

WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington 25, D. C.

AGMP-M (210.31 (19 Jun 45))
OC-E-A

7 July 1945

SUBJECT: Oversea service for male officers and enlisted men

TO: Deputy Chief of Staff
Commanding Generals:
Army Ground Forces
Army Air Forces
Army Service Forces

1. In order to insure that qualified male military personnel without oversea service will have an opportunity for such service, the following basic policies are announced for both officers and enlisted men in the zone of the interior:

a. All operating jobs (as reported in WD AGO Form 73) in zone of interior establishments will be filled by returnees, civilians, personnel physically disqualified for oversea service, overage personnel, female military personnel, and those specifically exempt from oversea service, as rapidly as practicable. Returnees are defined as those who have had oversea service.

b. For the purpose of this policy, oversea service will be defined as follows:

(1) Permanent assignment in Alaska or outside the continental United States since 7 December 1941.

(2) Nonpermanent assignment in Alaska or outside continental United States totaling 6 months since 7 December 1941.

c. Returnees, other than those returned for redeployment, with less than 6 months' service in a duty assignment in the United States subsequent to their return will not be again shipped overseas as long as qualified male personnel without oversea service are available in the major command concerned, without express approval of the major force commander or unless a returnee makes written request for further oversea duty.

d. It is a responsibility of the major command concerned to insure that physically qualified male military operating personnel without previous oversea service since 7 December 1941 are released for oversea service as soon as qualified replacements become available. Special emphasis will be placed on personnel under 35 years of age. It is desired that this process be completed by 1 May 1946.

2. The following Army-wide categories will be exempted from oversea service:

a. Special groups exempted by the War Department. Lists of these groups indicating number and type of personnel in each group will be submitted for approval monthly.

b. Any enlisted man who has attained his 38th birthday, unless he requests overseas service in writing. Such request will be accompanied by a statement that separation for age is waived if the individual has less than 9 months to serve before reaching his 40th birthday.

c. Those who are physically disqualified for overseas service. Physical qualifications for overseas service are prescribed in WD Circular 196, 1945.

d. Individuals exempted under the nonhazardous duty policy as provided in WD Circular 128, 1945, and section IV, WD Circular 150, 1945.

3. a. Reports will be prepared each month by each of the major commands on WD AGO Form R-5077, typed as indicated in the inclosed sample. The Deputy Chief of Staff will prepare a similar report for personnel of the War Department groups.

b. The form will be filled out and submitted by each of the addressees as of the last day of each month to The Adjutant General (Attention: Classification and Replacement Branch, SPXOC-T), by the 18th of the month following the date of the report. The Adjutant General will consolidate and forward the reports to the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1, by the 21st of the month following the date of the report.

c. First report will be as of 31 July 1945.

d. A list showing groups specifically exempted by the War Department and indicating number and type of personnel (officer or enlisted) in each group will be attached to the report. Personnel referred to in paragraph 2 (except 2c) will be included in line 3a or 4a of the report as appropriate.

4. a. The following War Department letters, subject as above, are rescinded:

AGMP-M 210.31 (5 Mar 45)OC-E-A, 12 March 1945.

AGMP-M 210.31 (21 May 45)OC-E-A, 31 May 1945.

AGMP-M 210.31 (26 May 45)OC-E-A, 8 June 1945.

b. Section IV, WD Circular 174, 1945, will be rescinded by separate action.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:



EDWARD F. WITSELL
Major General
Acting The Adjutant General

1 Incl
WD AGO Form R-5077

QUALITY OF PERSONNEL OPERATING ZONE OF INTERIOR ESTABLISHMENTS Reports Control Symbol GI-P2

7 1463

(Total) 5
 (Officers, including warrant and flight officers
 (Enlisted) 0

(Major command or WD group)

	PHYSICALLY QUALIFIED FOR OVERSEA SERVICE			PHYSICALLY DISQUALIFIED FOR OVERSEA SERVICE	
	With Oversea Service (1)	Without Oversea Service Less than 12 Mos Service (2)	More than 12 Mos Service (3)	With Oversea Service (4)	Without Oversea Service (5)
1. TOTAL 5	2	0	3 MALE 1 FEMALE	0	0
2. Male - total 4					
3. 35 and over - total 3					
a. Specifically exempted 0					
b. Key specialists 0					
c. Others 0					
4. Under 35 - total 1					
a. Specifically exempted 0					
b. Key specialists 0					
c. Others 0					
5. Female - total 1					
a. WAC's 1					
b. Nurses 0					
c. Hospital dietitians 0					
d. Physical therapists 0					
6. Personnel - records not available	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx

(NOTES: 1. Line 1, column (6) of TOT (sheet should tie in with WD AGO Form furnished to the WDMB.
 2. Each individual should be entered only in the first group in which he falls. Thus a 36 year old "key specialist" who is also "specifically exempted" should be counted in 3a, not 3c.
 3. Those temporarily not qualified for overseas service will be included in columns (4) or (5).

WD AGO Form
 1 Jul 1945 R-5077
 Inclosure to WD letter (AGMP-M 210.31 (19 Jun 45)OC-E-A), 7 July 1945

QUALITY OF PERSONNEL OPERATING ZONE OF INTERIOR ESTABLISHMENTS Reports Control Symbol G1-P2-78

(Total) 5
 (Officers, including warrant and flight officers)
 (Enlisted) 0
 (Major command or WD group)

	PHYSICALLY QUALIFIED FOR OVERSEA SERVICE			PHYSICALLY DISQUALIFIED FOR OVERSEA SERVICE		TOTAL
	With Oversea Service (1)	Without Oversea Service Less than 12 Mos Service (2)	More than 12 Mos Service (3)	With Oversea Service (4)	Without Oversea Service (5)	

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 3. Those temporarily not qualified for oversea service will be included in columns (4) or (5).)

R-5077
 to WD letter (AGMP-M 210.31 (19 Jun 45)OC-E-A), 7 July 1945

25-49769-725

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20 July 1945

Subject: Persons Authorized to Request Motor Transportation.
To : Commanding General, Military District of Washington.
Through: Army Headquarters Commandant.

1. Reference is made to memorandum from this office dated 17 January 1945 and 1st Ind., Hq. MDW, thereto, dated 19 January 1945, on the above subject.

2. In order that an officer of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee may be available to order transportation during the temporary absence of Lt. Colonel V. F. Field, GSC, it is requested that Major W. E. Gunther, FA, a member of the SWNCC Secretariat, be authorized to call for transportation for the Army officers connected with the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

3. Lt. Colonel Field will be on leave during the period 23 July to 6 August 1945, inclusive.

By Direction of Assistant Secretary of War:

DAVIDSON SOMMERS
Major, Air Corps
Assistant Executive to
Assistant Secretary of War.

3/2.1
11 July 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF:

Attention: Chief, Personnel and Administrative Branch.Subject: Changes in Allotment of Officers for the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

1. At the request of the Secretary, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, for a temporary allotment of officer grades for the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, The Adjutant General on 9 December 1944 allotted to the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee two Colonels, one Major and one Lieutenant. This was later increased to that which is shown in Table I, by letter AG PO-M-F 334, dated 14 April 1945. Under date of 1 June 1945 the Personnel and Administrative Branch, Office of Chief of Staff, reallocated to the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee the officers as shown in Table I.

a. Present AllotmentTable I.

<u>Colonels</u>	<u>Lt.Colonels</u>	<u>Majors</u>	<u>Captains</u>	<u>Lieutenants</u>
2	0	2	1	1

b. Actual StrengthTable II.

<u>Colonels</u>	<u>Lt.Colonels</u>	<u>Majors</u>	<u>Captains</u>	<u>Lieutenants</u>
1	2	1	0	1

2. In order to bring the actual strength (Table II) in line with the authorized strength, it is requested that the allotment of officers to the Army Section of the

State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, an activity of the Office of the Assistant Secretary of War, be changed to that shown in Table III below.

A. New Allotment

Table III.

<u>Colonels</u>	<u>Lt. Colonels</u>	<u>Majors</u>	<u>Captains</u>	<u>Lieutenants</u>
2	1	1	1	1

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

CHARLES W. McCARTHY
Secretary

3 July 1945

201 Spittall, Eleanor L.
1st Lt., AUS, WAC, L200211 (3 July 1945)

SUBJECT: Application for Relief from Active Duty.
(Thru Channels)

TO: THE ADJUTANT GENERAL,
ATTENTION: Officers' Branch, Separations Section,
Munitions Building,
Washington 25, D. C.

1. Pursuant to provisions of paragraph 10, Section IV, War Department Circular 485, 29 December 1944, my application for relief from active duty is hereby submitted.
2. Both of my parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spittall, R.F.D. #1, Le Roy, New York, are ill. The attending physician is Dr. Charles D. Grancy, Le Roy, New York.
3. Their respective conditions have become greatly aggravated during this past year. They have attempted to carry on without my help but the situation is so acute that I feel my place is at home.
4. My mother has an acute gall-bladder condition which has kept her in bed the greater part of this winter and spring. Also she has ruptured varicose veins in both her legs, which have resulted in very large open sores, a condition which makes it very painful and almost impossible for her to put her weight on her legs and walk about. Dr. Grancy recommended an operation for the gall-bladder condition, but my mother has been delaying it until I can be at home.
5. My father has a chronic duodenal ulcer, and is not capable of doing heavy farm work. The doctor has advised rest and a special diet.
6. There is no possibility of securing household help on a farm. Any who could be spared went to work in defense plants in nearby towns and cities.

1st Ind.--cont.

6. No hospital disposition board or Army retiring board proceedings are pending or believed to be appropriate.

7. Complete and up-to-date copy of officer's qualification card is attached.

CHARLES W. McCARTHY
Colonel, GSC,
Secretary, SWNCC.

2 Encls.
1 added--Copy of officer's
qualification card.

7. The American Red Cross in Le Roy, New York, has investigated my case and has forwarded their report through channels to Headquarters, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C.

8. The need for me at home is twofold: To arrange for the operation which my mother should have, and, to run the household which is so necessary on a large farm.

9. Only the urgency of the conditions stated above have prompted me to submit this application for which I now ask respectful consideration.

ELEANOR L. SPITTALL
1st Lt., AUS, WAG.

1 Encl.
Ltr from Dr. Graney

201-Spittall, E.L. (O) 1st Ind.
State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, Room 178, State Building,
Washington, D. C.

