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EXTENSION NUMBER

ADDRESSES

PRECEDENCE

NSHQ OTTAWA

ADMIRALTY(DNI)

PRIORITY
ROUTINE

27 MARCH 1943

OPNAV-16-WASH

DEFERRED

2105

VALENTINE

PRIORITY
ROUTINE

GEARHART

DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

ROUTED BY LT. KNIGHT

2807Z/27

NCR 2896

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

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ACTION

(FOR MR. MITCHELL)

(ADMIRALTY (DNI) (R) OPNAV-16-Z WASHINGTON FROM NSHQ
OTTAWA)

HELMUT MOEHLMANN BACK FROM SUCCESSFUL CRUISE EARLY
JANUARY. FROM LETTER TO PRISONER SIEGFRIED BENE 18TH
JANUARY. STAATS BACK FROM SUCCESSFUL CRUISE AND
BARGSTEN AT SEA AGAIN MIDDLE JANUARY. GUSTAV ADOLF
JANSSEN IN HAMBURG 19TH JANUARY. FROM LETTER 19TH
JANUARY TO PRISONER HEINRICH JANSSEN.

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16.....COG.

20G.....COMINCH.....FILE

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BY DBS, DATE

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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Filed 23/1939Z
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WDCC
March 23, 1943
2059Z

From: Bern
To: MILID

In reply cite: 524 March 23, 1943

706 from eyewitness:

A. French officers and men captured
Germans Africa taken to Tunis for transport
Italy.

B. Waited 10 days no ship arrived Tunis
German transport aircraft arrived from Sicily
each carrying 110 men and equipment French flew
to Naples 80 in each plane were about 400 in all
subsequently released by Germans now in France.

C. Reports Naples and vicinity crowded
German heavy war material waiting transporta-
tion. Repeated for Etousa.

Legge

ACTION: G-2

INFORMATION: OPD
CG AAF

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM CTF 24	FOR ACTION	VOPNAV DNI COM 1	PPPPPP PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 7 MAR 43	INFORMATION		DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0155			PRIORITY
DECODED BY JONES/ROSS			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

HATCH**062331 NCR 6277**

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT

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ACTION (ACTION TO VOPNAV AND DNI)

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H M S GEORGETOWN ARRIVES BOSTON AT 1200Z
7TH WITH PRISONERS CAPTURED BY U S C G
CAMPBELL.

16.....ACT

COMINCH.....03.....10/11.....13.....NAVAIDE.....

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
ALUSNA LONDON			
FROM		VICE OPNAV	PRIORITY ROUTINE
RELEASED BY			DEFERRED
DATE	7 MARCH 1943		
TOR CODEROM	2320		PRIORITY
DECODED BY	COYLE		ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY	PENNE		DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

HATCH

061622 NCR 6163

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

DATE

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VCND

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION FROM CREW U-BOAT
187 STRONGLY SUGGESTS VESSEL FITTED TO TAKE
ACOUSTIC TORPEDOES ON NEXT CRUISE. SEE ALUSNA
SERIAL 800 DATED 26 FEBRUARY.

16....ACTION.

COMLACH....10/11....12....23....BUORD....

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM DNI OTTAWA	FOR ACTION	DNI ADMIRALTY	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			RRRRR DEFERRED
DATE 5 MARCH 43	INFORMATION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM 0332			RRRRR DEFERRED
DECODED BY MELTON			
PARAPHRASED BY ESTERLY			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

2124Z/4

SHALL

NCR 4744

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IG-00
VCNO

DNI ADMIRALTY, 944, INFO OPNAV 16, FROM DNI OTTAWA.
FOR MR. MITCHELL

U-BOAT COMMANDER WOLFGANG SCHULTZE LEFT ON LONG CRUISE
IN AUGUST WROTE HIS WIFE 3RD SEPTEMBER ENROUTE DESCRIB-
ING MANY EXPLOITS AND IS NOW CONSIDERED MISSING. FROM
DUISBURG LETTER 11TH NOVEMBER AND HAMBURG LETTER 15TH
NOVEMBER TO U-99 PRISONER HESSELBARTH. WOLFGANG'S
BROTHER U-BOAT COMMANDER HEINZ OTTO AT HAMBURG HOME
MID NOVEMBER.

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NAVY DEPARTML

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM DNI OTTAWA	FOR ACTION	DNI ADMIRALTY	PRIORITY RRRRRR
RELEASED BY 3 MARCH 1943			ROUTINE
DATE 3 MARCH 1943	INFORMATION	OPNAV	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1400			PRIORITY RRRRRR
DECODED BY LANDIS			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY LANDIS			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

HILL

21392/2

NCR 3133

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(DNI ADMIRALTY INFO OPNAV-16-Z WASHINGTON
FROM DNI OTTAWA)

AMENDING MY 1632/28 12 U-BOAT SURVIVORS ARE
EX 500 TONNER BUILT IN HAMBURG WHICH STARTED
FROM BREST 4TH JANUARY PROBABLY 9TH FLOTILLA
UNDER LEHMANN-WILLENBROCK. MOVEMENTS OF MAR-
TIN REESEMIN LETTERS TO PRISONER GUSTAV ADOLF
SCHUETZE INDICATE DATES OF BAUBELEHRUNG BALTIC
TRIALS AND DEPARTURE VIA NORWAY.

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COMLNCH...03...CNO...200....

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM FONF	FOR ACTION	NSHQ	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 28 FEB 1943	INFORMATION	CTF 24 DNI WASHINGTON VOPNAV COMINCH COAC	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1711			PRIORITY
DECODED BY DECKMAN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY GILBERT			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

GERMAN**1250Z/28****NCR 1163**

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ACTION

**NSHQ INFO CTF 24 DIRECTOR NAVAL INTELLIGENCE WASHINGTON
VICE OPNAV COMINCH COAC FROM FONF.**

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MY 1914/27 AND MY 1324/24 CORRECTED BY MY 1802/27.

**(1) NOW INTEND TO HOLD BURZA PRISONERS AND TRANS-
PORT THEM TOGETHER WITH CAMPBELL PRISONERS DIRECT TO
BOSTON IN GEORGETOWN.**

**(2) CAMPBELL AND GEORGETOWN EXPECTED TO ARRIVE
ST JOHNS 4TH MARCH. CHILLIWACK CANNOT NOW BE READY FOR
SEA UNTIL 2ND MARCH.**

(3) S B LIEFLUNZER WILL ACCOMPANY PRISONERS TO BOSTON.

16....COG**COMINCH....03....20G....****FILE:CMO...NAVAID...200P...**

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Memo **1-17-73**Date **4-23-73****SECRET**

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM DNI OTTAWA	FOR ACTION	DNI ADMIRALTY	PPPPPPPPPP PRIORITY
RELEASED BY 28 FEB 1943			ROUTINE
DATE 1931	INFORMATION	OPNAV	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM DECKMAN			PPPPPPPPPP PRIORITY
DECODED BY WHITTINGTON			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

REEGAN

1632Z/28

NCR 1264

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ACTION

TO DNI ADMIRALTY FOR ACTION. TO OPNAV 16Z WASHINGTON FOR INFO. FROM DNI OTTAWA.

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12 U-BOAT SURVIVORS CAPTURED 22 FEBRUARY NOW ASSEMBLING AT ST. JOHNS, NEWFOUNDLAND, ENROUTE FOR WASHINGTON ARE FROM 750 TONNER WHICH LEFT LORIENT FIRST DAYS JANUARY WHICH CLAIMS TO HAVE SUNK 2 DESTROYERS, WAS DUE RETURN TO BASE FEBRUARY 20 BUT ORDERED TO WAIT FOR CONVOY. CLAIMS TO HAVE SUNK 1 MERCHANT SHIP IN CONVOY ON-166 ON 22ND. U-BOAT WAS FIRST COMMAND OF LIEUT. DOEHLER FORMERLY AND INSTRUCTOR AND NOW BELIEVED DROWNED. FIRST AND SECOND OFFICERS ARE SUBLIEUTENANTS MARTIN REES AND WERNER BOULANGER, ENGINEER SUBLIEUT. WERNER SCHUENEMANN. CONNING TOWER DEVICE INCLUDED AXE AND MAP GREAT BRITAIN.

