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IPW/1/7/IND - REPATRIATION OF MIXED MEDICAL GROUPS FROM INDIA + CEYLON

MAR. - NOV. 1945

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

~~1/7/IND/1630~~~~25/NOV/49~~

SUBJECT : Repatriation of IPW from overseas

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW BUREAU
" : Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatriated PW
" : Ufficio Trasporti, Sez. Ferrovie (Maj. Minelli)
" : Commissione Pontificia Assistenza (Dr. Puganari)

1. In confirmation of telephone communication you are informed that:
- a) Ship "Principessa GIOVANNA" carrying sick IPW, ETA NAPLES 5 Dec. '49.
 - b) Hospital ship left INDIA 27 Nov. carrying 165 officers and 120 ORs. ETA will be forwarded when known.
 - c) Ship "ASCANIUS" left INDIA with 45 Combatant offrs. ETA TARANTO 11 Dec. '49.

J. B. REGIS
LIEUT COL.
Chief
IPW DIV.

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Copy to: 1/7/IND/1630
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/L/7IND/163728/Nov. '45

SUBJECT : Lt. GIGANTE, Donato NB 240420 = Camp 25, Wing 2/A
Bombay, INDIA

TO : G1 (Br)
G.H.Q.
CMF

1. The Ministry of Post War Assistance has requested that Lt. Gigante be afforded examination by a Mixed Medical Commission. They state that he is suffering from ameba.
2. A similar request has been received for: Lt. ORTOLANTI Alfredo, N°116 = 404 POW Camp N° 25/5 Bombay, INDIA, who is suffering from heart disease.

For the Chief Commissioner

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

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Ministero dell'Assistenza Post-Bellica
Servizio Prigionieri di Guerra
Uff; Informazioni
Prot. N° 46279.

Roma 19 Novembre 1945.

Subject: Lieutenant GIGANTE Donato.

On request of the family, in great anxiety for what happened to their relative, we beg the competent authorities to interest themselves so that Lt. GIGANTE Donato, N°240420-Camp 25 Wing 2/A Bombay (India) who suffers from ameba, should undergo a visit by the Mixed Medical Commission.

Thank you

(Signed)
Dott. Fausto Nitti.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 384 27 NOV 1945
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/7Ind/162226 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of IPW - GUIDOTTO, Mario 80953 Maj.

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW Bureau

1. Ref. your 8545/Sez1/1 of 16 Oct. '45
2. The following information regarding the a/n PW has been received from GHQ India:

"It is confirmed that the PW mentioned above has been recommended for repatriation on medical grounds. He is suffering from dispepsia.

"At the time of the despatch of Italian invalids during the month of April 1945, it was anticipated that PW n° 80953 Maj. Guidotto, Mario could be more conveniently despatched with PW whose release had been requested by you, but owing to circumstances beyond our control, a passage could not be arranged for him.

He will now be sent to Italy as soon as shipping is made available."

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

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian P.W.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

3863/A2.

24 Nov 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission
IPW Division.

80953 Maj. GUIDOTTO Mario.

1. Reference your IPW/1/7Ind/1480 of 16 Oct 45.
2. The following information regarding the above named PW has been received from GHQ India:-

"It is confirmed that the P.W. mentioned above has been recommended for repatriation on medical grounds. He is suffering from dyspepsia.

"At the time of the despatch of Italian invalids during the month of April 1945, it was anticipated that P.W. No. 80953 Major GUIDOTTO Mario could be more conveniently despatched with P.W. whose release had been requested by you, but owing to circumstances beyond our control, a passage could not be arranged for him.

"He will now be sent to Italy as soon as shipping is made available."

Card action

J. Marcus Capt
V. Major General,
DAG.

GHD/MR.

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United Nations War Reliefs Commission
AC APO 3826 NOV 1945
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Log No 6-17

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/ 1/7IND/1616

25 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : Release of IPW on Medical grounds

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance
" : Commissione Pontificia Assistenza

1. Herewith attached nominal roll of one IPW who sailed for ITALY on 23 May '45.
2. For your information and record.
3. Please inform us of date of his arrival.

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

encl.: Nom. Roll of 1 IPW *~ R/S/ps*

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SUBJECT: Release of Italian Prisoners of War
on Medical Grounds.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

3822/A2.

17 Nov 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Division.

22 NOV 1945

26101 Mar. Magg. BENASSI, Umberto

1. Reference your IPW/1/7IND/1571 and further to this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 12 June 45.
2. The attached Nominal Roll of Pay Balances in respect of the a/n RMC case who sailed for Italy on 23 May 45 has been received from GHQ India.
3. Please notify this GHQ of date of arrival of this man and repatriated referred to in our above quoted letters.
4. Previous ^{is} omission, regretted.

J. Adams Capo
Major-General,
DAG.

Encl.
GHQ/MC.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 384 24 NOV 1945
Received
Log No 536

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SUBJECT: Release of Italian PW.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

3855/16/A2.

19 Nov 45.

~~Commander-in-Chief,~~
~~INDIA.~~

Copy to: - Headquarters, ✓
Allied Commission (IPW Sub Commission),
ROME.

1. Application has been made through HQ Allied Commission, ROME, for the release of the Italian PW, held in your command, shown on the attached nominal rolls.
2. Provided that you have no security or other objections and are prepared to release these men, it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for their repatriation to ITALY, advising this Headquarters of MEA, copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.

RECEIVED ENTRY
22 NOV 1945
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

R. E. Curran
Lieut-General,
Commander-in-Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

/MC.

to submit roll to us.
M/A. H

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Italian Prisoners of War Sub Commission
10 AC APO 324 23 NOV 1945
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/IND/1614

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25 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : P.W. Cooperators Release Repatriation

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance
: Commissione Pontificia Assistenza (Dr. Pugazza)

1. Herewith Nominal rolls of PW Cooperators released for employment with the Italian Government.
2. The Cooperators embarked for M.E. ex India on 16/9/45

fil *A*
J. E. REGIS
Lieut. Col.
Chief
IPW Div.

Encl.: Nom. Rolls of 6 names

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To: War Office,
LONDON Esq.

P.G.A./5/319
H.Q.104 Ital.Aux.Pnr.Group,
c/o No. 9 A.B.P.O.
Sept. 23th, 1945.

Subject:- P.W. CO-OPERATORS RELEASE/REPATRIATION.

Under instruction from G.H.Q.(I) P.W. 1(b) No. 40205 d.21/9/45,
Nominal Rolls of P.W. Co-operators released for employment with the
Italian Government vide. G.H.Q.(I) No. 40186/P.W. 1.(b)
dated 23/8/45 are enclosed.

The Co-operators embarked for M.E. on 15/9/45 and sailed 16/9/45

A.G. Bryant Captain, for
Group Commander, No.104 Italian Auxiliary Pioneer Group H.Q.

(Lt.Col. W.N. CADDELI Absent on Leave)
(Capt. A.G. BRYANT).

Enclosure. (2) Two

Copies to:-
Allied Control Commission, ROME with 2 copies of Roll.
Controller P.W. I.B. G.H.Q., M.E.F., CAIRO, Egypt.
with 1 copy of Roll.



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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

IPW/1/7IND/161025 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of PW from INDIA

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance
" : Pontificia Commissione Assistenza (Dr. Fugazza)

1. Herewith attached Nominal rolls of IPW from India
2. Two are ORs from the R.I. Ship "Eritrea" and 7 are Cooperators from 103 Italian A.P.Gp., 2, 104 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Gp., 2, 105 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Gp., 3.
3. The above have been evacuated to Italy ex 35 Br. Gen. Hosp. on the 5/11/45 on medical grounds.

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

Encl.: Nominal Rolls of 9 names

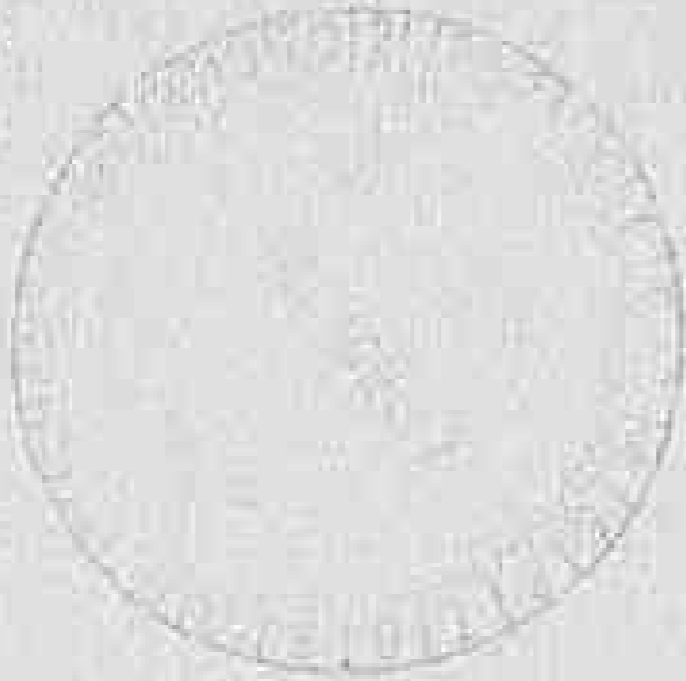
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No 1458 / S.2(b)
H. Q. 103 ITALIAN AUXILIARY PIONEER GROUP
C/o No 9 A.B.P.O., S.E.A.C.
Dated, 7th November 1945

To: GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, INDIA,
Adjutant General's Branch P.W.1(b)
S I M L A



Subject : REPATRIATION P.W.

Herewith please find 1 copy of Nominal Roll (A&F.W. 5169) in respect of 2 Italian ratings from the Royal Italian Ship "Britrea" and 7 Italian P.W. Co-operators from 103 Italian A.P.Gp., 2, 104 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Gp., 2, 105 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Gp., & 3. The above have been evacuated to Italy ex 36 Br. Gen. Hosp. on the 5th November 1945, on medical grounds. Please acknowledge.

Handwritten signature
Lt. Col.
Group Commander
103 Italian Auxiliary (J. Kells)

- Copy to :
- War Office, London, together with 1 copy of Nom. Roll. by fast air mail.
 - Allied Control Commission, Rome, together with 2 copies of Nominal Roll, by fast air mail.
 - Controller, P.W.I.B.C.H.Q., M.E.F., Cairo, together with 1 copy of Nominal Roll, by fast air mail.
 - A.F.H.Q., Mediterranean Theatre, P.W. Directorate, together with 1 copy of Nom. Roll, by fast air mail.
 - O.C. Censor Station (P.W. Section), Bombay, together with 1 copy of Nominal Roll.
 - H.Q., 104 Italian Auxiliary Pnr. Group, No 9 A.B.P.O., S.E.A.C. for information.
 - H.Q., 105 Italian Auxiliary Pnr. Group, No 9 A.B.P.O., S.E.A.C., for information.

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103 Italian P.W. Co-operators from 103 Italian A.P.Gp.,
"Britrea" and 7 Italian P.W. Co-operators from 103 Italian A.P.Gp.,
2, 164 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Gp., 2, 105 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Gp., 3.

The above have been evacuated to Italy ex 35 Br. Gen.
Hosp. on the 5th November 1945, on medical grounds.
Please acknowledge.

J. Kells
Lt. Col.
Group Commander
103 Italian Auxiliary Pioneer Group
(J. Kells)

- Copy to :
- War Office, London, together with 1 copy of Nom. Roll.
by fast air mail.
 - Allied Control Commission, Rome, together with 2 copies
of Nominal Roll, by fast air mail.
 - Controller P.W.I.B., G.H.Q., M.E.F., Cairo, together with
1 copy of Nominal Roll, by fast air mail.
 - A.F.H.Q., Mediterranean Theatre, P.W. Directorate, together
with 1 copy of Nom. Roll, by fast air mail.
 - O.C. Censor Station (P.W. Section), Bombay, together with
1 copy of Nominal Roll.
 - H.Q., 104 Italian Auxiliary Pnr. Group, No 9 A.B.F.C.,
S.E.A.C., for information.
 - H.Q., 105 Italian Auxiliary Pnr. Group, No 9 A.B.F.C.,
S.E.A.C., for information.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission

HQ AC APO 364

Received 23 NOV 1945

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

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IPW/1/7IND/160623 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of IPW from INDIA, Nom. Rolls.

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW Bureau
" ; Commissione Pontificia Assistenza (Dr. Fugazza)

1. Herewith enclosed nominal rolls of 1 Officer and 6 ORs for your information and records.
2. Date of embarkation 27/9/45.

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J. R. REGIE
Lieut. Col.
Chief
IPW Div.

Enclosed: Nominal rolls of 7 names

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To: War Office,
LONDON Esq.

P.G.A./5/320.
H.Q.104 Ital.Aux.Pnr.Group,
c/o No.9 A.B.P.O.
Sept. 28th, 1945.

Subject:- P.W. CO-OPERATORS. RELEASE/REPATRIATION.

In accordance with instructions received from G.H.Q.(I) vide G.H.Q.(I) No. 40205/P.W.1(b) d. 21/9/45.

Release rolls in respect of 1 Italian Officer and 6 Italian O.R.'s are forwarded.

Date of embarkation 27/9/45 and sailing 28/9/45.



A.G. Bryant

Captain, for
Group Commander, No.104 Italian Auxiliary Pioneer Group H.Q.
(Lt. Col. W.N. CADDELL Absent on leave)
(Capt. A.G. BRYANT).

Copy to:-

Allied Control Commission, ROME with 2 copies of Roll.
Controller P.W. I.B. G.H.Q., M.E.F., CAIRO, Egypt.
with 1 copy of Roll.

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

IPW/1/7/IND/159921 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : 240685 Ten. TILIACOS, Nicola
24007 " CECCHETTI, Zeno
320810 " COLONNA di STIGLIANO, Landolfo

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW Bureau.

1. Ref your letter dated 5 Oct. '45 concerning Lt. Cecchetti; and ours 1/11/2092 of 23 Oct. concerning Colonna di Stigliano, Landolfo
2. We are informed that the a/n IPW have been recommended for repatriation on medical grounds, and that they will be repatriated as soon as shipping becomes available.

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

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Copy to: Allied Screening Commission (your 6 13/CLA/M/AL/1
of 3 Oct.; ours 1/7IND/145 refers.

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

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TO :- Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Division.

13 Nov 45

COPY TO:- HQ, Allied Screening Commission (Your 6-13/CIA/TM/AL/1
of 3 Oct 45 refers).

- 240685 Ten TILIACOS, Nicola. 1451
- 24007 Ten CECCHETTI Zeno 1466
- 328810 Ten COLONNA di STIGLIANO, Landolfo.

1. Reference IPW/1/7Ind/1451 of 6 Oct 45, your IPW/1/7Ind/1466 of 13 Oct 45 and further to this GHQ letter of even reference dated 16 Oct 45.
2. GHQ INDIA state that the above-mentioned Italian PW have been recommended for repatriation on Medical grounds, and that they will be repatriated as soon as shipping becomes available.

GHD/AP

*Card action
& return*

J. Danner Capt
for Major General,
D.A.G.

*Copy of letter to
file 1/11 for Colonel S.
for action*

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1/7 Ind	DATE	Italian Prisoners of War Sub Commission
	20 NOV 1945	M-3 AC APO 384
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
 APO 594
 CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
 ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/7AND/1577

15 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : PW from INDIA

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance
 TO : Commissione Pontificia Assistenza

1. Herewith nominal roll of IPW who disembarked at TARANTO on 28 Oct. '45, from KARACHI.

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

Encl.: Nominal Roll of 32 names

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

IPW/1/7IND/157115 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : Release of IPW on Medical Grounds

TO : G.H.Q.
C.M.F.

1. Ref. your 3822/A2 dated 9 Nov. '45 (original attached)
2. This letter is addressed to Allied Commission and should forward nominal rolls. No nominal rolls were received and in view of ink markings on attached letter it is thought that this copy has been sent in error.
3. Will you please check and send correct letter with nominal rolls.

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

Encl.: letter as above

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

IPW/1/7IND/1566

13 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : IPW from INDIA
TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. It is thought that the following IPW have been repatriated on dates as shown below:

- a) COLOCCIONI, Antonio, 67539 from M.E.F. on 9 Aug. '45.
- b) Ten. Col. TAGGI, Massimo, 1708, coop; Unit 104 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Gr
- c) Maresc. D'ANDREA, Tiziano, 304268 " " " " " "
- d) " DI PIETRO, Innocenzo, 50660 " " " " " "
- e) Sold. DRAINA, Edoardo, 60961, " " " " " "
- f) " LA PIETRA, Pasquale, 50795, " " " " " "
- g) M.S. ROSATI, Francesco, 136661, Corp. Unit 105 " " " "
- h) Sold. SORRENTINO, Umberto, I. 820 " " 104 " " "

2. Will you confirm whether the a/n have been repatriated, and date of arrival in ITALY.

Y. Hill *del 16/05* *A.*

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

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from 2nd sub. G.H.A.
by [unclear] with reports
on 17/10/45

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Tel. No. VALJEAN 44.

O2E/59809/EPW.

2 Nov 45.

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HQ, Allied Commission,
IPW Sub Commission,
APO 394 U.S. Army.

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reference given
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Subject :- Repatriation of Italian PW.

Attached hereto, for such action as you may consider necessary,
is a letter from G.H.Q., India regarding the repatriation of Italian PW.

C.M.F.

Encls.

DATE, <u>8 NOV 1945</u>
ENTERED ON CARDS.
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Received by Sub Commission

Brigadier,
D.A.G,
2nd Echelon.

Received 8 November 1945 G.H.Q.

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No. 40075/ P(10)

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It is requested that in any further communication on this subject, the above number may be quoted, and the letter addressed to—
"The Commander-in-Chief in India, Army Headquarters, India."



GENERAL
Army Headquarters, India.
Adjutant General's Branch
Simla, the 28 Sep 1945.

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To

A.F.H.Q., Mediterranean Theatre.

P.W. No. 67539 Sold. COLOCCIONI Antonio.

Reference G.H.Q.(I) letter No. 40075/2/PW1(b), dated 1 Aug 45.

Intimation has been received from G.H.Q., M.E.F., that P.W. No. 67539 Sold. COLOCCIONI Antonio embarked for A.F.H.Q. on 9 Aug 45. Please notify his arrival as well as of the other four others mentioned in G.H.Q., M.E.F. No. Mov.1/102/16, dated 20 Jul 45.

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to COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

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

IPW/L/7IND/156213 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : Nominal Rolls of IPW from CEYLON

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW Bureau.
TO : Pontificia Commissione Assistenza (Dr. Fugazza)

1. Herewith nominal rolls of sick IPW repatriated to ITALY on 15 Oct. '45.
2. These personnel sailed from COLOMBO, Ceylon on 15 October.

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

Encl.: nominal rolls of 37 names

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

TO :- Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Division.

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6 Nov 45

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Attached Nominal Roll received from SEMC in respect of 2 Officers
and 35 ORs repatriated to ITALY on 15 Oct 45 is forwarded for your information.

John Davis Capt.
for Major General,
D.A.G.

GHD/AP

encl:

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
412 AG APO 334 8 NOV 1945
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
 APO 394
 CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
 ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/7/1559 (ND)9 Nov, '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of IPW from INDIA
 TO : Commissione Pontificia Assistenza
 TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW Bureau

1. Herewith Nominal Rolls of 31 IPW Protected Personnel including 3 M.M.C. cases, who were repatriated on 12/10/'45.
2. Please inform us of their arrival.

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see 1544
 J.E. REGIS
 Lieut. Col.
 Chief
 IPW Div.

Enc.: Nominal Roll of 31 IPW

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

IPW/1/7/IND/15589 Nov. '45

SUBJECT: Repatriation of IPW

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW Bureau

1. Ref. your 33173/40776 dated 31 Oct. '45.
2. Herewith copy of our 1/7/IND/1276 dated 21 Aug '45.
3. Please treat as urgent.

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

Encl.: letter IPW/1/7IND/1276

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Rome 31st October 1945

Ministry of Post War Assistance
POW Bureau - Information Section

TO: The Allied Commission
Sub Commission for Italian POW
ROME

Prot. 32173/40776

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Italian POW.

Reference your letter IPW/1/7IND/1479
dated 16th October 1945.

We have not received the letter N.1/7/
IND/1276 dated 21st August 1945 nor was there a copy of
the letter in question with letter 1479.

We beg you to forward us a copy of ^{SAID} ~~back~~
letter.

We have interested the Autonomous Office
for War Veterans and repatriated POW, regarding the under-
mentioned POW in order to find out whether or not they
have been repatriated.

