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LETTERS FROM 301-337

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

IPW/1/1/337

19 February 1945

Dear Sir,

I have been asked by the President to acknowledge receipt of your letter regarding the repatriation of your son, Lieut. ALTIGHIERI Mario, who is a Prisoner of War in Australia.

Present policy lays down that all requests for repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War must be dealt with in the first instance by the Italian Government, and accordingly your letter is returned herewith for forwarding to the Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War, whose address is 110 Via Vittorio Emanuele, Rome.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:

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

A. ALTIGHIERI,
Via Bormida 1, Rome.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Office of the President

APO 394

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PRES/45215/SI.

16th February 1945.

TO: Director of W.M.D. & I.P.O.W. Sub-Commission.Subject:- Italian P.O.W.

The enclosed letter from Signor A. Altigieri has been received in this office, and is passed to you for whatever action you may consider necessary.

The translations are attached.

John Wyndham

Personal Assistant.

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Translation

To H. EX. MR. MacMillan
Allied Commission
R o m e

I hope you will forgive me for taking up your time.

I enclose a note about my only son, Lieutenant ALTIGIERI Mario,
Prisoner of war in Australia.

I know that in identical circumstances, you have shown great
kindness to the families whose sons were prisoners, or who couldn't
get news from them.

I trust you Excellency will give the necessary orders for my
son to be repatriated. He has been declared unfit for service and
can therefore be repatriated.

Yours truly,

S. A. Altigieri

Rome, via Bormida, 1

P.S. Not only is my son ill, but he is also an only son and his
mother has been sufferin mentally and physically for several years.

13 January 1945

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Translation

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MEMORANDUM

Altigieri Mario, Lt. (Reserve), class 1919, called under arms on September 4th 1939, immediately sent to the Egyptian front, never came back. Was made a prisoner of February 8th 1941 (almost four years ago), was sent first to Egypt, then in Australia, where he has now been three and a half years:

Camp 5, Murtleford (Victoria)
N. 47164

The Medical Commission stated over a year ago that he could be repatriated for he was ill, and he has been waiting anxiously, but vainly to be sent back to Italy.

Only son. His mother has been seized with a serious form of mental illness because of the worries of these five years of vain expectancy. It would be an act of kindness to give her back her son, whose return might cure her insanity.

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SUBJECT: RELEASES - ITALIAN PW.

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HQ., ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY

Tel: FILPOT Ext 226

3428/2/A(O)

7 NOV 44.

War Materials Disposal
and Italian PW Sub Commission
HQ ACIS.

Reference your IPW/1/1/276 of 1 Sep 44.

The application for release of
LANGELLA has been refused as the compassionate grounds in
the case are not considered sufficiently strong.

A. S. W. Smith, Major
Brigadier,
DAG.

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ALLIED ARMY IN ITALY
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL
AND ITALIAN PW SUB-COMMISSION
HQ ACIS

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: ACTION AC FOR IPW SC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 104/08

FROM: HQ SIGNED SIGNED

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REFERENCE No: F 49901

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Your 4799 of 13 Oct. PAVESI and LEONARDI embarked KEF RPT KMF ?
36 accompanied 3 batmen. Request you arrange collect and transport ROME.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IM/tb

IPW 1/1/334

10 November 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War

Subject : Transfer of certain PW to Tunisia

See 353

See 1/38/118

Reference your 10485/1/C.5 dated 4 November 1944

As explained to General Gazzera this morning, it has been decided that for the present, repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War to Tunisia cannot be arranged.

Jab
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

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HIGH COMMISSIONER
for PW

Military Office

Rome 4th November 1944

File N. 10485/I/C.5

SUBJECT: Request for liberation and consequent transfer.
TO : Allied Commission - Rome.

