 20 | Frau Rabe | Stabshelfecin | 7.Aug.1940-30.Sept.1941 | |
| 21 | Frau Nehrkern | Stabshelferin | 19.Nov.1940-28.Jan.1943. | |

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## APPENDIX 2

### Survey of the Composition of the German List of Archival Demands

| | Deeds | MSS | Single Documents | Plans | Etc. | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **I. Main List** (Provenienzforderungen) | | | | | | |
| Archivgut zur Geschichte des Reiches und der grösseren Länder | 93 | 15 | 10040 | | 51 | |
| Rheinlande | 301 | 64 | 105 | 203 | 68 | |



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| | Deeds | MSS | Single Documents | Plans | Etc. | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Süddeutschland | -- | 36 | 393 ) | | 2 | |
| Luxemburg | 108 | 16 | 25 ) | 203 | - | |
| Elsass | 1009 | 53 | 1288 ) | | - | |
| Lothringen | 857 | 191 | 3224 ) | 258 | 3 | |
| | 2368 | 375 | 15075 | 461 | 124 | 18403 |

II. Supplementary List
(Pertinenzforderungen)

durchweg für Elsass und Lothringen — rund 2500

Insgesamt 20903

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Inventory of French Archives & Libraries Bearing on the History of the Greater German Reich and its Peoples

(Contents of the Manuscript)

| | Typed MS | Index Cards |
|---|---|---|
| I. Paris: | | |
| 1. Archives Nationales . . . | | |
| Einleitung . . . . . | 30 | |
| Section ancienne . . . . . | 454 | |
| Section moderne . . . . . | 801 | |
| Secretariat et services administratifs . . | 68 | |
| | 1353 | |
| 2. Bibliotheque Nationale, Departement des Manuscrits . . . . . | 373 | |

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| Secretariat et services administratifs . . | 68 | |
| | 1353 | |
| 2. Bibliotheque Nationale, Departement des Manuscrits . . . . . | 373 | |
| 3. Uebrige Pariser Bibliotheken . . . . . (Arsenal, Chambre des Deputes, Institut, Mazarine, Ste.Genevieve, Senat, Universite) | 36 | |
| 4. Archiv des Aussenministeriums (Quai d'Orsay) (Bestände vor 1896) | 166 | |
| II. Ausserhalb Paris: | | |
| 1. Im burgundischen Raum: | | |
| Belfort . . . . . | 16 | |
| Besançon . . . . . | 302 | |
| mit Clerval und Montbeliard | | |
| Vesoul . . . . . | 59 | |
| mit Gray, Hericourt, Lure | | |
| Dijon . . . . . | 47 | |
| Arbois, (Dole (Jura) . . . . . | 11 | |
| | 435 | |



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|---|---|---|---|
| 2. | Im lothringischen Raum: | | |
| | Nancy, Arch.Dep. . . . . | 200 | |
| | Nancy, Bibl.municipale u. Societe d'archeologie | | 237 |
| | Epinal . . . . . | 214 | |
| | mit Remiremont, St. Die, Commercy | | |
| | Bar-le-Duc | | |
| | (noch nicht abgeschlossen) . . . . . | | |
| 3. | Verschiedenes . . . . . | 43 | |
| | (Chantilly, Musee Conde, Bourges, Orleans) | | |
| | Zusammen: | 2406 | 897 237 |

APPENDIX 4

Statement of Photographic Work

Completed as of 31/3/1944 were:

| | | Negatives |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Staatsarchive Strassburg und Metz: | 152833 |
| 2. | Reichsarchiv Potsdam: | 7039 |
| | a) aus AJ? (Interalliierte Rheinland-kommission) .... 107698 | |
| | b) aus sonstigen Beständen.. 39027 | |
| | | 146725 |
| 3. | Geheimes Staatsarchiv Berlin: | 46503 |
| 4. | Staatsarchiv Düsseldorf: | 16060 |
| 5. | Reichsarchiv Wien: | 15998 |
| 6. | Reichsinstitut für Geschichte des neuen Deutschlands: | 15536 |
| 7. | Reichsinstitut für ältere deutsche Geschichtskunde: | 11410 |
| 8. | Staatsarchiv Koblenz | 10670 |
| 9. | " Stuttgart: | 8828 |
| 10. | Hauptstaatsarchiv München: | 8162 |
| 11. | Staatsarchiv Hamburg: | 7395 |
| 12. | Staatsarchiv Luxemburg; | 6696 |
| 13. | Deutsches Historisches Institut Rom: | 4968 |
| 14. | Verschiedene Stellen sowie für den | |

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| 11. | Staatsarchiv Hamburg: | 7395 |
| 12. | Staatsarchiv Luxemburg: | 6696 |
| 13. | Deutsches Historisches Institut Rom: | 4968 |
| 14. | Verschiedene Stellen sowie für den Dienstgebrauch | 27820 |
| 15. | Wiederholung von Filmen, die durch Bombenschaden verdorben sind | 3789 |
| | Total | 483393 |



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(Heading) A.N. Paris -- AF 9 : 3861
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(Letter)
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MAYENCE,
xxxxxx: 31 Janvier 1929.

No 357/M

POURSUITES EXERCEES
contre un libraire qui a vendu la brochure
(interdite) sur SCHLAGETER.

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Le nommé KOLSCH (Hans), libraire à PIRMASENS, a vendu 30 exemplaires de la brochure: "A.L. SCHLAGETER, LEBEN UND STERBEN EINES DEUTSCHEN HELDEN". Il a déclaré nettement qu'il n'ignorait pas l'interdiction.

Il sera poursuivi devant un Tribunal de Simple Police./.

(Handwriting)

(v.a/s condamnation (200 h.d'amende)
(et 10 J. de pris.)
de Kolsch 60 (prop.cf tribunaire mil.)
Getr.Rev.Presse AA du 23.2.29).

APPENDIX 6

Summary of the most important individual research work in French Archives carried out with the assistance of the Archives Group

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Il sera poursuivi devant un Tribunal de Simple Police./.