As soon as possible we will furnish you
with further news regarding them.

- 1824	Maj.	DE PIETRI	Giovanni
- 1678	Capt.	ORIOLO	Lorenzo
- 2997	It.	BUCCHIERI	Raffaele

D ott. Fausto Nitti. 684

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
43 AC APO 304 8 NOV 1945
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SUBJECT:- Application for Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
GENERAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

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2 Nov 45

TO :- ~~Commander in Chief,~~
~~THIA.~~

COPY TO:- Headquarters, Allied Commission, (Your IPW/1/7In6/1504 of 23 Oct 45 refers),
IPW Division.

169786 Ten. PIERRIGLI, Alberto (POW Camp 25).

1. An application has been received through Headquarters, Allied Commission, for the above-named prisoner of war, who is stated to be suffering from splinter wounds in the head, to be examined by a Mixed Medical Commission with a view to his early release on Medical Grounds.

3. Please make the necessary arrangements for the examination and forward the report to this GIQ.

N/A / JHN

G.H. Davies
G.H. DAVIES, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Lieutenant General,
Commander in Chief,
GENERAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 304
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"The Commander-in-Chief in India,
Army Headquarters,
India."



GENERAL

Army Headquarters, India.
Adjutant General's Branch (PWI(b))

Simla 25/26 Oct 1945.

To

Allied Control Commission, Italy.

REPATRIATION OF SURPLUS ITALIAN PROTECTED
PERSONNEL P.W.s

Reference Troopers telegram No. 73586 PWL, dated
13 Sep 45.

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2. A.F.s.W.-3000 Part I in respect of the 28 officer P.W. mentioned in the attached list are also forwarded herewith. Please acknowledge receipt.



Sunderland S. Major

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Copy to:-

- * A.F.H.Q., Mediterranean Theatre.
- * The War Office London.
- * Controller P.W.I.B., G.H.Q., M.E., Cairo.

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* With one copy of the Nominal Rolls.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Certified that the 5 Italian Officers on the attached Nominal Roll are fit to travel.

W. J. O. R. 682

For O.C., C.I. & POW Hospital.

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M a j o r

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DATE.	5 NOV 1945	Personnel of War Sub. Commission
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/7IND/15402 NOV. '45

SUBJECT : Lt. CASALI Giuseppe n° 44691 Camp 27/3 INDIA
TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. Ref. your 46023 dated 25 Oct. '45
2. You were informed in our IPW/11/2066 dated 17 Oct. '45 that the a/n officer had been recommended for repatriation on medical grounds.
3. No action has been taken on your above quoted letter.

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

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Rome 25th October 1945

Ministry of Post War Assistance
POW Bureau - Information Section

TO: The Allied Commission
Sub Commission for Italian POW
ROME

Prot. N. 46023

SUBJECT : Lt. Casali Giuseppe, son of Arrigo, POW n.44691
Camp 27/3 - India.

On request of the family we beg your Commission to make a request from the competent Authorities, relative to the POW in question, born in Rome 25/9/1913 and at present in hospital at Yol, India, and have him pass a mixed medical examination as he is a neuropatic case. His repatriation was requested by the Italian Government as a "specialist" with list 2 from the Presidency of the Council of Ministers.

Thank you.

Dott. Fausto Nitti.

What is our letter no & date forwarding this?

See 1/11/2166 of 17 Oct 45

See 1/7/India 1540

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission

10, Avenue de la Liberte

Received 2 November 1945.

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

IPW/1/7IND/152730 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation from INDIA
TO : Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1. Further to your Memo 6/4120/1901 dated 23 October '45
2. Before taking action on your request, will you please furnish the following information:
- Are the individuals referred to prisoners of war or civilian internees?
 - A nominal roll of the individuals in question
 - Reasons for which authority was granted for their release, e.g. compassionate or medical cases.
3. On receipt of this information your request will be considered and forwarded to the competent authorities.


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

Copy to: Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

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6/11/20/1901

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION

Subject: Repatriation of Italian p.o.w. from India. -

1. A group of relations of Italian p.o.w. interned in the nrs. 26, 27 and 28 Camps of Yol (India) and included in the categories approved for repatriation, have warmly requested the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to interest the proper Allied Authorities in their favour.

2. The aforesaid internees would have been notified of their forthcoming liberation since the month of March and directed to hold themselves ready to depart.

3. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, while fully aware of the difficulties which unavoidably delay the repatriations from India, would be very grateful if the Allied Commission would kindly interest the proper Authorities in granting priority in repatriation to these prisoners who have been now awaiting it for some months.

Rome, October 23rd 1945



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Rome, October 23rd 1945



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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
 HQ AC APO 394
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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS,
GENERAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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TO :- ~~Commander in Chief,~~
~~IBATA.~~

22 Oct 45

Copy to:- Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission,
(Your IPW/1/7 Ind/1480 of 16 Oct refers).

80953 Major GUIDOPO, Mario (Cap 10/5).

1. Reference this HQ letters of even number dated 20 Dec 44 and 20 Apr 45 and your 40076/11/PM1(b) of 8 May 45.
2. The above-named officer was among those listed for repatriation by 6th International Medical Commission on the grounds of ill-health (Jan 45).
3. On 28 March 45, the officers who were listed with him by the same commission for repatriation, left for ITALY, but the above-named officer was left behind. His health is stated to be getting worse.
4. Please investigate this case and examine the possibilities of his speedy repatriation.

26 OCT 1945

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G.H. DAVIES, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Lieutenant General,
Commander in Chief,
GENERAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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SUBJECT :- Evacuation on Medical Grounds - Italian Co-operators

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

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21 Oct 45

~~Commander-in-Chief,~~
INDIA.

Copy to : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission)

(your IPW: 12/2nd/46 of 13 Oct refer)

Ten. GECCHETTI Info

1. An application has been received from the Ministry of Post War Assistance for the above-named P.W., at present in hospital at XOL, INDIA, to be examined by a Mixed Medical board with a view to his repatriation on medical grounds.

2. Please make the necessary arrangements for the examination and forward the result to this HQ.

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Davis
G.H. LAVIES, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Lieutenant General,
Commander-in-Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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SUBJECT :- Repatriation of Italian P.W.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

~~Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.~~

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19 Oct 45

Copy to :- HQ., Allied Commission, (IPW Sub-Commission) ✓
(Your IPW/1/7/IND/1854 of 6 Oct refers)

HQ., Allied Screening Commission.

22 OCT 1945

No. 240685 Ten. FILIACOS Nicola

1. The attached correspondence received through HQ., Allied Commission is forwarded for your information and such action as you may think necessary.
2. Please advise this GHO of the present location of the above-named P.W. and probable date of repatriation to ITALY.

G.H. Davies
 G.H. DAVIES, Captain,
 Staff Captain,
 for Lieutenant General,
 Commander-in-Chief,
 CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

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

IPW/1/7IPD/150423 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Lt. Piersigli, Alberto POW 169786- POW Camp 25 India-
 TO : G.H.Q.
 C.M.F. attention: G1 (Br)

1. The attached translation of letter from ministry of Post War Assistance has been received in this office and is forwarded to you for action.
2. May the a/m be afforded an examination by the mixed medical commission, and if his condition warrants, this division recommends he be afforded priority release.

For the Chief Commissioner

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

Encl.: Post War Ass. letter 3760/c-13

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
P.O.W. Bureau

EB/mdp

Prot.n.3760/C-13

16 October 1945

TO: Allied Commission
S/C for Italian POW
Rome

SUBJECT : Lt. PIERGILI Alberto POW 169786 - POW Camp 25-India

Lt. PIERGILI Alberto is at present in Camp 25 (Wing 2B) matriculation no. 169786.

The officer in question, wounded in the head and captured in Greece in February 1941, after spending a long period in various British Hospitals was transferred, before completely cured, to India in 1942.

From recent information received from repatriated prisoners it results that the condition of the officer's health is becoming more serious every day as it was not possible to remove all the splinters from his wound.

We would greatly appreciate if the Allied Commission would consider the possibility of giving him priority in repatriation.

Thank you

signed/Dr. Fausto Nitti

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

IPW/1/7/1490IND19 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Nominal Rolls of PW from Ceylon
TO : Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatriated PW
TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance PW Bureau/

1. Herewith attached nominal rolls of 2 Officers and 35 ORs repatriated to ITALY on the 15/9/'45.
2. Forwarded to you to complete your record.

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

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Encl.: Nom. Rolls (duplicate for Post W. Ass. B.)

1 Row D/W

No 1336 s.2 (b) 9020
H.Q. 103 ITALIAN AUXILIARY PIONEER GROUP
c/o No 9 A.B.P.O., S.E.A.C.
Dated, 4th October 1945



BY FAST AIR MAIL

To : THE WAR OFFICE
L O N D O N

SUBJECT : Repatriation P.W.

Herewith:

- 1 Nominal Roll in respect of 1 Officer P.W. belonging to this Unit repatriated to Italy on the 15/9/1945 at request of the Allied Land Forces Headquarters, Mediterranean Theatre, under the authority of G.H.Q.(I) No 40076/P.W.1(b) dt.14/6/1945.-
- 1 Nominal Roll in respect of 2 O.R's P.W. belonging to this Unit, repatriated to Italy on the 15/9/1945 at request as above, under the authority of G.H.Q.(I) No 40076/II/P.W.1(b) dt/ the 28/5/1945.-
- 1 Nominal Roll in respect of 2 Officers and 35 O.R's P.W. belong-
ing to 103 Ital.Aux.Pnr.Group (11), 104 Ital.Aux.Pnr.Group
(8), 106 Ital.Aux.Pnr.Group (18), repatriated to Italy on the
15/9/1945 from 35 B.G.H. CBO, on medical grounds (recommended
by the ad hoc Medical Commission, 7th Tour).-

J.H.W.
Lt.Col.
Group Commander
103 Italian Auxiliary Pioneer Group
(J.KELLS)

- Copy to : →
- Allied Control Commission, together with 2 copies each of the Nom.Rolls quoted above.-
 - Controller, P.W.I.B., G.H.Q., M.E.F. Cairo together with 1 copy each of the Nom.Rolls quoted above.-

Herewith:

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 Lt. Col.
 Group Commander
 103 Italian Auxiliary Pioneer Group
 (J. KELLS)

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
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I. STRENGTH RETURN on EMBARKATION & DISEMBARKATION of Italian P.W.

Serial No. (C) _____ on moving from Colombo (Ceylon) on 15. 9. 1945 to Italy

To be rendered by Officers Commanding units for complete units, portions of a unit, or drafts (of a strength of five or over) (d) for embarkation. A separate form for all parties. If Reconnaissance or Advanced Party, this should be stated.

DETAIL	Personnel (of which a complete nominal roll must be rendered at Part III of this Return).									Animals.		Tons d. w. (e).		
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	S/Sergents and Sergeants.	Trumpeters and Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total Other Ranks.	Total All Ranks.	Q.A.I.M.N.S.			S.A.A.	A. F. G. rags equipment.	Baggage.
Strength as entrained for port of embarkation.					2		2	2						
Casualties en route for port of embarkation.														
Strength actually EMBARKED.														
Casualties during the sea voyage.														
Strength actually disembarked for service.														

Extreme accuracy is to be observed in the compilation and amendment of this return. It will be signed as follows:—

- (i) By O. C. unit furnishing return. (ii) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of embarkation. (iii) On disembarkation, by O. C. unit or Conducting Officer (in the case of short sea voyage) or by O. C. Troops on board (long sea voyage). (iv) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of disembarkation.

The particulars required below will be entered by the Embarkation Staff Officers.

EMBARKED at _____ per S.S. _____ on _____ 19 _____

DISEMBARKED at _____ on _____ 19 _____

- (a) To be disposed of as set out overleaf.
- (b) Delete as necessary.
- (c) On embarkation from U. K. if unit is allotted to the Field Force, this number (as laid down in Mobilization Tables) should be given.
- (d) For parties of less than five, A. F. W. 3060 (Embarkation Card) will be used.
- (e) In these columns will be entered the weights of accompanied stores, equipment, etc., which are not shipped loaded in vehicles, and which will, therefore, require transport on land.

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Army Form W-5169.

on **EMBARKATION & DISEMBARKATION** of *Italian P.M.*

Colombo (Cyba) on *15. 9.* 19 *45* to *Italy*

(Complete unit, portion of unit, or draft) (b).
(Field Force or station).

(To be prepared in sextuple and handed to Embarkation Staff Officer at port of embarkation) (c).

for complete units, portions of a unit, or drafts (of a strength of five or over) (d) for embarkation. A separate form to be rendered for each advanced Party, this should be stated.

Animal (of which a complete nominal roll must be rendered at Part III of this Return).

						Animals.	Tons d. w. (e).			Remarks (Including full particulars of any casualties).
Trumpeters and Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total Other Ranks.	Total All Ranks.	Q.A.I.M.N.S.		S.A.A.	A. F. G. 1098 equipment.	Baggage.	
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and amendment of this return. It will be signed as follows:—
 (i) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of embarkation. (ii) On disembarkation, by O. C. unit or sea voyage) or by O. C. Troops on board (long sea voyage). (iv) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of disembarkation.

per S.S. _____ on _____ 19____
 on _____ 19____

(b) Delete as necessary.
 is allotted to the Field Force, this number (as laid down in Mobilization Tables) should be given.
 V. 3060 (Embarkation Card) will be used.
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Signatures:—
 (i) 103, ITALIAN AUXILIARY PICKET GROUP.
 O. C., unit furnishing return.
 (ii) _____
 E. S. O. (Port of embarkation).
 (iii) _____
 O. C. (for signature on disembarkation).
 (iv) _____
 E. S. O. (Port of disembarkation).

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II. WAR OUTFIT OF UNIT.

In all cases where personnel of the unit accompany mechanical vehicles, guns, etc., TO THE PORT, details of such vehicles, etc., will be entered on this part of the Return as accurate as for those in Part I.

Normally, mechanical vehicles will be embarked in ships separate from personnel, and Part II of this form will be the official record of mechanical vehicles only as far as and III of this form will continue to be the official return for personnel as far as the port of disembarkation.

When mechanical vehicles are embarked separately as described above, the columns referring to these vehicles will be endorsed by the Embarkation Staff "Embarked separately"; if, for tactical or other reasons, mechanical vehicles are carried in the same ship as the personnel, this return will support both personnel and vehicles to the port of disembarkation.

DETAIL	H. D. Vehicles.			Guns, Carriages, Limbers, etc. (describe).	Ammunition Wagons and Limbers.	Mechanical vehicles (describe) and Trailers.										Bicycles		
	2-wheeled.	4-wheeled.																
Strength as entrained or proceeding by road to port of shipment.																		
Casualties en route to port of shipment.																		
Numbers actually handed over for LOADING.																		

INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DISPOSAL.

All six copies of this form are to be handed to Embarkation Staff Officer at port of embarkation and disposed of as under.

Three copies to be retained by Embarkation Staff Officer at port of embarkation, one of which is to be forwarded to the War Office (Q. M. G. 2) as soon as the vessel and one copy retained for immediate despatch to the port to which the vessel was proceeding in the event of the vessel being lost at sea.

Three copies, after signature, to be handed back to Officer Commanding unit or Conducting Officer (in the case of a short sea voyage), or delivered to O. C. Troops in both cases. The officer who has charge of the documents during the voyage will be responsible for handing them—duly amended as regards casualties, etc.—to the Embarkation, who will retain one copy and forward one copy each to the War Office (Q. M. G. 2) and D. A. G. and Echelon, respectively.

II. WAR OUTFIT OF UNIT.

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Guns, Carriages, Limbers, etc. (describe).	Ammunition Wagons and Limbers	Mechanical vehicles (describe) and Trailers.										Bicycles	Remarks (Including particulars of replacement of vehicle casualties at port of embarkation).	

INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DISPOSAL.

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to the port to which the vessel was proceeding in the event of the vessel being lost at sea.

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documents during the voyage will be responsible for handing them—duly amended as regards casualties, etc.—to the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of disembarkation.
copy each to the War Office (Q. M. G. 2) and D. A. G., 2nd Echelon, respectively.

III. NOMINAL ROLL (To include all ranks).

To be continued on the back of this form and, if necessary, on additional sheets in manuscript. The greatest care is to be observed in the compilation and amendment of this roll.

Army Number	Rank.	Initials.	Surname.	<p>If proceeding on transfer to another Regt. or Corps, the fact should be stated and the designation of the unit given here.</p> <p>If not actually belonging to the unit rendering this form, the fact should be stated and the unit from which detached, etc., should be given here.</p>
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<u>WARRANT OFFICERS.</u>				

WARRANT OFFICERS.

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III. NOMINAL ROLL.—(Contd.)

Army Number	Rank	Initials	Surname	<p>If proceeding on transfer to another Regt. or Corps, the fact should be stated and the designation of the unit given here.</p> <p>If not actually belonging to the unit rendering this form, the fact should be stated and the unit from which detached, etc., should be given here.</p>
23569 P.W.	Cor.	G.	C A B R I M I	<p>103 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Co. Date and place of Birth : 27/4/1917 - Paderno (Casolaro) Cremona</p>
114294 P.W.	Cor.	G.	Z O T T I	<p>103 Italian Mx. Pnr. Co. Date and place of Birth: 1/6/1920 - Bari</p>

OTHER RANKS (Alphabetically by Squadron, Company, etc.)

I. STRENGTH RETURN on EMBARKATION & DISEMBARKATION of Stanliu P. W.

Serial No. (C) _____) on moving from Colombo (Ceylon) on 15.9. 1945 to Italy

To be rendered by Officers Commanding units for complete units, portions of a unit, or drafts (of a strength of five or over) (d) for embarkation. A separate return for all parties. If Reconnaissance or Advanced Party, this should be stated.

DETAIL.	Personnel (of which a complete nominal roll must be rendered at Part III of this Return).									Animals.		Tons d. w. (e).		
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	S/Sergeants and Sergeants.	Trumpeters and Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total Other Ranks.	Total All Ranks.	Q.A.I.M.N.S.			S.A.V.	A. F. G. 1095 equipment.	Baggage.
Strength as entrained for port of embarkation.	1							1						
Casualties en route for port of embarkation.														
Strength actually EMBARKED.														
Casualties during the sea voyage.														
Strength actually disembarked for service.														

Extreme accuracy is to be observed in the compilation and amendment of this return. It will be signed as follows:—

- (i) By O. C. unit furnishing return. (ii) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of embarkation. (iii) On disembarkation, by O. C. unit or Conducting Officer (in the case of short sea voyage) or by O. C. Troops on board (long sea voyage). (iv) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of disembarkation.

The particulars required below will be entered by the Embarkation Staff Officers.

EMBARKED at _____ per S.S. _____ on _____ 19 _____

DISEMBARKED at _____ on _____ 19 _____

(a) To be disposed of as set out overleaf.

(b) Delete as necessary.

(c) On embarkation from U. K. if unit is allotted to the Field Force, this number (as laid down in Mobilization Tables) should be given.

(d) For parties of less than five, A. F. W. 3060 (Embarkation Card) will be used.

(e) In these columns will be entered the weights of accompanied stores, equipment, etc., which are not shipped loaded in vehicles, and which will, therefore, require transport on landing.

Army Form W-5169.

Report on EMBARKATION & DISEMBARKATION of Italian P.W.
Colombo (Ceylon) on 15.9. 1945 to Italy

(Complete unit, portion of unit, or draft) (b), (Field Force or station).

(To be prepared in sextuple and handed to Embarkation Staff Officer at port of embarkation) (a).

Forms for complete units, portions of a unit, or drafts (of a strength of five or over) (d) for embarkation. A separate form to be rendered for an Advanced Party, this should be stated.

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Trumpeters and Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total Other Ranks.	Total All Ranks.	Q.A.I.M.N.S.		S.A.A.	A. F. G. 1098 equipment.	Baggage.
				1					

Remarks (Including full particulars of any casualties).

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11/11/1945

Preparation and amendment of this return. It will be signed as follows:—
 (i) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of embarkation. (iii) On disembarkation, by O. C. unit or (short sea voyage) or by O. C. Troops on board (long sea voyage). (iv) By the Embarkation Staff Officer at the port of disembarkation.
 Entered by the Embarkation Staff Officers.
 per S.S. _____ on _____ 19____
 on _____ 19____

Signatures:—
 GROUP COMMANDER,
 103 ITALIAN AUXILIARY ENGINEER GROUP.
 (i) O. C., unit furnishing return.
 (ii) E. S. O. (Port of embarkation).
 (iii) O. C. (for signature on disembarkation).
 (iv) E. S. O. (Port of disembarkation).