1. The Italian soldiers Angelo SIAS, Matteo MAZZANELLO, and Angelo ZAPPALA', prisoners of war in Camp 208 Algeri, have been transferred to Italy to the 603 L.A.D. - R.E.M.E.
2. Private Angelo Sias, N.39803 was a prisoner of war in R Camp 208 Algeria. His family lives in Tunisia and are in a very bad economic and moral condition because of the father's death, and because two other brothers are also prisoners of war.
3. Private Matteo Mazzanello, N.12357 was a prisoner of war in R Camp 208 Algeria. His family also is living in Tunisia under bad economic conditions because of his absence.
4. Private Angelo Zappala', N.8041 prisoner of war in R Camp 208 Algeria, has left his wife and two little children in Tunisia without any support because they have no relatives living in Tunisia.
5. We kindly beg the Allied Commission to take an interest in these three cases, if it is possible to arrange for their liberation and subsequent transfer to Tunisia through the competent Authorities.

HIGH COMMISSIONER
Gen. Pietro Gazzera 5451

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3rd. copy for balance.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW 1/1/332

9 November 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War

Subject : 2nd Lt. LEONCINI Publio PW 177691

- 1/. The attached letter has been forwarded to me by A.F.H.C. with the request that I investigate and report on the statements made.
- 2/. I shall be pleased if you will let me have your report together with any recommendation you may wish to make.

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J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPR 1/1/331

7 November 1944

✓ To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Maj. DI MOLISANI Giuseppe, P.W. No 53502.

See Encl 300

- 1/. We have received the following information from C.H.Q. India, regarding above mentioned Subject.
- 2/. Maj. DI MOLISANI was seen by the Mixed Medical Commission during its recent tour, and has not been recommended for repatriation. He has, however, been recommended for re-examination during the Commission's next tour.

AAC
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

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Dated _____
HQ APO 394
Italian Prisoner of War, Sub-Commission
War Materials Disposal and

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPW/1/1/330

7 November 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

SUBJECT: 2nd. Lieut. DE PAMPHILIS, Manfredo, No. 259348.

- See Encl. 328*
- 1/. The attached document is forwarded to you for such action as you deem necessary.
 - 2/. The Medical certificate mentioned in attached letter is in our hands as is also a letter from the Guffart Co. to certify that above subject is needed in the direction of the ship yard.

A. C.
J. M. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel 5448
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

1 Encl. Request for repatriation of Civil
functionaries who are Prisoners of War.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
War Materials Disposal and

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IPW/1/1/329

7 November 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

SUBJECT: PW Capt. Ernesto BELTRAMO No. 6917

Reference your letter No. 8193/1/ c. 1 file
dated 29th October 1944

- 1/. As soon as shipping space becomes available more Italian PsW will be repatriated from India; it is our ardent hope that this time will not be far away.
- 2/. In the meantime it is regretted that above subject will have to remain in India. Eventually his repatriation will take place on the basis of priorities set up for repatriation of Prisoners from India.

A. A. C.

J. A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

War Materials Disposal and
Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission

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APO 394

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SUBJECT:- Request for repatriation of Italian PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

Headquarters,
Allied Commission. ✓

Pojw s/c
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CR/3887/G1(Er).

4 Nov 44.

1. Reference the attached papers concerning the release of Italian Prisoner of War No. 259348 DE PAMPHILIS on the grounds that he is required to do work of importance to the Allied cause in Italy.
2. It would be appreciated if this case could be investigated and a report forwarded together with recommendations.
3. It is requested that the papers may be returned with your reply.

Encl.
OG/JEH.

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Mailout
O. GRANT, J. Cond,
for Major General
DAG, G.1.(Br)

HEADQ.
6 NOV 1944
A. C. C.

COMUNE OF PRATOLA PELIGNA

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Civil functionaries
Prisoners of War.

To the Allied Military Government

The Geometer sottotenente di complemento, DE RAMPILLIS
MANFREDO of Camillo Paolo, prisoner of war No. 25948,
Wing no. 2B No. 25 D.O.

Camp. E/o G.P.O., Bombay-

Before being called into the army, the above person
held technical and directive activities for the
National Construction firm (Impresa Nazionale di Con-
struzioni) "A. Gaffanti" which has headquarters in Milan
and several ship-building yards in the Abruzzo, together
with his father Geometer Camillo Paolo, who has kept his
position until the 15th of Sept., when he was forced to
resign because of a brain hemorrhage for which he is un-
able to continue the obligations assumed neither for
himself nor his son.