To: The Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.

1. Approved.
2. There is not an over-all surplus in the command jurisdiction of officers qualified and available to fill the duty assignments for which the officer concerned is qualified.
3. A replacement will be required and is now available.
4. Services of the officer have been such as to entitle her to separation under honorable conditions.
5. No disciplinary action or reclassification proceedings under AR 605-230 are pending or appropriate in the case.

COPY

June 14, 1946

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that for a number of years I have been the family physician for Roy and Emma Spittall, R.F.D., LeRoy, N.Y.

Mr. Spittall is suffering from chronic duodenal ulcer which in recent months has become so acute that I have ordered rest and a special diet.

Mrs. Spittall has chronic gall-bladder with acute flare-ups, which during this past winter and spring have confined her to bed for a greater part of the time. In addition, she has ulcers in both legs with a varicose condition. There is no cure for that except complete rest.

I have recommended an operation for the gall-bladder condition as the only means of alleviating that condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Spittall live on a large dairy farm, and in my opinion are very much in need of their daughter's help and presence for the reasons mentioned above.

Very truly yours,

Chas. D. Graney, M.D.
LeRoy, New York

3 July 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ADJUTANT GENERAL:
Attn: SPGAR

Subject: Reassignment of WAG
Officer.

1. Under the provisions of Section IV, Circular 8, dated 6 January 1945, it is requested, if practicable, that a determination be made as to the availability for reassignment to the continental United States of the following named WAG officer:

1st Lt. Lorna L. Cole, L701255, WAG

2. This officer has special qualifications for a position vacancy in the Secretariat of this Committee.

3. It is believed that an officer of her special qualifications is not immediately available.

4. If available, it is requested that she be reassigned to the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, an activity of the Office of the Assistant Secretary of War.

5. Her present assignment is believed to be: Headquarters, 12th Army Group, SHAEF.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

VIRGIL F. FIELD
Lt. Col., G.S.C.
Executive Secretary, SWNCC

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3 July 1945

MEMORANDUM TO: Office of the Director of Security and Intelligence, MDW, 415 22d Street, NW, Room 101, Washington 7, D. C.

SUBJECT: Loyalty Investigation of Military Personnel.

1. Attached hereto is MID Loyalty check sheet pertaining to the following named person assigned for duty with the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>Unit Assignment</u>
Thelma F. Weiner	1st Lt.	L-202590	SWNCC

2. It is requested that the loyalty of the above-named person be established by your agency as prescribed in CONFIDENTIAL Letter, AG 250.1 Loyalty (22 Jan 44) OB-S-M-N, WD, 26 January 1944, subject as above.

3. The prospective duties of the person to be investigated are such as to afford ready opportunity to seriously injure or impede the war effort.

4. It is requested that report of four-way check be completed as soon as possible.

5. Subsequent full investigation should be made by your agency after initial report is rendered, and a CI-R1 report submitted.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

V. F. FIELD
Lt. Colonel, GSC,
Executive Secretary.

*OK
4 way check*

Enclosure:
Loyalty Check Sheet.

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3 July 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF, ORIENTATION AND INSTRUCTION
BRANCH, G-2, MIS, Room 2B661, The Pentagon:

Subject: Enrollment in Russian
Language Class.

1. Under the provisions of memorandum from MIS, dated 21 June 1945, subject: "Language Classes," it is requested that Ensign Florence Whiteside be enrolled in the basic Russian evening class starting 9 July 1945.

2. Ensign Whiteside is a member of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, which is an activity of the Assistant Secretaries of the State, War and Navy Departments. This Committee frequently handles agreements which are received in the Russian language. It is therefore believed that it would be advantageous to the Committee to have a member of the Secretariat who had some knowledge of the Russian language.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

VIRGIL F. FIELD
Lt. Col., G.S.C.
Executive Secretary

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312-1
1798TH SERVICE COMMAND UNIT HEADQUARTERS
FIRST WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS TRAINING CENTER
Classification & Replacement Branch

Fort Des Moines, Iowa
30 June 1945

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Records

TO: The Adjutant General
Room 1054, Munitions Building
Washington 25, D. C.

1. Transmitted herewith WD AGO Form 66-1, and allied papers transferred to your command per par 1, War Department Letter AGPO-A, Washington, D. C., dated 20 June 1945:

1st Lt Thelma F. Weiner, L 202 590, WAC

2. Request that receipt be acknowledged.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

FLORA D. RANDALL
1st Lt., AGD
Asst Classification
& Assignment Officer

3 Incls:
1 WD AGO 66-1
1 immunization register
1 201 file

201-Weiner, Thelma F (O) 1st Ind.
STATE WAR NAVY COORDINATING COMMITTEE, Room 178 State Bldg.,
Washington, D.C. 16 July 1945.

TO: Commanding Officer, First Women's Army Corps Training
Center, Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

Receipt acknowledged.

V. F. FIELD
Lt. Col., G.S.C.,
Executive Secretary, SWNCC.

30 June 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR WAR PRICE AND RATION BOARD:

Colonel Charles W. McCarthy is the Secretary of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, an activity of the Secretary of War Group.

His hours of duty in this Committee cannot be stated in advance as his presence here is required until his work is cleared. The time of arrival and departure therefore is extremely irregular, and varies daily. This officer is also subject to recall at any hour of the day or night.

It is impossible for him to schedule regular daily riders. Casual riders to and from the office are accepted.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

VIRGIL F. FIELD
Lt. Col. G.S.C.
Executive Secretary, SWNCC

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Misc

30 June 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE GAS RATIONING BOARD:

Subject: Application of Colonel Charles W. McCarthy for Supplemental Gas Ration.

The following statement is furnished relative to subject officer's application for a supplemental gas ration:

a. The increased gas ration is for necessary transportation between home and the State Department Building, 17th and Pennsylvania Avenue.

b. No adequate quarters can be provided near the applicant's place of work.

c. No other practicable means of transportation are available and no military vehicle can be supplied for the applicant's use.

d. All reasonable steps will be taken to insure that the vehicle is used for the purpose indicated and that as many passengers as possible will be carried.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee;

VIRGIL F. FIELD
Lt. Col. G.S.C.
Executive Secretary, SWNCC

29 June 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ADJUTANT GENERAL:

Subject: Request for Leave of Absence.

1. Request that I be granted fourteen (14) days ordinary leave of absence, effective on or about 23 July 1945.
2. I am not engaged in any special mission of the Chiefs of Staff or the Secretary of War.
3. I have sufficient accrued leave due me.
4. My address on leave will be:
Care of Oliver Hopkins
Colonial Beach, Virginia
Telephone: Colonial Beach 3911 or 3912.

VIRGIL F. FIELD, O-470144,
Lt. Colonel, GSC (AGD)

APPROVED

CHARLES W. McCARTHY,
Colonel, GSC,
Secretary, SWNCC.

June 26, 1945

My dear Colonel Divine:

I wish to commend the valuable services of Lieutenant Colonel Paul G. Pennoyer who was attached to the International Secretariat at the United Nations Conference on International Organization. Lieutenant Colonel Pennoyer performed outstanding work as Secretary to Committee I, Commission III at the Conference.

Great tact, patience, and initiative were required for this position, and Lieutenant Colonel Pennoyer combined these qualities so as to be particularly effective. His knowledge of French was of the utmost value in conducting Committee conversations. Long hours and unfamiliar assignments were the order of the day for most of us in the Secretariat, and Colonel Pennoyer at all times displayed unusual initiative and perseverance in the performance of his duty. His competence and never-failing enthusiasm did much to bring his Committee's work to a happy conclusion.

It is my sincere hope that this letter may be made a matter for Lieutenant Colonel Pennoyer's official War Department record.

Sincerely yours,

Alger Hiss

Alger Hiss
Secretary General

Colonel D. Divine,
Chief, Liaison Section,
Theater Group, Operations Division,
War Department General Staff,
Pentagon Building,
Washington, D. C.

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201 Pennoyer, P.G. (O)
(26 Jun 45)

2nd Ind.

SECRETARIAT, STATE-WAR-NAVY COORDINATING COMMITTEE, Room 178,
State Department Building, Washington, D.C.

TO: Lieutenant Colonel Paul G. Pennoyer, General Staff Corps,
State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

1. It gives me a great deal of pleasure to forward this
well deserved commendation.

2. A copy of this communication will be forwarded with
your next efficiency report.

CHARLES W. McCARTHY
Colonel, G.S.C.
Secretary, SWNCC

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TO COL. CHARLES W. MCCARTHY
STATE WAR NAVY COORDINATING COMMITTEE
ROOM 178, STATE DEPARTMENT BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C.

101 JUN 26 1945
LEAVING SAN FRANCISCO THURSDAY NIGHT JUNE 28 ARRIVE LAKE TAHOE
FRIDAY MORNING JUNE 29 WHERE MY ADDRESS WILL BE PAUL G. PENNOYER,
MEEKS BAY POST OFFICE, LAKE TAHOE, CALIFORNIA. MY TELEPHONE THERE
WILL BE HOMEWOOD 102. LEAVING RENO ON STREAMLINER MONDAY NIGHT,
JULY 2, ARRIVING WASHINGTON THURSDAY, JULY 5. PLEASE TELL FIELD I
GOT GASOLINE ON THE LEAVE TELEGRAM HE SO KINDLY SENT ME. THANKS.
VERY GRATEFUL FOR THESE FEW EXTRA DAYS. LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING
YOU.

(SIGNED) LT. COLONEL PAUL G. PENNOYER

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WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington 25, D. C.

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AGPO-A 201 Weiner, Thelma F
(20 Jun 45)

25 June 1945

SUBJECT: Orders

AIRMAIL

SPECIAL DELIVERY

THRU: Commanding Officer
First WAC Training Center
Fort Des Moines, Iowa

TO: First Lieutenant Thelma F. Weiner, WAC

1. First Lieutenant Thelma F. Weiner, I202590, Women's Army Corps, is relieved from assignment and duty with the Seventh Service Command, First Women's Army Corps Training Center, Fort Des Moines, Iowa, is assigned to the Office of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, Washington, D. C., and will proceed to that station without delay and report to The Adjutant General, Room 1054, Munitions Building.