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| Lfd.Nr. | NAME | THEMA |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Adalbert Prinz von Bayern: | Geschichte König Max I. von Bayern |
| 2. | Prof.M.Andreas, Heidelberg: | Grossherzog Karl August von Weimar und Napoleon. |
| 3. | Dr. Ballensieffen, Berlin: | Judenemanzipation in der frz.Revolution |
| 4. | Staatsarchivrat Dr. Baumann, Magdeburg: | Bernhard von Baung |
| 5. | Prof. Dr. Beyerhaus, Breslau: | Kriegführung und Politik Frankreichs im Weltkrieg 1914 - 1918 |
| 6. | Dr.habil. Birke, Berlin: | Frankreich und die nationale Entwicklung Mitteleuropas im 19.Jh. |
| 7. | Dr. Bock, Hist. Institut des Deutschen Reiches in Rom: | Reichsgeschichte im. 13.und 14. Jahrhundert. |
| 8. | Dr. Böhm, Würzburg un Dr. Rössler, Berlin: | Studien zur Geschichte des Prinzen von Savoyen |
| 9. | Böhmer, Magdeburg: | Wer war der Erfinder der Brückenwaage? |
| 10. | Prof. Dr. Braubach, Bonn: | Deutsche Geschichte im. 17.und 18. Jahrh. |
| 11. | Prof. Dr. Brinkmann, Heidelberg: | Handschriften Friedrich Lists (für die Deutsche List-Gesellschaft) |



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| 12. | Prof. Dr. Evers, München: | Rubonsforschungen |
| 13. | Major de la Fontaine, Wiesbaden: | Landgraf Ludwig IX. von Hessen-Darmstadt |
| 14. | Dr.Franz (Kunsthistorisches Institut Paris): | Der Dresdner Hofbaumeister Z.Longuelune |
| 15. | Prof. Dr. Geiger, Bonn: | Handschriften des Albertus Magnus in Paris. |
| 16. | Dr. Gerchel, Paris: | Urbanismus unter Ludwig XIV. |
| 17. | Prof. Dr. Giese, Frankfurt a.M.: | Frz. Postinvasionen in Deutschland |
| 18. | Studienrat Dr. Gottner, Mainz: | Mainzer Musikgeschichte |
| 19. | Dr. Griewank, Berlin: | Geschichte Preussens 1813-1814 |
| 20. | F. Jorberg, Berlin: | Brandenburgische Kolonien in Afrika; W. Bauer, der Erfinder des U-boots. |
| 21. | Dr. Kiesel, Berlin: | Plan Dalbergs, Napoleon zum Deutschen Kaiser zu erheben. |
| 22. | Dr. Klaiber, Freiburg i.B.: | Die Franzosen in Breisach 1796; Plan den Rhein umzuleiten. |
| 23. | Prof. Dr. Koestler, Berlin: | Auswertung frz. Forstakten. |
| 24. | Dr. Kopf, Saarbrücken: | Freiburg i.B. unter frz. Herrschaft 1679-1697 |
| 25. | Prof. Dr. Küntzel, Frankfurt/M | Geschichte der deutschen National-versammlung 1848-1849 |
| 26. | Prof. Künzig, Freiburg i.B.: | Elsässische Volkslieder; Elsässische Auswanderung nach Russland (Ukraine) |
| 27. | Leipziger Illustrierte Zeitung: | Illustration der Weihnachtsnummer 1942 |
| 28. | Prof. Dr. Metz, Freiburg i.B.: | Deutscher Anteil am französischen Geistes und Kulturleberg |
| 29. | HptmDr.Müller (Heeresarchivgruppe) | Jakob Grimm alskurhessischer Rück-führungsbeauftragter in Paris 1814/15. |
| 30. | Stadtsyndikus Dr.Nass, Hannover: | Mehmed Ali Pascha, der "Türke aus Magdeburg". |
| 31. | Geheimrat Dr. Obser-Karlsruhe: | Geschichte Badens 1811-18 (Kaspar-Hauser-Frage) |
| 32. | Staatsarchivrat Dr. Ohnsorge, Dresden: | Byzantinische Urkundenstudien. 7032 |
| 33. | Prof. Dr. Oppermann, Utrecht: | Urkundenstudien zur mittelalterlichen Geschichte |
| 34. | Dr. Freiherr v.Pölnitz, Erlangen: | Geschichte des Hauses Fugger |
| 35. | Dr. Raffeiner, Innsbruck: | Tiroler Freiheitskampf 1809 |
| 36. | Julia Römhild, Aichach Obb.: | Herzogin Christine von Lothringen |
| 37. | Admiral Ruge, Paris: | Englische Seerüstung unter Cromwell |
| 38. | Prof. Dr. Santifaller, Breslau: | Papyrusurkunden des National-Archives |
| 39. | Prof. Dr. Schambach, Heidelberg: | Reinald von Dassel, Reichskanzler Barbarossas. |
| 40. | Dr. Schlag, München: | Karolingische Pfalzen, besonders im Elsass |
| | | Geschichte Hannovers 1674-1714; |

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APO 394

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REFERENCE: G-1B/83/A

SUBJECT : Planning for Austria

TO : Distribution below

1. Attached herewith is a nominal roll of officers who have been provisionally earmarked for military government in AUSTRIA. The nominal roll is divided into five parts as follows:-

G-5 Staff AUSTRIA
ACA Accounting & Currency Section
GAU VIENNA (Br element)
GAU STEIERMARK
GAU KARNTEN

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3. Arrangements are well advanced for officer replacements where considered necessary with priority to the Regions of PIEMONTE, LIGURIA, LOMBARDIA-, VENEZIA and ABRUZZI-MARCHE.

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FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER J. L. Jones Lt Col

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G-5 STAFF AUSTRIA

PERSONNEL EARMARKED.

| Serial | Detail. | W.E. | SELECTED OR PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | ACOS Brig. | 1 | * Gp/Capt. C.E. BENSON, DSO, RAF. |
| 2 | Co-ordination Staff | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | * Lt. Col. P.F. BENTON-JONES, R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | * Maj. A.J.W. CLARKE, Suffolk. (No. 22 CAU) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | * Capt. W.R. HARTLEY, Int. Corps. (No. 22 CAU) |
| | | | * J/Comd. M.J. FRISE, ATS (No 22 CAU) |
| 3 | Internal Administrative Branch. | | |
| | DAA & QMG | 1 | * Maj. R.W. HARRIMAN, RA (AMG & AC) |
| | Staff Capts. | 2 | * Capt. E.T. FAHERTY, Worc's (No. 22 CAU) |
| | | | * Capt. R. WALTERS, RA (No. 22 CAU) |
| 4. | Public Safety Branch. | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | * Maj. F.J. PULLEN, Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | * Maj. J.... MCKAY, Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | * Capt. E.J.R. ROBERTS, Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| 5. | Health Branch. | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | * Capt. C.O.S. BROOKE, RAMC (AMG & AC) |
| 6. | Local Branch. | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | W/Comd ...H.H.M. DICKIE, RAF? (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | * Sqn/Ldr P.H. LAYTON, RAF (No. 22 CAU) |

Note: Proposed to delete one SO 2 from WE.

