

Movement of Interest and Displaced
Persons. Vol I

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FOR ACTION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION ALCOM SICILIA REGION RPTD MOV AND TN

GEORGE FOUR AFTER

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16 January 45

ROUTINE

RESTRICTED FD

PARA ONE PD BOTH SPECIAL TRAINS ROME TO SOUTH FOR REPATRIATION FOR WEEK OF TWO ONE TO
TWO SEVEN JANUARY ARE CANCELLED FD

PAREN TO FOR ACTION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION CMA ALCOM SICILIA REGION CMA RPTD MOV
AND TN GEORGE FOUR AFTER FROM HQ ALCOM PAREN

DISTRIBUTION (BY HAND OR EIS)

Movements Rome

Transportation Sub-Commission, A.C.

High Commissioner for War Refugees.

Refugee Officer, Lazio Region.

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Tel. 489001 Ext. 594

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ALCOM HIGHLY REGION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION NOV AND TH G 4

AFHQ FOR BAKKH

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ROUTINE

RESTRICTED PD

PARA ONE PD SPECIAL TRAIN SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY TWO SIX DECEMBER
POSTPONED TO SATURDAY THREE ZERO DECEMBER PD ALL OTHER DETAILS
SIMILAR PD DISTRIBUTION AT A LATER DATE PD

PARUN TO ALCOM HIGHLY REGION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION NOV AND TH G FOUR

AFHQ FOR BAKER FROM HQ ALCOM FOR DISPER SITE EIGHT SEVEN ZERO ONE

PARUN

Copy to: High Commissioner for War Refugees
Refugee Officer Lazio Region
Transportation Sub-Commission AG
Movements Rome

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB-COMMISSION

DFR/2/GII (IT)

Tel. 489081 Ext. 594

24 December 1944

SUBJECT : Special trains for repatriation.

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission A.C. (Lt. WEBB)

1. Request two special trains Rome to Reggio Calabria and/or Bari for repatriation of refugees for the week 7-13 January 1945 from Prenestina Station.

2. Entraining details same as previous arrangements. Tuesday and Saturday trains preferred.

James Oliver
C.A. OLIVER,
Lt. Colonel, Capt.
for G-1, Italian.

Copy to:

HQ Sicily Region
HQ Southern Region
Mov & Tr. G-4 AFHQ (Capt BAKER)
Movements Rome
High Commissioner for War Refugees, Italian Gov't.
Refugee Officer, Lazio Region.

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REGIONAL COMMISSIONER SOUTHERN REGION REGIONAL COMMISSIONER SICILIA REGION
REGIONAL COMMISSIONER SARDINIA REGION NOV AND IN G-4 AREA FOR BAKER

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ROUTINE

RESTRICTED ID

PARA ONE PD DESCRIPTIONS REFUGES FOR REPATRIATION ON TRAIN SCHEDULED TO
LEAVE HOME TWO THREE DECEMBER FOR LANDERIA VIA NAPOLI EIGHT FIVE FOR NAPOLI
ONE ZERO SIX FOR BENEVENTO SIX FOR BARI FIVE THREE FOR BRINDISI TWO SIX
FOR TARANTO THREE SIX FOR POTENZA ONE SEVEN FOR AVELLINO ONE SIX FOR SALERNO
THREE ONE FOR CASSERTA FOUR ONE FOR CATANZARO FIVE THREE FOR REGGIO CALABRIA
SIX FIVE FOR SIBILIA THREE FIVE SIX PD THESE FIGURES WILL BE ADJUSTED BY
A TRAIN WHICH ARRIVED HERE YESTERDAY CONTAINING FIVE EIGHT FIVE TOTAL PD
DISTRIBUTION NOT YET KNOWN FOR THESE PD

PARA TO REGIONAL COMMISSIONER SOUTHERN REGION REGIONAL COMMISSIONER SICILIA
REGIONAL COMMISSIONER SARDINIA REGION NOV AND IN G FOUR AREA FOR BAKER
FROM IL ALCOH FOR DEPT CH ONE EIGHT FIVE NINE SEVEN PARAF

Copy to : Refugee Officer, Lazio Region.
Movements Rome
High Commissioner for War Refugees, Ital. Govt.
Transportation Sub-Commission, A.C. —

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RFR/2/GII (IT)

