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IPW/43 INFORMATION RE ITALIAN NAVAL PERS

Dec. 1944 - June 1946



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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.

M.M.I.A.

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/43/39

12/6/46

SUBJECT : Italian Nationals aboard the "Redi"

TO : Red Cross, Via Puglie -Rome-

Further to our IPW/43/37, dtd 4/6/46

The United Nations Relief & Rehabilitation administration
inform us that there were no Italian refugees on board the
M/V "Empire Patrol" ex Steam Ship "Redi".



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

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FORM U/2/1

UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

8, SHARIA DAR EL-SHIFA, GARDEN CITY, CAIRO.

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TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS
UNRRA-CAIRO

REFS :

OURS 593,3 E.I.

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TELEPHONES :
53170, 51421, 55439,
41217, 43830

YOURS

28 May 1946

I.P.W. Division, Headquarters
Allied Commission
A.P.O. 394
U.S. Army

Dear Sirs:

Re: M/V "Empire Patrol" Ex Italian "Rodi"

We received a memorandum from the Principal Sea
Transport Officer, Mediterranean, requesting informa-
tion regarding Italians on the "Empire Patrol" at the
time of sinking.

We had no Italian refugees on that ship.

Yours faithfully,

*FS.
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para 3*

T. T. Waddington
T. T. Waddington
Chief of Middle East Office

Originated by:
Repatriation Section

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

IPW/43/37

4/6/46

SUBJECT : Italian Nationals aboard the S.S. "RODI"

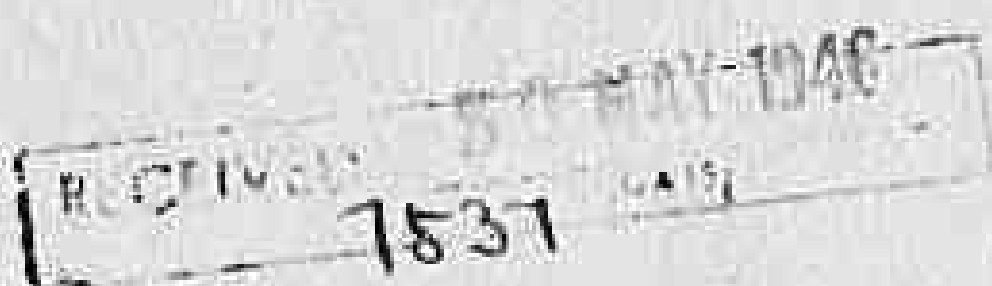
TO : Red Cross, Via Euglie - Roma -

Ref. your letter B/107599, dtd 27/3/46

1. There were no Italian nationals amongst the crew on board the "Rodi" at the time of sinking.
2. This vessel was conveying U.N.R.R.A repatriates to the Dodecanese. This Division is informed that they are stated to be of Greek nationality.
3. It is regretted that particulars of these passengers, in order to confirm nationality, are not known; application has been made to U.N.R.R.A. for this information.


J.E. REGIS
LT. COL.
CHIEF
IPW DIV.

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Office of the
Principal Sea Transport Officer,
Mediterranean.

23rd May, 1946.

REF : E. 102.

I.P.W. Division, Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
A.P.O. 394,
U.S. Army.

M/V "Empire Patrol" ex Italian "Rodi".

no trace

With reference to letter No. O.S. 40/46 dated
8th May 1946, addressed to me by Staff Officer (Intelligence),
Levant and Eastern Mediterranean.

2. There were no Italian Nationals amongst crew on
board at time of sinking.

3. The vessel was conveying U.N.R.R.A. repatriates
to the Dodecanese who are understood to have been of
Greek Nationality, but it is regretted that particulars
of these passengers are not held by me. It is suggested
that U.N.R.R.A. may be able to supply the information
you require, and I have written them as attached.

ENCL.

A. H. H. H.
r COLONEL, R.N.

PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION.
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Naval Intelligence Centre,
Levant and Eastern Mediterranean,
Ras-el-Tin,
ALEXANDRIA.
8th May, 1946.

Ref. No. O.S. 40/46.

The Principal Sea Transport Officer, Mediterranean,
Ministry of War Transport, CAIRO.

(Copies to:- I.P.W. Division, Headquarters,
Allied Commission, A.P.O. 394, U.S. ARMY.
Controller, Prisoners of War Information Bureau,
General Headquarters, MIDDLE EAST FORCES.)

M/V "EASTERN PATROL" - ex ITALIAN "RODI".

With reference to the attached communication from the
Controller, Prisoners of War Information Bureau, Middle East, No.
OZEPW/1/60, dated 30th. April, 1946, as the M/V "EASTERN PATROL"
(ex Italian "RODI") was operating under the control of the Ministry
of War Transport at the time of loss and details of the composition
of the passengers and crew are not available at this Centre, it is
requested that the information required may be communicated direct
to:-

I.P.W. Division, Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
A.P.O. 394,
U.S. ARMY.

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Staff Officer (Intelligence),
Levant and Eastern Mediterranean. 7500

SUBJECT:- Enquiry.

