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IPW/1/29 II

Repatriation of Italian P.W. o

AUG. 1945 - JAN. 1946

Repatriation of Italian P.W. on grounds of Age + Length + Captivity (101 - 201)

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Villa Sasofetto.
March 7th

Dear General Franchi,
Laja Tait, who was the
late Duke of Gosta's flying aide, in
Ethiopia, tells me he can supply the
names of particulars of the lads who have
been in E. Africa for the last six years.
Laja Tait was flown by us to Italy from
Kenya to join an R.A.F. and did excellent
work. I am told, over Yugo Slavia, during
hostilities. He asked me if he might
call on you at your office and for the
list of particulars of the young men, I felt
sure you would not object to this.
There is a "Repatriation" branch to Italy
of U.M.R.A. but I feel the demand
should be on strictly military lines.
Although the boys are of course civilians.
However you will know best.

I cannot thank you enough for your
interest.

I leave Kanana. for Kenya. 4307

Yours sincerely
Waddy Aug. W.

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g/pa)

SUBJECT:- Request for Release of Italian PW.

GPO CMT

3899/A2

25 Jan 46

General Officer Commanding in Chief,
EAST AFRICA COMMAND.2000 VIOLO Giuseppe di Andrea
(Camp 1A, Nairobi, Kenya)

1. A request for the repatriation of the above-named PW has been received by HQ Allied Commission through the British Embassy, Rome.
2. VIOLO was born on 19 Dec 1894 and as he has been in captivity since March 1941 he is eligible for release on humanitarian grounds.
3. Provided that you have no security or other objections, and are prepared to release this man, it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for his repatriation to ITALY, informing this GPO of MEA, repeated to Allied Commission, Rome.

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Francis
Lt-Gen
C-in-C
5/6/46

GPD/AP

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub-Commission, (Your IPW/1/29/150
Allied Commission, MEA of 22 Jan 46 refers)
IPW Division.

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 304 28 JAN 1946
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SUBJECT: Italian PW Repatriate.

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

GHQ CMF.

3899/A2.

21 Jan 46.

General MAZZETTI, Mario

Reference your IPW/1/29/146 of 17 Jan 46.

1. This G-4 has no information regarding the present whereabouts of the above-named Italian PW.
2. He left India in December and it is assumed that he would be received by the Italian authorities on his arrival in Italy.



GHD/NC.

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 304
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24 JAN 1946

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Major-General,
DAG.
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

26/Jan/46

IPW/1/29/151

SUBJECT : Repatriation of sick PW from INDIA

TO : Prisoner of War Accounts Office C.M.,
C.M.F.

1./ Ref your 602/2/1 dated 11/Dec/45

2./ The draft of PW referred to was disembarked at
Taranto on the 8th of November 45.

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

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

IPW/1/29/150

22/Jan/46

SUBJECT : PW VUOLO, Giuseppe di Andrea, N°2000

TO : G1 (Br)
C.H.Q., CMT

- 1/. A request for repatriation of a/n PW has been forwarded to this office through the British Embassy, Rome.
- 2/. A.n was born on 19/Dec/1891; he has been in PW Camp 1A, Nairobi, Kenya, since March 1941, and is therefore eligible for release on the grounds of age and length of imprisonment.

For the Chief Commissioner

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

Copy to: British Embassy, Rome (your: 164/264/45,
dtd 3/Jan/46 refers.)

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00 JAN 1946

British Embassy,
Rome.

164/264/45

3rd. January, 1945.

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

From: British Embassy.

We transmit to you, in original, a letter received from Signora Giovanna Vuolo of Nocera Inferiore regarding the repatriation of her husband, who is a prisoner of war in East Africa, and we should be grateful if you would take any action that you consider desirable.

Frederick Smith

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MINISTRY OF WAR

Italian Prisoners of War Office

ESS-ARREN - KENYA

Camp W 1 A

Object:

Mr. VULO GIUSEPPE is 2000

Mr. Vulo Giuseppe son of Andrea and Cecilia
is from, born in Pignone (Salerno Province - Italy)

on 19th Dec. 1921 was taken prisoner of

war at Dire-Dawa - Abyssinia - ESS-ARREN

on 21st Nov. 1939 and was sent to Nairobi

prisoners of war camp 1 A on March 1941

Therefore he is 54 years old and has been

a prisoner of war for a 6 years time. Consequently

that he is in all the conditions for even buy

your bed, for the prisoner coming back at

name -

Was sent to you, in right time all the docu-

ments required to get Vulo Giuseppe's name

It is not the
believed were
British in
Ethiopia
until 1940.
(JRM)

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EST-AFRICA - KENYA

Camp W 3 A

Object:

Mr. Vukob Guseff # 2000

Mr. Vukob Guseff son of Andrew and Cecelia
the former, born in Paganini (Salerno Province Italy)

on 19th Dec. 1891 was taken prisoner of
war at Dire-Dawa Abyssinia - EST-AFRICA

on 21st Nov. 1939 and was sent to Nairobi

prisoners of war camp 1A on March 1941

Therefore he is 54 years old and has been

a prisoner of war for a 6 years time. Consequently

that he is in all the conditions for a prisoner but

your law, for the prisoner coming back at

home.

We sent to you, in right time, all the docu-

ments required to let Vukob Guseff come

back in Italy.

Our present letter wishes to pray you to do

your best to let him come to enjoy Christmas

1945 in Italy.

Continue ->

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believed we
British were
in Ethiopia
until 1940.
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.
M.M.I.A.
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/29/148

*NOTE: This case now passes
to 1/13 File, with copy of this
letter entered as 1/13/348*

17 January 1946

SUBJECT: Italian PW General MAZZETTI Mario

TO : G1(Br), GHQ, GME

1. Ref your 3899/A2 of 7 Jan 46, this Division has received a letter from the wife of subject PW, Countess Giulia MAZZETTI LEOPARDI of 397 Via Nomentana, ROME, stating she has been informed that her husband is already back in Italy.

2. She asks either for permission to visit him, or for his present whereabouts so that she may write to him. He has been a PW for more than five years, and she has not seen him for six years, and as he was last reported in very delicate health (our ref 1/29/141 of 4 Dec 45), she is most anxious to get in touch with him.

3. General MAZZETTI was a National Councillor and an Inspector of the Fascist Party, as well as a Consul-General in permanent effective service in the M.V.S.N. ("Milizia Volontaria Sicurezza Nazionale" - Voluntary Militia for National Safety.)

4. In view of the high offices he held in the Fascist Party, it is considered possible he may be detained in a camp for political internees.

5. May this Division be advised, please, as to the General's present address, and as to whether it would be possible for his wife to visit him? Also, what is his status?

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

H. Armand
H. ARMAND
Capt., Spec. Res.

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

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9 P.M.

SUBJECT :- Repatriation of Italian PW.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Division.

3899/A2.

7 Jan 46.

Brig. Gen. MAZZETTI, Mario.

Reference your IPW/1/29/141 of 4 Dec 45, and our even number
of 14 Dec 45.

We have now been advised that the above named PW was included
in the recent draft of PW which embarked for ITALY in Dec 1945.

GHD/DDKT.

*Ex. Com.
Miss Sampson
Jae 11/1/46 M.H.*

*Daniels S/Capt
V. Major General,
DAG.*

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 304 10 JAN 1946
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1 PFW

SUBJECT: Release of Italian PW Co-operator.

OFFICIAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

CMJ.,
2nd Division.

KDS/A2.

Copy to :- HQ., AFMA (Your ASD/6 of 10 Dec 45
refers).
Allied Mission Station, Air HQ.,
RAF., MAIX.
HQ., Allied Commission, RPF Division. ✓

24 Dec 45.

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MA/T 1667 Capt. RUDELL, Michele
No. 15 Italian RPF Coy.

1. Authority is given for the release of the above-named Italian PW Co-operator on account of age.
2. Please make the necessary arrangements for the release and registration to MAIX of this man. (HQ., AFMA will advise MA to this CMJ, repeated to MAOM (RPF)).

Good action H

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Rex Curran
Major General

CMJ/CMJ.

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DATE	4 DEC 1945
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SUBJECT:- Application for Release of Italian PW on Account of Age.GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCESTO:- ~~Commander - in - Chief,~~
~~INDIA.~~

3899/A2

14 Dec 45

General Mario MAZZETTI
(General Officer PW Camp, INDIA)

1. Recommendation for the repatriation of the above named PW has been received through Headquarters, Allied Commission.
2. He is stated to have been in captivity since 9 Dec 40 and to be over 52 years of age, and it would appear that he is eligible for release on humanitarian grounds.
3. Provided that you have no security or other objections to the release of this PW, it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for his early repatriation to ITALY, advising this Headquarters of MEA, repeated to Allied Commission, ROME.

CHD/RL.

*Case action**H.**R. R. Curran**in the*Lieutenant General,
Commander-in-Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Commission, IFW Division.
(Your IPW/1/29/141 of 4 Dec 45 refers) ✓

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission

HQ AC APO 384

Received

17 DEC 1945

Log No

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

HWH/tb

IPW 1/29/143

13 December 1945

TO : Madame Analia DE GIORGIS FLORES,
Chivasso.

