

Requests for Transport - Personnel Moves

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10000/148/896
April '45

Subject: Transportation of Repatriated
POW's Disembarking in Naples

84/48
Land Forces
Sub Commission, AC (MMIA)
Rome
Q/5/8

10 September 1945 612/9

To : Transportation Sub Commission, Hq ALCOM

Reference your 84/46/Tn.3 of 6 September 1945

Repatriated POW's arriving in Italy are civilians and are therefore not a concern of MMIA nor the Italian Army in accordance with Par 6 of AFHQ letter, file AG 091.711/169 GCT-0 of 16 November 1944, subject: "Command and Administration of the Italian Army". The responsibility for handling these repatriated POW's is that of the Italian Civil Government, and it appears that any trucks needed must be furnished from their civilian pools. As this is civil work, no POL can be provided from Army allotments, as it is not possible for the Italian Army to requisition POL for civilian work.


CLAYTON P. KERR, Colonel
for Major General
Land Forces
Sub Commission, AC (MMIA)

CPK/lak

cc: I.P.W. Division of Civil Affairs Section

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TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Telc : 478704

7 September 1945

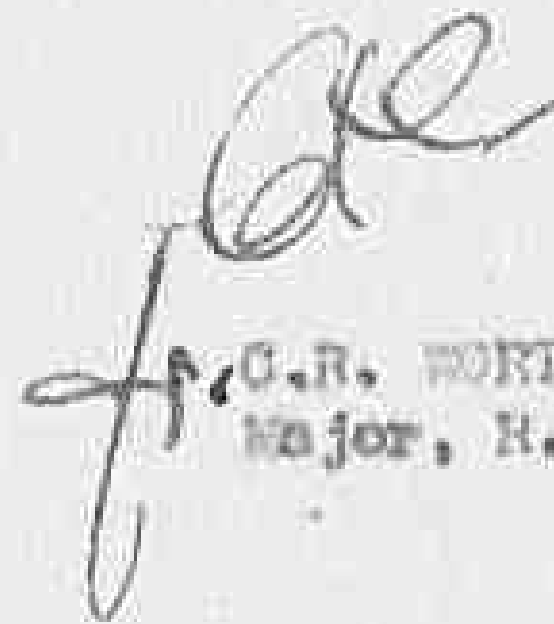
84/47/Tn.3.

SUBJECT : Transport for Displaced Persons

TO : Roads Division

1. Reference your AC/24/60/Tn.5., dated 5 Sept. '45 to Displaced Persons Sub-Commission.
2. The decision by Lombardia Region to use local transport rather than the transport allocated to Displaced Persons Sub-Commission under the terms of the Verona Conference on 11 July '45, is not appreciated by this Branch.
3. It is agreed that Lombardia Region, being on the spot, are more familiar with local conditions and requirements than this Branch, but it is felt that an explanation for this reversal of policy without prior reference to, or consent of this HQ, should be furnished.
4. It is assumed that the term "local transport" refers to various types of civilian vehicles which have been hired through Ufficio Autotrasporti, and it would seem that the employment of such vehicles, instead of vehicles in an organized Truck Pool definitely allocated for the movement of Displaced Persons is not altogether satisfactory.

For Chief, Movements Division


J. C. R. WORTHINGTON,
Major, R.R.

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Agreed by DP & RSC.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

Tele : 478303

6 September 1945

B4/46/Tn.3.

SUBJECT : Transportation of Repatriated Italian P.W. disembarking
at Naples.

TO : M.M.I.A.
S. & P.

1. Enclosed please find copy of letter ref. IPW/1/16-62, dated 27th Aug. '45 which is self-explanatory.
2. This question was taken up with Lt. Col. J.A. Regis in the presence of General A. Mannerini and it was agreed the Italian Government are responsible for providing transport. However, their present allocation of vehicles is insufficient to enable them to meet additional commitments.
3. As the volume of repatriated Italian Soldiers is scheduled to be appreciable and regular, it is considered the M.T. situation should be reviewed and further vehicles be put at the disposal of the Italian Military in the Ports where the ships are due to arrive, in order that they meet their obligations.
4. In the event that an increase in M.T. cannot be granted the only solution to the problem would be for the Italian Authorities to bid on EMAC for use of civilian trucks. As this type of work is outside their normal activities it would be necessary for the Italian Military to provide P.O.L. This is an important point as EMAC's P.O.L. allotment is based on the needs to meet civilian requirements only.

FRANK UPMAN Jr.
Director

Copy to : I.P.W. Division of Civil Affairs Section
Movements - Shipping.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION
APO = 394

84/45

IPW/1/16A-62

27th Aug. '45

SUBJECT ; Transportation of repatriated Italian PW and disembarkation at NAPLES.

TO : Transportation Sub Comm. A/C

1. In reply to a request that MT be made available to lift disembarking repatriates the several kilometres from NAPLES docks to the lodging centres at S. MARTINO (Vomero), and DUGENTA, 65 AFHQ HQs stated that such is an A.C.-Italian Government responsibility which should be taken up with your S/C.
2. Allied military transport commitments at Naples are at present so heavy due to redeployment and repatriation of Allied personnel that Italian repatriates, often in very poor health, have had to march, and difficulty has been experienced in transporting baggage.
3. Will you please state whether transport could be made available to deal with future arrivals at NAPLES, and if so who should HQ Movement NAPLES, and the Italian Liaison Officer who is to work with that HQ, contact when shipments are notified.

