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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
E.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

MVZ/mdp
Tel: 480081
Ext: 383

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IPW/1/1/380 B

9 December 1946

SUBJECT : Priority Repatriation of Italian PW.
Lt. VOLPONI Alfio 47391

1. Reference your 2051/A dated 10 Sept. 46, information has now been received from War Office that the subject named Italian PW will be repatriated as soon as possible.

J.E.R.
JAMES E. REVIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Division

TO : General A. MANNERINI
Ministry of War
Autonomous Office for War Veterans
& Repatriated PWs.

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SUBJECT: Priority Repatriation of
Italian PW.

CHQ. CMP

3907/A2

3 Dec 46

Land Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission,
MHA Italian PW Division.

Lt. VOLPONI Alfio 47391

Reference your IPW/1/4/872 B of 19 September 46, information has now been received from War Office that the subject named Italian PW will be repatriated as soon as possible.

DSS/jms.

Colonel "A"
Colonel "A".

PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,
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IPW 3711 MMTI #379

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian PW.

GHQ CME

3907/A2

21 Nov 46

Land Forces Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission,
MMIA, IPW Division.

Lt. RCSI Giuseppe

Reference your IPW/1/1/874 B of 19 September 46, you
are informed that subject IPW will be repatriated ex East Africa on
20 November 46. (approximately)

DSP/jms.

D. Suprenant
Colonel,
Colonel "A".

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SUBJECT:- Release IPW

CHQ CMT

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11 Oct '46

Headquarters
East AFRICA CommandNo 24713 PW Maj G.N. (Navy Engineer) MASSARI, Ugo
Camp 366 JINJA (Uganda)

Application has been received from Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission, for the compassionate repatriation of the a/n IPW.

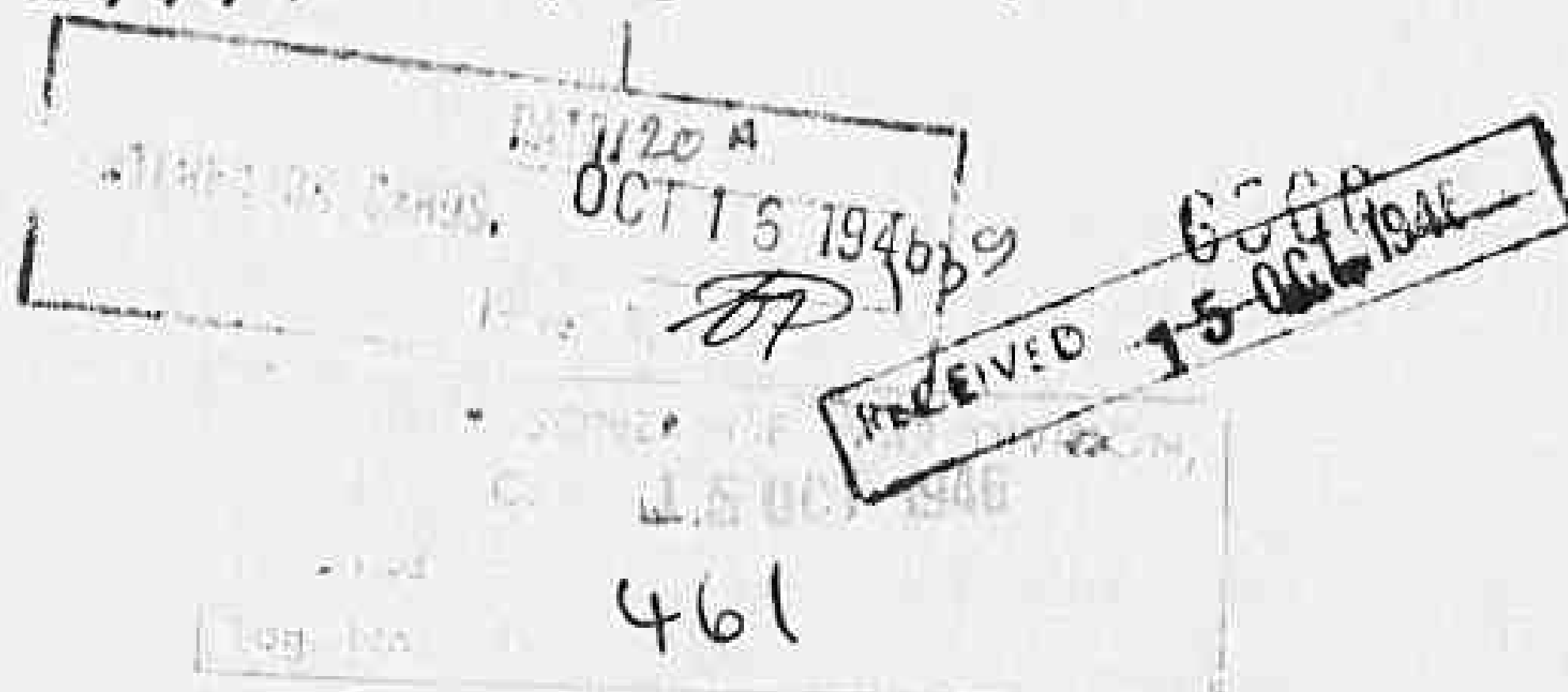
It is understood that the subjects mother who is 76 years old is dying.

Provided there are no security or other objections and you are prepared to release this PW, it would be very much appreciated if you would make, the necessary arrangements for his repatriation to Italy, forwarding ETA to this CHQ, copy to Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission, AMIA, IPW Division.

AGW/cw.

J.B. ROBERTSON, Col,
COLONEL, "A"

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission,
(your IPW/1/1/876 B of 27 Sep '46 refers).



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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/877 B

15 October 1946

SUBJECT : Sick Italian POW hospitalized in Washington

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance
POW Office

Reference your letter 525 dated
31 Aug 46 -

1. The following information has been received from the American authorities regarding the I.P.W. under reference.

2. The present health status of prisoner of war Augusto Giannini presently hospitalized at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D.C., does not permit his immediate repatriation. However, as soon as subject prisoner is transportable, he will be repatriated.

MB
JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

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FILE

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 014.33-15

7 October 1946

SUBJECT: Sick Italian POW hospitalized in Washington

TO : Chief Commissioner,
Allied Commission
(Attn: Executive Commissioner)
APO 794

1. Reference your IPW/1/1/871 B, 9 September 46.
2. The following information has been received from the American authorities regarding the I.P.W. under reference.
3. The present health status of prisoner of war Augusto Giannini presently hospitalized at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D.C., does not permit his immediate repatriation. However, as soon as subject prisoner is transportable, he will be repatriated.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

James H. Hamblen
A. L. HAMBLEN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/876 B

27 September 1946

SUBJECT : Request for repatriation
PW. Maj. G.N. (Navy Engineer) MASSARI, Ugo
n° 24713- Camp 366
JINJA (Uganda)
E.A.C.

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces
Attn. G-1 (Br)

1. This Division - through the Navy Sub-Commission, A.C. - has received a request for the repatriation of PW Maj. G.N. MASSARI, Ugo n° 24713.

2. The reasons supporting the request are that subject's mother, who is 76 years old, is dying.

3. In view of this fact it will be appreciated if you will kindly inform this Division whether early repatriation can be afforded this PW.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief

IPW Div. 6563

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MINISTERO MARINA - GABINETTO - UFFICIO COLLEGAMENTO AUTORITÀ ALLEATE

P.O.W. 24713 - Magg. G.N. MASSARI Ugo
366 P.O.W. CAMP - JINJA (Uganda)
(prima nel Kenia)

Catturato ad Addis Abeba da Mogadiscio

Madre 76 anni, in fin di vita

Capo Fur.s. REZZO Paolo - Maricommi La Spezia ?

Lt-Comd DAVIES

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

In reply
refer to AG 383.6/008 E-O

13 September 1946

SUBJECT: Sick It. PCW Hospitalized in Washington

TO : Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
APO 794
FOR: Land Forces Sub-Commission (MIA) (IPW Division)

1. Attention is invited to letter, your headquarters, file
IPW/17/871 B, dated 9 September 1946, subject: "Sick It. PCW
Hospitalized in Washington".

2. Subject letter has been transmitted to The Adjutant
General, Washington 25, D. C., by 1st indorsement, (copy attached
for your information).

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL JAYNES:

Sold. Giamini Augusto

U. C. Fetterman
U. C. FETTERMAN
Major, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

1-Incl
Copy 1st Ind. MTO,
dtg 13 Sept 46.

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ATTACHED BY CHIEF.

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1st Ind to Ltr, Land Forces Sub-Commission AC, M.M.I.A., IPW Division, dba
9 September 46, subj: Sick It. Pow Hospitalized in Washington.

AG 383.6/008 E-0

1st Ind

HEADQUARTERS MTOUSA, APO 512, 13 September 1946

TO: The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C.

Attention is invited to basic communication and Inclosure 1, for
any action deemed appropriate.

FOR THE DEPUTY THEATER COMMANDER:

1 Incl
n/c

U. G. FETTERMAN
Major, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG
W.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

874 B

IPW/A/1/874 B

19 September 1946

SUBJECT : Request for repatriation
PW. Lt. ROSI, Giuseppe
no. 40409 - Camp 354 Ital. Coop.
Nairobi - Kenya
E.A.C.

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces
Att. G-1 (Br)

1. This Division has received a request for the repatriation of PW. Lt. ROSI Giuseppe no. 40409.

2. PW's cousin LO BARTOLO, Pietro has given help to several sailors, soldiers, airmen of British nationality - as per attached copy of certificate - and has had no reward of any kind.

3. In view of this fact it will be appreciated if you will kindly inform this Division whether early repatriation can be afforded this PW.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

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1 Encl: Copy certificate E/A

Munente Rosi Giuseppe 774
La Pietro nato a Gallea
(Jorot) Viterbo 1914 2 gennaio
prigioniero nel Kenia (Nairobi)
M 40.409 Camp. 351 (ICAC)
Group Italian Cooperation
EAST AFRICA COMMAND -
Costumeo nel Galla (Galla) 65800
il 27 Maggio del 1944 -

Mistura

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Mistura Post Bellia

Certo Vittorio di Ho

presentato la domanda per
sollecitare l'impiego delGen. Rosi Giuseppe AM 40.409
Comp. 351 (ICAC) group -

Italian Cooperation

EAST AFRICA COMMAND

per essere ammesso grad 6557 della
misura che da otto anni è l'unico

COPY

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THIS CERTIFICATE IS AWARDED TO LO BARTOLO PIETRO AS
A TOKEN OF GRATITUDE FOR AND APPRECIATION OF THE HELP GIVEN
TO THE SAILORS, SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN OF THE BRITISH COMMON-
WEALTH OF NATIONS, WHICH ENABLED THEM TO ESCAPE FROM, OR
EVADE CAPTURE BY THE ENEMY.

sgd/ FIELD MARSHAL
SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE

1939 - 1945

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(LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

GM/mdp

873B

IPW/1/1/873 B

20 September 1946

SUBJECT : Request for repatriation
PW. Sgt. GRICCIOLI, Erasmo
no. 56599 - 359 It.Coy
Burguret - Nanyuki
(Kenya)

TO : General Headquarters -
Central Mediterranean Forces
Attn. G-1 (Br)

1. This Division has received a request for the repatriation of PW. Sgt. GRICCIOLI, Erasmo no. 56599.

2. The family of subject PW has given shelter and long assistance - as documents in the hand of Capt. Micaleff, no. 1 Section, Allied Screening Commission c/o Florence Command certify - to a high number of Allied Prisoners, including over 35 South Africans.

3. Besides going through great personal risk, PW's family spent a considerable sum of money to help a/m Allied Prisoners and has received no reward of any kind.

4. In view these facts it will be appreciated if you will kindly inform this Division whether early repatriation can be afforded this PW.

ER
JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

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Carissimo Colonnello,

Mi perdoni il disturbo, ma finalmente abbiamo avuto notizie di mio cugino Griccioli che da tre anni non si sapeva più nulla. La sua lettera è in data 18/VI/46 e il suo indirizzo è: SGT. EPASMO GRICCIOLI-56599. 359, IT. CCY, EUGURET. NANYUKI (KENIA). Tempo fa le ho mandato un altro indirizzo, ma se io non posso richiederle che un solo prigioniero, preferirei richiedere questo mio cugino che è in Africa da dieci anni. Le chiedo di nuovo di perdonarmi, ma sono sicura della sua comprensione. Può immaginare la gioia di mia zia!

Ieri ero a Siena, ho sognato, o in una macchina americana che transitava c'era lei? Tutti noi la ricordiamo sperando rivederla presto

Atte Mimò

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG
M.M.L.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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872B

IPW/1/1/872 B

19 September 1946

SUBJECT : Request for repatriation
PW. and Lt. VOLPONI, Alfio no.47391- Camp 5
Murtleford - Australia

TO : General Headquarters -
Central Mediterranean Forces
Attn. G-1 (Br)

1. This Division, through Autonomous Office for War Veterans and Repatriated PW, has received a request from the Secretariat of State of His Holiness for the early repatriation of PW. 2nd Lt. VOLPONI Alfio no. 47391.

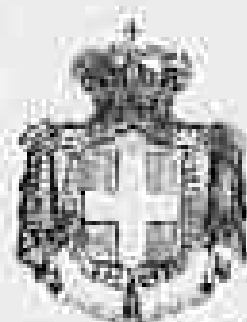
2. PW's father died a few months ago leaving his kila, necessary for national reconstruction, unattended and PW's old mother begs for the repatriation of her only son to save the kila from complete ruin.

3. It will be appreciated if you will kindly inform this Division whether early repatriation can be afforded this PW.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

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FILE



Roma, 10 settembre 1946.

*Ministero della Guerra*UFFICIO AUTONOMO REDUCI DALLA PRIGIONIA
DI GUERRA E RIMPATRIATI
IL CAPO UFFICIO*prot. 2051/R.**Ufficiale*PROMEMORIA PER IL COL. REGIS

Questo Ministero è stato vivamente sollecitato dalla Segreteria di Stato di Sua Santità per il rimpatrio del

S. Ten. Alfio VOICOMI

Matr. 47391 Camp 5° a Murtleford (Australia).

Egli, alcuni mesi or sono, ha perso il padre, Capo d'Azienda (Fornaci di laterizi in Urbino) interessante la produzione e la ricostruzione nazionale e la madre invoca il ritorno del prigioniero che è l'unico che possa continuare l'azienda paterna che si trova ora in grave crisi.

Prego, qualora possibile, di voler far includere il Sottotenente VOICOMI in uno dei prossimi gruppi di prigionieri rimpatriandi dall'Australia.

G. E. F. Mammì
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC
M.F.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

871B

IPW/1/1/871 B

9 September 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : Sick It. Pow hospitalised in Washington -

TO : G-5
Allied Forces Headquarters

1. The attached is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.
2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner :


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

1 Encl : Translatiⁿ copy of letter from M.P.W.A. -

FILE

MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
Pow Bureau

Rome, 31 August 1946

Prot.n.525

TO : Allied Commission
S/C for It.Pow.

ROME

SUBJECT : Sick It.Pow hospitalised in Washington -

Mrs. Maria GIANNINI residing in Via Principe Amedeo 231 Rome, has requested the repatriation of her brother, Soldier August Giannini, son of the late Feliciano and Assunta Sabatini, born at Castelvisgardo (Terni) on the 4.10.1912, at present hospitalised at the following address:

Walter Reed General Hospital
Ward 42
Army Medical Center

WASHINGTON R.D. 12- U.S.A.

Will you please take this matter up with the competent Authorities and as soon as possible Giannini is in fit condition, ~~have been repatriated.~~ *to have him repatriated*
Thank you.

signed/ D.F.NITTI

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5 SEP 1946

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Ministero dell'Assistenza Post Bellica
SERVIZIO PRIGIONIERI DI GUERRA

Per Divisione II^a

W Coordinamento

Prot. N. 525 *Allegato*

Ma COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

Sottocommissione per i P.D.G.

R O M A

Reportage p. N. 1 *del*

OGGETTO Pdg. italiano ammalato ricoverato in un ospedale
di Washington.

La Signora GIANNINI Maria, qui abitante, Via Principe Amedeo, 231, si è rivolta a questo Ministero perchè il fratello, Soldato GIANNINI Augusto di fu Feliciano e di Sabatini Assunta, nato a Castelvisgardo (Terme) il 4/10/1912, attualmente ricoverato al

Walter Reed General Hospital
Ward 42

Army Medical Center

Washington 12 R.D. #=USA==

perchè ammalato, sia rimpatriato.

Si prega codesta Commissione di voler cortesemente interpellare le competenti Autorità perchè il su citato p.d.g., se in condizioni di trasporto, sia fatto rimpatriare.

Si ringrazia.

La Signora GIANNINI Maria, qui abitante, Via Principe Amedeo, 231, si è rivolta a questo Ministero perchè il fratello, Soldato GIANNINI Augusto di fu Feliciano e di Sabatini Assunta, nato a Castelvisgardo (Terni) il 4/10/1912, attualmente ricoverato al

Walter Reed General Hospital

Ward 42

Army Medical Center

Washington 12 R.D. #-USA==

perchè ammalato, sia rimpatriato.

Si prega codesta Commissione di voler cortesemente interessare le competenti Autorità perchè il su citato p.d.g., se in condizioni di trasporto, sia fatto rimpatriare.

Si ringrazia.

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dott. Fausto Nitti)

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSI A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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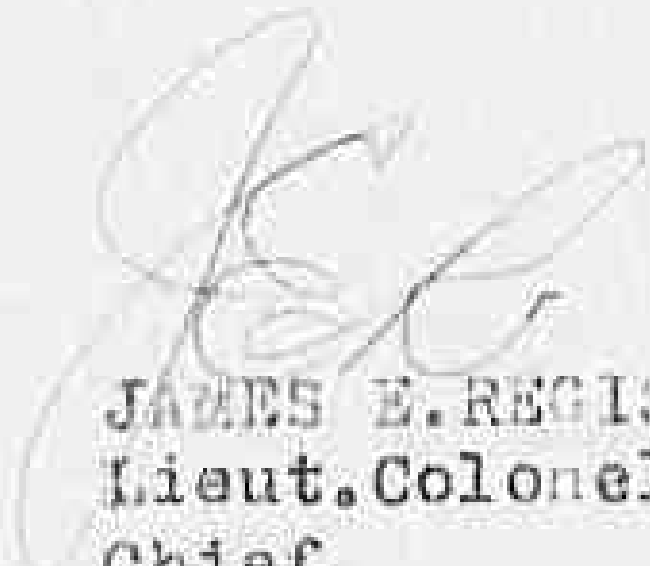
6 September 1946

Dear Monsignor Carroll

Reference your letter 13 990/SA dated 30 July 46, dealing with your request for repatriation on compassionate grounds of PW ARGENTIO Vincenzo 142108 and following this Division letter IPW/1/1/865 C dated 8 August 46.

I am very pleased to advise you that this Division has been informed that the War Office London has been requested to release your PW Lt. ARGENTIO Vincenzo, providing there are no security or other objections.

You will be advised if further information is received by this Division.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

To : Rt. Rev. Mons. Walter S. CARROLL
Secretariat of State of His Holiness

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SUBJECT : Release IPW

GHQ CMF

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14 AUG. 46

The Under Secretary of State,
The War Office,
Curzon Street House,
Curzon Street,
LONDON, S.W.1

ARGENIO VINCENVZO N. 142108
FIASCARIS GIACINTO
Block 2 Camp 8

1. Application has been received from Land Forces Sub Commission Allied Commission, MMIA, IPW Division for the release of the above-named IPW at present held in South Africa.
2. Provided there are no security or other objections and you are prepared to release these PW, it would be very much appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for their repatriation to Italy, forwarding ETA to this GHQ, copy to Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission, MMIA, IPW Division.

Sgd. WD MORGAN
Lt. Gen.
C-in-C.

Copy to: Land forces S/C, A.C. MMIA IPW Division
IPW/1/13/1475 and IPW/1/1/565B dated 8/8/46 refer

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Argenio Vincenvzo N. 142108

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/869 B

4 September 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation
P.W. VALENTINI, Quintilio P.A.I.
No. 66880 - Union of South Africa

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces
Attn. G-1 (Pr)

1. This Division has received a request for repatriation of PW. VALENTINI, Quintilio Guardia P.A.I. no. 66880.

2. The family of subject PW has given long assistance as documents in the hand of Capt. Micaloff-no 1 Section, Allied Screening Commission c/o Florence Command certify -to several Allied Prisoners^{OVER 15} including south Africans - PW's family has received no reward of any kind-

3. In view of this fact it will be appreciated if you will kindly inform this Division whether early repatriation can be afforded this PW.


JAMES E. MORRIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

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20/VIII/1946

MONTALTO
CASTELNUOVO BERARDENGA (SIENA)

Gentile Colonnello,

In riscontro della sua richiesta, le invio l'indirizzo dell'ufficiale Inglese al quale inviai la relazione riguardante l'assistenza da me fornita a ex P.O.W.'s rifugiati nei boschi di Montalto dopo l'8 Settembre 1943, che mi fu a suo tempo richiesta. L'indirizzo é il seguente:

Capt: MICALEFF

No ONE SECTION,

Allied Screening Commission

C/o FLORENCE COMMAND.

Inoltre, essendo venuta a conoscenza che tutti coloro i quali hanno assistiti prigionieri possono richiedere loro parenti ancora in prigionia, le accludo nome ed indirizzo di un mio parente attualmente prigioniero nel Sud-Africa.

VALENTINI QUINTILIO guardia di P.A.I.

66880 P.O.W. Italian Prisoners of War Camp

Union of South Africa

Mi scusi il disturbo, Gentile Colonnello, e con i miei sentiti ringraziamenti le invio il mio migliore saluto.

Gianna Parafra

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GM/ndp

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/868 B

29 August 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation SERPICO, D.TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Ref. yours n° 74399 Sez. I Uff. I
dated 17 June 46

1. You are informed that the repatriation of SERPICO, D. (Camp 305 ME) is not approved for security reasons.

JAMES R. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

FILE

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M.M.I.A. 868
770SUBJECT:-- Release of IPW in Kenya.

IPW

RECEIVED 22 AUG 1946
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20 Aug 46.

Land Forces sub-Commission,
Allied Commission,
MMIA, IPW Division.

In reply to your IPW/1/1/863 B dated 11 July 46, you are informed that the repatriation of SERPICO. D. (Camp 305 ICE) is not approved for security reasons.

J. B. Robertson
J.B. ROBERTSON. Brig,
DAG.

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J.B. ROBERTSON.
DAG.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A. C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

Gls/mdp

867B

IPW/1/1/867 B

22 August 1946

Dear General Mannerini

Your Memorandum dated 19th August 1946, dealing with your request for repatriation of Civil Internee Bruno and Ernesto MORRA, has been forwarded to the proper source for investigation and eventual action.

Yours sincerely


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

To : General A. MANNERINI
Ministry of War
Autonomous Office for War Veterans
and Repatriated PWs.

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19 August 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR COL. REGIS

The Segretarial Office of State to his Holiness the Pope has asked me to intervene on behalf of the internees Bruno and Ernesto MORRA who are interned in Kenya and Somahliland respectively.

Herewith attached and forwarded to you is the only memorandum that I have of the cases, with the request that you will do all in your power to have them repatriated.

signed/ GEN. A. MANNERINI

Original bucked to Civil Affairs
6543
Branch - 22nd August 1946

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The eldest Bruno (E.19522) who is at Alula (Migiurtina - Somahliland) wrote me on April 30th as follows :

"What I earn is foreby enough to live on, and I can put nothing aside. Letters from Mogadiscio inform me that the Public has been advised that civilians wishing to repatriate from Somahliland can repatriate by paying their own ticket-1600 shillings!

I would not be able to save that money in ten years. However I hope that the above is not correct or I will never again see Italy. I curse the moment that I collaborated. Since then I have felt more like a beast than a man. For my aspirations, for my sentiments and above all for the life I lead. Which is certainly not my fault".

Today in another letter dated 16th July, after having told me that he was reduced to skin and bones and very much aged - since he has been living on pills against the danger of falling ill with----- he write as follows :

I do not know what to do in order to be able to leave. I have heard from Mogadiscio that 40 people, amongst whom I have friends have already left for Italy following a payment of 3000 shillings by the Bank of Egypt through the Barklays Bank of Mogadiscio. If that is the sum I have to pay I will not get back for a thousand years.

Will you Monsignor find out from the competent Allied Authorities if it is true that prisoners who went out of concentration camps to collaborate with the English have to pay they way home or if that regards only civilians who were free before.

The second Ernesto (E.19521) wrote me from a transit camp when he was on the first of January, awaiting embarkation with a group of sick people, as he has to fractures :(Camp no 4 Mackiunion Rodd -Kenya Colony-) a horrible camp, was sent back no Camp No.1 Kenya.

The nervous shake of finding himself back was terrible. You can imagine in what a state I am in. I would give my blood for my children and I can do nothing for them.

Original Document to be kept in file
Signed/ GINA MORI SACCHI

Sesto Calende (Varese) 2 Agosto 1944

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.N.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

GM/ndp

866B

IPW/1/1/866 B

22 August 1946

Dear General Mannerini

Your Memorandum dated 19th August 1946, dealing with your request for repatriation of Civilian Internees Dr. CAPOLUONGO and Mrs. CAPOLUONGO, has been forwarded to the proper source for investigation and eventual action.