2. Permanent change of station. Travel directed is necessary in the military service. 501-31 P 431-01, 02, 03, 07, 08. 212/50425. Travel by officer by privately owned automobile is authorized. Detached service for officer's travel is authorized, Par le AR 605-18. ~~Change~~ No. 3. Effective date of change on morning reports July 1945.



BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

Adjutant General

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23 June 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Chief, Personnel and Administrative
Branch, Office of the Chief of Staff.

Subject: Leave of Absence.

1. It is requested that you direct the Adjutant General to issue orders authorizing Lt. Colonel Paul G. Pennoyer, O-166376, GSC, ten (10) days' leave, effective on or about June 26, 1945.

2. Copies of these orders should be forwarded to the Secretariat, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, Room 178, State Department.

3. Colonel C. W. McCarthy, Secretary, SWNCC, concurs.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

VIRGIL F. FIELD
Lt. Colonel, GSC,
Executive Secretary.

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STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Lt. Col. Paul G. Pennoyer, UNCIO,
San Francisco.
FROM : A-D-SWNGC - Lt. Col. Field
SUBJECT:

DATE: 25 June 1945

08 JUN 25 1945

LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR TEN DAYS EFFECTIVE ON OR
ABOUT JUNE TWENTY-SIX GRANTED YOU BY AGO LETTER
DATED TWENTY-FIVE JUNE NINETEEN FORTY-FIVE.

FIELD

A-D-SWNGC:VFField:hmn

SENT 2080 West
25 June

gHD

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable symbol above or preceding the address.

WESTERN UNION

A. N. WILLIAMS
PRESIDENT

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LT COL VIRGIL FIELD=

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WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE SEND ME TELEGRAPHIC ORDERS GIVING ME
 LEAVE FROM MAY 26 TO JULY 5 PERIOD. THIS WOULD ENABLE ME GET
 MUCH NEEDED GAS TO REACH OUR PLACE UP IN THE MOUNTAINS
 PERIOD. ARRANGING GO EAST BY STREAMLINER. LEAVING RENO JULY
 2. ARRIVING WASHINGTON JULY 5=

LT COL PAUL PENNOYER.

26 5 2 5.

COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington 25, D. C.

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AGPO-A 210.61 GS (26 May 45)

4 June 1945

SUBJECT: Orders

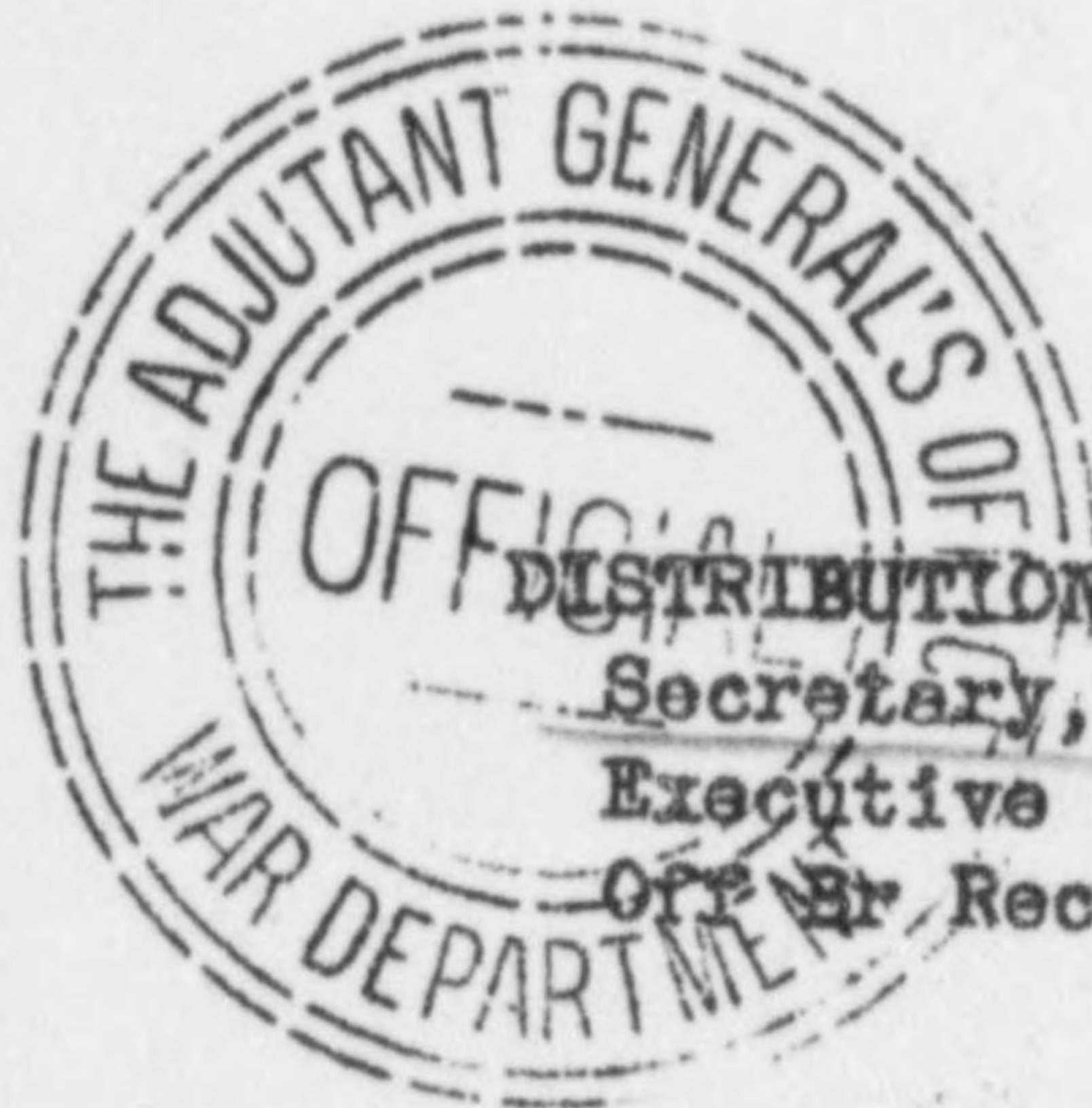
THRU: Chief, Personnel & Administrative Branch
Office, Chief of Staff
Washington 25, D. C.

TO: Lieutenant Colonel Virgil F. Field, 0470144, AGD

By direction of the President, Lieutenant Colonel Virgil F. Field,
0470144, Adjutant General's Department, is assigned to duty with the
War Department General Staff.

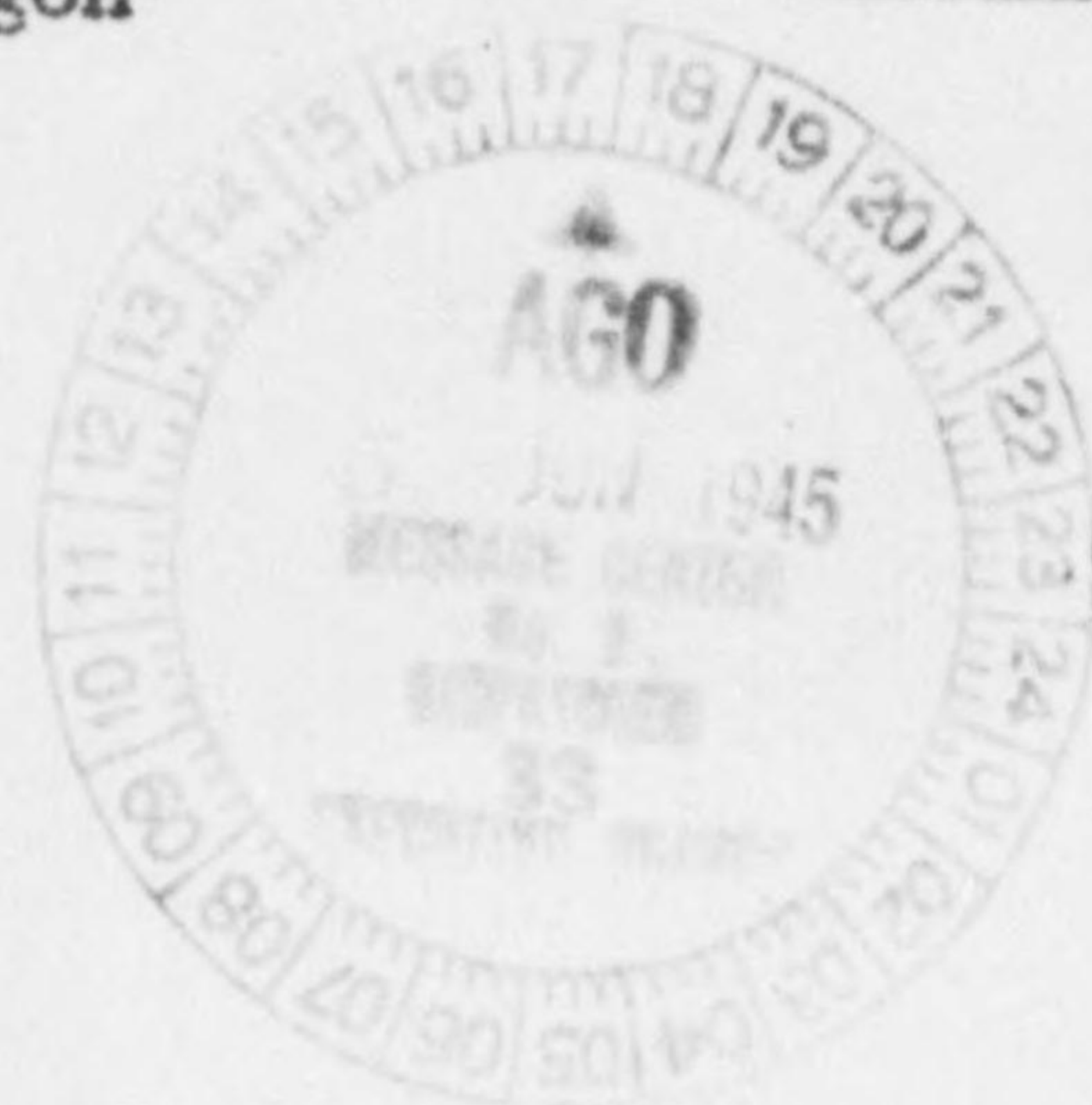
BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. F. Ruth
Adjutant General



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Off Br Rec Sec, Room 1513, Munitions Building

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Personnel file

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Misc WAR DEPARTMENT GENERAL STAFF
MEMO ROUTING SLIP *Wing*

TO State-War-Navy Coordinating Comm. DATE 25 June 1945
OFFICE BUILDING
1. Pentagon
ATTENTION ROOM
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2. 4.
3. 5.