Having been informed by circular on date 11 Sept., 44,
No. 3638, of the generous disposition made by the Allied
authorities to return to civil life all those prisoners
who are needed for the National reconstruction, I bring
to your knowledge the above case, hoping that that
honorable office will give consideration to the matter
in order that the P.O.W. sottotenente DE RAMPILLIS may
be repatriated.

The Sincere 5/46

Helly

A. GUFFANTI & C.
IMPRESA COSTRUZIONI IN CEMENTI ARMATI
MILANO
Via Goldoni, 19 - Telefoni: 22-957 e 273-291
ROMA
Via Antonelli, 44 - Telefono 870-044
C. P. E. C. Milano N. 166444
C/C Post. 8-6734



S I A T T E S T A

Che il Geometra DE PAMPHILIS Paolo occorre
nella Direzione di questo Cantiere per lavori
di ricostruzione di opere pubbliche nella
zona. »

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We certify that the Geometer De Pamphilis Paolo
is needed in the direction of this
Ship-yard for the xxxxxx of reconstruction
of public works of this area.

A. Guffanti & C.





COMUNE DI PRATOLA PELIGNA

N.

UFFICIO SANITARIO

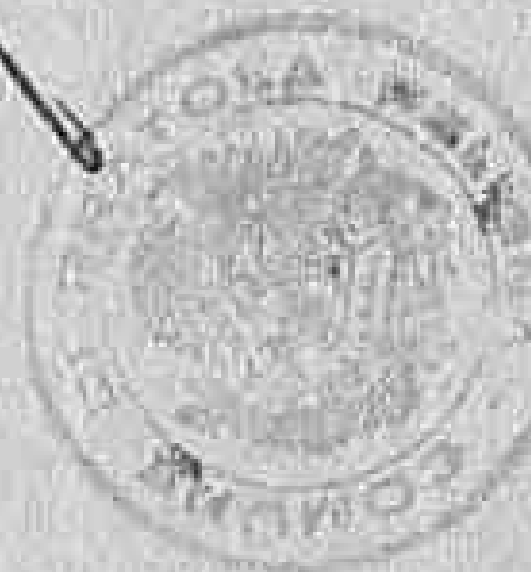
Certifico che il sig. DE PAMPHILIS Paolo,
Geometra di Pratola Peligna, di anni 66, è af-
fetto da postumi di emorragia cerebrale per cui
versa in grave stato.

Pratola Peligna, 30 settembre 1944

L'Ufficiale Sanitario
(Dott. Ezio Ricci)

*E. L. Ricci*

Visto: IL SINDACO



I certify that Sig. De Pamphilis Paolo, Geometer
of Pratola-Peligna, 66 years old, is affected of
brain hemorrhage and is in very serious conditions.

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Certifico che il sig. DE PAMPHILIS Paolo,
Geometra di Pratola Peligna, di anni 66, è af-
fetto da postumi di emorragia cerebrale per cui
versa in grave stato.

Pratola Peligna, 30 settembre 1944

L'Ufficiale Sanitario
(Dott. Ezio Ricci)



D. L. Ricci

Visto: IL SINDACO

[Signature]



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of Pratola-Peligna, 66 years old, is affected of
brain hemorrhage and is in very serious conditions.

Pratola Peligna, 30 settembre 1944

Sanitary Officer

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HIGH COMMISSARIAT
FOR P.O.W.
MILITARY OFFICE

Rome 29th October 1944.

No. 8193/I/C. 1 File.

Subject: Transferring to Eritrea of the Prisoner of War Capt. Ernesto BELTRAMO

To: Allied Commission - Rome

Capt. Ernesto Beltramo, at present Prisoner of War in Yol, India,
No. 6917, was captured in January 25th 1944.

His family, together with several young sons, live in Asmara (Eritrea)
from 1895 and have all their interests there.

The above Officer tells us that he knows that many other P.O.W. in
Kenia and South Africa, in the same condition as himself have come back
to Eritrea to their proper work.

