

Sit reps

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

19th February, 1945.

Tel. Ex. 318

769/2/Tn.3.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for week 12th to 19th February,
Inclusive.

TO : Administration Division Tn. S/C.

1. ROADS

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W. J. Sieff

W. J. SIEFF, Col.
Chief, Movements Division.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

21 August 1945

Tel : 478704

AC/769/39/Tn 3

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep 14 - 20 August 1945

TO : Administration Division

1. Weekly Sitrep for period 14 - 20 August 1945 - NIL
return.


for C.R. WORTHINGTON,
Major R.E.

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FL/elc

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

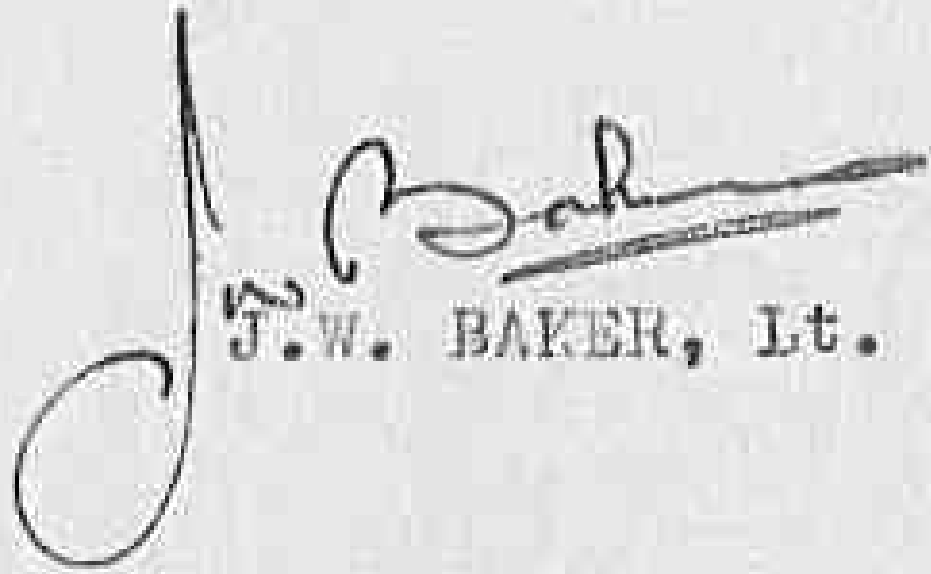
AG/769/39/Tn 3

14 August 1945

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep 7 - 13 August 1945

TO : Administration Division

1. Weekly Sitrep for period 7 - 13 August 1945 - NIL
return.


J.W. BAKER, Lt. Col.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

AC/769/38/Tn3

7 August 1945

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep 31 July - 6 August 1945.

TO : Administrative Div.

1. Weekly Sitrep for period 31 July - 6 Aug. 1945 - NIL
return.

J.W. Baker
J.W. BAKER Lt. Col. *encl*

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Tele: 390

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

RG/rg

4 August 1945

Our Ref: 172/48/Tnl

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitrep.

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Port & Warehouse Division
Roads Division

1. All Division Heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for the period 31 July - 6 August 1945 is due in the office of Chief, Administrative Division not later than 1000 hours, Tuesday, 7 August 1945.
2. Nil Returns are required.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, T/4,
Chief Clerk.

Nil return
27 Aug

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

JWB/eh.

Tel. Ext 318.