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RELEASED BY	FOR ACTION		PRIORITY
DATE			ROUTINE
TOR CODEROOM			DEFERRED
DECODED BY	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM FONF	FOR ACTION	NSHQ	PRIORITY RRRRRR
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 28 FEBRUARY 1943			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1409/28	INFORMATION	CTF 24 COAC VICE OPNAV	PRIORITY RRRRRR
DECODED BY DUMMIT			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY DEMEYER			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

ROONEY**1802Z/27****NCR 761**

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(NSHQ RPTD CTF 24 COAC VICE OPNAV DIRECTOR NAVAL INTELLIGENCE FROM FONF)

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MY 1324/26/2. FOR HALIFAX READ BOSTON. ANTICIPATE

CHILLIWACK WILL SAIL ^{from} ST JOHNS 1ST MARCH ^{for Boston}*with prisoners.*

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Memo 1-17-73By RAD Date 4-23-73

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20G.....COM INCH.....NAVAIDE.....20OP.....CNO.....

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM NSHQ	FOR ACTION	COAC	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY 27 FEB 1943			ROUTINE
DATE 1644	INFORMATION	(SEE BELOW)	DEFERRED
TOR CODE ROOM WEBB/MELTON			PRIORITY
DECODED BY SKRILA			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

LT ROBINSON

1325Z/27

NCR 293

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

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ACTION

(COAC HALIFAX INFO VICE OPNAV(DNI) HMCS CHILLIWACK
CTF 24 FONF COM 1 FROM NSHQ)

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VCNO

attached
FONF'S 1324/26.

IT IS CONSIDERED MOST DESIRABLE THAT PRISONERS OF WAR IN
CHILLIWACK SHOULD BE TRANSFERRED TO UNITED STATES NAVY
AUTHORITY. PROVIDE OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENT PERMIT
CHILLIWACK SHOULD BE DIVERTED TO BOSTON WHERE U.S.
NAVAL AUTHORITY WILL MAKE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR
THEIR RECEPTION.

COG: 16.....

20G.....COMINCH.....NAVAIDE.....200P.....CNO.....03.....

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By

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Date

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <u>COAC</u>	FOR ACTION	FONF	OP-OP-OP-
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE <u>27 FEB 43</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM <u>2127</u>	INFORMATION	NSHQ CTF 24 VOPNAV	OP-OP-OP-
DECODED BY			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY <u>CONNOR</u>			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

CHALL

272445 NCR 463

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F-32
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F-35
F-37
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VCNO

attached
YOUR 1324/26.* REQUEST YOU SAIL CHILLIWACK DIRECT TO BOSTON.

*REF IS SECRET.

ACTION: 16.....

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13.....200.....FILE.

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM VOPNAV	FOR ACTION	CTF 24	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY REAR ADM H C TRAIN			RRRRRR
DATE 26 FEBRUARY 1943			ROUTINE
TOR CODEROOM 1557/26	INFORMATION	NSHQ FONF COM 1	DEFERRED
DECODED BY			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY DEMEYER			RRRR R
			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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YOUR 2331Z/25. APPROVE TRANSFER TO CANADIAN NAVAL
 AUTHORITIES AT ST JOHNS AND FURTHER HANDLING IN ACCORDANCE
 WITH NSHQ 0355Z/26.

16... ..ORIG

20G.....COM'INCH.....03.....NAVAIDE.....200P.....CNO.....
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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COMSOWESTPACFOR (RDO HONO	FOR ACTION	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 27 FEBRUARY 1943			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1109/1114	INFORMATION	COMINCH * ALL T/F COMDRS SOWE- SPAC, SOPAC, CINCPAC, COMSOPAC.	PPPPPPPPPP
DECODED BY STONE/BERNICK			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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(COMSOWESPAC SENDS DOPE TO ALL TASK FORCE COMDRS
SOWESPAC, SOPAC, CINCPAC, COMSOPAC.)(THIS IS PART
1 OF 2.)

PHOTO INTERPRETATION OF TIMIKA DUTCH NEW GUINEA
REVEALS RUNWAY LEVELLED FOR 350 YARDS- MACHINE GUN
EMPLACEMENTS AND NEW BUILDINGS. PHOTOS 1135 YESTERDAY
WEWAK HARBOR SHOW 1 DD, 1 CM, 1 SMALL VESSEL AND BARGES.
MID DAY YESTERDAY, RECCE PLANE ATTACKED SMALL A/K -
ALEXISHAFEN ALSO REPORTED AIRDRONE IMPROVEMENTS BE-
ING MADE. REPORT RECEIVED 0842L TODAY INDICATED 4
LARGE AK'S AND 3 SMALL SHIPS POSIT 04-50 SOUTH 150-50
EAST COURSE 250 SPEED 8 KNOTS.

3 COPIES DELIVERED TO 20 G.

* PASSED TO COMINCH AS RDO HONO (NPM) 262229 FOR INFO.

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM DNI OTTAWA	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PPPPPP
RELEASED BY			PRIORITY
DATE 27 FEBRUARY 1943			ROUTINE
TOR CODEROOM 0016	INFORMATION		DEFERRED
DECODED BY LANDIS			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY LANDIS			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

HATCH**2249Z/26****NCR 9823**

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(OPNAV 16-Z WASHINGTON FROM DNI OTTAWA)**FOR COMMANDER RIHELDAFFER**

PRESUME YOU WILL MAKE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS AT BOSTON
TO TAKE OVER FROM SUB-LIEUTENANT LUNZER U-BOAT PRISONERS
EX HMCS CHILLIWACK TRANSFERRED FROM POLISH DESTROYER
BURZA AND ORIGINALLY ON USCGC CAMPBELL.

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03 . COMINCH . 13 . NAVAIDE . FILE

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BY DPM/DB/1373
MAY 1983

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NAVY DEPARTM

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FROM FONF	FOR ACTION	NSHQ	PPPPPPPP PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 26 FEB 1943	INFORMATION	CTF 24	PPPPPPPP
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TOR CODEROOM		VICE OPNAV	ROUTINE
DECODED BY DUMMIT			DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY WELLINGTON			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

ROONEY

1324Z/26

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(NSHQ RPTD CTF 24 COAC VICE OPNAV DIRECTOR OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE FROM FONF)

YOUR 0335Z/26 AND CTF'S 24 2331Z/25 INTEND TRANSFERRING PRISONERS FROM BURZA TO CHILLIWACK WHO WILL TRANSPORT THEM DIRECT TO HALIFAX

Arston.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

February 26, 1943

From: USFOR London
To: War - Algiers

Number: 7532, February 26, 1943

Against release of the German submarine crew (reference summary number 50) strongly protested by H M Ambassador Madrid and we have approved his action. (Cite ETGBI signed Andrews) this is Foreign Office summary number 53. We are anxious to leave Spanish Government in no doubt as to importance we attach to internment of submarine crews and if further cases arise will continue to press for internment. (To Algiers as number 1899 to AGWAR as number 7532) We also maintain our view that force landed airmen should be treated as a separate issue.

No Sig

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INFORMATION: OPD
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By RT, NARA, Date 4/13/94

NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

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FROM FONF		CTF 24	PPPPP
RELEASED BY			PRIORITY
DATE 27 FEB 1943			ROUTINE
TOR CODEROOM 1018			DEFERRED
DECODED BY YORK/MIKELL		NSHQ	PPPPP
PARAPHRASED BY		COMINCH	PRIORITY
			ROUTINE
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INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

HILL

1230Z/25

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(CTF 24 RPTD NSHQ FROM FONF)

SUGGEST INTERROGATION OFFICER
FROM EITHER INTERROGATION CENTER
OR NAVAL SERVICE HEADQUARTERS OTTAWA
ACCOMPANY PRISONERS FROM ST JOHNS TO
BOSTON.

taken by Campbell

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By RT, NARA, Date 4/13/94

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM NAVAL ATTACHE AT WELLINGTON	FOR ACTION	COMSOPAC	PPPPPPPP PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 26 FEB 1943	INFORMATION	CINCPAC OPNAV	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0243			PPPPPPPP
DECODED BY CAMPBELL			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY WHITTINGTON			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

GERMAN

252240

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RADIO WASHINGTON GIVE TO OPNAV FOR INFO.

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ON FEBRUARY 25, DURING RIOT AT JAPANESE PRISONER-OF-WAR CAMP IT BECAME NECESSARY FOR GUARDS TO FIRE ON PRISONERS. 42 DEAD. 70 WOUNDED. ALL SAILORS, SOLDIERS, AIRMEN. COURT OF INQUIRY MARCH 1. WILL SEND DETAILS THEN.

03.....COG

COMINCH.....BIPERS.....16.....0PLO.....

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM VCNO	FOR ACTION	DNI OTTAWA	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY RADM H C TRAIN			RRRRRR
DATE 25 FEB 43			ROUTINE
TOR CODEROOM 1549	INFORMATION		DEFERRED
DECODED BY /SHOAF			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY			ROUTINE
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INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

HATCH**251549****NCI 9849**

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ARRANGEMENTS BEING MADE FOR RECEPTION
13 PRISONERS EX CAMPBELL AT BOSTON FOR
SHIPMENT WASHINGTON. WILL WELCOME RE-
PRESENTATIVE YOUR OFFICE AT INTERROGATION.