Therefore he asks to accord him the same privilege as he also suffers
from the climate in India which does not suit him.

We beg you to kindly consider the possibility of sending Capt. Ernesto
BELTRAMO back to Eritrea.

by High Commissioner
the Secretary General
/s/ Gen. Vincenzo Bapino.

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Encl 329

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. ARMY
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPW 1/1/326

5 November 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War

Subject : Italian resident doctor escort Hospital ships
to assist Italian PW repatriating

Reference your letter No. 568 Segr. P Art. dated 1st November 1944

- 1/. We have taken up the above subject with Allied Force Headquarters.
- 2/. You will be informed in due course of decision taken.

JAC
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

For the purpose of this letter
the following information is
being furnished to you for
your information only
1. The above information is
being furnished to you for
your information only

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPW 1/1/325

5 November 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War

Subject : Hardship grant

The attached document is forwarded to you from this Headquarters for
such action as you deem necessary.

See Encl. 322

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J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

1 Incl.- Letter from PW Crisa Carmelo, PW No. 55851

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Rome 1st November 1944

No. 568- Segr. P art.

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Subject: Lieutenant Doctor P.W. Ugo TESONE
Camp no. 308 - no. 357054 - Egypt -

To the Allied Commission

Rome

I ask you to take into consideration the possibility that the
Lt. Doctor Ugo TESONE, P.W. no. 357054, camp 308 Egypt, would
be desired to accompany the sick prisoners of War who are going
to be repatriated.

With many thanks

High Commissary
(Gen. Pietro Gazzera)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

EB/tb

IPW 1/1/323

5 November 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War

Subject : PW Corp.Maj. CAMPILLI Mario.

The attached documents are forwarded to you from this Headquarters
for such action as you deem necessary.

J. A. Campbell
J. A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

4 Encls.-

- Incl.1 - Letter from wife of subject
- " 2 - Medical certificate
- " 3 - Family sheet
- " 4 - Certificate from the Esattoria del Governatorato di Roma

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VON

1 P.W. 2276
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 SECTION
APO 512

TBJ/EMR/ahs

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1 November 1944

G-5: 311.7-1

SUBJECT: Dependent of P.W.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.

The attached letter from an Italian PW
in East African Command is forwarded for your
attention.

For the Assist. Chief of Staff, G-5:

B. J. JACKMAN
T.B. JACKMAN,
Lt. Colonel.

Incl: 1 - Ltr as above,
dtd 16 Sep 44

HEADQUARTERS
4 NOV 1944
A. C. C.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

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31 October 1944

SUBJECT : Request for Release of Prisoner of War
TO : Italian Prisoners of War, Sub-Commission

1. The attached letter from Mrs. Campilli Maria asking the release of her husband from war imprisonment is forwarded to you for your information and whatever action you deem it necessary.

Charles Poletti
CHARLES POLETTI
Colonel,
Regional Commissioner

1 Incl.
As stated above.

Action per end
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Resumé of letter attached dated 25 October 1944

From: Campilli Maria Via della Consulta N°11, Roma

The writer asks the release of her husband: Corporal Major CAMPILLI Mario, prisoner of war since July 1943, whose address is : Natouse, Camp N°301, Orano ,Algeria, but according to information received would still be in the concentration camp of Palermo. This she asks on compassionate grounds, because her husband was the only one to support her and a small child, as well as his parents who are old and ill.

Mr. Campilli, it is claimed has always been an antifascist. Enclosed is a statement of the Commune of Rome declaring that Mr. Campilli would be immediately re-employed if he returned.

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1 POW *2241*
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SUBJECT:- Italian Co-operators - Capt N. ONOBELLO
No. 13 Italian R.A.F. Coy.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

CR/3892/G1(Br).

2 Nov 44.Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

1. Reference the attached application for the release of the above mentioned co-operator.
2. It would be very much appreciated if this case could be investigated and a report forwarded together with your recommendation as soon as possible.

Encl.
OG/JEH.

Grant
G. GRANT, J. Comd,
for Major General
DAG, G1(Br).