(b) Delete as necessary.
 If unit is allotted to the Field Force, this number (as laid down in Mobilization Tables) should be given.
 F. W. 3060 (Embarkation Card) will be used.
 State the weights of accompanied stores, equipment, etc., which are not shipped loaded in vehicles, and require transport on landing.

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II. WAR OUTFIT OF UNIT.

In all cases where personnel of the unit accompany mechanical vehicles, guns, etc., TO THE PORT, details of such vehicles, etc., will be entered on this part of the Return as accurate as for those in Part I.

Normally, mechanical vehicles will be embarked in ships separate from personnel, and Part II of this form will be the official record of mechanical vehicles only as far as and Part III of this form will continue to be the official return for personnel as far as the port of disembarkation.

When mechanical vehicles are embarked separately as described above, the columns referring to these vehicles will be endorsed by the Embarkation Staff "Embarked separately." If, for tactical or other reasons, mechanical vehicles are carried in the same ship as the personnel, this return will support both personnel and vehicles to the port of disembarkation.

DETAIL	H. D. Vehicles.			Guns, Carriages, Limbers, etc. (describe).	Ammunition Wagons and Limbers.	Mechanical vehicles (describe) and Trailers.										Bicycles		
	2-wheeled.	4-wheeled.																
Strength as entrained or proceeding by road to port of shipment.																		
Casualties en route to port of shipment.																		
Numbers actually handed over for LOADING.																		

INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DISPOSAL.

All six copies of this form are to be handed to Embarkation Staff Officer at port of embarkation and disposed of as under.

Three copies to be retained by Embarkation Staff Officer at port of embarkation, one of which is to be forwarded to the War Office (Q. M. G. 2) as soon as the vessel and one copy retained for immediate despatch to the port to which the vessel was proceeding in the event of the vessel being lost at sea.

Three copies, after signature, to be handed back to Officer Commanding unit or Conducting Officer (in the case of a short sea voyage), or delivered to G. C. Troops in both cases. The officer who has charge of the documents during the voyage will be responsible for handing them—duly amended as regards casualties, etc.—to the Embarkation, who will retain one copy and forward one copy each to the War Office (Q. M. G. 2) and D. A. G., 2nd Echelon, respectively.

II. WAR OUTFIT OF UNIT.

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INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DISPOSAL.

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 rd one copy each to the War Office (Q. M. G. 2) and D. A. G., 2nd Echelon, respectively.

III. NOMINAL ROLL (To include all ranks).

To be continued on the back of this form and, if necessary, on additional sheets in manuscript. The greatest care is to be observed in the compilation and amendment of this roll.

Army Number	Rank.	Initials.	Surname.	<p>If proceeding on transfer to another Regt. or Corps, the fact should be stated and the designation of the unit given here.</p> <p>If not actually belonging to the unit rendering this form, the fact should be stated and the unit from which detached, etc., should be given here.</p>
177029 P.M.	Cap.	C.	<p><u>OFFICERS.</u></p> <p>G A U T I E R</p>	<p>103 Ital. Aux. Pnr. Co. Date and place of Birth : 22/7/1911 - Padova</p>
<u>WARRANT OFFICERS.</u>				

Date and place of Birth :
22/5/1911 - Padova

WARRANT OFFICERS.

III. NOMINAL ROLL.—(Contd).

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<p><u>OTHER RANKS (Alphabetically by Squadron, Company, etc.)</u></p>				

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

IPW/1/7IND/148016 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Maj. GUIDOTTO, Mario 80953 - Camp 10/5 INDIA
TO : GHQ-GMP
GI(Br.)

1. The Ministry of Post War Assistance have informed this Division that the a/m officer was listed for repatriation in Jan. '45 by 6th International Medical Commission, on the grounds of ill health.
2. On 28 March 1945, the officers who were listed with him by the same Commission for repatriation, left for Italy but Maj. Guidotti was left behind. His health is getting worse.
3. Will you please ascertain if this information is correct and if so examine the possibilities of his speedy repatriation.
4. For your information, our files show that the a/m was also listed under your CR/3863/GI(Br) dated 20 Dec. 1944.

For the Chief Commissioner

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

See 1621

Copy to: M. Post War Assistance

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

IPW/1/7IND/1479

16 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Movement of ex PW
 TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance , Bureau for PW

1. Ref. our letter 1/7/IND/1276 dated 21 Aug. 1945 (copy attached)
2. On 21 Sept. 1945 in our letter 1/7IND/1395 we requested you to expedite your reply.
3. No reply has yet been received. This matter is of the utmost urgency. Please send your reply immediatly.
4. Please also confirm that the u/m PW have been repatriated to ITALY.

1824 Magg. DE PIETRI, Giovanni
 1678 Capt. ORIOLO, Lorenzo
 2997 Ten. BUCCHIERI, Raffaele

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

Copy of letter: : IPW/1/7IND/1276

copy of letter

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to IPW

SUBJECT:- Movements of ex-Prisoners of War.

GHQ GMP

3155/A2

9 Oct 45

TO :- Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

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1. Please expedite reply to this Headquarters G1(Br)/3174/A2 dated 15 Aug 45.

2. Please also confirm that the under-mentioned Italian ex-prisoners of war have been repatriated to ITALY.

1824 Magg. DE PIERI, Giovanni.
1678 Capt. CRIOLO, Lorenzo.
2997 Ten. BUCCHIELLI, Raffaele.

G. Ledger

B. LEDGER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
D.A.G.

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	INITIALS. <i>M. Ledger</i>	HO AC APO 394
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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IPW 1/7/IND/1466

13 Oct '45

Subject : Medical Examination = Lt. CECCHETTI Zeno

To : A.F.H.Q. (S) (B)

- 1/. The Ministry of Post War Assistance have requested that the a/a be examined by a Mixed Medical board and if his condition warrants, he be repatriated.
- 2/. He is in hospital at YOL, India.

For the Chief Commissioner:

See 1514
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M.W. HAMILTON
(in absence on duty of)

J.E. REGIS
Lt. Colonel
Chief
IPW Division

Copy to : Min. Post War Assistance
(your letter of 5 Oct refers)

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
P.O.W. Bureau

5 October 1945

TO: Allied Commission
S/C for Italian POW
Rome

SUBJECT : Lt. CECCHETTI Zeno son of Francesco no. 24007 -

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The parents of the Officer in question are in great anxiety regarding him, as he is in hospital in Jol - India, and they have not heard from him for a very long while.

We beg your Commission to ask the competent Authorities to have this officer pass a mixed Medical examination and if stated as by ill, have him repatriated as soon as is possible.

Thank you

signed/Dr. Fausto Nitti

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ROME

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

HWH/tb

IPW 1/7/IND/1460

13 October 1945

Subject: CAPANNA Giuseppe.

To : Ministry of Post War Assistance.

- 1/. Reference your 40777 dated 6 Oct.
- 2/. Herewith copy of letter requested, our IPW/1/7/IND/1276.
- 3/. Please treat as urgent.

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H.W. HAMILTON
(in absence on duty of)

J.E. REGIS
Lt. Colonel
Chief
IPW Division

Incl. As in para 2.

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
P.O.W. Bureau

BM/MdP

6 October 1945

TO: Allied Commission
S/C for Italian POW

L/40777

Rome

SUBJECT : CAPANNA Giuseppe -

Reference your IPW/1/7IND/1395 dated 21 Sept.45, same subject.

Your letter IPW/1/7IND/1276 has not been received by this Office.

Will you please forward a copy.

Thank you

s/ Dr.Fausto Nitti

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
IPW Bureau
Prot. No. 8545/Sez.1/1

SUBJECT : Maggiore Guidotti Mario
TO : AC IPW Division

This Ministry has been informed that Major Guidotti Mario POW since the 1st of April 1941 (No.80953 Camp No.10/5 India) was listed for repatriation in Jan. 1945 by the 6th International Medical Commission, on the grounds of ill health.

On the 28th of March 1945 the officers who were listed with him by the same Commission for repatriation, left for Italy but Major Guidotti was left behind and his health is getting steadily worse.

We beg your Commission to call this matter to the attention of the proper authorities and ascertain if what is stated above is correct and if so to examine the possibilities of his eventual repatriation.

Signed ;

Dr. Fausto Nitti

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CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/11/7 IND/1451

6 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Lt. TILLACOS
TO : GI (Br)

- 1. The attached correspondence received in this Office from the Allied Screening Commission is forwarded to you for such action as you may deem necessary.
- 2. Please notify this Division of action taken.

For the Chief Commissioner

[Handwritten signature]

H.W. HAMILTON, MAJ.

in absence on duty of:

J.D. REGIS
Lieut. Col.
Chief
IPW DIV.

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*Rec 1588
- copy 102*

Copy to: HQ, Allied Screening Commission (your b-13/81A/H/AL/1 of 3 Oct. refers.)

HEADQUARTERS
 ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (Italy),
 C.M.F.

3 OCTOBER 1945

ABC-C-13/CLA/TM/AL/1.

SUBJECT: Signorina MARIA TILIACOS, Via Quattro Fontane, S. Rome.

TO:- H.Q.
 Allied Commission.

For the kind attention of Lt. Col. J. A. CAMPBELL.

1. This Commission is pleased to confirm assistance rendered by the above-named lady to Allied evaders and escapers during the German Occupation of the Rome area.
2. One of her brothers who had been deported in Germany has been reported as having died in the Dachau concentration camp. Another one, Lieut. Nicola TILIACOS, No. 240685 is a prisoner of war in British hands, his most recent address being :No. 10/1 P.W. Camp, c/o G.P.O. BOMBAY. The parents are old people, over 60, and Signorina TILIACOS is most anxious to have her brother back as soon as possible. Being now a mental patient he is scheduled to return to Italy with the first opportunity.
3. This Commission would be grateful if something could be done to speed up the repatriation of this officer whose presence at home, in view of the above mentioned circumstances, is most necessary.

T. Melletton

T. MELLETTON
 Lieut. RMVR
 Control-Officer- Section No. 7.
 Allied Screening Commission (Italy),
 C.M.F.

1/7/India

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
 IO AC APO 384 - 6 OCT 1945
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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War
M.M.C. Cases.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.

322/A2

3 Oct 45

Copy to : Allied Commission, Civil Affairs Section, IPW Division -
Your IPW/1/7IND/413 dated 25 Sep 45 refers.

1. With reference to this Headquarters letter of even number dated 8 Sep 45.
2. It has now been established that the Italian Authorities are able to accept M.M.C. repatriates at both TARANTO and NAPLES.
3. Para 4 of the above-quoted letter is, therefore, cancelled.

4 OCT 1945

E. Ledger

E. LEDGER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Lieutenant General,
Acting Commander-in-Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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

IPW/1/7/Ind.14486 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : 31325 Ten. BARNETTIER, Giuseppe
TO : Ministry of Post war Assistance PW Bureau

1. Ref. your 30828 of 27 July
2. We have heard that the a/m PW who was suffering from neurasthenia, was repatriated to ITALY on 17 Aug. '45.

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

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SUBJECT :- Release of Italian Prisoners of War on Medical Grounds.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission
(IPW Sub-Commission)



GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

3841/A2

2 Oct 45

31325 Ten BARNETTIER Giuseppe

1. With reference to your IPW/1/7IND/1320 dated 28 Aug 45.
2. The above-named Prisoner of War ^{who} was suffering from neurasthenia was repatriated to ITALY on 17 Aug 45.

E. Ledger (144)

E. LEDGER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG.



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Subject:- Docu its - Repatriated Italian

Prisoner of War Accounts Office CM.
C.M.F.

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22 Sept 45.

H.Q., Group 2, PW Camp,
INDIA COMMAND

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1. Reference your letter P/3528 dated 12 Aug 45 addressed to AFHQ, Mediterranean Theatre, which has been passed to this office.
2. Can you please inform this office whether the PW listed were moved to ITALY, and if so, what was their E.T.A., and were they part of a large draft.

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Major,
C.i/c PW Accounts Office CM.

Copy to:- Allied Commission,
Civil Affairs Section,
Italian Prisoners of War Division. ✓
(Your letter IPW/1/7 IND/1339 d/d 7 Sept 45
to AFHQ refers)

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

IPW/1/7IND/1430

27 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : Nominal rolls Sick and Wounded ex INDIA

TO : Autonomous Office for Veterans and Repatriated PW
TO : Post War Assistance Bureau for PW

1. Herewith nominal rolls of 165 medical cases PW embarked on hospital ship on 17/8/45
2. Forwarded to complete your record.

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

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

IPW/1/7IND/141325 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Sick & Wounded IPW - Ambulance train "
TO : A.F.H.Q. GI (Br)

1. With ref. to your 3822/A2 of 17 Sp.1945
2. As requested in para 5 of your above quoted letter we attach a translation of report received from the Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatriated PW.
3. The cause of this confusion appears to be that this Div. has been dealing with the Ministry of Post War Assistance Bureau who in turn has passed on information to the Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatriated PW for action with the resultant confusion.
4. It has now been proposed that this Division will deal directly and only with the Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatriated PW. This should prevent a recurrence of any such happenings.
5. It is now established that the Italian Authorities are in a position to receive further lots of A.M.C. repatriates at both TARANTO and NAPLES.

See 1/7/2nd/1449.

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

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

IPW/1/7IND/141125 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : Release of IPW on Medical Grounds

TO : Ministry of War = Min. of Post War Assistance PW Bur
& Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatr. IPW

1. Ref. our IPW/7IND/1230 of 9 Aug. '45
2. The diseases from which the undermentioned PW are suffering are as shown against their names.

W/439 Pnr. CAPUTO, A. Gonococcal Arthritis
W/522 Pnr. TAGLIASACCHI, A. Fractured Tibia & Fibula(1)
3. In this list must be added the name of W/764 Pnr. D'AIUTO, A., suffering from Mysteria Visceral, who does not appear in above quoted letter.

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

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3912/12.

20 Sep 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub-Commission.

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1. Further to this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 3 Aug 45.
2. The diseases from which the under-mentioned PW are suffering are as shown against their names.

W/439 Pnr. CAPUTO, A.	Gonococcal Arthritis
W/522 Pnr. TAGLIASACCHI, A.	Fractured Tibia and Fibulia (L)

3. Please add to the list given in the above-quoted letter, the name of W/764 Pnr. D'AIUTO, A. who is suffering from Hysteria Visceral.

21 SEP 1945

E. Ledger

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

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Copy to:- Commander-in-Chief, INDIA - Your 120754/PW1(b) dated 12/13 Sep refers.

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See also 1230 / 9 Aug.

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SUBJECT :- Application for Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(BF)/3241/A2.

11 Sep 45.

~~Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.~~

31325 Ten BAMBETLER, Giusepe.

1. Reference the attached copy of Allied Commission letter IPW/1/7 Ind/1320 dated 28 Aug 45.
2. Will you please make arrangements to have the above-named examined by a British Medical Specialist and forward the result of the examination to this Headquarters.

also see 1355

H. Ledger

H. LEDGER,
Staff Captain,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

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Copy to :- Commander-in-Chief, MIDDLE EAST FORCES - this Headquarters letter of even number dated 3 Sep 45 is cancelled.

Headquarters, Allied Commission, (IPW Sub-Commission) ✓

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DATE.	20 SEP 1945
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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22 September 1945

Subject : Repatriation of Sick and Wounded Italian Prisoners of War.
Ambulance Trains.

To : Ministry of War - Autonomous Office for War Veterans
and Repatriated PWs.
copy: Ministry Post War Assistance

- 1/. When, on 20 September 1945 you were informed that this Division had been advised of the RTA at Naples (12 Sept) of some 200 Italian Prisoners of War MOC cases from India, you stated that you could not accept such repatriates at Naples as there was no accommodation for such cases and you requested that they be sent to Taranto.
- 2/. As a result, this Division requested Higher Authority to arrange a hospital train to transfer these repatriates from Naples to Taranto. This was agreed. A further request was sent to GHQ, India requesting that in future all MOC cases from India should be sent to Taranto.
- 3/. On 12 September, the day upon which these repatriates were due to arrive at Naples, information was received by Higher Authority that the Italian Government had ample accommodation in Naples for these MOC cases and that they did not wish them to be sent to Taranto.
- 4/. As a result of the lack of coordination in the part of the Italian Authorities an ambulance train had been moved from Rome to Naples, over congested lines to the detriment of normal traffic, all to no purpose.
- 5/. Will you please forward an explanation of this error to this Division and take steps to avoid a recurrence of such a wasteful mistake.
- 6/. Will you please also inform this Division whether, in fact, you are in a position to receive further lots of MOC repatriates at both Taranto and Naples.

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7/• It is pointed out that, if in future MTC cases are only acceptable at Toronto, repatriation can only be effected in ships that are bound for Toronto with a consequent slowing down of repatriation movement.

JAMES E. ARGIS
Lt.-Colonel
Chief
IPW Division

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Rome 22nd September 1945

MINISTRY OF WAR

Autonomous Office for War Veterans
and Repatriated POWTO : IPW Division
Civil Affairs Section
ROME

Prot. No 417723/RPGR

SUBJECT : Repatriation of prisoners from India.

On the 31st of August the H.C. for POW informed us that 247 sick Veterans, of whom 17 were mental cases, would arrive at Taranto, without informing us as to where they were coming from or the date of arrival.

On the 12th of September the H.C. again informed us that the Veterans were arriving from India, and that they would arrive on the 14th but instead of arriving at Taranto, would arrive at Naples, where they would find a hospital train that would transfer ^{THE} ~~them~~ same day to Taranto, in order to receive them in the hospitals of Puglia.

This office gave the necessary disposals to the Territorial Command at Naples, but the following day, on the 13th of September, the H.C. again changed these disposals, following a communication from the Allied Authorities that there were cases of bubonic plague at Taranto, therefore due to this fact the hospital train for Taranto was suppressed and the prisoners in question were sent to hospitals in Naples.

This office in consequence changed the orders to the Naples Command and the Veterans, on arriving on the 14th onboard the hospital ship Chantilly, 130 officers, 65 warrant officers and troops, all medical cases, were sent to hospitals in Campania.

Gen. A. Mannerini.

Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission
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SUBJECT :- Repatriation of Sick and Wounded Italian PW - Ambulance Trains.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3822/A2.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission, (IPW Sub-Commission)

17 Sep 45.

Confirming conversation HAMILTON - CONDRON, 12 Sep 45.

1. When, on the 8 Sep 45, you were informed that this Headquarters had been advised of the ETA NAPLES (12 Sep 45) of some 200 Italian PW MMC cases ex-INDIA, you stated that the Italian Authorities had protested that they could not accept MMC repatriates at NAPLES as there was no accommodation available there for such cases.

2. As a result of this assurance the following action was taken by this Headquarters :

(a) AFHQ letter G1(Br)/3822/A2 of the 8 Sep 45 was sent to GHQ., INDIA (copy to you) requesting that, in future, MMC repatriates be returned to ITALY in ships that are bound for TARANTO where the Italian authorities claim to have suitable accommodation.

(b) Arrangements were made for the movement of an Ambulance train from ROME to NAPLES in order that same would be available at NAPLES on 12 Sep 45 to transfer these MMC cases to TARANTO. You were informed accordingly on 8 Sep 45.

moving to Ambulance trains

3. On 12 Sep 45, the day upon which these repatriates were due to arrive at NAPLES, information was received by Medical (Br) AFHQ from the Italian Authorities that they had ample accommodation in NAPLES for these MMC cases, that they did not wish to have them transferred to TARANTO, and that the Ambulance train was no longer required.

4. As a result of extreme carelessness and obvious lack of co-ordination on the part of the Italian Authorities an Ambulance train had been moved from ROME to NAPLES, over congested lines to the detriment of normal traffic, all to no purpose.

5. Will you please see that this matter is placed before the Italian High Commissioner for P.W. and request that an explanation of this error be forwarded to this Headquarters and that every step be taken to avoid a recurrence of such a wasteful mistake.

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6. Will you also please inform this Headquarters whether, in fact, the Italian Authorities are in a position to receive further lots of MMC repatriates at both TARANTO and NAPLES, in which case this Headquarters letter G1(Br)/3822/A2 of 8 Sep 45 to GHQ., INDIA, will be cancelled.

7. It is pointed out that, if in future MMC cases are only acceptable at TARANTO, repatriation will only be effected in ships that are bound for TARANTO with a consequent slowing down of repatriation movement.

8. It is pointed out that while every effort is made by the British Authorities to accelerate the repatriation of Italian Sick and wounded P.W. this Headquarters frequently receives letters from the Italian High Commissioner for P.W. requesting that repatriation movement, especially from INDIA, be speeded up. It would appear that the Italian machinery for the reception of MMC cases on arrival in ITALY is scarcely efficient enough to cope with the very considerable numbers of such cases that are already being repatriated.

