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HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION (OVERHEAD)
APO 394

CMF/SC/100

22 January 1946

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File: 21002

SUBJECT: Promotion of Officers Reverting to Inactive Status

TO : All Officers, this Regiment.

The following cable is published for the information of all officers this Regiment:

1. HERE FOLLOWS AGRAR CABLE WX 00818: (SIGNED COMMANDING GENERAL HONASA CITE NAGAP) "PROMOTION OF OFFICERS BELOW GRADE OF COLONEL AND EXCLUDING REGULAR ARMY OFFICERS IS AUTHORIZED ON REVERTING TO INACTIVE STATUS UNDER FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

a. OFFICERS HAVING HELD GRADE AS SECOND OR FIRST LIEUTENANT 18 MONTHS OR MORE, AS CAPTAIN OR MAJOR 24 MONTHS OR MORE, AND AS LIEUTENANT COLONEL 30 MONTHS OR MORE, WITH EFFICIENCY IN EX OF 80 OR HIGHER, WILL BE PROMOTED ONE GRADE ON FIRST DATE OF TERMINAL LEAVE. COMPUTATION OF TIME IN GRADE IS BASED ON 50 PERCENT INCREASE FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE.

b. OFFICERS HERETOFORE REVERTED TO INACTIVE STATUS AND ELIGIBLE UNDER FOREGOING PROVISIONS WILL BE PROMOTED IN RESERVE OR IN AUS, NOUS OFFICERS WILL BE GIVEN OPTION OF COMMISSION IN ORC OR COMMISSION IN AUS AND WILL BE INFORMED HIS SELECTION OF COMMISSION IN ORC WILL PROVIDE FOR AUTOMATIC TERMINATION HIS STATUS IN NOUS, FURTHER THAT SHOULD HE ELECT COMMISSION IN AUS SUCH COMMISSION IS TEMPORARY AND TERMINATES AUTOMATICALLY AT END OF EMERGENCY PLUS SIX MONTHS WITHOUT AFFECTING NOUS.

c. OFFICERS CURRENTLY ON TERMINAL LEAVE AND ELIGIBLE UNDER FOREGOING WILL BE PROMOTED PRIOR TO REVERTING TO INACTIVE STATUS. CANDIDATES FOR PROMOTION UNDER THIS POLICY MAY DECLINE TO ACCEPT PROMOTION AND CAPTAINS ELIGIBLE WHO DECLINE IN ORDER TO COLLECT MUSTERING OUT PAY WILL BE REPORTED TO TAG FOR PROMOTION ON DAY AFTER REVERTING TO INACTIVE STATUS.

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d. BY DIRECTION OF THE PRESIDENT AUTHORITY TO EFFECT PROMOTIONS PRESCRIBED HEREUNDER IS DELEGATED TO THEATER AND OVERSEAS DEPARTMENT COMMANDERS IN CASES OF THOSE OFFICERS REVERTING INACTIVE STATUS WHILE SERVING OVERSEAS.

e. EFFICIENCY INDEX WILL BE BASED ON FORM 66-1 OR OTHER AVAILABLE AND COMPETENT RECORD, IF NO POSITIVE RECORD AVAILABLE ACCEPT CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL AND EFFECT PROMOTIONS. IN ANY CASE OF DOUBT AS TO ELIGIBILITY REFER COMPLETE DATA TO TAG FOR DECISION, FURNISH COPY OF ORDER IN CASE OF EACH INDIVIDUAL TO TAG OFFICERS BRANCH PROMOTION SECTION.

f. NO RETROACTIVE OR PRORATED PROMOTIONS ARE AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS DIRECTIVE. "

2. THE COMMANDING OFFICER, SEVENTH REPLACEMENT DEPOT, IS CHARGED WITH THE RESPONSIBILITY OF PROCESSING AND SUBMITTING TO THIS HEADQUARTERS ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PROMOTION OF OFFICERS SEPARATED FROM SERVICE IN THIS THEATER IN THE FUTURE, INCLUDING THOSE CURRENTLY ON TERMINAL LEAVE.

3. OFFICERS HERETOFORE REVERTED TO INACTIVE STATUS AND ELIGIBLE FOR PROMOTION MAY SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO THIS HEADQUARTERS INCLUDING THEREIN ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION BY ABOVE MENTIONED CABLE, OFFICERS NOW ON TERMINAL LEAVE WILL SUBMIT APPLICATION TO THE SEVENTH REPLACEMENT DEPOT, MAILING: COMMANDING OFFICER, SEVENTH REPLACEMENT DEPOT, APO 372, UNITED STATES ARMY.

The following MTOUSA cable C 50765 on the same subject is also quoted for the information of all officers:

WITH REFERENCE OUR RADIO FX 57060, HERE FOLLOWS PARTIAL AGWAR CABLE WOL 31587 FOR YOUR INFORMATION AND COMPLIANCE. "WAR DEPARTMENT HAS AUTHORIZED THE AUTOMATIC ONE GRADE PROMOTION OF CERTAIN NATIONAL GUARD, RESERVE AND ARMY "OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICERS AS THEY ENTER A TERMINAL LEAVE STATUS IN THE PROCESS OF BEING RELIEVED FROM ACTIVE DUTY, PROVIDED THEY HAVE SERVED A SPECIFIED LENGTH OF TIME IN GRADE AND HAVE A SPECIFIED MINIMUM EFFICIENCY INDEX. IT HAS BEEN REPORTED THAT EFFICIENCY RATINGS PREVIOUSLY RECORDED AND INITIALED ON AN OFFICERS QUALIFICATION ORD, WDAGO FORM 66-1, 66-2, 66-3 ARE BEING CHANGED IN

ORDER TO PERMIT THE OFFICERS RECORD TO REFLECT AN EFFICIENCY INDEX AT LEAST
EQUAL TO THE MINIMUM SPECIFIED FOR PROMOTION.

- a. THIS PRACTICE WILL CEASE.
- b. NO PERSON INCLUDING THE RATING OFFICER, WILL CHANGE AN EFFICIENCY
RATING ON THE OFFICERS QUALIFICATION CARD AFTER THE ENTRY HAS BEEN RECORDED AND
INITIALED."

BY ORDER OF COLONEL PARKIN:

Sheridan Craglish
SHERIDAN CRAGLISH
2nd Lt CE
Personnel Officer

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Communications Sub-Commission

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HHS/jc

7 December 1945

Ref : ADM.191.27.CS

SUBJECT: Promotion of Officers

TO : Executive Commissioner.

1. Major W.H. Green 282046 was recommended by me for promotion to Lt.Col. on June 22, 1945. Since that time I have from time to time followed up the question with Col. Jones who a few days ago told me that this HQs had forwarded to GHQ a recommendation for promotion but that in view of recent action on other promotions the outlook for favorable action in Green's case was not very bright.

2. I fear that if the recommendation is allowed to take its normal course Green will not receive his well merited and, in my opinion, overdue promotion and would much appreciate it if you could through personal contacts at GHQ do what you can to obtain favorable action on the recommendation.

3. I attach copy of recommendation made by me on June 22nd, 1945.

H.H. SCUDDER
Col. Sig. C.
Director.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Communications Sub-Commission

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SUBJECT: Promotion of Officers.

7 December 1945

TO : Regional Commissioner Lombardia Region.

Dear

I am writing to you with reference to Capt. C.G.L. Maddeck who is assigned to Lombardia Region as Postal Officer and in addition acts as Postal Officer for Piemonte and Liguria Regions.

Responsibilities of the duties performed by Capt. Maddeck, in my opinion, justify the rank of major and I sincerely hope you can see your way clear to recommending Maddeck for promotion.

I appreciate that under present circumstances with most promotions "frozen" there are many deserving cases and it is difficult to make a choice. In Maddeck's case I feel very strongly that promotion is fully justified.

I have done all I can here at HQs (as a matter of fact was politely told that I had violated British Army procedure about which I knew nothing) and have been informed that a regular recommendation for promotion originated by you is the only way that any consideration can be given to the matter.

If you could find the time to talk to Maddeck I am sure you will reach the conclusion that it is only by reason of an unfortunate chain of circumstances that he has not been promoted before this.

Yours sincerely

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Communications Sub-Commission

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ADM.191.26.CS

6 December, 45

SUBJECT: Promotion Capt. G.G.L. Maddock, Postal Officer
TO : Lombardina Region

1. Forwarded for your information letter from
Dep. Asst. Mil. Secy. dated 4 Dec. 1945.

H.H. SCUDDER,
Col.Sig.C.
Director.

Inclosure: Letter from Dept. asst. Mil? Sec.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
AFO 394
Communications Sub-Commission

HHS/ee

ADM. 191.24.CS

22 November, 1945

SUBJECT: Promotion of Officers.