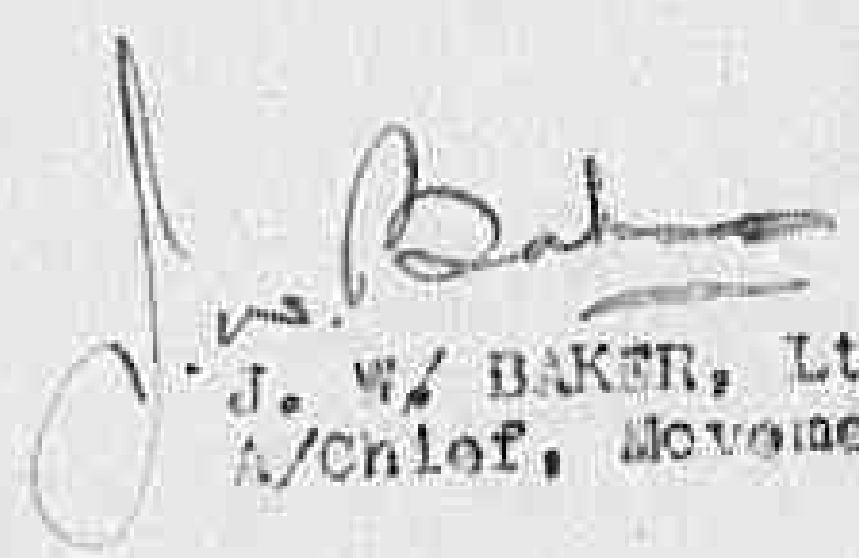
30 July 1945.

Ref. 769/36/Tn.3.

SUBJECT. Weekly Sitrep.

TO. Administration Division.

Weekly Sitrep for the period 24 - 30 July 1945 -
NIL return.


J. W. BAKER, Lt.Col.
A/Chief, Movements Div.

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Tel. 390

INTER OFFICE MEMO

RG/gs

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Our Ref :- AC/172/46/Tn.1.

28 July 1945

SUBJECT :- Weekly Sitrep.

TO :- Movements Division
Ports & Warehouse Division
Roads Division.
Rail Division.

1. Weekly Sitrep for the period 24 - 30 July 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Administrative Division not later than 1000 hours, Tuesday, 31 July 1945.

2. Nil returns are required.

For the Chief, Administrative Division :-

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO
Sgt., C/Clerk

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

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JWB/bjs

23rd July 1945

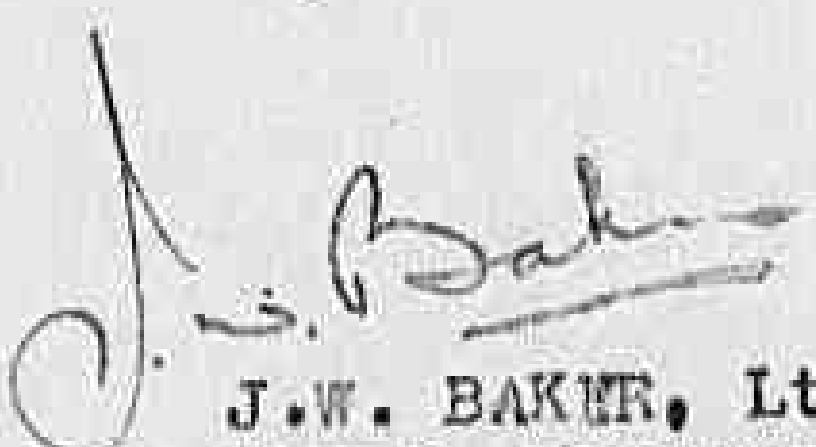
Tel. Ext 318

769/34/Tn.3
17/27/45

SUBJECT. Weekly Sitrep

TO. Administrative Division

Weekly sitrep for the period 17 - 23rd July - nil
return.


J.W. BAKER, Lt. Colonel
for Chief, Movements Division

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Tel. : 390

INTER OFFICE MEMO

RG/ga

Our Ref :- 172/44/Tn.1.

21 July 1945

SUBJECT :- Weekly Sitrep

TO :- Movements Division
Ports & Warehouse Division
Roads Division
Rail Division.

1. Weekly sitrep for the period 17 - 23 July 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Administrative Division not later than 1000 hours, Tuesday, 24 July 1945.
2. Nil returns are required.