Naval Intelligence Centre,
Levant and Eastern Mediterranean
Ras-el-Tin,
ALEXANDRIA

CHQ., O.E., M.E.,
PW/2/60,
Phone Abbassia FWIB. EXT:2

30 APR. 46.

Copy to:- IPW Division
HQ. Allied Commission
APO.394
U.S.ARMY
(memorandum IPW/43/31 dated 15 Apr. 46 refers)

A request for information concerning Italian Nationals who were on board a ship which was sunk off Port Said has been received in this Bureau from IPW.Division, HQ. Allied Commission, APO.394, U.S.ARMY, enquiring on behalf of the Italian Red Cross.

It is stated that the steamship "RODI" of the Adriatic Navigation Coy. was captured by the Allied Authorities during the war when its name was changed and it was navigated under orders of the Greek Government between Egypt and Piraeus until it was sunk during Sept. 45.

Record does not exist in FWIB., M.E. of any PW having been on this ship at the time it was sunk and it is therefore presumed that the enquiry relates to Italian civilian personnel.

Please communicate direct to HQ. Allied Commission any information available concerning subjects of enquiry.

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PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION.	
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Major,
D.A.A.G.
Controller,
Prisoners of War Information Bureau, M.E.
(Sgd.) R. V. JONES

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

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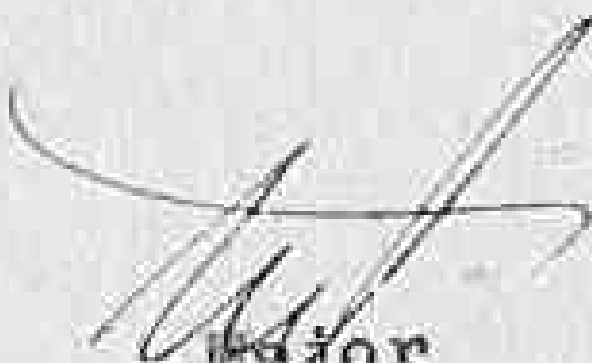
29 April 1946

SUBJECT : Seaman GENTILE Vincenzo

TO : Navy Sub-Commission

Reference your letter NSC/4907 dated
15 April 46

1. Above named subject is reported held at "S" PW
Camp on 6 Feb 46.


Major
Chief
I.P.W.Div.

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SUBJECT:- Location IPW

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

GHQ CMF

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16 Apr 46

NA/T 1604 GENTILE Vincenzo

Your IPW/43/29B of 29 March 46 refers.

1. Above named subject is reported held at "S" P/ Camp on 6 Feb 46.

RLB/AP

R. Balfour
JLC NAPIER
Brigadier,
DAG

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PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,	
(M -) A. C.	
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
NAVY SUB-COMMISSION APO 394NSC/4907
15 April 1946.

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub-Commission (MIA),
Italian P.O.W. Division, Hq. Allied Commission.
Subject: Seaman GENTILE Vincenzo.
Reference: (a) Navy Sub-Commission letter NSC/4748 of
15 March 1946.

1. Your attention is invited to the request contained in reference (a).

G. F. Mentz
G. F. MENTZ,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
FOR REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

LT. TR
Personnel this is Navy
method of sending information
Please inform Navy what has
been done with it and
is for 9/17/46
It has been reported
you will be able to
find them now

PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,	
NAME A. C.	16 APR 1946
REMARKS	
FILE NO	5802

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NSC/4907
15 April 1946.

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub-Commission (LWIA),
Italian P.O.W. Division, Hq. Allied Commission.
Subject: Seaman GENTILE Vincenzo.
Reference: (a) Navy Sub-Commission letter NSC/4748 of
15 March 1946.

1. Your attention is invited to the request contained
in reference (a).

G. F. MENTZ,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
FOR REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

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

IPW/45/31

15/4/46

SUBJECT : Italian Nationals on Board the SS RODI.

TO : F.W.I.B.
MIDEAST

1. The Italian Red Cross have asked this Division if any news can be had on the crew of the steam-ship "Redi"
2. The steam-ship Rodi of the Adriatic Navigation Comp. was captured by Allied Authorities during the war; its name was changed, and navigated between Egypt and Piraeus from that moment, under the orders of the Greek Government.
3. On September 1945 this ship was sunk near Port Said.
4. Please forward to this Division any information that can be obtained on a/a subject.

W.E.R. PHILIPS,
Major
Chief
IPW Div.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
NAVY SUB-COMMISSION APO 394NSC/4887
11 April 1946

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub-Commission, Italian P.O.W.
Division, Allied Commission.
Subject: Italian Nationals on Board the SS RODI.
Enclosure: (a) Italian Red Cross letter B/107599 of 27 March 1946.

1. Enclosure (A) is forwarded herewith as it is felt that this matter does not come under the cognizance of the Navy Sub-Commission.

James Kirk
REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

Ready suff. making copy of POWB. 11/4
FS. V.B. write accordingly 14/4

U.S. PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION
U.S. A. C.
11 APR 1946
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CROCE ROSSA ITALIANA
UFFICIO PRIGIONIERI, RICERCHE E SERVIZI CONNESSI
Service V°

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Risposta N.