Dear *Madam*

Further to my letter of 9 November 1945.

Notification has now been received from GHQ India that the release of General De Giorgis cannot be agreed to on the grounds of security. I regret to have to pass on to you this bad news.

Plans have been laid, however, and will shortly be in operation for the mass repatriation of all Italian PW from India.

Please let me know if I can be of any further assistance to you,

Sincerely

J.E. Reids
J.E. REIDS, Lt.Col.
Chief
IPW Division

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation - Italian PW.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Division.

3836/A2

6 Dec 45

62812 Gen. DE GIORGIS, Fedele.

1. Reference your IPW/1/29/134 of 30 Oct 45.
2. GHQ INDIA state it is regretted that the release of the above-named PW cannot be agreed to on the grounds of security.

GHD/AP

F. D. M. H. J.
Major General,
D.A.G.

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*Sir, They seem
rather 'bloody minded' over
this - do you want me to
try again, H. J.*

M/A

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 384
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Log No 1021

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

IPW/1/29/141

4 December 1945

SUBJECT: Request for repatriation of General Mario MAZZETTI
General Officers PW Camp, INDIA

TO : GI(Br), GHQ, GMP

1. On 10 March 45, His Excellency, Myron C. TAYLOR, The Personal Representative of The President of The United States of America to His Holiness the Pope, forwarded to this Division a request through the Pontifical Commission of Refugees at The Vatican for the repatriation of subject PW.
2. Accompanying documents pointed out that General MAZZETTI was captured on 9 Dec 40 at Marsa Matruh, and that he was born in Rome 15 May 93.
3. Before his capture, while in camp at Marmarica, he suffered a severe hemorrhage of the lungs. As soon as he could travel, he was taken to Derna, where X-rays revealed a serious condition of his lungs. Later the General was taken to India.
4. A returned military chaplain reported his condition was so grave he was immediately hospitalized at Dehra Dun, where it was said he had tuberculosis of an advanced state. As a result, his wife requested that the General either be given a priority repatriation or transfer to a milder climate, preferably the United States, where he would have a better chance of recovery.
5. At about the same time that the letter was received from Mr. Taylor, a similar letter was received from the British Legation to The Holy See, suggesting Australia as a suitable place for transferring General MAZZETTI.
6. This Division replied to both Mr. Taylor and the British Legation that, as the General was more than 50 years old and had been a PW more than two years, he would come within the first priority shipment.
7. That was more than eight months ago, however, and it appears General MAZZETTI is still in India. His wife states that latest word she has is that he is still in very bad health, and she is most worried lest she may not see him again alive.
8. May this office be advised, please, as to whether General MAZZETTI has yet been repatriated from India, and if not, whether there is any possibility of obtaining a priority repatriation for him?

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sheet 2) - IPW/1/29/141 - SUBJECT: Request for repatriation of
General Mario MAZZETTI, General Officers PW Camp INDIA
4 Dec 45

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

H. Armand de Masi

H. ARMAND de MASI,
Capt., Spec. Res., AUS

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

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian P.W.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

GHQ
2nd Echelon.

3899/A2.

13 Nov. 45.

Copy to:- HQ Allied Commission IPW Div.
Air Liaison Section, HQ RAF.
(Your MEDME/4252/ALS of 3 Nov refers).

NA/T/43285 C. dt. HQ G.

1. Authority is given for the release on account of age of the a/n Italian P.W. at present serving with No.5 RAF Italian Coy.
2. Will you please make the necessary arrangements for release and request HQ STNA to advise this GHQ of ETA in Italy, copies to HQ Allied Commission, IPW Division, and Air Liaison Section, Air HQ, RAF Italy.

Card action

No action

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Rae. Curran

Major General.

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission

HQ AC APO 304 7 NOV 1945

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INCOMING MESSAGE

Headquarters Allied Commission

Originator's Reference - 83967 PWI

Date/ Time of Origin - Nov. 091630Z

FROM : Troopers

TO : Action Freedom Info:Alcom Rome.

Message Centre-N.G3372

Date Time Rec'd-Nov 102035A

Precedence - Routine

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1. Following Italian PW being repatriated on ship K7
on 10 November 1945.

- A. Age group 2 officers 10 ORS
- B. Specialists 2 officers 2 ORS
- C. Medical cases 9 officers 401 ORS
- D. Compassionate 22 ORS
- E. Redundant carabinieri 160RS
- Total 13 officers 451 ORS

2. Following Italian PW being repatriated on ship K13
on 13 November 45.

- A. Medical cases 15 officers 702 ORS
- B. Compassionate cases 1 officer 148 ORS
- Total 16 officers 850 ORS

3. Nominal rolls follow fast air.

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INFO ACTION: IPOW S/C

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

LAND FORCES S/C
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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian Prisoners of War.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

TO ~~Commander in Chief,~~
~~INDIA.~~

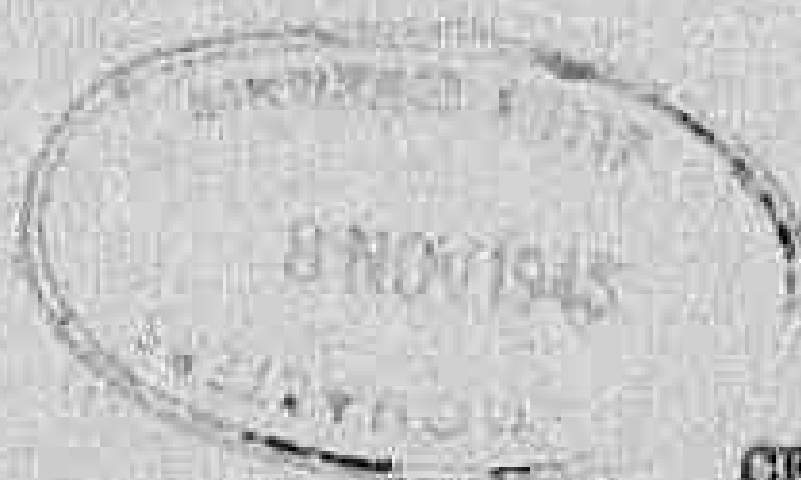
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6 Nov 45

COPY TO:- Headquarters, Allied Commission,
IPW Division (Your IPW/1/29/134 of 30 Oct 45).

Generale di Divisione DE GIORGIS, Fedele.

1. A further request for the release of the above-named PW has been received through Allied Commission, from the Italian Government who are anxious to make use of his services.
2. This PW is over 50 years of age and has been in captivity for more than two years.
3. Provided that you have no security or other objections and are prepared to release this PW it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for his repatriation to ITALY, forwarding BMA to this GHQ copy to Allied Commission, IPW Division ROME.



R.G.R. Chilton

R.G.R. CHILTON,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Lieutenant General,
Commander in Chief,
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

GHD/AD

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

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JWH/tb

IPW 1/29/137

9 November 1945

TO : The Ambassador of Ecuador to the Holy See.

1. In reply to your letter dated Rome, 26 October 45, in which you enclose a request from Madame DOMA AMALIA FLORES de GIORGIS.

2. I have forwarded a translation of this request to GHQ, GMP with a strong recommendation for his immediate release. GHQ, GMP have forwarded this request to the Commander in Chief, India, a copy of their letter has reached me this morning.

3. The main difficulty in repatriating Italian PWs is the lack of shipping available, but it is hoped that following our request a special effort will be made to ensure his speedy return to Italy.

J.E. REGIS
J.E. REGIS
Lt. Colonel
Chief
IPW Division

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

HMB/tb

IPW 1/29/136

9 November 1945

TO : Madame Amalia De GIORGIS FLORES, Chivasso.

Dear *Madame*,

I am in receipt of your letter of 22 October 1945 which has reached me through the Ambassador to Ecuador at the Ropy See.

We have previously asked for the repatriation of your husband but without result as only sick and wounded Italian PW were being given a high priority in repatriation at that time.

Following your letter, I have forwarded a very strong recommendation to GHQ, COMF for the accelerated repatriation of your husband. This recommendation has been forwarded to the Commander in Chief, India, a copy of this letter reached me this morning.

You may rest assured that every effort is being made for your husband's repatriation and whilst not wishing to raise false hopes I think that you may expect him home in the near future.

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J.E. Regis
J.E. REGIS
Lt. Colonel
Chief
IPW Division

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EMBASSY OF ECUADOR
To the Holy See

The Ambassador from Ecuador to the Holy See, presents his respectfull homage to Col. Regis, Director of the Allied POW Bureau and permits himself to forward the enclosed letter, from Madame Dona Amalia Flores de Giorgis, wife of General de Giorgis, POW in Bombay, the lady in question, being one of the most distinguished citizens of Ecuador.

Mr. Sosamayor Luna thanks you in advance for the benevolent reception that Colonel Regis will give to his request and takes this occasion to send him the token of his highest esteem.

