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Release from Service (Indefinite Leave)

Apr. 1945 - Feb. 1946

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SUBJECT:- Serg. Magg. BIGNOZZI, Mario

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC,
(M.M.I.A.), R O M E.
Tel: 489081 Ext: 380.

✓ A/218

27 Feb 46.

To : Ministry of War.

1. The a/n NCO has been employed as Chief Clerk with 808 CS Bn since Mar 45. According to your letter 145111/PAV/2 dated 7 Jan 46 he should have been discharged with the 1914 class.
2. His unit has now applied to retain him as he would be difficult to replace. He has a good command of English and is conversant with the office routine.
3. The NCO himself is quite willing to remain with the Unit.
4. Please let us have your view on this matter.

f. B. Wilson Capt.
Major-General,
M.M.I.A.

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SUBJECT : Request for Release from Military Service.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AG,
(M.M.I.A) R O M E.
Tel: 489081 Ext: 380.

A 218

26 Feb. 46.

TO : Ministry of War.

The application of S/Lieut. Med. NIKITA, MALTZEV is forwarded to you for any action you may consider necessary.

H. Wilson Capt.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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(Translation)

218
Rome, 25 Feb 1946

SUBJECT: Request of Release from Military Service,
2nd Lt. Med. NIKITA, MALTZEFF.

TO : THE MINISTRY OF WAR,
Direziono Generale Personale Militare,
Ufficiali.

The undersigned 2nd Lt. Medical Nikita, MALTZEFF, born in Rome the 25th of June 1918, belonging to the military Department of Rome I, having accomplished, on February 6th 1946, one year of military service at military hospitals: Auxiliary N° 429 (in Zone of Operations Military Hospital of Merano and of Verona (S. Bonifacio Section), asks to be released from military service because of his father's bad health (Medical Statement attached), in order to maintain his old Parents and a young brother, who all are unable to do any work and cannot be maintained by anybody else.

Nikita Maltzeff
2nd Lt. Med. N. MALTZEFF

Via Francesco Berni, No. 9
Roma.

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(Translation)

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Roma, 25 Febbraio '46

SOGGETTO : Richiesta di esonero dal Servizio Militare,
S/Ten Medico Nikita, MALTZEFF.
AL : MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA,
Direzione Generale Personale Militare, Ufficio
II.

Il sottoscritto S. Ten. Med. MALTZEFF, Nikita, nato a Roma il 25 Giugno 1918, appartenente al Distretto Militare di Roma I, avendo compiuto il 6 Febbraio c.m. un anno di servizio militare ospedaliero presso gli Ospedali Militari : Ausiliario N° 429 (in Zona di Operazioni), Militare di Merano e Militare di Verona (Sezione di S. Bonifacio) fa domanda di essere esonerato dal servizio militare per ragioni di famiglia gravi : essendo il di lui padre, già 65enne e in cattive condizioni di salute (Certificato Medico allegato) da qualche tempo inabile al lavoro ed al mantenimento suo, della propria moglie e di un figlio 9enne ancora inabile al lavoro e che frequenta le scuole elementari.

Il sottoscritto oltre ad essere l'unica persona in grado di prendere il posto di capo famiglia è anche in grado di ottenere subito un proficuo lavoro, essendo richiesto presso due Ospedali Civili di Provincia di Spoleto dove può anche lavorare come medico condotto, rimediando in tal modo al grave disassetto finanziario nel quale versa la sua famiglia, ed menzionata.

Nikita Maltzeff
MALTZEFF, Nikita,
S/Ten. Medico
(Verona, S. Bonifacio.)
Osp. Militare.
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Si prega di rivolgersi alla
famiglia del sottoscritto:
n. 9, Via Francesco Berni, Roma

AFHQ LIAISON OFFICE
I.A.I. = RAAC
Tel. 478.897

RECEIVED 23 FEB 1946
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No 2627

22 February 1946

SUBJECT: Sjt. major BIGNOZZI Mario.

TO : Land Forces Sub-Commission
(M.M.I.A.) HQ A.C.

See also folio 116.

1. The a/m Italian W.O. has been employed as Chief Clerk by this office with 808 CS Bn since Mar. 45.
2. According to instructions from the Italian War Ministry he was to be discharged with his class (1914) but the matter was taken up with AFHQ with a view to retaining him for this office, where he is essential. Owing to his knowledge of English and of the work involved, he would be difficult to replace. It is understood that Lt.Col. YOUNG, G-2(CI) AFHQ, took up the matter with your office, by telephone.
This W.O. is willing to remain with this unit.
3. It would be very much appreciated if you could inform this office whether the Italian War Ministry has sanctioned his retention.

Present to Mr. W. 9/20

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J. H. Morris

Capt.
AFHQ LIAISON
(IAI).

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SUBJECT: - Release of Italian POW.

RECEIVED 4 FEB 1946
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TO: - Headquarters,
No. 2 District.

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30 Jan 46

MARSA MATRUH

A.
How

1. Authority is given for the release of the above named Italian held in No. 1 POW Rpts & Holding Centre.
2. It is requested that you make all the necessary arrangements for his release.

R. E. Cucki
Major General,
R.A.C.

GRD/M.

COPY TO: - 324(GI) (For CEL. 359.502/2.M of 24 Jan refers.)
GIC, 2nd Division.
Headquarters, Allied Commission.
No. 1 POW Rpts & Holding Centre.
(For 1886/2/A of 15 Jan refers.)

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TRANSLATION

From: S.M.R.E.

Ref: 27159/2-P.M.

To: C.C.RR G.H.Q.

Date: 31/1/46

Subject: Major FANTONI Renato- Capt DE RENZI Alfredo- 2nd Lt
CAZZAROLI Giov. Battista.-

For information to M.M.I.A.

As it is known, this office 3I" (808 C.S. Bn) approached the Allied Command concerned for the liberation of the a/m officers.

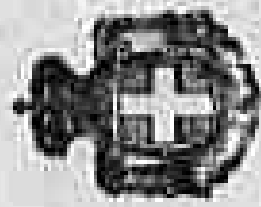
With letter CBI-389.701/PE/604 dated 2th inst, copy attached (with translation), A.F.H.Q., accepting the proposals received has issued instructions to the Allied Command concerned for the release of the a/m officers, according to the procedure specified in the said letter.

Concerning any further action by you, in accordance with the instructions laid down.

R.E.Cpl

(Sgd) Col. Pompeo Agrifoglio

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STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO

808^a BATTAGLIONE C. S.

Roma, 11 31 gennaio 1946

RISERVATA

N. 27159/2-P.M. di prot.

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OGGETTO: Maggiore FANTONI Renato - Capitano DE RENZI Alfredo -
S. Tenente CAZZAROLI Giov. Battista.-

AL COMANDO GENERALE DELL'ARMA DEI CC.RR. R O M A

e, per conoscenza:

- H.Q. Allied Commission,
- Land Forces Sub-Commission,
- M.M.I.A.

R O M A

Come già noto, questo Ufficio "I" (808 C.S.Bn.) interessa il competente Comando Alleato per la liberazione degli ufficiali in oggetto.

L'Allied Force Headquarters, con il foglio CBI-389.701/PF/604 del 26 corrente che si trasmette in copia (con allegata traduzione), accogliendo le proposte ricevute ha impartito disposizioni ai competenti Comandi Alleati per il rilascio dei predetti ufficiali secondo le modalità specificate nel foglio stesso.

Per quanto di ulteriore competenza di codesto Comando Generale in ordine alle disposizioni predette.-

TRANSLATION

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IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO
-Pompeo Agrifoglio-

N.27159/2-P.M. di prot.

OGGETTO: Maggiore FANTONI Renato - Capitano DE RENZI Alfredo -
S.Tenente CAZZAROLI Giov. Battista.-

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Per quanto di ulteriore competenza di codesto Comando
Generale in ordine alle disposizioni predette.-

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IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO
=Pompeo Agri foglio=

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AFHQ Liaison Office
I.A.I. & RAAC

No. 2422

9 January 1946

SUBJECT: Serg.magg. BIGNOZZI Mario.

TO : G-2(CI), AFHQ.

1. With letter No. 145111/PAV/2 dated 7 Jan 46, the Italian General Staff has ordered the discharge of Serg.magg. Mario BIGNOZZI.
2. The a/m Italian NCO is at present performing the duties of chief clerk in the AFHQ Liaison Office - I.A.I.
3. His long experience with the work of this Office, his perfect knowledge of English and Italian make him absolutely indispensable to this unit and it is felt that his release would cause very serious difficulty to the work of this office, which is already under-staffed.
4. Further more it is emphasized that while it is impossible to get a suitable replacement from Italian sources Serg.magg. BIGNOZZI is already included in the strength of the 808 CS Bn and his staying with this office will not increase the number of Italian personnel in the establishment of the 808 CS Bn.
5. It is strongly requested that Serg.magg. BIGNOZZI be retained in the Army for at least six months, on operational grounds.

Amnt AFHQ application

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*No action
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Spencer
Capt.

AFHQ LIAISON
(IAI).

Copy to: M.M.I.A.,

808 CS Bn.

TRANSLATION

FROM: H.Q. Rome military District

REF: 7040/F.A.

TO: Reserve officers office
M.M.I.A. for info.

DATE: 18.12.45

SUBJECT: Placing on reserve of an officer

2/Lieut., Infantry, Reserve, TORRUSI Aldo is placed on reserve
w.e.f. 10.12.45, as ordered by the Ministry of War in the letter
referred to (4/18479 of 17.12.45).

The Officers on reserve office will arrange for the
forwarding of the discharge documents to the Milan Military
Territorial Command.

The Officers on reserve office will, moreover, inform the
Ministry of War of the completion of the matter.

Sgd. STORTI

Col.

O. Danin Cpl.

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O. Danin Cpl.

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Ref: 412/317

31st December, 1945

To: Land Forces Sub-Commission
(M.M.I.A.)
Allied Commission
ROME

From: I.S.L.D.
Rome Area Allied Command

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Herewith letter from the COMANDO DISTRETTO MILITARE DI ROMA
which we have been asked to pass on to you.

Alunt
Major
I.S.L.D.

TRANSLATION

101 { Date 18.12.
Date 31/1/46.

102 { Title

RECEIVED 4465

MC/cp.

COMANDO DISTRETTO MILITARE DI ROMA
Ufficio Forze Assente

N° 7040 T.A. di Prot. Roma, lì 18 dicembre 1945

O G G E T T O : Collocamento in congedo Ufficiale.-

e, per conoscenza:

ALL'UFFICIO UFFICIALI IN CONGEDO
S E D E

AL S. TENENTE PER. CPL. TORRUSIO ALDO
Via Leopardi n°9

M I L A N O

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Direz. Gen. Pers. Ufficiali Div. Movimento Sez. IV
R O M A
(Rif. f. n. 4/18479 del 17/12/1945)

AL LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.E.I.A.)

R O M A

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI
M I L A N O

Il S. Tenente Fanteri Complemento TORRUSIO ALDO
è collocato in congedo sotto la data del 10 dicembre 1945,
come disposto dal Ministero della Guerra col Dispaccio a
cui si fa riferimento.

L'Ufficio Ufficiali in congedo provvederà per
l'invio del documento di congedo dell'Ufficiale al Coman-
do Militare Territoriale di Milano.

L'Ufficio Ufficiali in congedo inoltre farà
conoscere al Ministero della Guerra gli estremi dell'ate-
tuazione del provvedimento.-

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IL COLONNELLO COMANDANTE
(Pio Storti)

Storti

Via Leopardi n. 98

M I L A N O

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Direz. Gen. Pers. Ufficiali Div. Movimento Sez. IV

R O M A

(Rif. f. n. 4/18479 del 17/12/1945)

AL LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.N.I.A.)

R O M A

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI

M I L A N O

Il S. Tenente Panteri Complemento TORRUSIO Aldo
è collocato in congedo sotto la data del 10 dicembre 1945,
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IL COLONNELLO COMANDANTE
(Pio Storti)

Storti

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INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

FROM : Maj. PEARCE

27 Dec. 45

TO : Capt. BALFOUR

SUBJECT : Retention of Serg. PREAULI RENZO

Herewith copy of our A 218 dated 9 Nov. 45 and reply
received from Ministry of War.

JAL Pearce
J.A.G. PEARCE, Major,
M.M.I.A.

JACP/mar.

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Translation

From M. of W.

To M.M.I.A.

Ref. 36138

Date 18/12/45.

Subject Sgt. PREMULI Renzo - 1920 class.

We regret that we are unable to adhere to the request to retain Sgt PREMULI Renzo in the army; due to the present surplus in the W/E of N.C.O's (regarding this, arrangements are being made to reduce the number of N.C.O's at present in the service even if they are young and not entitled to a pension) and because-as you know-the demobilisation of a class must include all personnel belonging to this class, it is absolutely forbidden to retain personnel belonging to an already discharged class in the army, specially if they are not regular army N.C.O.'s.

We; in order to meet the wish expressed by you, could authorise Sgt. PREMULI to be retained as a junior N.C.O., when PREMULI makes normal application to relinquish his present rank and re-enlist for a year, he will be re-enlisted as a normal tradesman volunteer, with the rank of L/Sgt.

DAK

E. Gugusi,

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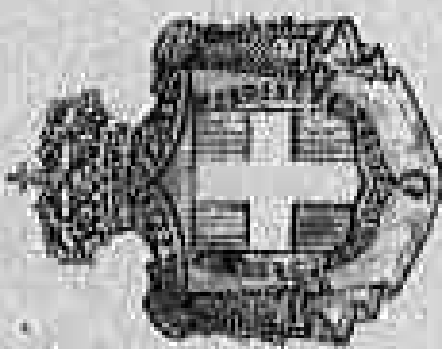
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Translata
Roma, 18 DIC 1912

ALL LA LAND FORCES SUB. COMM.
A.C. (M.N.I.A.)

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P.I.

Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

Divisione Sott. Sec. 1^a

Prot. N. 35138 Allegati

OGGETTO : Serg. PREMULI Renzo - cl. 1920.

Questo Ministero è spiacente di non poter aderire alla richiesta di trattenimento alle armi del sergente

PREMULI Renzo

sia per l'attuale esuberanza negli organici dei sottufficiali (per cui sono allo studio provvedimenti atti a ridurre il numero dei sottufficiali in effettivo servizio anche se giovani di età e non aventi diritto al trattamento di quiescenza) sia perchè - come è noto a questa Commissione - la smobilitazione di una classe deve avvenire per tutto il personale dell'Esercito appartenente a tale classe, con tassativo divieto di trattenere alle armi militari di classi già congedate specie se sottufficiali non in carriera continuativa.

Questo Ministero, tuttavia, per venire incontro al desiderio espresso da codesta Commissione, potrebbe autorizzare il trattenimento in servizio del PREMULI in qualità di graduato di truppa, qualora il PREMULI rinunzi con regolare domanda al grado che attualmente riveste ed assuma la ferma di un anno. Egli verrebbe riassunto in servizio, quale volontario ordinario specializzato, con il grado di caporal maggiore.

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P. IL MINISTRO
(EFISIO CUGUSTI)

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Rob. Bolchini
Cap. 12/12
Eg. 12/12

OGGETTO : Ser. PREMULI Renzo - cl. 1920.

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PREMULI Renzo

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P. IL MINISTRO
(EFISIO GUGUSTI)

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TRANSLATION.

FROM : Ministry of War - Direz. Gen. Pers. Uff.14
TO : Hq. Military District - ROME
INFO : M.M.I.A.

Ref. No. 4/18479

Dated : 17 Dec.45

SUBJECT : Release of officers.

has waited
This Ministry state the release of the u/m officer, in
accordance with the circ.letter 4154/250/2 of 11/10/45 :

S.Ten. Inf. TORRUSIO ALDO,

interpreter officer of the M.M.I.A.

Please ensure ~~of that~~ informing us of the date when the provision
comes into effect.

Please take the above officer on the attached strength, as he
was until 10/10/45 in service of the M.M.I.A., and pass the documents
to the Military District of MILANO, where the above named officer has
decided to live.

Seen by 22.12.45

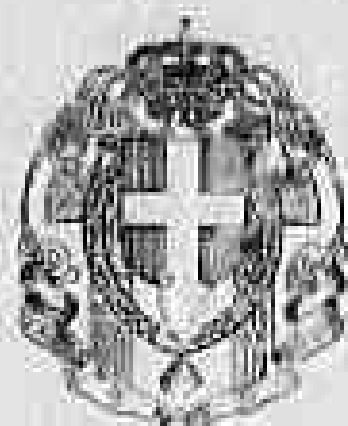
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for the Ministry

Sgd : Gen. do DIV. G. Falugi

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZ. GEN. PERS. UFF. LI

Divisione MOV. Sec. IV

Orat. N. 4/186/79 Allegati

Risposta al f. del

Dir. Sec. N. 6

Roma.

17 DIC. 1945

COMANDO DISTRETTO MILITARE

OGGETTO: Collocamento in congedo ufficiale

ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
COMILITER

ROMA

MILANO

Questo Ministero determina il collocamento in congedo del settonotato ufficiale, ai sensi della circolare 4154/250/2 dell'11.10.45.

S.Ten.ftr.cpl. TORRUSIO Aldo
ufficiale interprete presso la M.M.I.A.

Assicurare comunicando la data di attuazione del provvedimento.

Codesto Distretto assuma l'ufficiale nella forza assente essendo stato fino al 10.12.45 in servizio alla M.M.I.A. e trasmetta i documenti al Distretto Militare di Milano, dove l'interessato ha già eletto domicilio.

p. IL MINISTRO
(Gen. di DIV. G. Falugi)

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TRANSLATION

From : Min of War

To : Rome Military District

Subject : Engineers Lieut. Giuseppe PIERI (reserve officer).

Ref : 2/27178/mov.

Dtd : 21 Nov 45

This Ministry hereby authorises the discharge from the service, of Engineers Lieutenant Giuseppe PIERI, Class of 1903, for reasons of superannuation as laid down in circular 4154/250/2 dtd 11 Oct 45 (subaltern : 40 years of age).

Kindly carry out the above, and inform this office upon completion.

For the Minister,
sgd. Gen Falugi.