Richard G. L. Co.

A.S. BARSDORF,
Lieut - Col .A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG., G.1(Br).

ERC/et

Copy to : ~~G-4 (Mov & Tn)~~ - Your Mov 3/348/9 of 14 Sep 45 refers.
~~Med (Br)~~

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

IPW/1/7IND/139521 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : CAPANNA, Giuseppe, 27988

TO : Ministry of War
for Ministry of Post War Assistance (PW Bureau)

1. Ref. our 1/7IND/1276 of 21 Aug. '45
2. Please expedite your reply as this matter is urgent.

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

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Subject: - Movement 1 PW

Prisoner of War Accounts Office CM,
Telephone: VALJEAN 48 (1R)
I/R/1 // Sept 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub Commission.

27988 Sold CAPANNA Giuseppe 1275

1. Reference AFHQ letter G1(Br)/3174/A2 dated 15 Aug 45 in connection with the repatriation of the a/n Italian PW.
2. As this office has taken over this matter, please forward your reply to the above address.

BKL.

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See 1276
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Monteith Capt.

For Major,
O.i/o PW Accounts Office CM.

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7. Action to me

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1 POW S/C

SUBJECT :- Miscellaneous Enquiries.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub Commission.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3841/A2.

13 Sep 45.

1. Reference conversation HAMILTON/LEDGER 11 Sep 45.
- 1/7/PBS/1387 2. Copy of this Headquarters letter G1(Br)/3841/A2 dated 21 July 45 addressed to Allied Commission, PSSC, is forwarded herewith.
- 1/7/2001/1355 3. A request has been made to Commander in Chief, INDIA for Ten. BARMETTLER to be medically examined. A copy of this request is addressed to your Headquarters.
4. The enclosures referred to in this Headquarters 3836/A2 dated 21 Aug 45 were definitely forwarded with that letter. No copies are available at this Headquarters.

16 SEP 1945

h. Ledger

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

EL/DDKT.

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DATE 18 SET. 1945

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW
on Medical Grounds.

DATE 27 Aug 45

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25 Aug 45

Headquarters Allied Commission
(Public Safety Sub-Commission SICILY Division).

T/228387 Mar Capo QUINTILI, F.

Reference AFHQ G1(Br)3841/A2 dated 21 July 45.

The above named was released from 6 Base Psychiatric
Centre to Ospedale Psichiatrico Provinciale Naples on
4 Apr 45.

M/A
17/8/45.

- ① See if we had a copy.
- ② We should NOT have done as there is no card entry.
- ③ Suggest you phone Capt Hedges of (Br) h. Freedom 966

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Quilborn
Maj-Gen
Comd

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Phoned Hedges in Sept
he is sending a copy,

30 AGO. 1945

ALLIED COMMISSION PALERMO OFFICER
CATANIA

LO/CAT/30

To:- Headquarters, Allied Commission,
C.I.F.
(for Public Safety Sub-Commission).

Subject:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

1. The attached letter received from 3 District does not refer to any application made from this office, and enquiries at Palermo have also proved negative.
2. It is thought the letter should have been directed to you, but was incorrectly addressed.

H. Bentley
H. BENTLEY
Major
Liaison Officer

Catania
27 August 45.

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DATE.	6.1.45
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Subject:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS

Headquarters Allied Commission
(Public Safety Sub Commission
Security Division)

SI (Br)/3841/A2

21 Jul 45

2/228387 War Camp QUINWELL, F.
Late 209 PW Camp

Recommends your DD/140.40 of 17 Jul 45.

Authority was given in this HQ letter of even reference, dated 15 Mar 45, to HQ 3 District (copy to HQ Allied Commission EPW S-C) for the release of the above mentioned man on medical grounds.

[Signature]
R. R. CONNOR, Captain
Staff Capt
for Major General
DAC G-1 (Br)

TBI/aw.

Copy to Headquarters 3 District - Will you please inform HQ Allied Commission Public Safety S-C Security Division, whether the above mentioned PW entered an Italian Hospital on release from 209 PW Camp.

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

IPW/1/7/INDIA/136112 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of IPW + MGC Cases
TO : War Ministry
for Ministry of Post War Assistance (PW Bureau)

1. We are forwarding you the nominal rolls in respect of the draft of 197 MGC cases being repatriated from INDIA.
2. ETA of this draft will be notified as soon as possible.

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

Encl. 3 copy nominal rolls

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italians PW - IMC Cases.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3822/A2.

8 Sep 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

1. One copy of the nominal rolls in respect of the draft of 197 IMC cases being repatriated from INDIA is forwarded herewith.
2. ETA of this draft will be notified as soon as possible.

T.R. Condon

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



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Copy to: Officer i/c PW Accounts Office.

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*12 Sep. N. Raels
named to
Typist*

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11 Pow S/c

SUBJECT :- Repatriation of Italian PW - MPO Cases.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

C1(ER)/3822/42.

Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.

8 Sep 45.

1. With reference to your 40104/2/P.W.1(D) dated 26 Aug 45.
2. Receipt is acknowledged of nominal rolls in respect of 197 MPO repatriates.
3. Date of arrival of the draft will be notified soonest.
4. As there is no accommodation for MPO repatriates at NAPLES it would be appreciated if you would, in future, arrange for such repatriates to be returned to ITALY in ships, that are bound for TARANTO where suitable accommodation is available.

T. E. Condon

T. E. CONDON,
Major, D.A.A.C.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

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Copy to :- Headquarters, Allied Commission. (IPW Sub-Commission)

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: FX 41759
Date/Time of Origin: SEP 072115B

Message Centre No: F/6874
Date Time Rec'd: SEP 080915
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE PHGDM
TO : MOV NAPLES INFO SSTLO NAPLES DISTHREE MOV LO DISTHREE 56 AREA
PENSOUTH ALCOM ROME

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1. HS CHANTILLY Eta NAPLES 12 September with following Italian invalids on board from INDIA for NAPLES. Medical and surgical 184. Mental PN 16.
2. Vessel will embark patients for UK destination under arrangements MOV NAPLES.
3. Agreed PS to MED MED (B).

Total $\begin{matrix} 184 \\ 16 \\ \hline 200 \end{matrix}$

See 1359

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Autouelli: informed 1220 hours.
11 Sept 45. *AWA*

HEADQUARTERS
8-SEP-1945
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I.P.W. S/C

SUBJECT:- Application for Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

Commander in Chief,
MIDDLE EAST FORCES.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(BF)/324/12.

3 Sep 45.

31325 Ten. BARNETTINI, Giuseppe.

1355

1. Reference the attached copy of Allied Commission letter IPW/1/7 Ind/1320 dated 28 Aug 45.

2. Will you please make arrangements to have the above-named examined by a medical specialist and forward the result of the examination to this Headquarters.

T.R. Connor

T.R. CONNOR,
Major, D.A.A.C.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

See 1320
N/A

EL/DEKT.

Encl.

Copy to :- Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub Commission.

*Capt Hedges appears to have made a nonsense!!
This PW is in a camp in BOMBAY - hardly the
concern of Com-C MIDEAST!!!!
Tell him to "extract digit" ——— Hedges advised
11 Sept 45*

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1/7/IND.

ENTERED ON CARDS. DATE. 6 SEPT 1945
INITIALS. P. Tal.

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

IPW/1/7 IND./1345

7 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : Condition of PWs at YOL Camp.
TO : War Ministry
for Min. of Post War Assistance (PW Bureau)

1. Ref. your 3008/Pol.C/13A of 28 Aug.
2. You refer to the position of PW at Yol.
A full investigation was made, in May last, of conditions at Yol Camp and a report sent to you, our 1/7/1042 of 1 JUNE refers.
3. It is well known that repatriation from INDIA has been slow but it is hoped, that with the conclusion of war in the FAR EAST, this will improve.

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

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POST WAR ASSISTANCE MINISTRY
P.O.W Bureau

Rome 28 August 1945

n. 3008/Pol.C/13-A

TO: Allied Commission
IPOW Sub Commission
Rome

SUBJECT : Italian Prisoner of War sick in India.

Following letter n. 534/Pol.C/13-A of the 15 February 1945.

Officers recently repatriated from India refer to us the sad and alarming position of more than a hundred Prisoner of War affected with mental diseases waiting repatriation since two years in the Yol hospital. We would be grateful to this Sub Commission to provide in the shortest delay possible that this special group of Prisoners of War be repatriated and at the same time to interest itself in the case of many other sick Prisoners of War that are waiting in camps and hospitals for their repatriation.

THE MINISTER

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

IPW/1/7 IND/13397 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : Italian PW ex 12 PW Camp INDIA

TO : AFHQ for GI (Br) A2

- 1338
1. Your GI(FR.) 3174/A2 of 26 Aug. refers
 2. Please state whether the PW listed were moved to ITALY, if so, when did they arrive and were they part of a large draft.

For the Chief Commissioner

HWA

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

See 1645 See 1431

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SUBJECT :- Italian PW. MHC Cases.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3174/A2.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission (IPW Sub-Commission)

26 Aug 45.

27 Aug 1945

Enclosed Nominal Roll and L.P.Cs of 7 Officers and 26 ORs ex PW who were transferred from INDIA 11 Aug 45 is forwarded herewith.

W.A. Goss
W.A. GOSS,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG., G.1(Br).

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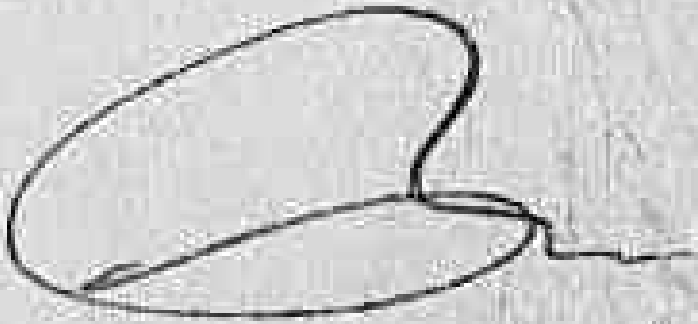
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL &
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION
APO 394

IPW/1/7IND/132028th Aug. '45

SUBJECT : Ten. BARNETTIER, Giuseppe (31325) PW 28/1 BOMBAY
TO : AFHQ for GI (Br) A2

1. As a result of statements made to the Italian High Commissioner for PW by relatives of this PW, request has been received that he be medically examined with a view to early repatriation.
2. He is understood to be a mental case whose repatriation he believes was recommended by a medical commission who examined him in Apr. '43.
3. May this case please be investigated and this HQ informed.

For the Chief Commissioner


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

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L'Alto Commissario for the PW

ROME 27th July '45

Military Office
N. 30828 dō Prot.

SUBJECT : Ten. BARMETTLER, Giuseppe PW in INDIA
31325 Camp 28/1

TO : Allied Comm. S/C. PW

Lieut. BARMETTLER Giuseppe, of the Engeneers, was captured in North AFRICA on the 4/1/'41 and interned in 28/1 Camp in INDIA, it is years that he suffers from mental illness, so much so that several times he has been taken to hospital.

As from declaration of his relatives he has undergone a medical visit by the regular Commission on April '43 and ~~his~~ his repatriation was recommended because found ill.

In consideration of the above we beg the Allied Commission to forward the request of release to the Higher Authorities so that Ten. BARMETTLER may be embarked with the first ship that leaves INDIA, so that his family may give him the necessary cures and allow him to get rid of the illness that for years he has been infected with.

Il segretario generale
(Vincenzo DAPINO Gen.)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
 APC 394
 WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL AND
 ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

IPW/1/11/1756

25th Aug. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Specialists from INDIA
 TO : ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER for PW

1. This serves to clarify para 2(f) of this HQ letter IPW/1/11/1730 dated 21 Aug. '45, and refers to your letter 32300/1/C.2.B dated 14 Apr. '45 and list 1 for 2nd half of May.
2. Please note that:
 - a) The following have already left INDIA on medical grounds, 23 May:
 - 53509-S/T GHERARDI, Mario
 - 299995-Cap. LINO, Francesco
 - b) Repatriation of the following had been requested prior to the submission of this list:
 - 12157 Ten. CAUDULLO, Carmillo
 - 180609 " GRILLI, Lino
 - c) Repatriation on medical grounds has already been recommended in the case of:
 - 170738 Cap. GUCCARO, Antonio.

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

Copy to File IPW/1/7 IND/1308

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WMD & IPW

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: *A5/39227*
Date/Time of Origin: *AUG 190645B*

Message Centre No: *F/4516*
Date Time Rec'd: *AUG 200830B*
Precedence: *ROUTINE*

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FROM: *MIDEAST*
TO : *ACTION AMHQ REPEATED DETARMINDIA, ALLIED COMMISSION ROME (REENCIPHERED FREEDOM)*

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Your FX 22874 cite *FHM* of 15 July. *E.T.A.*

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ACTION: *WMD & IPW SC*
INFO: *Chief Commissioner*
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HEADQUARTERS
20 AUG 1945

INFORMATION
FOR THE
SECRETARY
GENERAL
OF THE
ALLIED
COMMISSION

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

IPW/11/1730

21st Aug. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of specialist from INDIA

TO : ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER OF PW

1. Your letter, 2200/L/C.2B, dated 14 Apr. '45, forwarded List No 1 for the 2nd half of May '45.

2. Information has been received concerning these PW shown on the list as located in INDIA as follows.

a) Release NOT agreed on security grounds:

51442	Ten.	BELLEZZA, Angelo
170786	Stt.	COLOMBO, Enrico
27195	Ten.	DE FRANCISCI, Giovanni
120229	Ten.	LUPO, Guglielmo
146486	Sott.	MERIMONI, Gino
318132	Capt.	MATTARELLI, Enrico
31951	Ten.	MASELLI, Mario
21254	Sott.	RIGGIO, Domenico
21066	Ten.	SCOTTI, Giovanni
10534	MAJ.	VERNIANI, Eduardo
5124	Sott.	DIBENEDETTO, Roggo
116553	Sott.	CLEMENTELLI, Mario
333498	Capt.	DE CRISTO, Francesco
12362	Sott.	MENAGLIA, Mauro
69345	Ten.	MELFI, Giuseppe
652	Ten.	MONACO, Vittoria
110607	Ten.	PACCHIANI, Giovanni
136503	Capt.	SCHIFINI, Giovanni
01385	Ten.	TOMASELLO, Francesco
123406	Capt.	VIOLANTE, Luigi.

b) Already repatriated 23 May on medical grounds:

S/t. FERRAZZOLI, Ernesto 1651

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c) Died 10 Dec. '44.: Capt. PILLA Bernardo 69303

d) Transferred to AUSTRALIA 30 Jan. '45, but further application for his repatriation forwarded to the appropriate authority:

TO : ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER OF PW

1. Your letter, 2300/1/C.2B, dated 14 Apr. '45, forwarded List No. 1 for the 2nd half of May '45.

2. Information has been received concerning these PW shown on the list as located in INDIA as follows.

a) Release NOT agreed on security grounds:

51442	Ten.	BELLEZZA, Angelo
170786	Stt.	COLOMBO, Enrico
27195	Ten.	DE FRANCISCI, Giovanni
120229	Ten.	LUPO, Gaetano
146486	Sott.	MERIMONI, Gino
518132	Capt.	MATTARELLI, Enrico
51951	Ten.	MASELLI, Mario
21254	Sott.	RIGGIO, Domenico
21066	Ten.	SCOTTI, Giovanni
10534	Maj.	VERNIANI, Eduardo
5124	Sott.	DIBENEDETTO, Rocco
110553	Sott.	CLIMENTELLI, Mario
533498	Capt.	DE CRISTO, Francesco
18362	Sott.	MENAGLIA, Mauro
69345	Ten.	MELFI, Giuseppe
652	Ten.	MONACO, Vittoria
110607	Ten.	PACCHIANI, Giovanni
136503	Capt.	SCHIFINI, Giovanni
61385	Ten.	TOMASELLI, Francesco
123406	Capt.	VIOLANTE, Luigi.

b) Already repatriated 23 May on medical grounds:

S/t. FERRAZZOLI, Ernesto 1051

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c) Died 10 Dec. '44.: Capt. PILLA Bernardo 69303

d) Transferred to AUSTRALIA 30 Jan. '45, but further application for his repatriation forwarded to the appropriate authority:

Soldato VALORE, Antonino 16034

e) Application made to the government of INDIA for release of the civilian:

INTELLISANO, Ugo 41417

f) Action is being taken in INDIA for the release of those not accounted for in the preceding

(2)

paragraphs.

- 3. There is no information available concerning the probable date of sailing.

J. A. Campbell
 for J. A. CAMPBELL
 Lieut. Colonel
 Director
 WMD & IPW Sub Comm.

COPY TO FILE IPW/L/7IND/1278

EXTRACT FROM :AFHQ, G1(Br) 3855/8/A2
10th Aug. '45

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SUBJECT: Application for the release of IPW

1. Reference your 1/11/1097 (List 38) of 15 Apr. '45

3. N° 1851 S/T FERRAZZOLI, Ernesto was repatriated as an MMC case on 25 May '45.

T.R. CONDRON, Cpt.

Original = 1/11/1729

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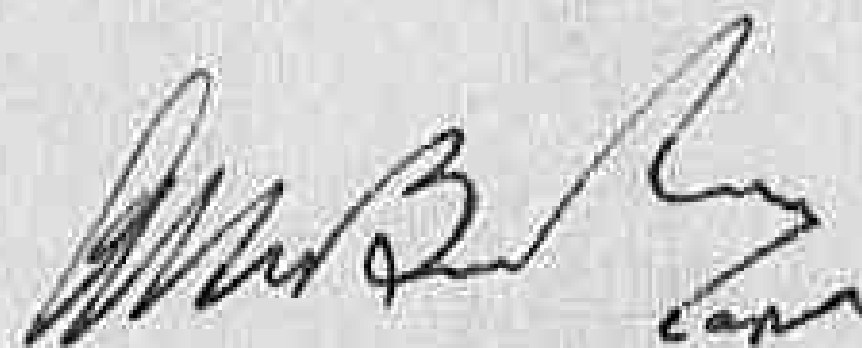
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
 APO 394
 WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL AND
 ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

IPW/1/7 IND/127621st Aug. '45

SUBJECT : Soldato CAPANNA, Giuseppe 27988

TO : ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSION for PW

1. This HQ letter IPW/1/7/1199, dated 1st Aug. '45 notified the evacuation of this PW by hospital ship 19 June '45 from EGYPT, after a period in Hospital en route from INDIA.
2. There now seems to be some doubt as to his safe arrival in ITALY.
3. Can you please state whether he did in fact arrive and if so on what date and to which port?



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

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See 1459
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SUBJECT:- Movement of ex PW.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
(IPW Sub Commission).

G1(Br)/3174/A2.

15 Aug 45.

1275

1. It is reported by GHQ., MIDDLE EAST FORCES, that 27988 Sold. CAPANNA, Guiseppo was evacuated to ITALY by hospital ship on 19 Jun 45.
2. Will you please confirm or otherwise his arrival in ITALY.

WAG/DDKT.

See 1276
HEADQUARTERS
16 AUG 1945
ALLIED COMMISSION

W.A. Goss
W.A. GOSS,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

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*IPW
1/7/IND*

EX-20 Via US
ENTERED BY CURRY
[Signature]

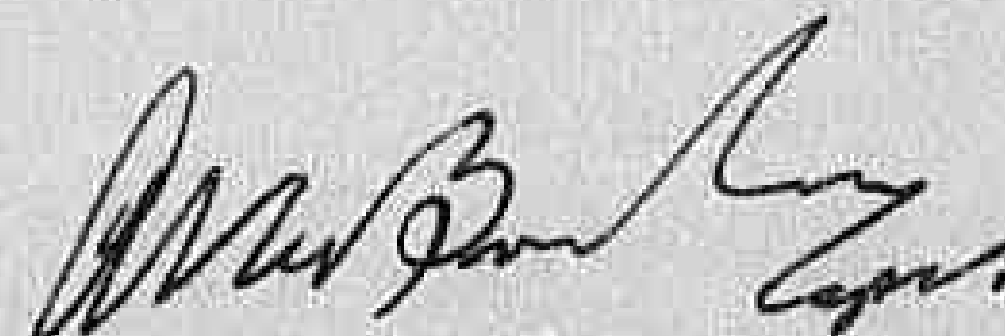
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

IPW/1/7 IND/125515th Aug. '45

TO : TO ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PRISONERS OF WAR
SUBJECT : Maj. DE PIETRI, Giovanni (1824) en route from INDIA
for repatriation.