REMARKS



FROM: NAME Capt Riggins OFFICE Pers & Adm Br, OC/S
PHONE 6134 BUILDING Pentagon ROOM 4A 932

OCS FORM 59	WAR DEPARTMENT GROUPS PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION	SERIAL NO. 1
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(AGENCY) To: State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee	(GROUP) Sec of War Group	DATE 1 June 1945
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PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF WAR DEPARTMENT GENERAL STAFF CIRCULAR 10-3, "PERSONNEL ALLOTMENT, AUTHORIZATIONS, AND STRENGTH - WAR DEPARTMENT GROUPS," THE FOLLOWING PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATIONS ARE APPROVED
 BY DIRECTION OF THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF:

S. T. Adams
**S. T. Adams, Lt Col, GSC
 Chief, Pers & Adm Br, OC/S**

LINE NO.	CATEGORY	(COLUMN 1) TOTAL AUTHORIZATION	(COLUMN 2) SPECIAL LIMITATIONS ON PERSONNEL AUTHORIZED IN COLUMN 1			
			(2A) NO. WHICH MAY BE IN MDW	(2B) NO. FOR ASSIGNMENT WITHIN ZI OUTSIDE MDW	(2C) NO. FOR FOREIGN ASSIGNMENT	(2D) NO. WHICH MAY BE WAC
1	ALL TYPES - TOTAL	6	6			
2	MILITARY PERSONNEL - TOTAL	6	6			
3	OFFICER - TOTAL	6	6			
4	GENERAL OR COLONEL	2	2			
5	LIEUTENANT COLONEL	-	-			
6	MAJOR	2	2			
7	CAPTAIN	1	1			
8	FIRST LIEUTENANT	1	1			
9	SECOND LIEUTENANT	-	-			
10	WARRANT OFFICER - TOTAL	-	-			
11	CHIEF	-	-			
12	JUNIOR GRADE	-	-			
13	ENLISTED - TOTAL	-	-			
14	GRADE 1	-	-			
15	GRADE 2	-	-			
16	GRADE 3	-	-			
17	GRADE 4	-	-			
18	GRADE 5	-	-			
19	GRADE 6	-	-			
20	GRADE 7	-	-			
21	CIVILIAN PERSONNEL - TOTAL	-				
22	SUBJ. TO P.L. 49 - DEP'L	-				
23	SUBJ. TO P.L. 49 - FIELD	-				
24	NOT SUBJ. TO P.L. 49	-				

REMARKS: This authorization replaces AGPO-M-F 334 (12 Apr 45), 14 Apr 1945, SUBJECT: Authorization of Officers for the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

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IN REPLY
REFER TO

AGPO-M-F 334 (12 Apr 45)

14 April 1945

SUBJECT: Authorisation of Officers for the State-War-Navy
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To: The Secretary,
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J. A. Ullo
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Major General
The Adjutant General
By: *Arlet*



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By: W. C. Kelly



by: E. C. KOTTA
Deputy Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Dept. of Justice

of Washington:

5. The above information will be for your use in the military districts

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related to the following items:

1. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following information is

Washington, D. C.
The Secretary of War
Department of War
Washington, D. C.

Department of War
Washington, D. C.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Chief of Staff
Washington 25, D. C.

30 May 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR ALL AGENCIES OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT GROUPS:
(See Distribution List, page 2)

SUBJECT: Application of Readjustment Regulations to Officer Personnel

1. The purpose of this memorandum is to implement the provisions of War Department Readjustment Regulations in their application to officer and warrant officer personnel assigned to agencies of the War Department Groups.

2. Determination of Surplus Officers.

a. The head of each agency (division, committee, board, etc.) of the War Department Groups will determine which officers are surplus to his agency, following the principles established by War Department Readjustment Regulations.

b. Officers determined to be surplus will be reported to the Deputy Chief of Staff, U.S. Army, Attention: Chief, Personnel and Administrative Branch, Washington 25, D. C. Report will be in form of a true copy of the officers' Forms WD AGO 66-1 (using WD AGO 66-4 for this purpose), 66-2 or 66-3, transmitted by letter listing the name, grade, and arm or service of each officer on whom the forms are transmitted.

3. Determination of Essentiality.

a. The Deputy Chief of Staff (Chief, Personnel and Administrative Branch) will cause necessary action to be taken to ascertain essentiality of officers who have been declared surplus, transmitting cases to The Adjutant General for the action prescribed by RR 1-5, paragraph 12, to determine essentiality or non-essentiality and for issuance of orders appropriate to the decision made.

BY DIRECTION OF THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF:

(Sgd) H. I. Hodes

H. I. HODES
Brigadier General, GSC
Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff

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 WD Retiring Board
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 Office of Censorship
 Office of Scientific Research &
 Development
 Office of War Information
 Petroleum Administration for War
 Selective Service System
 State Department
 Maritime Commission
 War Food Administration
 War Manpower Commission
 War Production Board
 War Shipping Administration
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 War Relocation Authority

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 United States Soldiers' Home
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 Army War College (School)
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 National Guard & Reserve Comm.
 U. S. Mission to Iran
 U. S. Mission to Iran Gendarmerie
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 U. S. Mission to Bulgaria
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 U. S. Mission to Hungary
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 First Technical Service Detachment
 Ad Hoc Inter-Departmental Comm. to
 Handle FEA Projects

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War Department Manpower Board

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The Inspector General

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Board

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29 May 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR WAR PRICE AND RATION BOARD:

Lt. Colonel Virgil F. Field is a member of the Secretariat, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, an activity of the Secretary of War group.

His hours of duty in this Committee cannot be stated in advance as his presence here is required until his work is cleared. The time of arrival and departure therefore is extremely irregular, and varies daily. This officer is also subject to recall at any hour of the day or night.

It is impossible for him to schedule regular daily riders. Casual riders to and from the office are accepted.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

CHARLES W. McCARTHY
Secretary

29 May 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR THE GAS RATIONING BOARD:

**Subject: Application of Lt. Colonel Virgil F.
Field for Supplemental Gas Ration.**

The following statement is furnished relative to subject officer's application for a supplemental gas ration:

a. The increased gas ration is for necessary transportation between home and the State Department Building, 17th and Pennsylvania Avenue.

b. No adequate quarters can be provided near the applicant's place of work.

c. No other practicable means of transportation are available and no military vehicle can be supplied for the applicant's use.

d. All reasonable steps will be taken to insure that the vehicle is used for the purpose indicated and that as many passengers as possible will be carried.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

CHARLES W. MCGARTHY
Secretary

*cc gsc
H. J. Sumner*

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WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

AGPO-A 201-McCarthy, Charles W. WASHINGTON
(28 May 45)

28 May 1945.

Orders.

Colonel Charles W. McCarthy, G.S.C.,
Office of the Secretary of War,
Washington, D. C.

1. Colonel Charles W. McCarthy, 016667, G.S.C., will proceed on or about 29 May 1945, from Washington, D. C., to Chicago, Illinois, on temporary duty in connection with the activities of the Office of the Chief of Staff, and upon completion of this temporary duty return to proper station.
2. Travel by air is directed and is necessary to accomplish an emergency war mission.
3. TDN. 501-1 P 432-02 212/50425. The provisions of par. 25, AR 35-4820, 19 April 1945, apply.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. F. McGuire

Adjutant General.



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STANDARD FORM NO. 64

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: Lt. Col. Paul G. Penoyer, San Francisco

DATE: May 26, 1945

FROM: A-D-SWNC - Col. McCarthy

SUBJECT:

12 MAY 26

HAVE BEEN DETAILED ON A SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT
WHICH REQUIRES FREQUENT ABSENCES FROM WASHINGTON
PD WILL YOU ARRANGE TO DEPART FOR WASHINGTON
AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE AFTER EXPLAINING THE
SITUATION TO MR HISS.

McCarthy

A-D-SWNC:VFField:djf

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HEADQUARTERS MILITARY DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
ROOM 5-B-518, THE PENTAGON
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

SPWBG 439

21 May 1945

SUBJECT: Issue of Tobacco Ration Cards.

TO: Lt. Col. Virgil F. Field,
Room 178, State Department,
Washington, D. C.

1. To facilitate the issue of Tobacco Ration Cards (Cir. 135, WD, 1945), officers of the various War Department activities have been designated to issue these cards to officer personnel in their respective activities.

2. Under the provisions of paragraph 7, War Department Circular No. 135, dated 5 May 1945, you are authorized to issue one card to each of the following class of personnel.

- a. Each commissioned and warrant officer on duty in your activity.
- b. One ration card for each adult member of the families referred to in "a" above who are authorized to purchase from a sales commissary. Officers may sign register for dependent's card.

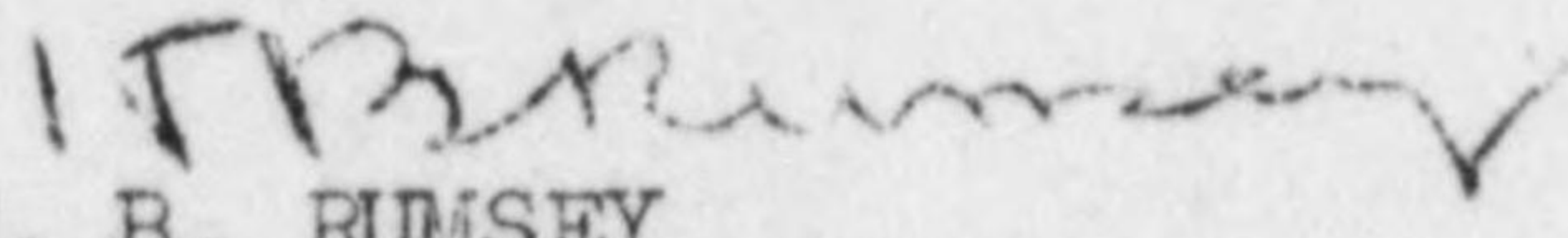
3. Cards will not be issued by you to civilian or enlisted personnel since these classes of personnel are otherwise provided for.