7. Finance Branch.

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Staff Capts. | 2 | * Maj. R.T. HARRIMAN, RA (AMG & AC)<br>* Capt. B.T. FAHERTY, Worc's (No. 22 CAU)<br>* Capt. R. WALTERS, RA (No. 22 CAU) |
| 4. | Public Safety Branch. | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | * Maj. E.J. PULLEN, Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | * Maj. J... MCKAY, Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | * Capt. E.J.R. ROBERTS, Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| 5. | Health Branch. | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | * Capt. C.O.S. BROOKE, RAMC (AMG & AC) |
| 6. | Legal Branch. | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | W/Comd ...H.M. DICKIE, RAF? (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | * Sqn/Ldr P.H. LAYTON, RAF (No. 22 CAU) |
| | Note: Proposed to delete one SO 2 from UE. | | |
| 7. | Finance Branch. | | |
| | Col. CA | 1 | * Col. P.C. ...NDERSON DSO, MC (...A.) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | * Maj. C.R. CURTIS, KRRC (22 CAU)<br>* Maj. T.W.C. GILBERTSON , RA (22 CAU) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | * Capt. P.E. HUSBAND, Gen List (22 CAU) |
| 8. | Displaced Persons Branch. | | |
| | SO 1 | 1<br>1 | Maj. J.E. DUFOUR, RCA (AMG & AC)<br>Maj. D.J.B. TENNENT, RASC (AMG & AC) |
| 9. | Supply Branch. | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | * Maj. C.H. SYKES, RASC ( MG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | * Maj. R.C. HELLIWELL, RASC ( No. 22 CAU)<br>* Maj. W.F.B. YOUNG, RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| 10. | Transportation Branch. | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Capt. R.H. WALKER, RASC (AMG & AC) |

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| Serial. | Detail | W.E. | SELECTED OR PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS |
|---|---|---|---|
| PROPOSED ADDITIONS TO W/E | | | |
| 11. | Deputy ACOS (Col) | 1 | * W/Comdr. E.T. BEER, RAF (AMG & AC 8 Army) |
| | Property Control. | | |
| 12. | SO 2 | 1 | * Maj. F.C. BAKER, RA (22 C.U) |

* At present with AMG 8 Army or G-5 Staff AUSTRIA.

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ACA ACCOUNTING AND CURRENCY SECTIONS.

PERSONNEL EARMARKED

ACCOUNTING SECTION

| Proposed WE | | Selected as Prospective Officers. |
|---|---|---|
| Colonel | 1 | Believed nominated in UK |
| SO | 1 | T/Lt.Col. J. H. Hall, RA (AMG & AC) |
| SO2 | 5 | To be nominated. |
| SO3 | 3 | Capt. J.E. Hayes, RA. (AMG & AC)<br>Two to be nominated |

CURRENCY SECTION

| Proposed WE | | Selected as Prospective Officers. |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | 2 | T/Maj. D. Drimmie, RA (AMG & AC)<br>One to be nominated. |
| SO3 | 3 | T/Capt. J.W. Clay, Gen List (ACA)<br>Two to be nominated |

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to be nominated.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 803 | 3 | T/Capt. J.W. Clay, Gen List (ACA)<br>Two to be nominated |

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# GAU VIENNA

## PERSONNEL EARMARKED

| Serial | Detail | WE | SELECTED OR PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | SMGO - Brig | 1 | - |
| 2 | D/SMGO - Col | 1 | - |
| 3 | MILITARY GOVERNMENT BRANCH | | |
| | SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. J.H. Giffen Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO2 | 2 | Maj F.R.I. Williams R. Fus. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | Capt P.E. Clarke Int Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | | | J/Cdr G.M. Palmer ATS (AMG & AC) |
| | Note:- Proposed that one SO2 be deleted from WE | | |
| 4 | Bezirke Adm | | |
| | SO3 | 8 | Capt J. Goulding RA (AMG & AC) |
| | | | Capt G.H. Campbell RA (AMG & AC) |
| | | | Capt A.W. Purvis R. Fus (AMG & AC) |
| | | | and 5 to be nominated |
| | Note:- Proposed that 4 SO3 be added to WE as Public Safety officers | | |
| | | | Capt P.H. BRICKNELL Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | | | Capt J. MADHILL Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | | | two more to be nominated. |
| 5 | SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH | | |
| | Col | 1 | To be nominated |
| | SO2 | 1 | - |
| | SO3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| | Note:- Proposed that SO 2 be deleted from WE. | | |
| 6 | LABOUR SECTION | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Capt C.W.H. Buckwell Int Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | Note:- Proposed that one SO3 be added to WE | | |
| | | | to be nominated |
| 7 | Industry and Commerce | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj H.G. Reid RA (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 2 | one to be nominated |
| | Note:- Proposed that one SO3 be deleted from WE | | |
| 8 | Finance Section | | |

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Capt P.H. BRICKNELL Gen List (AMG & AC)
Capt J. MADHILL Gen List (AMG & AC)
two more to be nominated.

5 SUPPLY AND ECONOMIC BRANCH

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Col | | |
| SO2 | 1 | To be nominated |
| SO3 | 1 | - |
| | 1 | To be nominated |

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Note:- Proposed that SO 2 be deleted from WE.