From : Min of War

To : MMIA

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Ref : 133631/PAV/1

Dtd : 3 Dec 45

Further to letter No. 132917/PAV/1 dtd 13 Oct 45, the above is forwarded for due information.

RFS/Vigneri

No action
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sgd. Lieut. Col. Renato de ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~
Francesco.

NTA

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COPIA

Dante H. L.

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI
Divisione Movimento - Sezione 4^a

N.2/27178/Mov. di prot.

OGGETTO : Tenente genio cpl. PIERI Giuseppe.
Roma - 21 novembre 1945

AL COMANDO DEL DISTRETTO MILITARE DI
e, per conoscenza:

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI
(Alf. Fon. 14071/21 del 5.11.1945)
ALLO S.M.R.D. - Ufficio Informazioni

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S E D E

Questo Ministero determina il collocamento in congedo del tenente genio complemento PIERI Giuseppe, cl. 1903, per superati limiti di età previsti dalla circolare 4154/250/2 dell'11.10.1945 (subalterni:anni 40).
Dare esecuzione al provvedimento ed assicurare comunicandone la data di attuazione.

P. IL MINISTRO

f.to Gen. G. Falugi

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
Ufficio Informazioni
RISERVATO

N.133631/PAV/1 di prot.

Roma - 3 dicembre 1945



ALLA S.T.S.C. (A.C.) M.M.I.A.
Via Veneto - ex Palazzo delle Corporazioni

ALL'UFF. AMM. NE PERS. MILIT. VARI
Sezione Matricola

R O M A

S E D E

.... per conoscenza, a seguito foglio n. 132917/PAV/1 in data 13.10.1945.



d'ordine
TEN. COL. VICE CAPO UFFICIO
(Renato De Francesco)

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AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI
(Rif. fon. 14071/21 del 5.11.1945)
ALLO S.M.R.E. - Ufficio Informazioni

ROMA

SEDE

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Dare esecuzione al provvedimento ed assicurare comunicazione la
data di attuazione.

P. IL MINISTRO
f.to Gen. G. Falugi

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
Ufficio Informazioni
 RISERVATO

N.138631/PAV/1 di prot.

Roma - 3 dicembre 1945

A.

➔ ALLA S.F.S.C. (A.C.) M.M.I.1.
Via Veneto - ex Palazzo delle Corporazioni
ALL'UFF. AMM. NE PERS. MILIT. VARI
Sezione Matricola

ROMA

SEDE

.... per conoscenza, a seguito foglio n. 132917/PAV/1 in data 13.10.1945.



d'ordine
TEN. COL. VICE CAPO UFFICIO
(Renato De Francesco)

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Data 6/12

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Subject : Request for demobilisation and release.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E
Tele: 489.081 Ext. 330

✓ A 218

3 Dec. 45.

To : Ministry of War

The enclosed applications, received at this HQ, are forwarded to you for action as considered necessary.

JAC Pearce
J.A.C. PEARCE, Major,
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

JACP/er

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

SUBJECT: - Release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds.

M.M.I.A.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

3897/A2.

23 Nov 45.

The attached documents are forwarded for disposal as the men concerned are presumed to be now in the Italian Army.

/DDKT.

Encl.

A
J. Daines Capt
Major General,
DAG.

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM : MMIA

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
01 1100 A

TO : 7 BLU

REF A 1374 (.)

UNCLASSIFIED

REGRET THAT REQUEST TO RETAIN LT INNOCENTI CANNOT BE
AUTHORIZED

PRECEDENCE : ROUTINE

AUTHENTICATED : B. Wilson. Capt.

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FILE A 118

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LROF V MJFV 290045

FROM 7 BRITISH LIAISON UNITS 29 NOVEMBER 1945
TO "A" MMIA

GR-- ET

UNCLASS. LT INNOCENTI DUE FOR RELEASE FROM ARMY PD REQUEST
THAT IN VIEW OF HIS KNOWLEDGE OF POSITION HERE MAY HE BE ALLOWED
TO REMAIN IN THIS OFFICE UNTIL 7 BLU IS FUNCTIONING PD HE COULD
THEN OBTAIN HIS DISCHARGE THROUGH 7 TERRITORIAL COMMAND

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SENT 45 KGR AR TKS K
RECD AT 1305A JS B2



(105)
Subject: Release of officers from Italian Army - Captain
GATTA.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E
Tel: 489081 Ext: 380
A 218

26 Nov '45.

To : HQ,
60 Base Depot Coy.,
A.P.O. 782

(104)
Reference your letter of 15 Nov 45 to SMRE.

1. We have been informed by SMRE that this officer has in fact already been released from the service.
2. It is pointed out that all communication with SMRE should be transmitted through this HQ.

JAC Pearce Mrs 4452
J.A.C. PEARCE, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

JACP/ccc.

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HEADQUARTERS
60TH BASE DEFCT COMPANY
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 782

218.

File 104
Capt. Pacini's
Interpreter File

15 November 1945

SUBJECT: Release from the Army of Capt. Guglielmo Gatta.

TO : Stato Maggiore, Regio Esercito (S. M. R. E.)
Ufficio Interprete, Roma.

1. It is understood that on request dated 11 October 1945 to have Capt. Guglielmo Gatta released from the Army has been sent to you by Comando Militare Territoriale di Bari - Ufficio Personale on 8 November 1945.

2. A quick action taken on this release would be appreciated as the services of Capt. Gatta are needed by this Command as a civilian.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

WALTER P. HANEY,
WO (JC) U.S.A.
Adjutant.

the info after office already discharged
from Capt. Pacini's STATE has brought in this letter)
60 PDG, informed
The 24/11/45

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Subject : Sergente FERRARI RENZO

Land Forces Sub Comm. A0.
(M.M.I.A.) ROME

A 218

9 Nov. '45

To : Ministry of War

Sergente FERRARI RENZO who has been employed with 'A' Mess, BMIA, for the last year, is due for demobilization with the 1920 Class.

His release would be a great loss to the Mess as he has carried out a responsible task with great efficiency and can be relied on in every way. I therefore should be very grateful if it would be possible for you to help him on in the Army, in his present work, in spite of the demobilization of his class. He is, I understand, willing to continue in service as a volunteer.

J.A.C. Pearson My
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

JACR/or

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Translation

From: Mr. of W

Ref. No. 42791 102

To: H.Q. 772nd Drivers Co.

Date: Nov. 5, 1945

Roccarainola (Sicily)
MMA for info.

Subject: Pvt. Antonio Navarre, class of 1914.

98 Having noted the contents of the above letter (Translation's note: no reference concerning this letter is visible on original), we point out that your H.Q. should have informed the soldier in question of the contents of ~~the~~ letter No. 42791 dated October 17, 1945 from this Ministry, requesting him to forward the application for repatriation to Tripolitania to MMA through the H.Q. of the Military District in the town where he now resides.

Please take the necessary action in the matter in the event that the soldier in question is still to travel to Tripolitania.

Signed: 4412 Col. F. Polito

W. C. [Signature]

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TRANSLATION

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4/11

COMANDO DELLA 772^a
COMPAGNIA AUTIERI
ROCCARATNOLA
(Benevento)

Restaurante del
Vino de la

R O M A
P.M. 126

P.M. 126

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Polito

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UNCLASSIFIED

REPLYING YOUR SIGNAL. HQ7 DATED 29 OCT(.)
HAVE CONTACTED SURE (.) NO EXCEPTION CAN MADE IN THIS CASE (.) ONLY WAY
THIS HQO CAN REMAIN IN ABSE IS TO RE-ENLIST AS A VOLUNTEER IN THE RANK
OF PRIVATE

IMMEDIATE

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HEADQUARTERS
P.B.S. SOUTHERN DISTRICT

218 (100) #

CLASSIFICATION

File No. _____

Date of Basic Letter _____

Subject: Release of Italian PW (Guisippe Sesia & Pietro Colonia)

Number each memo consecutively. Fill in each column, initial action, draw one line across the sheet. Use the entire width of sheet for long memoranda.

No.	Date	From	To	
1	8 Oct 45	PM (S)	PM PBS	For your information and action deemed necessary. For the Provost Marshal: <i>Pennell</i> PENNELL/Admin O
2	11 Oct 1945	PM	MMIA Liaison O	Forwarded for action deemed necessary. For and in the absence of the Provost Marshal: <i>William H. Day</i> WILLIAM H. DAY, Major, RA, Executive Officer.
3	11 Oct 1945	MMIA LO Penbase	MMIA Rome	Forwarded for action deemed necessary. <i>Ira V. Fordyce</i> Ira V. Fordyce Captain Inf. Liaison Officer

Forwarded to GHR, GI (Bait)

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Classification

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IMMEDIATE

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NWPS V MBDO 30 IMMEDIATE
FROM 50 BRITISH LIAISON UNIT 291925 A
TO ~~MMIA~~
GR --- BT

A 407 (.) UNCLASSIFIED (.)
THE FSS FRIULI HAVE AN NCO SGT MAGG REALE LUIGI WHO IS DUE
KKEX FOR DISCHARGE FROM THE AR MY WITH CLASS 1913 (.)
HE IS FULLY TRAINED IN FSS WORK AND ATTENDED A COURSE AT EIGHTH ARMY
INT TRAINING SCHOOL AT RAVENNA (.)
IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT SMRE WILL MAKE NO EXCEPTIONS AND ALL DUE
FOR DISCHARGE MUST GO (.) THE OR HAS NO OBJECTIONS TO REMAINING
IN THE ARMY AND IT IS THEREFORE REQUESTED THAT AUTHY
BE GIVEN FOR HIS RETENTION UNTIL A TRAINED REPLACEMENT
CAN BE PROVIDED
BT

SENT NR 30 SCC AT 300011 AR K

RECD NR30 30/0011/10 FA AR



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TRANSLATION

From : M of War

To : HQ 772 Artisan Coy.

Copy to MMIA.

218 Ref : 42791

Dtd : 17 Oct 45

Subject : Private Antonio NAVARRA.

We beg you to arrange for Private Antonio NAVARRA to write a request, addressed to MMIA, Rome asking permission to embark for Tripolitania, for the following reason:-

his wife, having to undergo an urgent abdominal operation, he must take over the farm which she administers.

Your HQ will then take immediate steps for the sending of the said request directly to MMIA.

The Chief Departmental Director.

sgd. illegible.

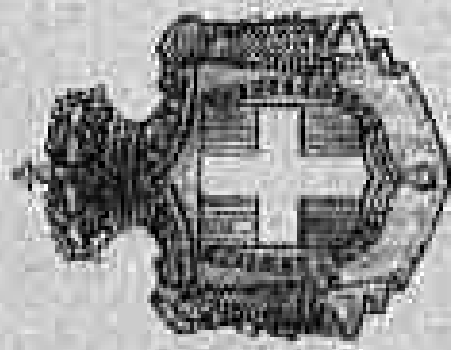
B/S. Vigari

Good

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

Divisione Gruppo. Sec. 1°
Ind. N. 42791 Allegati

OGGETTO : soldato NAVARRA Antonio.

e, per conoscenza:

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.O. (M.M.I.A.)

(rif. lett. n. A/218 del 27/9/45)

ALL'UFFICIO AUTONOMO RENDICI PRIGIONIA E RINCHIESTA

(rif.lett. n.428625 del 9 corr.)

AL COMANDO 277° DIVISIONE AMMINISTRATIVA

ROMA

SEDE

P.M.136

Si prega far compilare dal soldato NAVARRA Antonio una domanda indirizzata alla Land Forces Sub Commission A.O. (M.M.I.A.) - Roma, e tendente ad ottenere l'autorizzazione ad imbarcarsi per la Tripolitania, ciò perchè, dovendo sua moglie essere sottoposta ad urgente operazione all'addome, egli dovrà prendere in consegna la fattoria da lei gestita.

Cotesto comando provvederà quindi ad inviare subito la domanda stessa direttamente alla predetta sottocommissione.

IL DIRETTORE C.D. DIVISIONE

[Signature]
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ALLA LARDE FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.K.I.4)
(rif. lett. n. A/218 del 27/9/45)

(rif. lett. n. A/218 del 27/9/45)

ATTIVITÀ AUTONOMA DEGLI INFERMIERI E ASSISTENTI

(x12.lett. n.428625 del 9 corr.)

AL COMANDO 227^o DIVISIONE AUTOTRATTIVA

Si prega far compilare dal soldato BAVARA Antonio una domanda indirizzata alla Lord Person Sub Commission A.O. (M.M.I.A.) - Roma, e tendente ad ottenere l'autorizzazione ad imbarcarsi per la Tripolitania. Ciò perchè, dovendo sua moglie essere sottoposta ad urgente operazione all'addome, egli dovrà prendere in consegna la fattoria da lei gestita.

Cotesto comando provvederà quindi ad inviare subito la domanda stessa direttamente alla predetta sottocommissione.

THE DIRECTOR OF DIVISIONS

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Subject: Release from Service - Italian Military.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) RO ME

A 218

17 Oct. '45.

To : Ministry of War.

1. The attached signal sent direct to this HQ by Rome Military District is forwarded for information and action.
2. You are again requested to instruct Commander, Rome Military District and all other Territorial and District HQs that this HQ should only be approached through Ministry of War channels.
3. Future correspondence emanating from Territorial and District HQs will not be dealt with by this HQ.

R.E.H.
R.E. HECTOR, S/Captain.
For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

REH/ccc.

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Subject : Italian Army - Release.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A/218

29 Sep. '45.

To : Ministry of War.

Sold. VIARDI, Mariano.

The attached correspondence requesting that the above named soldier be discharged from Italian Army is forwarded to you for whatever action you consider necessary. It is noted that there are four other sons of the family, who are working on the land.

SP Archw...
Major General,
M.M.I.A. 4440

SPA/er.

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TRANSLATION.

From: Rome Military District H.Q.

To: m.m.i.e.

Hasten the return of Sgt. Cupri Antonio (class 1917)
to this district, as he must be discharged on the 15th Inst. ~~with~~
in accordance with instructions in force. Sgd. ???

Fabre/Carter.

[Handwritten signature]

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Ref: 5751/REP

Date:

*Original
passed to [unclear]
plus [unclear]
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HEADQUARTERS MTOUSA
OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL
(Prisoner of War Information Bureau)
APO 512 U. S. Army

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RED/nlc
(98)

24 September 1945

PWIB 20-374

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence

TO: Director, Land Forces Sub-Commission for (MMIA)
Allied Commission
APO 394, U. S. Army

1. Attached, for any action deemed necessary, is correspondence concerning a request for the release of VIARDI, Mariano.
2. This office has no record of VIARDI as having been a prisoner of war in United States custody.

FOR THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL:

1 Incl
Corres re:
VIARDI, Mariano

Bernard Mark
BERNARD MARK
Captain, CMP
Director

ORIGINALS SENT
TO HQ FOR ACTION
AS NECESSARY
29/9
SPA.

TRANSLATION

11.00
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17.00
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To: 501 Battalion Italian Guard - 4th Company 1741
Work Supp. Platoon

I ask to this Command the discharge of my son Soldier VIARDI Mariano, because I need his presence at the works of my fields, like ploughing, the crop of the maize and the hay. I hope this Command will satisfy my request.

I attache to this request the family situation and the statement of the U.I.S.E.A. that I am the owner of the field.

S/ Viardi Luigi

Translation of following document.

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SUMMARY OF FAMILY SITUATION

Father	Luigi Viardi	Born on	6 Jun 1881	Farmer
Mother	Angela "	"	1 Apr 1892	Housewife
Son	Emilio "	"	13 Sep 1913	Farmer
"	Mariano "	"	23 Jul 1920	Farmer
Daughter	Maria "	"	31 May 1922	Housewife
Son	Guido "	"	12 Jul 1924	Farmer
Daughter	Esternia "	"	25 Apr 1927	Housewife
Son	Giacinto "	"	13 Feb 1929	Farmer
Son	Francesco "	"	12 Nov 1933	Scholar

Sgd. WO-1

Umberto Maccarini.

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Translation.

From: M of Agriculture
Communal Office of MARMIROLO

Dtd : 3 Sep 45

To whom it may concern.....

This is to certify that Signore Liugi VIARDI is
a tenant farmer on the Corrado property, of 52 Hectares.

Approved,
the Mayer,
sgd illegible

B. Viardi

Chier Clerk
sgd. illegible.

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TRANSLATION

Doctor's Certificate - Commune of Marmirel

I hereby certify that Emilio Viardi, son of Luigi,
32 years of age, is suffering from pleurisy and is unfit
for work.

sgd. illegible,

District Medical Officer.

B. P. King
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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

TRANSLATION

Doctor's Certificate - Commune of Marmirolo

I hereby certify that Luigi Viardi, son of the late Luigi, aged 64 years, is suffering from cardiac trombosis and is permanently unfit to work.

sgd. illegible
District Medical Officer.

Handwritten signature

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army - Release from Service.

Land Forces Sub-Commission, A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) ROME

A 218

27 Sep 45.

To : Ministry of War.

SOLD. NAVARRA, ANTONIO.

Further to this HQ letter of even reference dated 10 July 45.

1. Please obtain the application for shipment to TRIPOLITANIA from the above mentioned soldier and forward to this HQ as early as possible, as his wife is in urgent need of an abdominal operation which cannot be performed until his return to take charge of the farm.

R. E. H. H.
R. E. HECTOR, S/Captain,
For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

APR 98

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REH/ccc.

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L. FORCES S/C

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3897/2.

24 Sep 45.

HQ.,
M.M.T.A.

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T. 24676 Sold. NAVARRA, Antonio.

(39)

1. Further to this HQ letter of even reference dated 5 Jul 45, forwarded herewith for necessary action is GHQ., M.E.F. letter 11089/787/CA dated 12 Sep 45.

26 SEP 1945

E. Ledger
E. LEDGER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG., G.1(Br).

EL/AP

encl;

Copy to:- ~~GHQ., M.E.F.~~

*Min of War
checked 27/9*

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

SUBJECT:-

RELEASE OF PW

901A

No. 11089/787/CA

Civil Affairs Branch,
CHQ., MEF.

14th September, 1945

A.P.E.C.,
C1 (Branch),
C.M.F.

