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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
AMG 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

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REF : LSC/806 24 November 1945

SUBJECT: Cassa Integrazione

TO : Ministry of Labour and Social Security

1. A question has arisen from Piemonte Region concerning a case where a plant or establishment is moved from one locality to another.

2. It is desired to know whether such a plant or establishment is permitted to dismiss workers employed in the previous locality under DLL 523 and the decree now in force providing for the same subject matter.

3. It is further desired to know whether in such instances dismissals are permissible provided they are covered by collective contract or whether consent to the dismissals is obtained either from the Internal Commission or from the Labour Inspector.

4. In the event that it is ruled that workers cannot be dismissed under any of the above stated circumstances it is desired to know whether the employer will be reimbursed from Cassa Integrazione for wages paid.

5. Inasmuch as Piemonte Region is waiting for an opinion on this question, your early reply will be appreciated.

6. It is possible that this is a question which might appropriately be submitted to the special Committee established by Art. 7 of the new Decree.

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DAVID O. SACKS
Deputy Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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PARA FOUR TO HIS EXCELLENCY AND HIGHER SCOTT REPORT TO THIS HEADQUARTERS UPON ARRIVAL OF MAJOR GENERALS TO

LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

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E.J. LYONS
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 234
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

LSC/PSN

TEL : Kyt. 104 15 November 1945

REF : LSC/416

SUBJECT: Rome Conference -- Wages in Private Industry.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Piemonte
Attention: Regional Labor Officer

1. With reference to your signal Overleaf (which you will note was received here on 13 November), attached for your information is copy of a memorandum giving the position reached at the Rome Conference as at the evening of 14 November 1945.

2. We will keep you informed of developments.

W. E. Sparks
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

Encl. 1
as above.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
A.P.O.394 U.S. ARMY

REF. : PR/LA/47/488

25 October 1945

SUBJECT: Basic Wage Rates- Piemonte Region.-

TO : Director Labour Sub-Commission
(att'n Miss Stevenson)

1.- Attached please find copy of "COSCIENZA DI CLASSE" of the 20th October which contains schedule of basic wage rates being paid in a number of industries as on 30th Sept. 1945.-

R. Scott.
R. SCOTT
Regional Labour Officer

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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

24 October 1945

Reference: OOl.

Subject : Regional Meeting - 23 Oct 45

To : See Distribution

1. Regional Commissioner. It is suggested that civilian employmeen be reduced by one third, in Region as well as Provinces. The same applies to tn and vehicles should be turned back to Region HQ for further disposal.

2. PROVINCES.

Cuneo. It is suggested that all correspondence intended for Italian agencies be translated into Italian at Region HQ, thus reducing the work which otherwise would have to be done individually at each Provincial HQ.

A demand for 3/4 months' hard rations for the Carabinieri was agreed to by RPHO.

Asti. Italian officials appear to be objecting to the new POL scheme. AM Lire currency is being refused by shopkeepers and not a single AM Lire is at present circulating in the Province. All such money is held by the banks who are also reluctant to accept it.

Novara. Everything as normal as could be desired. Prices generally more modest than anywhere else.

Vercelli. Major Bertelli pointed out the threat of impending strikes due to scarcity of work and food.

Aosta. 4 death penalties were passed on political crimes, 3 executions carried out; one still pending.

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Special Divisions.

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Finance. After a lengthy debate a decision was reached during the meeting on future procedure regarding AMG expenditure. P.Cs will have the option of either having their own Imprest a/c (being Sub-Accountants) or sub mitting receipted payrolls to RFO prior to monies being handed over to them for payment to civilian employees etc. The suggestion of handing the RFO temporary receipt chits pending the arrival of receipted payrolls and F/F3s was rejected by RFO.

Public Safety. Only 6 counterfe t notes were handed in during tne month. A suggestion was made to take legal proceedings against people who refuse to surrender voluntarily such counterfeit notes.

Labour. Criticism are made on the new wage agreements, especially as they are done by districts and not by industries. The allegations that all industries had brought their wage levels down to the Fiat basis have proved to be incorrect. These matters have been included in the Monthly Report of the Labour Division.

Local Government. P.Cs have done an excellent job with regard to the groundwork done in respect of the pending elections. Such work should be kept up, and it may be necessary to comment on observations made by Prefects.

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In view of the pending elections, R.C. raised the question as to the population's attitude towards the Monarchy. Replies differed in the various Provinces roughly as follows:

Asti - The armed forces and police are in favour of the Monarchym but officials are against.
Vercelli - 50% pro and 50% contra.
Turin - The majority of the people preferred the Monarchy, but not the King.
Novara - The majority are against the Monarchy, especially the farmers.
Cuneo - The majority are in favour of the Monarchy.

RPSO added his own opinion based on a careful study made for some considerable time past: 25% are for and 25% against the Monarchy. The remaining 50% are indifferent, but could be swayed easily one way or the other, influenced by small things.

4. GENERAL. It was decided that regular Meetings will be suspended and held on special request only.

By order of Colonel :o PHEE

ROY E, BARONE
1st Lieut., FA
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet.

File: lse/406

Subject: Fair Wage Levy Act

Date: 11 October 1945

To: Labor Sub Comm.

From: Provost Section

Documents Filed: lse/415 (2)

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet.

File: LSC/806

Subject: Fact Finding Journals

Date: 9 October 1945

To: Labor S/C

From: Personnel Officer

Documents Filed: LSC/416(2)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 234
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

LSC/806+413

Tel: 204

Ref: LSC.806/412 28th July 1945

Subject: Spinelli Decrees

To: Regional Commissioners (attention Labour Officers)
Lombardia, Piemonte, Venezia, Liguria, Emilia,
Venezia Giulia (for info. only)

1. Reference is made to our memorandum dated 23rd July regarding rulings given by Regional Legal Officer, Piemonte and Chief Legal Advisor, Allied Commission HQ. on the application of the Spinelli Decrees.

2. Your attention is drawn to para.I(i) of our memorandum which states that any wage increases that were prescribed by the Spinelli Decrees but were not implemented by employers shall be enforceable as from the date of coming of General Order No. 41. Labour officers should resist any attempt to interpret this ruling as granting entitlement to arrears of pay from January, or from any date earlier than the date of coming of General Order 41. The only retrospective payment that is authorised, by the ruling is from the specific date in May or June of this year when the General Order was posted.

3. Regional Labour Officers, Lombardia is consulting his Regional Legal Officer to ascertain whether wage increases granted by the Spinelli Decrees and enforceable under General Order No. 41, are absorbed by any subsequent increases approved by A.M.G. on the basis of 1st April levels, or whether the Spinelli increases must be superimposed on present wage levels. The ruling given by Lombardia will be circulated to all Regions as soon as possible.

W.H. Brains

W.H. BRAINS
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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TEL : 493

26 July 1945

REF : LSC/206

SUBJECT: State Employees - Wage Decrees.

TO : Regional Labour Office
Piemonte Region

1. Reference your PR/LA/47/171 of 14th July 1945.

2. The communication from the Provincial Commissioner Allessandria and the memorandum presented by the Association of Statal and Para-Statal employees has been submitted to the Finance Sub-Commission for consideration.

3. In regard to Decree NO 116, you will be aware that this has already been implemented in Northern Italy with effect from 1st August 1945, vide Finance Sub-Commission memorandum No. 130657 of 15th July 1945. The question as to whether the provisions of this decree should be given retroactive effect to 1st May 1945 is at present under consideration and it is hoped to issue further instructions on this point in the course of a few days.

W. E. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

TEL : 489081 - 493

REF : LSC/606.

SUBJECT: Remuneration of State and Para-Statal Employees in Northern Italy.

TO : Finance Sub-Commission.

21 July 1945

Attached for your information and any action you deem to be desirable is copy of a communication from the Regional Labour Office, Piemonte Region, together with copy of a communication from the Provincial Commissioner, Alessandria Province, and memorandum presented by the Association of Statal and Para-Statal Employees.

This Sub-Commission would be glad to be advised of details of any action it is decided to initiate.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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Mr. Proctor
for action as
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Mr. W.H. ERAIND — [illegible] 19/7

Mr. SACHS — H. Rep & FINANCE S/C for information and any action they think desirable

Please also answer para. 3.

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PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
A.P.O.394 U.S. ARMY

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REF. : PR/LA/47/171

14 July 1945

SUBJECT : Statal Employees.-

TO : Director, Labour Sub-Commission.-

1. Reference is made to the attached letter (PR/AL/A/116 dated 12 July 45) from Provincial Commissioner Alessandria and to the memorandum presented by the Association of Statal and Para-Statal Employees.-

2. In view of the fact that the present policy does not envisage the eventual payment of any "Premio di Liberazione" to the aforementioned Employees, it would be appreciated if Labour Sub-Commission were to refer the Memorandum in question to the Italian Ministry for their observations.-

3. May this Division be informed as to whether it is the intention of AC and Italian Government to impliment immediately in Northern Italy the third Decree allowing increases of salaries to Statal Employees and whether it is proposed to make this retroactive from July 1st.-

E. Scicluna major
E.SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer

Copy to: P.C. Alessandria Province.-

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
ALESSANDRIA PROVINCE
PIEMONTE REGION

REF: PR/AL/A/116 DATE: 12 July 45

SUBJECT: Statal Employees

TO: HQ, AMG, Piemonte Region
(attn - Regional Labour Officer)

The attached application for Liberation premium and other increases of Statal employees is sent to you for your consideration. No doubt the matter is already being examined by your branch and it will be appreciated if some information be given whether possible betterment of the financial situation of this class of people is being envisaged, and if so, how imminently?

L.E. ZERVUDACHI,
Major,
Provincial Commissioner.

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SINDACATI DEL PERSONALE DIPENDENTE DALLO STATO E DAGLI ENTI PUBBLICI DI ALESSANDRIA

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ORDINE DEL GIORNO APPROVATO NELLA SEDUTA DEL 9 LUGLIO 1945

I rappresentanti dei Sindacati del personale dipendente dallo Stato e dagli Enti Ausiliari di Alessandria riuniti in assemblea plenaria nel giorno 9 Luglio 1945 vivamente allarmati per le condizioni morali ed economiche della classe e sopratutto per l'impressionante aumento del costo della vita contro il quale finora non venne adottato alcun adeguato provvedimento, rilevato che, mentre alle altre categorie di impiegati privati furono concessi il premio di liberazione e adeguati miglioramenti economici, il Governo Militare Alleato non ha loro concesso che un limitato aumento nella retribuzione pel mese di giugno inadeguate al caro viveri attuale, lasciando insoluto e indefinito il trattamento per il mese corrente e per i mesi futuri; constatato che ormai non sono più in grado di sopperire sia pure con sacrifici e rinunzie ai più elementari bisogni della vita propria e della propria famiglia:

Chiedono al Governo Militare Alleato che vengano loro concessi:

1°) Premio di Liberazione

2°) Un assegno giornaliero temporaneo di L. 100,= a datare dal 1° Luglio 1945 quale anticipo sugli aumenti degli stipendi che verranno loro in seguito concessi;

3°) La tredicesima mensilità.

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Alessandria 9 Luglio 1945

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Translation CE.

SYNDICATES OF STATAL AND PUBLIC AGENCIES' EMPLOYEES.
OF ALESSANDRIA.

Order-of-the-day approved in the meeting of 9 Jul.45

The representatives of the Syndicates of Statal and Public Agencies' Employees of Alessandria in their full sitting of 9 July 1945 are confirming that they are seriously alarmed for the moral and economical conditions of the category, and principally for the enormous increase of the cost of living, against which no appropriate measure has been taken so far. Therefore, they are pointing out that, whilst other categories of private employees have been granted the "premio di liberazione" and other economic betterments , the Allied Military Government has granted them only a limited increase of their remuneration for the month of June, inadequate to the present high cost of living, leaving unsettled and unresolved their conditions for the current month and for the months to come, and being no more in a position - even under great sacrifices and renunciations - to meet the most elementary needs of themselves and of their families:

they are requesting the Allied Military Government that they may be granted:

(1) The "Premio di Liberazione",

(2) a temporary daily allowance of 100 lire, effective from 1st July 1945, as an advance payment on the salary increases which will be given them later on,

(3) the thirteenth monthly pay.

Alessandria, 9 July 1945.

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HEAD QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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TEL : 493

26 July 1945

REF : LSC/306 + 1007

SUBJECT: Release of Italian Prisoners of War.

TO : F.M.D. I.P.W. Sub-Commission

1. Attached is a letter, together with copy of a translation, from Utensili Emrle, Torino, making application for the release of Merle Nickels, who was a skilled worker previously in the employ of the firm and who is now a prisoner of war in Genoa.

2. This Sub-Commission supports the application and would be glad to be advised in due course of the action taken.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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Merlo

Turin, 18 July 1945

SUBJECT: Release of skilled worker

TO : A.M.G. - Regional Labour Office.

Merlo Michele (class 1917) before being drafted for military service was attached to our firm as "skilled worker". He was made prisoner in Northern Africa in May 1943 is actually in Genoa at the following address: n.193306 Merlo Michele 603 First-Class-Fire-Brigade; Command 151 Fire-Fighting-Corp-Hq. G.M.C.

This firm is given to understand that following agreements made between the Presidency of the Council of Ministers and the War Prisoners High Commission, the Ministry of Labour has obtained authorization of including among the prisoners to be pointed to the Allied Commission for repatriation the skilled workers who are useful for the resumption of national industries.

Therefore we beg the A.M.G. to release the abovementioned prisoner"Merlo" in order that we may have him again as skilled worker.

While awaiting we send best regards.

Merlo.

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MAJOR BOLLANA'S REPORT OF 24/7

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO.394-U.S.ARMY

LSC/806 File
See letter of 7 Aug from Italian Govt - re his 417.
See LSC/417 / 24 July

REF. : PR/LA/47/215 24 July 1945

SUBJECT : AGREEMENT FOR AN EQUAL "INDENNITA' di CONTINGENZA" FOR WOMEN.

TO : DIRECTOR LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION.

1. Reference is made to the Agreement concluded between the "Unione Industriali" and the "Camera del Lavoro" of Torino, on 21 July 1945.

2. This agreement is identical to that signed on 14 July 1945 and subsiquently declared null and void by A.M.G. It conceeds to women exactly the same contingency bonus as to men, both for heads of families and for unmarried women and juveniles.

3. An official signed copy of the "21 July agreement" has not as yet been made available to the Regional Labour Office but with a view to avoiding unnecessary delay I am forwarding herewith the agreement of 14 July in order to enable Labour Sub-Commission to take up forthwith the question of approval with the Italian Government. The official "21 July Agreement" will be forwarded in due course.

4. At a meeting held in Milan on 23 July with C.G.I.L. representatives in Northern Italy and Oreste Lizzadri (Socialist Joint-Secretary C.G.I.L.), it was decided that

(a) A Press notice be published forthwith in the Milan Press, stating that C.G.I.L. had invited Industrial representatives in Northern Italy to consider the question of extention of the Torino agreement to other Provinces in the North; and

(b) Oreste Lizzadri would immediately contact the Italian Government to expedite approval of the Torino agreement for the whole of Northern Italy.

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5. On my suggestion, Lizzadri undertook to bring to the notice of the Italian Government the absolute necessity of seizing this opportunity to give the widest publicity to the principle that the "Milan agreement as modified by the Torino agreement" would constitute the "ceiling" for any other agreements concluded in Northern Italy.

6. The sequence of events leading up to the present situation can be summarised ad follows : -

10 July 1st Agreement signed between Industry and Labour for a "contingency bonus" of 10 lire less than that of the Milan agreement. (Appendix A)

13 July R.I.J.A.C. reccomends approval to R.C. of 10 July Agreement

14 July Women's demonstration organised by U.D.I. - Meeting of Industrial and Labour representatives under the patronage of C.L.N. with the intervention of Sindaco and Prefect's representative - Signature of Agreement conceeding equal treatment to women. (Appendix B).

16 July Ing. Fiorio (Industrial representative) presents to C.L.N., the Prefect and the Sindaco a personal statement and Minutes of the two meetings held on 14 July, bringing into relief the pressure under

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which his signature was obtained. (Appendix C.) - Regional Labour Officer contacts P.C. Torino, D.R.C. Piemonte and Public Safety Officer in order to ensure coordinated action.

17 July "Unione Industriali" adopts motion breaking all relations with "Camera del Lavoro" (Appendix D) - R.C. Piemonte decides to declare agreement of 14 July null and void, through an Official Press Communiqué.

18 July Interview of Ing. Fiorio, Industrial representative, with R.C. - Decision of R.C. to postpone to 21 July the publication of Press communiqué with a view to giving C.L.N. formal notice of same -

19 July "Camera del Lavoro" adopts motion deploring action of "Unione Industriali" and invites local authorities to intervene to repair the situation (Appendix E) - Regional Labour Office interviews Fiorio and Carmagnola seperately to test the ground for a raprochemant.

20 July Official invitation of Regional Labour Office to "Unione Industriali" and "Camera del Lavoro" to attempt conciliation on 21 July with the intervention of Dott. Rognetta, newly appointed Director.

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Appendix A

Il giorno 10 Luglio 1945 ob/

tra l'Unione Industriale della Provincia di Torino, rappresentata dal suo Commissario, Ing. Sandro FIORIO,
e la Camera del Lavoro di Torino, rappresentata dai Segretari CARMAGNOLA Luigi, RAPELLI Giuseppe e FLECCHIA Vittorio,

si è stipulato il seguente accordo per la concessione di una indennità di contingenza al personale occupato negli stabilimenti industriali della Provincia di Torino, tenuta presente la differenza fra i numeri indici tra la città di Milano e quella di Torino :-

1)- A far tempo dal 21 giugno 1945 è istituita una indennità di contingenza giornaliera o mensile, da ragguagliarsi ad ora ed a corrispondersi per le sole ore di effettiva prestazione lavorativa.-
Detta indennità è stabilita nella seguente misura :

	Operai		Impiegati	
	giornal.	orarie	mensili	orarie
a)-Uomini capi famiglia con una persona a carico...L.	110,=	13,75	2.750	13,75
b)-Donne capi famiglia con una persona a carico...L.	100,=	12,50	2.500	12,50
Agli uomini ed alle donne con due o più persone a carico verrà corrisposto un assegno supplementare di L.14,=giornaliere per gli operai o di L.350,= mensili per gli impiegati, ragguagliabili ad ora per ogni persona a carico oltre la prima e limitatamente alle 3 prime persone a carico oltre la prima.....L.	14,=	1,75	350,=	1,75
c)-Uomini non capi famiglia di età superiore agli anni 20 compiuti.r.....L.	92,=	11,50	2.300	11,50
d)-Uomini non capi famiglia				

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c)-Uomini non capi famiglia di età superiore agli anni 20 compiuti.....L.	92,=	11,50	2.300	11,50
d)-Uomini non capi famiglia di età compresa fra i 18 e 20 anni compiuti.....L.	72,=	9,=	1.800	9,=
e)-Donne non capi famiglia di età non superiore ai 20 anni compiuti.....L.	66,=	8,25	1.650	8,25
f)-Donne non capi famiglia di età compresa fra i 18 e 20 anni.....L.	60,=	7,50	1.500	7,50
g)-Uomini e donne non capi famiglia di età inferiore ai 18 anni.....L.	52,=	6,50	1.300	6,50

Per capo famiglia si intende il lavoratore operaio ed impiegato, che fruisca di assegni familiari.- Le ore di assenza verranno dedotte in ragione delle quote orarie sopra stabilite.-

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2)- A far tempo dal 21 giugno 1945, l'indennità di guerra è abolita essendo i relativi importi assorbiti dalle nuove indennità di contingenza.-

3)- L'indennità di contingenza di cui al punto 1) sarà corrisposta ai lavoratori addetti a stabilimenti, cantieri, ecc. siti nel territorio dal comune di Torino, Rivoli, Moncalieri, Settimo e Venaria ed in ragione del 90% ai lavoratori addetti a stabilimenti, cantieri ecc. siti nel restante territorio della provincia di Torino.-

4)- L'indennità di contingenza non costituisce parte integrale della retribuzione ad alcun effetto.- Si farà eccezione soltanto per il compenso spettante per il periodo annuale di ferie e per quello relativo alle festività infrasettimanali.- Essa è esente da ogni contribuzione a scopi previdenziali, sociali ed assicurativi.-

5)- Sono assorbiti nella nuova indennità di contingenze quelle erogazioni percentuali ed aumenti già accordati od oggetto di contratti in corso di stipulazione dal 1° giugno in poi; escluso però quanto si riferisce a liquidazione arretrate e da sistemazione di paghe esistenti a titolo di perequazione, salariale stipulate e ratificate in sede sindacale.- di differenza

6)- Il recupero di quanto da assorbire ai sensi del precedente articolo nonchè della somma di L.1000 di cui all'accordo tra l'Unione Industriale e la Camera del Lavoro in data 21 giugno'45, avverrà ratealmente in modo da esaurirsi entro il 31 luglio corr.anno.-

Eventuali situazioni particolari connesse a trattamenti in natura contrattualmente o di fatto praticati dall"aziende nei confronti dei lavoratori, saranno singolarmente prese in considerazione dalle organizzazioni stipulanti e fatte oggetto di speciali deliberazioni agli effetti dell'applicazione del presente accordo.-

7)- Quanto precede non deve trovare applicazione nei confronti dei dipendenti delle aziende esercenti l'industria degli autotrasporti di merci e persone, dei trasporti in concessione delle tranvie urbane, l'industria delle sartorie per uomo e donna su misura, dei lavoratori a domicilio e dell'industria dello spettacolo.-

Per tali categorie e per tutto l'artigianato in genere verrà trattato a parte.-

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8)- Col 21 giugno 1945 agli operai totalmente sospesi dal lavoro o lavoranti ad orario ridotto al di sotto di 48 ore settimanali, il cui orario venisse ridotto al di sotto di tale limite successivamente, verrà riservato il seguente trattamento economico :

a)- Per le ore di effettiva prestazione lavorativa : corresponsione del normale trattamento economico previsto dai contratti collettivi di lavoro o dai decreti disciplinanti il trattamento salariale delle maestranze a suo tempo emanati dal Commissariato Naz.del Lavoro o dal Ministro del Lavoro della cosi detta Repubblica Sociale Italiana, e della totale indennità di contingenza.-

b)- Per le ore comprese fra le 0 e le 48 settimanali non la-

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verate a causa di riduzione dell'orario di lavoro :

Corresponsione del 50% della retribuzione globale e 50% della indennità di contingenza ragguagliate ad ora a carico della cassa integrazione salari degli operai dell'industria gestita dall'Istituto Nazionale delle Previdenze Sociale :
Corresponsione del 25% dell'anzidetta retribuzione globale e 25% dell'indennità di contingenza ragguagliata ed ora a carico dell'azienda.-
Le presenti disposizioni modificano le norme contrattuali regolanti le integrazioni dei salari agli operai lavoranti ad orario ridotto, ed abrogano o si costituiscono a quelle contenute nei vari decreti disciplinanti il trattamento salariale delle maestranze dipendenti da aziende industriali relativamente alla garanzia del minimo settimanale di retribuzione, fermo restando, come già stabilito nei decreti sopracitati, che nei casi di assenze dovute a fatto del lavoratore (permesso, malattia, infortunio) non si farà luogo ad alcuna integr ione salariale, nè opererà naturalmente la predetta garanzia del minimo.-