Rome 26th October 1945 -

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EB/pb

Chivasso 22nd October 1945

Dear Col.Regis

I turn to you in my trouble because I saw such a friendly light in your eyes that I feel you understand my trouble and I feel that I am talking to ~~an~~ old friend.

A few days ago I received a letter from my husband dated 13th August, in which he tells me that half of the number of officers over 50 years of age are leaving his camp in the near future and he is not included in the group. You may imagine my desperation and that of my husband, all my prayers have been in vain, his loyalty as a soldier, his humanity towards Allied prisoners that he sent back to their lines, all is unrecognized.

Pardon my writting this way, Colonel, but I am nearly crazy, I only asked that my husband be included in the first group. It is already 8 years and a half that he is away, harried from pillar to post because he was considered too anti-fascist to have important duty in his country, from that moment I have fought alone. I have suffered and risked much for the partisan and allied cause.

Colonel, have pity on me and help me.

Cordially.

Amalia De Giorgis Flores.

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Chivasso 22, 10, 1945

Dear col. Regis,

mi rivolgo a lei perchè ho visto tanta bontà d'animo e di cuore riflessa nei suoi occhi che mi pare comprenderà il mio dolore e perciò mi sembra di dirigermi ad un vecchio amico al quale posso aprire il mio cuore.

Giorni or sono ricevetti una lettera di mio marito in data 13 Agosto, in questa mi dice che metà degli ufficiali ultracinquantenni del suo campo partiranno prossimamente ed egli non è compreso in questo gruppo. Potrà immaginare la disperazione ed il dolore miei e di mio marito; a nulla sono servite tutte le mie preghiere e le mie suppliche, a nulla è servita la sua lealtà e schiettezza di combattente, la sua profonda umanità verso i prigionieri che impossibilitato a nutrire e soccorrere rimandava alle linee avversarie, che riconoscimento ha avuto per la sua bontà?

Perdoni, Colonnello il mio sfogo, ma io sono quasi pazza di disperazione, io chiedevo solo che mio marito fosse compreso nel primo gruppo. Sono ormai otto anni e mezzo che egli è lontano, sempre sballottato perchè considerato troppo antifascista per meritare le cariche in patria, da allora io lotto sola. Ho sofferto ed arrischiato per la causa partigiana ed alleata.

Colonnello abbia pietà di me e mi aiuti.

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cordialmente

Annalia de Giori Riva

P.S. In questo istante ricevo una lettera di mio marito in data 10 Settembre in cui mi dice che il primo gruppo preavvisato della partenza in Luglio si trovava ancora in India. Dunque la prego se le è possibile e se è ancora in tempo di far in modo che mio marito sia incluso nel primo gruppo.

Sperando nel suo aiuto la saluto.

EMBAJADA DEL ECUADOR
ANTE LA SANTA SEDE

L'Ambassadeur de l'Equateur près le Saint-Siège présente ses respectueux hommages à Monsieur le Colonel Regis, Chef du Bureau Allié des Prisonniers de Guerre et, s'agissant d'une dame des plus distinguée de l'Equateur, se permet de L'envoyer la lettre ci-jointe de Madame Doña Amalia Flores de Giorgis, épouse de Monsieur le Général de Giorgis, actuellement prisonnier de guerre à Bombay.

M. Colomayor Lung remercie d'avance le bienveillant accueil que Monsieur le Colonel Regis voudra bien donner à cette requête, et profite de l'occasion pour Le présenter l'assurance de sa plus haute considération.

Rome, le 26 Octobre 1945.



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HWH/fs

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

*Amherst 11/10/45*IPW/1/29/13430 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Generale di Divisione DE GIORGIS, Fedele

TO : GHQ.
CMF
G1 (Br)

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1. The repatriation of the a/n General was first requested under our list n°1, repatriation of Officers.
2. AFHQ cable F65150 dated 5 July 1944 stated that he could not be repatriated as G.O.C. INDIA had raised security objections.
3. On 24 July 1945 a request was received from H.R.H. Lt. General of the Realm strongly recommending the repatriation of De Giorgis. In view of his previous record, this correspondence was passed to the Italian Government for confirmation. A reply was received from the Italian High Commissioner for PW stating that his repatriation was urgently required, and that he was over 50 years old, and had been in captivity more than 2 years.
4. In our IPW/1/29/102 dated 30 Aug. '45 we informed you of these facts.
5. In view of the fact that the war is over and that the Italian Government are most anxious to make use of the services of General De Giorgis, the undersigned strongly recommends his immediate repatriation. May immediate steps please be taken to accomplish this end.

For the Chief Commissioner

See 141*See for file 135*

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

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Generale di Divisione de GIORGIS, Fedele

✓ 1/6/25 = Signal from AFHQ of 27 June '44

Security objection raised by India. In his stead is suggested Maj. Gen. Van den HEUVEL should be repatr.

(signal passed to Adv. HQ. Army S/C. Com. SALERNO)

✓ 33/151. Gen. Infante in name of H.R.H. req. repatr.

✓ 33/150 letter forwarded to I.H.C.

1/6/44 letter from I.H.C. (3578/Mil/I/C.2, of 23 Agosto '44)

Name of de GIORGIS appears on list but crossed out and in his place the name van den HEUVEL substituted.

1/6/26 to AFHQ signal from us (July '44 requesting this change of name by suggestion of Ital. Government)

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Note of Capt. Broodbanks (1/6/25 from INDIA states "insecure")

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1/20/60 re forward letter of wife to G5. (letter: human with ennemy

1/6/44 letter from I.H.C. (3578/MIL/I/C.2, of 23 Agosto '44)

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Note of Capt. Broodbanks (1/6/25 from INDIA states "insecure")
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1/29/69 we forward letter of wife to U5. (letter: human with enemy
prisoners. In one occasion having rescued the crew of a
plane and not having medical supplies sent them back to
their lines. The wife is from the Republ. of Ecuador, has
on her depend 3 children and a sister.)

1/29/100 from U1 (Br) 1, Aug. '45

They have no record at AFHQ of previous application
(note. Agree, but see letter of AFHQ Liaison R.65130 of
27 Jul. '44 (our 1/6/25b ref.)

1/29/102 (30 AG. '45) from us to AFHQ G1 (Br) A2

Once more requesting he should be repatr. and querrying if
signal AFHQ, F 65150 dated 27 July '44 in which he is
considered by INDIA insecure will post pone his repatriation
though he be over 50 and in captivity over two years.
(it should be a priority case)

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

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IPW/1/29/133

23 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Request for repatriation of Gen. Francesco LOASSES

TO : Ministry for Post War Assistance PW Bureau

1. This correspondence received in this office is forwarded to you for any action you deem necessary.

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

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Encl.: Original letter and translation.

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Treviso 27th Sept 1945

CIVIL & PENAL TRIBUNAL
OFFICE OF THE JUDGE
Treviso

TO: GENERAL DUNLOP
Regional Commander
for the Veneto,

VENICE

I the undersigned, Dr. ALDO LOASSES, having attempted in vain up to date, to have my father General Francesco LOASSES, interned by the Germans in Camp 642 Schokken (Posen) and subsequently freed by the Russians, repatriated. I turn to you in the hopes that you may intervene in our behalf and grant this desire of my mother and myself. My father has not received our news since Sept 1944 and we are without news of him since Jan. 1945 (except for an official message informing us that he was alive and being assisted by the Russians) His health, which was not good when he was deported, and can not have but become worse during, his long imprisonment, due to his advanced age, (64 year of age in a few days) which makes it absolutely necessary that he return to his family also in consideration of the approaching winter.

With him there are others in the same situation, for whom interpreting the desire of their families, I beg you to request the intervention of the Allied Governments, they being the only people who can come to the aid of these people who are in such a sad situation.

I thank you and I send you my most sincere greetings

signed/ Dr. Aldo Loasses
Judge of the Tribunal of Treviso

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

IPW/1/29/12315 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Application for release of IPW on account of age.

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance Bureau for PW

1. We have been informed that there are security reasons to the release of the a/m.

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

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**SUBJECT:- Release of Italian Prisoners
of War.**

GHI, CMT

1399/A2

12 Oct 45

TO :- GHI, 2nd Echelon.

**COPI TO:- Headquarters, B.F.M.A.
Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission -
This HQ even number of 16 Aug 45 refers.**

NA/T 44512 Sold. MORRETI, P.

1. With reference to BINA letter A 390/6 of 28 Sep 45 copy to you.
2. Authority is now given for the release of the above-mentioned on account of age.
3. Will you please make the necessary arrangements for his release and repatriation to ITALY requesting BINA to advise this Headquarters of BINA, copy to Allied Commission IPW Sub-Commission, ROME.

A. S. BARNDORF

A. S. BARNDORF,
Lieut-Colonel, A.A.G.,
for Major General,
D.A.G.

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

IPW/29/15018 Oct. '45

SUBJECT: Release of PW MORETTI, P. NA/T 44312
TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, Bureau for PW

1. Authority is now given for the release of the above mentioned PW on account of age.

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

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TEL. NO. VALJEAN 44.