For the Chief, Administrative Division:-

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO
Sgt., C/Clerk

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

JWB/bjs

Tel. Ext 318

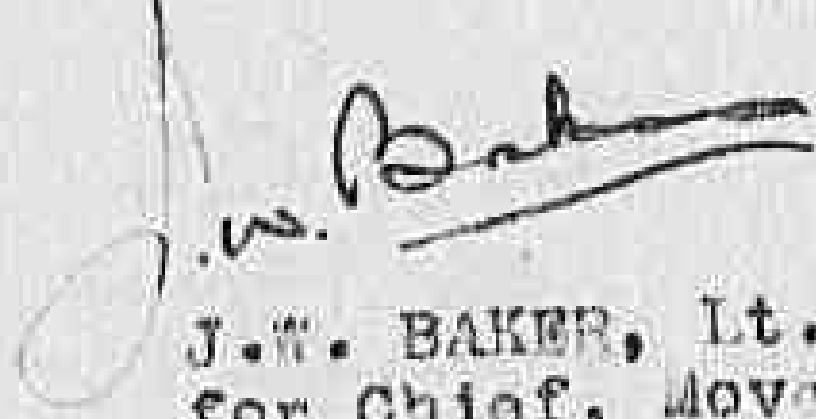
17th July 1945

769/32/Tn.3

SUBJECT. Weekly Sitrep - Movements Division

TO. Administrative Division

Nil return for period 10 - 17 July 1945.


J.W. BAKER, Lt. Colonel.
for Chief, Movements Division

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

15 July 1945

Our Ref: 172/42/Tml

SUBJECT: Weekly sitrep

TO : Movements Division
Ports & Warehouse Division
Roads Division
Rail Division

1. Weekly Sitrep for the period 10 - 17 July 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Administrative Division not later than 1000 hours, Tuesday, 18 July 1945.
2. Nil returns are required.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO,
Sgt., C/Clerk.

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INTER-OFFICE MEMO

MJS/bjs

Tel. Ext 318

10th July 1945

769/30/Tn.3

SUBJECT. Weekly Sitrep - Movements Division

TO. Administrative Division.

Nil return for period 3 - 9 July 1945.

MJS
A.J. SIEFF, Colonel
Chief, Movements Division.

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Tele: 482

INTER OFFICE MEMO

WPS/rg

Our Ref: 172/40/Tnl

8 July 1945

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitrep

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Port & Warehouse Division
Road Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for period 3 - 9 July 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Administrative Division not later than 1000 hours - Tuesday, 10 July 1945.

2. Nil returns are required.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt.,
Chief Clerk.

INTER OFFICE MEMO

MJS/bjs

Tel. Ext 318

3rd July 1945

769/28/Tn.3

SUBJECT. Weekly Sitrep for week ending 2 July.

TO Administrative Division.

1. The port of Savona is operating under combined AC and military control.

2. The opening of the tunnel at Osimo should considerably facilitate movement of civilian traffic along the east coast of Italy and enable economy to be made in road transport at present bridging the rail gap.

M. J. Sieff Lt. Col.
M.J. SIEFF, Colonel
Chief Movements Division.

Tele: 390

INTER-OFFICE MEMO

RG/rg

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Our Ref: 172/38/Tnl

1 July 1945

Subject: Weekly Sitrep

To : Movements Division
Rail Division
Road Division
Port & Warehouse Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for the period 26 June - 2 July is due in the office of the Chief, Admin. Division not later than 1000 hours, Tuesday 3 July 1945.

2. Nil returns are required.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt.,
Chief Clerk.

INTER OFFICE MEMO

AJS/bjs

26th June 1945

Tel. Ext 318

769/26/Tn.3

SUBJECT Weekly Sitrep for week ending June 25th.

TO Administrative Division

1. Approximately 30,000 refugees have been moved from north to south during the past week.
2. Livestock, to lift which from Sardinia to the mainland shipping was to be provided, was not forthcoming because of a dispute between the exporters in Sardinia and the importers in Rome over price.

M. J. Sieff

M. J. SIEFF, Colonel.

Tele : 482

INTER OFFICE MEMO

RG/fg

Our ref.: AC/172/36/Tn 1

24 June 1945

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Road Division
Port & Whse Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for the period 19-25 June is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Admin. Division not later than 1000 hrs, Tuesday 26 June.
2. Nil returns are required.

For the Chief, Admin. Division:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO
Chief Clerk

Tel. 342

INTER OFFICE MEMO

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Our Ref :- 769/24/Tn.3.