ALCOM SICILY REGION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION MOV AND IN G & AFHQ FOR CAPT BAKER

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PRIORITY

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RESTRICTED PD

PARA ONE PD SPECIAL TRAIN FROM ROME FOR REPATRIATION SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY

ONE NINE DECEMBER POSTPONED TO SATURDAY TWO THIRTEEN DECEMBER PD ALL OTHER DETAILS

SIMILAR PD DISTRIBUTION AT A LATER DATE PD

PARAS TO ALCOM SICILY REGION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION MOV AND IN G FOUR AFHQ FORCAPT BAKER FROM HQ ALCOM FOR DESPER CITE EIGHT THREE SIX SIX PAREN

Copy to: High Commissioner for War Refugees, Italian Government
 Refugee Officer, Lazio Region
 Transportation Sub Commission A.C. _____
 Movements Room

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ALCOM SICILY REGION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION ~~NOT TO BE USED~~

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PRIORITY

RESTRICTED PD

PARA ONE PD

SPECIAL TRAINS FOR REPATRIATION SCHEDULED TO LEAVE ROME FOR REGGIO CALABRIA

ONE SIX DECEMBER AND TWO THREE DECEMBER ARE CANCELLED. PD A SPECIAL TRAIN

IS SCHEDULED ONE NINE DECEMBER ROME TO REGGIO AND PUGLIA FOR REPATRIATION PD

SAME DETAILS AS TRAIN WHICH LEFT ROME ONE TWO DECEMBER EXCEPT DISTRIBUTION WHICH

IS APPROXIMATELY SEVEN ZERO ZERO FOR REGGIO AND SICILIA AND THREE ZERO ZERO FOR

PUGLIA PD

~~PARA TWO ALCOM SICILY REGION ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION NOT TO BE USED~~~~NO ALCOM FOR DISPER ONE EIGHT ONE FIVE SEVEN PARA TWO~~

Copy to: Movements, Rome
 Transportation Sub-Commission
 High Commissioner for War Refugees, Italian Government
 Refugee Officer, Lazio Region.
 Gov. - Tn - G.4 - AFHQ

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 1/6/16
 Date/Time of Origin: DEC 100428A

Message Centre No: C/3559
 Date Time Rec'd: DEC 102050A
 Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: BLAIR LYNCH REGGIOTO: HQ COM FOR ADAMS

10/15

CONFIDENTIAL.

Your signal 7933. A special train lain on 7222 from CATANZARO
 Dept 10 December 44. 1315 hrs via SEUFEMIA arr BATTIPAGLIA 0055 hrs
 11 December train. NN the train 4742 leaving CATANZARO 0520 refer to
 in your signal always pull to capacity.

ACTION

Dist

Action - Tn SC (2)
 Info - Chief Commissioner
 Econ Sec
 File

CONFIDENTIAL



ALCOM REGGIO CALABRIA

7933

9 DEC 44

ROUTINE

CONFIDENTIAL PD

PARA ONE PD THREE FIVE ZERO DISPLACED PERSONS AT CATANZARO ONE FIVE ZERO
AT PAOLA PD

PARHEN TO ALCOM REGGIO CALABRIA FHR BLAIR FROM ALCOM PAREN

ADVISE IMMEDIATELY HOW MANY CAN BE DESPATCHED TO NAPLES DAILY BY PASSENGER TRAIN LEAVING
CATANZARO ZERO FIVE TWO ZERO HOURS ARRIVING NAPLES CENTRAL ZERO SEVEN ONE ZERO HOURS
FOLLOWING DAY PD YOU WILL ISSUE WARRANTS TO COVER JOURNEY PD

TRANSPORTATION SC

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

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

Tele : 478701

14 December 1944

AC TH/10/14/RM

SUBJECT : Movement of Displaced Persons & Refugees.

TO : Maj. Bowers, Tptn. S.C. Rep. Naples.

