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SEPT. - OCT. 1944

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1/7/101 I GROUP REPATRIATION - MIXED MEDICAL COMMISSION + WAR OFFICE

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: ACTION HQ ACC INFO: NADIST FOR ⁴~~INFO~~ BRANCH
 FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED
 REFERENCE No: FX 44557
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 27 1510A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGAB

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 81/27
 CLASSIFICATION:
 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

see 11/7/141
 SECRET ~~for~~ Capt DERBY. Your 4754 dated 12 Oct. Approximately 250 - 300 Italian sick and wounded being lifted ALGIERS on HMHS ATLANTIS next week sailing date unknown. If you wish despatch 3 selected Italian Red Cross personnel to accompany no objections raised. NADIST cable A393/1 dated 22 Oct refers.

see 11/7/141
see 11/7/130



Dist
 Action - POW SO
 Info - A/CC
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 File (M)

See 11/7/211
31/10/44

ACTION 1448

*Action: Phoned Maj. McSweeney, Naples + warned the embarking to-day, impossible to postpone, he to be prepa to accept. ~~31 Oct~~ Also informed, by phone, of pce y - Col. Monksa. *31/10**

SECRET

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded.

POW s/c
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27 OCT 1944
A.C.C.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

CR/3822/G1(Br)

24 Oct 44.

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

The Italian Prisoners of War as shown on attached list are being repatriated from 94 Br Gen Hospital on medical grounds. As soon as EPA is known you will be informed.

see 17/213

Grant

O. GRANT, J. Conf.,
for Major General, 17
DAG, G.1(Br).

OG/ER.
Encl.

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SECRET
 ALLIE CONTROL COMMISSION
 INCOMING MESSAGE
 INFO - ACTION

9198

TO: CG COMZONE NATOUSA FOR ACTION RPT FOR INFO TO CG MBS, FREEDOM FOR G-5, FREEDOM FOR
 ITALIAN NAVAL MISSION AND ACC IN ITALY SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 101/26
 FROM: CG MBS SIGNED KOENIG CLASSIFICATION:
 REFERENCE No: H - 6950 PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 26 1044 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE BMMMA

SECRET. This cable is in reference to our cable H-6862 dated 24 October current. The following information is necessary for complete knowledge of move. Subjects listed in cable H-6862, boarded ARUNAJL(?) CASTLE destination PENBASE, with the following exceptions. Removed from shipment was POW FARDELLA, SIMONE, 81-I-203883, political reasons, and POW MENCHI, ELIO, 81-I-12427 who took ill prior to embarkation and had to be removed. ETA in NAPLES is 28 October current. Grand total of POWs is 41. Escort ameri can orders remain unchanged.

see 4/7/89

HEADQUARTERS
 24 OCT 1944
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INFO -ACTION I POW SC (2)
 INFO A/CC
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 NAVY SC
 ARMY SC
 C A SEC
 PUB SAFETY SC
 FILE

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INFO - ACTION

SECRET

OCT 26 1625

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

9002 (19)

TO: ACTION: MIDEAST INFO: ACC *INFO - ACTION WMD + IPOW*

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED WILSON SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 65/24

REFERENCE No: FX 43150 CLASSIFICATION:

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 24/1505 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE: FIGAB

RESTRICTED. Your A5/49176 of 8 October. Require maximum number finance guards possible. Request arrange repatriation all except those employed in key positions

NOTE: This msg delayed thru signal servicing

- Am Code

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INF - ACT - W.M.D. + IPOW #6 (2)

INF - A/CC

C. A. Sec

Pub. Safety

Dispers & Rep. SIC

Finance SIC

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FILE (2)

No Action

Public Safety

Finance

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OCT 25 1944

INFO - ACTION WMD + IPOW
W.M.D. + IPOW
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
AFHQ
C. A. Sec
Pub. Safety
Dispers & Rep. SIC
Finance SIC
FLOAT
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AFHQ

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Subject: Tel VALJEAN 42.

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Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission.

23 Oct 44.

Subject: Italian Co-operators

Encl. 1/7/42

Reference AFHQ letter CR/3025/G1(Br)
dated 28 Sep 44.

May a nominal roll of the Italian Co-operators
continuing in employment under the Displaced Persons
and Italian Refugee Sub-Commission, please be forwarded
to this Headquarters as soon as possible.

May also a nominal roll of the four Italian
officers and 25 other ranks released under the above
quoted letter please be forwarded.

J. L. ...

FOR NO
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NOV 10 1944
HEADQUARTERS OF ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
1414

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

C.M.F.
HAF/GN.

*See 47/227
Reply received
+ filed. (BAA)*

1414-380

SECRET
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

1 POW 9120
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TO: CG MBS, ACC, REAR FOR INFO CG PBS, AFHQ FOR LIAISON SECTION
SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: N155/25
FROM: CG COMZONE NATOUA SIGNED CLASSIFICATION:
REFERENCE No: LX49162 LARKIN PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY
DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: Oct 251500 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: SSPMG893 SSGAP

INFO - ACTION See 1/7/172

SECRET. Lifting sick and wounded Italian prisoners of war for repatriation is subject. (Propose to lift from Mediterranean Base Section on or about 5 November prisoners of war listed on roster enclosed with letters this Headquarters dated 8 and 16 October 1944, file 014. 33D, those on Mediterranean Base Section roster number 13 and 45 from French custody. (Propose to then move ship to TUNIS to lift 4 prisoners of war at Eastern Base Section on roster forwarded by letter this Headquarters of 8 October, and 153 from French custody.) (All will then be moved to NAPLES for repatriation to Italian Government.) (Name of ship to be used and ETA of vessel at ORAN, TUNIS and NAPLES will be forwarded earliest possible.) (Mediterranean Base Section please pass to Eastern Base Section for necessary action. Please notify local French authorities.

INFO - ACTION

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PBS 4413
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22 OCT 1944
A.C.S.

SECRET

2. POW *11/7/192A*
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HQ EAST AFRIC & REPEATED TROOPERS, MIDEAST, HQ ACC

A PHC SIGNED WILSON

12/27

EX 44367

OCT 261720

ROUTINE
OTTE INGAB

HEADQUARTERS
27 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

SEC RET. Your 35186 of 24th October. Agree accept 300 repeat 300 sick Italian civilians offer originally 190. Include HQ ACC in ETA signal

FOR INFORMATION ONLY

No action this s/c
Action by Disper

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INFO-ACTION DISPER & REP SC (2)
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AC & HQ
SUB HEAD
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

9026

INFO-ACTION

TO: PBS FOR SOUTHERN REGION ACC INFO HQ. ACC.
SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 46/25
FROM: ACC SARDINIA REGION
REFERENCE No: NONE
PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE
DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 24/NFT
OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE: ACC 615

RESTRICTED. Not more than 400 time expired prisoners will arrive NAPLES morning 30 October for dispersal to homes in South ITALY and SICILY. Each man will carry three days food.

*sent to Public Safety (original)
for Action*

ACC D IST
INFO-ACTION: WMD & POW (2)
INFO: A/CC
R. SAFETY
DISPER
FILE

~~Apparently not POW~~
R B W

Action
*Public safety
not Prisoners of war*

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SECRET
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
 INCOMING MESSAGE
 INFO - ACTION

9008

TO: CG COM ZONE NATOUSA INFO: CG PBS, FREEDOM FOR G-5, FREEDOM FOR ITALIAN NAVAL MESSIA
 AID ACC IN ITALY SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 25/25
 FROM: CG MBS SIGNED ROEMIG CLASSIFICATION:
 REFERENCE No: 6062 PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 24/1800A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE: BAPMA

SECRET. Expected shortly, the following moves are anticipated MBS to NAPLES. ETD from ORAN and ETA NAPLES will be cabled earliest possible reference will be made to this cable. Aboard will be the following: Italian officers, to be transferred to PBS from MBS for subsequent transfer to Italian Government through the ACC, PAC ltr HQ SOS NATOUSA dated 23 Sept current, file 383.6D. SCIBELIA, SALVATORE Capt 81-I-50463. RANDI, MICHELE, 10, 81-I-50569. OCCELLO, IGNAZIO, 10, 81-I-50514. SCUDERI, GIUSEPPE, Capt, 81-I-30468. VENTRO, VITTORIO, Capt, 81-I-40941. TOLOMI, PAOLO, Capt, 81-I-50402. PAC in ltr HQ SOS NATOUSA dated 27 Sept current, file 383.6- Dol DEQUENTIS, ENRICO, Capt, 81-I-89633 transfer to PBS from MBS. PBS is requested to release subject to commissariat of the Italian Army through Army-Sub-Commission of ACC. Requested by Marshall MESSE, and authority contained in ltr SOS NATOUSA dated 7 Sept current, file 383.6(SSRG) the following Italian Officers to be transferred to ACC in ITALY for subsequent repatriation to the Italian Comando Supremo. PISTOTTI, ENZIO, maggiore, Alpini, 01155. BIANCHI, GIUSEPPE, Maggiore, Alpini, 01013. CASTOLDI, PAOLO, ten AA PIL, OF58. Two Italian civilians received from Southern FRANCE at MBS to be transferred to POW camp 371 PAC ltr HQ SOS NATOUSA dated 23 September current and 19 Italian civilians reclassified as able to be transferred to POW camp 371 PAC Fifth Ind HQ NATOUSA dated 16 September current, file AG 383. 7/641 A0, for subsequent release, are as follows: COLOMBO, MARIO, 81-I-313753- RINALDI, ENZO, 81-I-313750. Reclassified civilians ARENBACHER, ENRICO, 81-I-93549. CIPPOLINI, MARIO 81-I-93674. CROCI, PARIS, 81-I-93653. DONIA, BALDASSARE, 81-I-93606. FATIGATO, FRANCESCO, 81-I-93539. GARRA, GIUSEPPE, 81-I-93469. GIACALONE, VITO, 81-I-93609. GRIFFO, MICHELE, 81-I-93675. INVERNIZZI, GIOVANNI, 81-I-93511. LIRONCURTI, STEFANO, 81-I-93574. LORENZINI

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LUGI, 81-I-93715. MARILLI, ALBINO, 81-I-93572. MATTIOLI, EZIO, 81-I-93475. MORELLI, ANTONIO, 81-I-93703. PAGLINO, GIUSEPPE, 81-I-93613. PACCHIANINI, ANGELO, 81-I-93596. POLI, DURANTE, 81-I-93452. SETTOGHINI, ARRIGO, 81-I-93692. ZANI, MARIO, 81-I-93710.

The ACC in ITALY REquested the release of the following civilian internees and PAC in ltr HQ COMZONE NAPOLUSA dated 10 October current, shipment of subjects is made: BARTOLUZZA

MESTOLO, *Cacmele, 81-I-93446*
COSIMO, 81-I-93484 / MANUZZI, MARIO, 81-I-93482. In compliance with sixth Ind HQ SOS NAPOLUSA, file 3 (night?) 3. 7/D dated 26 September current, the following class C

Italian civilians will be shipped for transfer to POW camp 371: PARDELLA, SARONE, 81-I-209883. *see 1/7/197* MENCHI, ELIO, 81-I-12427. MONACO, LUCIANO, 81-I-365434. DI TEGGIONI, FILIPPO, *see 1/7/197* 81-I-152139. Refer to cable IX-43389 dated 22 September current, for authority and

disposition of the following civilian stowaways: GIRASOLE, RICCARDO, GAMBINI FRANCO, SPOLETTINI FILIPPO, LAJA GIORGIO (LAYA). Request Italian Naval authorities be informed of the arrival of POW FRISMA, DOMENICO who deserted Italian Navy at FERRYVILLE (BIERTTA) on 26 March current. Grand total on this shipment will be 43 POWs. Escort will be four Americans, to return to proper station upon completion of their duties

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INFO-ACTION : I POW SC (2)

- INFO : A/CC
- DISPER & REP SC
- NAVY SC
- ARMY SC
- CA SEC
- PUB SAFETY
- WFILE

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Handwritten routing and administrative markings, including "INFO ACTION" and "A.C.C."

NEAL PARTERS
25 OCT 1944
A.C.C.

Handwritten date: 11/22/44

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CG COMZONE MANTOVA FOR ACTION RPT FOR INFO TO CG PHS. FREEDOM FOR G-5. FREEDOM FOR
ITALI AN NAVAL MISSION AND ACC IN ITALY 101/26

CG PHS SIGNED ROMJG

H - 6930

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PRIORITY

CITE ROMA

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HEADQUARTERS
REACTOR
A. C. G.

ACC SET

INFO - ACTION 1 POW SC (2)
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ARMY SC
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acc 11/1/220

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HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PW

24 October 1944

File No. 502 Segr. part.

To: A.C.

ROME

Subject: Lt. Giovanni DE FALCO, I.S.N. 172214, Camp 21, Wing 6, Bombay.

I will be very much obliged to the A.C. if it uses its good offices in order that

Lt. Giovanni DE FALCO, Medical Officer,
I.S.N. 172214, Camp 21, Wing 6, Bombay

would be, if possible, assigned to the escort of Italian Pw repatriated from India.

I thank you

The High Commissioner
s/ General Pietro Gazzera

VP

17/11/44

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L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra

Roma, 24 ottobre 1944

No. 502 Segr. part.

OGGETTO: Tenente medico Giovanni DE FALCO == I.S.N. 172214 =
Camp 21, wing 6 = Bombay =

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

R O M A

Sarei molto grato a cotesta Commissione se volesse
interessarsi perchè il tenente medico
Giovanni DE FALCO
I.S.N. 172214 = Camp 21, wing 6, Bombay = ^{possibilmente} venisse desti-
nato in accompagnamento di prigionieri di guerra italiani
destinati a rimpatriare dall'India.