Spoke Capt Brookbank 1530 27/8/45
told him Col Regis had been
informed that War Italian army
responsible. Col Regis is now
and should return. Tell any W

[Signature]
Capt

for J. A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPW Sub Comm.

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In urgency
27/8
[Signature]

ALLIED ~~CONTROL~~ COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: *Mine Clearance Personnel* FILE No. *84/42/TM3.*
TO : *Roads Div.* *31 July 1945.*

1. Attached please find Bid Forms covering transport of 150 Personnel and 5 tons Baggage from Bologna to FERRARA
2. This Det. is coming by Rail from Pescara and the time of arrival at Bologna will be advised to you when available.
3. Can preliminary arrangements please be made.

W. J. Gower 2799
Capt
MOV. DIV Roads.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

Tel. No. 489081

28th July, 1945.

Ref : AC/53/12

Subject: Mine Clearance

To : Transportation Sub Commission.

Reference your Inter Office Memo 254/31/En 3 dated 27 July. Bid Forms completed in quadruplicate are returned to you.

It is noted that the rail move will take place between 6 and 12 Aug to Bologna and that the move will be continued by road to Ferrara from Bologna.

due Bologna
1507 8/any 45

R.R. GRIFFS, Colonel.,
Director,
Local Government Sub Commission.

Copy to: HQ EMILIA Region
(attention Lt. MacLach)

Roads Div
Local Govt
arrived 1420 3/any 45

Capt Gower - please
deal with this

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FILE

84/10.

AFHQ CEMSAKED CITH PHASE

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12 JULY 45

PRIORITY

RESTRICTED PD

PARA ONE PD SUBJECT IS MOVEMENT OF AXIS DIPLOMATH PD

PAREN TO AFHQ CITH BAKED CITH PHASE FROM 30 ALONG CITH 1077 PAREN

PARA TWO PD REFCN THIN HEADQUARTERS LETTER EIGHT FOUR SLANT
ONE

THREE FIVE SLANT TN THREE PARA/PAREN SIX PAREN OF SEVEN JULY PD

PARA THREE PD REPORTING OFFICER WILL BE MAJOR JIG BAKER WILSON

INT CORPS PD

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TRANSPORTATION SC

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NICHOLAS PIONEIRO
CWO, U.S.A.
Asst. Adjutant

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

CSG/mb

11 July 1945

Tele : 478303

Ref. AC/84/37/Tn.3.

SUBJECT : Movement of Axis Diplomats

TO : Liaison Division
(Attention Capt. Newberg)

1. Reference is made to letter from this Branch Ref. AC/84/35/Tn.3., dated 7 July '45.
2. Information has been received from G-4 (Mov & Tn) A.F.H.Q. that arrangements are being made for a plane to pick up the party on 14 July '45. Following provisional timings are notified as a guide :-

Dep. Sicily	1000 hrs	
Arr. Rome	1300 "	} approx
Dep. Rome	1330 "	
Arr. Bologna	1445 "	
3. Confirmation of arrangements made and timings will be given to all concerned by A.F.H.Q. Signal on 12 July.

For the Director

C. STAIT GARDNER,
Major.

Copy to: G-4 (Mov & Tn) A.F.H.Q.
G-5 A.F.H.Q.
AMG 5 Army
HQ. R.A.A.C.
Allied Commission L.O. Catania

Internal: Executive Commissioner's Office
Supply Division Economic Section
Director Transportation Sub-Commission
Public Safety Sub-Commission

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TELE: 478303

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

CSG/mi

Our Ref : AG/84/35/Tn.3

7 July, 1945

SUBJECT : Movement of Axis Diplomats.

TO : G-4 (Mov & Tn) A.F.H.Q. (2)

1.

In confirmation of telephone conversation today, Stait-Gardner/Saunders, regarding the movement of Axis Diplomats from TAORMINA, SICILY to BOLOGNA, ITALY the following information is passed to you.

(I) Request for the movement has been made to this Sub-Commission by Executive Commissioner HQ Allied Commission (auty G5 letter 091.112-75 dated 14 June 45).

(II) Number of individuals to be moved is 14.

(III) Names of individuals are given at Appendix 'A' to this letter.

(IV) Point of origin is Albergo Miramare, TAORMINA.

(V) Destination :-

- (a) Georg ELLING to ROME for interrogation by G-2, R.A.A.C. He will be detained in ROME for an indefinite period.
- (b) The remaining 13 individuals are required to proceed to BOLOGNA airport at which point they will be taken over by AMG 5 Army.

(VI) Escorts :

- (a) TAORMINA to BOLOGNA, -A.C. LO CATANIA is making arrangements for the provision of an officer. His name is not yet known.
- (b) ROME Airfield to HQ. R.A.A.C., - under arrangements HQ R.A.A.C. 24 hrs notice of time and date of arrival and name of airport requested by R.A.C.
- (c) BOLOGNA to final destination - under arrangements AMG 5 Army.

(VII) Baggage : 50 pieces, weight 200 Kgs.

(VIII) Date when movement is desired is 14 July 45, but transportation

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His name is not yet known.

