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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB COMMISSION

DPR/11/G-II (IT)

Tel. 469081 Ext. 594

14 October 1945

SUBJECT : Alleged refugees in Sardegna.

TO : Ministero Assistenza Post Bellica.

1. We have been informed through the Liaison Officer in Sardegna that there are 300 alleged refugees in Sardegna who wish to cross to the mainland.

2. This sounds almost impossible, and as the Liaison Officer has no means of checking up on the position himself, we would be grateful if you would ask the Prefect or other Italian Government official on the spot to check each case and report. Before we make arrangements to lift persons as refugees from Sardegna to Italy, we must make sure that they are genuine refugees, and if they appear to be genuine refugees we require an explanation of the circumstances which placed them in Sardegna.

For the Director.

*Asim
H...*
C.A. OLIVER
Lt. Colonel
Gen Italian.

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Copy to : Transportation Sub-Commission.
I.P.W. Division.
F.O.I.L.

*Sir,
This appears to be of
no interest to us*

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
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TO. NOIC NAPLES (R) DISPLACED PERSONS S.G. I POW DIVISION A.C.
FROM. FOIL (25)

Local Italian authorities should be instructed to take advantage of sailing of MIRAGLIA from Naples to Maddalena to embark

- (a) Displaced persons.
- (b) ex prisoners of war

awaiting passage to SARDINIA.

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Dist. 1.24.25.log.2 H/Ms.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Refugees for Sardegna

FILE No. DPR/41/G II (IT)

TO : W.M.D. and I.P.W. Sub Commission, A.C. 18 August 1945

1. Attached herewith, for your information, please find copy of our letter of even reference, dated 16 August 1945, relative subject matter.

For the Director,

James P. Oliver
C.A. OLIVER
Lt. Colonel
for G-1 Italian. *Capt.*

*Seen [Signature]
Maj Hamilton to see [Signature]
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB COMMISSION

DPR/41/G-II (IT)

Tel. 489061 Ext. 594

16 August 1945

SUBJECT : Refugees for Sardegna.

TO : All Group Comdrs ('A', 'B', 'C', 'D', 'E', 'F', 'G', 'H').
Major Black, Senior Refugee Officer,
G-5 Section, 5th Army Main.
Florence Represents the D.P. & R.S.C.
Transportation Sub-Commission, A.C.

1. From receipt of this memo please route all refugees for Sardegna, via Civitavecchia instead of via Naples.
2. There is an Italian Camp at Civitavecchia, present capacity 500.
3. Transportation Sub-Commission, A.C. is asked to arrange to put down refugees for Sardegna, at Civitavecchia in future.

For the Director.

Car Oliver

C.A. OLIVER
Lt. Colonel
G-1 Italian.

Copy to : F.C.I.L.
Ministero Assistenza Post-Bellica.
File DPR/41/G-II (IT).

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MINISTRY OF WAR
Autonomous Office for
Repatriated and War Veterans POW

9 August 45

No. 4I3982/RPCR

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
WMD & IPOW S/C

SUBJECT : Military Personnel going to Sardinia.

1) We inform you that the Land Forces Sub Commission A C(/M.M.I.A.) with letter Q/I4/3, dated the 31th of July, has communicated to us the disposals concerning the transport of military personnel from the Continent to Sardinia.

2) These disposals are a confirmation of the fact that War Veterans from imprisonment or from internment can not use the military transport provided by the M.M.I.A. but must be transported by the civil authorities.

3) Notwithstanding, (because it is impossible to avoid) the military personnel returning from imprisonment and from concentration camps directed to Sardinia, in an increasing number every day are being sent on to Naples if nothing to the contrary is ordered, for subsequent transfer to Sardinia with the understanding that they will be transported as in the past, by the Displaced Persons and the Repatriation Sub Commission.

4) I will greatly appreciate if your Sub Commission will interest the "Displaced Persons" Sub Commission in their behalf that their transportation to Sardinia may be facilitated.

The General
Chief of autonomous Office
Mannerini

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 594

WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR SUB COMMISSION

IPW/22/1/6

30 December 1944

To: Autonomous Office of War Veterans and Repatriated
Prisoners of War, Ministry of War.
(Attention: General Alberto Mannerini).

Subject: Leave to SARDINIA.

Reference your telephone request, herewith is enclosed a copy of the letter from the Land Forces Sub-Commission dealing with leave to SARDINIA.