1. This HQ letter 1/7/1143- A dated 10th July refers.
2. You will recollect that this PW was detained in MID.
EAST because he was too ill to continue the journey
home.
3. For your information, MIDEAST has been instructed
to expedite his movement if he is now sufficiently
recovered.



J. A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPW Sub Com.

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Copy to File LPW/1/1GM

1. P. W. S/C

SUBJECT :- Repatriation of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G.1(Br)/3822/A2.

9 Aug 45.

Commander-in-Chief,
M.E.F.

PW No. 192, Major DE PINI Giovanni -
Camp 305/34.

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1. This Headquarters has been informed that the above-named PW embarked, at INDIA, on 21 Sep 44, to be repatriated on Medical Grounds.
2. It is understood that the group of repatriates to whom this PW belonged were staged in the MIDDLE EAST for a few days and then proceeded to ITALY. DE PINI is said to have been too ill to accompany them and was sent to hospital.

This man is said to have recovered sufficiently to be able to complete the journey to ITALY.

3. If the above information is correct, and provided that you have no security or other objections to the release of this PW, it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for his repatriation to ITALY, advising this Headquarters of SEA ITALY, copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission, NOME.

Copy to 1/1 Com

Asbury
A.S. BARSDORF,
Lieut-Colonel, A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG., G.1(Br).

TRG/HT

Copy to: CMR 2nd Echelon.

✓ Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission. - Your
IPW/4/104/5253 of 13 Jul 45 refers.

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DATE: *14 Aug 45*
ENTERED ON CARDS.
INITIALS: *PT*

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Rome 4th August 1945

ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR POW

Military Office

TO : The Allied Commission
Sub Commission for Italian
POW and W.M.D.ROME

N° 42195

SUBJECT / Repatriation of POW

We accept the repatriation of the following groups of
mutilated and invalid Italian POW.

1. From India - 185 medical and surgical cases
16 mental cases

200 Port of landing - Taranto

2. From South Africa - 464 included 74 protected military
personnel. Port of landing - Naples.

We beg your Sub Commission to inform us of the ~~approx-~~
~~imate~~ day of their arrival.

For the High Commissioner

Gen. V. Dapino

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

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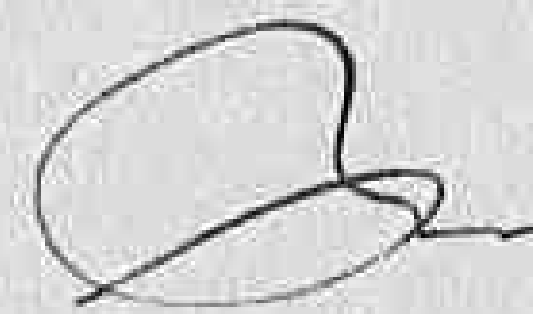
IRV/1/TDA/124210 August 1945

SUBJECT: Major GAIANI, Carlo - 81091.

TO : Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512.
(Attn: G-5 Sec.)

1. This HQ letter 1/7/45 dated 16 Dec. 44 enclosed lists of Italian PW in respect of whom examination by a mixed Medical Commission was requested by the Italian Government.
2. The a/n officer, held in Camp 27 (Bombay) was included.
3. The Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War requests that he be examined now, particularly as he is 68 years old.
4. May his case be investigated, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:



J. A. CAMPBELL
Lieut.-Colonel
Director
WD & IPW Sub-Com.

(Copy on File 1/29 also)

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ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR POW
Military Office

26 July 1945

N° 7791-1

1241

SUBJECT: Major CAIANI Carlo.--

TO: Allied Commission
Sub Commission for POW
ROME

We have been informed by some officers ex POW that Major Caiani Carlo, N° 81091 Camp 27 Wing G.P.O. Bombay, is ill, due to bad circulation of the blood.

In consideration of his age (60 years old) we beg your Sub-Commission to have Major Caiani, visited by a doctor and repatriated, if he is ill.

Said POW has already been included in the 4 list of this High Commissariat with letter 13515 dated 22-11-44.

We hope in a benevolent answer.

With thanks.

The General Secretary
V. Dapino

See 405

for 1242 See
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

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IPW/1/7/InA/12302 AUGUST 1945

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Sick and wounded PW from INDIA.

TO : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

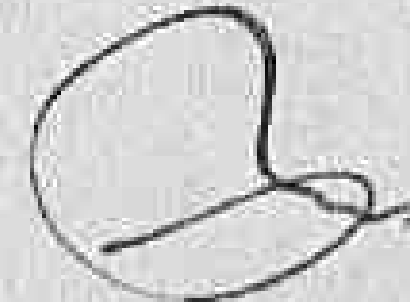
1. Information has been received that the following ten IPW are now eligible, or are soon likely to be eligible, for repatriation on medical grounds:

W/605	SAVIO G.	Mental case
W/602	TEMBILI G.	" "
W/823	MARCHIANTE F.	" "
W/696	SEVERINO A.	" "
W/698	PIETRU G.	" "
W/950	ZORZA A.	Anoebiasis
W/193	STREZZA A.	Failing eyesight
W/439	CARFEO A.	Illness not stated
W/1005	SIGNORINI M.	T.B.
W/J22	TACHIABAGHI A.	Paranoid State

2. No information is yet available concerning the expected date of arrival, which will be notified to you as soon as it is known.

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See 1229



J. A. CAMPBELL
Lieut.-Colonel
Director
WED & IPW Sub-Com.

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WMD + IPW

SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub-Commission.

G-1(Br)/3912/A-2

3 Aug 45.

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1. This Headquarters has been informed by GHQ INDIA that the following ten Italians are at the moment eligible, or are likely to become eligible for repatriation on medical grounds:-

X	W/645	SAVIO G.	Mental case
	W/602	TIMBULI G.	" "
	W/823	MARCIANTE F.	" "
	W/696	SEVERINO A.	" "
	W/698	PISANU C.	Amoebiasis
	W/950	ZORZA A.	Failing eyesight
	W/193	SEGMEZZA A.	Illness not stated
	W/439	CAPUTO A.	T.B.
	W/1005	SIGNORINI M.	Paranoid State. X
	W/J22	TAGLIASACCHI A.	

2. As soon as this Headquarters is notified of ETA you will be advised.

T.R. Condron

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br).

TRC/ER.



Copy to:- GHQ, INDIA.
(Your 120754/PW1(b) of 17 Jul 45.)
Please advise this Headquarters of ETA ITALY, copy to
Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.

See 1230

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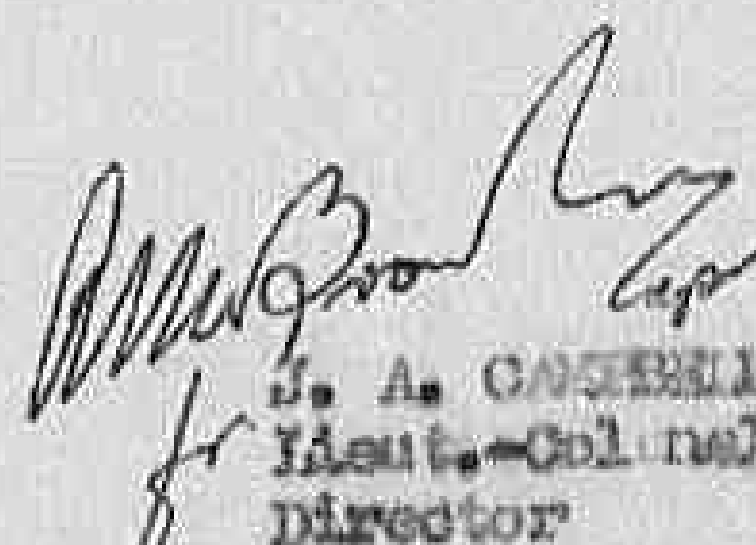
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AGC/ci

IPW/1/7 md/4228.2 August 1945

REPLY: Tenente NIGLISE Alberto, 6082.
TO : Segretario Particolare
Ministro della Guerra.

1. Your letter 941 SW dated 28 July 45 refers.
2. This Headquarters has been informed that the repatriation of this officer is not at present possible for security reasons.


J. A. CASRELL
Ident. Colonel
Director
WD & POW Sub-Com.

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Private Secretary
to the Minister of War

Rome, 28 July 45

TO: Allied Commission
S/C for Italian POW
Rome

No. 941 S.P.G.

1227

We beg your Sub-Commission to inform us regarding
the repatriation of 2nd Lieut. PUGLIESE Alberto, son of Saverio,
POW in India.

s/ Cap. Santi Maria Carta

Insecure - see 1/11/1350 A

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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

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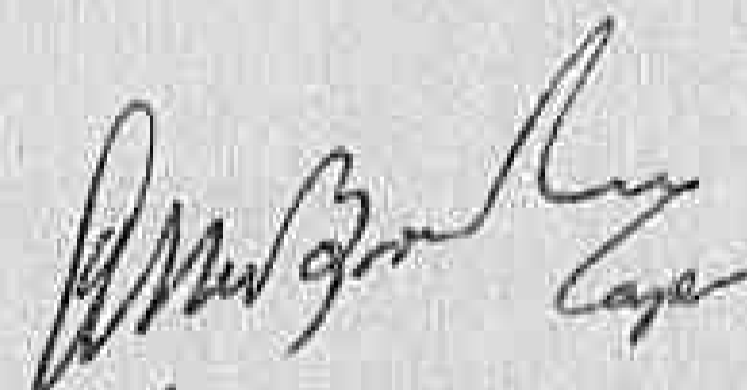
IPW 1/7 IRD/1223

8 August 1945

Subject : Repatriation of 29539 Sold. PULVINI G.

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

- 1/. This Headquarters has been notified that PULVINI was due to arrive from Middle East 5 August.
- 2/. Attached: Disposal order.



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

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INCOMING MESSAGE

R.O.W

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 4/5 35480

Message Centre No: F/2737

Date/Time of Origin: AUG 031145

Date Time Rec'd: AUG 051220

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: MIDEAST

TO: AFHQ INFO ARMINDIA, CEYLON ARMY CORP, AIGCM ROME

HEADQUARTERS
5 AUG 1945
A.I.C.

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Your FX/25476 of 20th July. Re Italian PW number 29339 soldier FULCINI G 5th August. Ailment duodenal ulcer.

M/C notes:

Reference quoted appears to be misquoted. Our records show FX 25478 pertaining to same subject.

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File 1/7/1220

IND

May 24, 1945.

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Nominal Rolls Italian Repatriated POWs.

L/. Attached herewith are Nominal Rolls of 249 IHC cases and 69 medical ordalies embarked for repatriation ex India in H.S. "DORSETSHIRE" on 28 April 45.

For the High Commissioner:

(Signature)
J. A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
SWB & IPGW S/O

Encl.: as above.

*See 1219
Nom. rolls with
to - 611*

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WFO, War Reliefs Division, and
British Council of War Reliefs
HQ at 200, Whitehall, London
S.W. 1
25/5/45

INCCMING MESSAGE

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: FX 31469
Date/Time of Origin: AUG 022117R

Message Centre No: F/2425
Date Time Rec'd: AUG 031030
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM AFHQ SIGNED ALEXANDER SITE RHGAB
TO : ARBINDIA INFO TROOPERS MIDEAST ALCOM ROME

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1. Your 47936/Q NOV 1 of 3¹ July 45 not to ALCOM. Can accept following sick Italian PW. Medical and surgical 184 mental P.M. 16. If routed direct ITALY please signal Eta repeated ALCOM ROME.

2. MIDEAST. If staging in MIDEAST please signal Eta ITALY repeated ALCOM ROME.

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FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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IPW 1/7IND/1203

8 August 1945

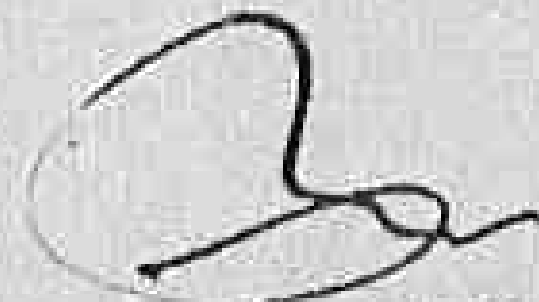
Subject : Repatriation from INDIA.

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

- 1/. Telephone conversation 2 August, Capt. BROODBANK-Lieut. ANTONELLI speaking refer.
- 2/. It is confirmed that sick personnel as follows are to be repatriated and that you will accept them.

(a) Medical & Surgical	184
(b) Mental	16
	200
- 3/. It is not known whether this figure includes any civilian internees.
- 4/. Request has been made that port of disembarkation should be TARANTO.
- 5/. Date of arrival will be notified as soon as it is known.

See 1247



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

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

AFB/tb

IPW/1/7/IND/1207

5 August 1945

Subject: Repatriation of sick Italians from INDIA.

To: Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512, U.S. Army.
Attn: G-1 (B) 42

- 1/. Telephone conversation COMZON-BROUSARD and G-5 PX 30210 of 1st August refers.
- 2/. It is confirmed that the Italian authorities will accept the 200 sick repatriation from India.
- 3/. Italian authorities request that part of disembarkation be Teramo.

For the Chief Commissioner:



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

Copy to G-5 Section.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Originator's Reference: F 30910
Date/Time of Origin: AUGUST 1/1945

Message Centre No: T/1231
Date Time Rec'd: AUGUST 2/0835B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ, STATED SACRED CITIZENS
TO: ALCON ROSE

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1. Information received INDIA propose embark for ITALY in near future Italian ship; medical and surgical 184, mental 16.
2. Presume all POW but have no details. Are you proposed accept.

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INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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W's Director General
Headquarters War Rel Commission
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1 AUG 1945
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File 1/7/1193

1 August 1945

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Repatriated Italian POWs - MMC Cases.

- 1/. Reference this Headquarters' letter 1/7/1143-A dated 10 July 45.
- 2/. The following further information has been received as to the disposal of Italian repatriates from India who were admitted to hospital while in transit:

1824	Magg. DE PIETRI Giovanni	= 27 Gen. Hosp. Discharged to 216 Gp HQ 22 Nov 44.
1678	Cap. ORIOLO Lorenzo	= 13 Gen. Hosp. Discharged to 216 Gp HQ 1 Nov 44.
67539	Sold. COLOCCIONI Antonio	= 27 Gen. Hosp. At present at 305 POW Camp awaiting repatr. passed Mix. Med. Comm.
2997	Lt. BUCCHIERI Raffaele	= 13 Gen. Hosp. Discharged to 216 Gp HQ 9 Dec 44
27988	Sold. CAPANNA Giuseppe	= 41 (P) Hosp. Evacuated to Italy by HS 19 Jun 44

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See 1276J.A. CAMPBELL
Lient. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPOW S/C

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SUBJECT: Repatriated Italian PW - MMC Genes.

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Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3174/A2.

28 Jul 45.

1. Reference this Headquarters' letter G1(Br)/3174/A2 dated 5 Jul 45.
2. The following further information has been received from GHO., MIDDLE EAST FORCES as to the disposal of Italian repatriates from INDIA who were admitted to hospital while in transit.

1824	Maggiore	DE FILIPI,	Giovanni	- 27 Gen Hosp.	Discharged to 216 Gp HQ 22 Nov 44.
1678	Capitano	CRICIO,	Lorenzo	- 13 Gen Hosp.	Discharged to 216 Gp HQ 1 Nov 44.
67539	Sold.	COLOCCIONI,	Antonio	- 27 Gen Hosp.	At present at 305 PW Camp awaiting repatriation Passed Mixed Medical Commission.
2997	Tenente	BUGHIERI,	Raffaele	- 13 Gen Hosp.	Discharged to 216 Gp HQ 9 Dec 44.
27988	Sold.	CAPANTA,	Giuseppe	- 41 (P) Hosp.	Evacuated to Italy by Hospital Ship 19 Jun 45.

29 JUL 1945

See 1195
H.D. Harper Call 605

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

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31 Jul 45
O'Keefe

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

P.O. W

Originator's Reference: *EX 25470*

Message Centre No: *F/585*

Date/Time of Origin: *JULY 20/1234B*

Date Time Rec'd: *JULY 21/0900B*

Precedence: *ROUTINE*

FROM: *FREEDOM SIGNED ALEXANDER GITE FIZAN*

TO : *MIDEAST INFO: AMBASSY CEYLON ARMY COMMAND ALCOM ROHME*

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Your *AS/30215* of 16 July net to ALCOM. Can accept Italian PW No *49399*
SOLD FULGENTI G. Please signal Hqs ITALY this headquarters and ALCOMROME and
state nature of ailment.

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INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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21 JUL 1945

War Interiors Division and
Allied Prisoner of War and Commission
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Originator's Reference: 42145/T

Message Centre No: F/1335

Date/Time of Origin: JULY 21/1430D

Date Time Rec'd: JULY 26/1045D

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: ATHENS

TO : AFHQ INFO ALCOM ROUTE

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Your FM 22193 dated 13 July. Direct sailing ste 23 July CORRECT ATHENS 35524 /O/MCV-6-A dated 18 July. Reason for release request contained your CM/3836/1/01(B) of 9 February 1945

Surely Specialists?

HEADQUARTERS
26 JUL 1945

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INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: A5/33132
Date/Time of Origin: JULY 252245

Message Centre No: F/1351
Date Time Rec'd: JULY 261400
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: MIDEAST
TO : AFHQ INFO DETARMINDIA ALCOM ROME

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Your EX 22874 (cipher) of 15 July 45.

1. Italian PW 7 officers and 1 OR arrived MIDEAST 19 July 45.
2. Arrangements being made for onward transmission to ITALY. Etc ITALY later.

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INFO-ACTION WMD & PW SC
INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

POW

Originator's Reference: EM 22874 Message Centre No: E/9829
 Date/Time of Origin: JULY 15/1207E Date Time Rec'd: JULY 15/2100B
 Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CITE FICAD
 TO : ACTION: DETAR MEDIA INFO: MID EAST CAIRO ALCOM ROME

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1. Your signal 1582/PW (B) of 4 July to this headquarters advising embarkation for ITALY of Italian PW 7 officers and 1 other rank on 5 July. Please signal names of all and eta ITALY repeated ALCOM ROME.

2. MID EAST if staged in MID EAST please signal eta ITALY repeated ALCOM ROME

HEADQUARTERS
 16 JUL 1945
A. C.

M/C NOTE:

No record of quoted reference having been received

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INFO-ACTION : WMD & IPW SC

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

C4(Dr)/3822/A2.

// Jul 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IXV Sub-Commission.

1. Reference this Headquarters letter C4(Dr)/3822/A2 of 2 Jun 45 to Commander in Chief, INDIA, copy to you.

2. This Headquarters has now been informed by C.H.Q. INDIA that the Italian invalids in question were disposed of as follows ex-INDIA:-

By Hospital Ship (transhipment in M.E.)

HP. TALITA ex BOMBAY 6 April 45.	M.	S.	WB.	FP.	PH.
Category 1. Italian PW. (B)	24	17	3	-	7
Category 2. Italian PW. (B)	-	-	38	-	41

HT. DORSETSHIRE ex BOMBAY 28 April 45.	Category 1. Italian PW. (A)	Category 2. Italian PW. (B)
	29	11
	5	5
	4	8
	24	60
	-	-

Category 1. Italian PW. (A)	Category 2. Italian PW. (B)
3	-
1	4
-	-
7	9
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By ordinary Ship (direct).

HT. TAKIWA. Italian Invalids ALL C 240 plus 1 Interpreter Officer (IO) (for voyage duty only and return).

HT. ARONDA. Italian MED cases 48 plus Interpreters (IO) 2 (for onward despatch to MALTA on 61 days LILOR and return to INDIA on completion).

HT. TAKIWA. ex BOMBAY, 23 May 45. Offrs. W.Os. O.Rs. 600
Italian Invalids 400 2 564

plus 2 Interpreter Officers (for 61 days leave in MALTA on completion of duty and return to INDIA).

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDON, Captain,
Staff Captain

IPW Sub-Commission.

1. Reference this Headquarters letter C1(Br)/3822/42 of 2 Jun 45 to Commander in Chief, INDIA, copy to you.
2. This Headquarters has now been informed by C.H.Q. INDIA that the Italian invalids in question were disposed of as follows ex-INDIA:-

By Hospital Ship (transhipment in K.B.)

