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REGISTER OF CABLES - INCOMING

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Jan. 1945 - June 1945

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference:

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 30 1107B

Message Centre No: E/7437

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 30 1420

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: MORTON ALCOM PALERMO

TO : ACTION ALCOM ROME FOR ACLAB

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Sulphur industrialists have decided to offer 90 lire wage increase effective June 1st. Latest demand of workers was that effective date be 16 February.

DIST

ACTION - LABOUR SC
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
FINANCE SC
FILE 2
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

A.C.

Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>WJ</i>	<i>3/2</i>
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. HIRD		
Mr. SCOTT	<i>RS</i>	<i>6/7</i>
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss. STEVENSON	<i>B</i>	<i>4/7</i>
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*In cables + 817**Labour*Originator's Reference: VG/65Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 30 1005BMessage Centre No: E/7494Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 30 2115BPrecedence: IMPORTANTFROM: AMG 13 CORPSTO: ALCOM ROME INFO 8 ARMY

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Personal for BRAINE from MONFORT.

Subject is labour officers for this Hq. Ref 546 of 25
from ALCOM to AFHQ INFO AMG 13 CORPS BRAINE.

1. ADPL 8 ARMY today asks following questions:

- A) What rank is required by labour officers AMG 13 CORPS?
- B) Are such officers to be loaned, or attached or posted?
- C) If loaned or attached, for how long?

2. Is Major ALLRIGHT being posted in accordance your
conversation with me.

Dist

Action - Labor SC
Info - Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File 2
Float

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ACTION

LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE ✓	<i>applied 1/7/45</i>	
Mr. SACHS	<i>WLS</i>	<i>2/7</i>
Mr. HERD	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>3/7</i>
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss. STEVENSON		
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

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in cables + 416
INCOMING MESSAGE**HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION**
*Labour*Originator's Reference: LAB/41
Date/Time of Origin: JUN 281245BMessage Centre No: E/7363
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 300830B
Precedence: OF PRIORITYFROM: DISTWO
TO: LAB SUBCOMMISSION HQ AC**RESTRICTED****RESTRICTED.**

From DDL for BRAINE.

Find position in NORTHWEST on my return radically changed since meeting of 21. Wages agreements in private industries at present being negotiated in Regions will make the regrenting of full powers under Adm Memo 25 to Local Sub Committees imperative. By such powers is meant the granting of up to 100 Lire increase on maximum present ra tes in addition to cost of living bonus of up to 75.

DIST

ACTION: Labor S/C
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
CA Sec
File 2
Float

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.B.</i>	<i>7/7</i>
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. HIRD		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss. STEVENSON		
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:Mr Sachs

Please send copy in
writing to AFKRS and
request them to return
Comments of Base +
5 A. Am. Co. also 8 A. Am. Co.

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W.H.B. 7/7

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

1/4 cable, + 521

Labour

Originator's Reference:

Message Centre No: E/7192.....

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 28 1517B.....

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 28 1810B.....

Precedence: PRIORITY.....

FROM: MORTON ALCON PALERNO.....

TO: ALCON ROME FOR ACLAB.....

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Until now furnace men and pumpers have remained at their posts during the sulphur strike but it is expected that furnace men will strike at midnight tonight. Pumpers will probably continue working.

Dist

Action - Labour SC
 Info - Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 Industry SC 2
 P Safety SC
 File 2
 Float

ACTION

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.B.</i>	<i>2/6</i>
Mr. SACHS	<i>S</i>	<i>2/6</i>
Mr. HIRD	<i>H</i>	<i>2/6</i>
Mr. SCOTT	<i>S</i>	<i>2/6</i>
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>P</i>	<i>2/6</i>
~~Miss. STEVENSON~~	<i>MRS</i>	<i>30/6</i>
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

IN CAGES + 521

Labour

Originator's Reference: FILE 42
Date/Time of Origin: JUN 280926BMessage Centre No: E/7129
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 281000B
Precedence: ROUTINEFROM: MORTON ALCOM PALERMO
TO : ALCOM ROME FOR ACLAB

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Sulphur strike continues. Another employer worker meeting scheduled at
CALTANISSETTA for this afternoon is believed not likely to settle controversy
unless immediate wage increases are actually made.

DIST

ACTION: Labour S/C
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
Industry S/C 2
P. Safety S/C
Finance S/C
File 2
Float

ACTION

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.</i>	<i>28/6</i>
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. HIRD	<i>H</i>	<i>28/6</i>
Mr. SCOTT	<i>RS</i>	<i>28/6</i>
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>B</i>	<i>28/6</i>
Miss. STEVENSON		<i>28/6</i>
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:*Urgent Report*

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SECRET*Labour
14 cables + 816*383
JUNE 26 1730BREF 010 126860
JUNE 27 0900
OP-PRIORITYAMB LIGURIA REGION SIGNED HAIGH WOOD
HQ ALCON CITE ACFIN RPTD ACIDY

SECRET.

Ref this Hq 179 June 1 cable.

During visit ROME Representatives: loan 163 million for Societa SAN GIORGIO negotiated with IMI for requirements to July 31. Also decree drafted by SOLERI providing encashment by firms 50% residual credits with government departments. SAN GIORGIO urgently needs 20 million July 6 payrolls. If workers unpaid: expects most serious trouble. Request represent grave situation ministries concerned.

DIST

ACTION - FINANCE SC
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
INDUSTRY SC
LABOUR SC
FILE 2
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Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.B.</i>	<i>28/6</i>
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. HIRD		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>EP</i>	<i>5/7</i>
Miss. STEVENSON ←	<i>EB</i>	<i>29/6</i>
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

*Typical of a firm
whose resources will be
shockingly exhausted.*

W.H.B. 28/6

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CAPT. J. I. S.

/h catly + 454813

JUNE 25 1540B

E/6966

JUNE 27 1125

ROUTINE

FROM: 8 ARMY

DISTON, INFO: FREEDOM CITY PROAO, ALONG, MAIN ARMY FOR GRIS A/C
APLRS, 13 ARMY GRP.

IN CLEAR.

Your 2 37 of 21 set to all referring AFHQ PI 95725 of 19. Request you set up sub committee for 8TH ARMY Area excl VENEZIA GIULIA with proviso that WDL 8TH ARMY represented all meetings. Confirm agreement.

DIST

INFO-ACTION - ROOM 3MC 2
 INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 SE COMMISSIONER 2
 COMMISSION
 INDUSTRY
 FOOD SC 2
 LABOR SC
 FIRE 2
 PLANT



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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.B.</i>	<i>7/8/41</i>
Mr. SACHS	<i>S</i>	<i>7/8/41</i>
Mr. HIRD	<i>H</i>	<i>7/8/41</i>
Mr. SCOTT	<i>S</i>	<i>7/8/41</i>
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>P</i>	<i>7/8/41</i>
Miss. STEVENSON	<i>S</i>	<i>7/8/41</i>
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

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JUN 270620B

AND LIGURIA REGION SIGNED HATCH WOOD
HQ ALCOM CITE ACFIN

58 010' 1002

SECRET.

Reference this HQ message 383 June 26.

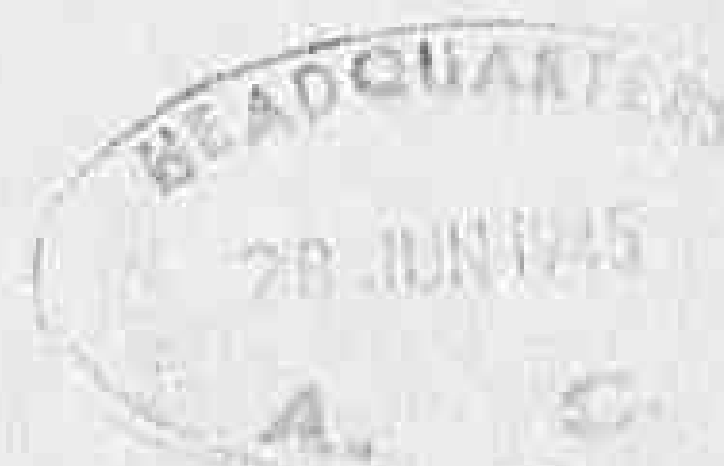
SAN GIORGIO need 20 million end June as well further 20 million July 6th.

DIST

ACTION: Finance S/C
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
Industry S/C
Labour S/C
File 2
Float

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>WMB</i>	<i>7/16</i>
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. HIRD	<i>H</i>	<i>7/16</i>
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss. STEVENSON		
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

14 cables + 413

Originator's Reference: 369
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 25 1345E

Message Centre No: E/6687
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 25 2020B
 Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AMG LIGURIA REGION SIGNED WILSON
 TO: HQ AICOM ACECO

RESTRICTED

Subject is industrial establishments in Northern ITALY. Your ISC/413 of 1 June 45 refers.

1. Industries GENOVA province figures as follows.
 - (A) Four firms employing total 570 workers.
 - (B) 13 receivers appointed but position changing daily.
 - (C) 70 no for 91 firms employing 42179 workers.
 - (D) 39 firms involving 49625 workers of whom 17594 only are working. Detailed lists posted today.
2. Information other provinces expected but unlikely arrive in time.

Dist

Action - Econ Sec
 Chief Commissioner

Econ. Sec. Dist. 26 June 45
 (3 add'l copies made)

Action - Labor S/C (2)
 Info - A/VP
 File

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LSC/816

C O P YI N C O M I N G M E S S A G EC O P Y

Originator's Ref. 369
Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 251345B

Message Centre No.: E/6687
Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 252020B
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM : AMG LIGURIA REGION SIGNED WILSON
TO : HQ ALCOM ACECO

RESTRICTED

Subject is industrial establishments in Northern ITALY. Your LSC/413 of 1 June 45 refers.

1. Industries GENOVA province figures as follows.

- (A) Four firms employing total 570 workers.
- (B) 13 receivers appointed but position changing daily.
- (C) 70 no for 91 firms employing 42179 workers.
- (D) 39 firms involving 49626 workers of whom 17594 only are working. Detailed lists posted today.

2. Information other provinces expected but unlikely arrive in time.

List
Action - Econ Sec
 Chief Commissioner
 File 2
 Float

Econ. Sec. Dist.
26 June 45
(3 add'l copies made)

Action - Labor S/C (2)
Info - A/VP
 File

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Labour
14 cables + LS 4/1902

PX 12585

JUNE 25 18 13B

JUN 26 1945

R/6753

JUNE 26 0830

ROUTINE

AFHQ SIGNED SIGNED CITE PHODQ

DISTWO, 5TH ARMY INFO: AFHQ, HAAC, ALCON.

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5 TH ARMY for British Increment. Your GS 218 of 24. Discontinue
 15 live scale ~~introduce~~ 7 live meal authorized AFHQ Adm Memo 30.
 Similar American action has been taken.

DIST

INFO-ACTION - G-1 (A) Civ Pers Sec
 INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER

EST SEC

ECON SEC

FOOD SC 2

LABOR SC

HQ COMDT .

FILE 2

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

A.C.

Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	WMB	2/16
Mr. SACHS	KS	2/16
Mr. HIRD	HR	2/16
Mr. SCOTT	RS	2/16
Mr. PROCTOR	CP	2/16
Miss. STEVENSON	B	4/7
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*In cable
Labour*

Originator's Reference: VG/29
 Date/Time of Origin: JUN 231210B

Message Centre No: E/6496
 Date Time Rec'd: JUN 240920B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: SCAO 13 CORPS
 TO: HQ AMG VENEZIA REGION INFO ALCOM CITE ACLAB

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Following sig ALCOM 271 of 211415B passed you for action text begins

1. Instructions from BRAINE Director Labour Subcommission approach was made to Italian Labor Ministry for nomination for post of Provincial Director UDINE. They suggested ALESSANDRO ANSI formerly director of a credit institute in VENEZIA and as second choice RICCARDO CICCONE of the Regional Labor Office.

2. Intention is to send both these men CICCONE in temporary capacity to organise the job and ANSI to become acquainted with functions and gradually take over.

3. ANSI has accepted on this basis but so far contact with CICCONE has not been possible.

4. Action proceeding urgently and further message follows when arrangements for both men to travel have been completed. Text ends.

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INFO - ACTION

DIST

INFO-ACTION: Labor S/C
 INFO: Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 File 2
 Float



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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS	<i>has</i>	25/6
~~Mr. BENTLEY~~		
~~Mr. HENRY~~		
Mr. SCOTT ←		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*In cable + 403
H con 4*

Originator's Reference: FX 97829
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 231005B

Message Centre No: E/6371
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 231145
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED CG MTOUSA CITE NAGDS
 TO : CG 5TH ARMY INFO: ALCON, AFLRS (RAAC)

RESTRICTED.

This refers your cable 2824 of 20 June and FX 93793 this Headquarters 15 June.

Discontinue feeding 15 lire midshift meal to civilian employees at earliest possible date. Please advise when discontinued. 7 lire midshift meal provided for in AFHQ Adm Memo 30 is then authorized.

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INFO - ACTION

DIST

INFO-ACTION - ECON SEC 4
 INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 HQ COMDT
 FILE 2
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25 June 1945

Econ. Sec. Dist.

Info Action - Labor S/C (2)

Info - Commerce S/C

(for Maj. Green)

- File

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Date 25/6INTERNALEXTERNAL

Fr.	To.	Fr.	TO.
Vice President		ECONOMIC SECTION	
Brig. Anderson		Production Div.	
Col. Walton		Supply Div.	
Col. Densmore		Agriculture Sub-Comm.	
Lt. Col. Moore		Commerce	
Mr. Hughes		Finance	
Maj. Smith		Food	
Maj. Clark		Industry	
Maj. Teoby		Labor	✓
Capt. Atkins		P W & U	
Capt. Williams		Transportation	
Capt. Highland		Chief Commissioner	
Lt. DiLoreto		Executive Commissioner	
Lt. Morgan		Civil Affairs Section	
Lt. Arensberg		Establishment Section	
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Price Control Br.			
Message Center			

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REMARKS: 

LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>[Signature]</i>	
Mr. SACHS	<i>tes</i>	
Mr. ~~HERD~~	<i>h</i>	<i>2/16</i>
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>4/7</i>
Miss. STEVENSON	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>4/7</i>
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

*Ret to B after wire
25/6 KMW*

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1300
JUN 230053B

File
E/6424
JUN 232130B
ROUTINE

BRAINE DIRECTOR LABOUR SUBCOMM

ALLIED COMMISSION ROME AGECCO

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1. When agreement for freight handling charges in port is approved as recommended by Air Commodore BENSON the working of port should be assured with labour and facilities supplied MAGAZZINI GENERALI.

2. No labour unrest in port for wages reasons.

3. General labour in town quiet on surface at moment.

4. For political reasons trouble may be expected owing to legacies left behind by Yugoslavs. Exaggerated wages 500 or 600 lire per day promised by Yugoslav authorities on clearance work. Supplementary ration card issued in number exceeding capacity to supply.

5. Uncertainty and feeling of insecurity prevail with suspicion that political agitation will work upon labouring classes.

6. AMG working under extreme difficulties with absence of experienced staff.

7. Recommend assignment of selected labour officer namely Major ALBRICHT as Regional Labour Officer ex EMILIA REGION. Colonel BOWMAN will object but Brigadier LUSH should persuade him to replace ALBRICHT. Captain MATTHEW ADAMS British as Labour Officer at POLA. 1 other as Labour Officer at GORIZIA and 1 other to deal with local labour problems at TRIESTE below Regional level.

8. In view of non availability of experienced labour officer recommend British Directorate of Labour at AFHQ release selected officers with at least 6 months experience under DADL with CIV. This should help to meet immediate problem of VENEZIA GIULIA and also other requirements in NORTHERN ITALY.

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9. Social insurance system at TRIESTE must be put on sound basis considering that it is out off from ROME but will have to deal with large numbers requiring assistance in absence of paid employment. Finance officer strength requires addition which Regional Finance Officer Wing Commander LITCH JONES has already requested.

10. Obviously unrest and unemployment possibilities will be reduced if industries can be kept going or reactivated. Special concessions of coal and material urged. Also permission to continue unfinished shipbuilding at MONFALCONE.

11. Armed force employment possibilities not considerable and because of local situation labour can be found at 8 ARMY scale which is basic rate plus 15 Lire per day. But cost of living now is always higher in TRIESTE than adjoining provinces and V the ADL British recommend increase general bonus to 30 Lire per day which brings unskilled labour to 115 Lire per day same as 5 ARMY rate NORTHERN ITALY. Also a differential of 10 Lire per day over basic minimum for skilled workers in addition to general bonus. From study of local wages structure I support both recommendations and advise that AFLRA for AFHQ and 8 ARMY AMG authorize accordingly.

12. Labour problems in VENEZIA GIULIA include as for NORTHERN ITALY potential unemployment with necessity for relief and public assistance and relief feeding. Also continued payment of wages although full employment is not available is a feature. Also workers participation in management. Other problems smouldering. International aspect and necessity of working out self contained solutions without ROME Government or Italian experts make essential to supply Allied **633** in quantity and quality.

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ACTION: Est Sec
 INFO: Chief Commissioner
 Ex Commissioner
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 Polad (B)
 CA Sec
 Econ Sec
 File 2
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This is a copy furnished Labour S/C
 by Econ Sec.