Yours sincerely


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

To : Generale A. MANNERINI
Ministry of War
Autonomous Office for War Veterans
and Repatriated PWs.

FILE

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19 August 1946 (766)

MEMORANDUM FOR COL. REGIS

Herewith attached and forwarded to you is an article forwarded from the Segretarial Office of the Ministry of War, relative to Dr. CAPOLUONGO and Mrs. CAPOLUONGO who are interned in India with no possibility of returning to Italy.

I call your attention most particularly to the case of Dr. Capoluongo with the request that you do all in our power to facilitate their repatriation.

signed. GEN. A. MANNERINI

*Original backed to Civil Affairs
Branch*

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LANTERNA

Translation of newspaper article.

(Il Momento)

It is a tragedy, and it is not an exaggeration to use the word tragedy. Why a tragedy? Are they treated badly? No, we do not say that, even if there are certain moral situations that produce greater suffering than physical torments: because the internees in India belong more or less in the intellectual classe, Journalists, professionals etc. etc. We know of one very dramatic case that goes for all of them. Our colleague Dr. Gerardo CAPOLUONGO, ~~Waga~~ correspondent of the "Stefani" at Teheran. When the British arrived in that city, the capital of Iran he was arrested in the Italian Legation together with another Italian: 7 others managed to escape. He protested against this arbitrarial detention. The Japanese Legation (Japan not then being in War with Italy) obtained his release and kept him under their protection. The British Command made a formal demand for his arrest and internment and, due to the intervention of the Apostolic Delegate, his wife, and a daughter of one of his colleagues were allowed to stay with him. From that day his calvary began. From Iraq to the Persian Gulf, to Pusondhar, Satara India he was sent from city to city. In one of the concentration camps his small son was drowned in a well, his wife nearly went crazy. He had now a small daughter and can not get back to Italy, his parents, his family, the It. Government and Vatican State have not been able to have him repatriated. Why? No transport. It is infamous and the Republic must take steps. If the Allies can not provide transport the Republic must return these people to their families and to the country.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMITTEE FOR AG
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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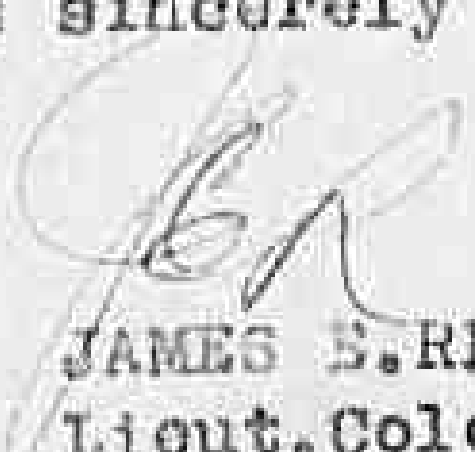
8 August 1946

Dear Monsignor Carroll,

Your letter N.130990/SA dated 30 July 1946, dealing with the case of PW Vincenzo ARGENTIO N.142108, has been forwarded to the proper Allied Authorities for necessary action.

I shall be very pleased to keep you informed regarding the development in this case.

Yours sincerely


JAMES B. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

To : Rt. Rev. Mons. Walter S. CARROLL
Secretariat of State of His Holiness

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG
M.F.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1/865 B

8 August 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian PW ARGENIO Vincenzo
N.142108 - South Africa

TO : General Headquarters -
Central Mediterranean Forces
G-1 (Br)

1. The attached is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.
2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner :


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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1 Encl : Copy letter from Mons. Walter S. CARROLL



Vatican City, July 30, 1946

N. 130990/SA

Dear Captain de Masi:

The Secretariat of State of His Holiness takes the liberty to recommend for the kind consideration of the competent authorities the request of Innocenzio and Maria Argenio S. Angelo a Cancellio, Pietradefusi (Avelino) for the liberation of their son, Vincenzo Argenio, a prisoner of war in South Africa, sentenced to three years confinement, half of which he has served thusfar.

There were two sons in the family: Luigi, who lost his life as result of wounds received in battle in Greece, and Vincenzo. The father, according to a medical testimonial, is blind and suffering with heart trouble.

Thanking you for the attention you may deem to give this request, I am

Sincerely yours,

Walter S. Carroll.

Rt. Rev. Mons. Walter S. Carroll
Secretariat of State of His Holiness

Captain M. Armand de Masi
for Lt. Col. J. E. Regis, CAC Chief
Italian Prisoners of War Division
AC HQ
Via Veneto

Rome

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION.

IPW/1/1/864C

18 July 46

Subject: Release of PW De Stefani Ivan.

To : Signora Maria De Stefani,
Pieve di Sacco.

1. This Division has been informed that GHQ MEF has been requested by GHQ CMF to release your son PW De Stefani Ivan, providing there are no security or other objections.
2. You will be informed if further information is received by this Division.

/DA

JE
JAMES E. REIS,
Lt Colonel,
Chief,
IPW DIVISION.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.F.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION.

IPW/1/1/8640

18 July 46

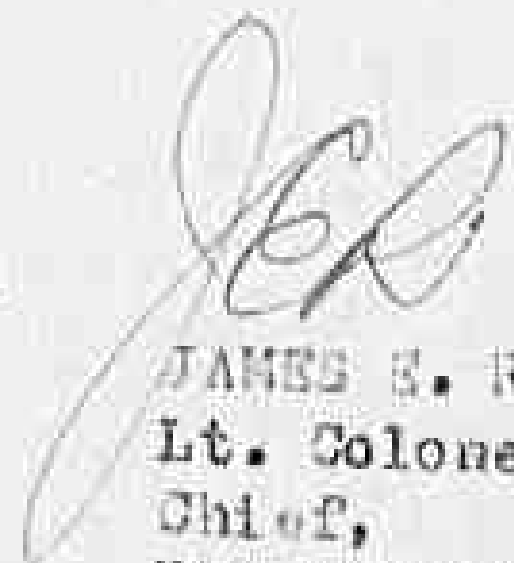
Oggetto: Rimpatrio - PW De Stefani Ivan.

Alla : Signora Maria De Stefani
Pieve di Sacco.

Il rimpatrio di suo figlio PW De Stefani Ivan è stato approvato dal Comando Generale Alleato, il quale ha dato ordini al Comando dell'Africa Orientale di rilasciarlo qualora non esistano motivi politici di sicurezza.

Sarà tenuta informata se ulteriori notizie perverranno a questa Divisione.

/DA.


JAMES E. REGIS,
Lt. Colonel,
Chief,
IPW DIVISION.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISS DON A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/364 B

15 July 1946

SUBJECT : Compassionate Release
PW Lt. CRISTIANO Mario No. 358889

TO : The Undersecretary of State
Presidency of the Council of Ministers
Attn. On. G. Arpesani

Reference your letter No. 68890/10909.45/19.5.-
dated 7 May 46 -

1. This Division has been informed that General Headquarters - Middle East Forces has been requested to release your PW Lt. Mario CRISTIANO No. 358889, providing there are no security or other objections.

2. You will be advised if further information, is received by this Division.

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JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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RECEIVED 11 JUL 1946
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SUBJECT: Release - IPW.

GHQ GMP.

3855/A2.

9 Jul 46.

GHQ MOP.

PW Lt. Cristiano Mario No. 358889
Corporale De Stefani Ivan No. 195629
Camp 305 MOP.

1. Application has been received from Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission, MMIA, IPW Division for the repatriation of the above-named IPW.

2. Cristiano Mario was captured at El Alamein and it is understood that his case of physical decline and nervous breakdown are seriously worrying his family who have already suffered other misfortunes.

3. De Stefani Ivan. It has been confirmed that the brother and brother in law of De Stefani gave refuge and food for three months to two British IW at great risk to themselves.

4. Provided there are no security or other objections and you are prepared to release these PW, it would be very much appreciated if necessary arrangements could be made for their repatriation to Italy forwarding RTA to this GHQ, copy to Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission, MMIA, IPW Division.

RECEIVED IPW DIVISION,
11 JUL 1946
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W. Morgan
WD MORGAN,
Lt-Gen,
C-in-C.

AGW/NC.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission,
MMIA,
IPW Division. - Your IPW/1/1/862B and IPW/1/ICM/1666 dated 3 July refer.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

1/1/
IPW/863 B

11 July 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : Repatriation POW SERPICO Domenico
Camp 305 M.E.

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces
Attn. G-1 (Br)

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

2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

James E. Regis
JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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2 Encls : Translation copy of letter from M.P.W.A.
Copy of letter from A.C. Palazzo Provincia - Naples

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Rome, June 1946

TO : POW Allied Commissione

ROME

SUBJECT : POW SERPICO Domenico
Camp 305 M.E.

As I stated verbally to the A.C. of Rome and to the same office in Naples, Sergeant SERPICO Domenico POW No 102777 son of Vincenzo, in the month of Jan 1944 was head of Camp 309 - Cage II M.E. and had received the order to repatriate with the other prisoners but by mistake the oldest officer in said camp was repatriated in his place, because he was thought to be the head of the camp VIVO E_duardo son of Sebastiano now repatriated and residing in Marigliano (Nola) Casaferro fraction. This information was given to the A.C. at Naples Office Public Safety and to the Questura in Naples to Mr. Matriciano Raffaele (Passport Office).

Col. REGIS of the Allied Command in Rome was asked by the Ministry of Post War Assistance to refer the above case to the above mentioned Allied Command.

signed/ Col. G.M.DEL MONTE

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ROMA 14 GIUGNO 46

AL Ufficio POW Allied Commission Roma
Tramite Ministero post bellico.

OGG: POW SERPICO Domenico CAMP 305 Middle East.

Come ho già verbalmente comunicato al Comando Alleato di Roma, all' analogo ufficio di Napoli è stato esposto quanto segue: " Il sergente POW n. 102777 SERPICO Domenico di Vincenzo nel mese di gennaio 1944 era capo camp del Camp 309 Gabbia II al Miquisano, aveva avuto l'ordine di rimpatriare con gli altri prigionieri degli asse e che per errore in sua vece venne rimpatriato il più anziano del campo preso per capo Campo. Vivo Eduardo di Sebastiano ora rimpatriato ed domiciliato in Marigliano (Nola) irruzione casa= ferro queste informazioni sono state date al Comando Alleato di Napoli dall' Ufficio di Pubblica Sicurezza della Questura di Napoli, Signora Matriciano Raffaele (Ufficio Passaporti) dal Comando Alleato di Roma (Ufficio Col Regis.mi e stato comunicato di riferire quanto; sopra al Ministero post bellico Italiano per i provvedimenti del caso riferendo poi direttamente al sopra menzionato Comando Alleato.

Col G M; Del Monte
A.C. Palazzo Provincia Napoli.

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Roma, 14 giugno 1946

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Al Ufficio P.O.W. - Allied Commission - Roma
tramite Ministero Post-Bellico

Oggetto P.O.W. SERPICO Domenico - Camp 305 - Middle East
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Come ho già comunicato verbalmente al
Comando Allied di Roma all'Analogo Ufficio
di Napoli è stato esposto quanto segue:
" Il Sergente P.O.W. n. 102777

SERPICO Domenico di Vincenzo

nel mese di Gennaio 1944 era capo campo
del Camp 309 - Gattina 11 - del Middle
East, aveva avuto l'ordine di impatriare
con altri prigionieri —

Egli avverte che per errore in sua vece
venne impatriato il più anziano
del campo, meno per capo campo

Vito Edmund di Sostiano
ora impatriato e di cui è stato

in Manigliano (Italia) guagione
Canaforo -

Queste informazioni sono state
date al Comandante Allent di Napoli
dell'Ufficio di Pubblica Sicurezza
della Questura di Napoli, Sig. Mario
Luigi Raffaele (ufficio Penale).

Dal Comandante Allent di Roma
(Ufficio Colonnello Regio) mi è
stato comunicato di riferire quanto
sopra al Ministero dell'Interno
Italiano, per i provvedimenti
del caso riferendo poi di tutto
inoltre al sopra menzionato Co.

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marito all'est. di Roma —

Colonello F. M. Del Monte
A. C.
Rebbero Provincia - Napoli

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
Pow Bureau

Rome, 17 June 1946

Sez.I
Uff.I
Prot.n.74399
Enclosure I

TO: Allied Commission
S/C for Italian POW

ROME

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Sergeant SERPICO Domenico -
No.102777 -

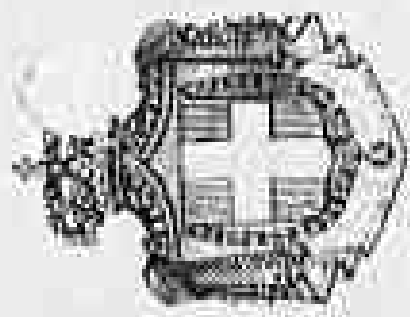
1. Herewith attached is a letter from Col. F.M.DEL
MONTE A.C. Palazzo Provincia - Napoli.

2. It does not result that the repatriation of the
officer in question has been requested at this Ministry
before, however in consideration of the contents of attached
letter this Ministry would greatly appreciate if your Div_
ision would take the matter up with the proper authorities
in order to obtain his repatriation.

Thank you.

signed/ Dr. Fausto Nitti

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RE/er

Roma 17 Giugno 1946

Ministero dell'Interno - P. S. M. M.

- Servizio Prigionieri di Guerra - Div. 2^a -Avv. I^a -Avv. 1^o -

Avv. N. 74399

Allegato 1

Risposta al Teleg. N. 2

del

LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Divisione I.P.W.

R O M A

OGGETTO: Rimpatrio Sergente

SERPICO Domenico - matr. 102777.-

- 1 - Si trasmette per competenza l'allegata lettera del Colonnello F.M. del Monte - A.C. Palazzo Provincia - Napoli.
 - 2 - Non risulta che il rimpatrio del p.d.g. Serpico Domenico di Vincenzo, matricola 102777 campo 305 M.E.F., sia stato precedentemente proposto da questo Servizio.
- Tuttavia, in considerazione di quanto esposto nella lettera del Colonn. Del Monte sarebbe gradito se codesta Commissione volesse interessarsi per il prossimo rimpatrio del nominato p.d.g. sergente Serpico.

Si ringrazia sin d'ora.-

Oggetto: Rimpatrio Sergente
SERPICO Domenico - matr. 102777.-

- 1 - Si trasmette per competenza l'allegata lettera del Colonnello F.M. del Monte - A.C. Palazzo Provincia - Napoli.
- 2 - Non risulta che il rimpatrio del p.d.g. Sergente Serpico Domenico di Vincenzo, matricola 102777 campo 305 M.E.F., sia stato precedentemente proposto da questo Servizio.

Tuttavia, in considerazione di quanto esposto nella lettera del Colonn. Del Monte sarebbe gradito se codesta Commissione volesse interessarsi per il prossimo rimpatrio del nominato p.d.g. sergente Serpico.

Si ringrazia sin d'ora.-

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dr. ⁶³ ~~63~~ Nitti)



LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A. C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

WT/mdp

863B

IPW/1/1/862 B

5 July 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation
Caporale DE STEFANI Ivan no. 195629
c/o Chief P.O.W. Postal Centre M.E.F.
Camp 305

TO : General Headquarters-
Central Mediterranean Force
Attn: G-1 (Br)

1. In view of the facts stated in the attached correspondence, it is requested that steps be taken for the early repatriation of Caporale DE STEFANI Ivan, with priority if possible, provided no security or other objections exist.

2. May this Division be advised, please, of action taken.

JAMES B. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

4 Encls : Statement from the C.L.N. (translation copy)
3 Photographs of British prisoners sheltered
by subject P.W.s sister -

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Si acclude :

- 1°) Lettera del C.I.N. di Piove di Sacco e conferma del Sindaco;
 - 2°) Le fotografie.
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Indirizzo del prigioniero

Caporale De Stefani Ivan Mat. 195629
C/O Chief P.O.W. Postal Centre M.E. Forces
Campo 305

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In reply to Your's
ADM / 35 / 273- 21-6-946

A Suo Onore Lt. Col. James E. Regis
Chief I P W Division

R o m a

Col cuore commosso di madre ringrazio,
Vostro Onore, per la cortese risposta, con la quale si
degnò accogliere il grido di una madre, e portarle con
forto.

Essa é certa, che un Ufficiale Superio
re al Servizio di Sua Maestà Brittannica, non può dire
che la verità e mantenere la promessa.

Questa madre, che da sei anni non vede
l'unico figlio avanza ancora una preghiera a che V.Ono
re voglia compiacersi sollecitare prima dell'agosto il
ritorno, degnandosi prendere in considerazione: che la
sorella del prigioniero, Giovanna De Stefani maritata
Tommasi ed il cognato, assistettero e ricoverarono due
Vostri fratelli Inglesi prigionieri qui, con grave pe-
ricolo, sotto il dominio tedesco e rinunciando ad ogni
compenso come il Vostro Comando potrà accertare.

Unico compenso, per il bene compiuto ai
Vostri fratelli, ottenere il più sollecito ritorno del
loro amato prigioniero Ivan De Stefani.

Accolga V.Onore la preghiera addolora-
ta di una madre, che col cuore commosso ringrazia ed
ossequia.

Dev.

Piove di Sacco, 1 Luglio 1946

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TRANSLATION

COMMITTEE OF NATIONAL LIBERATION

PIOVE DI SACCO

Piove di Sacco, 23 June 1946

N.785

DECLARATION

This Committee certifies that wife and husband Giovanna De Stefani in Tommasi and Giovanni Tommasi gave refuge and food for about three months to two British Pows as specified "R. Backhouse 1629008 of Liverpool; E. Goodwin 6106185 of Essex". This statement is issued in order to obtain the return of Ivan DE STEFANI a Pow for more than five years, brother and brother in law of the a/n who at great risk gave refuge to two British Pows in the period of the patriotic underground fight.

THE PRESIDENT
illegible

MUNICIPIO DI PIOVE DI SACCO

Seen , and confirm above statement.
Piove di Sacco 25 June 1946.

THE MAYOR
illegible

R.A.G.

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COMITATO DI LIBERAZIONE NAZIONALE
PIOVE DI SACCO

Piove di Sacco, 23 Giugno 1946

N. 785

DICHIARAZIONE

Questo C.L.M. attesta che i coniugi Giovanna De Steffani in Tommasi e Giovanni Tommasi diedero rifugio e nutrimento per circa tre mesi ai due prigionieri inglesi così specificati " R.Backhouse n. " I629008 da Liverpool ; E.Goodwin n. 6106185 da Essex ".
Si rilascia questo attestato al fine di sollecitare il ritorno del prigioniero di guerra da oltre cinque anni Ivan De Steffani fratello e cognato dei coniugi Tommasi che ospitarono nel periodo della lotta patriottica e clandestina, e con grave pericolo, i due prigionieri inglesi.

Il Presidente

G. Geronzi



MUNICIPIO DI PIOVE DI SACCO

Visto, per conferma di quanto sopra deposto.
Piove di Sacco 23 Giugno 1946.

IL SINDACO



Amici

M. G. Geronzi

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Translation

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From Min.of Post War Assistance
To IPW M.M.I.A.

Ref. 665I
Date 21/6/46.

Subject POW Cardelli Domenico.

PERSONS OF WAR DIVISION

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Due to matters connected with this office we would be grateful if you would kindly hasten the repatriation of POW N° I8577 D 42 CARDELLI DOMENICO interned in N° I Tanganika c/o POW Censorship Section East Africa Command.

Thanking you in anticipation.

DAK

Belated reply to Cardelli

RECEIVED 27 1946
Ugo Sallerio. ITALY.



Ministero dell'Industria e dell'Energia

*Segreteria Particolare
Uff. S.S.S. Dr. Berardinone
Prot. N° 6651 Allegati
Risposta al N° 1
del*

Roma 21 Giugno 1946

*alla Commissione Allea-
ta. Ufficio Prigionieri
Via Veneto R O M A*

OGGETTO : Prigioniero Cardelli
Domenico di Sebastiano. -

Per questione inerenti questo Ufficio vi sa-
remo grati se vorrete interessarvi per il rimpa-
trio del Prigioniero di Guerra CARDELLI DOMENICO
di Sebastiano N° E 18577 D 42 internato nel campo
n° 1 tanganka c/o p.w. Censorship Section-Est- A-
frica Command.

Nel ringraziarvi per quanto vorrete fare vi
preghiamo di gradire i nostri distinti saluti.

IL SEGRETARIO PARTICOLARE
(Ing. Ugo Sellerio)



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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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24 June 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation of IPW.
No. 111.532 VACCAREZZA, Antonio
South Africa

TO : Allied Screening Commission
C.M.F. (Italy)

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

2. Your prompt reply is kindly requested.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

1 Encl: Translation copy of Vaccarezza, Gaetano's petition

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RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION
Italian Mission.

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Genoa, June 12th 1945.

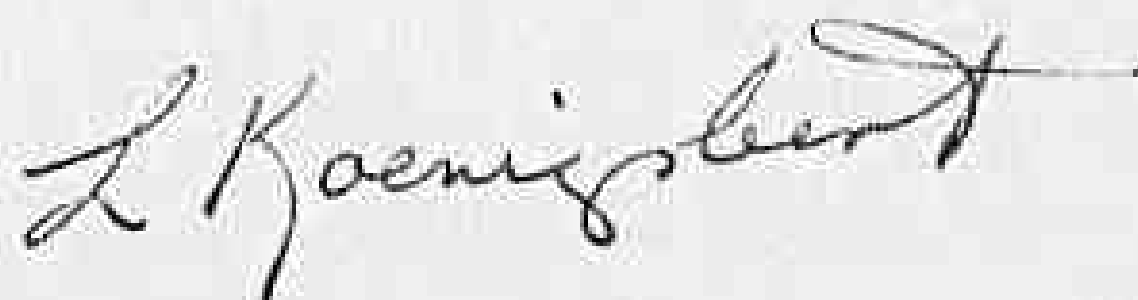
TO: Prisoner of War Repatriation Bureau,
A.C. Headquarters,
Rome.

FROM: Major Leo Koenigsbert,
Regional Director,
Liguria and Piemonte Region,
UNRRA, Genoa.

SUBJECT: Referral of request made to UNRRA Regional Office
for the return of an Italian Prisoner of War from
South Africa.

1 PW.

1. The attached request is self-explanatory.
2. We are referring it to your department for any action you may deem advisable.
3. We are informing Mr Vaccarezza that we have forwarded his letter to your department.



L. Koenigsbert,
Regional Director,
Liguria & Piemonte Region.

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T O R I N O

Il sottoscritto Gaetano VACCAREZZA, residente in Costa San Salvatore (chiavari) Genova, padre del prigioniero di guerra Antonio VACCAREZZA, internato nel "Italian Prisoners of War Camp Union of South Africa (N° di prigionia 114-532)", espone quanto segue:

Nel Settembre 1945 vicino al paese dove lo scrivente risiede era dislocato un campo di concentramento di prigionieri di guerra Anglo-Americani.

In conseguenza dei fatti dell'8 Settembre parecchi di essi tentarono di fuggire, e furono immediatamente braccati dalle SS Tedesche.

Lo scrivente, unicamente spinto da spirito di umana fratellanza e solidarietà, e nel pensiero del proprio figlio prigioniero delle truppe Alleate, nascose cinque prigionieri Alleati in un suo casolare, vicino alla propria abitazione.

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Il sottoscritto del benevolente accordo della presente istanza,

VACCAREZZA, F. to
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Fiducioso del benevolo accoglimento della presente istanza, con osservanza si rassegna

F. to VACCAREZZA GAETANO

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TRANSLATION

To : UNRRA
Italian Displaced Persons Branch
Corso Oporto 20 - TURIN.

Subject : P/W Antonio VACCAREZZA - Application for his release.

I, the undersigned, Gaetano VACCAREZZA, residing at Costa San Salvatore (Chiavari), Prov. of Genova, father of Antonio Vaccarezza, a Prisoner of War interned in the 'Italian Prisoners of War Camp of Union of South Africa' (P/W No. 111.532) beg to make the following statement:

In September 1943, a P/W Camp for Anglo-American Forces' personnel was being operated in the vicinity of my village. After the 8th September many of such prisoners of war tried to escape, but were caught by the German SS. The undersigned, led only by the spirit of fellowship and solidarity and thinking of my son who is in Allied hands, gave shelter to five Allied prisoners of war, by hiding them in a house near mine. German and fascist spies tried to find them out, but they could not manage to do so. Together with other farmers we provided them with food and clothing in order that they might not suffer during the cold winter season. In January 1944 we could direct them to partisan units in the vicinity of Chiavari.

Above statement has likewise been made to Capt. A.V. Crasset, of the Allied Screening Commission Section 2.

I do not want any special compensation for the work I did; I want no official acknowledgement: I only ask that a chance be given me to see my son back from South Africa.

I feel therefore confident that you will contact Allied Authorities in order to have my son repatriated soon.

Best regards.

VACCAREZZA GAETANO

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VACCAREZZA GAETANO

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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5 June 1946

Caro Bernini,

In mancanza di dati più precisi è impossibile
iniziare alcuna pratica in riguardo al caso da Lei in-
viatomi.