Commandant,
211 PW Camp, CMF.

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02E/85295/EPW

14 Oct 45.

Subject: Release of Italian PW.

1. The undermentioned Italian PW is ~~xxx~~ to be released under authority of ~~xxxx~~ letter **3899/A-2 dated 12 Oct 45.**
CEQ. CMF.
2. ~~He~~ ^{He} ~~xxx~~ should be despatched to ITALY as soon as possible and the appropriate casualties and documents sent to this HQ.
3. Any Personal Effects held at this HQ will be forwarded automatically within the next few days.

PW Number

HA/T 44312

Name

Sold. MORETTI. P.

Handwritten: All hand sent

Handwritten: 14/10 1945

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2. ~~None~~ ^{HQ} should be despatched to ITALY as soon as possible appropriate casualties and documents sent to this HQ.
3. Any Personal Effects held at this HQ will be forwarded automatically within the next few days.

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THE

Sold. MORETTI, P.

Alfred East
Brigadier,
D.A.G.,
C.H.O., 2nd Echelon.

Copy to: AFHQ, G-3(Pr), A2, C-1E, A2, GHQ, CMF.
AFHQ, G-3(Pr), C-1E, DMS, GHQ, CMF.
HQ, BTNA (Please arrange movement of the above named PW and
advise ETA Italy to AFHQ, repeated HQ, Allied
Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.
HQ, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.
Officer i/c PW Accounts Office, C.A.

United States War Sub Commission
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/29/12715 Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Request for repatriation
TO : British Ambassador - ROME-

1. Ref. letter dated: INDIA 6 June 1945, and signed G. Marino received under your NW/AS of 18 Sept. 1945
2. This request was forwarded to GHQ. CMB. for action.
3. A reply has today been received that every effort is being made to repatriate the Italians, whose release has been authorized, with a minimum of delay.

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

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/29/12615 Oct. '45

SUBJECT: Release of IPW

TO : Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatr. PW
" : Post War Assistance Bureau for PW
" : Pontifical Commission for Assistance (attent. Dr. Fugazzi)

1. Herewith nominal roll of 50 IPW held in 226 PW Camp.
2. Authority is given for the release of those over 60 years of age on humanitarian grounds, of the remainder on medical grounds.

*File**J. E. REGIS*

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

Encl. Nom. Rolls (not for Dr. Fugazzi)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/1/29/12615 Oct. '40

SUBJECT : ROSSETTI, G. Marco., NA/T. 184456

TO : Post War Assistance Bureau for PW

1. We have been informed that authority is given for the release of the a/m PW on humanitarian grounds as he is 50 years of age, and has been in captivity for more than 2 years.
2. He is thought to be, at present, in the MIDDLE EAST.

*hi**hwh*J. E. REGIS
Lieut. Col.
Chief
IPW Div.

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SUBJECT: Release of Italian Co-operators.

GHQ CMT

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5 Oct 45

TO :- ALS.,
Headquarters,
MEP/MS.

COPY TO: GHQ., 2nd Echelon.
Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.

NAVY. 184456 Mars. ROSETTI, G.

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RAF Middle East

1. With reference to your MEP/MS/4226/ALS dated 27 Sep 45.
2. Authority is given for the release of the above-named Prisoner of War on Humanitarian Grounds as he is over 50 years of age and has been in captivity for more than two years.
3. Will you please make the necessary arrangements for his release.
4. Attention is drawn to para 47 (K) of "Administration of Italian PW Co-operators in British Hands".

Anthony Blair

A.S. BARSDORF,
Lieut-Colonel, A.A.G.,
for Major General,
D.A.G.

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Capt de Rossi

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
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DATE: 9 OCT 1945
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SUBJECT: Release of Italian PW.~~Headquarters,
No. 3 District.~~ALLIED FORCE HQ, ITALY.GA(R)/384/42.8 Sep 45.

1. With reference to your 406/44 dated 22 Aug 45 enclosing nominal roll of 90 Italian PW held in 226 PW Camp.
2. Authority is given for the release of those over 60 years of age on humanitarian grounds and of the remainder on medical grounds.
3. Will you please make the necessary arrangements for their release.
4. Should any of these men be in need of further medical treatment, arrangements should be made for them to receive such treatment at an Italian hospital.

HL/DKPT.

W. A. F. Cas
S.A. 0056,
Major, D.A.A.C.,
for Major General,
DAG. G.1(R).

Copy to :- G.S., 2nd Echelon
Headquarters, Allied Commission,
IFW Sub Commission. } with copy of nominal roll.

① Type 3 Copies of nominal rolls
return complete correspondence to me.

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226 W Camp (Overseas)

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List of ITALIANS Unfit for PW Camp through age and medical reasons

PW Number	Rnk	NAME	AGE	REMARKS
AA 110509	Civ	FRANCISELLI	71	Senile, complains of some cardiac pain. Hypertensive.
NA/T 17470	Sold.	DENTI	36	Infantile undescended testicles Height 4' 6" Poor eyesight. Infantile Mortality
AA 110137	Sgt.	PACILIARDIS	60	Has R. I.H. Scar probably of removal of left Kidney. Old injury of r. hand Toothless and Senile.
AA 170286	Sold.	CEGONI A.	66	Senile Edent. very thin.
242619	"	DAIRRE R.	44	Old Infantile paralysis wasting of left upper arm and r. leg. Walks with stick.
AA 110137	"	CEMENTA G.	53	Marked Scoliosis & Lordosis Deformity due to old Potts Disease.
NA/T 17165	Sgt/Mage.	RAZZUCCI C.	60	L. I.H. Edentulous Senile.
AA 110143	"	MANEOCHI L.	68	Senile.
NA/T 17425	"	BERTIZZO D.	53	Senile Suffers with Sciatica.
AA 110094	Sgt/Mage.	TARASCO	59	BLIND in left eye Senile.
"	"	ZANGARI A.	51	Wounded in lower 1/3 L. tibia Com. Fracture rt. Foot fractured by fall from lorry 43. Walks with stick.
AA 716858	Sold.	GIUSEPPE	25	Infantile paralysis lower third l. leg has orthopedic shoe cannot walk without it.
AA 110743	"	MATZENT	21	Com. fracture upper end of left femur 43. Great wasting of height 1' shortening Arthrodesis of hip joint.
NA/T 17329	"	CANOCCHI	58	Senile.
AA 110466796	"	PIZZOLOTTI		Com. fracture upper r. femur Feb. 44 walks with stick.
AA 110494168	"	SPRACIOTTI	30	Old infantile paralysis r. leg Special boots moderate wasting.
AA 110431	"	PELLICELLI	38	Old infantile of r. Leg moderate wasting.

AA 110137	GENUINA G.	53	Marked Scoliosis & Lordosis Deformity due to old Pott's Disease.
NA/T 17165	Bgt/Mage.	60	L.L.H. Esantulous Senile.
AA 110143	MAUCOCHI L.	63	Senile.
NA/T 17125	BERTIZZO D.	53	Senile Suffers with Sciatica.
AA 110554	Sgt/Mage.	59	BLIND in left eye Senile.
	TARASCO A.	51	Wounded in lower 1/3 L. tibia Com. Fracture rt. Foot fractured by fall from lorry 43. Walks with stick.
AA 716853	SOLD.	25	Infantile paralysis lower third L. leg has orthopedic shoe cannot walk without it.
AA 110713	MATZENI	24	Com. Fracture upper end of left femur 43. Great wasting of thigh 1' shortening Arthrodensis of hip joint.
NA/T 17329	GANCIELI	58	Senile.
AA 110468796	PIZZALOTTO		Com. Fracture upper r. femur Feb. 44. Walks with stick.
AA 11043168	SPRACHOTTI	30	Old infantile paralysis r. leg Special boots moderate wasting.
AA 110431	FRILIOELI	38	Old infantile of r. Leg moderate wasting.
AA 110900	VALENZA	25	Congenital deformity of chest 63
T 17438	CHERUBINI P.	60	BACCHICCTASIS.
AA 110522	HERMANDEL P.	67	Myocarditis Arteriosclerosis.
242657	CARRIELLI A.	61	Bronchiectasis.
242640	LUCARELLI M.	50	CARDIAC Insufficiency.
242637	ROSSI M.	54	Pulmonary Emphysema.
AA 110659	VARALLO G.	57	Gastroenterostomy Chronic Gastritis.
	RESTA R.	23	P.B. Occipito Temporal Region.
	DE MEO M.	36	ANXIETY State mental disorder.
	TURCO D.	24	Mental Deficiency.
AA 110831	MASTRONARDI R.	25	Manic depression Psychosis.

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226PW CAMP (OVERSEAS)

Interrogation reports of Italian PW, submitted for release on Medical and age grounds as per attached list (Medical Report.)

Code Letters.

(a). Unit prior to capture.
(b). Date of capture.
(c). Place of capture.
(d). Movements since capture.