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Request information

Allegati

Roma, li 27th March 1946

VIA PUGLIE, 6 - Telef. 41-530 - 484-876
Telegrammi: CROCE ROSSA PRIGIONIERI ROMA

ALLIED COMMISSION

H.Q.

R O M E

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The steam-ship "Rodri" of the Adriatic Navigation Company, was captured by Allied Authorities during the war; then, the same, rehabilitated and name changed, navigated between Egypte and Pirous, it seems, in dependence of the Greek Government.

On September 1945 the a/n ship was sunk near Porto Said.

Please, let us know to whom we may apply to know if on the steam-ship "Todi" were Italian Nationals.

Thanking you in advance for your kind help in this matter
yours truly



Telegrammi: CROCIROSSA PRIGIONIERI ROMA

Oggetto

Request information

Allegati

ALLIED COMMISSION
H.Q.

ROME

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The steam-ship "Rodi" of the Adriatic Navigation Company, was captured by Allied Authorities during the war; then, the same, rehabilitated and name changed, navigated between Egypte and Pireus, it seems, in dependence of the Greek Government.

On September 1945 the s/n ship was sunk near Porto Said.

Please, let us know to whom we may apply to know if on the steam-ship "Rodi" were Italian Nationals.

Thanking you in advance for your kind help in this matter
yours truly



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NSC/4887
11 April 1946

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub-Commission, Italian P.O.W.
Division, Allied Commission.

Subject: Italian Nationals on Board the SS RODI.

Enclosure: (a) Italian Red Cross letter B/107599 of 27 March
1946.

1. Enclosure (A) is forwarded herewith as it is felt
that this matter does not come under the cognizance of the Navy
Sub-Commission.

REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

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

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IPW/43/29 B

29 March 1946

SUBJECT : Enquiry re GENTILE Vincenzo

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

1. Information is requested re subject PW.
2. May this Division be informed as soon as possible of the result of your investigation.

For the Chief Commissioner :


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

1 Encl: Translation copy of letter from Ministry
of Marine

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
NAVY SUB-COMMISSION APO 394

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NSC/4743
15 March 1946.

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA),
Italian P.O.W. Division, Hq. Allied Commission. ✓
Subject: Seaman GENTILE Vincenzo.

1. Copy of Ministry of Marine's letter No. 4329/2 dated 12th March 1946 is forwarded and it is requested that inquiries be made and the Navy Sub-Commission informed in order that a reply can be forwarded to the Ministry of Marine.

G. F. Mentz
G. F. MENTZ,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
FOR REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

Letter To for action.
[Signature] 19/3

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ITALIAN PRISONER OF WAR DIVISION,
(MMIA) A. C. 18 MAR 1946
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FROM: ~~SECRETARY OF DEFENSE~~
 To: N.S.C. H.Q. A.C.
 Date: 12th March 1946
 Ref.: 4329/2

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Subject: Seaman GENTILE Vincenzo

1. The family of the above rating, living at Monopoli (Bari), has applied to this Ministry for information concerning the fate of their relative, and in this respect has forwarded the following statement made by Sto. MARASCIULO Nicolo', presently to be found at No.13, Via Cimmino, Monopoli, having been released from the service.

""""omissis.....

""""On 6th July 1944 on Naples station, when about to depart to spend a period of leave in my home-town, Monopoli, I met seaman GENTILE Vincenzo of Giuseppe and Lucitagnola Maria, 1922 class, a friend of mine with whom I underwent my initial seamanship training course; he asked me to tell his mother that he was a prisoner in British hands, having been captured by them in Egypt whither he had made his way from Rhodes (Aegean), via Turkey and Palestine. I know seaman Gentile Vincenzo very well because besides being fellow-townsmen, we also worked together; furthermore, I would add that when I met him Gentile was eating the meal issued to him, consisting of a tin of meat, bread and wine.

In order that I might trace his family easily Gentile told me that his mother was very well known in the locality because another son and her husband were both P.O.W., being respectively the brother and father of Gentile Vincenzo.

I could mention many other very minute details of my meeting with Gentile but I believe the above statement to be sufficient and I accept full responsibility for it"""".

2. In another statement MARASCIULO informed the Gentile family that the rating, who is sought, was at Naples station on 6th July 1944, being a prisoner of the British, together with about 300 other seamen, all of them from Turkey as he was, and all having disembarked at Naples and due to leave for a destination near Rome shortly afterwards. He affirmed, also, that he had seen the party of seamen surrounded by armed British soldiers.

3. Since the above rating does not appear in the list of those serving in Rhodes at the time of the armistice who took refuge in Turkey, it is requested that you may ask the appropriate Allied Authorities to furnish all the information held by them, and inform this Ministry of the result.