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COM NCH...03...BADO...

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Similar
Despatch*

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COOPER	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY RRRRRRRR
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 18 FEB 43			DEFERRED
TOR CODER ROOM 1226	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY RISHIN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY MONROE			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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COMBINED SERVICES DETAIL INTELLIGENCE CENTER MIDDLE
EAST DISCUSSING POSSIBILITY OF ATTACHING US NAVAL
INTERROGATORS OF PRISONERS OF WAR FOR TRAINING
SHOULD DISCUSSIONS MATERIALIZE FAVORABLY WOULD GERMAN
AND ITALIAN SPEAKING OFFICERS BE AVAILABLE. SUGGEST
ASSIGNMENT UNDER INTELLIGENCE SECTION THIS OFFICE
US MILITARY AND AIRFORCE SECTIONS ARE BEING CONSIDERED
THROUGH CAPTAIN HOLDEN ATTACHED TO COLONEL R T HEARD
GENERAL STAFF CORPS US HEADQUARTERS.

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February 17, 1943
2023Z

From: USFOR London
To: War

No. 7336 February 17, 1943

February 110110Z our 7157 was Foreign Office
summary number 48. (Cite ETGBI signed Andrews) Views
expressed were those of British Foreign Office.

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Action: G-2 - FS
Information: OPD
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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM ODELL, HALIFAX SUB- PORT OF EMBARKATION (ALUSNOB HALIFAX)	FOR ACTION	COM 1 C O PORT EMBARK. BOSTON	PRIORITY DEFERRED
RELEASED BY	FOR INFORMATION		PRIORITY ROUTINE DEFERRED
DATE 12 FEB 43			
TOR CODEROOM 121325 1414			
DECODED BY			
PARAPHRASED BY MCVIE			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

REEGAN

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PASS TO C O BOSTON PORT OF EMBARKATION; FROM ODELL
HALIFAX SUBPORT OF EMBARKATION. PASSED TO VOPNAV BY COM 1
FOR ACTION.HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT SS "ANDES" EXPECTS TO EMBARK THE
FOLLOWING US. PRISONERS OF WAR:

16 OFFICERS

77 OTHER RANKS ACCOMPANIED BY 1 USS. OFFICER, 5 ENLISTED
MEN AS GUARD.

PROBABLE DATE OF ARRIVAL HALIFAX FEB 21.

16....ACTION.

03....COMINCH....13....

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INCOMING MESSAGE

CCWD
0620z
Feb 11

From: London USFOR
To: AGWAR

No: 7157 Feb 11, 1943

Summary number 41 reference. In response to continued representations by H M Ambassador Madrid, Spanish authorities have agreed to release from Miranda camp prisoners under and above military age, women, children, and priests. Cite ETGBI signed Andrews. So far 590 men have been released, leaving about 3300. British supplies of clothes medicine and food are being admitted to the camps and prisons and British personnel have succeeded in making unofficial visits to the camp.

With a view to accelerating liquidation of Miranda and in agreement with USA Ambassador, H M Ambassador suggested to US possible advantage in negotiating an agreement under which, as compensation for (1) fact that Axis armistice commissions have mostly been allowed to leave Spanish territory, and (2) release of German U boat crew (now interned at Cartagena) Spanish Government should undertake to release our shipwrecked sailors, airmen crashing in Spain or outside territorial waters and all British and Allied prisoners of war. We deprecate this suggestion, since Spanish Government have made many concessions to Germans over U boats, for which we have yet received no quid pro quo, and we attach greatest importance to minimising number of submarine crews available to Axis. We are therefore prepared to accept, if necessary, further delay in release of British and Allied service personnel, who should properly be released, if by doing so we can continue to immobilize German submarine crew. We are informing USA Government accordingly with a view to

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ensuring that H M Ambassador and USA Ambassador
at Madrid follow an agreed line.

Meanwhile Spanish Air Ministry have agreed
to release of British airmen forced landed
in Spain and now detained. This decision covers
13 men at Alhama, five in Canary Islands and 10 in
Spanish Morocco.

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FROM STATE DEPT FOR OPNAV

FOLLOWING RECEIVED 1-11-43 7:33 PM FROM
LIMA DATED 1-11-43 6 PM., NO. 34:

ON JANUARY 10 THE FREDERICK JOHNSON, THE UNITED
STATES ARMY TRANSPORT LEFT TALARA WITH 5 GERMANS
AND 168 JAPANESE; THIS NUMBER ADDS UP TO 173 AS A
TOTAL.

NORWEB

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State Dept. Letter, 1-11-72
By R. M. Farina Date MAY 25 1972

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European Section WDGS
Operations Division WDOPD
OPD 336 Africa (1-12-43)

January 12 1943

USFOR LONDON ENGLAND

Number R-5065

State Department has withdrawn request for Military Personnel of German-Italian Armistice Commission to remain in U K for exchange purposes and also has so informed our Embassy in London. (USFOR from OPD) you are therefore at liberty to ship this personnel to U S at earliest opportunity.

New allied subject. At request of State Department effort is being made to arrange air transportation from U K to U S for civilian members and families of the Commission, which includes Consular service personnel. This action is based on safe conduct provisions of Geneva Convention. Advise as early as possible number of passengers to be accommodated plus necessary guard.

ORIGINATOR: OPD

INFORMATION: G-2 (STATE DEPARTMENT)
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(1-12-43)

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From: London USFOR
To: War - Algiers

No. 6354 January 11, 1943

HM Ambassador has been pressing strongly for release of the one zero zero zero zero odd Allied ¹⁰⁰⁰⁰ Nationals interned in Spain of whom some three five ³⁵⁰⁰ zero zero are detained in Miranda Camp under deplorable conditions. Minister for Foreign Affairs has agreed to release one two five Miranda prisoners all nominally under one eight years or over four zero and including three five young French recruits. HM Ambassador suggests that latter should proceed to North Africa. Signed Hartle this is Foreign Office summary number four one.

In speech at Tangier on two seven December Spanish High Commissioner remarked that Tangier formed part of Spanish Protectorate. While unilateral statement of this kind constitutes nothing new, HM Consul General has been authorized to inform High Commissioner that his statement has been noted by us, who once more wish to record the De Facto position of Spain at Tangier and preserve all our rights and those of third parties under the conventions defining international status of Tangier.

While USA airmen detained in Spanish Morocco are being repatriated immediately, High Commissioner has informed HM Consul General Tangier that British airmen will be sent to Spain for internment as soon as possible.

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January 10, 1943
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From: USFOR London
To: War

No. 6304 January 9, 1943

Axis Armistice Commission and Consular personnel (reference your R four five four nine December two three) taken into custody North Africa are still held at request State Department pending negotiations for their exchange. State Department telegram to Embassy January five reaffirms its desire to exchange Axis Armistice Commission personnel "Whether they are Military Naval or Consular" and expresses the hope that we "will defer sending to the United States any of these persons, pending the Embassy's further report and such information in addition as the Department may be able to procure concerning the demands which are likely to be formulated by the Axis Governments". State Department has been advised by Embassy of demands by such personnel to interview representatives of Swiss Government as protecting power. While I still regard it as highly desirable that all of these prisoners of war including Consular personnel be forwarded to United States at once I am not disposed to take such course contrary to wishes of State Department as respects such of this Consular personnel as may be exchanged without military prejudice. (Signed Hartle). However the Allied Military Effort, Security and Counter Espionage would be so fatally impaired by exchange of any Axis Armistice personnel, as distinguished from Consular personnel, I will not release such personnel for exchange without direct orders from the War Department. This personnel has been questioned with aid of British Intelligence Service, resulting in securing information of very highest value concerning Erman Abwehr. Release of this personnel for exchange would constitute embarrassing breach of faith on our part and preclude further collaborative assistance from British requisite to Allied cause. Upon their return to Germany

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From: USFOR London
To: War

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during war they would be able to subvert our Security, Espionage and Counter Espionage efforts as definitely as did the notorious German Von Werra who escaped from Canadian Prisoner of War Camp and made report on his return to German, pertinently extracted at section seven (five) two inter paragraph two volume one number one Intelligence Bulletin September one nine four two MIS WD. Embassy is being advised that British go * t regard as legal our custody of Consular personnel held as prisoners of war and accordingly express the hope United States authorities will speedily evacuate this personnel from United Kingdom, particularly the Italian personnel as soon as possible. Embassy is telegraphing State Department along these lines. Speedy authority is requested for the immediate return to United States of all prisoners of war held in United Kingdom including Axis Consular personnel.