MR. FAIRBA ex BOMBAY 6 April 45.	M.	S.	TB.	PP.	Fi.
Category 1. Italian PW. (B)	24	17	3	-	7
Category 2. Italian PW. (B)	-	-	38	-	41

MR. DORSETSHIRE ex BOMBAY 28 April 45.	(A)	11	4	24	-
Category 1. Italian PW. (B)	29	5	8	60	-
Category 2. Italian PW. (A)	3	-	-	7	-
Category 2. Italian PW. (B)	-	1	-	9	1

By ordinary Ship (direct).

MR. MALIWA.	Italian invalids ALL C 240 plus 1 Interpreter Officer (IC) (for voyage duty only and return).			
MR. ARONDA.	Italian MEO cases 48 plus Interpreters (IC) 2 (for onward despatch to MALIWA on 61 days LILOP and return to INDIA on completion).			
MR. DANILWA. ex BOMBAY, 23 May 45.	Offrs.	W.Os.	O.Ps.	600
Italian Invalids	400	2	564	

plus 2 Interpreter Officers (for 61 days leave in MALIWA on completion of duty and return to INDIA).

S. R. Condon

S. R. CONDON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
For Major, General,
DAG, C.1 (Br).



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SUBJECT:- Repatriation from INDIA - S/Pen. MOTTOLISE, A.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3155/A2.

5 Jul 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
(IFW Sub-Commission).

Reference your 1/7/1029 dated 25 May 45.

1. Attached is copy of a letter received from CHQ., INDIA in reply to this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 7 Jun 45 (copy to you).

H.D. Hanger Cpt
H.D. HANGER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G. (IG)



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DATE 7-7-45
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H.R.

13364/III-C/P.W.1(b).

General A. L. India,
 Assistant General's Br.
 Simla, 26 June, 1945

To

Allied Force Headquarters,
 Mediterranean Theatre (2)

Subject:- MOVEMENTS, P.W. - DEPARTURES EX INDIA.
REPATRIATION OF NO. 69159 S/T DOCTORESE
ANTONIO.

Reference your letter No. G1(Br)/3155/A2
 dated the 7th June, 1945.

The above named P.W. was sent to the
 port of embarkation for repatriation to Italy
 during November, 1944. Owing to the last
 minute inability of Middle East to accept
 Italian invalid P.W. in their hospitals at
 that time, he had to be returned to his P.W.
 Camps.

2. He has since been repatriated on 28th
 April, 1945, and his arrival in Italy was
 notified by you vide your letter No. G-1(Br)/
 3174/A2 dated the 19th May, 1945, para. 2.

C. H. Abbott May

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Copy to:- G.H.Q., Middle East.

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File 1/7/1143-A

10 July 1945

1143
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To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War

Subject: Repatriated Italian POWs - MNC cases

1/. This Headquarters has received the following information as to the disposal of 7 of the 358 MNC cases embarked from India in Sep 45:

1824 Magg.	DE PIETRI Giovanni	27 Gen Hos MEF
1678 Cap.	ORIOLO Lorenzo	13 " " "
2997 Ten.	BUCCIERI Raffaele	13 " " "
240238 Ten.	DE LUCIA Carmelo	Died at sea 4 Oct 44
27988 Sold.	CAPANNA Giuseppe	41(P) Hos MEF
67539 Sold.	COLOCCIONI Antonio	27 Gen Hos MEF
50391 C.N.	LA CAMERA Domenico	Died in 13 Gen Hos MEF 23 Oct 44

J.A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
PWD & IPOW S/C

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SUBJECT:- Repatriated Italian PW - MMC Cases

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3174/A2.

5 Jul 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

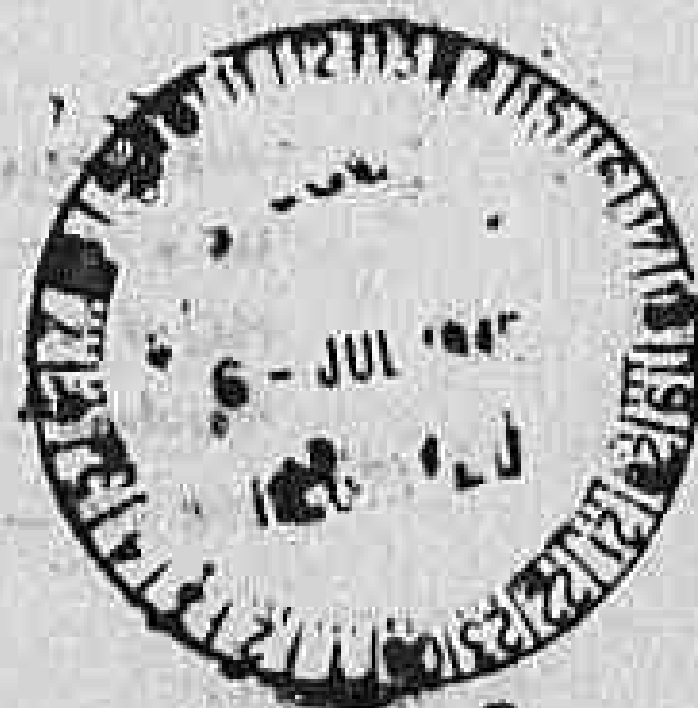
Reference this Headquarters letter of even number dated 23 May 45.

1. The following information has been received from CHQ., MEF., as to the disposal of 7 of the 358 MMC cases embarked from INDIA in Sep 44.

1824	Maggiore	DE PIETRI Giovanni	27	Gen. Hos. MEF
1676	Capitano	ORIOLO Lorenzo	13	" " "
2997	Tenente	BUCCIERI Raffaele	13	" " "
240238	Tenente	DE LUCIA Carmelo	Died at sea. 4 Oct 44.	
27988	Sold.	CAPANNA Giuseppe	41	(P) Hos. MEF.
67539	Sold.	COLOCCIONI Antonio	27	Gen. Hos. MEF.
50391	C.N.	LA CANERA Domenico	Died in 13 Gen. Hos. MEF 23 Oct 44.	

H.D. Harper Call

H.D. HARPER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAC, G.1(Br) 596



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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

WMD

Originator's Reference: EX 14081
Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 28 1333B

Message Centre No: F/7273
Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 29 0945B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED ALEXANDER GIBB ENGAB
TO : ARMINIA INFO AICOM ROME

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INFO - ACTION

This Hqs letter CR/3836/81(BR) of 9 February 45 and signal EX 70861 of 5 May 45. Unless security objections exist please repatriate OTTAVIANI soonest. Request originates from high level. Signal Etc this Hq repeated AICOM ROME and forward information regarding the other 13 Italian PW.

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- Info - Chief Commissioner
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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3822/A2.

26 Jun 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IFW Sub-Commission.

1. The enclosed nominal roll from GHQ, INDIA (Headquarters, Ceylon Army Command) of 34 Italian PW ITC cases was forwarded to this Headquarters by GHQ, MEF.
2. GHQ, MEF state that these men will be transferred to ITALY from the MIDDLE EAST (where they are being held in transit) as soon as possible.
3. In addition to those sick PW the following four PW are being held in transit in MIDDLE EAST and arrangements are being made for their onward transmission to ITALY:-

Number.	Rank.	Name.	Unit.	From.
440	Capt	CICONI, G.	R.N.	ADEN.
441	C.P.C.	PISANI, A.	R.N.	ADEN.
47048	Ten.	NATALE, P.	R.N.	AUSTRALIA.
7248	Ten. Comd.	SCARROTTI, I.	R.N.	AUSTRALIA.

4. ETA will be advised in due course.

S. R. Conroy
S. R. CONROY, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAC, G.1(Br).

TRC/AP

Copy to:- G.H.Q., INDIA.
G.H.Q., MIDDLE EAST FORCES. Your 9694/14/AG5(c) of 28 May 45
and 18 Jun 45.
Headquarters, Ceylon Army Command. Your CC/6363/17/A of 11 Jun
45 refers.
Med. (Br).

DATE. 29/6/45
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NOMINAL ROLL OF INVALIDS (ITALIAN) EVACUATED TO ITA

N.	No.	Rank.	Name	Unit.	Diagnosis	P
<u>OTHER RANKS.</u>						
D.34	289185	Pte.	✓ RASPA. L.	Italian Pnr.Coy.	Infective Arthritis	B
D.35	115334	Pte.	SCALIA R.	Italian Pnr.Coy.	Anxiety state (Acute)	B
D.36	117	Pte.	CATA IDO CARLO ?	Italian POW	Schizophrenia	A
D.39	Nil	Soldr.	✓ LASAGNI ANTONIO	1st Italian/Agr.Co	Malaria (Chronic)	B
D.40	25770	Cpl/M	✓ MASUOLENNI T.	Italy Army	Chr.Malaria & General Debility	B
D.41	259467	Soldr.	✓ BONARDI P	It.Aux.Pnrs.	1 degree of Myopia, 2 Irregular Astigmatism	B
D.42	285111	"	✓ CATANIA G.	" " "	1 Corneal Opacities, 2 High degree of Myopia	B
D.43	173248	Pte.	✓ RAVIDA D.	24 Coy.Genio	Chr.Bronchitis	B
D.44	139046	Cpl.	✓ TROISI F.	It.Army POW	" Malaria	B
D.45	257798	Pte.	✓ PROVINI G.	" " "	" Bacillary dysentery	B
D.46	295831	Cpl./M	✓ FIORE P.	" Army.	" Malaria	B
D.47	81701	Pte.	✓ BIANCONI G.	170 Bn.C.C.N.N.	" " & Bronchial Catarrh	B
D.48	44985	Sgt.	✓ LELLI G.	It.Army	General Debility.	B
D.49	276564	Soldr.	✓ PELLI G.	70 Bn. C.C.N.N.	" " & Chr.Bronchitis	B
D.50	17296	Pte.	✓ RICCIAROI L.	It. Army	Chr. Malaria	B
D.51	61419	Pte.	✓ SACCONI L.	" "	" Malaria	B
D.52	292680	"	✓ TESSORE G.	1st Regt. Alpini	" Bronchitis & Malaria	B
D.53	43830	"	✓ RAINERI G.	1st It.Army	General Debility	B
D.54	29392	Cpl.	✓ FARFALLO G.	It. Army POW	Chr. Malaria	B
D.55	70444	Pte.	✓ BALDASSARRE G.	" " "	" "	B
D.56	443	Pte.	✓ SCIACCA G.	" " "	" "	B
D.57	280789	"	✓ Di-GIOVANNI R.	" " "	" "	B
D.58	317734	"	✓ GURCURUTO N.	6 Bn. C.C.N.N.	" " & Adv.Gen.Debility	B
D.59	23822	"	✓ ANGLER I.	It.Army	" Malaria	B
D.60	43046	"	✓ CERIMELE G.	" " POW	" "	B
D.61	122203	"	✓ CILIBERTI A.	" " "	" "	B
D.62	26965	"	✓ GIARAMIDA G.	" " "	" "	B
D.63	262355	"	✓ AIELLO E.	" " POW	" "	B
D.64	395777	Cpl.	✓ GASTORE M	" " "	" "	B
D.65	75241	Pte.	✓ SIDONI P.	It.Pnr.Corps	Bronchitis & Asthma	B
D.66	254347	Pte.	SCANO ORLANGO	It/Agr.Coy	Bronchitis	B

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NOMINAL ROLL OF INVALIDS (ITALIAN) EVACUATED TO ITALY.

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Name	Unit.	Diagnosis	Pty.	Type.	Diet.	Cl.	Loc'n.
✓ RASPA. L.	Italian Pnr.Coy.	Infective Arthritis	B.	Stg.	OD.	C.	35 BGH.
✓ SCALIA R.	Italian Pnr.Coy.	Anxiety state (Acute)	B.	Stg.	OD.	B.	35 BGH
✓ CATA IDO CARLO	Italian POW	Schizophrenia	A.	Stg.	OD.	B.	35 BGH
✓ LASAGNI ANTONIO	1st Italian/Agr.Co	Malaria (Chronic)	B.	"	"	C.	"
✓ MAS ROLENNI T.	Italy Army	Chr.Malaria & General Debility	B	"	"	C	"
✓ BONARDI F	It.Aux.Pnrs.	1 degree of Myopia, 2 Irregular Astigmatism	B	"	"	C	"
✓ CATANIA G.	" " "	1 Corneal Opacities, 2 High degree of Myopia	B	"	"	C	"
✓ RAVIDA D.	24 Coy.Genio	Chr.Bronchitis	B	"	"	C	"
✓ TROISI F.	It.Army POW	" Malaria	B	"	"	C	"
✓ PROVINI G.	" " "	" Bacillary dysentery	B	"	"	C	"
✓ FIORE P.	" Army.	" Malaria	B	"	"	C	"
✓ BIANCONI G.	170 Bn.C.C.N.N.	" " & Bronchial Catarrh	B	"	"	C	"
✓ LELLI G.	It.Army	General Debility.	B	"	"	C	"
✓ FELLI G.	70 Bn. C.C.N.N.	" " & Chr.Bronchitis	B	"	"	C	"
✓ RICCIAROI L.	It. Army	Chr. Malaria	B	"	"	C	"
✓ SACCONI L.	" "	" Malaria	B	"	"	C	"
✓ TESSORE G.	1st Regt. Alpini	" Bronchitis & Malaria	B	"	"	C	"
✓ RAINERI G.	1st It.Army	General Debility	B	"	"	C	"
✓ PARFALLO G.	It. Army POW	Chr. Malaria	B	"	"	C	"
✓ BALDASSARRE G.	" " "	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ SCIACCA G.	" " "	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ Di-GIOVANNI R.	" " "	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ GURCURUTO N.	6 Bn. C.C.N.N.	" " & Adv.Gen.Debility	B	"	"	C	"
✓ ANGLER I.	It.Army	" Malaria	B	"	"	C	"
✓ CERIMELE G.	" " POW	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ CILIBERTI A.	" " "	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ GIARAMIDA G.	" " "	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ AIELLO E.	" " POW	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ GASTORE M	" " "	" "	B	"	"	C	"
✓ SIDONI F.	It.Pnr.Corps	Bronchitis & Asthma	B	"	"	C	"
✓ SOANO ORLANGO	It/Agr.Coy	Bronchitis	B	"	"	C	"

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-1(Br)/3822/A2

20 May 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

S.S. TAKLIWAA left 23 MAY

1. This Headquarters has been informed by DETARLINDIA signal 8822/PW1(B) of 18 May 45 that 971 Italian PW MMC cases are expected to embark, for repatriation to ITALY, on approximately 22 May 45. ETA 6-7 JUNE @

2. All are walking or sitting cases, classified as follows:-

Officers medical cases	322
Officers surgical cases	80
OR's medical cases	505
OR's surgical cases	<u>64</u>
	<u>971</u>

Taranto

24 MAY - Det. Condit informs - accepts -

Taranto - BKA

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G-1(B) informed - Taranto

Copy to: ~~Med(Br).~~

T.R. Condit

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br)

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

P.O.W

Originator's Reference: FX 89541
Date/Time of Origin: JUNE 072041

Message Centre No: E/4086
Date Time Rec'd: JUNE 080830
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGAB
TO : 52 AREA INFO ALCOM ROME

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Following Italian invalid PW Ex INDIA in TAKLIWA disembarked TARANTO 5 June 45
Officers 400 WOs 2 ORs 564. Obtain nominal rolls from Port MO and forward same by
air to ALCOM ROME as oonest. TOTAL: 966.

HEADQUARTERS
8 JUN 1945

8 June. Dist CO. informed. BHA

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of MIB Cases -
2nd Lt. NOTTOLENE, Antonio.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

~~Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.~~

G1(LX)/3155/AE.

7 Jun 45.

1. The above-mentioned officer's name appears on a nominal roll of MIB Cases repatriated from INDIA (Camp 2875) on 8 Nov 44.
2. Copy of this nominal roll and LPCs were forwarded to this Headquarters under reference No. P 3528, Headquarters Group 2 POW Camps, India Command D/-10/11/44 and reference was made therein to PW(b) similar letter 13364/111/A/PW(b) dated 15 Sep 44 (copy not held by this Headquarters).
3. This Headquarters has been informed by Allied Commission that to date Lt. NOTTOLENE has not returned to ITALY, nor have his family heard anything of him for six months.
4. May it please be confirmed that this officer was in fact despatched and if not, this Headquarters advised of his present location.

W.A.K. Finlayson

W.A.K. FINLAYSON,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

WAKP/AF

Copy to:- Allied Commission LEW Sub-Commission - your 1/7/1029 dated 590
25 May refers.
G.H.Q., MIDWEST (will you please state whether you have any record of this officer having been staged in MIDWEST in transit to ITALY).

DATE	19 JUN 1945
ROOM	3308
INITIALS	J.W.M.
REMARKS	

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

G-1(Br)/3887/A-2.

9 Jun 45.

PW No. 1698 Ten. GARTANI Loffredo.

1. This Headquarters has now been informed by G.H.Q., INDIA, that the above mentioned PW has been recommended for release by the Mixed Medical Commission and that he will be repatriated to ITALY as soon as shipping becomes available.
2. Date of departure and ETA ITALY (if known) will be advised.
3. Attention is drawn to this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 15 Apr 45 regarding this man.

10 JUN 1945

T.R. Conliron
T.R. CONLIRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br).

TRC/ER.

Copy to:- Commander - in - Chief, INDIA.
(Your 40136/11/PW1(B) of 31 May 45 refers.)

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May 28th

The Italian High Commissioner for PWS.
Military Office

To AC. IPW S/C ROME

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No. 18897/I

Subject: Correction of data Capt' D'ERCOLE Gaillio

Following our 36500/I/C 2/B dated 15/5/45 it is requested to correct it as under indicated, the name indicated with the number 21st of the Psw in India who has been requested with your a/m letter.

For the High Commissioner
the General Secretary
General V. Dapino.
Col. Pallotta.

File - I.H.C. office to send copy of letter of a/m reference,

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INITIALS. JWM.

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AMHQ REPEAT DETAINMENT

8999

2 June 1945

ROUTINE

RESPECTED PD

PARA ONE PD REFERENCE YOUR PX EIGHT FIVE TWO SIX ONE OF THREE ONE MAY PD

PARA TO AMHQ CITY REPEAT DETAINMENT PARAH

PARA TWO PD ITALIAN GOVERNMENT CONFIRMS ARRIVAL IN ITALY ON ONE FIVE MAY OF
FOURTY EIGHT ITALIAN PRISONER GEORGE WILLIAM OFFICERS IN QUESTION PD

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Nicholas Fiombino
CWO., U.S.A.
Asst., Adjutant

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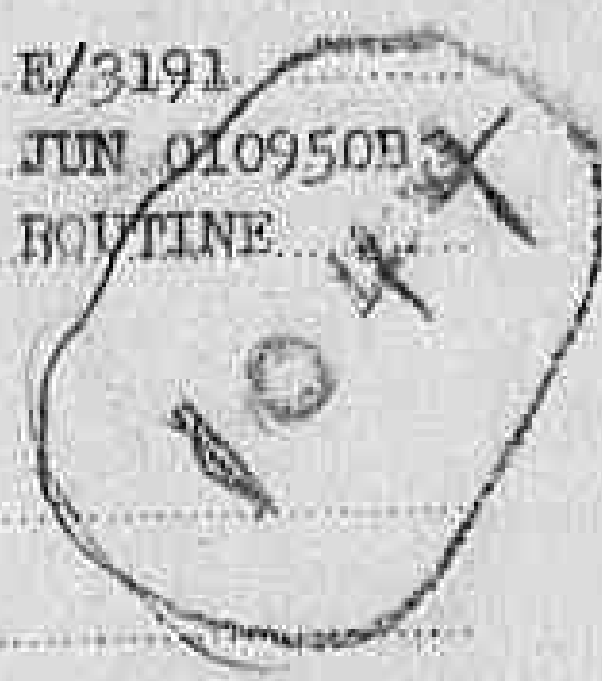
INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

J.P.W.

Originator's Reference: FX 85261
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 31 1748B

Message Centre No: E/3191
Date Time Rec'd: JUN 01 0950B
Precedence: ROUTINE



FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGAB
TO: ALCOM ROME INFO DETAFMINDIA MIDEAST

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Reference this HQ letters G-1(BR)/3174/A2 of 16 May and 19 May 45 forwarding all nominal rolls of 318 Italian PW who arrived in ITALY by hospital ship 14 May and 48 Italian officer PW who embarked INDIA 28 April 45 in ordinary vessel. DETAFMINDIA signal 9523/PWIB of 29 May 45 asks whether the 48 Italian officer PW yet disembarked ITALY. Please signal confirmation of arrival this HQ repeated DETAFMINDIA.