CHIEF OF CABINET

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

IPW/43/28

8/Dec/46

SUBJECT : Italian Naval Personnel

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance, PW Bureau

1. Ref your 53450 dtd 4/Dec/45
2. The following information has been received from GHQ Middle East Forces.
 3. Lt. ORION, Ludovico 6782 =Awaiting repatriation.
Cpt. C.R.E.M. LA FLACCA, Francesco = No trace ME
Capo RT MARTELLO 410492 = Transferred Italy 8/11/45.
Capo FAIS, Raimondo 116843 = Escaped from 2635 Ital.Coy,
still at large.
2nd Capo GANGIANO, Luigi 160403 will be repatriated as
soon as shipping becomes available.

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

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FEB 1946

SUBJECT: Application for Release of Italian
Naval Personnel.

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

CHQ CMF.

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5 Feb 46.

IPW

Reference your IPW/43/25 dated 17 Dec 45.

1. The following information has been received from CHQ MEF.

Lt. ORION, Ludovico 6782 - Awaiting Repatriation.
Capt. C.F.E.M. LA FLACCA, FRANCISCO - No trace ME.
Capo. RT MARTELLO - 410492 - Transferred Italy 8 Nov 45.
Capo PAIS Raimondo 116843 - Escaped from 2635 Italian Coy - still at large.

2. 2nd Capo GANGLANO Luigi 160403 will be repatriated as soon as shipping becomes available.

NB/MC.

Major-General
Major-General,
DAG.

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Italian Personnel of War Sub Commission
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IPW

SUBJECT: - Release of Italian Naval PW.GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES~~C.H.Q.~~
~~M.E.F.~~

3845/A2

20 Dec 45

Reference our even number dated 24 Aug 45.

1. This HQ has now been notified through Allied Commission that the present address of the under-mentioned PW is as shown below:-

Lt. GRICH, Indovico (No 6732) Camp 324/A MIDDLE EAST.
 Capt. G.R.E.N. LA FLORGA Francesco - Civ Internee in ASHARA.
 Capo. R.T. MARINELLO Vincenzo (No 440492) Camp 309 ME.
 Capo. PAIS Raimondo (No 446043) Camp 342 ME.
 2nd Capo. GANGIANO, Luigi (No 460403) Camp 309 ME.

2. Will you please confirm that these PW are held in your Command, and if so, state whether you are prepared to repatriate them for re-employment in the Italian Navy.

Darius Major
 Lieutenant General,
 Commander in Chief,
 CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

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Copy to: HQ Allied Commission IPW Division.
 (your IPW/43/25 of 17 Dec refers)

Italian Prisoners of War Sub Committee
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/43/2517/Dec/45

SUBJECT : Italian Naval Personnel

TO : G 1 (Br)
G.H.Q.
CMF

- 1./ Ref. your 3843/A2 dated 4 Oct. 45.
- 2./ The Italian Government have notified us that the present address of the u/m IPW is as shown below.

Lieut. GRION, Ludovico matr. 6782 Camp 321/A Middle East
Cpt. C.R.E.M. LA FLACCA, Francesco, civ. int. to ANZANA
Capo R.T. MARTELLIO, Vincenzo matr. 410492 camp 309 Mid East
Capo FAIS, Raimondo, matr. 116643, camp 312
2nd Capo GANCIANO, Luigi, matr. 160403, camp 309.

POW BULGARELLI, Mario was released from imprisonment in Egypt on the 30/6/45.

- 3./ Will you please notify Prisoner of War Information Bureau London, to complete their records.

For the Chief Commissioner

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

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MINISTRY OF POST WAR ASSISTANCE
POW Bureau
Sez. 1^
Uff. 1^
Prot. n. 53450

Rome, 4 December 1945

TO: Allied Commission
I.P.W. Sub-Commission

Rome

SUBJECT : Release of POW Belonging to the Italian Navy

Reference your letter IPW/43/16 dated 9.10.45.

The under mentioned POW belonging to the Italian Navy are at present POW in the Camps written below.

Lieut. GRIGN Ludovico - matr. 6782 - Camp 321/A Middle East.
Cpt. C.R.E.M. LA FLACCA Francesco - civ. int. to Asmara.
Capo R.T. MARTELLO Vincenzo - matr. 410492 - camp 309 Middle East.
Capo FAIS Raimondo - matr. 116843 - camp 312
2^ Capo GANGIANO Luigi - matr. 160403 - camp 309

POW BULGARELLI Mario was released from imprisonment in Egypt on the 30.6.45.

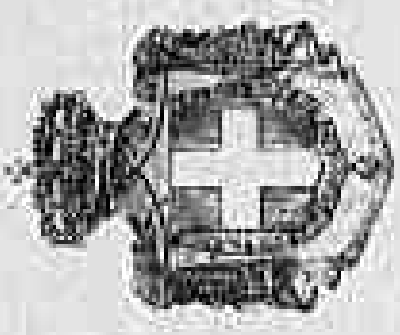
signed/ Dr. Fausto Nitti

Lu Fausto Nitti

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Roma, novembre 1945

Ministro dell'Interno, P. S. Italia

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

Sec. 1^a

UFF. 1^a

Int. N. 53450 / *Allegati*

Al LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

- Sottocommissione per i Prigionieri di Guerra

ROMA

Risposta al Foglio N. 1 del

OGGETTO Rilascio di pdg. appartenenti alla Marina Italiana.