Ringrazio.

L'ALTO COMMISSARIO
(Generale Pietro Gazzera)

P. Gazzera

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SOUTHERN REGION ACC

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outgoing

25 October

SECRET
PRIORITY

WMD & IPW BC

EIGHT ZERO SICK AND WOUNDED ITALIAN PW WILL ARRIVE NAPLES
PAPER TO SOUTHERN REGION ACC FOR WARREN FROM ACC FROM DERBY
SIGNED BY ONE PAPER ON OR ABOUT TWO NINE OCTOBER ON HOSPITAL
SHIP EMPIRE GLYDE

see 1/7/163
1/7/165
1/7/184

THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20315
ATTENTION: CHIEF OF BUREAU
OF MILITARY AFFAIRS
FOR THE ARMY

1435

L. T. MONTANT, JR.
1st Lt., AGD

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HQ, SOUTHERN REGION ACC

Outgoing

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SECRET
PRIORITY

FIVE THREE SEVEN FIVE
TWO FOUR
OCTOBER

WMD & IPW SC

482
FOUR EIGHT TWO SICK ITALIAN PW FROM ALGIERS WILL ARRIVE NAPLES ON
HOSPITAL SHIP CHANTILLY FOR REPATRIATION ETA TWO FOUR OR TWO FIVE
OCTOBER PAREN TO HQ SOUTHERN REGION ACC FOR WARREN FROM ACC FROM
DERBY SIGNED STONE PAREN PD PRIOR NOTICE OF NUMBERS ARRIVING NOT
RECEIVED HERE PD HAVE CABLED AFHQ IN FUTURE SEVEN DAYS NOTICE OF
ETA REQUIRED

*see ind. 149
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Date _____
Time _____
By _____
For _____

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L.T. MONTANT, JR.
1st Lt., AGD

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SECRET

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

CJC/amc

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IPW/1/7/184

25 October 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner Prisoners of War.

SUBJECT: Repatriation of IPW's.

- 1/. 80 Italian Prisoners of War, sick and wounded, will arrive Naples the latter part of October from Bone (ETA Naples 29 Oct.).
- 2/. Nominal rolls will be forwarded to you as soon as received in this Office.

see 1/7/163 ✓
 4/7/165 ✓
 1/7/187
 1/7/200
 1/7/201

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

War Materials Disposal and
 Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission
 APO 394
 25 OCT 1944

1433

SECRET

Subject: Repatriation of Italian PW.

G-1(Br) AMM.
DAG OHQ 2nd Echelon.

SECRET

Tel: FILIPPO 392.

Enemy Prisoner of War Section (Br) BEAF.
HQ Allied Control Commission, APO 394, U.S. Army.

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Nominal Rolls of Italian PW repatriated to ITALY by
NS "CHIANTILLY" on 19 Oct 44 are forwarded for information.

HEADQUARTERS
23 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

FIELD.
20 Oct 44.
AR.

Handwritten notes and signatures:
ADM: [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
ADM: [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
ADM: [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

Copy to: NS AMM - information only (Nominal Rolls attached).
DDSS NAP - information only (Nominal Rolls attached).

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HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR POW
File No. 1469/Pol/O.2

19 October 1944
To: AC
ROME

180

Subject: Officers, POW, who belonged to the Italian Commission for Armistice with France.

In Novembre 1942, when the Allied Forces landed in Tunisia, Algeria and Morocco, the English, American and French authorities captured all the Italian officers belonging to the various services of the Italian Commission for Armistice with France, created in those territories.

In spite of their protests, these officers were considered as POW and sent to POW camps; they were transferred later from North Africa to England and U.S.A.

They claimed, on that occasion, that, according to their activity, they were invested by the French authorities with the same privileges given to persons in diplomatic service and that, therefore, they should be treated in the same way as the latter, i.e. be exempt from capture and, if necessary, invited to return immediately to their national territory.

As I have been informed, the Italian Government called attention of the Allied Governments to this fact and directly asked for the release or exchange of the above POW, but this request met with negative answer.

It must be recognized that those officers were not assigned to a truly military duty, but appointed for observation and control of the French Armed Forces, which already were in an armistice state and had, therefore, nothing to do whatsoever with Allied military operations.

The above functions were of such a technical nature, that most of the officers assigned to were administration officers or belonged to the reserve or to complementary services. We must also observe that some of them were (and are even more now) aged and some even seriously ill, as I could see it myself at the Monticelli Camp (Arkansas, U.S.A.), where they were detained in 1943.

According to the above facts, and even if the claim for their exemptions from detainment should not be accepted, the Allied authorities could grant the repatriation of this group of officers, performing thus an act of justice and humanity. The great majority of them would be dismissed after their return and would, therefore, be able to actually help at the economic and administrative reconstruction of our country, because they have been selected amongst technical and administrative personnel of great capacity and experience.

I must add (if I am right), that a less rigid interpretation of the position of the members of the Commission for Armistice with France, has already been applied by the Allied Governments in regard to the German members of the Commission, who were exchanged against persons belonging to the American diplomatic service. Therefore, it will be just that the same measure be applied to officers pertaining to cobelligerent Italy.

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I transmit herewith the list of officers, who are in the above position and I beg the AC to kindly approve the measure asked for.

The High Commissioner
of General Pietro Gazzera

box 15000/1/1/277
REGIMENTS - DOCUMENTS TO BE EXCHANGED
FOR THE C.A.C.F.
1943

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C O P Y

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff - G-2

B- 389. 506/80-C

31 May 1944

SUBJECT: Italians Interned at Shenvalee, New Market, Va.

TO: A C of S, G-2 War Dept., Washington, D.C.

1/. Further to our signal F 49927 dated 24 May 1944, and in reply to your w 36696 dated 15 May 1944.

2/. This Section is opposed in principle to the return to Italy of former members of the Italian Armistice Commission in French North Africa. It is considered that as they were arrested at a time when they were undeniably working against us, and have had no opportunity to come under the influence of the events leading to the collapse of Italy, the nature of their previous employment renders them a potential danger to the security of our forces in Italy if set at liberty at the present time. It is felt that their case is quite distinct from that of "career" consular staffs in neutral countries, as to whose loyalty we have had the opportunity of judging from their behaviour over the past 6 months. It should be added that the Direction de la Sécurité Militaire shares our view.

C O P Y

1430

P of W R/c

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Subject:- Registration Italian Sick & Wounded P
Militaries

Reference IC 1/6

To:- DAG,
2nd Squadron (2 AF) GAF *1/13*

Under authority AFHQ CR/1022/31 (Br) dated 2 Oct 44, the names Italians of Russian origin quoted on the attached nominal roll were released and returned to Italy.

Documents are enclosed as under:

- 1 copy of nominal roll
- 1 copy of statement of accounts
- 12 AFs #3408 (originals & duplicates)
- 12 AFs #3000 Part I
- 12 AFs #1220
- 12 AFs #1157
- 12 copies of the statements of credit given to each man.

HEADQUARTERS
2301T. 1944
A. C. C.

Please acknowledge receipt on attached AFB198

File
1/7 206

In The Field
18 Oct 44
CR/RED

Whitney
Major BMO,
CC Italian S. of King,
att: 5 (Br) Field Hospital GAF.

Copy to:- DAG G1 (Br) *(with 3 copies of nominal roll and copy of roll)*
Rfts Sec NA USAF (with 1 copy of **14291**)
HQ Allied Control Commission (with 1 copy of nominal roll)

File

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13025/F

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UNITED KINGDOM'S COMMERCIAL CORPORATION LIMITED.

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10 OCT. 1944
FINANCE SUB
ALEXANDRIA OFFICE
COMMISSION

ALEXANDRIA
TELEPHONE: 26122
CJN/OC.

CAFÉ COMMERCIAL REG. 3452
ALEXANDRIA COMMERCIAL REG. 2574

J. H. F.
B. E. L. T.
J. J. L.
A. L.

MIDDLE EAST BOARD OF DIRECTORS
H. J. F.

CUR. REF. P.O.W.

J. DIRECTOR
CH. ACCT.
HQ. A. F. A.
C. R. O.
INSURANCE
BUDGETS
P. C. DIV.

CAIRO OFFICE:
14, DARH SAAD.
TELEPHONES: 49072/5
(4 LINES)

CAIRO, 25th September 1944.

Headquarter,
Allied Control Commission,
A.P.O. 394.

ITALIAN ex-P.O.W.

Dear Sirs,

With reference to your letter 13025/F of July 24th kindly advising us as to the means whereby our Italian ex-P.O.W. may remit funds to Italy, we are now faced with a slightly more difficult problem in connection with these men and we have no alternative but to turn to you for your kind advice and assistance.

2. As explained to you in our letter of July 10th, these 30 men were released by the Military Authorities in Middle East last March for employment as mechanics with this Corporation on our Transport Organisation in Persia carrying "Aid to Russia" goods. Except for certain minor restrictions, they are to all intents and purposes being treated as ordinary civilians and are being properly remunerated for their work under the terms of an agreement which provides for their repatriation to Italy on the termination of their services.

3. Our Transport Organisation in Persia is about to close down and it has now become necessary to repatriate these men to Italy as soon as possible. They will be provided by the British Consular Authorities with travel documents bearing all the necessary visas to transit Iraq, Syria, Palestine and Egypt, and we hope to be able to arrange with MOV. and TN., GHQ MEF, for sea passages for them from Egyptian to Italian Port.

4. For your information and to enable you to have some idea of the districts in which they were living and facilitate your decision, we append herewith a complete list of these men with the fullest particulars of their names and addresses. You will observe that two of them live in what is now "German Occupied Territory".

5. Before we make the necessary repatriation arrangements would you be good enough to let us know whether there are any formalities to be complied with at your end.

6. Needless to say we shall be very grateful for any assistance you can give us in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

C. P. [Signature]

Personnel Manager

Middle East Board of Directors

Copy to: UKCC TEHERAN. C. C.

Action 1/7/154

HEADQUARTERS

10 OCT 1944

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

IEW 1/7/47

22 October 1944

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Protected personnel from Syracuse Hospital.

- 1/. Reference our letter dated 6 October 1944, IEW 1/7/47B paragraph 3, subject "Confirmation telephone conversation with General Dapino" the following has just been received from Allied Force Headquarters. The officers on this roster would best be employed by being permitted to return to their homes and civilian practices, with the exception Tenente SAGRAMORA Piero - whose place of residence is given as "Sondrio", and who should be instructed to report to the Public Health Branch of the Ministry of the Interior in Rome. The other ranks may be released and told they may find such employment as they wish as Allied Control Commission have no particular employment in view for them.
- 2/. In other words, as you requested, all these medical personnel, Italian PW, will be repatriated at once - and with the exception of Tenente Sagramora who will be employed by the Ministry of Interior in Rome - be permitted to return to their homes. The repatriation of these individuals should be completed within the next few days.

J. Campbell
J. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
Director WD & IW Sub-Comm.

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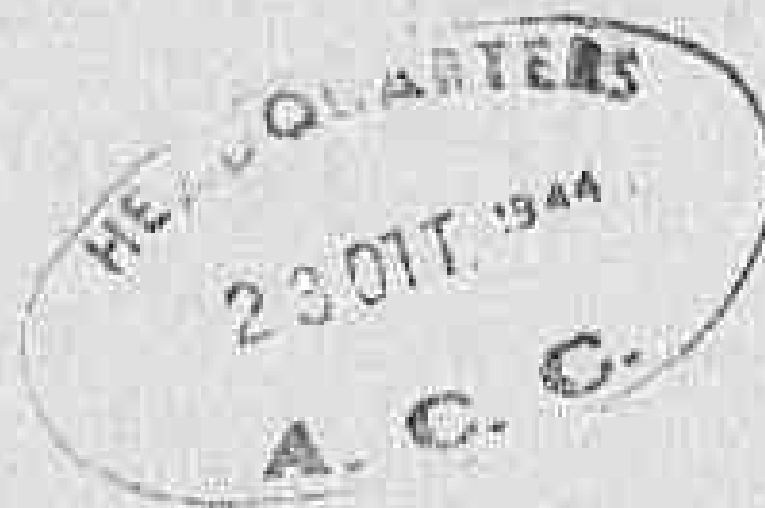
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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW - Protected Personnel.

ALLIED POWER HEADQUARTERS

OR/3822/G1(Br)20 Oct 44Headquarters,
No. 3 District.

1. Further to this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 2 Oct 44.
2. Allied Control Commission have stated that the officers concerned would be best employed by being permitted to return to their homes and civilian practices, with the exception of Tenente SAGOMERA, Piero - whose place of residence is given as Sondrio, and who should be instructed to report to the Public Health Branch of the Ministry of Interior in Rome.
3. The other ranks may be released and told they may find such employment as they wish, as Allied Control Commission have no particular employment in view for them.
4. Attention is drawn to Para. 4 of this Headquarters letter dated 2 Oct 44.

A.S. BARBORG,
Lieut-Colonel, A.C.C.
for Major General,
DAG, G.I(Br).

PT/ER.

Copy to:- Commandant, 209 PW Camp
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission ✓
(Your IPW/1/7/150 dated 15 Oct 44 refers.)