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTER OFFICE MEMO

From: WMD & IPW Sub-Commission

SUBJECT: Application for compassionate release
Sold. CATI, 9 MA/T 11848 R
TO: Public Safety Sub-Commission

FILE No. IPW 1/1/319

4 November 1944

With reference to our conversation on Friday, Nov. 3rd 1944, the enclosed documents are forwarded to you for investigation. Thank you.

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J. Campbell
J. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

5 Incls.

- Incl. 1 - Family sheet
- " 2 - 2 medical certificates
- " 3 - Application for repatriation of subject
- " 4 - Certificate from Mayor's office of Gualdo Tadino (Perugia)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPW 1/1/318

4 November 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War

Subject : PW LONGO Antonio, No. 81-1-47112 *See Encl 87*

The attached letter is forwarded to you from this Headquarters for
such action as you deem necessary.

J.A.C.
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

1 Encl.- Letter from father of above mentioned subject.

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HEADQUARTERS COMMUNICATIONS ZONE
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
Office of the Provost Marshal General
APO 750, U. S. Army

31 October 1944

SUBJECT: Disapproval of Request for Release of Prisoner of War.

TO : Director, War Materials Disposal and Italian PW-Sub-Commission, Allied Control Commission, Rear, APO 394.

1. Attached is a request for release of an Italian PW which was received by this office.
2. Present Theater policy does not permit favorable consideration of requests for release of prisoners of war initiated by individuals. Only requests initiated by the Italian government through the Allied Control Commission or by the Allied Control Commission can be favorably considered.
3. Request appropriate notification be given applicant of denial of request.

J. V. Dillon
J. V. DILLON,
Brigadier General, U. S. A.,
Provost Marshal General.

Incls.
Request for release of PW Ten Antonio LONGO.

Tolson
Enc. 8718

No.	D. P. & A. S. C. A. C. C.	Seen
	DIRECTOR	
	D. P. DIVISION	
	O. P. ADM	543
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW 1/1/316

9 November 1944

To : Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512, U.S. Army
Attention G-1 (B) Section

Subject : 2nd Lt. LEDWICKI Public, PW 177691

Reference your letter OR/13897/G-1 (B) dated 1st November 1944

- 1/. The matter has been referred to the High Commissioner for PW and the result of his investigation will be forwarded to you in due course.

For the Acting Chief Commissioner :

Ed. signed

J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub-Com.

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SUBJECT:- Italian PW - 2/Lieut LEONCINI Publio.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

CR/3897/G1(Ex).

1 Nov 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

1. Reference the attached application for the release of the above mentioned Prisoner of War addressed to the SAC-in-C.
2. It would be appreciated if Mrs Maria Mancini's circumstances could be investigated and a report forwarded to this Headquarters together with any recommendation you may wish to make.

Encl.
OG/JEH.



G. GRANT, J. Comd,
for Major General
DAC, G.1

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPW/1/1/314

3 November 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

SUBJECT: PW MICELI, Giuseppe No. 81-1-3445 R.E.

These documents are forwarded to you for your investigation and for such action as you deem necessary.


J.R. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

4 Encls: *per you*
Encl 1 - Family sheet
" 2 - Atto di Notorieta
" 3 - Medical certificate
" 4 - Letter from Father of subject.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. ARMY
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW 1/1/313

3 November 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject : PW Sold. DI MARTINO Grazio No. 326227.

see Encl 311

- 1/. Forwarded to you from this Headquarters is inclosed letter for such action as you deem necessary.

J. A. Campbell
J. A. CAMPBELL

Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

War Materials Disposal and
Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission
APO 394
NOV 1944
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1 Encl.- Letter from wife of above subject.

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW -
on Compassionate Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

CR/3821/G1(Br).