Dispiacente di non poterla servire in questo.


MICHAEL TOR
1st Lt. A.C.

Sig. Ello BERNINI
Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale
Federazione Provinciale di Livorno -

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COMITATO DI LIBERAZIONE NAZIONALE
FEDERAZIONE PROVINCIALE DI LIVORNO

TO: LT. MICHAEL TOR
Allied Commission, Rome

Leghorn 18 April 1946

Dear Tor.

I beg you to examine with benevolence the case of
MASSABO*, Osvaldo POW in Algiers.

Thank you.

S/ ELIO BERNINI

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PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,	
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COMITATO DI LIBERAZIONE NAZIONALE

FEDERAZIONE PROVINCIALE DI LIVORNO

UFFICIO INFORMAZIONI

Prot. N. _____

Livorno, *18 Aprile 1946*

Corso Umberto, 107 - TELEFONO 33-473

S. TENENTE MICHAEL TOR.
VIA NAZIONALE.
ALLIED COMMISSIONR O M A

Caro Tor

In data odierna con N° 6868/R di Prot.
il C.L.N. di Livorno ti prega di prendere
in benevolo esame il caso di certo MASSABO'
Osvaldo, prigioniero in Algeria.

Poichè ti assicuro che si tratta di ca-
so veramente meritevole d'attenzione.

Sono certo che vorrai adoprarti come
sempre per la risoluzione migliore.

Saluti cordiali e a presto risponderò

ELIO BERNINI

E. Bernini

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COMITATO DI LIBERAZIONE NAZIONALE

FEDERAZIONE PROVINCIALE DI LIVORNO

UFFICIO INFORMAZIONI

Prot. N. 6888/R

Livorno, 18 Aprile 1946
Corso Umberto, 107 - TELEFONO 33-473S. TENENTE MICHAEL TOR
VIA NAZIONALE
ARMED COMMISSION
R O M A

Vi saremmo altremodo grati se volesse prendere in benevolo esame la posizione del prigioniero MASSARO' Osvaldo, internato nell'Algeria, allo scopo di poterne anticipare al massimo il suo rientro in famiglia.

Certi che da parte vostra sarà fatto il possibile per il caso in questione distintamente ringraziamo e ossequiamo

PRESIDENTE
(Forse Garzelli)

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG
H.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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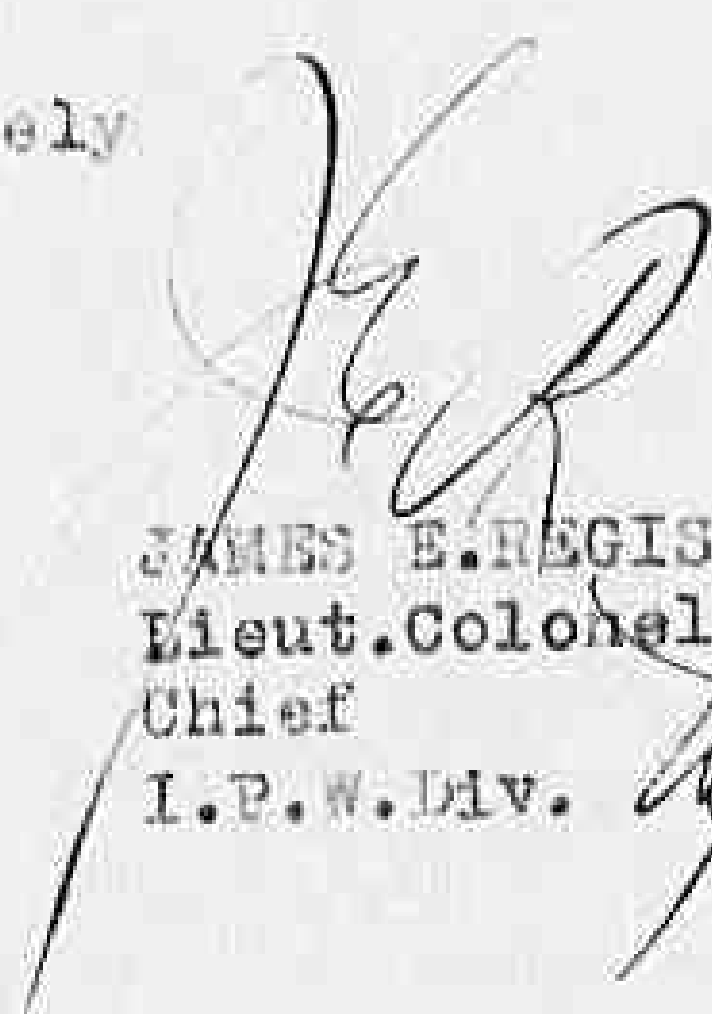
3 June 1946

Dear Father Rossi,

Reference your letter N.00713284 dated 8 May 46.

Unfortunately I am unable to give assistance in this matter due to the fact that the cases in which you ask me to interest myself are civilian internees and as such are not under my jurisdiction. I therefore pass on all relevant correspondence to UNRRA - Repatriation Branch - , for their action.

Sincerely


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

To : Sac. Emilio ROSSI
Segreteria di Stato
di Sua Santità

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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3 June 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian Civilian Internee

TO : UNRRA - Repatriation Branch

1. The attached is forwarded for your action.
2. It is requested that you reply to applicant as in enclosed correspondence.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

1 Encl: Translation copy of letter from Father Rossi

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SECRETARY OF STATE
OF HIS HOLINESS

FILE : 00713284

Vatican City 8 May 1946

Dear Colonel Regis,

The Holy See has been asked to intervene on behalf of the two undermentioned youngmen who wish to be repatriated.

1. Pugliese Massimo son of Pietro, Civilian Internee No. 4441 Camp No. 1/A near Nyeri, Kenya. - born in Rome on the 6 April 1925, as a student and interned in the month of July 1941, having been captured at Assab. His studies have been interrupted since that date, his elder and only brother 2nd Lt. Doctor was given as missing in Russia since 1943. His mother was repatriated from imprisonment in January 1943 from the ~~xxxx~~ Camp No. 1/A is at present in bad health as she suffers from heart trouble. His father was also repatriated in 1943 as an invalid (Bronchial Asthma) and is suffering at the present time with stones of the Liver. His father was also interned in Camp 1/A. The young man is now in the necessity of returning and taking up his studies in order to be able to provide for his family.

2. Gigli Nazzeno, son of the late Giovanni No. Tss 46952 Camp No. 3 South Rhodesia.

I beg you to intervene in their behalf and thank you for whatever you may be able to do.

Sincerely

S/ Father Emilio Rossi

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DI SUA SANTITÀ

N. 00713284

Dal Vaticano, li 8 maggio 1946

Ill.mo Signor Colonnello,

È stato chiesto l'interessamento della Santa Sede per il sollecito rimpatrio dei due giovani sottoindicati:

I. - **IUGLIESE MASSIMO** di Pietro, internato civile col numero 4441 di matricola nel Campo n. 1/A presso Nyeri - Kenya - nato a Roma il 6 aprile 1925, studente, internato dal mese di luglio 1941, catturato ad Assab. Ha interrotto sin da quell'epoca gli studi, ha un fratello maggiore, unico fratello, S. Pen. Medico dato disperso in Russia dal gennaio 1943. Il padre è rimpatriato dalla prigionia nell'aprile 1943, quale invalido per asma bronchiale ed è attualmente sofferente per calcoli epatici. La madre, anche lei rimpatriata dalla prigionia nel gennaio 1943, dallo stesso campo n. 1/A, è attualmente cagionevole di salute per ipertensione e nevrosi cardiaca. Il giovane, che ha conseguito finalmente la licenza liceale nel campo stesso nel novembre 1945, ha bisogno di studiare e frequentare l'Università per provvedere al proprio avvenire.

II. - **GIGLI NAZARENO** fu Giovanni, n. Tss 46952, Campo n. 3 Sud. Rhodesia -

Prego pertanto la S.V. Ill.ma di voler cortesemente interessarsi perchè i due giovani in parola possano essere restituiti al più presto alle famiglie e la ringrazio fin d'ora di quanto potrà fare in merito.

Mi valgo dell'occasione per ossequiarla distintamente.

Dev.mo

Ill.mo Signore
Colonnello R. E. G. I. S.
Sottocommissione Alleata
R O M A



Lac. Emilio Riva

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A. C.
M.N.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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3 June 1946

Dear Mr. Boffa-Tarlatta

Your letter of the 3th of May 1946, dealing with your request for the repatriation of your son Ten. BOFFA-TARLATTI Vito no. 45192, has been forwarded to the proper source for investigation and eventual action.

I shall be very pleased to keep you informed regarding the development in this case.

Yours sincerely

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div

To: Boffa-Tarlatta Carlo
Corso Nizza 36
CUNEO

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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3 June 1946
(date)

SUBJECT : Ten. BOFFA-TARLATTA Vito
PW Camp 26 - I B Wing
V Group - Yol Kangra Valley

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. It is requested that home circumstances of Subject PW be investigated, and a report forwarded to this Division, please.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

1 Encl: Translation copy of letter from the PW's father

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Dear Colonel Regis

Being a friend of your father, I ask you to intervene on behalf of my son who is a POW in India.

As you informed me through your parents last July, my son was included on a list for repatriation in August 1945, from the Ministry of Industry. Colonel Celloni who was repatriated on the 21 April 1946 from the Camp where my son is now, brought me news of my son and made the following statement:

before leaving the Camp with 1400 Officers, some of whom had been requested by Rome, my son seeing that he was not on the list, begged the Colonel to accompany him to the Commanding Colonel of the Camp in order to find out when his turn for repatriation would come. On the examination of all the files his name was not found on any list. That is the reason that I again turn to you who showed such interest in my case as we have not seen our son for 5 years.

His Address is as follows:

Lt. BOFFA TARLATTI Vito, No. 45192
POW Camp 26 No. 13 Wing
5th Group, YOL Kangra Valley, India.

Thanking you for anything that you may do

S/ I am Yours Devotedly
Boffa Tarlatta Carlo
Corso Nizza 36 Cuneo

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LIATSON OFFICER
HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
13 CORPS

27 MAR 1946

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FILE REF: 13 C/A.M.G./L.O.Rome/112/9

SUBJECT Request for information as to
whereabouts and welfare of Italian
PW Sgt MILET, Silvio

Date 12 March 1946

TO LAND FORCES
Sub-Commission A.C. M.M.I.A.
Italian Prisoners of War Division

1. Ref. your letter LPW/1/1/844-B, dated 5 March 46.
2. This matter has been referred to Displaced Persons and Welfare Division A.M.G. 13 Corps (Att. Capt. Kellett).
3. He has been asked to inform you direct on any action taken.

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G.M. Duncan
G.M. DUNCAN, Major
L.O. A.M.G. 13 Corps
at HQ A.C.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A. C.
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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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22 May 1946

SUBJECT : Release Italian PW -
226719 D'INCERTI Franco

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. The above mentioned PW was last reported as being held in "C" PW Camp.

2. All Italian PW from this Camp have now been handed over to the Italian authorities.

3. The War Office, have requested that this PW be granted a priority in repatriation because his relatives assisted British escapees and evaders during the German occupation.

4. If this PW is still held in Italian custody, it is requested that the Italian authorities be asked if they are prepared to release him.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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Copy to: General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces
(your letter 3907/A2 dated 10 May 46 refers)

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SUBJECT:- Italian PW - Release on Compassionate Grounds

1PW

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10 May 46

Land Forces sub-Commission,
Allied Commission, MIA,
IPW Division.

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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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10 May 1946

SUBJECT : Italian PW - Release
GABRIELLI Ernesto

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. Reference attached document.
2. Permit from Italian Questura was not received.
3. It would be appreciated if the proper authorities could be informed that applications for release must be submitted through you.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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1 Encl: 1 document

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SUBJECT:- Italian FW - Release.GABRIELLI *Guarto*TO:- Land Forces Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission, MMIA,
IPW Division.

GHQ CMF

3155/A2

26 Apr 46

Reference attached document.

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MB/ER.
Encl.J.M.A.R.D.P.
JLC NAPIER,
Brigadier,
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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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10 May 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR GEN. MANNERINI

Rest assured that everything will be done to expedite the repatriation from India of :

Sergeant DE LAURENTIS Dino No. 175919- Camp 15- Wing 5- Bombay

2nd Lt. BELLONI Roberto No. 31105- Camp 23- Wing P.4- Bombay

as per your request in your promemoria of 1 April 46, addressed to me.

ER
JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div. *4*

To : General Alberto MANNERINI
Autonomous Office for Veterans
and Repatriated PWs.

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MINISTRY OF WAR
AUTONOMOUS OFFICE FOR WAR
VETERANS AND REPATRIATED

1 April 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR COL. REGIS

I have received an urgent request from the office of the Secretary of State of H. Holiness the Pope for the repatriation of the undermentioned POW :

Sergeant De Laurentis Dino
No. 175919 - Camp 15 - Wing 5 - BOMBAY

2nd Lt. Balloni Roberto
No. 31105 - Camp 28 - Wing F.4 - BOMBAY

I would appreciate if they could be included in the first groups repatriation from India.

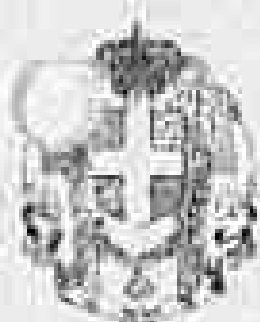
*be means of complying with
request to place priority on
individuals repatriation from India*

Sgd.
Gen. A. Mannerini

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Ministero della Guerra
Uff. Autonomo Reduci Prigionieri
di Guerra e Rimpatriati

Roma, 1° aprile 1946

PROMEMORIA PER IL COLONNELLO R. S. G. I. S.

Dalla Segreteria di Stato di Sua Santità si
vergono fatte vive premure per il rimpatrio dei
sottotati prigionieri di guerra:

-  - Sergente DE LAURENTIS Dino
Matr. 175919 - Camp 15 - Wing 5 - BOMBAY
-  - Sottotenente BELLONI Roberto
Matr. 31105 - Campo 28 - Wing F.4 - BOMBAY

Le pare molto grato se volesse segnalarli per
includerli in uno dei primi scaglioni di prigionieri
rimpatriandi dall'India.-

R. S. G. I. S.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.E.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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25 April 1946

SUBJECT : 2nd Lt EDGARDO CARANDO Pow in Kenya,
No. 53953

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter N.718/P dated
3 April 46

1. It is requested that the "Comitato di Liberazione Nazionale" provides documents to substantiate the Claim of Achille and Maria CARANDO.

2. Upon receiving such documents this Division will unhesitatingly recommend the repatriation of PW in question as a special case.


Major
Chief
I.P.W.Div.

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MINISTRY FOR POST WAR ASSISTANCE
PRISONER OF WAR BUREAU
SECRETARY'S OFFICE

FILE : 718/P

Rome 8 April 1946

SUBJECT: 2nd Lt EDGARDO CARANDO POW in Kenya,
No. 53953.

TO : Allied Commission, Rome.

The parents of the prisoner in question, Achille e Maria Carando are both over seventy years of age and seriously ill.

Their two other sons, Prof Ennio and Engineer Ettore as partisans, were shot by the Germans in February 1945 by the nazi-fascists at Villafranca, Piemonte.

These parents who have been so sorely tried, have asked this Ministry to repatriate their son Edgardo.

As your Commission has favoured similar cases we beg you to examine this case and the possibilities of repatriating Edgardo Carando.

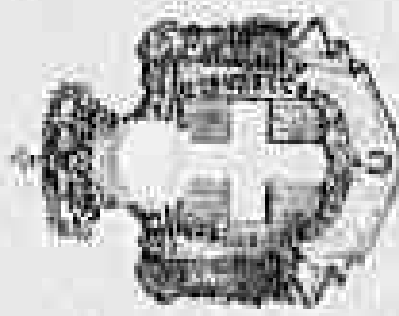
Thank you.

S/ DR. FAUSTO NITTI

10. APR 1946
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1) It is requested that the Commission be kept informed of any further developments in the case of the prisoner in question.

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PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,
C.
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Ministro dell'Assistenza Sociale
Servizio Prigionieri di Guerra

Per

Uff. Segreteria

Prot. N. 718 P. 1

Proposta al Foglio N. 1

del

Roma, 8 aprile

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ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

=ROMA=

OGGETTO:

Si segnala a cotesta Commissione il caso del S.Ten. EDGARDO CAPANDO prigioniero nel Kenja matricola n. 53953.

I genitori del suddetto prigioniero signori Achille e Maria Carando sono vecchi ultrasessantenni e gravemente ammalati.

Nel febbraio del 1945 essi hanno avuto altri due figli partigiani il Prof. Ennio e l'Ing. Ettore fucilati dai nazifascisti a Villafraanca Piemonte.

Ora i poveri vecchi affranti dal dolore per tale crudele perdita si sono rivolti a questo Ministero perchè si facciano le pratiche necessarie per il ritorno del figlio Edgardo.

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Poichè cotesta Commissione in casi simili ha accolto favorevolmente tali richieste per benemerenze patriottiche di famiglie colpite dalla crudeltà dei nazi-fascisti, si prega voler tenere presente il suddetto prigioniero qualora si presenti l'occasione di un prossimo rimpatrio dal Kenja.

Con infiniti ringraziamenti.

IL CAPO SERVIZIO

(Dr. Fausto Nitti)

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

MT/mdp

851C

IPW/1/1/851 C

16 April 1946

Dear General Infante

Your letter of the 4th of April 1946 H.2560/A.C. dealing with your request for the repatriation of Tenente A.N. Ingegnere Giorgio CERIO, has been forwarded to the proper source for investigation and eventual action.

I shall be very pleased to keep you informed regarding the developments in this case.

Yours sincerely

[Signature]
JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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To: General Adolfo INFANTE
First Aide de Camp
to H.R.H. The Lieutenant General
of the Realm

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/ 1/1/851 B

16 April 1946

(date)

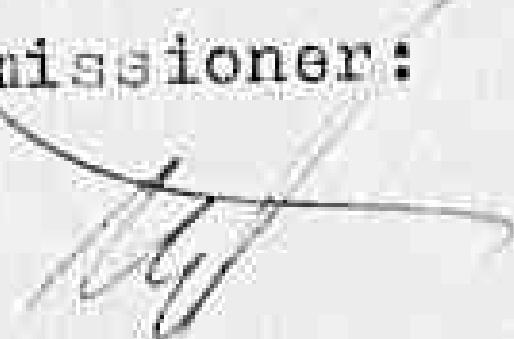
SUBJECT : PW. Tenente A.N. Giorgio Cerio
No.49127 - Camp 5/A
Mirtleford (Victoria)

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

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

2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6:9

FILE

1 Encl : Copy letter from General Infante

n. 2560/A.2.



Roma, 4 APR 1946

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IL PRIMO AIUTANTE DI CAMPO GENERALE
DI S.A.R. IL LUOGOTENENTE GENERALE DEL REGNO

Caro Colonnello Regis,

sono state qui rivolte premure per ottenere il rim
patrio del Tenente A.N. Ingegnere Giorgio CERIO pri
gioniero di guerra n. 49127 nel campo 5/A camporend
a Mirtleford (Victoria).

Egli fu fatto prigioniero nel 1941, raccolto in
mare nel Mediterraneo, ferito al braccio.

Dato il lungo periodo di prigionia del suddetto
Tenente, La prego di volere benevolmente esaminare
la possibilità di un di lui sollecito rientro in Pa
tria.

La ringrazio del suo gentile interessamento al
riguardo e Le porgo i miei più distinti saluti.

(Adolfo Infante)
(Generale Adolfo Infante)

Al Colonnello James E. Regis
Director I.P.W. Division
A. C.

R O M A

6139

Nella risposta citar. il numero di protocollo

6139

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

MT/mdp

850 B

IPW/1/1/850 B

4 April 1946

SUBJECT : Ex IPW Repatriation to Iran.

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. Reference the enclosed application from Caesar Gai, Villa Castelnuovo, Province, Turin, asking that he may be repatriated to Iran.

2. May he be informed to apply through normal consular channels.

for *TR*
JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

1 Encl: Letter m/a

850

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SUBJECT: Ex IPW Repatriation to Iran.

CHQ CMF.3072/A2.22 Mar 46.

Land Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission,
MIA,
IPW Division.

Reference

1. We have received direct, the enclosed application from Caesar Gai, Villa Castelmovo, Province, Turin. asking that he may be repatriated to Iran.
2. May he be informed to apply through normal consular channels.

HHW/MC.

Blatt, Capt.
JLC MAPLE,
Brigadier,
DAG.

6:37

IRAN PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION, P.O. Box 1, A. C.	
Received	26 MAR 1946
Log No	4565

DATE	26 MAR 1946
ENTERED ON INDEX	
INITIALS	<i>RP</i>

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IP# / 1/1/849 B

2 April 1946

(date)

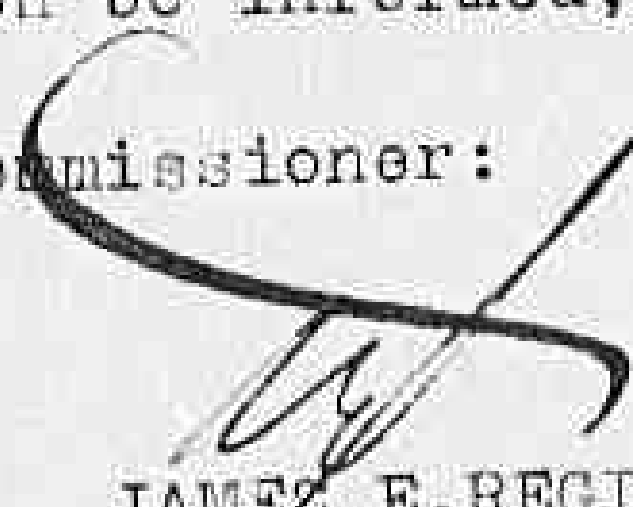
SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW -
Sgt. Maj. GARAU Fausto

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces

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

2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6:35

1 Encl : Translation copy of letter from M.P.W.A.

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
Prisoner of War Bureau
2nd Div - 1st Sec - 1st Office

FILE : 66247

Rome 11 March 1946

SUBJECT : Sgt. MAJ. GARAU, Fausto.

TO : Allied Commission, S/O, IPW Div., Rome.

This Ministry has been informed that GARAU captured in East Africa, was put on parole in Amara.

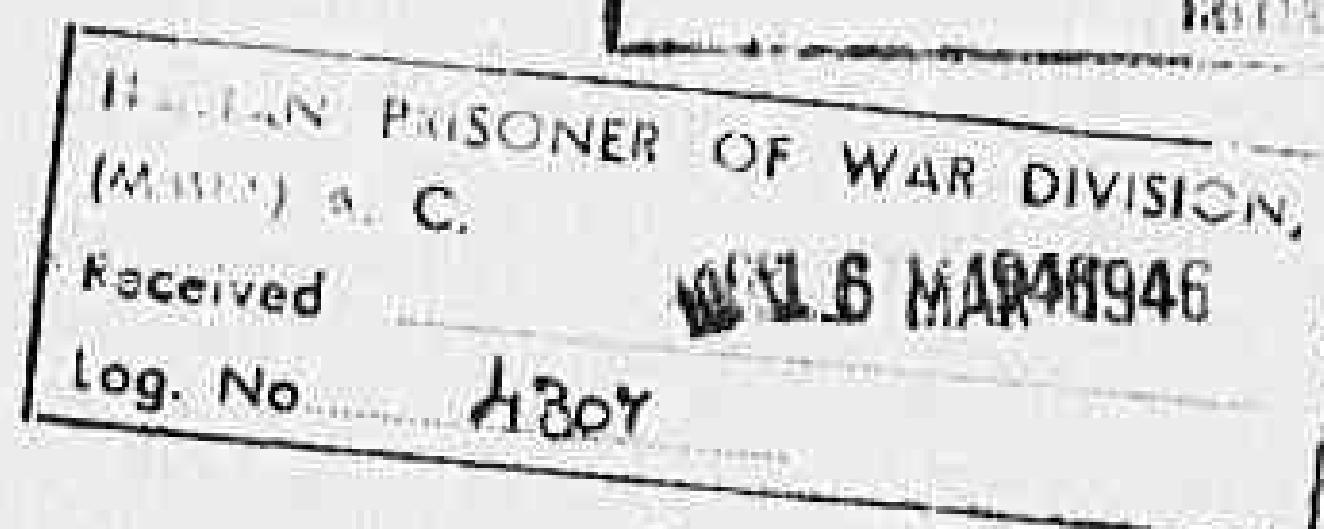
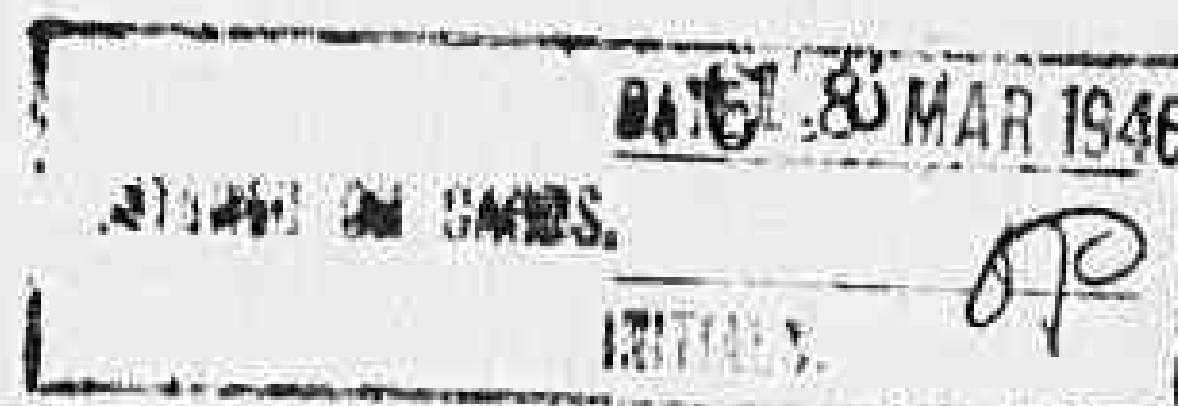
In order to get the necessary means to support himself, he joined an American pioneer Company that has activities in Saudiya, Arabia. His address is as follows:

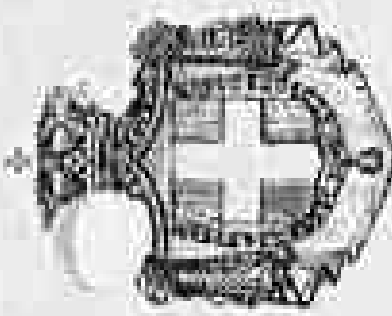
A.A.C. Arabia Saudiya (Jeddah) Dohran.