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COM 8	FOR ACTION	OPNAV RDO FORT SAM HOUSTON	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			RRRRRR
DATE 8 JANUARY 1943	INFORMATION	COMMANDING GENERAL SOUTHERN DEFENSE COMMAND	DEFERRED
FOR CODEROM 1811			PRIORITY
DECODED BY MATZKA/ROSS			RRRRR
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

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COMMANDING GENERAL SOUTHERN DEFENSE COMMAND, UPON HIS REQUEST, HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT COM 8 HAS NO OBJECTION TO ESTABLISHMENT OF AXIS PRISONERS CAMP AT FORT SAM HOUSTON, TEXAS.

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ECWD
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Dec 5

From: London
To: AGWAR

No: 5458 Dec 4, 1942

Initial report of prisoners of war received and on hand three December one nine four two. (Signed Eisenhower)
Italian: Commissioned four five Army, one eight Navy, enlisted one three six Army, civilians six. Germans: Commissioned nine Army, enlisted two eight Army, no civilians. Diplomatic Staff: Italian seven men, German seven men, nine women and four children, total: two six nine prisoners.

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Nov 30, 1942
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From: Wellington
To: OGBI

No. 53, November 30, 1942

Paraphrase from New Zealand Army Headquarters;
prisoners captured Guadal Canal states that Eighteenth
Division now comprised 55th, 56th and 123rd Infantry
Regiments. All prisoners emphatic 114th Infantry
Regiment not in this Division Commander still Mutaguchi.

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FROM CTF 23	FOR ACTION	VICE OPNAV	PPPPRRRRPPPP
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 23 NOV 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0002	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY YANOVER/COURTNEY			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

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(OPNAV PASS TO ONI)

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UNKNOWN NUMBER PRISONERS WILL BE LANDED RECIFE ON 24TH
FROM BLOCKADE RUNNER. REQUEST TRAINED INTERROGATOR.

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FROM <u>P.S.T.O.E.</u>	FOR ACTION	D. OF S.T.	PPP PRIORITY
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(MILLSTAFF WASHINGTON PASS TO BAD WASHINGTON)
(BY HAND FROM BAD)

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YOUR 1824/11/11*.

500 GERMAN P.O.W. EMBARKED MAURETANIA EX SUEZ 16TH.

(2) 500 WILL BE EMBARKED HIGHLAND MONARCH.

(3) IS LIMITATION OF 500 PER SHIP ALSO TO APPLY BETWEEN
SUEZ AND SOUTH AFRICA IN VIEW YOUR 1824/11/11, PARA
2 (C) FIRST SENTENCE.

(4) AGREED G.H.Q.M.E.F.

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JCS MEMO, 1-17-73
BY DBS, DATE

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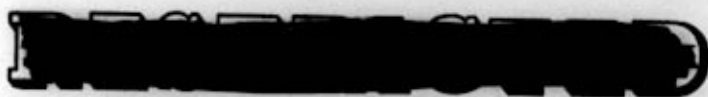
NOW INFORMED ARMY HOLDS THREE JAPANESE NAVAL OFFICER PRISONERS
IN THIS AREA X REQUEST PERMISSION BY TELETYPE TO INTERVIEW AT
LEAST ONE OF THESE

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FROM: DNI 202225 NCR1528 21 OCT 42 KN
ACTION: DIO 12ND (FOR FILE ONLY)

RECEIVED FROM OP 16

BEURTT THIS DATE RE THREE JAPANESE NAVAL OFFICER PRISONERS X
PERMISSION TO QUESTION ANY OR ALL OF THREE PRISONERS GRANTED X
PLEASE FORWARD REPORT OF QUESTIONING X

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Oct 9, 1942
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From: London
To: Agwar

No. 3694 Oct 17, 1942

Prisoner of War interrogators badly needed immediately for Twelfth Air Force. Milid cable one nine four eight to MA London three Oct one nine four two implies that Harrisburg school graduated one class request prompt dispatch by air one Italian speaking and two German, need here must be greater than elsewhere at this time.

Eisenhower

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INFORMATION RECEIVED THROUGH U.S. ARMY INTERROGATION OF GERMAN PRISONERS DEFINITELY INDICATES GERMAN NAVAL OFFICERS USING CODE IN LETTERS TO THEIR FAMILIES. DEAL WITH OPERATION AND SOME TECHNICAL. HAVE WE INTERCEPTED ANY SUCH MATTER. IS THERE ANY INDICATION THAT ENLISTED PRISONERS USE A CODE.

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PARAPHRASE

Department of State
The Secretary

Telegram no. 893

Dated: Sept 30, 1942, 1 p.m.

From: Helsinki

Rec'd: Sept 30, 1942, 2:49pm

A report has been made by a person who has just returned from a visit in South Central Finland regarding the use of prisoners there for labor service. On the farm which our informant visited the same rations were being served to the prisoners as to the members of the family excepting butter and tobacco. However, he considers that the treatment given to prisoners on this particular farm is unusual. Other Russian prisoners, we understand, have been put to work on railway and road construction jobs in large numbers and also there are a great number of prisoners working at the Outokumpu copper mine. The 5 Russian prisoners on the farm visited, the informant said, all came from Ingermansland and they all speak Finnish fluently. When first captured a year ago this summer they were held in Estonia as prisoners of war and were put to work as stevedores. They were captured on the south shore of the Gulf of Finland during the German drive toward Leningrad. Last July 800 Ukrainian prisoners in Finland were exchanged for 800 prisoners from Ingermansland, the former being sent to the Ukraine for labor service and the latter coming to Finland. The prisoners told our informant that much better rations were given to prisoners in the German camp in Estonia than were received by the prisoners in Finland.

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Telegram no. 871

Dated: 9/26/42, 1 pm

From: Helsinki

Rec'd: 9/26/42, 10:55 am

Six British pilots who apparently had been brought down in the northern part of Finland while engaged in the defense of the most recent convoy to Russia were brought through Helsinki recently on the way to a prison camp in Germany. Our source of information who is considered reliable says that the British prisoners impressed him by their calm assurance. When they arrived at the station they shoved their bags on the platform and walked off to the automobile which was waiting for them, leaving their baggage to be carried by their guards who were German soldiers.

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FROM: C T F 42 210400 NCR 1502 21 SEP 1942 HAM 5385KCS
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ACTION BUPERS X INFORMATION RECEIVED THAT SHORT WAVE BROADCASTS FROM
TOKYO AUGUST TWENTY EIGHT ANNOUNCED FOLLOWING MEMBERS MARINE CORPS
AS PRISONERS ON WAKE ISLAND X FOX JIG COMINUS PRIVATE FIRST X ROBERT
PRATT PRIVATE FIRST ADDRESS GIVEN US MARINE HOSPITAL SANFRANCISCO X
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TOR CODEROOM 0242			PRIORITY
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AMERICAN EMBASSY INFORMALLY ADVISED BY FOREIGN OFFICE
 THAT WOUNDED LANDED FROM ITALIAN SUBS AT VALENCIA
 AND SAN TANDER HAVE BEEN INTERNED BUT ASTALUSNA OB-
 SERVED NON WOUNDED FROM SAN TANDER SUB AT COMPLETE
 LIBERTY AND TRAVELING OUTSIDE CITY.

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September 19, 1942

Rec'd 1:23 am 19th

SECRETARY OF STATE
WASHINGTON

No 1383, September 19, 1 am

Foreign Office States informally that wounded
landed by Italian submarines at Valencia and Sautauder
have been interned.

My dispatch number 241 August 20, 1942, and my
telegram number 1298 September 8 noon.

HAYES

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By R. M. Parks Date MAY 25 1978

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

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Serial 95-42

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From Op-16-F-2, ONI

at Washington, D.C.

Date Sept. 18

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(Ship, fleet, unit, district, office, station, or person)

Reference

(Directive, correspondence, previous related report, etc., if applicable)

Source

Official

Evaluation

Reliable

(As official, personal observation, publication, press, conversation with—
Identify when practicable, etc.)

(As reliable, doubtful, unverified, etc.)

Subject

(Nation reported on)

(Main title as per Index guide)

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(Make separate report for each title)

BRIEF.—(Here enter careful summary of report, containing substance succinctly stated; include important facts, names, places, dates, etc.)

SUBJECT: Report of treatment received at hands of Japanese Authorities, observations made and travel performed for period December 8, 1941 to date of reporting at American Embassy Tokyo, May 21, 1942.

Quoted below is a report of Arthur Howell Griffiths, Jr. 371 - 97 - 35, RMLC, U.S.N. concerning his treatment at the hands of the Japanese by whom he was captured on December 8, 1941 while on duty at the American Consulate, Tsingtao, China.