(b) ROME Airfield to HQ. R.A.A.C., - under arrangements HQ R.A.A.C. 24 hrs notice of time and date of arrival and name of airport requested by RAMC.

(c) BOLOGNA to final destination - under arrangements AMG 5 Army.

(VII) Baggage : 50 pieces, weight 900 Kgs.

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(VIII) Date when movement is desired is 14 July 45, but this date may be changed to suit transportation arrangements. 24 hrs notice of arrival is required by AMG Fifth Army in order that arrangements may be made to collect and transport the party from BOLOGNA to destination. In order that the party may be ready for collection at TAORMINA, 24 hrs notice of date and time of departure is required by A.C. LO CATANIA.

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2. It is understood that arrangements for the above movement will be made by G-4 Mov & Trn. and it is requested that details may be furnished to this HQ as soon as known in order that all concerned may be notified.

3. It is notified that Lt.Col. Jackman of G-5 may be referred to in connection with this matter.

For the Chief Commissioner :

C. A. H. M. S. T. E. F.
M.J. SIETTF
Colonel

Copy to : G-5 AFHQ
AMG 5 Army (2)
HQ. R.A.A.C. (2)
Allied Commission L.O. CATANIA (2)

Internal : Executive Commissioner's office.
Supply Division Economic Section.
Director Trn. Sub-Comm.
Liaison Division.
Public Safety Sub-Comm.

Ref.: AC/84/35/Tn 3

APPENDIX "A"

NAMES OF DIPLOMATS

Chancellor Karl Gustav Tollenweber
Mr. Georg Elling
Mr. Horia Roman
Mrs. Hahn (widow of deceased Consul Johannes Hahn)
Consul General Baron von Spiegel
Consul Count Heinrich Thun
Countess Thun
Mr. Walter Ehling
Mr. Johannes Vonder Gathen
Mr. Philip Maissner
Mr. Reinhold Anders
Miss Henriette Voigtjohannes
Miss Marianne Graf
Mr. Karl Brink

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Executive Commissioner

CONFIDENTIAL.

Ref: 6529/125/EC.

6 July 1945.

SUBJECT: Axis Diplomats - TAORMINA.

TO : Economic Section.
(For Transportation Sub-Commission).

1. Answers to paragraph 5 of your letter AC/CA/24/TN5 dated 27 June 45 are as follows:-

- (a) Information already provided.
- (b) Albergo Maranese, TAORMINA, Sicily.
- (c) The destination of the aircraft will be BOLOGNA Airport where your responsibility ends, as from that point they will be taken over by Fifth Army.
- (d) Movement has been cleared with Fifth Army.
- (e) An escort officer is being arranged by AC LO CATANIA. There will be one officer.
- (f) 900 Kilos. Total number of pieces 50.
- (g) As far as is known Nil.
- (h) 14 July 1945. This date may be varied forward or backward due to transportation arrangements. You are, however, required to give 24 hours notice of arrival to AMC Fifth Army in order that arrangements may be made to collect and transport the party from BOLOGNA. In order that the party can be ready for collection at TAORMINA please also give 24 hours notice to AC LO CATANIA of date and time.
- (i) The party on arrival at BOLOGNA Airport will be handed over to an officer of Fifth Army.

2. We have just been instructed by AMHQ that one member of the party, Georg Elling, is required for interrogation by G-2, RAAC in Rome. Please confirm that the plane can touch down at Rome to drop off this individual, who will continue the journey at a later date. It will be necessary for you to give RAAC 24 hours notice of the arrival of the plane and the name of the airport in order that RAAC can arrange to take Elling into custody. When notifying RAAC you should refer to AMHQ signal EX17387 of 4 July.

E. Horden
Chief Staff Officer
for the Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Fifth Army.
AC LO CATANIA.

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JULY 051546BE/8321
JULY 050915B
PRIORITY5 ARMY, G-5 FOR HOME CITE OUR F 268.
HQ ALCOM**SECRET**Axis diplomats at SAGRINA is subject. Ref your cable 2749 *SEE NOTE*

dated 2 July.

BOLOGNA airport is most accessible to SALSOMAGGIORE internment Hotel. We must have fully 24 hours notice prior to arrival in order to arrange transport from BOLOGNA. A nominal roll in duplicate showing name, former position and all details of family if in ITALY to accompany the group. In view of PX 17387 from AFHQ suggest that ELLING be dropped at ROME. Advise if this is possible.

M/G Note.

2749 is actually 5 ARMY cable of 17 June. ALCOM signal of 2 July is 1038. — Fol. 28.

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Info - Chief Commissioner
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Tel. 476703

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APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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AC/84/31/Tn.3

5 July 1945

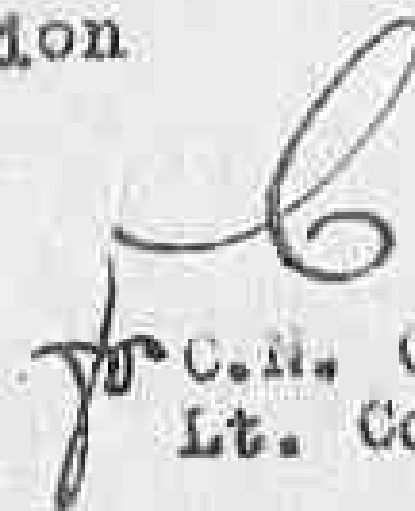
SUBJECT : Move of 2 Truck Bn Vehs.