1. For your information 50 persons arriving from Spain are expected immediately at Naples for Rome.

2. When this HQ. is informed of their arrival at Naples an emergency bid will be made at AFHQ and you will be informed of its acceptance so that you can keep an eye on this traffic.

for

Handwritten signature

MARGITT H. TAYLOR
DIRECTOR

847C
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DER/2/GII (IT)

MOV & TN G 4 AFHQ ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION ALCOM SICILY REGION

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PRIORITY

RESTRICTED PD

PARA ONE PD DISTRIBUTION OF REFUGEEES ON TRAIN SCHEDULED TO LEAVE ROME ONE TWO
DEC AS FOLLOWS PD FOR SICILY THREE SEVEN ONE CMA REGGIO EIGHT TWO CMA CATANZARO
SEVEN TWO CMA COSENZA FOUR FIVE CMA POTENZA THREE ZERO CMA BRINDISI ONE ONE TWO CMA
TARANTO ONE TWO ONE CMA BARI FIVE EIGHT CMA NAPLES EIGHT FOUR CMA BENEVENTO ONE ZERO
CMA AVELLINO ONE FIVE PD

PARA TWO MOV AND TN G FOUR AFHQ ALCOM SOUTHERN REGION ALCOM SICILY REGION FROM HQ
ALCOM FOR DISPER CITE SEVEN NINE FIVE FIVE PARA

Copy to:

Movements Rome
Transportation Sub-Commission A.C.
High Commissioner for War Refugees, Italian Government
Refugee Officer, Lazio Region.

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ALCOM REGGIO CALABRIA

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9 DEC 44

ROUTINE

CONFIDENTIAL PD

PARA ONE PD THREE FIVE ZERO DISPLACED PERSONS AT CATANZARO ONE FIVE ZERO
AT PAOLA PD

PAREN TO ALCOM REGGIO CALABRIA FOR BLAIR FROM ALCOM PAREN

ADVISE IMMEDIATELY HOW MANY CAN BE DISPATCHED TO NAPLES DAILY BY PASSENGER
TRAIN LEAVING CATANZARO ZERO FIVE TWO ZERO HOURS ARRIVING NAPLES CENTRAL
ZERO SEVEN ONE ZERO HOURS FOLLOWING DAY PD YOU WILL ISSUE WARRANTS TO
COVER JOURNEY PD

TRANSPORTATION SC

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

ACP/245

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Transportation Sub-Commission
APO 394

Our Reference : ACC Tn/145/11

Date : 27 June '44

TO : Major Kinselle,
ACC., Transportation Sub-Commission Officer,
c/o Mov. Foggia.

SUBJECT : Refugees - Foggia

1. Reference is to your letter ACC Tn. O/F4 of 21 June '44.
2. Enquiry has been made of Commission dealing with Italian refugees, in order to endeavour to settle the matters raised.
3. It is possible to give you names of Officers in the forward areas concerned with back-movement of refugees, they are :-

Capt. Hewitt-Taylor (B)
Lt. Guellitte (A)
4. Unfortunately they have no fixed location, but move with combat troops.
5. It is impossible for them to 'advise forward' number of refugees, because despatch is dependent on available Army transport, which may be despatched at a moment's notice. Further any advice sent would doubtless arrive after the refugees.

ACV
L.E. VINING,
Lieut-Colonel,
Director, Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

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ACP/rg

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Transportation Sub-Commission
APO 394

Our reference : ACC Tn/145/10.

Date : 24 June 44.

TO : R.C. & M.C. Section,
HQ. A.C.C.

SUBJECT : Refugees, Foggia.

1. The attached are copies of communications from our liaison officer at Foggia.
2. Will you please deal with the points raised and let me have copies of any arrangements made in order that our representative may be fully informed.

acp.
L.E. VINING,
Lieut-Colonel,
Director, Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

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Tel:-Railway 20.

To:- Director,
H.Q., Tn. Sub Commission, A.C.C.,
A.P.O. 394, Naples.

From:- A.C.C. Tn. Sub Commission,
Foggia Division.

Subject:- Refugees. Foggia.

1. "Q" (M) Foggia Sub Area and the C.O., Foggia Refugee Camp are experiencing difficulty in regard to dealing with the reception of Civilian Refugees and/or disbanded Italian Military Personnel (in mufti) by reason of their arriving without prior advice from the "forward areas".

2. The following figures will serve to shew as an example :-

Day.	Date.	Approx. No. of Refugees and/or Italian Military Personnel (in mufti).
Thursday.	June 15th.	650
Friday.	June 16th.	150
Saturday.	June 17th.	300
Sunday.	June 18th.	150
Monday.	June 19th.	200
Tuesday.	June 20th.	420

3. With a view to endeavouring to place the matter on something like a satisfactory basis of working may this office be informed please.