19 June 1945

SUBJECT :- Weekly Sitrep

TO :- Administration Division

1. Weekly Sitrep for period 12-19 June for Movements
Division - NIL-.

MJP
M.J. SIEFF
Colonel
Chief Movements Division

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Tel. 390

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

RG/ga

17 June 1945

Our Ref :- 172/34/Tn.1.

SUBJECT :- Weekly Sitrep

TO :- Movements Division
Road Division
Rail Division
Port Whse Division

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1. Division heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for period 12-18 June 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Administration Division not later than 1000 hours Tuesday 19 June 1945.

2. All returns are required.

For the Chief, Admin. Division:-

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO
Chief, Clerk

878

Tel. 342

INTER OFFICE MEMO

/gs

Our Ref :- 769/21/Tn.3.

11 June 1945

SUBJECT :- Weekly Sitrep

TO :- Administration Division

1. Weekly Sitrep for period 5-11 June for Movements
Division - NIL.

C.R. Woolthorpe
for J.W. BAKER
Lt. Colonel

RG/ra

Tele : 390

INTER OFFICE MEMO

769-21

10 June 1945

AC/172/32/Tn 1

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Road Division
Port & Whse Division

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1. Division heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for the period 5-11 June is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Admin. Division not later than 1000 hours Tuesday, 12 June 1945.

2. Nil returns are required.

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt
Chief Clerk

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TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMORANDUM

5 June 1945

Tele : 478701

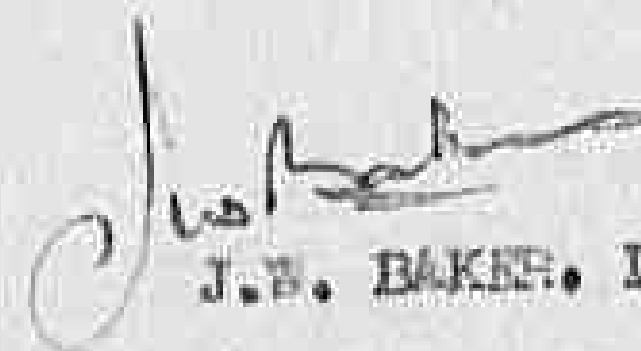
769/20/12.3.

SUBJECT : Weekly sitrep for week ending 5th June '45.

TO : Administration Division

1. Movements Division. Refugees and displaced persons.
Total moved by all means during May South of Forlì - Florence -
Leghorn 71794 persons, of which 15,076 moved by rail (16 trains)
and 1,000 moved by sea during last 7 days of May.

For Chief Movements Division


J.B. BAKER, Lt. Col.

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Tel : 390

INTER OFFICE MEMO

3 June 1945

Our Ref :- AC/172/30/Tn.1.

SUBJECT :- Weekly Sitrep,

TO :- MOVEMENTS DIVISION
RAIL DIVISION
ROAD DIVISION
PORT & WAREHOUSE DIVISION

1. Division Heads are reminded that the sitrep for the period 29 May - 4 June 1945 is due in the office of the chief clerk, Admin. Division not later than 1000 hrs. 5 June.
2. Nil returns are required.

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO
Chief Clerk

Tel :- 390

INTER OFFICE MEMO

RG/gb

Our Ref :- 172/28/Tn.1.

28 May 1945

SUBJECT :- Weekly Sitrep

TO :- Movements Division
Rail Division
Roads Division
Port & Warehouse Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for period 22 - 29 May 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Admin. Division not later than 1000 hours Tuesday - 22 May.

2. Nil returns are required.

For the Director :-


WALTER P. SCOGGINS
Lt. Colonel OMC
Chief, Admin. Div.

Nil Return 22-29 May 45

Tele: 390

INTER-OFFICE MEMO

RG/rg

20 May 1945

Our Ref: 172/26/Tnl

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitrep

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Roads Division
Port & Warehouse Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Weekly Sitrep for period 15 - 21 May 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Admin. Division not later than 1000 hours Tuesday - 22 May.