Labour P/C

1/4 cable + 806

AMG PIEMONTE REGION

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23 JUNE

ROUTINE

RESTRICTED PD

SUBJECT IS USE OF LABOUR ON PRIVATE PROJECTS PD

PAID TO AMG PIEMONTE REGION FOR REGIONAL ENGINEER FROM HQ ALCOA CITE AGFVU FARM

PARA ONE PD REF YOUR PETER ROGER SLANT EASY NAN GEORGE SLANT SIX ZERO ZERO

POINT ONE DE EIGHTEENTH PD

PARA TWO PD SUBJECT DISCUSSED WITH FINANCE SUBCOMMISSION PD THEY FEEL THAT
SERIOUS FINANCIAL REPERCUSSIONS MAY RESULT FROM UNLIMITED EXPENDITURE ON DAMAGED
PRIVATE PROPERTY PD

PARA THREE PD FINANCE SUBCOMMISSION PREPARING DIRECTIVE TO COVER SUCH
CIRCUMSTANCES AND SUGGEST NO OFFICIAL APPROVAL OF SUCH WORK UNTIL DIRECTIVE
RECEIVED

Distribution by hand:

Economic Section
Finance sub-Commission
Labour Sub-Commission

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PUBLIC WORKS

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS	<i>W.H.</i>	<i>2/6</i>
~~Mr. DE PEE~~		
~~Mr. AKEY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR ←		
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

*Pls return to Mr B
after circulation*

20/6 Rm
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*Called to attention of Miss Anderson who
now expects. Feb 2/6*

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Labors
*in cables + 806*PW/ENG/600.1
JUNE 18E/5781
JUNE 200830
IMPORTANTPW AND U DIVISION
PW AND U SC ALCOH NAME

HEADQUARTERS

IN CLEAR.

Subject is work projects PIEMONTE Region due to many factors, there will be a lay off of personnel at factories in PIEMONTE in near future causing labor unrest. All factories more or less damaged and it is desired to put this excess factory labor at work on clearing up factory debris. Private firms not able to finance this work project at present. Regional Commissioner desirous of this work proceeding without delay as a work project approved by him. Proposed work will be performed by private contract and supervised by Gino Civile and will be similar to existing clearing program for city of TURIN but will be on private property. Request approval for this work to be initiated under supervision of PW and U Division estimate of cost projects to be submitted to you for approval.

DIST

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ACTION - PW & U SC
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
LABOR SC
FILE 2
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
~~Mr. W.H. BRAINE~~		
~~Mr. BACHS~~		
~~Mr. DE MEDE~~		
~~Mr. [unclear]~~		
~~Mr. SCOTT~~		
Mr. PROCTOR	S	
~~Miss STEVENSON~~		
~~Miss SANSEVERINO~~		
Chief Clerk		

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*Mr. [unclear] sent in to the
as all [unclear]
yes*

Col. [unclear]

File in case

INCOMING MESSAGE

seen by Mr. Sachs
about 11

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 1301
Date/Time of Origin: JUN 230900B

Message Centre No: E/6420
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 231705B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOR FOR POLETTI SIGNED BRAINE
TO: ALCOM HOME ACLAB ATTN SACHS

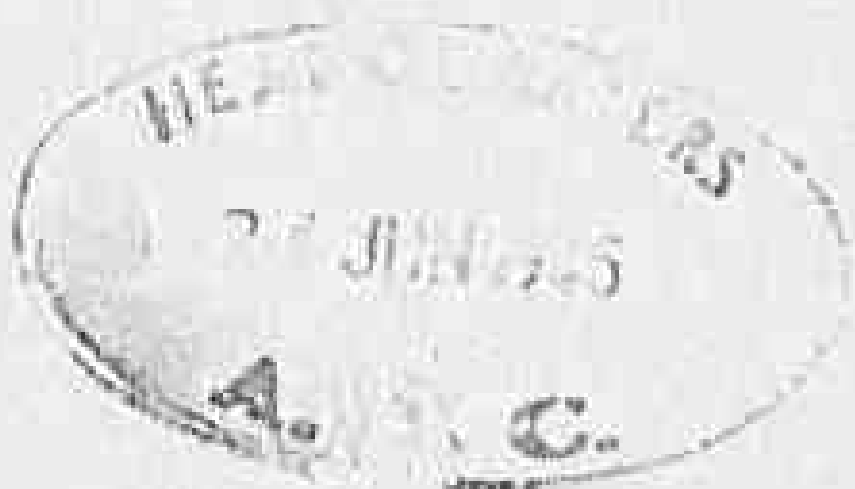
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Please say when car AKY 698 left ROME with BOOTH and party. Reply at once
care of DI FEDE MILANO.

DIST

ACTION: Labor S/C
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File 2
Float



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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: E/287
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 211205

Message Centre No: E/6065
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 211455B
 Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: AMG EMILIA REGION
 TO: FOR INFO HQ ALCOM CITE AGECO

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Reference your signal 9832 dated 16 June. Your letter reference LSC/413 dated 1 June received Industry Division this Hq 13 June. Immediate action taken as per instructions. Reply will be forwarded when information completed.

ACTION

DIST

ACTION - ECON SEC 3
 INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 FILE 2
 FLOAT

21 June 45
 Econ Sec Distr:

ACTION : Labor S/C
 INFO : Exec Commissioner
 A/VP, Econ Sec

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In cables + 120/1106

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Labour

Originator's Reference: 1282
 Date/Time of Origin: JUN 211725B

Message Centre No: E/6324
 Date Time Rec'd: JUN 230915B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOUR DIVISION SIGNED DI FEDE
 TO: ALLIED COMMISSION HOME ACLAB FOR POLETTI

SECRET

SECRET.

Rec'd 24/6 R!

1. Your signal 194 of 20 June refers subject is RUO.
2. If RUO is available please request Ministry to lend his services to organise UDINE Province immediately without prejudice to his eventual appointment.
3. MONETA is in office in MILANO with agreement of local people and with support of GRANDI. MONETA is teckling job well and should continue at least on provisional basis.
4. From BRAINE for SACHS.

DIST

ACTION: Labor S/C
 INFO: Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 File 2
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SECRET

Note: Ministry asked to loan RUO if available
 and to cancel proposals for CICCONE & STAGNATI

RS. 24/6.

Translation Latorraca

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

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Direzione Gen. del Lavoro

Rome, 19 June 1945

SUBJECT: Appointment of Avv. Alfonso Ruo as director
of Regional Labour Office in Milano:

TO : Labour Sub-Commission
Rome

With references to preceding communications,
this Ministry submits to your attention the appoint-
ment of Avv. Alfonso Ruo as Director of Regional Labour
Office in Milano in substitution of the actual director
Dr. Rossano.

Avv. Ruo has formerly been pointed out by Col.
Temperley and Captain Bailey as director of the
provincial labour office in Foggia and after, follow-
ing invitation of Major Fisher, he was appointed dir-
ector of Regional Labour Office in Ascoli Piceno.

He is capable of organizing the Labour Offices
of Lombardy Region.

Avv. Ruo has already been pointed out to the
Allied Commission as Regional Director for Lombardy
and the Labour Sub-Commission had mentioned him to
the Lombardy Regional officer.

The person appointed on the spot to substitute
Dr. Rossano could function as general secretary of the
labour offices of that region.

for THE MINISTER

LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	RS	24/6
Mr. SACHS		
~~Mr. DE WIDE~~		
~~Mr. HARRY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

In cables + 413

Labour

Originator's Reference: FX 97186
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 221014B

Message Centre No: E/6204
 Date/Time Rec'd: JUNE 221230
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CITE PHCAG
 TO: AFLES INFO ALCOM, 5 ARMY,

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1. 5 ARMY has requested authority to increase wages up to 30 lire per day over maximum now authorized in AFHQ basic wage scale. 5 ARMY has been paying wages in sliding scale set forth in AFHQ basic wage scale for Southern ITALY and claim that presently authorized increase not to exceed 75 lire over minimum wage scale does not give sufficient increase for many who have been receiving maximum or near maximum and that present authority does not give sufficient differential between lowest and highest skill in same trade. The 5 ARMY proposal would authorize up to 75 lire per day over AFHQ minimum and up to 30 lire per day over AFHQ maximum. In cases where differential was such that 75 lire per day over minimum resulted in more than 30 lire per day over the maximum the full 75 lire would be authorized.

2. Request you consult interested parties and present agreed views as soon as practicable.

Dist

Action - Labour SC
 Info - Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 Finance SC
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 HEADQUARTERS
 22 JUN 1945
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS	OCS	23/6
~~Mr. DEBDE~~		
~~Mr. DEBDE~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

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II. COMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 1291
 Date/Time of Origin: JUN 221445B

Message Centre No: E/6248
 Date Time Rec'd: JUN 221640B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOR DIV FOR POLETTI SIGNED DI FEDE
 TO: ALLIED COMMISSION ROME ACIAB

CAPT. UTS 68

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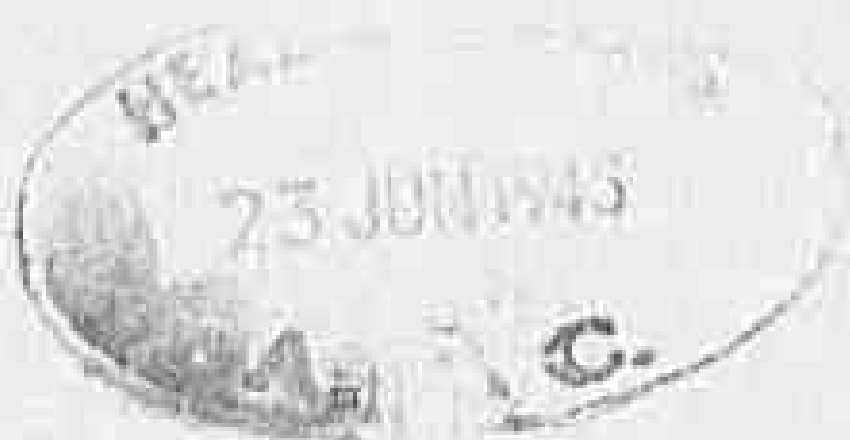
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1. 60,000 workers stopped work yesterday at PAVIA to demonstrate for higher wages, lower prices and larger rations. They returned to work same day pending negotiations.

2. 50,000 workers stopped work at VIGEVANO for same reasons as above. They have returned to work pending negotiations.

DIST

ACTION: Labor S/C
 INFO: Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 CA Sec
 File 2
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.B.</i>	<i>20/6</i>
Mr. SACHS	<i>MS</i>	<i>22/6</i>
~~Mr. DEANE~~		
~~Mr. ADNEY~~		
Mr. SCOTT	<i>PA</i>	<i>26/6</i>
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>Q</i>	<i>24/6</i>
Miss STEVENSON	<i>Q</i>	<i>23/6</i>
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk	<i>W.H.B.</i>	

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23/6 20 PM
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*In cable,
45c/805
Labour*

Originator's Reference:

Date/Time of Origin: JUN 221430B

Message Centre No: E/6247

Date Time Rec'd: JUN 221640B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOR DIV FOR POLETTI SIGNED DI FEDE

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION ROME ACLAB

2401 JUN 23

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1. Postal and telegraph workers returned to work same day pending wage discussion and negotiations.
2. CAMERE DEL LAVORO intervened to get workers back to their jobs. ✓
3. Stoppage for brief period was more a demonstration than a serious strike.

DIST

ACTION: Labor S/C
 INFO: Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 CA Sec
 File 2
 Float



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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS	ocs	23/6
~~Mr. REEDE~~		
~~Mr. AUREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT	RI	24/6
Mr. PROCTOR	SP	24/6
Miss STEVENSON		25/6
~~Miss SANSEVERINO~~		
Chief Clerk		618

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 27
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 211717B

Message Centre No: E/6147
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 220830
 Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: MORTON ALCOM PALERMO
 TO: ALCOM ROME FOR ACLAB

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Subject is mine strike in CALTANISSETTA Province. Sulphur workers had requested wag increase of from 100 to 170 lire (R) lire per day above present daily wage scale which ranges from 89 to 15/ lire. On 16 June a workers and employers committee agreed to an increase ranging from 45 to 90 depending on age of the worker provided that sulphur be increased from present price of 5700 lire to 9000 per ton but workers have not waited. They went on strike yesterday. Believe strike has involved all Sicilian sulphur mines.

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22 June 45
 Econ Sec Distr:

ACTION : Labor S/C
 INFO : A/VP

DIST

ACTION - ECON SEC
 INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 LABOUR SC
 INDUSTRY SC 2
 P SAFETY SC
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*in cables + lpc/805**Labour*

Originator's Reference: 1269

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 210956B

Message Centre No: E/6029

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 211110

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOR DIV FOR POLETTI SIGNED DI FEDE

TO : HQ ALCOM ACLAB

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1. All arrangements made for meeting of Saturday June 23 and Sunday June 24, 1945 for CAMERE DEL LAVORO.

200 JUN 25

ACTION

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ACTION - LABOUR SC ✓
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
FILE 2
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Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.B.</i>	<i>2/1/6</i>
Mr. SACHS	<i>S</i>	<i>2/1/6</i>
~~Mr. DI FEDE~~		
~~Mr. ARDY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*in cables + 812**Labour SC*Originator's Reference: 2842Message Centre No: E/5977Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 20/1957BDate Time Rec'd: JUNE 21/0900BPrecedence: ROUTINEFROM: G-5 FIVE ARMY FOR JUNE CITE: OUR F 244TO: HQ ALCOM

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Reference your cable number 9 dated 18 June. Plan set forth for labor meeting approved. Secretaries should confer with Senior Labor Officer FIFTH ARMY prior to meeting

DIST

ACTION : LABOR SC

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS		
~~Mr. DE FIDE~~		
~~Mr. AINEY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Labour

Originator's Reference:

Message Centre No: E/5885

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 19/1945

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 20/1430B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: PALERMO

TO: REAR ADMIRAL STONE, ALLIED COMMISSION ROME

IN CLEAR.

The personnel of the provincial officers of social assistance, threatened to be dismissed, according to the decree N.173 of March 1945, which provides that new committees for social assistance be soon established in the island, with personnel supervised by other local administrations, or newly employed personnel, protests against such illegal disposition. The concerned ministry has not taken into consideration the decree N.31 of February 1944 Art I 2nd paragraph, that states that appointments made by the Allied Military Government have legal validity same as if made by the Italian Government itself. The economic and juridical situation of the employees appointed to public services by the Allied Military Government will be settled according to the Italian law. In view of the new fiscal year, they beg the concerned ministry and the high commission for SICILY, which is in charge of the "UPAS" interests, to take a proper and urgent action against that decree in order to avoid that said employees be seriously economically affected. An eventual negative result of your intervention will certainly induce the employees to continue their manifestations of protest by using any legal measures. This matter has been committed to the Federation of Labor (CCIL) and if necessary an appeal will be made to the High Council of State for violation of the law and of the rights acquired by the personnel by virtue of the decree N.31 of February 1944.

FASINO - Commissioner for UPAS - PALERMO

President of the Regional
Committee for SICILY

(DIST OVER)

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 1258

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 20/1530B

Message Centre No: E/5921

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 20/1935B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOUR DIVISION FOR POLETTI SIGNED DI FEDE

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION ROME ACLAB

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1. Please urge ministry of Labour to send up high ranking representative to take over the liquidation of all property and funds of former Fascist Labour ministry and to supervise the many local offices which formerly depended on that ministry.

2. Urge can to send representatives to establish contact with local social insurance institutes.

3. Give us latest information on wages for state and parastatal employes

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ACTION : LABOR SC

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
EX COMMISSIONER
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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS	DCS	22/6
Mr. DE REDE		
~~Mr. AIREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 1264
Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 20 1630B

Message Centre No: E/5927
Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 20 1935
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION POLETTI SIGNED POLETTI
TO: HQ ALCOM ACXC

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1. Need directive for increased pay to all Governmental employees. Strikes already threatned.
2. Must have directive in time for us to give additional pay 27 of month.

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ACTION - LABOR SC
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
EX COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
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21 JUN 1945

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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS	HLL	2/2/6
~~Mr. DE LOE~~		
~~Mr. AIREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
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in labelJune 19Note -

The ambiguity raised in par 7 as to 8th Army has been taken up with Major London. The latter contacted AFHQ who replied that it is the intention to extend to 8th Army the same authority previously extended to 5th Army. In view of the fact that within a few days 8th Army will come over to District 1 as phase II it was felt that there was no need for sending out a clarifying signal.

H. H. H.

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14 cables + 906FI 35745
JUNE 1945

20 JUN 1945

FI 35745
JUNE 1945
JUNE 1945

FROM: HIGH COMMISSIONER, NEW DELHI

TO: ARMY, AIR FORCE, NAVY, CIVIL SUPPLY, COMMISSIONER, ALCOHOL, TAXES, IS AND CP.

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Ref FI 35745 dated 26 May copy to all.

1. As it is no longer necessary for forward formations to have first call on local resources lying within army boundaries, the provisions of JMC Admin Memo 14 dated 13 November 44 are made applicable throughout all India effective 1 July. Where ever the provisions of JMC Admin Memo 14 dated 27 April 45 conflict with these instructions the provisions of Admin Memo 46 will govern. Separate action is being taken to amend Admin Memo 14 accordingly.

2. JMC officers with armies will be the agencies to effect freezing of controlled and restricted items and report availability to JMC for transmission to AFHQ.

3. Except for the procurement of spot surpluses of fresh fruit and vegetables as already agreed with AFHQ and procuring agencies, there will be no local allocation of controlled materials.