3897

see 758A

I am directed to refer to our
11089/592/CA of 18 Jun and to ask whether the
release and repatriation of PW T 246475 sold. NAWAKHA
Antonio can be expedited. His wife is in urgent
need of an abdominal operation which cannot be
performed until NAWAKHA returns to Tripolitania to
look after the farm.

Marcia Wyld

(MARCIA WYLD)
J/Cdr.,
For CHIEF SECRETARY.

/AG

SI (D) CENTRAL REGISTRY	
Date	19/9
No.	354
Section	A2
File	3897

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

(91)

Subject : Demobilization - Italian Army

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

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Sep. '45.

To : O.G. 110 Grp. Pioneer Corps.

(89)

Reference your 110 Gp/A/260 dated 19 Sep. 45. Attached please find Demobilization Reports in respect of the 4/A M.C.O. duly signed as requested.

Sgt. VERBANI, Emilio.

R. E. H. H.

R. E. HECTOR, Capt.,

for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

REH/cr

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Land Forces 81c

(90)

SUBJECT :- Release of Italian PW - 16 years of age and under.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(3r)/3185/A2.

20 Sep 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub-Commission.

A.

AA 110577 Sold GUSTAFUDOLI Island

1. This Headquarters has been informed by Headquarters, 3 District, that the above-named Italian was released to No. 1 Command Centre Alloggio BARI w.e.f. 5 Sep 45.



E. Leitch

E. LEITCH, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAC, G.1(Pr).

EL/et

Copy to :- G.H., 2nd Echelon
Hq., 3 District - your 4069/A dated 16 Sep 45 refers.
Hq., A.C., Land Forces Sub-Commission (MIA)

B.H.
24/9

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HEADQUARTERS
110 GROUP PIONEER CORPS
C.M.F.

110 GP/A/26c

Subject:- Demobilization.

To:- L.O., M.M.I.A.
C.M.F.

Sgt. VECCHIET EMILIO.

1. The above-named NCO lives within 25 Kilos of the Morgan Line.
2. The attached Demobilization papers are forwarded for signature and return to this Office as soon as possible, please.

S. L. Edwards
Lt. Col.,
(F.F. BOLTON) Commanding,
HQ 110 Group Pnr. Corps.

19 Sept 45
LP/FF.

Signature
F. F. Bolton
24430

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

(88)
Subject: Application for release on compassionate grounds.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218 ✓

18 Sept. '45.

To : Ministry of War.

T/185708/R Sold. NISIBUCCIA ROCCO.

1. Prior to his release from POW Cooperator status to the Italian Army, application was made for release of the above named Italian soldier on compassionate grounds.
2. The attached copy letter ~~is~~ relating to this application ~~are~~ therefore passed to you for such action as you consider necessary.

PA

S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/ccc

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

MT/mdp

218 (87)

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IPW/1/1cm/874 B

15 September 1945

SUBJECT : Application for the Release of Italian Prisoner
of War on Compassionate Grounds.
T/188708/R Sold. NISIVOCIA, Rocco.

TO : M.M.I.A. - Land Forces Sub- Commission A.C.

1. The original application for release was received at this Headquarters through Officer Commanding, 749 Co-operator Workshops. A further application in respect of the above-named, stating him to be in 8 RAF Coy (Italian), has now been received through Provost Marshal General, AFHQ (copies of correspondence forwarded herewith).

2. As both units with which the above-mentioned has been stated to be serving are situated in Italy and in view of the change of status of ex co-operator Prisoner of War held in Italy and Sicily, it would be appreciated if you would forward this case to the appropriate Italian authorities for consideration.

JAMES R. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

3 Encl. 3 Letters

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Sent to HQ for
for necessary action
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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject : Release from Service

Lend Forces Sub Comm A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
A 218

10 Sep, 45

To : M.M.I.A. I.O.
HQ Rear 13 Corps

Maresciallo Maggiore Saverio De Troia

The attached correspondence to your MM/104 dated 3 Sep 45 is returned herewith.

This HQ is unable to recommend to the War Ministry that the decision of the War Cabinet regarding the s/n Mass. Magg. be amended as this action would strike at the very heart of the policy of epuration as laid down by the Supreme Allied HQ.

RPH/rmg

R. E. Hector
Capt.
R. E. HECTOR Captain
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

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Subject:- Maresciallo Maggiore
Saverio De Troia.

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm, AC,
(MMIA)
Rear HQ 13 Corps

HQ Land Forces Sub Comm, AC,
(MMIA)
ROME

MM/104
3 Sep 45

The enclosed letter from D.C.R.E.
HQ No. 2 Forestry Group R.E. and attached correspondence
is forwarded for whatever action you may be empowered
to take.

It is assumed that the retention
of the services of the a/m soldier will be unlikely
and DCRE has been informed of the position.

Major,
MMIA LO, Rear HQ 13 Corps.

TRANSMISSION

1115

Date 6/9

Major,
MMIA LO, Rear HQ 13 Corps.
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Translation

Royal Carabinieri Territorial Region of 218
Naples

Ref. No. 22/253

Dated June 21, 1945

Subject: Driver Francesco Ferraro

(81)

To: A.M.G. - Arezzo

This office approved an application submitted to it personally upon his call-up, by Driver Francesco Ferraro, son of Diego, mother unknown, born at Pietrafesa on December 10, 1923 residing thereat in the village of Campanerello, blacksmith, single, who thereby requested exemption from military service stating that he ~~is~~ supports his unmarried sisters who are living with him.

Original sent
to AMG
SPH

Later, numerous other applications submitted by (his) relatives were approved. The matter was ~~be~~ taken up also with the H.Q. 10th Drivers Group - Registration Office at Naples, with letter No. 22/36 of June 22, 1944 in reply to letter No. 0525 of June 12, 1944 and, finally, also with the H.Q. Army District of Avellino with letter No. 22/132 of May 9, 1945.

(2)

Francesco Ferrara is the illegitimate son of Angela Maria De Marco, daughter of the late Carmine Antonio De Marco, and of the late Maria Ambrosino, born at Pietradefusi on January 19, 1889, recipient of a war (1915-1918) pension due to the loss of her husband, Alessandro Iacolino, in that war. In order not to lose that pension, Angela Maria De Marco began to live on a marital basis with Biagio Ferrara, now in Algeria, from whom she had 5 sons, i. e. the aforementioned soldier and the following ^{other} ones:

- 1) - Arcangelo Ferrara daughter of Biagio, mother unknown, (Translator's Note: this is contradictory since the mother is stated to be Angela Maria De Marco) born at Pietradefusi on June 1, 1922, unmarried, an embroiderer by profession.
- 2) Maria Ferrara, of the same parents, born at Pietradefusi on October 4, 1925, unmarried, an embroiderer by profession.
- 3) Carmelinda Ferrara, of the same parents, born at Pietradefusi on January 16 (?), 1927, unmarried, an embroiderer by profession.
- 4) Olga Ferrara, of the same parents, born at Pietradefusi on January (?) 20, 1928, unmarried, an embroiderer by profession.

(3)
Angela Maria De Marco has been, and still is, head of a family, since she lives with and supports the above-mentioned illegitimate offspring, even though since March 1945 the records of the bureau of vital statistics show her as living with the family of the aforementioned offspring and as having - since that time - assumed the status of head of family, as is evidenced also by an annotation affixed to the family record, which is enclosed, and which was this day issued by the local Commune.

Ferrara is on duty at the following address:
Pvt. Francesco Ferrara, driver, A.M.G. Arizzo.

The matter concerning this soldier is submitted to you for decision.

Signed: Pietro Labocetta
Sgt.
Station Commander

Wally

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Subject: Italian Army release on compassionate grounds. (80/2)

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

7 Sept. '45.

To : Ministry of War.

SI-I-157982 D'ADDIO, ALESSANDRO

The attached copy letters requesting release from the Italian Army on compassionate grounds in respect of the above named ex-Italian Cooperator are passed to you for necessary action.

SPA

S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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SPA/ccc

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File: A 294

Date (section)

Folio

MEMORANDUM

1.9.45. Displaced
Persons &
Repatriation
Sub Com A.C.

Reference the attached correspond-
-ence it is noticed that A.P.F.Q. referred to
your letter of /597B of the 13 July concerning
the Italian P.O.W., D'ADDIO, Alessandro.

Since this HQ has no knowledge of
this case it is requested that a copy of the
letter be forwarded and attached correspondence
returned.

PH

S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/ecc.

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Since this HQ has no knowledge of this case it is requested that a copy of the letter be forwarded and attached correspondence returned.

PH.

S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
H.M.I.A.

SPA/ecc.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL SUB COMMISSION
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IPW/ 1/1/700B

29 August 1945

SUBJECT : Italian POW - Alessandro D'Addio -

TO : Land Force Sub Commission - MMIA -

1. The attached is forwarded for such action
as you deem necessary.

J.A.C.
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
W.M.D. Sub-Comm.
L.H.

1 Encl.: Letter mentioned above

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

CET/jrc

G-5: 383.6

13 August 1945

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Italian POW - Alessandro D'Addio

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394
(Attn: ~~D.F.R.S.C.~~)

Reference is your /597B of 13 July on above subject.
We quote from minute from PMG, this headquarters.

"Pvt. Alessandro D'Addio, 81-I-157982, was assigned
to an Italian service unit released to Italian author-
ities on 1 July 1945.

Request this case be returned to Allied Commission
for necessary action."

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

C. E. Triggs
C. E. TRIGGS
Capt. Sp Res

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

IFW/1/1cm 597B

13 July 1945
(date)

SUBJECT: Application for compassionate release of Italian PW
TO : Allied Forces Headquarters, APO 512. D'ADDIO Alessandro
G-5
Reference your letter N° G-5; 383.6 dated 8 March 45

1. The result of the investigation re family of the above mentioned PW, is forwarded.

For the Chief Commissioner.

J. A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. -Colonel
Director
WMD & IPOW Sub-Com.

1 encls. Letter from Italian High
Commissioner for PW

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Copy

Rome, 28th March 1945

Military Section

No. 20579/1 di Prot.

SUBJECT: POW D'ADDIO Alessandro.

Reference your letter IPW/1/1cm/191B dated the 20th March 1945.

From information received regarding the family of the POW in question it results as follows:

The mother, widow 60 years of age, affected with heart trouble and has nothing to live on but what her son POW sends her.

The prisoner is married and has two children aged respectively 4 and 3 years old.

The POW as a civilian worked with the firm Mario Landolfi of Caserta and on his return would have the same job.

The present address of the prisoner is as follows:

Soldier D'ADDIO Alessandro
No. 81-1-157982 Matouza
P.W.E. 177 Gran Algiers.

For the High Commissioner
Gen. V. Dapino

DATE	30/6/45
ENTERED ON CARD	
INITIALS	H.R.

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HEADQUARTERS LIGURIA REG.
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

REFERENCE : Lig/B/9
SUBJECT : Italian Army Discharge
TO : Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) ROME

1 Sep. 45.

Aut. ODDI. Gino
Aut. GUIDI Alfredo

Reference your A 218 dated 28 Aug. 45.

1. Receipt is hereby acknowledged of Birth Certificates
in respect of the a/n Italian Soldiers.

For The Regional Commissioner.

E.J. RICHARDS. RCR
O.C. British Detachment

RESTRICTED

SUBJECT : Demobilisation of I916 Class

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E .
A O I 7
/ Sept. 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR.

Reference M.M.I.A. A O I 7 of 27 Aug.

Personnel of the I916 Class now in Depots and Administrative Div. Transit Camps may be demobilized immediately, before the date scheduled for the commencement of general demobilisation of the class (15 September). Personnel of the I916 class will not be posted as reinforcements to units.

PA

*for Major General
M.M.I.A.*

COPY TO : AFHQ (3)
C.G. MTOUSA
C.G. PBS
C.G. FIFTH ARMY
C.G. AAFSC/MTO
C.O. PENSOUTH
XIII Corps
1 District
2 District
3 District

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XIII Corps
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2 District
3 District
RAAC
Br Cadre 802 BRD ORVIETO
ALL BLU'S
F' BTLU, IRTC
ALL MMIA LO's

INTERNAL : War Diary
ALL Branches and Services.

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Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) ROME

A 218

31 Aug. '45

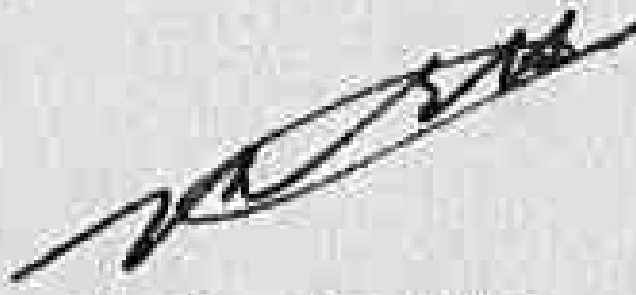
To : M.M.I.A. L.O.,
c/o 54 Area, C.M.F.

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Cpl. de SARIO, Vincenzo

Reference your LO/7/AQ dated 8 Aug. '45.

1. The discharge of the above named soldier was authorized in Ministry of War letter 3601 dated 19 Jul. 1945 addressed to Bari Military Territorial HQ. (copy translation attached.)


R.E. HECTOR, Captain.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

REH/eco

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Translation

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From : LOW
To : NMIA
Subject : Cpl. Di Gario Vincenzo
Ref. A-218 Dated August 15, 1945.

Ref. : 3601
Date : August 27, 1945

The discharge of the soldier in question was ordered with
the enclosed letter

Cpl. VDC

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(Sgd) Illegible

informed

Barrett
informed
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Translation

From : HQW
To : Bari Mil. Territorial Hq.
Subject : Cpl. De Sario Vincenzo, Father's name Domenico,
who is on the effective strength of the 510 Guard Bn. Bari.
Ref. : 3601
Date : July 19, 1945

In regard to the request made by MMIA, please arrange
for Cpl. De Sario Vincenzo of 1917 class to be discharged
in order that he may render service, as civilian, at the British
Consulate at Bari.

(Sgd) Eufisio Cugusi

Cpl. VDC
[Signature]

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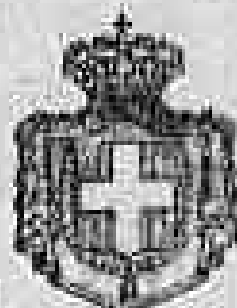
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Translat. Pt. SPA 28/8

Roma

27 AGO 1945

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA, SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COM=
MISSION IN A.C. (MMIA)

R O M A

Divisione UFFF.ESONERI

Prot. N. 3601 *Allegato* *y*

Registrazione del 15-8-45
Dir. *Isr.* N° H-218

Oggetto: Cap. DI SARIO Vincenzo -

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Il congedamento del militare in oggetto
è stato disposto col dispaccio che si allega
in copia.-

p. IL MINISTRO

TRANSLATION

IN { Time 1.00
Date 28/8

OUT { Time 1.50
Date 28/8

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Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA, SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

Roma 19/7/1945

COMANDO MILITARE TER-
RITORIALE DI

B A R I

Divisione Uff. Esonerati
Det. N. 3601 Allegato

Risposta al f. del 27/6/1945
Dir. Sp. N. 13999

OGGETTO: Cap.le MAGG. DE SARIO Vincenzo di Dome-
nico effettivo al Comando 510° Dtg.
Guardie Bari.-

In relazione a richiesta della MMIA, prega-
si codesto Comando di disporre che il cap.le mag-
giore DE SARIO Vincenzo della classe 1917 sia
collocato in congedo per potere prestare, da ci-
vile, servizio presso il Consolato Britannico di
Bari.-

p. IL MINISTRO
IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
ff. Efsio Cugusi

p. c. c.
IL DIRETTORE CAPO DIVISIONE

[Handwritten signature]

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Subject: Italian Army Discharge.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

28 Aug. '45.

To : HQ, Liguria Region
Allied Military Government, APO 394.

Aut. CEDDI, Gino
Aut. GUIDI, Alfredo

Reference your LIG/B/9 dated 21 Aug. '45.

1. The British Consulate in Rome has advised this HQ that since the above named soldiers have Italian parentage, they are legally regarded as Italian subjects whilst in Italy, and therefore they are legally soldiers of the Italian Army, in Age Groups which are not at present demobilisable.
2. Since they both desire to be discharged from the Italian Army for the purpose of proceeding to U.K. they should make application for release from the Italian Army through normal Italian channels. If release is granted by the Italian authorities, they will then become civilians, and as such, can apply to any British Consul in Italy (attaching their copy birth certificate) and request that the British Foreign Office be asked to permit the issue to them of a passport to U.K.
3. Birth certificates in respect of the above named soldiers are returned herewith. Please acknowledge receipt.

SPH
for S.P. ARCHER, Major.
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SUBJECT: Demobilisation of Older Classes.

RESUMED

LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E
A O 17
27 Aug 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR.

1. The Allied authorities have for some time had under consideration the question of the demobilisation of the older age groups of the Italian Army.

2. It has now been decided that in view of the reductions in the numbers of service troops now taking place and likely to continue, this demobilisation may be gradually effected, under the following conditions which apply to the whole Italian Army.

3. The Ministry of War will be responsible :-

- (a) That all Italian Units for which disbandment instructions have not been issued will be kept up to authorised working strength at all times.
- (b) That replacements for all demobilised personnel are delivered to the unit before such personnel are demobilised.
- (c) That replacements are fully trained to perform the duties called for by War Establishment and to the satisfaction of the employing Allied Commander.
- (d) That personnel in any particular age group will NOT be demobilised until approval for the demobilisation of that age group has been given by MMIA.

4. Under the above conditions you are authorised already to demobilise the 1914 and 1915 and older classes, and are hereby authorised to effect the demobilisation of the 1916 class between 15 Sept and 15 October.

5. The future demobilisation of groups 1917 et. seq., will be considered by MMIA on your advice and in the light of the speed with which units are to be disbanded, and the progress of demobilisation already authorised.

6. Progress Reports on the demobilisation of the older classes.

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6. Progress Reports on the demobilisation of each class will be sent to MMIA on the 7th and 21st of each month showing the number of men by age groups :-

Awaiting demobilisation
Demobilised

in each Adm Div, Combat Group, etc as on the preceeding 1st and 15th of the month.