PW NUMBER	NAME	(a). Unit prior to capture.	(b). Date of capture.	(c). Place of capture.	(d). Movements since capture.
AA 110609	FRANCESCELLI D.	(a). Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b). 30-4-45	(c). VARESE	(d). NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA.
MA/TI7470	DENTI F.	(a). Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b). 30-4-45	(c). OREGGIO	(d). NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110137	PAGLIARDI S.	(a). G.N.R.	(b). 29-4-45	(c). CASTELLAZZO (NOVARA)	(d). NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 170286	CICCIONI A.	(a). G.N.R.	(b). 29-4-45	(c). VALLI DI PASUBIO	(d). VERONA - PISA - GRAVINA.
242619	DAL BENE P.	(a). Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b). 28-4-45	(c). SONDRIO	(d). PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110214	GENTINA G.	(a). Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b). 28-4-45	(c). AOSTA	(d). PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.
MA/TI7166	BAZZECCHI C.	(a). G.N.R.	(b). 28-4-45	(c). SONDRIO	(d). PARMA - MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110431	MANECCHI L.	(a). Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b). 26-4-45	(c). BESOZZO	

AA 116137	PAGLIARDI S.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 29-4-45 (c) CASTELLAZZO (NOVARA) (d) NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 170286	CECCONI A.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 29-4-45 (c) VALLI DI PASUBIO (d) VERONA - PISA - GRAVINA.
242619	DAL BENE P.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) SONDRIO (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110214	GENTINA G.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) AOSTA (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.
HA/T17166	BAZZECCHI C.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) SONDRIO (d) PARMA - MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110431	MANECCHI L.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) BESOGGIO (d) NOVARO - PISA - GRAVINA.
NA/T17425	BERTIZZOLO D.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 30-4-45 (c) BASSANO (d) MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110894	TARASCO A.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 5-5-45 (c) IVREA (d) PARABIAGO - PISA - GRAVINA.
	ZANGARI A.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 1-5-45 (c) MALCESINE (VERONA) (d) VERONA - MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 716858	GIOVANNETTI A.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 27-4-45 (c) NOVARA (d) PISA - GRAVINA.

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AA110643	MARZANI C.	(a) CORPO AUSILIARIO G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) CASTELLAZZO & NOVARA) (d) NOVARA-PISA-GRAVINA.
AA110729	CAMOZZI P.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) SONDRIO (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA
AA110796	PIZZOLOTTI G.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 24-4-45 (c) BIELLA (d) PIACENZA-MODENA-PISA
AA110481	SPRIGNOLI V.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 25-4-45 (c) BESOZZO (VARESE) (d) NOVARA-PIACENZA-PISA
AA110481	PELLICELLI E.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 27-4-45 (c) SORESINA (d) PARMA-PISA-GRAVINA
AA110900	VALENZA G.	(a) CORPO AUSILIARIO G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) SONDRIO (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA
T/17438	CHERUBINI P.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 27-4-45 (c) SONDRIO (d) PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO
110592	BERNABRI P.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA
242637	LUARELLI M.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 25-4-45 (c) BESOZZO (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO
242610	ROSSI M.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) BESOZZO (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO

AA110900	VALENZA G.	(a) CORPO AUSILIARIO G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) SONDRIO (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA
T/17438	CHERUBINI P.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 27-4-45 (c) SONDRIO (d) PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO
110592	BERNABRI P.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA
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242610	ROSSI M.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 25-4-45 (c) BESOZZO (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO
242637	VARALLO G.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) VENICE-MODENA-PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO
AA110659	RESTA R.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) AOSTA (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO
AA110831	TURCO D.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 10-5-45 (c) NOVARA (d) PIACENZA-PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO
		(a) CIVIL (b) 5-5-45 (c) IVRE A (d) PARABIAGO-PISA-GRAVINA-GRUMO

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(a) 13 Rgt Artilleria da Costa

(b) 19-9-43

(c) ROLI

(d) ROLI-2 RANTO-BARILETTA-GRUPO
GRANINA

(a) 47 Rgt Infantaria

(b) 2-9-43

(c) ALBANIA

(d) GRUPO-CR.VINA

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MASTECHADI E.

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226 PW CAMP (OVERSEAS)

List of ITALIANS 60 years and over but in good condition.

PW NUMBER	RANK	NAME	AGE	REMARKS
NAT17399	Sold	COMBA G	62	Senile
AAL10113	"	GARAN F	60	Senile little else
AAL10127	Sgt	Salvestro	60	Senile
NAT17112	Sold	BISOTTO A	61	Fit for age
NAT17243	"	ALAINO V	61	Senile Arthritis R S
NAT17387	"	DOUARUMINA P	60	Edent. Senile
NAT17386	"	AMBRO	66	"
AAL10209	"	FRATTINI S	63	Senile little else
AAL10263	"	ROUCAROLO G	60	" well for age
NAT17355	Marsh.	CELPA G	63	" " "
AAL10211	Sold	FRANGHI G	62	" "
AAL10118	"	GIOVANNONZI	64	L.I.H. but well for age
AAL10862	"	VERNETTI L	60	Operation for Hernia W
T104196	Corp	CAUTU E	63	Well for age
AAL10320	Sold	FOSSI G	62	" "
NAT17333	Marsh	CHECCUCCI M	60	" "
B946220	Sold	TIRELLI C	61	" "
T104150	"	BRUGUONI C	61	" "
AAL10820	"	LAUZETTI F	60	"ew teeth
AAL10875	"	VACCARI E	60	Well for age
AAL10267	"	MARTINETTO V	63	Senile Few teeth
AAL10261	"	ROSETTI E	60	Senile otherwise fit
AAL10406	"	PAFFORINI G	60	Senile Arthritis R S
NAT17316	"	BENTISINA L	63	Few teeth
AAL10798	"	"	"	"

J. H. Williams
Capit. Am.

NAT17355	Marsh.	CELPA G	63	Well for age
AA110211	Sold	FRANCHI G	62	" " " "
AA110118	"	GIOVANNOCCHI	64	" " " "
AA110862	"	VERNETTI L	60	L.I.H. but well for age
T104186	Corp	CAUTU E	63	Operation for Hernia W
AA110320	Sold	FOSSI G	62	Well for age
NAT17333	Marsh	CHECCUCCI M	60	" "
B946220	Sold	TIRELLI C	61	" "
T104150	"	BRUGUONI C	61	" "
AA110820	"	LAUZETTI F	60	" "
AA110875	"	VACCARI E	60	Few teeth
AA110267		MARTINETTO V	63	Well for age
AA110261		ROSETTI E	60	Senile Few teeth
AA110406		FATTORINI G	60	Senile otherwise fit
WA/T17316		BENTISINA L	63	Senile Arthritis R S
AA110728				Few teeth

J. H. Williams
Capit. RMC.

Cr. 10-10-45
M. 11-11-45
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226 PW CAMP (OVERSEAS)

Interrogation reports of Italian PW, submitted for release on Medical and age grounds as per attached Medical Report.

Code Letters.

(a) Unit prior to capture. (b) Date of capture.
(c) Place of capture. (d) Movements since capture.

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NA/TL7399	COMBA G.	(a)Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b)5-5-45	(c)IVREA	(d)PARABIAGO - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110113	GARAN F.	(a)CORPO AUSILIARIO G.N.R.	(b)5-5-45	(c)IVREA	(d)PARABIAGO - PISA - GRAVINA.
NA/TL7112	BIZZOTTO A.	(a)Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b)30-4-45	(c)Bassano Grappa	(d)Modena - Pisa - Gravina
NA/TL7243	ALANIO V.	(a)Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b)28-4-45	(c)Castellazzo (Novara)	(d)NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA
NA/TL7387	DOUARUMINA P.	(a)CORPO AUSILIARIO G.N.R.	(b)29-4-45	(c)VICENZA	(d)MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA
AA/110209	FRATTINI S.	(a)Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b)25-4-45	(c)VARESE	(d)NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA
AA/110263	ROMCAROLO G.	(a)Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b)26-4-45	(c)VARESE	(d)PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA
NA/TL7355	CELPA G.	(a)Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.	(b)28-4-45	(c)CASTELLAZZO (NOVARA)	

NA/TL7112	BEZZOTTO A.	(c) INVERA (a) PARABIAGO - PISA - GRAVINA (a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 30-4-45 (c) Bassano Grappa (d) Modena - Pisa - Gravina
NA/TL7243	ALANIO V.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (d) Castellazzo (Novara) (d) NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA
NA/TL7327	DOUARUMINA P.	(a) CORPO AUSILIARIO G.N.R. (b) 29-4-45 (c) VICENZA (d) MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA
AA/TL10209	FRATTINI S.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA
AA/TL10263	RONCAROLO G.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA
NA/TL7355	CELPA G.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 28-4-45 (c) CASTELLAZZO (NOVARA) (d) NOVARA - PISA - GRAVINA
AA/TL10211	FRANCHI G.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 5-5-45 (c) MODENA (d) MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA
AA/TL10118	GIOVANNICZZI	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 29-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA
AA/10862	VERMETTI L.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 27-4-45 (c) RACCONIGI (d) GENOVA - PISA - GRAVINA

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PW NUMBER NAME

T 104136 CAUTU E.