TO : Roads Division

1. Reference attached copy of a signal from Mov
Ancona 153/803 dated 4 July.

2. This move was NOT authorized by this Branch,
do you have any knowledge of it please?

For Chief Movements Division


C.N. CHRISTENSEN
Lt. Colonel.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Office of the Executive Commissioner

LIAISON DIVISION

APO 394

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84-29 TH3.

Ref: 220.12/EC(4)

2 July 1945

SUBJECT: Movement of Axis Diplomats

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission ✓
attn: Lt. Colonel C.N. Christensen

1. Reference is made to your AC/BA/27/Tn.3 of 30 June, subject as above. (29A)

2. According to AFHQ authority, letter no. 091.112-75 of 14 June, (copy enclosed), movement of Axis diplomats from Taormina to Salsomaggiore is reinstated.

W. M. Williams
Officer in Charge
Liaison Division *Cap*

1 Encl: as in para 2 above.

Copies to: Executive Commissioner's Office
Supply Division, Economic Section
Director, Transportation Sub-Commission

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SECRET

C O P YALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

14 June 1945

SUBJECT: German and Japanese Diplomatic and Consular Officials
interned in MONTECATINI

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394

1. Reference is made to the previous correspondence herein culminating in your 6529/83/EC of 8 June.

2. For your information a cable has been received from CCS on the disposition of Axis diplomats found in Italy. The pertinent points are:-

- a. All Germans should be transferred to the custody of SCAEF.
- b. Hungarians, Roumanians, Croats and Slovaks are to be retained in custody here and consultation is to take place with the political advisors on ultimate disposition of each individual.
- c. All Japanese and Thais are to be retained in custody until further instructions. In this connection it is stated that the question of their disposition is under consideration by the State Department and the Foreign Office.

3. In connection with the above the following action has been taken:-

- a. SCAEF has been asked when and where the German diplomats can be accepted by them.
- b. The Political Advisors have been asked to advise on 2(b) above.
- c. In view of 2(c) above the Japanese and Thais cannot be disposed of to the Italian Government.

4. Arising out of the above it appears that there will be an opportunity to dispose of the German diplomats in custody at TAO MINA at the same time as those at MONTECATINI are transferred to SCAEF custody. For this purpose it would appear desirable to concentrate these with those now at MONTECATINI. It is understood however that the diplomats at MONTECATINI are shortly to be moved to 5 Army custody near PARMA. It is suggested therefore that you arrange with 5 Army for those at TAO MINA to be moved to the location near PARMA to which those at MONTECATINI are to be moved and inform this Section when the move has taken place.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

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/s/ T.B. JACKMAN
Lt. Colonel

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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Our Ref :- AC/84/27/Tn.3.

30 June 1945

SUBJECT :- Movement of Axis Diplomats.

TO :- Liaison Division
(Attn. Capt. Newberg.)

1. ⁽²⁴⁾ Reference is made to this office letter AC/84/24/Tn.3. dated 27 June 1945 and to telephone conversation of this morning, Capt Newberg - Capt. Gower.

2. It is now understood that all arrangements for this movement are being made by A.P.H.Q. and that no further action is required on the part of this Sub-Commission.

For the Director :-


C.N. CHRISTENSEN
Lt. Col.

Copy to : Executive Commissioners Office
Supply Division, Economic Section
Director Tn. S/C

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Tele : 432

TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

CSG/fd

INTER OFFICE MEMO

30 June 1945

Our ref.: AC/34/20/Tn 3

SUBJECT : Movement of Axis Diplomats

TO : Chief, Movements Division

1. Reference is made to para 4 of Minutes of Economic Section Staff Conference issued under Ref. ES/1.21 and dated 26 June '45 and which is quoted below:-

"Movement of Axis Diplomats

"There is a group of Axis Diplomats (details available from Capt. Newberg, Liaison Branch, (Tel. 636) at TACHUNA, whose movement to MONTICALLI is desired".

"Action: Transportation S/J."

2. The above was seen by Roads Branch on the morning of 27 June and Capt. Newberg was immediately contacted by phone. It was arranged that Capt. Gower would call on Liaison Division and discuss this move, obtaining, at the same time, all the information required before this Branch could proceed with the movement arrangements. When Capt. Gower called on Liaison Division he was able to obtain only the names and destination of the diplomats as shown in list at flag A.

3. On the afternoon of the 27 June a letter was sent by hand to Liaison Division as per copy at flag B, and Capt. Newberg stated he would endeavour to obtain the information asked for.

4. On the morning of 28 June 3-4 (Nov & In) Air were contacted and informed of this move. It was arranged that they would contact Maj. Byles of G-5 who is handling this matter and get more complete information and, at the same

SUBJECT: Movement of Axis Diplomats

TO : Chief, Movements Division

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"Movement of Axis Diplomats"

"There is a group of Axis Diplomats (details available from Capt. Newberg, Liaison Branch, Tel. 655) at TROMBONI, whose movement to TROMBONI is desired".

"Action: Transportation S/C."