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

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EW 1/1/75

23 October 1944

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject : Arrival of repatriable Italian Prisoners of War (sick)

- 1/. During the latter part of this month 45 French held Italian PW from Crete and 131 French held Italian PW from Tunis all sick, together with 103 U.S. held prisoners from Crete and 20 additional U.S. held Italian prisoners from North Africa (Total 299 all sick) will arrive at Naples for repatriation. See Encl 117/156 & 117/172
See 117/101
- 2/. The exact time of arrival and the medical breakdown of the individuals concerned will be notified to you as soon as possible.
- 3/. The only previous reference to this group of repatriables are (1) Telephone conversation between General Cassara and Colonel Campbell 26 September 1944 in which the Italian Government agreed to accept these prisoners of war (2) Second paragraph our letter No. EW 1/2/222 dated 21 October 1944 subject "Italian PW invalids under French custody still to be repatriated".
- 4/. Inclosed is the roster of American held part of 259 Italian PW. The French held part of these will be forwarded as soon as received.

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

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✓ File Copy

1 Incl. - Roster of American held Italian PW
Copy to Headquarters Southern Region
Attention Colonel WARRICK. (Copy of roster not included)

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*Head only
in line with
1/2/88 a.
except last
7 names*

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Subject:- Repatriation of Sick and Wounded Italian PW

Reference ICW/6
SECRET

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To:-
Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission,
APO 394, U.S. Army

Attached please find one copy of nominal roll and covering letter concerning 272 Italian sick and wounded repatriated ex-Bone Garrison on HS 'OXFORDSHIRE' for Taranto on 4 Oct 44 (authority: AFHQ CR/3822/G1(Br) dated 20 Sep 44).

The delay in forwarding this copy is due to the fact, that the amendment to the above quoted authority (ref AFHQ CR/3822/G1(Br) dated 3 Oct 44) including you in the distribution list of nominal rolls, was not received in this office until 10 Oct 44.

In The Field
11 Oct 44
CH/RED

Mulvey, Major RMC,
CC Italian Co-op Wing,
att 6 (Br) Field Hospital BNAF.

Copy to:- SMO Bone Garrison.

W M D DIV.
DATE <u>20-10-44</u>
<u>MM/1/1/</u>

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HEADQUARTERS
18 OCT 1944
A. C. C. 1424

PP+RS/c

COPY/RED

Subject:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded Personnel

Reference ICW/6
SECRET

To:- DAG,
GHQ 2nd Echelon (BNAF) CMF

Reference AFHQ letter CR/3822/G1(Br) dated 20 Sep 44
on the above mentioned subject.

Enclosed please find:-

- 272 AFs W3488 (Original & Duplicate) all completed with total credit balance stated.
- 272 AFs W3000 Part I.
- 272 AFs H1157 of these repatriates.
- 272 receipts from the repatriates for their statement of accounts for period in which in regard of the British Authorities. The original is in possession of the repatriates.
- 1 copy of the nominal roll of repatriates.

They were embarked ex-Bone on HS 'OXFORDSHIRE' for Taranovo on 4 Oct 44 under the above quoted authority. Total number embarked was 272.

Appropriate AFs W3034 and AFs W3002 will be published showing this move. The claims for return of personal effects were sent to Enemy Prisoner of War Section (British) BNAF under my letter of even number dated 1 Oct 44.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of documents on the attached AFs B198.

[Signature]
 (Ssg) C. Hackney
 Major RAMC,
 CC Italian Co-op Wing,
 att 6 (Br) Field Hospital BNAF.

In The Field
5 Oct 44
CH/RED

Copy to:- G1(Br)A2 AFHQ (with 2 copies of nominal rolls and 2 copies of Account Rolls). **1423**
 CC HS 'OXFORDSHIRE' (with 3 copies of nominal rolls and 2 copies of Account Rolls).
 Enemy Prisoner of War Sec (British) BNAF. (with 1 copy

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Enemy Prisoner of War Sec (British)BNAF. (with 1 copy of nominal roll).
SAC Bone Garrison (with 1 copy of nominal roll).
File (with 1 copy of nominal roll and 1 copy of Account Roll).

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

WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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23 October 1944

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

- 1/. 100 Italian Prisoners of War in U.S. custody from Oran and 45 IPW's in French custody from Tunis plus 131 IPW's in French custody will arrive in Italy the latter part of October. *11/7/101 11/7/17 11/7/166*
- 2/. Nominal rolls to follow. *11/7/175 (part only available)*
- 3/. 159 Italian Prisoners of War plus an additional 6 officers, from India, will arrive Italy in the latter part of October. *11/7/42 11/7/133*
- 4/. Nominal roll attached.
- 5/. RFA and part will be forwarded to you as soon as received.

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

1 Encl. - Nominal roll of 159 IPW's from India.

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HEADQUARTERS COMMUNICATIONS ONE
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
ARMY POST OFFICE 750

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8 October 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War.

TO : Deputy president, Allied Control Commission, Rear, APO 394,
U. S. Army.

1. Attached is a letter to Base Sections in North Africa relative to proposed repatriation of Italian prisoners of war as discussed and agreed to with Captain Roger Derby at a conference with representatives of the Provost Marshal General's Section, this Headquarters.

2. In accordance with Captain Derby's request, Naples will be used as port of debarkation.

3. Exact date of lift will be cabled to you earliest possible.

For the Commanding General:

See 11/7/101

11/7/101

VERNON W. RICE,
Colonel, A.G.D.,
Adjutant General.

1 Incl: a/s

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HEADQUARTERS COMMUNICATION ONE
 NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
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6 October 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriable Prisoner of War.

TO : Commanding General, Mediterranean Base Section, APO 600, U.S. Army.
 Eastern Base Section, APO 763, U. S. Army.

1. It is proposed to repatriate the Italian prisoners of war on attached rosters to Naples during the latter part of October, 1944.
2. To be lifted with U.S. repatriable will be approximately forty-five (45) French owned Italian prisoners of war at Oran and one hundred thirty-one (131) French owned Italian prisoners of war at Tunis.
3. It is presently planned to dispatch a U.S. Hospital Ship to Oran to load U.S. and French owned prisoners of war to be repatriated from there and then move the ship to Tunis for loading U.S. owned at Eastern Base Section and French owned at Tunis, thence moving the group to Naples where repatriation will be effected.
4. French authorities have been requested to coordinate embarkation arrangements with local U.S. authorities.
5. Firm date as to exact time of embarkation will be cabled earliest possible.

By command of Major General LARKIN:

J. V. BIRLSON,
 Major, A.C.D.,
 Asst. Adj. Gen.

cc : Allied Control Commission, Rear

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 TO THE OFFICE OF THE
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October 1944

HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PW
Military Office

To: AC
ROME

File No. 6501/1/G.7

Subject: Medical examination of Italian POW.

- 1/. Reference letter ^{Encls} IPW/1/7/126, dated 8 October 1944.
- 2/. We thank the AOC for its help regarding sick POW to be visited by Mixed Medical Commissions in view of their eventual repatriation.
- 3/. The Italian Government will be very pleased if all the POW declared invalids by the above Commissions, could be repatriated.

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The High Commissioner
s/General Pietro Gazzera

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No further action required
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HIGH COMMISSIONER ~~IPW~~ PW
Military Office

17 October 1944

File No. 8501/1/0.7

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(mirrored bleed-through text)
 The High Commissioner
 General Pietro Gazzera

VP

BU/du

Roma, 18 ottobre 1944

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

R o m a

L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra.
- Ufficio Militare -

N° 8501/I[^]/C.7 di prot.
OGGETTO : Visite mediche per prigionieri di guerra italiani.-

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1. Riferimento lettera IPW/1/7/126 in data 8 ottobre c.m.-
 2. Si ringrazia del cortese interessamento di codesta Commissione Alleata in favore dei prigionieri di guerra ammalati da sottoporre alla visita delle Commissioni Mediche-miste per l'eventuale rimpatrio.
 3. Il rimpatrio di tutti i prigionieri riconosciuti invalidi da dette Commissioni sarà ben accolto dal Governo Italiano.

L'ALTO COMMISSARIO
(Generale Pietro Gazzera)

P. Gazzera

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SUBJECT: - Repatriation of Italian sick and wounded PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

CR/3822/G1(Br).

17 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission,
(War Materials Disposal or PW Sub-Commission) ✓

1. Reference this Headquarters Cable F 34,358 dated 4 Oct.
2. Herewith one copy of nominal rolls of PW embarked on H.S. Atlantis and on KMF 35 as follows :-

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for additional*

Ship - P.4 KMF35	Fit PW		Sick PW		1418
	Officers	Ors.	Officers	Ors.	
	7	3	1	361	<i>see 49/107</i>

Ship - H.S. Atlantis	P.F.		Sick PW	
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Major D.A.A. G.
for Major General
DAG, G.1 (Br)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 383.6

TBJ/EMR/seb
18 October 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation of PW on Medical grounds.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission
APO 394.

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Reference is made to your IPW/1/7/78A of
6 September.

1. Medical examinations have been requested
and, if repatriable, personnel will be repatriated in
due course.

2. SCAVOLINI, ABBONDADOLO, and FERRERO DI
CAMBIANO are not in this Theater's records and are
being traced.

3. ARDIZZONI and CAMPAGNA were repatriated
from British custody on 5 March 44 and 18 January
44 respectively.

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

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

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SUBJECT:- (A72827) Lieut. MAUGERI, Luciano.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

GR/3841/GI(Br).

13 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Armies in Italy (Main).

1. Reference is made to your 3074/14/A(0) dated 1 Oct 44.
2. Authority is given for the release of the above mentioned Italian PW Co-operator on medical grounds in accordance with para. 37 of this Headquarters' "Administration of Italian PW Co-operators in British Hands".

see 1/7/206 para. 3

A. S. Babeloff

A.S. BABELOFF,
Lieut-Colonel, A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAC G.I(Br).

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Copy to:- G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon.
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission. ✓

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UNITED STATES ARMY
ARMY POST OFFICE 700

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16 October 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War.

TO : Deputy President, Allied Control Commission, Rear, APO 394.

Confirming telephone message transmitted to Captain Roger Derby, Army Sub-Commission, Headquarters Allied Control Commission, submitted herewith are nominal rolls of 16 additional Italian prisoners of war in United States custody who will be repatriated with prisoners of war in French custody late in October.

1 see Encl 1/7/100
For the Commanding General:

Vernon W. Rice

VERNON W. RICE,
Colonel, A.G.D.,
Adjutant General.

1 Incl.
Nominal Roll of 16 Repatriable Italian PW (In duplicate)

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18 OCT 1944
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" " Col Warren (Son Reg)*

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TO: ACC

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED

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CONFIDENTIAL. Ref this Headquarters' cable FX 39830 dated 16 Oct.
Total is 80 repatriates sent.

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D/O/ IPW/1/7/164

19 October 1944

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Officials, to Italy.

Dear Marshal Messe,

With reference to your letter No. 15554, dated 16 October 1944.

It has now been arranged that Admirals PAVESI and LEONARDI will be repatriated and these officers should arrive in Italy at an early date.

Very truly yours,

see 1/1/144
1/1/145
1/1/164B

for *SAE*
EMERY W. STONE
Commodore, USNR
Acting Chief Commissioner

*Informal LT Comm Davis
board Sub-Commission these above mentioned
left England and on way - ETA Naples.
Probably arrive Rome under guard -
7 Nov 1944*

His Excellency
Marshal MESSE,
Chief of Italian General Staff,
Stato Maggiore Generale.

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THE CHIEF OF STAFF

P.M. 191, 16 October 1944

n. 15554

Dear Commodore Stone,

I received your letter A/CC 014.33-1

The officers of the P.O.W. Camp (Annexe), mentioned in my letter 15257 of September 20th, have all been sent home, except for Ammiraglio di Divisione FAYESI and Contrammiraglio LEONARDI.

I wanted to inform you of these repatriation and thank you for your kind interest in this matter.

I remain,

Yours very sincerely,

THE MARSHAL OF ITALY
CHIEF OF STAFF
(Giovanni Messe)

/s/ G. Messe

See 1/7/44
1/7/45
1/7/46

Commodore Ellery W. Stone
Acting Chief Commissioner
Allied Control Commission
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cc: Col. Campbell
WMA + Italian POW Sub. Com.

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TO: ACTION NAMOV NADIST INFO MOV NAPLES ACC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 35/18

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CLASSIFICATION:

REFERENCE No: FX 39830 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 16 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGDM

CONFIDENTIAL. 1. Hospital ship EMPIRE CLYDE ETA BONE 26 Oct will embark following sick and wounded ITALIAN repatriates. Serials 2 and 3 BONE. Your M129/4B of 21 Sept and 3 Oct refers. Total persons 80

2. On completion embarkation vessel proceeds NAPLES.

3. After disembarkation at NAPLES vessel reloads with casualties for UK.

4. Agreed PSTO and Medical (Br).

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WMD & IPW SC

REFERENCE OUR LETTER SECOND PARAGRAPH ONE SLANT SEVEN/ONE TWO ZERO
B OF SIX OCTOBER CMA FIVE FIVE OFFICERS CMA ONE ONE ZERO ZERO OTHER
RANKS PROTECTED PERSONNEL FROM ALGIERS NON SICK OR INCAPACITATED
ETA NAPLES TWO ZERO OCTOBER FOR RELEASE ON ARRIVAL PAREN TO SOUTHERN
REGION ACC FOR WARREN FROM ACC FROM DERBY SIGNED STONE PAREN PD
HOWEVER CMA DUE TO FLAGRA CMA APPLICABLE TO ALL PERSONS FROM ALGIERS CMA
FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH BEFORE RELEASE CLR
INSPECTED DAILY BY MEDICAL OFFICER FOR SIX DAYS FROM
DATE OF DEPARTURE FROM ALGIERS PD IMPORTANT PD THIS
REQUIRES SURVEILLANCE FOR PERIOD AFTER DISEMBARKATION

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War Materials Division and
War Relocation Authority
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L. T. MON TANT, JR.
1st Lt., AGD

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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TO: ACTION ACC
FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SAGIED
REFERENCE No: F 39979
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see 11/7/162
SECRET. Following Italian protected personnel from ALGIERS for release on arrival due NAPLES 20 October. Approximately 55 officers 1100 other ranks. Owing to outbreak of plague in ALGIERS following instructions operative for all personnel leaving ALGIERS.