(a) G.N.R.
 (b) 5-5-45
 (c) IVREA
 (d) PARABIAGO - PISA - GRAVINA.

AA 110320 FOSSI G.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 28-4-45
 (c) SONDRIO
 (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.

NA/T17333 CHECCUCCI M.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 28-4-45
 (c) SONDRIO
 (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.

E 846220 TIRELLI C.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 26-4-45
 (c) VARESE
 (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.

T 104150. BRUGNONI C.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 30-4-45
 (c) VARESE
 (d) NOVARA - PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.

AA 110820 LANZETTI F.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 26-4-45
 (c) VARESE
 (d) NOVARA - PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.

AA 110875 VACCARI E.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 29-4-45
 (c) RIVA DI TRENTO
 (d) VICENZA - MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA.

AA 110267 MARTINETTO V.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 5-5-45
 (c) IVREA
 (d) IVREA - PARABIAGO - PISA - GRAVINA.

AA 110261 ROSETTI E.

(a) G.N.R.
 (b) 27-4-45
 (c) VARESE
 (d) VARESE - PIACENZA - MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA.

AA 110406 PATTORINI G.

(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R.
 (b) 24-4-45
 (c) VARESE
 (d) VARESE - PISA - GRAVINA.

B 946220	TIRELLI C.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.
T 104150.	BRUGHONI C.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 30-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) NOVARA - PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110820	LANZETTI F.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 26-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) NOVARA - PIACENZA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110875	VACCARI E.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 29-4-45 (c) RIVA DI TRENTO (d) VICENZA - MODENA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110267	MARTINETTO V.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 5-5-45 (c) IVREA (d) IVREA - PARABIAGO - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110261	ROSETTI E.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 27-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) VARESE - PIACENZA - MOLENA - PISA - GRAVINA.
AA 110406	FATTORINI G.	(a) Corpo Ausiliario G.N.R. (b) 24-4-45 (c) VARESE (d) VARESE - PISA - GRAVINA.
MA/TI7316	BERTISINA L.	(a) G.N.R. (b) 29-4-45 (c) GRISIGNANO (VICENZA) (d) VICENZA - MOLENA - PISA - GRAVINA.

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IPW

SUBJECT:- Italian Prisoners of War in INDIA.

GHQ CMB

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8 Oct 45

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

1. With reference to your IPW/1/29/115 dated 25 Sep 45 and enclosure.
2. Your attention is drawn to this Headquarters CR/3822/G1(Br) dated 5 Apr 45 which was in reply to a similar complaint.
3. It is repeated that every effort is being made to repatriate the Italians whose release has been authorised, with a minimum of delay.

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H. Ledger

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

11 OCT 1945

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

Very Urgent

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION

Subject: Personnel of CUNEO and REGINA Italian divisions detained in MIDEAST.

1. Reference is made to the Allied Commission's notes n° IPW/29/104, dated August 20th, and IPW/29/108 of August 30th, 1945.
2. The Italian public opinion and governmental quarters are very much concerned over the known matter of the Italian soldiers, still detained and treated on same basis as p.o.w., belonging to the CUNEO and REGINA Divisions. Also the Italian Press has recently commented on this subject.
3. In consideration of the above and since the merits of the case unquestionably commend special attention, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs again warmly request the Allied Commission to kindly intervene with the proper Allied Authorities for the purpose of obtaining that said Italian soldiers be presently repatriated.
4. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs will appreciate it greatly if the Allied Commission will consider the matter as being of extreme urgency, and thank them for their interest to the above end.

Rome, October 10th, 1945



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Rome, October 10th, 1945



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SUBJECT :- Release of Italian Prisoners of War

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

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6 Oct 45

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission)

24522 FELSANI Armando

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1. With reference to this Headquarters even number dated 7 Aug 45, copy to you.
2. This Headquarters has now been advised by GHQ., INDIA that there are security objections to the release of the above-named.

E. Ledger

11 OCT 1945

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

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPM/1/29/120

8. Oct. '45

SUBJECT : Repatriation of militarized youths

TO: Ministry of Post War Assistance

1. Herewith attached nominal rolls of 41 ex Italian Army children of 16 years of age and under, recently released from 226 PW Camp to the Italian Government, forwarded to you for your record or action.

H. N. HAMILTON, Maj.

in absence on duty for:

J. E. REGIS

Lieut. Col.

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TO: Ministry of Post War Assistance

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Chief
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for
Encl.: Nominal rolls in duplicate,
for inf. : Autonomous Office for War Veterans & Repatr. (1 copy Roll)
" " / Pontificia Commissione Assistenza

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POW No.	Rank	Name	Christian Name
AA/TI7285	solcato	CARRANI	Ettore
AA/TI7367	"	D'ALESSANDRO	Gian Carlo
T 104131	"	CINI	Tabio
T 104106	caporale	ERIONI	Franco
T 104168	solcato	CANONICA	Renato
T 104190	"	CARATHIONI	Luciano
T 104194	"	CASAGRANDE	Benito
EA 110039	"	NERI	Ruggero
AA 110066	"	MONTANARI	Franco
AA 110084	"	NICOLETTI	Giuseppe
AA 110093	"	PICARELLI	Italo
AA 110097	"	POZZI	Terenzio
AA 110123	cap. magg.	LODI	Pierro
AA 110155	solcato	SANNA	Pietro
AA 110252	"	PALANZONA	Fausto
AA 110260	"	ROSATI	Savino
AA 110283	"	SOTTILE	Antonio
AA 110308	"	GHIRIAM	Luigi
AA 110327	"	FRANCIA	Romano
AA 110332	"	GHIPARDI	Andrea
AA 110376	"	PUCETTI	Augusto
AA 110384	"	REALE	Gino
AA 110449	"	SERRA	Gesare
AA 110493	"	RIGUCCINI	Enio
AA 110515	"	FIORAVANTI	Asiceto

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AA 110084

AA 110093	"	PICARELLI	Italo
AA 110097	"	POZZI	Terenzio
AA 110123	cap. magg.	LODI	Pierro
AA 110155	solcato	SANNA	Pietro
AA 110252	"	PALANZONA	Fausto
AA 110260	"	ROSATI	Savino
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AA 110327	"	FRENCIA	Romano
AA 110332	"	GHIRARDI	Andrea
AA 110376	"	PUCETTI	Augusto
AA 110384	"	FEALE	Gino
AA 110449	"	SERRA	Gesare
AA 110493	"	RIGUCCINI	Enio
AA 110515	"	FIORAVANTI	Amiceto
AA 110518	"	FONTANA	Rido
AA 110560	"	FORNAI	Carlo
AA 110571	"	GANI	Silvio
AA 110575	"	CHEZZA	Fabio
AA 110598	"	MATTI	Attilio
AA 110624	Cap. magg.	GUSSONI	Pietro
AA 110652	solcato	PA. SQUALINI	Mario
AA 110695	"	SABETTI	Mario
AA 110737	cap.	MANARI	Gerigio

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POI No.	Rank	Name	Christian Name
AA 110501	soldato	DE STEFANO	Giuseppe
AA 110756	capdrole	PIERALLI	Fernando
AA 110865	bolso	TROMBETTA	Pierro
AA 110882	"	DITTA	Carlo
B 103212	"	ROATTINO	Giuseppe
B 946233	"	BODRERO	Chiaffredo
B 985879	"	FANZAGA	Virginio

ENTRADA DE CARDS,

DATE, _____

INITIALS, *SP*

ENTRADA DE CARTAS.	DATE.
INITIALS.	<i>[Signature]</i>

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

IPW/1/29/119

4 Oct. '45

SUBJECT: NOMINAL ROLLS of 16 year old children

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance Bureau for PW

1. Attached Nominal Rolls which refer to exArmy children of 16 years of age and under, recently released from 226 Camp, these are forwarded for information and action.

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

Encl. Nom. Rolls

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 SECTION
APO 512

G-5: 311.18

30 Aug 45.

SUBJECT: Nominal roll of Italian "Military" Children released from PW status.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
(attn. IPW Sub-Commission)
APO 394

Attached nominal rolls which refer to ex-Italian Army children of 16 years of age and under, recently released from 226 PW Camp to the Italian Government, are forwarded for information and any necessary action.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff G-5:



L.E. Weston
L.E. WESTON,
J/Comdr.

Incls: nominal rolls as above.