7. You may give such publicity to these concessions as you think advisable in the interest of discipline and morale.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

TO: Headquarters, Liguria Region, Allied Commission, APC 394, US Army
Receipt of the Following classified document(s) is acknowledged:

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SIGNED
UNIT 4407
ADDRESS
DATE

HEADQUARTERS LIGURIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

REFERENCE : Lig/B/9

21 Aug. 45.

SUBJECT : Italian Army Release from Service.

TO : Headquarters,
Allied Commission, Attn. Land Forces Sub.Com.
(M.M.I.A.)

Aut. ODDI, Gino
Aut. GUIDI, Alfredo.

Reference your A218 dated 16 Aug. 45. addressed to G-1(B) AG,
copy to this HQ.

1. Birth certificates in respect of a/n Italian Soldiers are forwarded for information and return to this HQ please.
2. It would be appreciated if you would keep this office informed as to the likelihood of these men being discharged from the Italian Army.

For The Regional Commissioner.

*Br. Consul
stated that as
percentage is stated
These men which
in Italy must be
regarded as Italians.*

John F. Lyon
J.S. LYON, Capt. R.A.
O.C. British Detachment

*10/11-28/8
J.F.*

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

(72)
Subject: Italian Army release from Service.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

24 Aug. '45.

To : Ministry of War.

The attsches applications for release from
service on compassionate grounds in respect of ex Italian
Cooperators are passed to you for necessary action.

SPA

S.F. ARCHER, Major.

for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/ccc

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army Release on Compassionate Grounds.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 213

24 Aug. '45.

To : Ministry of War.

The attached applications received at this HQ
in respect of ex Italian Cooperators now members of the
Italian Army, are forwarded to you for consideration and
action as necessary.

PA

S.P. ARCHER, Major.

For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/ccc

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

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SUBJECT:- Application for the Release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds.
T/188708/R Sold. NISIVOCOLA, Rocco.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
(IPW Sub Commission).

ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS

G1(Br)/3897/A2.

22 Aug 45.

1. Further to our G1(Br)/3897/A2 of 18 June 45, forwarding applications for release of Italian PW, including the above-named, on compassionate grounds.
2. The original application for release was received at this Headquarters through Officer Commanding, 749 Co-operator Workshops. A further application in respect of the above-named, stating him to be in 8 RAF Coy (Italian), has now been received through Provost Marshal General, AFHQ (copies of correspondence forwarded herewith).
3. As both units with which the above-mentioned has been stated to be serving are situated in ITALY and in view of the change of status of ex-co-operator PW held in ITALY and SICILY, it would be appreciated if you would forward this case to the appropriate Italian authorities for consideration.



T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDRON,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

EAR/DDKT.

Copy to :- Headquarters, NMIA.

PMG., AFHQ - Your PMB 20.296 of 15 Aug 45 refers.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APC 304
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

IPM I/Icm/7403

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21 August 45

SUBJECT: Compassionate release of Italian PW.

TO: Land Forces Sub-Commission
LMA

I/. The documents relating to these cases are forwarded
as pertaining to a matter now within your competence.

[Signature]
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lieut-Colonel
Director
WIDA IPW Sub-Comm.

IIEncl:IIDocuments

*See
in file
for action
PA*

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

(68)

Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M M

A 213

16 Aug. '45

To: G I British, A.C.

Att. CDDI Gino
" CDDI Alfredo

(67)

Reference your GIB/620/CR dated 14 Aug. '45.

1. The question as to whether the above named Italian soldiers, who claim British nationality, can obtain release from service in the Italian Army, depends on whether they are able to produce evidence to this effect. This information should be obtained through any British Consulate in Italy and any documents obtained which substantiate their claims to British nationality should be forwarded to this HQ for onward transmission to the Italian Ministry of Italian Army. If their release is approved then arrangements for their return to U.K. will have to be made through Displaced Persons Sub Commission.

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PA

S.P. ARCHER, Major.

for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: Reg. Comm.

Admiral Region.

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HEADQUARTERS MTOUSA
OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL
(Prisoner of War Information Bureau)
APO 512 U. S. Army

RED/dkh

FWIB 20-302

15 August 1945

SUBJECT: Release of Italian Prisoners of War.

TO: Director, War Materials Disposal and Italian Prisoners of War
Sub-Commission
Allied Commission
APO 394, U. S. Army

1. Forwarded herewith, for appropriate action, are two (2) requests for the release of Italian prisoners of war Sold. CONCA, Angelo, 81-I-1419 and Sold. FERRI, Pietro, 81-I-152857.

2. CONCA and FERRI were assigned to Italian service units released to Italian authorities on 1 July 1945.

FOR THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL:

2 Incls

1. Corres re: CONCA, Angelo
2. Corres re: FERRI, Pietro

Bernard Mark
BERNARD MARK
Captain, CMP
Director

Signal re Rocchi Fernando from Emilia Prov. W Naples (forwarded by O2E).

*To be signed
for action
24/8 PH*

M M I A

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*IPW
1/7*

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

AFO 394

G-1 (B)

REFERENCE. G-1B/620/OR

14 August 1945

SUBJECT . Italian Soldiers of British Extraction.

TO . Director, Land Forces S-C (MMIA) —

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Aut. ODDI Gino
" GUIDI Alfredo

The attached copy letter regarding the above named Italian soldiers is forwarded for your attention please.

May this office be advised as to the correct procedure for obtaining their discharge, and eventual return to the UK.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE.

/tu

Copy to. Rg. Comm, Liguria Region

Replied
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AK

La Smail
J.C. HODGSON, *Cape*
Lt. Colonel,
G-1 (B).

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HEADQUARTERS LIGURIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

REFERENCE. Lig/B/9

9 Aug. 45.

SUBJECT . Italian Soldiers - British Extraction.

TO . . HQ Commandant.
HQ Allied Commission.

AUTIERE ODDI	Gino di Giovanni	No di Matricola
"	GUIDI Alfredo	3414
		NIL.

1. Information is requested please as to the possibility of the a/m men, at present serving with 266/1 Compagnia Autonoma, A.C. being released from service in the Italian Army.
2. ODDI was born in London on 30 Dec 1918 and GUIDO was born in Glasgow on 21 Jan 1919 and both men were brought to Italy by their parents before the War commenced.
3. They have both been employed in H.Q. this Region for some considerable time and as they can both claim British Nationality it is felt that some assistance may be afforded them to return to the U.K. at some future date.
4. Any information you can give will be appreciated.

For The Regional Commissioner.

(Sgd) John S. Lyon Capt. R.A.
J.S. LYON, Capt R.A.
O.C. British Detachment.

/tu

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Subject: Release from Military Service.

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

15 Aug. '45.

To : Ministry of War.

Cpl. De SARIO Vincenzo

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Reference MMIA letter A 218 dated 5 Jun '45.

1. It is reported that necessary action called for in the above quoted letter has not yet been taken. Please ensure that the action required in the above quoted letter is taken without further delay.

SPA
S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: MMIA LO c/o 54 Area. (your LO/7/AQ dated 8 Aug. refers)

SPA/ccc

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F. 65.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Tel: BARI 11458

Subject : Cpl. de Sario, Vincenzo

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm,
A/C(MMIA) c/o 54 Area

Ref : LO/7/AQ
8 Aug 45

To : HQ MMIA, Rome
For att: Maj Archer

Ref A-218 dated 5 June 45.

1. Cpl. de Sario, Vincenze, whose demobilization has been requested by the British Consul - Bari, has not yet been demobilized.

Copy to :
British Consul - Bari

Leverett C. Hamilton
Leverett C. Hamilton, Capt
Senior MMIA LO
Eastern Italy

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SUBJECT: Demobilization of 1915 Class.

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LAND FORCES SUE COM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E
A 017
17 Aug. 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR.

1. With reference to your recent letters and my conversations with you on the demobilisation of the older age group, the following information has been received from Allied H.Q. Quote "The immediate demobilization of the 1915 class has been agreed and official confirmation follows. As regards the demobilization of subsequent classes the Italian War Minister should be informed that plans will be made for this to be carried out as expeditiously as circumstances allow."

2. You should then make the necessary announcements and put in hand the immediate implementation of this order.

3. Please report by which date you expect to complete the demobilization of the 1915 class.

COPY TO: AFHQ
C.G. MTOUSA
C.G. FIFTH Army
13 Corps
C.G. PBS
C.O. PBS (Southern District)
C.G. AAFSC/MFO
1 District
2 District
3 District
RAAC
1 P. BTLU, IRTC
Br Cadre SO2 BRD

INTERNAL DISTRIBUTION: G(SD) (2)
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REME

W.P. Piddley Colonel
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

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W. P. Fisher Colonel
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

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Transportation (Br) Main
H.Q. Truck Operating Group, A.C.
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Subject : Release from Service

Lead Witness Sub Comm A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
A 218

11 Aug 45.

To : Ministry of War

RA/T 10586 Sold SANTACATI A. ex
103 (Br) General Hospital (Cooperator Wing).

1. Prior to his re-instatement into the Italian Army an application for release on compassionate grounds in respect of the above named ex Co-operator was received at AMHQ. The case was investigated and recommended.

2. Please give this case your attention and take whatever action you consider necessary.

JP Archer

S.P. ARCHER Major
For Major General
M.M.I.A.

SPA/286

Copy to GHO 2nd Battalion
your 022/75182/86 of 6 Aug Refers

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APS

Tele No VALJRA 148

02E/75182/NS

6 Aug 45

HQ
H.M.I.A.

Subject :- Application for release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds.

NA/T 10556 Sold. SANTAGATI A.

1. An application was received by AFHQ for the release of the a/m on compassionate grounds. This was investigated and the release recommended by HQ Allied Commission, IPW Sub Commission.
2. The a/m was released from PW Status to Italian Army w.e.f. 1 July 45 from the Italian Co-operators Wing attached 103(Br) General Hospital.
3. It is requested by AFHQ that, as the application in para 1 has been recommended, the appropriate Italian authorities are advised by you for necessary action.

C.M.P.

for Brigadier,
D.A.G.,
G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon.

Copy to :- AFHQ G 1 (Br) - your G1(Br)/3897/A2 dated 2 Aug 45 refers.

HQ Allied Commission, IPW Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: Italian Army Release.

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TO: Ministry of War.

LAND FORCES SUP COM, A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) RCH E.
10 A 218
Aug 45.

1. Prior to EXAMINE reinstatement into the Italian Army the release on compassionate grounds was approved in the case of the undermentioned ex-cooperators:

COMPASSIONATE CASES.

Major	DI BRINA, Gaetano	81-1-50015	7204 OM & Engr Comp Bn. (I)
Capt	TARULLA, Giuseppe	81-1-358136	7029 Stat Hosp. (I)
Ten	ALCANTARA, Salvatore	81-1-47356	7327 Ord Dep't Co (I)
March	CONTE, Giuseppe	81-1-1538	7076 Engr Bn Co "D" (I)
Cpl.	BARONE, Antonio	81-1-66328	7057 Engr Bn (I)
Cpl/Mag	RUPINI, Alessandro	81-1-8317	7012 M Corp Co (I)
Sold	AMATO, Salvatore	81-1-147	7076 Engr Bn (I)
Sold	ROMBARDI, Francesco	81-1-30735	7076 Engr Bn Co "G" (I)
Sold	MEVIA, Arnaldo	81-1-6197	7059 M Trk Co (I)
Sold	RENGUCCI, G. Battista	81-1-62398	7235 Engr Comp Plat (I)
Sold	PERNA, Ernesto	81-1-8550	7204 M Engr Comp Bn (I)
S/Ten	DE ROSSI, Vittorio	81-1-47649	7245 M Salv Coll Co (I)
Sgt.	Clerk in Naval Mechanics Factory, CATANIA.		
	GIUGLI, Renato	81-1-38095	7209 Stat Hosp (I)
+Sold	Ministry of Italian Government		
	CASINI, Mariano	81-1-80035	

* Soldato CASINI was shipped to Italy during the month of March, and assigned to Cooperator Unit, the designation of which is not yet available to this H.Q.

2. Since these men are now soldiers of the Italian Army please take such action as you consider necessary.

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COMPASSIONATE CASES.

Major	DI RADA, Castrenzo	81-1-50015	7204 31st Engr Comp Bn. (I)
Capt	TAVARELLA, Giuseppe	81-1-358136	7029 Stat Hosp. (I)
Ten	ALGERI, Salvatore	81-1-47386	7327 Ord Dept Co (I)
Merch	COZZI, Giuseppe	81-1-1530	7076 Engr Bn Co D* (I)
Cpl.	BARONE, Antonio	81-1-66328	7037 Engr Bn (I)
Cpl/Mag	RUFFINI, Alessandro	81-1-8347	7012 31st Serv Co (I)
Sold	AMATO, Salvatore	81-1-147	7076 Engr Bn (I)
Sold	ROMANINI, Francesco	81-1-30725	7076 Engr Bn Co "G" (I)
Sold	MAVIA, Orlando	81-1-6127	7059 31st Trk Co (I)
Sold	MEZZOTI, G. Battista	81-1-69398	7255 Eng Comp Plat (I)
Sold	PERNA, Ernesto	81-1-8950	7204 31st Engr Comp Bn (I)
S/Ten	DE ROSSI, Vittore	81-1-47649	7215 31st Saly Coll Co (I)
Sgt.	Clark in Naval Mechanics Factory, Catania.		
+Sold	GIACCI, Renato	81-1-38895	7209 Stat Hosp (I)
	Ministry of Italian Government		
	GIACCI, Mariano	81-1-300035	

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S.P. ANCHER,
For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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HEADQUARTERS
NORTH AFRICAN SERVICE COMMAND

APC 600, U.S. Army
12 July 1945

AG 383.6 (BMPMA)

SUBJECT: Release of Italian Prisoners of War - Compassionate Cases.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA, APC 512, U. S. Army.

1. Reference letter your headquarters dated 5 July 1945, file AG 383.6/056 PMG-O, subject: "same as above".

2. Italian prisoner of war, Soldato CASINI, Mariano, 81-I-200835, requested for release in above mentioned letter, was shipped to Italy during the month of March 1945.

For the Commanding Officer:

A.

William P. Langsdorf, Jr.
WILLIAM P. LANGSDORF, JR.
Captain, F. A.
Asst. Adjutant

FWIB 20-232 1st Ind. BM/nlc
HEADQUARTERS, MTOUSA, OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL, (Prisoner of War Information Bureau), APC 512, U. S. Army, 28 July 1945.

TO: Director, Allied Commission, Land Forces Sub-Commission For (W-IA), APC 394, U. S. Army.

1. Forwarded for appropriate action.
2. Soldato CASINI, Mariano, 81-I-200835, was recommended for release on compassionate grounds by Allied Commission. He was assigned to an Italian service unit released to Italian authorities on 1 July 1945.

FOR THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL:

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H. M. Bowman, Jr.
H. M. BOWMAN, Jr.
Lt Col, CMP
Director

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HEADQUARTERS PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782, U.S. Army,
10 July 1945

TO: Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U.S. Army

1. Returned without action.
2. Effective 1 July 1945, all Italian Service Unit personnel reported to Italian governmental control. Suggest that the transfer requested in basic communication be processed through MMIA which now has the responsibility for the disposition of such personnel.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

G. O. Carlisle
G. O. CARLISLE,
1st Lt. A. G. D.,
Asst. Adj. Gen.

PWIB 20-178 2nd Ind. RM/nlc
HEADQUARTERS, MTOUSA, OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL, (Prisoner of War Information Bureau), APO 512, U. S. Army, 28 July 1945.

TO: Director, Allied Commission, Land Forces Sub-Commission for (MMIA),
APO 394, U. S. Army.

1. Attention is invited to preceding indorsement.
2. Forwarded for appropriate action.

FOR THE PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL:

H. M. Bowman, Jr.
H. M. BOWMAN, Jr.
Lt Col, CMP
Director
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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

In reply
refer to AG 383.6/056 PMC-O

5 July 1945

SUBJECT: Release of Italian Prisoners of War.

TO: Commanding General
Peninsular Base Section ✓
APO 782

1. The release of the below-named Italian prisoners of war, for the reasons indicated is approved:

Compassionate Cases

Major	DI PRIMA, Castrenzo	81-I-50015	7204 QM & Engr. Comp. Bn. (I)
Capt	TANSELLA, Giuseppe	81-I-358136	7029 Stat. Hosp. (I)
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Cpl/mag	RUFFINI, Alessandro	81-I-8317	7012 QM Serv Co. (I)
Sold	AMATO, Salvatore	81-I-1147	7076 Engr. Bn. (I)
Sold	BONZANGUE, Francesco	81-I-30795	7076 Eng. Bn. Co. "C" (I)
Sold	FAVALE, Armando	81-I-6197	7059 QM Trk Co. (I)
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S/Ten	DE ROSSI, Vittore	81-I-47649	7215 QM Salv. Coll. Co. (I)
	Clerk in Naval Mechanics Factory, Catania		
Sgt	GIORGI, Renato	81-I-38895	7029 Stat. Hosp. (I)
	Ministry of Italian Government		

2. Necessary arrangements will be made with Allied Commission to effect release and this headquarters notified when release has been accomplished.

3. Records will be closed and necessary certificates issued.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MCNARNEY:



R. H. Freese
R. H. FRESE
Major, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

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< Subject: Italian Army release from Service

Land Forces Sub-Comm A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218 ✓

3 Aug ' 45.

To : Ministry of War

Cap. D'ONOFRIO, Antonio (59)

Reference your 465I dated 30 Jul '45 (Leva).

1. Since the above named H.C.O. is now a soldier of the Italian Army his application, claiming release from the Italian Army on the grounds of American nationality, should be taken up through Italian channels, and his claim be examined through the American Consul

SPA.

S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/ecc

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Translation

From M. of W.
To M.M.I.A.

Ref. 465I

Date 30/7/45

Subject Cpl. D'ONOFRIO Antonio

In order to be able to examine the possibility of exempting Cpl. Antonio D'ONOFRIO who is believed to be an American citizen from military service in the Italian Armed Forces, it is necessary that the a/n proves such citizenship by means of a certificate issued by government authority, diplomatic, or by the American Consul, in which appears the date and in which way the aforesaid citizenship was ^caquired. We add, besides; that to permit us to make enquiries at the recruiting offices concerned, as to the military position of the a/n, it is necessary that he informs us of his date of birth, christian and surname^x, as well as his comune of birth or ~~of his home~~ in Italy.