1. All to be inspected by medical officer daily for 6 days from date leaving ALGIERS.
2. Realized facilities and time at disposal medical officers on ferry service ALGIERS-ITALY will make daily surveillance difficult.
3. Important that surveillance for balance period after disembarkation is maintained

HEADQUARTERS
18 OCT 1944
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Capitain telephoned Col Fuzgella and he said this morning instructions already issued to all port authorities re papers from algiers. ∴ only problem remaining is housing of the 1155. Telephone Col Warren 54046 Naples of Southern Region and follow with copy of this cable. Action completed

P. W. S. 552
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Subject: - Release of Italian Prisoners of War

HQ., ALLIED ARMIES IN ITALY

Tel: FILPOT Ext. 226

HQ No. 1 District
 HQ No. 2 District

3129/7/A(0)

12 Oct. 44.

Copy to: - AFHQ G1 (Br) - (your EX 36538 of 9 Oct 44 refers)
 G1Q 2nd Echelon
 HQ No 3 District
 HQ ACC
 MIA
 CG PBS
 CSI(1)
 AG(US)

1. This HQ letter AAI/3072/A(0) dated 25 Apr 44 is cancelled.
2. Applications for release of Italian Co-operators will be made in accordance with para 37 of the pamphlet "Administration of Italian Co-operators".

Al. Daniels, Major
 Brigadier,
 DAG.

AGD/VRT

HEADQUARTERS
 1501T. 1944
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SUBJECT: - Shipping Bids - Ferry 39 - Trip 5

Left port arrived Naples 23.

A 390/5

8 Oct 44

Reference this HQ signal A 390/5 dated 7 Oct 44, not to all addresses.

1. The attached copy of Shipping Bid for Ferry 39 to ITALY (previously referred to as Trip 5) is forwarded for information.
2. Total numbers (by serial and nationality) finally embarked EEs and Port of Disembarkation will be signalled to all concerned.

In the Field.
/EJB

Major-General,
Commander,
North Africa District.

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No 2 Allied PW Repatriation Unit
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Algiers District (Personnel Shipping)
Comd No 4 Reception Camp (2 copies)
Comd 203 PW Camp (2 copies)
Comd 211 PW Camp (2 copies)
GHQ 2nd Echelon (2 copies) 1 for EPW Sec : 1 for R/E
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SECRET

WMD + POW 15

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: PROCEEDERS FOR ACTION, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION FOR INFO
 FROM: AFHQ SIGNED WILSON
 REFERENCE No: FX 40022
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 17 1624Z

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 102/17
 CLASSIFICATION: _____
 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE
 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE: FNGAB

INFO - ACTION

SECRET. Your 83610DAG (A) of 10 October. Italian Government now prepared to accept ^{see int. 145} PAVESI and LEONARDI. Notify ETA.

HEADQUARTERS
 18 OCT 1944
 A.C.C.

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Inf-Act: WMD + POW
inf: PoS Sect.
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No action required

*see cable 4799
File 1/1/45*

See 145

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ACTION HQ ACC. FOR DERBY.

APRO SIGNED SACRED
P 38778

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SECRET. See your *4724* of 12 Oct. Action on approval of personnel and issuance of military travel authorizations cannot be taken until applications for military travel authorizations are received by this office. Could applications please be forwarded through Maj *WINGGEE* of ACC. Travel without military travel authorizations not permitted.

*see 11/140
11/149*

HEADQUARTERS
15 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

*Application blanks
Attached - Transport -*

*not: 12004 - 100 - 100
11/140
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11/149*

Action

Talked to Maj Thorpe: 0935 - This shipment certainly off as French won't allow them to land at Algiers. He will call us *1404* - Action telephoned *1404* Woodall and *1404* Hapins to say held in abeyance. Bubonic plague now at Algiers - real reason.

SECRET

To be Typed

POW 693

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SUBJECT: Italian Prisoners of War Repatriated from INDIA

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. ✓

CR/3174/G1(Br)

15 Oct 44

Herewith for disposal original LPCs in respect of the under-mentioned Italian prisoners of war recently repatriated from INDIA. Duplicate LPCs accompanied the party.

888	M.S.	ALBENGA ✓	Mario
21073	Capt	ALONZO ✓	Riccardo
123407	M.S.	BUSI ✓	Luciano
240314	Comdr	BEUCCIO ✓	Luigi
242744	Lt Comdr	BENAZZI ✓	Piero
120353	Lt	CASSANO ✓	Francesco
170601	Lt	CAPPESONI ✓	Ciacomo
6	Capt	DEL CORSO ✓	Ugo Carlo
10	Lt	GIUFFRINI ✓	Cino
240200	Lt Comdr	JANNACONE ✓	Vincenzo
120368	Lt	LEVANO ✓	Percy
14	M.S.	LAURARO ✓	Gilberto
240900	Lt	MIRK ✓	Ettore
240714	Lt Comdr	MORONE ✓	Alfredo
242506	Col	MASTRI ✓	Ciro
94304	Capt	OLDICINI ✓	Alberto
6661	Lt Comdr	PELOSI ✓	Salvatore
81047	Lt Comdr	POUCHAIN ✓	Mario
1841	Lt	POZZIO ✓	Mario
120363	Lt	PARASCANDOLO ✓	Nicola
120359	M.S.	ROUGIER ✓	Gillo
240186	Lt Comdr	SIGNORINI ✓	Mario
4802	Lt	SALVATORE ✓	Italo
17	Capt	SIENNA ✓	Antonio
4801	Capt	ZOPPI ✓	Dialma
242507	Col	ZILLI ✓	Enrico.



LPC given to Guidetti for action 3 Nov. 44

H.D. Harper 1403

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

Encls.
BDH/awc.

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

IPW 1/7/154

17 October 1944

To: Allied Forces Headquarters - G-5 Section.

Subject: Italian ex-Prisoners of War.

See 1/7/153

Letter attached herewith is forwarded to you for your action and direct dealings with the writer, rather than the writer through us.

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

Note: Telephone conversation between Capt Aubrey -
Capt. Frank Slaughter - 23 Oct G-5 section added to
above -

"Italian government will accept these IPW's -"

26 Nov. - Tel. conv. with Capt. Slaughter - G-110/1402
appears. Will inform us of ETA. ~~ETA~~

1/7/399 of 29 Nov. fr. Maj. Sharp - no objection to repatriation: notify ETA
2 Encl. -

1 - Letter from U.K.G.C.L.
2 - Nominal roll.

~~Entered on
Account of District~~

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UNITED KINGDOM COMMERCIAL CORPORATION LIMITED

MIDDLE EAST BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Cairo, 25 September 1944

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission,
A.P.O. 394.

ITALIAN ex-P.O.W.

Dear Sirs,

With reference to your letter 13025/P of July 24th kindly advising us as to the means whereby our Italian ex-P.O.W. may remit funds to Italy, we are now faced with a slightly more difficult problem in connection with these men and we have no alternative but to turn to you for your kind advice and assistance.

2. As explained to you in our letter of July 10th, these 30 men were released by the Military Authorities in Middle East last March for employment as mechanics with this Corporation on our Transport Organisation in Persia carrying "aid to Russia" goods. Except for certain minor restrictions, they are to all intents and purposes being treated as ordinary civilians and are being properly remunerated for their work under the terms of an agreement which provides for their repatriation to Italy on the termination of their services.

3. Our Transport Organisation in Persia is about to close down and it has now become necessary to repatriate these men to Italy as soon as possible. They will be provided by the British Consular Authorities with travel documents bearing all the necessary visas to transit Iraq, Syria, Palestine and Egypt, and we hope to be able to arrange with MOV. and TH., CHQ MAR, for sea passages for them from Egyptian to Italian Port.

4. For your information and to enable you to have some idea of the districts in which they were living and facilitate your decision, we append herewith a complete list of these men with the fullest particulars of their names and addresses. You will observe that two of them live in what is now "German Occupied Territory".

5. Before we make the necessary repatriation arrangements would you be good enough to let us know whether there are any formalities to be complied with at your end.

6. Needless to say we shall be very grateful for any assistance you can give us in the matter.

Your faithfully,

1401

Personel Manager
Middle East Board of Directors

Copy to: HUGH WELLSMAN.

Action
11/7/54

UNITED KINGDOM COMMERCIAL CORPORATI LIMITED

Cairo Office: 8th December 1944

- MIDDLE EAST BOARD OF DIRECTORS -

Allied Control Commission,
NAPLES

Italian ex-P.O.W.

Dear Sirs,

May we refer to our letter of September 25th concerning the 51 Italian mechanics, ex-P.O.Ws, employed by us in Persia who are awaiting repatriation to Italy and request you to be kind enough to favour us with an early reply.

In reference to para 4 of our abovementioned letter, as a larger number of these men than we anticipated have their homes in German Occupied Territory, we have ascertained from them whether they happen to have some other home to go to, or relatives to whom they could return in Allied Occupied Territory and we now enclose a list of the addresses given.

Might we point out that these men are highly skilled mechanics most of whom were employed in prewar days in large firms such as the Fiat and other organizations, and from that standpoint alone they should be most useful in Italy for the prosecution of the war effort there.

We understand that the Office of Minister Resident (M.E.) have written to you on the subject and we trust you will give this matter your favourable consideration and an early decision.

Yours faithfully,

Personnel Manager
Middle East Board of Directors

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Addressees of Italian Mechanics ... Allied occupied Italy
(Attended)

1.	Burigena Cesare	Via Satrico No.50	Roma
2.	Favoni Achille	Via Nazionale Tiburtina	Roma - Tivoli
3.	Piccoli Mario	Via Enea No.45	Napoli - Bagnoli
4.	Lanzara Luigi	Vione Vescovo No.10	Nocera Inferiore (Salerno)
5.	Baldini Gualtiero	Via Roma No.10	Vallo della Lucania (Salerno)
6.	Bertolo Attilio	Via Vitt.Emanuele III No.114	Frattamaggiore (Napoli)
7.	Perillo Giovanni	Via Ferrovie No. 30	Benevento
8.	Semeraro Pietro	Via Duomo No. 205	Taranto
9.	Benagura Attilio	Via de Marinis No. 116	Napoli - Bagnoli
10.	Barola Tobia	(Conoscuto) S.Egidio	Perugia
11.	Scalfi Annibale	Via Cavour No. 45	Roma
12.	Bianchi Gustavo	Via Giovanni Paleologo 10	Taranto
13.	Martello Alfredo	(Conoscuto) Carriglia	Arezzo
14.	Deri Dario	Viale Principe Eugenio 6	Firenze
15.	Semboloni Sergio	Via 28 Ottobre No. 106	Trapani - Sicilia
16.	Donese Armando	Via Croci S.Lucia al Monte 37	Napoli
17.	Cortellazzo Bruno	Via Vitt.Emanuele III No.5	Frattamaggiore (Napoli)
18.	Moretti Rinaldo	c/o Famiglia Barola Donedotto	S.Egidio - Perugia
19.	Delli Matti Gastano	Via S.Maria di Morino 17	Vicente - Foggia
20.	Andreano Giuseppe	Piazza Cavour No.3	Napoli
21.	Roni Mario	Piazza S.Apollonia No. 10	Roma
22.	Balestri Wainer	Via Vitt. Emanuele No. 25	Firenze
23.	Perini Silvio	Via Panama No. 79	Roma
24.	Pinto Gabriele	Via Mass No. 15	Salerno, Vallo della Lucania
25.	Briccchi Giovanni	c/o Fabrotti Attilio	
		Via S.Prospero No.24	Perugia
26.	Battini Luigi	Via Tiburtina No. 102	Roma
27.	Camia Pietro	Via 11 Novembre S.Giovanni	Valdano - Arezzo
28.	Cena Alberto	Via Garibaldi No.36	Livorno
29.	Malvezzi Clemente	Via Fantoneto No. 4	Sienna
30.	Gastagna Armando	Piazza S.Apollonia No.14	Roma
31.	Lia Pietro (Cook)	c/o Famiglia Bocchelli	
		Via Federico Stibart No.6	Firenze

29 Nov 44
CJR

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
CONFIDENTIAL
INCOMING MESSAGE
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1 POW-HSC 8024 (152)

TO: NAMOV NADIST INFO ACC NOV NAPLES DISTHREE
FROM: AFHQ SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 140/14
REFERENCE No: FK 38753 CLASSIFICATION: _____
PRECEDENCE: _____ PRIORITY
DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 141700A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: _____

- CONFIDENTIAL. 1. Hospital ship *→ see 1/7/49* CHANTILLY ETA ALGIERS about 19th Oct will load following for NAPLES.
2. Sick and wounded Italians approved for reparation of serial 1 ALGIERS your M/129/4/B/47 of 2nd Sept refers. *? see 1/7/186*
 3. Maximum of 30 tons urgently required medical stores.
 4. Agreed PSTO and medical (B)

HEADQUARTERS
15 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

Area Dist
Mr. Act: J. P. S. S. (D)
Mr. APC
Sub. H. S. S. S.
T. N. S. S.
Dispen + Paps
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War Affairs Division and
Liaison Division of War Sub-Commission
HQ A. C. C. A. CH
15 OCT 1944

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISS. ON
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WMB 5B 8023

TO: ACTION HQ ACC, for DERBY.