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NA/T 17121	Cap. Magg.	BRUCOLA	Ezio
NA/T 17125	Soldato	BARDI	Anieto
NA/T 17126	"	BERTELLI	Luciano
NA/T 17134	"	COCCI	Mario
NA/T 17162	"	BERTONE	Guido
NA/T 17189	"	CORTI	Mauricio
NA/T 17207	"	BELFI	Guido
NA/T 17208	"	BERSILIO	Mario
NA/T 17242	"	CELLINI	Angelo
NA/T 17258	Cap.	BERTINI	Giuseppe
NA/T 17282	Soldato	CASELLI	Ferdinando
NA/T 17345	"	CAVELLARI	Andronio
NA/T 17422	Militi	BRAMBILLA	Luigi
NA/T 17427	Cap.	LABBINO	Angelo
NA/T 17441	Militi	CASALE	Luciano
NA/T 17449	"	GHILARDINO	Mario
NA/T 17464	"	DEL GIAPPÒ	Nicola
NA/T 17473	Cap. Magg.	CALDERINI	Vincenzo
NA/T 17496	Soldato	CORTI	Emilio
T 104449	"	BENEDETTI	Vincio
AA 110409	"	FANTINO	Giacomo
AA 110472	"	SACCAGNO	Mario
AA 110495	"	MORADEI	Paolo
AA 110333	"	GIOVE	Pierino
AA 110336	"	LAZZERTE	Dario
AA 110393	"	SALVONETTI	Ugo

NA/T 17232	Soldato	CASELLI	Fernando
NA/T 17345	"	CAVELLANI	Ambrogio
NA/T 17422	Militi	BRAMBILLA	Luigi
NA/T 17427	Cap.	LABEZZO	Angelo
NA/T 17441	Militi	CASSALE	Luciano
NA/T 17449	"	GIARRANO	Mario
NA/T 17454	"	DEL OLARZO	Nicola
NA/T 17473	Cap. Mass.	CALDERINI	Vincenzo
NA/T 17496	Soldato	CORTI	Emilio
T 104149	"	BENEDETTI	Vinicio
AA 110109	"	FANTINO	Giacomo
AA 110172	"	SACCAGNO	Mario
AA 110195	"	MORADEI	Paolo
AA 110333	"	GIOVE	Pierino
AA 110336	"	LAMPERTI	Dario
AA 110393	"	SAVONELLI	Ugo
AA 110430	"	MARCA	Natale
AA 110443	"	SIAGNA	Giovanni
AA 110475	"	ROBRESTELLI	Carlo
AA 110554	"	DOSSETTA	Pietro
AA 110572	"	GERBO	Pietro
AA 110579	"	COBBI	Giancarlo
AA 110591	"	MORETTI	Aldo
AA 110891	"	VILLA	Giorgio
AA 110930	"	LIQUORI	Angelo
AA 110957	"	VALENTI	Stefano

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AA 110996	Milita	MANIBONI	Enrico
AA 110997	Soldato	VALENTI	Renato
A 716885	"	AMBALDI	Alberto
B 943213	"	BOASSO	Michelo
T 104165	"	BERTANI	Enea
AA 110918	"	GEMMI	Luciano
AA 110046	"	GARGIA	Antonio
AA 110468	"	SCARSELLINI	Carlo
T 104122	"	BIANCHI	Germano
AA 110859	"	VANNUCCINI	Massimo
AA 110359	"	MAZZALI	Umberto
AA 110106	"	FABERI	Renato

RA 110859	"	VANNUCCINI	Massimo
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RA 110106	"	FABERI	Dante

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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10 September 1945

G-5: 311.18

SUBJECT : Nominal Roll of Italian "Military" children released
from PW status

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394
(Attn: IPW Sub-Commission).

Attached nominal rolls which refer to ex-Italian Army children of
16 years of age and under recently released from 226 PW Camp to the Italian
Government, are forwarded for information and any necessary action.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:

L.E. Weston

L.E. WESTON
Jnr. Comdr.

Encl:
as above.

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

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3185/A2.20 Sep 45.Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub-Commission.AA 110577 Sold GELTRUDOLI Luciano

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

H. Ledger

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



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Copy to :- GHQ., 2nd Echelon
HQ., 3 District - your 4069/A dated 16 Sep 45 refers.
HQ., A.C., Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA)

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

IPW/1/20/11027 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : AA 110577 sold GELTRUDOLI, Lucano

TO : Min. of Post War Assistance for PW

TO : Autonomous Office for War Veterans and Repatriated PW

1. We pass the following information for your records
2. The a/w was released to N° 1 Comando Centro Alloggio
BARION the 5 Sep. '45.

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

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

IPW/1/29/11525 Sep. '45

SUBJECT : Italian PW in INDIA over age.

TO : AFHQ, GI (Br)

1. The attached correspondence has been received in this Office from the Italian Government with a covering note from His Majesty's Ambassador in ROME.
2. This correspondence is passed to you for such action as you may deem necessary.

For the Chief Commissioner

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

Encl. : Letter sgn. G. Marino

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WM/AS

18th September 1945

*With the compliments of
His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome.*

Prisoners of War Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission,
Rome.

Col. Regis to Col

EB/pb

India 6th June 1945

Excelency

Many months ago an agreement was made between this Majesty's Government and the Italian Government to repatriate certain categories of POW, subordinate to available shipping space. There are however today in various groups of camps in India, sick prisoners who have been judged as such by the medical commission, the prisoners in question are over 50 years of age and are all "compassionate cases". There must certainly be a way of getting these people back to Italy with the continuous departure of groups of ships that leave India for the Mediterranean. Many prisoners would go gladly in the steerage and not a few of them already know this form of transport. It is thought that the retard of these repatriations is due to bureaucratic reasons, lack of initiative and care of the various administrations, regarding these people, from whom depends the transport of prisoners.

I beg your Excelency in the meantime to call this matter to the attention of the various administration that these inconveniences may be eliminated, that render inefficient the decision taken by His Majesty's Government.

I say nothing about the other prisoners, who awaiting repatriation for years, are now asking how long must they still wait.

Yours truly,

G. Marino.

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COBAY.

C/O G. P. O.

No. 38-11112 P. W. Camp

No. 94186 Rank

Private

Name

Maximo Calabrese

I. A. F. 23341

PRISONERS OF WAR POST.

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S. E. l' Ambasciatore di S. M. Britanica

presso il Governo Italiano

Ambasciata d' Inghilterra



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Antaresia d'Inghilterra

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India 6 giugno '45

Caro Collega,

da moltissimi mesi è stato convenuto fra il governo di S. M. Britannica ed il governo Italiano il rimpatrio di alcune categorie di prigionieri, subordinatamente alle disponibilità dei mezzi di trasporto. Tuttavia in un gruppo di campi nell'India sono ancora presenti, alla data odierna, parte degli ammalati ricoverati dalle Commissioni mediche, tutti i cinquantenni, tutti i cosiddetti «casi pietosi» e la stragrande maggioranza dei richiesti dall'Italia. Poiché non può ritenersi difficile una sistemazione di fortuna di gruppi di prigionieri sulle navi che hanno sempre salvato e continuano a salpare dall'India verso il Mediterraneo - non pochi prigionieri sarebbero disposti ad alloggiare persino nelle stive, ed invero già alcuni di essi conoscono questa forma di trasporto - si è concluso a ritenere che il ritardo del loro rimpatrio è dovuto a mancanza burocratiche di coordinamento, di iniziativa e di procura delle varie amministrazioni, da cui dipende l'invio ed il trasporto dei prigionieri. Prego pertanto l'E. V. di voler interessarsi perché le amministrazioni coinvolte eliminino le cause di ritardo, che rendono vano ed

nell'India sono ancora presenti, alla data odierna, parte degli ammalati ricoverati dalle Commissioni mediche, tutti i cinquantenni, tutti i cosiddetti «casi pectoris» e la stragrande maggioranza dei richiesti dall'Italia. Poiché non può ritenersi difficile una sistemazione di fortuna di gruppi di prigionieri sulle navi che hanno sempre salpato e continueranno a salpare dall'India verso il Mediterraneo - non pochi prigionieri sarebbero disposti ad alloggiarsi persino nelle stive, ed invero già alcuni di essi conoscono questa forma di trasporto - si è condotti a ritenere che il ritardo del loro rimpatrio è dovuto a mancanza burocratiche di coordinamento, di iniziativa o di previsione delle varie amministrazioni, da cui dipende l'invio ed il trasporto dei prigionieri. Prego pertanto l'E. V. di voler interessarsi perché le amministrazioni competenti eliminino le cause di ritardo, che rendono vane ed inefficienti le decisioni del Governo di S. M. Britannica. Tagliando degli altri prigionieri che, testimoni di tale lungaggine, si chiedono quando mai avverrà il loro rimpatrio. Con ossequio. Marino

4194.

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

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Headquarters,
Allied Commission.
IPW Sub Commission.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3185/A2.

15 Sep 45.

NA/T 17103 Soldato ARNOLFO, Biagio.
A 110265 Caporale PALUMBO, Ulisse.

This Headquarters has today been informed by Headquarters,
3 District that the two above-mentioned Italian children were
released at No. 1 Commando Centro Alloggio, BARI w.e.f. 29 Aug 45.

TRC/DDKT.



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

Copy to :- GHQ., 2nd Echelon.
Headquarters, No. 3 District - Your 406/9A of 11 Sep 45.
Headquarters, Allied Commission, Land Forces Sub Commission.
(HMIA).