4. AFHQ will bid thru normal departmental channels for any requirements of controlled or restricted items whether in stock or current production. Allocations of restricted controlled or frozen stocks already made by armies will remain in effect. While not subject to reallocation, remaining stocks of such items which have been allocated by armies to military agencies will be reported to AFHQ by the holding service for purposes of record.

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1. By arrangement with AIG officers in order to prevent duplication of effort and to assure co-ordination, procuring services are authorized to seek their own resources and to report results of controlled and restricted items to AIG for allocation. Except for most supplies of fresh fruits and vegetables concerning which instructions have previously been issued, if any immediate need for allocation of a commodity can be shown, AIG after consultation with AIG is authorized to issue proper releases.

2. These instructions do not apply to plant facilities or accommodation. The provisions of AIG Admin Order number 14 dated 7 March 1945 are applicable in such cases.

3. With certain restrictions the AIG has been authorized to set up local sub-committees of the Labor and Wage Control Committee by AIG signal 16666 dated 3 June (copy to all) AIG is authorized to set up similar committees or by agreement with AIG to authorize AIG to set up similar committees within AIG territory.

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE ✓	W.H.B.	20/6
Mr. SACHS	xs	20/6
~~Mr. DE FEDE~~		
~~Mr. ALREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT	RS	21/6
Mr. PROCTOR	Co	21/6
Miss STEVENSON	Co	21/6
~~Miss SANSEVERINO~~		
Chief Clerk		

Pls return to Mr. Braine
after circulation Recd 20/6

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: SCAO/8
Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 181820B

Message Centre No: B/5606
Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 182100B
Precedence: OP PRIORITY

FROM: 13 CORPS FROM UPJOHN
TO: HQ ALCOM FOR LUSH

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Conference with Jugoslavs now fixed for tomorrow afternoon.
I hope to return ROME tomorrow evening by air.

NEW SUBJECT

The expected strike did not materialise in TRIESTE today but
the dock labour situation is very confused and MONFORT would appreciate
visit from BRAINE soonest.

ACTION

Dist

Action - Econ Sec
 Exec Commr 2
Info - Chief Commissioner
 CA Sec
 Labour SC
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ECONOMIC SECTION

Date

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Vice President		ECONOMIC SECTION	
Brig Anderson		Production Division	
Col Walton		Supply Division	
Col Belser		AGRICULTURE SUB-COMM	
Col Dersmore		COMMERCE	
Lt Col Moore		FINANCE	
Mr Hughes		FOOD	
Maj Smith		INDUSTRY	
Maj Clark		LABOR	2
Maj Dollard		PW & U	
Maj Toby		TRANSPORTATION	
Capt Atkins		CHIEF COMMISSIONER	
Capt Williams		EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER	
✓ Capt Highland		CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION	
Lt DiLaretto		ESTABLISHMENT SECTION	
Lt Morgan		ATTENTION:	
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Requisition Br			
Price Control Br			
Message Center			

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REMARKS

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Mr. Braine departed Rome about 1530 18 June and
 I sent a cable to the R. C. Vazquez Region and to
 13 Corps advising them of Mr. Braine's departure.

LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>WLB</i>	20/6
Mr. SACHS	<i>MS</i>	
~~Mr. DE BEDE~~		
~~Mr. AIRDT~~		
Mr. SCOTT	<i>RS</i>	20/6
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>CP</i>	20/6
Miss STEVENSON		
Miss SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

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18 June 1945

*4 cables*MEMORANDUM FOR MR. SACHS

SUBJECT: Cable from PENBASE CITE BPGDS BPBPA OF 16 JUNE REFERENCE
MIDSHIFT MEAL
CABLE FROM AFHQ SIGNED CG MTOUSA CITE WAGDS OF 15 JUNE
REFERENCE MIDSHIFT MEAL

Mr. Braine asked that I refer the above cable to you for whatever action you thought necessary.

Capt. Highland brought these cables around this morning for attention by Mr. Braine, but inasmuch as he has referred them to you will you please contact Capt. Highland. Inasmuch as the cables are the originals and were sent to E/S for "INFO-ACTION", they will probably have to be returned to E/S. In any event, Capt. Highland wanted to hear on them today.

RMW
2:15 p.m.

*Inform Capt. Highland - attached cables are duplicates and are not required in E/S.
Inform Mr. Braine that the cables are dealt with and not making of copies.*

Ch. Sachs 19/6. - Do not put in.

Sachs
19/6.

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Cable from AFHQ to 5 Army of 16 June appears to clear up the question.

D.C.S.

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PX 93456

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JUNE 160900

ROUTINE

AFHQ SIGNED SACRED SITE ENGDO

5TH ARMY, DISTNO, INFO: AFHQ RAAC, ALCON ROME

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5 ARMY for British Increment.

Subject is midshift meal special scale for civilians employed at hard labour by British Army installations in 5TH ARMY and LORRAINE areas only. Our Z 85418 of 15 January to 5TH ARMY 3-4 (B) refers. It is now desired to discontinue this special scale 15 lire midshift meal at earliest possible date and employees will then receive meal authorized by AFHQ Administrative Memo No 30 dated 3 May 45. As it is understood that wage increase is under investigation it is suggested that the changeover of the midshift meal be made to coincide with pay increase to avoid discontent.

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INFO-ACTION - G-1 (CIV PERSONNEL)

INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER

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HEADQUARTERS
16 JUN 1945

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INCOMING MESSAGE *4 con it*

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: PENBASE-7401
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 161831

Message Centre No: E/5384
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 171030
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: PENBASE CITE BFGDS BPBPATO: MTUSA FOR ACTION TO ALCOM AND AFLRS CRAAC FOR INFORMATION

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Reurad FX 93793 cite NASIG NAGDS at 16 June meeting, Subcommittee concurred
 discontinuance of 15 lire midshift meal should coincide with wage increase in order to
 avoid discontent. Information received from AMG indicates prevailing wages are higher
 than Allied Force wages. However information is not complete and meeting is being continued
 on 27 June in order that information required by AFLRS in their letter 5 June 45 subject:
 AFHQ Administrative memorandum 25 etcetera file number IRS/214 G/16 can be obtained.
 Further comments will be made at that time.

18/6 INFO-ACTION

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INFO-ACTION ECON SEC 4
 INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 HQ COMDT
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Econ Sec Distr
 Info Action - Labor S/C
 Info - A/V P

Comm. S/C
 (Chet May
 Green)

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: FA 93793
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 15/1958B

Message Centre No: E/5238
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 16/1030B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED CG MTOUSA CITE NAGDSTO: ACTION: CG FIFTH ARMY, CG FERRAGE INFO: ALCON, ATLES(RAAC)

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Subject is authority which was granted by MTOUSA cable FA 81977 of 9 January to feed civilian employees a 15 lire midshift meal from UNITED STATES stocks as an interim operational necessity. It is desired to discontinue this feeding at earliest possible date. Your employees will then receive meal authorized by AFHQ Administrative Memorandum 30, dated 3 May 1945. It is understood that both 5 ARMY and FERRAGE contemplate wage increases to employees. Suggest changeover of midshift meal be made to coincide with pay increase to avoid discontent. Requested are your comments or confirmation

H/C NOTE:

No record of FA 81977

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INFO-ACTION : ECON SEC (4)

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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Econ Sec Distr

Info Action - Labor S/C

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Comm. Sec
 (for Maj Green)

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	W.H.B.	16/6
Mr. SACHS	S.S.	18/6
~~Mr. DI FEDE~~		
~~Mr. AIREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT	R.I.	20/6.
Mr. PROCTOR	F.P.	19/6
Miss STEVENSON	S.S.	20/6
Miss SANSEVERINO	S.S.	
Chief Clerk		

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REGIONAL COMMISSIONER/ VIRGINIA REGION SENIOR CIVIL AFFAIRS OFFICER 13th CORPS
FROM ALICE

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18 JUNE 1948

OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

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RESEARCH DATED AND MAIN HIGH ARMY FROM OFFICE RESEARCH DATED HIGH ONE ONE

RESEARCH DATED ONE SEVEN JUNE ONE SUBJECT VISIT OF BRADY TO

PARVE TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER/ VIRGINIA REGION SENIOR CIVIL AFFAIRS OFFICER

ONE FRESH CORPS FROM ALICE DITE AGED PARVE

BRADY IS DEPARTING BY AIR FROM ROSS THIS AFTERNOON ONE DESTINATION CORPORA
TO DISCUSS EACH PROBLEM

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Geologic Section

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NICHOLAS PLOWING
CWA, USA
ASSISTANT

NICHOLAS R. BETH
Major, ASD

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

in cable + 817

Originator's Reference: M 1108

Message Centre No: E/ 5509

Date/Time of Origin: JUN 172020B

Date Time Rec'd: JUN 172215B

Precedence: OPERATIONAL

FROM: AMG MAINEIGHTH ARMY FROM UPJOHN

TO : ALCOM FOR LUSH

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SECRET.

Yugoslavs did not appear today and unless we hear something definite tomorrow

I propose ask GENERAL MORGAN to release me and return Tuesday.

New Subject.

Labour situation in TRIESTE critical. Docklabourers are demanding back payment which Yugoslavs have not paid at impossible rates of 400 lire per day and more, Total back payments they demand are now 10,000,000 lire. They also demand extra rations. A strike is threatened for tomorrow and the situation is very grave. It is probably organised for political purposes. AMG EIGHTH ARMY would appreciate immediate repeat immediate visit from BRAINE. Add I agree this most necessary.

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Return to Labor S/c

IN CARLOS + 805

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Labour

Originator's Reference: 1226
Date/Time of Origin: JUN 16 1730B

Message Centre No: E/5456
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 17 1425B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOR DIV FOR POLETTI SIGNED DI FEDE
TO: ALLIED COMMISSION ROME ACLAB

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1. 5000 postal and telegraph workers of MIANO on strike this morning for higher wages. CAMERA DEL LAVORO secretaries were contacted and they requested workers to return to work pending further discussions. Workers have resumed work this afternoon.

DIST

ACTION: Labor S/C
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Ex Commissioner
Econ Sec
Communications S/C
File 2
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ACTION

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IN CABLES + 205

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Labour

Originator's Reference: 1224
Date/Time of Origin: JUN 161730B

Message Centre No: E/5435
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 171200B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOUR DIV FOR POLETTI SIGNED DE FEDE
TO: ALLIED COMMISSION ROME ACLAB

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1. Subject strike.
2. 20000 workers of SESTO S. GIOVANNI (Prov of MILAN) went on strike this morning as a protest against sentence of 20 years imposed on ex-Prefect of GENOVA "BASILE". Workers demanded death sentence because BASILE was responsible for deportation of 7000 Italian workers into GERMANY many of whom died in concentration camps.
3. This was peaceful demonstration. We have been assured that workers will return to work on Monday 18 June.

DIST

ACTION: Labor S/C
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Ex Commissioner
Econ Sec
File 2
Float



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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Labor

Originator's Reference: 1225
Date/Time of Origin: JUN 161730BMessage Centre No: E/5434
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 171200B
Precedence: ROUTINEFROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOR DIV FOR POLETTI SIGNED DI FEDE
TO: ALLIED COMMISSION ROME ACLAB

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1. Italian tramway workers have received 2000 Lire as an advance on Premio Liberazione.
2. Total amount of this bonus has not been agreed on. It will be between 4000 and 5000 Lire.

DISTACTION: Labor S/C
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File & float 3

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14 cables + 805

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Labour

Originator's Reference: 1217

Message Centre No: E/5346

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 16/1100B

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 16/2115B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: LOMBARDIA REGION LABOR DIV FOR POLETTI SIGNED DI FEDE

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION ROME DIRECTOR ACLAB

RESTRICTED.

1. 1200 workers went on strike in LOKI (Province of MILAN) on June 13 for more food, better pay and premio di liberta.
2. Prefect ordered re-opening of communal kitchen of 13 June. Workers returned to work on 14 June pending further discussion in wages

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ACTION : LABOR SO

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
FILE (2)
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

14 cables + 413

Labor

Originator's Reference: 4783

Message Centre No: 7/4401

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 09 1234D

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 10 0910B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: 5 ARMY

TO : ACTION: CG DISTONE and CG DISTWO. INFO: 8 ARMY, PBS, 15 ARMY GP.
AFIRS ROME**CONFIDENTIAL**

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Subject civilian wage rates. Cable AFHQ PX 26826 cites FHOAC 3 June authorizes 5 ARMY to increase wages based on minimum AFHQ scale up to 100 percent of cost of living bonus. Bonus is now 60 Lira per day. As an initial measure contemplate authorizing wage increase in 5 ARMY up to 50 percent of cost of living bonus. Increase will advance present basic wage from 35 Lira per day to 115 Lira per day. Your comment invited prior to authorization of increase.

Dist

Info-Action - Labor SC
 Info - Chief Commissioner
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 Finance SC
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~~Mr. AIRBY~~		
Mr. SCOTT	RA	11/6
Mr. PROCTOR	EO	12/6
Miss STEVENSON	SA	19/6
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 3242 1438
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 07 1630Z

Message Centre No: E/1215
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 09 1120
 Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: ROMA TRIPAREA

TO : HQ ANCOM ROME CITE ALBAN

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Your signal 9071 dated 4 June.

Recruitment of EUNY BISHEMEN completed. No further action
 required.

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ACTION - LAFOR 9/C
 INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 ECON SEC
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RESTRICTED (.) URGENT (.) PAREN TO ALGER HQ ^{252/86} ~~ALGER~~ ^{U/252/86} FROM AMG LIGURIA
REGION PAREN (.) SUBJECT IS DISCHARGE OF BUREAU WORKING IN INDUSTRY (.)
LOCAL MEMBERS CARRYING OUT OF DECISIONS REACHED HEREIN AT MILAN (.)
SITUATION EMBARRASSING (.) NOTHING OFFICIAL HERE AS YET (.) REQUEST
CONFIRMATION (.) END SIGNED ALESSANDRINI

URGENT

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RESTRICTED (.) URGENT (.) PART TO ALCM HQ OFFICIALS FROM ANG LIGURIA
REGION PAREN (.) SUBJECT IS DISCHARGE OF SUPPLIES ^{U/2} ~~WHEAT~~ ^{AN} INDUSTRY (.)
LOCAL NEWSPAPERS CARRYING STORIES OF DECISIONS REACHED HEREIN AT ATLAN (.)
SITUATION EMBARRASSING (.) NOTHING OFFICIAL HERE AS YET (.) REQUEST
COMPARISON (.) END SIGNED ALESSANDRINI

LABOUR DIV, LIGURIA REGION

Capt. ALESSANDRINI

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ECONOMIC SECTION

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FOOD " "	
INDUSTRY " "	
LABOR " "	✓
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For your information

 JACK WILLIAMS,
 CHIEF OF BUREAU
 FIELD OFFICER,
 ECONOMIC SECTION

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REGIONAL COMMISSIONER EMILIA REGION

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8 JUNE 1945

ROUTINE

RESTRICTED PD

REQUEST CONCERNING IN REASSIGNMENT OF MAJOR ROGER HILL ALBRIGHT

TO LOMBARDIA REGION AS REGIONAL LABOR OFFICER PD

PERMIT TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER EMILIA REGION FROM ALCON CITY

ACCORD PERMIT PD

CAPTAIN ALFRED LOVE DORF PROPOSED TO REPLACE MAJOR ALBRIGHT

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Economic Section

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JACK WILLIAMS
Captain, Infantry
Personnel Officer

NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
CWO, USA
Adjutant

in cable

REGIONAL COMMISSIONER TOSCANA REGION

6 JUNE 1948

ROUTINE

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RESTRICTED PD

REQUEST CONCURRENCE IN REASSIGNMENT OF CAPTAIN ALFRED LOVE DORT

TO EMILIA REGION PD

PAREN TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER TOSCANA REGION FROM ALCOX CITY

ACEGO PAREN P.D

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ECONOMIC SECTION

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NICHOLAS FICKING
CWO, USA
Adjutant

JACK WILLIAMS
Captain, Infantry
Personnel Section

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

IN
Labour

Originator's Reference: 2/1

Message Centre No: 5/4061

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 26 1945

Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 27 2200

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: HQ TOSCANA REGION AMG

TO : HQ ALCON

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Your TPM No 8713 dated 29 May 45. No objections proposed
reassignment of Capt ALFRED DORT.

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Info - Chief Commissioner
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REGIONAL COMMISSIONER LOMBARDIA

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7 June 1945

ROUTINE

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ORDERS BEING ISSUED BY ALCON REASSIGNING MAJOR THOMAS HUGER FISHER
AS REGIONAL LABOR OFFICER CMA LIGURIA REGION PD MAJOR FISHER TO
REPORT TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER LIGURIA WITHOUT DELAY PD
PAREN TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER LOMBARDIA REGION FROM ALCON CITE
ACECO PAREN PD

MAJOR FISHER BEING REPLACED TEMPORARILY BY MR. JOSEPH DI STEE CMA
CIVILIAN CMA IN LOMBARDIA REGION PD REFERENCE CONVERSATION MR
BRAIER - REGIONAL COMMISSIONER CMA LOMBARDIA OF CONCURRENCE

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Economic Section

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JACK WILLIAMS
Captain, Infantry
Personnel Officer

NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
CWO, USA
Adjutant

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IN CABLES

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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE BOARD

Lebor Sub-Commission

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Foreign Trade.

No longer considered that communications affecting routine trade matters need be reported to AMRO. We still require all SAC/TAP, COM/AMRO, and communications formulating policy.