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: _____

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CLASSIFICATION: _____

REFERENCE No: F 38778 PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN OCT 14 1754A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGBI

SECRET. See your 4754 of ^{11/1/41} 12 Oct. Action on approval of personnel and issuance of military travel authorizations cannot be taken until applications for military travel authorizations are received by this office. Could applications please be forwarded through Maj SIMCOCK of ACC. Travel without military travel authorizations not permitted.

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15 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

ACTION

Act: WMB 4 I PW Stc (2)
inf: AACC
Dispen & Rep. S/A
Pub. Safety Stc
Adj.

Action a Paul only - telephoned Capt Hays to speaker to Maj Storge. He will call me Monday -

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Received
HQ A.C. A.P. 804
14 OCT 1944

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Tuesday Capt July Spabato Thorge - He (Thorge) said we may have to misstress Boat French unwilling for the moment until cleared at Paris.

DATE and Time of RECEIPT OCT 15 0900A

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

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IPW/1/7/150
15 October 1944

TO: Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512, U.S. Army.
Attention G-1 (B) Section, 1 information copy to G-5
Section.
SUBJECT: Release of Italian Prisoners of War.

- 1/. Reference your CR/3822/G-1(B) dated 2 October 1944, the Public Health Sub-Commission was asked to make recommendations as called for in your paragraph 3. A copy of their letter is inclosed. *Encl. 1/7/110*
- 2/. General GAZZERA, the Italian High Commissioner for PW, was then approached and stated that he hoped the personnel involved would be allowed to return to civilian life.
- 3/. This Headquarters recommends following the suggestions of our Public Health Sub-Commission.

See 1/7/118 For the Acting Chief Commissioner:

JAC
J. A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

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1 Incl:- Letter of Public Health Sub-Comm. dated 10 October 1944.
✓ Copy of letter and inclosure to G-5 Section.

FOR THE DIRECTOR
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. ARMY

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
AFO 394
Public Health Sub-Commission

ACC/3095/3/PH

10 October 1944

SUBJECT : Release of Italian Prisoners of War.

TO : War Material Disposal and Italian Prisoners of War
Sub-Commission. (Att: Capt. Derby).

1. Reference AFHQ letter CR/3822/G1 (Br), dated 2nd October and addressed to Headquarters N° 3 District, it must be stated that the Allied Control Commission cannot find direct employment for this protected personnel. The Ministry of Interior has also been approached regarding employment and states that except in the instance of one doctor whose home is in Sondrio no specific hope of employment by the Ministry can be held out.

2. It is, however, a fact that there is still a shortage of medical men in Liberated Italy and it is, therefore, suggested that the most satisfactory disposal of the officer group in the list supplied with AFHQ letter would be for them to return to their own homes and practices.

3. It is, therefore, suggested that seven officers on the list, including the priest, be permitted to return to their own homes and resume their normal avocations. The eighth officer - Tenente Sagramora Piero - whose place of residence is given as Sondrio, should be instructed to proceed to Rome where employment will be afforded him by the Public Health Branch of the Ministry of Interior. 1395

4. As for Other Ranks no employment can be promised them either by the Allied Control Commission or by the Ministry of Interior. It is seen, however, that a large number of them are normally occupied in useful trades such as agricultural

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labourers and mechanics. It is suggested, therefore, that those whose homes are in Liberated Italy could usefully be permitted to return to their pre-war occupations. It will, however, be impossible at present to suggest a method of disposal of those whose homes are still in German occupied territory.

5. The original documents are returned to you herewith.

For Brigadier G.S. PARKINSON:

G.M. Frieble Lt. Col.

G.M. FRIEBLE, Lieut. Colonel,
Chief, Public Health Branch.

Encl: as above.

PH/GMF/af

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SECRET
AIES COMINTO COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

NMDN/POW 149
11/12

TO: ACTION ACC
FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED
REFERENCE No: 38511
DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 13 21 48A
SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 34/14
CLASSIFICATION:
PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE
OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGAB

SECRET. Your 4754 dated 12 Oct. French will not give approval without referring to PARIS. Will signal decision. See 1/7/151

New subject. Following invalid repatriates embarked FREETOWA in CHANTILLY 8 Oct. Category B S1TB1 total 2.

See 1/7/152
1/7/157
1/7/186
1/7/199

ACC LIST
ACT - NMDN/POW (2)
INF - ACC
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HEADQUARTERS
11 OCT 1944
A. C. 1393

War Reliefs Director and
Chairman of War Reliefs Commission
HQ APO SF 963
11 OCT 1944

DATE and Time of RECEIPT OCT 14 08 30A

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P.O.W. S/C
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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Officers.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

GR/3863/G1(Br).

10 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. ✓

see 447

1. Arrangements are being made for the repatriation of the following officers from EGYPT.

Group 1

- | | | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| 361156 Magg. | TAVERNA ✓ | Antonio ✓ |
| 361610 Ten. | GORDERO ✓ | di Montezemolo x |
| 361592 Magg. | MAFFINO ✓ | Carlo ✓ |
| 363177 Capt. | DE LORENZO ✓ | Luigi ✓ |
| 363513 Ten | DEZZA ✓ | Stefano. ✓ |

*see 1/7/584
rec'd 2/1/45*

*9 Dec will be a warrant
x support
Inda grant
will report*

2. The following will also be embarked from INDIA for repatriation at the end of this month.

*Group 2
Always with 1/1/45*

- | | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------|
| 118003 Capt. | FAGGIONI | Luigi ✓ |
| 81205 Capt. | MOLINARI ✓ | Vincenzo ✓ |
| 11564 Capt. | PIEVE | Alfredo x |
| 306227 Col. | POSTIGLIONE ✓ | Carlo ✓ |
| 259748 Ten. | STINGONE | Giovanni x |
| 1553 Ten. | PEZZANTINI | Ugo. x |

Minut. 1392

see 1/7/205

OG/cnr.

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

Notified H.C.

Copy to:- *G-5.*

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HEADQUARTERS
13 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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ARMY 147
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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian Protected Personnel.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

W.M.D. + Row
DATE 11/11/44
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OR/3822/GI (Br).

9 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
No. 3 District.

Reference your 171/1/A dated 5 Oct.

1. Authority is given for the release of the undermentioned Italian protected personnel:-

HA/T/21985	Den Med 2/Lt	SOZZI Riccardo
HA/T/21984	Cap Med	RIZZO Giovanni
HA/T/21984	Ten Med	SAIWO Salvatore
HA/T/21448	Capt Pharm	LIVOLSI Natale

2. It is understood that the first named is already serving with the Italian Army and that the remainder are for employment at the Refugee Camp, SYRACUSE.

3. On release they should be handed a certificate of credit (for settlement by the Italian Authorities) and AF's W3438 and W3000 will be forwarded to GHQ, 2nd Echelon.

see 1/7/206 para 1

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A. S. MARSDEEF

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

Copy to:- GHQ, 2nd Echelon,
Headquarters, Allied Control Commission.

W. K. ...
A. C. C.

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded Personnel.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3822/G1 (Br).

11 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission,
(War Material Disposal & PW Sub Commission).

1. Further to this Headquarters letter of even reference dated 9 Oct 44.
2. Enclosed are further nominal rolls and statements of credit balances on PW due for repatriation from INDIA.

*See 1/7/139
1/7/224*

P. Thorp

P. THORP,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

PT/wel

Encl.

*original list. in in 1/4/45 297
(30/1/45) 325*

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

H.Q., A.C.C.

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13 OCTOBER

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PARCHI AND LIGNANI WILL BE JOINTLY BY ITALIAN GOVERNMENT PARCHI TO AMIO PARCHI TO
AGG SIGNED WITH PARCHI DATE FILED REFERENCE P37203 TO SEND THEM TO ROME CHIEF
OF AGG & ITALIAN BY DISCOMMISSION AT HQ AGG TO

see 1/7/14x

See 1/7/14x

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War Materials Disposal and
Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
HQ ACC, APO 944
12:01 1008
Dated
Log No

J. S. [unclear], Jr.
1st Lt., [unclear]

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: ACC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 12/12

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CLASSIFICATION:

REFERENCE No: F 37293 PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 112058A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE: FIGEG

SECRET. Subject is Admirals FAVESI and LEONARDI. Paraphrase of TROOPERS signal follows:

"FAVESI and LEONARDI presently occupying accommodation urgently required for German officers of high rank and operational intelligence interest. Any steps you can take to persuade the Italian Government to accept them will be appreciated."

Please treat as urgent.

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Act: WMD/JIPON SC
inf: COS
ALCC
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ACTION

Spoke with HC who will let me know
After he has spoken with members of mission
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13/10/44

HEADQUARTERS

12 OCT 1944

A.C.C.

Action: Cable sent 13 Oct 11/7/45

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Allied Control Commission
HQ A.C.C.
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HQ. ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

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IPW 1/7/43

13 October 1944

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Telephone conversation re Admirals PAVESI and LEONARDI.

- 1/. I confirm your telephone conversation to me today accepting for repatriation to Italy, Admirals PAVESI and LEONARDI.
- 2/. They will be returned shortly to you.

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

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War Materials Disposal and
 Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
 HQ APO 394
 Log No. 1-800-1814

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

to be supplied

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

GR/3822/G1 (Br).

9 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. ✓

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1. Further to this Headquarters' letter of even reference dated 6 Oct 44.
2. The attached nominal rolls have now been received from GHQ, India.
3. These officers were embarked shortly before the end of September and it is thought that they will arrive on the same ship.
4. No ETA has yet been notified.

P. Thorp

PT/wel

P. THORP,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1 (Br).

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THE HEADQUARTERS
12 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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AFHQ PAREN ACTION PAREN G DASH TWO CMA CI SECTION AND G DASH ONE
PAREN B PAREN SECTION *ZNY*

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ONE TWO
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PRIORITY

WHD & IPW 3C

FOLLOWING ITALIAN RED CROSS PERSONNEL SELECTED TO PROCEED ALGIERS
AND RETURN ON HOSPITAL SHIP BRINGING SICK REPATRIABLES TO ITALY
PAREN TO AFHQ PAREN ACTION PAREN G DASH TWO CMA CI SECTION AND G DASH
ONE PAREN B PAREN SECTION FROM ACC PAREN PD REFERENCE YOUR F THREE SEVEN
SIX ZERO EIGHT OF ONE TWO OCTOBER PD

- SISTER NICASTRO CMA MARINETTA
- SISTER DEL BONO CMA LAURA
- SISTER QUINTAVALLA CMA MARIA

see 1/2/149
1/1/140
1/7/157
1/7/199

THIS HEADQUARTERS WILL ISSUE AIR TRAVEL ORDERS ON RECEIVING YOUR
APPROVAL OF ABOVE PERSONS AND G DASH ONE PAREN B PAREN PROBABLE
SAILING DAY AND DESIGNATION OF HOSPITAL SHIP

FROM
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War Materials Division and
Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Committee
HQ ACC APO 964
1/7/1999
L. P. MONTANT, JR.
1st Lt., AGD

SECRET

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE 7728

WMB + PW

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TO: HQ ACC FOR DERBY

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: N80/12

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CLASSIFICATION:

REFERENCE No: F37608 PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: Oct 120926 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE PHGAB

See not - 11/1/41 11/1/49 11/7/57

SECRET. Subject is proposal that Italian Red Cross representatives should proceed ALGIERS to accompany sick and wounded PW repatriates on hospital ships. French authorities have been approached. As first shipment probable in 10 days request urgently for attention G2 CI 3 MTA applications on personnel selected.

ACTION

HEADQUARTERS
12 OCT 1944
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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Sick and Wounded Italian PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3822/G1(Br).

9 Oct 44.

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11 OCT 1944
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Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. ✓
For PW Sub Commission.

see inst. 1/7/44

The attached nominal roll of sick and wounded Italian
PW from 94 British General Hospital is forwarded for information.

See also 1/7/224

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P. THORP,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br) 1383

CG/DDKT.

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FOR INFORMATION OF THE PW
COMMISSIONERS AND FOR THE RECORD
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SUBJECT:- Italian Protected Personnel.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS,

CR/3025/G1 (Br).

Headquarters
Allied Control Commission. ✓

26 Oct 44.

1. Herewith nominal rolls of Italian protected personnel embarked for repatriation in Trip 5.

H.D. Harper Capt

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

Encl.
HDE/JEH.

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

IPW/1/7/138
13 October 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

SUBJECT: Nominal Rolls of Repatriated IPW's.

The following nominal rolls are forwarded to you for your files:

- (a) 1475 OR's and 50 Officers from 211 PW Camp, North Africa.
- (b) 415 IPW's, sick and wounded, from 96th General Hospital.