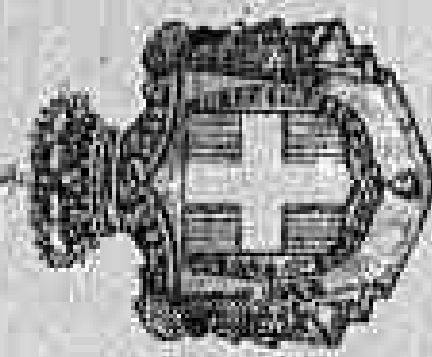
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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

Divisione I^a Leva *Sec. 3^a*
Ind. V. 4651 *Allegati*

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A. C. (M.M.I.A.)

S E D E

In relazione al foglio n. 218 del
10/7/1945

OGGETTO Capor. D'ONOFRIO Antonio.

Per poter esaminare la possibilità di svincolare dal servizio militare nelle Forze Armate Italiane, il capor. Antonio D'ONOFRIO, il quale si ritiene cittadino americano, è necessario che l'interessato provi tale sua condizione di cittadinanza mediante un certificato rilasciato dall'autorità governativa, ovvero diplomatica, o consolare americana, da cui risulti la data e le modalità di acquisto della cittadinanza anzidetta. Si soggiunge, inoltre, che per potere questo Ministero fare accertamenti presso i competenti organi di leva, circa la posizione militare del caporale predetto, è indispensabile che egli faccia conoscere le sue complete generalità, nonchè il comune di nascita o di origine in Italia.

P. IL MINISTRO

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Translation

From : MOW
To : 227 Admin. Div.
and for info to MMIA
Subject : Pvt. Antonio Navarra.

Ref. : 19868/Mob.
Date : July 21, 1945

1. We enclose a copy of MMIA's letter A/218 dated 10th inst. (enclosures omitted) in order that the demobilization of ex-cooperator Antonio Navarra, class 1914, of the 772nd A.W. Cooperator Company - Roccarainola (Caserta) may be ordered immediately.

2. We await, therefore, Pvt. Navarra's request for embarkation to Tripolitania.

(Sgd) Col. Bogliaccini

Cpl. VDC

*And application to G.S. REAR
on receipt. H. 1945.*

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
UFFICIO ORDINAMENTO E MOBILITAZIONE

To/to

N. 19868/Mob. di prot.

Allegati

R.M. 3860, 21 luglio 1943

OGGETTO: soldato Antonio NAVARRA.

Trans 11/247

COMANDO 227^a DIVISIONE AMMINISTRATIVA

P.M. 126

e, per conoscenza:



ALLA DOTT. FORNICE SUB COMMISSION A.C. (MILIA)

AL CABINETTO

ALLA DIREZIONE GEN. LEVA SOTT. E TRUPPA

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1^o) -- si invia copia del foglio della MILIA N. 1/213 in data 19
C.M. (allegati omessi) perchè sia provveduto senz'altro
alla smobilitazione del soldato ex-cooperatore el. 1914

ANTONIO NAVARRA

della 772^a compagnia cooperatori I.M. -- ROCCAFRANCO (Ca-
orte).

2^a) -- Si resta in attesa di ricevere la domanda del soldato Na-
varra tendente ad ottenere l'imbarco per la Tripolitania.

3. C. C. C.
IL COLONN. CAPO UFFICIO
(P. Fiorentini)

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
Giorgio Liuzzi
Col. Bogliaccini

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COMANDO 227^a DIVISIONE AMMINISTRATIVA

P.M. 126

per conoscenza:



ALLA 1^a BATT. FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.G. (MILIA)
AL CABINETTO
ALLA DIREZIONE GEN. LAVA SCOT. E TRUPPA

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1^a) - si invia copia del foglio della MILIA n. 4/213 in data 10
c.m. (allegati omessi). Perchè sia provveduto senza altro
alla mobilitazione del soldato ex-cooperatore cl. 1914

Antonio NAVARRA

della 77^a compagnia cooperatori A.M. -- MCCARRANOLIA (Ca-
scite).

2^a) - Si resta in attesa di ricevere la domanda del soldato Na-
varra tendente ad ottenere l'imbarco per la Tripolitania.

P. O. C.
IL COLONN. CAPO UFFICIO
(P. Piagentini)

IL GENERALE ADDETTO
Giorgio Lianesi
Col. Bogliaccini

P. Piagentini

TRANSMISSION	
IN	Time 0915 Date 24/7
OUT	Time 1730 Date 24/7

Soldato NAVARRA Antonio

1. Il CHQ MEF ha preso in esame e raccomandato l'allegata domanda con la quale si richiede che il sopracitato cooperatore sia liberato dalla condizione di prigioniero di guerra e rimpatriato in TRIPOLITANIA. Il BMA, TRIPOLITANIA è d'accordo nell'accettare il suo rimpatrio.
2. NAVARRA, che ha prestato servizio con la 772^a Compagnia Cooperatori A.W., è ora un soldato dell'Esercito Italiano? Vogliate quindi cortesemente prendere in esame il suo caso e, se deciderete per la smobilitazione, dovrete inviare a questo Comando una domanda per ottenere l'imbarco di NAVARRA per la TRIPOLITANIA, in qualità di profugo.

P. IL MAGGIORE GENERALE AMIA
F.to Maggiore S.P. ARCHER

13.11.1944

S.M.R.L. = UFFICIO C.A.

TRADUZIONE N.5651/7

Data di arrivo: 12.7.45 ore 18,30
Data partenza: 13.7.45 ore 13

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P. C. C.
TEN. COL. CARO SEZIONE
(F. Dabitonto)

26.1.45

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Subject : Italian Soldiers -Compassionate Release
From Service

Land Forces Sub Comm A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
A 218

23 July '45.

To : CG 101 Cooperator Gen Ord
Stores Coy 35 AGD

T 2063678 Caporale JIMBONE A.

Reference AMM Letter 61(Dr)/3897/a2 dated 21 Jul '45.

1. The documents in respect of the above named were forwarded to the Italian Ministry of War for action under cover of this HQ letter A 218 dated 11 Jul '45.
2. The decision of the War Ministry will be notified through Italian Army channels.

RMK/mag


P.D. HEDDIE
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

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Land Forces

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Subject:- Application for the Release of Italian PW
on Compassionate Grounds.

A218

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

OC 401 Co-operator Gen Ord Stores Coy
35 ASD

G1(R)/3897/A2

21 Jul 45.

T206367R Caporale CIRIMILE, A.

Your S/GSC/2 of 13 Jul 45.

Please communicate direct with NMIA on this matter, quoting this
HQ letter of even reference dated 8 Jul 45.

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDON, Captain
Staff Capt
for Major-General
IMG G-1(R)

TRC/ma.

Copy to: NMIA - Will you please inform OC 401 Co-operator Gen
Ord Stores Coy what action has been taken in the case
of the above mentioned PW.

*Inform 401 Coy
of letter 47. jll 23/*

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Subject : Demobilised military personnel
returned to farms.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A218

15 July 45.

To : Agriculture Sub-Commission.A.C.

Ref AGR/212.11 undated.

1. The Italian War Ministry estimates that approximately 1,200,000 military personnel, who were under arms during 1942 - 43, have been demobilized. This figure is arrived at in the following manner :-

Strength of the Army - 1942-43	-	2,500,000
Present Army strength	-	300,000
P.Ws. not liberated	-	1,000,000
Demobilized personnel	-	<u>1,300,000</u> <u>1,200,000</u>

2. It is estimated that an additional 40,000 men will be demobilized by :-

- (a) Discharging all personnel born in 1914 and now in the Army, as per orders already issued by this HQ.
- (b) Discharging all personnel born in 1915, now under consideration by this HQ.

3. The policy concerning the liberation of P.Ws is not within the jurisdiction of this HQ.

Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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02E/O(R&B) IT/482/O/851

To:- Headquarters
No. 3 District.

2 Jul 45

Subject:- Italian officer co-operator.
Release.

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Reference AFHQ letter OR/3025/G1(Br) dated 27 Jan 45,
copy to this Headquarters.

To date no casualty return showing the a/n officer's
release nor PW documents in respect of him have been received
at this HQ..

Will you please inform this HQ whether this officer
has been released under the a/q letter authority and if such is
the case what disposal instructions were issued regarding his
PW documents.

In the Field
CT/og.

Out at 12 hours

(A. R. WATERHOUSE)

Brigadier.

D. A. G.

GHC. 2nd Echelon - CMF.

Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Commission (IPW Sub Commission)
(ref. AFHQ letter OR/3025/G1(Br) dated 27/1/45
copy to you).

Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission (IBILA) ROME
(ref. AFHQ letter OR/3025/G1(Br) dated 27/1/45
copy to you).

Surgeon, (DMS) AFHQ. (ref. AFHQ letter 3025/G1(Br) dated 27/1/45, copy to you)

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Tel:

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
AGRICULTURE SUB COMMISSION

JPVA/sa

AGR/212.11

SUBJECT: Demobilized persons, etc.,
returned to farms

TO : MMIA
Attn: Capt. Pacini

1. This Sub-Commission is calculating the quantity of wheat to be retained legally on the farm during the year 1945-46. One of the factors to be used in this calculation is the size of the farm population.
2. Data regarding quantities legally retained for food of farmers, farm workers and assimilated persons, as well as their families, and data on numbers of persons entitled to such retentions are at hand for 1942-43. Consequently it is on the basis of this year that comparisons have to be made.
3. All other conditions remaining equal, there are three factors which influence the size of the population of the farms, viz., the surplus of births over deaths, migrations between city and farm, and numbers of persons mobilized or PW's in 1942-1943 and now returned or returning to the farm.
4. A round figure indicating the total number of demobilized persons and PW's liberated or soon to be liberated is requested. It is intended to apply to the farm population the percentage this number forms of the total population.

J. M. Merritt 4378
JAMES M. MERRITT
Director

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Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.

LAND FORCES SUB-COM A.C.,
(M.H.I.A.) ROME

A 218

// JULY, '45.

To : Ministry of War.

Cap. CIRIMELLY, Antonio
Maresc CONFORTI, Francesco

1. The attached documents in respect of the above named Italian soldiers (formerly Italian co-operators) are forwarded to you for your consideration and attention.

56-8

S.P. Archer

S.P. ARCHER, Major.

for Major General,
M.H.I.A.

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SPA/eco

2203
Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E
A 218

10 July, '45.

To : Ministry of War.

SOLD. NAVARRA, ANTONIO

The attached application recommending that the above named co-operator should be released from POW status and repatriated to TRIPOLITANIA was considered and recommended by GHQ MEF, and BMA, TRIPOLITANIA have agreed to accept his repatriation.

2. NAVARRA, who was serving with 772 Co-operator A.W. Coy R.E., is now a soldier in the Italian Army. Will you please therefore, consider this case and if demobilisation is recommended application should be made to this HQ for NAVARRA's shipment to TRIPOLITANIA as a displaced person.

See fo 58 + 93
S.P.A.
S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

4376

SPA/ecc.

Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

10 July, '45.

To : MEMIA LO HQ I DISTRICT.

The attached correspondence addressed to you and delivered to this HQ in error is forwarded to you for your attention.

2. Now that UDINE is within the area to which movement is permitted on proper authorisation (FOGLIO DI LICENZA) the soldier in question may be sent there on the authority of his Unit Commander.

S.P.A.

S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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SPA/ccc

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army - Application for Release from Service.

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LAND FORCES SUB-GOVM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

10 July, '45.

To : Ministry of War.

CPL. D'ONOFRIO, A.

The attached correspondence concerning the above named ex-co-operator is forwarded to you for whatever action may be necessary.

2. D'ONOFRIO, now a soldier in the Italian Army, was serving with 884 Co-operator A.W. Coy R.E., prior to his return to the Italian Army.

S-40
su di (59)
SPA
S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

4374

SPA/ccc

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

(45)
Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) ROME

A 218

10 July, '45.

To : Ministry of War.

SOLD. NAVARRA, ANTONIO

The attached application recommending that the above named co-operator should be released from POW status and repatriated to TRIPOLITANIA was considered and recommended by CHQ NEF, and BMA, TRIPOLITANIA have agreed to accept his repatriation.

2. NAVARRA, who was serving with 772 Co-operator A.W. Coy R.E., is now a soldier in the Italian Army. Will you please therefore, consider this case and if demobilisation is recommended application should be made to this HQ for NAVARRA's shipment to TRIPOLITANIA as a displaced person.

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S.P. ARCHER, Major.

for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

(Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.) (44)

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E
A 218

10 July, '45.

To : Ministry of War.

CPL. PANATELLA, A.
SOLD. PARTINI, G.

The attached documents concerning the above named Italian soldiers are forwarded to you for attention.

2. PANATELLA was a co-operator attached to HQ Florence Command, and PARTINI, another ex-co-operator was a patient in 93rd British General Hospital.

3. It will be noticed from the attached documents that British Medical authorities recommend that these two Italian soldiers should be discharged on medical grounds.

SPA 4372
S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/ccc

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1221
Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army Release from Service.

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) ROME

A 218

10 July, '45.

To : Ministry of War.

SOLD. STAFFIERI, H.

The attached correspondence concerning the above named Italian soldier, who was a co-operator serving with 21 Italian RAF Coy, is forwarded to you for necessary action.

2. It will be noticed that British Medical Service have recommended that this man be released from service.

SPA

S.P. ARCHER, Major.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

4371

BPA/ccc

F. 37

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army - Application for Release from Service.

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) ROME
A 218

10 July, '45.

To : AFHQ for G-I (Br)

Reference your G-I(Br)/3897/A-2 dated 1 July, 45.

1. Since the administration of Italian soldiers is the responsibility of the Italian Army, it is requested that instructions be given to all concerned that matters pertaining to the administration of ex-Italian co-operators (now soldiers of the Italian Army) should be referred to the local Italian HQ for necessary action to be taken through normal Italian staff channels. In this connection MMIA LOs attached to Districts, Armies, etc., will give every assistance possible to Allied Commanders who may experience difficulty in making contact with the Italian Army HQs concerned.

See FO (35)

SPF
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

218 Land Forces ^{S/L}
5081

SUBJECT:- Italian ex PW Co-operators - Application for Compassionate Release. (41)

T206367 Cap CIRIMELE, Antonio
T95813 Maresco CONFORTI, Francesco. A.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3897/A2.

8 Jul 45.

Attached letters and accompanying documents are forwarded for information and any action considered necessary with a view to the above mentioned Italian soldiers' demobilisation on compassionate grounds.



H.D. Harper Capt.
H.D. HARPER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

HDH/DDKT.

Encl.

Copy to :- Headquarters, 216 Sub Area (Reference your S/11/A dated 26 June 45).
Officer Commanding, 401 Gen. Ord Stores Coy (Reference your S/GSC/2 dated 29 Jun 45).

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Hand Jones 5/2
218 *4783*
(3740)

SUBJECT:- Italian Co-operators - Application for Release.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

M.M.I.A.

A
G1(Br)/3897/A2.

5 Jul 45.

Cpt.
T. 184363 ~~Capt~~ D'ONOFRIO, A.

Attached correspondence is forwarded for information and any action considered necessary with a view to demobilisation from the Italian Army on compassionate grounds.

H.D. Harter Call
H.D. HARTER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

HDM/AP

Copy to:- CHQ., 2nd Echelon. (Reference your OZE/75182/RS dated 24 May 45.)
Officer Commanding 884 Co-operator AM Coy. RE



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hand Jones 3/1
4784

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SUBJECT:- Italian ex-PW - Compassionate Release.
T.246476 Sold. NAVARRA, Antonio.
772 Co-operator AW Company, R.E.

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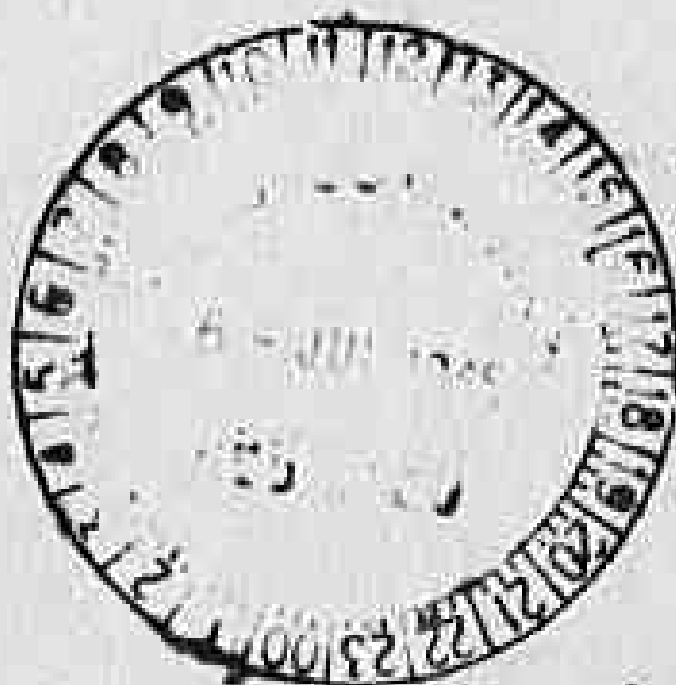
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

G1(Br)/3897/A2.

2 Jul 45.

M.M.T.A.

1. Attached is application dated 27 Apr 45 for repatriation to TRIPOLITANIA of the above-mentioned ex-PW co-operator.
2. This application has now been investigated and its acceptance is recommended by CHQ., MEF; DIA TRIPOLITANIA having agreed to accept.
3. If demobilisation is agreed by the Italian Ministry of War, application should be made to G-5 this Headquarters for NAVARRA's shipment to TRIPOLITANIA as a displaced person. —



H.D. Harper Capt

H.D. HARPER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAC, G.1(Br).

HDH/AF

encl:

Copy to:- G-5 with CHQ MEF letter 11089/692/CA dated 18 Jun 45.
(NAVARRA was released from PW status on 1 Jul 45 under the terms of PAN 569).