L'organizzazione degli industriali, considerato che si tratta di personale che, pur avendo inderogabili esigenze di vita le quali devono essere soddisfatte, si trovano tuttavia nelle condizioni di non poter dare la propria produzione ed è quindi improduttivo, sostiene che l'onere relativo non deve gravare in alcun modo sull'azienda e deve invece gravare sull'Erario.-

Essa svolgerà quindi azione presso le Autorità di Governo per ottenere nel termine più breve che lo Stato si assuma tutti indistintamente gli oneri per erogazioni corrisposte ai lavoratori a fronte di ore non effettivamente lavorate.-

L'organizzazione dei lavoratori nell'interesse dell'economia produttiva nazionale, appoggerà ogni iniziativa tendente a mettere l'industria in condizioni di superare le difficoltà contingenti.-

9)- Al fine di facilitare la ripresa dell'attività produttive tutte le nuove assunzioni di personale, entro dall'entrata in vigore del presente accordo, non sono soggette a nessun blocco di licenziamento.- Sono autorizzati i licenziamenti di tutti gli epurati.-

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10)- L'Unione Industriale e la Camera del Lavoro esamineranno entro il mese di Luglio, in accordo colle delegazione Piemontese del Comitato Interministeriale per la Ricostruzione, la sistemazione dei lavoratori, impiegati ed operai già alle armi nel R. Esercito, C.V.L., prigionieri, soggetti al lavoro obbligatorio, deportati, esuli ed assenti per cause politiche.-

11)- L'Unione Industriale e la Camera del Lavoro si impegnano di stipulare entro il 30 settembre p.v. i nuovi contratti di lavoro per impiegati ed operai.-

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APPENDICE ALL'ACCORDO GENERALE INDENNITA' DI CONTINGENZA PER LA PROVINCIA DI TORINO

Tra L'Unione Industriali - Sezione Abbigliamento - e la Camera del Lavoro di Torino - Sezione Abbigliamento - si conviene quanto segue:

Sciogliendo la riserva contenuta nel recente accordo di carattere collettivo stipulato il 10 Luglio 1945 tra l'Unione Industriale e la Camera del Lavoro per la concessione dell'indennità di contingenza per caroviveri, si stabilisce:

che per l'industria esercente la confezione di articoli di abbigliamento in genere non in serie, al fine di agevolare la formazione dell'apprendistato nella stessa, la misura dell'indennità giornaliera di carovita per gli apprendisti rimane così fissata:

età fra 14 e 15 anni compiuti.....L. 28 giornaliere
età fra 16 e 17 anni compiuti....." 40 "
età fra 17 e 18 anni compiuti....." 52 "

Nel caso di apprendisti assunti in età superiore ai 15 anni, la indennità giornaliera di carovita sarà corrisposta nella misura di:

per apprendisti di anni 16.....L. 34 giornaliere
per apprendisti di anni 17 e 18....." 46 "
per apprendisti assunti dopo il 18° anno....." 42 "

e ciò per la durata dell'apprendistato come da disposizioni vigenti,

Inoltre, le due Organizzazioni convengono:

Nel caso di interruzione normale consuetudinaria di lavoro "morta stagione" la durata della stessa dovrà essere stabilita di comune accordo fra le Commissioni Interne o chi per esse e le singole ditte. Per il periodo di sospensione, accettato dalle maestranze, non decorreranno né salario né indennità di contingenza. Questa particolare conven= [illegible] dell'Organizzazione operaia fino alla stipulazione

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Torino, 13/7/1945

PER LA CAMERA DEL LAVORO
F.to G. Rapelli
F.to Remo Savio

PER L'UNIONE INDUSTRIALE
F.to E. Ceresa
F.to C. Pistoja

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Appendix B

Torino, 14th July 1945

Subsidiary Agreement signed by Fiorio (Industry) and Flecchia / Rapelli (Camera del Lavoro), following a meeting which was attended by the following :

Ing. Canova (Vice-Prefect - Liberal, in the absence of the Prefect), Sig. Roveda (Sindaco - Communist), Avv. Mario Passoni (C.L.N. - Socialist), Dr. Montalenti (C.L.N. - Socialist), Avv. Ugolini (C.L.N. - Communist), Ing. Trevisani (representing the "Industria del Piemonte at the Council of "Industria Alta Italia" - Liberal), Dr. Roccatagliata (Industrial Representative - No party), Representative of U.D.I. - Communist), Ing. Fiorio (C.L.N. Commissario for Industry - Liberal), Avv. Codogni (Executive Director"Unione Industriali" - Liberal) Avv. Bassi (Executive Deputy-Director "Unione Industriali" - Liberal), Sig. Flecchia (Communist-Joint Secretary "Camera del Lavoro"), Sig. Rapelli (Demo-Christian-Joint Secretary "Camera del Lavoro); and other interested observers.

On the invitation of the Regional C.L.N. the "Unione Industriali" and the "Camera del Lavoro" of Torino have examined the agreement stipulated on the 10th instant and refering to the contingency indemnity.

With no change in the other clauses of the same agreement, it is hereby decided that the list of wages herunder for male of female workers and male or female employees, for city and province of Torino shall prevail.

	Workers Days	Time table	Employees Monthly	Time table
a) Head of families with one dependent..... to the head of a family with two or more dependents a supplementary allowance of £. 14 daily will be given; and £. 350 monthly to employees - to be computed on an hourly basis for each dependent, but for not more than three other persons apart from the aforementioned first person.....	£. 110.	13,75	2750.	13,75
	£. 14.	1,75	350.	1,75
b) Workers (without dependents) who are more than 20 years old.	£. 92.	11,50	2300.	11,50
c) Workers (without dependents) who are from 18 to 20 years old.	£. 72.	9.	1800.	9.

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c) Workers (without dependents) who are from 18 to 20 years old.	£. 72.	9.	1800.	9.
d) Workers (without dependents) who are from 16 to 18 years old.	£. 62.	7,75	1550.	7,75
e) Workers (without dependents) who are under 16 years.....	£. 52.	6,50	1300.	6,50

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sgd. Sandro Fiorio

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sgd. Flecchia
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Copia N° B

Torino, 14 Luglio 1945.

Accordo complementare firmato da Fiorio (Industria) e Flecchia-Rapelli (Camera del Lavoro) dopo una riunione in cui furono presenti le seguenti persone :

Ing. Canova (Vice-Prefetto - Liberale) nell'assenza del Prefetto, Sig. Roveda (Sindaco - Comunista), Avv. Mario Passoni (C.L.N. - Socialista), Dott. Montalenti (C.L.N. - Socialista), Avv. Ugolini (C.L.N. - Comunista), Ing. Trevisani (Rappresentante dell'Industria del del Piemonte presso il Consiglio dell'Industria Alta Italia - Liberale), Dott. Roccatagliata (Rappresentante Industriale), (senza partito), (Rappresentante dell'U.D.I. - Comunista), Ing. Fiorio (C.L.N. Commissario per l'Industria - Liberale), Avv. Codogni (Direttore esecutivo dell'Unione Industriali - Liberale), Avv. Bassi (Vice-Direttore esecutivo dell'Unione Industriali - Liberale), Sig. Flecchia (Comunista - Consegretario della Camera del Lavoro), Sig. Rapelli (Democristiano - Consegretario della Camera del Lavoro), ed altre persone interessate presenti.

Su invito del C.L.N. Regionale l'Unione Industriali di Torino e la Camera del Lavoro di Torino hanno preso in esame l'accordo stipulato in data 10 corrente relativo all'indennità di contingenza.

Ferme restando le altre clausole dell'accordo stesso, viene fissata la seguente tabella unica per operai, operaie, impiegati ed impiegate per città e provincia :

	Operai		Impiegati	
	giorn.	orarie	mensili	orarie
a) Capi famiglia con una persona a carico ..... L.	110.=	13.75	2750.=	13.75
ai capi famiglia con due o più persone a carico verrà corrisposto un assegno supplementare di L. 14 giornaliere per gli operai e L. 350= mensili per gli impiegati, raggiungibili ad ora per ogni persona a carico oltre la prima e limitatamente alle tre prime persone a carico oltre la prima L.	14.=	1.75	350.=	1.75
b) Non capi famiglia di età superiore agli anni 20 compiuti L.	92.=	11.50	2300.=	11.50
c) non capi famiglia di età compresa dai 18 ai 20 anni ..... L.	72.=	9.=	1800.=	9.=

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d) Non capi famiglia dai 16 ai 18 anni ..... L.	62.=	7.75	1550.=	7.75
e) Non capi famiglia sotto i 16 anni ..... L.	52.=	6.50	1300.=	6.50

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9 Allegati

UNIONE INDUSTRIALE
OF THE PROVINCE OF TURIN.

17 July 45.

TO : Gen. Marshall, C/O A.M.G. Piemonte.

I deem it my duty to transmit copy of the report I forwarded to the Turin Authorities about the incidents which occurred on Saturday, the 14th of this month, and which have been reported also by the local newspapers.

I add to that report copy of the records of the meeting held, upon invitation of the C.L.N., in the afternoon of the same day for the purpose of establishing, by new negotiations with the Camera del Lavoro, new conditions with reference to the "indennità di contingenza" in modification of those agreed upon with the Camera del Lavoro three days before.

I add also the text of the conditions fixed.

The Commissary

(Sgd.) Ing. Sandro Fiorio.

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UNIONE INDUSTRIALE
OF TURIN PROVINCE.

16 July 1945.

TO : C.L.N.
HE. the Prefect
the Mayor

TURIN.

This morning about 11 hrs while I was elsewhere taking part in an important meeting concerning industrial problems of a general character, I was informed by phone that in front of the Unione Industriale a crowd of women strikers, who had come there from the Camera del Lavoro, requested to speak to me about the "indennità di contingenza" which had already been agreed upon by the Unione Industriale and the Camera del Lavoro, which had signed it, and with which the women workers seemed not to be content.

I could have ignored this request in consideration of the fact that the agreement had already been signed, but, anyway, I deemed convenient not to refuse a meeting with - that was my opinion - the explanation of the wished of the majority of women workers. Therefore I went immediately to the offices of the Unione Industriale in Via Massena N° 20.

On my arrival, at about 11,30 hrs. in addition to the crowd in tumult in Via Massena and in Corso Stati Uniti, I had to face an exaited group which, having entered forcibly the main door of the building and the entrance doors of the several floors where the offices are located, claimed that I as the Commissario of the Unione, should assured them that I was willing to modify the conditions of the agreement introducing in it more favourable conditions for the women workers.

Above was explained to me by about thirty demonstrants acting as the representatives of all other women. I pointed out to them that, as the agreement had been duly agreed upon and approved by the Camera del Lavoro, and as such agreement was very recent, the committee should, if they had any wishes for any additions or modifications, apply to the Camera del Lavoro, I declared that I was willing to negotiate with the representatives of the Camera del Lavoro, and I repeated such declaration from the balcony to the crowd below, induced to ~~deliberate~~ by pressures the nature of which it is not necessary to specify.

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During the discussion with said very numerous committee, the demonstrants invaded another time all offices. The demonstrants not being held back by the Police, which, not withstanding requests by telephone, did not get in time the necessary reinforcements from the Questura, began to destroy sistematically all files papers documents of the office, books, magazines etc. and to insult me and all officials threatening, and attempting to hit those who tried to persuade them to be calm and who endeavoured to explain to them what the position of the Unione was with regard to an agreement which had been agreed upon by the representatives of the Camera del Lavoro, which represents all men and women workers.

At a certain moment a considerable number, particularly excited women became furious against the director and other employees of the Unione, as if they were the only responsibles for an agreement which had been discussed and agreed upon by a numerous Commission of industrials opposed to a numerous Commission of representatives of workers, who were always present at the negotiations together with the secretaries of the Camera del Lavoro Signor Carnegnola, Sig. Rapelli and Sig. Flecchia.

Above named officials were accused to have been fascist and insults and threats were pronounced against them, while the demonstrants attempted several times to hit them.

The situation became so difficult that a corporal of the Polizia del Popolo in order to rescue the director from the dangers for his personal safety which seemed to be imminent, compelled him to stay alone, in one of the office rooms, and a little later ordered his agents to take him to the Barracks of Via Pesaro, where proper investigations about his position would have been made.

From Via Pesaro he was transferred to the Questura and there withheld up to the arrival of the Questore who received him expressing his regret for the incident and provided for his release, as the political position and the attitude of said official of the Unione with regard of the negotiations of social and workers' problems are notorious.

All those who know him really, and not those who pronounce accusations and appreciations without any foundation, know the conciliative spirit of Avv. Codegni who is working for the Industrial organisation since 1910 and negotiated all most important questions in the most difficult periods of the years 1919, 1920 and 1921 and who always tried to come to fair solutions of labour conflicts, and who always aimed to settle labour questions with comprehensive

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objectivity in the general interest of all elements of production.

Witnesses of the above are also the representatives of the Camera del Lavoro who know him since more than twenty years and who will state which was his behaviour after the 8 Sept. 1943, when he defended in the limits of his possibilities, workers threatened to be sent to Germany + and gave instructions to the firms regarding their production activities with a view to patriotic obstructionism.

As a consequence of above facts, and after the intervention of the Authorities, negotiations with Camera del Lavoro were resumed in the afternoon of the same day. A copy of the record of said negotiations is attached. A copy of the new provisions about the high cost of living allowance suggested by said authorities is forwarded too.

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REPORT OF THE MEETING OF UNION EXECUTIVES HELD
CASERTA ON 13 JULY AT 14 HRS. 1945.

(at 17.30 and 19.30 hrs.)

After the Power Workers' demonstration which took place from 10.30 to 14.30 hrs. in front of and inside the premises of the Unione Industriale, the Executives represented by Mr. Lizzadri and Mayelli accompanied by a committee of workers came over to the Unione Industriale at 15.30 hrs. in order to reopen negotiations for the establishment of a new agreement modifying the one which had been signed on the 10th inst. and already notified by Allied Command.

Engineer Mario pointed out that, unless he received new directives for new discussions, he was not authorised to/open a discussion which had already continued for more than 12 days on the basis of directives agreed upon in Milan on the 5th July at the presence of the Ministers of the new Government, the Representatives of the Confederation del Lavoro together with those of the "Comitato del Lavoro" of Turin, Genoa and Milan and of the Unions of the same Provinces.

The Representatives of the Unions del Lavoro pointed out that they were obliged to relate the results to a meeting of the Factory Commissions which was to take place at 16.00 hrs. at the Teatro del Popolo and that in order not to create the opinion it was necessary to a reason why negotiations were in course. Engineer Mario confirmed again that it was not possible to open negotiations, as he considered himself completely deprived of any authority, and he was ready to receive the representatives of "Lavoro" and to present them to the Prefect, who might decide upon by his decree.

The sitting was adjourned without any conclusion to 19.00 hrs, after the meeting of the Internal Commissions.

Engineer Mario, Commissario of the Unione, invited the Prefect's Representative, Engineer Guerra, the Mayor, Dr. Peyron, the members of C.L.N., Dr. Pugnani, Dr. Mario Mayelli of the Socialist Party, Avv. Amedeo Ugolini of the Communist Party; Engineer Trevisani, Secretary for Industry Piemonte Region and representing the Industrialists; Dr. Bonadeo Alain of the Unione, to be present at the meeting fixed for 19.30 hrs. because he thought that if there would be new negotiations they should have

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Nevertheless, in the morning, suddenly, a crowd of women workers who had first met at the Camera del Lavoro were led to the Unione Industriale as they were told that this latter did not want to meet the requests of the Camera del Lavoro concerning uniform treatment for men and women and the distinction between town and province.

Considering the absurdity of this assertion and as it was impossible to admit that a regular duly signed agreement was to be cancelled only because of an inconsiderate demonstration of workers, Engineer Fiorio confirmed once more that he did not consider himself authorised to re-open negotiations unless ordered to do so by the competent authorities, as the whole question was no more an economic but a political one.

The Prefect's Representative, Engineer Canova, who had talked with the Questore, declared that it was difficult to issue orders for the maintenance of order by using force, as the Questore had but a very little number of guards at his disposal. He added, however, that in similar cases he would do his best.

Mayor Revelli is unfavourable to Vice Prefect Canova's opinion and holds that in any case it is not advisable to intervene by force in order not to excite the workers who have a right to express their wishes. He remembers that on the occasion of a similar demonstration in front of the Prefettura some days before he had the guards who were before the Prefettura Palace withdrawn and that he then endeavoured to explain the real meaning of the discussion to the crowd and to calm them. He holds that the Camera del Lavoro should have accompanied the workers to the Unione Industriale in order to open, at its presence, new negotiations for new requests.

He holds, at any rate, that the workers requests should be equitably dealt with by new discussions.

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The Mayor had to leave for other engagements, but the discussion continued, and Ing. Trevisani stated that the question was now no more an economic but a political one, as it was to consider whether or not it was opportune to concede what the workers requested, with a view not to disturb public order. Moreover he pointed out that wha t was being done in Turin would have repercussions in other cities of Northern Italy where an agreement analogous to ours had been stipulated.

He says, too, that the State pays part of the indennith di contingenza of the pay of the workers who are suspended or not fully employed.

Ing. Trevisani proposes that the Press should be informed that the negotiations should be continued on a regional level at the presence of representatives of the Government, of the General Confederation of workers and of Industrials.

The proposal is rejected by the representatives of the C.L.N. and the Camera del Lavoro.

Avv. Ugolini deems it absolutely necessary that an agreement be arrived at immediately, in order to assure maintenance of public order; stressing the particular political situation of the moment, pointing out what already had been said by the Sindaco Rovada, he asks Ing. Trevisani, who having lived many years in France has taken part on other occasions in analogous situations, to associate himself as a member of the C.L.N.R.P. and as a representative of the Liberal Party to the invitation to be addressed to the representatives of the Unione Industriale and the Camera del Lavoro to reopen negotiations.

The other representatives of the C.L.N.R.P. on their part deem it opportune that the discussion be reopened, but in a first moment they do not intend to issue any order to that effect as not all the representatives of the 5 parties are present.

Ing. Fiorio, however, insists in saying that without order of the C.L.N.R.P. by which he had got authority to represent the industrials as Commissario dell'Unione, he does not intend to change the agreement.

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However, considering the invitation of the representatives of the Comitato di Liberazione, he cannot but accept same invitation which he interpretes as an order to get in touch with the Camera del Lavoro. The Camera del Lavoro insisting in saying that a solution be agreed upon with it, state that they are not responsible for the requests made by U.D.I. and declare that they are disposed to modify same requests.

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While the other provisions of said agreement remain unchanged, the following unique schedule for men and women workers and men and women employees of the town and province will apply.

	WORKERS		EMPLOYEES	
	per day	per hour	per month	per hour
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Family heads with 2 or more depending persons will receive a supplementary allowance of Lire 14 per day for workers and of Lire 350 per month for employees or the corresponding amount per hour for each depending person beyond the first and for no more than three persons beyond the first	L. 14.-	1,75	350.-	1,75
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(Appendice "C")

UNIONE INDUSTRIALE
DELLA PROVINCIA DI TORINO

Prot. n. D/c

Torino, 17 Luglio 1945
Via Massena,20

- Al Gen. MARSHALL
COMANDANTE A.M.G. DEL PIEMONTE
TORINO

Ritengo doveroso trasmettere copia del rapporto da me presentato alle Autorità torinesi circa gli incidenti verificatisi sabato 14 corr. e di cui è stato fatto cenno anche sui giornali cittadini.-

Aggiungo a tale rapporto copia del verbale della riunione che si è svolta nel pomeriggio dello stesso giorno per invito del C.L.N. allo scopo di stabilire, attraverso una ripresa di contatto colla Camera del Lavoro, nuove condizioni circa l'indennità di contingenza a modifica di quella concordata tre giorni prima colla stessa Camera del Lavoro.-

Unisco pure il testo delle condizioni fissate.-

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UNIONE INDUSTRIALE DELLA PROVINCIA DI TORINO

14 Luglio 1945

AL COMITATO LIBERAZIONE NAZIONALE

A S.E. IL PREFETTO

AL SINDACO

TORINO

Questa mattina verso le ore 11, mentre mi trovavo altrove per una importante riunione riguardante i problemi industriali di carattere generale, fui avvertito telefonicamente che davanti all'Unione Industriale si era riunita una moltitudine di scioperanti provenienti dalla Camera del Lavoro, le quali richiedevano di poter conferire con me a proposito del recente contratto di lavoro, riguardante l'indennità di contingenza già regolarmente concordata tra l'Unione Industriale e la Camera del Lavoro che l'aveva firmato e di cui sembra che le operaie non fossero soddisfatte.

Avrei potuto anche non tener conto di tale richiesta in considerazione della regolare stipulazione già avvenuta, ma tuttavia ritenni conveniente non rifiutare un incontro con quella che ritenevo una Commissione incaricata di esporre i desideri della massa femminile e non tardai a recarmi alla sede dell'Unione Industriale in via Massena n.20.

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Feci osservare naturalmente che essendo stato il contratto regolarmente accettato ed approvato dalla Camera del Lavoro ed essendo recentissima tale stipulazione, per le eventuali aggiunte e modifiche al contratto stesso, la Commissione doveva rivolgersi alla Camera del Lavoro. Dichiarai che ero disposto a trattare in proposito coi rappresentanti della Camera del Lavoro e tale dichiarazione feci anche pubblicamente dal balcone alla folla sottostante, indottovi da pressioni di cui non occorre specificare i modi.

Durante la discussione con la suddetta numerosissima Commissione, si verificò un nuovo afflusso in tutti gli uffici delle dimostranti le quali, non trattenute dalla forza pubblica che malgrado le sue sollecitazioni telefoniche non aveva potuto ottenere dalla Questura il rapido invio di adeguato rinforzo, si diedero ad una sistematica distruzione dei carteggi d'ufficio, di libri, di riviste e d'altre e cominciarono ad inveire contro la mia persona e contro tutti i funzionari, minacciando, ingiuriando e tentando di colpire coloro che cercavano d'indurle alla calma e che cercavano di far loro comprendere quale era la posizione dell'Unione rispetto ad un accordo che aveva avuto il gradimento dei rappresentanti della Camera del Lavoro che rappresenta la massa degli operai maschili e femminili.

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si verificò un nuovo afflusso in tutti gli uffici delle dimostranti le quali, non trattenute dalla forza pubblica che malgrado le sue sollecitazioni telefoniche non aveva potuto ottenere dalla Questura il rapido invio di adeguato rinforzo, si diedero ad una sistematica distruzione dei carteggi d'ufficio, di libri, di riviste e d'altro e cominciarono ad inveire contro la mia persona e contro tutti i funzionari, minacciando, ingiuriando e tentando di colpire coloro che cercavano d'indurle alla calma e che cercavamo di far loro comprendere quale era la posizione dell'Unione rispetto ad un accordo che aveva avuto il gradimento dei rappresentanti della Camera del Lavoro che rappresenta la massa degli operai maschili e femminili.

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Detti funzionari venivano accusati di essere stati fascisti e contro di loro venivano proferite ingiurie e minaccie, mentre si tentava ripetutamente di colpirli.

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La situazione divenne così tesa che un graduato della Polizia del Popolo per sottrarre il direttore a pericoli per la sua incolumità personale che si manifestavano imminenti, lo costrinse a trattenersi separatamente in uno degli uffici e poco più tardi diede ordine ai suoi agenti di portarlo alla Caserma di Via Pesaro dove sarebbero stati fatti gli opportuni accertamenti circa la sua posizione. Da via Pesaro egli venne in seguito trasferito alla Questura ed ivi trattenuto in attesa del Questore che lo ricevette deplorando l'accaduto e provvide a farlo subito rilasciare, essendo ben notoria la posizione politica e tutto l'atteggiamento del predetto funzionario dell'Unione nelle trattazione delle questioni sociali e sindacali.