TO : Establishment Section (B)

1. Forwarded, herewith, letter from Capt. C.G.L. Maddock reference his promotion.

2. It is hoped that it will be possible to promote Capt. Maddock who has done an excellent job of work during his assignment to this Sub-Commission. As pointed out in his letter, he has moved so much that his stay in any one place has not been long enough to permit his immediate superiors recommending him for promotion.

3. With the consolidation of the Northwestern Regions, Capt. Maddock will assume added responsibilities commensurate with the rank of Major.

H.H. SCUDDER,
Col. Sig. C.
Director.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Communications Sub-Commission

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ADM. 191.13.CB

26th June, 1945

SUBJECT: Confidential Reports - Officers

TO: Dep. Asst. Mil. Sec., A.C.

Reference your AC/110/WS of 25th June, 1945.

T/Major E.H.Green (282046) Gen. List.

1. Herewith confidential report on the above.
2. It has been prepared by the Senior British Officer in the Sub-Commission, and is concurred in by myself.

H.M.
H.M. BOUDDER
Lt. Colonel, S.W.C.
Director.

Incl: One report

Sent to Mr.

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Subject: Confidential Reports - Officers.CONFIDENTIAL.HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSIONC.M.F.AO/110/1B25 Jun 45Director
Communications Sub-CommissionT/Major W.H. GREEN (282045) Gen List

Reference your letter AIM.191.21.CS dated 22 Jun 45,
recommending that the above named officer be promoted to Lt.
Col.

Will you please submit a Confidential Report on
AF B194D (Recommendation for Advancement) and return to this
office. Report should be rendered in quadruplicate.

AFaB 194D are attached for your convenience.

W. A. Morris

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W. A. MORRIS, Major.
Dep Asst Mil Sec.

la/WAM.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Communications Sub-Commission

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ADM. 191.21.08

22nd June, 1945

SUBJECT: Officer Promotion

TO: G-1 (B)

1. It is recommended that Major W.H. Green 282046 Gen. List. be promoted to T/Lt.Col.

2. Major Green left Great Britain in October 1943 in the rank of T/Major having previously commanded the 16th West Riding Home Guard in the rank of Lt.Colonel.

3. Major Green arrived in Italy in February 1944 and since then has been acting as Postal Officer either in a Region or at Headquarters.

4. On three occasions he has been called to Headquarters to take over the duties of Chief Postal Officer for extended periods. He is at present filling the vacancy caused by Lt. Col. Routh's departure.

5. The position of Chief Postal Officer has been filled by a Lt.Col. since April 1943 and fully justifies such a rank.

6. Major Green has demonstrated marked ability as a Postal Officer having been Postal Officer Naples from its inception as a postal transfer point. It was under his direction that Naples Post Office was able, in spite of limited accommodations, to build up to a point where over 11,000,000 pieces of mail are handled monthly in addition to 12,000 parcels from overseas.

7. On the occasions that he has acted as Chief Postal Officer, Major Green has in every way demonstrated his ability to fill the position.

8. It is hoped that it will be possible to accord this Officer the promotion recommended.

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H.H. SCUDDER
Lt.Colonel, Sig.C.
Director.

21 June 1945

The Director,

Communications Sub-Commission,

(1) In connection with the filling of the vacancy caused by the release of Lt Colonel Routh, I should be greatly obliged if the following facts could be brought to the notice of G.I.(B);

(2) I sailed from Britain in October 1943 in my present rank, having previously commanded the 16th West Riding Home Guard in the rank of Lt Colonel.

(3) From the day of my arrival in this country from Africa in February 1944 ~~up~~ to the present time I have been continuously employed on effective duties either in an active Region or at Headquarters.

(4) On three occasions since the beginning of December 1944 I have been called upon at short notice to take over the duty of Chief Postal Officer and to perform that duty for prolonged periods. These, moreover, have been periods of heavy pressure owing to developments affecting civil postal services and to the fact that the vacancy for an Assistant Postal Officer at this Headquarters has remained unfilled all this year

W.H. Green

W.H. GREEN.

CHIEF POSTAL OFFICER

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W. H. Green

W. H. GREEN.

MAJOR POSTAL OFFICER

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FOREIGN TRAFFIC

FIRST FIVE MONTHS OF 1945

LETTERS

PRISONER OF WAR	Despatched	Received	Miles
Land Foreign	Despatched 26000		7 million
	Received 43000		16 million
	Received 155000		34 million
			34,000,000

GIFT PARCELS FROM USA

Rome	122725
Naples	59628
Palermo	62922
	<u>245273</u>

INTERNAL POST

Week's postings at time of last return Dec 1944
6,000,000 (of which nearly 1 million were
in Naples Prov.)

Since Dec 1944 much additional military has
been obtained & a number of services have been
restored.

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been obtained & a number of parcels have been
received.

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In reply
refer to: ADM.191.CS

Subject : Recommendation for Promotion

To : Chief of Staff

1. Forwarded herewith as requested recommendation for promotion of 1st.Lt. William B. Simmons.
2. I am in full agreement with recommendation for promotion of this officer.

Tel: 459081
Ext: 400

4th January, 1945

J. L. HENDERSON
Colonel,
Director,
Communications Sub-Commission

Incl: 3 Copies of recommendation

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION
G-1 AMERICAN
APO 394

REU/rsd

16 December 1944

File: 210.2

SUBJECT: Promotion of 2d Lieutenants.

TO : Regional Commissioners & Directors, Sub-Commissions, Allied Commission, APO 394, U. S. Army.

1. At the last meeting of the Promotion Board, recommendations for the promotion of 2d Lieutenants were not considered because of limitations of T/O vacancies in the grade of 1st Lieutenant.

2. We are now advised by MTCUSA letter (see inclosure) that 2d Lieutenants, having 18 months in grade (computed on time and half basis for overseas service) may be promoted without regard to T/O vacancies in grade of 1st Lieutenant. In this connection, however, your attention is invited to the last sub-paragraph of paragraph 1 of the inclosed letter.

3. Accordingly, it is desired that recommendations be submitted for all 2d Lieutenants under your command worthy of advancement. It is also desired that a report be rendered on 2d Lieutenants whose efficiency ratings are below normal standards.

For the Vice-President, Establishment Section:

R. T. Uhler
R. T. UHLER
Lt Colonel, AGO
G-1 American

1 Incl:
MTCUSA Ltr, dtd 9 Dec 44.

Director	CROSS REFS.	
D. C. Frank	FILE	+ B/fwd.
Chief, Intelligence	ADM 191/CS	
Chief, Postal	Date	19 DEC 1944
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Asst Chief Postal		
Censorship		
Chief Clerk		

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

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9 December 1944

AG 310.2/702 A-0

SUBJECT: Change in Army Regulations.

TO : All Concerned.

1. The War Department has advised that the following change has been made in AR 605-12, dated 17 August 1944, in order to permit promotion of deserving 2d Lieutenants who have been denied promotion due to lack of vacancies in the higher grade:

"Paragraph 1d (b). Any 2d Lieutenant (including Army Nurses, Dietitians, and Physical Therapists) who has completed 18 months of service in that grade, may be promoted to the grade of 1st Lieutenant without regard to Table of Organization or allotment vacancies in the grade of 1st Lieutenant provided he is qualified for and worthy of promotion.

In determining time in grade for this purpose, service outside the continental limits of the United States or in Alaska will be counted as time and a half.

This authorization will NOT be used for the automatic promotion of all 2d Lieutenants who have served 18 months in that grade, but will be reserved for those denied merited advancement solely because they are NOT assigned to positions established for higher grades."

2. Circular Number 141, this headquarters, 1944, is being amended accordingly.

By command of Lieutenant General MONARNEY:

/s/ R. H. FRESS 921
R. H. FRESS,
Captain, AGD,
Asst Adjutant General.

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Evacuation, & Field Hospital

Reproduced by HQ 2675th Regt, Allied Commission,
(Ovhd), LPO 394, 16 December 1944

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Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission
CIVIL COMRADESHIP GROUP
APO 384, U. S. Army

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FROM:

LT. COL. MCKEAN

TO:

COL. HENDERSON

FOR: ☐ Signature
☐ Necessary Action
☒ File
☐ Note & Return 920
☐ Prepare Reply
☐ Recommendation
☒ Information

REMARKS:

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
APO 312, US Army

CCB/CO

9 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Promotion of Officers.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission,
Communications Sub-Commission,
Att: Lt.Col. Gordon W. McKean,
APO 394, U.S. Army.

1. Herewith is extract SO 278, Hq., NATOUSA, 7 October 1944 relating to promotions of following officers:

Gordon W. McKean, Cav., from Major to Lt.Col.
Joseph P. Carretto, Inf., from 1st Lt. to Captain
Herman J. Polisky, SigC, from 2nd Lt. to 1st Lt.

2. The recommendation of Captain Goodall has been returned for further data which can be supplied here. The application was resubmitted on 7 Oct 44.

For the A.C. of S., G-2:

THOMAS H. FIRM,
Lt. Col., Infantry,
Communications Generalship.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Telephone 469061 Ext. 333

25th August, 1944

In reply
refer to: CB/39/1/16

Subject: Recommendation for Promotion.