Sent 15 m of w.
10/7.
PH.

Lee Folio 436 436 45

Lee Folio (92)

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

NA/ 39745 Cpl. PANATELLA. A. att Headquarters FLORENCE Command.
T. 3339 Sold. PARTINI. G. 93 (Br) General Hospital (Patient)

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3841/A2.

4 Jul 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
(Land Forces Sub-Commission).

A. 218

Hand Forward

1. Documents in support of applications for release of the two above-mentioned Italians on Medical Grounds are forwarded herewith.
2. These applications have been investigated by this Headquarters and release is recommended.

/MG
Encl.

Send to HQ
for action
JPA

W.A.K. FINLAYSON.
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAC, G-1(Br).

W.A.K. Finlayson

See Loto 44 4365

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

SUBJECT:- T/204976 Soldato Staffieri, N.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
Land Forces Sub Commission.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3841/A2.

3 Jul 45.

The attached correspondence is forwarded for necessary action
in view of the fact that the above mentioned is now under your control.

W.A.K. Finlayson
W.A.K. FINLAYSON,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

WAKE/DDKT.

Copy to :- Headquarters,
No. 3 District. (Your 406/9A dated 25 June 45 refers,
and conversation CROFT/FINLAYSON on
2 Jul 1945).

*Forwarded to
Major General
JPH 15/7*

See Folio 43 4364

12218
Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Tel. BARI 11458

Subject: Cpl. de Sario, Vincenzo

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm AC.
(MMIA) c/o 54 Area

Ref: LO/7/AQ
7 July 45

To: HQ M.M.I.A.

Ref: para 2 of your A 218 of 5 June 45.

The Acting British Consul, Bari is enquiring about this NCO's demobilisation, which has apparently NOT yet gone through.

C. P. Holt Major
Senior MMIA LO
Eastern Italy

Copy to: Acting British Consul, Bari
(your 903/6- 3/45 of 2 July refers)

GPH/MN

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(35)

Subject : Release from Service

LAND FORCES Sub Comm A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M E
A 218

To : Ministry of War

3 July '45

1. It has been reported to this HQ that a case has occurred where an Italian soldier, due for demobilisation and for whom no replacement was immediately available, was sent on leave and was authorised by the Local Military District to return to his home and await Demobilisation.
2. It is considered that such action by Local Military Districts is unwarranted, and may lead to many more cases of demobilisable personnel failing to return to their Units to await replacement before demobilisation, thus decreasing Unit strengths.
3. Please issue instructions to Military Districts and other HQs to the effect that soldiers due to return to their Units to await replacements, and demobilisation are not authorised to remain at their homes until demobilised.

Copy to : M.M.I.A. HQ, 1 District

SPA
Major General
M.M.I.A.

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12228
Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject:- Demobilisation.

218 (38)
Liaison Officer,
Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.O. (MMIA)
o/o HQ., I District
Ref LO/GI5
Tel : 22602
29 June 45.

A
1/7.
To:- Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E.

Copy of letter (ADL/C/6) received from DDL., I District
is forwarded.

May action be taken to avoid a recurrence of
incidents such as these.

*h. J. W. ...
...
...
SPD 2/7*
Major,
MMIA LO., I District.

Copy to :- DDL., I District
ADL 'C' Team.

4361

- COPY -

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF LABOUR
'C' TEAM
POOL OF AREA STAFF OFFICERS (LABOUR)
att 71 SUB-AREA

ADL/C/6

Subject: Demobilisation Italian Personnel.

DDL HQ DISTONE

1. Pioneer Pavan Velio of 97 Ital Pnr Coy is of 1911 Class but unable to be demobilised owing to lack of reinforcements.
2. He was sent on leave, and whilst on leave visited Il Commandante del Distretto Militare di Rovigo, who authorised him not to return to his unit but to return to his home and await demobilisation.
3. A letter stating that this action had been taken was then forwarded by Distretto Militare di Rovigo to OC 400 Ital Pnr Regt. The OC 400 Regt has replied strongly on this usurping of his authority.
4. The complications which will arise if the large body of personnel awaiting discharge become aware of the possibilities of obtaining in their home District that which is denied them in their own Regt are obvious.
5. Can this matter please be taken up with MMIA in order that such action as that taken by Distretto Militare di Rovigo (para 2 above) may be prevented.

(Signed) ????????? S/Capt
for F.C. ARNOLD, Lt-Col.
ADL "C" Team.

LEW/WR
27 JUNE 45

Copy to:- OC 400 Italian Pnr Regt

4300

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject : Application for Release

(39)
LAND FORCES Sub Com A.C.
M.M.I.A. R O M E
A 218

27 June 45.

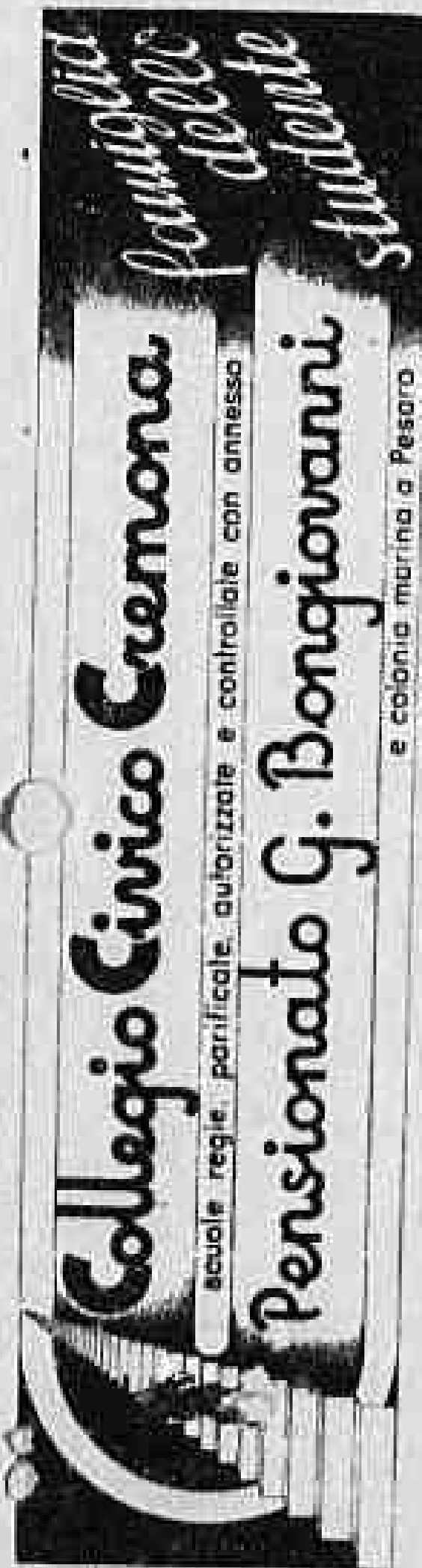
To : Minister Of War

The attached application for release from
Service is forwarded for action as thought fit.

[Signature]
for Major General
M.M.I.A.

rmg/

4359



May 1 - 1945

N. _____ di protocollo
da citare nella risposta

CREMONA
Via 11 Febbraio 42-46 - Telef. 10-64
C/C postale 17-24798

To whom it May Concern:

I am an American soldier that was taken prisoner by the German Forces on the 30th day of March, 1945. While being escorted by German guards to a Prisoner of War Camp - the column was attacked by a group of Italian Patriots. I was wounded in the right foot and was taken to a German Military Hospital in Cremona for medical aid. When the Italian Patriots in this community went into action on the 27th day of March, 1945 I took advantage of the opportunity and escaped. With the aid of Italian civilians I was brought to the Italian Civilian Hospital - Ospedale Maggiore. They treated my wound and fed me from the 27th of March to the 29th of March. On the 30th of March I moved to the - "Collegio Civico" where I was looked after by - Emilio Stagnato Giuseppe Vignati till May 1st, 1945. The Italian people in this community did all in their power to make me comfortable.

To whom it May Concern:

I am an American soldier that was taken prisoner by the German Forces on the 20th day of March, 1945. While being recaptured by German guards to a Prisoner of War Camp - the column was attacked by a group of Italian Patriots. I was wounded in the right foot and was taken to a German Military Hospital in Cremona for medical aid. When the Italian Patriots in this community went into action on the 27th day of March, 1945 I took advantage of the opportunity and escaped. With the aid of Italian civilians I was brought to the Italian Civilian Hospital - Ospedale Maggiore. They treated my wound and fed me from the 27th of March to the 29th of March. On the 30th of March I moved to the - "Collegio Enrico" where I was looked after by - Emilio Stagnato 74312 till May 1st, 1945. The Italian people in this community did all in their power to make me comfortable and keep me in safe hiding from the Germans and local Fascists.

Sincerely yours,

S/ Sgt. Dominick P. Maiocco - ASN # 33323616

U. S. Army - 6A-114 P.M'd Inf Bn - AFZ51
c/o P.M. - New York

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Translation

A218

(31)

From : MOW
To : Hq. 403rd It. Pioneer
Regiment
Subject : Discharging of two soldiers.

Ref. : 2867
Date : June 21, 1945

and for info to MMIA

The following soldiers have attended the English cooking course at Bari with favorable results, and will be employed as civilians by Allied units:

- Pvt. VARASCHIN Tranquillo - Father's name, Osvaldo - class of 1913 - Sacile Mil. District.
- Pvt. PAGLIERUSO DIOMIRO - class of 1910 - Vicenza Mil. District.

If these soldiers have not yet been discharged because of the fact that their places of residence are beyond the demarcation line laid down by the recent orders, you may discharge them immediately, as they belong to classes which are not under arms, and because of the fact that they do not have to go to their places of residence inasmuch as they will be on duty under the command of the Allies.

JPA 23/6

(Sgd) Illegible

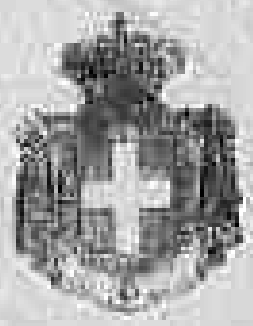
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Cpl. VDC

JPA

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Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA, SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

URGENTE *MPA 22/6*
21 GIUG 1945
1945 *6*

**COMANDO 403° REGGIMEN
TO PIONIERI ITALIANI BARI**

Divisione **Ufficio Esoneri**
Int. N. **2867** *Allegato* *Respost. f. del* *Dir.* *Da* *3°* *A*

TRANS **OGGETTO** **ricollocaimento in congedo.-**

IN { *0 05.0*
22/6 *9, per conoscenza:*
ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMM.AC.
ROMA *21/6*

OUT { *16.00* **I militari:**
22/6 **- soldato VARASCHIN Tranquillo di Osvaldo, cl.**
1913 distrett.mil. Sacile e
- soldato PAGHERUSTO Diomiro fu Diomiro, cl.
1910 distrett.mil. Vicenza.

hanno frequentato con esito favorevole il corso di cucina inglese a Bari e verranno impiegati come civili da reparti alleati.-
Qualora, pertanto, gli stessi non siano stati finora ricollocati in congedo per essere la località di loro residenza al di là della linea di demarcazione fissata dalle recenti disposizioni, trattandosi di militari appartenenti a classi non alle armi e che tale residenza non dovranno raggiungere in quanto avranno a prestare servizio alle dipendenze degli Alleati, codesto Comando potrà, senza altro, procedere al loro congedamento.-

P. IL MINISTRO
4356
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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject : Albanians serving in the Italian Army.

(30)
Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R.O.M.B.
A 218

19 June 45

To : Rear HQ. British Military Mission
to Albania.
c/o 54 Area. 27

Reference IO/7/AQ of 8th June 45, copy to your HQs,
from M.M.I.A. IO 54 Area.

The Italian War Ministry has informed this Mission that a Royal Decree is now being prepared which will abolish the amalgamation of the Italian and Albanian Armed Forces, thereby legally placing at the disposal of the Government of Albania all of its nationals.

The exact date of publication of the decree is not known. The Ministry of War anticipates delay as the text must be coordinated with the service and other competent ministries.

The Italian War Ministry states it does not know at present the number of Albanian nationals serving with the Italian armed forces, but inquiries are being made to obtain this information.

JPA for
Major General,
M.M.I.A.

/wsl

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Copy To : M.M.I.A. IO 54 Area.

4355

Subject: Release from Italian Army.

(29)

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

15 June, '45.

To : HQ. 54 Area.

Sold. TABALDO, Ello.

Reference your CA/29/6 dated 1 March, '45.

1. Your above quoted letter has just been received by this HQ and it is noted that the above named Italian soldier has completed his course at the School of Cookery, and should now be discharged for employment as a civilian with Allied Units.
2. In order that his discharge may be completed will you please forward to BARI Territorial HQ (copy to this HQ for info) full particulars of this soldier, i.e. year of birth, apparent unit and name of father.

SPA

S.P. ARCHER, Major **4354**
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: Ministry of War.
(Your 6549 dated 12 June refers)

Translation

From: Mr. G. W.
To: MMIA

Ref. No. 6549

Date: June 12, 1945

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Subject: Pvt. Elia Tabaldo.

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In order to enable this office to release the soldier in question, it will be necessary for this Ministry to know the unit or district and the class to which he belongs.

However, should your Mission believe that in the matter of the class to which the aforementioned soldier belongs, it would be proper to adopt - concerning exemption - the procedure laid down in the "Instructions" issued for this purpose by yourselves, as per administrative memorandum No. 10 of February 20, 1945 concerning personnel which is to perform civilian duties for the Allies, the certificate of exemption may be granted by the proper Allied Command direct, and may be stamped and countersigned by the Territorial Military Command of Bari for co-approval.

(Signature)

for Minister

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Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA, SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

A

1^a LAND FORCES SUB
COMMI. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)

Divisione Uff. Esoneri
12/6
17/6
13/6

Rel. N° 6549 13/6 Allegato 1

ROMA

Oggetto: *spiegato* TABALDO Elio. -

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Per poter provvedere al collocamento in congedo del militare in oggetto, necessiterebbe a questo Ministero conoscere a quale reparto o distretto e a quale classe appartiene.

Peraltro, qualora codesta Missione ritenga, in rapporto alla classe di appartenenza del predetto militare, che sia il caso di adottare per l'esonero la procedura prescritta dalle "Istruzioni" appositamente emanate da codesta Missione stessa di cui al Memorandum amministrativo n. 10 del 20 febbraio corr.anno, per il personale che deve essere adibito al servizio civile alle dipendenze degli Alleati, il certificato di esonero potrà senz'altro essere concesso direttamente dal competente Comando Alleato e fatto munire di bollo e controfirma di convalida del Comando Militare Territoriale di Bari. -

p. IL MINISTRO

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Il sotto-elencato militare:

E' richiesto il congedo del sopraddetto ~~1607~~ ¹⁶⁰⁷ ~~per prendere~~ ^{per prendere} servizio (come cuoco) presso : -

CMF. 1/3/45.

J. Morley D.D.

Captain A.C.C.,
Catering Adviser,
for Lt.Col.,
ADST 54 Area.

Army Pub Commission, A.C.C.
A.C. Co., A.C.I.A. _____
Covering Officer 3 District.
Station Master, 3 District.
1007 Port Operating Coy., A.C.
Hills.

Copy to: -

1472
M.M.I.A. 1/17/15
FILE REF 5/G/15
Date Rec 3/3/15

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Tel: BARI 11458

A. 218

(27)

Subject:- Albanians serving in Italian Army.

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm
A.C. (MMIA) c/o 54 Area

Ref: LO/7/AQ
8 June 45

To:- HQ MMIA ✓

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11/6

*In Corso I diretti alla
battaglia dell'Albania
dalla prima guerra
mondo alla 2da*

1. I have been requested by Rear HQ British Military Mission to ALBANIA, to obtain the following information.

- (a) how ~~are~~ ALBANIAN nationals serving in the Italian Army released
- (b) how many ALBANIAN nationals are serving in the Italian Army.

2. If there are thought to be a considerable number, and if exact numbers under 1 (b) are difficult to ascertain, they would like the answer to 1 (a) without waiting for them.

3. Can this information please be supplied direct to them, copy to me.

See Fo 30

G. M. S. M. S. Maj
Senior MMIA LO
Eastern Italy

Copy to:- Rear HQ British Military Mission
to Albania, c/o 54 Area.

GPH/jd

A 2
4111 4350

Subject : Demobilisation Italian Army Personnel.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R.O.M.E.
A 218

9 June 45

To : Ministry of War.

Cpl. MASS. BASSANESE, Addara.

Further to this HQ Letter A 218 of 28th May 45.

1. Information has been received that the above named left his employment with 1 Fld Remount Depot on 30 April 45.
2. It is believed that he has gone to his home.
3. No further information concerning him is obtainable by this HQ.

S.P. Archer
S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/wsi

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 U.S. ARMY

Q. 243/6

SUBJECT: Attachment : Italian Cooks

TO : HQ Allied Commission
Land Forces Sub Commission MIA

TEP/mv
8 Jun 45

A 218
9/6

(20)

Reference this HQ letter Q 243/6 dated 30 May 45.

1. The following information has been given by No 1 Field Remount Depot RAVC:

- (a) The above mentioned personnel were employed by this Unit as Civilians from 12 Oct 44 until 30 Apr 45 on which date they were discharged from the employment of this Unit in order to return to their respective places of abode.
- (b) It is understood that the date of discharge from the Italian Army in both cases was 12 Oct 44.

*Replied.
Answer
informed
9/June
MIA*

Alvin Lov
ALVIN LOV
Brigadier
Deputy Commander

Copy to: Float

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(24)

Subject: Release from Service in the Italian Army.

LAND FORCES SUB COMM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

8 June, 45.

To : Ministry of War.

SOLD. RAFFI. Luigi
" FIORANO. Mello
" PAGLIERUSCO. Diomiro
" VARASCHIN. Tranquillo

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Reference your 2867 dated II May and 2866 dated
II May, '45 (Uff. Esoneri)

1. This HQ has been informed that the first two of the above named Italian soldiers are now no longer employed by 54 Area; that their present location is unknown, and it is therefore impossible to obtain detail particulars concerning them.
2. Details of the second two of the above named Italian soldiers are attached herewith.