6 LABOUR SECTION

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | 1 | Capt C.W.H. Buckwell Int Corps (AMG & AC) |

Note:- Proposed that one SO3 be added to WE
to be nominated

7 Industry and Commerce

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | | |
| SO3 | 1 | Maj H.G. Reid RA (AMG & AC) |
| | 2 | one to be nominated |

Note:- Proposed that one SO3 be deleted from WE

8 Finance Section

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO1 | | |
| SO2 | 1 | Maj G.K. Tyrell Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| SO3 | 1 | Maj A.C. Withers Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | 1 | Capt W.C.J. Hall Innisks (AMG & AC) |

9 Property Control

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | | |
| SO3 | 1 | Maj C.M. Gulland RA (AMG & AC) |
| | 1 | Capt P.H. Vincent SAAF (AMG & AC) |

10 Transportation

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | | |
| SO3 | 1 | To be nominated |
| | 1 | To be nominated |

11 Supply Section

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO1 | | |
| SO2 | 1 | Maj R.J. Mayer R.E. (AMG & AC) |
| SO3 | 1 | Capt T.M.D. Hatt ACC (AMG & AC) |
| | 1 | Lt. R. Homer RAOC (AMG & AC) |

12 Public Utilities

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO1 | | |
| SO2 | 1 | Maj J.S. Morritt C.I.C. (No. 22 CAU) |
| | 4 | T/Maj A.G. Perley RCOC (AMG & AC) |
| | | T/Maj H.W. Westwood RE (AMG & AC) |

Note:- Proposed that two SO2 be deleted from WE

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13 ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Col | | |
| SO2 | 1 | to be nominated |
| SO3 | 1 | |
| | 1 | To be nominated |

Note:- Proposed that SO2 be deleted from WE.

14 Public Safety

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Col | 1 | Lt.Col. W. Doherty Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| SO1 | 1 | Lt.Col. J.R. Pollock Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| SO2 | 3 | Maj J.C. Reid Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | | Maj G.W. Brooke Gen List(AMG & AC) |
| | | Maj G.M. Revely R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| SO3 | 2 | Capt C. Noble Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | | Capt T.W.M. Greenhill Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| Staff Lt | 2 | To be nominated |

15 Legal Section

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO1 | | |
| SO2 | 1 | Maj G.A. Bamlet Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| SO3 | 1 | Maj W.A. Caldwell RA (AMG & AC) |
| | 1 | Capt W.T. Fielding Int Corps (AMG & AC) |

16 Displaced Persons

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | 1 | To be nominated |

17 Public Health

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | 1 | Maj L.G. Norman RAMC (AMG & AC) |
| SO3 | 1 | |

18 Education & Religion

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO2 | 1 | - |
| P.T.T. | | |
| SO2 | 1 | Maj E.W. Weaver Gen List (No 22 GAU?) |

19 Internal Adm Section

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Major I/c adm | | |
| QM Supervising clerk | 1 | - |
| Camp Comdt | 1 | - |
| | 1 | - |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| 17 | Public Health | | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj L.G. Norman RAMC | (AMG & AC) |
| | SO3 | 1 | | |
| 18 | Education & Religion | | | 7026 |
| | SO2 | 1 | - | |
| | P.T.T. | | | |
| | SO2 | 1 | Maj E.W. Weaver Gen List (No 22 GAU?) | |
| 19 | Internal Adm Section | | | |
| | Major i/c adm | 1 | - | |
| | CM Supervising clerk | 1 | - | |
| | Camp Comdt | 1 | - | |



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G.A.U. STAFF AUSTRIA

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PERSONNEL EARMARKED

| SERIAL | DETAIL | TE | SELECTED OR PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | COMMANDER | | |
| | COLONEL | 1 | LT. COL. W.A.C. WILKINSON, DSO, MC, GM - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| 2 | MILITARY GOVT BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | LT. COL. W.F. SIMPSON, DLI (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | MAJ. J. ELLICE - R.A. (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT. B.C. WALSH - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | CAPT. V. WILLOUGHBY, HLI (AMG & AC)<br>J/COMD. J. GUNNING - R.N.T.S. (AMG & AC) |
| 3 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. P.R.P. KNELL - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | CAPT. G. WATSON - HLI (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT. L.A. COHEN - R. Sigs. (AMG & AC) |
| 4 | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. G.M. McFADYEAN - Som L.I. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT. E.N. BLACKLOCK - KOSB (AMG & AC) |
| 5 | FINANCIAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. A.C. DRUMMOND - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | MAJ. A. NICHOLS - R.A. (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT. A.G. SORRELL - WARWICKS (22 GAU) |

Note: Proposed to upgrade one SO 3 to SO 2.

6. PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | SO 3 | 2 | CAPT. V. WILLOUGHBY, HLI (AMG & AC)<br>J/COMD. J. GUNNING - A.T.S. (AMG & AC) |
| 3 | ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. P.R.P. KNELL - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | CAPT. G. WATSON - HLI (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT. L.A. COHEN - R. Sigs. (AMG & AC) |
| 4 | LEGAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. G.W. McFADYEAN - Som L.I. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT. E.N. BLACKLOCK - KOSB (AMG & AC) |
| 5 | FINANCIAL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. A.C. DRUMMOND - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 2 | MAJ. A. NICHOLS - R.A. (AMG & AC)<br>CAPT. A.G. SORRELL - WARWICKS (22 GAU) |

Note: Proposed to upgrade one SO 3 to SO 2.

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| 6. | PUBLIC SAFETY BRANCH | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | MAJ. G.C.F. DUNCAN - Gen. List. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. W.A. LACEY - Gen. List. (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT. A.P. SHAW - Gen List. (AMG & AC) |
| 7 | PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. W.D.R. THOMPSON - R.A.M.C. (AMG & AC) |
| 8 | SUPPLY BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | CAPT. W.G. HALL - Int. Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | CAPT. B.M.A. SHALLSHAW - Pnr Corps (AMG & AC) |

Note: Proposed to add one SO 1 (Economics and head of Branch) and one SO 2 (Agric, Forests, Fisheries). Both to be nominated.