(a) Is there an A.M.G. or A.C.C. officer in the "forward areas" responsible for their dispatch and if so, *for the dispatch and if so, Taylor (B)*

(b) May his name, location and/or telephone number be given to this office.

(c) May he be instructed to "advise forward" full details, i.e. number of refugees, where from, time of departure etc. etc., in order that arrangements may be made at this end for their reception and transport to the camp.

4. Being immobile it is not possible for the under-signed to receive much beyond the immediate neighbourhood of Foggia and in consequence "ends" which might otherwise be tied up are left undone.

5. Your assistance in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Com Sec.
A.C.C. Tn. Sub Commission,
Foggia Division.

Own Ref:-ACC.Tn.O/F.4.

HEADQUARTERS
23 JUN 1944

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Via Eolo 14,
Foggia.
21 Jun 44.

R. H. Kinsellé
(R. H. Kinsellé)
Major R. H.,
A.C.C. Div. Tn. Supt.,
Foggia.

Copy to:- Major E. White M.C., C.C., Foggia Refugee Camp.
"Q" (M) Foggia Sub Area.

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Tel: Foggia Railway 20.

To: "Q" (M) Foggia Sub Area.

From: A.C.C. Tn. Sub Commission, Foggia Division.

Subject: Movement of Refugees & Italian Military Personnel.

1. It is understood that there has recently been some trouble in regard to the disposal of (a) Refugees and (b) Italian Military Personnel after their arrival - invariably unadvised - at Foggia Station.

2. With a view to the matter being put on a proper basis the following is suggested.

Civilian Refugees.

- (i) Major D. White, Foggia Refugee Camp (Tel; Foggia 127) be immediately advised of the arrival of ALL Refugees.
- (ii) When the total number is less than 100 Major White will collect from Foggia Station by road transport.
- (iii) When the total number is 100 or more "Q" (M) Foggia Sub Area will arrange for them to be worked forward in their rail trucks to the Refugee Camp. (Note:- Stopping place approx. 800 yds beyond point where line crosses the Foggia - Manfredonia Road.)
- (iv) Should Refugees arrive during the night they will be kept by the R.T.O. entrained at Foggia Station until the morning. This applies to para 2 sub paras (ii) and (iii).
- (v) Refugees will NOT be despatched to their ultimate destination (Foggia Refugee Camp excepted) until authorised by Major White.

Italian Military Personnel.

3. (a) All parties of Italian Military Personnel travelling in uniform in charge of an Italian Officer who is in possession of a nominal roll and authority to proceed to a given destination, will be allowed to continue their journey without reference to Major White.
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5. Any difficulties in connection with the application of this laid down working, will be reported immediately to the A.C.C. Div. Tn. Supt., Foggia, (Tel: Railway 20).

6. If you are in agreement with the foregoing will you please instruct your R.T.O. accordingly or, alternatively advise this office what alterations or

A.C.C. Tn. Sub Commission,
Foggia Division.

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Via Tolo 14,
Foggia.
21 Jun 44.

E.H. Kinselle
(E.H. Kinselle)
Major R.E.,
A.C.C. Divisional
Transportation Supt.,
Foggia.

Copy to :- Director, H.Q. Tn. Sub Comm., A.C.C., A.P.O. 394 Naples.
Major B. White, H.C., Foggia Refugee Camp.
R.T.O. Foggia Station, Via "Q" (M) Foggia Sub Area.

24 June 44

Internal Transportation, Sub-Commission, ACC.,
c/o Mov & Tn.,
H.Q., A.C.M.F. (Adm. Echelon),
C.M.F.

Our reference : ACC Tn/53/20

Date : 18 March 44.

*Not sent
for information only
EGM*

TO : Main HQ, ACC.
(for Economic Section).

SUBJECT : Civilian Internees - 371 P.W. Camp.

1. Reference your letter 312/CA dated 15 March 44 together with copies of letters from No. 3 District, ref 163/AA and HQ, A.C.M.F. ref. A.C.M.F./3073/6/A/(O).
2. Padula is situated 40 miles south of Sicignano on a branch line running from Sicignano to Lagonegro. This line has been out of order and was only opened for traffic as from 17 March 44.
3. It is understood from Lt.Col. Robinson S.C.A.O. Salerno Province that no complaints or difficulties have been reported in connection with P.W. Camp 371 at Padula.
4. The camp is under the direct control of the military authorities.
5. With regard to rail communications, Movements, HQ, A.C.M.F. (Adm. Echelon) have been consulted.
6. Enclosed is copy of letter ref Mov 1/401 dated 1 March 44 from Movements to "A" Branch.
7. Date given in Movements letter for repairs to be completed on the Sicignano - Lagonegro line to now read 17 March 44 as quoted above in para 2.