2. Nil returns are required.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMIN. DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt.,
Chief Clerk.

Nil for 15-21 May.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

Tel: 318

MJS/h1

769/16/TN 3

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitrep for Week
Ending May 14, 1945.

15 May 1945

TO : Administration Division

1. SHIPPING BRANCH - MOVEMENTS: A holding berth at Civitavecchia has now been found, which can accommodate ships drawing up to 27' draft.

2. RAIL BRANCH - MOVEMENTS: Shortage of wagons has necessitated the suspension of civilian loadings in the Reggio-Calabria areas.

M. J. Siefert

M. J. SIEFT, Colonel,
Chief, Movements Division

Tele: 390

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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13 May 1945

Our Ref: 172/24/Tnl

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitrep.

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Road Division
Port & Warehouse Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Sitrep for the week 8 - 14 May 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Admin. Division not later Tuesday - 15 May 1945 at 1000 hours.

2. Nil returns are required.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMIN. DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt.,
Chief Clerk.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

Tel: 318

MJS/hl

769/15/TN 3

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitrep for Week
Ending May 7th.

7 May 1945

TO : Administration Division

1. Shipping Branch, Movements: The last AC Transportation Officer has now been withdrawn from Civitavecchia. This port, which handles the largest amount of civil traffic in Liberated Italy, is now entirely operated by the Italian authorities.

A dispute between French and Italians over phosphate rock is still holding up shipments. *see Star*
No phosphate rock has now been shipped for over one month.

M. J. SIEFF

M. J. SIEFF, Colonel,
Chief, Movements Division

Tele : 390

RG/fd

INTER OFFICE MEMO

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Our ref.: AC/172/22/Tn 1

6 May 1945

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Road Division
Port & Whse Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Sitrep for the week 1-7 May is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Admin. Div. not later than 10.00 hrs., Tuesday, 8 May 1945.
2. Nil returns are required.

For the Chief, Admin. Div.:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt.,
Chief Clerk.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

Tel: 318

MJS/h1

1 May 1945

MEMORANDUM

TO: Administration Division

1. Movements Weekly Sitrep for week ending 30 April

Nil Return

M. J. Sieff

M.J. SIEFF, Colonel,
Chief, Movements Division

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TELE: 390

INTER OFFICE MEMO

RG/bm

29 April 1945.

Our Ref : 172/20/TN.1

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Road Division
Port & Warehouse Division.

1. Division Heads are reminded that the SITREP for the week 24-30 April is due in the office of the chief clerk not later than 1000 hrs. on Tuesday 1 May 1945.

2. Nil returns are required.

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FOR THE CHIEF, ADMIN. DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt.,
Chief Clerk, Admin. Div.

INTER OFFICE MEMO

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Tel: Ext. 318

769/14/Tn.3.

23rd April, 1945.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for Week ending
23rd April, 1945.

TO : Administration Division,
Transportation Sub-Commission.

MOVEMENTS SHIPPING BRANCH:

1. Arrangements have now been made to hand over for operation by COGENA ten ships flying the Italian flag. These ships are being allocated to regular coastwise liner sailings and, together with the schooners lifting civilian cargo, should be sufficient to meet the major part of the inter-island and Italian coastwise shipping programme. They are ~~now~~ under the overall supervision of MEDCO.

M. J. Siff

M.J. SIFF, Colonel.

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TELE: 390

INTER-OFFICE MEMO

RG/rg

Our Ref: 172/18/Tnl

22 April 1945

SUBJECT : Sitrep for Week 17 - 23 April 1945.

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Road Division
Port & Warehouse Division

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Sitrep for the Week 17 - 23 April 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Administration Division not later than 1000 hours, Tuesday, 24 April 1945.

2. Nil returns are required.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMIN. DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO, Sgt.,
Chief Clerk, Admin. Div.

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13.

INTER OFFICE MEMO

17th April, 1945

Tel : Ext. 318

769/13/Tn.3

SUBJECT : Sitrep for week ending 16 April.

TO : Administration Division,
Transportation S/C.