4. Under the provisions of paragraph 8 e, War Department Circular No. 135, 1945, one W.D., A.G.O. Form R-5038 (Tobacco Ration Register) will be completed for registration of officer and one will be completed for dependent personnel.

5. Upon completion of issue of cards, you will return to this headquarter and not later than 7 June 1945, the signed Tobacco Ration Registers together with any unused cards. All cards issued to you must be accounted for either by signature on register, return of those unused, or certificate of destruction for mutilated cards.

6. Any further information desired on the issue of these Tobacco Ration Cards may be obtained by calling Lt. Col. Rumsey, War Department extension 3868.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:


H. B. RUMSEY
Lieutenant Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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O.A.S.W., State Department

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Receipt is acknowledged from Headquarters Military District of Washington of the blank forms listed below: ~~and acquisition of~~

Tobacco Ration Cards M-864804 D Through M-864815 D.

Accountable Officer grade organization

Date

Please return original to --
Commanding General,
Military District of Washington,
Room 5-B-518, The Pentagon,
Washington 25, D. C.

TOBACCO RATION REGISTER

NAME OF INSTALLATION	CLASS OF PERSONNEL	PERIOD FROM: TO:
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THE UNDERSIGNED CERTIFIES THAT HE HOLDS NO OTHER TOBACCO RATION CARD

SERIAL NO. OF CARD	REGISTRANT		SIGNATURE OF REGISTRANT
	NAME (<i>Type or print</i>)	* IDENTIFICATION NO.	

* Army Serial Number, P W Serial Number, Social Security Number, Pay Roll Number, W D Badge Number, or in the case of dependents the name of the person authorized to purchase from the commissary.

HEADQUARTERS
MILITARY DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
Room 5-B-518, The Pentagon
Washington, 25, D. C.

SPWPM 370.01 (15 May 45)

15 May 1945

SUBJECT: Adjusted Service Rating Reports.

TO : State War-Navy Coordinating Committee

1. It is requested that the following information be entered on the attached roster for all personnel of your command or organization, whose records are in your custody, in compliance with RR 1-1 and RR 1-5 as amended:

a. Adjusted Service Rating (total points) to be entered in column headed "Duty".

b. Desires as to retention in service to be indicated in column headed "Arm or Service". The letter "Y" should be used to indicate desire to be retained in service, the letter "N" should be used to indicate desire not to be retained in the service.

c. Physical qualification for overseas service should be entered in column headed Sub Unit "No.". The letter "Q" should be used to indicate personnel physically qualified for overseas service. The letter "D" should be used to indicate personnel physically disqualified for overseas service.

2. The original of the corrected roster should be returned to this headquarters not later than ~~23~~ ^{10 June} May 1945.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Incls.
WD AGO Form No. 305A.

H. E. McCracken
H. E. McCRACKEN *mak*
Captain, AGD
Assistant Adjutant General

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14 May 1945

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MESSAGE:

PREPARATION ADJUSTED SERVICE RATING CARDS REQUIRED AND READJUSTMENT REGULATIONS WILL BE BASED ON RECORDS INDIVIDUAL CONCERNED PD IN CASES OF ABSENCE OF OR INCOMPLETENESS OF RECORDS OR WHEN SHOWING OF RECORDS IS CHALLENGED BY INDIVIDUAL LOCAL CUSTODIAN OF RECORD IS CHARGED WITH DETERMINATION OF DATA ON WHICH ENTRIES ON CARD WILL BE MADE PD IN SUCH CASES HE WILL EXHAUST ALL MEANS OBTAIN CORRECT DATA IN ORDER THAT INTERESTS BOTH GOVERNMENT AND INDIVIDUAL ARE PROTECTED PD FOR THIS PURPOSE CERTIFICATES FROM OFFICERS AND AFFIDAVITS FROM ENLISTED PERS MAY BE ACCEPTED AS TO FACTS PD SUCH DOCUMENTS WILL BE FILED WITH INDIVIDUALS RECORD IN RECORDS JACKET PD EVERY EFFORT WILL BE EXERCISED LOCALLY OBTAIN NECESSARY DATA WITHOUT RESORT TO AFFIDAVITS OR CERTIFICATES END WDGP

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13 MAY 1945

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MESSAGE:

IN COMPUTATION OF CREDIT UNDER RR ONE DASH ONE BRONZE STAR WORN ON AMERICAN DEFENSE
 RIBBON FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE PRIOR TO PEARL HARBOR DOES NOT RPT NOT COUNT AS COMBAT
 DECORATION PD BRONZE SERVICE ARROWHEAD AUTHORIZED CIR FOUR SIX FIVE MD NINE DEC
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MESSAGE:

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 QUOTE SERVICE IN ACTIVE STATUS WITH ARMED FORCES ALLIED NATIONS UNQUOTE END

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Washington 25, D. C., 4 June 1945

PERSONNEL SEPARATED OVERSEAS UNDER
PROVISIONS OF RR 1-1

The following instructions will govern in the separation of personnel overseas under the provisions of paragraph 26, RR 1-1:

1. Enlisted personnel. a. The last sentence of paragraph 12c(2), RR 1-1, will not be applicable to personnel separated overseas in accordance with paragraph 26, RR 1-1.

b. The Adjusted Service Rating Form (WD AGO Form 163) will be stapled, or otherwise securely fastened, to the inside, back cover of the individual's service record.

c. Service records for this personnel will be forwarded to The Adjutant General through normal channels, but in a separate shipment and by the most expeditious manner possible.

2. Officer personnel. a. A code sheet designed substantially in accordance with the attached Officers' Demobilization Code Sheet, WD AGO Form R-5050, and containing all the information set forth thereon will be prepared by the organization processing the officers' separations.

b. The Officers' Demobilization Code Sheet will be prepared at the time the officer begins terminal leave or, if terminal leave is not authorized, at the time the officer is relieved from active service.

c. Completed code sheets will be forwarded daily to theater, defense command, department, and base command headquarters. A weekly shipment of all code sheets received will be made by the headquarters in the most expeditious means possible, to The Adjutant General's Office, Machine Records Branch, Room 1305, Munitions Building, Washington 25, D. C.

(AG 210.8 (25 May 45))

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

OFFICIAL:
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The Adjutant General

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1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL		2. ARMY SERIAL NUMBER		3. GRADE	CODE	
3. AUS GRADE	4. ARM OR SERVICE	5. COMPONENT		4. ARM OR SERVICE	CODE	
6. PLACE OF SEPARATION				5. COMPONENT		
7. YEAR OF BIRTH		8. RACE		6. PLACE OF SEP.		
		WHITE	NEGRO	OTHER (Specify)		
9. REASON AND AUTHORITY FOR SEPARATION				7. YEAR OF BIRTH		
10. DATE TERMINAL LEAVE BEGINS OR DATE ACTIVE DUTY TERMINATED IF TERMINAL LEAVE NOT AUTHORIZED (Day, Month, Year)				8. RACE	9. CAUSE OF SEP.	
11. ESTIMATED DATE OF RELIEF FROM ACTIVE DUTY IF TERMINAL LEAVE AUTHORIZED (Day, Month, Year) (Same as Item 10 if no terminal leave is authorized)				10. DATE TERM. LEAVE		
				DAY	MONTH	YEAR
12. SERVICE CREDIT (No. of months in army since 16 September 1940)				11. DATE OF RELIEF		
				DAY	MONTH	YEAR
13. OVERSEAS CREDIT (No. of months served overseas since 16 September 1940)				12. SERVICE CREDIT		
14. COMBAT CREDIT (No. of Decorations and Bronze Stars since 16 September 1940)				13. OVERSEAS CREDIT		
15. PARENTHOOD CREDIT (No. of children under 18 years old)				14. COMBAT CREDIT		
16. TOTAL ASR CREDITS				15. PARENTHOOD CREDIT		
17. INDICATE "AF" IF OFFICER'S LAST DUTY ASSIGNMENT WAS WITH AIR FORCES				16. TOTAL CREDITS		
18. INDICATE MAJOR COMMAND OR THEATRE OF LAST DUTY ASSIGNMENT (AAF, AGF, ASF, Defense Commands, War Dept. Group or appropriate Theater)				17.	18. MAJOR COM'D	
19. ELECTION TO REMAIN IN SERVICE DURING PRESENT EMERGENCY				19. ELECTION		20. EFF. INDEX
<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO						
20. EFFICIENCY INDEX		21. MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALITY CODE NO. TM 12-406		21. M.O.S. CODE NO.		

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Appendix I

OFFICER'S ADJUSTED SERVICE RATING FORM

Last name		First name		Middle initial	Army serial No.	Grade	Arm or service	
Type of credit						Number	Multiply by	Credits
1. SERVICE CREDIT. (Number of months in Army since 16 Sep 40)								
2. OVERSEAS CREDIT. (Number of months served overseas since 16 Sep 40)								
3. COMBAT CREDIT. (Number of decorations and bronze service stars awarded for service since 16 Sep 40)								
4. PARENTHOOD CREDIT. (Number of children under 18 years old)								
TOTAL CREDITS								

Individual Desires—
to be retained in the service during the present emergency (see par. 4b).

(For those of the above who are interested in Regular Army appointments, further information and an opportunity to apply will be forthcoming.)

Efficiency Index—
(see par. 4c and appendix IA)
(For officers of the AAF, use four (4) digit OER)

Certified by _____
(Officer who prepared form)

OFFICER'S ADJUSTED SERVICE RATING FORM

INSTRUCTIONS

1. EACH OFFICER MUST UNDERSTAND THAT HIS "TOTAL CREDITS" AND DESIRES ARE SECONDARY CONSIDERATIONS TO MILITARY NECESSITY IN DETERMINING WHETHER HE SHALL BE RELEASED OR RETAINED. (See par. 3b.)
2. SERVICE CREDIT. As for enlisted personnel in RR 1-1 and as set forth in paragraph 4a (2) of these regulations.
3. OVERSEAS CREDIT. As 2 above.
4. COMBAT CREDIT. As for enlisted personnel in RR 1-1 with the addition of the Distinguished Service Medal to the awards for which credit will be given.
5. PARENTHOOD CREDIT. As for enlisted personnel in RR 1-1.