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ACTION ROOM ONE
INFO: WHITE COMMISSIONER
RECORD DIV

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 29/1
 Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 040850

Message Centre No: E/3670
 Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 051000
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: HQ TOSCAN REGION AMG

TO: HQ AICOM

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Para 1. Your No 8963 dated 2 May 45.

Para 2. No objections reassignment Staff Sergeant CHARLES. SORISI.

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ACTION LABOUR SC
 INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 ECON SEC
 G-1 (A)
 2675 REGT
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JUNE 041643B2/3600
JUNE 042115B
ROUTINE

5 ARMY

ACTION: AFHQ. INFO: CG, PWR, DISTRO and AISCN

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Ref your signal PX 82607 of 26 May subject local resources.

Concur except suggest paragraph 1 be made to read: "Controlled resources would be released only through AFHQ and AFHQ officers".

Instead of "Surplus resources would be bought only by AFHQ and AFHQ officers".

Further, it is requested that supervisory control of AFHQ activities (as distinguished from local resources) in area be left with 5 ARMY. This is considered necessary to prevent diversion of resources needed for some operational use.

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Info-Action - Economic Sec
 Info - Chief Commissioner
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 Commerce SC
 Food SC
 Labor SC
 Industry SC
 File SC
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JUNE 0312489E/1407
JUNE 031801B

AFHQ SIGNED BACKED OVER PUGAO

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ROUTINE

5TH ARMY INFO: ALCON, 8TH ARMY, DISTONE, DISTWO PUG - 15 ARMY CP,
APLES ROME

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Answers your 2366.

1. No general instructions will be issued as to procedure adjusting and controlling wages until all interested parties have replied to our NY 85607 DUE PUGAO 26 May.

2. In view of wider base of DISTRICT and Base Section Sub Committees which usually reflect views of all services including economic and financial advisors as well as procurers of labour and due to short term control of armies it is desirable to restrict army authority to raise wages to minimum essential to meet local urgent needs.

3. Authority is granted 5TH ARMY to increase wages based on the minimum AFHQ scale up to 100 percent of cost of living bonus which bonus is now 75 lire per day. Any increases shall be authorized only after being assured that they are necessary to keep Allied wages in step with those of private industry.

4. Reports of all wage increases and the geographic limits of such wages will be furnished ALCON and APLES.

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Mr. AIREY	11	5/6
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Mr. PROCTOR	8	6/6
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk	<i>Please speak to</i> W H B	<i>4/6/45</i>

*Pls return to Mr Braine
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 93
Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 021658Message Centre No: E/3407
Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 030930
Precedence: PRIORITYFROM: MORTON ALCOM PALERMOTO: ALCOM ROME FOR ACLAB

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Avv ENRICO LA LOGGIA accepts PIEMONTE Labour assignment. He wishes to fly to ROME
7th June. Authority for his air travel is requested.

DIST

ACTION LABOUR
INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
FILE (2)
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in Logan is coming and air
travel requested.

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LR0F V LAEE NR 69 QVH 8
 FROM AFHQ 031248B
 TO 1. FIFTH ARMY
 INFO 2. ALCOM 3. EIGHTH ARMY 4. DISTONE 5. DISTWO 6. PBS
 7. 15 ARMY GP 8. AFLRS ROME

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FX 85826 CONFIDENTIAL

ANSWERS YOUR 2366 (.) CITE PHCAO SIGNED SACKED (.) ONE (.) NO
 GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE ISSUED AS TO PROCEDURE ADJUSTING AND
 CONTROLLING WAGES UNTIL ALL INTERESTED PARTIES HAVE REPLIED TO OUR
 FX 82607 CITE PHCAO 26 MAY (.) TWO (.) IN VIEW OF WIDER BASE OF
 DISTRICT AND BASE SECTION SUBCOMMITTEES WHICH USUALLY REFLECT
 VIEWS OF ALL SERVICES INCLUDING ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL ADVISORS
 AS WELL AS PROCURERS OF LABOUR AND DUE TO SHORT TERM CONTROL OF
 ARMIES IT IS DESIRABLE TO RESTRICT ARMY AUTHORITY TO RAISE WAGES TO
 MINIMUM ESSENTIAL TO MEET LOCAL URGENT NEEDS (.) THREE (.)
 AUTHORITY IS GRANTED FIFTH ARMY TO INCREASE WAGES BASED ON THE
 MINIMUM AFHQ WAGE SCALE UP TO 100 PERCENT OF COST OF LIVING BONUS
 WHICH BONUS IS NOW 75 LIRE PER DAY (.) ANY INCREASE SHALL BE
 AUTHORIZED ONLY AFTER BEING ASSURED THAT THEY ARE NECESSARY TO KEEP
 ALLIED WAGES IN STEP WITH THOSE OF PRIVATE INDUSTRY (.) FOUR (.)
 REPORTS OF ALL WAGE INCREASES AND THE GEOGRAPHIC LIMITS OF SUCH
 WAGES WILL BE FURNISHED ALCOM AND AFLRS 31248B

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AMHQ SIGNED ALEXANDER CITE FRGEO

ALCON FOR INFO:

SECRET.

Reur TAM 507. This is MAT 729.

Conditions now permit some relaxation of restrictions on entry of civilians into ITALY.

1. The military forces continue to be the only source of suitable accommodation, food and transportation according to US and UK standards. Unless the military is able to provide these facilities there is danger especially with short term visitors that conditions of living imposed may cause adverse impressions against the Armed Forces. The visitors permitted therefore must be within the capabilities of the military forces to care for and of sufficient importance to justify sponsoring by those forces.

2. For purposes of classification civilian visitors will be divided into 2 categories:

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A. Those directly connected with the prosecution of the war effort; those whose presence will be of material assistance to the rehabilitation of Italian Civil economy; and those from Allied Government Agencies whose presence by those agencies is considered desirable in ITALY. Category A personnel will visit ITALY only at the invitation of this Headquarters, or when on notification thru governmental channels of their proposed arrival there is no objection by this Headquarters to the visit. Objection would normally be based solely on ability properly to accommodate. Category B. Those persons not in Category A who are proposed and sponsored by proper departments of the US and British

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Governments for commercial or other reasons. Quotas under Category Bare established initially to the United States and the British Government at 10 each in ITALY at any one time. Because of the variations of numbers present in Category A the proposed visits of Category B personnel will be notified to this Headquarters thru official channels in order that accommodation may be assured.

3. Entry of civilians into ITALY under this proposal will be subject to: Security clearance of the individual by this Headquarters, the issuance of proper visas by the Italian Government, possession of competent military travel orders, or whose travel has been certified by the STATE DEPARTMENT in accordance with paragraph 1 C (3) WAR DEPARTMENT Circular number 451 and arrangements for reimbursement of carrying agencies to and from ITALY, with corresponding procedure for British persons.

4. Entrants must agree before departure from the zones of the interior to refrain from any interference in Italian politics. Their travel will be generally restricted to areas handed back to Italian Government control.

5. Those individuals of Category "D" of TAM 507, whose entry may be considered of semi-Permanent Duration, cannot be accepted as a military responsibility for full accommodation. When such individuals are accepted for entrance, it should be understood that the military authorities cannot be responsible for their individual needs and can cooperate with them only to the extent of assisting in securing limited amounts of subsistence. They will be subject to the same arrangements as stated in para 3 and 4 above, and no provision as to travel accommodations in ITALY or for return trip can be given.

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INFO ACTION - PUB SAFETY S/O
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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MC NOTE:
No record of TAM 507

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Date 6/18/45

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Vice President		ECONOMIC SECTION	
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Capt. Williams		TRANSPORTATION	
✓ Capt. Highland		CHIEF COMMISSIONER	
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Lt. Arensberg		ESTABLISHMENT SECTION	
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JUNE 020945
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AND 3TH ARMY, AND 8TH ARMY, INFO: REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS VICENZA,
PADOVA, VERONA, VENEZIA REGIONE, ALBA, IV CORPS, DIST NE,
DISTRO, L. BRANDIA REGION FOR TALBOT.

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1. Subject is highway tariff for civilian truck operators.
2. Please report earliest on economic effect if present rates of General Order 42 were raised 50 % to coincide EMAC rates north ITALY.
3. What percentage raise do you recommend over present that will allow operators fair return yet not jeopardize food prices and wages.
4. Please consider this urgent.

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INFO-ACTION - ECON SEC 2
 INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 EN S/C 2
 LABOR S/C
 FINANCE S/C
 FILE 2
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Mr. SCOTT	R.S.	7/6
Mr. PROCTOR	P.	6/6
Miss STEVENSON	S.	8/6
Chief Clerk		

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JUNE 020140BE/3323
JUNE 020930
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5 ARMY

AFHQ INFO: ALCON, GOC 8TH ARMY, DISTONE, DISTWO, DISTTHREE,
COMBS, CO 15 ARMY GROUP, APLRS - RAAC, *PENBASE*

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Civilian wage rates is subject.

Reference your FX 822607 dated 26 May. Proposal to refer wage matters arising in 5 ARMY Area to subcommittees of DISTRICT 1, DISTRICT 2 and *PENBASE* not considered practicable so long as areas wherein wage rates require adjustment are under army control. Request 5TH ARMY be granted authority to increase wages up to 100 % of cost of living bonus without reference to other agencies. This authority is required to meet local conditions arising out of wage rates of private industry. Wage increases by the army would affect an insignificant number of civilians and would in no way upset the economic conditions of northern ITALY. Army authority is desired only until such time as areas come under District control.

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Mr. SCOTT		7/6
Mr. PROCTOR		6/6
Miss STEVENSON		8/6
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CAC PANTELLERIA INFO AFHQ FOR MTOUSA CITE NATPN ALCOM PALERMO
AAFSC/MTO

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1 JUNE 45

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IN CLEAR PD

PARA ONE PD SUBJECT IS AMMUNITION IN CAVES PANTELLERIA PD AFHQ
SIGNAL FOX KRAY EIGHT FIVE ZERO FIVE EIGHT DATED THREE ONE MAY NOT
TO ALL REFSRD PD

PARSN TO CAC PANTELLERIA INFO TO AFHQ FOR MTOUSA CITE NATPN TO ALCOM
PALERMO AAFSC SLANT MTO FROM HQ ALCOM CITE ACTET PAREN

PARA TWO PD YOU WILL ARRANGE FOR PAYMENT FROM ALCOM SLANT AME FUNDS
IN OF CIVILIAN LABOURERS TO BE EMPLOYED LOADING AMMUNITION INTO
SCHOONER MARIA AUSILIATRICE DUE PANTELLERIA ABOUT SEVEN JUNE PD

COPY TO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECONOMIC SECTION
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FINANCE S.C.

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NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
CWO U.S.A.
Asst. Adjutant

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*Labour*FX 85058
MAY 31 1334B**CONFIDENTIAL**E/3094
MAY 31 1448B
IMMEDIATEAFHQ SIGNED CG WTCUSA CITE NATPH
ALCON PALERMO ALCON ROME INFO AAFSS/ETO

31 MAY 1942

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Ammunition in caves reurad 89 dated 30 May. Our cable FX 80217 of 22 May advised of departure 2 Sergeants to assist in loading and authorized movement.

New Subject: Schooner MARIA AUSULLIATRICH due PANTELLERIA about 7 June to lift ammunition.

New Subject: Request ALCON ROME authorize arrangements for payment civilian labour.

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ACTION - TM S/C 2
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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Mr. W.H. BRADLEY	<i>W.H.B.</i> 3/5	
Mr. SACHS	<i>S</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE	<i>J.D.</i>	2/6/6
Mr. AIREY	<i>A.C.</i>	1/6
Mr. SCOTT	<i>RI</i>	1/6
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>P</i>	1/6
Mrs. STEVENSON	<i>S</i>	1/6
Chief Clerk		

Mr. Bradley
2/5/6
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*In cable + 806**Labour*

Originator's Reference: 4514

Message Centre No: E/2712

Date/Time of Origin: MAY 20 1647Z

Date/Time Rec'd: MAY 20 2030Z

Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: 5 ARMY FOR WINE CISE OUR 280

TO : HQ AFCEC FOR ASIAB

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Reference IV CORPS cable cite 103 of 20 May. Services of Doctor LAIOGGIA in PISTONTE approved. Request Mister DE FEDE and/or Mister SACHS accompany LAIOGGIA for reasons as stated above and to include in their activities GENOA and TORINO.

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Action - Labour SC
 Info - Chief Commissioner
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Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Mr. STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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*In cases - 906*FX 82607
MAY 261901BB/2607
MAY 272115B
IMPORTANT

AFHQ SIGNED ALCON CITE PHOAO

ACTION ALCON AFLMS, 5 ARMY, 8 ARMY, DISTNO, DISTHRE, PBS, INFO 15 ARMY GROUP

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It is urgently desired that the AFLMS system of allocation of local resources shall become effective throught all ITALY at the earliest possible moment and that a uniform and organized system of determining, reporting and freezing controlled and restricted resources shall be put into effect. It is therefore requested that you approve the operation of AFLMS personnel within your whole area or such part as will not interfere with your operations. The immediate effects of such approval would be that surplus resources would be sought only by AFLMS and AMG officers, that controlled and restricted resources including plants and facilities would be frozen only by AMG officers, that allocation would be made only thru the committees of the AFLMS board and that the armies would bid their needs on AFLMS, and armies would not make allocations direct to any bidders. Your agreements and or comments are urgently requested in order that resources which are essential for the Allied forces and civil needs may not be disposed of to non essential users.

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2. It is desirable that local sub committees of the wages and labour committees of the AFLMS board should function thru out ITALY as quickly as possible to prevent a spiralling of wages and to reconcile wages on a wide basis. The districts and base sections are familiar with the organization and operation of these sub committees. If agreed to by Army commanders it is believed practicable for DISTONE DISTNO and PBS

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to set up sub committees in areas which they eventually will command even while armies are in control. Any such sub committee set up in an area still under Army control would have Army representatives. The situation is more critical in the eventual DISTRO where industry is concentrated and in which the service are anxious to make use of the facilities for redeployment purposes.

3. It is believed that both the above plans will free armies from present onerous tasks and expedite the orderly exploitation of Italian resources for Allied uses and the essential Italian economy. Request the matters be considered as urgent.

4. All addressees are requested to comment and or concur.

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ACTION: Econ Sec
 INFO: Chief Commissioner
 Executive Commissioner
 Commerce S/C
 Industry S/C 2
 Food S/C 2
 Labour S/C
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Mr. V.H. BRADY <i>WMM</i>		28/5
1 Mr. SACHS <i>RS</i>		28/5
2 Mr. DI FEDE <i>J.D.</i>		29/5
3 Mr. AIREY <i>AL</i>		29/5
4 Mr. SCOTT <i>RS</i>		31/5
5 Mr. PROCTOR <i>RS</i>		31/5
6 Miss STEVENSON <i>B</i>		2/6.
7 Chief Clerk		

This will provide machinery for
adjusting A.F. wage scales locally
in the north. 548 *WMM 2/6*

Corps Financ

please?

Has action been taken under para 4
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*McKees + 806**Labour*

Originator's Reference: 1526
 Date Time of Origin: MAY 261750B

Message Centre No: E/2490
 Date Time Rec'd: MAY 270930B
 Precedence: OPRIORITY

FROM: SCAO AMG IV CORPS CITE 103
 TO: G-5 5 ARMY TO ALCOM FOR LABOR SUBCOMMISSION

*File**5/31/45*

IN CLEAR.

Subject is civilian labor expert for PIEMONTE.

Request is made for services Doctor LALOGGIA in PIEMONTE due to number major labor issues requiring experienced and reliable legal advise. Difficulty in obtaining suitable personnel for regional and provincial labor directors is added reason. Ending Dr LALOGGIA is urgent and should be sent by air.

Please inform of decision and if affirmative state date and hour of arrival.

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ACTION: Labor S/C
 INFO: Chief Commissioner
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*in cable**Labour*

Originator's Reference: LAB 193
 Date/Time of Origin: MAY 25/1055B

Message Centre No: E/2553
 Date/Time Rec'd: MAY 27/1555B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: DDL DISTONE
 TO: LABOUR SUB COMMISSION HQ AC, SOUTHERN REGION FOR CAPT SOLENEBERGER

CAPT DAM 88

IN CLEAR.

Our LID 306 of 12 May refers. Social Insurance cards required very urgently
 No stocks held here

M/C NOTE:

No trace of quoted reference

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ACTION : LABOUR SC

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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*Original cable handed
 to Miss Sanjour on 18 May*

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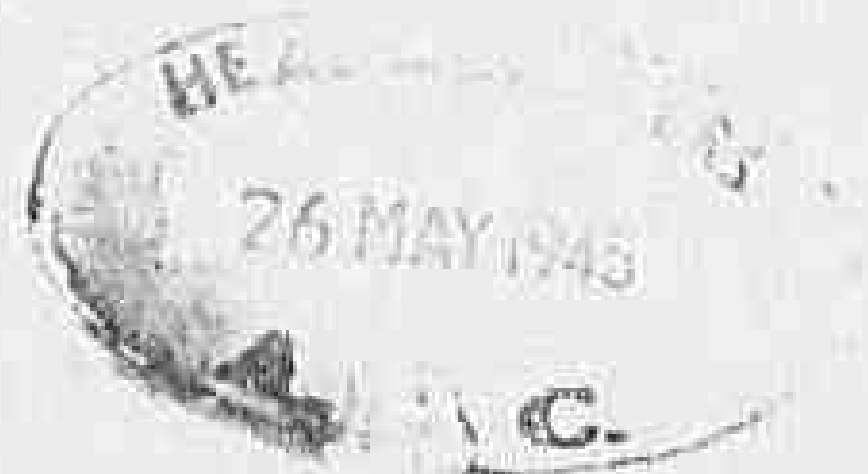
AND 5 ARMY FOR HUNGARY 1037B 153
 HQ STON FOR AGING

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Reference your cable 5211. Regional Commissioners were authorized May 11 by this Hq to implement wage policy in line with procedure set forth in your Memorandum 150/116 of 4 May 1945.