He could leave his job if he had sufficient means to pay for his repatriation, which he has not.

We have informed you of this very special case in order that you may inform us if you can do anything about his repatriation, or if you can indicate to this Ministry the procedure to be followed to have him repatriated.

Sgt. MAJ. Fausto Garau.





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Roma 11 MARZO 1940

Ministro dell'Assistenza - For. Bellini

- Servizio Prig. di Guerra - Div. 2^a -

Pr. 1^a

Pr. 1^a

Pr. N. 66247

Risposta al Foglio N. 1

del

LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

- Sottocommissione per i

Prig. di Guerra -

ROMA

OGGETTO: Sergente maggiore GARAT Fausto.

E' stato rappresentato a questo Ministero che il sergente maggiore arma Aeronautica GARAT Fausto, caduto prigioniero in A.C. fu lasciato libero sulla parola in Asmara.

Per procurarsi i necessari mezzi di sussistenza, si arruolò in una compagnia americana di lavoratori, ingaggiati per svolgere attività nell'Arabia Saudita.

Il suo attuale recapito è il seguente:

A.A.O.C. - Arabia Saudita (Aranco) Danaran.

Egli potrebbe sciogliersi dall'ingaggio qualora fosse in grado di sostenere a proprio carico le spese per il rimpatrio, possibilità che al GARAT manca.

Trattandosi di un caso del tutto fuori dell'ordinario, si segnala a codesta Commissione perche' voglia adottare i provvedimenti necessari o quanto meno indicare a questo Servizio la procedura da seguire per il rimpatrio del GARAT.

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IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(dr. Fausto Nitti)



LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

MT/mdp

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IPW/1/1/848 B

30 March 1946

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds -
Sjt. DI ZUZIO Bernardo

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter N. 64244 dated
31 Jan 46

1. We have been informed by War Office that it is not possible to grant the above mentioned a repatriation to America on compassionate grounds.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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FILE

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JPR 848

SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds -
Sgt. DI ZUZIO Bernardo.

TO:- Land Forces Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission,
MIA,
IPW Division.

CHQ CMF

3891/A2

11 Mar 46

Your IPW/1/1/831 B dated 13 Feb refers.

1. We have been informed by War Office that it is not possible to grant the above mentioned a repatriation to AMERICA on compassionate grounds.
2. Letter from Italian Ministry of Post War Assistance 64244 dated 31 Jan has not been returned from War Office.

MHW/HR.

Brigadier,
A/DAG.HC
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PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,	
I. A. C.	
Received	15 MAR 1946
Log. No	4225

DATE	5 MAR 1946
ENTERED ON CARDS.	
INITIALS.	J.P.

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1PW

SUBJECT: Release - Italian PW.ONE ONE.3957/AR.9 Mar 46.Headquarters,
No. 5 District.Col BONITO, Oliva Achille

1. This ONE letter constitutes authority for the release of the above-mentioned PW as he is no longer required by JAG Branch.
2. This man is held in 2-9 PW Camp.
3. Any arrangements to make for his release and return to home please.

R. E. *[Signature]*
 Brigadier,
 JAG.

HRW NO.

Copy to: ~~1240~~ - (your VII/16029 23 Feb refer).

~~1240~~
~~1240~~
 Land Forces Sub Commission,
 Allied Commission,
 201A,
 LIA Division.

[Handwritten signature]
 No act

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
 HQ AC APO 394
 Received 11 MAR 1946
 Log No 4124

DATE: 12 MAR 1946
 BY: *[Signature]*

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.G.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/346 B

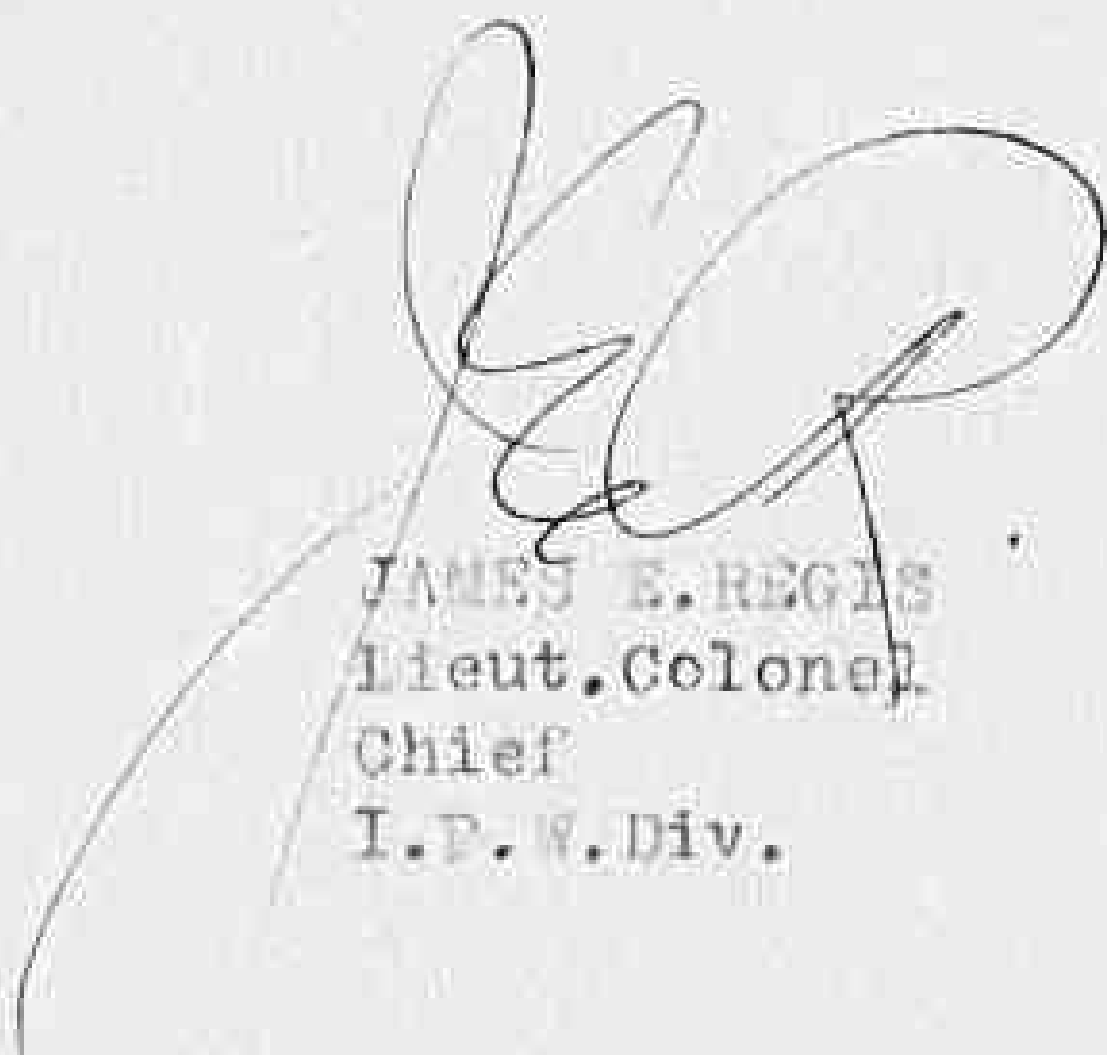
22 March 1946

Dear General Infante,

Reference your letter 1057/A.G. dated 13 February 1946;

I am informed by the Commander in Chief India that Major Sanjust di Teulada will be repatriated as soon as shipping becomes available.

Sincerely


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6131

To : General Adolfo INFANTE
Aide de Camp to H.R.H.
the Lieutenant General of the Realm
ROME

9 PW (845) 4960

SUBJECT:- Italian PW - Application for Release on Humanitarian Grounds.
651 Major SANJUST DI TEULADA, Luigi.

TO:- Land Forces Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission,
MHA,
IPW Division.

GHQ CMF

3899/A2

15 Mar 46

Further to our 3899/A2 dated 12 Feb 46 to C-in-C MHA.

1. We are informed by C-in-C MHA that subject will be repatriated as shipping becomes available.

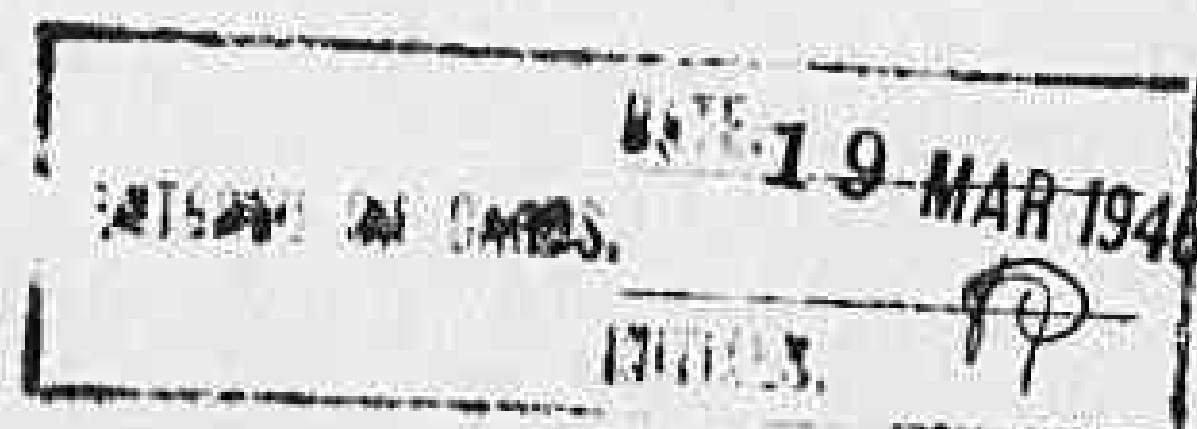
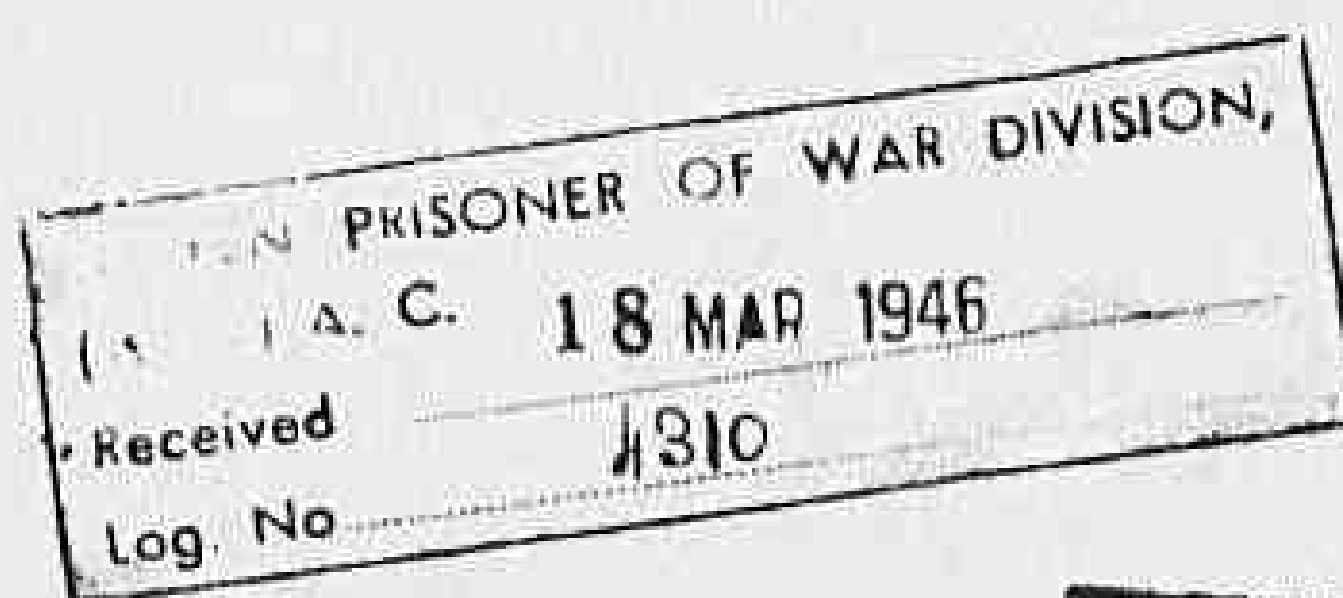
MMW/ER.

Blatt
JLC MAPIER,
Brigadier,
DAG.

Copy to:- MA to SAC

*To Dev
Infantry*

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AG
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

MT/mdp
845B

IPW/1/1/845 B

15 March 1946

SUBJECT : Enquiries: 67173 Cap. 1e TRUFFARELLI Valdiero

TO : Mr. TRUFFARELLI Romeo
Via Armando Casalini, n° 8
TERNI (Umbria)

Reference your letter dated 4 January 1946.

1. The a/w Prisoner of War is at present interned at 351 Italian Coop Group and according to this Bureau's records is in good health.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6478

SUBJECT: ENQUIRIES.

✓ LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.F.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,
I T A L Y.

1 Row.
PW INFORMATION BUREAU
HQ EAST AFRICA COMMAND
P.O. BOX 4,000
NAIROBI - KENYA
TEL 2651 EXT 122
EAC/PWIB/2/1/11

2 Mar 46

1/ EAC/67173 Caple TRUFFARELLI Valdiero.

Ref your IFW/1/1/E27B dated 1 Feb 46.

RECEIVED 9 MAR 1946
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2. The a/m is at present interned at 351 Italian Camp Group
and according to this Bureau's records is in good health.

Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
HQ AC APO 304
Received 9 MAR 1946
Log No 4098

RAT/RV.

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B. A. Thorneoff
F. COL
AD PW
DATE 2 MAR 1946
ENTERED ON CARDS.
INITIALS. JP

Telephone:
489081
Ext 368

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1/844-B

5 March 1946

SUBJECT: Request for information as to whereabouts and welfare
of Italian PW Sgt MILETI Milvio

TO : Maj G. M. DUNCAN, Liaison Officer, XIII Corps,
VENEZIA GIULIA, c/o Allied Commission

1. This Division has received an inquiry from the mother of subject PW, Signora MILETI Fausta of Via Po 58, ROME, as to the welfare of whereabouts of her son.
2. This PW, born in ROME 18 June 1924, the son of MILETI Modesto and MAZZONI Fausta, has never sent any word to his family.
3. From information received from other PWs returned from the Yugoslav zone, it appears MILETI on 15 May 45 was at TOLMINO (GORIZIA), but in the early part of September 45, had been transferred to a prison camp at BOROVNICA, near LJUBLJANA, YUGOSLAVIA.
4. He is the eldest of five children, and his repatriation, if possible, would greatly help the family, which finds itself in dire financial straits.
5. May this Division be informed, please, as to whether there is any possibility of effecting his repatriation, and if not, at least can some word be had as to his whereabouts and welfare?
6. Inclosed herewith is a letter from the mother addressed to this PW, for delivery, if possible. It would be appreciated if a receipt could be obtained from the PW, which thus would help to lift the morale of his family.

B. ARMAND c/o MASH.
CAPT. DPC. REG. AGS

for
J. E. REGIS
Lt. Col., CAC
Chief
IPW Division

incl: letter to Sgt MILETI Milvio,
PW Camp, BOROVNICA (YUGOSLAVIA)

FILE



8 JAN 1946

Permessi di I. D. "I" ilvio
di ordine e tempo. Permessi
data il 10 giugno 1944

riservato in ordine

Permessi di I. D. "I" ilvio
di ordine e tempo. Permessi
data il 10 giugno 1944

Permessi di I. D. "I" ilvio
di ordine e tempo. Permessi
data il 10 giugno 1944

COMIT. Assessori Romano
VIA CARO D'ISTRIA 7

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See 1/1/844-B
6:75

ENC-1/1/844
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Tenente Milvio Miletì ⁸⁴⁴
di Modesto e Fausta Marzoni
nato a Roma il 18 giugno 1924
- prigioniero in Jugoslavia -

- Non è mai dato notizie dirette
alla famiglia (Via Po 58 - Roma)
Notizie di reclusi farebbero supporre
che in settembre 1945 fosse
nel campo di concentramento
di Borovnica -

È il più grande di cinque
figli e il suo rimpatrio sarebbe
indispensabile alla famiglia
che versa in difficili ⁶⁷⁴

condizioni finanziarie.
La famiglia chiede, con la disperazione derivante da dieci mesi di assoluto silenzio, una notizia sulla sorte del prigioniero

Fausta Miletì
Via Po 58 - Roma

Telephone: 1430
489081
Ext 388

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1 /843-B

6 March 1946

SUBJECT: Welfare inquiry concerning Italian PW BARATTO Eugenio
(153966), 304 Camp, c/o POW Postal Section MEF

TO : OC, 304 PW Camp, GHQ MEF

1. This Division has received an inquiry from the wife of subject PW, as to his welfare, stating she has had no word from him since September 45.

2. It is requested also that you notify this office as to the date that this PW leaves 304 Camp for repatriation.

3. This information is desired because in several instances nominal roble of PWs have arrived several weeks after the repatriation of the prisoners.

4. In connection with the requests regarding subject PW, your attention is invited to the fact that we also have of record a Lt BARATTO Eugenio with a different serial number - 177658 (POW Accounts Office (Transit) 216 Gp Hq Pioneer Corps MEF letter ref: TRANSIT./T.4/R.B.D. of 21 Dec 45, and POW Accounts Office CM, CMF ref: 602/2/1 of 31 Dec 45 refer).

5. It is not known whether the Lt BARATTO Eugenio (177658), who apparently was transferred from INDIA to MEF, is the same as BARATTO Eugenio (153966) of 304 Camp, MEF.

6. May this Division be advised, please, as requested in paragraphs 1, 2 and 5?

H. ARMA 6473
Capt. SPSS. REG. 403

for
J. E. REGIS
Lt.Col.,CAC
Chief
IPW Division

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19 FEB 1948

MEMORIAL I WILL OBTAIN IT FOR ALL OF THEM.

[illegible]

Vladimir S. Sokolov, 1

CONTENTS:

Idiocera profughi.—

Vi prego di voler fare intendere come conoscere ove trovasi la seguente persona (5) della quale desidero avere notizie:

positive. Baxato

(in stampatello) (Per le donne e i te che seguire il corone da
stagnorina)

Eugene.

(c) ~~Confidential~~ - except as to the following information:

DATA: 2 LUGLIO DI NASCITA ... 14 marzo 1904 in ... Lavio del Tomba

ITALIAMA DIREZIONE
 (S) 100 : 100 :
 Pres. Treviso
 Direttore. H.: Banca
 Industriale-

RESIDENZA ABITUALE (34) *N. Via - (Ven. Caia.)* *Via* *Industriale -*

ULTIMO INTERVISTO NOTO (2) # 153400
Campos. 304 % P. Q. V. Postal. Section. H. E. F.

DATA DURING ULTIM. NOTICE September, 1945

NUOVO DI PARADISIA CON IL DISCHETTO *marito*.....

CONSTITUTIONAL ALLEGATION, CONVICTION, AND DISQUALIFICATION

U. m. n. p. a. b. r. o. P. a. a. C. a. t. a. l. i. a. C. a. t. a. l. i. a.

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RESIDENZA ABITUALE ... *M. Via - (M. Via) ... Via ... N.*
 (3) *153966*
 ULTIMO INDIRIZZO NOTO *Campos. 304, S. P. Q. V. P. Postal Section. H. E. F.*
 DATA DELL' ULTIME NOTIZIE *Settembre. 1945*
 CAUSA DI PARCHELLA CON LE RICHIESTE *marito*

EVENTUALI ALTRE INFORMAZIONI VERRANNO ASSUNTI DA INCHIESTA
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CONNO. NOME E INDIRIZZO DEL RICHIEDENTE (3) *C. i. t. a. B. a. r. a. t. t. i*
 (in stampatello)

itala. Annot. - moglie. P. r. e. s. s. o. M. a. r. i. e. s. C. a. r. l. o.

- (1) Per il caso che i *Monte. S. E. 4. Roma*
 tanti moduli per quante sono le persone ricercate
 (2) cancellare ciò che non interessa
 (3) Indicare anche la provincia ove trovisi la località **6:72**
 = SI FILGA DI SCRIVERE CHIARO =

Sa 11/843
11/843

FILE

SUBJECT: Release of Italian PW.

Headquarters,
No. 2 District.

CHD/ME.

3907/A2.

21 Feb 46.

Mar/Mag DEUSOGIA, Valter.

1. This CHD letter constitutes authority for the release of the above-named Italian PW.
2. It is requested that arrangements for release be made by you.

CHD/ME

Major-General,
D.C.

Copy to:- CHD, 2nd Echelon.
No. 1 SHY Unit and Holding Centre. - (your 1630/5/A of 6 Feb 46 refers)
Land Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission,
ISIA,
JMW Division.

6571

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ 40

25 FEB 1946
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DATE. 26 FEB 1946
ENTERED ON CARDS.
INITIALS. <i>P</i>

4059
IPW (241)SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian PW.

Under Secretary of State,
The War Office,
Curzon Street,
LONDON.

GHQ CMC3891/A220 Feb 46

R. 599552 ME PAZZELLI Fiorello.
(I.W. 612 Coy, Great Britain).

1. The release of the above-named Italian PW has been recommended on the grounds that his father, PAZZELLI Leonardo, kept an escaped Allied prisoner in his house for five months during the German occupation.
2. This is confirmed by Allied Screening Commission (Italy) in their letter No 16427/ASO-5-1/IMA/ME/2 of 9 Oct 45 addressed to the High Commissary for POW, Rome. They have also been informed that the father of this PW suffers from arthritis and cannot cultivate his ground which is indispensable to the upkeep of his family.
3. Provided that you have no security or other objections, and are prepared to release this PW, it would be appreciated if the necessary arrangements could be made for his repatriation to Italy, notifying this GHQ of ETA, repeated to Alcom (Rome).

no action

CED/AF

R. Curzon 6:70
Lieutenant General,
Commander in Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

Copy to:- Land Forces sub-Commission, Allied Commission, MEIA,
The Division (for IPW 1/1/332 B of 15 Feb 46 refers)

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
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3960SUBJECT: Application for Release of Italian PW.GHD CMF.3891/A2.18 Feb 46.Under Secretary of State,
The War Office,
LONDON.283783 Sgt DI SUEIO, Bernardo
(Camp 143).

The attached translation copy of Italian Ministry of Post War Assistance 64244 dated 31 Jan 46, received through Headquarters Allied Commission, is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.

GHD/MO.
Encl.

W. Davis S/Capt
Lieut-General,
Commander-in-Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Commission,
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LAND FORCES SIB COMMISSION A.C.
R.S.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1/839 B

25 February 1946

SUBJECT : Lt. Dr. TESONE UgoTO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter N. 13379 di prot. dated
1 June 45

1. This office has been informed that the above
named PW will be despatched on the next draft.
2. Eto will be notified later.

E. ARMAND de MASY,
Capt., Spec. Res. AUS

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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3644.

J. H. W. (P. 39)

SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian PW.GHQ CMETO:- Land Forces Sub-Commission,
Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
MMA,
IPW Division.3822/A211 Feb 46357054 Lt. Doctor TESONE Ugo.

Reference your IPW/1/1/821 B of 27 Jan 46.

1. GHQ MEF state that the above named PW will be despatched on the next draft.
2. ETA will be notified later.

GHD/ER.

Major General,
D.A.G.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION AC
H.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/838 B

25 February 1946

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW BENINATI Andrea
GIORDANO Barbara

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. The attached are copies of letters from GRAPPEO
Ninfa and RAFISARDA Santina requesting respectively release
of son and Husband, at present P.O.Ws.