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

Encl.
Ltr. No. AQ/17.

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Encl.
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Subject: Leave to SARDINIA

Land Forces Sub Comm. A. C.
(M. M. I. A.)
R O M E
AQ/17

18 Dec 44.

WMD & IPW Sub Comm, A.C.

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Reference IPW/22/1/2 of 1 Dec 44

1. AFHQ have ruled that if the "Italian War Veterans" under reference are taken in as members of the Italian Army they will proceed on leave to Sardinia in accordance with the Army leave for Sardinia now about to start.

2. If they are not accepted into the present Italian Army they must be governed by any civilian regulations maintained by A.C.

FJN/wlc

F. J. Noakes
F. J. NOAKES, Col,
for Major General,
M. M. I. A.

IPW. 22/1.

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SUBJECT:- Leave for Italians to SARDEGNA.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CR/3694/G1(Br).

4 Dec. 44.

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1. The attached letter IPW/22/1/2 dated 1 Dec. 44, from Headquarters, Allied Commission is forwarded to you as being a matter appertaining to your section.

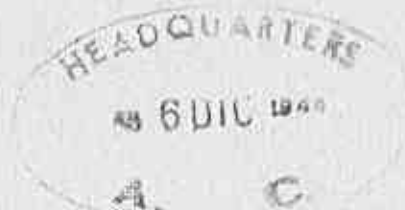
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~~M.R. MOORE~~,
Major, D.A.A.G.,
for Major General,
DAG, G.1(Br).

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Encl.

Copy to:- Headquarters, Allied Commission.

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H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSION
C.M.F.
WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW/22/143

1 December 1944

To: Ministry of War, Italian Government, Rome.

Subject: Sicilian and Sardinian veterans from imprisonment
and from Balkans.

- 1/. With reference to your letter No. 400314/RPGR dated November 22 1944. Allied Force Headquarters have ruled that no Italian soldiers or co-operators are to go on leave to SARDEGNA and until this ruling is altered, permission cannot be granted.
- 2/. What shipping leaves SARDEGNA at the moment is required to transport Italian troops to the mainland, and whilst it is easy to reach the Island it is very difficult to get back.
- 3/. Meantime, representation has been made to Allied Force Headquarters to see if some special arrangement can be made in connection with your request.
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CLP.

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Director WMD & IPW Sub. Comm.

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C.M.F.

WAR MATERIALS DISPOSAL AND ITALIAN PW SUB COMMISSION

IPW/22/1/2

1 December 1944

To: G-1 British, Allied Force Headquarters, APO 512.

Subject: Leave for Italians to SARDEGNA.

- 1/. Application has been received from General Oxilia, the Under Secretary of State at the Italian War Ministry for leave to be granted to SARDEGNA to Italian War Veterans who have recently returned from the Balkans, whose homes and families are in the Island.
- 2/. It is understood that leave to SARDEGNA is not allowed at the moment, owing to lack of shipping space.
- 3/. This matter has been discussed with MMIA, and it appears that shortly the shipping position may be easier.
- 4/. This Sub-Commission recommends that this leave should be granted, subject to the shipping space question being settled. Would you please let us have your views on the matter.

For the Chief Commissioner:

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

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

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MINISTRY OF WAR
Autonomous Office of War Veterans and Repatriated PW

File No. 400314/RPGR.

Rome, 22 Nov. 1944

SUBJECT: Sicilian and Sardi veterans from imprisonment
and from Balkans.

TO : Land Forces Sub Commissioner A.C. (MMIA)
and for attention to:
War Materials Disposal and Italian PW Sub-Comm.

As soldiers, who do not travel for service or for serious family reasons, are not allowed to go to Sardegna, the war veterans from imprisonment and from the Balkans who have their home in those islands, and who are still in army service and therefore have no right for a leave, cannot see their families before reaching the units to which they are assigned.

You can easily imagine that this fact has serious moral repercussion on the spirit of those veterans who have long awaited with anxious impatience the moment in which, repatriated, they thought to be able to embrace their dear ones.

Therefore I beg the Sub-Commission to consider the possibility of conceding to the above veterans to pass with their families a certain period of rest (or their convalescence leave) before taking service again.

For the transport from and to Sardegna of soldiers already repatriated, can be used the ship actually used for load of motocars which from that island are transferred to the continent.

The UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE
s/ Gen. O x i l i a

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