**Appendix IA
EFFICIENCY INDEX**

- The following instructions will govern in the computing of efficiency indices (par. 4c):
1. Efficiency indices will be computed for the period of active duty in the Army subsequent to 16 September 1940, or such lesser period for which efficiency ratings are available.
 2. Ratings will be taken from performance of duty ratings on WD AGO Form 66-1 or 66-3.
 3. For the purpose of computing efficiency indices, the following values will be assigned to the ratings as indicated:

SUPERIOR.....	50
EXCELLENT.....	40
VERY SATISFACTORY.....	30
SATISFACTORY.....	20
UNSATISFACTORY.....	-10

4. Efficiency indices will be computed as follows:
E = Efficiency index.
R = Rating value (superior 50, excellent 40, etc.).
M = Number of months for which each rating was given.
T = Total number of months for which a rating is available.

Formula for computing efficiency index:

$$E = \frac{R \times M}{T}$$

For example: The officer has ratings from WD AGO Form 66-1 or 66-3 as follows:

- 10 months Superior.
- 10 months Excellent.
- 2 months Very Satisfactory.
- 2 months unrated.

Total of 22 months rated.

$$E = \frac{10 \times 50 \text{ plus } 10 \times 40 \text{ plus } 2 \times 30}{22}$$

$$E = \frac{960}{22} = 43.6$$

**Appendix II
EXAMPLE OF REPORT**
(See par. 14a)

THEATER OR COMMAND.....
 INFANTRY.....

Grade	Score	Number of officers
Col.....	186	33
	185	147
	184	68
	183	239
	182	167
	181	363
	180	401
	etc.	etc.
		1,418 Total
Lt. Col.....	187	28
	186	142
	etc.	etc.
		170 Total
		1,588 Grand total

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Chief of Staff
Washington 25, D. C.

15 May 45

MEMORANDUM TO ALL AGENCIES OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT GROUPS:
(See Distribution List, Pages 2 and 3)

SUBJECT: Readjustment Regulations 1-1 and 1-5

1. Initial application of Readjustment Regulations 1-1 and 1-5 and the submission of reports for War Department agencies will be as follows:

a. Multiples to be used in determining adjusted service rating scores are as follows:

Type of Credit	Multiple
1. Service Credit	1
2. Overseas Credit	1
3. Combat Credit	5
4. Parenthood Credit	12

b. The head of each agency will complete immediately Adjusted Service Rating Cards (WD AGO Form 163, 1 Feb 45) for enlisted personnel of his organization (with exceptions noted in par 2, below) and Officer's Adjusted Service Rating Form (Appendix 1, RR-1-5) for all officers. Agencies of the War Department Groups may use either (a) Forms reproduced by TAG and obtainable through the Supply Unit, OC/S; (b) for agencies overseas, forms obtained from theater sources; or (c) forms to be reproduced by the agency, if local reproduction is the most practicable method.

c. From the information provided by the completed forms, the head of the agency will prepare the reports indicated in RR 1-1, Change 1, par 29 (for enlisted personnel), and in RR 1-5, par. 14a. and Appendix II (for officers).

d. These reports (b, above) will be forwarded to: The Deputy Chief of Staff, U. S. Army, (Att: Chief, Personnel and Administrative Branch), War Department, Washington, D. C., so as to arrive not later than 10 June 1945.

2. In determining whether or not it is the agency head's responsibility to prepare Adjusted Service Ratings and to make reports on personnel whose duty assignment is with the agency, the following will govern:

a. The agency head is responsible for the required action for:
(a) all personnel filling, as of R-Day plus 10, (22 May 1945), positions

authorized by the published authorization (TAG letter or "Personnel Authorization, WD Groups", Form OCS 59) of grades for his agency, and (b) other personnel whose service records are in his custody as of R-Day plus 10, (22 May 1945). For example, chiefs of WD General Staff Divisions will report for all officers of their divisions; enlisted personnel assigned to the divisions will be reported by the CG, Military District of Washington. The agency maintaining the service records of and exercising command over enlisted personnel will be the reporting agency, regardless of duty assignment of the personnel.

b. Personnel (officer and enlisted) "loaned" or detailed to a WD Group agency will be reported by the command or other activity authorizing the detail, through that command's reporting channels, unless service records have been transferred to the custody of the agency to which detailed.

3. At a later date further instructions will be furnished chiefs of War Department Group agencies regarding the application of subject regulations with respect to declaring personnel surplus or non-essential.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Chief of Staff
Washington 25, D. C.

19 May 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR ALL AGENCIES OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT GROUPS:
(See Distribution List, Page 2)

SUBJECT: Readjustment Regulations 1-1 and 1-5

1. Memorandum from this office, subject as above, 15 May 1945, is corrected as follows:

Paragraph 1d should read "these reports (c, above).....", rather than "these reports (b, above).....".

[In clarification of this matter, it is emphasized that, in accordance with RR 1-1 and 1-5, the reports required by Paragraph 1d, memorandum from this office, are the summaries shown in RR 1-1, Change No. 1, par. 29a (for enlisted personnel); and RR 1-5, par. 14a and Appendix II (for officers). The Adjusted Service Rating, WDAGO 163 (enlisted) and Officer's Adjusted Service Ratings Forms are not to be forwarded; they are to be made a part of the service or personnel records of the individual concerned, in accordance with RR 1-1, par. 12c(2), and RR 1-5, par. 4d(2).]

2. Officer's Adjusted Service Ratings are not to be completed for active and retired officers and warrant officers of the Regular Army, permanent members of the Army Nurse Corps, or general officers of any component. (RR 1-5, par. 1c). Scores for such officers and other information requested by letter, Headquarters, Military District of Washington, 15 May 45, need not be listed on rosters transmitted by that letter.

3. From time to time, agencies of the War Department Groups will be furnished interpretations of Readjustment Regulations issued by the War Department, in the form of mimeographed copies of messages transmitted to theaters, base commands, etc. Copies of all such interpretations issued will be furnished, in order to insure complete coverage. However, not every one will apply to every agency of the War Department Groups. The provisions of each should be studied and applied if pertinent.

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S. T. ADAMS
Lt Colonel, GSC
Chief, Pers & Adm Br

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5 May 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR MISS HOLLOWAY,
Room 904, Walker-Johnson Bldg.

Subject: Courtesy Passes.

1. The following named personnel, military and civilian, have been added to the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, located in Room 178, State Building:

Major William E. Gunther,
1st Lt. Eleanor L. Spittall,
Miss Letitia B. Brown.

2. It is requested that the above named individuals be issued gold border type courtesy passes to State Department Buildings.

VIRGIL F. FIELD
Executive Secretary

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May 1936 to August 1937 - Stenographer, Chase National Bank, 18 Pine Street, New York, New York. 2SC

January to April 1936 - Proofreader, Prentice-Hall, Inc., 70 Fifth Avenue, New York City. 2SC

Claims to have spent 2½ years free time after work assisting her husband in writing, editing and correspondence work in connection with Las Americas, an educational Pan American monthly paper which he publishes.

September 1934 to June 1935 - Teaching fellowship in English and study, College de Jeunes Filles, Pamiers (Ariege), France.

Family Data:

Father: Louis Porcelli, 36 Woodlawn Avenue, Yonkers, New York; birthplace, Italy; U. S. citizen (date and place of naturalization not given.) 2SC

Mother: Marie Porcelli, same address; birthplace, New York City. 2SC

Brothers: Stanley Porcelli (same address as parents')
Robert Porcelli (same address as parents')

Sisters: Euphrasia Porcelli
Dorothy Porcelli

Marital Status: Married 6 April 1940; husband, Gaetano Massa, 98-09 65 Road, Forest Hills, New York. 2SC

Personal Data:

Height: 5'3" Hair: Brown Complexion: Dark
Weight: 118 Eyes: Brown

Languages: Claims good to excellent command of French, Italian and Spanish and fair knowledge of Portuguese.

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 23 April 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR THE OFFICER IN CHARGE:

(1)
 The 201 Records of the War Department on GILDA MASSA, nee Porcelli, 2nd Lt., ASN L-205,480, were reviewed and the following information was obtained for the records:

Birth: 14 May 1913, New York City, New York; race, white. 2SC

Residence: 98-09 65 Road, Forest Hills, New York. 2SC

Education:

Public School No. 169, Audubon Avenue, 169th Street, New York, 4 years. 2SC

School No. 11, Yonkers, New York - 4 years (graduated in 1926). 2SC

Yonkers High School, Yonkers, New York - 4 years (graduated in 1930). 2SC

Cornell University, Ithaca, New York - 4 years (A. B., 1934). 2SC

University of Toulouse, Toulouse, France - 1 year (Certificate, 1935).

Packard Commercial School, New York City - 10 weeks (Diploma, 1935). 2SC

American Institute of Banking, New York City, 2 years (Diploma, 1938). 2SC

Employment:

November 1940 to Date of Enrollment in WAC - Secretary to Corps Area Surgeon, Governors Island, New York. 2SC

August 1937 to November 1940 - Secretary to Manager of Foreign Department, Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York, New York. 2SC

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TITLE	GILDA MASSA, 2nd Lt., ASN L-205480, State-War-Navy Coordinating Comm., Wash., D. C.	INVESTIGATION MADE AT	Washington, D. C., Governors Island, New York, New York City and Ithaca, N. Y.
FILE No.	MDW-c333p; 2SC 332599	CONTROLLING OFFICE	Military District of Washington
DATE	26 April 1945	PERIOD COVERED	1 February 1945 to 16 April 1945
		CASE CLASSIFICATION	Loyalty
		STATUS OF CASE	Closed

REASON FOR INVESTIGATION:

Investigation initiated by the Commanding General, Military District of Washington, based on request contained in letter dated 25 January 1945 from the Executive Secretary of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, Washington, D. C., to determine the suitability of GILDA MASSA, 2nd Lt., for an assignment involving the handling of classified material.

SYNOPSIS:

MASSA, nee GILDA PORCELLI, was born in New York, New York on 14 May 1913 (2SC 17). MASSA attended Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, and was awarded an A.B. degree in the College of Arts and Sciences in June 1934 (2SC 11). MASSA also completed courses at the Packard Secretarial School, New York City in 1935 where she was described as one of the school's best students (2SC 12).