1. Movements Division has nothing to report for the above period.

MJS
M.J. SIEFF, Colonel
Chief, Movements Div.

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INTER-OFFICE MEMO

RG/rg

Tele: 390

15 April 1945

Ref: 172/16/Tnl.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Roads Division
Ports & Warehouse Division.

FROM : Administrative Division.

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Sitrep for the week 10 - 16 April is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Admin. Division not later than 1000 hours Tuesday, 17 April.

2. Two or three lines are all that are required from each division, containing only material which is general in character and is likely to be of value to the CCAC in WASHINGTON, or a Nil return to be submitted.

FOR THE DIRECTOR:

Walter P. Scoggins
WALTER P. SCOGGINS,
Lt. Colonel, CMC,
Chief, Admin. Division.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

AJS/vb

10th April, 1945.

Tel: Ext. 318

769/11/Tn.3.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for week ending 9th April,
1945, inclusive.

TO : Administration Division,
Transportation S/C.

MOVEMENTS SHIPPING DIVISION

1. Tonnages handled at Civitavecchia are steadily increasing. On three occasions during the period under review tonnage discharged exceeded 2,000 tons.

2. Discharge of colliers at Piombino commenced, and if rail clearance can be provided an average of 800 to 1,000 tons a day can be discharged from one ship.

RAIL BRANCH

3. The general waggon position improved. More satisfactory arrangements have now been made for the clearance of the Naples satellite ports.

ROAD BRANCH

4. Further AC controlled military M.T. despatched to the Ancona-Macerata area to assist in hauling wheat. An emergency programme of shipments of wheat from this area to the south, owing to the non-arrival of programmed wheat ships from extra Mediterranean sources, has necessitated the bulk of the transport being allocated to haul grain to port for shipment, and caused cessation of movement of grain to Rome due to lack of transport to move it from unloading area to rail head.

W. J. Siff
M.J. SIFF, Colonel 861
Chief, Movements Division.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

MJS/vb

Tel. Ext. 318

3rd April, 1945.

769/10/Tn.3.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for Week 27th March to
2nd April, 1945, inclusive.

TO : Administration Division,
Transportation S/C.

1. Reference the attached Sitreps, please include only
those paragraphs marked with crosses.

2. Movements Division, Rail Section.

The balance of waggons in the Naples area is unfavour-
able, and the accepted rail programme could not be met. AFHQ
hope that the position will be righted within seven days.


M.J. SIEFF, Colonel,
Chief, Movements Division.

Encls.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

RJS/vb

27th March, 1945.

Tel. Ext. 318

769/9/Tn.3.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for Week 20th to 26th March,
Inclusive.

TO : Administration Division,
Transportation S/C.

1. Movements Division has nothing to report for the
above period.

M. J. Sieff

M. J. SIEFF, Colonel,
Chief, Movements Division.

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ALLIED [REDACTED] COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM
ADMINISTRATION DIV.

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SUBJECT: Weekly Sitrep - 20 - 26 March 1945 FILE No. 172/12/Tnl

TO : Movements Division
Rail Division
Roads Division
Ports & Warehouse Division

25 March 1945

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Sitrep for week 20 - 26 March 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk by 1000 hours, Tuesday, 27 March 1945.
2. In preparing Sitrep please refer to letter from the Executive Commissioner, Ref. 150/26/EC dated 15 March forwarded to you under cover Administration Division Inter-Office, ^{memo} Ref. 172/10/Tnl dated 18 March 1945, for your information and guidance.

FOR THE CHIEF, ADMIN. DIVISION:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO,
Chief Clerk 8

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

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MJS/vb

Tel: Ext. 318

20th March, 1945.

769/7/Tn.3.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for Week 15th March to 19th March,
Inclusive.

TO : Administration Division.

1. Movements Division has nothing to report for the above period.

11/15
A.J. SIEFF, Colonel,
Chief, Movements Division.