To: Executive Commissioner
for the Establishment Officer, O-1 American.
(Thru R.C. & M.C. Section)

1. Reference is made to inter-office Memo O-1(A)NPT/el of August 22nd, 1944, subject: Disapproved Recommendation for Promotion.
2. Recommendation for promotion of Major G. E. Krauer is resubmitted herewith.
3. Col. L. D. Densmore has been consulted and concurs with recommendation.

H. H. SCUDDE 918
Lt. Colonel.
D/Director, Communications Sub-Commission

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Incls: 4 - One letter & three copies of Recommendation

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Telephone 489061 Ext. 333

23rd August, 1944.

In reply
refer to: CS/39/1/15

Subject : Recommendation for Promotion.

To : Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission
Thru' R.C. & M.G. Section.

1. Forwarded herewith recommendation for promotion of Major G.W. Knauer.
2. I am in full agreement with recommendation for promotion of this officer.

J.L. HENDERSON
Colonel
Director, Communications Sub-Commission

Incls: Three copies of recommendation.

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMO G-1 (A)/NPT/al

From: G-1 (American)

SUBJECT: Disapproved Recommendation for Promotion

FILE No.

22 Aug 44

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TO: Director, Telecommunications & Postal Subcommission, Hq. ACC

1. Having been disapproved by the last meeting of the Officer Promotion Board, the recommendation for promotion of Major George W. Knauer, 0521379. SB, is returned herewith.

2. If it is desired to have him recommended again, Major Knauer's papers may be resubmitted provided all requirements for promotion -- including the required time in grade -- are met. A new, up-to-date recommendation will be forwarded.

For the Establishment Officer:

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H. P. THEODORE
1st Lt. AGD
G-1 (A)

1 Incl.

Recomm for Prom of Major Knauer

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Tel. No. 489081 : Extn. 333

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24th July, 1944.

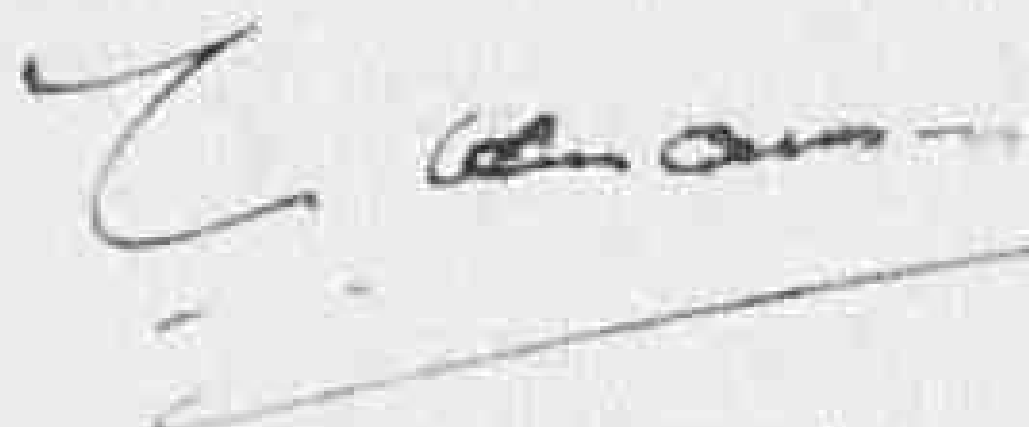
In reply refer
to: CS/39/1/14

Subject: Recommendation for Promotion.

To: Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission
(Thru' R.C. & M.G. Section).

1. Forwarded herewith recommendation for promotion
of Major G.W. Knauer.

2. I am in full agreement with recommendation
for promotion of this officer.



J. L. HENDERSON
Colonel,
Director, Communications Sub-Commission.



Incls. three copies of recommendation.

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APPENDIX

COMMUNICATIONS SUB-COMMISSION HQB A.C.C.
(Province - Region - Sub-Commission - Staff Section, etc.)

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X 201- Knauer George W.
(Officer's name)

24th July, 1944
(Date)

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Promotion

TO : Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U. S. Army,
c/o Postmaster, New York, NY.

1. The following named officer is recommended to the Commanding Officer, 267th Regiment, ACC, for promotion to the next higher rank:

Knauer George W. Major (Spec. Res. A.U.S. 0521379 267th Regiment.
(Name) (Rank, Branch, Component) (ASN) (Orgn)

a. Date of arrival in this Theater 24th October, 1943

b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in Theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	From	To	Manner of Performance
I.G. School	Tiri Quzon	13-Oct-43	1-Nov-43	W.A.K.
Re-establish HQ.				
Communications Svs. Palermo		6-Nov-43	2-Jan-44	E.
Re-establish com-				
communications services	Naples	2-Jan-44	13-July-44	Sup.
and Liaison HQ.				
HQ. Communications	Rome	13-July-44	Present	Sup.
and Re-establish.				
Communications Services.				

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c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service 20th July, 1943

d. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer
Major

Date of present rank 20th July, 1943
Time in grade 12 months and 3 days.

13 months 3 days

e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade Par. 20-50 390 W.D.

f. Total length of active commissioned service 12 months 3 days.

13 months 3 days

TO : Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U. S. Army,
c/o Postmaster, New York, NY.

1. The following named officer is recommended to the Commanding Officer, 2675th Regiment, ACO, for promotion to the next higher rank:

Major George W. Major (Spec. Res. A.U.S. 0521279 2675th Regiment.
(Name) (Rank, Branch, Component) (ASN) (Org)

a. Date of arrival in this Theater 6th October, 1943

b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in Theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	From	To	Manner of Performance
U.S. School	Tiri Quzou	13-Oct-43	1-Nov-43	MAK
Re-establish HQ.				
Communications Svs. Palermo		6-Nov-43	2-Jan-44	E.
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munications services	Naples	2Jan-44	13-July-44	Sup.
and Liason HQ.				
HQ. Communications	Rome	13-July-44	Present	Sup.
and Re-establish.				
Communications Services.				

c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service 20th July, 1943

d. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer

Major
Date of present rank 20th July, 1943
Time in grade 12 months and 3 days 13 months 3 days

e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade Par. 20- 50 190 W.D.

f. Total length of active commissioned service 13 months 3 days
22 months 3 days

g. Officer's age is 52

h. Certificate: I have satisfied myself that the officer herein recommended to be promoted, has achieved the desired results in raising the disciplinary standards in the unit, activity or staff section he controls. I will be glad to have this officer under my command in the grade for which recommended.

The officer recommended herein has not been recommended for rotation. i. Additional remarks: See attached.

22. 12. 52
(Signature)
H.H. SCUDER, Maj. 31st Corps.
Deputy Director, Communications Sub-Comm-
(Rank & Title) (Issued)

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1st Ind.

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1. Major Knauer has clearly demonstrated his ability and fitness for promotion. As communications officer Main Hqs. A.C.C. he has to a marked degree contributed to the re-establishment of civil communications and has shown a superior qualities as an executive. His wide past experience and training render him especially fitted for the work he is called upon to do and his marked ability to obtain the co-operation of others has greatly expedited the accomplishment of the projects assigned him.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Tel. No. 489061 : Extn. 333

24th July, 1944.

In reply refer
to: CS/39/1/14

Subject: Recommendation for Promotion.

To: Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission
(Thru' R.C. & M.G. Section).

1. Forwarded herewith recommendation for promotion of Major G.W. Knauer.
2. I am in full agreement with recommendation for promotion of this officer.

J. L. HENDERSON
Colonel,
Director, Communications Sub-Commission.

Incls. three copies of recommendation.

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APPENDIX

Hq. Communications Sub-Commission.
(Province of Region - Sub-Commission - Staff Section, etc.)

202- Y 201- KNAUER - GEORGE W.
(Officer's name)

23 July 1944
(Date)

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Promotion

TO : Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, APO 344, U. S. Army,
c/o Postmaster, New York, NY.