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Si trasmette pure copia delle nuove disposizioni circa il conferimento del carovita che, auspici le suddette Autorità, sono state adottate.

IL COMMISSARIO

f.to: Ing.Sandro Fiorio

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VERBALE DELLE RIUNIONI TRA UNIONE INDUSTRIALE E CAMERA DEL LAVORO DEL 14 LUGLIO 1945 (ore 15,30 e ore 19)

Dopo la dimostrazione delle operaie, avvenuta dalle ore 10,30 alle ore 14 davanti e nei locali dell'Unione Industriale, la Camera del Lavoro, nelle persone dei Sigg. Flecchia e Rapelli, accompagnati da una Commissione operaia, è venuta all'Unione Industriale alle ore 15,30 per riaprire le trattative con l'Ing. Fiorio, Commissario dell'Unione, al fine di stabilire un nuovo accordo che variasse quello firmato il giorno 10 corrente e già ratificato dal Comando Alleato.

L'Ing. Fiorio precisò che se non riceveva disposizioni per intavolare nuove trattative, egli non si sentiva autorizzato a riaprire la discussione già protrattasi oltre 15 giorni e sulle direttive di un accordo avvenuto a Milano il giorno 8 luglio, presenti i Ministri del nuovo Governo, i rappresentanti della Confederazione del Lavoro, nonchè quelli della Camera del Lavoro di Torino, Genova e Milano e delle Unioni delle stesse provincie.

I rappresentanti della Camera del Lavoro fecero presente come dovessero riferire ad un'assemblea delle Commissioni Interne indetta per le ore 16 al Teatro del Popolo e perciò era necessario, per non gravare gli animi, di poter informare che trattative erano in corso.

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La seduta venne tolta senza arrivare ad alcuna conclusione e rinviata alle ore 19, dopo la riunione delle Commissioni Interne.

Alla riunione indetta alle ore 19, il Commissario dell'Unione, Ing. Fiorio, pregò di intervenire il rappresentante del Prefetto, Ing. Canova, il Sindaco Sig. Roveda, nonchè i Membri del C.L.N., Sig. Passoni, Dott. Giorgio Montalenti del Partito Socialista, l'avv. Amedeo Ugolini del Partito Comunista, l'Ing. Trevisani, Commissario dell'industria per il Piemonte ed in rappresentanza degli industriali, il Dott. Roccatagliata della Soc. Nebiolo , ritenendo che se dovevano esserci trattative, queste dovevano svolgersi unicamente sul terreno politico.

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Il rappresentante del Prefetto, ing. Canova, che aveva conferito con il Questore, affermò che era difficile poter impartire dispesioni perché l'ordine fosse mantenute con la forza, date le minime disponibilità di guardie a disposizione del Questore, che in ogni modo, in casi analoghi, si sarebbe fatto tutto il possibile.

Il Sindaco Roveda è contrario all'opinione del Vice Prefetto Canova e ritiene che in ogni caso non si debba mai intervenire con la forza per non esacerbare gli animi degli operai, i quali hanno giusto diritto di far valere le loro richieste.

Ricorda come in occasione di un'analoga manifestazione avvenuta davanti alla Prefettura pochi giorni prima, egli innanzi tutto fece ritirare le guardie che erano sotto il palazzo della Prefettura e quindi cercò di chiarire e calmare gli animi sulla vera portata della discussione.

Ritiene che la Camera del Lavoro avrebbe dovuto accompagnare le maestranze all'Unione Industriale per iniziare alla sua presenza eventuali nuove trattative per nuove richieste.

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La rappresentante dell' U.D.I. fa presente la necessità che sui giornali del mattino dopo esca un comunicato che calmi le masse operaie, ricordando che sarebbe possibile avere martedì delle gravi agitazioni operaie a Torino, nel caso che tra l'Unione Industriale e la Camera del Lavoro non si riprendano le trattative.

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Devutosi assentare il Sindaco per altri impegni, la discussione è continuata e ad essa hanno preso parte l'Ing. Trevisani, confermando che la questione era ormai esulata dal campo economico a quello politico, giacché si trattava di esaminare l'opportunità o meno di concedere quanto le masse operaie richiede-

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vano, al fine di non disturbare l'ordine pubblico. Inoltre egli ricorda come quanto venisse fatto a Torino avrebbe avuto ripercussione per le altre città dell'Alta Italia ove venne stipulato accordo analogo al nostro.

Fa primenti presente che lo Stato interviene per una parte nel pagamento dell'indennità di contingenza e& nella retribuzione agli operai sospesi e lavoranti ad orario ridotto.

L'Ing. Trevisani chiede che venga emanato un comunicato alla stampa informante che le trattative debbono essere portate su sede regionale, alla presenza dei rappresentanti del Governo, della Confederazione Generale del Lavoro e degli Industriali.

La proposto viene respinta dai rapresentanti del C.L.N. e della Camera del Lavoro.

L'Avv. Ugolini ritiene assolutamente necessario che si arrivi ad un accordo immediato, per assicurare il mantenimento dell'ordine pubblico; si appella alla particolare situazione politica del momento, sottolineando quanto già detto in precedenza dal Sindaco Reveda e chiede all'Ing. Trevisani, che per aver vissuto molti anni in Francia ha partecipato in altre occasione a situazioni analoghe, di volersi associare, come membro aggiunto del C.L.N.R.P. in rappresentanza del P.L. all'invito da indirizzarsi alle rappresentanze dell'Unione Industriale e della Camera del Lavoro,a riprendere le trattative.

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L'Ing. Fiorio però insiste che senza un ordine del C.L.N.R.P. dal quale egli ha avuto mandato di rappresentare gli industriali quale Commissario dell'Unione, egli non intende fare alcuna variazione all'accordo.

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Il Dott. Roccatagliata chiede che venga resa pubblica una deplorazione da parte della Camera del Lavoro e del C.L.N. per gli inconsulti atti di vandalismo nei quali ha sfociato la manifestazione operaia della mattinata, ma sia che la Camera del Lavoro come il C.L.N. si oppongono a tale deplorazione.

Dopo ampie discussioni i rappresentanti del Comitato di Liberazione, in considerazione che i Partiti mancanti potevano essere rappresentanti dall'Ing. Trevisani per il Partito Liberale e Rapelli per il Democristiano, stabiliscono di invitare l'Unione Industriale, nella persona dell'ing. Sandro Fiorio, e la Camera del Lavoro, nella persona del sig. Flecchia e sig. Rapelli come rappresentanza operaie e dell' U.D.I., di riprendere le trattative.

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Egli non può di fronte all'invito rivoltegli dai rappresentanti del Comitato di Liberazione, che conformarsi all'invito stesso che interpreta come un ordine per la ripresa dei contatti con la Camera del Lavoro.

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La Camera del Lavoro insiste perché la soluzione venga con essa concordata dichiarando che essa non è responsabile delle

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richieste presentate dall'U.D.I. e dichiarandosi disposta e modifiche delle richieste stesse.

L'Ing. Fiorio, rilevando che la questione ha esorbitato dal campo economico sindacale e che per l'intervento del C.L.N. le discussioni e le conclusioni rientrano ormai nell'ambito strettamente politico, dichiara di rinunciare per ora a qualunque ulteriore eccezione circa i rapporti con la Camera del Lavoro ed acconsente a firmare il verbale che fissa le nuove condizioni.

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Torino, 14 Luglio 1945

Su invito del C.L.N. Regionale l'Unione Industriale di Torino e la Camera del Lavoro di Torino hanno preso in esame l'accordo stipulato in data 10 corrente relativo all'indennità di contingenza.

Ferme restando le altre clausole dell'accordo stesso, viene fissata la seguente tabella unica per operai, operaie, impiegati ed impiegate per città e provincia :

	Operai		Impiegati	
	giorn.	orarie	mensili	orarie
a)- Capi famiglia con una persona a carico .....L.	110.-	13,75	2750.-	13,75
ai capi famiglia con due o più persone a carico verrà corrisposto un assegno supplementare di L. 14 giornaliere per gli operai e L.350.- mensili per gli impiegati, raggiungibili ad ora per ogni persona a carico oltre la prima e limitatamente alle tre prime persone a carico oltre la prima .....L.	14.-	1,75	350.-	1,75
b)- Non capi famiglia di età superiore agli anni 20 compiuti .....L.	92.-	11,50	2300.-	11,50
c)- Non capi famiglia di età compresa dai 18 ai 20 anni .....L.	72.-	9.-	1800.-	9.-
d)- Non capi famiglia dai 16 ai 18 anni .....L.	62.-	7,75	1550.-	7,75
e)- Non capi famiglia sotto ai 16 anni .....L.	52.-	6,50	1300.-	6,50

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APPENDIX "D"

TRANSLATION

The "Consiglio Direttivo" of the "Unione Industriali" on the 17th July 1945 -

having heard Ing. Florio's relation on the events of Saturday 14 inst. which led up to the modification of the agreements previously concluded;

while approving, in its determineting causes, the action pursued by the Commissario of the Unione -

Considering that, three days before, precise agreements were signed between the two organisations of the province, after the Milano egreement's extension, decided in the presence of six member of the Government, of the Secretariat of the "Confederazione Generale del Lavoro" and of representatives of the "Camera del Lavoro" and of the "Unione Industriali dell'Alta Italia";

in recording that the immediate acceptence of requests presented to the "Unione Industriali" was determined by the intervention of Political Authorities, as a consequence of public acts of violence;

in pointing out that acts of violence had determined a substencial alteration of labour relations, transfering the question from an economic to a political field;

affirms unanimously that it is no longer in a position to shoulder such responsabilities (of which in these critical times everyone is fully conscious) as devolve on Industrialists, without first receiving a guarantee that labour agreements freely concluded would not be altered under the pressure, of outside forces.

Therefore decides to make a formal protest to the competent Authorities over the events that have taken place and to suspend any further negotiations sufficient guarantee of freedom in discussion and in the conclusion of agreements.

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APPENDIX "D"

Il Consiglio Direttivo dell'Unione Industriale riunitosi in data 17 Luglio 1945 -

udita la relazione dell'Ing. Fiorio sugli avvenimenti di sabato 14 corr. che portarono alla modifica degli accordi precedentemente presi.-

mentre approva nelle sue ragioni determinanti l'opera del Commissario dell'Unione -

considerato che tre giorni prima accordi precisi erano stati firmati fra le due Organizzazioni della Provincia a seguito della estensione degli accordi di Milano decisa alla presenza di sei membri del Governo, del Segretario della Confederazione Generale del Lavoro e delle rappresentanze della Camera del Lavoro e delle Unioni Industriali dell'Alta Italia;

constatato che l'immediata accettazione da parte dell'Unione Industriale delle richieste presentate è stata determinata dall'intervento delle Autorità politiche conseguenziale alle manifestazioni di violenza;

rileva che l'episodio di violenza ha determinato la sostanziale alterazione dei rapporti sindacali trasferendone la sostanza del campo economico a quello politico;

afferma unanime di non poter continuare ed assumersi per l'avvenire le responsabilità che comportano agli industriali, di cui tutti sono consci nell'attuale delicato momento, senza la garanzia che gli accordi sindacali liberamente intervenuti non vengano alterati sotto la pressione di forze estranee.

Delibera quindi di elevare formale protesta alle Autorità competenti per i fatti avvenuti e di sospendere ogni ulteriore trattativa con la Camera del Lavoro, fino a quando il Governo non darà sufficiente garanzia, del libero svolgimento delle discussioni e degli accordi sindacali.

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(APPENDIX E.)

TRANSLATION

The Executive Commission of the "Camera del Lavoro", having examined the communication of the "Unione Industriali", in the first place approves the work already done by the Secretariat in defence of the workers 'right aiming at a return to normal conditions the life in the factories, in business concerns and to develop satisfactory labour relations.

Reaffirms the indispensable principle of discipline on the part of all organised workers in respect of deliberations of their own free Trade-Union orgenisations and of the "Camera del Lavoro", as the recognised representatives of the organised working classes in the Province of Torino.

confirms that the recent manifestation in Torino, directed towards obtaining an adequate high cost of living indemnity and the equalisation of male and female workers, was the natural outcome of the prolonged precarious situation of the working classes;

declares that the additional contingency indemnity pacy made with the "Unione degli Industriali", uhder the auspices of the "Giunta del Governo"-Regionale", bringing up to the same financial levels female and Provincial workers is fully valid, as it is an act of justice, freely agreed to by the two syndical organs as a consequance of legitimate requests made by the interested workers.

consideres the decision of the Unione Industriali to suspend the relations with the "Camera del Lavoro", an inconsiderate act, forerunner of important consequences.

recalls the attention of the competent Authorities to the sacrifices, continuously borne by the working classes and to the efforts that the "Camera del Lavoro" is making to prevent more violent manifestations as a reaction to the too many food privations borne by them;

Points out, furthermore, leaving to the responsable bodies all the initiatives over this matter, that the workers' dissatisfaction is also due to disappointment over the delayed elimination of the persons notoriously compromised with the germans and fascists.

invites, in the meantime, the competent authorities to appeal to the "Unione Industriali" to resume, without delay, normal relations with the "Camera del Lavoro" in order to continue in their work of stabilising relations between the employers and workmen, without which every effort to formalize activities at the factory level and in commercial concerns will remain without any useful result.

Torino, 19 July 1945.

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APPENDIX "E"

La Commissione Esecutiva della Camera del Lavoro, esaminata la comunicazione dell'Unione Industriali, approva innanzitutto l'opera della Segreteria finora svolta in difesa dei diritti dei lavoratori per avviare verso un normale aspetto la vita nelle fabbriche, nelle aziende e sviluppare i rapporti sindacali.

Ribadisce il concetto dell'indispensabile disciplina da parte di tutti i lavoratori organizzati alle deliberazioni dei propri liberi organismi sindacali di categoria e della Camera del Lavoro quale Ente rappresentativo di tutta la classe lavoratrice organizzata nella Provincia di Torino.

Riconferma che le ultime manifestazioni verificatesi a Torino per un'adeguata indennità di carovita e per l'equiparazione degli assegni fra mano d'opera maschile e femminile, sono state spontanee reazioni alle continue preoccupanti privazioni della classe lavoratrice;

dichiara che il patto supplementare di indennità di contingenza concluso con l'Unione degli Industriali, sotto gli auspici della Giunta del Governo Regionale, patto che equipara la mano d'opera femminile/e delle Provincia, deve avere piena validità poichè esso è un atto di giustizia riparatrice liberamente convenuto fra i due organi sindacali, a seguito delle legittime richieste della parte lavoratrice interessata.

Considera la deliberazione dell'Unione Industriali di sospendere i rapporti con la Camera del Lavoro un atto inconsiderato, foriero di gravi conseguenze.

Richiama l'attenzione delle competenti Autorità sui sacrifici a cui sottostanno continuamente le classi lavoratrici e sugli sforzi che la Camera del Lavoro va compiendo per evitare che questi determinino manifestazioni più violente quale reazione alle troppe rinuncie alimentarie cui devono sottostare.

Segnala inoltre; lasciando agli organi responsabili tutte le iniziative su questa materia, che il malcontento dei lavoratori è dovuto anche alle delusioni cui sono stati soggetti per la epurazione degli elementi notoriamente compromessi coi tedeschi e coi fascisti.

Invita pertanto le competenti Autorità ad intervenire presso l'Unione degli Industriali acciocchè riprenda con sollecitudine i rapporti con la Camera del Lavoro per continuare quell'opera di sistemazione dei rapporti tra datori di lavoro e prestatori d'opera senza la quale ogni tentativo di normalizzare la vita negli stabilimenti e nelle aziende rimarrà senza proficuo risultato.

Torino, 19 Luglio 1945

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Appendix F

Torino, 21st. July 1945

Representatives of the "Camera del Lavoro" and of the "Unione Industriali", called together before the "Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale per il Piemonte" and under the auspices of the same, having reaffirmed the common aim that the negotiations between the employers and the workers be always developed in a serene atmosphere of reciprocal understanding and in the forms freely accepted by both, with the essential purpose to face and solve the difficult and urgent problems of the reconstruction in an effective spirit of national solidarity, decide to resume their relations for the solution of the problems still pending.

The C.L.N. records, with much pleasure, the declarations made by the representatives of the two parties, praises the efficatious work so far done and trusts that all the representatives will give their full support to this work directed towards the superior end of the national solidarity in a spirit of deep comprehension and of civil responsability.

The "Comitato di Liberazione
per il Piemonte"

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Torino 21 Luglio 1945

I rappresentanti della Camera del Lavoro e dell'Unione Industriali, riuniti innanzi al Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale per il Piemonte e sotto gli auspici dello stesso.

riaffermato il concorde proposito che le trattative fra i rappresentanti dei datori di lavoro e dei lavoratori si svolgano sempre in una serena atmosfera di reciproca comprensione e nelle forme liberamente consentite, allo scopo essenziale di affrontare e risolvere gli ardui ed urgenti problemi della ricostruzione in un effettivo spirito di solidarietà nazionale

deliberano di riprendere i contatti per la risoluzione dei problemi attualmente pendenti

il C.L.N. prende atto con vivo compiacimento delle dichiarazione rese dai rappresentanti delle die categorie elogiandone l'opera fattiva sin qui svolta e confidando che a questa opera intesa ai superiori fini della solidarietà nazionale tutti i rappresentanti daranno il loro pieno appoggio con uno spirito di profonda comprensione e con sensi di civile responsabilità.

Il Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale

per il Piemonte

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Appendix G

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
A.P.O. 394 U.S. ARMY

REF. : PR/LA/40/20S 21 Luglio 1945

OGGETTO: Messaggio della C.G.I.L.

Alla Camera del Lavoro di Torino.

Per ordine della "Commissione Alleata" vi comunico l'allegato testo di un messaggio urgente inviato dalla "Confederazione Generale Italiana del Lavoro" tramite la suddetta Commissione Alleata.

E. SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer.

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Alla REGIONE PIEMONTE, e. p. c. REGIONE VENEZIA. REGIONE LOMBARDIA. REGIONE EMILIA. REGIONE LIGURIA.

1. Vogliate, per favore comunicare col mezzo più rapido che vi sia possibile il seguente messaggio della Confederazione Italiana Generale del Lavoro alla Camera del Lavoro Torino.

2. Incomincia: Noi siamo informati che la dimostrazione femminile davanti all'Unione Industriali ottenne la firma dell'accordo che riconosceva alle donne capi di famiglia la stessa indennità di contingenza degli uomini. Le autorità Regionali non intendono di riconoscere tale accordo perché si presume sia stato ottenuto sotto violenta pressione. Le stesse autorità propongono di dichiare l'accordo nullo e non valido. Onde regolarizzare prevenire incidenti simili. Noi proponiamo che la Camera del Lavoro assume la responsabilità di nuove contrattazioni regolari con l'Unione Industriale con lo scopo di conseguire una soluzione per quanto possibile similare perché possa estendersi per tutta l'Italia Settentrionale. Per questa ragione mettetevi in contatto con la delegazione del Segretariato Confederale di Milano. Firmato da Vittorio Lizzardi, Segretario della Confederazione Italiana del Lavoro.

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PIEMONTE REGION, VENEZIA REGION, LOMBARDIA REGION, EMILIA REGION LIGURIA REGION.

1. PLEASE CONVEY BY QUICKEST MEANS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM ITALIAN GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOUR TO CAMERA DEL LAVORO TURIN.

2. BEGINS WE ARE INFORMED THAT DEMOSTRATION WOMEN BEFORE UNIONE INDUSTRIALE OBTAINED SIGNATURE AGREEMENT RECOGNISING WOMEN HEADS OF FAMILIES SAME CONTINGENCY INDEMNITY AS MEN. REGIONAL AUTHORITIES DO NOT RECOGNISE SUCH AGREEMENT BECAUSE PERSUMELY OBTAINED UNDER VIOLENT PRESSURE. SAME AUTHORITIES PROPOSE DECLARE AGREEMENT NULL AND VOID. TO REGULARISE PREVENT SIMILARE INCIDENTS WE PROPOSE THAT CAMERA DEL LAVORO ASSUMES RESPONSABILITY NEW REGULARE NEGOTIATIONS WITH UNIONE INDUSTRIALE WITH A VIEW TO OBTAINING SOLUTION AS NEARLY AS POSSIBLE SIMILAR THAT CAN BE EXTENDED THROUGHOUT NORTHERN ITALY. FOR THIS PURPOSE MAKE CONTACT WITH DELEGATION CONFEDERAL SECRETARIAT MILAN. SIGNED DI VITTORIO LIZZADRI SECRETARIES ITALIAN GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOUR.

DIST. : RC & DEC
Action - Reg. Labour O.

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Appendix H.

The "UFFICIO REGIONALE DEL LAVORO" - taking cognisance of the Press communique issued by A.M.G. and of the agreement reached under the auspices of C.L.N. between the "Camera del Lavoro" and the "Unione Industriali" for the re-establishement of normal relations, in a spirit of national solidarity and in the common interest, has called together the representatives of the two parties, in order to know their exact views on the question of "Contingency indemnity".

The said representatives, in considering that the dispute determined by the demonstration of women and leading up to the agreement stipulated on the 14th July 1945, was the outcome of difficult prevalent conditions of life for women workers and of the particular local food situation at the present time: in expressing the hope that the wages of female workers should find without delay a solution on the national plan;

taking into account the temporary character of the contingency indemnity,

have resolved to renew in the same financial terms the agreement signed on the 14th July 1945, equalising the continuency indemnity of women to that of the men and of provincial zone to that of cities.

In taking into account the importance of the renewed agreement, placing new financial burdens on the State, the "UFFICIO REGIONALE DEL LAVORO" will immediately submit the agreement for ratification to the Italian Government and the Allied Commission in Rome.

Torino, 21th July 1945.

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L'UFFICIO REGIONALE DEL LAVORO - presa conoscenza del comunicato dell'A.M.G. e dell'accordo intervenuto sotto gli auspici del CLN. tra la Camera del Lavoro e l'Unione Industriali per la ripresa dei rapporti in uno spirito di solidarietà nazionale e nel reciproco interesse, ha convocato i rappresentanti delle due parti per conoscere il loro esatto pensiero sulla questione delle indennità di contingenza.

Detti rappresentanti, considerato che la vertenza determinata dell'agitazione delle donne, conclusasi con un accordo stipulato il 14 Luglio 1945, derivava dal riconoscimento delle difficili condizioni di vita attuali delle lavoratrici e dalla particolare situazione alimentare locale, in questo periodo;
- mentre auspicano che la sistemazione salariale della mano d'opera femminile trovi sollecitamente una soluzione sul piano nazionale;
- tenuto conto del carattere di temporaneità delle indennità di contingenza;
hanno deliberato di rinnovare nei suoi medesimi termini l'accordo firmato il 14 Luglio 1945, sull'equiparazione delle indennità di contingenza femminili a quelle maschili e delle indennità provinciali a quelle di città.

Data l'importanza del rinnovato accordo, che comporta movi oneri finanziari dello Stato, l'UFFICIO REGIONALE DEL LAVORO lo sottoporrà immediatamente per la ratifica al Governo Italiano e alla Commissione Alleata a Roma.