"The following report is submitted covering treatment received at hands of Japanese, personal observations made and travel performed during the period December 8, 1941 to May 21, 1942. At the outbreak of war I was assigned for duty to the American Consulate, Tsingtao, China as radioman in charge of the portable equipment there.

December 8, 1941. The morning of December 8, 1941, Mr. Paul W. Meyer, American Consul at Tsingtao, received a telephone call to the effect that Japanese naval forces had attacked Pearl Harbor. Mr. Meyer immediately called me and we both confirmed this report thru Radio Manila. Upon completion of the broadcast at 0730, one of the servants told Mr. Meyer that Japanese marines had entered the consulate grounds and that a Japanese officer wished to see him. Shortly after Mr. Meyer went down to see the Japanese, he returned with about twenty five Japanese marines leading them to the room where the portable equipment was installed. The Japanese cut all of the antenna leads, disconnected the transmitter and receiver and carried them both out into the front yard. A little later the transmitter and receiver were returned to the room where they had been originally installed. The Japanese then proceeded to dismantle the transmitter, taking out several of the resistors,

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the control crystal and cutting quite a few of the leads. The tuning coils for the receiver were taken and one or two of the tubes, including a tube from the transmitter. A receipt for all of these items was given to Mr. Meyer. A small transmitter which had been built by my predecessor was permitted to remain intact, apparently the Japanese did not know what it was. About 1100 Mr. Meyer asked for permission to seal the codes and was permitted to do so after some debate among the Japanese. In the consul's safe there was one interdepartment code for use between the State Department and the Navy Department and one DITOF code for use by the radioman in charge. When the safe was opened these two codes were destroyed by burning. The remaining State Department codes were wrapped, sealed with sealing wax, and returned to the safe. Later in the day these also were destroyed with the exception of the lowest classification code. During the afternoon of the same day I burned all of the correspondence relating to the station, the files, and all of the restricted publications which were in my custody. I was permitted to remain at the consulate until December 10, 1941.

December 10, about 1130 I was taken into custody by a Japanese naval officer accompanied by an interpreter and several marines. My passport stated that my occupation was "U.S. Navy" and although Mr. Meyer protested that I was part of his staff I was taken to the American School and held there for about two hours. At about 1400 I was taken to the Naval Headquarters for questioning. The questions dealt mainly with my naval history, codes, frequencies used, stations worked, number of schedules held daily, and other stations in China similar to the one in Tsingtao. Those questions which could be answered without jeopardizing communications security were answered truthfully and the others were quite easily evaded. After being questioned for about two hours I was taken to a jail near the American School. Before being put in a cell I was searched and everything except my clothing was taken from me. An hour or so after being locked up the interpreter and one of the officers who had questioned me came to say that I would be kept there only temporarily. My evening meal was sent to me by the Consulate along with three woolen blankets.

On December 11, I was moved to the American School where several other Americans were interned and held there until the twenty fifth of December. During this period I was permitted to speak with other Americans only three times. About the twentieth or twenty first of December I was informed that I would leave Tsingtao and in the afternoon of the same day was taken to the Consulate to see Mr. Meyer. On the twenty third or fourth the Japanese told me to pack all of my belongings which had been brought to the school. While packing my possessions the Japanese listed everything that I owned. December the twenty fifth at about 1000 my baggage was removed. During the trip from the school I was told that our destination was Tokyo. At eleven o'clock we (two Japanese guards and myself) sailed from Tsingtao aboard the Taizan Maru. I noticed no men of war in either the inner or outer harbors.

During the trip from Tsingtao to Moji we occupied a second class cabin. The last day of the voyage, December 27, I was kept below decks and at about 1730 we disembarked, traveling by tug from the ship to the customs office in Moji. After going thru Customs we crossed by the same tug from Moji to Shimonosaki; departing Shimonosaki by train at 2030.

December 28, arrived in Tokyo at 1520, and proceeded immediately to the Navy Ministry where I was subjected to more questioning concerning principally my status at the Consulate in Tsingtao, and including numerous questions concerning my naval career. Upon completion of the questioning I was quartered at the Naval Ministry until such time as they could determine what disposition to make of me.

December 30, at 1800 was taken to the Imperial Hotel, and remained there until January 8, 1942. During this period was twice taken to the Navy Ministry for further questioning; once regarding the order of ranks and rates in the U. S. Navy, the other time being questioned on matters relative to Naval Communications. These questions regarding communications covered call signs, frequencies and codes. To most of these questions evasive answers were given.

January 8, was taken to Yokohama and lodged in the former residence of a Standard Oil official, along with eight British and Colonial who had been taken prisoner in the Gilbert Islands.

January 14, left Yokohama at 1530 in party with above mentioned prisoners arriving at Zentsuji at 1330 January 15. Shortly before midnight the prisoners from Guam were brought in, arriving in the Argentine Maru.

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A few days after arrival in Zentsuji all prisoners were assembled in front of the barracks and given a speech in Japanese which was translated simultaneously into English. We were told that we would henceforth live according to Japanese Army regulations, and that we would have to forget our false "Superiority Complexes".

The prisoners from Guam stated that some of the equipment there had been destroyed before the Island was surrendered although a large portion of it fell into Japanese hands. One radioman stated that he had had in his possession quite a bit of data on the underwater sound equipment used on the later type destroyers and that this data was lost to the Japanese. The executive officer at Guam asked me to state that all of the confidential publications on the Island had been destroyed before the Japanese landed. I was also requested to report that Radio La Boogan (spelled phonetically) had been totally destroyed before the Japanese landing. There were some reports among the prisoners to the effect that there had been Japanese troops on the Island two or three days before war was declared.

During the period January 16 to May 20 new prisoners were brought in at odd times. A few prisoners from Wake were brought in sometime during February. These men stated that Japanese admitted losses were approximately: 5200 men, 26 aircraft, and 9 ships, including one cruiser and one submarine. It seemed apparent to these prisoners that the Japanese had used the Marshall Islands as a base of operations for bombing Wake. More prisoners from Wake - men who had been kept on the Island to show the Japanese there how to operate the equipment that remained - arrived at Zentsuji shortly before I left. These prisoners stated that a recent American raid on the Island had not been very successful due to the fact that very few of the projectiles exploded. These men may not have been giving correct information due to intimidation on the part of the Japanese. We had had reports to the contrary from one of the aircraft crews which had participated in the raid.

Other prisoners who were brought in stated that the Japanese had shown them blueprints of the latest fighter aircraft used by the U.S. Navy and the latest aircraft detection apparatus. Some of these men had been questioned at quite some length regarding the operation of this equipment.

The prisoners are doing reclamation work near the prison camp. A canteen has been established on the prison compound where the men can buy pencils, paper, milk and some fruit with the money they earn working. Since my arrival at the American Embassy some of the prisoners have been taken to Osaka to work as stevedores.

The food received at Zentsuji although a decided change from that which the prisoners are accustomed is nearly adequate to their needs. Due to the change of diet the dentist - H. B. MC INNIS LTJG DC - is worried as regards the men's teeth. He stated that the Japanese Red Cross has been asked for - and has refused - to supply the equipment necessary to care for the prisoners teeth.

May 20, departed Zentsuji at 1530 arriving at Tokyo 1000 the following day, and was taken to the American Embassy. Prior to leaving Zentsuji I signed a pledge that I would not give any false information and was given a speech by the commanding officer to the effect that Japan is prepared to prosecute the war until Great Britain and the United States are "Crushed".

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Accompanied by Bradley, Michels and Page, I left on Friday afternoon via a Soviet airplane to Molotov and thence by river steamer to Akhansk to visit the bomber crew. We have just returned this morning.

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The crew is found to be comfortably housed, adequately fed, in good health and generally well cared for.

The principal concern of the crew members is the welfare of their families at home from whom they are anxious to receive news. We left with them a quantity of reading material which we were able to bring with us from Kuibyshev.

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Description of Conditions at the Bridge House, Shanghai;character sketch of the Japanese Gendarmie

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You will find below an expose of the infamous Bridge House in Shanghai, at present being used by the Japanese Gendarmerie in Shanghai as their headquarters and place of detention for Americans, British, Chinese and other nationals coming within their jurisdiction. It must be borne in mind that with the exception of Platoon Sergeant J. B. Jackson, United States Marine Corps., all other prisoners held in this place are of civilian status and as far as I know have done nothing to warrant their detention. Most certainly Sergeant Jackson should not be detained in the Bridge House, inasmuch as he was attached to the office of the Assistant Naval Attache in Shanghai and being attached to this office should receive diplomatic immunity. Before going further with this report I wish to state that Sergeant Jackson has gone through torture and Hell of every description but with it all he has held his head high, taken everything handed out, and acted as the true American and real Marine that we who have been associated with him knew him to be. He is an honor and a credit to the United States Government.