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| SERIAL | DETAIL | WE | SELECTED OR PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS |
|---|---|---|---|
| 9 | TRANSPORTATION BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. A.R. HUGHES - R.A. (AAG & AC) |
| 10 | UTILITIES BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. D.A. BOYD - R.E. (ANG & AC) |
| | Note: Proposed to add one SO 3 to TE (Electrical Engineer) To be nominated. | | |
| 11 | DISPLACED PERSONS BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| | SO 3 | 1 | To be nominated. |
| 12 | LABOUR BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | CAPT. J. TOPLISS - R.A. (AAG & AC) |
| 13 | ECONOMICS BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | |
| | Note: Proposed to delete this branch from TE. | | |
| 14 | PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | MAJ. E.J. HAMILTON, - BUFFS (AAG & AC) |
| | Note: Proposed to add one SO 3 to TE. To be earmarked. | | |
| 15 | KREISE ADMINISTRATION | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | LT. COL. H.H. NICHOLLS - BUFFS (AAG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 18 | 1. MAJ. P.H. BANE - C. Inf. (AAG & AC) |
| | | | 2. " C.C. STURGIS - Fnr Corps (AAG & AC) |
| | | | 3. " W.J. MACCALLUM - R.A. (AAG & AC) |
| | | | 4. " S.S. PATRICK - R.A. (AAG & AC) |
| | | | 5. " R.S. HOUET - R.A. (AAG & AC) |
| | | | 6. " E.G. TEEDLE - Cheshire (AAG & AC) |
| | | | 7. " G.D. BUCKLOW - Lancs Fus (AAG & AC) |
| | | | 8. " J.R.S. HODGSON - R.A. |

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| 14 | PROPERTY CONTROL BRANCH | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | LAJ. E.F. HAMILTON, - DUFFS (AMG & AC) |

Note: Proposed to add one SO 3 to TE. To be earmarked.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 15 | KRUISE ADMINISTRATION | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | LT. COL. H.H. NICHOLLS - DUFFS (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 18 | 1. LAJ. I.H. BURGE - C. Inf. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 2. " C.C. STURGIS - Fmr Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 3. " W.J. MACCULLUM - 70th. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 4. " S.S. FAIRICK - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 5. " R.S. MOUNT - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 6. " E.G. TEESDLE - Cheshire (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 7. " G.D. MACKLOW - Lancs Fus (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 8. " W.R.S. HODGSON - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 9 " J.D. LEGGET - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 10. " L.R. DENNING - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 11. " B. du B.F. WHITE - E. Surreys (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 12. " J.K. HARRIS - KINGS (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 13. " C.G. SUTTENE - R.C.M.P. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 14. " C.E.F. HANBURY-TRACEY - R.A. (AMG & AC) |
| | | | 15. " D.L. STRUTH - R.A. (AMG & AC) |

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| SERIAL | DETAIL | TE | SELECTED OR PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS |
|---|---|---|---|
| 15 | KAISE .DE (CONTINUED) SC 3 | 28 | 1. CAPT. R.N.K. BERESFORD - RAOC (.MG & .C)<br>2. " D.J. SCHLEIHAUF - Cdn. Inf. (.MG & .C)<br>3. " F. TURNER - R.A. (.MG & .C)<br>4. " R.W. BUCKLEY - Int.Corps (.MG & .C)<br>5. " J. WHYTE - Gen. List. (.MG & .C)<br>6. " K.G. KEMP - R.A. (.MG & .C)<br>7. " T.D.H. AULTON - R.A. (.MG & .C)<br>8. " C.E. .TKINSON-GRIMSHAW Int. Corps (.MG & .C)<br>9. " K.D. ERSKINE - R.A. (.MG & .C)<br>10. " H.G. HARRIS - Int.Corps (.MG & .C)<br>11. " R.E. COOK - Int. Corps (.MG & .C)<br>12. " T.G. TITCHELRSH - H.L.I. (.MG & .C)<br>13. " D.J.C. BROWN - R.A. (.MG & .C)<br>14. " H. BAKER - Gen. List (.MG & .C)<br>15. " H.M.F. TILLS - DEVONS (.MG & .C)<br>16. " R. LEACH - R.A.O.C. (.MG & .C)<br>17. " R.. CUTHBT - Cdn. Inf (.MG & .C)<br>18. " R.. S.VIL - CHESHIRE (.MG & .C)<br>19. " .H. S.LWAY - Gen. List (.MG & .C)<br>20. " E.R. RICKL.N - Inf Corps (.MG & .C)<br>21. " J/COMD. N. HILLIER - A.T.S. (.MG & .C)<br>22. " J/COMD. D.L. FENDLEY - |

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10. " H.G. HARRIS - Int.Corps (AMG & AC)
11. " R.E. COOK - Int. Corps (AMG & AC)
12. " W.G. TITCHMARSH - H.L.I. (AMG & AC)
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21. " J/COMD. N. HILLIER - A.T.S. (AMG & AC)
22. " J/COMD. D.L. FINDLAY - A.T.S. (AMG & AC)
23. " LIEUT. G.W. MURRAY - Cdn Inf. (AMG & AC)
24. " LIEUT. T.E. JONES - Inr. Corps (AMG & AC)
25. " LIEUT. R.A.H. HASTINGS BUFFS (AMG & AC)

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| SERIAL | DETAIL | WE | SELECTED OR PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Commander | | |
| | Colonel | 1 | Lt Col D.G.H.H.Smith London Scot(AMG &AC) |
| 2 | Military Government Branch | | |
| | SO 1 | 1 | Lt Col S.H. White TD Gen List(AMG & AC) |
| | SO 2 | 2 | Maj F.H. Waldron R. Berks (AMG & AC) |
| | | | Maj J.T.T.R. Gollop RAC (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | J/Comd M.F.E. Goggin ATS (AMG & AC) |
| 3 | Administrative Branch | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt E.R.S. Pope RA (AMG & AC) |
| 4 | Legal Branch | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Maj.P.Backhouse RASC (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt J. More Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| 5 | Financial Branch | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Capt W.P. Dryburgh Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt C.H. Angell RA (AMG & AC) |
| | Note: Proposed that SC 3 be up-graded to SO 2 | | |
| 6 | Public Safety Branch | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Maj W.E. Collins Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt L.J.T.G.Bartlett Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | Note: Proposed that one SO 1 be added to WE to be nominated | | |
| 7 | Public Health Branch | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt C.T. Jones RAMC (AMG & AC) |
| 8 | Supply Branch | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Maj H. Dring S Lancs (AMG & AC) |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt A.W. Hunt Pnr Corps (AMG & AC) |
| | Note: Proposed to add one SO 1 (Economics and head of branch) and one SO 2 (Agric, Forests, Fisheries) - Both to be nominated | | |
| 9 | Transportation Branch | | |
| | SO 2 | 1 | Maj W.T. Martin R Sigs (AMG & AC) |
| 10 | Utilities Branch | | |
| | SO 3 | 1 | Capt R.N.J. Hibbard RE (AMG & AC) |
| | Fisheries & Forests Branch | | |