1475
50
1525
415
1944

Collected in 1945

J.A. Campbell
J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

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- 1 List. 1475 OR's and 50 officers.
- 2 List 415 IPW's sick and wounded.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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TO: ACTION ACC FOR PW SUBCOMMISSION

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 116/09

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED CLASSIFICATION: ROUTINE

REFERENCE No: F 36536 PRECEDENCE:

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Encl - 1/1/17

SECRET. ATLANTIS sailed 4 Oct via GIBRALTAR carrying 142 Italian sick. Amend our F34650 of 5 Oct to read lying TB other ranks 33 total EX ATLANTIS 140. Following Italian PW invalids ex EST AFRICA will also probably be embarked ATLANTIS at GIBRALTAR. Category 1 (B) TB 1 category 2 (B) M 3 total 4. — see 1/7/131

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TO: HQ ACC

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FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED

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REFERENCE No: F 35907

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DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 08

PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

OFFICE OF ORIGIN: ITC FHCAD

SECRET. Ref our F 35641 of 7 Oct. See our FX 29277 of 23 Sep notifying you of proposed embarkation of 265 Italian repatriates ex BONE. These are in addition to 115 mentioned our F 35644 of 7 Oct.

see 11110

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

IPW/1/7/135

9 October 1944

Subject: Arrival of 380 IPW's on Board
Hospital Ship "Oxfordshire".

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

1/. This office was informed by telephone (Major Thorpe to Capt. Derby)
that Hospital Ship "Oxfordshire" arrived, Taranto, today with 380
Italian Prisoners of War.

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J. A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel
DIRECTOR WMD & IPW S/C

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

IPW/1/7/134

9 October 1944

To: Italian High Commissioner.

Encl 118

- 1/. In reference to our letter IPW/1/7/118, 6 October 1944, Paragraph 3, these additional four (4) IPW's were embarked at the same time.
- 2/. Their names, ranks, and serial numbers are as follows:

44983	Cpl.	CAPUTO	S.
49431	Pte.	BARONE	M.
8915	CSM	GIARDINO	R.
No. Number	Airman	LEPIRER	M.

J. A. Campbell
 J. A. CAMPBELL
 Lt.-Colonel
 Director WMD & IPW S/O

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S.C.
65SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.CR/3822/G1(Br).6 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission,
War Material disposal and PW Sub Commission.

1. Herewith the following documents in respect of sick and wounded repatriates:-

One copy each of

- (i) Alphabetical nominal roll of 159 PW.
Sick patients transferred from VOL Group, INDIA.
- (ii) One copy of nominal roll shewing next-of-kin, etc.
- (iii) One copy of combined PW Nominal roll/L.P.Cs.
- (iv) Original and triplicate copies of all L.P.Cs pertaining to 159 PW (being) transferred.

Please note that duplicate copy of L.P.Cs and baggage roll have been consigned direct to Officer Commanding, Escort, Port of Disembarkation.

2. These PW were embarked on or about 21 Sep: no ETA has yet been notified.

see 117/102

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HEADQUARTERS
8 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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P. Thorp

PT/DEKT.

P. THORP,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

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HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PW
File No. 8081/MIL/I/C.7

6 October 1944
To: A.C.C. ROME

Subject: Repatriation of sick and wounded PSW.

The High Commissioner has been informed that in the Camp for General Officers PSW in India, there are some, such as the Generals:
BARBERIS = ANTONELLI = LIBERATI = TRACCHIA = ALBERGHETTI =
= MAZZETTI = OLIVAS
and the Colonels:
ADINOLFI = SALVESTRONI & PENAGLIA,
who have been examined by the Mixed Medical Commissions and declared repatriable, but nevertheless were at the Camp in April 1944.

We fully realize the difficulties, which have to be overcome in the organization of these repatriations but, because the above cases are serious and because the beginning of the monsoons may even aggravate them, we beg the ACC to kindly ask the authorities concerned to expedite the repatriation of the above sick PSW.

If it would be impossible to repatriate them, we should appreciate very much if they could be transferred to a temperate zone.

We thank you in advance and we hope to soon receive an answer in this regard.

The High Commissioner
s/ General Pietro Gazzera

VP

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Sciacca, 21 September 1944

The undersigned, CURRERI Paola, 66 years old, who lives at Sciacca, via G. Licata 98, asks for the repatriation of her son

Serg. CIRAFISI Calogero
PW No. 530, 305 PW Camp M.E.F.

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She has only two sons, of whom the above, Serg. CIRAFISI Calogero, has been PW for 2 years, and the other, CIRAFISI Antoino, who belonged to the IIT Group 155 Battery, APO 121, is missing since June 1943.

Besides her old age, Mrs CURRERI suffers from arteriosclerosis.

VP

Handwritten notes:
CIRAFISI Calogero
CIRAFISI Antoino
A.P.O. 121
IIT Group 155 Battery

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

GR/3822/G1(Br).

6 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission.
War Material disposal and PW Sub Commission.

Encl - 11/7/44 ✓

1. Further to this Headquarters' letter of even reference dated 2 Oct.
2. Herewith medical history sheets and credit balances in respect of the under-mentioned PW, embarked at the same time.

PW 44983	Cpl.	S. CAPUTO.
49431	Pte.	M. BARONE.
8915	C.S.M.	R. GIARDINO.
	Airman.	N. LEPIRE.

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Encl.

P. Thorp

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P. THORP,
Major, D.A.A.C.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

GR/3822/G1 (Br).

4 Oct 44.

Commander in Chief,
Middle East Forces.

HEADQUARTERS
7 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

1. Representations have been made to this Headquarters by the Allied Control Commission that members of the Italian Red Cross should be allowed to proceed to ALEXANDRIA or PORT SAID in time to embark on hospital ships returning to ITALY with sick and wounded Italian PW.
2. It is stated that this would materially assist the Italian Government in making the necessary arrangements for the disposal of the PW on arrival, and that in addition they could be of assistance to the PW from the welfare aspect.
3. All such personnel would be approved from the security angle before despatch and would be furnished with a certificate stating the nature of their duties. They would be despatched automatically on receipt by Allied Control Commission of each cable announcing ETD from MIDDLE EAST.
4. Would you please state whether you would have any objections to the operation of this scheme ?

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A.S. BARSDORF.
Lieut-Colonel, A.A.G.,
for General,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Control Commission
G-5.
G-2. (Conversation Thorp - Witt refers).
G-4 (Mov & Tr) (Conversation Thorp - Richards refers).

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1 POW 33
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SUBJECT: Repatriation of PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3863/G1(B).

5 Oct 44.

HEADQUARTERS

7 OCT 1944

A. C. C.

1. Reference your 3836 dated 21 Aug and further to our CR/3863/G1(B) dated 22 Sep.

2. Information has been received that the transfer of the following PW from INDIA is being arranged.

<u>Rank.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Camp.</u>	<u>Number.</u>
Ten. Col.	SANTONCINO,	India-Camp 26.	matr. 19655.
Commissario.	Giuseppe.		
Maggiore	Antonio.	India-Camp 15.	matr. 48053.
Commissario.	Giuseppe.	India-Camp 26.	matr. 19554.
Maggiore	Pietro.	India-Camp 9.	matr. 5105.
Commissario.	Gaulio.	India-Camp 15.	matr. 48188.
Capitano	Arturo.	India-Camp 7.	matr. 16790.
Commissario.	Cesare.	48211 No. 3 Wing - No. 15 POW Camp c/o GFO (Bombay), INDIA.	matr. 48211.
Commissario.	CILIANO,	India-Camp 15.	matr. 13726.
Capitano	CASINI,	India-Camp 20.	matr. 1632.
Commissario.	CAFFARELLI,	India-Camp 24.	matr. 505978.
Maggiore	MARIA,	India-Camp 20.	matr. 246603.
Sussistenza.	GIORGIO,	India-Camp 20.	matr. 24074.
Tenente	PIETRO,		
Sussistenza.			
Capitano			
Commissario.			

1. Reference your 3836 dated 21 Aug and further to our CR/5865/G4(B) dated 22 Sep.

2. Information has been received that the transfer of the following PW from INDIA is being arranged.

<u>Rank.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Camp.</u>	<u>Number.</u>
Ten.Col.	SANTUCCIO,	India-Camp 26.	matr.19655.
Commissario.	GIUSEPPE.		
Maggiore	FULGENZI,	India-Camp 15.	matr.48053.
Commissario.	ANTONIO.		
Maggiore	ARDIZZON,	India-Camp 26.	matr.19554.
Commissario.	GIUSEPPE.		
Maggiore	ALBERTI,	India-Camp 9.	matr.5105.
Capitano	PIETRO.		
Commissario.	GIULIO.	India-Camp 15.	matr.48186.
Capitano	DONSANTO,		
Commissario.	GIULIO.		
Capitano	ARTURO.	India-Camp 7.	matr.16790.
Commissario.	CESARE.		
Commissario.	CESARE.	48211 No.3 Wing - No.15 POW Camp c/o GPO (Bombay) INDIA.	matr.48211.
Capitano	CASINI,	India-Camp 15.	matr.13736.
Commissario.	EGISTO.		
Capitano	CARLO.	India-Camp 20.	matr.1632.
Commissario.	CAFFELLINE,		
Maggiore	CARLO.		
Sussistente.	ROSARIO.	India-Camp 24.	matr.305976.
Terzente	MARIA,		
Sussistente.	GIORGIO.	India-Camp 20.	matr.240609.
Capitano	GALISTI,		
Commissario.	PIETRO.	India-Camp 20.	matr.21074.
Commissario.	TRAVESI,		

3. The release of PW No. 333412 Capt. ABATE, Franceses has not been agreed by GRC, INDIA.

4. PW will be notified to you as soon as it is known.

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See 1/7/204

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for A.S. BAISDOFF,
Lieut Colonel, A.S.G.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

CG/DMT.

Copy to:-

Headquarters, Allied Control
Commission. ✓

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

IPW 17/12B

8 October 1944

Subject: Italian High Commissioner.

To: Correction

Reference our letter IPW/17/119 dated 7 October 1944 - Paragraph C.

a- The corrected breakdown of 115 IPW's embarking on, or about, 3 October, are as follows:

Cat. 2 (A)	
M2	
S1	
(B)	
M69	
S42	
TB 1	
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Total	115

J.A. Campbell
 J. A. CAMPBELL
 Lt. Colonel
 Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm. 1371

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TO: ACC FOR PW SUB COMMISSION

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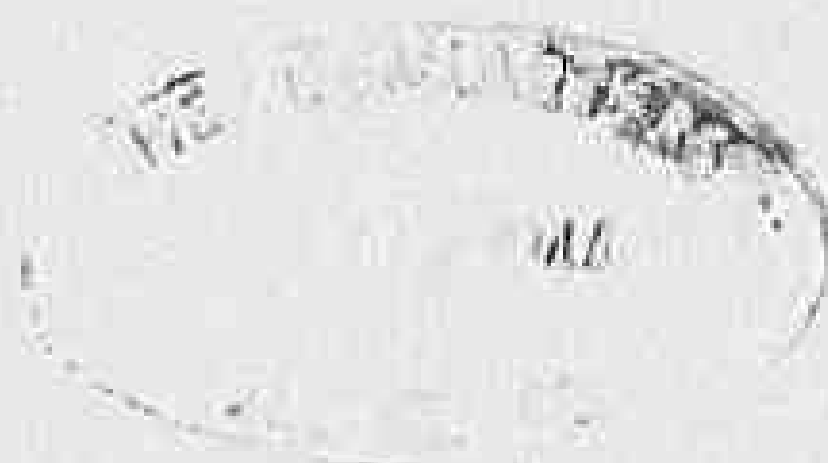
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SECRET. Following italian sick and wounded PW embarked HMS OXFORDSHIRE

3 OCT. Category 2 (A) M 2 S 1 (B) M 69S 42 TEL Total 115

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HQ. ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 334, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW/1/7/126

8 October 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.
SUBJECT: Medical Examination for Italian Prisoners of War.

1/. Reference your letter ^{incl. 1/7/67.} 4031/Mil/I/C.P. dated 28th of August subject "Personnel PW to be Repatriated" and your letter file number 2758/Mil/C/I dated 22nd of August 1944 subject "Ill PW Personnel to be Repatriated", we have recently received the following information from Allied Force Headquarters.

See 1/7/48.

"You may assure the Italian High Commissioner for PW that medical examination will be accorded all PW in this Theater for whom it is requested.

"As far as other Commands are concerned, the lists have been referred to London and Washington.

"Repatriation will be effective, subject to security clearance availability of transportation, and acceptance by the Italian Government, for all who are certified as repatriable."

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see 1/7/47

J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt.-Colonel

Director WMD & IPW Sub-Comm.

FOR THE
DIRECTOR
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB-COMMISSION
APO 334, U.S. ARMY
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HQ. ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW 1/7/125
7 October 1944

To: The Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.
Subject: Repatriation of 380 Italian PW.

1/. On September 25th the following information was telephoned to General Dapino by Captain Derby. To complete your records I am forwarding this information by letter as well. A group of 115 sick Italian Prisoners of War, roster of which was sent to you some time ago, as well as a group of 265 sick Italian Prisoners of War, roster of which was forwarded to you by our letter IPW/1/7/118 dated 6th October, will arrive at Taranto. Total shipment is 380 individuals. Approximate time of arrival in Italy is 7-9 October.

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

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Prepared by IPW Section

IPW/1/7/122

8 October 1944

Subject: Repatrtion of officials, to Italy.

Dear Marshall Messe,

incl 1/7/106.

With reference to your letter dated 20 September 1944, N.15257 subject "Repatriation of Senior Italian Officers" and reference our letter A/CC 014.33-1 dated 1 October 1944, subject "Repatriation of Senior Italian Officers" I am pleased to write you these developments.

The following Italian Officers are now being embarked at United Kingdom for return and repatriation to Italy: General Alberto Mannerina, General Gino Ficalbi, Captain Carlo Franchi, Captain Orazio Bernardini, Captain Francesco Colombo.