Riferimento foglio LPW/43/16 del 9.10.45.

I sottoelencati militari appartenenti alla Marina Italiana sono attualmente prigionieri all'indirizzo contrassegnato a fianco di ciascun nominativo:

Ten. di Vasc.	GRION	Ludovico	- matr. 6782 - campo 321/A Middle East.
Capit. C.R.E.M.	LA FLACCA Francesco	- internato civile ad Asmara	
Capo R.T.	MARTELLO Vincenzo	- matr. 410492 - campo 309 Middle East.	
Capo	FAIS	Raimondo	- matr. 116843 - campo 312
2 ^o Capo	GANGIANO Luigi	- matr. 160403 - campo 309	

Il Capo meccanico BULGARELLI Mario, già prigioniero in Egitto, è stato rilasciato il 30.6.45.

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dott. Fausto Nitti)

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Inch. N. 53450 (Allegato)

Oggetto Rilascio di pdg. appartenenti alla Marina Italiana. *Proposta al Foglio N. del*

Riferimento foglio LPW/43/16 del 9.10.45.

I sottoelencati militari appartenenti alla Marina Italiana sono attualmente prigionieri all'indirizzo contrassegnato a fianco di ciascun nominativo:

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| Ten. di Vasc. | GRION | Ludovico | - matr. 6782 - campo 321/A Middle East. |
| Capit. C.R.E.M. | LA FLACCA | Francesco | - internato civile ad Asmara |
| Capo R.T. | MARTELLO | Vincenzo | - matr. 410492 - campo 309 Middle East. |
| Capo | PAIS | Raimondo | - matr. 116843 - campo 312 |
| 2° Capo | GANGIANO | Luigi | - matr. 160403 - campo 309 |

Il Capo meccanico BRIGARELLI Mario, già prigioniero in Egitto, è stato rilasciato il 30.6.45.

IL CAPO SERVIZIO
(Dott. Fausto Nitti)

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BTNA (R) AL COM

AFHQ GHQ CMF
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REF. YOUR A 390/6/13 OF 15 NOV. 45.
 ITALIAN AUTHORITIES WILL ACCEPT NO. 3 ITALIAN NAVAL
 COY. ADVISE ETA AND PORT OF DISEMBARKATION TO ALCOM
 REPEATED THIS GHQ.

181305A NOV.

DIS: O-4-24- N.S.C. (4)

REF: RELEASE OF ITALIAN PERSONNEL.

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TOR PM/19

A.C. DIS:

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INFO: CHIEF COM.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission

HQ AC APO 384

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COPY INCOMING SIGNAL

FROM : GHQ CMF
TO : ALCOM
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

HWH/fs

IPW/43/2220 Nov. '45

TO : Ministry of Marine (Cabinet)

Subject: Repatriation of seamen & IRM ratings in Spain

1. Ref. your 2399/ST dated 26 Oct. '45, addressed to Public Safety S/C and passed to this Division for action.
2. Your request was forwarded to GHQ, CME who now inform that they cannot take action in this matter.
3. It is suggested however that the Italian Consulate in Spain should apply to the appropriate British Authorities in Spain for the necessary visas.

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

Copy to: Navy S/C (your 3891 dated 1 Nov. refers)

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SUBJECT: IRM Ratings in Spain.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
(IPW Division).

1. Reference your IPW/45/20 of 7 Nov 45.
2. No action can be taken by this GHQ in this matter. It is suggested, however, that the Italian Consulate in Spain should apply to the appropriate British Authorities in Spain for the necessary visas.
3. Ministry of Marine letter and nominal rolls are returned herewith.

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Italian Prisoner of War Sub-Commission

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Major-General,
DAG.

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

IPW/43/207 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : I.R.M. ratings in SPAIN

TO : GL (Br)
G.H.Q.
C.M.F.

1. The attached translation of letter from Ministry of Marine has been received in this Office.
2. We are informed that the Spanish Authorities agree to their release and the difficulty appears to be to obtain the necessary permission to allow them passage through GIBRALTER.
3. Will you please inform this Division of any action you may take in this matter.

For the Chief Commissioner

TO	10/11
FROM	213
SUBJECT	12
FILE	3465

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

Encl.: copy of translation

copy to: Navy S/C (M.ofM. letter 2599 of 26 Oct. '45 refers)

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From: MINISTRY OF MARINE (Genetist)
To : Allied Commission - Public Safety Sub-Commission
Ref Navy Sub-Commission
Date: 26th October 1945
Ref.: 2592/S.T. - Encl. 1 in No.

Subject: Repatriation of persons and I.R.M. ratings who fled to Spain from France.

Interned in the Miranda de Ebro concentration camp in Spain there are several I.R.M. ratings who, formerly prisoners of the Germans in France, fled from the concentration camps in which the French authorities had confined them after the liberation of France and, having succeeded in crossing the frontier in the Pyrenees, took refuge in Spain.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Spanish authorities are prepared to release them, it is impossible to provide for their repatriation owing to the lack of an allied visa for passage through Gibraltar.