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5 Financial Branch

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | | |
| SO 3 | 1 | Capt W.P. Dryburgh Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | 1 | Capt C.H. Angell RA (AMG & AC) |

Note: Proposed that SO 3 be up-graded to SO 2

6 Public Safety Branch

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | | |
| SO 3 | 1 | Maj W.E. Collins Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | 1 | Capt L.J.T.C.Bartlett Gen List (AMG & AC) |

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7 Public Health Branch

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 3 | 1 | Capt C.T. Jones RAMC (AMG & AC) |

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8 Supply Branch

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | | |
| SO 3 | 1 | Maj H. Dring S Lancs (AMG & AC) |
| | 1 | Capt A.W. Hunt Pnr Corps (AMG & AC) |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | 1 | Maj W.T. Martin R Sigs (AMG & AC) |

10 Utilities Branch

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 3 | 1 | Capt R.N.J. Hibbard RE (AMG & AC) |

11 Displaced Persons Branch

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated |

12 Labour Branch

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated |

Note: Proposed to add this branch and appointment to WE

13 Property Control

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | 1 | To be nominated |

Note: Proposed to add this branch and appointment to WE

14 Kreise Administration

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| SO 2 | 10 | 1 Maj F.V.J.C. Snee RA (AMG & AC) |
| | | 2 Maj G.F.G. Edlin RA (AMG & AC) |
| | | 3 Maj N.M. Harrisnon Gen List(AMG & AC) |
| | | 4 Maj A. McCahan RA (AMG & AC) |
| | | 5 Maj I.D. Turner P.R.(AMG & AC) |
| SO 3 | 13 | Capt H.C. Corbin Gen List (AMG & AC) |
| | | Capt R. Walters RA (22 Cau) |
| | | Capt H.W.N. Fane RA (AMG & AC) |
| | | Lieut W.C. Cubberley RA (AMG & AC) |

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref: 3/4.9/CA

6 Nov 44.

SUBJECT: Planning for Austria.

TO: All Sub-Commissions, CA Section.

1. With reference to the letter G-1B/83/A of 1 Nov 44, please submit all returns to this section for collation. Returns should reach this office not later than Thursday, 9 Nov 44.

R.R. Cripps

R.R.CRIPPS, Col.,
CSO CA Sec.,

Copy to G 1 (B). (Your G-1B/83/A of 1 Nov refers.)

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APO 394
G-1 (B)

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REFERENCE : G-1B/83/A

1 November 1944

SUBJECT : Planning for Austria

TO : Distribution below

1. The Allied Commission will have to provide certain Officer personnel, all British, for the Austria Military Government set up, some for Planning and some for Field Work.

2. Appendix "A" shows requirements for the Planning (G-5) Staff.
Those shown in Column 2 are required immediately.
Those shown in Column 3 will be held ready to join at 7 days notice.
The majority of these officers have been selected and names are given.

3. Appendix "B" shows requirements for Field Work.
Column 2 shows those who will be required to form the nucleous of GAU teams and who will have to join as soon as the occupation of Austria becomes imminent.
Column 3 shows the remainder of the GAU teams who will be required in time to get the teams organized to take up their work..
Column 4 shows those who may be required for the British element of the Vienna GAU.

4. Officers shown in Appendix "B" will be earmarked now by name so that arrangements to replace them can be put in hand. It is hoped that some literature will be available to assist them to study in detail the GAUs to which they will be assigned.

It is probable that Officers for Column 3 will be drawn mostly from AMG 8 Army (Plan E as agreed by SCAO, AMG, 8 Army).

5. Will addressees please submit names of Officers desirous and recommended for employment in this Austria set up. A thorough knowledge of German is desirable but not absolutely essential.

6. This gives all requirements for Austria as far as they are at present known and is an amplification of letters which have already been issued.

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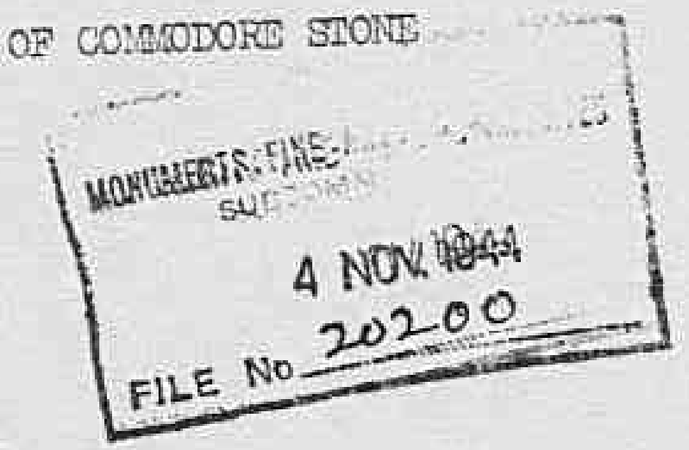
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Appendix "A"

| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Military Government Staff** | | | |
| G.S.O. I | 1 | | 1 |
| G.S.O. III | 1 (Name) | | 1 |
| D.A.A. & Q.M.G. | 1 (Maj. Farmar) | | 1 |
| **Public Safety** | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | 1 (Maj. McKay) | | 1 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 1 (Capt. Lee) | |
| **Public Health** | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 1 (Capt. C.O.S.Brook) | 1 |
| **Legal** | | | |
| S.O. I CA | | 1 (Maj. Bamlet) | 1 |
| **Displaced Persons and Repatriation Branch** | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | 1 (Probably Lt.Col. Brister) | | 1 |
| **Finance** | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | 1 (Maj. C.R. Curtis) | | 1 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 1 (Lieut.P.E. Husband) | 1 |
| **Supply** | | | |
| S.O. I CA | 1 (Lt Col G.W.M. | | |

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1 (Capt. Lee) 1

Public Health

S.O. 2 CA

1 (Capt. C.O.S.Brook) 1

Legal

S.O. I CA

1 (Maj. Bamlet) 1

Displaced Persons and Repatriation Branch

S.O. 2 CA

1 (Probably Lt.Col. Brister)

1

Finance

S.O. 2 CA
S.O. 3 CA

1 (Maj. C.R. Curtis)