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 Info - 1/President
 Chief Commissioner
 Exec Commissioner
 Labor SC
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Originator's Reference: 40
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 25

Message Centre No: E/2401
Date Time Rec'd: MAY 260830
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: HQ TOSCANA REGION AMG
TO: HQ ALCON

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1. Reply to this HQ message no. 40 dated 17 May 45 now most urgently required.

2. Please expedite.

(G. Luise)

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Action: Labour S/C
Info: A/President
Chief Commissioner
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~~Mr. W.H. BRAINE~~	J. D.	
~~Mr. SACHS~~		
Mr. DI FEDE		
~~Mr. ALREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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MAY 25 1945

5 ARMY FROM G-5 SECTION CITE F 190

HQ. AIGOM FOR ISC

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Reference your cable 8211 of 23 May.

Send 2 copies of Labour Sub Commission memorandum reference ISC/116 of 4 May 1945.

Send by fastest possible means.

*Taken care of
by E/S on 26/5/45
ep. pr. in.*

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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Mr. V. W. BRAINE	<i>[Signature]</i>	
Mr. SAGHS	<i>SC</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
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MAY 251430

8/2325
MAY 251700

ROUTINE
CAMP. 043/531

15TH ARMY GROUP

ALCOM FOR TRANSPORTATION SUB COMMISSION, INFO: FIFTH ARMY FOR
TOSCANNI, EMILIA REGION, PET SECTION AFHQ RAAC

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1. Reference year 8392.
2. Pet Section advises 84000 gallons available pipehead

BOLGONA.

3. EMILIA Region advised by phone to collect.

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Info: A/President
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Mr. SACHS	W.S.	
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Mr. STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		538

*This relates to the wage
positions in Portofino -
claims based on shortage
of goods thro' lack of P.O.R.*

*has in cables +
LSC/413*C O P YINCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSIONFX 61398
MAY 241840BE/2326
MAY 251840B
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FROM; AFHQ SIGNED SAGMED CITY PHGEG

TO : 5 ARMY, 8 ARMY, IV CORPS, MAAT, PBS, DISTONE. INFO. 15 ARMY
GP, ALCOM, DISTWO, DISTTHREE, ANLRS, RAAC

SECRET

Economic boundary line established by para 3 FX 64182 of 22 April FX 65919 of 26 April FX 73836 of 11 May will be abolished effective 0001 hrs 28 May. Accordingly road blocks will be discontinued. This action does not affect controls of prices and wage differentials which will remain applicable until modified under normal procedure.

To ALCOM. Your 8210 of 25 May refers.

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Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
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G-5 AFHQ RPTD (FOR INFORMATION) G-5 15 ARMY GROUP, SCAO FIFTH ARMY, SCAO EIGHTH ARMY, SCAO IV CORPS

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SUBJECT IS WAGES AND PRICES POLICY NORTHERN ITALY AND ECONOMIC BOUNDARY LINE PD PAREN TO AFHQ FOR GEORGE DASH FIVE RPTD PAREN FOR INFO
PAREN ONE FIVE ARMY FOR GEORGE DASH FIVE CMA SCAO FIVE ARMY CMA SCAO
EIGHT ARMY CMA SCAO
FOUR CORPS FROM HQ ALCON CITE AGEXC PAREN

PARA ONE PD REFERENCE YOUR FOX XRAY SIX FOUR ONE EIGHT TWO FIGEC OF TWO TWO APRIL AND YOUR FOX SEVEN ZERO SEVEN NINE SIX OF FIVE MAY PD
 PARA TWO PD WAGE AND PRICE REGULATION POLICY FOR THE NORTH WILL CONTINUE AS SET FORTH IN GENERAL ORDER NUMBER FOUR ONE AND WE ARE ASKING FIFTH AND EIGHTH ARMIES TO AUTHORIZE REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS AT PRESENT OPERATING AS ASSISTANT SCAOS TO IMPLEMENT THIS POLICY IMMEDIATELY ON THE BASIS OF INSTRUCTIONS ALREADY ISSUED AND ABOUT TO BE ISSUED PD INITIAL PERIOD DURING WHICH ECONOMIC BOUNDARY LINE AND POLICE ROAD BLOCKS WERE REQUIRED CAN BE CONCLUDED WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO EFFECTIVE OPERATION OF GENERAL POLICY PD IT IS THEREFORE RECOMMENDED THAT EFFECTIVE TWO EIGHT MAY FOUR FIVE FURTHER ACTION WITH RESPECT TO THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF POLICE ROAD BLOCKS AS PROVIDED FOR IN AFHQ MESSAGE FOX XRAY SIX FOUR ONE EIGHT TWO OF TWO TWO APRIL ON ALL ROADS CROSSING THE BOUNDARY BE DISCONTINUED PD

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ROUTING SLIP

Date 26 May
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To	By	To	By
Vice President		✓	SUC. ONIC SECTION
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Brig Anderson			Supply Division
Col Denmore			AGRICULTURE SUB-COMMISSION
Col Alton			COMMERCE " "
Lt Col Thompson			FINANCE " "
Lt Col Murtash			FOOD " "
Maj Doe			INDUSTRY " "
Maj Tooby			LABOR " "
Capt Atkins			P. & U " "
Capt Williams			TRANSPORTATION " "
✓ Capt Highland			CHIEF COMMISSIONER
Lt Morgan			EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER
Lt Barber			CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
Lt Arenberg			ESTABLISHMENT SECTION
Mr Stauffer			
Mr Gerrito (Ince sec)			
Chief Clerk			
For appropriate action			Noting & Retention
Remarks/recommendations			Signature
Dispatch			Investigation & report
Information ✓			File Copy
Circulation & return			Noting & return

Remarks:

a copy of 8211 of 22 May (originated Econ Sec; sub:
wage policy) will be forwarded you later today. LHM

Attached

Chief clerk

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Five Copies to Miss Willentamp
for Review of Labor Sub-Commission
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

(IN CABLES
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Originator's Reference: **IRS 601A**
Date/Time of Origin: **MAY 231715**

Message Centre No: **E/2111**
Date/Time Rec'd: **MAY 241000**
Precedence: **ROUTINE**

FROM: **AFIRS ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND**
TO: **AFHQ CITE FHCAO**

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Subject is wages for civilians employed by Allied Forces in territory North of Northern boundaries of RAVENNA FIRENZE PISTOLA LUCCA and APUANIA (MASSA) Provinces.

1. Signal IRS/601A dated 23 April refers. Evidence presented to Labour and Wages Control Committee today reveals considerable variations in local wage rates in different territories for which power of local adjustment not adequate under interim instructions in IRS/601A of 23 April.

2. After full consideration and discussion Labour and Wages Control Committee recommends that a signal be issued from AFHQ instructing

- (a) that local Sub Committees as defined in AFHQ Administrative Memorandum 25 of 18 April 45 be established forthwith by PENINSULAR BASE SECTION Number 2 DISTRICT and Number 1 DISTRICT to consider such adjustments as may be necessary locally in territory covered by this cable and take Provisional Executive action where considered essential
- (b) that such local Sub Committees will not exercise full powers as defined in paragraph 6 of AFHQ Administrative Memorandum 25 but their powers will be limited to granting so much as may be necessary of a bonus as authorised by AFHQ Administrative Memorandum 62/44 as amended by AFHQ Administrative Memo 18/45 which are hereby made applicable to the territory subject of this cable
- (c) that PENINSULAR BASE SECTION Number 2 DISTRICT and Number 1 DISTRICT be instructed to establish the local Sub Committees in respect of that territory now under Administrative Control of 5 ARMY or 8 ARMY but intended at a

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later date to be transferred to PENINSULAR BASE SECTION Number 2 DISTRICT and Number 1 DISTRICT respectively

- (d) that any provisions contained in LRS/601A of 23 April which are contrary to this instruction are superseded
- (e) that any bonus increase already authorised or paid as a matter of operational necessity by 5 ARMY be ratified pending formation of local Sub Committee

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Mr. DI FEDE	J.W.	6/6
Mr. AIREY	RL	24/5
Mr. SCOTT		24/5
Mr. PROCTOR		22/5
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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DEFERRED PRIORITY

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PANA OMV PD. IT IS REPORTED THAT THERE IS SHORTAGE OF GAS IN IMPORTANT
FOCUSPOINTS IN BOLOGNA WHICH IS CAUSING SERIOUS ECONOMIC PROBLEMS AND
LIKELY TO LEAD TO LABOUR PROBLEMS PD LABOUR DEMANDING HIGHER WAGES
BECAUSE FOCUSPOINTS ONLY AVAILABLE BLACK MARKET PD

PARKIN TO OSM VIVE ARMY GROOVE TO FIVE ARMY PDM ACHION TO ANG WILLIA
ESION TO AVN FOR INFO FROM HQ. ACHON CITE AGENTS PARKIN

PAGE TWO PD . WITH STOCKS OF THESE PHOTOGRAPHS BE AVAILABLE IN BRILL-
HARDON OUTSIDE BOLOGNA AND THERE IS SUPPLIED CIVIL TRANSPORT TO
HARD FROM PHOTOGRAPHS TO BOLOGNA PD

PLAN THROUGH THE FOOTSTEPS NOT MOVING BECAUSE BRK POL ALLOCATION FOR CIVILIAN USE IS INSUFFICIENT AND CIVIL THINGS ARE STANDING IDLE TO REQUEST ALLOCATION BE REVIEWED IMMEDIATELY TO

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NICHOLAS PIGNARO
CRO. M.B.A.
Asst. Adjutant

LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS 1.	<i>yes</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE 2.	<i>g. d.</i>	<i>29/5</i>
Mr. AIREY 3.	<i>AC</i>	<i>29/5</i>
Mr. SCOTT 4.	<i>RI</i>	<i>29/5</i>
Mr. PROCTOR 5.	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>31/5</i>
Miss STEVENSON 6.	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>31/5</i>
<i>In MR.</i>		
Chief Clerk		
To file in <i>Emilia File after</i> <i>circulation</i>		

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

labour
in cable + 307

Originator's Reference: LA/13
 Date/Time of Origin: MAY 23 1020B

Message Centre No: E/2002
 Date Time Rec'd: MAY 23 1255
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: HQ 15 ARMY GROUP (LABOUR (BS))
 TO: LABOUR SUB COMMISSION, HQ AC (ATTENTION MR AIREY), INFO: FREEDOM
FOR D OF L - REAR FIVE ARMY (FOR ER INC-LAB).

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Confirming conversation (AIREY-PATASCHNICK) of 23 May. Request early despatch (A) 10000 forms sugar 11 (B) 20 pads sugar 12. (C) 1000 small posters. To 2900 C.L.U. at BOLOGNA.

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Action: Labour S/G
 Info: A/President
 Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator's Reference: **40**
Date/Time of Origin: **MAY 211730**

Message Centre No: **E/1841**
Date/Time Rec'd: **MAY 221340**
Precedence: **PRIORITY**

FROM: **HQ TOSCANA REGION, AMB**
TO: **HQ ALCOM**

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Reply to this HQ message number 40 regarding Regional Labour Director urgently awaited. *Re: (Dott. Luise)*

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A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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	Initials	Date
Mr. V.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE ←	Dr. Lewis	left
Mr. AIREY	2815/45 -	J.D.
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION*1/4 cables file
Labour*Originator's Reference: 2059
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 21 1603ZMessage Centre No: E/1778
Date Time Rec'd: MAY 21 2145Z
Precedence: PRIORITYFROM: ANG 5 ARMY SITE OUT 233 FOR HUMBTO: HQ ALCOM FOR ACLAIR FOR BRAJNE2001 0AM 15**RESTRICTED**

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Request Mister DE FEDE be assigned temporary duty Labor Division ANG 5 ARMY to continue survey begun by Captain PORTER and for other duty.

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Action - Labor SO
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
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**ACTION****528**

*Request unable assign
de Fede Request postponed*

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Survey proposed to be continued.

WMB

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

*in case
Labour*

Originator's Reference: 79
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 191145

Message Centre No: E/1581
Date Time Rec'd: MAY 201310
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMC LIGURIA REGION FOR LABOUR

TO: HQ AIDOM CITE ACLAB

AMC LIGURIA

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Ref your 7156 of 8th May.

Recommendation on stevedore and shore rates. Mr BRAINE here yesterday. Is informed on all port questions.



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LABOR SC
A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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Mr. SACHS		
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INCOMING MESSAGE
 HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: FK 79169
 Date/Time of Origin: MAY 20 2000 18

Message Centre No: E/1656
 Date Time Recd: MAY 20 21 40 B
 Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CITE SHODS
 TO: CG 5 ARMY, INFO 15 ARMY GROUP, 8 ARMY, AFHQ (MOR), ALCON

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This Hq has been informed that 5 ARMY authorized payment of 50 percent of cost of living bonus to civilian employees in BOLOGNA province at meeting held 7 May. Source of information was Labour Sub-Commission.

Request confirmation and comment. Refer to AFHQ PX 74720 cite SHODS of 13 May current year.

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Action - Labour SC
 Info - A/President
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*Sheldon sent this on basis of
my info.*

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 78
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 191145E

Message Centre No: E/1579
Date Time Recd: MAY 201310E
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG LIGURIA REGION FOR LABOUR
TO: HQ ALCOM CITE ACLAB

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Reference your 7784 of 17th May.
Original misquoted. This office case 67. CURTI and SALMERI to report for
interview. Please advise when they will come.

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INFO: A/President
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AMG LIGURIA REGION FOR LABOUR
HQ AECOM CITE ACLAB

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Ref your 6438 of 29th April. Concerning collective contract
as of 3rd April. Mr. BRAINE furnished with all ARTES in each industry
in GENOA Province.

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Info: A/President
Chief Commissioner
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Table 6438 originated at E/S
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ROUTINE

LABOR SUB COMMISSION

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PARA ONE PD MINISTRIES OF AGRICULTURE AND LABOR HAVE STATED DEFINITELY THAT IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE TO RECRUIT NECESSARY CIVILIAN LABOR FOR THE ONE NINE FOUR FIVE HARVEST SEASON IN THE FOGGIA AREA PD BOTH MINISTRIES INSIST THAT ITALIAN TROOPS MUST BE USED FOR THIS WORK PD

PAREN FOR ACTION GEORGE DASH FIVE AFHQ FROM HQ ALCOM SITE AGLAB PAREN

PARA TWO PD BECAUSE OF THE SHORTNESS OF THE SEASON AND THE IMMEDIACY OF THE NEED FOR WORKERS IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR LARGE SCALE MIGRATION OF WORKERS FROM DISTANT DISTRICTS PD

PARA THREE PD THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE BECAUSE OF THE LACK OF TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES AND HOUSING AND BEDDING EQUIPMENT AND LACK OF SUPPLEMENTARY RATIONS AND POOR LINES OF COMMUNICATION PD

PARA FOUR PD WHILE THERE MAY BE MANY UNEMPLOYED WORKERS IN THESE REGIONS AT THE PRESENT TIME MOST OF THEM WILL BE EMPLOYED IN THEIR COMMUNITIES FOR THE HARVEST SEASON PD

PARA FIVE PD LAST YEAR AND IN PREVIOUS YEARS ITALIAN TROOPS HAVE BEEN USED AND USED FOR THE HARVEST SEASON IN THE FOGGIA AREA PD THEIR USE IS CUSTOMARY IN COUNTRIES WHERE CONSCRIPTION IS IN FORCE PD THIS YEAR THE NEED FOR THE USE OF TROOPS IS JUST AS GREAT AS LAST YEAR BECAUSE THOUSANDS OF ITALIAN CIVILIAN WORKERS IN THAT REGION ARE ENGAGED ON SEVERAL ALLIED FORCES PROJECTS PD

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PARA SIX PD 12(1) IN URGENT ARE USED MOST OF THESE CIVILIAN WORKERS
 NOW WORKING FOR THE ALLIED FORCES WILL IMMEDIATELY LEAVE THEIR JOBS
 TO ACCEPT ONE IN THE 11 LBS GROUPS THEY WILL BE PAID WAGES OF FIVE ZERO
 ZERO LIRE PER DAY AND WILL RECEIVE BATTERY AND MORE FOOD ALLOWANCE PD
 THESE ADVANTAGES MUST BE COMPARED WITH THE 20 IN URGENT ALLIED FORCES
 WAGES OF ABOUT ONE EIGHT ZERO LIRE PER DAY PD REPRESENTATIONS
 HAVE ALREADY BEEN MADE BY ASIATIC BATTAL COMMANDER AND GENERAL DAVID FIVE
 AFTER VISITING THEIR POOR TENT CIVILIAN LABOR WILL BE LEFT TO THEM PD
 SMIA OFFICE THIS SUBJECT STATING THAT REDUCED CHILING OF THREE HUNDRED
 THIRTYONE IN URGENT IS FULLY EMPLOYED AND OMITTED AND SO USE CHILING
 MAY BE FURTHER REDUCED PD HOWEVER FIFTY THOUSAND OVER-AGE PERSONNEL
 REGULARLY BEING DISMISSED PD LEAVE SHORTAGE BEING INCREASED
 TO FIFTY PD FIVE IN URGENT AND OF CIVILIAN PD SMIA STATE THEY
 CANNOT TOUCH COMBAT TROOPS OR OTHER REGULAR DIVISIONS AND GRAND BATTALIONS
 ARE THE ONLY THING ARE EMPLOYED UNDER ALLIED COMMAND PD
 GENERAL BEING FEEL THAT ADDITIONAL COMPLICATION SHOULD NOT BE
 IMPROVED ON ITALIAN MILITARY AUTHORITIES PD
PARA SEVEN PD IN DEPTH OF THREE REPRESENTATIONS CMA I CAN ESTIMATE THAT
 THE TROOPS REQUIRED BY MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND LABOR SHOULD BE
 SUPPLIED PD
PARA EIGHT PD 13(1) URGENT BEING SECOND ON HARVEST 13(1) IN
 BEING THE FIRST WEEK OF JUNE PD IT IS ESTIMATED THAT AT LEAST ONE
 ZERO ZERO ZERO ZERO SOLDIERS WILL BE NEEDED FOR FOGGIA AND TWELVE
 THOUSAND FOR MATERA

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L. D. DENEMARE
 Col. SA.