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Torino, 21 Luglio 1945

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File C5C/806

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 234
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

Tel: 204

Ref: C5C/806

23 July, 1945.

Subject: Appointment of l'Avv. Enrico Ferraris di Celle to Unione Agricoltori di Cuneo.

To: Regional Labour Officer,
Piemonte, Region.

1. This Sub-Commission and Agriculture Sub-Commission see no objection to the above appointment, and perhaps therefore you will have the two attached letters despatched.

V.E. BRAINE

Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel. 483081 - 324.

REF : LSC/806

23 July 1945

SUBJECT: Spinelli Decrees

TO : R.C.'s (attn. Labour Officers)
Lombardia
Venezia
Liguria
Emilia
Venezia Giulia for info only

I. You may have received copy of a memo dated 5th July 1945 from Piemonte Region giving the Regional Legal Officer's ruling on the scope of D.L.L. 249 and General Order 41. The observations of the Regional Labour Officer were as follows:

(a) The Spinelli decrees issued by the Republican Fascist Government increased salaries in private industry.

(b) D.L.L. No. 249 of 5th Oct. 44 declares all decrees of the Republican Fascist Government null and void. It came into effect after our entry into the Region.

(c) G.O. 41 orders that the rates of wages shall from the effective date of said order, be the rates which were in fact in force on 9 April 43 (Art. XII-).

(d) The questions raised by R. Labour O. are as follows:

1) The majority of concerns obeyed the Spinelli decrees increasing the wages accordingly. Must they continue to pay these increases?

2) A minority of concerns did not obey the Spinelli decrees. Can they be compelled to pay these increases now?

3) If the answer to (2) is yes, from which date should those increases be paid?

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(e) It is the opinion of this office that Art. XXI of C.O. 41 is properly constructed as applying to rates of wages generally and not to the rate prevailing in individual places of business.

(f) Art. XXI applies by its terms to "rates which were in fact in force". The Republican Fascist Government was a de facto Government and the rates ordained by it were in fact in force on 3 April 1945.

(g) Accordingly the concerns which paid the increases should continue to do.

(h) Concerns which did not obey the decrees, should now be compelled to pay these increases.

(i) C.O. No. 41 provides that it shall come into effect on the date of first posting in the Province. Therefore, concerns which did not pay the increases prior thereto must pay them from the date of posting.

II. The Chief Legal Adviser, Legal Sub-Commission Allied Commission, has agreed and confirmed the foregoing ruling. He draws attention to the fact that R.D.L. 180 of 25 April 1945 enables the Italian Government to reintegrate increases in wages and salaries granted by the so called Republican Government as remaining in force until further order.

III. The legal opinion is therefore circulated for the information of all Regional Labour Officers, Regional and Provincial Labour Directors (Italian) and Regional Italian Joint Advisory Committees (RIJAC).

W. M. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

Copies to

Economic section
Finance Sub-Com
Legal Sub-Com
G-5 A.F.H.Q.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

REF. : LSC/806

21 July 1945

SUBJECT : Spinelli Decrees.

TO : Regional Commissioner Piemonte
(for attention of Labour Officer).

1. Your minute of 7th July on PR/LA/31/129 refers.

2. You will wish to know that the Chief Legal Advisor to the Legal Sub-Commission has agreed and confirmed the ruling given by Lt. Col. Mercer. The Chief Legal Advisor specially points out that DLL 180 of 26 April 1945 enables the Italian Government to recognise increases in wages and salaries granted by the so called Republican Government as remaining in force until further order(Art.1). Increases of wages and salaries under the Spinelli Decrees must therefore remain in force until new legislation is promulgated.

3. The opinion of the Chief Legal Advisor has been circulated to all Regions.

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W. M. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

21 July 1945

TEL : 489081 - 493
REF : LSC/806/411/413
SUBJECT : Remuneration of State and Para-Statal Employees in Northern Italy.
TO : Finance Sub-Commission.

Attached for your information and any action you deem to be desirable is copy of a communication from the Regional Labour Office, Piemonte Region, together with copy of a communication from the Provincial Commissioner, Alessandria Province, and memorandum presented by the Association of Statal and Para-Statal Employees.

This Sub-Commission would be glad to be advised of details of any action it is decided to initiate.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
A.P.O. 394 U.S. ARMY

REF. : PR/LA/121/204 21 July 1945

SUBJECT: Release of Merlo Michele

TO : H.Q. A.C. Rome
Director Labour Sub-Commission

1. Reference is made to the attached request from Messrs. "Merlo - Manifattura Utensili" for the release of Merlo Michele.

2. I am given to understand that A.F.H.Q. has ruled that prisoners of war now in Italy shall be released forthwith.

3. May arrangements please be made to forward the attached application to the competent Sub-Commission for the re-patriation of the above mentioned Michele Merlo.

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E. SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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Messrs. Merlo

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APO 394
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Cross Reference Sheet.

File: LSC/806

Subject: CANTILLI

Date: 20 July 1945

To: LABOR S/C

From: HQ PIEDMONTE

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 394-US ARMY

PR/LA/19/189 18 JULY 1945

SUBJECT:- Labour Officers for Piemonte.

TO :- Director Labour Sub-Commission.

1. Reference is made to the Piemonte Region May and June monthly Labour Reports, wherein it was requested that at least two more officers be assigned to this Division for field work.

2. Lt. Records, whose papers were handed over to Mr. Bird in Milan after the Conference of Regional Labour Officers, is keen on taking up these duties and he impresses me as being a suitable and willing candidate.

3? As he has now been recalled to his Regiment, I submit that he be interviewed on reporting to Labour Sub-Commission in case arrangements can be made to obtain his release in order to assign him to this Division. I believe that it is not necessary for me to substantiate any further the urgent requirements of Labour Officers for this Region.

E. Scicluna Major

E. Scicluna, Major
Regional Labour Officer.

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I have been with A.C as a provincial officer now for two months. I have been with Aosta Province Piemonte Region. My present plans include first a visit with my regimental S-2 (168 Inf) to ask for a release and an ok for additional td with IV A.C. Then to 5 Army with the same request.

If successful I hope to report to A.C Piemonte Labor Division for duty. And then perhaps to secure a permeat assignment with AC in the Labor Sub Commission.

If you should desire to interview me I can be at your office when convenient. I expect to be with my former company — Co "F" 168 Inf 34 Division.

Mr. Hird has already seen papers concerning my request for transfer and may perhaps desire to interview me. I might be interested in remaining in Italy with the Labor division in a civilian capacity.

SPENCER E. SEEMORES
1st Lt Inf. USA
168 Inf Apo 34

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Merlo

Turin, 18 July 1945

SUBJECT: Release of skilled worker

TO : A.M.G. - Regional Labour Offices.

Merlo Michele (class 1917) before being drafted for military service was attached to our firm as "skilled worker". He was made prisoner in Northern Africa in May 1943 is actually in Genoa at the following address: n.193306 Merlo Michele 603 First-Class-Fire-Brigade; Command 151 Fire-Fighting-Corp-Hq. G.M.G.

This firm is given to understand that following agreements made between the Presidency of the Council of Ministers and the War Prisoners High Commission, the Ministry of Labour has obtained authorization of including among the prisoners to be pointed to the Allied Commission for repatriation the skilled workers who are useful for the resumption of national industries.

Therefore we beg the A.M.G. to release the abovementioned prisoners"Merlo" in order that we may have him again as skilled worker.

While awaiting we send best regards.

Merlo.

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

REF. : LSC/806 18 July 1945

SUBJECT : Wage agreement for personnel of Sale Taxes Contractors.

TO : Regional Commissioner. Piemonte.

1. Reference your PR/LA 47/144 of 7th July 1945.

2. The new agreement has been examined and in light of the recommendation of the R.I.J.AC. and in view of the fact that it was concluded on an Inter-Regional basis and is intended for general application throughout Northern Italian territory, it is agreed that formal approval should be now accorded to the agreement.

3. In view of the Inter-Regional character of the agreement, I shall be glad if you will arrange for copies of the agreement to be transmitted to all other Regional Commissioners.

W.H. BRAINS
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTER ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

LSC/413

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17 July 1945.

AC/4039/5/L.

SUBJECT : Spinelli Decrees.

TO : Labour Sub-Commission.

1. This Sub-Commission agrees with Col. Mercer's interpretation as to the scope of DLL 249 and General Order N°.41, especially in view of the fact that DLL 180 of 26 April 1945 enables the Italian Government to recognize increases in wages and salaries granted by the so called Republican Government as remaining in force until further order (Art.1). As you are aware, DLL 180 was passed in order to conform to the provisions of General Order N°.41.

2. Increases of wages and salaries under the Spinelli decrees must therefore remain in force until new legislation is promulgated.

3. On the other hand this Sub-Commission is of opinion that matters of policy in prices and wages such as this should be dealt with by Labour Sub-Commission and any directives in this respect issued by them.

G. G. HANNAFORD,
Lt. Col.,
Officer i/c Italian Branch,
for Chief Legal Advisor.

Copy to : AC/4010/4/L.

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
~~Mr. W.H. BRAINE~~		
Mr. SACHS		
Mr. HIRD		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss. STEVENSON		
~~Miss. SANSEVERINO~~		
Chief Clerk		

REMARKS:

Please attach papers. MK 19

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NICHOLAS PICERNO
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

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Tel: 234

16 July 1945

Ref: LSC/806

SUBJECT: Turin -- Demonstration of Women Workers -- 14 July 1945

TO : Acting Vice President, Security Section

1. It should be noted for information that the Union of Italian women in Turin organized a demonstration on 14 July in which 5,000 women workers from principally Turin factories took part. The demonstration was not authorized by Comando del Lavoro of Turin, who were unable to control it. Industrialists were forced to receive deputation using force and threats.

2. Further report from Turin is expected.

W. H. SHARPE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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REF : LSC/606

16 July 1945

SUBJECT: Spinelli Decrees

TO : Legal Section

1. Attached is copy of a memorandum by Regional Legal Officer, Piemonte to Regional Labour Officer.

2. It is suggested that the interpretation and operation of these Decrees has general application throughout all Northern Italy, and Labour Officers in other Regions would welcome advice.

3. If you approve with the ruling given by Lt. Col. Mercer perhaps you can agree to promulgate a statement on those lines, at an early date, to all Regions. This Sub-Commission would be glad to have a copy of any memorandum you may issue on the subject.

W. H. BRAINE

W. H. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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FR/LS/209 5 July 1945

SUBJECT: SPINELLI DECREES

TO : R. LABOUR O. PIEMONTE REGION

1. The above decrees issued by the Republican Fascist Government increased salaries in private industry.

2. D.L.L. no.249 of 5 Oct.44 declares all decrees of the Republican Fascist Government null and void. It came into effect after our entry into the Region.

3. G.O. 41 orders that the rates of wages shall from the effective date of said order, be the rates which were in fact in force on 3 April 45 (Art. III).

4. The questions raised by R. Labor O. are as follows:

a) The majority of concerns obeyed the Spinelli decrees increasing the wages accordingly. Must they continue to pay those increases?

b) A minority of concerns did not obey the Spinelli decrees. Can they be compelled to pay those increases now?

c) If the answer to (b) is yes, from which date should those increases be paid?

5. It is the opinion of this office that Art. III of G.O. 41 is properly construed as applying to rates of wages generally and not to the rate prevailing in individual places of business.

6. Art. III applies by its terms to "rates which were in fact in force". The Republican Fascist Government was a de facto Government and the rates ordained by it were in fact in force on 3 April 1945.

7. Accordingly the concerns which paid the increases should continue to do.

8. Concerns which did not obey the decrees, should now be compelled to pay those increases.

9. G.O. No. 41 provides that it shall come into effect on the date of first posting in the Province. Therefore, concerns which did not pay the increases prior thereto must pay them from the date of posting.

EDWIN J. MERCER
Lt.Col.,Ord.
Regional Legal Officer.

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SUBJECT: PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS
TO : P.W. DIVISION PIEMONTE

14 July 1945

1. Reference is made to the established policy of relieving unemployment through projects of
a) demolition and debris clearance; and
b) Public works.

2. The latest figures for (a) surplus workers in Industry; and (b) unemployed drawing benefits, indicate an upward trend.

The situation for 1st. July is as follows : -

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Asti	3671	1740	398
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Novara	23439	12719	995
Torino	90000	50000	5474
Vercelli	35171	17000	577
	173063	93279	10621

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c) Wage Scale to be applied in respect of such Public Works project;

4. The urgent necessity of not delaying any further the initiation of such public works need hardly be emphasised. Any material or moral help which this Division might give in expediting this matter, is placed at your disposal.

E. Scicluna Major

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEDMONTE REGION
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CSC/806

REF. : PR/LA/47/164 12 July 1945

SUBJECT: WAGE AGREEMENTS.-

TO : P.C. - Novara.-
(Personal att'n and att'n Provincial Labour L.O.)

1. Reference is made to the communication of the Provincial Labour Liaison PR/LA/5 undated, wich reached this Division on 9 July 45.-

2. Attached to the above mentioned letter were copies of three decrees issued by the Prefect of Novara, viz:

(i) Decree on "carovita" idemnity for industrial workers, dated 21/6/45,
(ii) Decree on "carovita" indemnity on the lines of (i) above, with a substantial addition stipulating a payment of a further 15 Lire per day for each dependent of the worker or employee, dated 30/6/45,
(iii) Decree on "carovita" indemnity in respedt of employees and workmen employed by Commercial Firms, dated 28/6/45.-

3. At the meeting held on 1st July 45 with the Regional Commissioner the only decree discussed was 2(i) above; no mention was made of 2(ii) and 2(iii).-As agreed at this meeting RIJAC/RC have approved the agreement mentioned in 2(i), such approval being only given in principle and with the proviso that this agreement would be revised with a view to conforming same to the Milan Agreement now approved by AC/AMG.- No approval has been, of course, given to agreement 2(iii), wich has never been submitted to RIJAC and RC.-

4. A circular of this Division is being prepared for compliance by P.C.'s in all matters affecting wage agreement. It is essential that these directives be followed scrupulously, if some sort of discipline is to be achieved in the Wage field.

5. It is submitted that at the earliest possible time steps be taken (a) to revise the agreements in question, using

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the Milan agreements as a pattern, and (b) to submit through the Provincial Labour Office, these agreements for review and approval by MIJAC and Regional Commissioner.-

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PARA TWO FD NOTICE IN CONFORMITY WITH PIKEPETS PROVISIONS YOU MAY REPORT FULL DETAILS IN COURSE OF TEN DAYS FD

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DAVID C. BAGNS
Deputy Director
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9 July Econ.Sec.

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APO 394-U.S.ARMY

REF : PR/LA/40/140 7 July 1945

SUBJECT : Torino Demonstration 4 July 45

TO : Director Labour Sub-Commission

1. Reference is made to my cable on above subject.

2. Herewith attached is the memorandum presented by representatives of the demonstrations to the Prefect and Provincial Commissioner.

3. At an interview with the Joint Secretaries of "Camera del Lavoro", the three secretaries categorically disclaimed any initiative in the demonstration and, while expressing sympathy with the demonstrators, were prepared to admit that the agitation was ill-advised when representatives of Industry and Labour were still in the process of discussing wage increases on a basis of "caro-vita" indemnity.

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Presented to Prefect on 5/7/45 by Secretariat of "Camera" and Delegation of demonstrators.

E. SCICLUNA, Major

Torino, 5 Luglio 1945

Le delegazioni operaie constatata la manifestazione di ferma volontà della massa operaia alla Camera del Lavoro deliberano di rivolgere alle Autorità e all'Unione degli Industriali le seguenti richieste:

1°) - Completa ed integrale applicazione degli accordi di Milano per l'indennità di caro-vita anche a Torino.

2°) - Provvedimenti contro il continuo rialzo dei prezzi e del costo della vita e per il reperimento delle derrate.

3°) - Pagamento a tutti del premio di emergenza.

4°) - Epurazione della S.E.P.R.A.L. e controllo di essa da parte dei Lavoratori.

5°) - Abolire lo stipendio degli epurati.

6°) - Riassunzione Partigiani al lavoro e loro trattamento.

7°) - Trattamento vittime politiche.

8°) - Per le riassunzioni. Prima di essere riassunti gli epurati si dovrà dare la precedenza ai Volontari della Libertà ed ai lavoratori disoccupati.

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Date: 8 July 1945

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From: PIEMONTE REGION

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REF. : PR/LA/2/141 7 July 1945
SUBJECT : MINUTES OF R.I.J.A.C. MEETINGS
TO : DIRECTOR LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

1. Reference is made to your LSC/910 + 408 dated 26 June 1945 asking for copies of minutes of the meetings held by R.I.J.A.C. (Piemonte).

2. All future minutes will be forwarded as soon as these have been read and accepted by the Committee.

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VERBALE DELLA ADUNANZA TENUTA IL GIORNO 4 LUGLIO DAL COMITATO CONSULTIVO MISTO ITALIANO - LAVORO ED INDUSTRIA - PER IL PIEMONTE

Sono presenti i Sigg. :

DOTT. GUGLIELMONE - Presidente
SIG. ROVEDA GIOVANNI - Rappresentante dei Lavoratori
ING. FIORIO SANDRO - Rappresentante degli Industriali
MAGG. E. SCICLUNA - Ufficiale Regionale della Divisione Lavoro

Funge da Segretario il

SIG. CARPO GIOVANNI

Si è dato lettura ed è stato approvato il verbale della seduta precedente.

Si è passato in seguito all'esame delle seguenti questioni all'ordine del giorno :

CONSIDERAZIONI GENERALI IN MATERIA DI ADEGUAMENTI SALARIALI

L'Ing. FIORIO esprime l'avviso che gli accordi aziendali dovrebbero essere limitati alle aziende con caratteristiche tecniche che si differenziano da quelle dei rami principali di attività e le cui maestranze appartengono a categorie professionali di tipo speciale mentre, in linea generale, è opportuno vengano stipulati i contratti di lavoro per tutte le aziende appartenenti ai vari rami di attività industriale.

Il Comitato fa proprie le raccomandazioni dell'Ing. Fiorio, le quali verranno comunicate alle organizzazioni Sindacali interessate. 2112

ACCORDO SALARIALE DIPENDENTI DALLE AZIENDE APPALTATRICI IMPOSTA DI CONSUMO E TASSE DEL NORD ITALIA

Si rileva che l'accordo è stato stipulato per tutte le Regioni del Nord Italia e pertanto dovrebbe essere sottoposto alla approvazione degli organi centrali competenti.

Tuttavia allo scopo di non determinare ritardo alla entrata in vigore del citato accordo, il Comitato, tenuto conto che i nuovi stipendi fissati sono inferiori a quelli in vigore nel Piemonte per le altre categorie di lavoratori assimilabili a quelli contemplati dell'accordo stesso, esprime parere favorevole, naturalmente però nei soli confronti della zona del Piemonte escludendo le altre dalla propria competenza.

DITTA PENTENERO LUIGI - FABBRICA DI ABRASIVI - TORINO - RICHIESTA DI AUTORIZZAZIONE PER LICENZIAMENTO DI TUTTO IL PERSONALE

Il Comitato è d'avviso che la rottura dei rapporti di lavoro si ha automati-

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camente soltanto nel caso di dissesto della azienda. Pertanto la ditta anche se temporaneamente inattiva, è tenuta alla osservanza degli obblighi vigenti in regime di blocco dei licenziamenti.

Il Comitato raccomanda peraltro all'Ufficio Regionale del Lavoro di interessarsi presso l'Intendenza di Finanza affinchè venga effettuato il pagamento almeno parziale, dei danni di guerra sofferti dall'azienda e di segnalare la Ditta agli Enti competenti per lavori pubblici perchè, nel caso di assunzione del personale, diano la precedenza a quello attualmente in carico passivo presso l'azienda.

DITTA VOLPINI LUIGI - IMPRESA EDILE - TORINO - RICHIESTA DI ESONERO DAL PAGAMENTO DELL'ANTICIPO DI L. 1.000.=

Il Comitato è d'avviso che la ditta deve provvedere alla corresponsione ai dipendenti lavoratori dell'anticipo di L. 1.000.= concordato fra la Unione degli Industriali e la Camera del Lavoro di Torino.

In considerazione delle gravi difficoltà finanziarie in cui si trova l'azienda è stato interessato il locale Ufficio del Lavoro a rivolgere premure al Genio Civile perchè provveda, nel limite del possibile, al pagamento, quanto meno parziale, dei crediti della ditta.

ACCORDO PER ANTICIPO INDENNITA' CARO VITA LAVORATORI DELL'INDUSTRIA PROV. ASTI

ACCORDO PER ANTICIPO INDENNITA' CARO VITA LAVORATORI DEL COMMERCIO PROV. ASTI

ACCORDO PER INDENNITA' CARO VITA AILAVORATORI DEL COMMERCIO DELLA PROVINCIA DI ALESSANDRIA

Il Comitato ha espresso parere favorevole nei riguardi dei citati accordi in considerazione della necessità di soddisfare alla più immediate esigenze dei lavoratori in attesa che vengano portate a termine le trattative in corso per la determinazione della indennità di carovita.

ACCORDO CIRCA L'INDENNITA' DI CARO VITA AI LAVORATORI DELL'INDUSTRIA DELLA PROV. DI NOVARA

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Il Comitato, mentre esprime parere favorevole alla convalida degli accordi citati segnala la opportunità che le modalità tecniche degli accordi già raggiunti vengano uniformate per tutta l'Italia del Nord con gli altri in corso di stipulazione limitando le eventuali differenziazioni fra le varie Provincie alla sola entità della indennità di carovita.

QUESTIONI VARIE

Trattamento economico e posizione giuridica degli operai e degli impiegati che hanno partecipato alla lotta di resistenza e provvedimenti a favore dei lavoratori deportati in Germania che rientrano in Patria.

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Situazione aziende decentrate che intendono rientrare in sede nei confronti del licenziamento degli operai e situazione delle aziende che, pur avendo mestranea esuberante, sono tenute a riassumere in servizio loro dipendenti che lasciarono, il lavoro per svolgere attività partigiana.

Circa le due prime questioni l'Avv. GUGLIELMONE esprime l'avviso che l'onere per arretrati salariali stabiliti dal C.L.N. a favore dei partigiani dovrebbe essere sopportato dalla Cassa Sussidi Richiamati alle armi o da altri Enti statali ed in ogni caso non dovrebbe gravare esclusivamente sulle singole ditte, ma essere ripartito fra tutte le aziende dei vari rami di attività.

Circa il rientro in sede delle aziende decentrate il Sindaco Roveda si dichiara contrario data la necessità di non aggravare ulteriormente la situazione alimentare e degli alloggi di Torino.

Data la importanza e la complessità delle citate questioni, il Comitato ha deciso di rinviare le stesse alla prossima seduta per un più profondo esame.

IL PRESIDENTE

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VERBALE DELL'ADUNANZA TENUTA IL GIORNO 9 GIUGNO 1945 DAL COMITATO CONSULTIVO MISTO ITALIANO REGIONALE "LAVORO ED INDUSTRIA.

Sono presenti:

Dott. GUGLIELMONE Teresio - Presidente della Sezione Economica del C.L.N. Regionale, rappresentante provvisorio del Governo Italiano;

Dott. PORINO Angelo - Rappresentante degli Industriali;

Sig. ROVEDA Giovanni - Rappresentante dei Lavoratori;

Sig. Magg. E. SCICLUNA - Ufficiale Regionale del Lavoro;

Sig. CARPO Giovanni - Ispettore dell'Ispettorato del Lavoro.