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3. On the afternoon of the 27 June a letter was sent 24 by hand to Liaison Division as per copy at flag B, and Capt. Newberg stated he would endeavour to obtain the information asked for.

4. On the morning of 28 June G-4 (Mov & In) Air were contacted and informed of this move. It was arranged that they would contact Maj. Byles of G-5 who is handling this matter and get more complete information and, at the same time, ascertain if this move is an A.C. commitment or if AFHQ is handling it. G-4 (Mov & In) telephoned later to the effect that G-5 were unable to say who would be responsible for the move; AFHQ or A.C. 4387

5. In view of the foregoing Major Stait-Gardner called on Col. Walton (Economic Section) at 1400 hrs 28 June and outlined the situation. Col. Walton said that he had not seen any order to A.C. to carry out this movement. He then telephoned Capt. Newberg and instructed him to:-

(i) clear up the question of responsibility for arranging the movement (AFHQ or A.C.)

(ii) If A.C. is to be responsible, Capt. Newberg is to obtain information on the following:-

- (a) Escort arrangements
- (b) Who is to take over diplomats at destination
- (c) Baggage limitations
- (d) Authority for the move.

It was arranged that Capt. Newberg would communicate with Roads Branch as soon as he had obtained the above information.

6. On 28 June Capt. Newberg phoned to say that G-5 had been asked by Liaison Division to issue the authority for the move and he would communicate again with this Branch when it had been received.

7. At 0930 30 June Capt. Newberg telephoned and said no further action is required from In. S/O. as the movement is being arranged by AFHQ.

8. Copy of letter sent today to Liaison Division is attached at Flag C.

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W. J. Gardner

C. STANT-GARDNER

Major

for Lt. Colonel

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W. L. Gardner

C. STANTON-CARMINER

Major

For Lt. Colonel

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Tel. 478303

TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

CSG/gb

INTER OFFICE MEMO

Our Ref :- AC/84/25/Tn.3.

28 June 1945

SUBJECT :- Transport of Miners.

TO :- Roads Division

1. Reference is made to Capt. Potter's. Signal ATP/S/12 dated 21 June and to this office letter AC/84/22/Tn.3. dated 23 June '45 to Industry Sub-Commission. (21) (22)

2. A reply has now been received from Industry Sub-Comm. under Ref "Mines - 923.4 dated 26 June 45 in explanation. A copy of this letter is attached for your information. (23)

For the Chief Movements Div.

C. Stait-Gardner
C. STAIT-GARDNER
Major.

Encl : Ind. S/C LTR. Mines-923.4 of 26 June 45

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APC 394

Transportation Sub-Commission

Tel. 472303

CSC/tp

Our Ref. : AC/84/24/TW3 27 June 1945

SUBJECT : Axis Diplomats - TACHMINA (SICILY).

TO : Liaison Division.
(Attention Capt. Newberg).

1. This letter confirms telephone conversation of this morning Major Stait-Gardner/Capt. Newberg.

2. Reference is made to para. 4 of Economic Section letter ES/X. 21 dated 26 June 1945 (not to you) in which it is stated that there is a group of Axis diplomats at TACHMINA whose movement to MONTECATINI is required. (Details available from Capt. Newberg - Liaison Branch). This matter has been referred to this S/C for action.

3. As pointed out to Capt. Newberg on the phone this morning, in order to enable arrangements to be made for this movement the following information is required:-

(a) Names of individuals to be moved.

(b) Addresses of location in TACHMINA at which they may be contacted and from which they will require transport to Airfield.

(c) Destination - giving address.

X (d) Has this movement been cleared with IS Army Gp.?

X (e) What arrangements have been made for escorts; how many escorts are accompanying? 2781
(f) Weight of baggage to accompany individuals.

TO

1 Liaison Division.
(Attention Capt. Newberg).

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- (b) Address of location in TACHINA at which they may be contacted and from which they will require transport to Airfield.
- (c) Destination - giving address.
- (d) Has this movement been cleared with IS Army Gp.?
- (e) What arrangements have been made for escorts; how many escorts are accompanying?
- (f) Weight of baggage to accompany individuals.
- (g) Weight of baggage to follow.
- (h) Date when movement is desired.
- (i) Who will individuals be handed over to on arrival.

By Capt. Stacey.

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4. The information asked for in 1 (a) and 3 (c) above has now been received from you and it is requested that the other particulars called for be supplied as urgently as you consider the circumstances warrant in order that the necessary action may be taken by this Sub-Commission.

5. Referring to para. 3 (c) above it is noted that destination is now changed to :-
Hotel Valentine
SALISBURY. (10 km. from VAREHA).

For the Director.


C.N. CHRISTENSEN,
Lt. Colonel.

Copy to : Executive Commissioners Office.
Supply Division, Economic Section.
Director, En. Sub-Comm.

C O P Y

Ref: 220.12/EO(L)

26 June 1945

SUBJECT: Axis Diplomats - Taormina (Sicily)

TO : Col. Walton
Chief Supply Division, A.C.