While this long stay is proving detrimental to these ratings in the Miranda de Ebro camp from the standpoint of morale, particularly at this time when the repatriation of prisoners has begun, it also constitutes a serious financial burden to the Government.

In view of the above the Public Security Sub-Commission is requested to take the requisite steps in order that a permit may be granted for the ratings concerned to return to Italy.

By direction
CHIEF OF CABINET

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List of particulars given by witnesses interviewed at Miranda do Xingu.

PROFESSIONAL SUBMITTER (H.A.)

UNGOI HERRATO - born of the late
Vincenzo (Bracoli) and M. Costanza
Gentile at Bari on 15.3.23, resident
at Viareggio Lido 54, Rome.

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ALDO - born of Guido (architect) and of Maria Vittoria Cavatoni di Veghère on 6th December 1903; resident at Voghera.

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and of the late Republic at Republic on
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 Minneapolis, Minnesota 55412
 Telephone (612) 833-1010
 Assistant at Residence - Mrs. J. J. J. J. J.

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Belmont, Neviglio - born at Chicago and
 Maria Yachimul at Iowa (1899) on 13.8.2003;
 president at Piazza Roma 15, Santa Flora
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WALTER WIGELA - born at Toledo (Indiana) and at a small village at Lancia-Confine on 5.6.1924; resident at Lugano.

Agents (and Users)

CHARLES IVAN - born of Bennett (Jenova) and
 son of Charles and Virginia on 10th day
 of 1881; resided at the same place; now
 living.

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Marchese, Maxen

Giuseppe Cassinero - born of the late
Agostino (Coco) and of Stefania
Giovanna at Torre del Greco on 24.10.916,
resident at Tenerife, with his wife.

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To : Allied Commission - Public Safety Sub-Commission
Per Navy Sub-Commission
Date: 26th October 1945
Ref.: 99/U.T. - Encl. 1 in No.

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By direction
CHIEF OF CABINET

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Probationary Sub Lieut. (N.A.)
 - **FRANCESCO** - born of the late
 Francesco (Francis) and L. Gaudina
 Gentile at Bari on 10.3.22, resident
 at Via A. di Lando 34, Rome.

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 - **FRANCESCO** - born of the late
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 Gentile at Bari on 10.3.22, resident
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Gen'n (and class)
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S.O. (Silver)
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 Gentile at Bari on 10.3.22, resident
 at Via A. di Lando 34, Rome.

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 - **FRANCESCO** - born of the late
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 Gentile at Bari on 10.3.22, resident
 at Via A. di Lando 34, Rome.

Gen. (Army)
 - **FRANCESCO** - born of the late
 Francesco (Francis) and L. Gaudina
 Gentile at Bari on 10.3.22, resident
 at Via A. di Lando 34, Rome.

L/Sgt. (and class)
 - **FRANCESCO** - born of the late
 Francesco (Francis) and L. Gaudina
 Gentile at Bari on 10.3.22, resident
 at Via A. di Lando 34, Rome.

L/Electrical (and class)
 - **FRANCESCO** - born of the late
 Francesco (Francis) and L. Gaudina
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 at Via A. di Lando 34, Rome.

Gen. (and class) I.R.H.
 - **FRANCESCO** - born of the late
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Merchant seaman

GIUSEPPE CASIMIRO - Born of the late
Agostino (Giacco) and of Stefania
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION
ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

IPW/43/207 Nov. '45

SUBJECT : I.R.N. Ratings in SPAIN

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For the Chief Commissioner

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

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Encl.: copy of translation

Copy to: Navy S/C (M.of.A. letter 2599 of 26 Oct. '45 refers)

DISPLACED PERSONS

2 NOV. 1945

HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub-Commission APO 394NSC/3891
1 November 1945.

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Public Safety Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
Subject: Repatriation of Seamen and I.R.N. Ratings who
fled to Spain from France.

1. Letter 2599/U.T. dated 26th October 1945 received from Ministry of Marine is forwarded.

H. St. J. Butler
H. ST. J. BUTLER,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, ^{FOR} NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

*Chief Clerk**① Why is this sent to us?**② If we are interested - translate**Lu 20**43/**B* 7469

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
HQ AC APO 394
Received 5 November 1945
Log No 30

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

LDM/prb

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G-5: 014.33-15

25 October 1945

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian Seamen from Columbia.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394
(DP & R S/C).