S.P. Archer Capt

S.P. ARCHER, Captain.
For Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

SUBJECT: Demobilisation of Italian
Military Personnel.

CA/29/99

Land Forces Sub Com A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) ROME.

1. Ref your letter A218 dated 15 May 45.
2. Sold. RAFFI Luigi
" FIORANO Mello

These two men are no longer employed by HQ LFA,
but were discharged on 26 Apr 45.

3. Sold. VARASCHIN Tranquillo
" PAGLIERUSCO Diomiro

The desired particulars in respect of these two
men are given in attached 93 (Br) General Hospital
letter ref E/17/45 dated 28 May 45.

CME.
4 Jun 45.

W. P. Lind
Captain A.C.C.,
Catering Advisor,
HQ 54 Area.

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Catering Advisor,
H.Q., 54 Area,
C.M.F.

Reference No: H/17/45
No. 93 (Br) General Hospital,
C.M.F. 28th May, 1945.

Subject: CIVILIAN COOKS.

No. 770. VARASCHIN, Tranquillo

FATHER: OF OSVALDO

MILITARY CLASS: 1913

MILITARY DISTRICT: SACHSE (Province UDINE)

UNIT: 103 REG PIONIERI ITALIANI

No. 771. PAGLIERUSO, Dioniso

FATHER: WAS DEMIRO

MILITARY CLASS: 1910

MILITARY DISTRICT: VENEZIA

UNIT: 103 REG PIONIERI ITALIANI

Reference your CA/29/97 dated 23 May, 1945 and attached copy of
M.M.I.A. letter dated 15 May, 1945.

Herewith particulars as requested in respect of the above-named
Italian Cooks who are still employed at this unit.

JC/RR

Thibornas Law
(T.H. MILBORROW)

Lieut. for Colonel.
Commanding No. 93 (Br) General Hospital.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Release from Military Service.

LAND FORCES SUB-COMM. A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

5 June, '45.

To : Ministry of War.

Opl. De SARIO. Vincenzo,

Reference M.M.I.A. letter A 218 dated 30 May, 45.

1. It has been pointed out that as the above named is a soldier on temporary release from the Army, on the strength of HQ Territorial Command, BARI, he cannot be exempted from military service under the terms of Administrative Memorandum No.10 dated 20 February.

2. The above quoted letter is therefore cancelled. Please take action to ensure that De SARIO is demobilised from the Italian Army in order to continue his employment with the British Consulate in BARI.

S.P. ARCHER, Captain.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: M.M.I.A. LO
i/c 54 Area.

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MB V MAED 0231
FROM MMIA LONDA AREA : 021505B

TO HQ MMIA

CCX BT

AC/301 (.) RESTRICTED (.) REF PRA 2 OF YOUR A 215 OF 30 MAY (.) AM
AWAITING YOUR INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING APPLICATION FOR EXP// EXEMPTION OF
DE SARIO (.) VIZ WHO SHOULD APPLY AND TO WHOM

BT 1323

SENT NR 31 JAN E1 K

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Col. A.	
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MMIA.

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A 218

(28)

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US Army

Q 243/6

TEL/INT
30 May 1945

SUBJECT: Attachments : Italian Cooks

TO : No 1 Fd Rescount Depot

A.
31/5

Sergeant COBBI Vito
Corporal Major BASSANESI Cadone

1. In accordance with 2 District QA/4705/1 dated 21 Aug 44, the above personnel were employed as cooks at your unit.
2. Both these men were due for discharge from the Italian Army, August 44, but it is now advised that the formalities necessary to make their discharge effective have been completed only in respect of Sergeant COBBI.
3. Will you please advise this HQ whether Corporal Major BASSANESI is still employed by your Unit or if not the Unit to which he was posted.

MA 1/6

See FO (25)

Retired Capt
W. L. L. L.
Major
DAGUE

Copy to: AFMA, Land Forces Sub Commission, AC
(This HQ letter 724 dated 9 Nov 44 and telephone conversation 29 May refers)

Gatering Adviser (Br)

Name			
Col. A.			
A. 1 st			
A. 2 nd			
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4/17/45 2nd JAG

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Release from Military Service.

LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

May, 45.

To : Ministry of War.

Cpl. De SARIO. Vincenzo

Reference your 3601 dated 28 May. (Uff. Eseneri)

1. In view of the remarks in your above quoted letter it is agreed that exemption from military service of the above named M.C.O. (Italian) for employment with the British Consulate in RARI will meet the case, in view of the fact that he is not of an age which entitles him to be demobilised at present.

2. Our Liaison Officer in RARI is being requested to arrange for the necessary application to be made for his exemption for a period of six months, which can later be renewed if necessary.

See Fo 21
Also 22

S.P.A.
S.P. ARCHER, Captain.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: M.M.I.A. 1/o 54 AREA. (2)

(Our letter A 218 dated 19 May is hereby cancelled)

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TRANSLATION

FROM: War Ministry

REF: 3601

TO: M.M.I.A.

DATE: 28 May 1945

SUBJECT: E/Cpl.de SARIO Vincenzo

In order that we may give the appropriate instructions relative to the discharge of the soldier mentioned above, this Ministry needs to know the unit with which de Sario Vincenzo is at present serving and to which class he belongs.

We take the opportunity to ask to also be informed - for the guidance of this Ministry - if M.M.I.A. does or does not consider it advisable, in view of the fact that we are dealing with an Italian soldier whose discharge had been requested so that he may be employed as a civilian by an Allied Authority, to adopt, for his exemption, the procedure laid down in the corresponding instructions issued by M.M.I.A. referred to in the Administrative Memorandum No.10 of the 20th. February 1945.

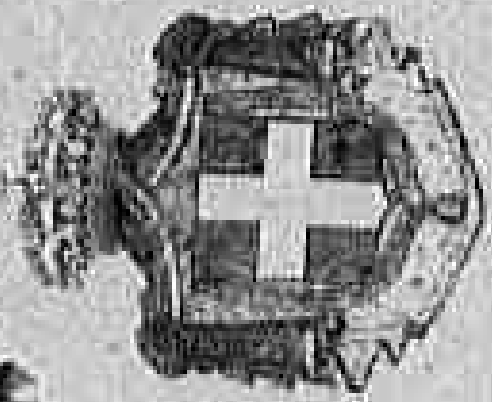
In the event of the reply being in the affirmative, the exemption certificate could be issued direct by the competent Allied H.Q. and stamped and countersigned for validity by the Bari Military Territorial Command.

Sgd. ILLEGIBLE

O. Danin Cpl

UNITA	
Col. n.	
Reg.	
Comp.	
Post.	
Camp	

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE LEVA SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

UFFICIO ESONERI

28/5

Prot. n. 3601

Rif. nota A/218 del 19 maggio 1945

Roma, li

28 MAG 1945

LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C. (AMIA)

R O M A

OGGETTO: Caporale de SARIO Vincenzo.

Per potere dare le disposizioni relativamente al congedamento del militare citato in oggetto, questo Ministero ha bisogno di conoscere presso quale reparto il de Sario Vincenzo presta attualmente servizio militare ed a quale classe appartiene.

Con l'occasione, si prega di far conoscere anche per norma di questo Ministero- se codesto Comando ritenga o meno che sia il caso, trattandosi di militare italiano per il quale viene chiesto il collocamento in congedo per essere adibito quale civile al servizio presso una autorità alleata, di adottare per l'esonero la procedura prescritta dalle istruzioni appositamente emanate da codesto Comando stesso, di cui al Memorandum amministrativo n. 10 del 20 febbraio corr. anno.

Nel caso affermativo, il certificato di esonero potrebbe essere emesso direttamente dal competente Comando Alleato e fatto munire del bollo e controfirma di convalida dal Comando Militare Territoriale di Bari.

P. IL MINISTERO

TRANSMISSION

IN

Prot. n. 3607 18/3

Rif. nota 4/218 del 19 maggio 1945

Roma, li 28 MAG 1945

LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C. (OMIA)

R O M A

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P. IL MINISTRO		TRANSMISSION	
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		OUT	14.30 29/5

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject : Demobilisation Italian Soldiers trained at
British School of Cookery.

FILE

(17)

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
M.M.I.A.
R O M S.
A 216.

28 May 45.

To : Ministry of War.

Cpl. Magg. BASSANESE, Addara.

(16)

Reference your 17111/Mob.di Prot.of 25 May 45. S.M.R.E.

1. It is not understood why a delay of over five months should have occurred before it was discovered that the above named NCO was not employed at No.1 Fld Remount Depot as advised in this HQ letter AQ/17/1 dated 15 Dec. 1944.
2. It is considered that this intolerable delay should be investigated by you, and action taken as may be necessary to ensure that such delays do not occur in future.
3. Meanwhile enquiries are being made trying to discover the present location of Cpl. Magg. BASSANESE.

See FO 20

PA.
Major General.
M.M.I.A.

SPA/wai

Copys to RMAAC
ref 7A4 of 9 Nov/44.

FO 20 Refers.

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Translation. See FO (17) (16)

From. as of W A218. Ref. 17111/1000.
to. M.M.A. Date 25 May 45.

Italian Personnel to be employed as cooks
Ref AQ 171 dated 15/10/44 — (297) jacket.

While the demobilisation of Lt. GORBI VITO
has been ordered it has been impossible to do
likewise for Epl. BASSAMESE. ADDONE because he
is not serving with 1st field command depot.

Please inform us of the unit of the a/c Epl.
and his present location.

R. Mansfield

Ref. 171 dated 15/10/44
to investigate delays
in return of personnel
from 1st field command depot

M.H.A.	
Gen. A.	
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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
Ufficio Ordinamento e Mobilitazione

TV PA 24/5
A 25/5

N. 17111/Mob.di prot.

P.M. 3800, 11 ²⁵ maggio 45

OGGETTO: personale militare italiano da impiegarsi come cuochi. =

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (MMIA) ROMA
(rif. AQ/17 del 15/12/44)

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Mentre è stato provveduto alla smobilitazione del sergente
GOBBI Vito, non è stato possibile parimenti procedere nei riguardi
del cap.magg. BASSANESE Addone in quanto non risulta in servizio
presso il 1° Field Remout Depot.

Pregasi voler cortesemente precisare l'ente presso il qua-
l'attualmente il BASSANESE si trova.

TRANSMISSION
IN { Time 8.00
Date 26/5
OUT { Time 11.00
Date 26/5



IL GENERALE ADDETTO
(Giorgio Liuzzi) p. i.

Col. M. M. M.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army Demobilisation.

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LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

19 May 45.

To : Ministry of War.

CPL. de SARIO, Vincenzo.

1. The above named Italian soldier has been employed for the past eight months with the British Consulate in BARI.
2. It is required that you will please arrange that de SARIO may be demobilised from the Italian Army in order that his employment with the British Consulate in BARI may continue.
3. Please advise this HQ of the action taken in this matter.

See 18

S.P. Archer Capt.

S.P. ARCHER, Captain.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

Copy to: M.M.I.A., L.O. 54 Area. (2) /
(Refer your LO/7/AQ dated 15 May.)

/BCC

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Subject: Italian Army Demobilisation.

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LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C.,
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A 218

19 May 45.

To : Ministry of War.

1. The attached application from an Italian soldier requesting discharge from the Italian Army is forwarded to you for necessary action.

SPH
S.P. ARCHER, Captain.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

/ECC.

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Subject: Demobilisation Italian Military Personnel.

(13/1)

LAND FORCES SUB COM A.C.:
(M.M.I.A.) R O M E

A218

15 May 45.

To : HQ 54 AREA.

SOLD. RAFFI, Luigi.
" FIORANO, Mello.
" PAGLIERUSCO, Diomoro.
" VARASCHIN, Tranquillo.

Reference your letter CA/29/6 dated 24 and 26 February, addressed to Garrison HQ BARI.

1. The Ministry of War have requested that they may be supplied with further particulars. i.e. Name of father, Military Class, Military District and apparent Unit of the above named soldiers in order that their demobilisation may be completed and that they may subsequently be employed as civilian cooks with Allied Units.

2. Will you please arrange to forward this information.

See fo (23)

for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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Tel:-BARI II458

Subject:-Unauthorized Military Personnel.

Liaison Office
Land Forces, Sub Comm.
A.C. (MMIA) C/o 54 Area

Ref. LO/7/AQ

15 May 1945

To:- HQ. MMIA ✓

Ref. LO/8/SD of 8 May 45.

1. Please see letter ref. 668/6/3/45 dated 14 May 45 from British Consul, BARI. Copy attached at App A.
2. Cpl. De Sario is included in the 15 ORs at serial 14 coln (e) of App A to my letter above quoted.
3. Would you please inform me whether you agree to meet the British Consul's application, and if so arrange with the War Ministry to have this NCO released indefinitely from the Italian Army.
4. Pending your ruling I have arranged with 9 Territorial HQ. to suspend his transfer on the understanding that he ceases to draw Italian Army rations.

GFH/cep

Copy to:

Acting British Consul, BARI

9 Territorial HQ.

G. P. Holt Maj.
Senior (MMIA) LO

Eastern Italy.

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663/6/3/45

British Consulate,
BARI.
15th, May, 1945.

Sir:

I have the honour to refer to our telephone conversation this morning concerning the case of my Italian consular clerk, Cpl; Vincenzo de SARIO.

2. The facts concerning the above are as follows. In August, 1944 my predecessor, Mr. F.H. Gamble, made application to Col. Vallone, Italian Liaison Officer at HQ, No.2 District, for the temporary release of Corporal de Sario, for employment as a clerk at this Consulate. This request was duly passed to GHQ of the Italian Army, Rome, and was granted. Cpl. De Sario was at that time on the strength of the 180th. Military Transport Delegation, Bari, but owing to reduction of that unit's personnel with a corresponding reduction of rations, he was later transferred to the HQ of the Territorial Command, Bari. Yesterday Cpl. De Sario was informed that in accordance with instructions from M.M.I.4., he would be transferred to the Italian Transit Camp at Frosinone. I now understand that on my urgent representation to you this morning, you have kindly arranged that this transfer will be suspended for the time being.

3. In view of the above I would be grateful if you would cause representations to be made to the appropriate Italian authorities so that Cpl. De Sario may be released indefinitely from the army, for service as a civilian in the British Consulate at Bari, and that pending a decision, the question of his transfer to Frosinone be suspended.

4. As explained to you today, Vincenzo De Sario is an English speaking Italian, born in America, and was specially selected for clerical work in the Consulate, connected with the shipping office routine, interpreter when attending to Italian merchant seamen employed in Allied ships, correspondence in Italian and general office duties. He has now been some 8 months in this Consulate, and has proved himself very suited to the work, and it would cause me no little inconvenience were he removed. I would add for your information that the employment locally of English speaking clerks, of foreign birth, in British Consulates abroad is a normal procedure, and is in De Sario's case, are carefully selected.

5. Below are details concerning Cpl. V. De Sario.

6. I am sending a copy of this despatch to the British Embassy

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5. Below are details concerning Cpl. V. De Sario.

6. I am sending a copy of this despatch to the British Embassy, Rome and to the British Consulate General, Naples.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Acting British Consul.

Father: Giancarlo De Sario.

Mother: Rossa, née Mele.

Place of Birth: Newark, N.J. U.S.A.

Date of Birth: 14 April 1917.

Major Holt.

M.M.I.A.

Bari.

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ROUTING SLIP

HEADQUARTERS
PENINSULAR BASE SECTION
APO 782

(Classification)

(Date of Basic Letter)

File No. _____

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SUBJECT: _____

Number each memo consecutively. Fill in each column. Initial action, draw one line across the sheet. Use the entire width of sheet for long memoranda.

No.	Date	From	To
1	15 May 1945	M.M.I.A. L.O. Penbase	Hq. M.M.I.A.

Herewith is a request for discharge from from an Italian soldier. The Italian command has been unable to locate the soldier in this area.

F. R. Clark
F. R. CLARK
Capt., CAC
M.M.I.A. L.O.

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A 218
COPY INCOMING SIGNAL.

FROM : A.F.H.Q. SIGNED SACRED
CITE PHGCT

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TO : MMIA

INFO : 5 ARMY GROUP.

File 07 65
(10.)
RESTRICTED

FX 74929 DATED 12 MAY YOUR A1066 (.) CONFIRMED AUTHORITY TO
DEMOBILIZE 50,000 ITALIAN SOLDIERS APPLIES TO ALL CATEGORIES

"A" DISTRIBUTION.

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"A" 2
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Translation.

From; M. of W.

To ; MMIA.

Subject; Pte FAGLIERUSCO Diomoro, and Pte VARASCHIN Tranquillo.

Of; 2867

11/5/45.

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In order that proper action can be taken, it is necessary that the applications regarding the discharge of the a/m soldiers, be completed with particulars of their paternity, class, and parent unit.

This information is necessary, in order that the soldiers may be identified, and also to enable the necessary instructions to be issued to the parent units, which have to make relative arrangements for their discharge.

(Lt. Machiavelli)

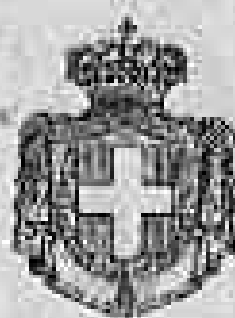
(E. Cugusi)

See FO (24)

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Roma

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
LEVA, SOTTUFFICIALI E TRUPPA

LAND. FORCES SUB.COMM.

A.C.

R O M A

Divisione Uff. Esoneri

Prot. N. 2867

Allegato uno

Rispostato del

Dir. *Gen.* *N.*

OGGETTO: Soldati PAGLIERUSCO Diomoro e VARASCHIN
Tranquillo.-

A.

TV 10/15

Per i provvedimenti da adottare occorre che la richiesta riguardante l'invio in congedo dei militari indicati in oggetto sia completata con l'indicazione della paternità, classe, reparto di appartenenza, essendo tali dati indispensabili per l'identificazione del militare e per poter dare le necessarie disposizioni al corpo, che deve procedere alle relative variazioni riguardanti l'invio in congedo.-

TRANSLATION

IN

Time 9.45

Date 12.5

OUT

17.30

Date 13.5

p. IL MINISTRO

(E. Cugusi)

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Translation.
From; Catering adviser 54 Area.
To ; Bari Garrison Coy.