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ALLIED [REDACTED] COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM
ADMINISTRATION DIVISION

769/6

SUBJECT: WEEKLY SITREP

FILE No. 172/10/Tn1

18 March

1945

TO

MOVEMENTS DIVISION
RAIL DIVISION
ROADS DIVISION
PORT & WAREHOUSE DIVISION

1. Division Heads are reminded that the Sitrep for week 13 - 19 March 1945 is due in the office of the Chief Clerk no later than 1000 hours, Tuesday, 20 Mar.
2. Attached copy of letter from the Executive Commissioner is for your information and guidance.

For the Chief, Admin. Division:

R. Giardino
R. GIARDINO,
Chief Clerk.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 735

15 March 1945

Ref: 150/26/EC

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitreps.

TO : VP, Economic Section (11)
VP, Civil Affairs Section (10)
Dir, Communications Sub-Commission (1)
Dir, War Material Disposal (1)
& Italian PW Sub-Commission
Public Relations Officer (1)

1. I have received a complaint from AFHQ that material contained in the Weekly Sitrep is not satisfactory.

2. The purpose of this sitrep is to provide AFHQ with material to give a concise weekly national picture of conditions in ITALY for the Combined Civil Affairs Committee of the Combined Chief of Staff in WASHINGTON. I gain the impression that this is not appreciated and the object of this memorandum is to give directions which will ensure that the activities of this Commission are adequately ~~represented~~ reported.

3. Previously ~~all~~ the basis of this sitrep has been reports from Regions, but since Sub-Commissions receive all regional information of importance from their specialist officers in the field I have decided to rely on HQ to provide this basis. Vice Presidents will give special attention to the provision of material for the sitrep. Two or three lines are all that are required from each Sub-Commission, containing only material which is general in character and is likely to be of value to the CCAC in WASHINGTON: commencing 21 March 1945 this information, or a nil return, to be submitted to this office not later than 1200 hours on Wednesday of each week.

/s/?
for Brigadier
Executive Commissioner.

copy to: Navy Sub-Commission
Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)
Air Forces Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

MJS/vb

Tel: Ext. 318

12th March, 1945.

769/5/Tn.3.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for week 6th to 12th March,
Inclusive.

TO : Administration Division.

MOVEMENTS SHIPPING DIVISION.

1. The "Lagnano" made its first journey as a livestock ferry from Sardinia to Civitavecchia.
2. The M.V. "Dina" sailed from Civitavecchia to the Rome Gas Works with coal.
3. The export of pyrites via Piombino and Civitavecchia to Sardinia commenced.

MOVEMENTS RAIL SECTION:

4. The wagon supply in Sicily is improving.
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TO : Administration Division.

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APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission
(Movements Division)

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Tel: 318

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6th March, 1945.

SUBJECT: Sitrep for Week 27th February to 5th March, inclusive.

TO : Administration Division.

MOVEMENT SHIPPING DIVISION:

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APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

26 February '45

Tel. Ext. 313

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SUBJECT : Sitrep - Week 20th. to 26th. February (Inclusive)

TO : Administration Division

Nav Shipping Section

1. The first large shipment of cased vehicles on AC account was discharged at Naples.

Nav Rail Section.

2. The railway wagon supply in Calabria has improved after a long period of very short supply. The outward flow of wagons from Sicily has been stopped, but the adverse balance between Sicily and the Mainland has not yet been righted.

3. A passenger and freight service, which will run thrice weekly between Rome and Capranica, will commence on 5th. March.

4. The quantity of coal and lignite moving to Rome ~~is~~ is steadily increasing, and the stocks are rising. At the same time number of wagons under load with fuel in Rome now exceeds 130. This is affecting other movement.

Nav Road Section.

5. The balance of 1000 G.T. Coy. moves from Florence to the East Coast on 1st. March '45.


M.J. SIEFT,
Colonel.
Chief, Movements Division.

ALLIED [REDACTED] COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Sitrep - Transportation Sub-Comm.

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TO : Movements Division.

18 February 1945

All Divisions of the Transportation Sub-Commission are reminded that Sitrep for the week 12 - 19 February is due in the office of the Chief Clerk, Administration Division on Tuesday, 20 February 45 by 1200 hours.

For the Chief, Administration Division:

R. Giardino
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