The exact time of arrival in Italy, as yet I do not know. However, as the cable received at this Headquarters stated that they were in the process of embarking, these Officers should again soon be in Italy.

Very truly yours,

Jab
for BILLY W. STONE
Commodore, USNR
Acting Chief Commissioner

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See 1/7/106.

His Excellency
Marshall MESSE,
Chief of Italian General Staff,
Stato Maggiore Generale

Mr. Marshall Messe
Chief of Italian General Staff
Stato Maggiore Generale
Via ...
Rome, Italy

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

IPW 1/7/121

6 October 1944

To: Italian High Commissioner

Subject: Medical Breakdown of 143 IPW on board Hospital ship "Atlantis".

I./ Medical breakdown of the 143 Italian Prisoners of War being repatriated on board Hospital ship "Atlantis" are listed below:

Medical Breakdown of 143 Italian PW aboard Hospital Ship "Atlantis".

Lying:			
	TB	34	other ranks
	Mental patient	9	" "
	Med & Surgical	19	" "
Walking:			
	Mental patient	51	other ranks
	psyco-neurosis	11	" "
	Surgical	1	officer

Protected Personnel

		18	other ranks
Total		143	

see 1/7/117
see 1/7/120.

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

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H.Q. ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394 - U.S. Army
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL & ITALIAN PW SUB-COMMISSION

IPW/1/1/1203

6 October 1944

To: Headquarters Southern Region, Allied Control Commission
Attention: - Lt. Colonel Guy Warren.

Subject: Repatriation at Naples of two groups of Italian PW.

- 1/ On approximately 11 October 1944, the Hospital Ship "Atlantis" with 143 sick Italian Prisoners of War returning for repatriation will land at Naples. As these are all sick Italian PW they should be turned over to the ranking Italian Military Authorities at Naples for hospitalization and for such processing as is necessary for repatriation. A medical breakdown of the personnel involved is attached. *see 1/7/121*
- 2/ On or about 10 October 1944, 1,474 other ranks and 59 Officers, all protected personnel and all physically fit will arrive at Naples for repatriation. These prisoners should also be turned over to the Italian Military Authorities in Naples. For the latter's information this group consists of: Medical Officers 6, Nursing Orderlies 781, Ambulance Drivers 27, miscellaneous 661. Again I repeat none of these require hospitalization. *see 1/7/113*

For the Acting Chief Commissioner. *see 1/2/1204*

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J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel
Director WMD & IPW-Sub-4365

1 Encl. - Medical breakdown of 143 sick IPW on board Hospital Ship "Atlantis". *see 1/7/121*

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 594, U.S. ARMY
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW/1/7/119

7 October 1944

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Nominal rolls.

- 1/. Inclosed are three nominal rolls of Italian prisoners of war that have been repatriated or are in the process of being repatriated.
- a. Roster of 211 Italian PW who returned from the Middle East on the Hospital Ship Somersetshire about September 14. These 211 medical cases landed at Taranto. The approximate number of those returning from India on the same ship was 500. Roster of which was delivered to you by our letter 1/7/102. *Encl. 104*
- b. This is a roster of 92 civilians repatriated aboard the Ville d'Oran about 20 September at Naples. The approximate list of 22 in addition to those already mentioned (92) we have not yet received at this Headquarters. *Encl. 104*
- c. Roster of 265 It. PW being repatriated from North Africa via Bone on board Hospital Ship Uxorina snire. As telephoned to General Dupino on 25 September this group should arrive at Taranto about October 7th. As well as the 265 It. PW shown on accompanying roster, this hospitalship will also carry 115 It. PW being repatriated from the United Kingdom via Algiers. The roster of this group of 115 was furnished your office several weeks ago.

J. A. Campbell
J. A. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel

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Director WMD & IAW S.C.

10: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

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A. D. Jones
 Lt. Colonel
 Director WMA & IPW S.C.
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3 Incl.

- Incl. 1 = Roster of 211 Italian PW from Middle East
- Incl. 2 = Roster of 92 civilians repatriated at Naples on 20th September.
- Incl. 3 = Roster of 205 Italian PW being repatriated from Taranto about 7th October 1945

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3 OCT 1945
 WMA
 Lt. Colonel
 Director WMA & IPW S.C.

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

IPW/1/7/110

6 October 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for PW.SUBJECT: Confirmation of telephone conversation
with General DAPINO.

1/. *Enc 1/7/114*
126 Italian PW will be returning for repatriation on medical grounds from England to Naples, on or about 11 October. A medical breakdown will be forwarded as soon as received in this office.

2/. Reference earlier discussion on the subject of repatriation of 1,550 protected personnel from North Africa, the following has just been received: *1/7/113 Encl*

59 Officers and 1,474 other ranks, all protected personnel and all physically fit, will arrive at Naples about 10 October 1944. Nominal rolls will be furnished from this headquarters as soon as received here.

3/. The following communication has just been received from the Allied Command: *Encl 1/7/110 Proct. PERSAY*

The protected personnel now held at 209 PW Camp (from Syracuse PW Hospital), are to be released for employment as designated by the Allied Control Commission. Pending receipt of instructions from Headquarters Allied Control Commission, these persons will be held at 209 PW Camp.

The Public Health Sub. Commission of this Headquarters is contacting today the Minister of the Interior of the Italian Government, reference recommended disposition of these 78 protected personnel. The nominal roll of the individuals under discussion is attached as inclosure 1 of this letter. *Col Frazzetta in tel. conference with Capt Derby said this today. Copy of 1/7/110 sent today to Col Frazzetta. 1303*

4/. Authority has been given for the release of 415 It. PW for repatriation from 96th General Hospital. As soon as Hospital Ship accommodation to Italy can be arranged, *Encl 1/7/107 1/1/138*

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these individuals will be released for repatriation to the Italian Government. The expected time of arrival and port of destination in Italy will be notified to you as soon as possible. A complete roster of the individuals will be forwarded to you tomorrow.

See 1/7/49.

J.A. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel
Director WAD & IPW S.C.

1 Incl. List of 78 protected personnel (all IPW) from Syracuse Hospital.

List sent with original.
See 1/7/49 also

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OCT 1944
Region Prisoner of War and Commission
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SECRET

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION

INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: ACTION ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION FOR PW SUB COMMISSION
 SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 127/05
 FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED
 CLASSIFICATION:
 REFERENCE No: F 34650
 PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE
 DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 5/1748
 OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE: FHEAB

SECRET. Understood following Italian PW embarking UK repatriation in F4 KOF 35.
 GEN MANNERINA A GEN ^{11/7/17} DICALBI G CAPT ^{11/7/17} BERNARDINI O CAPT ^{11/7/17} FRANCHI C CAPT ^{11/7/17} CAVANA P MAJOR
 NAVA A CAPT ^{11/7/17} COLOMBO F2/ LT ^{11/7/17} GRINDELLI E MIDSHIPMAN ^{11/7/17} ROSATI E and two other ranks.
 Possible 17 merchant seamen officers. Compassionate grounds one other rank FINOCCIARO
 CROZIO. Sick walking TB 6 PN 85 medical and surgical officers 1 other ranks 290
 total 382. Ex HS ATLANTIS. Being TB other ranks 34 PP other ranks 9 medical and
 surgical other ranks 19 walking PP other ranks 51 PN other ranks 11 medical and
 surgical officers one (PROTOTYED?) personnel other ranks 18 total 143. Diagnosis
 and names to follow as soon as available

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11/7/26

ACTION

HEADQUARTERS
6 OCT 1944
A.C.C.

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

IPW/1/7/116

6 October 1944

TO: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

SUBJECT: Repatriation Request for 60 PW in 4th Gen.Hosp.

Encl 1/7/115

Reference your 4789/M.I./I/C.7 of 29 Sep.44,
as rapidly as shipping will permit all medical cases of
Italian PW in this theatre and in England who have
been passed by a mixed Medical Commission are being
repatriated to Italy.

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

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HQ ACC, APO 394
Italian Prisoner of War: Sub-Commission
War Materials Disposal and

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HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PW

29 September 1944

File No. 4789/M11/L/C.7

TO: A.C.C.

R O M E

SUBJECT: PsW in Egypt.

We have been informed that about 60 PsW suffering from T.B. and treated at the 4th General Hospital in Egypt, asked before the 1st. June 1944 to be repatriated or, if their repatriation be impossible, be transferred to another hospital situated in a locality, which climate is more convenient for the treatment of the ailment they are suffering from.

If these sick PsW, are not yet included in the number of those to be repatriated we beg the A.C.C. to kindly ask the Allied Authorities concerned to take measures so that they should return, as soon as possible, to their country where they would be properly assisted.

We thank you in advance for your action in this regard.

s/ The HIGH COMMISSIONER
General Pietro Gazzera

V.P.

action 1/7/116

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SECRET

ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

WMD-1 POW

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114

TO: ACTION ACC

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 5/05

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACLED

CLASSIFICATION:

REFERENCE No: F 34358

PRECEDENCE: ROUTINE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 042113Z OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGAB

SECRET. Intend to embark 126 Italian PW in ATLANTIS for repatriation on medical grounds from ENGLAND. ETA NAPLES 11 Oct. Details follow.

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ACTION - WMD-1 POW (2)

INFO - ACC

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action pass 1/7/118

Also see 1/7/86

see 1/7/69 (hist)

HEADQUARTERS
5 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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To Pof W S.C.

SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Sick and Wounded PW.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

OR/3025/G1(Br).

6 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission,

Encl. 1/2/113*

Further to this Headquarters' cable F34357 dated 4 Oct.

Herewith nominal roll of personnel for repatriation.

HEADQUARTERS
8 OCT 1944
A. C. C. P. Thorp

P. THORP,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

PT/DDKT.

Encl.

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257
W.M. + I.P.W. S.C.

SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian sick and wounded prisoners of war.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3025/G1(Br).

8 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. ✓

1. Further to this Headquarters cable F 34357 of 4 Oct 44 and letter of even reference dated 6 Oct 44. 1/7/113
2. Herewith nominal roll of 50 officers for repatriation.

Encl.
WD/cnr.

F. Thorp capt
 F. THORP,
 Major, D.A.A.G.,
 for Major General,
 DAG, G.1(Br).

HEADQUARTERS
 10911 1944
 A. C. C.

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SECRET *Disper & Rep*
APPLIED CONTROL COMMISSION *7024* *(113)*
INCOMING MESSAGE

TO: ACTION HQ ACC
FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED
REFERENCE No: F 34357
DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: OCT 042112A
OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE PHGAB
SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 4/05
CLASSIFICATION:
PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

See Encl 112
SECRET. THIS HQ CR/3025/G1 (BR) dated 28 Sep. ETA NAPLES 10 Oct
59 officers and 1474 ORs. Nominal rolls follow. → see cable 112/112

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WHD & POW
File

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	D % ADM	
	CH. CLK	

HEADQUARTERS
OCT 1944
A. C. C.

action paid 1/7/118
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SUBJECT:-- Repatriation of Surplus Protected Personnel.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3025/G1 (Fr).

28 Sep 44.

Headquarters,
North Africa District.

1. Reference your A393 dated 25 Aug and this Headquarters' cables P92051 dated 4 Sep and P28372 dated 24 Sep. *Sec 1/2/204A Encl 1/2-2/10 1/2/209 1/7/112 1/7/113 1/7/138 1/7/161 1/7/162 1/7/159*

2. In view of the possibility of the accommodation at 241 PW Camp being required in the near future to house Germans, the 1,553 surplus protected personnel are to be repatriated to ITALY as soon as possible.

3. It is assumed that in calculating numbers of surplus personnel, allowances have been made for personnel accompanying Italian Pioneer Coys to U.K. and for other present and future commitments as far as can be foreseen.

4. Four of the five chaplains named in your list may also be repatriated, but in view of the information contained in your cable A393 of 20 Sep it will be necessary to retain one as a possible substitute for ROBERT.

5. Please proceed with the necessary arrangements for repatriation as soon as possible. As nominal rolls of other rank personnel involved have not yet been submitted to G-2, this Headquarters, for clearance, it may finally be necessary to retain a small number in NORTH AFRICA or to commit them to a PW Camp on arrival in ITALY.

6. Please cable ETA and Port to this Headquarters, repeated Headquarters, ~~ALLIED ARMY~~ at least seven days before date of arrival.

See Amendment 1/7/12 A

HEADQUARTERS
30 SEP 1944
A. C. C.

butler 1354
M.R. MOORE,
Major, D.A.A.C.,
for Major General,
DAC, G.1 (Fr).

PT/vel

1. Reference your A393 dated 25 Aug and this Headquarters' cables F92054 dated 4 Sep and F28572 dated 21 Sep.
Sec 1/2/209A Encl 1/2-2/10 1/2/209 1/7/113 1/7/138 1/7/161 1/7/162 1/7/159

2. In view of the possibility of the accommodation at 211 PW Camp being required in the near future to house Germans, the 1,553 surplus protected personnel are to be repatriated to ITALY as soon as possible.

3. It is assumed that in calculating numbers of surplus personnel, allowances have been made for personnel accompanying Italian Pioneer Coys to U.K. and for other present and future commitments as far as can be foreseen.

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6. Please cable ETA and Port to this Headquarters, repeated Headquarters, ~~filled in times in Italy~~ at least seven days before date of arrival.
see Amendment 1/7/12A

HEADQUARTERS
30 SEP 1944
A. C. C.

W. L. David 1354
M.R. MOORE,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

PT/wel

Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Control Commission. (Your cable 2820 dated 5 Sep refers).
Surgeon,
G-4 (Mov & Trn).
G-2 (C.I.).