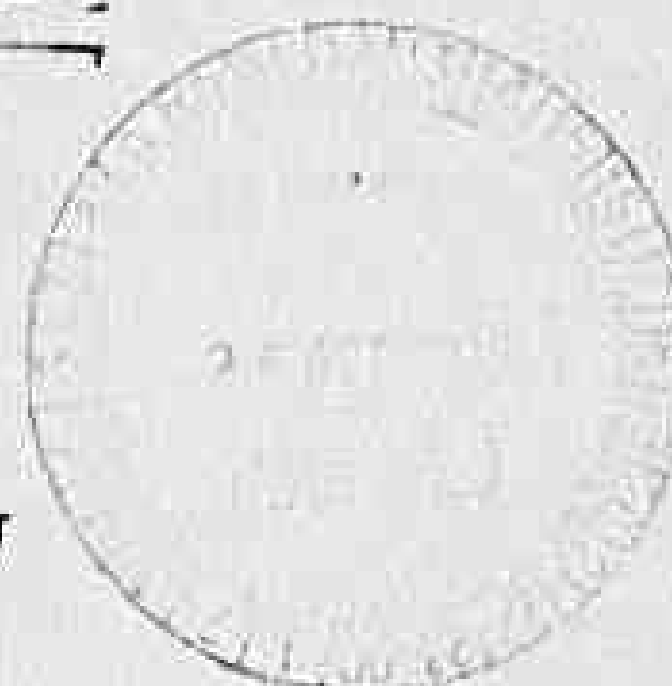
1. Reference your IPW/43/17 of 12 October.
2. No further action will be taken until the receipt of the nominal roll which is stated to be forthcoming.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5:



L. D. MELOTTE
Captain

Copy to: Min. of Foreign Affairs
Min. of War - Autonomous Office for W.V. & R. PW
Min. Post War Assistance.



See Regis to see, JAL

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR DIVISION

4 Oct. 45

IPW/43/1b

SUBJECT : Release of Italian Naval PW

TO : Ministry of Post War Assistance PW Bureau

1. Ref. Your 16138 of 26 Dec. 1944
2. The release of the N/M Naval PW was requested by the Ministry of Marine.

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	Capt.	LA FIOCCA, Francesco
410492	Capt.	MARTINELLI, Vincenzo
293030	Capt.	BULGARINELLO, Mario
116843	Capt.	PAIS, Raimondo
160403	2Capt.	CANGIANO, Luigi.

3. We have been informed that POW/B. LONDON has no record of these 6 PW.

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R. W. HAMILTON - 443

in absence on duty of

J. D. DAVIS
Lieut. Col.
Chief
L-4 Div.

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION
Displaced Persons and Repatriation
Sub-Commission

Subject: Repatriation of Italian seamen from Columbia.

- 1.- In compliance with a request of the Italian Legation in Bogota, the Ministry for Foreign Affairs would appreciate being informed of the approximate date on which the 50- odd Italian seamen belonging to the former crews of the Italian ships "Anteo" and "Repallo", are expected to be repatriated. The two above mentioned steamers, as it is known, took refuge in the Columbian waters in 1940, when Italy entered war.
- 2.- Nominal rolls of the members of the crews will be submitted as soon as available.

Rome, October 6th, 1945.



See 13 + 14 - Disk etc
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Displaced Persons and Repatriation
Sub-Commission

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Rome, October 8th, 1945.



See 13 + 14 - D.H. 5/6

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 See Sec. 100003.

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Requisition in 43/16
See 17 for action

Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission
 HQ AC APO 384
 Received 10 OCT 1945
 Log No 10634

6530 I.P.W.S/C

SUBJECT :- Applications for Release of Italian Naval Personnel.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

3845/A24 Oct 45

H.Q., Allied Commission,
(IPW Sub-Commission)

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1. Further to this Headquarters even number dated 24 Aug 45, copy to you.
2. Prisoners of War Information Bureau, LONDON, has now informed this Headquarters that they have no record of these six Italians.

see 46/1800
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E. LEDGER, Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Major General

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

JAN/45

IPW/43/14

1 October 1945

Subject : Repatriation of Italian Seamen from Columbia.
To : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1/. Reference your memorandum for the Allied Commission No. 6/3548/1667 dated 25 Sept 45 subject as above.
- 2/. The undersigned contacted the Navy Sub-Commission and he was assured by them that the ships "Anteo" and "Rapallo" were both Merchant Vessels. The crews of these vessels are considered as interned civilians and as such cannot be treated as Italian Prisoners of War. This Division is not competent to deal with this subject.
- 3/. It is recommended that this matter be referred to the Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission through the Ministry of Post War Assistance.

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

Copy to: Office of the Executive Commissioner.

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Ministero degli Affari Esteri

P. W.

of 20/10/45 (1067)

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION

Subject: Repatriation of Italian seamen from Columbia.

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- 2.- Nominal rolls of the a/m members of the crews will be submitted as soon as available. *PM*

Rome, September 25th. 1945.



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Subject: Repatriation of Italian seamen from Columbia.

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Rome, September 25th.1945.



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Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission

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SUBJECT:- Repatriation of Italian PW.

Headquarters,
Allied Commission.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/3822/A2.

14 Aug 45.

1. Reference your IPW/43/11 of 1 Aug 45.
2. It has always been the practice at this Headquarters to advise you of the ETA of repatriated PW on the understanding that you then inform the appropriate Italian authorities in order that they may arrange reception.
3. It is regretted that adequate notice of ETA is not always given. This is the fault of the Commands sending the PW to ITALY and this Headquarters has made every effort to improve the situation.
4. Please see Troopers signal 79978 of 26 March 1945.

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

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IPW/43/11

1 August 1945

Subject : Repatriation of Italian Naval POW.