INCOMING MESSAGE *In cable*HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION *LBBP*

Originator's Reference: 48
 Date/Time of Origin: MAY 141245B

CAP. DAM U Message Centre No: E/885
 Date/Time Rec'd: MAY 152120B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG LIGURIA REGIONTO: ALCOM CITE ACLAB**RESTRICTED**

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Reference your 7371 of 11 May.

Your recommendation CURTI being examined. Many facts to be considered before acceptance possible. Send all information regarding candidate. Not to us if importation due past experience in FLORENCE.

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ACTION: Labour S/C
 INFO: A/President
 Chief Commissioner
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INCOMING MESSAGE *In catty*

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

LABOR

Originator's Reference: *R/C* 108
 Date Time of Origin: MAY 111801B

Message Centre No: E 496
 Date Time Rec'd: MAY 130700B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG EMILIA REGION
 TO: AMG 5 ARMY FOR COL WAVE FOR ACTION, HQ ALLCOM CITE ACIAR FOR ACTION

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1500 workers for contractors of Italian State Railways went on strike BOLOGNA City 8 May and returned to work 9 May when negotiations began with Italian Advisory Committee. Present contract rate is 10.95 lire per hour for unskilled workers or approx 104 lire per 8 hour day including average family assistance and all indemnities. General Order Number 41 being posted today but actual wages in many cases have already risen since date of liberation to 20 lire and more per hour. Workers asking 29.50 lire per hour for unskilled workers or approx 250 lire per 8 hour day including average family assistance and all indemnities. Employers in general agreement.

Advise concerning relation of Army scale to private wage adjustment. Authorization is requested to use full cost of living bonus in BOLOGNA province instead of 50 percent as authorized by 5 ARMY on 7 May.

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 Info - A/President
 Chief Commissioner
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Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT ③	<i>RS</i>	<i>19/5</i>
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>g</i>	<i>4/7</i>
Miss STEVENSON ④	<i>g</i>	<i>15/5</i>
Chief Clerk		

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JAN 2 1945 ROUTINE

AFHQ SIGNED SAC CITE PHGDS

CG 15TH ARMY GROUP, CG 5TH ARMY, CG 8TH ARMY, INFO: APLE'S (ROME),
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Advocated by 5TH ARMY in 5724 of 11 May to AFHQ only and concurred by D/Labour, AFHQ, now in army areas that wage increase for civilian labor in north ITALY be approved effective 1 May.

Comprehensive survey now being made by ALLIED COMMISSION. Pending receipt of complete data, immediate action to change wage scales as of 1 May considered inadvisable. ALLIED COMMISSION data to be available at postponed meeting of labour and wages control committee at ROME, 23 May 0930 hours, at which time action will be taken. Suggest armies have representatives at this meeting to support request for wage increase.

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INFO - A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
LABOR S/C
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

LABOR

Originator's Reference: 289
 Date/Time of Origin: MAY 10 1600G

Message Centre No: E/333
 Date Time Rec'd: MAY 11 1230P
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: ADJUTANT, TOSCANA REGION AMS

TO: HQ ALCON

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Your TP: No 5452 dated 29 April 1945. No objections
 suggested visit.

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The general situation is much better than could have been expected with the exception of solid fuel of which the supply is practically nil or very limited supply in exceptional cases. Period rail road facilities from GENOVA via PISSANERIA and MONTARA are unavailable. Unless supplies of coal are made available immediately a general shut down of plants will be necessary causing disoccupation of 600,000 workers or more which will surely cause unrest and political disturbances.

Conservative estimates immediate coal requirements LOMBARDIA REGION: In tons:
9000 steam for railways 8000 splint for metal works and foundries 14000 gas coal
2500 foundry coke 20000 Berdinaia for food processing, cement, paper, textiles,
leather, chemical plants etcetera.

An urgent reply is requested as to when and how much of the immediate requirements can be met and recommend sending to MILAN immediately a coal expert.

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ACTION: Industry S/C 2
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
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Mr. SCOTT	<i>Rt.</i>	<i>17/5</i>
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>Q</i>	<i>17/5</i>
Miss STEVENSON	<i>B</i>	<i>21/5</i>
Chief Clerk		

INCOMING MESSAGE *16 cables*

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: IRS/214GMessage Centre No: E/191Date/Time of Origin: MAY 7/1215ADate Time Rec'd: MAY 10/1145BPrecedence: PRIORITYFROM: AFIRS ROME AREA ALLIED COMMANDTO: ACTION: DISTWO INFO: AFHQ FOR FHCAO, FHGDS, FHCEG, FHRNA, FHEDL, FHGDQ, FHGAD,FISCAL DIRECTOR, LABOUR DPIC, CG FIFTH ARMY, COMDR US 8 FLEET, POTO MED**RESTRICTED**

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Subject is wage rates for stevedores employed at GENOA port. Port commandant GENOA signal GEN/1/2 of 6 May refers. Request you establish local sub committee under terms of AFHQ ADM Memo 25 of 18 April 1945 to investigate as matter of urgency demands of stevedores for wage increase to 450 lire per day. Local sub committee should report earliest its findings and recommendations

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	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE	<i>W.H.</i>	24/5
Mr. SACHS	<i>S.S.</i>	21/5
Mr. DI FEDE	<i>D.F.</i>	23/5
Mr. AIREY	<i>A.A.</i>	24/5
Mr. SCOTT	<i>S.S.</i>	24/5
Mr. PROCTOR	<i>P.P.</i>	24/5
Mr. STEVENSON	<i>S.S.</i>	28/5
Chief Clerk		

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

LABOR

Originator's Reference: FX 72686
 Date/Time of Origin: MAY 081933B

Message Centre No: E/71
 Date Time Rec'd: MAY 100730B
 Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CITE PHGDM
 TO: MOV GENOA INFO ALCON, EASTMOVES

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Your GEN/L2 of 6 May.

Following is paraphrase signal sent DISTWO by AFLRS ROME.

"Subject is wage rates for stevedores employed at GENOA port. Request you establish local sub committee under terms of AFHQ Adm Memo 25 of 18 April 1945 to investigate as matter of urgency demands of stevedores for wage increase to 450 lire per day. Local Sub Committee should report earliest its findings and recommendations."

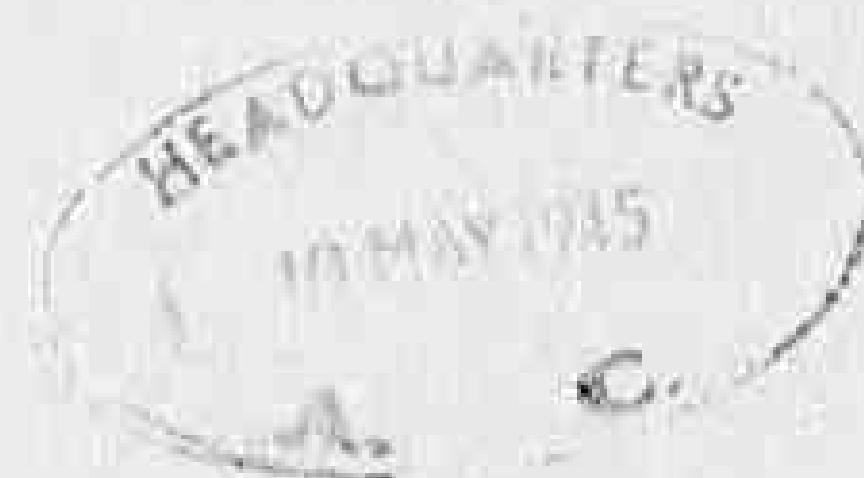
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 Chief Commissioner
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Mr. DI FEDE 3	J.D.	6/6
Mr. AIREY		14/5
Mr. SCOTT ①	RS	
Mr. PROCTOR ②	<u>JS</u>	4/5
Mr. STEVENSON ④	JS	4/5
Miss Stevenson		
Chief Clerk		

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

In cable
LABOR

Originator's Reference: **LAB 2**
Date/Time of Origin: **MAY 8/1610B**

Message Centre No: **E/229**
Date Time Rec'd: **MAY 10/1430B**
Precedence: **ROUTINE**

FROM: **REGIONAL LABOR OFFICE TOSCANA**
TO: **HQ ALCOM**

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ACTION

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Request urgent reply to our signal of 3 May regarding LUISEHD signed
MASON region 8

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ACTION : LABOR SC

**INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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Mr. SACHS	J. D. reply sent 11/5	11/5
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
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Reply.

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FOR ACTION AND MILIA REGION RPTD C-5 AMHQ, EMBASSY MAIN FOR AMG

7159

7 May 1945

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PARMI TO FOR ACTION AND MILIA REGION RPTD C-5 AMHQ CMA EMBASSY MAIN FOR AMG FROM
AIDON CITE AGGIE PARM

PARA ONE ID REFERENCE CABLE SIX NINE SEVEN THREE OF FOUR MAY ONE NINE FOUR FIVE ID

PARA TWO ID PLEASE ADD NAME OF CAPTAIN JIG TREFLES

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INTERNAL DISTRIBUTION: Labour Sub Commission

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CWO USA
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Mr. PROCTOR		
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Chief Clerk		

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 2626
 Date Time of Origin: MAY 051620B

Message Centre No: D/9822
 Date Time Rec'd: MAY 060932B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG 5 ARMY FOR HUME CITE 1155
 TO: HQ ALCOM FOR AGLAB

ACTION

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Reply to CAS453-459-Survey by Captains MURPHY, Industry and MOFFITT, Labor.

1. German wage rate follows.

1 basic wage for all manual labor direct employees German Army 100 Lire per 8 hour day plus 20 Lire daily bonus plus north Italian family allowance. Gross daily amount for worker with wife and 2 children 136 Lire plus. Under hazardous conditions up to 100 Lire paid for 8 hour day. TOINT common labor rate 87 Lire plus. German free ration daily flour 400 grams pasta 50 grams cigarettes 4. Weekly butter sub 20 grams cheese 50 grams salt 7 grams sugar 10 grams fresh meat 150 grams. Issue spotty salt and cigarettes only constant.

2. Civilian wages north ITALY controlled by decree November 11/44. Following figures are minimum differing with each employer is being paid. Mechanical and metal trades also using TAYLOR piece rate system. All following wages include war bonus and family assistance for wife and 2 children. Private industry building trades operai spec 110 Lire operai qualif 104 plus manovali 97 plus. Metal and mechanical trades operai spe 123 Lire operai qualif 115 Lire manovali spec 106 plus manovali commune 103. State wages BOLOGNA operai spec 96 plus manovali spec 88 plus manovali commune 91.

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3. Food prices and ration of bread only. BOLOGNA ration daily 150 grams normal 350 heavy workers legal 6 black market 30 MODENA ration 250 grams normal 450 heavy workers legal 2.40 Lire black market 20 MANTOVA ration 200 normal 250 heavy workers 325 extra heavy worker legal 4 no black market MILAN ration 150 normal 275 any worker 475 heavy worker 575 extra heavy worker legal 5 black market 40 TURIN black market price 25.

4. Detail wage ration and price study being forwarded by mail. Army using POW to fill labor needs.

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ACTION: Labor S/C
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Executive Commissioner 2
Econ Sec
Food S/C 2
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PORT COMMANDANT GENOA

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LABOUR TN INC ALCOM

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1. Stevedore and shore labour rate of wages.
2. Q2 signal 1865/2/Q2 of 24th April para 2 refers. Maximum rate for stevedore 125 lire per man per day 8 hour shift.
3. German rates of pay were 250 lire.
4. Local stevedores demand 450 lire.
5. Port control committee view position with concern. Request district Labour Sub Commission be appointed forthwith or other instructions issued from SACMED.

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Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
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*Labour
in cable*

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MAY 050940B

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MAY 051240B
INTERSTATE

ARE ANCHON PIEDRO PROVINCE
H2 AS BONE INTO H2 BWERIA MARCHET REGION

IN CLEAR

Fishing restrictions. Urge that every effort be made to remove fishing restrictions on ANCHON and PEDRO coasts including LONGSHORE fishing in ANCHON bay. At present many thousand fishermen unemployed and getting very restive. Local food situation bad owing to lack of transportation and fish would greatly relieve supply problem ANCHON(?) in agreement.

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Action - Agric SC
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
Secn Sec
Food SC
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Labor SC
Navy SC
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Lt.Col.BABCOCK		
Capt. DORF		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference:

Date/Time of Origin: MAY 041015B

Message Centre No: D/9675

Date Time Rec'd: MAY 050830B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: REG LABOUR OFFICER TOSCANA

TO: HQ ALCON SITE ACIAB

ACTION

IN CLEAR

Where is DR LUISE. Can he appear here for interview. Your
LSC 810-1105 refers. Reply Labor Div TOSCANA Region.

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Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
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Mr. SACHS Mr. DI FEDE	J. D.	10/5
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
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Chief Clerk		

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RC TOSCANA REGION CMA RPTD UMBRIA MARCHI REGION CMA EMILIA REGION

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2 May 45

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PARA ONE PD AFHQ AGREES PROPOSED HANDOVER TO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT
FOLLOWING TERRITORY TO BE EFFECTIVE TEN MAY PD

PARA TWO RC TOSCANA REGION CMA RPTD UMBRIA MARCHI REGION CMA
EMILIA REGION FROM ALCOM CITE ACCAS PAVEN

PARA TWO PD REGION OF UMBRIA MARCHI LESS COMUNE OF ANCONA
PROVINCES OF GROSSETO CMA SIENA CMA AREZZO PD

PARA THREE PD COMUNE OF ANCONA WILL BE ADMINISTERED DIRECT FROM
HQ QUEN ALCOM PD

PARA FOUR PD LT/COLONEL ELVES WILL ACT AS LIAISON OFFICER UMBRIA
MARCHI IN ADDITION TO HIS DUTIES IN ANCONA COMUNE

INFO DIST:-

Ex. Commissioner
Est Section
Econ Section
Legal S/C

CA Section

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A.D. BONHAM CARTER Lt Col

NICHOLAS PIOMBINO
CWO, USA
Asst Adjutant

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ROUTINE

15 ARMY GROUP

ACTION 5TH ARMYHQ. 5TH ARMY HQ INFO: AIDGM FOR ANTOLINI

SECRET.

CAS/453 refers. As information on wages and prices urgently required by Allied Commission such should be collected by you from all responsible officers without necessarily awaiting reports from provincial commissioners

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER -
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Mr. SACHS	<i>Sachs</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		
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INCOMING MESSAGE *in cables*HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION *LABOR*

Originator's Reference: IO/CAT/42
 Date/Time of Origin: APR 30 HFT

Message Centre No: D/9235
 Date Time Rec'd: APR 30 2100B
 Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: ALCOM IO CATANIA

TO: HQ ALCOM FOR LABOR SC

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Stoppage of work involving 280 miniature railway workers of Societa Circumetnea at CATANIA on 27 April 1945. Workers demand payment of wage increase as agreed between Societa Circumetnea and Camera del Lavoro of lire 4000 per month retroactive to 16 February 1945. Also protest against appointment of VILLARA ANTONINO as commissario of Societa. Societa state unable meet increase without increase of fares. Stoppage continues report follows.