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INFO: Chief Commissioner
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War Materials Disposal and
Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A P O 394
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB-COMMISSION

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File 1/7/1042

June 1, 1945

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Italian POWs Camp in INDIA.

1/. Reference your N°534 Pol/C-13-A of 15 Feb 45.

2/. The following information has been received from GHQ India: -

(a) That Capt. BRASCHI's statement is incorrect and exaggerated. The average number of sick from all causes in the Group Hospital total between 300/350 and not, as implied by Capt. BRASCHI, that that number are suffering from sprue, anaemia, etc.

(b) The climate at YOL, where No.5 Group is located, is excellent and the food is adequate. The Senior British Medical Officer is empowered to issue such diets as he considers suitable and necessary for the diseases in question. The articles from which he can choose cover a wide variety and are the same as for British troops in Hospital in INDIA.

For the Chief Commissioner:

J.A. Campbell
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPOW S/O

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SUBJECT:- Italian PW Camps in INDIA.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3822/A2.

30 May 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission). ✓

*Ref your...
the following
info has been
received from
G.H.Q. India*

1. Reference Italian High Commissioner for PW letter to you, N.534 Pol/C-13-A dated 15 Feb 45, copy of which was forwarded to this Headquarters.
2. This Headquarters has now been informed by G.H.Q. INDIA as follows:-
 - (a) That Capt. BRASCHI's statement is incorrect and exaggerated. The average number of sick from all causes in the Group Hospital total between 300/350 and not, as implied by Capt. BRASCHI, that that number are all suffering from sprue, anaemia etc.
 - (b) The climate at YOL, where No. 5 Group is located, is excellent and the food is adequate. The Senior British Medical Officer is empowered to issue such diets as he considers suitable and necessary for the diseases in question. The articles from which he can choose cover a wide variety and are the same as for British troops in Hospital in INDIA.
3. Will you please convey the above information to the Italian High Commissioner for PW.

HEADQUARTERS
31 MAY 1945
A. C.

T.R. Condron
T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).
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Copy to:- G.H.Q. India - Your 40075/PW1(b) of 18 May 45 refers.

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-1(Br)/3822/A-2

26 May 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

1. ARMINDLA signal 89784 Q/NOVI of 21 May 45 to TROOPERS,
(repeated this Headquarters, not to you) states that the following
Italian PW invalids were awaiting evacuation on 16 May 45:-

By Hospital Ship:-

(A)	M68. 334.	FN 129.	TB 3.	HD 1.	Total	235
(B)	M26. 522.	FN 100.	TB 12.		Total	160
					Total	<u>395</u>

By Ordinary Vessel:-

(A)	440	Total	<u>1045</u>
(B)	605		

2. As soon as this Headquarters has been informed of shipping
arrangements and ETA ITALY, you will be informed.

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General 583
DAC, G-1(Br).

HEADQUARTERS
27 MAY 1945
A. U. G.

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Copy to:- Med(B).

28 May - Lt H.C. informed
1/4 7 J.A. - G-1(Br) called to inform
H.R. requested for further.

MAY 25 1945

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File 1/7/1029

May 25, 1945.

To: Allied Force Headquarters, APO 612 U.S.A.
Attention C-1 (Br) Section.

Subject: 2nd Lt. MOTTOLISE Antonio

- 1/. Reference your CR/3174/G-1(Br) of November 26, 1944, in which you inform that the a/m POW has been embarked for repatriation ex India, where he was held in camp 28/5.
- 2/. The Italian High Commissioner now informs that to date Lt. MOTTOLISE has not returned to Italy, and his family has heard nothing from him for six months.
- 3/. May an investigation please now be made as to the present location of Lt. MOTTOLISE and the status of his repatriation proceedings.

For the Chief Commissioner:

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J.E. Campbell
 J.E. CAMPBELL
 Lieut. Colonel
 Director
 WMD & IPOW S/C

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Attention C-5 Section.

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HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR
Military Section
No. 6538/1 di Prot.

Rome 12th May 1945

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TO: THE ALLIED COMMISSION
R O M E

Subject: 2nd Lieut. MOTTOLESE Antonio.

The family of the 2nd Lieutenant MOTTOLESE Antonio, (for whom was requested an examination by the Mixed Medical Commission, in letter No. 13515/1 dated the 22nd of November 1944 to your Sub Commission) has informed us he was embarked for repatriation in November 1944 and since then nothing has been heard of him. Said Officer with matriculation No. 69159, was interned in Camp 28/5 India. We beg you to call this matter to the attention of the competent Authorities and if Lieut. MOTTOLESE is ill, to have him repatriated as an invalid.
Thanking you.

/s/ THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
Gen. P. GAZZERA

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

P.O.W.

Originator's Reference: EX 21982
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 25 1823A

Message Centre No: E/2508
Date Time Rec'd: MAY 27 0915B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: ATHQ SIGNED ALEXANDER CITE ENGAD
TO : ARMINDIA INFO MIDEAST, ALCCS ROME

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250 Italian PW invalids arrived NAPLES 16 May 1945 in U.S. DORSETSHIRE. Please despatch nominal rolls to this HQ and ALLIED COMMISSION soonest.

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27 MAY 1945

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War Reliefs Commission
Italian Prisoners of War
HQ AC
MAY 28 1945
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SUBJECT:- Pay Balances - Italian Repatriated PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

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G1(Br)/3474/A2.

16 May 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

1. Attached are nominal rolls of pay balances of 245 IIC cases and 68 medical orderlies embarked from India in H.S. "Dorsetshire" on 28 Apr 45. These with the 4 IIC cases included in the nominal roll forwarded with this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 14 May 45, make up 249 IIC cases out of the 250 referred to in this Headquarters signal PX73452 dated 10 May 45 plus 68 medical attendants accompanying the party.

2. Also attached are nominal rolls of pay balances of 46 IIC cases embarked from INDIA in ordinary troopship on 28 Apr 45 as notified in this Headquarters letter CX/3822/G1(Br) dated 28 Apr 45.

3. This Headquarters has no information as to ETA of this latter party and it is probable that it is now in transit on transshipment in the Middle East. In this case charges are likely to arise which will be deductible from the balances shown.

H.D. Harper Colt

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

HEADQUARTERS
17 MAY 1945
A. C.

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Mmm. will
given to you 579

BSA/VP


File 1/7/997

May 17, 1945

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.
Subject: Repatriation of Italian POW.

1/. The attached letter is forwarded to you from the Field Representative of the British Red Cross of Faenza.

For the Chief Commissioner:


J.A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
NWD & IPW B/C

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Encl.: as above

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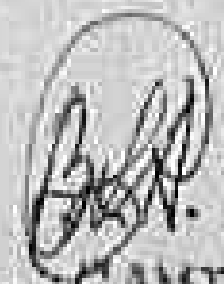
May 17, 1945.

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.
Subject: Notice of the death of Italian POWs.

1/. This HQ has now been informed that the under mentioned ex-POWs, who embarked ex India on H.S. "Chantilly" in August 1944, died on the voyage:

255554 2/Capo AMORADI Guido &
40983 Cap. STRIPPOLI Cataldo.

For the Chief Commissioner:


J.A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPOW S/C.

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SUBJECT:- Repatriated Italian PW - MMC cases.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-1(Br)/317/A-2.

23 May 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

1. Reference your 1/7/995 dated 17 May 45.

2. It has now been ascertained from G.H.Q., Middle East Forces that the 358 MMC cases embarked ex INDIA in September 44 were transhipped in MIDDLE EAST. 351 of these cases were embarked in MIDDLE EAST for ITALY on 30 Oct 44 in SS "QUEEN OF BERMUDA" and arrived at TARANTO on 5 Nov 44. It is therefore clear that this is the draft of 347 referred to in Serial 6 of the list attached to your IPW 1/4/377 dated 5 Mar 45. Nominal rolls of pay balances in respect of this draft were forwarded with this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 30 Mar 45.



HDM/ER.

H. D. Harper Capt

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

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BSA/vp

file 1/7/995

May 17, 1945.

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

Subject: Repatriation of MMC case ex India.


1/. Reference your GR/3174/G1(Br) of 17 April 1945 and
G-1(Br)/3174/A.2. of 2 May 1945.

2/. The Italian Government has been informed of the
death of the following POWs:

255354 2/Capo AMORADI Guido &
40983 Cap. STRIPPOLI Cataldo.

3/. The Italian Government does not confirm the arrival
of the 358 cases ex India referred to in the
above quoted letters. 575

For the Chief Commissioner:


J.A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPOW S/C.

Handwritten notes:
ME 442
914
996

Copy to: AFHQ, Attention G-5 Section.

WMD & IAW

9106

992

SUBJECT:- Repatriation of MMC cases ex INDIA.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-1(Br)/3174/A.2.

2 May 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

1. Reference this Headquarters letters of even number dated 30 Mar 45, 17 Apr 45 and 27 Apr 45.

2. A report has been received from GHQ MEF that the under mentioned ex PW included in a draft of 305 invalids embarked in INDIA on H.S. "CHANTILLY" in Aug 44, died on the voyage:

255354 2/Capo AMORADI Guido.
40983 Cap. STRIPPOLI Cataldo.

3. Can you ^{now} therefore confirm that the party of 358 ex INDIA referred to in the above quoted letters arrived, and, if so, whether this draft is the one referred to in Serial 6 of the list attached to your IPW 1/4/377 dated 5 Mar 45.

HEADQUARTERS

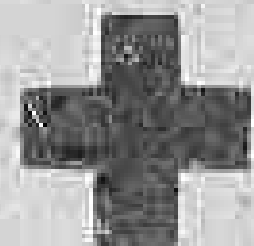
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HDH/ER.

DATE. 5-5-45
ENTERED ON CARDS. *[Signature]*
INITIALS.

H.D. Harper
H.D. HARPER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br).
A14
all 995
all 996
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WAR ORGANISATION of the BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY and ORDER of St. JOHN of JERUSALEM



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HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN.

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H.R.H. THE DUKE OF GLOUCESTER, K.G.



Dep. Commissioner Civilian War Relief
BRIGADIER E. L. ARMITAGE, O. B. E.

FONE: 471505

BRITISH RED CROSS CIVILIAN WAR RELIEF
C/O ALLIED COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS C.M.F.
5. 9. 45

Tel. Rome: 478361 Ex. 310

REF. C/5

Subject REPATRIATION OF ITALIAN PRISONER.

To Major B. Alper,
Prisoners of War Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission H.Q.,
C.M.F.

see 997

Dear Major Alper,

I am enclosing herewith a letter which we have received from one of our
P.R.'s in connection with the repatriation of an invalid Italian P.o.W. I should be
very glad if you could do something about this.

Yours sincerely,

R. Stan.

see 997

15/5/45
ENTERED ON CARDS. *M. Miller*
STAFF OFFICER.

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28th. Apr. 1945.

To. Dep. Commissioner,
B.R.C.-War Relief, H.Q.,
C/O A.C., C.M.F.

Subject. Letter for Ministry of War (Italian)
.....

The attached letter has been handed to me by Dott. dell' Aquila, for the repatriation of an invalid Italian Prisoner of War. Could you please transmit to the Italian Ministry of War.



.....
B.R.C. /AMG/ Faenza.
.....

Handwritten notes:
Dott. dell' Aquila
S/M
L. 10/11

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(A 25)

Dr. Tommaso dell'Acquila

Faenza (Ravenna) 24/4/45
Corso Garibaldi n°19

To: the Ministry of War. = ROME

I ask for the repatriation from India of my nephew, invalid ICW

Lt. MELILLO Giovanpasquale of Antonio I°4554
Wing N°26, III/A, P. Camp, c/o G.P.O., Bombay

The above ICW is now in the VOL Hospital, where he is cured from the consequences of a double wound on his right leg and, probably, treated for nervous breakdown of a depressive character. He stays in the above hospital since about a year; besides, he has been treated in many other ones after his capture, ~~xxxxx~~ in December 1940. He expected to be repatriated, but in vain. Knowing his moral and political sensitiveness, I am afraid that the prolongment of his captivity would be very harmful for him.

I ask, therefore, that Lt. Melillo ~~xxxxx~~ be repatriated to his native village VOLTURINO (Foggia), where he also will be able to find medical assistance which he needs. I could warrant for the irrepressible morale and political faith of the above

s/ Dott. Tommaso dell'Acquila

571

DATE 15-5-45
 [Signature]
 [Stamp]

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

968
NMDW IPW

Originator's Reference: FX 73452
Date/Time of Origin: MAY 10 2120Z

Message Centre No: E/329
Date Time Rec'd: MAY 11 1230Z
Precedence: IMMEDIATE

FROM: APHQ SIGNED SACRED CITE FHGDM

TO : MOV NAPLES, ALCON INTO 56 AREA - SOUTHMOVES

CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

H.S. DORSETSHIRE E.T.A. NAPLES 16th May ex BOMBAY.

1. Disembarks Italian PW as follows.

2. Category 1.

A.M. 29 S.11 T.B. 4. P.P. 24.

B. 5 S. 5. T.B.3 P.P. 60. Total 146.

3. Category 2.

A.M. 3 P.P. 7. B.S. 1. P.P. 92 P.N. 1

Total 104.

4. Embarks to capacity for U.K.

5. Agreed P.S.T.O. and MED.

ACTION

Dist

Action - WED & IPW
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
Tn SC 2
File

HEADQUARTERS
11 MAY 1945
A.C.

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IPW
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12/5/45

informed by phone

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932/36

78 MAY 1945
FILE


BSA/vp

File 1/7/965

May 10, 1945

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.
Subject: Nominal Rolls of Repatriated Italian POWs.

- 1/. Reference our 1/7/942 of April 28, 1945.
- 2/. We forward herewith 56 additional names, which arrived in the same shipment of those of the above reference.


 J. A. CAMPBELL
 Lieut. Colonel
 Director
 WMD & IPOW S/C.

Encl.: Nominal Rolls in quadruplicate.

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SEARCHED _____
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 INDEXED _____
 FILED _____
 MAY 10 1945
 WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

RESTRICTED

POW

FX 70861
MAY 051203Z

D/9764
MAY 052155Z
ROUTINE

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AFHQ SIGNED ALEXANDER CITE FHCAB
ARRINDIA INFO ALCOM ROME

RESTRICTED

This Hq letter GR/3836/G1(British) of 9 February 1945.
Please repatriate OTTAVIANI signal Eta ITALY to this Hq
repeated ALCOM ROME and forward information regarding the other
13 Italian P.W. soonest.

Dist

- Info-Action - Disper
- Info - A/President
- Chief Commissioner
- CA Sec
- WHD & IPOW
- File 2
- Fleet

*No action 568
see 956*

THE HEADQUARTERS
 6 MAY 1945
 A. J. C.

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WOMD & IPW

9109

SUBJECT:- Pay Balances - Italian Repatriated PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-1(Br)/3174/A.2.

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Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

*Original
nom roll
to Trioli
1/4/630*

in bit file

2 May 45.

1. Attached are copies of nominal rolls of pay balances of repatriates from INDIA as follows:-

- (a) 130 ORs. who arrived in the "TAIRRA" on approximately 24 Apr 45.
- (b) 221 (officers 11 - ORs. 210) who arrived in the "TAKLIWA" on approximately 21 Apr 45.

*130
221
351*

*see 883 A
already
received
& forwarded*

2. These repatriates were not staged in the MIDDLE EAST, and, so far as is known no changes in transit are outstanding against them.

*IPW
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HEADQUARTERS
G-1
A. C.

*act 965
to HIC
in the 56
other names*

H.D. Harper Capt 567
H.D. HARPER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br).

HDM/ER.
Encl.

8859
IPW
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SUBJECT:- Request for Medical Examination of Italian PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

CR/3822/G-1(Br)

29 Apr 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

No. 39413 Cpl. Maj. OTTAVIANI Antonio.

no action
see 832

1. Reference your 1/7/468 of 16 Dec 44.
2. The above mentioned man was repatriated during Sep 44, on medical grounds.

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br).

HEADQUARTERS
1 MAY 1945
G-1

TRC/ER.

Copy to:- G.H.Q., INDIA (Your 75056/11-A/PW;(Br) of 13 Apr 45 refers.)

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DATE 2-5-45
ENTERED ON CARDS. *Murphy*

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File 1/7/942

28 April 1945

To : Italian High Commissioner for prisoners of war.

Subject : Repatriation of Italian POWs from India=Sick & Wounded.

1/. Transmitted herewith nominal roll of 165 and 130 POWs, M.M.S. cases transferred from Bairagarh(Bhopal) to ex INDIA on 4 and 5 April.


J.A. Caron
Lieut. Colonel
Director
HQD & IFCW Sub-Comm.

Encl.: Nominal roll in quadruplicate.

act on cards

see 883 A
see 963 A
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REC'D
APR 28 1945
HEADQUARTERS
INDIAN ARMY
GENERAL STAFF
NEW DELHI

Repatriation Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

1 PW 8333

78721/1/AG5(c) 20 Apr 45.

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General Headquarters, Middle East Force.
Allied Force Headquarters, GI (Br).

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1. Reference memorandum CR/3822/GI(Br) dated 10 Apr 45, in respect of certain sick Italian PW retained in the Middle East, ex-Colombo.

2. These PW were disembarked in the Middle East on 13 Feb 45 from H.M.T. "Devonshire", and were held by us in transit.

3. The only information received in Middle East prior to the arrival of these PW was in Ceylon Army Comd signal 2 9216 dated 3 Feb, para 3 which stated:

"For onward passage to Italy - Invalids Medical non cot Italian ORs G".

HEADQUARTERS
25 APR 1945

(Sgd) H. D. Turrill AAG

General,
Commander-in-Chief.

Copy to:- Allied Commission
(IPW Sub-Commission).

78721/1/AG5(c)
20 APR 1945
FOR THE COMMANDER
HEADQUARTERS
MIDDLE EAST FORCE

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FILE

BSM/et

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File 1/7/936

25 April 1945

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of war.

Subject : Repatriation of Italian Sick & Wounded POWs from INDIA.

1/. Reference your N° 32321 of 15 April 45, herewith breakdown of sick and wounded being repatriated from INDIA on Hospital Ship "DORSETSHIRE":

Stretcher Cases : Officers 67, Other Ranks 79

walking and sitting cases : Officers 10; Other Ranks 24

TOTAL OFFICERS: 77 (Includes 29 disturbed cases)
TOTAL OTHER RANKS: 173 (" 58 " ")

250

Add escort and Medical attendants accompanying draft

68

TOTAL FOR EMBARKATION: 318.

2/. We have further been informed that 48 Italian Officers POWs, all walking or sitting cases, medical or surgical, will embark INDIA in the near future.

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

War Measures Director and
Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
HQ at PO 264
Director
Log No

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COMD + IPW

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

CR/3822/G1(Br).

28 Apr 45.

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Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub-Commission.

1. Further to this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 22 Apr 45.
2. This Headquarters has been advised further by Detachment Arminia Signal 7315/PW1(B) of 24 Apr 45 that the 48 Italian Officer PW will embark on 28 Apr 45.

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936 29 APR 45

T.R. CONDRON

T.R. CONDRON, Captain, 562
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br).

TRC/ER.

all 936

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Lt. Antonelli reported

82441 PW (933)

SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub Commission).

OR/3822/G1(Br).

20 Apr 45.

This Headquarters has been informed by DESTARMINDIA signal
6986 PW1 (B) of 18 April 45 as follows:-

" 48 Italian Officer PW, all walking or sitting cases,
medical or surgical, will embark in ordinary vessel
in the near future. "

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

TRC/wel

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24 APR 1945

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21 MAY - Lt. Ant. inform arrived 11 MAY 45.

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SUBJECT: Release of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

G-1(Br)/3822/A2.

2 May 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub-Commission.

1. Reference this Headquarters letter CR/3822/G-1(Br) of 22 Apr 45.
2. ETA NAPLES of H.S. "DORSETSHIRE" has now been given as 14 May 45.

see 936 of 25 APR

HEADQUARTERS
A. C.

T.R. Condrone

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1(Br).

TRC/ER.

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5 MAY Lt. Antonelli informed
(ER)

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8242 (932)

SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
(IPW Sub Commission).

CR/3822/G1(Br).

22 Apr 45.

1. Conversation Major ALPER - Captain CONDRON, 16 April 45 refers.
2. This Headquarters has now been informed by CHQ., INDIA that the Italian MMC cases, embarking in hospital ship "DORSETSHIRE" are made up as follows :-

STRETCHER CASES.

Officers :-	M20	SM8	SS2	TB4	FP24	TOTAL	67.
O.Rs. :-	M2	SM3	S3	SS2	TB8	FP61	TOTAL 79.