2. These letters are sent to you in the hope you will
be so kind to pass them to the proper authorities.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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6 Encls: 6 Documents

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OFFICE OF A.C. LIAISON OFFICER
c/o P.O.D. - NAVY 157
PALERMO - SICILY

AC/S/R 08-1

23 December 1945

TO : HQ Allied Commission, APO 394
(for P.O.W. Division)

SUBJECT : Release of P.O.Ws.-

1. The attached are copies of letters from CRISTO Minfa and RAPISARDA Santina requesting respectively release of son and husband, at present P.O.Ws.
2. These letters are sent to you in the hope you will be so kind to pass them to the proper authorities.

W. J. MacCallum
W. J. MacCallum, Lt-Col.
A.C. L.O. SICILY

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/re

Italian Prisoners of War Sub Commission

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SUBJECT: Italian PW - Application for Release
on Humanitarian Grounds.

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CHQ. CHQ.

3899/42.

12 Feb 46.

Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.

651 Major SANJUST DITELIADA, Itali.

1. The above-mentioned PW is reported held in Camp 26, 3/B BOMBAY.
2. Major SANJUST was born on 5 Jan 1891 and is reported as having been captured on 16 Jun 1940.
3. He is therefore eligible for repatriation on Humanitarian grounds.
4. Provided that there are NO security or other objections and you are prepared to release this PW, it would be appreciated if the necessary arrangements could be made for his early repatriation to ITALY, forwarding ETA to this CHQ, copy to Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission, NMIA, IPW Division.

MB/MC.

no action
Lieut-General,
Commander-in-Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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Copy to: MA to Supreme Allied Commander,
Mediterranean Theatre.
Land Forces Sub Commission,
Allied Commission,
NMIA,
IPW Division.

Italian Prisoner of War Commission
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)
C M F

ASC-4-2/TFDS/LFA.

To: Land Forces Sub-Commission, A.C.,
M.M.I.A.,
Italian POW Division.

Subject: Letter from Vidale Maria RAIMONDI.

Ref your letter dated 29 Jan 1946.

A claim for assistance given to Allied ex-POW
will be opened on behalf of Vidale Maria RAIMONDI.
Her special request re her son will be dealt with in due
course.

T.F.D. Simmons capt.

T.F.D. SIMMONS, Capt.,
G.S.O. III,
for Lieut Col, G.S.O.I,
Allied Screening Commission (Italy)
C.M.F.

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Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission
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SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian PW.Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.

GHQ CMF.

3891/A2.

11 Feb 46.

No.2676 Seaman SIBABELLA, Michele
(Madras Port Units).

1. The repatriation of the above-named Italian PW has been recommended by the British Embassy, Rome.
2. The application is based on compassionate grounds as the parents of the PW are no longer young and require him to support them. If he were allowed to return to Italy there is employment waiting for him.
3. Provided that there are no security or other objections, and you are prepared to release this PW, it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for his repatriation to Italy, advising this GHQ of ETA repeated to Allied Commission (Rome).

GHD/MC.

J. Davis S/Capt
 V. Lieut-General,
 Commander-in-Chief,
 CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Commission,
 Allied Commission,
 BMA,
 IPW Division. - (your IPW/1/1/1946 of 11 Feb refers).

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Italian Prisoners of War Sub Commission
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IPW
839SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian PW.GHQ CMF3822/A231 Jan 46GHQ MEY.357054 Lt. Doctor Tesone 11go.
(Capt 308, Egypt)

1. An application has been received from the Italian Ministry of Post War Assistance requesting that consideration be given to the possibility of the above-named PW accompanying sick repatriate Italian PW.
2. May this GHQ please be advised.

J. Davis S/Capt
Lieutenant General,
Commander in Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

GHQ/AP

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub-Commission; Allied Commission.
MMA, IPW Division.
(Your IPW/1/1/821B of 27 Jan 46 refers)

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1/833 B

13 February 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW - Maj.SANJUST di TEULADA Luigi

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces
Reference your letter CR/3899/G1(Br)dated 29 Dec.44

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

2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6460

1 Encl : Letter m/a

Rome 20 January 1946

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TO COL REGIS - POW DIVISION
ALLIED COMMAND - ROME

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Major Luigi Sanjust di Teulada
No. 651, Camp 26, 3/B - Bombay.

Major Luigi Sanjust di Teulada son of the late Edmondo, born in Cagliari on the 5th. of January 1891, was captured on 16 June 1940, he has therefore been a prisoner for 5 years and 7 months.

Given the length of his imprisonment and his age, his repatriation is contemplated in the Geneva Convention as being in the category of those who have the right to be repatriated.

In more his repatriation was requested by his Holiness through the Secretary of State of the Vatican, by M.R.H. the Lieutenant General of the Reals and by the Presidency of the Council of Ministers; who were informed that Major Sanjust would be repatriate as soon as was possible, as he had a priority previewed by International law and there was nothing politically against him.

The assurance that he would be repatriated was given in August 1945; since that date up to now many prisoners have returned from India but Major Sanjust was in none of the groups.

On the 10th. of December 1945, certain groups from Camp 26, including Sanjust received the order to leave and then for unknown reasons, his orders were suspended while his colleagues returned to Italy who did not have his priority and some of them were even politically compromised.

The undersigned, the wife of Major Sanjust with the above protest against this evident injustice, request the repatriation of her husband.

Thank you.

Sgd. Andriina Sanjust di Teulada
Piazza Pasquale Paoli 18
Rome

6159

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Italian Prisoners of War Commission
19 FEB 1946
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Roma 28 Gennaio 1946

On.le Colonello Regia

Comando alleato Ufficio Prigionieri.

ROMA

SOGGETTO: Rimpatrio del Maggiore Luigi Sanjust di Teulada
N°651 = Campo 26 = 3/B = BOMBAY.

Il Maggiore Luigi Sanjust di Teulada fu Edmondo nato a
Cagliari il 5 Gennaio 1891 è stato catturato il 16 Giugno
1940, esso è quindi prigioniero da 5 anni e 7 mesi.

Data l'età e la durata della prigionia il suo caso è con-
templato dalle convenzioni di Ginevra fra quelli aventi as-
soluto diritto alla priorità di rimpatrio.

Oltre a ciò il Maggiore Sanjust è stato richiesto per il
rimpatrio da S.Santità a mezzo della Segreteria di Stato ^{6.1.46}
del Vaticano; da S.A.R. Il Luogotenente del Regno e dalla
Presidenza del Consiglio, i quali tutti hanno avuto comuni-
cazione che il Maggiore Sanjust sarebbe stato rimpatriato
al più presto, poiché aveva la condizioni di priorità previ-
ste dalle leggi internazionali, e non esistevano a carico
suo delle pregiudiziali politiche.

Le assicurazioni di rimpatrio immediato di cui sopra risalgono al mese di Agosto 1945; da quell'epoca ad oggi sono rientrate dall'India numerose aliquote di prigionieri, ma il Magg. Sanjust non è ritornato.

Il 10 Dicembre 1945 alcune categorie del Campo 26, Magg. Sanjust compreso ebbero l'ordine di partenza che fu poi incomprensibilmente sospeso per il Sanjust ^{e colleghi} mentre con quella spedizione sono rientrati in Italia prigionieri che non avevano i diritti del Maggiore Sanjust, ed alcuni fra essi di quelli politicamente compromessi.

La sottoscritta moglie a 1 Maggiore Sanjust colla presente protesta per la palese ingiustizia e domanda che essa sia riparata sollecitamente.

Ringrazia ed ossequia

Andreina Sanjust di Teulada

(Andreina Sanjust di Teulada)

Piazza Pasquale Paoli 18 Roma.

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MT/mdp

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1/832 B

15 February 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian PW PAZZELLI Fiorello

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces

1. This Headquarters recommends the repatriation of Subject Prisoner of War on the basis of enclosed data presented by the Allied Screening Commission.

For the Chief Commissioner :

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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1 Encl: Letter m/a

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23 JAN 1946

Rome 16 January 1946

MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE

Prisoner of War Bureau

2nd. Division

1st. Sec

1st. Office

File No. 59882

TO ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION
IPW DIVR O M ESUBJECT: PAZZELLI Fiorello POW R.399552,
Coy. Great Britain.

Herewith attached is a copy of letter No.16487/ASC-
5-A/JH.A.M.B./2 dtd 9 Oct 45 from the Allied Screening
Commission, requesting this Commission to examine benevolently
the possibility of repatriating the prisoner in question.

Sgd. Dr. Fausto Nitti.

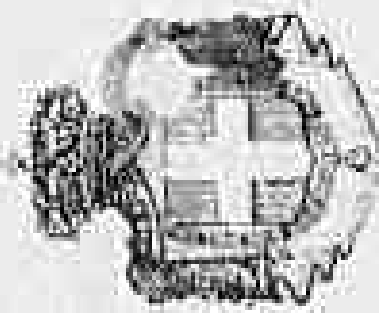
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21 JAN 1946

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Ministero dell'Interno - Polizia

- Servizio Prig. di Guerra - Div. 2^a -1^a1^o

Prot. 159882

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LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

- Sottocommissione per i Prigionieri di Guerra

ROMA

Risposta al Foglio N. 5 del

OGGETTO Pdg. R. 399552 M.E. FAZZELLI Fiorello L.W.612 Coy
Great Britain.

Si trasmette copia del foglio n. 16497/ASC-5-4/ JH.A.
M.B./2 in data 9.10.45 dell'Allied Screening Commission,
pregando questa Commissione di esaminare benevolmente
la possibilità di un eventuale rimpatrio del prigioniero
in oggetto.

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dott. Fausto Wittl)

OGGETTO Pdg. R. 399552 M.E. PAZZELLI Fiorello L.W.612 Coy
Great Britain.

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Si trasmette copia del foglio n.16497/ASO-5-4/ JH.A.
M.B./2 in data 9.10.45 dell'Allied Screening Commission,
pregando codesta Commissione di esaminare benevolmente
la possibilità di un eventuale rimpatrio del prigioniero
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IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dott. Fausto Wittl)

F. Wittl

6:55

C O P Y

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)
c/o ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
C.M.F.

Roma 9 October 1945

File No. 16427/ASO-5-4/JHA/MB/2

TO: HIGH COMMISSARY FOR POW
Military Personnel Office
Corso V. Emanuele, 110
R o m e

SUBJECT: Request for repatriation, R.599552 ,
M.E. PAZZELLI Fiorelle, I.W.612, Coy
Great Britain.

This Commission has received a request from the father of the prisoner in question to have him repatriated.

We confirm the fact that PAZZELLI Leonardo kept an escaped Allied prisoner in his house for five months during German occupation.

We are informed that the father Leonardo Pazzelli suffers from Arthritis and cannot cultivate his ground which is indispensable for the up keep of his family.

We are of the opinion that his request is worth all your consideration.

Sgd. J.H. AIKEN
Major
For the Commanding
Allied Screening Commission (Italy)
C.M.F.

6454

C O P Y

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)
C/O ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND

C.I.F.

Roma, 9 ottobre 1945.

Prov. 16427/450-5-4/JHA/MB/2

L'Alto Commissario per i prigionieri di guerra - Ufficio Militare -
re. - Corso Vittorio Emanuele n° 110.

R O M A

Oggetto: - Richiesta di rimpatrio - R. 599552 M.E. PAZZELLI Fiorello
I.W. 612 Coy. Great Britain.

E' pervenuta a questa Commissione una richiesta da parte di
PAZZELLI Leonardo di C. Campanelle S. Ginesio.
(Macerata per il rimpatrio di suo figlio, il pdg. sopracitato.

Siamo lieti di confermare che PAZZELLI Leonardo diede vitto
e alloggio per un periodo di cinque mesi, ad un ex prigioniero
etaso durante l'occupazione tedesca.

Da quanto ci viene riferito, PAZZELLI Leonardo, essendo affetto
da artrite deformante, non è in grado di coltivare il suo podere
e il ritorno del figlio è indispensabile per il sostentimento della
famiglia.

Pertanto siamo del parere che la sua richiesta sia degna della
Vostra considerazione.

J. H. AIKEN

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J. H. AIKEN

Maggiore

per il Comandante

Allied Screening Commission (Italy)

C.M.F.



(831B)

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1/831 B

13 February 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds
Sgt. DI ZUZIO Bernardo

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces G-1 (Br)

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

2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6152

1 Encl : Translation copy of letter from M.P.W.A.

31 January 1946

MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
PW BUREAU
SECT. I DIV. II
OFFICE No. 3
REF. 64244

TO ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION
PW
R O M E

SUBJECT : Repatriation of PW Sgt. DI ZUZIO Bernardo.

The following communication has been received from Mrs. Rosina DI ZUZIO, mother of the a/m PW, and is reproduced in full:

"Peterson, N.J. 29 November 1945
To Ministry of Post War Assistance,
PW Bureau, Corso V. Emanuele 110, Roma - Italia.

"The undersigned Rosina Di Zuzio is the mother of Sgt. Bernardo Di Zuzio PW, at present confined in Great Britain (England).

She is ill with heart disease and feels that death is near, and thus begs you to liberate her son from prison so that she may see him again before dying.

She thanks you infinitely

Sgd.
Rosina Di Zuzio
123 Spring Street
Paterson N.J. U.S.A.

The address of her son is :
Sgt. Bernardo Di Zuzio, No. 283783 ARMA ARM
POW CAMP 143 - GREAT BRITAIN.

Seeing that this office cannot ascertain whether this is really a compassionate case and since the mother of the PW is in USA, we communicate the above in order that, if possible, your Commission, instead of repatriating the a/m PW to Italy, might consider it better to arrange for his transfer to America where he would have the chance of seeing once again his grievously mother.

Sgd.
Col. Pallotta

FOR DR. Fausto Pallotta

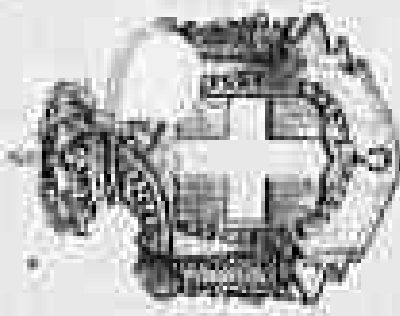
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Roma 31 Gennaio 1946

Ministro dell'Assistenza Post-Bellica
Servizio Prigionieri di Guerra
- Divisione II -

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Incl. N. 64244

Allegati

Risposta al Foglio N. 1

del

Al la COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per i p.d.s.

R O M A

Oggetto: Rimpatrio prigioniero di guerra
Sergente DI ZUZIO Bernardo -

Da parte della Signora Rosina Di Zuzio, madre del prigioniero di guerra in oggetto, è pervenuta a questo Servizio la seguente comunicazione che integralmente si trascrive:

" Paterson, N.J. 29 Novembre 1945
" Onorevole Ministero per l'Assistenza Post-Bellica;
" Servizio Prigionieri di guerra -
" Corso Vittorio Emanuele, 110 - ROMA (Italy)

Io sottoscritta Rosina Di Zuzio, sono la madre del Sergente Bernardo Di Zuzio, prigioniero di guerra, confinato attualmente nella Gran Bretagna, Inghilterra.

Sono ammalata di malattia gravissima di cuore e mi sento morire, e perciò vi prego di liberare mio figlio dalla prigionia, così almeno posso vederlo prima della mia morte. Vi ringrazio e cordialmente vi saluto.

Invece di far rientrare il prigioniero di cui trattasi in Italia, non ritenga più opportuno disporre il di lui trasferimento in America dove avrebbe la possibilità di rivedere la mamma gravemente ammalata.-

IL CAPO SERVIZIO

(Dott. Fausto Nitti)

F. Nitti

MH/fs

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1 830 B

7/Feb/46

SUBJECT : Request for release, compassionate
TO : W. Wilson, Esq.,
British Embassy, Rome.

Ref. your 104/23/46 dtd 31/Jan/46

1. The three categories of compassionate cases in which the Allied authorities will authorise the repatriation of a PW are the following:
 - a) Mother or head of family dead. Children remaining need care.
 - b) Mother or head of family seriously ill. Children remaining need care.
 - c) Support needed for family in dire circumstances.
2. We have tried to fit the case you refer to into one of the above categories, but it has not been possible on the evidence given; forwarding the request to AFHQ would only result in its being rejected, as has happened to similar cases in the past.
3. If the interested party thinks she qualifies under any of the categories, her best and quickest plan is to communicate direct with the Ministry of Post War Assistance, who will investigate and forward their recommendation to us; this has to be done in any case.
4. Should the present rate of repatriation from the U.K. continue all Italian PW held there should be home in 6 months.
5. Correspondence returned herewith.

J. E. REGIS
Lieut. Col.
Chief
IPW Div.

6:19

British Embassy,
Rome.

104/23/46

31st. January, 1946.

Dear Hall,

I spoke to your secretary this afternoon on the telephone with reference to the enclosed letter.

2. In the hope of saving time in what appears to be a rather urgent case, it was agreed that I should send this to you direct, instead of referring the writer to the Ministry of Post War Assistance. I trust that this is in order and will not in fact cause more delay through use of incorrect channels.

W. Wilson

W. Wilson.

Captain Hall,
Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission,
Rome.

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Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/ 1/1/829 B

4 February 1946

(date)

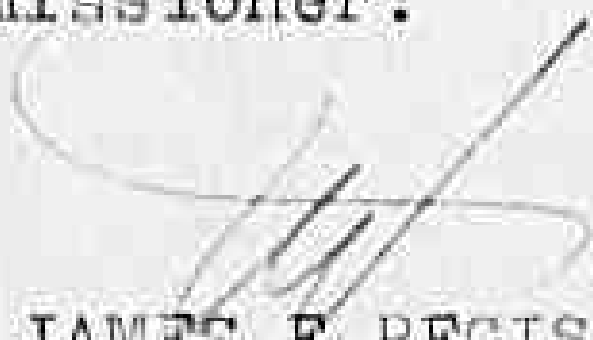
SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW SIRABELLA Michele

TO : General Headquarters
Central Mediterranean Forces
G-1 (Br)

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

2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6147

1 Encl : Letter from the British Embassy- Rome

copy

104/22/46

31st January 1946

To: The Prisoners of War Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission,
ROME.

From: The British Embassy, Rome.

The Ambassador has been asked privately whether he could facilitate the repatriation of Seaman SIRABELLA Michele who is a prisoner of war in India. SIRABELLA's parents are no longer young and require him to support them. If he were allowed to return to this country there is employment waiting for him.

His Excellency would be grateful if you could approach the competent military authorities through the normal channels and enquire whether Seaman SIRABELLA, provided his political and personal conduct have been entirely satisfactory, could be repatriated. His personal particulars are as follows:-

No.2676 Seaman SIRABELLA Michele,
Madras Port Units,
Madras. India-

M.BARING, Major,
Military Liaison Officer.

6445

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IP"/1/1/828 B

4 February 1946
(date)

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds
No 4579 - PADRONE Giacomo

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. It is requested that home circumstances of Subject PW be investigated, and a report forwarded to this Division, please.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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CONFIDENTIAL

Lt-Col. D.L.Searle,
4 Air Formation Signals,
C.M.F.

21 Jan '45

RECEIVED 26 JAN 1945

1 POW

I wish to put up a strong recommendation for re-patriation of the following Italian P.O.W.

GIACOMO PADRONI No 4579
-CAMPO No 26 3/A
BOMBAY.

The reasons for supporting this request are as follows :-

- (1) I know his family and realise that had he have been in Italy he would most certainly have resisted the Germans, and been a whole-hearted Partisan, as was his Guardian Giuseppe de Rosa (an account of whose patriotism and death is attached).
- (2) His Mother is ill and quite naturally, he being her first-born son and incidentally, the apple of her eye, she longs for him, and such longing is obviously retarding a return to good health.
- (3) I have seen from his photos (he would pass as an Englishman) and from conversations with many of his friends, that he would be an asset to the new Italy as a man, let alone the fact that he was in the process of completing his engineering faculty when he was sent to Libya in the Italian Air Force, being a qualified Lieutenant pilot.
- (4) His family have done and still do all they can to help the British in regard to general welfare of our troops.

His brief history is -

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DL Henderson
W. L. L.

P.O.W. Sub Commission,
Rome.

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IP"/1/100/827 C

1 February 1946
(date)

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW on Compassionate Grounds
SPILLUCCI Franco

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. It is requested that home circumstances of Subject PW be investigated, and a report forwarded to this Division, please.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

1 Encl: SPILLUCCI Giuseppe's request

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British Embassy,
Rome.

104/2/46

15th January, 1946.

To: Prisoners of War Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission.

From: British Embassy, Rome.

I enclose herein two letters received by the British Embassy from relatives of Italian prisoners of war, requesting their repatriation. The writers have been informed that their requests have been passed to the appropriate authority.

2. I also enclose a copy of a letter from the Liaison Division of the Allied Commission to the British Embassy enclosing a similar application. Perhaps you would be kind enough to inform the Office concerned of the correct procedure.

for quotation re 4/1/326
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Ref: 505/GU/EC(L)

7 January 1945

SUBJECT: Release of 2/Lt. Gualtiero Gualtieri

TO : British Embassy
R o m e

1. Attached is a letter from Signor Ignazio Gualtieri, Florence whose son Second Lieutenant Gualtiero Gualtieri, prisoner of war no. 47245 at Camp No. 5 Myrtleford in Australia, has been a prisoner of war since February 1941.

2. Signor Gualtieri and his wife request that the boy's repatriation be executed as soon as possible in order that he may enroll at the Florence University for the coming semester to continue his long interrupted studies.

3. Their plea is that as each month goes by with their son still in a prisoner of war camp it means an additional month's delay in his returning to his studies and a greater danger of his being too old to continue his chemistry studies.

4. May this letter please be forwarded to proper Australian authorities for action.

VICTOR L. ODDI
Captain, Cav
Officer in Charge
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C O P Y

Firenze 26 Dicembre 1945

Onorevole
ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Executive Commissioner
Liaison Division

R O M E

Il S. Tenente GUALTIERI GUALTIERO di Ignazio, prigioniero di guerra No. 47245 al Campo No. 5 Group di Myrtleford in Australia e' prigioniero dal Febbraio 1941.
Nato il 20 Febbraio 1917 a Firenze, nel Febbraio 1946 compira' il 28mo anno di eta'.

Interruppe gli studi nel 1939 perche' chiamato al servizio militare e cosi' non pote' iscriversi alla Facolta' di chimica della R. Universita' di Firenze come sarebbe stato suo desiderio.

Il padre del detto prigioniero di guerra si rivolge con la presente a Codesta Onorevole Commissione perche' si degni interporre il suo valido appoggio presso l'alleato Inglese sollecitandone il rimpatrio. A tale scopo osserva, che ogni mese di prolungata assenza aggreva e rende piu' difficile la ripresa degli studi ambiti.

Confidando nella comprensione e nell'aiuto di Codesta Onorevole Commissione, ringrazia ed ossequia.

/s/ Ignazio Gualtieri

Via Luigi Alamanni 23- Firenze

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Feligno 7 January 1946

The undersigned Spillucci Giuseppe of the State Railways requests as follows:

He has three sons all prisoners, 2 civilians in Eritrea who are waiting to be repatriated and the 3rd. Spillucci Franco Cpl.Maj. POW 31715, Camp 359 E.A. Command, whom he requests may be repatriated as soon as possible in order to give him financial aid, as he has two other sons to maintain and is old and cannot work.

Sgd. Spillucci Giuseppe

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/1/827 B

1 February 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : Enquiry re TRUFFARELLI Valdiero - N.67173-Camp 35-
East Africa Command

TO : PWIB, Headquarters, EAST AFRICA COMMAND

1. Information is requested re subject PW.

2. May this Division be informed as soon as possible of the result of your investigation.

For the Chief Commissioner:

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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Terni 4 January 1946

TO THE BRITISH EMBASSY
R O M E

The undersigned Truffarelli Romeo, son of the late Carlo residing in Terni, respectfully requests the repatriation of his son Valdiero POW since 1941, captured at Dessiè, interned in Concentration Camp No.360 E.A.

Subsequently he was transferred to Camp 351, matriculation No.67173 E.A. where he still was on the 20th. Sept 1943.

In the hope that you will give my request, consideration.

Sgd. Romeo Truffarelli.

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- 'Cerni' # Gennaro 1946 (44)

On.le Ambasciata Inglese

Roma

Ho sottoscritto, 'Truffarelli' Romeo, fu Carlo, residente a 'Cerni', mi onoro avanzare rispettosa istanza a codesta On.le Ambasciata, onde voglia con gentile interessamento aiutarmi nella ricerca di mio figlio 'Soldato' prigioniero dell' On.le Comando Inglese.

In riferimento a quanto sopra faccio noto che, il 'Soldato' 'Truffarelli' fu fatto prigioniero nell' Aprile del 1944 a 'Cerni' e assegnato al campo di concentramento N. 360. EAST AFRICA.

In secondo tempo fu trasferito al campo N. 351 con matricola ⁶⁷¹⁷³ ~~2138~~. EAST AFRICA. Campo questo in cui era ancora il 20 Settembre 1943. ⁶¹³⁸ Data della sua ultima comunicazione di notizie. Nella certezza che questa mia sia presa gentilmente in considerazione sin d'ora, osservo distintamente e rinnovare. Obbligatissimo
v. via Armando Casalini N. 8. Terni (VITERBA) Romeo Truffarelli

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Vologno - F. 1. 946

Il sottoscritto Spillucci Giuseppe ex conduttore delle ferrovie dello Stato, fa viva domanda alla di lei bontà, affinché voglia prendere in considerazione di quanto segue.