1
1 (Lieut.P.E. Husband) 1

Supply

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S.O. I CA

1 (Lt Col G.W.M. Sharpe)

1

Transportation

S.O. 2 CA

1 (Maj. Walker) 1

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Appendix "B"

| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 | Column 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **H.Q. Staff** | | | | |
| Commander (Brig.) | | | 1 | 1 |
| 2 i/c (Colonel) | | | 1 | 1 |
| P.A/Commander | | | 1 | 1 |
| Camp Commandant | | | 1 | 1 |
| **Military Government Branch** | | | | |
| S.O. I CA | 4 | | | 4 |
| S.O. II CA | | 7 | | 7 |
| S.O. III CA | 4 | 1 | | 5 |
| **Administrative** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | 1 | | 3 | 4 |
| S.O. 3 CA | 4 | 1 | 2 | 7 |
| **Legal** | | | | |
| S.O. I CA | | | 1 | 1 |
| S.O. 2 CA | 4 | | | 4 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| **Public Safety** | | | | |
| Col. CA | | | 1 | 1 |
| S.O. I CA | | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| S.O. 2 CA | 2 | | 3 | 5 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 4 | 3 | 7 |
| S/Lieut. CA | | | 2 | 2 |
| **Public Health** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 3 | | 3 |
| S.O. 2 CA (Housing) | | | 1 | 1 |
| **Displaced Persons and Repatriation Branch** | | | | |

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| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Legal** | | | | |
| S.O. I CA | | | 1 | 1 |
| S.O. 2 CA | 4 | | | 4 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| **Public Safety** | | | | |
| Col. CA | | | 1 | 1 |
| S.O. I CA | | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| S.O. 2 CA | 2 | | 3 | 5 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 4 | 3 | 7 |
| S/Lieut. CA | | | 2 | 2 |
| **Public Health** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 3 | | 3 |
| S.O. 2 CA (Housing) | | | 1 | 1 |
| **Displaced Persons and Repatriation Branch** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 4 | 1 | 5 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 1 | | 1 |
| **Property Control** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| **Finance** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | 3 | | 1 | 4 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 3 | | 3 |
| **Supply** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | 3 | | 3 | 6 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 3 | 2 | 5 |

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Appendix "B"

| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 | Column 4 | Total |
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| **Transportation** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 2 | | 2 |
| **Public Works & Utilities** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | | 3 | 3 |
| S.O. 3 CA | 3 | | | 3 |
| **Labour** | | | | |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| **M.G.Os. (C.A.Cs.)** | | | | |
| S.O. I CA | | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| S.O. 2 CA | | 41 | 2 | 43 |
| S.O. 3 CA | | 59 | 4 | 63 |

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE ACTING CHIEF COMMISSIONER
APC 394

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4 August 1944

# INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING THE HANDLING OF ITALIAN DOCUMENTS

1. GENERAL

(a) Reference is made to AFHQ Intelligence Instruction No. 38 dated 4 June 1944.

(b) Serious cases of mishandling of Italian documents have occurred recently in Rome.

2. PROCEDURE

Procedure for the removal and routing of documents is laid down in the above mentioned instruction, extracts of which read as follows:-

"Para 3 a. Enemy documents obtained by formations and agencies under HQ., AAI, will, after processing by intelligence staf be disposed of as follows:

(1) Documents of an operational nature will be sent to HQ., AAI care of BGS (Int), for onward transmission to G-2 Documents Section, AFHQ, after processing.

(2) Documents of non-operational nature will be forwarded direct to G-2 Document Section, AFHQ.

b. Enemy documents obtained by formations and agencies not under HQ., AAI, will, after processing by intelligence staffs, be sent direct to G-2 Document Section, AFHQ."

3. INSTRUCTIONS

The following instructions will be implemented by all units under command:-

(a) Particulars of any documents removed from their origina source by any agencies should be immediately transmitted to Advanced Document Section, G-2, AFHQ, 59 Via Sicilia, Rome, shewing source from which documents were taken and informati as to the nature of these documents.

(b) After agencies have extracted necessary information, do

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(c) In no case must any document, however obtained, be despatched from Rome area except through G-2 Documents Section channels.

4. DOCUMENTS THAT ARE NOT REQUIRED

So far as documents are concerned, that are NOT required by any agency, the regulations, laid down in ...

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in AAI Adm. Instruction No. 10 dated 30 March 1944. (Preservation of Property of Historical or Educational Importance in Italy)
will be observed, para 11 of which reads:-

"In the case of written papers and books it is t be noted that even those which do not appear to be ancient may be of great importance, not only historically but as containing information necessary for the practica purposes of the war. Casual DESTRUCTION or DISPERSAL of such collections, wherever found, will not be permitted.

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SUBJECT: Occupation and Preservation of Vatican and other Religous Property.

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27 May 44

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| TO: | Fifth Army | 59 Area | AFHQ |
| | Fifth Army (Br.Incr) | C-inC Med | G(SD) |
| | Main Eighth Army | FOWIT | G(Ops) |
| | Rear Eighth Army | FOTALI | GSI (2) |
| | 5 Corps | MAAF | "A" |
| | No. 1 District | MATAF | G-4 |
| | No. 2 District | MACAF | Claims & Hirings |
| | No. 3 District | DAF | War Diary (2) |
| | CG, PBS | AAFSC/MTO | File |
| | CG, City Adm Sec., Fifth Army | ACC | |

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1. This instruction, issued in conformity with an AFHQ directive, deals with the occupation and preservation of Vatican and other Religious Property and will be read in conjunction with this HQ letter 66/G(Ops) dated 13 Dec 43 and Adm Instruction No. 10. All other instructions on the above subject are cancelled including:

a) AFHQ signal 48057 of 6 Feb 44, addressed FLAMBO , rptd FATIMA Rear and Fargo,

b) AFHQ Adv Adm Echelon letter 30/18/Q2 dated 12 Feb 44, addressed ACMF, Fifth Army, Fifth Army (Br.Incr), Eighth Army, No. 2 District, No. 3 District, CG PBS, copy to G(SD), "A" and Claims & Hirings,

c) Appendices "A" and "B" to HQ ACMF letter 66/g(Ops) dated 13 Dec 43. These appendices were issued to Fifth Army, Eighth Army and AFHQ Adv Adm Echelon on 4 Feb 44.