1. Verbal request, this date, is being complied with by following nominal roll of Axis Diplomats, now interned at Taormina Sicily:-

2. Chancellor Karl Gustav Wollenweber
Mr. Georg Elling
Mr. Horia Roman
Mrs. Hahn (widow of deceased Consul Johannes Hahn)
Consul General Baron von Spiegel
Consul Count Heinrich Thun
Countess Thun
Mr. Ealter Ehling
Mr. Johannes Vonder Gathen
Mr. Philip Maissner
Mr. Rainhold Anders
Miss Henriette Voigtjohannes
Miss Marianne Graf
Mr. Karl Brink

3. Location appointed for above: Salsomaggiore (30 Km from Parma), Hotel Valentine.

Officer in Charge
Liaison Division

2 copies to: Executive Commissioner Office

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION

Tel: 489081
Ext: 559

JAC/cc.

26 June 1945.

Ref: Mines-928.4

SUBJECT: Transport of 40 Mine Workers.

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission, H.Q. A.C.
(22)

1. Reference your letter AC/84/22/M.3, dated 23 June 1945, same subject as above.

2. The Mining Division regrets the incident which has taken place. However, investigation has brought out that the workers at the last minute refused to go and work in Sardinia, although, previously they had agreed.

Donald S. Kinsey
DONALD S. KINSEY,
Capt. C.E.,
Chief, Mining Division.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394

Tel. 478303 Transportation Sub-Commission

CSO/tp

Ref. : AG/84/22/TN3

23 June 1945

SUBJECT : Transport of 40 Mine Workers.

TO : Industry Sub-Commission.

1. Reference is made to your Mines 923-4 dated 8 June 1945 confirming verbal request for the movement of 40 Mine Workers by road from URBINO to ANCONA, and to Movement Bid Form submitted 8 June requesting that movement should take place on 20 June.

2. Three vehicles were accordingly despatched to URBINO to carry out this movement. Information has been received that NCO i/c of the trucks was unable to find the workers and that Sig. ANGELO had gone to ROME. The trucks returned empty.

3. In view of the fact that the three trucks were taken off other urgent work and that dead mileage was the only result of the journey to URBINO, it is requested that the matter be investigated and an explanation rendered.

For the Director.

Copy to :- Roads Division

AC
C. STALT-GARDNER,
Major,
Roads Branch.

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INC OMING MESSAGE *y/plr v*

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: ATP/S/12
Date/Time of Origin: JUN 210915B

Message Centre No: E/6045
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 211230B
Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: POTTER 2ND BATTALION ALCOM ANCONA
TO: HQ TRUCK OPERATING GROUP ALCOM, HQ ALCOM CITE ACTPT *84/21*

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1. Reference yours 9915 dated 16 June.
 2. 3 vehicles detailed to URBINO to transport mine workers. American sergeant in charge informed that mine workers were not present and could not be located since ANGELO CAVALLINI had departed for ROME. Vehicles returned with no load.
 3. Detail of 1200 refugees PALOMBINA to LORETO station 20 June completed.

ACTION

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ACTION: Tn S/C 2
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
MT Op Coy
File 2
Float

RESTRICTED

HEADQUARTERS
21 JUN 1945
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Tel. 475303

INTERNAL SECURITY - MEXICO

Our Ref: 40/84/20/TM.1.

19 June 1945

SUBJECT: Movement of GUSTAVO KUCH
NO. 2 - LASHBORNTO: S. A. C. M. F. (M)
Reed Branch

Neither C (Movement) nor R. A. C. have any transport going through to GAVO but P. B. C. Transportation Office, 71a Ostrich (on Route 6, near St Paul's Cathedral) have a lorry leaving at 07.30 hours 20 June for LASHBORN with accommodation for the u.s. civilian.

It was intended to furnish GUSTAVO KUCH with a letter addressed to P. B. C. asking them to assist him in obtaining transport from LASHBORN to GAVO.

In view of his youth, however, (he is 16 years of age) Col. + Buchanan think it advisable for GUSTAVO KUCH to stay on in HQ until:-

- (a) Transport through to GAVO is available
or
(b) Until Col Buchanan can find somebody who will look after him while he is at LASHBORN.

The accommodation reserved on tomorrow's lorry for LASHBORN has therefore been cancelled, and Col. Buchanan has been advised that we shall let him know should transport through to GAVO become available. Col Buchanan has also been assured that there are frequent lorries going to LASHBORN, on which we can obtain accommodation should he wish to do so later on.

H. J. M. W. T. L. L.
H. J. M. W. T. L. L.
Captain

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Neither (movements) nor R.A.A.C. have any transport going through to GND but R.A.C. Transportation office, via GND (on Route 8, near St Paul's Cathedral) have a lorry leaving at 07.30 hours on June for LONDON with accommodation for the a.m. civilian.

It was intended to furnish GND with a letter addressed to Mr. LONDON, asking GND to make it possible to obtain transport from LONDON to GND.

In view of his youth, however, (he is 15 years of age) Col. Buchanan thinks it advisable for GND to stay on in GND until:-

- (a) Transport through to GND is available or
- (b) Until Col. Buchanan can find no body who will look after him while he is at LONDON.

The accommodation reserved on tomorrow's lorry for LONDON has therefore been cancelled, and Col. Buchanan has been advised that we shall let him know should a transport through to GND become available. Col. Buchanan has also been assured that there are frequent lorries going to LONDON, on which we can obtain accommodation should he wish to do so later on.