1. The following named officer is recommended to the Commanding Officer, 2675th
Regiment, AOC, for promotion to the next higher rank:

KNAUER, GEORGE W. (Name) MAJOR (Rank, Branch, Component) 0521379 (ASN) 2075 REG'T. (Orgn)
ADJG.

a. Date of arrival in this Theater 8 OCTOBER 1943

b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in Theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	From	To	Manner of Performance
<u>M. G. SCHOOL</u>	<u>TIZI OUZA</u>	<u>13 OCT 43</u>	<u>1 NOV 43</u>	
<u>HQ. REESTABLISH. COMMUNICATIONS SVS</u>	<u>PAVERMO</u>	<u>6 NOV 43</u>	<u>2 JAN 44</u>	<u>E</u>
<u>ROESTABLISH. COM. COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE AND LIAISON - H.Q.</u>	<u>NAPLES</u>	<u>2 JAN 44</u>	<u>13 JULY 44</u>	<u>SUP.</u>
<u>HQ. COMMUNICATIONS AND REESTABLISH. COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES</u>	<u>ROME</u>	<u>13 July</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>SUP.</u>

c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service 20 JULY 1943

d. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer

MAJOR
Date of present rank 20 JULY 1943
Time in grade 12 MONTHS 3 DAYS

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e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade PAR-20-SO 19 JUNE
7-9 43

f. Total length of active commissioned service 12 MONTHS 3 DAYS

1. The following named officer is recommended to the Commanding Officer, 2675th Regiment, ACC, for promotion to the next higher rank:

KNOWER, GEORGE W. (Name) MAJOR (Rank, Branch, Component) 0521379 (ASN) 2075 REG'T. (Orgn)

a. Date of arrival in this Theater 8 OCTOBER - 1943
b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in Theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	From	To	Manner of Promotion
<u>M.G. SCHOOL</u>	<u>TIZI OUZA</u>	<u>13 OCT 43</u>	<u>1 NOV 43</u>	
<u>HQ. RECONSTRUCTION COMMUNICATIONS SYC</u>	<u>PALESTINE</u>	<u>6 NOV 43</u>	<u>2 JAN 44</u>	<u>E</u>
<u>RECONSTRUCTION COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE AND LIAISON - M.G.</u>	<u>NARLES</u>	<u>2 JAN 44</u>	<u>13 JULY 44</u>	<u>SUP.</u>
<u>HQ. COMMUNICATIONS AND RECONSTRUCTION COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES</u>	<u>ROME</u>	<u>13 July</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>SUP.</u>

c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service 20 JULY 1943

d. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer MAJOR

Date of present rank 20 JULY 1943
Time in grade 12 MONTHS 43 DAYS 911

e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade PAR 20-50192WD
7-9-43

f. Total length of active commissioned service 12 MONTHS 43 DAYS

g. Officer's age is 52

h. Certificate: I have satisfied myself that the officer herein recommended to be promoted, has achieved the desired results in raising the disciplinary standards in the unit, activity or staff section he controls. I will be glad to have this officer under my command in the grade for which recommended.

THE OFFICER RECOMMENDED HEREIN
i. Additional remarks: HAS NOT BEEN RECOMMENDED FOR ROTATION

James D. Scully
Major S.C.
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Major S.C.

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Sub Comm.

MAJOR KNAUER HAS CLEARLY DEMONSTRATED
HIS ABILITY AND FITNESS FOR PROMOTION.
AS COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER MAIN Hqs. ACC.
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PROMOTION OF OFFICERS

I. British Officers.

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II. American Officers.

1. The following procedure will be followed in recommending American officers for promotion:

a. Recommendations may be submitted at any time after the officer has served the required minimum time in grade and it is considered that the performance of duty by the officer recommends him for promotion.

Since there is no set 10/10/10, the requirement for three months in position in vacancy will be considered to be three months assignment to suitable positions in 100/100, not necessarily three months on any one assignment.

b. Recommendations will be originated by the senior American officer in the Province, Region, Sub-Commission, or Branch in which the officer is serving. They will be forwarded through normal command channels to Headquarters A.C.C.

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- b. FOR OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO SUB-COMMISSIONS: Recommendations will

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be originated by the senior American officer in the Sub-Commission and they will be forwarded through the Section Head, or, for independent Sub-Commissions, through the Regional Branches, to the Executive Commissioner. Where the senior officer of the Sub-Commission of the Section is a British officer, the Section Head will indicate his approval or disapproval by covering letter as indicated in "a" above.

c. For officers assigned to the Establishment Branch, or separate staff Sections, recommendations will be processed through the Establishment Branch to the Executive Commissioner.

3. a. Heads of Sub-Commissions, whose officers have served alternately in Headquarters and in various Regions for short periods, may submit to Provincial or Regional Commissioners, a list of specialist officers whom they consider qualified for promotion, if the officers have been overlooked by the Commissioner due to the short period of service in their present assignment. When this is done, the Head of the Sub-Commission should cite the reasons which make him believe the officers are entitled to promotion, and should include the various assignments the officer has filled and the number of performances.

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5. When the Executive Commissioner has acted upon the recommendation and the recommendation is approved by him, one copy of the form will be used by the Commanding Officer, 2675th Regiment, AOC, for preparation of the pertinent NATCOMA promotion form. In the event the Executive Commissioner disapproves the recommendation, the papers will be returned by Headquarters, Allied Central Commissioner, to the Region, Sub-Commission or Branch concerned, with the exception of one copy which will be placed in the Regimental 201 file of the officer concerned.

5. All recommendations for promotion submitted prior to 1 March 1944, will be disregarded. Therefore, new recommendations must now be submitted in compliance herewith.

6. All previous instructions in conflict herewith, are rescinded.

For the Executive Commissioner:

John J. Albright
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For the Executive Commissioner:

John J. W. Wright
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SUBJECT: Recommendation for Promotion.

TO : Executive Commission, Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U.S. Army,
c/o Postmaster, New York, N.Y.

1. The following named officer is recommended to the Promoting Officer, 2675th
Regiment, APO, for promotion to the next higher rank:

Arthur J. Allen AF AYS 01016137
(Name) (Rank, Branch, Component) (ASN) (Organ)

a. Date of arrival in this Theater 21 Jan 43
b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in Theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	From	To	Rank at Performance
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service 20 Feb 43

d. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer:

2d Lt
Date of present rank 20 Feb 43
Time in grade _____

e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade → 908

f. Total length of active commissioned service →

g. Officer's age is 33

Arthur J. Allen AF AUS 01016137

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a. Date of arrival in this theater 21 June 93

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✓ Date of entrance into active conditional service 20 Feb 43

1. Back held up as entrance into active duty as commandant officer

2d Lt
date of previous rank 20 Feb 43
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Authority and date of publication to present grade 7 906

Total length of active population group in

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SUBJECT : Policy - Hospital Army Commissions

1. The attached copy of War Office Letter 100/Gen/9995 AGI (Offrs) dated 9 Feb. 44, is forwarded.
2. The attention of all officers should be drawn to the contents of this letter.

IN COMPLIANCE OF THE GENERAL ORDER NO. 100/100/100

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data appearing before the Selection Committee. The Committee of Officers Commanding-in-Chief all over the Commonwealth of opinion of several officers Commanding-in-Chief in the professional and financial prospects of Regular Officers, but this is a basic consideration upon which no recommendation can be made at the present time.

3. As to financial considerations, the reforms introduced in 1938 were designed to provide an assured career up to the age of 47 years with a reasonable pension at the close of an officer's service. Army Council Instruction 2441 of 1942 extends the effect of these provisions to officers granted permanent commissions in the Royal Army Ordnance Corps, up to the age of 55 years.

Owing to the nature of and the beneficial effects of these reforms have not yet been fully felt.

4. Certain amendments have been made to the percentages of their permanent positions in the establishment at which the strength of various arms may be maintained by the grant of permanent commissions. They will now be as follows:-

Royal Armoured Corps.....	100%
Royal Artillery.....	75%
Royal Engineers.....	60%
Royal Corps of Signals.....	80%
Royal Guards.....	100%
Infantry.....	100%
Royal Army Ordnance Corps.....	60%

The peace establishment of the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers has not yet been settled, the number of permanent commissions which may be granted will, therefore, be based on 100% of those parts of the peace establishment of other corps described under that corps.

5. It is desired that all officers, and especially those who are candidates or intending candidates for permanent commissions, should be aware of the present position with regard to the scheme, and of the principles upon which it is based. I am, therefore, to request that you will cause the contents of the Appendix to this letter to be brought to the attention of all military officers under your command.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Signed) A.W. LAMBERT.

The Commander-in-Chief, Middle East.
The Commander-in-Chief, Persia and Iraq.
The Commander-in-Chief, Allied Forces Headquarters.
The Commander-in-Chief, II Army Group, South East Asia.
The General Officer Commanding-in-Chief,
East Africa and West Africa.

The General Officer Commanding, Ceylon.
The Governors and Commanders-in-Chief, India, Ceylon.
The Commanders, North Caribbean Area, Jamaica.
South Caribbean Area, Trinidad.
The Officers Commanding Troops, Bermuda, Bahamas, Mauritius, Falkland Islands, Port of Spain.
The Officer Commanding Military Forces, Aden.

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Appendix to 100/Gen/9995(AGI(Offrs)) 17
 Dated 9 Feb 44.

REGULAR COMMISSIONS

1. With reference to A.G.I.s. 1696 and 2441 of 1942, 153 and 1944 of 1943. It is desired that all officers may know the principles on which is based the grant in war of permanent commissions in the Regular Army and the present position with regard to the grant of such commissions. This Appendix will not be quoted as an authority. A further A.G.I. will be issued in due course.