Avendo tre figli prigionieri; due dei quali civili fatti il 1. 4. 1941 in Eritrea, ivi laggiù rimasti in attesa di rimpatrio, ed il terzo di nome Spillucci Franco, Caporale maggiore matricola 81/15 campo 359 P.W. E.A. Command, per il quale chiedo il rimpatrio avendone di lui estremo bisogno per un aiuto finanziario, avendo ancora due figli a carico, ed essendomi cessato un loro aiuto e trovandomi di un'età avanzata non posso far fronte agli innumerevoli fa bisogni della vita.

Anticipandole infiniti ringraziamenti.

Spillucci Giuseppe

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

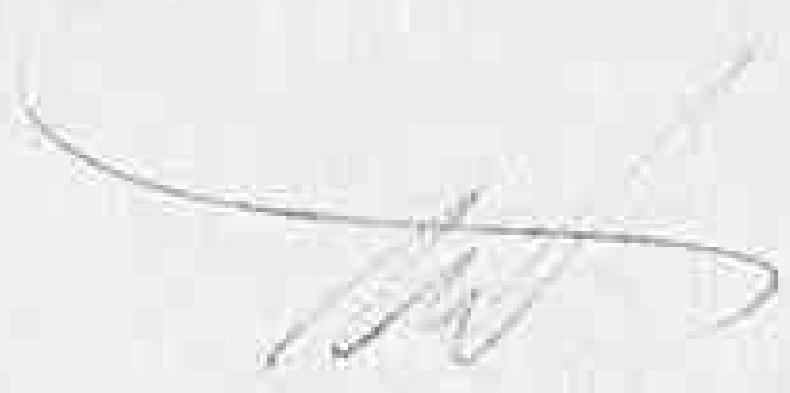
IPW/1/1/826B

23 January 1946

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW
S/Ten. GUALTIERI Gualtiero

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. It is requested that home circumstances of Subject Prisoner of War be investigated and a report forwarded to this Headquarters, please.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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1 Encl: Ignazio Gualtieri's request

C O P Y

Firenze 26 Dicembre 1945

Onore vole
ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Executive Commissioner
Liaison Division

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Confidando nella comprensione e nell'aiuto di Codesta Onorevole Commissione, ringrazia ed osequia.

/s/ Ignazio Gualtieri

Via Luigi Alamanni 23- Firenze

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Italian Prisoner of War Commission

11 JAN 1946

Log No 1890

Florence 26 December 1946

TO THE ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Executive Commissioner
Liaison Division

R O M E

2nd. Lt. GUALTIERO GUALTIERI, son of Ignazio POW No. 47245, Camp 5 Group of Myrtleford in Australia is a POW since February 1941.

Born on the 20th. of February 1917 at Florence, in Feb 1946 will be 28 years of age.

Interrupted Interrupted in his studies in 1939 because called ^{to arms} ~~to the Army~~ he could not register himself at the University in Florence as was his desire.

The father of the prisoner begs the Allied Commission to do all in their power with the British Authorities to have him repatriated. His prolonged absence will make it very difficult for him to take up his studies.

Confiding in your comprehension and aid, I thank you ,

Sgd. Ignazio Gualtieri
Via Luigi Alamanni 23
Florence

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/ 1/1/825 B

29 January 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : PW RAIMONDI Calendimaggio

TO : Allied Screening Commission - Italy

1. The attached is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.
2. May this Division be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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1 Encl : Vidale Maria Raimondi's request -

(825)

HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394.

19 December 1945

TO : HQ Allied Commission
Italian P.O.W. Section
SUBJECT : P.O.W. Reimondi Calendimaggio
FILE No.: RXII/383.6 (E)

Reference attached letter.

It would be appreciated if you could do what
you can in this case.

John Paris
Regional Commissioner.

Encl/(1)

DATE	4 DEC 1945
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INITIALS.	G. J. D.

Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission
11 JAN 1946
Log No 1891

25 Oct 45

COMUNE OF PIOVE
The Mayor

To Mrs Vidale Maria Raimondi.

The Administration is happy to give you welcome and to express our congratulations for your return to this City after your Calvary in a German Concentration Camp.

In saying this I am sure of being the interpreter of the sentiments of joy of the whole town and I wish you for the good health of yourself and family, while congratulating you on your courage and for the sacrifices you made during the clandestine period of Nazi-fascist occupation.

With cordial greetings

Sgd. The Mayor

Ranzati Umberto

6:29

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PIOVE DISACCO 12 Dec 45

TO THE REGIONAL COMMISSION GENERAL DUNLOP - PADUA.

I the undersigned Vidale Maria Raimondi, residing in Piove di Sacco (Padua) inform you as follows:

After the 8th of September 1943, there were many Allied Prisoners in this Region, who after the German invasion found themselves in a very difficult situation.

I was at the head of a Committee in my City, organized to aid them and was helped by my husband and my daughter, we gave them money, clothes etc.etc.

Two of them, George Almond No.3656734 and Ken Bowken No. 27552, we kept in our house for four months.

During the Month of January 1944, I met a certain prisoner by the name of Jack Le Roux who classified himself as being an Allied Officer and from that moment I began to collaborate for the passage of prisoners through the frontier into Switzerland.

Things were at this point when one of our presumed collaborators turned traitor and making believe to have 5 Allied prisoners to help over the border, on the evening of the 12th. March 1944, brought the prisoners to our home in PIOVE di SACCO and we furnished them as usual with food, money and bicycles to get over the border: these supposed prisoners were nothing more or less but members of the S.S. and what was worse, that night Le Roux was at my house and I presented him in his quality of an Allied Officer.

We were not arrested that night because the Germans wanted to arrest the whole chain of collaborators up to Lake Como.

In fact we were arrested on the 14th. of March 1944 with fourteen others and sent to the prison of S. Maria Maggiore at Venice, where notwithstanding eternal questioning, threats and beatings, we did not reveal the names of our collaborators of PIOVE nor did we reveal the hideout of Le Roux, whom the Germans were very anxious to capture as he was very active in the use of a clandestine Radio.

After 7 months imprisonment we were transferred to the Lager of Ravensbruck and Mhatausen in Germany where we experimented the worst treatment that the German S.S. could give.

Following this treatment the Germans of the S.S. sacked our house, our shop and our very modest distillery.

Up to the moment of my arrest I collaborated with Le Roux and refused a receipt for the expenses I had incurred, because he promised that he would intervene in behalf of my son POW in

Great Britain that he might be given better treatment than other prisoners.

Notwithstanding our economical straights (a shop closed for 17 months) I lived in hope that my sacrifice would have at least helped my boy, but when on my return, about a month ago, where I had hoped already to find him, I found out that not only he had not returned but from his letters I saw that my sacrifice had been of no avail.

I therefore ask for priority his repatriation as we are in great need of his help in re-establishing our business and also because my husband is in a very poor state of health, due to his imprisonment.

I cannot bring you the testimony of poor Le Roux because he was assassinated last year by the Cut-throats of the "Muti" who are now in prison awaiting trial, but the entire population of my City can testify for me and the prisoners I saved, as also can Padre Artero and my helpers.

Hoping that you will accord me my request I thank you sincerely

Sgd. Vitale Maria Raimondi

Herewith attached is a copy of the letter written by the Mayor on my return to my City.

My son's address is as follows:
Raimondi Calendimaggio No.122327 Camp 43- Great Britain.

COMUNE DI PIOVE DI SACCO
IL SINDACO

Li, 25 ottobre 1945

Alla Gent.ma Signora
Vidale Maria Raimondi

C I T T A'

Questa Amministrazione è assai lieta di porgerLe il benvenuto, esprimendo vivi rallegramenti per il suo rientro in questa Città, dopo il duro calvario dei campi di concentramento tedeschi.

Sicuro di interpretare il sentimento di giubilo della Cittadinanza, Le porgo i voti migliori per la salute Sua e della famiglia, conpiacendomi per il coraggio e pel sacrificio dimostrati durante il periodo della lotta clandestina contro il nazifascismo.

Con distinti saluti

IL SINDACO
RANZATO UMBERTO

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Rome 22nd November 1945

Ministry of Post War Assistance
POW Bureau - II Division

TO: The Allied Commission
Sub Commission for Italian POW
ROME

Prot. N. 2163

SUBJECT: Capt. PUCCI Federico.

Reference your letter IPW/1/767 B dated
24/10/45.

Capt. Pucci Federico's name has been included
on a list for requests for repatriation, forwarded to your
Sub Commission with letter n. 52700/1/6.2.b dated 30/9/45,
from this Ministry.

Dott. Fazio Nitti.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 384
Received 23 NOV 1945
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Roma 2 NOV 1945

Ministero dell'Industria e del Commercio

- Servizio Prig. di Guerra Div. 2^a - la COMMISSIONE
 ALLEATA - Sottocommissione per i Pdg.

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Let. N° 2163

Allegati

R O M A

Risposta al p. N°

At

OGGETTO: Capit. PUCCI Federico.-

Riferimento foglio IPW/1/1/767 B del
 24/10/45.

Il Capitano PUCCI Federico è stato incluso nella lista di prigionieri di guerra, per i quali si è richiesto il rimpatrio, trasmessa a codesta Commissione con foglio n° 52700/I/C.2.b del 30/9/45.-

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
 (Dr. Fausto Nitti)

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISS ON A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/823 B

17 January 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian Prisoner of War
TORRICINI Osvaldo

TO : Signora Ada TORRICINI
Copertino (Lecce)

Reference your letter dated 21 December 45

1. POW'S are not being repatriated as individuals under current policies. However it is expected that all POW'S will be repatriated in the very near future.

H. ARMANDO G. MARI
Capt., 1st Co., Regt. 1st

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

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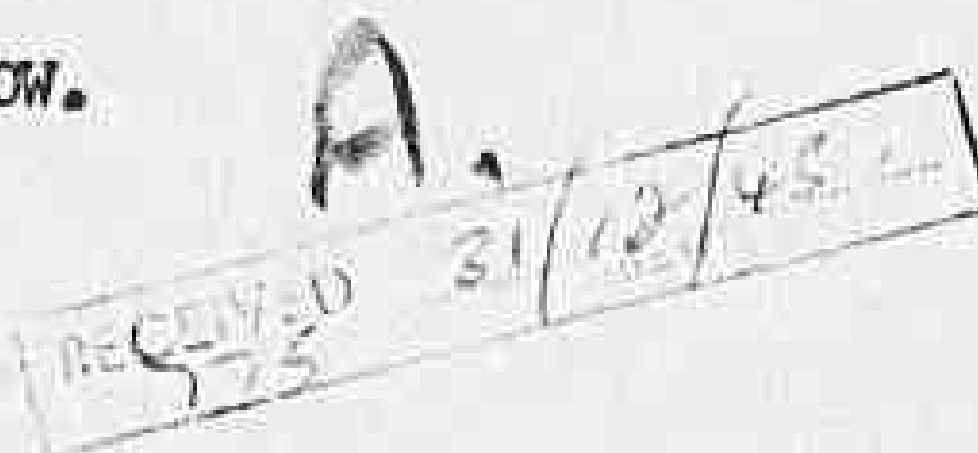
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AG 383.6/300 A-0

28 December 1945

SUBJECT: Correspondence Pertaining to POW.

TO: Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
APO 394
FOR: (MMIA)



1. The attached correspondence is forwarded for your information and necessary action.

2. POW'S are not being repatriated as individuals under current policies. However it is expected that all POW'S will be repatriated in the near future.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL RIDGWAY:

PAUL J. SULLIVAN
Captain, Infantry
Acting Asst Adjutant General

29 DEC 1945

2 Incl:

1. AM Hq Italian Prisoners of War Section, Caserta, dtd 21 Dec 45.
2. Translation

Italian Prisoners of War Section

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DATE 14 DEC 1946

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TRANSLATION

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(823)

To : Allied Forces Headquarters.
Italian Prisoner of War Section. Caserta.

On 12 November, I appealed to your Command asking to be informed as to what procedure to follow in order to obtain the repatriation of the prisoner of War, Warrant Officer Osvaldo Torricini presently in the U.S.A. I also specified the reasons for my request.

Up to date I have not received any reply. I beg you to grant my request for information.

s/. Ada Torricini Dec

Address : Copertino (Lecce Prov.)

Copertino 21 December 1945.

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ALLIED MILITARY HEADQUARTERS
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SECTION
CASERTA

(823)

In data 12 novembre scorso ho scritto a codesto ufficio domandando il rimpatrio del prigioniero War. TORRICINI Osvaldo, attualmente negli Stati Uniti d'America, specificandone i motivi e chiedendo quali certificati occorressero.

Poichè sino a tutt'oggi non ho avuto nessuna risposta, prego volermi dare un riscontro.

Ad. TORRICINI IEO
Ad. Torricini IEO
(Lecce) COPERTINO

Copertino, 21 dicembre 1945

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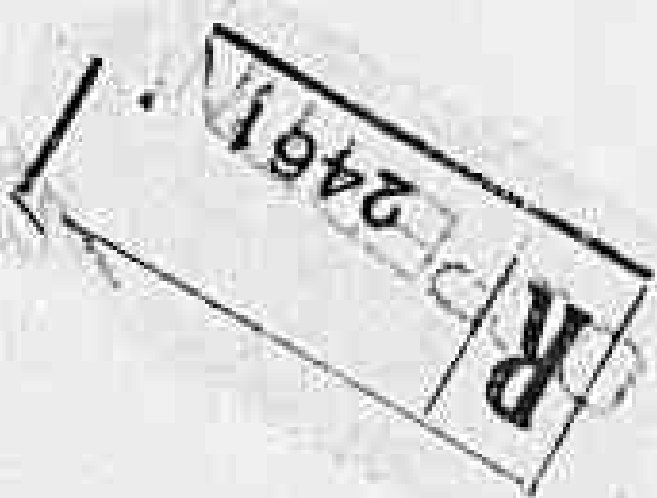
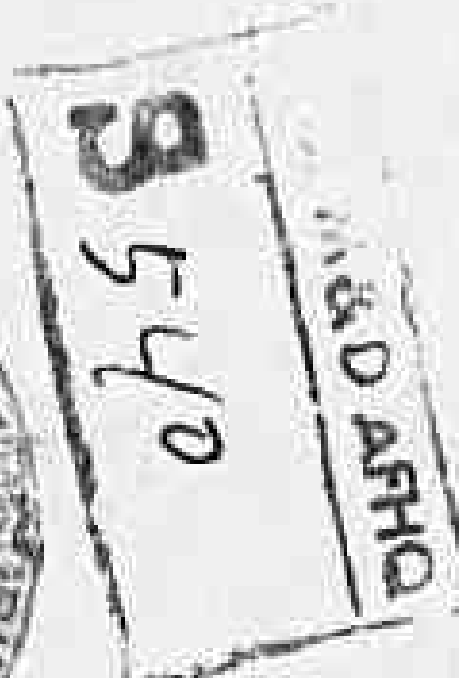




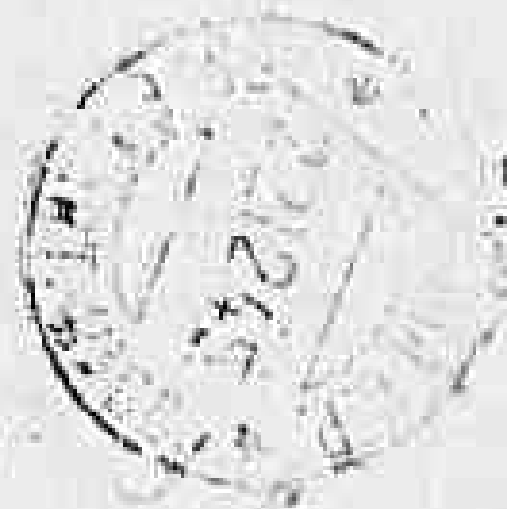
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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SECTION

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Adm Torricini Leo - Coperti (ecce)



LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSI A.O.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/822 B

17 January 1946

SUBJECT : Enquiry re Admiral, VIETINA Massimiliano

TO : Headquarters., A.C. Navy Sub-Commission

Reference your letter N.S.C./4178 dated
6th Dec. 1945.

1. Prisoner of War No. 160828 Admiral VIETINA Mas
similiano, was repatriated on 26.11.1945.

H. ARMAND GO MAFI.

Lieut. Colonel, I.P.W. Div.

JAMES E. REGIS

Lieut. Colonel

Chief

- I.P.W. Div.

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No. 18507/()/P.W.I.B.,
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, INDIA,
Prisoners of War Information Bureau,
Simla, the 2 January 1946.

To
The Chief Commissioner,
Italian Prisoners of War Division,
Civil Affairs Section,
Headquarters Allied Commission,
APO 394 (Italy).

Reference your letter No. IPW/1/1/805 B, dated the 18th
December 1945.

2) P.W. No. 160828 Admiral VLETINA Massimiliano, was repatriated
on 26.11.1945.



Sturheim
Controller,
Major (P.W.I.B.).
DATE: 12/1/46
INITIALS: R15

(821B)

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

IPW/ 1/1/821 B

27 January 1946

(date)

SUBJECT : Lt.Dr.TESONE UgoTO : General Headquarters-Central Mediterranean Forces

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

2. May this Sub-Commission be informed,
please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

1 Encl.: Translation copy from N.P.W.A.

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
Military Section

n° 13379 di Prot.

Rome 1st Jan 1946

TO: the Allied Commission

R O M E

SUBJECT :Lieut. Dr. TESONE Ugo, POW No 357054 -
Request for repatriation.

You are requested to consider the possibility of having
Lt. Dr. Ugo TESONE PW No 357054 camp 308 Egypt, accompany sick re_
patriating Italian Prisoner of War.

s: For the Gen. Dapino

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Copy of Post War Agreement
HIGH COMMISSIONER ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR
Military Section
N° I3379 al Prot.

Rome 1st JAN 1946

TO: The Allied Commission

R O M E

SUBJECT: Lieut. Dr. Tezone Ugo, POW no 357054 = Request for Repatriation.

Reference your letter IPW/I/I/326 dated 5th of November 1944 and following our letter N° 500 Segr. Part. dated the 1st of November 1944.

Will you please examine again, the possibility of allowing POW Lieut. Dr. TEZONE Ugo N° 357054, Camp 308 Egypt, to accompany the sick POW, who are to be repatriated to Italy.

/s/ FOR THE GEN. D. PINO

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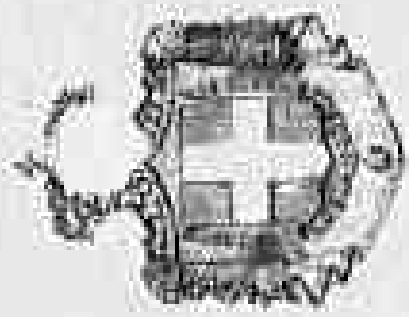
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DATE	9 JAN 1946
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War Materials Disposal and
Italian Prisoners of War Sub Commission
HQ AC WFO 394 JUN 8 1945
Received
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*L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra*

Roma, 1 - 1 - 45

= Ufficio Militare =

N. 13379 di prot.

OGGETTO: P.d.G. Ten.medico TESONE Ugo, matr. 357054. Richiesta di rimpatrio.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE P.D.G.

R O M A

Riferimento alla lettera IPW/1/1/326 in data 5 novembre 1944 a seguito della lettera n.568 Segr. Part. in data 1 novembre 1944 di questo Alto Commissariato.

Si prega di voler nuovamente interessare le Superiori Autorità competenti, perchè sia esaminata benevolmente la possibilità che il P.d.G. Ten.medico TESONE Ugo, matr.357054, Campo 308, Egitto, sia destinato in accompagnamento di P.d.G. annalati che debbono rimpatriare.

P.L'ALTO COMMISSARIO
IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE
(Generale Vincenzo Lapino)

Officio

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE P.D.G.

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IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE
(Generale Vincenzo Capino)

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISS IN A.C.
M.N.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IP#1/1/820 B

17 January 1946

SUBJECT : Release of Italian Prisoner of War
S./Ten. BIAGIOTTI Tullio

TO : the British Embassy - Rome
Military Liaison Office

Reference your letter 164/206/45 dated 15 Oct 45

1. GHQ., India state that there are no security objections to the release of the above named Prisoner of War and arrangements are being made for his return to Italy as soon as shipping becomes available.

H. ARNOLD COLLEGE
CANTON, N.Y. 13045

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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J.P. (820)

SUBJECT :- Repatriation of Italian PW.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Division.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

3897/A2.

7 Jan 46.

135946 S/Ten. BIAGIOTTI, Tullio.

Reference your IPW/1/1/785B of 29 Oct 45 and our even number of 8 Nov 45.

2) GHD., INDIA state that there are no security objections to the release of the above named PW and arrangements are being made for his return to ITALY as soon as shipping becomes available.

GHD/DDKT.

J. P. Davis S/Capt
Major General,
DAC.

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Allied Commission

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M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/819 B

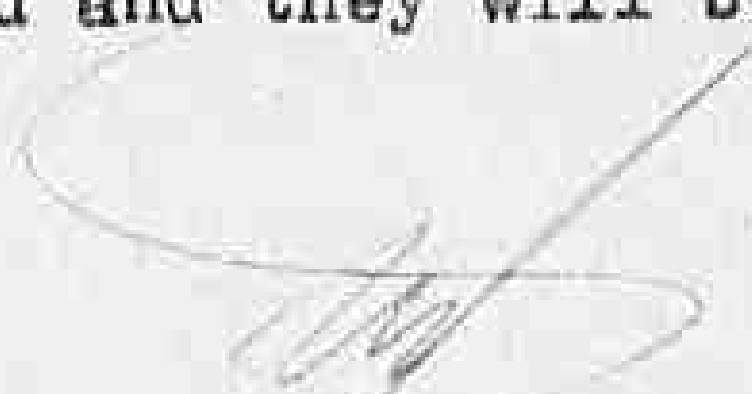
7 January 1946

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian PWs
2nd Lt. MOLLA or MOLLIKA Rodolfo,
Sold. MONTANARO Angelo

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter (1/1/800) N° 4062/C 12
dated 6th November 1945.

1. This office has been informed that the repatriation
of the a/m P.W.s is agreed and they will be despatched to I-
taly in the near future.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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Subject:- Repatriation - Italian PW.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
MIDDLE EAST FORCE
9699/1/AG5(a)

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Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub Commission).

18 Dec. '45.

Reference your IPW/1/1/800 B dated 29 Nov. '45
requesting the repatriation of

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2nd Lt. MOLLICA, Rodolfo.
Sold. MONTANARO, Angelo.

The repatriation of these PW is agreed and they will be
despatched to Italy in the near future.

(Sgd.) B. J. Goodenough

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission

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Maj-Gen,

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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/818 B

7 January 1946

SUBJECT : Brother Alfonso Weckenmann

TO : Headquarters, A.C.
Office of the Executive Commissioner
Liaison Division

Reference your letter 505/WE/EC(L) dated 15 Dec 45

1. You are requested to reply to the Personal Representative of the President of the United States to His Holiness and inform him that the request for the release of Brother Weckenmann has been approved and the necessary instructions are being issued for his return to the "Collegio S. Giuseppe" of the Brothers of the Christian Schools in Rome.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.6-31

24 December 1945

SUBJECT: Brother Alfonso Weckenmann

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394

1. Reference is made to your IPW/1/1/816 of 21 December 1945, and all previous correspondence relative to basic communication, your IPW/1/1/653B of 8 August 1945.

2. You are requested to reply to the Personal Representative of the President of the United States to His Holiness and inform him that the request for the release of Brother Weckenmann has been approved and the necessary instructions are being issued for his return to the "Collegio S. Guiseppe" of the Brothers of the Christian Schools in Rome.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. Hamblen Col
A. L. HAMBLEN,
Brigadier General, GSC,
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

27 DEC 1945

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission

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

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IPW/1/1/817 B

29 December 1945

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian P.W.