Il Comitato ha proceduto alla nomina del Presidente nella persona del Sig. Dott. Guglielmone e del Segretario nella persona del Sig. Giovanni Carpo.

Si é stabilito che il Comitato si riunirà nuovamente nel mese in corso alle ore 10 del giorno 16 e del 26 e successivamente alla stessa ora di un mercoledì ogni due settimane a partire dal 4 luglio p. V.

E' stata in seguito esaminata la situazione dei rapporti di lavoro nel Piemonte nei riguardi particolari del costo della vita, dei salari, della disoccupazione e delle loro ripercussioni sulla situazione economica politica generale. Al riguardo sono stati fatti voti perché le Autorità Alleate facciano tutto il possibile per accellerare l'approvvigionamento delle principali materie prime industriali, specie del carbone, al fine di consentire una graduale ripresa dell'attività degli stabilimenti.

Si é pure ravvisata l'opportunità che le gerarchie competenti elaborino con la massima urgenza piani di ricostruzione delle opere pubbliche e degli edifici privati tenendo conto, nello stabilire l'ordine di precedenza da dare alla attuazione dei citati piani, anche del minore o maggiore impiego di operai da impiegare al fine di favorire il riassorbimento della mano d'opera esuberante nei più importanti rami dell'attività industriale.

Ai fini della normalizzazione della situazione delle aziende é stata rilevata l'opportunità di accellerare i lavori delle Commissioni Provinciali di epurazione. In tema di epurazione il Comitato

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segnala che non sembra equo fare carico ai datori di lavoro della corresponsione di salario o stipendio ai lavoratori sospesi dal servizio in attesa delle decisioni della Commissione Provinciale e che sarebbe più logico applicare nei citati casi il trattamento previsto dal Contratto di Lavoro che disciplina il funzionamento della Cassa Integrazione Guadagni.

Circa il problema dei prezzi dei generi alimentari é stata segnalata la tendenza ad un ulteriore aumento la quale, qualora dovesse svilupparsi, determinerebbe un nuovo perturbamento dell'equilibrio tra i salari ed il costo della vita con imprevedibili conseguenze di ordine sociale e politico.

Il Comitato ha espresso l'avviso che, per frenare l'accennata tendenza potrebbe essere utile procedere alla revisione generale dei prezzi adeguandoli all'attuale livello dei costi, nonché favorire lo sviluppo dell'opera di controllo e di attenuazione del contrasto tra commercianti e compratori da parte del C.L.N. di prefiria e di campagna.

Il Comitato é passato in seguito all'esame di alcuni accordi concernenti le variazioni salariali esprimendo parere favorevole nei riguardi di quello stipulato a favore degli operai addetti alla stampa dei giornali quotidiani e dipendenti dalla Società Editrice "La Stampa" e Società Editrice Torinese "STET".

Il Comitato ha invece deciso di rinviare alla prossima seduta l'esame degli accordi relativi agli operai della Società Anonima Fabbriche penne "Aurora" e quello concernente i dirigenti di aziende Industriali per supplemento di istruttoria.

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IL PRESIDENTE

F.to Dott. Guglielmone

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VERBALE DELLA ADUNANZA TENUTA IL GIORNO 16 GIUGNO 1945 DAL COMITATO CONSULTIVO MISTO ITALIANO -"LAVORO E INDUSTRIA"- PER IL PIEMONTE

Sono presenti i seguenti membri:

Dott. GUGLIELMONE - Presidente.
Sig. ROVEDA Giovanni - Rappresentante dei Lavoratori.
Ing. FIORIO Sandro - Rappresentante degli Industriali.
Magg. E. SCICLUNA - Ufficiale Regionale della Divisione Lavoro.

Funge da segretario il

Sig. CARPO Giovanni

E' pure presente il

Dott. PORINO Angelo - Quale membro aggiunto in rappresentanza della piccola e media industria.

Il Presidente ha dato lettura del verbale precedente che é stato aprrovato.

Magg. SCICLUNA - Segnala il fatto che,,succesaivamente alla prima seduta del Comitato, la Camera del Lavoro e l'Unione Industriali hanno presentato alla Divisione Lavoro del Comando Alleato una memoria intesa ad ottenere che venga riconosciuta la validità agli accordi di adeguamenti salariali liberamente stipulati tra le organizzazioni sindacali interessate le quali offrirebbero sufficiente garanzia di tener conto nella stipulazione dei citati accordi non solo delle necessità dei lavoratori e delle possibilità dei datori di lavoro ma anche dell'interesse nazionale consistente nell'evitare,o quantomeno contenere l'aumento dei prezzi ed il conseguente deprezzamento della lira. La richiesta é basata inoltre sulla necessità di non recare, specie nell'attuale periodo di ricostruzione dell'ordinamento sindacale basato sulla libertà di organizzazione e di contrattazione, alcun pregiudizio ai nuovi organismi sindacali nonché consentire l'intervento immediato dei provvedimenti salariali concordati. Al riguardo il Magg. Scicluna, mentre si é riservato di sottoporre la questione alle decisioni del Comando Militare Alleato, riconosce che le personeche sono a capo delle organizzazioni sindacali danno pieno affidamento di possedere un alto senso di responsabilità quale é richiesto dall'attuale difficile e complessa situazione sindacale. Peraltro, nell'attesa della decisione che verrà presa al riguardo dalle superiori autorità, si dovrebbe continuare a seguire la procedura prestabilita al fine di portare all'esame del Comitato Consultivo

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e poi alla decisione del Comando Alleato, gli accordi salariali che sono già stati presentati alla Divisione Lavoro.

Ing. FIORIO - Precisa che lo scopo della memoria presentata é quello di ottenere che venga mantenuta la tradizione del periodo prefascista nel senso di ottenere la piena validità dei contratti liberamente stipulati dalle parti interessate senza l'intervento di organi esterni il ché é reso inoltre necessario dall'opportunità di evitare i ritardi che inevitabilmente si hanno nell'applicazione degli accordi qualora gli stessi debbano essere sottoposti alla preventiva approvazione. A quest'ultimo riguardo cita il caso della vetreria Lodi di Torino, da parecchi mesi inattiva, la cui ripresa di lavoro é subordinata all'entrata in vigore dell'accordo salariale recentemente stipulato.

Sig. ROVEDA - Espone che la questione in esame ha un riflesso politico in quanto i lavoratori negli ultimi venti anni hanno perso la loro fiducia nelle organizzazioni sindacali per la riconquista della quale i nuovi sindacati hanno bisogno che sia loro riconosciuta la necessaria autorità e prestigio. La procedura adottata dal Governo Alleato farebbe perdere in parte i benefici dei provvedimenti salariali concordati e potrebbe essere motivo di malcontento tra le parti interessate. Riconosce che il Governo Alleato ha il diritto di conoscere quanto avviene nel campo economico e sindacale del paese e di intervenire qualora si verificassero situazioni ritenute dannose al graduale riassetto economico della Nazione e perà tanto gli accordi stipulati dovrebbero essere immediatamente comunicati al Comando stesso.

Avv. GUGLIELMONE - Espone l'avviso che il controllo preventivo da parte del Governo Alleato é da ritenere opportuno ai fini del freno all'inflazione allo scopo di evitare aumenti salariali di notevole entità, accettati da aziende che si trovano in condizioni particolarmente favorevoli si risolvano in un ingiustificato aumento dei prezzi e determinino richieste di aumenti anche nei confronti delle altre aziende.

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Magg. SCICLUNA - Dichiara che la procedura di approvazione può essere notevolmente accellerata così da evitare in gran parte gli inconvenienti di cui si é accennato. Entrando nel merito della questione esprime il parere che, in linea di massima, si potrebbe convenire di ritenere senz'altro validi gli accordi salariali che comportano, rispetto alla situazione preesistente, aumenti non superiori ad una determinata percentuale, sottoponendo quindi a controllo preventivo soltanto gli accordi che comportano aumenti superiori alla percentuale stabilita. In ogni caso il Comitato Consultivo ha facoltà di considerare come implicito il proprio parere favorevole quando le maggiorazioni salariali non superano il limite fissato

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e ciò accellererebbe notevolmente la procedura.

Avv. GUGLIELMONE - Riafferma la necessità del blocco dei salari e dei prezzi ai fini della difesa della lira la quale comporta naturalmente anche altri provvedimenti in altri campi.

Ing. FIORIO - Esprime l'avviso che il blocco dei prezzi e dei salari a livelli inadeguati non é sufficiente ai fini antiinflazionistici e che é invece necessario promuovere la ripresa degli approvvigionamenti delle materie prime e della attività industriale.

Sig. ROVEDA - Condivide il pensiero dell'Ing. Fiorio ed afferma che il blocco dei prezzi e dei salari non ha potuto essere concretamente attuato dal fascismo e neppure dal Governo Alleato in quanto urta contro leggi economiche che non si possono facilmente modificare. Quindi poiché in realtà, malgrado ogni sforzo, i prezzi continuano ad aumentare é inevitabile aumentare i salari anche se il sistema é deprecabile.

Dott. PORINO - Pur riconoscendo la contingente necessità di aumentare i salari dichiare che occorre fare ogni sforzo per frenare il rialzo del costo della vita ed é indispensabile riconoscerne la reale entità al fine di averne un orientamento per la fissazione degli aumenti salariali.

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Avv. GUGLIELMONE - Propone nell'esame del Comitato la questione dell'allontanamento dalle aziende delle donne assunte nel periodo di guerra al fine di sostituirle con uomini data specialmente la necessità di dare lavoro agli ex prigionieri en internati.

Sig. ROVEDA - Si dichiara nettamente contrario nella sostituzione delle donne in quanto la ritiene un provvedimento reazionario ed afferma che occorre riconoscere alla donna diritti uguali all'uomo anche nel campo del lavoro.

Magg. SCICLUNA - Circa il problema dei licenziamenti in generale riferisce che il COL. Marshall già da tre settimane ha nominato un Comitato ristretto per lo studio dei provvedimenti da adottare al riguardo. D'altra parte risulta che il Governo Italiano ha in corso l'emanazione di una legge intesa a disciplinare la materia in senso nazionale; peraltro, qualora il provvedimento legislativo non intervenisse tempestivamente, occorrerebbe addivenire ad una nuova proroga del blocco.

Sig. ROVEDA - Circa la normalizzazione del lavoro nelle aziende afferma la necessità di mantenere presenti nelle aziende soltanto i lavoratori per i quali vi é possibilità di lavoro. Ad evitare la piaga della disoccupazione si dovrebbe ricorrere al sistema dei turni di lavoro anche allo scopo di mantenere integri gli organici delle maestranze. Nelle giornate libere i lavoratori, pure rimanendo in forza presso le rispettive aziende, potrebbero essere impie-

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gati in lavori di pubblica utilità facendo appello al loro senso di solidarietà nazionale. Richiede inoltre che l'onere derivante dall'attuazione dei turni di lavoro in rapporto all'obbligo del mantenimenti del guadagno minimo settimanale potrebbe essere sopportato dai datori di lavoro almeno fino a tutto il 1946 dati i rilevanti profitti realizzati negli ultimi anni.

Chiusa la discussione di carattere generale si passa all'esame dei seguenti accordi salariali:

Contratto di lavoro per i dirigenti di aziende industriali.

Sig. ROVEDA - Rileva nel contratto la mancanza di dati precisi specie di quelli relativi ai minimi di stipendio.

Ing. FIORIO - Spiega che nel caso in esame trattasi di un contratto già da tempo elaborato e che non é entrato in vigore prima della emanazione del blocco da parte del Governo Militare Alleato soltanto per cause fortuite. Il contratto stesso, mira a far fruire i dirigenti dei benefici apportati agli impiegati dal contratto di lavoro- Decreto 2 Marzo 1945 entrato in vigore il 1° Gennaio 1945 - e lo stipendio minimo dei dirigenti viene a risultare di £. 7.500 mensili.

In tali condizioni il Comitato esprime parere favorevole alla convalida dell'accordo con l'impegno peraltro delle parti di addivenire nel più breve termine possibile alla revisione dello stesso in base ai nuovi principi e direttive sindacali.

Contratto trebbiatori Provincia di Cuneo

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Il Comitato esprime parere favorevole all'approvazione del contratto stipulato in quanto le nuove paghe fissate presentano, rispetto a quelle effettivamente praticate nello scorso anno aumenti di entità non sensibilmente superiore alle maggiorazioni verificatesi in altri settori tenuto conto anche che nel caso in esame trattasi di lavori a carattere stagionale.

Sig. ROVEDA - Si dichiara peraltro contrario all'orario di dieci ore giornaliere stabilite dal contratto in questione.

Magg. SCICLUNA - Osserva al riguardo che la questione dell'orario non entra nelle attribuzioni del Comitato e che, rivestendo carattere generale, potrà essere più opportunamente trattato in sede sindacale.

IL PRESIDENTE

F.to Dott. Guglielmone

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VERBALE DELL'ADUNANZA TENUTA IL GIORNO 26 GIUGNO 1945

DAL COMITATO CONSULTIVO MISTO ITALIANO "LAVORO E INDUSTRIA" PER IL PIEMONTE

Sono presenti i seguenti membri :

Dott. MIGLIARDI LEONE	-	Presidente in sostituzione dell'Avv. Guglielmone
Sig. ROVEDA GIOVANNI	-	Rappresentante dei lavoratori
Dott. PORINO ANGELO	-	Rappresentante degli Industriali in sostituzione dell'Ing. Fiorio
Ten. CANTILLI JAMES	-	in sostituzione del Magg. E. Scicluna
Sig. CARPO GIOVANNI	-	Segretario

Si è dato lettura e sono stati approvati i verbali della seduta ordinaria del 16 Giugno 1945 e di quella straordinaria del 22 stesso mese.

Si passa in seguito all'esame dei seguenti accordi salariali :

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DITTA FAUSTO CARDELLO = TORINO

Il dr. PORINO rileva che l'accordo in esame, e gli altri stipulati per altre aziende, hanno carattere temporaneo dato che sono in corso trattative per l'adeguamento generale delle paghe.

Il Sig. ROVEDA rileva che le maggiorazioni salariali stabilite per il lavoro notturno sono eccessivamente basse rispetto al maggior disagio ed alle maggiori spese derivanti al lavoratore. Ritiene pure insufficiente la garanzia della maggiorazione del 15% per il cottimo.

Il Dr. MIGLIARDI è d'avviso che le modifiche alle norme vigenti circa la garanzia del guadagno di cottimo e le maggiorazioni per il lavoro ordinario effettivo e notturno debbano essere attuate con accordo generale e non con contratti aziendali i quali dovrebbero riguardare soltanto la parte strettamente salariale (paghe orarie, indennità di caro-vita ecc.).

SOC. TALCO GRAFITE VAL CHISONE = PINEROLO

Trattasi di azienda che non ha avuto l'adeguamento salariale attuato per decreto nel gennaio u.s. per i principali rami di industria.

Le nuove paghe superano lievemente quelle in vigore per le corrispondenti categorie del ramo metallurgico.

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SOCIETA' ANONIMA AURORA
Fabbrica Penne Stilografiche - Torino

Trattasi di uno stabilimento che da circa un anno lavorava a regime alquanto ridotto con salari rimasti pressocchè invariati.

Il Sig. ROVEDA rileva il fatto che per le donne il salario fissato è sensibilmente inferiore a quello contrattuale dei metallurgici.

Si conviene il rinvio dell'esame dell'accordo alla prossima adunata per un supplemento di istruttoria.

DITTA AURELIO STELLA
Lavorazione Graniti - Torino

Le nuove paghe risultano elevate in rapporto alla speciale gravosità della lavorazione ed al fatto che i lavoratori dell'azienda non usufruiscono dei comuni benefici indiretti. (mense, spacci, ecc.).

ACCORDO SALARIALE MIETITORI E TREBBIATORI PROV. CUNEO

Il Sig. ROVEDA esprime il proprio dissenso circa gli orari di lavoro eccessivamente lunghi stabiliti dall'accordo.

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SOCIETA' ANONIMA CINZANO SANTA VITTORIA - CUNEO

Il notevole aumento di paga che si rileva rispetto alla situazione preesistente (70%) è in rapporto al fatto che lo stabilimento è rimasto per molto tempo inattivo e le paghe precedenti erano eccezionalmente basse.

Il Comitato esprime parere favorevole alla autorizzazione delle maggiorazioni salariali contemplate dagli accordi esaminati i quali, è da ritenere, verranno ad essere assorbiti dagli accordi di carattere generale di imminente stipulazione.

DITTE INDUSTRIALI DELLA ZONA DI FORNO CANAVESE, RIVARA E CORIO
Richiesta di differenziazione salariale.

Il Comitato è d'avviso che nell'attuale anormale situazione economica non è possibile conoscere se ed in quale misura di sosto della vita nelle citate zone sia inferiore a quello dei grandi centri urbani.

Pertanto la questione riflettente il ripristino, per gli operai occupati negli stabilimenti situati nelle citate zone, di un trattamento salariale leggermente inferiore a quello stabilito in linea generale potrà essere presa in considerazione in occasione della stipulazione dei prossimi contratti di lavoro.

IL PRESIDENTE F.TO GUGLIELMONE

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PROVINCE OF VERCELLI

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TELEPHONE NOS. 2490 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4

DEPARTMENT VERCELLI, 7/9/ 1945

TO

LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

HQ ALLIED COMMISSION

ROME

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AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION = VERCELLI PROVINCE

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Prot. N° 296/C

Vercelli July 2and. 1945

To the Allied Military Governor of
the Province of Vercelli.

Subject: Deliberation of the Representatives of rice-growing Provinces.

In accordance with the request of the A.M.G. Advisory Committee, this Association has called a meeting in Vercelli of the rice growing Provinces Representatives and of the Agricultural Associations which are concerned, on June 30th last.

It is our duty to acquaint you with the official deliberations taken during that meeting and we trust you will kindly take and interest in the questions concerning the farmers' lives in this and all rice-growing Provinces.

Should you want any further explanation we are at your disposal.

The President
Dott. Carlo Alberto Gallesio

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AGRI( )TURE ASSOCIATION - VERCELLI PROVINCE

To the A.M.G. VERCELLI PROVINCE

The Representatives of the Agricultural Associations of the Novara Pavia and Vercelli Provinces, and of the Novara and Vercelli Provincial Trade Unions (Camera del Lavoro) assembled on June 30th 1945 in the Prefecture of Vercelli, under the Presidence of the Prefect of the sale Province. The meeting was attended by the Ente Risi Commissioner Dr. Ramponi, by the Director of the Provincial Agricoltural Inspectorship (Ispettorato Agrario Provinciale), by Prof. Sampietro of the Experimental Organization for Rice-growing (Stazione Sperimentale Ente Risi). The purpose of the meeting was to exsamine various questions concerning agriculture, in accordance with the order of the day approved by the A.M.G. dated June 12th 1945. They came to the following.

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I) The cost price of rough-rice was unanimously fixed in 500 -520 lire instead of lire 330 as fixed before.

2) It is deemed urgent to pay Lire 520 a ql. for the rough-rice harvested in 1944 and still lying in stock. The Ente Risi will undertake to distribute the difference in price (from L. 330 to L.520) for the 400.000 Ql. still lying in stock, on the whole production of last year.

3) All the people attending the meeting agree that the prices fixed for wheat and ather cereals to be harvested in 1945 and recently published, are insufficient.

4) They trust that when prices of agricultural produce are fixed, the real costs of production as pointed out by the tecnical, recognized commissions, will be taken into consideration

5) The peasants' Representatives pointed out that it is necessary to equalise wages to the cost of living. They will send in detailed proposal and they stated they would examine the requests which will be sent in in a few days and will grant them, provide the rise in wages will be taken into account in fixing the price of rough-rice 1945 and of other agricoltural produce (milk, meat, oil seeds) for xhich it is urgent to come to a conclusion.

6) As to the transports of fertilizers the Commissionar of the Consorzio Agrario informed the people attending the meeting that the A.M.G. has undertaken to provide for the transport of fertilizers to the different Provinces with its own means as far as possible.

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7) Since it is absolutely necessary to settle the question concerning the rent of farms, the Ente Risi Commissioner was charged to see whether any disposition on the matter had been issued by the Luogotenenziale Government so that it may be possible for the qualified Authorities to issue dispositions with regard to the postponment of rents to November IIth 1946 and to the prices to be taken as a basis in order to fix the rents.

At last all the people attending the meeting ex)ressed their hope the Authorities will beg the Allied Military Commands to help them in finding a right solution to the questions.

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Mr Braine:

Not to my knowledge. The further details promised at (5) have not, as far as I know, reached us

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO.394-U.S.ARMY

REF. : PR/LA 31/129 7 July 1945
SUBJECT : SPINELLI DECREES
TO : DIRECTOR LABOUR S/C.

1. Reference is made to the question relating to the applicability of the Spinelli Decrees as outlined in the same Monthly Report (Labour) under para. 8.

2. Herewith attached is the ruling given by Legal Division. It is proposed to follow this policy in Piemonte.

E. Scialuma, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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PR/LE/209

5 July 1945

SUBJECT : SPINELLI DECREES

TO : R. LABOUR O. PIEMONTE REGION

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2. D.L.L. N° 249 of 5 Oct. 44 declares all decrees of the Republican Fascist Government null and void. It came into effect after our entry into the Region.

3. C.O. 41 orders that the rates of wages shall from the effective date of said order, be the rates which were <u>in fact in force</u> on 3 April 45 (Art.III).

4. The questions raised by R. Labor O. are as follows :

a) The majority of concerns obeyed the Spinelli decrees increasing the wages accordingly. Must they continue to pay these increases ?

b) A minority of concerns did not obey the Spinelli decrees, Can they be compelled to pay those increases now ?

c) If the answer to (b) is yes, from which date should those increases be paid ?

5. It is the opinion of this office that Art.III of C.O. 41 is properly construed as applying to rates of wages generally and not to the rate prevailing in individual places of business.

6. Art.III applies by its terms to "rates which were in fact in force". The Republican Fascist Government was a de facto Government and the rates ordained by it were in fact in force on 3 April 1945.

7. Accordingly the concerns which paid the increases should continue to do.

8. Concerns which did not obey the decrees, should now be compelled to pay those increases.

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Edwin J. Mercer
Lt. Col., Ord.
Regional Legal Officer.

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Regional Legal Officer.

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Mr Bravic

The "Richezza Mobile" and the "Imposta Complementare" are forms of Income Tax which go to the state.

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Miss Stevenson - FO
This sort of
transaction should NOT
be taken into account
in calculating rates.
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

Tel.: 478828

REF. : LSC/806

7 June 1945

SUBJECT : Official Wage Rates for Industry.

TO : Major E. Soiciuna, Regional Labour Officer.

1. The wage schedules attached to your minute of 1st June have been received at this office, and I shall be glad if you will convey my thanks to all officers concerned in the compilation of these very excellent studies.

2. It is noted that trattenute deductions are shown on the returns, but I was under the impression that such deductions were not made in Northern Districts. Perhaps you would be good enough to clear this point for me.

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W. F. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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PR/LA/64/68

15 June 1945

From:- H.Q.,A.M.G.,Piemonte Region, Labor Division.
To :- H.Q.,A.C. - (Att'n.- Director Labour Sub-Commission).