For action see 113 (next development)
118 action

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WMD + POW. s/c

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Surplus Protected Personnel.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3025/G1(Br).

4 Oct 44.

Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission.

- 117 see Encl - 112

To 4 Branch Pow etc

Para 6 of this Headquarters' letter of even reference dated 28 Sep has been amended to refer to Allied Control Commission, as the reference to Headquarters, Allied Armies in Italy was made in error.

7.10.44
No. 20
A. C. C.

No.	D. P. & R. S. C. A. C. C.	Serial
	DIRECTOR	
	ADJUTANT	
	TO ADM	
	CH. CLK	

P. Thorp

P. THORP
Major, D.A.A.G. 3
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(Br).

PT/DDKT.

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Acc/ 3075/3/PH

2 P.O.W.
110 S/C

SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3822/31 (Br).

2 Oct 44

~~Headquarters,
No. 3 District.~~

1. Reference your 171/14A dated 12 Sep 44 and this Headquarters' letter of even reference dated 22 Sep 44.
2. The protected personnel now held at 209 PW Camp, (from SYRACUSE PW Hospital) are to be released for employment by Allied Control Commission.
3. They should be held pending instructions from Headquarters, Allied Control Commission as to where they are required for duty.
4. On release each man will be given a certificate of credit (for settlement by the Italian Government) and AF's W3488 and W5000 will be forwarded to GHQ, 2nd Echelon, quoting this letter as authority for release.

see incl. 1/7/131 for addit. PW's

Action in part 1/7/118
" " full 1/2/15

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A.S. HANSDORF.
Lieut-Colonel, A.A.C.,
for Major General,
DAC, G.1 (Br).

FOR HQ
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HEADQUARTERS OF THE ALLIED
CONTROL COMMISSION

Copy to:- Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission. (Please notify information
required on Para 3) Encl.

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HEADQUARTERS
5 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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

IPW/1/7/109

5 October 1944

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Prisoner of War Camp No. 7 - Great Britain.

- Encl 1/7/102A*
- 1/. Reference your letter No. 1039/Pol/O.12 dated 25 September 1944, subject as above.
 - 2/. The suggestion that conditions in Camp No. 7 in Great Britain require improvement cannot be accepted as from all reports the condition and treatment of Italian Prisoners of War in Great Britain and America is of the most humane character.
 - 3/. It is pointed out that all sick and wounded from Great Britain have been or are in the process of being repatriated to Italy.

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

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 War Materials Disposal and
 Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
 APO 394
 OCT 1944

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

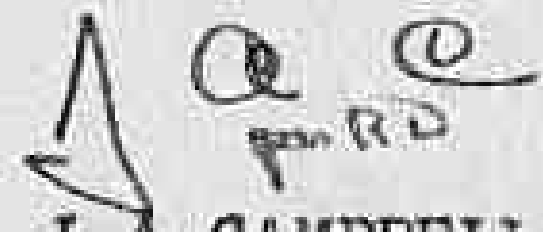
IPW/1/7/108

5 October 1944

To: Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

Subject: Repatriation of ill and invalided Prisoners
 of War from Australia.

- Encl 1/7/108*
- 1/. Reference your letter No. 1162/Pol/C-10 dated 24 September, 1944, subject as above.
 - 2/. The matter was discussed with you on the 4th of October 1944 when the position with regard to the repatriation of sick and wounded Italian Prisoners of War from Australia was explained.
 - 3/. The problem is one of shipping and as and when it is found possible to repatriate sick and wounded Prisoners of War from Australia you will be notified.


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

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 Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
 War Materials Disposal and

List being typed
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J.P.O.
10/16/44
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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Sick and Wounded Italian PW.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3822/CA (Br).

2 Oct 44.

~~Headquarters,
North Africa District.~~

1. Authority is given for the release of the 415 Italian PW approved for repatriation from 96 General Hospital.
2. Medical, your Headquarters have been so informed by Surgeon, this Headquarters.
3. Please arrange passage on a hospital ship to ITALY as soon as possible, notifying port and ETA to this Headquarters, repeated Allied Control Commission.

(List of IPW's Attached)

action 1/7/118
1/7/38

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A.S. BARS DORF.
Ident-Colonel, A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG, G. 1 (Br).

Headquarters of the Allied Control Commission
PO Box 1000
Casablanca

Copy to:- Headquarters,
Allied Control Commission, (Encl),
Surgeon DMS, (Your M. 3056 dated 29 Sep refers).

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HEADQUARTERS
5 OCT 1944
A. C. C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Office of the Acting Chief Commissioner
APO 394

ENS/ajp

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21 September 1944

Subject: Repatriation of Senior Italian Officers

To : Lt. Col. J. A. Campbell,
WMD & IPOW Sub-Commission.

I attached copy of letter received from Marshal Messe. I
would be grateful if you ^{would} consider the point he raises and draft a suit-
able reply for me in the light of your decision.



ELLERY V. STONE
Captain, USNR
Acting Chief Commissioner

1 Incl:
Ltr No. 15257, dtd 20 Sept 44,

Action
1/17/122
7 Oct 44

File 1/7 all Encl. 36, 28, 27, 25, 24, 20, 19, 17

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Action 1/17/122.

TRANSLATION

1065

THE CHIEF OF STAFF
n. 15257

P.M. 151, 20 September 1944

HQ ACC, APO 394
289 Sec'y Gen.
Rec'd 20 Sept 1944
By 10108

Dear Captain Stone,

See 1/7/17

On the return of General Mancinelli, I had recent news of the prisoners of war who were with me in Camp 4 in England.

This General has drawn my attention on a letter sent to him on August 18th last, from Beaconsfield, by Brigadier General N.R. Crockatt: in this letter, the Brigadier writes among other things that he is doing all he can to facilitate the return to Italy of the remaining Italian prisoners in Camp n. 4, but that unfortunately, the final decision 'is not General Gepp's or mine (Crockatt's), but depends on a request which must be made by the Italian Authorities in Rome'.

It would mean the repatriation of:

- | | | |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| - Ammiraglio di divisione | - PAVESI * | Igino |
| - Generale di brigata | ✓ MANGHERINI ✓ | Alberto |
| - " " | ✓ FIGALEI ✓ | Gino |
| - Contammiraglio | - LEONARDI * | Priamo |
| - G.S. Colonello | RUGGERI LADERCHI | Cesare |
| - Capitano di vascello | ✓ FRANCHI ✓ | Carlo |
| - " " | ✓ BERNARDINI ✓ | Orazio |
| - Capitano di ftr. (reserve) | ✓ COLOMBO ✓ | Francesco |

See 1/7/17

all of them in n. 4 P.O.W. CAMP (ANNEKE).

Brigadier General Crockatt's words make me ask you to examine the possibility of repatriating these officers.

Nevertheless, I don't deem it advisable to put them of the lists of the 25 elements to be rimpatriated, so that the few possibilities of requesting rimpatriation which these lists offer should be kept for really special cases.

I should be most grateful to you if you could repatriate these officers by extraordinary procedure (ie. besides those who are repatriated by the mentioned lists).

Trusting in your kind interest, I remain,

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Yours truly,

MARSHAL OF ITALY

Chief of Staff
(Giovanni Messe)

See 1/7/12
1/7/17
1/7/164

Trans E.C.

Prepared by W. & IPW Sub-Com.

P. J. C. S/C

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EWS/1mn

A/CC 014.33-1

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Senior Italian Officers.

Dear Marshal Messe,

With reference to your letter n.15257 dated 20 September 1944.

The High Commissioner for Prisoners of War was asked to state his views regarding the repatriation of the officers you mention.

This he did in his letter 1007/M11/02 01 prot 22 July 1944 when he stated that no employment could be promised, and that other Italian officers had been prisoners for a much longer period.

I wrote Allied Force Headquarters on 26 July 1944 stating that the Italian Government would accept the repatriation of the officers mentioned with the exception of PAVESI and LEONARDI.

I pointed out that it would embarrass your Government to have the Admiral and the Comadore returned - this information being given to me by General Gazzera, and also what General Gazzera had said in respect of the length of time the officers had been held Prisoners of War.

Notification of expected time of arrival has not yet been received, but the delay in the repatriation may be due to lack of shipping space under existing conditions.

Very truly yours,

5/5 4/4
His Excellency
DISPATCHED
Date Time 1 - 00 1944
via 104 1200
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ELLERY W. STONE
Captain, USNR
Acting Chief Commissioner

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His Excellency
Marshal Messe,
Chief of Italian General Staff,
Stato Maggiore Generale.

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- copy to P.O.W. Sub Commission for Lt Col. Campbell.

MO/de



Roma, 24 settembre 1944

*L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra*

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO

R O M A

N. 1162/Pol./C-10 di prot.

OGGETTO : Rimpatrii prigionieri di guerra in Australia malati ed invalidi.

Con lettera pari oggetto IPW/1/7/51 in data 19 Agosto 1944 codesta Commissione Alleata di Controllo ha cortesemente comunicato a questo Alto Commissariato di avere sottoposta alle Superiori Autorità la questione del rientro in Patria dei prigionieri di guerra italiani detenuti in Australia, riconosciuti infermi ed invalidi e proposti per il rimpatrio da parte delle Commissioni mediche miste. Si sarebbe veramente grati di conoscere, non appena possibile, le decisioni prese dalle predette Autorità nei riguardi della questione.

Si ringrazia fin d'ora sentitamente.

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L'ALTO COMMISSARIO
(Generale Pietro Gazzera)

P. Gazzera

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HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U. S. ARMY

R/2042

26 September 1944

SUBJECT: Disposition of Italian Civilians

TO : Il Comandante, Ten. Col. Guido Bauer
Campo di Sosta Reduci Frigionieri Di Guerra
Prisoner of War Camp 131, APO 600

1/7/90

1. The civilians named in the attached list are delivered to you in accordance with the 2nd indorsement letter SOS NATOUSA dated 10 July 1944, subject: Disposition of Italian Civilians from U.S.P.W. Camps in North Africa.

2. Full release of these prisoners is hereby affected. Disposition of them is to be made in accordance with the direction from the Italian Government.

For the Regional Commissioner:

Warren
GUY I. WARREN
Lt. Col., Sp; Res. AUS
Executive Officer

Incls.

As above

GIW/jjf

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THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PW

24 September 1944

File No. 1162/Pol/C-10

To: A.C.C., Rome

Subject: Repatriation of ill and invalided PW from Australia.

Encl-51

By means of letter IPW/1/7/51 dated August 19th 1944, the AOC most kindly informed the High Commissioner of having submitted to Higher Authorities, the question re. the repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War detained in Australia who have been declared sick or invalid, and proposed for repatriation by the Medical Mixed Commissions.

We should like to be informed, as soon as possible, about the decision taken by the above authorities in this regard.

I thank you in advance.

THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
/s/ General Pietro GALZERA

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V.P.

action 1/7/108

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P.O.W. 104

HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHERN REGION, ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394, U. S. ARMY

R/2043

26 September 1944

SUBJECT: Disposition of Italian Civilians

TO : Headquarters, Allied Control Commission
(Attention Prisoners of War Sub-Commission)

1. Reference the attached receipted list of civilians from Prisoner of War Camps in North Africa and the letter from this Headquarters covering the disposition.

For the Regional Commissioner:

Guy I. Warren
GUY I. WARREN
Lt. Col. Sp. Res. AUS
Executive Officer

Incls
as above

HEADQUARTERS
27 SEP 1944
A. C. C.

GIW/jjf

Action 1/7/119

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102.A

High Commissioner for PW.
File N. 1039/Pol/C.12

25 September 1944

to: A.C.C. = R o m e

SUBJECT: PW Camp N.7 = Great Britain.

The High Commissioner has been informed that on April 21st. 1944 in Camp N.7 - Great Britain, reserved for Italian PsW suffering from chronic and nervous diseases, there were 3 officers and 525 enlisted men, of whom:

120 psychosis cases
60 respiratory track cases
40 cases of rheumatism
90 cases of gastritis

Total 310

We, therefore, beg the A.C.C. to take into consideration the possibility of repatriating the invalided PsW and improving the condition of all the others.

I thank you

High Commissioner
s/ General Pietro GAZZERA

V.P.

Translation of 102.

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action 1/7/109.

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

IFW 1/7/102

23 September 1944

To: High Commissioner for Italian Prisoners of War.
Subject: List of Prisoners of War who have been repatriated.

Encl - 93
1/ We herewith enclose list of the Prisoners of War who were repatriated on the "Somersetshire", out of Bombay, that arrived at Taranto the 14th of September 1944.

JAC

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

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Encl. 1 - List of Prisoners of War.

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REFERENCE No: F-30151

PRECEDENCE:

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN SEP 25 1646A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: CITE FHGEG

CONFIDENTIAL. CAN YOU OBTAIN FROM ITALIAN GOVT ACCEPTANCE OF FOLLOWING PW DECLARED REPATRIABLE BY MEDICAL COMMISSION FROM ORAN APPROXIMATELY 100 IN US AND 45 IN FRENCH CUSTODY. FROM TUNIS 131 IN FRENCH CUSTODY. NOMINAL ROLLS WILL BE FORWARDED EARLIEST POSSIBLE. APPROXIMATE DATE OF ARRIVAL OF HOSPITAL SHIP IS MID-OCTOBER. THESE PW ARE ADDITIONAL TO ANY NOTIFIED BY G-1 (B)

→ see 1/2/27a

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1. Final action Capt Darby told PMG asst 2339
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2. See letter 1/7/172

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