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S.A. FITCH,
Colonel.

Director, Internal Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

Internal Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.,
C/o Mov & Tn.,
H.Q., A.C.M.F. (Adm. Echelon),
C.M.F.

Our reference: ACC Tn/53/23.

Date : 18 Mar 44.

TO : H.Q., A.C.C., R.C. & M.G. Sec.
AFC 394 (attention Col. N.E. Fiske).

SUBJECT : Civilian Internees 371 P.W. Camp Padula.

1. Reference your letter Ref/312/ /CA dated 15 March to the Economic Section and passed to this Sub-Commission for attention 16 March.
2. Enclosed herewith copy of letter ACC Tn/53/22 of even date addressed to Col. H.B. Taylor I.C. Adm. No 3 District.
3. With regard to the question of rail movements, for your information enclosed herewith a copy of the letter from Movements to A branch quoted in letter to Col. H.B. Taylor.

AFS
S.A. FITCH,
Colonel,

Director, Internal Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

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Internal Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.,
C/o Mov & Tn.,
H.Q., A.C.M.F. (Adm. Echelon),
C.M.F.

Our reference: ACC Tn/53/22.

Date : 18 Mar 44.

TO : Col. H.B. Taylor,
I.O. Adm., No. 3 District.

SUBJECT : Civilian Internees 371 P.W. Camp.

1. Reference your letter 163/A dated 8 March, copy of which was passed to this Sub-Commission for attention 16 March.
2. It is understood from Lt. Col. Robinson SCAO, Salerno Province, that no complaints or difficulties have been reported to him in connection with the 371 P.W. Camp at Padula.
3. This camp is under the direct control of military authorities.
4. The question of rail movements has been dealt with by Movements, H.Q., A.C.M.F. (Adm. Echelon) in a letter dated 1 March, Reference MOV 1/401 addressed to "A" A.C.M.F. (Adm. Echelon), the subject matter of which has no doubt, communicated to you.

RS *seen*
S.A. FITCH,
Colonel,
Director, Internal Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/312/ /CA

15 March 1944

SUBJECT: Civilian Internees - *Capt Hay*
371 PW Camp

TO : Economic Section

1. Attached correspondence is passed
for attention of Internal Transportation
Subcommission.

2. Please inform this Section of
action taken.

P. Palmer Smith Lt. Col.

for NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel, Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

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Int Sp. Sub. Com

Forwarded to reception.

W. H. Smith
Capt. RA

15 Mar 44 16 MAR 1944

Staff Officer Economic Sect

SUBJECT : - Civilian Interness - 371 PW Camp.

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3 District
Tel Ext 18
163/4 A

94 Sub Area

8 March 1944

HQ Allied Control Commission
2. District

Ref attached copy of HQ ACPF letter ACPF/3073/6/A(0) of
4 March 44.

1. Will you please report if there have been any administrative difficulties and if there have been any delays in receiving civilian internees owing to lack of railway facilities, as reported.
2. Will you please make any recommendations on this subject that you wish.

HBT/AGA

(H.B. TAYLOR)
Col. IC Adm

C-o-p-y

53/23

Subject :- Civilian Internees - 371 PW Camp

HQ ACMEF Adm Ech
CMF

ACMEF/3073/6/A(0)
4 March 44

3 District
HQ ACC ACMEF

at SICIGNANO.
how upland
17 Mar.

1. It is understood that limited railway communications, which are at present completely cut owing to bad weather, are creating difficulties in the administration and retarding evacuation of civilian internees to 371 PW Camp, PANULA.
2. Will you please investigate, in conjunction with 2 District and ACC, and submit your recommendations.
3. It is understood that apart from the bad communications that the present site is otherwise excellent for the purpose.
4. Will ACC please state when they will be in a position to accept this commitment.

SE. XXXXXXXXX

for Major-General
Chief Administrative Officer.

Copy to:- 2 District

Major Marshall
Bristol

94 Sub Area
Staff Capt Horrocks-Brown
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Subject :- Civilian Internees.

"A"
ACMF (Admin Ech).