1. In a great many cases Social Service contributions were transferred by the Republican Legislation from Employee to Employers. This arrangements was accepted as a "de facto" situation by this division.

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PR/LA/64/68 15 June 1945

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REMARKS:

(5) But where do these deductions go? Into Social Service Fund or into P.A.Y.E.?

D. Lapraik

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet

File: LSC/806

Subject: Workers for Ceylon - Corsi da Piemonte

Date: 7 July 1945

To: Allied LABOR

From: PIEMONTE REGION

Documents Filed: IN CARLES

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APO 394
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File: L3C/806

Subject: Labor strike TORINO

Date: 6 July 1945

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HQ. - AC. LSC/806
Attn Director Labour Sub Commission
for information

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO.394-U.S.ARMY

REF. : PR/LA/31/109 2 July 1945
SUBJECT : SPINELLI DECREES
TO : REGIONAL LEGAL OFFICER

1. Reference is made to the above mentioned Decrees which were promulgated by the Fascist Republican Government, whereby increases of salaries and wages were made mandatory to the various industries through Collective Contracts.

2. The question of legality of these Decrees and the interpretation of Art. 3 C.O. 41 has given rise to some difficulty in wage regulation policy.

3. I am attaching herewith a report on this subject, outlining the difficulties at the moment encountered and would welcome at the earliest possible time your kind advice on the matter.

E. Solclunas

E. Solclunas, Major
Regional Labour Officer.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO.394-U.S.ARMY

AL : REGIONAL LABOUR OFFICER - Piemonte
(per eventuale trasmissione al
"LEGAL DIVISION")

1 July 1945

1. In esecuzione della sua richiesta per un pro-memoria sul problema della validità dei decreti Spinelli, riferisco quanto appresso.

2. Numerosi decreti del Commissariato prima, e del Ministero del Lavoro dopo, della repubblica sociale italiana, pubblicati in varie date, Ministro Spinelli stabilirono fra l'altro la corresponsione di certi aumenti di paga per i lavoratori dell'industria a decorrere in generale dal 1° gennaio 1945. Il decreto legislativo luogotenenziale del 5 Ottobre 1944, N° 249 ha dichiarato nulli i provvedimenti legislativi del governo repubblicano fascista. Il General Order N° 41 del A.M.G. all' art. 3 stabilisce :

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Si osserva in proposito che l'Ordine Generale N° 41 usa la espressione : "dall'entrata in vigore della presente ordinanza e fino a nuovo ordine del A.M.G. ..."

In sostanza, anche ammesso che per il periodo successivo all'Ordine Generale N° 41 i datori di lavoro siano tenuti a corrispondere i salari con gli aumenti di cui ai decreti Spinelli, in base a quale disposizione essi possono essere tenuti a corrispondarli anche per il periodo anteriore, dato che i decreti Spinelli sono stati dichiarati privi di efficacia giuridica ?

4. Dal punto di vista sostanziale sono da considerare i seguenti punti :

a) Se l'Ordine Generale N° 41 avesse consolidato la situazione di puro fatto esistente al 3 aprile 1945, si verrebbero a stabilire delle sperequazioni fra lavoratori del medesimo ramo d'industria, creando disagio e malcontento. E' nell'indirizzo di questa Divisione il favorire la perequazione dei salari fra lavoratori di industrie simili.

b) Se però gli aumenti dei decreti Spinelli dovessero essere retroattivi al 1° gennaio 1945, le ditte che non li avessero applicati si troverebbero oggi gravate di un cumulo di arretri che non potrebbero più comprendere nei costi di produzione.

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E' da rilevare che le date di pubblicazione dei vari decreti Spinelli sono posteriori di alcuni mesi al 1° Gennaio 1945.

5.Si prega di volere fornire una interpretazione dei problemi sopraprospettati, perchè questa Divisione e gli Uffici dipendenti possano assumere un preciso atteggiamento al riguardo.

E. La Loggia Jr.
Consulente della Labour Division - Piemonte

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TO: REGIONAL LABOUR OFFICE - Piemonte

(for eventual transmission to the "Legal Division")

1. In compliance with your request of a memorandum on the Spinelli's Decrees validity, I am submitting you the following report.

2. A number of decrees, first of the Commissaryship, then of the Labour Ministry, of the Italian social republic, published under different dates, and of the Minister Spinelli, are ordering among other things, the payment of certain wage increases to the industrial workers, starting as a rule, from the 1st of January 1945. But the Lieutenant's legislative decree of 5 October 1944, N° 249 has cancelled all the legislative provisions enacted by the fascist republican government. In fact, the General Order N° 41 enacted by the AMG, as per art.3, reads as follows:

"In all provinces of the Italian northern territory, the wage rates to be paid to employees, other than those indicated in art.2 of the present order - from the date on which this Order takes effect and until such time as a new order is issued by the AMG - must be those de facto in force in the said provinces on the date of 2 April 1945, and no one, save for what is provided for in Art.4 of the present Order, will be allowed to ask, to offer or to pay for a work done any sum in excess of what is established in the Order under consideration."

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Now, it has happened that on the date of 2 April 1945, a few firms were paying wage rates comprehensive of the increases enacted by the Spinelli's Decrees, while other firms had not paid the said wage increases.

3. Out of this both de facto and legal situation there have arisen in practice a few doubts:

a) those firms which on the 3rd of April 1945 were not actually paying the wage increases enacted by the Spinelli's decrees, are they under obligation to pay to-day the same wage increases?

In this respect we must remind that the General Order N° 41 reads, textually "from the date on which this Order is taking effect, and until such time as a new order issued by the AMG..."

In short, even by taking for granted that = during

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the period subsequent to the date of the issuance of General Order N°41, the employers are under obligation to pay the respective wages, and the increases provided for in the Spinelli's decrees = under what law provisions the said employers must be held under obligation to pay them even for the preceding period, in spite of the fact that the Spinelli's decrees were proclaimed void of all juridical value?

4. From a practical standpoint, the following subject-matters are to be considered:

a) If the practical result of the enforcement of the General Order N°41 should have been to consolidate the de facto situation as existing on the date of 5 April 1946, it is obvious that disparities of economic treatment would arise among the workers of the same branch of Industries, causing thereby uneasiness and discontent. It is the purpose of this Division to favour an equality of wage rates among the workers of similar industries.

b) But, if the wage increases as contemplated in the Spinelli's decrees should be retroactive to the date of 1st January 1945, then the firms which failed to apply them, would find themselves to-day encumbered by such a lot of wage arrears to pay, that the respective sum would outbalance the production cost.

It is to be reminded that the dates of issuance of the various Spinelli's decrees are of a few months posterior to the 1st January 1946.

5. We kindly ask for an interpretation of the above mentioned problems, so as to enable this Division and its attached Offices to make a definite stand on the matter.

E.LA IACOIA Jr.
Counsellor of Labour Division
Piemonte

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

CSO
LS/806

30 June 45.

Ref: 208/152/EC.

Subject: Transport for Labour Officer, Piemonte Region.

To: Economic Section for Labour Sub-Commission.

With reference to the question of transport for the Labour Officer, Piemonte Region. I attach a copy of a letter I have received from Colonel Marshall in reply to my memorandum of 9th June 5202/EC, of which you received a copy.

From Colonel Marshall's letter you will see that the position is now satisfactory.

[signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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COPY.

HQ PIEDMONTE REGION
AMG.

DO/312.1.M.

16th June 45.

Dear Brigadier Lush,

The matter of transportation for officers of this Region in general, and heads of special divisions in particular is, I fear, somewhat misunderstood by some of the Sub-Commissions at your HQ.

When we arrived the Region was in really desperate straits and one of our first acts was to provide the minimum essential needs.

As vehicles became available, some were assigned to special divisions and others held in a pool so that the maximum use could be obtained.

After the first few days, at no time was either the Regional Labour Officer or the Regional Public Health Officer without transportation, although for the first two weeks perhaps, pool vehicles had to be used.

You will be glad to know that vehicles have now been provided in a quantity sufficient for all reasonable needs, with definite assignment of particular vehicles to heads of special divisions.

Very truly yours,

(Sgd) ROBERT P. MARSHALL.

Brigadier M.L.Lush,
Executive Commissioner.
HQ Allied Commission,
CMLF.

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Date 3 Oct 46

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	Vice President	
	Brig. Anderson	
	Col. Walton	
	Col. Densmore	
	Lt. Col. Moore	
	Mr. Hughes	
	Maj. Smith	
	Maj. Clark	
	Maj. Tooby	
	Capt. Atkins	
✓	Capt. Williams	
	Capt. Highland	
	Lt. DiLoreto	
	Lt. Morgan	
	Lt. Arensberg	
	Requisition Br.	
	Price Control Br.	
	Message Center	

INTERNAL

Fr.		To.
	ECONOMIC SECTION	
	Production Div.	
	Supply Div.	
	Agriculture Sub-Com.	
	Commerce	
	Finance	
	Food	
	Industry	
✓	Labor	
	P W & U	
	Transportation	
	Chief Commissioner	
	Executive Commissioner	
	Civil Affairs Section	
	Establishment Section	
	Attention:	

	For appropriate Action		Note & Return
	Remarks/Recommendations		Signature
	Dispatch		Investigation &Report
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PIEDMONT REGION

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25 JUNE 1945

ROUTINE

RESTRICTED FD

PARA ONE FD PLEASE ADVISE IMMEDIATELY FD

PARA TO PIEDMONT REGION FOR MAJOR HOWARD FOLLOWING LABOR OFFICER FROM ALCOA HEADQUARTERS GIVE ACLAB PARAS

PARA TWO FD WHETHER OR NOT ADEQUATE TRANSPORT FACILITIES ARE NOW AT YOUR DISPOSAL FD

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LABOR SUBCOMMISSION

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NICHOLAS PISCHIRO
CSC USA
ADJT ASSISTANT

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LSC/806 + 4/6

HEAD QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/4014/7/L.

WEB/lc.
24 June 1945.

SUBJECT : Cooperative Syndical System-Northern Italy.
Payment of Dues.

TO : Labor Sub-Commission.

Reference your LSC/806 of 21 June 1945, my opinion is that the Order of General Hume is sufficient of itself to suspend payment of contributions to the Syndicates. No farther Order is necessary.

W. E. KEHRLEIN,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 534
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

RS/rnw

TEL : Ext. 416 21 June 1945

REF : LSC/806

SUBJECT: Cooperative Syndical System-Northern Italy.
Payment of Dues.

TO : Legal Sub-Commission

1. The cooperative syndical system was suppressed by the General Order entitled "Labor Relations" published under the signature of Brig. General Erskine Lume, SCAO, 5th Army.

2. In the Piemonte Region instructions suspending the payment of contributions have been issued by the Regional Commissioner.

3. We should be glad if you would say whether you consider it necessary for a specific instruction to be prepared advising all Regional Commissioners to take similar action.

DAVID C. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 794
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

WS/rmw

TEL : Ext. 416

21 June 1945

REF : LSC/306

SUBJECT: Cooperative Syndical System - Northern Italy.
Payment of Dues.

TO : Finance Sub-Commission

1. Consideration is being given to the preparation of an Order advising Regional Commissioners to authorize the suspension of the collection of contributions payable under the Syndical System which was suppressed by the General Order entitled "Labor Relations", published over the signature of Brig. General Erskine Hume, ACAO, 5th Army.

2. We should be glad to have your views as to the necessity of making provision in any such Order for the reimbursement of contributions collected since liberation.

DAVID C. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

WHB/rmw

14 June 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. SACHS

Subject: Payment of Syndical Dues.

1. Major Scicluna in Piemonte Region has again gone ahead without referring to Headquarters so that uniform action might be taken throughout Northern Italy.

2. Please consult Legal Sub-Commission with reference to the necessity of a specific order on the subject of suspension of dues, and consult Finance Sub-Commission on the question of reimbursement of dues collected since liberation. It will probably be necessary also to consult the Italian authorities. Thereafter, please see that general instructions are issued to all concerned covering the whole of Northern Italy.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

LCS/rmk

20 June 1945

TEL : Ext. 416

REF : LSC/306

SUBJECT: Communications to Social Insurance Agencies.

TO : Regional Commissioner
Piemonte Region
(Attention: Regional Labor Officer)

1. Reference is made to your PR/LA/66/65 of 15 June.

2. The subject matter of your memorandum has been called to the attention of the Italian Government, and in addition Regional Commissioners have been requested to take such action as may be possible with regard to CLNAI.

DAVID C. SACKS
Deputy Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 534
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

DCS/rmw

20 June 1945

TEL : Ext. 416

REF : LSC/806

SUBJECT: Communications to Social Insurance Agencies.

TO : Regional Commissioners
Liguria, Piemonte, Lombardia and Venezia Regions

1. It has been reported that communications and instructions are being received by local offices of social insurance and other agencies directly from CLNAI (Commissarii per l'Alta Italia). Inasmuch as all instructions should come from or be routed through AMG, a substantial amount of confusion has arisen.

2. It would be desirable if Regional Commissioners could investigate this situation and canvass the possibility of eliminating this practice.

3. This Sub-Commission would appreciate reports of any action which may have been taken.

DAVID C. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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LSC/806

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 394-U.S.ARMY

REF. : FR/LA/68/65 15 June 1945.
SUBJECT : Channels of communication
TO : H.Q., Allied Commission
(Attention Director Sub-Commission)

1. Reference is made to the practice which is being followed by the ministry of Industry Commerce and Labour of communicating directly with Social Service Agencies and with the Ispettorato.

2. It will be readily understood that apart from a question of rpinciple, this practice creates a confusing dual control and places the Director of the Agencies concerned in an equivocal position when conflicting instructions are given them.

3. The same system of circumventing this Division has been initiated by C.L.N.A.I. "Commissarii per l'Alta Italia".

4. It is submitted that immediate steps be taken to have all directives and correspondence chanalised through this Division, both in the case of the Italian Ministry and of the "C.L.N.A.I."

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E. Scicluna, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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PIEDMONTE REGION

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19 JUNE 1945 ROUTINE

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PARA ONE FD REFERENCE YOUR REPORT FETER ROGER SLANT LOVE ABLE SLANT THREE ONE SLANT SIX THREE OF THIRTEENTH JUNE FD PAREN TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER PIEDMONTE REGION FROM ALCOM HEADQUARTERS CITE ACLAW PAREN

PARA TWO FD IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT GENERAL ORDER FOUR THREE COVERING THE POINTS RAISED WILL BE ISSUED ANY DAY NOW FD

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LABOUR SUBCOMMISSION

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NICHOLAS PIGGINO
CWO USA
ADJT ASSISTANT

U.S. ARMY
SIXTH DIRECTIVE
ALLIED SUB-COMMISSION

LSC/806 + 414 + 415

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEDMONT REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 194-U.S.ARMY

REF. : PR/LA/31/63 13/6/1945

SUBJECT : "Premio di Liberazione" and "Ban on discharges of Surplus Workers"

TO : P.C.'s (All Provinces)

1. Reference is made to the A.C. directives sent to this HQ. with regards to :

a) the payment of "Premio di Liberazione" to workers in industry and in other concerns, and

b) the arrangements being made by A.C. in connection with the ban on surplus workers in private Industry.

Copy of the cable received by this Division is herewith attached for careful consideration.

2. Reference "Premio di Liberazione" it is now permissable for workers to bargain directly with their employers in connection with this bonus. No indication has been given this Division as to what line of action AMG should follow in the event of disagreements and any eventual agitation that might ensue. As the promise of this bonus was made by CLN., it is suggested that, in the event of disagreement, the parties in contrast be refered for some form of conciliation to the Provincila CLN., it being understood that as stipulated in para 11 (1) there is no authority which allows the workers to claim this bonus as of right.

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3. Reference ban on discharges of surplus workers - the present provisions of the Ordinance issued by this HQ. are, of source, in force. It will be noticed that this Ordinance without being in contrast with the directive issued from A.C., nevertheless departs from it respect of those who were not formerly listed as industrial workers. Steps are now being taken:

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a) to bring to the notice of A.C. the position prevailing in Piemonte, in order that due consideration might be given prior to the promulgation of the decree mentioned in para 6; and

b) to prepare another Regional Ordinance to wade us over, if necessary, till the aforementioned decree (mentioned in para 6) is promulgated.

For the Regional Commissioner.

R. SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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TO : 5 ARMY AMG 15 ARMY GROUP PRB 4 CORPS REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS VENEZIE LOMBARDIA PIEMONTE LIGURIA AND EMILIA REGIONS.

1. URGENTLY REQUEST IMMEDIATE SIMULTANEOUS PUBLICATION OF TWO FOLLOWING PRESS COMMUNIQUES FROM LABOUR SUB COMMISSION ALLIED COMMISSION.

2. VITAL RELEASE BE MADE ONLY REPEAT ONLY IN NORTHERN ITALY.

3. TEXTS AS FOLLOWS : EMPLOYMENT MANPOWER IN NORTHERN ITALY.

4. AMG HAS CONSULTED THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT WITH REGARD TO THE REGULATION OF EMPLOYMENT OF LABOUR IN NORTHERN ITALY IN INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS WHERE THERE IS AT THE MOMENT A SURPLUS OF WORKERS.

5. THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS OF THE OPINION WHICH AMGOT SUPPORTS THAT IT IS DESIRABLE TO AVOID LARGE SCALE DISMISSAL OF LABOUR FOR WHAT AT THE MOMENT THERE IS NOT REPEAT NOT FULL EMPLOYMENT AND THAT UNTIL FURTHER NOTIFICATION IT IS NECESSARY TO ADVISE EMPLOYERS IN NORTH ITALY TO REFRAIN FROM LARGE SCALE UNREGULATED DISCHARGES.

6. A DECREE ON THE SUBJECT WILL IMMEDIATELY BE ISSUED. 2695

7. IT IS THE DESIRE OF THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IN CONJUNCTION WITH AMGOT TO ARRANGE FOR SURPLUS MANPOWER TO BE TRANSFERRED FROM INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS TO OTHER EMPLOYMENT IN AGRICULTURE PUBLIC WORKS ECT. AND ACTION TO THIS END WILL BE COMMENCED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WITH THE COLLABORATION OF ALL INTERESTED PARTIES.

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8. IN THE MEANTIME ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS WILLING TO FINANCE UP TO JULY 31ST THE CASSA INTEGRAZIONE SALARI TO ENABLE IT TO CONTINUE FUNCTIONING IN NORTHERN ITALY SO AS TO ASSIST EMPLOYERS IN MAKING PAYMENTS TO SURPLUS WORKERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARRANGEMENTS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE OR WHICH MAY BE MADE IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

9. PREMIO DI LIBERAZIONE IN NORTH ITALY.

10. AMGOT HAS CONSULTED THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT REGARDING THE PAYMENT PREMIO DI LIBERAZIONE IN PIEMONTE LOMBARDIA LIGURIA EMILIA AND VENEZIE AND HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS OF THE OPINION THAT THE PAYMENT OF THE BONUS CANNOT BE REFUSED SINCE IT DERIVES FROM PROMISES MADE TO WORKERS DURING THE PERIOD OF CLANDESTINE FIGHTING TO ENCOURAGE THEM TO DEFEND INDUSTRIAL PLANTS.

11. AMGOT THEREFORE MAKES THE FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE SUBJECT WITH WHICH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS IN FULL AGREEMENT. 1. THERE IS NO LAW OR DECREE WHICH COMPELS THE PAYMENT OF A LIBERATION BONUS. 2. NEITHER AMGOT NOT THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT WOULD HOWEVER OPPOSE THE OPERATION OF ANY AGREEMENT REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF SUCH A BONUS IF SUCH AGREEMENT IS FREELY MADE BETWEEN EMPLOYERS AND WORKERS. 3. TO PREVENT HARMFUL REPERCUSSIONS ON THE FINANCIAL POSITION IT IS DESIRABLE THAT AGREEMENT SHOULD PROVIDE FOR PAYMENT TO BE MADE BY INSTALMENTS SPREAD OVER THREE OR FOUR MONTHS AND AMGOT GIVES PROMINENCE TO THE DESIRE OF THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT THAT ESPECIALLY IN THE INDUSTRIAL SECTORS PAYMENT SHOULD BE SPREAD OUT IN SUCH A MANNER. 4. THE GENERAL UNDERSTANDING REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF PREMIO DI LIBERATIONE RELATES TO INDUSTRY. THE QUESTION WHETHER EMPLOYEES OF OTHER CONCERNS SHOULD RECEIVE SIMILAR BONUSES IS ONE FOR FREE NEGOTATION BETWEEN EMPLOYERS AND WORKERS. 5. THE QUESTION OF PAYMENT OF LIBERATION BONUS TO STATE EMPLOYEES AND PARASTATAL AND

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PARIS TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER PIEDMONT REGION FOR ALCOA HEADQUARTERS CITY ACLAM PARIS

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 394-US.ARMY

REF. : PR/LA/68/65 15 June 1945.
SUBJECT : Channels of communication
TO : H.Q., Allied Commission ✓
(Attention Director Sub-Commission)

1. Reference is made to the practice which is being followed by the ministry of Industry Commerce and Labour of communicating directly with Social Service Agencies and with the Ispettorato.

2. It will be readily understood that apart from a question of rpinciple, this practice creates a confusing dual control and places the Director of the Agencies concerned in an equivocal position when conflicting instructions are given them.

3. The same system of circumventing this Division has been initiated by C.L.N.A.I. "Commissarii per l'Alta Italia".

4. It is submitted that immediate steps be taken to have all directives and correspondence chanalised through this Division, both in the case of the Italian Ministry and of the "C.L.N.A.I."

E. Scicluna maj
E. Scicluna, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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Director, Labor SC

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CWO, USA

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
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REF. : PR/LA/47/63
SUBJECT : Joint memorandum of "Industry" and "Labour" on present procedure for wage control.

13 June 1945.

TO : Director, Labour Sub-Commission, HQ.AC.
(through Regional Commissioner - Piemonte).

1. Reference is made to the attached memorandum submitted to this Division for onward transmission to A.C. by the Piemonte representatives of "Industry" and "Labour".

2. During an interview with Ingeniere Fiorio (Industry) and Mr. Carmagnola (Joint-secretary "Camera del Lavoro") their points of view were presented jointly as hereunder.

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a) has been concluded on a basis of free bargaining and without prejudice to the economic production of the industry concerned;
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4. The abolition of the veto on a wage agreement which has been concluded with the intervention of the "Camera del Lavoro" and the "Unione Industriali" is desirable in order that
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6. A change of policy in the control of wages as envisaged by the two aforementioned organisations, would of course considerably restrict the advisory field of R.I.J.A.C., since the latter would make reccomendations to Regional Commissioners only in respect of agreements which have either not been sponsored by the "Camera del Lavoro" and the "Unione Industriali" or over which the two organisations find them-selves in disagreement. The Regional Commissioners would also have his field similarly limited.

7. Whilst the undersigned is not making a definite reccomendation in favour of the proposal, it is submitted that the joint considerations advanced might reasonably be accepted as plausable both because of the smooth labour relations which at present exist in Piemonte as well as in view of the common sense and qualities of leadership which the present leaders of the two interested parties have so far continuously shown. The limitations requested would certainly expedite the application of freely concluded agreements thus avaiding the further period of tension and impatience that normally develops between the time of signing an agreement and the actual approval of same.

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8. An early opinion of Labour Sub-Commission on this subject is kindly requested in view of the strong feeling and concerted action of both Labour and Industry over this matter.