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Tel No Valjean 22.

AFS.

02E/75182/AF(It)

11 Sep 45.

16 Italian RAF Coy.

Subject:- NA/T43843 Lt BOTTARI A.

1. AFHQ in their G1(Br)/3899/A2 dated 23 Aug 45 have given authority for the release of the above named Cooperator Officer.
2. Will you please, therefore, despatch him to 211 PW Camp where documentation and onward movement to Italy will be arranged.
3. Please ensure that appropriate casualties are forwarded to this HQ.

[Signature]
 Brigadier,
 D.A.G.,
 GHQ 2nd Echelon.

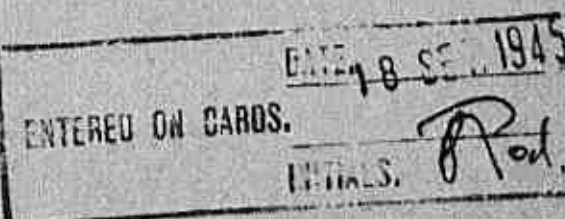
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Comd 211 PW Camp. Please take action indicated at para 2 above and ensure that appropriate documents are forwarded to this HQ. Please also advise ETA ITALY to AFHQ, repeated HQ Allied Comm, IFT Sub-Comm, and this HQ.

Officer i/c PW Accounts CM.R/O.MEW.

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Tel No Valjeon 122.

A.P.S.

02E/75182/IT(It).

CC,
135 (Br) General Hospital.

11 Sep 45.

Subject:- T/10449 Sergente LORENZO Antonio.

1. AFHQ in their G-1(Br)/3891/4/A2 dated 4 Sep 45 have given authority for the release of the above named Cooperator on 'compassionate' grounds.
2. He should therefore be despatched to Italy as soon as possible.
3. Please ensure that appropriate casualties and documents are forwarded to this HQ.

[Signature]
Brigadier,
D.A.G.,
GHQ 2nd Echelon.

CMF.
ADMOC.

Copy to:- AFHQ G-1(Br).

HQ Allied Commission, I.W. Sub-Commission.

HQ BTNA. Please advise ETA Italy to AFHQ repeated HQ Allied Comm, I.W. Sub Comm ROME and this HQ.

Officer i/c PW Accounts CM.

R/S.

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I.P.W. S/c

SUBJECT:- Italian PW - 16 Years of Age and under.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3185/A2.

3 Sep 45.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
IPW Sub-Commission.

No. NA/T.17103 Sold. ARNOIJO, Biagio.
No. AA. 110265 Caporale. PALUMBO, Ulisse.

No names given 109

In accordance with this Headquarters G-1(Br)3185/A2 of 29 Jul 45 (copy to you) the two above-mentioned Italian youths have been released to No. 1 Comando Centro Alloggio, BARI, w.e.f. 29 Aug 45, from 226 PW Camp (overseas).

See 110

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

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Copy to:- GHQ., 2nd Echelon.

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW.

Headquarters,
Land Forces,
MELBOURNE.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3899/A2.

3 Sep 45.

48802 Capt. MAJOLINI, Luigi.

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1. The above named Italian PW is over 50 years of age and having been in captivity since Jan 1941 is eligible for repatriation.
2. Provided you have no security or other objections and are prepared to release this man, it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for his release and repatriation to ITALY, advising this Headquarters of EFA, copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub Commission, ROMAN.

Anthony Licr.

A.S. BAREDET,
Lieut Colonel, A.A.C.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

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Copy to :- Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub Commission.
Your IPW/1/7/ANZ/1291 dated 22 Aug 45 refers.

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

In reply
refer to AG 383.6/056 PRO-0

28 August 1945

SUBJECT: Release of Italian Prisoner of War - GUGGINO, Carmelo

TO: Commanding Officer
North African Service Command
APO 600

1. Reference is made to 1st Indorsement, your headquarters, dated 14 August 1945, to letter, Headquarters, ISU Detachment, North African Service Command, dated 13 August 1945, subject: "Request for Repatriation".
2. Italian prisoner of war Lt. Col. GUGGINO, Carmelo, GI-I-47054, is eligible for repatriation since he is over fifty (50) years of age and has been a prisoner of war for more than two (2) years.
3. Subject to your concurrence, request he be released, shipped to Naples, and that this headquarters and Southern District, Peninsular Base Section be notified of expected time of arrival.

FOR THE THEATER COMMANDER:

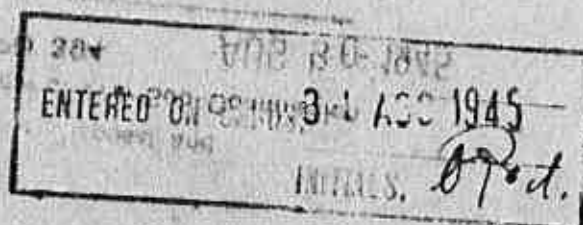
D. C. KIRLEY
Capt., A.G.D.
Asst Adj Gen

D. C. KIRLEY
Captain, AGD
Asst Adjutant General

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SUBJECT:- Release of Italian PW on Account of Age.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G4(Br)/3099/A2.

31 Aug 45.

Commander-in-Chief,
INDIA.

Major CAIANI, Carlo. 84091.

1. Application for the release of the above-named on account of age has been made through HQ Allied Control Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.
2. Provided that you have no security or other objections and are prepared to release this man, it would be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for his release and repatriation to ITALY, advising this HQ of STA, copy to Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission, ROME.

M/A

EL/AP

Copy to:- HQ Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission - Your IPW/7/IND/1242 dated 10 Aug 45 refers.

Anthony
A.S. BARSTON,
Lieut-Colonel, A.A.G.,
for Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE.

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Originator's Ref 64691PW1

Message Centre Ref: F/2813

Date AUG 021600

Received AUG 061020

From: TROOPERS

To: FREEDOM for FHGAB

Info ALCOM ROME

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SECRET:

Following Italian PW being repatriated ship B49 4th August 1945. Permanently sick Officers (9-30 ?) ORs 223

→ 11 Age Group Officers 1 ORs 36 ←

Compassionate cases 5 ORs

Specialist 2 ORs

Other Officers 35

Nominal roll following fast air.

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

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3999/12.

28 Aug 45.

Commander in Chief,
MIDDLE EAST FORCES.

Reference your 9694/1/AG5(e) dated 10 Aug 45.

1. This Headquarters has no objection to the release and repatriation to ITALY of the 30 over-age Italian PW listed in the enclosure to your above-quoted letter.
2. Will you please advise this Headquarters of ETA ITALY (copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission, ROME)

30 AUG 1945

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

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

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

IPW/1/29/10330 Aug. '45

SUBJECT : General DE GIORGIO, Fedele (62812)

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

1. Your letters 40461/1 dated 13 Aug. and 40461 dated 14 July refer. -99

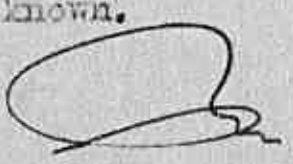
2. Our records show that your original request for the release of this officer to serve with the Italian army was not implemented on account of his being classified as insecure. -68

3. Gen. DAFINO agreed verbally, 5 July '45 to the substitution of VAN DEN HEUVEL on the list. \ See 1/6/25

4. Further enquiry has now been submitted by this HQ regarding his present security status.

5. If he is now found to be classified secure by the authorities in INDIA, his repatriation will be automatic on the grounds of age and length of captivity, but movement would be subject to availability of shipping.

6. The result of the present enquiries regarding security will be notified to you as soon as known.


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

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

IFW/L/29/10230 Aug. '45

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SUBJECT : PW General DE GIORGIS, Fedele (62812)

TO : AFHQ for G1 (Br) A2

1. Your G1 (Br) /3836/1.2 dated 15 Aug. refers
2. Further investigation reveals that although previous application was made for the repatriation of this officer for service with the Italian Armed Forces, another name was substituted in view of Liaison AFHQ Signal F 65150 dated 27 Jul¹⁹⁴⁵ which stated he was not considered secure.
3. As he is over 50 years of age and has been in captivity for two years, his repatriation from INDIA on humanitarian grounds would be automatic.
4. Can it please be ascertained whether his present security classification is likely to postpone such repatriation.

For the Chief Commissioner


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

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SUBJECT :- Release of Italian PW on account of age.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3899/A2.

G1 2nd Echelon.

23 Aug 45.

**NA/T.43843 Lt. BOTTARI. A. -
now in N. AFRICA**

1. **PW.** Authority is given for the release of the above-named Italian
2. Will you please make the necessary arrangements for the release and repatriation to ITALY of this PW and request HQ BINA to advise this Headquarters of ETA, copy to Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission, ROME.

N/A

25 AUG 1945

TRO/et

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

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Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Commission, IPW Sub-Commission.
ALS. Headquarters, RAF MEDWAY (AFHQ) - Your MED ME/4225/ALS of 9 Aug 45 refers.

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G.1(Br)

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