31 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission
(IPW Sub Commission)

1. With reference to conversations held at this Headquarters between Major Thorp and Captain Derby concerning applications for release of Italian Prisoners of War on compassionate grounds.
2. It was agreed that all such applications would be thoroughly investigated by your Commission and that only those which were considered to come strictly within the limits of the agreed policy for repatriation of British Troops serving overseas would be forwarded to this Headquarters.
3. Cases are still being submitted which do not come within the scope of the agreed categories and these cases are automatically rejected.
4. The continued submission of such cases is considered unsatisfactory, as it means that each case still has to be considered on its individual merits rather than on the basis of your recommendation. The extra clerical work involved is likely to prejudice the early release of deserving cases.
5. It is therefore requested that only those requests meriting serious consideration be forwarded in future.

PT/JEH.



A. M. Finlaison 5127
A.M. FINLAISON
Brigadier, A.D.A.G.(O)
for Major General
DAG, G.1 (Br)

1 P.O.W. 311

SUBJECT:- Italian PW - Application for compassionate
release - 326227 Sold DI MARTINO, Grazio.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

GR/3897/G1(Br).

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. ✓

31 Oct 44.

1. Herewith translation of a letter received at GHQ Middle East from the wife of the above mentioned Prisoner of War.
2. May the circumstances of this Prisoner of War's family please be investigated and a report forwarded in due course to this Headquarters together with any recommendation you may wish to make.

Encl.
HDR/JEH.



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

HEADQUARTERS COMMUNICATIONS ZONE
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
Office of the Provost Marshal General
APO 750, U. S. Army

30 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Disapproval of Request for Release of Prisoner of War.

TO : Director, War Disposal and Italian PW Sub-Commission,
Headquarters Allied Control Commission, Rear, APO 394.

1. The attached request for release of Italian prisoner of war Sold. Giuseppe Miceli has been received by this Headquarters from the father of subject PW.

2. Theater policy does not permit favorable consideration of requests for release of prisoners of war initiated by individuals. Only requests initiated by the Italian government through the Allied Control Commission or by the Allied Control Commission can be favorably considered.

3. Request applicant be given appropriate notification of denial of request.

J. V. Dillon
J. V. DILLON,
Brigadier General, U.S.A.
Provost Marshal General.

Incls:
a/s

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Translation.

To: Headquarters, PW Encl. 149
NATOUA-(ORAN - ALGERIA)

The undersigned Vito MICELI (Fu Giuseppe, born at Calamonaci, November 12th., 1896, residing at Via Belvedere 49, Calamonaci) father of the Member of the Armed Forces, Prisoner of War Giuseppe MICELI, di Vito, class 1923, ISN 81-I-3445 R.E. Natoua, Camp # 149, (Oran, Algeria), submits request that his son be urgently repatriated, inasmuch as he is the only supporter of the family as its only son, applicant being unable to work profitably as shown on attached medical certificate.

Calamonaci (Province of Agrigento)
28th July 1944.

I certify the above to be an exact translation of the Italian Original.

21 October 1944

Victor E. Barrett
T/5; 37411145

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Translation:

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I certify

that MICELI Vito, fu Giuseppe, is sick, being afflicted with chronic bronchial asthma with pulmonary emphysem and myocarditis, and therefore in need of long medical aid; he is declared to be unable to work.

Made out upon request of applicant.

Calamonaci, 5.7.1944.

(Illegible signature)

Physician and Surgeon.

Stamp with signatures.

I declare the above to be a correct translation of the Italian original.

Victor B. Barrett,
 T/5; 37411145.

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Translation.

CITY OF CALAMONACI
Province of Agrigento.

Statement of Notoriety

In the year thousand ninehundred forty four, the ninth day of the month of May, in the Municipal Offices of the city of Calamonaci.

Before the undersigned Cavaliere Calogero Scorpone (?), Mayor of the before named City, assisted by the Town Clerk named below, appeared the following :

1. REINA Salvatore di Francesco
2. BATTERIA Giovanni di Francesco
3. LA BARBERA Isidoro fu Giuseppe
4. CAMPIONE Giuseppe fu Francesco

all living and residing in this city, competent witnesses, not connected by any bond of family relations with the applicant, who have declared, and actually for purposes of this instrument do declare it to be of public knowledge and notoriety,

that the Member of the Armed Forces MICELI Giuseppe di Vito, at present a prisoner of war, son of the applicant, always was the only support of the family, the father being afflicted with chronic bronchial asthma and therefore in need of extended treatment and unfit for profitable work, the soldier being moreover the only son.