Below is the daily routine of prisoners held in the Bridge House:

- 7:00 a.m. Reveille - Wash face and drink water.
- 9:00 a.m. Breakfast consisting of a bowl of congee. This is a soup of rice and water, served cold.
- 10:00 a.m. Exercise and run around court yard for twenty minutes. Last drink of water for the day.
- 11:30 a.m. Bowl of cold rice with small piece of fish or piece of bread with brown sugar.
- 5:30 p.m. Same as 11:30 a.m.
- After 5:30 p.m. sleep if possible until 7:00 a.m. next morning.

Prisoners are not allowed to wear shoes, belts or neckties. They must eat with their fingers.

No smoking, no talking, no reading. Occasionally a guard who is a little better than the average will allow prisoners to whisper.

Prisoners must sleep on floor. During day they must sit on floor or stand up, they are not allowed to lie down. Prisoners are furnished with one blanket.

Cells are 10 feet by 20 feet. 18 to 24 prisoners are usually in each cell but at times as many as 40 persons are put in one cell. There are generally 2 foreigners in a cell, the remainder being Chinese.

Cells are all inside, there is no sunshine and the light is on night and day. Cell floors are part cement and part wood. There is no heat. The only toilet facilities are in the cells. This consists of a bucket which is emptied once a day.

Prisoners have no regular bathing facilities. Baths range from 8 to 28 days apart and then with only cold water. Men are not allowed tooth brushes.

Cells are overrun with vermin. No effort is made to overcome lice and bedbugs, and as a result, prisoners suffer a great deal.

Prisoners are questioned daily as only a Japanese Gendarm can question. Some prisoners are allowed some simple food from the outside. Prisoners have had to sleep in relays many times because there was not enough room in the cells for all to sleep at once. Prisoners usually pool their blankets, putting some on the floor and all sleeping under the rest. There has been some serious illness.

The saving grace so far, regardless of the extreme discomfort from lack of heat, has been the cold weather. Unless prisoners are released from the Bridge House before the hot weather of Shanghai sets in, this place will rank with the Black Hole of Calcutta. It is truly a Hell on Earth and will become more so during the next seven months.

An extremely strong protest should be made to the proper authorities in Tokyo, with a firm declaration that will be carried out, that drastic reprisals will be taken unless this place of detention is eliminated. Japan only understands this language. A protest to the Swiss Consulate in Shanghai is useless.

Our own Red Cross is just as useless. With strong men in either organization our nationals in the Bridge House and our soldiers and sailors in concentration camps would have received the treatment prescribed by international law but to date neither of these organizations have made a real attempt to see our people and know first hand the way they are being treated. They feel that to be too insistent will cause hardships for the rest of the Americans in Shanghai. They think more of their own personal comfort than they do of getting a square deal for the men of Wake and Guam who are freezing to death and dying because of deliberate bad treatment. Letters and broadcasts from these men do not mean anything. They are forced to do these things. They are forced to live like animals and suffer tortures beyond description because we cannot imagine that any nation would treat prisoners in such a manner. Something must be done and done as quickly as possible unless we do not intend to play the game for those boys who gave everything they had at Wake and Guam that our own unpreparedness and shortsightedness might be overcome.

Description of the Japanese Gendarmerie

The Gendarmerie is the worst element in the Japanese Armed Forces. They are recruited from what is left over after the Army and Navy are given their pick. They come from the lowest stratas of society, are given the real dirty work to do, are not respected by the Army or Navy and they in turn do not respect the Army or Navy. In no sense of the word are they fighting men but rather the appointed disorganizers, the dope peddlers, the grafters, the fifth columnists, the scum that moves in after the Army or Navy has occupied a place. They exploit it to the full and leave it a shell of broken people, broken financially, mentally and spiritually, wrecked, ruined and depressed beyond description. The best way to describe this service is to say that it is even worse than Himmler's Gestapo. They have no respect for man, woman or child. Gambling, narcotics, kidnappings, deliberate murder, prostitution, graft of all kinds and terrible torture are all in the days work. They will even deliberately kill their own nationals to create an incident if this is the only excuse they can find to obtain the end they desire.

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AMERICAN PRISONERS AT SHANGHAI AND CORREIDOR

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1. The following information relative to American personnel held prisoners by the Japanese is herewith furnished:

(a) Commander W. S. Cunningham, U.S.N.; Lt-Commander D.C. Smith, USNR; and Mr. N.J. Totore, civilian construction engineer from Wake Island, escaped from the War Prisoner's Camp at Woosung on March 12th, and were captured the next day. After one month's confinement in the Bridge House (Gendarmerie Headquarters), Shanghai, they were tried by a military court and each sentenced to ten years imprisonment. The two officers were also sentenced to be deprived of all military rank. All three men are now confined as civil prisoners in the Ward Road Jail, Shanghai.

(b) Four Corporals from the Peiping Marine Guard (Corporals Gerald Story, Stewart, Brimmer, Battles) escaped from the Woosung War Prisoner's Camp about March 30th and were captured in the Shanghai Hills about April 16th. These men are now confined by the Gendarmerie in the Bridge House, Shanghai, awaiting trial; and are badly in need of outside food to supplement the meager rice ration supplied by the Japanese. To date the Gendarmerie have refused to allow these men to receive either outside food or clothing, both of which they are in urgent need.

(c) The following members of the crew of the U.S.S. Wake are confined at the Woosung War Prisoner's Camp:

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Barbour,	RM 2/c	Phillips,	SC 1/c
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Ganci,	CHM	Tierney,	RM 1/c
Henry,	MM 1/c	Tobin,	SK 1/c
Horbort,	EM 1/c	Williams,	MM 1/c
Hoin,	MM 1/c	Winterlee,	CHM
Loughner,	EM 1/c	Washburn,	PHM 1/c

(d) An American, who claims to be a U.S. Navy enlisted man absent without leave, and who has in his possession a liberty card reading "J.T. Hasting, U.S.S. Ohau", is at large in Shanghai, and is being supported by the American Association.

(e) On 17 June 1942 eight American service men dressed in green trousers and leather jackets were confined by the Gendarmerie at the Bridge House, Shanghai. During a limited whispered conversation carried on through the cell bars with a responsible American, these men stated they were aviators; that they had not been allowed to wash for sixty days; that one was named Neilson and another either Peters or Motors. No information is available as to when or where these men were captured.

(f) At the Woosung (Shanghai) War Prisoner's Camp there are approximately 1500 men confined; including American service personnel, civilian workers from Wake Island, and crews of merchant vessels.

In addition to approximately two hundred marines from North China and the crew of the U.S.S. Wake as listed in paragraph (c) above, the following service personnel are confined:

Organization	Officers	Enlisted
1st Defense Bn. USMC	13 (Incl 1 USNR)	350
MarineGrp 21	3	10 (Incl 1 PMT)
USN Wake Island	6	41
USS Triton	-	1
U.S. Army	-	9*

(* Includes 5 from ex-SS Malana)

Detailed information on American prisoners at Woosung can be

furnished by Ch.Q.M. Clerk Paul A. Chandler, USMC, who was confined in this camp and is a passenger on board the S.S. Conte Verde enroute to the United States.

(g) The following was obtained from a Japanese newspaper correspondent who visited Corregidor shortly after its capture by the Japanese.

Partial list of American War Prisoners in Philippines according to list brought from Manila to Shanghai by Japanese newspaper man. (May 1942).