2. The main factors affecting the grant of permanent commissions during the war are:-

(a) Although the future size of the Army is at present unknown, it is considered very desirable that a certain number of officers should receive permanent commissions in the Regular Army to ensure that their services are available on demobilization, and to avoid a gap in the peace establishment, the filling of which at the end of the war would inevitably create a block in promotion.

(b) By bringing in junior officers in accordance with the normal peacetime practice, a block in promotion in future years should be avoided.

(c) It is also desired that every officer receiving a permanent commission should have a fair chance of drawing a reasonable pension at the age of 47 or 55, whichever in the age for compulsory retirement from the arm in which he serves.

(d) The number of vacancies which may be filled by the grant of permanent commissions under this scheme is based on a certain percentage of the pre-war peace Establishment, less the number of Regular Officers still serving. Obviously, it would be grossly unfair to fill all those vacancies in the first instance by accepting too large a proportion of candidates whose applications have already reached the War Office, because they are serving in the United Kingdom of the more accessible Commands overseas. Room must be left for those who have not had an opportunity to appear before a Selection Board. These considerations have particular application to the Infantry, wherein the number of vacancies varies widely in each Regiment. No permanent commissions will, therefore, be granted in this arm until the bulk of the applications are received and the preferences of the majority of candidates can be considered at one time in relation to the requirements of the service. It is emphasised that the grant of permanent commissions now will in no way prejudice the prospects or seniority of those candidates or intending candidates who will be unable to obtain their permanent commissions until a later date. Seniority in the Regular Army is based on the length of service after attaining the age of 21 as an emergency commissioned officer and, in the case of former Regular other ranks, reckonable other rank service. The date on which a permanent commission is granted is, therefore, irrelevant to seniority. As the war progresses there may be more casualties amongst Regular officers, and later information regarding the size and composition of the post-war Army may increase the number of vacancies in all arms.

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3. SELECTION

Officers for the post-war Army must necessarily be of a very high standard. They must be well educated, prepared to study their profession intensively and have the high degree of intelligence necessary for professional efficiency. Those who are to receive permanent commissions must, therefore, be drawn from the best emergency commissioned officers now serving. Thus, it is not always possible to accept an officer on the recommendation of his Commanding Officer and Superior Commander, because standards vary in regiments and formations and because candidates must compete in the open field of the Army as a whole. For this reason, some form of centralized selection is required, and it was decided that the only practicable method of selecting and grading candidates was by a form of War Office Selection Board, which has proved so successful in selecting emergency commissioned officers. In view of the importance of the permanent commission, a Major-General was appointed to the Board as president. The only other change is that the psychiatrist has been withdrawn.

4. CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

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It is emphasized that there are openings in the post-war Army for the keen young man who is prepared to tackle a hard job of work entailing the exercise of very varied talents.

In to financial considerations, it should be noted that the reforms introduced in 1938, were designed to give officers an assured career up to the age of 47 or 50 years, according to the arm of the Service, with a reasonable pension at the close of their service. A.C.I. 2441 of 1942 extends the effect of these reforms to officers granted permanent commissions in the R.A.C.O., up to the age of 55. Owing to the outbreak of war the beneficial effects of the 1938 reforms have not yet been apparent.

5. APPEALS

It is recognized that although the War Office Selection Board has a very small margin of error, no board can be infallible. It has, therefore, always been intended that a rejected candidate, who feels he has been misjudged may, with the concurrence of his Commanding Officer, be re-interviewed by an Appeal Board. Such a Board has been working in the United Kingdom and one is now visiting Commands overseas. The decision of an Appeal Board is final.

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Recommendations have been made that selected officers, above the age limits of the present scheme and holding a temporary or war substantive rank of Captain or Major, should be granted permanent commissions in those ranks.

These recommendations are being examined, but it at present appears improbable that the scheme will be expanded in this way. The known requirements of the Army do not at present warrant such a measure; a block in promotion must be justified against and officers so commissioned might not have sufficient time, before reaching the age of compulsory retirement, to qualify for retired pay or gratuity under the present code.

/s/ EDWIN ARMY

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9. INDIAN ARMY

Emergency commissioned officers who have applied for and received permanent commissions, with a view to transferring to the Indian Army after the war, will be released from their honourable undertaking to serve for not less than five years, if it is decided that they cannot be granted permanent commissions in the Indian Army.

10. THE ROYAL ARMOURD CORPS

After full consideration, it has been decided that candidates accepted for permanent commissions in the Royal Armoured Corps, will be gazetted to that corps and not to individual regiments of the corps.

11. ARMY OFFICERS LEFT OR TRANSFERRED TO THE R.A.F.

Army officers attached or transferred to the R.A.F. or R.A.N.Z. Regiment may apply, but Army O.C.s. transferred to the R.A.F. and, who have now received emergency commissions in the R.A.F. or R.A.N.Z. Regiment, are ineligible.

Permanent commissions are not being offered in the R.A.F. at present, but if they should be re-introduced later, and an attached or transferred Army officer should be required for a permanent R.A.F. commission, and also selected for a permanent Regular Army commission, the former would take precedence over the latter.

12. EXATITION FORCES

Officers of certain Dominion Forces are also eligible to apply.

13. PRISONERS OF WAR

Prisoners of war have been given details of the scheme and those wishing to apply for permanent commissions have been invited to send in their names. For obvious reasons they are unable to complete the normal application form whilst still in enemy hands, but arrangements have been made for them to submit full applications after they have been repatriated and their medical categories etc. can be confirmed.

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9 May 44

C30 AAI MEMORANDUM No 52

1. Now that the MS Branch is fully established at HQ AAI, copies of all reports on the AP Sign series will be available at this HQ for scrutiny when required.

2. In future, therefore, it will be unnecessary to insert extracts of AP B134D in para 25 of the officers' record sheet, although a note will still be required to show whether one has been submitted and if so, when and by whom.

3. Para 25 of the officers' record sheet will accordingly be amended by deleting, "Extract from AP 134D, where possible" and substituting "By whom".

The para will then read as follows :-

25. Has AP 134 been submitted ? Date submitted ?
By whom ?

Date ----- Signature of Commanding Officer -----

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Major General,
Chief Signal Officer.

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The para will then read as follows :-

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by whom ?

Date ----- Signature of Commanding Officer -----

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The para will then read as follows :-

25. Has AP 124 been submitted ? Date submitted ?
By whom ?

Date _____ Signature of Commanding Officer _____

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1. Now that the WS Branch is fully established at HQ AAF, copies of all reports on the AF Sign series will be available at this HQ for scrutiny when required.

2. In future, therefore, it will be unnecessary to insert extracts of AF 2134D in para 25 of the officers' record sheet, although a note will still be required to show whether one has been submitted and if so, when and by whom.

3. Para 25 of the officers' record sheet will accordingly be amended by deleting, "Extract from AF 194D, where possible" and substituting "By whom".

The para will then read as follows :-

25. Has AF 194 been submitted ? Date submitted ?
By whom ?

Date ----- Signature of Commanding Officer -----

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In reply
refer to:

TS/39/1/7

18 April, 1944

Subject : Recommendation for Promotion.

To : Executive Commissioner, Allied Control
Commission, APO 394 U.S. Army.
(Taru R.C. & M.G. Branch)

1. Forwarded herewith recommendation for
promotion of Captain Richard H. Ayre.
2. I am in full agreement with recommendation
for promotion of this officer.

J.L. Henderson
Colonel
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission

Incl: (1) 3 Copies of Recommendation

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APO 394

9th April, 1944.

In reply refer
to: TFS/39/1/6

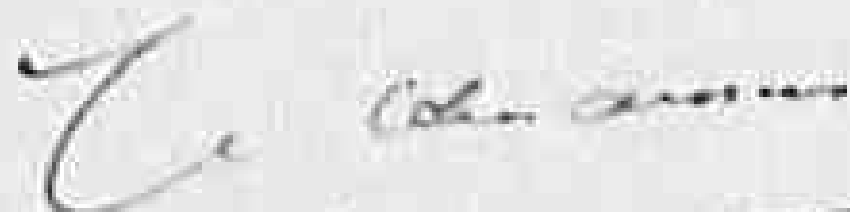
Subject: Recommendations Promotions - Officers.

To: Major G.W. Krauer, HQ, ACC, Naples.

1. Reference Establishment Memorandum No. 10 dated 25th March, 1944, which can be seen here or at the Adjutant's office, Naples.

2. Will you kindly ask any American officers in the Telecommunications branch, whom you consider suitable for promotion, to complete the form attached to the Establishment memo from (a) to (g) and return to me.

3. The name of Captain Ayres is suggested.



J. L. Henderson
Colonel,
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.

To: Col J. L. Henderson.

16th April 1944.

1. Attached 3 copies of forms required by memo no 10, completed from A to E from official records.
2. Rating and supplemental remarks have been shown in accordance with our discussion.

G. W. Krauer
Major. 2 R.

APPENDIX 1

APPENDIX 1

(Province - Region - Sub-Commission - Staff Section, and.)

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(Officer's name)

(Date)

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Promotion.

Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U.S. Army,
c/o Postmaster, New York, N.Y.

1. The following named officer is recommended to the Commanding Officer, 2675th
Regiment, ACC, for promotion to the next higher rank:

R.H. AYRE CAPT S.C 0.173533 ACC-TELECOM
(Name) (Rank, Branch, Component) (ASN) (Grade)

a. Date of arrival in this Theater 29 Sept 43

b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in Theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	From	To	Reason of Performance
✓ <u>Communications</u>	✓ <u>Amst</u>	✓ <u>29 Nov 43</u>	✓ <u>29 Nov 43</u>	
✓ <u>Communications</u>	✓ <u>Telecommunications</u>	✓ <u>29 Nov 43</u>	✓ <u>1 APR 44</u>	

c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service 6 Feb 42
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d. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer

✓ 1st Lt
Date of present rank 7 Sept 42
Time in grade 19 months

e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade Reg 2 3020

f. Total length of active commissioned service 26 months

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R. H. AYRE
(12/20/00)

h. Date of arrival in this theater 29 Sept 43

5. *Advertising* (14-15%) since date of arrival in Toronto to present date;

Recommended To Do - Audit - Post 43 28 Nov 43

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4. Date of entrance into active commissioned service ✓ 6 Feb 42

A bank held upon entrance into active duty as coordinator, officer

DATE OF PRESENT RENTAL	7 Sept 44
PERIOD FOR WHICH	19 months

u. Authority and date of promotion to present grade ✓ Jan 3 2020

Total number of calls received and answered 76 minutes

offensive and ✓ 47 ✓

b. Certificate: I have satisfied myself that the officer herein recommended to be promoted, has achieved the desired results in raising the disciplinary standards in the unit, activity or staff section he commands. I will be glad to have this officer under my command in the future for which recommended.

1. Additional work: 2015-2016

(Signature)

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HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
(PROVISIONAL)
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File: 201.36

SUBJECT: Manner of Performance of Duty.

TO : Director, Telecommunication & Postal Sub-Com, Hq, ACC,
APO 394, U. S. Army.

1. Paragraph 11 Special Order 59, Headquarters ACC
indicates that Capt Richard H. Ayre was relieved from assignment
(Name) & Postal
and duty with the Telecommunication Sub-Commission on 1 April 44.
(Date)

2. In accordance with Paragraph 80(3) AR 600-90, it is desired that a manner of performance of duty be indicated, by indorsement hereon, for the period this officer was on duty with your Sub-Commission. Manner of performance will be initialed by the superior officer of the individual concerned. Information will be transferred to WD AGO Form 66-1 at Regional Headquarters in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 80(7), Change 3, AR 600-90.

Type of Duty	Unit Organ or Sta	From	To	*M-P	Initials
Communications Officer	1st AMG	19 Oct 43	29 Nov 43	Y.S.	Gutk
Communications Officer	2675th Regt Hq-ACC	29 Nov 43	17 Apr 44	Y.S.	Gutk

M-P - Manner of Performance:

Sep - Superior
X - Excellent

VS - Very Satisfactory
S - Satisfactory

U - 898 Satisfactory

For the Commanding Officer:

Harold R. Goldstein

HAROLD R. GOLDSTEIN,
1st Lt., Infantry,
Adjutant.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394In reply
refer to: TFB/33/1

18 April, 1944

Subject: Recommendation for Promotion, Capt. Charles I.
Turner, A.G.D.

To: R.C. & M.G. Section.

1. Forwarded herewith recommendation for promotion
of Captain Charles I. Turner, A.G.D.2. I am in full agreement with recommendation for
promotion of this officer.J.L.Henderson
Colonel
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission

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14 April 1944

To: Col. Henderson, Telecom & Posts Sub-Com.

I understand it is agreeable to you that recommendation for promotion for Turner be sent in. In the absence of Major Soudder, I had the papers made up. Major Soudder said he prefers that I sign them.

If all agreeable to you, will you attach an informal note to the recommendation saying that you as Director of Telecom & Posts Sub-Com wish that the recommendation be made and send same together with recommendation to H.C. & M.G. Section.

L.D.
L. D. DENSMORE
Lt. Col., Signal Corps.

Recd. 14-4-44

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FROM HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
ASG 394

telecommunications and radio sub-commission

19 April 1944

In reply
refer to: 210.2
221 - Warner, Charles L. (c)

Subject: Recommendation for promotion

To: Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission,
ASG 394, U. S. ARMY

The following named officer is recommended to the commanding officer,
2675th Regiment, ADC, for promotion to the next higher rank:

Warner, Charles L. Captain, U.S.A., ADG 6-453655 telecommunications
and radio sub-
commission

1. Date of arrival in this theater: 29 September 1943.

2. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in theater to
present date:

Assignment	Location	Date from	To	Number of performances
Unassigned	Camp Lion B, Manuscript and Algebra	29 Sept 43	17 Oct 43	Not listed
School of Military Government	AFSA	18 Oct 43	2 Nov 43	Not listed
Detachment 14, 2675th Regt, ADC	Field camp	3 Nov 43	6 Nov 43	Not listed
Postal Advisor	MCU, AFSA	7 Nov 43	9 Mar 44	Excellent
Telecommunications & Radio sub-commission	MCU AFSA	10 Mar 44	Date	Excellent

3. Date of entrance into active commissioned service: 28 July 1942.

4. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned
officer: Captain.

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The following need officer is recommended to the commanding officer, 2675th Regiment, AGC, for promotion to the next higher rank:

NAME, Charles L. Captain, ... AGC U-833653 (admission and points sub-commission)

a. Date of arrival in this theater: 25 September 1943.

b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	Enter	Exit	Reason of Performance
Unassigned	Camp Leon B. (manga and light)	20 Sept 43	17 Oct 43	Not rated
Second of 1st Army Government	AFK	18 Oct 43	2 Nov 43	Not rated
Detachment 14, 2675th Regt. AGC	Field Unit	3 Nov 43	6 Nov 43	Not rated
Postal Advisor	AGC, AFK	7 Nov 43	9 Nov 44	Excellent
Volunteer-tion & Post-Sub-Commission	near B. AOK	10 Nov 44	date	Excellent

c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service: 20 July 1942.

d. Unit held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer: Captain. 895

Date of present rank: 20 July 1942.
Time in grade: 20 25/30 months.

e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade:

Paragraph 20, Special Orders No. 100, War Department 15 July 1942.

f. Total length of active commissioned service: 1 year, 6 months, 25 days.

g. Officer's age is: 36

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3. Certificate: I have satisfied myself that the officer herein recommended to be promoted, has achieved the desired results in raising the disciplinary standards in the unit, activity of staff section he controls. I will be glad to have this officer under my command in the grade for which recommended.

1. Additional remarks:

(1) Captain Turner has clearly demonstrated his ability and fitness in an excellent degree for promotion to the next higher grade. He was specifically recommended by the Military Government Section, AMH, and placed on detached service therewith to act as a postal adviser for the restoration of the Italian Postal Service and served in such capacity between 7 November 1943 and 9 March 1944. During such time he developed the plans for the resumption of the International Postal Service from Italy, coordinating with the various staff sections of AMH all matters relating to the general resumption of the civil postal service in Allied Occupied Italy. In the performance of such duties, and from 10 March 1944 to date, he demonstrated his qualifications for the grade for which he is recommended.

(2) Reference Enclosure No. 1. Copy promotion recommendation for Captain Charles I. Turner, dated 2 July 1943, from The Adjutant General's Office, War Department.

Edward A. Harrison

EDWARD A. HARRISON
Lt Col Sig C
Executive Officer
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1 Incl:-

Recommendation for promotion of Capt Turner dtd 2 Jul 43

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International Postal Service from Italy, cooperating with the various Italian
services of 1943, all matters relating to the general resumption of the civil
postal service in Allied occupied Italy. In the performance of such duties, and
from 10 March 1944 to date, he demonstrated his qualifications for the grade for
which he is recommended.

(2) Reference Inclosure No. 1. Copy promotion recommendation
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Office, War Department.

Leonard D. Johnson

LEONARD D. JOHNSON
Lt Col Sig C
Executive Officer
War Hq., AGO

1 Incl-

Recommendation for promotion of Capt Turner dtd 2 Jul 43

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ARMY DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

2 July 1943.
(date)

SUBJECT: Temporary Promotion in the Army of the United States.

TO: The Adjutant General (through channels).

1. Under the provisions of Circular No. 161, A.D., May 26, 1942, Circular No. 790, A.D., August 26, 1942, and existing War Department policies, it is recommended that the officer whose name, etc., are given under A below be temporarily promoted to the grade indicated under B below:

A	Turner	Charles	Living	028765
	(Last name)	(First name)	(Middle name)	(Army Serial No.)
	Captain		Major	
	(Present grade)		(Grade recommended)	

2. There is attached hereto and made a part hereof a memorandum, which I have examined, giving details of the service of this officer.