E. Scicluna, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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ritengono necessario che tutti gli accordi riferentisi a questioni di comune interesse, e perciò anche alle tariffe di paga, che continuamente intervengono dopo libera discussione fra i dipendenti rappresentati dalle Commissioni Interne e le rispettive aziende, debbano avere validità immediata, dopo essere stati ratificati dalle rispettive Associazioni sindacali;

Fanno presente che solo con una sollecita definizione delle vertenze a carattere non individuale si possa raggiungere quella necessaria tranquillità che è desiderata sia dai datori di lavoro che dai loro dipendenti.

Gli accordi come sopra definiti dovranno essere successivamente trasmessi all'Ufficio Provinciale del Lavoro a cura delle parti interessate con la relativa documentazione.

p. la CAMERA DEL LAVORO

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Torino, 12 Giugno 1945

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TRANSLATION

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Submit representations that only through a prompt settlement of the controversies that are not of an individual character, would it be possible to achieve that necessary tranquillity which is desired both by management and workers alike.

It shall be the responsibility of the interested parties eventually to transmit to the "Provincial Labour Office" the agreements as refered to above, duly accompanied by the relevant documents.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEDMONTE REGION
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APO 394-US.ARMY

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p. la CAMERA DEL LAVORO — p. l'UNIONE INDUSTRIALE

Fto. Carmagnola — Fto. Fiorio

Torino, 12 Giugno 1945.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
HQ PIEMONTE REGION
Labour Division

26 June 1945

SUBJECT: Observations on G.O. 48

TO : Director Labour Sub-Commission.

1. Reference is made to the English Draft of G.O.48, in respect of which observations and suggestions were invited at the Labour Officers' Conference in Milan on 13 June 45.

2. Any observations, criticism or suggestions on G.O.48 herein contained must be taken to reflect the prevailing conditions and specific experience in Piemonte Region.

3. On the expiration of the CLNAI "ban on discharges of sueplus workers" on 2nd June, in the absence of instructions or directives from higher quarters, A.M.G. Piemonte Region forced up to the situation somewhat differently to other Regions. A Regional Ordnance, in fact, while continuing the ban on discharges to 30 June, allowed at the same time a partial discharge of workers and more specifically

(a) workers who had obtained employment in Industry after 8 September 1943 in order to avoid nazi-fascist recruitment;
(b) workers who were normally employed in agriculture;
(c) workers who were on the pay-rolls of damaged plants not likely to be re-activated.

4. Notwithstanding these exceptions, however, no "firing" of workers has taken place owing to the pressure which has been brought to bear on the individual industrialists both by organised labour through the "Commissioni Interne" and by the political

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parties of the left - through the "CLN aziendali".

5. A further consideration - already implied above - is the elementary fact that in connection with any sort of plan for discharges of surplus workers it would be idle to expect even a minimum of collaboration from any Labour or Political organisations. In truth it would be too much to expect such organisations to make any contribution towards any scheme of organised displacement or controled unemployment since this would be tantamount to a form of suicide.

6. In the light of the above considerations, the following conclusions would appear reasonable viz.

(a) the discharge of surplus workers can only be effectively undertaken if it is planned on a basis of transfers - such transfers being so effected as to render them as little distasteful as possible;
(b) the responsibility of the employer in matter of discharges must be reduced to a bare minimum, namely that of indicating the number of workers surplus to the needs of the factory: the eventual "firing", the order of transference to other employment, the compilation of nominal rolls and so on, must be made to operate so automatically that the employer has no option but to follow the inevitable process;
(c) the "Commissioni Interne" or any other body of organised Labour must only be allowed the possibility of expediting - but not of retarding - the discharge of surplus workers.

7. In the light of the foregoing considerations, it would seem desirable that "discharges" of surplus workmen be gradually effected as and when alternative employment is created. G.O.48 does not appear to achieve this objective and, in fact, it might even create conditions of <u>either</u> mass unemployment <u>or</u> stalemate - according to whether its provisions find full and effective application or not. The former alternative would result because G.O.48 sets up no specific co-ordinating machinary to regulate and direct those "discharges" which would have been, hypothetically, agreed upon by employers and workmens'

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representatives; the latter alternative would as a matter of course follow, if political expediency or Trade Union pressure are allowed to prevail on economic considerations.

8. The economic treatment meted out to surplus workers placed on the "temporary waiting list" represents a marked retrenchment on net wages received under the existing "ban on discharges". This disparity of treatment will lead organised Labour to use even greater moral and political pressure on employers than has been hitherto brought to bear upon them both openly and covertly. The inevitable results will be those already outlined above, thus forcing employers in the false position of not being able to show any initiative in conformity with any scheme of discharges that may be adopted.

9. Article II (b) appears to suggest that management and workers' representatives will have to seek agreement not only on the nominal roll of surplus workers to be placed on the 'temporary waiting list' but also on the number of such workmen. If that were the interpretation, then one might reasonably conjecture that disagreement will ensue on numerical grounds, since the "Commissione Interna" will in all probability make a bid for a "nil returns". Moreover, the Labour Offices, on whom devolves the vague responsibility of arbitration, could not possibly be expected to express judgment on such matters, which would involve a prolonged and careful survey of the technical and financial possibilities of the firm, of the existing and the future availability of raw materials, of the upward or downward trend of market prices and so on. To expose the newly-born Labour Offices to predestined failure in facing up to making decisions on such controvertial and cogent matters, would really mean laying these Offices to even greater abuses than have hitherto been unjustly leveled at them.

10. G.C.46 purports to create a new scheme for tackling the present problem by setting up "temporary waiting lists"; in actual fact it merely provides for a more aristocratic group of unemployed who will receive slightly higher benefits than are now available. The present situation in Piemonte calls for the application of more efficatious remedies, for more gradual, but effective, transfers from the industrial plants to other occupations.

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11. Article V 1. (c) is purported to render agricultural workers liable to discharge. Infact, however, it is so worded as would make it extremely difficult for the Labour Office to decide what constitutes the worker who is "normally engaged in agricultural employment", considering that employment in industry has in most cases been for two years or more.

12. Article V (2) cuts right across the present legal position in Piemonte and in fact completely reverses the situation. The Regional Order now in force in Piemonte concedes employers the right of discharging any workers who were engaged after 8 September 43 since those workmen were only offered employment as a protection against nazi-fascist deportations. According to the provisions of G.O.48 the employer may now only prepare a plan for gradual discharge, subject to approval by A.M.G. Hence workers engaged before 8 September 43 would now be liable to discharge by being placed on the "temporary waiting lists", while those engaged after that date could not be dealt with on these lines and therefore are not liable for immediate discharge.

13. G.O. 48 refers throughout to industrial firms, but the problem of surplus workers and employees effects also commercial and banking enterprises.

14. Article VI places the 31st July 1945 as the time limit for G.O.48 to remain in force. Does this imply that a new G.O. is to replace it or that employers will after that date be free to discharge surplus workers? Is a month sufficient to set in motion the process contemplated by G.O.48?

15. G.O.48 has not as yet reached this division officially nor have any written directives for its promulgation been communicated by A.C. May it be presumed that an Italian text is being prepared by A.C. for simultaneous promulgation throughout A.M.G. territories? May instructions be given as to whether modifications may be made at the regional level at least in respect of those provisions of G.O.48 which are in contrast with existing regional legislation in respect of the present "ban on discharges"?

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E. SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer - Piemonte

Not official

Recommendations of Advisory Commission set up by Col Marshall - Case is the final draft which is due to be submitted to Col Marshall for onward transmission to Labour S/C.

EMPLOYMENT OF SURPLUS WORKERS

1°) BACK GROUND.

For various reasons and special circumstances Industrial Firms in Northern Italy have maintained in employment and sometimes increased their workmen on their establishments, even when their active production was considerably reduced, as a result of unavoidable interfering factors.

In following this policy Industrialists were contributing specifically towards the protection of workers against nazi-fascist mobilisation. With the liberation of Northern Italy, therefore, there made itself felt the danger of mass "firing" of workers, a matter which would have immediately created a grave problem of unemployment. Hence the Piemonte Regione "Giunta di Governo" representing C.L.N.A.I. promulgated a Decree on 25.4.1945 whereby a ban was instituted on discharges, thus continuing the policy which was formerly being enforced by the Fascist Republic.

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Experience has shown that the exceptions mentioned above were, generally speaking, never put into effect because of human, social and political considerations and that therefore the only possible way of unburdening industrial firms of their surplus workers was to be sought in a practical plan to facilitate the transference of workers to other activities.

This problem has to be squarely faced and to it a solution must be applied without delay since a continuation of the present conditions:

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Industry Officer + Labour Officer

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(a) accentuates considerably the precarious financial position of the firms concerned, perhaps to such an extent as might prejudice their eventual rehabilitation;

(b) renders impossible the scientific assesment of labour costs and hence of production costs;

(c) viciates the spiritual values of those workmen who continue to earn full wages without rendering the equivalent returns in work;

(d) interferes with the conditions of the labour market to such an extent that it renders difficult the practical "hiring" of skilled workers required by plants in process of re-activation when in fact there really exists a surplus of such workers for re-employment.

It is understood that the Italian Government and the Allied Commission have under consideration the promulgation of definitive provisions to govern the aforementioned situation. With a view to collaborating in the formulation of these provisions and in submitting for consideration the necessary machinary that might be set up for purposes of transfering surplus workers to other activities, the "Advisory Labour and Industry Commission" of the Labour Division, Piemonte Region, has made a specific survey of this problem, arriving at the conclusions outlined hereunder.

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a) Firms resuming their activity and with no sufficient number of employees available.

b) concerns which will be entrusted with the carrying out of the great programme of public works already announced, and with the reconstruction works in general.

Therefore it is necessary to arrange in advance an organisation able to insure the afflux of workers to the new labour activities; in such a manner as to afford security

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for the gradualness of the same afflux and to insure to the workers such conditions whereby they may be induced to take up even temporarily, the new working activity.

3. CENSUS OF WORKERS AVAILABLE.

The first thing to do is to make a survey of the surplus workers available at the different Firms, and who are therefore free to take up new employments.

For this purpose the Firms must be invited to send a declaration of the number of surplus workers available, duly classified according to their respective category.

On the other hand, it will be necessary to ascertain from time to time the number of workers, who presumably could find soon an occupation; and for this purpose it should be needed closely to get in touch with the offices in charge of the public works plan to be carried out, as well as with the contractors and with the labour exchange offices.

4. REGIONAL RE-EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION.

In order to preside over this activity and to control 2673 the subsequent operation it would be advisable to set up a Regional Commission for the re-employment of workers. The said Commission should be composed of the representatives of the workers, of the employers, of the Regional Labour Office, of the Offices in charge of public works to be carried out and of independent experts. The Commission in question may have its seat at the Regional Labour Office, which will supply both means and

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5. The Commission in question, on the basis of an estimate of the workers employment places to be foreseen as per the foregoing N°3, will ascertain the number of workers to be employed and will provide to a proper apportionment of them among the Firms with surplus employees available, which have made the respective declarations, as contemplated in the preceding paragraph N° 2.

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6. NOMINAL LISTS OF WORKERS

Following to the declaration of the number of workers ready to be released, as per the apportionment plan above outlined; each Firm must provide immediately to the drawing up of a nominal list of the personnel to be released. As for the criterions to be applied for this nominal choice, the Commission agrees entirely on believing that the most practical system to follow is to proceed on the basis of the seniority of service, by going back from the less aged to the more aged workers. The adoption of such a criterion would eliminate the necessity of making complex estimates and therefore any possibility of controversies. In any way, should doubtful cases arise, they might be settled by an agreement to be reached between the employers and the Internal Commissions, and in case of disagreement the final decision might be entrusted to the competent Labour Office.

7. REGISTRATION OF AVAILABLE WORKERS AND ENGAGEMENT IN WORK OF THE SAME.

The nominal lists of the available personnel must be forwarded to the competent Employment Offices, which will enter the different workers in a special card-index, and will provide to engage them in work, according to the requests coming from the Firms in charge of Public Works.

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Should the available worker refuse to be engaged in the new work, the economic treatment in question will cease definitively.

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8. DISCONTINUANCE OF THE NEW JOB.

Should the worker so engaged be available again, in consequence of the discontinuance of the new job, he must be re-employed on charge of the same Firm he comes from.

If the worker is dismissed for causes (disciplinary motives), he will not be entitled to resume his position with

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the Firm he comes from.

The economic treatment of the workers during the period of temporary discontinuance of the building construction works to which they may be destined, must be fixed by the collective labour agreements, as specified in the next paragraph.

b. FACILITIES FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE PROGRAMME.

The members of the Commission are unanimously agreeing, that the success of the proposed procedure depends above all on a minimum of compliance on the part of the workers to be transferred to the new working activities. Therefore the syndical associations, the Internal Commissions, the Labour Offices and in general all the agencies concerned with labour questions, must carry out an intense persuasion campaign, in order to spread among the working masses a firm conviction that the transfer of surplus workers to new reconstruction activities is an absolute necessity, both for carrying out the same activities and for the establishment of normal employment conditions within the Firms, from which the are coming. Because, without such a compliance it will be utterly impossible to work for the reconstruction of the country, and it could not likewise be prevented the inconvenience that the Firms, excessively burdened with a surplus of workers on their pay-roll, would be at the end compelled to suspend payments, that which would cause general and very dangerous repercussions both to the individuals and to the national society at large.

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On the other side, it is suggested to render more acceptable the transfer from the old to the new working activities, by adopting the following measures:

a) stipulation of collective agreements with the purpose of fixing the wages for building construction works on reasonable rates, and in a measure proportionate to the actual cost of living;

b) maintenance on behalf of the workers who are temporarily transferred to other activities, of the necessary

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economic treatment, that is, admission to special shops set up for the personnel, grant of clothing parcels, and other benefits formerly allowed by the Firms they were employed with;

c) to make sure that, whenever the Firm they come from shall resume its working activity, they will be engaged again in service.

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DECLARATION OF AVAILABLE MANPOWER

FIRM .....

KIND OF ACTIVITY .....

SEAT OF THE ESTABLISHMENT .....

WORKERS AVAILABLE .....

CATEGORY .....No.....

" .....No.....

" .....No.....

" .....No.....

TOTAL

DATE

SIGNATURE

N.B. When the firm has establishments located in different communes, compile a declaration for each commune.

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L.D.

AVAILABLE MANPOWER IN THE COMMUNE OF .....

F i r m	Skilled	Qualif.	Com.	Women	Juv.	Tot.	1 emp.	2 emp.	3 emp.	4 emp.	5 em
Totals											

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L.D.2

LINE OF .....

Women	Juv.	Tot.	1 emp.	2 emp.	3 emp.	4 emp.	5 emp.	Surplus

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ESTIMATE OF NEXT EMPLOYMENT

L.D.

Requesting Firm	Locality of employment	Natur of work	Probable date of initiation	Skilled	Qualif.	Com.	Juv.
Totals							

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LOYMENT

ature of work	Probable date of initiation	Skilled	Qualif.	Com.	Jnr.	Women	Totals

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REQUEST OF SURPLUS MANPOWER

FIRM .....

SEAT .....

Please send the Employment Office of the Commune of ..... a nominal list of workers available within the date.

The number of workers to be selected is the following:

Skilled .....

Qualified .....

Communes .....

Women .....

Juveniles .....

TOTAL :

If the nominal list will delay the Firm will be cancelled from the list of Firms having surplus personnel

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
A.C.
Routing Slip

	Initials	Date
Mr. W.H. BRAINE		
Mr. SACHS		
~~Mr. DI PIETRO~~		
~~Mr. AIREY~~		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss STEVENSON		
~~Miss SAN SEVERINO~~		
Chief Clerk		

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

25/806

Ref: 5202/EC

9th June 1945.

Labour Sub-Commission represent to me that your Labour Officer has no car. Labour Officers are few and far between and it is essential that they should be mobile. Would you look into this and ensure that your Labour Officer is mobile?

M. S. CUSH

Colonel Robert P. Marshall,
Regional Commissioner,
Allied Military Government,
PIEDMONT REGION.

Copy to: Labour Sub-Commission.

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Mr. SACHS		13/6
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Mr. PROCTOR		13/6.
~~Miss STEVENSON~~		
Chief Clerk		

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Returned with thanks.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 394-U.S.ARMY

LC/806

7 June 1945

PR/LA/54/50

SUBJECT :- Suspension of Syndical Dues.

TO :- All Provincial Commissioners.

1. Reference is made to the periodical payment of Syndical dues, the suspension of which has not been as yet effected.

2. The corporative Syndical System was suppressed by the General Order entitled "Labour Relations", published over the signature of Brig. Gen. Erskine Rome, S.C.A.O., V Army.

3. Syndical dues will no longer be paid and deductions from wages under this head will no longer be made by employers.

4. Authority is hereby given for the re-imbursement of such dues as had been collected and pooled in respect of the period 1 May 1945 onwards. Collecting agencies will make these re-imbursements on presentation of certified and proven claims, retaining these claims as vouchers for any future financial accounting they will have to make with the liquidators appointed by the Italian Government.

5. All Provincial Commissioners are kindly requested to take steps to suspend the payment of these dues ~~with~~ in their respective Provinces, giving notice of this suspension in the local press. This suspension should also be communicated officially to all the Employers' Associations (Unioni Industriali, Unioni Commercianti, etc.), the "Camera del Lavoro" and the general Post Office that acts as the collecting agency and the "Banca del Lavoro" which acts as receiver and on whom therefore would devolve the onus of effecting re-imbursement as mentioned in para. 4.

For the Regional Commissioner,

E. Scicluna, Major
Regional Labour Officer.

Copy to: - Regional Finance Officer
(for necessary action under para. 4.)
- D.S.C.A.O.
- D.R.C.
- Labour Sub Commission
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

Tel.: 478628

REF. : LSC/806 7 June 1945

SUBJECT : Official Wage Rates for Industry.

TO : Major E. Scioluna, Regional Labour Officer.

1. The wage schedules attached to your minute of 1st June have been received at this office, and I shall be glad if you will convey my thanks to all officers concerned in the compilation of these very excellent studies.

2. It is noted that trattenute deductions are shown on the returns, but I was under the impression that such deductions were not made in Northern Districts. Perhaps you would be good enough to clear this point for me.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 394-US.ARMY

Ref.: PR/LA/64/27 1.6.1945.

SUBJECT : OFFICIAL WAGE RATES FOR INDUSTRY

TO : H.Q. A.C. (Att. Director Labor Sub-Commission)

1. The wage rate studies herewith enclosed are for Turin and Cuneo, a first and a second grade town respectively.

2. The study is based on the contractual position and therefore do not represent the "de facto" situation. Collective contracts, of course, only fix minimum wages; the "Contratto Integrativo" is the instrument that fixes the actual wage level for the various factories (singly or in groups).

3. Your attention is drawn to the fact that throughout the period in which these contracts have been in operation, Industrialists have been paying varying extra emoluments which were never made to appear on their accountancy books.

4. In order to get a more accurate picture a study is now being made of the "take home" wage packet - the principal firms being taken in turn to supply the requisite confidential information.

E. Scicluna, Major
Regional Labour Officer.

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LABOR DIVISION

File LSC/806

5 June, 1945

PR/LA/31/30

Subject: Circular Number 1

To : Provincial Commissioner

TORINO
ALESSANDRIA
AOSTA
ASTI
CUNEO
NOVARA
VERCELLI

1. Enclosed please find Circular No.1, Labor Division, dealing with the organization and functions of the Provincial Labor Office(Italian State Agency) to be set up in your Province.

2. The circular is distributed in both Italian and English. The Italian copy is more complete and more detailed and should therefore be considered the operative copy and retained to be given to the prospective Provincial Director. The English copy is included for your convenience.

3. The Assistant Regional Labor Officer will visit your Hq. in the near future to explain in detail and to contact the Labor Liaison Officer you have appointed in re: the organization of these offices and other Labor problems. In the meantime every effort should be made to find suitable candidates for the post of Provincial Director who are apolitic, and who, if possible, are endorsed by the Prefect, Camera del Lavoro, CLN, and other Labor and Political organizations of importance in your Province.(vide: letter this Div. PR/LA/31 14 May '45)

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4. The candidates will then be examined and one will be chosen by the Provincial Commissioner and Regional Labor Officer to fill the office.

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E. SCICLUNA. Major
Regional Labor Officer

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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL LEGAL OFFICER 2 JUNE 1945

PR/LS/105
SUBJECT : Dismissal of Italian Employees in Piemonte Region
TO : P.C.'s (All Provinces).

1. It is deemed necessary that an order be entered blocking for the time being the dismissal of employees.

2. A similar order was entered by C.L.N. which expires 2 June 1945.

3. A copy of text of order to be issued by P.C.'s is annexed. It will be printed locally and posted.
Publicity will be given by you in the meanwhile by the most effectious means available.

4. Due to the limitation of time notice that such order, which shall be issued in all Provinces of Piemonte Region, the text was this day published by this Hdqrs.

5. A free translation into English is attached for convenience, the Italian version is the operative version.

Robert P. Marshall
Colonel FA
ASCAO, AMG IV Corps
Piemonte Region.

Inc. Copy of text of order in English and Italian.

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TRANSLATION

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

PROVINCIAL ORDER No...

Whereas; the views of the representative of the "Camera del Lavoro" and of the "Unione degli Industriali" respectively as well as those of the "Giunta Consultiva Regionale per il Piemonte" have been duly heard; and

Whereas; it is desired to provide a brief period in which to prepare a definite organic plan for hirings and dismissals based on sound economic principles and the rights and obligations of all parties concerned;

It is hereby ordered as follows :

Art. 1

The general prohibition of dismissals is extended up to 30 June '45 inclusive.

Art. 2

Partially derogating from the aforesaid prohibition, and in the way as disposed of in the following articles, dismissal is allowed only for those employees included in the following categories.

a. Persons who entered employment subsequent to 8 Sept.'43 in order to avoid enlistment or deportation.

b. Workers normally employed in agricultural services.

c; Employees of badly damaged factories which have no possibility to recommence work in the near future. In this case, however, until such time as more adequate unemployment benefits now in process of elaboration by the competent authorities, have been instituted, dismissals will be made conditional on alternative employment (with some other firm and in similar occupations) being made available to the personnel in qustion.

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This prohibition does not apply to dismissals on disciplinary ground which are normally allowed by existing regulations. Such dismissals may be carried out, due notice being given to the employee in qmestion and following consultation with the "Commissions Interne". In case of dispute, the procedure now in force as the readmission into service of a dismissed employee if a just reason for his dismissal without giving notice cannot be established. Even in the cases in which disciplinary dismissals are allowed, the employer may choose the procedure as stated in the following article without prejudice for the employee, in this case too, to have his claim that there is no just reason for his dismissal without notice, tried as an ordinary labor controversy.

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Art. 4

The management will submit the names of personnel proposed for dismissal to the "Commissione Interna" for examination of the fulfilment of the above mentioned conditions.

If within five days from such communication being given an agreement is not reached, the employer will refer the matter to a Special Committee; established at the office of the Economic Section of the Regional C.L.N. and consisting of the President of same Section, or his representative, and of a representative of Industrial Employers and Workers respectively which shall be designated respectively by the "Unione degli Industriali" and by the "Camera del Lavoro" of Torino.

Unless said special Committee shall have ruled against the management within ten days from date of reference of the matter, the question shall be deemed to have been conclusively decided in favor of the management.