MASSA was employed in secretarial work between 1936 and 1943 by the Chase National Bank and the Manufacturers Trust Company, both of New York City (2SC 13, 14), and as secretary to Colonel C. M. Walson, M. C., Governors Island, N. Y. (2SC 1, 2). Her services with both banks and as secretary to Colonel Walson were described as being satisfactory (2SC 13, 14, 1). She is eligible for rehire at the Manufacturers Trust Company (2SC 3).

Former superiors and co-employees stated MASSA was capable, trustworthy, reliable, discreet and of unquestioned loyalty to the United States (2SC 1, 3, 4, 6). They further stated that MASSA handled classified information where she was formerly employed and was capable and could be trusted with access to similar information in the Army (2SC 1, 3, 6). MASSA's former friends, teachers, neighbors and references corroborated the statements of her former employers with respect to her trustworthiness, discretion, reliability and capability of handling classified information

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Colonel, G. S. C.
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(MDW 2, 2SC 8, 9, 10).

In 1940, MASSA was married to Gaetano Massa, an Italian by birth (MDW 1; 2SC 3, 4, 7, 8). Her husband is a language teacher and between 1941 and 1943, was the publisher of a magazine, "Las Americas" (2SC 3, 4, 7, 8). MASSA assisted her husband in its publication (2SC 3, 7, 8). The magazine was written in Spanish and was designed for the use of high school and college students and teachers of Spanish. It fostered no political ideologies but was solely an educational publication (MDW 3, 4; 2SC 7, 8). Reasons given for the suspension of its publication were the paper shortage (2SC 7) and MASSA's husband's induction in the Army (2SC 8).

Information received from a routine investigation in December 1942, appearing in the files of the Security and Intelligence Division, Second Service Command, was favorable (2SC 15). Files of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and U. S. Civil Service Commission, both of New York City, and the Department of Correction, State of New York, Albany, New York, revealed no record of MASSA. Similar record checks of the Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D. C., Washington, D. C. credit agencies, Military Intelligence, Naval Intelligence, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C., House Committee on Un-American Activities and of the files of the Security and Intelligence Division, Military District of Washington failed to reveal any record of and/or derogatory information concerning MASSA (MDW 5, 6, 7).

MEMOS ATTACHED:

MDW 1 thru 7
2SC 1 thru 17.

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References:

1. Edward F. Moran, Lawyer, Press Building, Binghamton, New York. 2SC
2. Miss Hortense Kinsman, School No. 11, Yonkers, New York. 2SC
3. Max Sherover, 720 Riverside Drive, New York City. 2SC
4. Prof. Lane Cooper, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. 2SC
5. Dr. Albert E. Russell, 140 E. 28th Street, N. Y. C. 2SC
6. Herman Volz, Foreign Credit Division, Chase National Bank, Pine and Nassau Street, New York City. 2SC
7. Andrew L. Gomory, Vice President, Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York City. 2SC
8. Col. C. M. Walson, M. C., Surgeon, Hq. 2nd Service Command, Governors Island, New York. 2SC

Military History:

- 5 May 1943 - Enrolled in grade of Auxiliary, WAAC, at 480 Lexington Avenue, New York, and transferred to Reserve status. Serial No. A-205,480.
- 1 June 1943 - Called to Active duty, Fort Devens, Mass.
- 28 July 1943 - Promoted to T/5
- 16 August 1943 - Transferred to N. Y. Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, New York.
- 6 November 1943 - Promoted to Sgt.

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3 March 1944 - Transferred to 6666 WAC Headquarters Company, APO 534, New York, New York.

30 March 1944 - Transferred to WAC Officer Candidate School, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

14 July 1944 - Honorably discharged in grade of Sgt., Company 1, 22nd Regiment to accept appointment as 2nd Lt. and active duty, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

15 July 1944 - Appointed 2nd Lt. AUS, ASN 205,480, assigned to 3rd WAC Training Center, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

15 January 1945 - Index Sheet this date indicated AG 210.31 Confidential Files, re Orders.

The Washington Desk, The Adjutant General's Office, discloses the following present station and home address: 2nd Lt., State Department, Room 178, Secretary of War Group, Office of the Assistant Secretary of War. Home address: 626 Allison Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Associations:

Y.W.C.A., 53 Street & Lexington Avenue, New York City.

Remarks:

File includes "Personal History Report for War Industries," conducted by Retail Credit Company, New York. This investigation disclosed no derogatory information regarding Identity-Education, Employment; Citizenship-Loyalty; Criminal Record or Personal Character. Report is not dated, but was received by the WAAC Section 11 August 1942.

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Mrs. John T. Bevins, 626 Allison Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., landlady, interviewed by Agent M. R. Kazunas on 15 February 1945, stated in substance:

Lt. MASSA came to live here on the 22nd of January 1945. She was sent here by the Red Cross and informed me that she had been transferred to Washington from Alabama. I believe that she is working in the Old War and Navy Department Building. I do not know what she does. I believe she comes from Yonkers, New York. She appears to be in her early thirties, makes an excellent appearance, and is neat in her dress. She appears to be an intelligent, well educated girl. She spends most of her time in her room writing letters to her husband. She is very quiet and appears to possess tact and discretion. She has told me that she is glad that she joined the WACS, as it makes her feel that she is doing something to aid the War Effort.

Her husband came to visit her from New York and spent one weekend with her. I saw very little of either of them at that time. I have had no reason to test her honesty and I have never heard anything derogatory about her. I have no reason to doubt her loyalty. To my knowledge, she has no acquaintances or friends in the neighborhood.

(3)

Mrs. Concha Romero James, Educational Department, Pan American Union, 17th and Constitution Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., interviewed on 16 April 1945 by this Agent, stated in substance:

"Las Americas" was a small educational publication written in the Spanish language. It was edited in New York City by a young Spanish teacher by the name of Massa. Copies of the publication were received in our department but were not preserved. We made no evaluation of the magazine from the standpoint of its political ideologies. It was an educational publication designed largely for the use of high school and college Spanish teachers.

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I recall the first issue was devoted almost altogether to a biographical sketch in Spanish of the life of General Simon Bolivar. I never met Massa nor do I know anything about him. Personally, I was unable to see how the magazine could have been of much help to a Spanish teacher.

(4)

Miss J. V. Brooks, Librarian, Pan American Union, 17th and Constitution Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., interviewed on 16 April 1945 by this Agent, stated in substance:

I have a rather vague recollection of the publication "Las Americas". It consisted, I believe, of about eight pages printed on glossy paper and was published monthly, during the school year. It's subscription price was \$1 a year. It was designed to aid Spanish teachers and pupils and did not promote any political ideals. Publication ceased sometime in 1943.

We did not retain copies of the publication in our files, as in my opinion it was of insufficient importance for preservation. I don't recall the name of the person or persons who edited and published the magazine. I am reasonably certain that there was no financial gain from its publication, judging from its size, the kind of paper used, and subscription price.

(5)

Files of the Metropolitan Police Department, both Criminal and Subversive, Washington, D. C., checked on 3 February 1945 by Agent J. V. Copley, contained no record of MASSA.

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U. S. Civil Service Commission, New York, N. Y.
Department of Correction, State of New York, Albany, N. Y.

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FILE No.	MDW-c333p; 2SC 332599	CONTROLLING OFFICE	Military District of Washington
DATE	26 April 1945	PERIOD COVERED	1 February 1945 to 16 April 1945
		CASE CLASSIFICATION	Loyalty
		STATUS OF CASE	Closed

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Investigation initiated by the Commanding General, Military District of Washington, based on request contained in letter dated 25 January 1945 from the Executive Secretary of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, Washington, D. C., to determine the suitability of GILDA MASSA, 2nd Lt., for an assignment involving the handling of classified material.

SYNOPSIS:

MASSA, nee GILDA PORCELLI, was born in New York, New York on 14 May 1913 (2SC 17). MASSA attended Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, and was awarded an A.B. degree in the College of Arts and Sciences in June 1934 (2SC 11). MASSA also completed courses at the Packard Secretarial School, New York City in 1935 where she was described as one of the school's best students (2SC 12).

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Former superiors and co-employees stated MASSA was capable, trustworthy, reliable, discreet and of unquestioned loyalty to the United States (2SC 1, 3, 4, 6). They further stated that MASSA handled classified information where she was formerly employed and was capable and could be trusted with access to similar information in the Army (2SC 1, 3, 6). MASSA's former friends, teachers, neighbors and references corroborated the statements of her former employers with respect to her trustworthiness, discretion, reliability and capability of handling classified information

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In 1940, MASSA was married to Gaetano Massa, an Italian by birth (MDW 1; 2SC 3, 4, 7, 8). Her husband is a language teacher and between 1941 and 1943, was the publisher of a magazine, "Las Americas" (2SC 3, 4, 7, 8). MASSA assisted her husband in its publication (2SC 3, 7, 8). The magazine was written in Spanish and was designed for the use of high school and college students and teachers of Spanish. It fostered no political ideologies but was solely an educational publication (MDW 3, 4; 2SC 7, 8). Reasons given for the suspension of its publication were the paper shortage (2SC 7) and MASSA's husband's induction in the Army (2SC 8).

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MEMOS ATTACHED:

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE OFFICER IN CHARGE:

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The 201 Records of the War Department on GILDA MASSA, nee Porcelli, 2nd Lt., ASN L-205,480, were reviewed and the following information was obtained for the records:

Birth: 14 May 1913, New York City, New York; race, white. 2SC

Residence: 98-09 65 Road, Forest Hills, New York. 2SC

Education:

Public School No. 169, Audubon Avenue, 169th Street, New York, 4 years. 2SC

School No. 11, Yonkers, New York - 4 years (graduated in 1926). 2SC

Yonkers High School, Yonkers, New York - 4 years (graduated in 1930). 2SC

Cornell University, Ithaca, New York - 4 years (A. B., 1934). 2SC

University of Toulouse, Toulouse, France - 1 year (Certificate, 1935).

Packard Commercial School, New York City - 10 weeks (Diploma, 1935). 2SC

American Institute of Banking, New York City, 2 years (Diploma, 1938). 2SC

Employment:

November 1940 to Date of Enrollment in WAC - Secretary to Corps Area Surgeon, Governors Island, New York. 2SC

August 1937 to November 1940 - Secretary to Manager of Foreign Department, Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York, New York. 2SC

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May 1936 to August 1937 - Stenographer, Chase National Bank, 18 Pine Street, New York, New York. 2SC

January to April 1936 - Proofreader, Prentice-Hall, Inc., 70 Fifth Avenue, New York City. 2SC

Claims to have spent 2½ years free time after work assisting her husband in writing, editing and correspondence work in connection with Las Americas, an educational Pan American monthly paper which he publishes.