2. VATICAN CITY STATE

a) This will be accorded the normal rights of a neutral and will be treated as an independent neutral state.

b) Every precaution against violating the territory of the Vatican City will be taken by all Allied Forces.

c) Pickets will be posted on the boundaries of the Vatican City State to ensure that its neutrality is respected. This will be done by agreement with the Vatican authorities (See also 3(d) below).

d) The territory of the Vatican City State is defined by Article 3 AD Annexe One of the Lateran Treaty of 12 Feb 1929.

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3. VATICAN PROPERTY IN ROME OUTSIDE THE VATICAN CITY STATE 7016

a) There are a number of churches and buildings in ROME outside the boundaries of the Vatican City State, which are the property of the Vatican. Although these have no international status as neutral territory they are entitled to full diplomatic immunity under the Lateran Treaty. Such buildings and Churches will be treated in exactly the same manner as the Vatican City State, except that during the assault on ROME the diplomatic immunity of these Vatican properties will not be allowed to interfere with military operations, bombing, artielly fire, etc.

b) Pickets will, after occupation, be posted at the entrances to these buildings, and suitable notices posted warning troops that these are Vatican Property and may not be entered. This must be done in agreement with the Vatican authorities. This (and in 2(a) above) will be the responsibility of the Army Commander concerned until the responsibility can be handed to the C.G. ROME.

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a) All other Vatican property throughout ITALY will be accorded the treatment of property of a neutral state in foreighn territory.

b) Except in the case of urgent military necessity no Vatican property, or property which existing occupants claim to be the property of the Vatican, will be requisitioned or converted to military use without the authority in writing of this Hq.

c) In the case of urgent military necessity the procedure laid down in Administrative Instruction No. 10, para 3, for Historical Buildings will be adopted. (This Administrative Instructions is reprinted in the Allied Control Commission lists of Protected Monuments.)

d) At Appendix "B" is given a list of Vatican Property outside ROME, which is of special religious and historical significance; these require special efforts to preserve them from damage.

5. RELIGIOUS PROPERTY OTHER THAN VATICAN PROPERTY

a) Religious property other than Vatican property, if essential for military operations, may be occupied. Churches are subject to special provisions, see sub-para(c) below.

b) All questions relating to requisition or occupation of religious property will in every case be referred to this Hq.

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a) It will be noted that authorities referred to in paras 4(b) and 5(b) above can only be granted, if at all, after certain delay, as approval has to be obtained from the Combined Chiefs of Staff, and it outside the power of this Headquarters.

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for General
Commander in Chief

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## VATICAN PROPERTY IN ROME OUTSIDE THE VATICAN CITY STATE

| SERIAL | DECRIPTION | GRID SQUARE |
|---|---|---|
| V 1 | Basilica di S. Paolo fuori le Mura | 7362 |
| V 2 | Buildings attached to S. Paolo fuori le Mura | 7362 |
| V 3 | Casa di Esercizi per il Clero (Convento di S.S. Giovanni el Paolo) | 7465 |
| V 4 | Buildings attached to S. Giovanni in Laterano | 7565 |
| V 5 | Pontificio Ateneo Lateranense | 7565 |
| V 6 | Palazzo di S. Giovanni in Laterano (Museum) | 7665 |
| V 7 | Scala Santa | 7665 |
| V 8 | Palazzo di S. Callisto in Trastevere | 7366 |
| V 9 | Palazzo di S. Carlo ai Catinari | 7366 |
| V 10 | Palazzo di S. Andrea della Valle | 7366 |
| V 11 | Palazzo della Cancelleria | 7367 |
| V 12 | Palazzo del Vicariato | 7366 |
| V 13 | Basilica de S. Maria Maggiore, and attached buildings | 7567 |
| V 14 | Instituto Pontificio Orientale | 7567 |
| V 15 | Collegio Russo (Russicum) | 7567 |
| V 16 | Collegio Urbano di Propaganda Fide | 7267 |
| V 17 | Palazzo dei S.S. Apostoli | 7467 |
| V 18 | Universita Gregoriana alla Pilotta | 7467 |
| V 30 | Palace of the Holy Office (Palazzo del Santo Uffizio) | 7167 |
| V 36 | Academy of Theology (Accademia Pontificio Teologica) Palazzo di S. Appllinare. | 7367 |
| V 37 | Palace of Missions (Palazzo di Propaganda Fide) | 7467 7267 |
| 40 | Buildings on MONTE GIANICOLO | |
| 41 | Pontificio Instituto Biblico, In piazza della pilotta | 7467 7467 |
| 42 | Piazzo della Dataria, in Via della Dataria | 7566 |
| 43 | Seminario Pontificio Lombardo, in Piazza Santa Maria Maggiore | 7567 |
| 44 | Instituto Pontificio Archeologico, in Via Napoleone III | 7014 |
| 45 | The Villa Baberini, CASTEL GANDOLFO. | |

N O T E S

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| V 11 | Palazzo della Cancelleria | 7367 |
| V 12 | Palazzo del Vicariato | 7366 |
| V 13 | Basilica de S. Maria Maggiore, and attached buildings | 7567 |
| V 14 | Instituto Pontificio Orientale | 7567 |
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3. The VILLA BABERINI, whilst not in ROME, will be afforded the same treatment as VATICAN PROPERTY within the City.

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VATICAN PROPERTY OUTSIDE THE CITY OF ROME

1. Benedictine Abbey at SUBIACO (ROME)
2. Sanctuary of the Holy House, LORETO (ANCONA)
3. Sanctuary of St. Anthony, PADUA (PADUA)
4. Sanctuary of St. Francis, ASSISI (PERUGIA)
5. Villa Barberini, CASTEL GANDOLFO (ROME)
   (This Villa, although outside the City of ROME, will be treated as if falling under para 3).
6. Cistercian Abbey, CASAMARI (FROSINONE)
7. Dominican Villa, ROMENO
   (Further particulars being obtained)
8. Villa San Guolarno, FIESOLE (FLORENCE)
9. Casa di Cura, Via Charabini 8, FLORENCE (FLORENCE)
10. Instituto Santa Reparata, Via Santa Reparata 91, FLORENCE (FLORENCE)
11. Abbey, VALVISCIOLO (FORSINONE)
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