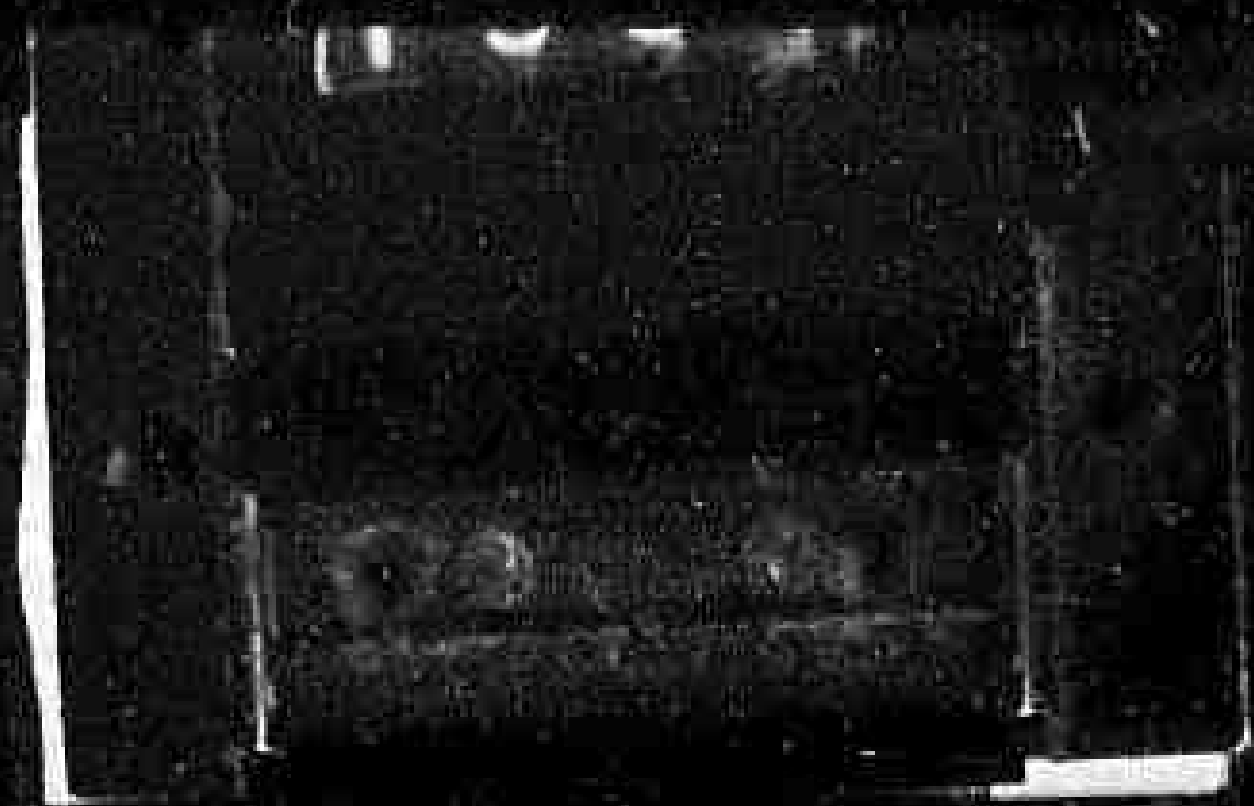
TO : HQ., G.R. and E (Gen Med)-Florence.

Reference your letter HQGR/8/174 dated 18 Dec 45

1. On instructions received from the War Office the repatriation of Italian PW will not be authorized as a reward for services rendered by their close relatives in Italy to the Allied Cause.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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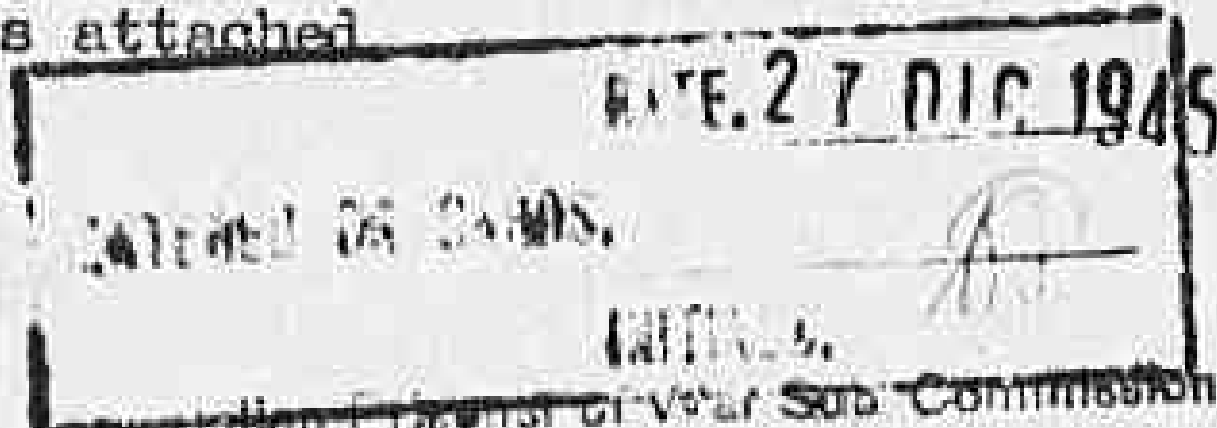
Subject : Repatriation of Italian P.W.

HQ.G.R & E(Cen Med).
Florence.
Tel :- Florence 1507
HQGR/8/174
18 Dec'45.

To :- The Italian P.W. Sub Commission,
c/o HQ.Allied Commission,
Via Villorio Veneto, ROME.

Copy to :- No1Sec.Allied Screening Commission, Firenze.

1. The original copy of an application for the return of her P.W. son, made by GIULIA DI SILVIO is forwarded for your consideration please. (conversation O i/o No.1 Section, A.S.C. - Col.A.B.Lawson on 18 Dec'45 refers).
2. This application is mostly strongly recommended as a small return for the assistance given, firstly to escaped British and Australian P.W. as listed on the prescribed form passed to Allied Screening Commission, and secondly to the Graves Registration Service in connection with information leading to discovery of missing graves of ex P.W.
3. The circumstances of the case and the good faith of the party concerned are known personally to the undersigned. The return of this lady's son from his P.W. camp in Egypt would in a small measure, show that the family's effort in aid of the British were appreciated and it is sincerely hoped that his return to his sick mother will be allowed.
4. The doctor's certificate in connection with her pending operation is attached



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A.B. Lawson

A.B. LAWSON Colonel.
D.D. G.R & E.
GR Central Mediterranean.

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N.1 Section
Allied Screening Commission
Firenze

Rispettabile Commissione

Durante il periodo della guerra partigiana, mi trovavo sfollato con la mia famiglia a Carpinelli. In questa località di passaggio per il fronte, ho avuto modo di ospitare alcuni prigionieri Inglesi ai quali mio figlio Mario partigiano della classe 1924, facilitò il passaggio della linea accompagnandoli per le strade dei boschi.

Dichiaro tutto questo messo non dal desiderio di ricevere qualche ricompensa materiale, ma solo un po' di comprensione per il cuore di una madre.

Ho un figlio, Enrico Di Silvio Sotto
tenente prigioniero di guerra N° 344243
Campo N° 304 - Egitto, e sinis ad oggi
ho atteso invano il suo ritorno.

Io sono da molti anni ammalata
di fegato ed ormai la mia salute
è così peggiorata che solo in seguito
ad un operazione potrei sperare in
un miglioramento.

Non ho però il coraggio di affrontare
un tale pericolo senza prima aver
potuto rivedere mio figlio.

Prego quindi i componenti di questa
commissione di voler esaudire questo
mio desiderio appoggiando il
rimpatric del mio figliuolo.

Questo io chiedo in ricompensa

di quello che ho potuto fare e
come io non ho avuto esitazione
per cercare di portar aiuto a dei
Soldati alleati, spero che anche
Voi saprete venirmi incontro e
farvi un po' di bene.

Sono certa che Voi accoglierete
la mia richiesta ed anticipa-
tamente ringrazio per tutto quello
che potrete fare per essermi.

Meyni

Gutha Di Liro

Saluta Lester Spallautani &

Lo Spetina

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Dr. Giovanni Maria
MEDICO - CHIRURGO
FONTO MAGRA
(no Spazio)

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Dr. Silvio Pinelli. Affetto S.
calcolosi epatica f. binguo S.
mentis in epistole per l'intervento
operatorio



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Giuseppe Pisan

Ms. militare

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No. 1 section.
Allied Screening Commission.
Florence.

During the Partisan War I was with my family in CARPINELLI. Here I gave hospitality to some english prisoners, who were going to the front line; my son Mario, partisan of the class 1924, made easy for them the passage through the enemy's line, showing them into the paths of the woods.

I am not telling this in order to gain some recompense, but only the comprehension of a mother's heart.

I have a son, Enrico di Silvio, sublieutenant prisoner of War No. 374243, Camp No. 304, Egypt, and until now I waited vainly for his coming back.

I am since many years ill with liver and my health is getting worse every day so that I can believe in a recovery only with an operation. But I have not the courage to face such a danger without seeing before my son. I pray therefore you, members of this Commission to allow my wish, bringing aid for my son's repatriation.

I ask for this in recompense for what I did and as I had any hesitation in helping Allied soldiers, I hope that you too will help me and do me good.

I am secure that you will accept my request and I thank you before-hand for everything you can do in order to assent my wish.

My best regards

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Giulia Di Silvio
Salita Lazzaro Spallanzani 8
La Spezia.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 304
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

JER/tb

REF 1/1/816 B

21 December 1945

Subject: Repatriation of Lt. GARDASOLI Luigi.

To: 1. G-1 (B)
CHQ. C.A.P.

- 1/. His Excellency the British Ambassador forwarded the attached copy of letter received by him through the Papal Assistance Commission (P.A.A.C.) recommending the case as a deserving one and expressing his gratefulness for anything that may be done to facilitate Lt. GARDASOLI's repatriation from India.
- 2/. Please advise me of any action that you may deem to take.

J.S. REGIS, Lt.Col.
Chief
IPW Division

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED ORIENTATION
APO 304
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

JER/tb

IPW 1/1/816 C

21 December 1945

TO : Office of British Political Advisor.
(Attn: R. Halford)

Dear Aubrey:

the desire of H.E. the British Ambassador for the speedy repatriation from India of Lt. Luigi CARDARELLI has been forwarded to G-1 (S) CHQ with my recommendation that the a/r IPW may be repatriated as soon as possible.

Taking this opportunity to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Yours

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J.M. REGIS, Lt. Col.
Chief
IPW Division

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Office of British
Political AdviserItalian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission

I enclose in original a letter addressed to the British Ambassador under cover of a letter from the Papal Assistance Commission (O.N.A.A.M.C.) who recommended the case as a deserving one.

2. The Ambassador would be grateful if you could do anything to facilitate Lieut. Luigi Cardarelli's repatriation from India.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission

HQ AC APO 384

Received

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October 30th, 1945

To His Excellency the British Ambassador

R O M E

I beg to excuse the liberty I am taking in addressing myself directly to you in order to ask you to kindly examine the following case :

I am the mother of the sublieutnant CARDARELLI Luigi, prisoner of war of the British Army, in India, since 1942, in the Camp n° 4/10 matricula n° 342786.-

My husband, colonel CARDARELLI Umberto, has been interned in Germany and brought back, with an hospital train in very bad conditions of health, due to the inhuman ill-treatment he suffered by the Germans and completely unable to work. Owing to all the suffering and anxiousness, I had to bear, I too am seriously ill with a very bad heart-disease and a nervous breakdown.

Owing to these particular conditions of my family and not having other sons or relatives who could help us, I appeal to Your Excellency to help me in getting back my only son, as soon as possible.-

May I add that my son was one of the first to collaborate with the British Army and to volunteer for fighting against the Germans and the Japanese. Owing to his precedents, he has been included in the list of those, who should have been repatriated immediately, but unfortunately those repatriations have been ultimately suspended.-

My son's return at home would bring not only great comfort to his sick and suffering parents, but give them also moral and material assistance in this difficult moment.-

Again please, excuse my taking the liberty of addressing myself to you, but I think it is the only way to obtain what I so ardently wish and I confide that, with your powerful intervention, you will certainly help me to get my son back.

With the senses of my greatest respect and thanking you most sincerely, I am

yours,

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yours,

Eleanora Cardarelli

(ELEONORA CAMILLA CARDARELLI)
Via Morghen n° 24, p. 1°
Torino.-

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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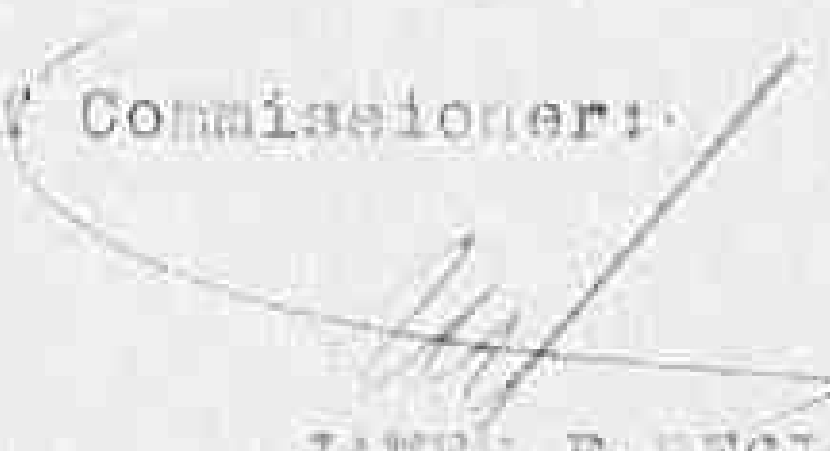
SUBJECT : Release of Brother Alfonso WECKENMANNTO : Allied Force Headquarters
G-5 Section

Reference your letter G-5: 383.6- 31 dated
25 Oct 45 and following this office's letter
IPW/1/1/797 B dated 15 Nov. 45

1. Attached is the reply from the Italian Authorities received by this Office through Liaison Division-A.C.

2. It will be appreciated if this office will be advised of the nature of the reply to be made to the Personal Representative of the President of the U.S.A. to His Holiness, who previously sent the request for release of Brother Weckenmann.

For the Chief Commissioner:


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

6399

1 Encl: Memorandum

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Executive Commissioner
LIAISON DIVISION
APO 394

Ref: 505/WE/EC(L)

15 December 1945

SUBJECT: Release of Brother Alfonso Weckenmann

TO : Civil Affairs Section - Italian Prisoners of War Division
Attn: Lt. Col. James E. Regis

1. As per your request (letter IPW/1/1/786B of 26 Oct.45) attached herewith is copy of memorandum from the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2. It will be appreciated if this office will be advised of the nature of the reply to be made to the Personal Representative of the President of the U.S.A. to His Holiness, who previously sent the request for release of Brother Weckenmann.

Victor L. ODDI
VICTOR L. ODDI
Captain, CAV
Officer-in-Charge

Encl: Memo No. 6/506/3209 of 12 Dec 45

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION

SUBJECT : Release of Brother Alfonso WECKENMANN.

1. Reference is made to the Allied Commission's note 505/WE/EC(L) dated 31st October 1945.

2. The Ministry for Foreign Affairs beg to inform that the Italian Government agree to the release from internment of Brother Alfonso WECKENMANN and (with particular reference to para 3 of a/m note) to his return to the "Collegio S. Giuseppe" of the brothers of the Christian Schools in Rome.

Rome, Decembre 12th, 1945.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ref: 8266/112/23

2 November 1945

SUBJECT: 2nd Lt. Giuseppe Scarpone

TO : Civil Affairs Section (for IPW Subcommittee)

1. Reference letter 50499/10477.4/19.5 of 25 October 1945 from the Council of Ministers on the above subject.

2. Please find attached copy of minute from the Chief Commissioner's Office, and act accordingly.

B. Sampson

Chief Staff Officer
to Executive Commissioner

Incl: 1

① France New references.

② Wright cases with help - procedure.

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LWS/hjp/rg

Office of the Chief Commissioner

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C O P Y

30 October 1945

TO: CSO to Ex Comm, Hq AC

Please ensure that this case is properly followed. This office should be kept informed as to what action can be taken to secure Scapparone's return.

/s/ L. W. STEARNS
L. W. STEARNS
Lt. Col., AGO
Staff Officer to CS

1 Incl:
Ltr fr Presidency of Council
of Ministers, 50499/10477.4/19.5
25 Oct 45

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

IPW/1/1 /814 B

27 December 1945

(date)

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian PW - Lt.TINI Luigi

TO : HQ,A.M.G. Lombardia Region- Regional Public Safety
Office

Reference your letter PS/11.2 dated 9 Nov 45

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

For the Chief Commissioner:



JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

2 Encls : Translation copy of letter from M.P.W. 639 :
1 Document

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11 December 1945

MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE

Serv. Prigionieri di Guerra

Sez. I^a - Div. II^a

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Prot. No. 63187 Allegati 1.

TO: ALLIED COMMISSION

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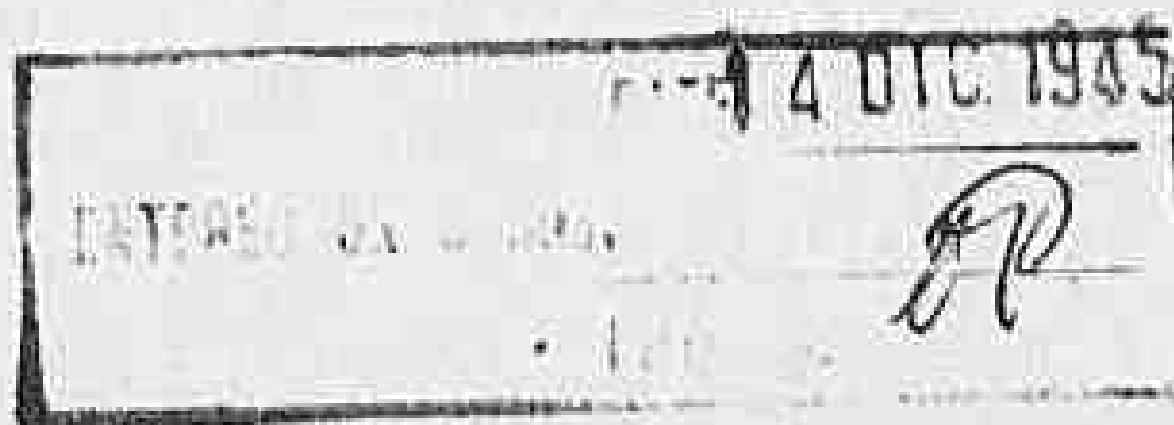
SUBJECT: Repatriation of PW, 1st. Lt. TINI Luigi.

Reference your letter IPW/1/1/801 B. dtd 29 Nov 45.

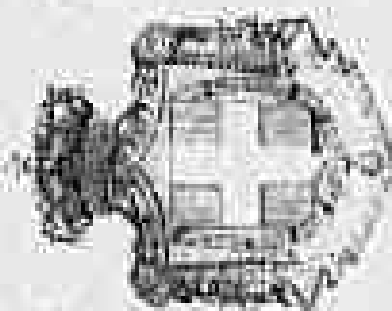
In returning the attached documents regarding the
PFW in question, we inform you that the Case is not sufficiently
Compassionate to warrant his repatriation.

Sgd. Col. Eraldo Pallotta

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Italian Prisoner of War ~~Sub~~ Commission
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Ministero dell'Assistenza Sociale
Servizio Prigionieri di Guerra
- Divisione II^a -

Dir. I^a

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Roma, 9 Dicembre

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ALLA COMMISSIONE ARREATA

ROMA

Risposta al Foglio N. 2 del

OGGETTO: Rimpatrio prigioniero di guerra
Gen. ENRI LUIGI -

REF. N.° IPW/I/I/801 B del 29/II/45.

Comunicasi che il caso riguardante il prigioniero di guerra in oggetto non è sufficientemente pietoso, e quindi il suo nominativo non può essere incluso nella lista dei "uomini pietosi".

Si trasmette la corrispondenza relativa allo stesso.

P. IL NARO SERVIZIO S. I. S.
(Col. Enrico Pallotta)

Enrico Pallotta

MEL/zm

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HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

TO : HQ. Allied Commission
Italian P.O.W. Section
SUBJECT : P.O.W. Andretta Giuseppe
FILE NO : RXII/383-6 (E)

11 Dec 45

Reference attached letter.

It would be appreciated if you could do what you
can in this case.

Eugene Lawrence
Regional Commissioner *To Acc.*

Encl.(3)

Documents sent directly to Mr. P. A.

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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/812 C

29 December 1945

SUBJECT : Repatriation of S/Ten. DI BENEDETTO Antonio

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter N.19165/1/C.2 B dated
5 April 45

1. Headquarters, East Africa Command state that
the above named PW will leave East Africa in the near
future for special employment in Italy.

2. Departure from East Africa will be advised by
signal.

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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

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IPW/1/1/812 B

28 December 1945

SUBJECT : Release - Italian PW.
32521 CALZAVARRA, Alessandro
27174 TORRONI, Gregorio

TO : Allied Screening Commission - Italy

Reference your letter ASC-6/C/5-3/1/3SS/MB/5
dated 5 June 45

1. Headquarters, East Africa Command state that the
above named PW will leave East Africa in the near future for
special employment in Italy.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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SUBJECT:- Release - Italian PW.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
IPW Division.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

3855/A2.

27 Nov 45.

62552 S/Ten. D. BENEDETTO, Antonio
32521 CALZAVARA, Alessandro. — 1/3
27174 TORRONT, Gregorio. — 1/1

1. Reference our G1(Br)/3855/9/A2 of 2 June 45 and G1(Br)/3891/A2 dated 25 June 45. → 1/1/621
2. Headquarters, East Africa Command state that the above named PW will leave EAST AFRICA in the near future for special employment in ITALY.
3. Departure from EAST AFRICA will be advised by signal.

GHD/DDNF.

[Signature]
Major General,
DAG.

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DATE: DEC 1 - 1945
CARD ACTION AND RETURN
FOR FILE TO
H. ARMAND de MASI
Capt. Spec Res. AUS

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SUBJECT : Release - Italian PW.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Division

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

3855/A2

27 Nov 45.

62552	S/Ten. D. BENEDETTO, Antonio
32521	CALZAVARRA, Alessandro
27174	TORRONI, Gregorio

1. Reference our G1(Br)/3855/9/A2 of 2 June 45 and G1(Br)/3891/A2 dated 25 June 45.
2. Headquarters, East Africa Command state that the above named PW will leave East Africa in the near future for special employment in Italy.
3. Departure from East Africa will be advised by signal.

Major General,
DAG.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SAVONA PROVINCE

A. P. O. 394

Savona, 20th November 1945

REF: *LIC/DAV/EX/8/13*

To: Displaced Persons Sub-Commission
Headquarters Allied Commission
R O M E.

(Through Region)

Subject: Repatriation of P. o W.

1. Enclosed please find documents regarding the Prisoner of War BADANO BERNARDO, for whom repatriation is being requested by his mother.

John A. Van Eerde
John A. Van Eerde
1st. Lt. N.M.B.
Executive Officer.

Enclosures: 3

*Documents sent
directly to M.P.W. A
no action is therefore required*

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)
CMF

30th November 1945
ASC/5-4/PAH/GP/2

Subject: Dr. MANCINI LIVIO

To: W.M.D. and I.P.W. Subcommittee
A.C. H.Q.

R O M A

- 1) This is to introduce Dr MANCINI Livio who gave valuable assistance to escaped Allied POWs during the Nazi-Fascist occupation in the area of LATERA (Prov. Viterbo).
- 2) We understand that he made an application for the repatriation of his brother in law Ten. SERAFINI Armando, No. 32486 born on July 7, 1914 at ORVIETO (Terni) captured on December 11, 1940 at BUG-BUG (Sid-El-Barani) and at present POW bearing the number 12364 held at POW Camp 26, WING 4, E/O.G.-P.O. in India.
- 3) Any consideration you can give to his case will be much appreciated by this Commission.

P. A. HEWITT - Captain
FORESTERS
Allied Screening Commission (Italy)

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission

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TEL. NO. VALJEAN 44.Comuscent,
211 P.W. Camp, Clif.XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXSubject: Release of Italian PW.

1. The undermentioned Italian PW is/are to be released under authority of GHA letter 3891/5/A2 dated 30 Nov 45.

2. They should be despatched to ITALY as soon as possible and the appropriate casualties and documents sent to this HQ.

3. Any Personal Effects held at this HQ will be forwarded automatically within the next few days.

PW Number

NA/T. 37562

TURCHI, T. - 211 P.W. Camp.

Name

W. C. T.

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appropriate casualties and documents sent

3. Any Personal Effects held at this HQ will be forwarded automatically within the next few days.

Name

TURCHI, T. - 211 P.W. Camp.

PW Number

NA/T. 37562

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Brigadier,
G.H.Q.,
2nd Echelon.

Copy to: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ A2, G.H.Q., G.H.F.

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Medical Branch, G.H.Q., G.H.F.

HQ, BTHA (Please arrange movement of the above-named PW and advise LTA Italy to G.H.Q., repeated HQ, Allied

Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.

Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.

HQ, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission,
Officer in Charge Accounts Office, C.I.

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

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18 December 1945

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW
POMELLA Franco

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter Prot. N. 36530 dated
29 Nov 45

1. As you have already been advised- on instructions received from the War Office London, the repatriation of Italian PW will not be authorized as a reward for services rendered by their close relatives in Italy to the Allied Cause.

2. Accordingly the repatriation of the a/m PW is not authorized.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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Ministry of Post War Assistance
Serv. Prisoners of War - Div. 2^a
Sect. I^a
Off. 1^o
Prot. N° 36530 - Enclosure : One

Rome, 29 November 1945

To the Allied Commission
POW Sub-Commission
R O M E

Subject : 2nd. Lt. POMELLA Franco.

1°. The repatriation of the officer in question (POW POMELLA Franco, N°411652 C/O G.H.Q. 02E M.E.F.) was requested on list N° 52700 Dated 30th. September 1945, as a surgical assistant at the hospital "Maggiore CARITA" Novara.

2°. It results at the Ministry from a letter from the A.S.C. N° ASC-5-4/PAH/IP/4 dated 26th. November 1945, that the family of Pomella aided and housed, with a great deal of personal risk, numerous Allies during the nazist reprisals.

3°. In consideration of above we beg your S/C to give the officer in question a priority in repatriation in relation to others of the same category.