September 1934 to June 1935 - Teaching fellowship in English and study, College de Jeunes Filles, Pamiers (Ariege), France.

Family Data:

Father: Louis Porcelli, 36 Woodlawn Avenue, Yonkers, New York; birthplace, Italy; U. S. citizen (date and place of naturalization not given.) 2SC

Mother: Marie Porcelli, same address; birthplace, New York City. 2SC

Brothers: Stanley Porcelli (same address as parents')
Robert Porcelli (same address as parents')

Sisters: Euphrasia Porcelli
Dorothy Porcelli

Marital Status: Married 6 April 1940; husband, Gaetano Massa, 98-09 65 Road, Forest Hills, New York. 2SC

Personal Data:

Height: 5'3" Hair: Brown Complexion: Dark
Weight: 118 Eyes: Brown

Languages: Claims good to excellent command of French, Italian and Spanish and fair knowledge of Portuguese.

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| 1. Edward F. Moran, Lawyer, Press Building, Binghamton, New York. | 2SC |
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Military History:

- 5 May 1943 - Enrolled in grade of Auxiliary, WAAC, at 480 Lexington Avenue, New York, and transferred to Reserve status. Serial No. A-205,480.
- 1 June 1943 - Called to Active duty, Fort Devens, Mass.
- 28 July 1943 - Promoted to T/5
- 16 August 1943 - Transferred to N. Y. Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, New York.
- 6 November 1943 - Promoted to Sgt.

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3 March 1944 - Transferred to 6666 WAC Headquarters Company, APO 534, New York, New York.

30 March 1944 - Transferred to WAC Officer Candidate School, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

14 July 1944 - Honorably discharged in grade of Sgt., Company 1, 22nd Regiment to accept appointment as 2nd Lt. and active duty, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

15 July 1944 - Appointed 2nd Lt. AUS, ASN 205,480, assigned to 3rd WAC Training Center, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

15 January 1945 - Index Sheet this date indicated AG 210.31 Confidential Files, re Orders.

The Washington Desk, The Adjutant General's Office, discloses the following present station and home address: 2nd Lt., State Department, Room 178, Secretary of War Group, Office of the Assistant Secretary of War. Home address: 626 Allison Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Associations:

Y.W.C.A., 53 Street & Lexington Avenue, New York City.

Remarks:

File includes "Personal History Report for War Industries," conducted by Retail Credit Company, New York. This investigation disclosed no derogatory information regarding Identity-Education, Employment; Citizenship-Loyalty; Criminal Record or Personal Character. Report is not dated, but was received by the WAAC Section 11 August 1942.

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father's U. S. citizenship was something of an accident, since he was born when his parents (Gaetano Massa's grandparents) were in the United States on a visit from Italy.

Gilda MASSA was recommended by Mrs. Bull as capable, intelligent, loyal, and suitable for assignments involving trust.

9. On 16 March 1945, contacted Mr. Lane Cooper, formerly a teacher at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., who reported that he had known MASSA for several years and considered her character, reputation and integrity to be good and believed her entirely loyal to the United States. He would recommend MASSA for a position involving trust and confidence.

10. On 17 March 1945, contacted Miss Hortense Kinsman, teacher of Mathematics, Junior High School, Yonkers, New York, who stated that she had known MASSA for about twenty years, beginning at the time when she was MASSA's teacher in the eighth grade. She gave her a favorable recommendation with respect to character, loyalty, integrity, etc. MASSA is a member of the Catholic Church and related organizations. Miss Kinsman also reported that MASSA was employed by the Chase National Bank and that she is in the army at the present time.

11. On 14 March 1945, G. D. Haupin, assistant registrar, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. was contacted and reported that Gilda Teresa Porcelli was registered in the College of Arts and Sciences during the school years 1930-31, 1931-32, 1932-33, 1933-34 and was awarded an A.B. degree on 18 June 1934; further, that date of birth is recorded as 14 May 1913.

12. On 14 March 1945, M. Lipps, secretary, The Packard School, New York, N. Y., reported that Gilda Porcelli was a student in that school's Intensive Secretarial Course from 3 September 1935 to 12 November 1935 and completed the course. Her work was more than satisfactory in all respects -- in fact, she was one of the school's best students. Date of birth was shown as 14 May 1913.

13. On 14 March 1945, contacted Mr. Willard Schenck, second vice-president, Chase National Bank of the City of New York, who stated that Gilda Teresa Porcelli was employed by that institution from 5 May 1936 to 14 August 1937 as a stenographer in the credit department, and that her services were satisfactory. She

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left to accept another position. Investigation of references prior to employment was favorable. Date of birth was given as 14 May 1913 in New York City.

14. On 7 March 1945, contacted Mr. Ernest H. Lankeau, assistant vice-president, Manufacturers Trust Company, New York, N. Y., who reported that Mrs. Gilda MASSA was employed by that company from 16 August 1937 to 9 November 1940 and resigned of her own accord. Her duties as stenographer were performed in a satisfactory manner and there was nothing derogatory on record.

15. Information in the files of the Security and Intelligence Division, Headquarters, Second Service Command, Governors Island, N. Y. disclosed that on 2 December 1942 a routine investigation of MASSA was made. Information from neighbors and renting agent at 98-06 65th Road, Forest Hills, N. Y. was favorable.

16. Confidential files of the following agencies were checked and no record of MASSA was found:

Federal Bureau of Investigation, New York, N. Y.
U. S. Civil Service Commission, New York, N. Y.
Department of Correction, State of New York, Albany, N. Y.

17. On 19 March 1945 a check of the records of the Department of Health, City of New York disclosed the registration of the birth of Gilda Porcelli to Louis and Marie Porcelli in New York City on 14 May 1913.

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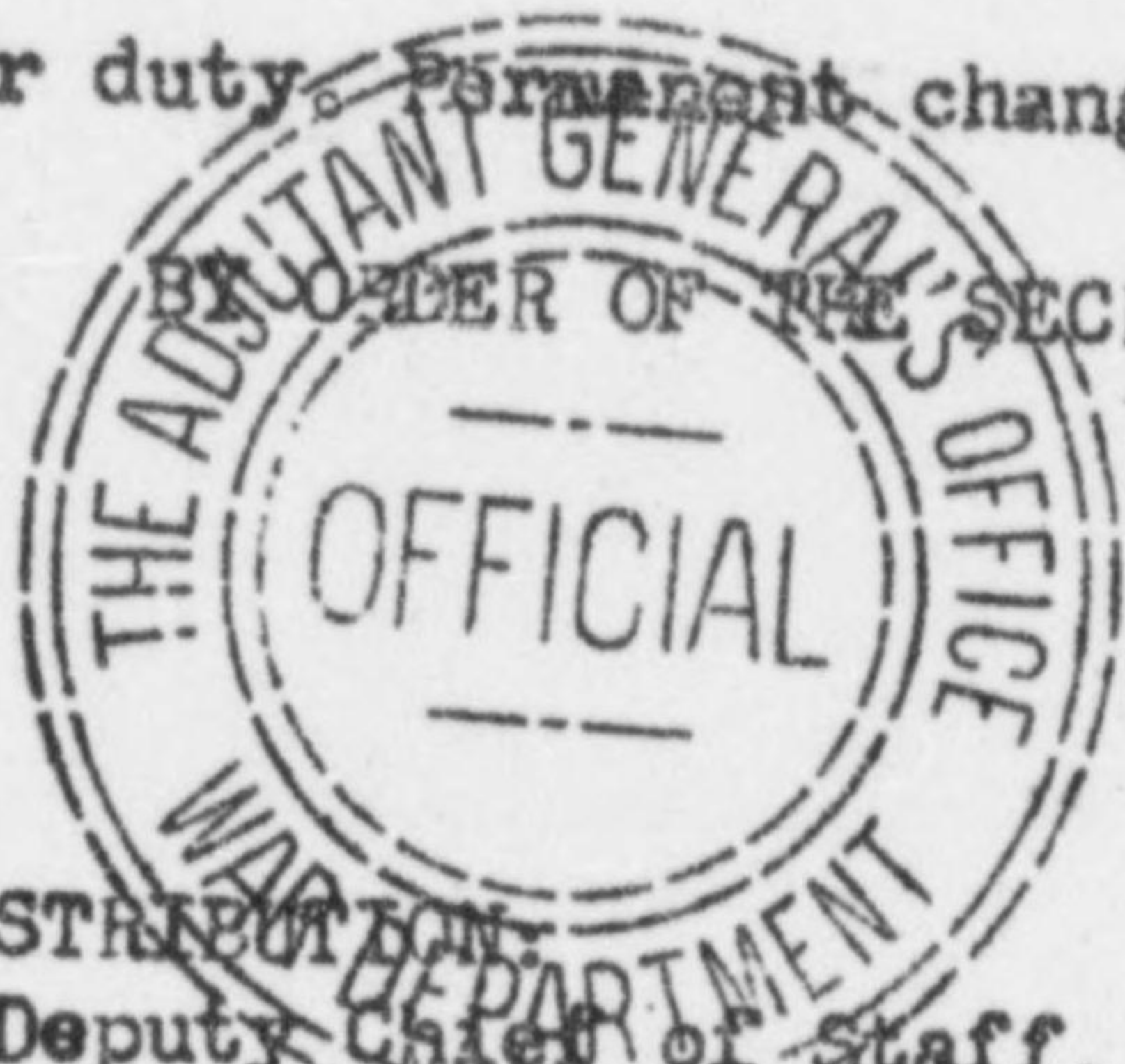
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ADJUTANT GENERAL:

Subject: Reassignment of Major William E. Gunther.

It is requested that the following named officer be assigned to the Secretariat, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, Room 178, State Department Building:

- a. William E. Gunther, Major, O-371771, Field Artillery.
- b. Age: 30 (temporary limited service).
- c. Current assignment: OCS for duty in Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, OPD-WDGS.
- d. This reassignment has the concurrence of A.C. of S., OPD, WDGS (Lt. Colonel James Stack).
- e. A position vacancy exists due to a recent increased allotment.

For the Secretariat, SWNCC:

VIRGIL F. FIELD,
Major, A.G.D.,
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