Movements,
HQ. ACMF (Admin Ech).
MOV 1/401

1 March 44.

Ref your ACMF/3073/6/1(P2) of 28 Feb.

1. From the movements point of view movement over the Foggia - Benevento line should be restricted as much as possible. We should prefer that civilian internees were held at 207 P.F. Camp until at least 400 were accumulated there. We would then move them by special train from Grano Appulo to 571 P.F. Camp at Padula.
2. The movement of smaller bodies of internees to Padula is undesirable by any route as Padula lies off the main running lines.
3. The line from Mignano to Lagnegro is at present out of order and unlikely to be repaired before 20 March 44. Mignano is about 40 miles north of Padula and the nearest point to which internees would be railed until the line is repaired.

(Sgd) D.W. HEALEY,
Capt. R.E.
for Brig.
P.C.M.G. (Movements).

Copy to :-
MOV. 3.

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Internal Transportation Sub Commission, ACC.,
c/o Mov & Tn.,
AFHQ Advanced Administrative Echelon,
C.M.F.

Our reference : ACC Tn/53/2

Date : 6 Jan 44

TO : Internees and Displaced Persons Sub Commission,
H.Q., AMG, 5th. Army,
APO 464 US Army.

SUBJECT : Transportation of Military Evacuees.

Reference your letter of 26 Dec 43 and extract from Intelligence Instruction No. 33 para 5 (d).
I thank for the advanced information and note that it is estimated that the military evacuees to be moved south from Naples by rail will be in groups of approximately 200 persons moving every 48 hours.

Your letter was read and discussed at the Transportation Committee held at AFHQ Adv. Adm. Ech. 3 Jan 44.
I was instructed to write to you and point out that owing to the continuous heavy demand for rail transport over this route that :

- (i) It will be necessary to submit your demands in writing to "Movements" AFHQ Adv. Adm. Ech. four days in advance. X
- (ii) Endeavour would be made to accommodate them on the bi-weekly military trains but no space could be guaranteed.
- (iii) The Internees and Displaced Persons Sub Commission must accept responsibility for feeding and housing these refugees whilst awaiting transportation and in transit.

If I can be of assistance at any time, please advise.


Colonel,
Internal Transportation Sub Commission, ACC.

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SUBJECT : Transportation of Military Evacuees.

Reference your letter of 28 Dec 43 and extract from Intelligence Instruction No. 33 para 5 (d).

I thank for the advanced information and note that it is estimated that the military evacuees to be moved south from Maples by rail will be in groups of approximately 200 persons moving every 48 hours.

Your letter was read and discussed at the Transportation Committee held at AFHQ Adv. Adm. Ech. 3 Jan 44.

I was instructed to write to you and point out that owing to the continuous heavy demand for rail transport over this route that :

- (i) It will be necessary to submit your demands in writing to "Movements" AFHQ Adv. Adm. Ech. four days in advance. X
- (ii) Endeavour would be made to accommodate them on the bi-weekly military trains but no space could be guaranteed.
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HEADQUARTERS
AMG 5 ARMY
A.P.O. 464 U.S. ARMY
Internees and Displaced Persons Subcommittee.

28 December 1943

SUBJECT: Transportation of Military Evacuees.

TO : Internal Transportation Subcommittee, ACC.
c/o Mov & Trn. A.F.M.Q. Adv Admin Ech.
C.M.F.

1. In view of Intelligence Instruction No 33, dated 13 November, 1943, extract of which is enclosed, the Internees and Displaced Persons Subcommittee requests that the Internal Transportation Subcommittee of ACC establish its position as regards transport of military evacuees.
2. It is to be emphasized that this is a permanent problem; which cannot be satisfactory solved by the consideration of individual cases.
3. For the information of the subcommittee it is estimated that the evacuees to be moved south from Naples by rail will be in groups of approximately 200 persons, moving every 48 hours.

Theodore W. Lieke

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Recd. 1100 28/12

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EXTRACT FROM INTELLIGENCE INSTRUCTION NO 33 Para 5 (d).

Disposal of Italian Personnel.

The procedure for dealing with Italian personnel will be as follows:

After passing through the Refugee Interrogation Posts for screening all Italian Nationals (both Military and Civil), will pass under care of the Allied Control Commission (Displaced Persons Subcommission) for feeding and conveyance to selected points in rear, when they will become the responsibility of the Italian Authorities.

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