Ref; CA/29/6.
26/2/45

The u/m military: Paglierusco Diomiro;
Varaschin Tranquillo.
have ended their period of training at the Bari Cookery school "A"
3 district School of Cookery)

We request that the a/m be discharged, in order that they may
be employed as cooks at the 93 General Hospital C.M.F.

Signed; (Illegible)
Capt. A.C.C.
Catering adviser for Lt.Col.,
ADST. 54 Area.

(Lt. Machiavelli)

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C O P I A

Comando Comp. Presidiario,
B A R I.

CA/29/6

Il sotto-elencato militare : Paglierusco Diomiro
Varaschin Tranquillo

ha terminato il suo periodo di istruzione presso la scuola di cucina,
di Bari ("A" 3 district Scholl of Cookery).

E' richiesto il congedo del sopra-elencato militare per prendere
servizio (come cuoco) presso : - 93rd General Hospital C.M.F.

F.to Illeggibile

Captain A.C.C.
Catering Sdviser,
for Lt.Col.,
ADST 54 Area.

CMF. 26/2/45

Copy to : Army Sub Commission A.C.C.
H.Q. Move, M.M.I.A.
Catering Adviser 3 District
Italian Liaison Officer 3 District
93rd General Hospital
File.



P. C. C.
IL TEN. COLONNELLO CAPO SEZIONE
(F.Dibitonto)

Dibitonto

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785020

Translation.

From: M of N.
To: MMIA.

A 218 A

Ref: 2866.
Date: 11 May 45.

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Subject: Soldier RAFFI LUIGI and Soldier FIORANO NELLO.

In order that action can be taken, it is necessary that the request dealing with the discharge of the above soldiers, shows the paternity, date of birth and the parent unit. These details are necessary to identify the soldiers and allow this office to give the necessary instructions to the unit which has to ~~process~~ ^{carry out} the discharge.

Gr. J.

SH Area
asked to supply
info. PH
15/5

(Sgd) F. AUGUSTI.

See FO 24

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Translation.

From: Catering Advisor, ADST 54 Area.

Ref: CA/24/6

To: Garrison HQ, Bari.

Date: 24/1/65.

Sgt. RAFFI LUIGI

" FIORANO NELLO.

The afo soldiers have attended the course
at "A" 3 District School of Cookery.

The discharge of these soldiers is requested so
that they may be employed as cooks at ADMC Land Forces
Petrinatic.

G.F.D.

(Sgd) ? Capt. V. B. C.
Catering Advisor for Lt. Col.
ADST 54 Area

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Divisione UFF. ES ONERY

Let. N° 2866

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OGGETTO Soldati RAFFI Luigi e FIORANO Nello.

Per i provvedimenti da adottare occorre che la richiesta riguardante il congedamento dei militari indicati in oggetto sia completa ta con l'indicazione della paternità, classe, reparto di appartenenza, essendo tali dati indispensabili per l'identificazione dei mili tari e per poter dare le necessarie disposi zioni al corpo che deve procedere alle relati ve variazioni riguardanti l'invio in congedo.

TRANSLATION

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P. IL MINISTRO
IL DIRETTORE GENERALE
(E. Cugusi)

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C O P I A

Comando Comp. Presidiario,
B A P I.

CA/29/6

Il sotto-elencato militare : RAFFI LUIGI
FIORANO NELLO

ha terminato il suo periodo di istruzione presso la scuola di cucina,
di Bari ("A" 3 District School of Cookery).

E' richiesto il congedo del sopra-elencato militare per prendere
servizio (come cuoco) presso : A.D.M.E. Land Forces Adriatic.

F.to Illeggibile

Captain A.C.C.,
Catering Adviser,
for Lt.Col.,
ADST 54 Area.

CMT. 24/2/45

Copy to : - Army Sub Commission A.C.C.
H.Q. Move, W.M.I.A.
Catering Adviser 3 District
Italian Liaison Officer 3 District
A.D.M.E. Land Forces Adriatic
File.



P. C. C.
IL TENENTE COLONNELLO CAPO SEZIONE
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COPY OF INCOMING SIGNAL

FROM : 15 ARMY GROUP.

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TO : AFHQ

INFO : MMIA
CG 5 ARMY
CG 5 ARMY FOR BR INC 'A'
8 ARMY
DISTONE
ALLIED COMMISSION
PDS

REF: AO 55

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REFERENCE MMIA SIGNAL A1663 OF 04 NOT TO ALL.

SUBJECT DEMOBILIZATION ITALIAN ARMY.

1. AGREE DEMOBILIZED PERSONNEL MAY AT PRESENT PROCEED TO
DESTINATIONS WITHIN AREA BOUNDED BY ROADS PADUA VERONA
BRESCIA MILAN TURIN GENOA ALL INCLUSIVE. IN
CASE OF PERSONNEL PROCEEDING FORWARD OF REAR ARMY SECURITY CONTROL
LINE NORMAL AMP PASS REQUIRED IN ADDITION TO DISCHARGE PAPERS.

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COPY INCOMING SIGNAL

FROM : PENBASE.

TO : MTOUSA ATTENTION G-4

INFO : 5 ARMY
MMIA.

09 1005 D.

REF: 5287.

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FURTHER REGARDING DISCUSSION BETWEEN G-4 MTOUSA AND G-4 PENBASE ON SUBJECT OF PROSPECTIVE RELEASE OF 14900 UNITED STATES-ITI ON 1 JULY AN ESTIMATED NUMBER IN PENBASE IN CLASSES OF 1918 NA OLDER, FOLLOWING GENERAL SUMMARY IS SUBMITTED:

A (.) ORIGINAL PENBASE REQUEST WAS MADE FOR 53000 WHEN LINE OF COMMUNICATIONS

WERE SHORTER AND MORE UNITED STATES PERSONNEL AVAILABLE (.) B (.) PRESENT

AUTHORIZED CEILING IS 51500 PLUS 4500 REPLACEMENT POOL WHO ARE ACTUALLY NOW

EFFECTIVES; TOTAL 56000 (.) THIS REPLACEMENT POOL HOLDS BODIES FOR ASSIGNMENT

TO 5 ARMY, AAF/ATO AND PENBASE FOR MMIA ALLOCATION (.) OF 4500 REPLACEMENT POOL

CEILING. THERE ARE ON HAND ONLY 3573 (.) C (.) PENBASE HAS ORGANIZED UNITS TO

HOLD 52355 TROOPS IN WHICH THERE ARE NOW ACTUALLY WORKING FOR PENBASE A TOTAL

49377 (.) D (.) OF ACTUAL CEILING OF EFFECTIVES OF 51500 UNITS, HAVE ON MTOUSA

ORDER BEEN QUOTE LOANED UNQUOTE AND ATTACHED TO ALLIED COMMISSION, HEADQUARTERS

COMMAND AFHQ, REPLACEMENT AND TRAINING COMMAND, OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICE,

AND ROME AREA HAVING AUTHORIZED STRENGTH OF 5701 (.) QUOTE LOANED UNQUOTE TOTAL OF

500 TO ALLIED COMMISSION MUST BE CONSIDERED PERMANENTLY LOST TO PENBASE IN VIEW OF

FACT THAT ALLIED COMMISSION MISSION IN ITALY OBVIOUSLY REQUIRES CONTINUED OPERATION

BEYOND THAT OF PENBASE (.) IT IS LIKEWISE ANTICIPATED THAT UNITS ATTACHED TO OTHER

MISCELLANEOUS HEADQUARTERS WILL NOT REPEAT NOT EVER REVERT TO PENBASE CONTROL (.)

E (.) MMIA MESSAGE SD2638 DATED 28 APRIL OF WHICH YOU HAVE COPY PL 4314 ACTUALLY

THE REPLY REPLACEMENT POOL AT DISPOSAL OF 5 ARMY AND ELIMINATES FOR THE PRESENT

ANY SOURCE FOR MAINTENANCE OR PRESENT PENBASE STRENGTH OR BUDGET IS TO BE MAINTAINED

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DISCUSSION BETWEEN G-4 MTOUSA AND G-4 PENBASE ON SUBJECT OF PROSPECTIVE RELEASE OF 14900 UNITED STATES-IT-1 ON 1 JULY AN ESTIMATED NUMBER IN PENBASE IN CLASSES OF 1913 MA OLDER, FOLLOWING GENERAL SUMMARY IS SUBMITTED:

A (.) ORIGINAL PENBASE REQUEST WAS MADE FOR 53000 WHEN LINE OF COMMUNICATIONS WERE SHORTER AND MORE UNITED STATES PERSONNEL AVAILABLE (.) B (.) PRESENT AUTHORIZED CEILING IS 51500 PLUS 4500 REPLACEMENT POOL WHO ARE ACTUALLY NON EFFECTIVE; TOTAL 56000 (.) THIS REPLACEMENT POOL HOLDS BODIES FOR ASSIGNMENT TO 5 ARMY, AAP/ATO AND PENBASE FOR MVA ALLOCATION (.) OF 4500 REPLACEMENT POOL CEILING, THERE ARE ON LAND ONLY 3576 (.) C (.) PENBASE HAS ORGANIZED UNITS TO HOLD 52355 TROOPS IN WHICH THERE ARE NOW ACTUALLY WORKING FOR PENBASE A TOTAL 49377 (.) D (.) OF ACTUAL CEILING OF EFFECTIVES OF 51500 UNITS, HAVE ON MTOUSA ORDER BEEN QUOTE LOANED UNQUOTE AND ATTACHED TO ALLIED COMMISSION, HEADQUARTERS COMMAND AFHQ, REPLACEMENT AND TRAINING COMMAND, OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICE, AND ROME AREA HAVING AUTHORIZED STRENGTH OF 5701 (.) QUOTE LOANED UNQUOTE TOTAL OF 2500 TO ALLIED COMMISSION MUST BE CONSIDERED PERMANENTLY LOST TO PENBASE IN VIEW OF FACT THAT ALLIED COMMISSION MISSION IN ITALY OBVIOUSLY REQUIRES CONTINUED OPERATION BEYOND THAT OF PENBASE (.) IT IS LIKEWISE ANTICIPATED THAT UNITS ATTACHED TO OTHER MISCELLANEOUS HEADQUARTERS WILL NOT REPEAT NOT EVER REVERT TO PENBASE PATROL (.)

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NOT SEE FINAL REPLY BUT IN JOINT 5 ARMY-PENBASE CONFERENCE AS DIRECTED BY MTOUSA IT WAS INDICATED THAT 5 ARMY COULD RELEASE 15 AND ONE HALF COMPANIES OF SERVICE TROOPS OR ABOUT 3100 BODIES (.) IF FREEBORN IS NOT A 5 ARMY OBLIGATION, THEN 5 ARMY MAY BE ABLE TO RELEASE MORE THAN 15 AND ONE HALF COMPANIES (.) F (.) MEN IN CLASSES OF 1913 ~~XXXX~~ AND OLDER INCLUDE MANY GOOD CRAFTSMEN THAT CANNOT ADEQUATELY BE REPLACED BY YOUNGER MEN THAT WILL BE OBTAINED EVEN IF AVAILABLE (.) G (.) EXPECT THAT ~~XXXX~~ WILL HAVE DIFFICULTY IN EVEN GETTING NUMBERS OF REPLACEMENTS SINCE VICTORY EUROPE DAY IN VIEW OF NATURAL DESIRE OF ALL PERSONNEL TO RETURN TO OR STAY IN NORMAL CIVIL PURSUITS (.) H (.) EVEN IF NUMBERS OF YOUNGER MEN ARE AVAILABLE, THE TURNOVER AND PROCESS IS WASTEFUL OF TRANSPORTATION AND ADMINISTRATIVE EFFORT AT A TIME WHEN IT CAN BE ILL AFFORDED (.) I (.) IF 14800 PERSONNEL ARE LOST ON 1 JULY IT WILL RESULT IN DECREASE OF ACTUAL PENBASE EFFECTIVENESS 28 POINT 7 PER CENT FROM PRESENT FIGURE (.) IT WILL LIKEWISE DECREASE STRENGTH OF 5701 PERSONNEL ON QUOTE LOAN UNQUOTE AND ATTACHMENT TO OTHER HEADQUARTERS BY AN ESTIMATED 28 POINT 7 PER CENT (.) J (.) RELEASE OF LARGE NUMBERS OF UNITED STATES-IT PERSONNEL IS DEFINITELY NOT REPEAT NOT IN CONSONANCE WITH REDEPLOYMENT PROGRAM AND WILL OBVIOUSLY AFFECT SUCH PROGRAM ADVERSELY (.) IN EFFECT CHOICE APPEARS TO BE BETWEEN EARLY RETURN OF MANY UNITED STATES SOLDIERS TO ZONE OF INTERIOR AND OTHER THEATERS OR THE EARLY RELEASE OF 14800 UNITED STATES-IT (.) REGARDLESS OF ITALIAN MILITARY REGULATIONS THAT APPARENTLY PROVIDE FOR PROPOSED RELEASE OF CLASSES OF 1913 ~~AND~~ OLDER, IT IS BELIEVED THAT ALLIES SHOULD OVERRIDE SUCH REGULATIONS IN INTEREST OF INSURING EARLIEST POSSIBLE CONCLUSION OF WAR WITH JAPAN (.) K (.) REQUEST IMMEDIATE REMEDIAL ACTION BE TAKEN TO INSURE MAINTENANCE OF PENBASE EFFECTIVE STRENGTH AT 58000 BODIES, EXCLUSIVE OF 5701 ON QUOTE LOAN UNQUOTE AND ATTACHMENT TO OTHER COMMANDS AND IN REPLACEMENTS POOL (.) FURTHER REQUEST REPLY INFORMATION AS TO

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INFORMATION AS TO ACTION TAKEN

DISCUSSION

12-07-57

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A/208 (6)
Subject:- Release from Military Service.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A/218 ✓

MINISTRY OF WAR.

2 April 45.

(2)
GIOVANNETTI Giuseppe.

Refer our A/218 of 12 Apl/45.

1. The above quoted letter will be cancelled and Sold. Giovannetti will not be granted an extension of leave.
2. However, in order that he may remain available to continue his useful work for the Allies, he will be posted to H.Q. 231 Division, for assignment to the most convenient unit.
3. ^{reported} It is requested that Giovannetti is now with his unit which is Autodrapelle Ministero della Guerra P.M. 3800.

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S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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(5)
Subject:- Release from Military Service.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A/218 ✓

20 April 45.

British Increment
Rear H.Q. 5 Army
C.M.F.

(L)
GIOVANNETTI GIUSEPPE

Ref. your 64/IA of 17 Apl/45.

1. The above named being a soldier of the Italian Army cannot be granted an extention of leave in order to remain employed by the Allies in a civilian capacity.

2. However, in order that he may continue his previous work, the Ministry of War has to-day been instructed to post him to 231 Division, by which H.Q. he can be posted to a Unit from which he can conveniently continue his old employment.

S.P. Archer Capt.

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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A 218

(4)

SUBJECT: Release from Italian Military Service

British Increment 'A' Branch
Rear HQ FIFTH Army
CMF

Phone No: Lightning Rear 162

Land Forces Sub Commission,
A.C. (MIA)

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64/1A

17 Apr 45

GIOVANNETTI Giuseppe

Reference your A 218 of 12 Apr 45.

Copy of this HQ letter 64/1A of 27 Mar 45, giving details required, is forwarded herewith as requested.

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see File 3 also (5)

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Deputy Chief of Staff (British)
FIFTH Army.

*Told me of his party
him to 231 his in order
can continue
his present assignment
SPV 22) 4*

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SUBJECT: Release from Italian Military Service

British Increment 'A' Branch
Rear HQ FIFTH Army
CMF

Phone No: Lightning Rear 162

AMHQ, G-1(Br)

GA/1A

Copy to:- HQ, DATA
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27 Mar 45

GIOVANNETTI Giuseppe

1. Application is made for the release from the Italian Army of the above-named soldier. Pro-formae are enclosed herewith.
2. Giovannetti was granted temporary release on compassionate grounds from 9 Dec 44 to 9 Mar 45. He has now returned to his unit, believed to be located in the ROME area.
3. Further particulars are:-
 - (i) No: 15188 (II) Rank: Soldato
 - (ii) Age Group: 1920
 - (iii) Military District: FLORENCE
 - (iv) Unit: Autodrapelle Ministero della Guerra FM 3800
4. As no replacement for 4 OED can be found locally, it is requested that release or an extension of leave be granted as soon as possible.

(Sgd).

H.D. LYTHIETH, Major, **4314**
- DAAG,
for Brigadier,
Deputy Chief of Staff (British)
FIFTH Army.

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Subject : Release from Italian Military Service.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A 218

12 April 45.

Rear HQ, Fifth Army
British Increment.

GIOVANNETTI Giuseppe.

Ref : AFHQ letter OR/3716/G-I(Tr),
dated 30th of March.

The above quoted letter stated that a copy of Rear HQ Fifth Army letter 64/IA, dated 27th of March was sent to this HQ. No trace can be found of this letter. Will you please forward a copy of letter 64/IA, dated 27th of March to this HQ, together with full particulars as to the present position and status of the above named Italian soldier.

S.P. Archer-Coyne

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/fc

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Subject : Release from Military Service.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.S.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A 218

12 April 45.

Ministry of War

GIOVANNETTI Giuseppe

1. AMHQ have given instructions for the above named soldier to be granted release from Military Service for a further period of 6 months.
2. Please take action to ensure that this extension is arranged.
3. Application form for exemption in respect of this soldier is enclosed herewith.

SP Archer Capt

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

SPA/fo

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Subject : Release from Service.

Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
R O M E
A 218

10 April 45.

Ministry of War

Cap. Magg. OTTONELLI Gino

Ref : your 108075/1/1, of 4th of April.
114-7-2 (Gabinetto).

1. The above named, being a soldier of the Italian Army, cannot be released for employment as a cook at the Nirvanetta Club.

2. If he is not at present with his Unit, please make the necessary arrangement for him to be returned forthwith.

S.P. Archer Capt.

S.P. ARCHER, Capt.
for Major General,
M.M.I.A.

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