3. In my judgment, based on observation or official reports, this officer has, by actual outstanding performance of duty for a continuous period of 0 years, 11 13/31 months, demonstrated his fitness for promotion to the grade recommended and his capacity for its responsibilities. During 0 years and 11 13/31 months of this period he served under my jurisdiction.

(NOTE: The number of years and months stated in paragraph 3 above should not necessarily be restricted to the time an officer has held his present assignment. Attention is invited to letter AG 210.2 (6-13-42), DA-A-15-M, June 19, 1942, which states, in part: "Officers who have demonstrated actual outstanding performance of duties for a continuous period of six months on one or more assignments, regardless of location, will be eligible for promotion if otherwise qualified under the provisions of Circular No. 161." 898

4. I am submitting at this time 6 recommendation(s) for promotion(s) to the grade indicated under B above. After giving due consideration to the relative rank of the officers recommended, the officer named in A above is recommended as 1st choice for promotion (1st, 2d, etc.)

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motion in order of merit if all the officers recommended cannot be promoted. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the officer recommended as first choice is the best fitted officer available under my jurisdiction for the grade and position for which promotion is recommended. (The position for which he is recommended is not necessarily under my jurisdiction). If he is promoted, then the officer recommended by me as second choice becomes, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the best fitted officer under my jurisdiction for the grade and position for which recommended. And so on for the remaining choices.

5. This officer's present and other duties for the past six months and the manner of the performance of each are as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Nature of duty</u>	<u>Manner of performance</u>
20 Jul 42 to date	Inspection Branch, Army Postal Service.	Superior

6. If promotion is made and the officer remains under my jurisdiction, it is contemplated that his assignment will be as follows:

Remain on present assignment.

7. Remarks.

This officer has clearly demonstrated his ability and fitness for promotion. The promotion of this officer and the promotion of any other officers previously recommended for promotion on which final action has not been reported by the War Department, will not result in filling vacancies in any grade in excess of the number of position vacancies in the Army Postal Service which are authorized to be filled by promotion.

/s/ C. S. Adams

/t/ C. S. ADAMS

Brig Gen, USA,

Director, Army Postal Service

Name, rank, and official designation of officer making recommendation

1 Incl.

Details of Service.

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J. E. CHOCOA
CWO, AM

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AD 201 Turner, Charles Irving 1st Ind. JEDiegs AB 810
 (0483655) (2 Jul 49) RE Ret. 2064
 War Department, The Adjutant General's Office, Washington 25, D.C.,
 24 July 1943.

To: Commandant, Provost Marshal General's School, Fort Custer,
 Michigan.

Forwarded for your information and for such action as you may
 deem appropriate. This officer was transferred from The Adjutant
 General's Office to your jurisdiction before action on this recommend-
 ation for his promotion could be taken.

By command of Lieutenant General SCHEWELL:

/s/

Copy to: Army Postal Service,
 Attn: Lt. Col. Rhodes,
 Room 3D 557.

Adjutant General.

201-Turner, Charles I. (C) 2nd Ind. RE.Died
 (2 Jul 49)

HEADQUARTERS VMS SCHOOL, Fort Custer, Michigan, 23 August 1943.

To: Commanding Officer, Civil Affairs Trng School, University of
 Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

This officer assigned to your command pursuant to paragraph 1,
 Special Order 171, VMS School, dated 5 August 1943.

For the Commandant:

/s/ G.L. Mueller

for RALPH L. DeBUNK,
 1st Lt. 394 CAP
 Personnel Officer.

UNITED STATES GOVT

E.J. Choate
 E.J. CHOATE
 CAPT, AMB

WAR DEPARTMENT
SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
WASHINGTON

WD-8-30557.

2 July 1942.
(date)

MEMORANDUM:

SUBJECT: Details of Service of

<u>Turner</u> (last name)	<u>Charles</u> (first name)	<u>Irvine</u> (middle name)
<u>0483655</u> (Army Serial No.)	<u>AGB</u> (Arm or Service)	<u>30</u> (AGE)
		<u>Captain</u> (Present grade)

1. This officer has been CONTINUOUSLY on ACTIVE DUTY as a COMMISSIONED OFFICER in the FEDERAL SERVICE since 20 July 1942. His appointment in, or promotion to, his present grade was announced by a commission, letter or order dated 14 July 1942, which provided that he should rank from 20 July 1942.

2. On the last day of the current month this officer will (assuming that he continues to serve as at present) have served in the capacities and status for the periods shown below:

a. <u>As a commissioned officer, in an ACTIVE status, including duty with the C. C. C.</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Months</u>	<u>Days</u>
(1) In Regular Army; National Guard in Federal Service; National Army (World War I); Reserve Corps; or <u>Army of the United States</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>12</u>
(2) In National Guard NOT in Federal Service, (including _____ months, _____ days of field training).	_____	_____	_____
(3) In other services (Navy, Marine Corps, etc.) as specified below	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
b. <u>As a commissioned officer, in an INACTIVE status:</u>			
(1) In Regular Army, retired	_____	_____	<u>990</u>
(2) In National Guard, inactive	_____	_____	_____

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	Years	Months	Days
(3) In Reserve Corps (including any time during which he may have been a warrant officer, field clerk or enlisted man of the Regular Army)	_____	_____	_____
(4) In other services (Navy, Marine Corps, etc.,) as specified below	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
g. <u>as a warrant officer, field clerk or enlisted man in an active status:</u>			
(1) In Regular Army; National Guard in Federal Service; or National Army (World War I).	_____	_____	_____
		(approx.)	(Officer's own statement)
(2) In National Guard ROT in Federal Service (including _____ months _____ days of field training)	_____	_____	_____
(3) In other services (Navy, Marine Corps, etc.,) as specified below	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
h. <u>as a civilian on duty with the U. S. G. in a position for which only commissioned officers were originally eligible:</u>	_____	_____	_____

3. The above statement was prepared by

/s/ B. H. Brownson.

/t/ B. H. Brownson.

Capt, AGO.

Army Postal Service

(Name, rank and organization)

4. The above statement was checked by

/s/ Earl L. Brownson.

/t/ Earl L. Brownson.

Lt Col, AGO.

Army Postal Service.

(Name, rank and organization)

ORIGINAL FOR FILE:

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NEAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

9th April, 1944.

In reply refer
to: TFS/39/1/7

Subject: Recommendations promotions - officers.

To: Major, S. H. Head.

1. Reference Establishment Memorandum No. 10 dated 25th March, 1944 (which is available at this office).

2. Will you please ask Captain Turner to have completed the necessary forms for any American officer in the Postal Branch, whom he considers suitable for promotion, and to endorse them suitably over his signature as 'Senior American officer, Postal Branch, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission' and return to me.

3. The names of Lieut. Alasia and 2/Lt. Allen are suggested.

4. Captain Turner's own case is being dealt with by Lieut.-Colonel Mansure.

J. L. Henderson
Colonel,
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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J. L. Henderson
Colonel,
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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23 March 1944.

PROMOTION OF OFFICERSI. British Officers.

1. Recommendations for promotion of British officers will conform to the provisions of Establishment Memorandum No. 3 -- published as Executive Memorandum No. 19, 15 February 1944. M.S. MATTERS (MILITARY PERSONNEL).

II. American Officers.

1. The following procedure will be followed in recommending American officers for promotion:

a. Recommendations may be submitted at any time after the officer has served the required minimum time in grade and it is considered that the performance of duty by the officer recommends him for promotion. Since there is no set 30/30, the requirement for three months in position of vacancy will be considered to be three months assignment to suitable positions in ACT/AMC, not necessarily three months on any one assignment.

b. Recommendations will be originated by the senior American officer in the Province, Region, Sub-Commission, or Branch in which the officer is serving. They will be forwarded through normal command channels to Headquarters A.C.C.

c. Recommendations will be submitted in triplicate and will follow the form shown in Appendix A. These forms may be mimeographed or typed and all the information must be given and given in the same sequence as shown on the attached form. In case any item of information may not be available, that space will be left blank to be filled by Headquarters 2675th Signal.

2. Recommendations for promotion will be forwarded as indicated below:

a. OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO BRANCH: Recommendations will be submitted by the next superior American officer, or the senior American officer at the Provincial Headquarters, who in turn will forward it to the senior American officer at Regional Headquarters, who will forward it to Headquarters A.C.C.

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I. British Officers.

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II. American Officers.

1. The following procedure will be followed in recommending American officers for promotion:

a. Recommendations may be submitted at any time after the officer has served the required minimum time in grade and it is considered that the performance of duty by the officer recommended, has indicated that he is worthy of promotion. Since there is no set 10/MS, the requirement for three months in position of vacancy will be considered to be three months assignment to suitable positions in AGO/AMC, not necessarily three months on any one assignment.

b. Recommendations will be originated by the senior American officer in the Province, Region, Sub-Commission, or Branch in which the officer is serving. They will be forwarded through normal official channels to Headquarters A.C.C.