4°. Herewith attached is a copy of the letter received from the Allied Screening Commission.

Signed
Dr. Fausto Nitti.

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URGENTE

29 Novembre 1945

Ministro dell'Assistenza Popolare
Servizio Prig. di Guerra - Div. 1.

Se. 1°

UFF. 1°

Int. N.º 35530 Allegato uno

ALLA COMMISSIONE AULICA
Sottocommissione per i prig.

R O M A

Risposta al Foglio N.º del
Sottotenente POMELLA Franco.

OGGETTO

- 1º) - Il sottotenente POMELLA Franco, prigioniero di guerra n.º 411652 C/o C.H.Q. 028 M.E.P. (Medio Oriente), è stato segnalato per il rimpatrio a codesta sottocommissione con la lista n.º 52700 del 30 settembre c.a. perchè imminente in qualità di aiuto chirurgo presso l'Ospedale Maggiore CARITA' di Novara.
- 2º) - Risulta a questo Servizio, ed è peraltro confermato dall'Allied Screening Commission con foglio ASC-5-4/PAH/IV/4 in data 26 novembre a.3., che 1 famiglia del tenente POMELLA hanno prestato aiuto ed ospitalità, con grave rischio personale, a numerosi militari alleati, sottraendoli alla cattura ed alle rappresaglie naziste.
- 3º) - In considerazione di tale particolare benevolenza acquistata dai lui familiari, si prega codesta sottocommissione di volersi cortesemente interessare, se possibile, perchè il rimpatrio del sottotenente POMELLA sia anticipato rispetto a quello degli altri prigionieri assegnati alla sua stessa categoria.

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- 1°) - Il sottotenente POMELLA Franco, prigioniero di guerra n° 411652 C/o G.H.Q. 021 M.E.P. (Medio Oriente), è stato segnalato per il rimpatrio a oddesta sottocommissione con la lista n° 52700 del 30 settembre 0.2. perchè impiegato in qualità di aiuto chirurgo presso l'Ospedale Maggiore CARITA' di Novara.
- 2°) - Risulta a questo Servizio, ed è peraltro confermato dall'Allied Screening Commission con foglio ASC-5-4/PAH/TP/4 in data 26 novembre U.S., che i familiari del detenuto POMELLA hanno prestato aiuto ed ospitalità, con grave rischio personale, a numerosi militari alleati, sottraendoli alla cattura ed alle rappresaglie naziste.
- 3°) - In considerazione di tale particolare benemerita acquistata dai di lui familiari, si prega codesta Sottocommissione di volersi cortesemente interessare, se possibile, perchè il rimpatrio del sottotenente POMELLA sia anticipato rispetto a quello degli altri prigionieri assegnati alla sua stessa categoria.
- 4°) - Si allega copia della lettera pervenuta dall'Allied Screening Commission.

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dr. Fausto Nitti)



C O P Y

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)
C.M.F.

26 November 1945

ASC-5-4/PAH/IP/4

Subject: SACCO-LORENZINI Pinuccia.

To : The H.C. for It. POW
(Attention Col. Pallotta)

This Commission confirms the fact that the person in question assisted many Allied POW during the German occupation of the region of S. Giorgio Pombia (NOVARA)

Miss SACCO-LORENZINI desires the repatriation of her fiancée who is in Egypt, 2nd; Lt. Pomella Franco (Dr.) GHQ 02E MEF born 27th. March 1907 at Galliate (Novara) captured in Tunisia in 1942.

We beg you to take into consideration, when examining the question of this repatriation, the grave risks that Miss Sacco-Lorenzini ran in helping the common cause.

We would greatly appreciate at this Commission any favour done on behalf of the lady in question and beg you to inform us of any action taken.

Signed

P.A. HEWITT
Captain Foresters
A.S.C. Italy.

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C O P I A

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)
C M F

26 Novembre 45
ASC-5-4/PAH/IE/4

Oggetto: SACCO-LORENZINI Pinuccia.

All'Alto Commissariato per i
Prigionieri di Guerra
Corso Vittorio Emanuele 110
Roma.

(Alla gentile attenzione del Col. FAILOTTA.)

Questa Commissione ha il piacere di confermare che la persona di cui in oggetto ha validamente assistito molti prigionieri di guerra alleati durante l'occupazione tedesca della zona di S.Giorgio Pombia (NOVARA).

La Sig.ra SACCO-LORENZINI desidererebbe che il fidanzato, ex Prigioniero di guerra italiano che si trova ora in Egitto, venisse rimpatriato. Si tratta del Sottotenente Medico LELLA Franco - GHQ. - 02E. - MER, nato il 27 marzo 1907 a Galliate (Novara) e catturato nel 1942 in Tunisia.

Nel prendere in esame la richiesta in questione, la preghiamo di tener conto dei gravi rischi corsi dalla Sig.ra SACCO-LORENZINI e delle penose conseguenze a cui ella e la sua famiglia si sono esposte per aiutare la causa comune.

Questa Commissione ha il piacere di confermare che la persona di cui in oggetto ha validamente assistito molti prigionieri di guerra alleati durante l'occupazione tedesca della zona di S.Giorgio Pombia (NOVARA).

La Sig.na SACCO-LORENZINI desidererebbe che il fidanzato, ex Prigioniero di guerra italiano che si trova ora in Egitto, venisse rimpatriato. Si tratta del Sottotenente Medico POIELLA Franco - GHQ. - 02E. - MET, nato il 27 marzo 1906 a Galliate (Novara) e catturato nel 1942 in Tunisia.

Nel prendere in esame la richiesta in questione, la preghiamo di tener conto dei gravi rischi corsi dalla Sig.na SACCO-LORENZINI e delle penose conseguenze a cui ella e la sua famiglia si sono esposte per aiutare la causa comune.

Ogni provvedimento che potrà essere adottato a favore del Sottotenente POIELLA sarà apprezzato dalla stessa Commissione, e preghiamo volerci informare della decisione che verrà adottata al riguardo.-

T/to

P.A. HEWITT - Captain

FORESTERS

Allied Screening Commission
(Italy)



C. S.

Carlo Puccinelli

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

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18 December 1945

SUBJECT : Repatriation of General Bergonzoli

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter N.15083/I di prot. dated
30 Sept 45

1. In view, of medical recommendation contained in letter from Italian Ministry of Post War Assistance, it appears no obstacles to the reconsideration of the case now remain.

2. The matter has been referred to the appropriate authorities and further information will be forwarded on receipt.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: F56321

Message Centre No: G/5525

Date/Time of Origin: 131048A

Date Time Rec'd: DEC 140900

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: MTOUSA SIGNED COMGENMED CITE NAGAP

TO : ALCOM

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Here follows repeat AGWAR cable W 88049. Quote reference your
F 55703.

Repatriation of General Annibale Bergonzoli, locked ward patient
will be informed estimated time of arrival later. Unquote complete

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1st Ind to Ltr, Hq ALCOM, IPW/1/11/768 B, dated 24 October 1945,
 subject: Repatriation of General BERGONZOLI.

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HEADQUARTERS MTOUSA, APO 512, 10 December 1945.

TO: Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission, APO 394

Your attention is invited to cable FX-55703, this headquarters,
 to AGHAR Washington, an information copy of which was forwarded to
 Allied Commission.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL REDWAY:

Edmund R. Seugart
 EDMUND R. SEUGART
 Colonel, AGD
 Asst Adjutant General

1 Incl
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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW/1/1/768 B

24 October 1945

SUBJECT : Repatriation of General BERGONZOLITO : Allied Force Headquarters
Provost Marshal General

Reference your letter G-5:014.33-15 dated
30 December 44

1. The attached is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.
2. May this Sub-Commission be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner :

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

1 Encl : Letter from Ministry of Post War Assistance 6375

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POST WAR ASSISTANCE MINISTRY

P.O.W. Bureau

Military Section

n.di prot. 15083/1.

30 September 1945

TO: Allied Commission
S/C for Italian POW

Rome

SUBJECT : Repatriation of General BERGONZOLI.

In reference letter n° 15083 dated 17/1/1945 of the
High Commissioner Prisoners of War.

Considering:

- that with the liberation of Northern Italy the difficulties that were prospected in the above mentioned letter have ceased.
- that the doctors say the actual health conditions of the general allow his repatriation.
- that our Royal Embassy in Washington has made known that American Military Authorities are anxious to repatriate soon the above mentioned general.

We ask this Sub Commission to modify the decisions of the above mentioned letter and to ask the competent Allied Authorities to repatriate General BERGONZOLI.

With thanks

The Minister

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: FX 55703

Message Centre No: G/5087

Date/Time of Origin: DEC 071050 A

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Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: MPOUSA

TO : AGWAR WASHINGTON, INFO: PENBASE ALCOM

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Now refer our cable F 62074 dated 3 December 1944. Signed
CONGENMED CITE NAGAP.

The Italian Government has requested repatriation of Lieutenant
General ANNIBALE BERGONVZOLI at this time. All concerned this
vheadquarters concur. Shipment at an early date would be appreciated.
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 014.33-15

24 November 1945

SUBJECT: Repatriation of General Bergenzoli

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
A.F.C. 394

26 NOV 1945

1. Reference is made to your IPa/1/1/768 B of 21 October 1945, subject as above.

2. Reasons for the original suspension of subject's repatriation are contained in following extract from AFHQ cable P62074 dated 3 December 1944 addressed to AGHAR:

"Although all concerned this Headquarters now concur in return of BERGENZOLI the Italian Government through the Ministry of War & High Commissioner of Prisoners of War does not concur to his repatriation, stating 'Winter is approaching, it is necessary to suspend his repatriation in order to avoid the arduousness of a voyage aggravating the condition of his health.'

Therefore recommend that repatriation be postponed until Italian Government is willing to accept his return."

3. In view, however, of medical recommendation contained in letter from Italian Ministry of Post War Assistance, ~~referred to above~~ reference, it appears no obstacles to the reconsideration of the case now remain.

4. You are requested to advise the Italian Government that the matter has been referred to the appropriate authorities and further information will be forwarded on receipt.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. Hamblin
for
A. L. HAMBLIN: 637
Brigadier General, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

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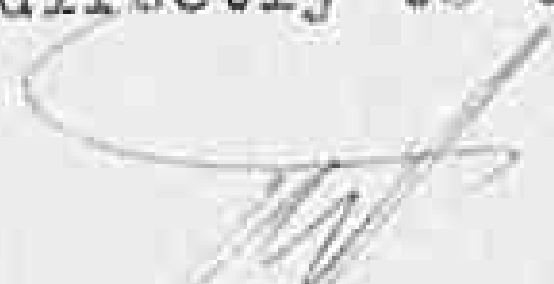
18 December 1945

SUBJECT : Prisoner of War STRERI, Giuseppe.

TO : The Bishop of Caserta

Reference your letter dated 5 November addressed
to Allied Forces Headquarters - Caserta

1. This matter is in the hands of the French Authorities therefore PWA repatriation must be applied for by the Italian Government directly to the French Government.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.6

30 November 1945

SUBJECT: Prisoner of War Streri, Giuseppe.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

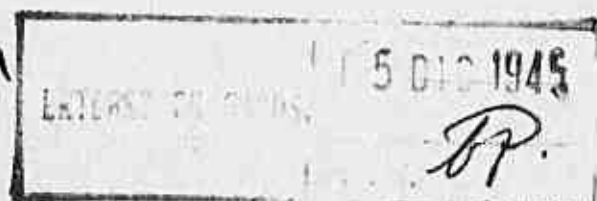
1. Attached is copy of letter, dated 5 November 1945, addressed to this Headquarters by the Bishop of Caserta and reference is made to G-5: 383.6 of 21 February 1945, subject: Liberation of Italian Prisoners of War in French Hands.

2. You are requested to take appropriate action in accordance with para 2, above quoted reference and advise the Bishop that the matter is in the hands of the French authorities.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. E. Fogelberg
for A. L. HAMBLIN
Brigadier General, GSC
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

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From :- Bishop of CASERTA.

Subject:-Prisoner of War STRERI GIUSEPPE.
(Cantiere d'Auzat Ariege'. Toulouse, FRANCE).

I the undersigned, Bishop of Caserta, make earnest request to this Command so that your Honour will take interest in the prompt release of the Italian Prisoner of War, GIUSEPPE STRERI, from Cervara (prov. of Cuneo), presently prisoner in the Cantiere D'Auzart Ariege', Toulouse, FRANCE.

STRERI GIUSEPPE served as a partisan in the Alpine Division "Giustizia e Libertà" Brigata Valle Stura "G. Rosselli". He fought against the Germans, and during the battles he had to withdraw to French territory, where he remained cut off from the brigade, was arrested by French Authorities, who held him prisoner.

These facts were also testified by the Command of the Division "Giustizia e Libertà" where the named soldier belonged. We included herewith a legal copy of the Statement.

Caserta. 5 Nov 1945.

Signed by the Bishop.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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18 December 1945

(date)

SUBJECT : Rear Admiral Massimiliano VIRTINA- P.O.W. in IndiaTO : PWIB, AG's Branch, GHQ, SIMLA INDIA

1. The attached is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.
2. May this Sub-Commission be informed, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

1 Encl. : Letter m/a

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HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub-Commission APO 394

NSC/4178.
6 December 1945.

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Italian Prisoners of War Division, Allied Commission.
Subject: Rear Admiral Massimiliano VIETINA - P.O.W. in India.

1. Copy of Minister of Marine's letter 14759 dated 1 December 1945 is forwarded for favorable consideration.
2. It would be appreciated if the Navy Sub-Commission could be kept informed as to the probable date of repatriation.

H. S. J. Butler
H. S. J. BUTLER,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
REAR ADMIRAL,
FOR CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, A.C.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
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From : MINISTRY OF MARINE (Cabinet)
To : H.S.G. - H.Q. - A.G.
Date : 1st December, 1945.
Ref. : 14759.

Subject : Rear Admiral Maximiliano VERTINA - P.O.W. in India.

Mrs. Ester VERTINA, wife of Admiral Maximiliano Vertina (P.O.W. in India following his capture at Tobruk - December, 1940) is suffering from a benign tumour which requires an operation of some importance.

Repeated requests advanced officially to have the said Admiral repatriated have been in vain hitherto.

In consideration of his wife's state of health and her age (58) it is requested that it may be arranged for him to be repatriated with the utmost possible haste.

Furthermore it would be very much appreciated if we could be informed of the probable date of his arrival in Italy in order that a decision may be made as to whether the abovementioned operation could be delayed until he rejoins his family.

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PWIB
INDIA
THE MINISTER.

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1. T. W. Civil Affairs

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SAVONA PROVINCE

A. P. O. 394

5 Dec 45.



File: LIG/SA/PC/8/13/33

Subject: Application for return of P.O.W.

To: ~~Region-1 Commissioner, Liguria Region, A.M.G.~~WW

1. Attached request for repatriation of a Prisoner-of-War is forwarded for favour of your consideration, and, if approved, onward transmission to the appropriate authority.

E. G. Cousins
E. G. COUSINS
Major
Provincial Commissioner.

Copy to Finzio Sogno,
Via Paleoquapa 1/8 Savona.

Forwarded directly to MPWA 18-Dec-45

1st Indorsement

6 December 1945

FROM : HQ Liguria Region
TO : Civil Affairs Section
HQ Allied Commission
~~_____~~
APO 394

1. Forwarded for necessary action, please

FOR THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONER :

O. R. Anselmo
O. R. ANSELMO
1st, Lt, CAC.
Adjutant.

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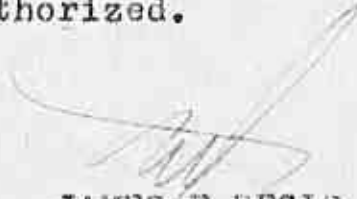
SUBJECT : Request of Repatriation.
COLECCHIA Francesco

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

Reference your letter Prot. N.53971 dated
13 Nov 45

1. As you have already been advised- on instructions received from the War Office London, the repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War will not be authorized as a reward for services rendered by their close relatives in Italy to the Allied cause.

2. Accordingly the repatriation of the above mentioned Prisoners of War is not authorized.


JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
I.P.W. Div.

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Rome 13th November 1945

Ministry of Post War Assistance
POW Bureau - I^Sect. II^ Division

TO: The Allied Commission
Sub Commission for Italian POW
ROME

Prot. 53971

SUBJECT : Request for repatriation of POW COLECCHIA Francesco (n. 153245 C/M - Camp 56)

With letter ASC - 5 - 4/17112/TM/AL/4 dated 29th September 1945 attached copy herewith, the Allied Screening Commission informed this Ministry that Mr. Colecchia Beniamino, father of the POW in question, gave assistance to Allied POW during German occupation in Italy.

We beg your Commission to interest the competent Allied authorities in order to examine the possibility of an eventual repatriation of POW Colecchia Francesco.

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Dott. Fausto Nitti.

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ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (Italy)

C/M.F.

Telef. 66183

29th September 1945

ASC-5-4/17129/TM/AL/4

SUBJECT : Colecchia Beniamino - Rocca di mezzo di Roccanterrano. (Rome).

TO : High Commissioner for Italian POW - Rome.

1. This Commission confirms the fact that the person in question aided Allied prisoners during German occupation.

2. His son, Francesco Colecchia - POW 153249, C/M is POW in British Custody (Camp 56).

Mr. Beniamino Colecchia requests the repatriation of his son and we would greatly appreciate if your Commission would give your benevolent consideration to the repatriation in question.

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Lt. Maletiou

Control officer - Section N. 7
Allied Screening Commission (Italy)
C.M.F.



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Ministero dell'Assistenza Post Bellica

- Servizio Prig. di Guerra - Div. 2^a -1^a1^o

Prot. N.º 53971 Allegato

LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Settecommiss. per i Prigionieri
di Guerra

ROMA

Risposta al Foglio N.º del

OGGETTO Richiesta di rimpatrio a favore del pdg. COLECCHIA
Francesco (n.153245 c/m - campo 56).

Con foglio ASC-5-4/17129/TM/AL/4 del 29.9.45, allegato in copia l'Allied Screening Commission ha comunicato a questo Ministero che il Sig. COLECCHIA Beniamino, padre del pdg. in oggetto, ha dato assistenza e aiuto a prigionieri di guerra alleati durante l'occupazione tedesca in Italia.

Si prega pertanto codesta Commissione di voler benevolmente interessare le competenti Autorità Alleate perchè si compiaciano esaminare la possibilità di un eventuale rimpatrio del prigioniero di guerra COLECCHIA Francesco.

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dott. Fausto Nitti)

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C O P I A

ALLIED GREENING COMMISSIONE (Italy)
C.M.F.

Tel. 66183

29 settembre 1945

ASC-5-4/17129/TM/AL/4

OGGETTO:- Colecchia Beniamino - Rocca di mezzo di Roccacante-
rano. (Roma).

AL:- Alto Commissariato per i prigionieri di Guerra
Roma.

1 Questa Commissione conferma che la persona in oggetto
ha reso assistenza ai prigionieri di guerra alleati
durante il periodo dell'occupazione tedesca.

2. Suo figlio, Francesco COLECCHIA n. 153249, C/M è pri-
gioniero di guerra in mani britannica (attualmente
al campo n. 56).

3. Il Sig. Beniamino Colecchia desidera fare domanda per
il rimpatrio di questo militare e questa Commissione
sarà grata se si potrà dare a questo caso benevole con-
siderazione.

F/to Ten. MELETIOU

Control Officer - Section n. 7
Allied Screening Commission (Italy)
C.M.F.

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

IPW/1/1/802 B.

29 November 1945

SUBJECT: Release of Prisoners of War.

TO : HQ. MTOUSA
Office of the Provost Marshall General
Prisoner of War Information Bureau - APO 512.

Reference your letter PWIB 20-339 dtd 5 Sept 45.

1. The attached is forwarded for such action as you deem necessary.
2. May this Division be informed please.

For the Chief Commissioner,

H. ARMAND GOMAST,
Supt. PWIB, APO 394

JAMES E. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

- 3 Encl: 1. Translation copy of
letter from MPWA.
2. Letter from "Curia Generalis
FF. Minorum Capuccinorum" and
translation.

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Rome 15th November 1945

Ministry of Post War Assistance
POW Bureau - II^a Div. I^a Sect.

TO: The Allied Commission
Sub Commission for Italian POW
ROME

Prot. 52789

SUBJECT : Requested informations.

1. Reference your letter IPW/I/I/728 B dated 17th September 1945.
2. Herewith attached and forwarded to you is a copy of a letter from the Diocese of the General of the Cappuccins in answer to the information requested, concerning three Cappuccine brothers who are interned.
3. This Ministry has nothing contrary to their liberation.

Dott. Fausto Nitti.

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Prot. N.° 52789 Allegati

LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per i Pdg.
R O M A

Risposta al Foglio N.° del

OGGETTO: Richiesta informazioni.-

- 1)- Riferimento foglio IPW/1/1/728 B in data 17 Settembre u.s.
- 2)- Si trasmette copia di una lettera della Curia Generale dei Cappuccini in risposta ad una richiesta di informazioni circa i tre religiosi internati.
- 3)- Questo Ministero non ha nulla in contrario alla loro liberazione.-

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dr. Fausto Nitti)

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COPY

CURIA GENERALIS FF. MINORUM CAPUCCINORUM

Via Boncompagni, 71

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Rome 16th October 1945

TO: The Ministry of Post War Assist.
POW Bureau - II^a Division
ROME

In answer to the letter from your Ministry n.
52789 Sez. I/1/di prot. dated 4th October 1945, the under-
signed informs you as follows:

The two "brothers" Mur Francesco and Unterholzner
Pietro are of Italian Nationality and belong to the monastic
Cappuccine Province of Bressanone.

In fact Mur Francesco (in religion Brother Fedele)
is a son of Antonio and Caterina Riederich and was born
in Bolzano on the 30th of November 1926 and did not vote
for Germany during the plebescite of 1940.

Also Unterholsner Pietro (in religion Brother
Godefrido) son of Pietro and Rieder Rosa, born at
d'Adige (Bolzano) 6th June 1927, did not vote for Germany
on the same occasion.

From a communication received from the Superior
Provincial at Bressanone which was received yesterday, it
results that Unterholzner Pietro has already been released

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from imprisonment and has returned to the Convent, where as a second letter from the same source informs us that Mur Francesco is still in a concentration camp at Leghorn.

The above mentioned Superior of Bressanone has also informed us that another of his "brothers", a certain Trompedeller Francesco (in religion Brother Ottone) is at the POW Camp 211 - Algiers. Also this latter brother is of Italian nationality, as he was born on the 8th of December 1914 at Lagundo (Bolzano) son of Trompedeller Luigi and Maria Kiefer and did not vote for Germany during the plebescite of 1940.

Notwithstanding the Italian nationality of the three aforesaid persons, and in complete disregard of the agreements between the Holy See and the Italian Government and the stipulations of the former, regarding military service ^{who} of those which have taken religious orders, the German military authorities during their occupation of the High Adige, compelled by force, the said "brothers" to enroll themselves in the German Army and with contempt and defiance forced them to join the S.S. Police force.

The undersigned for these reasons begs your Ministry to obtain the release of Mur Francesco, presumably at Leghorn, and Trompedeller Francesco from camp 6211 Algiers, who on release should regain their order at the Capuccini Convent - Via Roncato 20 - Bressanone (Bolzano).

The undersigned sends you thanks and his most cordial greetings.

Devotely. D. Donato Wynant.

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

IPW/1/1/801 B.

29 November 1945

(date)

SUBJECT : Release of Italian PW on compassionate grounds. Lt. TINI Luigi.

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. It is requested that home circumstances of Subject PW be investigated, and a report forwarded to this Headquarters, please.

2. Kindly return correspondence with your reply.

H. ARMAND d. MAIL,
Capt. SMC. REG. 103

JAMES R. REGIS
Lieut. Colonel
Chief
IPW Div.

1 Encl. 1 document.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LOMBARDIA REGION
Regional Public Safety Office

PS/11.2

9 November 1945.

SUBJECT : Release of Italian POW.

TO : W.M.D. and I.P.O.W. Sub-Commission
HQ Allied Commission

1. An appeal for the release of the Italian P.O.W.
Ten. TINI Gianluigi No. 3483 Camp 356 C- East Africa
Command has been received in this office and is
forwarded to you for any action you consider necessary.

For the Regional Commissioner,

encs as above

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[Signature]
W. F. F. FOWLER, MAJOR
HNSC, LOMBARDIA REGION.

[Signature]

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DATE 15 NOV 1945	BY Freedom of War Sub Commission
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The undersigned Cap. Ercule Piccinelli, uncle of Ten. Gian Luigi Tini and Leonardo Pellegrini public notary, charged with the inheritance as follows, wish to declare:

Ten. Gian Luigi Tini, regular officer of the Italian Army was in Ethiopia at the beginning of the war and was therefore involved in it. After having taken prisoner in 1940 was sent by the British to Kenya where he actually is.

Meanwhile the whole of his family died. His mother in 1941, his grandmother in 1942 and his father in 1943.

All proceedings about his inheritance were then taken up by Leonardo Pellegrini, public notary, but had to be stopped because of the absence of the concerned.

The return of Ten. Tini being badly wanted the writers apply in order to have the above back to Italy with priority over the others P.O.W. in Kenya.

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