The decisions of the aforesaid Committee - which shall have widest investigating powers - are absolutely unappealable and definite.

For those workers whose dismissals have been agreed upon by the "Commissione Interna" of the firm or authorised pursuant to the preceding para. of this art.,

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the period of time required for the notice shall not begin before the decisions concerning them have been notified to them or on the expiration of the time limits set forth above.

Art. 5

The Management will inform immediately the "Ufficio di Collocamento" of the lists of personnel whose dismissals have been agreed upon with the "Commissione Interna" or have become effective as provided above.

When the dismissal is proposed pursuant to art. 2 -c- the "Ufficio di Collocamento will be requested to answer the question whether there is any actual possibility to reemploy the personnel to be dismissed; its answer together with the list of said personnel will be communicated by the employer both to the "Commissione Interna" and, in the event of an appeal being filed, to the competent Committee as set out in art. 4.

Art. 6

In addition to the normal dismissal allowances, such personnel, as is dismissed pursuant to the foregoing provisions (exclusive of the cases mentioned in para. 1), shall be entitled to a special allowance, amounting to half a month's pay for employees, and to 96 hours' pay for manual workers to be calculated on the basis of the total amount of their normal pay.

Art. 7

In order to encourage the spontaneous demobilization of superfluous industrial personnel, employees and workers who resign, prior to 30 June '45, will get the same treatment as in the case of dismissal, but the special allowance pursuant to the preceding art. will be cut to 1/2. This liquidation will be recorded in the "Libretto di Lavoro", and up to 1st. Sept.'45 reemployment of the said employee or worker in other industrial firms is prohibited.

Art. 8

The present provisions governing the subsidisation of salaries, the responsibility of which now devolves on the "Istituto della Previdenza Sociale", will remain in force.

Art. 9

Violations of this order shall be subject to prosecution in Allied Military Government Courts.

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Provincial Commissioner

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pare. 7), shall be entitled to a special allowance, [illegible] pay for employees, and to 96 hours' pay for manual workers to be calculated on the basis of the total amount of their normal pay.

Art. 7

In order to encourage the spontaneous demobilisation of superfluous industrial personnel, employees and workers who resign, prior to 30 June '45, will get the same treatment as in the case of dismissal, but the special allowance pursuant to the preceding art. will be cut to 1/2. This liquidation will be recorded in the "Libretto di Lavoro", and up to 1st. Sept.'45 reemployment of the said employee or worker in other industrial firms is prohibited.

Art. 8

The present provisions governing the subsidisation of salaries, the responsibility of which now devolves on the "Istituto della Previdenza Sociale", will remain in force.

Art. 9

Violations of this order shall be subject to prosecution in Allied Military Government Courts.

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Provincial Commissioner
Province

Date :-

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO

Ordinanza Provinciale N°

PROVVEDIMENTI PER LA MOBILITAZIONE DELLE MAESTRANZE ESUBERANTI.

Sentiti i rappresentanti delle Camere del Lavoro e delle Unioni degli Industriali, nonchè la Giunta Consultiva Regionale per il Piemonte;
Per consentire, entro un breve periodo, la preparazione di una definitiva ed organica disciplina dei licenziamenti e delle assunzioni del personale in relazione alle normali possibilità economico-produttive delle aziende ed alle reciproche responsabilità dei datori e prestatori di lavoro;
Con la presente ordino quanto segue :

Art. 1

Il divieto generale dei licenziamenti viene prorogato sino a tutto il 30 giugno 1945.

Art. 2

A parziale deroga del presente divieto, e con le modalità di cui agli articoli seguenti, è ammesso il licenziamento di quei soli lavoratori rientranti nei casi seguenti :
a) elementi affluiti alle fabbriche dopo l'8 settembre 43 per sfuggire ad arruolamenti od a deportazioni;
b) lavoratori normalmente adibiti a lavori agricoli;
c) dipendenti da aziende gravemente ainistrate, per le quali non si presenti possibilità di ripresa del lavoro in un prossimo avvenire. In questo caso però, sino a quando non sia entrato in vigore il nuovo più adeguato trattamento di disoccupazione in corso di elaborazione presso gli organi centrali, i licenziamenti saranno subordinati alla possibilità di avviare il personale di cui trattasi ad occupazione similare presso altre aziende.

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Art. 3

Il divieto non riguarda i licenziamenti disciplinari, consentiti dalle ordinarie norme regolamentari e da attuarsi, previa contestazio-

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E' in facoltà dell'imprenditore di seguire, anche per i casi suscettibili di licenziamento disciplinare, la procedura di cui all'articolo seguente, senza pregiudizio per il lavoratore, pure in questo caso, di far risolvere la eventuale contestazione sulla giusta causa come ordinaria controversia di lavoro.

Art. 4

I nominativi del personale proposto per il licenziamento, dovranno dalla direzione dell'azienda venir comunicati alla Commissione Interna, per l'esame della effettiva ricorrenza dei casi soprapreviati.

Non raggiungendosi l'accordo, entro 5 giorni da tale comunicazione, l'autorizzazione ai licenziamenti in questione potrà venir richiesta dall'imprenditore ad un apposito Comitato, avente sede presso

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La sezione economica del C.L.N. Regionale è composta dal presidente di detta sezione, o da un suo delegato, e da un rappresentante sia degli Industriali che dei lavoratori dell'Industria, designati rispettivamente dall'Unione degli Industriali e dalla Camera del Lavoro di Torino.

In mancanza di decisione contraria, da parte del predetto Comitato, entro dieci giorni dalla presentazione della richiesta, questa s'intenderà accolta.

Le deliberazioni del predetto Comitato al quale è attribuita ogni più ampia facoltà istruttoria, sono del tutto insindacabili e definitive.

Per i lavoratori il cui licenziamento sia stato consentito dalla Commissione Interna dell'azienda o autorizzato a sensi dei comma precedenti, il preavviso non potrà comunque decorrere prima della comunicazione ad essi delle corrispondenti deliberazioni o della verificatesi scadenza del termine predetto.

Art. 5

La direzione dell'azienda dovrà dare immediata comunicazione all'Ufficio di Collocamento dell'elenco del personale il cui licenziamento è stato concordato con la rispettiva Commissione Interna ed autorizzato dal Comitato di cui al precedente articolo.

Quando il licenziamento venga proposto a sensi dell'art. 2, lettera c), l'Ufficio di Collocamento, deve, venire interpellato sulle attuali possibilità di rioccupazione altrove del personale da licenziarsi; la relativa risposta sarà, insieme con l'elenco di tale personale, comunicata dall'imprenditore tanto alla Commissione Interna quanto nell'eventualità di ricorso, al comitato competente a sensi dell'art.4

Art. 6

Oltre alle normali indennità di licenziamento al personale esonerato dal lavoro a sensi della presente ordinanza - salvochè nei casi di cui all'art. 3, 1 comma, spetterà un indennizzo speciale pari a mezza mensilità per gli impiegati ed a 96 ore per gli operai, da calcolarsi in base alla loro retribuzione normale complessiva.

Art. 7

Per favorire la spontanea smobilitazione del personale esuberante nelle industrie, al lavoratore che si dimetta entro il 30 giugno 45 spetterà lo stesso trattamento come in caso di licenziamento, con riduzione a metà dell'indennizzo speciale di cui all'articolo precedente; questa liquidazione dovrà venir inscritta nel libretto di lavoro, restando poi vietata sino al 1 settembre 45 qualsiasi rioccupazione di tale lavoratore in altre aziende industriali.

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Art. 8

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Rimane fermo il trattamento dell'integrazione salariale sin ora in atto da parte dell'apposita Cassa gestita dall'Istituto della Previdenza Sociale.

Art. 9

Le trasgressioni alla presente ordinanza incorrono nelle penalità applicabili dai Tribunali Militari Alleati.

Commissario Provinciale

Data

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DIRECTOR LABOUR F/C

FILE

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOR DIVISION
APO 394-U.S.ARMY

PR/LA/32/42 June 1945

Subject: Financing of Provincial Labor Office.

To : Provincial Commissioner- Province
(att'n. - Labour Liaison Officer)

1. Budgets have been prepared for all the provinces of Piemonte as regards the estabilishment of the Provincial Labour Office as set forth in the G.O. entitled "Labour Relations".

2. These budgets have been submitted to the R.F.O., Piemonte, who, in turn has sent them to his P.F.O.s, covered by a letter instructing them to place funds at the disposal of the a/m agency.

3. In order to begin drawing out these funds, the Prov. Labour Liaison Officer, after having chosen a temporary Provincial Labour Director, (vide- letter, this Division - PR/LA/31/39 here - to attached) should contact the P.F.O. who will explain thr procedure wishes followed in drawing these funds.

4. The funds are drawn through the " Intendenza di Finanza' by the" Provincial Director" requiring only a certification, on request, by the Labour Liaison Officer.

J Cantilli
James J. Cantilli
1st. Lt. - Inf.
Asst. Reg. Lab. Officer

Encl: - PR/LA/31/39
- Labour Div. Circular No. 1 (Eng. & Italian Copy)
- Labour Relations (Gen. Order)

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29 MAY 1945 SECRET

NOTIFIED PD

PARA ONE PD THERE HAS BEEN DISAPPROVED PD AFFILIATED LA LONGIA AMERO REX PD REPORT PD TO PAR SECRETARY DEFT IN WASHGTN RUSH PD

PARA TWO PD THERE ARE PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN ON A TEMPORARY NATIONAL LABOR OFFICER CRA FROM ALGER HEADQUARTERS SITE ATLAS PAPER

PARA TWO PD WE SHALL NOTIFY YOU AS SOON AS WE HAVE REPLY FROM LA LONGIA PD

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LABOUR SUBCOMMISSION

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NICHOLAS PISCITELLO
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HEADQUARTERS
FIFTH ARMY
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 392 - U.S. ARMY

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FH/LA/31 16th May 1943.

SUBJECT : Labour.

TO : All Provincial Commissioners.

1. The most serious problem confronting AMG is the impending mass unemployment likely to come about and industrial unrest as prices and wages cease to be correlated. Provincial Commissioners are expected to take a close personal interest in all Labour matters in order to keep this HQ informed of important developments.

2. Since the Labour Division does not dispose of any Officers to place in the field, Provincial Commissioners will have to take action themselves in conformity with directives issued by the Regional Labour Officer.

J. H. [illegible]
Colonel.
for H.P.MARSHALL Colonel.
D.D.C.A.G.

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COPY TO : R.C.
D/R.C.
HQ.AC. LABOUR S./C.
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~~L. Notarbartolo~~ 1/tr Regfle
Piemonte

15/5/45 LSC/806

LABOUR CHAMBER OF TURIN

1°) THE SECRETARIAT IS COMPOSED OF:

Carmagnola Luigi - former manual worker - socialist
Flecchia Vittorio - former building worker - communist
Rapelli Giuseppe - sale agent - demo-christian

2°) The Temporary Executive Committee is composed of 9 manual workers: 3 demochristian, 3 communist, 3 socialist, 1 action party.

3°) The syndicates constituted up to this date and adherent to the Labour Chamber are about twenty.

Hereunder are the numbers of workers who ought to adhere, divided by categories:

	Represented
Clothing	28.665
A.G.E.	3.935
Food	8.662
Lumber and Artistic Ind.	8.957
Paper and Print	9.359
Chemistry	29.833
Building	33.168
Extracting	2.924
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Railway Street Car	4.964
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For the moment we cannot give the number of the establishments.

4°) Elections will be carried on the democratic way; within the syndicates the elections will be reserved only for those registered at the same syndicates whereas all those belonging to an establishment may partake in the elections for the Internal Commissions.

5°) - Herewith attached are the rules and instructions concerning the elections for the internal commissions.

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6°) We have decided to publish the syndical paper "Coscienza di classe". The matter is being handled by P.W.B.

7°) We adhere to the C.G.I.L. from whom we have already received communications. We are awaiting the visit of the C.G.I.L. delegates from whom we expect to learn their rules, instructions etc. as well as the news regarding the syndical organizations in Southern Italy.

8°) Our contacts with A.M?G. are limited for the moment to Major Scicluna.

9°) Our policy and our program tend to maintain the efficiency of syndical unity and above all to defend the interests of the working masses.

10°) We are doing our best in maintaining and encouraging firm messes.

11°) Regarding unemployment and the help to be given to unemployed, former Italian prisoners and partisans, the Labour Chamber cooperates with the other municipal and provincial authorities and will cooperate more actively with the Allied Administration in procuring work and raw materials for the reactivation of plants.

12°) We have tried to communicate with the Labour Chamber of Milano.

We have received delegations from minor localities such as: ASTI, ALBA, CHIERI, IVREA for the establishment of local sections of our Labour Chamber.

13°) Major Scicluna has informed us of the establishment of Labour Offices and we have taken notice of the rules that regulate their functioning.

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15°) We are awaiting the convocation of the National Congress of the C.G.I.L. so that a better confederal order may be obtained.

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CAMERA DEL LAVORO di TORINO

1°) IL SEGRETARIATO E' COMPOSTO DA:

Carmagnola Luigi - ex operaio metallurgico - socialista
Flecchia Vittorio- ex operaio edile - comunista
Rapelli Giuseppe - viaggiatore di commercio- demo-cristiano

2°) Il comitato esecutivo provvisorio é composto di 9 operai in maggioranza metallurgici, e di una operaia tessile.
Le tendenze politiche sono così rappresentate:
- 3 democratici cristiani, - 3 comunisti,
- 3 socialisti - 1 del partito d'azione -

3°) I sindacati di categoria finora costituiti ed aderenti alla Camera del Lavoro, sono una ventina.
Le forze numeriche dei lavoratori che dovrebbero aderire sono, divise per categoria, le seguenti:

	Rappresentati
Abbigliamento	28.655
A.G.E.	3.935
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AUTOFERROTRAMVIERI	4.964
AUTISTI	1.015
AUSILIARI DEL TRAFFICO	3.099

con un totale di 308.701 rappresentati

Non possiamo, per ora dare la suddivisione del numero di stabilimenti.

4°) Il metodo di eleggere sarà quello democratico, e nell'interno dei sindacati, le elezioni saranno riservate ai soli iscritti ai sindacati stessi. Mentre per le elezioni delle commissioni interne vi potranno partecipare tutti gli appartenenti a un dato stabilimento.

5°) Per le commissioni interne si compiegano gli uniti manifestini contenenti norme ed istruzioni per la loro elezione.

6°) E' stato deciso la pubblicazione di un giornale sindacale "Coscienza di classe" - Sono in corso le pratiche presso il P.W.B. Le uniche circolari da noi diramate sono quelle riflettenti, le commissioni interne qui compiegate. 2618

7°) Abbiamo già avuto comunicazioni delle C.G.I.L., al quale aderiamo. Attendiamo la promessa visita di loro delegati e di ricevere più precise loro norme ed istruzioni nonché notizie sulle organizzazioni sindacali esistenti nel sud e sul loro funzionamento.

8°) La nostra partecipazione all'Amministrazione militare Alleata si limita per ora ai contatti avuti col maggiore Seiclunn, Ufficiale Alleato Regionale del lavoro.

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9°) La nostra politica ed il nostro programma tendono soprattutto a mantenere efficiente la realizzata unità sindacale.
Il nostro programma riguarda in modo particolare la difesa degli interessi delle classi lavoratrici, nel quadro generale della ricostruzione e delle condizioni nazionali.

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10°) Per le mense aziendali diamo una vigile collaborazione per il loro mantenimento. Non siamo in grado di precisare il numero di quelle funzionanti.

11°) Per la disoccupazione e per l'aiuto ai disoccupati, agli ex internati in Germania, ai partigiani smobilitati, la Camera del Lavoro collabora con le altre autorità Comunali e Provinciali, e collaborerà più attivamente ancora con l'Amministrazione alleata, soprattutto se si potrà fare un programma di lavori di utilità pubblica per lenire la disoccupazione e se si potrà ottenere l'invio di materie prime per gli stabilimenti inattivi.

12°) Abbiamo cercato di porci in comunicazione con Milano, mandando nostre notizie alla locale Camera del Lavoro,
Abbiamo ricevute delegazioni di centri minori quali:
Asti - Alba - Chieri - Ivrea per la costituzione di sezioni locali di Camera del Lavoro.

13°) Abbiamo avute notizie del Magg. Geiclune sulla costituzione degli uffici del Lavoro, ed ora abbiamo preso visione delle sue norme di funzionamento.

14°) Per il comitato consultivo previsto dalla costituzione dell'Ufficio del Lavoro daremo la nostra collaborazione con l'indicazione dei membri che ci saranno richiesti.

15°) Attendiamo la convocazione del congresso Nazionale della C.G.I.L. che ora si può effettuare con la partecipazione dei delegati dal Nord. Così potrà aver un miglior assetto confederale.

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AMG FIFTH ARMY
AMG TORINO

9853 3 JUNE 1943 NOTICE

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ADJT ASSISTANT

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ALCON LIAISON OFFICER PALERMO

29 MAY 1945 ROUTINE

REGRETTED PD

PARA ONE PD FIRENZE REGIONAL GOVERNMENT REQUESTS YOUR SERVICES TO ORGANIZE LABOUR OFFICE IN THAT REGION PD

PARTE PRIMA ALCON LIAISON OFFICER PALERMO PER AVVISATO MESSAGGIO LA LOCALE DIRETTORE REGIONAL LABOUR OFFICE FROM ALCON HEADQUARTERS SITO ACCLUSO PARTE

PARA TWO PD MINISTRY OF LABOUR AGREES TO RELEASE YOU FROM YOUR PRESENT ASSIGNMENT IN SICILY FOR TEMPORARY PERIOD PD

PARA THREE PD PLEASE REPLY WHETHER YOU ARE WILLING TO GO TO FIRENZE PD

PARA FOUR PD WE SHALL ARRANGE TRANSPORTATION IF YOU ARE WILLING TO UNDERTAKE THIS ASSIGNMENT PD

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LABOUR REQUISITION

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CPO USA
ADJT ASSISTANT

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H.Q. A.C. ATTENT.
DIR. LAB. SUB/COM
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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEDMONT REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 394-U.S.ARMY

TORINO, 17 Maggio 1945

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SUBJECT : Press Notice
TO : All Provincial Commissioners

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For the Regional Commissioner,
E. SCICLUNA
E. SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEDMONT REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
APO 394—U.S.ARMY

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TORINO, 17 Maggio 45

OGGETTO:- Comunicato alla Stampa

ALLA :- Prefettura di Torino
" " Alessandria
" " Asti
" " Aosta
" " Cuneo
" " Novara
" " Vercelli

Si prega codesta Prefettura di voler disporre, a mezzo del proprio Ufficio Stampa, affinchè venga diramato ai giornali della Provincia l'unito comunicato riguardante la situazione salariale.

Per il Commissario Regionale,

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E. SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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COMUNICAZIONE ALLA STAMPA

Il Comando Militare Alleato comunica :

E' stato segnalato a questo Comando che in alcune zone e presso qualche Azienda Industriale sono state avanzate richieste di compensi salariali sotto varia forma non contemplate dai contratti e regolamenti in vigore.

Dette richieste determinano un ulteriore grave perturbamento della situazione salariale che deve venire invece normalizzata nell'interesse della ripresa industriale e dei lavoratori stessi.

Si fa pertanto assoluto divieto a qualsiasi persona od Ente non regolarmente autorizzato di richiedere aumenti di salario sotto qualsiasi forma ed i datori di lavoro saranno tenuti responsabili della inosservanza della presente disposizione.

Le direttive di questo Comando mirano a ristabilire la libera contrattazione in materia di prezzi e di salari ma nello stesso tempo si preoccupano di impedire un ulteriore aggravamento della inflazione e le conseguenti sfavorevoli ripercussioni nel campo economico in generale ed in quello dei lavoratori in particolare. Pertanto mentre viene effettuato il disciplinamento dei prezzi dei generi alimentari e delle voci principli delle materie prime industriali, le modifiche salariali che venissero eventualmente concordate tra le Organizzazioni Sindacali competenti saranno subordinate alla approvazione del Commissario del Comando Militare Alleato assistito da una Commissione Consultiva costituita da rappresentanti del Comando Militare Alleato, da Delegati del Ministero dell'Industria Commercio e Lavoro e dai rappresentanti dei datori di lavoro e dei lavoratori. Alla Commissione potranno essere aggregati di volta in volta altri membri scelti tra gli esperti in materia economica sindacale e sociale.

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P R E S S N O T I C E

The Allied Military Government communicates the following:

This Command has been informed that in certain areas and in some industrial firms requests for wage adjustments of various kind have been forwarded although they are not contemplated by the contracts and regulations actually in force.

Such requests cause a further serious disorder of the wage situation which must instead be normalized in the interest of industrial resumption as well as of workers.

Therefore, it is absolutely forbidden for any unauthorized person or Institute to request wage increases of any kind and employers shall be held responsible for the inobservance of the present order.

The directives of this Command aim to establish free negotiations in regards to prices and wages but at the same time to impede inflation and the consequent unfavourable repercussions in the economic field in general as well as in the labour field in particular. Therefore, while prices of food stuffs and industrial articles are being disciplined, wage adjustment that eventually will be agreed upon by the competent syndical organizations shall be subordinate to the approval of the Allied Military Commission, assisted by an Advisory Commission composed of representatives of the Allied Military Command, by delegates of the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour as well as by the representatives of employers and workers. Experts in syndical and social economy may be called from time to time as members of the Commission.

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel. 489081 - Ext. 204

REF. : LSC/806 - 1105 28 April 1945

SUBJECT : Staffing of Labour Offices.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Piemonte Region.

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1. The Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour has suggested the following men for appointment to the labour offices which will be established in your region:

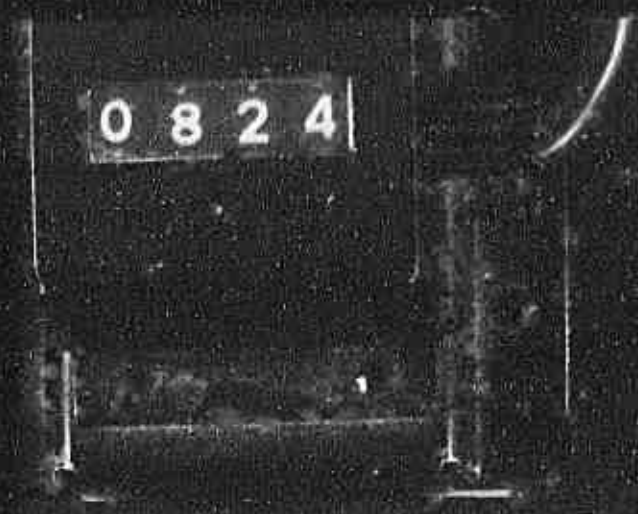
(a) Dr. Luigi Ricci - Director of Regional Labour Office.
(b) Dr. Riccardo Chivino - Director of one of the Provincial Labour Offices.

2. Dr. Luigi Ricci is presently director of the Provincial Labour Office at Foggia. He has over 20 years experience in the trade-union movement and is said to be an expert on labour conditions in Piemonte. He is a Piemontese by birth and a graduate of the University of Torino.

Dr. Riccardo Chivino is an attorney from Torino and is presently a resident of Rome - Via Nomadincio, No. 12.

3. Since the labour offices which are established by the Allied Forces will eventually be under the jurisdiction of the Italian Ministry of Labour, we recommend that the names suggested by the Minister receive your consideration and, if it is at all possible, we urge their appointment.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission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