Of the above the present instrument was extended on paper not subject to stamp duty for military use, upon application of the father, who, in conjunction with the above named, assumes responsibility of the truth of aforementioned statements.

Read, approved and signed.

THE APPLICANT
(signature)

THE MAYOR
(signature)

STAMP

THE WITNESSES
(4 signatures)
THE TOWN CLERK
(signature)

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Translation/

War Affairs & Disposal
Italian Prisoners of War and Commission
HQ A.C. A.P. 304
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CITY OF CALAMONACI,
PROVINCE OF AGRIGENTO

STATUS OF FAMILY.

The undersigned mayor certifies that the following are the members of the family of Mr. Miceli, Vito, residing at 49, Via Belvedere:

No. 1st and last name; Paternity; Mother's Name; Relation

1	Miceli, Vito	Giuseppe, deceased	Gagliaio, Lucia	Head of family
2	Rizzo, Giuseppa	Giuseppe, deceased	Jugo, Maria	Wife
3	Miceli, Giuseppe	Vito living	Rizzo, Giuseppa	Son

(continued)

No. Date of Birth; Place of Birth; Status; Profession

1	Nov 12, 1896	Calamonaci	Married	tenant-farmer
2	Dec 30, 1900	"	"	housewife
3	Apr 4, 1923	"	Single	helped his father

Made out free of stamp duty for purposes of charity.

Calamonaci, May 7th., 1944

Stamp.
The Mayor:

(illegible signature)

I certify the above to be an exact translation of the Italian Original. 5421

APD 600, 21 October 1944.

Victor B. Barrett
T/5; 37411145

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L.P.W. 2097 308

SUBJECT:- Italian Co-operators - Application for compassionate
release - NA/T 11848R Sold GATTI G.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

CR/3897/G1(Br).

21 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. ✓

1. Herewith papers relating to an application for compassionate release of the above mentioned co-operator.
2. May this case please be investigated and the papers returned to this Headquarters in due course with your report and any recommendation you may wish to make.

Encl.
HDH/JEH.



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

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High Commissioner
for Prisoners of War
Military Office

Rome 19th October 1944. 308

Reference : No. 8874 Prot. Sez. III
Object: Prisoner of War Cooperator : Sold. GATTI Giovanni.

TO THE O.C. 409 (I) R. V. P.

CASALENUOVO (NAPLES)

Sold. Gatti Giovanni, class 1922, Prisoner of War Cooperator, has seen the High Commissioner during his leave, he has been sick of acute malaria in the town where his family live, Morano, part of Gualdo Tadino. (Perugia).

The above mentioned has produced the attached certificate made by doctor Luciano Marcucci from Gualdo Tadino and declares that he has been in bed on the 15 days from the 4th of this month.

He has also produced the attached documentation from which appear the following. :

- Father unable (attached medical certificate)
- Two brothers prisoners - one in Africa the other in Germany.
- At home are left :
 - 1/ The parents
 - 2/ His sister - in - law
 - 3/ His sister
 - 4/ His niece

he asks his discharge to help his family who cannot carry on owing to the old man sickness.

Will you be kind enough to excuse him for being late and examine the possibility of forwarding to the competent authorities the attached request.

Signed: for High Commissioner
General Secretary
(Vincenzo Depino)
General

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SECRET
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
 INCOMING MESSAGE

TO: ACC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: N133/26

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED

CLASSIFICATION:

REFERENCE No: F44174

PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: Oct 26 1707A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGEC

ACTION

SECRET. Subject is Colonel PIETRO ANGELO ANTONINI Italian PW in USA whose repatriation is requested through Apostolic Delegate in WASHINGTON who stated HOLY SEE and Minister PIACENTINI petitioned for his return. Do you concur.



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 Capt. Denby
 Capt. Calogian
 Capt. H. H.
 Capt. A

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SECRET

DATE and Time of RECEIPT October 27 0855

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HQ. ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPW/1/1/306

24 October 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

SUBJECT: Repatriation of PW Giovanni FULGHESU, No.252422.