WALKING AND SITTING CASES.

Officers :-	M3	FP7	TOTAL	10.
ORs :-	S1	FP93	TOTAL	94.

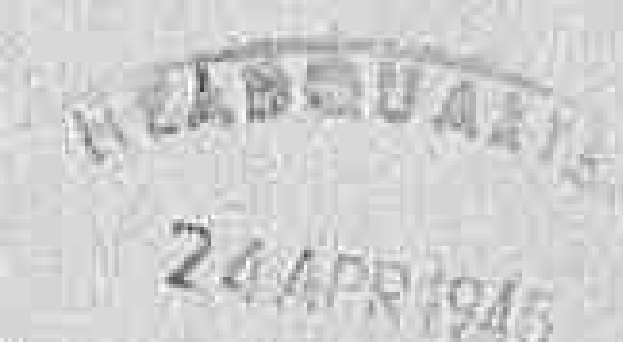
TOTAL OFFICERS :-	77	(Includes 29 disturbed cases).
TOTAL O.Rs. :-	173	(Includes 58 disturbed cases).

TOTAL INVALIDS :-	---
	250

Add escort and Medical attendants accompanying draft	68

TOTAL FOR EMBARKATION :-	318

3. Arrangements were made on 16 April 45 for AFHQ Mov & Tn to signal acceptance to INDIA and to request that the ship be sent to NAPLES, as desired by you.


T.R. Condrone
 T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
 Staff Captain,
 for Major General,
 DAG. G.1(Br).

TRC/DDKT.

Copy to:- Mov & Tn. (ARMINDIA signal 7895/QMOV 1(78958/QMOV 1?) of 14 April refers).
 Med(Br) (" " " " " ")

High Commissioner for It. PW.
Military Section
NO. 32321 di Prot.

Rome 15th. April 1945
To the Allied Commission
Sub-Commission for It. PW.

916

Subject: Sick and Invalid military Personnel to be repatriated

Reference to the verbal communication from Major Alper on the 12th. of April 1945, we inform you that the repatriation of 318 Italian, sick and invalids, including 87 dangerous mental cases accompanied by 68 nurses, is accepted.

The above mentioned individuals will be sent to the Military Hospital at Naples, and we beg you to transmit a written declaration regarding them.

Signed for the High Commissioner

Gen. V. Dapino

See shipment file

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

929
WMD-IPW

Originator's Reference: **FX 63763**
Date/Time of Origin: **APRIL 21/2101**

Message Centre No: **D/8393**
Date Time Rec'd: **APRIL 22/1545 B**
Precedence: **ROUTINE**

FROM: **AFHQ SIGNED ALEXANDER CITE FIGAB**

TO : **ACTION: ARMINDIA INFO: TROOPERS, ALCOM HOME**

RESTRICTED

INFO - ACTION

HEADQUARTERS
72 APR 1945
A. C.

RESTRICTED.

TROOPERS signal 81910 PW 1 of 20 April.

Arrange release and repatriation to ITALY of COLOMBO CARLO provided no security or other objection by you advise Eta this Hq and ALCOM HOME

DIST

INFO-ACTION : WMD & IPW

INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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DATE. 23-4-45
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SUBJECT:- Repatriation fo MMC Cases ex INDIA.

1 P.W 5673

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3174/G1(Br)

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17 Apr 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

Jo IHC 1/4/84 28 Oct 49
1/4/85 27 Oct 44

1. GHQ., INDIA have requested information as to the date of arrival in ITALY of a draft of 358 MMC cases embarked ex INDIA in September 44 and included in the nominal roll forwarded with this Headquarters' letter of even reference dated 30 Mar 45.

2. This Headquarters can trace no record of the arrival of this draft. Can you give the information required or, failing that, can it be confirmed that all the repatriates listed in the nominal roll in question have, in fact, arrived in ITALY.

19 APR 45 - 13 Feb 45

HDE/MG

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HEADQUARTERS
16 APR 1945

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

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19 APR 45 - Lt. ANT W.C. - re views on lists sent w/ letter of above ref.

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

CR/3822/GI(Br).

14 Apr 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
(IPW Sub-Commission).

1. Reference ARMININDIA Signal 77996/QM 6a, of 12 Apr 45 (copy to you) and further to telephone conversation (Major ALPER's secretary - Capt. CONDRON) of 3 Apr 45.
2. The 221 Italian PW repatriates, (Officers 11S or MSM, ORs 141 M, 68S and IFR - all walking and sitting cases) have been routed direct to ITALY. Date of embarkation, INDIA, 6 Apr 45.

HEADQUARTERS

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

VPW
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TRC/ER.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

WMD + IPW

Originator's Reference: 77995/QMOV6A
Date/Time of Origin: APR 12 1500FG

Message Centre No: D/7551
Date Time Rec'd: APR 13 1235B
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: ARMINIA
TO : ACTION ABHQ FOR FICAB INTO ALCOM ROME, NIDEAST

907A

RESTRICTED

RESTRICTED

Your FX 54820 of April 4th
Routed direct. Connect embarkation BOMBAY Q3355 April 7th
net to ALCOM.

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ACTION

Action - WMD & IPW SC
Info - A/President
Chief Commissioner
File

*221 - 11 of. For WMD. ETD 6 Apr 45
141 on 11.*

I/C Note No record of refs quoted.

*68. S.
7. FR.*

HEADQUARTERS
13 APR 1945
A. C.

*3 APR - Capt Gordon G (10) informed by phone: 554
221 S+W Capt Breda for Day*

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See 1/7/907

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3822/04 (Br).

10 Apr 45.

Commander in Chief,
Middle East Forces.

1. Reference your 78721/1/AG5(c) of 27 Mar 45 in which you state that the under-mentioned six PW were retained in the MIDDLE EAST from a draft of sick PW for CMF, ex COLOMBO, on 19 Feb 45, and that arrangements are now being made to have them transferred to IPAX, BIA to be advised:-

2565	Sold.	BISTRATTIN,	A.
50730	Cap.	CORRICO,	C.
302	Sold.	DE PULIS,	C.
254887	Sold.	LAURENZANO,	F.
41587	Sold.	PERILLO,	F.
15956	Cap.	VELLA,	G.

2. Will you please inform this Headquarters (copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, (IPW Sub Commission), ROME) of the name of the ship in which the rest of the draft from COLOMBO sailed, whether any advice of BIA ITALY was given, and references of any relative correspondence.

HEADQUARTERS
12 APR 1945

W.A.K. Finlayson

W.A.K. FINLAYSON,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

TRC/wel

Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Commission, (IPW Sub Commission).
Medical (Br).

no action 553

DATE 14-4-45
ENTERED ON CARDS. *Raffaelli*
INITIALS *R*

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884


File 1/7/884

7 April 1945

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject : Italian POWs sick in India.

- 1/. Reference your N°534 Pol/C-13-A of 15 February 45.
- 2/. GHQ India now informs that the situation referred to in the above letter is being investigated.
- 3/. A report will be submitted in due course and your office further advised.


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

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded PW

WMD TIPW
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3822/G1 (Br).

883

3 Apr 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

1. This Headquarters has been informed that 130 Italian sick and wounded PW will arrive in the MIDDLE EAST, from INDIA, on 16 ~~Mar~~ ^{Apr} on the "TAIREA".
2. You will be informed of ETA ITALY (from MIDDLEEAST) as soon as this Headquarters has been advised.

TRG/MG

HEADQUARTERS
A. C.

T.R. Condron
T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G-1 (Br).

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Copy to :- C-in-C., MIDDLE EAST FORCES. (ARMINDIA signal 73570 MOV1 of 30 Mar 45 refers. Please inform this Headquarters (copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission (IPW Sub-Commission, RCME) of ETA ITALY).

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see 883 A-B - 925
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Medical (Br).

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

883A

NMTD: 1800

Originator's Reference: MDO6281

Message Centre No: D/8346

Date/Time of Origin: APR 21NFT

Date Time Rec'd: AIR 220700B

Precedence: OP PRIORITY

FROM: MIDEAST

TO: IRO NAPLES - IRO BARANTO INFO ATHQ, ALCOA ROME

24	38
17	41
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51	130

CONFIDENTIAL.

INFO - ACTION

Following invalids embarked hosp ship TAIRIA in INDIA category 1 Italian PW (B) M24 S17 TB 3 PW7 category 2 Italian PW (B) TB 38 INW1 total 130 following invalids embarked MIDEAST category 1 Italian PW (B) M22 S94 FRAC3 BL2 category 2 Italian PW (A) M1 PW1 PW131 (B) 24 PW31 PW22 S42 total 194.

HEADQUARTERS
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INFO - ACTION

LIST

INFO-ACTION : WMD & PW

INFO : A/PRESIDENT
CHIEF COMMISSIONER
FILE

see 925
942

For further information contact the
Director of War Reliefs
Headquarters Allied Commission
Rome

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CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT:- Release of Indian PW on Medical Grounds.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub Commission).

CR/3822/G1(Br).

22 Apr 45.

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The attached Nominal Rolls and LPC's of 165 PW OR's and 130 PW OR's M.M.C. cases transferred from Bairagarh (Bhopal) to Ex-India on 4 and 5 April respectively have been received from Headquarters, Group 2 PW Camps, Bairagarh (India Command). *see 883*

TRC/wel

Encl.

see 925

HEADQUARTERS
24 APR 1945

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

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*act. 942
to IHC*

copy for 5190

FILE
- 8 APR 1945

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File 1/7/881

6 April 1945

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War:

Subject : Repatriation of Sick & Wounded Italian POWs from India.

- 1/. On 6th April 45 a total of 221 walking and sitting sick and wounded Italian POWs left India for Italy. Of this group 11 are officers and 210 other ranks.
- 2/. The other ranks consist of: a/142 medical cases and b/66 surgical cases.
- 3/. REA will be advised when received.

(Signature)
 J. A. CAMPBELL
 Lieut. Colonel
 Director
 WMO & IROW Sub-Comm.

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War Materials Director and
 Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 SECTION
APO 512

G-5: 014.33-14

2 Apr 45

SUBJECT: Italian PW sick in India.
TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.
(IPW Sub-Commission)

Reference your 1/7/867 of 30 Mar 45.

This matter has been referred to GHQ India who have replied stating that it is being investigated and that a report will be submitted in due course.

You will be further advised when a report is received.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff G-5:

L.E. Weston

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3 APR 1945
L.E. WESTON,
Jnr. Comdr.

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21 MAR 1945

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File 1/7/867
30 March 1945

To : Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512 U.S. Army
Attention G-5 Section.

Subject : Italian POWs sick in India.

- 1/. Reference our IFW/1/7/727 of 19 February 1945.
- 2/. May a reply now be had please to the letter of above reference.

For the Chief Commissioner:

(Signature)
 J. A. CAMPBELL
 Lieut. Colonel
 Director
 WMD & IOW Sub-Comm.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 594, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB-COMMISSION

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File 1/7/866

30 March 1945

See 452 & 454 in PW/1.

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

Subject : Sick Italian POWs in India.

1/. The enclosed translation of a letter from the Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War is forwarded for investigation and action, please.

For the Chief Commissioner:

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

Encl.: 1, as above.

Copy to: AFHQ, Attention G-5 Section.

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian sick and wounded FW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

CR/3822/G1(Br).

78 Mar 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission (IPW Sub-Commission)

1. This Headquarters has been informed by Arminia signal 71634/Q/9VI of 24 Mar 45, as follows:-

Following Italian invalids awaiting evacuation by Hospital Ship as on 16 Mar 45:-

A.	M31	S11	TB4	PN91	-	Total 137
B.	M28	S22	TB4,9	PN216	-	Total 315

Following Italian invalids awaiting evacuation by ordinary vessel as on 16 Mar 45:-

A.	123	-	Total 333.
B.	210		

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785 Grand Total

Called AFHQ.
7 APR 45 No further info.

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HEADQUARTERS
29 MAR 1945

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

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HEAL
4 JUN 1945
A. C.

IPW 2113

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SUBJECT: - Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS.

91(BF)/3822/A2.

2 Jun 45.

Commander in Chief,
MIA.

1. Reference your Arrindia Signal 7465A/0/9V1 of 24 March 45 informing this Headquarters of the following Italian invalid PW awaiting evacuation as on 16 March 45:-

By Hospital Ship:-

A.	M 51	844	ED 4	EW 91	-	Total 157
B.	M 28	822	EM 9	EW 216	-	Total 345

By Ordinary Vessel:-

A.	123				-	Total 333
B.	210					

2. Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission were informed as above immediately upon receipt of your above quoted signal and now ask whether we have received any further news of the repatriation of these PW.

3. Will you please inform this Headquarters when the PW embark in INDIA and give ETA ITALY (copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission, RHM).

W.A.K. Pirbright

W.A.K. PIRBRIGHT,
Major, D.A.A.C.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

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Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.
(Conversation Maj. Alper - Capt. Connor 1 Jun 45 refers).

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Medical Grounds.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

CR/3822/G1(Br).

14 Apr 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission).

See 836!

1. Reference this Headquarters letter CR/3822/G1(Br) of 20 Mar 45, conversation (Major ALPER - Capt. CONDRON refers.)

2. A further copy of the nominal roll of 21 Italian PW (invalids) (20 ex INDIA and 1 Ex MIDDLE EAST) who embarked at SUEZ per H.S. AMRA on 11 Mar 45 for ITALY has been received from G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon, Middle East Forces, and is forwarded herewith.

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to IHC.*

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T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

HEADQUARTERS
17 APR 45

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DATE. 17-4-45
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Nominal roll Italian Invalids.Date embarked ME Port
11 March 45.Proceeding from MEF to ITALY.

Ex Mixed Hospital M.E.F.
 328335 Sold. BRULLO Rosario Ex INDIA

Ex L. Gen. Hosp.

39362	Cpl.	CASCELLI	Tullio	Ex INDIA
96321	Sgt.	CIARAVOLO	Gennaro	"
39938	Sgt.	DEL-PIANO	Andrea	"
108192	Pte.	DE-MICHELE	Camillo	"
280173	Cpl.	ESPOSITO	Giovanni	"
115936	Cpl.	FELICIELLO	Mario	"
127574	Pte.	GABBANI	Armando	"
103089	Pte.	GAUDIO	Mario	"
NT/103	Sgt.	GIORDANI	Aldo	"
198372	Cpl.	MALLUS	Giuseppe	"
132371	Pte.	MASINI	Armando	"
94263	Sgt/M.	MITTICA	Pietro	"
189687	Cpl.	MORRONE	Giuseppe	"
105221	Pte.	NARDINO	Nicola	"
315	Pte.	FERRODI	G.	"
4316	Pte.	FERRUGINI	A.	"
57393	Sgt.	RENZI	Ezio	"
78215	Pte.	ROSA	Pietro	"
89	Pte.	VELLUCCI	Sesto	"

 420637 Pte. TRAPPA Dulio Ex ME.

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ENTERED ON CARDS.	DATE. 17-4-45.
INITIALS.	Raffaello

SUBJECT:- Italian PW Transfers.

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GHQ., C2E., MEF.,
C2EPW/2/I20,
Add. Tele. MIDEAST (PRISWARINF)

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A.F.H.Q.,
G.I. (Br.) A2
C.M.F.

7 APR. 45.

Copy to:- HQ., Allied Commission
(IFW Sub Commission) ROME.
(with copy of nominal roll referred to below).

Reference memorandum CR/3822/GI (Br.) dated 27 March 45 regarding
draft of 21 Italian PW (Invalids) who embarked at Suez on 11 March 45 for Italy.

A further copy nominal roll of the draft in question is forwarded as
requested.

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INITIALS.	Raffaelli

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Major,
D.A.A.G.
Controller,
Prisoners of War Information Bureau, MeEs

Encl.

(Sgd.) T. MAGNI-JEREND

Nominal roll Italian Invalids.Date embarked ME Port
11 March 45.Proceeding from MEF. to ITALY.Ex Mixed Hospital MEF.

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Ex 4 Gen. Hosp.

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39938	Sgt.	DEL-PIANO Andrea	"
108192	Pte.	DE-MICHELE Camillo	"
260173	Cpl.	ESPOSITO Giovanni	"
115936	Cpl.	FELICIELLO Mario	"
127574	Pte.	GABBANI Armando	"
103069	Pte.	GAUDIO Mario	"
NT/103	Sgt.	GIORDANI Aldo	"
198372	Cpl.	MALLUS Giuseppe	"
132371	Pte.	MASINI Arnido	"
94263	Sgt/M.	MITTICA Pietro	"
189687	Cpl.	MORRONE Giuseppe	"
105221	Pte.	NARDINO Nicola	"
315	Pte.	PERODDI G.	"
4316	Pte.	PERUGINI A.	"
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HEADQUARTERS
28 MAR 1945

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

GHQ.,
2nd Echelon,
MIDDLE EAST FORCES.

CR/3822/G1(Br).

27 Mar 45.

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1. Reference your O2EPW/2/120 of 16 March 45 enclosing nominal roll of 21 Italian PW, (Invalids) 20 ex INDIA and 1 ex MIDDLE EAST, who embarked at SUEZ per H.S. "AMBA" on 11 March 45 for ITALY.
2. The nominal roll was forwarded to Headquarters, Allied Commission (IPW Sub Commission) ROME with this Headquarters' letter CR/3822/G1(Br) of 20 March 45. Headquarters, Allied Commission now state that the roll must have become detached from the letter, which arrived without it.
3. It would be much appreciated if you would forward a copy of this nominal roll to this Headquarters (and a copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, (IPW Sub Commission) ROME.)

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W.A.K. FINLAYSON, Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

THG/DOKT.

Copy to:- HQ., ALLIED COMMISSION (IPW Sub Commission).

TRANSLATION

Rome 28th March 1945 861

The High Commissioner
for Prisoners of War.

To the Allied Commission
IPW Sub-Commission

N°881/Pol/C-15 di Prot.

Subject: Italian Sick POWs in British India.

14. The High Commissioner has been assured through official sources that in the first ten days of November 1944, 350 It. POWs were invalided home from POW Camps in British India.
24. These invalids were put on hospital trains to be sent to the port from which they were to be embarked, but after a long trip, at the last moment they could not be repatriated and were sent back to the camps in group II and V and to the Camp at Secunderabad.
34. As they are more or less all mental cases, the consequences to their health and morale may easily be imagined.
44. As we are further informed that other invalids are awaiting repatriation from various camps in India, we ask the Allied Commission to call this matter to the attention of the proper authorities in order that the repatriation of Sick Italian POWs may be expedited.

Thanking you

The High Commissioner

(Signed) Gen. P. Cassera.

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian Sick and Wounded, W.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

28 MAR

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
(IPW Sub Commission).

CR/3822/G1(Br).

20 Mar 45.

Attached is a nominal roll received from GHQ., 2nd Echelon
MEF of 21 Italian PW (invalids) (20 ex INDIA and 1 ex MIDDLE EAST)
who embarked at SUEZ per H.S. "AMRA" on 11 March 45 for ITALY.

T.R. Condon

T.R. CONDRON, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

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24 MAR - spoke w/ Condon -
will send copy

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Encl.

HEADQUARTERS
22 MAR 1945

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SUBJECT:- Request for Medical Examination of Italian PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

OP/3322/GI(32).

21 Mar 45.

Commander - in - Chief,
INDIA.

No. 39413 Cpl. Maj. OTTAVIANI Antonio, born 1911.
Captured at TORREK 20 Jan 41.

1. The Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War has requested that the above named PW may be examined by a Mixed Medical Commission under the terms of Article 70 of the Geneva Convention.
2. OTTAVIANI's present address is understood to be in Camp 14 (Wing 3) CPO Bombay.

no action
W.A.K. Finlayson

W.A.K. FINLAYSON,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

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Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Commission
(IPW Sub-Commission) your 1/7/468 of 16 Dec 44 ref 535

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB-COMMISSION

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16 March 1945

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

Subject : Italian Sick and Wounded POWs.

- 1/. Reference your CR/3822/G1(Br) of 10 March 45.
- 2/. The Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War informs that Cpl. Maj. COTAVIANI Antonio N° 39413, born 1911, was captured at Tobruck 20th January 1941. His present address is Camp 14, Wing 3 C.F.O. Bombay. His family resides in Rome.
- 3/. The remaining six POWs cited in your letter were repatriated to Italy in the fall of 1944.

For the Chief Commissioner:

J. A. CAMPBELL
Lieut. Colonel
Director
WMD & IPCW Sub-Comm.

Copy to: AFHQ, Attention G-5 Section.

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