U. S. Navy:

Captain HOEFFEL, K. M.
Comdr. HAYES, (Medical Corps)

U. S. Marines:

Colonel HOWARD, S. L.
Colonel CURTIS, Donald.
Major HAMILTON, G. D.
Sgt-Maj. JACKSON, Charles R.
1st-Sgt. SHILLING, Floyd O.
Cy-Sgt. PEKARICH, Joseph S.
Sergeant DOWNING, Carl E.
Corporal BIELOW, Alvin E.
Corporal CONNOR, Robert
Corporal FORSYTH, Frank S.
Corporal WHARTON, Herbert E.
Pfc. BIGGERS, Huey A.
Pfc. HUNT, Arthur L.
Pfc. JOHNSON, John C.
Pfc. MILLER, Robert L.
Pfc. MOEDER, Dale E.
Pfc. OLSEN, Richard H.
Rank ? AGUILAR, Mack (Hollywood, Calif.)
ARTMAN, Townsend (Suffolk, Va.)
BRUNO (or BRANO) (Box 499, Sutter Creek, Calif.)
GRANGER, David A.
HEWES, Keith C. (Ronding, Calif.)
KOZUCK, Steve (Chicago, Ill.)
KELLOG, Mont (or Matt C.) (Vallejo, Calif.)
LYONS, Barry (or Barney)
MOUTON (or MORTHOR), Grever (Houston Texas)
McCARTHY, James H. (Lynn, Mass.)
THURMAN, Harry A.
WALLACE, Alvin
WINTERS, Denny

NURSES:

ABERST, Mary J.
BROWN, Mary B.
BRADFORD, Elizabeth
BRICKFORD, Clara M.
BRANTLEY, Mattie
BRES, Minnie L.
BLACK, E.M.
BURNES,
CHALEK, Ella
COSSAINE, Helen M.
CORNIS, Edith M.
DAVIDSON, David C.
DATTON, Mildred
DOLLASAN, Katherine L.
DORETTI, Sally P.
DORSKY, Bertha H.
ERKMAN, Magdalena
EASTEMAN, Doris E.
FOREMAN, Adole
GOULD, Marie H.
GARAN, Eleanor

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GATES, Marcia L.
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HENSLEY, Givon L.
HANSON, Verna V.
JOHNSON, Rita E.
KECHAN, Doris A.
KENNEDY, Georgia
KUEHLTHAN, Bruneta A.
LEGA, Ethel M.
LEE, Eleanor O.
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LUDLAW, Dorothy L.
MADDEN, W. P.
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Japanese Military Prisons and Prisoners of War Camp, Shanghai Area

1. A report received from the Assistant Naval Attache, Shanghai, after his return on the M.S. GRIPSHOLM is transmitted herewith.

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1. Japanese military prisons in the Shanghai area used for the confinement of American citizens since December 8th, 1941, may be generally classified into three groups: (1) those operated by the Gendarmerie and used for the confinement of persons under investigation, or from whom it is anticipated a so-called confession may be obtained implicating other persons; (2) those maintained by the Army for the confinement of persons awaiting trial or serving sentence of military courts; and (3) War Prisoners Camps. The following information has been compiled from reports of responsible and well known individuals who have been released from the prisons and camps listed below. Up until date of departure of American officials from Shanghai (29 June 1942), all efforts of the International Red Cross Representative and the Swiss Consul to visit prisons and camps in which Americans are confined had been refused by the Japanese.

(a) BRIDGE HOUSE (JAPANESE GENDARMERIE HEADQUARTERS):

A five story former apartment house building known as the Bridge House located on North Szechuan Road (Hongkew district).

This institution is operated by the Gendarmerie as a criminal disciplinary prison of the most primitive form. Individuals confined here are classified and treated as criminal prisoners. Both foreigners and Chinese are confined together, many of the latter being of the lowest criminal type with a large percentage suffering from infectious diseases.

The prison sections consist of a number of dark, damp, interior cells, or cages, located on the ground floor. Into these cells, averaging 10 x 20 feet each, are crowded from twenty to forty prisoners, both Chinese and foreigners. Without exception the inmates sleep on the bare floor in rows so closely packed together that it is impossible to turn over; while during the day and until 9:00 p.m., they are required to sit cross-legged in rows except for short periods, four times a day, when walking is permitted within the cells. The cells are without heat, and while flimsy single blankets are furnished by the Gendarmerie the number provided bears no particular relation to the varying number of cell occupants, and generally averages less than one per person. Food consists of a small quantity of rice and fish heads, with an occasional small quantity of cooked vegetables. Drinking water is practically unobtainable except in the most limited amount, and all prisoners suffer from lack of liquids. Toilet facilities consist of a bucket in each cell. Bathing facilities are primitive and baths average from ten to thirty days apart. All prisoners and cells are infected with various classes of vermin, and lice hunting is one of the daily past times of the prisoners. Talking among prisoners is not permitted. Smoking is not allowed within the cell blocks, and only occasionally outside. Reading matter of any kind is prohibited.

Practically no medical attention is provided and during the past several months a number of Chinese are known to have died in the over-crowded cells. A check on medicines sent to prisoners from outside sources shows that at least fifty per cent are appropriated by the Gendarmes, as are also a large percentage of other necessities, sent to the inmates.

Prisoners are grilled at intervals, for periods averaging from a few to fourteen hours at a time; accompanied by threats, deprivation of food, manhandling, and other methods calculated to obtain so-called confessions. Extreme third degree methods are for the most part practiced on Chinese prisoners, however, American citizens have been beaten up, accompanied in two known cases (Robert Reed, USN, retired, and Plat-Sgt. J. B. Jackson USMC), with the loss of teeth; and four U.S. Marines of the Peiping Guard have been given the so-called electric treatment. The treatment of all prisoners confined here has the ultimate objective of bringing about a complete mental breakdown.

Third degree methods practiced on Chinese prisoners include: The "water cure" in which water is poured into the victims nostrils by means of a rubber hose to produce the sensation of strangulation; Immersion in a swimming pool in zero weather and held down by poles; The "leg stretching exercise" in which the prisoner is tied to a post in a sitting position and the out stretched legs are gradually elevated by means of blocks; Low voltage electric shocks; Beating on

the soles of the feet, shoulders and arms with bamboo sticks; burning of the feet and chest with matches.

Guards are privates and acting corporals who are given a free hand in the interior administration of the prison, and administer so-called disciplinary measures according to their individual tendencies. Face slappings, manhandling, and other forms of punishment administered by the guards to both foreigners and Chinese are common practices within the cell blocks.

Between 8 December 1941 and 29 June 1942 approximately 150 American and British citizens have at different times been confined here, including a number of prominent business men, and several American service personnel, the latter generally for relatively short periods of questioning, except in the case of Platoon Sergeant J. B. Jackson, USMC. (Clerk, Assistant Naval Attache's Office, Shanghai), who was confined for a period of six months and four days; - to date the longest time for any American or British citizen so confined. Included in the American service personnel confined at various times during the past several months, and in addition to the above-named man, have been Commander W. S. Cunningham, USN., Lt-Commander D. C. Smith, USNR., Ch.Q.M. Clerk P.A. Chandler, and several navy and Marine enlisted personnel. All efforts of the International Red Cross Representative or the Swiss Consul to visit American personnel confined in the Bridge House has been refused by the Japanese on the ground that persons so confined are held on criminal charges. The total number of prisoners confined at one time, Chinese and foreigners, averages from 250 to 300.

(b) GENDARMERIE WESTERN DISTRICT SUB-STATION PRISON:

Located at 94 Jessefield Road.

This prison contains eight cells, nine by twenty feet each; prisoners are furnished one flimsy blanket and sleep on cement floors; cells are not heated; two meals per day of cold rice in the form of rice balls, about the size of a baseball are furnished; no outside food is permitted.

This station contains an electric shock machine which is used on both foreigners and Chinese.

Several foreigners have been confined at this station for short periods of time, including four Peiping Marines who escaped from Woosung and were later captured. While confined here the Marines were subjected to the so-called "electric treatment". The general treatment of prisoners is similar to that described for the Bridge House.

(c) KIANGWAN MILITARY PRISON:

This prison, located in the vicinity of the former Greater Shanghai Chinese Civic Center, is maintained by the Japanese Army, and used for the confinement of both foreigners and Chinese awaiting trial or serving sentence of military courts.

The buildings used for the confinement of prisoners consist of a series of cells arranged on each side of a central corridor open at both ends. Cells are approximately 5 x 10 feet, wooden floored and cement walled, with one small window near the top of the back wall. Like other Japanese prisons, no heat is furnished, there are no sanitary toilet facilities, and the food consists of a meager rice ration.

Several American and British citizens have been confined in this prison. One group of seven foreigners transferred from the Bridge House, Shanghai, to this prison in February, were deprived of all extra clothing for a period of three months and not allowed the use of a blanket for the first fifteen days of their confinement, although the temperature during that period was close to or below freezing.

General treatment of prisoners is similar to that of the Bridge House.

(d) WOOSUNG WAR PRISONERS CAMP:

This camp is operated by the Japanese Army and is located north of the Tazang Airfield, Shanghai, and about five miles west of Woosung.

The camp was opened on January 24th with the arrival of American prisoners from Wake Island. The North China Marines arrived at this camp on February 1st. Colonel W. H. Ashurst, USMC, is the senior American officer confined.

Prisoners are housed in frame buildings surrounded by barbed wire fences. Food consists of rice and stew three times a day.

The Shanghai International Red Cross Representative has been unable to obtain the number, or a list of prisoners confined, and is denied permission to visit the camp. The Japanese have made every effort to guard the location of the camp as a military secret, and continue to refer to it as located "within the Shanghai area".