See Ind. 805

We are informed by Allied Force Headquarters that the undermentioned Giovanni FULGHESU, No.252422 Camp No.9 India, is being released and arrangements are being made for his transfer from India.

J.A. Campbell

J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 014.33

TBJ/BMR/seb
7 October 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian PW

TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission
APO 394.

1. Reference is made to your AS 7/2/189
of 10 July requesting the repatriation of Corporal
Giovanni FULGHESU.

2. The release of Corporal Fulghesu has been
agreed, and arrangements are being made for his
transfer from India.

For the Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

B. Jackman
T. B. JACKMAN
Lt. Colonel.



*Action
Per encl 306*

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HIGH COMMISSIONER
FILE NO. 7653/I/C.3

3 October 1944
TO: A.C.C., ROME

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian Lt. Col. Guido LUSENA

Encl- 289- See 290 See 300-251-10
Reference letter of the High Commissioner upon the same
subject, No. 3402/I/C.3 dated 2 September, 1944.

I should be grateful to the A.C.C. if I could receive
any information whatsoever regarding the repatriation of
Lt. Colonel Guido LUSENA.

I thank you in advance.

the High Commissioner

/s/ Gen. Pietro Gazzera

VP

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

TBJ/BLR/WW

G-5: 014.33

30 September 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission, APO 394.

GIZZIO, Attilio Cap. PW

1. Reference your IPV/1/1/296 of 20 September.
2. Assurance has been given that all Italian PW who have been declared repatriable by a medical Commission will be repatriated as and when shipping space becomes available.
3. In view of the above it is requested that special individual requests for the repatriation of PW already declared repatriable should not be forwarded.

For the Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

T. B. Jackman
T. B. JACKMAN
Lt. Colonel.



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H.Q. ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUE COMMISSION

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IPW/1/1/302

1 October 1944

To: Allied Force Headquarters, G-1 (B), APO 512, U.S. Army.
Subject: Release of P. LANGELLA, Giovanni.

Reference your GR/3680/G1(B) dated 28 Sept. 1944.

- 1/. The original request for the release of this Italian Prisoner of War was forwarded to this office by Headquarters Allied Armies in Italy asking that enquiries be made to verify the statements contained in the application.
See serial 276
- 2/. The statements were verified by the Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War who requested that under the circumstances the repatriation of the Prisoner of War in question should be granted.
- 3/. The case having originally been put up by Headquarters Allied Armies in Italy the matter was left with them to deal with - I have no special recommendation in this case and leave you to take such action as you consider the case deserves.

For the Acting Chief Commissioner:

J. A. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel
Director WMD & IPW Sub. Comm.

Copy to: A.F.H.Q. (G-5).

I.P.O.W.

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SUBJECT:- Application for release on Compassionate Grounds of
Italian PW 139263 LANGELLA, Giovanni.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.CR/3880/G1(Br).28 Sep 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission.

1. Reference the attached translation of an application received for the release of the above-mentioned Italian PW.
2. It would be appreciated if the circumstances in this case could be investigated and a report forwarded to this Headquarters together with any recommendation you may wish to make.



OG/DDKT.

Encl.

Grant
O. GRANT, J. Comd.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

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TRANSLATION

TO: Allied Headquarters, Naples.

The undersigned Vincenzo d'Ambrosio, age 60 is the father-in-law of Private Langella, Giovanni, Prisoner of War No 139263 Camp No 23/2 Rank C/. The latter has a son, age 7, whose mother died in the railway accident on the Taranto line on the 2nd of March.

As the writer is of advanced age, he begs this Headquarters to permit the repatriation of the above mentioned soldier who will be capable of offering his son the necessary education, whereas I must continue my trade as itinerant vendor and am obliged to neglect the boy for many hours, abandoned in the street.

Certain of receiving my request, I thank you in advance.

Pompeii, 19 May 1944

s/ Vincenzo d'Ambrosio,
Via Sacra No 23

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BJJ:dws

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