H. J. L. LONDON
H.J. LONDON
Captain

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Tele : 478303 HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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Our ref.: AC/84/15/Tn 3

9 June 1945

TO : The Director
"The Little House of Nazareth"
CASAPESENNA of ALBANOVA
(Naples)

(14)

1. Your letter of 21 May 45 addressed to Commander PBS - Naples has been passed on to this HQ.
2. It is regretted that there is no Military transport available.
3. Civilian Transportation in the Naples area is now no longer controlled by this Sub-Commission and your application should therefore be made to ENAC or to Italian Ministry of Communications.

For the Director:

M.B. Thomas

M.B. THOMAS, Colonel
Deputy Director

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION

Tel: 559

DSK/cc.

Ref: Mines-923.4

8 June 1945.

SUBJECT: Transportation for Forty Mine Workers,
Urbino to Naples, For Work in Sardinian
Coal Mines.

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission, HQ. A.C.
Attention : (1) Rail Division
(2) Roads Division

1. Reference conversation between officer of
Roads and Rail Divisions, Transportation Sub-Commis-
sion and Captain Kingery of the Mining Division, 8
June 1945.

2. Forty workers, plus approximately 2 tons of
baggage and under the direction of Fraternali
Angelo are to be moved by road from Urbino to Ancona.
Date decided upon for movement is 20 June 1945.

3. The same workers are to travel Ancona
to Naples by rail, departing 20 June 1945, scheduled
time 2130 hours.

4. Bids are being submitted for road travel.
Rail Division is to arrange rail transportation as
agreed.

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5. Azienda Carboni Italiani to pay expenses for all travel, arrange shipment from Naples, and care for workers enroute.

W. J. MASKREY,
Lt. Colonel,
Acting Director,
Industry Sub-Commission.

c/c - A.Ca.I (1)
Float (1)
Files, Mining Div. (1)

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"THE LITTLE HOUSE OF NAZARETH"
CASAPESENNA of ALBANOVA
(NAPLES)

N 1265
25 June 1945
Naples

21 May 1945

TO THE COMMAND OF P. B. S. - NAPLES -

I have the honour to inform this Allied Command that the little orphans and the people recovered in the Little House of Nazareth, need very much the beach and sun cure next summer.

Casapesenna is a distance of 10 kilometers from Ischitella's beach and we have no means to transport the people over there.

We address our prayer to this Allied Command to grant us transportation of the children to the beach of Ischitella, every day, for the cure that they need.

These poor babies are orphans of the war, and have suffered much, and are in a bad condition of health.

There are 70 people and 350 babies in the asylum of S. Giovanni Bosco.

We trust that the high interest and the goodness of this Allied Command will take care to provide the transportation of these poor innocent babies that have suffered so much and still suffer, without the smile of their mothers and fathers. We are sure that your charity will grant them the possibility to go to the beach in the summer time.

Very gratefully we send you many thanks and homages.

THE DIRECTOR
Reverend SALVATORE VITALE.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission.

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Our Ref : AO/64/13/Tn3.

30 May 45

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SUBJECT : Ferry Service, ROME - NAPLES.

TO : Transportation Officer.
ASST C/S G-4.
Rome Area Allied Command.

1. Lt. G. TAGLIAFERMI, who is attached to the R.A.F. has received orders to report to 25 R.A.F. Italian Co-operator Coy, CAPODECHINO Airfield on Wednesday June 6, and has applied to this Sub-Commission for assistance in transportation.
2. May a seat be reserved for him please, on your daily ferry service from ROME to NAPLES on June 6.
3. This confirms telephone conversation of this morning.

For the Chief Commissioner.

CSG
C. STAIT-GARDNER
Major. 2771

66375 Capt. Langer.

On 2 June
Lt. Tagliafermi
instructed call base
at 1020 5 June (fortified)
1st floor Room 101.
CSG

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REGIONAL COMMISSIONER EMILIA REGION

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29 MAY 45

ROUTINE

IN CLEAR PD

PARA ONE PD REPLYING YOUR ROGER NINE SLANT CAB SLANT ONE THREE
FIVE DATED TWO THREE MAY CANNOT MAKE TRUCKS AVAILABLE PD
PARA TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER EMILIA REGION FROM HQ ALCOH SITE
ACTE PARER

SUGGEST APPLICATION MADE TO ONE FIVE ARMY GROUP PD CONVERSATION
HANSFIELD SLANT HALL TODAY REFERS PD

Copy to: Road Division.

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maj.

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

INC OMING MESSAGE
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: RIX/CAB/135
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 29 1740B

Message Centre No: E/2032
Date/Time Rec'd: MAY 29 1905B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AMG EMILIA REGION
TO: HQ ALCOM FOR TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

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Can military trucks be made available on 20 June for moving 200 men BOLOGNA to GORIZIA daily. Returning horsemen who will bring horses to BOLOGNA.

ACTION

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ACTION: Tn S/C 2
INFO: A/President
Chief Commissioner
Econ Sec
File 2
Float

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300 km, 90 days

lt Hall telephoned (in absence of Major Lowery) on May 29. lt Hall said the trucks were required to bring horsemen to ride horses to BOLOGNA. The horsemen were coming from AUSTRIA it was explained to lt Hall that this S/C had no trucks available, and that he should apply to 15 Army Group, which he will do. lt Hall did not know how many horsemen were involved.