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

- 1/. The Navy S/C of the A.C. received a request from the Italian Ministry of the Navy which states that in order to provide adequate reception for personnel disembarking in Adriatic ports, it is necessary that the maximum advance notice of arrival be given to the Italian Naval Commander-in-Chief at Taranto.
- 2/. In the past the above request might have been impossible to grant for security reasons, but with the ending of hostilities in Europe such reasons should be non-existent.
- 3/. While on the subject we take this occasion to remind you that all nominal rolls of returning POW from overseas have reached us after the arrival of the POW or not at all. Can this be remedied.

For the Chief Commissioner:

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

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IPW/43/20

27 July 1945

Subject : Monthly memorial list of requests for repatriation.

To : Italian High Commissioner for Prisoners of War.

- 1/. Reference your letter 2490/Pol.F-7 dated 23 July 45.
- 2/. Investigation of this subject revealed that since the M.H.I.A. has completed their demands for Key Personnel (specialists) no further monthly list of requests for repatriation will be submitted.

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

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HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub-Commission APO 394

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NSC/3071
27 July 1945.

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : War Materials Disposal and Italian Prisoners
of War Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.

Subject: Repatriation Italian Naval Prisoners of War.

1. The Ministry of Marine request that in order to provide adequate reception for personnel disembarking in Adriatic ports that the maximum notice of arrival be given to Italian Naval Commander-in-Chief, Taranto..

Security Measures

H. St. J. Butler
H. ST. J. BUTLER,
CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY,
FOR REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

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Rome 23rd July 1945

ITALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR POW

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

ROME

N° 2490/Pol./F.7

*Capt. Batten, 478 203
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SUBJECT : Monthly memorial lists of requests for repatriation.

We are informed that the Navy Sub Commission refused the Ministry of the Navy, the monthly lists relative to the recall of the POW belonging to the R.N. living the Ministry to understand that as there is now in program a general repatriation no nominal requests can be taken into consideration.

On the basis of what is written above we beg your Sub-Commission to inform us if this ruling regards only the personnel that depends from the R.Navy or if it is to be applied to all Italian POW's: we would greatly appreciate if you will give us any information relative to the above matter.

For the High Commissioner

Gen. V.DAPINO

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 383.6

16 March 1945

SUBJECT: Italian Navy Personnel.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394.

1. Reference is made to our G-5: 383.6 dated 8 Jan,
21 Feb and 6 Mar 45.

2. Herewith attached are further nominal rolls of
Italian Republican Naval Personnel which are forwarded
for onwards transmission to Italian Red Cross in ROME.

3. They do not, however, in any way cancel this HQ
letter dated 8 Jan 45.

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

K.P. MANNOCK
Jr/Cmdr.

Incl:
as above.

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

IPW/43/6

24 February 1945

To: Headquarters, Italian Red Cross, Via Toscana 12, Rome.
(Att: Marchesa Theodoli).
Subject: Italian Naval Personnel.

- 1/. The attached lists were forwarded to us by higher authority. It is thought that they may be of use to your Headquarters.
- 2/. They do not, however, cancel any of the normal notifications sent to you from time to time.

Encl. Lists.

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

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 383.6

21 February 1945

SUBJECT: Italian Navy Personnel

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394.

1. Reference is made to your IPW/1/338 dated 23 December 44.
2. Attached hereto are copies of nominal rolls of Italian Republican Naval Personnel, which are forwarded for onward transmission since it is thought that they may be of use to the Italian Red Cross in Rome.
3. They do not however, in any way cancel this Headquarters letter G-5: 383.6 dated 8 January 1945

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


K. P. MANOCK
Jnr/Comd.Incl:
as above.IPW
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 383.6

8 January 1945

SUBJECT: Italian Navy Personnel.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394
334 338 367

1. Reference is made to your IPW/1/338 of 23 December.

2. G-1(A) and G-1(B) advise that the personnel in question are treated in the same manner as German PW and are therefore held in custody in normal British and American PW Camps. It is further stated that notifications of all such captures are sent to the Italian Red Cross in Rome who would accordingly be in a position to supply the information required.

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



T. B. Jackman
Lt. Col.

T. B. JACKMAN
Lt. Colonel.

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

IPW/1/338

22 December 1944

To: Allied Force Headquarters, APO 812.

Subject: Republican Italian Navy Personnel.

~~1/. For your information and action.~~

1/. The Navy Sub-Commission of this Headquarters have requested that the names of Republican Italian Navy personnel who have been made Prisoners of War by the Allied Armed Forces be made available to them from time to time as a matter of routine.

2. The information can be forwarded to me.

For the Chief Commissioner:

cc: Navy SC.

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

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HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub-Commission APO 394

NSC/1353
16 December 1944.

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To : Italian Prisoners of War Sub-Commission, Hq. A.C.
Subject: Republican Italian Navy Personnel - POWs.

1. It is requested that the names of Republican Italian Navy personnel who have been made prisoners of war by the Allied Armed Forces be obtained from Allied Force Headquarters from time to time when such data is available as a matter of routine.


H. W. ZIROLI,
Commodore, U. S. Navy,
for Chief Navy Sub-Commission, A.C.

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