The approximate personnel confined at the camp is as follows:

American service personnel from Wake Island,	
North China Marines, crew of USS Wake.....	657
Civilian workers from Wake Island.....	700
Crews of American merchant vessels,	
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Two unsuccessful attempts to escape have been made from this camp. The first was made by a group composed of Commander W. S. Cunningham, USN., Lt-Comdr. D.C. Smith, USNR., Comdr. J.B. Woolley, RN., Mr. N.J. Teters, a civilian construction engineer from Wake Island, and a Chinese member of the crew of the USS WAKE, who escaped on March 12th and were captured the following day in the vicinity of Woosung. The second attempt was made about March 30th by four Corporals from the Peiping Marine Guard. (Corporals Stewart, Gerald Story, Brimmer, and Battles). This latter group succeeded in reaching the Shanghai Hills, located about twenty-five miles west of the city, where they were captured in company with a group of foreign civilians about April 16th. Information pertaining to the treatment and present condition of the individuals named above will be covered in a separate report.

During the disembarkation of the Wake Island prisoners at Shanghai, and during January and the first of February, considerable face slapping and manhandling of prisoners by the guards took place, which practice it is understood has since been largely corrected by a change in the camp administration.

Detailed information on the camp and requirements of the prisoners will be furnished in a report by Ch. Q.M. Clerk Paul A. Chandler, USMC, who was confined in this camp from January 24th to June 9th, and is a passenger on board the M.S. Gripsholm enroute to the United States.

(c) KIANGWAN NAVAL LANDING PARTY CAMP FOR WAR PRISONERS:

This camp located in the vicinity of the former Greater Shanghai Chinese Civic Center, was operated by the Naval Landing Party and used for the confinement of service personnel and others from the outbreak of war until June 3rd, when the camp was closed and the occupants transferred to the Woosung War Prisoners Camp. Those confined during this period included personnel of the U.S.S. Wake, HMS Peterel, crews of American and British merchant vessels, four Marines left at Shanghai to dispose of property in connection with the withdrawal of the Fourth Marines, one U.S. Navy Radio operator attached to the American Consulate at Hankow, various British officers and enlisted personnel attached to the British Consulate and Embassy at Shanghai.

While some manhandling took place at this camp, the accommodations, treatment, and administration of the camp was superior to any camp or prison maintained in the Shanghai area by the Japanese Army or Gendarmerie.

2. The most urgent need of all prisoners confined in the Shanghai area is food and vitamins to supplement the meager rice ration prescribed by the Japanese, and an adequate supply of medicines, little or none of which are at present furnished by the Japanese.

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 UNDER DIRECT CONTROL OF DUTCH MILITARY AUTHORITIES. CONSIDER
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1. ALUSNA RIO REPORTS IMPRACTICABLE TO DOCK MAURETANIA AT RIO DUE TO PRISONERS ON BOARD WHO CANNOT BE LANDED. ONLY ALTERNATIVE IS FOR SHIP TO FUEL AT TRINIDAD ENROUTE TO U.S. WHICH IS MOST UNDESIRABLE WITH PRESENT S/M SITUATION.
2. SINCE ADMIRALTY AND NAVY DEPT. ARE MOST ANXIOUS THAT SHIP SHOULD DOCK AT RIO REQUEST YOU ENDEAVOUR TO ARRANGE THAT PRISONERS MAY BE ACCOMMODATED IN SOME OTHER VESSEL OR THAT THEY REMAIN ON BOARD DURING DOCKING IN SPITE OF DIFFICULTIES OF SANITATION.
3. REQUEST YOU REPORT IF YOU CONSIDER DIPLOMATIC ACTION NECESSARY.

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM DSTO DURBAN	FOR ACTION	D. OF S.T. BAD WASHN NCSO RIO DE JANEIRO	PRIORITY PPPPPP
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 30 AUGUST 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1904/30	INFORMATION	RAWA SBNO WAT ACNB COAC; COMINCH; OPNAV NSHQ; PSTO CAPETOWN	PRIORITY PPPPPP
DECODED BY			ROUTINE
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(D. OF S.T. BAD WASHINGTON NCSO RIO DE JANEIRO. REPEATED:
RAWA, SBNO WAT, ACNB, COAC, COMINCH, OPNAV, CINCLANT,
NSHQ, PSTO CAPETOWN FROM DSTO DURBAN)

~~SECRET~~. MY 1242 28TH.

PASTEUR SAILED 0445 Z 30TH AUGUST ETA RIO DE JANEIRO 1700 Z
6TH SEPTEMBER. AMEND PERSONNEL ON BOARD TO READ 992, GERMAN
PRISONERS OF WAR. GUARD COMPRISING R.N. 2, ARMY 78, POLISH
FORCE 174 ALL FOR U.K.

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August 27, 1942
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From: London
To: AGWAR

No. 1538, August 27, 1942

- Director of Military Intelligence

DMI proposes advising their MAs in neutral countries this theater render all assistance U S Armed Force escapees. Desire as few as possible underground channels and suggest our MAs be advised of proposal and be requested coordinate escape activities with Brit MAs.

McClure

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FROM FONF		COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		COAC	ROUTINE
DATE AUGUST 10 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM		NSHQ	PRIORITY
DECODED BY MEUSHAH/HUTCHISON		CTF 24	ROUTINE
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COAC RPTD NSHQ CTF 24 FROM FONF.

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AMEND TIME OF SAILING WITHERINGTON. WITHERINGTON SAILED
 1100Z/9 WITH FORT AMHERST AND HAS ON BOARD 16 GERMAN
 PRISONERS EX ASSINIBOINE INCLUDING 2 OFFICERS. COAC IS
 REQUESTED TO ARRANGE TRANSPORT OF PRISONERS TO WASHINGTON
 BY QUICKEST MEANS. SUB LIEUT LUNZER RCNVR FROM NSHQ
 ACCOMPANIES PRISONERS AND HAS FULL INSTRUCTIONS.

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ONF	DNI ADMIRALTY	PRIORITY PRIORITY ROUTINE DEFERRED
10 AUGUST 1942		
TOR CODEROOM		
1740/1718	DNI NSHQ COAC COMINCH	PRIORITY PRIORITY ROUTINE DEFERRED
DECODED BY		
NEUBHAW/ECKHARDT		
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DNI ADMIRALTY RPTD DNI NSHQ COAC FROM FONF.

FOLLOWING GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR EX HMCS ASSINIBOINE
^{NS} TRANSFERRED TO HMS WITHERINGTON FOR PASSAGE TO HALIFAX
 ENROUTE TO WASHINGTON. GUNTHER GOHLICH LIEUTENANT SUR
 ZEE, HEINZ SORBER LIEUTENANT ENGINEER, WILLI STEIN O.B.
 MASCH UO 149/28T (149/28T), RICHARD SUBKE PMYB. MASCH
 UN 1020/34T (1020/34T), HANS SCHMUTZ MASCH MT UN 0457/39T
 (0457/39T), WERNER TROST MATR. HPT. GEFR. UO 7657/378
 (7657/378),...JOHANN MYCKE MATR. O.B. GEFR UO 255/25E8
 (255/35E8), GERHARD GUNTZ MASCH GEFR UO 5983/41T
 (5983/41T), FRITZACKEMAN MASCH GEFR UO 5500/41(5570/41),
 FRIEDRICH LIETZKE MASCH. GEFR UO 7112/41T(7112/41T),
 ADOLF HECKMANN MATR. UN 11685/418(11685/418), MARTIN
 ENSMANN MATR UO 22216/418(22216/418), KARL MULLER MATR
 UN 17504/418(17504/418), STEPHAN FUCHS MATR. UO 22090/418

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(22090/410), ALFRED FREDRICH MATR UO 22187/418 (22187/
410), ALFON8 SCHULL MATR II UO 46169/41T(46169/41T).
OK SUB LIEUTENANT LUNZER RCNVR ACCOMPANIES THEM.
REPORT BEING SENT N8HQ BY AIRMAIL.

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WITHERINGTON		COMINCH (C&R)	PPPPPP PRIORITY
BY			ROUTINE
DATE 10 AUG 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1639/10		CTF 24, ADMIRALTY CINCWA, NSHQ, FONF COAC, CTG 24.7 CAPT(D) HALIFAX	PRIORITY
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ETA 1600Z/11 FORT AMHERT IN COMPANY. HAVE ON BOARD 2 OFFICERS 14 RATING GERMAN PRISONERS AND 1 INTERPRETER FOLLOWING 2 GROUPS REPRESENT UNCODED WEATHER REPORTS 1942 1544*.

*WEATHER PASSED

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INCOMING MESSAGE

From: Quarry Hts CZ

To: Milid

Nº. FO 90, July 18, 1942

Miller reports Governor British Honduras refuses transfer prisoners to waiting Navy planes until advised by London and requests action be expedited. Also that Belize populace resents article published by Time and are sending cables protesting Goughs arrest.

Benitez

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