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29 May 1945

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TRANSPORTATION SUB COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Tel : 478701

14 May 1945

221/246/Tn 3

SUBJECT : Movement of Carabinieri

TO : Public Safety Sub Commission

1. Reference your AC/14601/53/PS dated 30 April and AC/14601/53/PS dated 2 May '45, requesting arrangements for movement of Carabinieri from Bari area to Cesena by rail.
2. Herewith timings as follows :

5 Officers	170 CC.RR	dep. Bari	0400 hrs	16 May
		arr. Barletta	0730 "	"
5 Officers	410 CC.RR	dep. Barletta	0810 "	"
		arr. Foggia	1205 "	"
Total 5 Officers	580 CC.RR	dep. Foggia	1320 "	"
		arr. Termoli	1440 "	"
		dep. Termoli	1620 "	"
		arr. Osimo	0600 "	17 May

Party detrain at Osimo, and will be conveyed by AC. Road transport to Ancona for re-entrainment departing Ancona at approximately 1200 hrs 17 May, eta Cesena 2359 hrs. 17 May.

3. Accomodation has been requested for 20 tons of baggage and stores on these trains.

For the Director

Pls. Passed verbally to Roads Div. 14 May. Signal 1530 dated 14 May to Post Dept. confirmed.

Copy to : Roads Branch
(Major Stait-Gardner)

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C.R. Worthington
C.R. WORTHINGTON
Major

Tel :- 478303

TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

Our Ref :- AC/B4/6/Tn.3.

13 May 1945

SUBJECT :- Impending Personnel Moves (Rail)

TO :- Roads Division Operations Branch.

1. Reference conversation Lt. Col. FRANKLIN - Capt. MAHESHWAR on Saturday morning in regard to the above.

2. Enclosed is a statement of personnel to be moved by rail between the 14-20 May and 21-27 May.

3. It will be observed that serial 8 refers to the movement of 3 officers, 500 QMs and 20 tons of baggage from BART and south to CESENA between the 14-20 May, and that serial 9 refers to the movement of 12 officers 320 QMs and 12 tons baggage from PESCARA to CESENA in the same period.

4. Owing to the break in the railway line at OSIMO, the personnel and baggage involved in serials 8 and 9 will have to be detained at OSIMO and taken by road to ANCONA, from which point they will continue their journey by rail.

5. The date of these moves cannot be given, but 48 hours notice will be given you when details of the rail moves are known.

6. Can this Branch be notified immediately, please, if any opportunities occur of moving by truck any of the other serials shown on the enclosed schedule.

For the Chief :-

W. C. May
W. C. MAY
Lt. Col.

Copy to : Mov. Div. - Rail Branch.

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1. Roads Division Operations Branch.

1. Reference conversation Lt. Col. FRANKLIN - Capt. MANORFIELD on Saturday morning in regard to the above.
2. Enclosed is a statement of personnel to be moved by rail between the 14-20 May and 21-27 May.
3. It will be observed that serial 8 refers to the movement of 5 officers, 500 ORs and 20 tons of baggage from BARI and South to USSENA between the 14-20 May, and that serial 9 refers to the movement of 12 officers, 380 ORs and 12 tons baggage from PESCARA to CASERA in the same period.
4. Owing to the break in the railway line at OSI C, the personnel and baggage involved in serials 8 and 9 will have to be detained at OSI C and taken by road to ANCONA, from which point they will continue their journey by rail.
5. The date of these moves cannot be given, but 48 hours notice will be given you when details of the rail moves are known.
6. Can this Branch be notified immediately, please, if any opportunities occur of moving by truck any of the other serials shown on the enclosed schedule.

For the Chief 1-

[Signature]
C.H. CHRISTENSEN
Lt. Col.

Copy to : Mov. Div. - Mail Branch.

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Plan from 11/56/TN3

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub Commission

INTER OFFICE MEMO

Tele : 478303

30 April 45

AC/86/63/Tn.3

SUBJECT : Transport of G.C.RR.

TO : Roads Division.

1. Reference telephone conversation (Christensen - Farnough) 29 April regarding provision of transport to convey 5 Officers and 500 Carabinieri with 20 tons stores from CHIETI to CHERNA.
2. It is understood that you will provide 45 trucks for this assignment to be available for loading 0600 hrs 1st May at Legion HQ CHIETI. The destination will be AMG HQ CHERNA.
3. Freight charges are payable by Ministry of Sicurezza Pubblica.
4. Please warn unit supplying RT to apply to Movements ANCONA for timings, Route, Staging etc. The congested state of roads make it very important that Movements *timings* are strictly observed. *See Memo 63-12*

For Chief, Movements Division :

[Signature]
C.E. CHRISTENSEN
Lt. Colonel

Copy to : Mov ANCONA
Public Safety S/C. (your AC/14601/53/PS refers)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081-365

27 April 1945

AC/14601/53/PS

SUBJECT : Transport of CC.RR.

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission
(Attn: Capt. Clinging)

1. 8th Army AMG have requested the urgent movement of the following CC.RR. for use in Venezia Region:

Chieti to CESENA-5 officers 500 CC.RR. 20 tons stores

2. Can transport arrangements be made please.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

Copy to:
R.C. Venezia Region (Att.R.P.S.O.)
Commanding General CC.RR.

FJW/wg.

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