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 Info - A/President
 Chief Commissioner
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~~Lt. Col. BABCOCK~~		
~~Capt. DORF~~		
Mr. SACHS	<i>X</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE	<i>J.D.</i>	1/5/45
~~Mr. AIREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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FOR ACTION CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION 15 ARMY GROUP, FOR INFORMATION
SCAO 5 ARMY, G-5 IV CORPS, AMG EMILIA REGION AND LIGURIA REGION
AMG PIEMONTE REGION AND LOMBARDIA REGION AND VENEZIA REGION PAREN
8 MAIN FOR VENEZIA REGION ADVANCED AND 3 ARMY REAR FOR VENEZIA REGION
MAIN PAREN AFHQ FOR FMCEG

6438

23 April 45

PRIORITY

ALCOM CITE AGECS

SECRET PD

SUBJECT IS ECONOMIC CONTROL NORTHERN ITALY PD

PARA ONE PD REURAD AC FOUR SIX OF TWO SIX APRIL AND EX 66666 OF

TWO SEVEN APRIL FROM AFHQ PD PAREN FOR ACTION CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION15 ARMY GROUP CMA FOR INFORMATION SCAO 5 ARMY CMA G-5 IV CORPS CMAAMG EMILIA REGION AND LIGURIA REGION AND PIEMONTE REGION ANDLOMBARDIA REGION AND VENEZIA REGION PAREN 8 ARMY MAIN FOR VENEZIAREGION ADVANCED AND 3 ARMY REAR FOR VENEZIA REGION MAIN PAREN AFHQFOR FMCEG PAREN

PARA TWO PD THIS CONFIRMS TELEPHONE REQUEST ANTOLINI TO MONFORT
THAT ALL PROVINCIAL TEAMS AND ARMIES REPORT TO ALCOM ROME OFFICIAL
PRICES AND WAGES FOUND IN EFFECT IN EACH PROVINCIAL CAPITAL AS OF
3 APRIL AND THOSE IN EFFECT AT TIME OF LIBERATION PD REPORTS TO
CONTINUE TO BE MADE AS EACH PROVINCE IS LIBERATED PD

PARA THREE PD REQUESTED INFORMATION URGENTLY REQUIRED AS GUIDE

TO ANY NECESSARY CHANGES IN PRICE AND WAGE CONTROL POLICY FOR NORTH PD

PARA FOUR PD DATA IS REQUESTED AS TO RATION AND WAGE SCALE PERMITTED

BY GERMANS FOR SKILLED AND UNSKILLED LABOR PD

ECONOMIC SECTION

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NICHOLAS PIONBINO
CWA, USA
Assistant Adjutant

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SECRET

CAS 453
APRIL 28/1837

D/9056
APRIL 29/10008
ROUTINE

15 ARMY GROUP

ACTION: 5 ARMY ANG, 8 ARMY ANG, INFO: AIGOM FOR ANTOLINI

SECRET.

Allied Commission requests you direct all provincial commissioners report to Headquarters Allied Commission immediately all official prices and wage scale including rations found to have been in effect on 3 April and prices today in each provincial capital. Continue report as soon as possible after liberation each capital

DIST

INFO-ACTION : ECON SEC

INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
FINANCE SC
LABOUR SC
FOOD SC (2)
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
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	I nitials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE Lt.Col.BABCOCK Capt. DORF	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Date]</i>
Mr. SACHS Mr. DI FEDE Mr. AIREY Mr. SCOTT Mr. PROCTOR Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		
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IN COMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: LB 18

Date/Time of Origin: APRIL 27/1000

Message Centre No: D/8955

Date Time Rec'd: APRIL 28/0930B

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AICOM LIAISON BARI

TO : AICOM HQ LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

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RESTRICTED.

Subject is your signal 5913 dated 22 April. Prefect BRINDISI reports that workers satisfied no further troubles

DIET

ACTION : LABOUR SC

INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
EC ON SEC
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
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Capt. DORF		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE	J.D.	30/7
~~Mr. AIREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
~~Miss STEVENSON~~		
Chief Clerk		
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<u>Chief Clerk</u>		

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another copy is circulating.*

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*Labour
in cables*

FX 66682
APR 271726B

D/8921
APR 280830B
PRIORITY

AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CITE INFO
HQ ALCON ROME AND AFLRS ROME INFO TO 15 ARMY GROUP

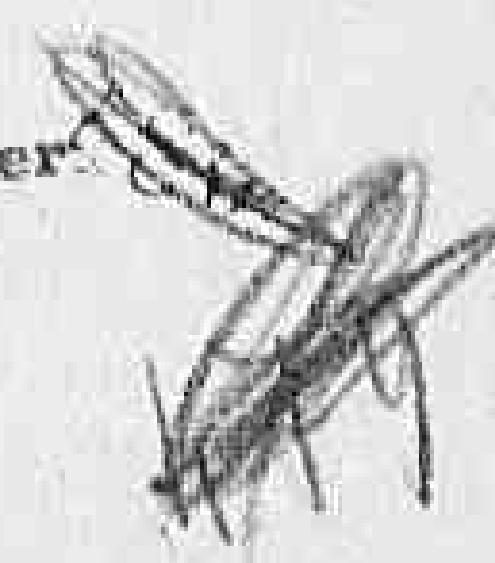
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SECRET. (Reference AG 46)

Notify this Headquarters as to wages and price situation being uncovered in north and your recommendation to provide basis for decision on request of 15 ARMY GROUP.

DIST

ACTION: Econ Sec
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Labor S/C
Finance S/C
File 2
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	I nitials	Date
Mr. W.H.BRAINE		
~~Lt. Col. BABCOCK~~		
Capt. DORF		
Mr. SACHS	<i>yes</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		479

N.B. - Capt. AIREY says
no action for time being.

20/1
yes

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference:

Date/Time of Origin:

B5/15

APR 250900

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Message Centre No:

Date Time Rec'd:

Precedence:

D/8623

APR 251145B

IMMEDIATE

FROM: HQ AMV UMBRIA MARCHE REGION

TO: ALLOC INFO AMV UMBRIA REGION

RESTRICTED

Ref your 5987 dated 24. Strongly advise Captain LIONEL BAILLET remain assigned this Region and Captain SCHUEE be assigned VENEZIA. Captain BAILLET knows this Region well and Captain SCHUEE has worked with the Army and is better acquainted with labor problems in forward areas.

Dist

Action - Labour SC
 Info - A/President
 Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 File 2
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25 APR 1945

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Regret unable leave Captain Bailey as he is required for labor problems in industry & civil affairs in Venezia.

Letter S/C

250/811

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APR 201930B

D/2411
APR 202150B
ROUTINE

ADVANCED HQ REGION VENEZIA
HC ALONE FOR EXECUTIVE COMMISSION

RESTRICTED.

Please advise all Sub-Commissions that telegrams involving policy or for Regional Commissioners attention should be routed to ARMY HAIN for VENEZIA REGION ADVANCED. Telegrams on technical civil affairs or economic matters to S ARMY HAIN for VENEZIA HAIN.

LIST

ACTION: Executive Commissioner
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
CA Sec
Econ Sec
Hatch Sec
File 2
Float

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	I nitials	Date
~~Mr. W.H. BRAINE~~	W.H.B.	26/4
~~Lt. Col. BABCOCK~~		
~~Capt. BOYD~~		
Mr. SACHS	J.S.	28/4
Mr. DI FEDE	Di Fe	1/5
Mr. AIREY	RA	2/5
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk	476	

SECRET9419
APR 142000BD/7688
APR 150800B
PRIORITYANG 5 ARMY CITE OUR 965
HQ ALCOM**SECRET**

Ref your 5023 policy set forth in telegram has been discussed with 5 Army Labor Control and ANG Labor Officers 5 Army and opinion is that the wage reduction set forth will interfere seriously with 5 Army operations. It has been the practice for 5 Army service units to carry forward several thousand civilian workers most of whom have been with Army for long time and have been trained in Army technique. These civilians have replaced military personnel and have in numerous instances become indispensable. If now told that the next move forward means reduced wages it will seriously affect morale and will cause inestimated number to leave Army employment. Request application of policy to 5 Army area be deferred pending further study.

Dist

Action - Labour (2)
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File (2)
Fleet

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SECRET*Labour*
*14 cables + 116 + 402*LHO/601A
APR 231300A**FOR INFORMATION ONLY**7/8457
APR 231900B
PRIORITY

AFDRE BOEN AREA ALLIED COMMAND

ACTION 5 ARMY BATH, 5 ARMY REAR, 5 ARMY BATH, 5 ARMY REAR. INFO:
AFHQ (FROAD, FHRNA, FRODS, FROTC, FRODO, FROAE, FROAP, FROAI
DIRECTOR, LABOR, MAAP(A) MAAP(B) VA MAAP(RAP), 15 ARMY GP, DISTONE,
DISTAG, CO DISTAG, DISTAGS, ALCON, REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS DISTONE,
LOMBARDIA, VENETIA, LIGURIA, EMILIA, AASTO/ITO, HQ 214 GP RAP.

SECRET

Subject is prices and wage policy for ITALY north of northern
boundaries of RAVENNA FIRENZE PIACENZA LUCCA and AREZZO (MARSA)
provinces.

1. For prices conform to directive detailed in ALCON signal
5920 dated 23 April 1945.
2. For wages for civilians employed by Allied Forces intention
is not to exceed rates prevailing in private industry in each loca-
lity. Pending issue of detailed instructions following will apply
as interim measure.

A. Civilian labour newly engaged will be paid at rate of
wages in force on 3 April 1945 in private industry in locality
where labour is engaged. These rates can be ascertained from pre-
fect or employers' industrial union or Camera del Lavoro in each
locality.

B. Where the local prevailing rate for any category ⁴⁷⁴
less than the minimum in the Allied Force basic wage scale the
local prevailing rate will be paid.

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C. Where the local prevailing rate for any category is greater than the maximum in the Allied Force basic wage scale the maximum in the Allied Force basic wage scale will not be exceeded.

D. Cost of living and other bonuses now being paid in south ITALY will not be paid in North to newly engaged labour.

3. For civilian labour moved by you into Northern territory above instructions will apply except for essential key technical personnel who have been trained for specific jobs. These may continue to receive present rates but minimum numbers only should be moved.

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Info-Action - Leon See (3)

Info - A/President

Chief Commissioner

Labour 20

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Lt.Col. BABCOCK		
Capt. DORF		
Mr. SACHS	<i>W.S.</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE	<i>g D</i>	<i>2/14</i>
Mr. AIREY	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>3/14</i>
Mr. SCOTT	<i>R</i>	<i>8/5</i>
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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Lin. Info.
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14 cables + 813

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AFH 130830B
OF PRIORITY

MAIN AND 8TH ARMY
HQ AIGCM

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In view of imminent overrunning of FERRARA province which has already started request following questions be answered by signal.

1. What is to be price of grain to farmers.
2. What is to be the price of other cereals.
3. What is the policy in regard to wage scales.
4. Is any cost of living bonus to be agreed.
5. Is increase in salaries as applies up to date to take effect.

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ACTION: Leon Sec
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Food S/C 2
Agric S/C
Labor S/C
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17 APR 45
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

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Capt. DORF		
Capt. TOPLISS		
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Miss STEVENSON		
<u>Chief Clerk</u>		

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Comm. Sec. (Atkins) says 470

no action necessary since signal
by House will constitute reply

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MAR 261012A

CAPTAIN C L NICHOLS

ACTION USNLO RCHIE INSO AC ROME, COM 8TH FLEET

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Expect arrive with labor officer 27 March discussion connection wage problems.

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Action - Navy SC (2)
Info - 1/President
Chief Commissioner
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MAR 270855A
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Action - Navy CG (2)
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
LABOUR SC
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COM 8th FLEET



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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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~~Capt. DORF~~		
~~Capt. TOPLISS~~		
Mr. SACHS	<i>tel.</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

Captain Nichols 68 SN
is coming to discuss
labour problems in
Sicily affecting U.S.N.

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Labour
In cable

Originator's Reference: 4051
Date/Time of Origin: MAR 23 1652A

Message Centre No: D/5902
Date/Time Rec'd: MAR 24 1000A
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: HQ ANG 5 ARMY CITE 907
TO: HQ ALCOM

RESTRICTED

RESTRICTED.

Reference your cable 3661, para 1 not clear.

Should read, state employees will be entitled to receive 1500 Lires advance on consolidated salary scheme at next payday unless scheme is operative by that date.

2. Christmas bonus in effect.

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ACTION: Labour S/C
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File 2
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MAR 261012A

CAPTAIN C L NICHOLS

SUSMLO HOME INFO AC HOME, COM 8TH FLEET

*Labour &
to cable*

D/6068

MAR 261310A

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Expect arrive HOME with Labor Officer 27 March discussion connection wage problems.

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ACTION: Navy S/C

INFO: A/President

Chief Commissioner

Labour S/C

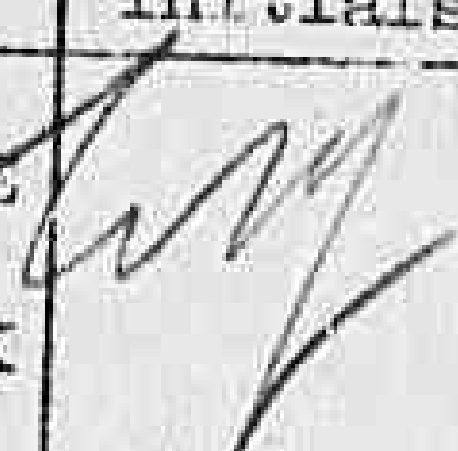
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Capt. <u>TOPLISS</u>		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. AIREY		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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II. COMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

14 Cables + 809

Originator's Reference: CITE REQ 422
 Date Time of Origin: MAR 14

Message Centre No: D/5043
 Date Time Rec'd: MAR 14 2028
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AICOM SICILIA (CARR)

TO: HQ ALCOM ROMA RPT FOR INFO TO PUBLIC WORKS SUB COMMISSION AND LABOUR SUB COM

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Para 1. In accordance with orders from your HQ Public Utilities and Labour Divisions this Region will close with effect from 15 March.

Para 2. Request that all correspondence on above subjects with this HQ should cease forthwith and that all relevant matters should ^{be} dealt with through Italian channels

ACTION

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ACTION P W 464
 INFO LABOUR SC
 A/PRESIDENT
 CHIEF COMMISSIONER
 ECON SEC
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Colonel SMITH		
Lt. Col. BABCOCK		
Capt. DORF	J.R.	20/3
Capt. TOPLISS		W.M.W.
Mr. SACHS	W.H.	
Mr. DI FEDE	J.D.	22/3
Mr. AIREY	M.C.	22/3
Mr. SCOTT	P.S.	22/3
Mr. PROCTOR	B.	22/3
Miss. STEVENSON	S.	20/3
Chief Clerk		

INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

in cables + 803

Originator's Reference: 3/162
Date/Time of Origin: MARCH 9/1200

Message Centre No: D/4635
Date/Time Rec'd: MARCH 10/0700
Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: AFG EMILIA REGION

TO: HQ ALCON

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RESTRICTED.

Cite ACLAB. Confirmation requested on ALBRIGHT letter 2 March 1945 to
Labor Sub Commission re interpretation of AFHQ Adm Memo number 5

ACTION

DIST

ACTION : LABOR SC

INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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MAR 061503

D/4260
MAR 061700
ROUTINE

AFHQ, SIGNED SACRED CITE FICAB

REIA INFO IN JRC NO. 1, IN SUB COMMISSION AC

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Referent: M3 letter TN A1/235 of 3 March copy to you subject call up railway employees.

Concession referred to in para 2 thereof will be extended until 16 April. Request War Ministry be informed accordingly

FOR INFORMATION ONLY

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INFO A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
TN SC
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Lt. Col. BABCOCK	<i>[Handwritten signature]</i>	<i>[Handwritten date]</i>
Capt. LORF	<i>[Handwritten signature]</i>	<i>[Handwritten date]</i>
Capt. TOPLISS	<i>[Handwritten signature]</i>	<i>[Handwritten date]</i>
Mr. SACHS		
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Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss. STEVENSON	<i>[Handwritten signature]</i>	<i>[Handwritten date]</i>
Chief Clerk		

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INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 241
Date/Time of Origin: FEB 28 1700A

Message Centre No: D/3853
Date/Time Rec'd: MAR 020830A
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: HQ TOSCANA REGION AMG
TO: HQ ALCOM

IN CLEAR

Your TPM No 2488 dated 26 February 1945. No objections to proposed visit for purposes stated.

Capt. Orf's trip to
Livorno, Pisa

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Action - Labor SC -
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File (2)
Float



ACTION

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

In caller + 808

Originator's Reference: CITE REO 396

Date/Time of Origin: FEB

Message Centre No: D/0651

Date Time Rec'd: FEB 122145A

Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: ALCOM SICILIA REGION (CARR)

TO: HQ ALCOM LABOR SC

CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL.

1. Subject is this Divisions report on threatened strike.
2. Meeting on 11 February not held.
3. All calm in PALERMO.

INFO - ACTION

Dist

Info-Action - Labor SC

Info - A/President

Chief Commissioner

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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Lt.Col BABCOCK		
Major SCICLUNA		
Capt.DORF		
Capt.TOPLISS		
Capt.SOLLNBERGER		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. CERNITO		
Dr. LA LOGGIA		
Chief Clerk		

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FROM DISTHREE

TO AFHQ (G-3 Ops)

AFHQ G-2 (C1) ALCOM FOR MMIA MMIA LO

GO 429

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8 FEB 1945

REF OUR GO420 DATED 05(.) STRIKE DID NOT TAKE PLACE (.)

PALERMO REPORTED CALM (.) ALL INFORMED

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Distribution

S/G/33
Chief of Staff Sec
C.A. Sec
Public Safety Sub-Com.

COS Dist 7/2/45

Labour S/C

LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.

Routing Slip

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Capt. SOLENBERGER		
Mr. <u>SACHS</u>		
Mr. <u>DI FEDE</u>		
Mr. CERNITO		
Dr. LA LOGGIA	454	
Chief Clerk		

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

LABOR

Originator's Reference: 2716 CITE 863
 Date Time of Origin: FEB 27 1625A

Message Centre No: D/3532
 Date Time Rec'd: FEB 27 2041A
 Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: *AMC 5 ARMY*TO: *HQ ALCOM***CONFIDENTIAL**

CONFIDENTIAL.