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2. Recommendations for promotion will be forwarded as indicated below:

a. FOR OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO REGIONS: Recommendations will be submitted by the next superior American officer, to the Senior American officer at the Provincial Headquarters, who in turn will forward it to the senior American officer at Regional Headquarters, who will forward it to Headquarters AGO. Each superior officer in turn will approve or disapprove, adding such remarks as may be pertinent. In cases where the Provincial or Regional Commissioners are not American, the Provincial or Regional Commissioner will express his concurrence or dissent in a covering letter which will be forwarded with the recommendation. The approval or disapproval by the Commissioners is a necessary function of command and it is required separately only in order that the actual formal recommendation will be forwarded through American officers and the signature of British officers will not appear on the official form or document in connection with the promotion of American officers.

b. FOR OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO SUB-COMMISSIONS: Recommendations will

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be originated by the senior American officer in the Sub-Commission, and they will be forwarded through the Section Head, or, for independent Sub-Commissions, through the RC and MG brackets, to the Executive Commissioner. Where the Senior officer of the Sub-Commission or the Section is a British officer, the Section Head will indicate his approval or disapproval by covering letter as indicated in "a" above.

c. For officers assigned to the Establishment Branch, or separate staff Sections, recommendations will be processed through the Establishment Branch to the Executive Commissioner.

3. a. Heads of Sub-Commissions, whose officers have served alternately in Headquarters and in various Sections for short periods, may submit to Provincial or Regional Commissioners, a list of specialist officers whom they consider qualified for promotion. If the officers have been overlooked by the Commissioner due to the short period of service in their present assignment. When this is done, the Head of the Sub-Commission should cite the reasons which cause him to believe the officers are entitled to promotion, and should include the various assignments the officer has filled and the manner of performance.

b. Where only one American officer is assigned to a Province, Region, Sub-Commission, or Branch, the British officer who is superior to the American officer, will make recommendation to the next higher echelon by means of a letter citing the circumstances etc. giving as much of the information required in the promotion recommendation form as is available to him.

5. When the Executive Commissioner has acted upon the recommendation and the recommendation is approved by him, one copy of the form will be used by the Commanding Officer, 267th Infantry, AGF, for preparation of the pertinent NATOUSA promotion form. In the event the Executive Commissioner disapproves the recommendation, the report will be returned by Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, to the Region, Sub-Commission or Branch concerned, with the exception of one copy which will be placed in the Regimental 201 file of the officer concerned.

6. All recommendations for promotion submitted prior to 1 March 1944, will be disregarded. Therefore, new recommendations must now be submitted in compliance herewith.

7. All previous instructions in conflict herewith, are rescinded.

For the Executive Commissioner:

John J. Albright
JOHN J. ALBRIGHT,
Colonel, Infantry,
Establishment Officer.

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b. Where only one American officer is assigned to a Province, Region, Sub-Commission, or Branch, the British officer who is superior to the American officer, will make recommendation to the next higher echelon by means of a letter citing the circumstances and giving as much of the information required in the promotion recommendation form as is available to him.

5. When the Executive Commissioner has acted upon the recommendation and the recommendation is approved by him, one copy of the form will be used by the Commission Officer, 2675th Regiment, AGF, for preparation of the pertinent MATUSA promotion form. In the event the Executive Commissioner disapproves the recommendation, the papers will be returned by Headquarters, Allied Central Commission, to the Region, Sub-Commission or Branch concerned, with the exception of one copy which will be placed in the Regimental 201 file of the officer concerned.

5. All recommendations for promotion submitted prior to 1 March 1944, will be disregarded. Therefore, new recommendations must now be submitted in compliance herewith.

6. All previous instructions in conflict herewith, are rescinded.

For the Executive Commission:

John J. Alwright
John J. Alwright,
Colonel, Infantry,
Establishment Officer.

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1. The following named officer is recommended to the Commanding Officer, 2075th Regiment, AOC, for promotion to the next higher rank:

(Name) _____ (Rank, Branch, Component) _____ (ASN) _____ (Oren) _____

a. Date of arrival in this Theater _____

b. Assignments (in order) since date of arrival in Theater to present date:

Assignment	Location	From	To	Manner of Promotion
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c. Date of entrance into active commissioned service _____

d. Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commissioned officer _____

Date of present rank _____
Time in grade _____

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e. Authority and date of promotion to present grade _____

f. Total length of active commissioned service _____

g. Officer's age is _____

h. Certifier: I have notified myself that the officer herein recommended to be promoted, has achieved the desired results in raising the disciplinary standards in the unit, activity or staff section he controls. I will be glad to have this officer under my command in the grade for which recommended.

i. Additional remarks:

(Signature)

(Rank & Title)

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 94

Ref: PS/16/9/18

31st March, 1944.

Subject: A.F.B.1940.

To: Executive Officer, Regional Control and Military
Government Section, HQ, AGC.

Reference your letter number 16002/Q-1 dated
26th March, 1944.

A.F.B.1940 in respect of Major S. H. Head
is enclosed herewith.

J.L.H.

J. L. Henderson
Colonel,
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
G-1

REFERENCE: 16002/G-1

26 March 1944

SUBJECT : Officers' Appointments

TO : Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission (Salerno)

1. Reference your PS/16/9/14 dated 19 March 1944.
2. All promotions of Officers of Allied Control Commission will be considered and recommendations made to the Military Secretary very shortly. Major HEAD's case will be put up with the remainder.
3. Will you please forward AF 194D in respect of this Officer.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUT GENERAL MASON MACFARLANE

R. H. Parren. Colonel

R. H. PARREN,
Colonel,
Executive Officer.

RHP/PAD.

Sent Col. #883

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Recd. 28th March. 44.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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In reply refer
to: P/16/9/14/

19th March 1944.

Subject: Officers Appointments.

To: G-1 Branch, Main Hq. ACC.

Reference your cable 1173 to AFHQ and letter 16002/G - 1
to this Hq. both of 21st February 1944. Can you inform me when the
promulgation of promotion of Major S.H. Reed to Lieut Colonel may be
expected. Lieut Colonel A. Progers embarked for U.S. on the 4th March.

J.L. Henderson,
Colonel,
Director, Telecommunications and Posts Sub-Commission.

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AG 201

(Date)

SUBJECT: Promotion of Officer.

TO : Commanding General.

(Thru channels)

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1. It is recommended that

(Rank) (1st Name) (Middle Name) (Last Name)

* be promoted to the rank of _____ under the provisions of
(Branch)

AR 605-12, dated February 1944.

* This information must be correct. Verification will be made
with officer's 66-1 to assure absolute accuracy.

2. Basis for promotion:

a. The officer's component is: RA ORC NG AUS
(Strike out those non-applicable. Component is original
current commission.)

(1) Date of entrance into active commissioned service: _____

(2) Rank held upon entrance into active duty as commission-
ed officer: _____

(3) Date of present rank: _____

(4) Authority and date of promotion to present grade: _____

(5) Total length of active commission service (Inactive
commissioned service in ORC or NG not to be included): _____b. Position vacancy occupied or to be occupied by officer
recommended, and date position is to be created if not already in
existence: _____(1) Length of time officer has occupied position vacancy
or performed duties appropriate to the grade for which promotion is
recommended, together with a full statement of how, when, where, and to
what degree in case more than one position has been occupied within the
three(3) months period prior to this recommendation: _____(2) Manner of performance of these duties: _____
(Must be initialed by originating officer)

c. Relative Rank:

(1) Officer's age is _____. (Note: Required in all
recommendations regardless of grade involved.)

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- (2) Officer's rank in relation to all other officers like grade within the organization to which the officer is assigned is: _____

NOTE: Express "2 out of 20", or "2/20". Required only with recommendation to major, lieutenant colonel, and colonel.

d. Table of organization or allotment under which recommending unit is authorized to recommend promotions: _____
(T/O number and date, or "Special". If "Special" T/O or letter authority of War Department or this headquarters, inclose true copy or cite reference to copy previously furnished.)

- e. Officers authorized per paragraph d. above, assigned and attached as of: _____

(Date)

Authorized Assigned Attached

Colonel	-
Lieutenant Colonel	-
Major	-
Captain	-
1st Lieutenant	-
2nd Lieutenant	-

Total Officers - _____

3. Approval of this recommendation, together with approval of all other outstanding undermentioned recommendations for promotions to like grade within this command, will not exceed the number of position vacancies existing on _____

(Date)

4. There is no colonel (or lieutenant colonel) surplus in the command who is qualified to fill the position vacancy for which this officer is recommended. (Note: This statement required in recommendation and first indorsement for promotion to colonel or lieutenant colonel.)

5. The officer recommended herein has not been recommended for rotation, and the position vacancy involved has not been created by the rotation of an officer of this unit.

6. The officer recommended herein meets all the requirements of AR 605-12.

(Signature) _____

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to Cir # 39, Hq. Natoussa.

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