1. Cite ACAGR 2381 of 26 February, approved.
2. Cite ACLAP 2187 of 26 February, approved.
3. Cite ACLNC 2525 of 26 February, approved but must report to Corps SCAD on arrival.

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*H. B. Capt. Gorf's trip to
 Florence.*

DIST

ACTION: Labour S/C
 " Industry
 " Agric S/C
 INFO: A/President
 Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Labour

Originator's Reference: E/115
Date/Time of Origin: FEB 22 1630A

Message Centre No: D/2905
Date/Time Rec'd: FEB 22 0034A
Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: AMG 8 ARMY REAR
TO: HQ ALCOM

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Your 2095 citing ACLAB refers.

Permission granted Lt Col JAMES O BABCOCK and driver DORIS DATGELS to visit RIMINI and PESARO. Request he report EMILIA region Hq first. Date of arrival and duration of visit requested.

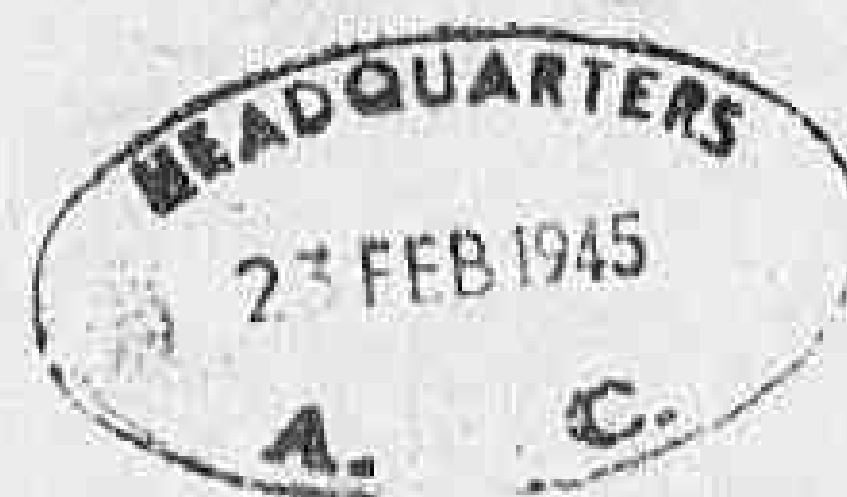
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Action - Labor SC
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

LABOUR

Originator's Reference: 2646 CITE: OUR 794

Date/Time of Origin: FEB 21/1346A

Message Centre No: D/2743

Date/Time Rec'd: FEB 21/1545

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: 5 ARMY FOR HUME

TO: HQ ALCON FOR LABOR SUB COMMISSION

RESTRICTED

RESTRICTED.

Reference your signal 2094 ACLAF dated 20 February. Permission approved for FLORENCE. Permission for PISA and LIVORNO must be obtained through TOSCANA Region.

ACTION

DIST

ACTION : LABOUR SC

INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
FILE (2)
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HEADQUARTERS
21 FEB 1945
A. C.

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INCOMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSIONOriginator's Reference: 233
Date/Time of Origin: FEB 171730AMessage Centre No: D/ 2302
Date/Time Rec'd: FEB 180700A
Precedence: ROUTINEFROM: HQ TOSCANA REGION AMG
TO: HQ ALCCM

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RESTRICTED

Your TPM No 1862 dated 16 February 1945. No objection to suggested visit.

ACTION

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Labour S/C

~~AP~~ President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File (2)
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 9580 CITE OUR 784

Date/Time of Origin: FEB 171611A

Message Centre No: D/ 2300

Date Time Rec'd: FEB 180700A

Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: ANG 5 ARMY FOR HUME

TO: HQ ALCOM FOR LABOR SC

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Ref your cable 1863ACLAB of 16 February. Permission approved.

ACTION

AC DIST

Action Labour S/C

Info A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: SITE RAC-193Date/Time of Origin: FEBMessage Centre No: D/1121Date Time Rec'd: FEB 68 1900APrecedence: ROUTINEFROM: ALCON SIGILIA (GARR)TO: HQ ALCON LABOR SG**CONFIDENTIAL**

CONFIDENTIAL.

1. Subject is your signal 1202 of 6 February.
2. Underlying cause of threatened strike by state employees is low rate of pay in comparison with high cost of living.
3. Only recommendation is that state employees salaries be reviewed by the Govt.
4. Written report already forwarded you.

ACTIONDist

Action - Labor SG
 Info - 1/President
 Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 File (2)
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference:

Date/Time of Origin: FEB 07/300AMessage Centre No: D/ 1027Date/Time Rec'd: FEB 080800APrecedence: IMPORTANTFROM: HQ ANG POSSESSA REGIONTO: HQ ALBON

IN SIMAR.

Ref conversation executive officer Labour SE. Proposal to assign
Lt Col RADFORD and Capt BUSKWEIL to this Region agreed.

ACTION

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Labour S/C

A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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LABOUR

Originator's Reference: *E/56*
Date Time of Origin: *FEB 061700A*

Message Centre No: *D/904*
Date Time Recd: *FEB 070950A*
Precedence: *ROUTINE*

FROM: *AMG REAR 8 ARMY*
TO: *HQ ALCON*

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- For Labour Sub-Commission.

Advise if DL1303 has been made retro-active to August 16 or to date of liberation of provincial sent or to date of implementation.

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ACTION: *Labour S/C*
INFO: *A/President*
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
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	Initials	Date
Mr. BRAINE		
Colonel SMITH		
Lt.Col.BABCOCK		
Major SCICLUNA		
Capt.DORF		
Capt.TOPLISS		
Capt.SOLENBERGER		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. CERNITO		445
Dr. LA LOGGIA		
Chief Clerk		

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference:

Date/Time of Origin: **FEB 6/1516**

Message Centre No: **D/815**

Date/Time Rec'd: **FEB 6/1720**

Precedence: **ROUTINE**

FROM: **PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER, ANCONA**

TO: **ALCOM HEADQUARTERS ROME**

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Permission granted for Colonel JUNIUS ROBERT SMITH and SAVERIO MORELLI to visit
ANCONA for 4 days. Apply Public Safety officer for permit

DIST

ACTION : LABOUR SC

**INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
PUBLIC SAFETY
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FEB 031030A

*In letter
Labor*
D/46h
FEB 031300A
IMMEDIATE

SMITH ALCON ANCONA

ALCON TRANSPORTATION FAILS C/O TRANSPORTATION INCREMENT

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IN CLEAR.

Movements authorize limited number civilians working on essential duties to travel by workers train. Propose authorizing I S R issue weekly season tickets on prepayment to workers in possession of written authority from me. Fares double pre-war. Commence February 12. Wire if I may proceed. Phone out of order for 10 days. Pressing signals to restore.

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INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
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Mr. BRAINE	<i>B</i>	<i>4/2</i>
Colonel SMITH		
Lt.Col.BABCOCK		
Major SCICLUNA	<i>SP</i>	
Capt.DORF	<i>a</i>	<i>7/2</i>
Capt.TOPLISS	<i>Q</i>	<i>8/2</i>
Capt.SOLENBERGER		
Mr. SACHS	<i>*26</i>	<i>5/2</i>
Mr. DI FEDE	<i>Q. D.</i>	<i>8/42</i>
Mr. CERNITO		
Dr. LA LOGGIA		
Chief Clerk		

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FEB 03 1964
ROUTINE

GRAN SILAS CASTELLANOS

RE: IN SUBCOMMISSION AG HOME, CA (MAY AND TN) AFEL, HQ SOUTHERN REGION AG

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Barley discharged MARCO LK CASTELLANOS 230.361 tons grain discharged
MATHAN HALL CASTELLANOS nil salt discharged ABACIA TUBUS ARMINIATA 270 lbs
from 0600 hrs 1st to 0600 2nd shortage of labour CASTELLANOS.

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ACTION: TR B/C
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
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	Initials	Date
Mr. BRAINE	✓	
Colonel SMITH		
Lt.Col.BABCOCK		
Major SCICLUNA		
Capt.DORF	✓	5/26
Capt.TOPLISS		
Capt.SOLENBERGER		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. CERRITO		
Dr. LA LOGGIA	440	
Chief Clerk		

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 202

Date/Time of Origin: JAN 27 1556A

Message Centre No: 9/98077

Date/Time Rec'd: JAN 28 0044

Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: HQ TOSONA REGION AHC

TO: HQ ALSON

BY CLEAR.

Your TPM No 526 dated 25 January 45. No objections to visit for purpose stated.

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Action - Labor

Info - A/President

Chief Commissioner

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Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. BRAIN	<i>Long</i>	<i>mf</i>
Colonel SMITH	<i>ms</i>	
Lt.Col.BABCOCK		
Major SCICLUNA	←	<i>DR</i>
Capt. DORF		
Capt. TOPLESS		
Capt.SOLENBERGER		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. CERRITO		
Dr. LA LOGGIA		
Chief Clerk		

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LABOR DIVISION AND 5TH ARMY

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JAN 271735A

ROUTINE

IN CLEAR.

Estimate of figures derived from reports as of 19 January follows.

Heavy workers midshift meal, 2950. Soup meal, 210. Employees not partaking of either, 2000.

Number of employees fed 3 meals per day from Army stocks, 5400.

Employees prefer new Army menus, providing 1 or 3 meals per day, to hvy worker ration as provided for from ALCOM stores.

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INFO: A/President

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	Initials	Date
Mr. BRAINE	<i>W.H.</i>	<i>2/6</i>
Colonel SMITH	<i>SM</i>	
Lt.Col.BABCOCK		
Major SCICLUNA		
Capt. DORT	<i>J</i>	<i>Feb</i>
Capt. TOPPES		
Capt.SOLENBERGER		
Mr. SACHS	<i>MS</i>	<i>30/</i>
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. CERRITO		
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: BZ/RT/131

Date/Time of Origin: JAN

Message Centre No: C/ 9292

Date/Time Rec'd: JAN 25 0700A

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: ALCOM LABOR OFFICE BARI ZONE

TO: LABOR SC ALCOM HQ ROME

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A little fatherly talk to a few members of the Central Committee has resulted in the cancellation of the mass meeting to have been held 25 January 1945. The talk was followed by a night meeting of the Central Committee where the decision was made. Interested parties will be informed of decisions reached at ROME by means of official letters. Situation up to moment. Any changes will be reported.

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Action Labour S/C

Info A/President
Chief Commissioner
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	Initials	Date
Mr. BRAINE	<i>W.H.</i>	<i>25/1</i>
Colonel SMITH	<i>JS</i>	
Lt.Col.BABCOCK		
Major SCICLUNA		
Capt.DORF	<i>g</i>	<i>28 Jan</i>
Capt.TOPLISS		
Capt.SOLENBLERGER		
Mr. SACHS	<i>✓</i>	
Mr. DI FEDE		
Mr. CERRITO		
Dr. LA LOGGIA		
Chief Clerk		
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

LABOUR

Originator's Reference: CAS/338

Date Time of Origin: JAN 24/0930A

Message Centre No: 6/9196

Date Time Rec'd: JAN 24/1140

Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: CIVIL AFFAIRS SEC HQ 15 ARMY GP

TO: HQ ALCON FOR LABOR SUB COMMISSION

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Ref NOBLE R 26 permission approved. Cite REAR 5 ARMY 732:

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Action: Labor S/C

Info: A/President

Chief Commissioner

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Cross Reference Sheet

File: In Cables

Subject: Cable # C/8461

Date: 19 Jan, 45

To: HQ ALCOM

From: ALCOM Sardinia Reg.

Documents Filed: LSC/503 - 1

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet

File: In Cables
Subject: Cable # C/P260
Date: 17 Jan. 45
To: HQ ALCOM Reg. Rome
From: ALCOM Mining Division ALCOM London
Documents Filed: LSC/503 -

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Cross Reference Sheet

File: In cables
Subject: Cable # C/2233
Date: 17 Jan. 45
To: HQ ALCOM Mining Division (Coal Sect.)
From: Reg. Mining Div, ALCOM Sardinia
Documents Filed: LSC/503

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JAN 062008C/6846
JAN 070930
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PENBASE, AICOM INFO TO PENSOUTH, WSA NAPLES, FONAM FOR INFORMATION ONLY

SECRET.

Experiment to give the city of ROME a reserve supply of gas coal by discharging a liberty from anchorage off FIUMICINO, will not be made in ruling of CINC Med because of navigational hazards.

Message THIPN NATPN FX 79516, 5 January is to be disregarded

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ACTION TN SC
INFO A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC
INDUSTRY
LABOUR SC
P.W.U.
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In cables refs 810 & 402

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JAN 061559A

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JAN 062330A
ROUTINE

ARG TOSCANA REGION
HQ ALCOM

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IN CLEAR.

Reference AFHQ Adv Memo No 62.

Please confirm that all ARG employees this Region are eligible for bonus.

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ACTION: C-1(A) (Civ Pers) 2
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Est Sec
Labour S/C
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SECRETFX 79516
JAN 5/1610JAN 6/0900
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APPRO SIGNED SACRED CITY THEM, NATON, FIDBO, MAGDS/NACND, NAKNO, FIDDM

ACTION: RELEASE, ALCOH INFO: PENSOUTH, WSA NAPLES, FOMAN

HEADQUARTERS

6 JAN 1945

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1. As an experiment to an effort to rapidly build up a winter stockpile of gas coal in ROME, it is planned to discharge a Liberty Ship collier off the beach at FIUMICINO into TICA barges that will be towed to the coal quay in FIUMICINO for discharge into rail railway wagons or stockpiled on the quay until railway wagons or barges are available to transport the coal into ROME by railway or barge canal.

2. Liberty JOHN DAVIES, now waiting calling forward at AUGUSTA, containing 8900 tons, has been selected for this purpose.

3. To insure the success of this operation, PENTAME is requested to:

- A. Provide the personnel necessary to discharge the coal from ship to barges.
- B. To arrange to sleep and feed such personnel aboard the Liberty, providing mess facilities, overside latrines if necessary, extra life saving rafts and preservers.
- C. Cooperate with War Shipping Administration in equipping the ship with double anchors and 60 fathoms of chain or cable.
- D. Equip vessel with self operating clam shells to be used by ships gear in discharging all holds.
- E. To guard against failure of electric power, to land 3 generators, diesel, portable, 5 kw, 110 volt dc, with 1000 feet number 142 wire electric cable and 10 flood lights and one coil 1 inch rope and other gear specified by director of

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Harbor Craft. In order to provide diesel fuel for 3 tugs, PENBASE will arrange for 16 X 6, 1 and one half ton truck and one trailer, 1000 gallons.

F. Temporarily assign Lieut W.H.GILKY, ASN-O-514330, to supervise the tug boat and barge operation during the discharge of the vessel and towing loaded barges to ROME, and one enlisted man interpreter.

4. ALLIED COMMISSION is requested to provide:

A. The civilian coal trimmers at ship side and other labor to handle the coal from barges to quay and/ or railway cars, to handle lines, provide pilots, and all other necessary labor shoreside and aboard barges, as noted by director of Harbor Craft. It is estimated 65 civilian barge hands and 75 civilian shoreside will be needed at FIUMICINO. 40 tug crewmen will also be required, but Cogema will be called upon to produce these.

B. To arrange with military railway service for the placing of gondolas.

C. To locate an RTO at FIUMICINO to supervise the railway operation to insure an adequate supply of railway wagons and shunting, as well as movement of loaded wagons to the gas plant in ROME.

D. To arrange for the immediate discharge of barges and railway wagons upon arrival at the gas plant.

E. To provide a round the clock operation ashore at FIUMICINO and ROME to release barges and railway wagons.

5. In this connection, because of the possible lack of civilian labor in FIUMI-

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CINO, it is suggested it may be necessary for ALLIED COMMISSION to transport labor from ROME daily on the coal trains.

6. FOMAM through CINC MED is requested to:

- (A) Move such barges and tugs to FIUMICINO that are available by director of Harbor Craft.
- (B) To arrange for an Italian naval representative to be stationed at FIUMICINO during this operation.
- (C) To arrange to supply through naval sources, best possible weather forecasts, to enable tugs and barges to take refuge within FIUMICINO Harbor and the Liberty ship to up anchor and leave the holding ground, if advisable.

7. MEDBO and NSA agree

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*Attn: Industry Sk @
 144: Chief Commissioner
 LCM Sec.
 TM Sk
 Latour Sk*

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REAR ADMIRAL R. STONE

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JAN 031530A
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IN CLEAR.

The Triumvirate of the Sea-Workers' Federation, while informing you of its entry info office, seizes the opportunity to wish glory to the British and Allied Navies and presents to you its best wishes for the New Year.

CPT. CURATO CPT. COSTA CPT. CANDIDALE

(M/C Note

This is a translation of
message received through
Italian channels)

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INFO: Chief Commissioner
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator's Reference: 4933 CITE OUR 680

Date/Time of Origin: JANUARY 011345A

Message Centre No: C/6189

Date Time Rec'd: JAN 011745A

Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AMG 5 ARMY

TO : HQ ALCOM

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Ref 8911 of 29 December. Approved subject to reporting to
Col LANE on arrival.

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Action - Labor SC (2)

Info - Chief Commissioner

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9057 CITE OUR 695.
JAN 091722A

AMG 5 ARMY REAR
HQ ALCOM

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JAN 100700A
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Ref 9484 of 8 January. Approved.

M/C NOTE

Wrong ref quoted. This message
could be intended for either
Patriots Br or Labour

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LABOUR S/C
A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
C.A. SEC.
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