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(2) WAR CRIMES ; ATROCITIES

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Apr. - Sept. 1945

(2) WAR CRIMES + ATROCITIES

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Apr. - Sept. 1945

FILE - INT/121. WAR CRIMES AND ATROCITIES.

	<u>ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.</u>	<u>REMARKS.</u>	<u>DATE.</u>	<u>Folio</u>	<u>MINISTRY OF WAR.</u>
63	Carabiniere SALCICCIA Giovanni Pte ROSI Guiseppe Known to be sentries at PG 78 SULMONA in Dec 1941.	Request for present location of these persons	3 July 45	75	Will pass on any information as soon as possible on receipt.
64	Carabiniere SODINI Marinello Pte RUSSO Salvatore Both known to have been sentries at PG 57 GRUPPETIGNAMO May 1943.	Request for present location of these persons	3 July 45.	75	Will pass on any information as soon as possible on receipt.
70	Capt ETTORE VIVARI	Request whereabouts of this officer	14 July 45.		
78	Lt-Col OROFAIO Stefano Camp Comd PG 75 BARI July 42 Maj ARMELLINI Camp Comd PG 75 BARI June 42 Capt SOMMAVILLA Antonio On staff PG 75 BARI July 42 Cpl DANIN O On staff 75 BARI June and July 42 Pte CASULLO Filipo di Giuseppe Class 1909, Guard at PG 75 BARI July 42	Request present location of all of the personnel mentioned	1 Aug 45	92	Will forward any information as soon as possible
79	Pte LIBERTI Gaetano Guard at Caserta Hosp in Sept 42	Request present location of this man	1 Aug 45.		
81	Pte NALI Lorenzo Sentry at Camp No 153 (SUANI ben ADEM) in July 42	As above	5 Aug 45.	95	Not in posn to fu the required info Said person came jurisdiction of I Africa Command
83	Pante NUNZIO Iannone - Sentry at PG 75 in March 1942	As above	7 Aug 45.		

(see Min of War reply folio 99 "Military command of 75 PG Camp have been approached and info")

FILE - INT/121. WAR CRIMES AND ATROCITIES.

	<u>REMARKS.</u>	<u>DATE.</u>	<u>Folio</u>	<u>MINISTRY OF WAR.</u>	<u>REMARKS.</u>	<u>DATE.</u>
vanni 78	Request for present location of these persons	3 July 45	75	Will pass on any information as soon as possible on receipt.	No further correspondence from Min of War	17 July
lio re MAMO	Request for present location of these persons	3 July 45.	75	Will pass on any information as soon as possible on receipt.	No further correspondence from Min of War	17 July
	Request whereabouts of this officer	14 July 45.				
42	Request present location of all of the personnel mentioned		92	Will forward any information as soon as possible		18 Aug
42		1 Aug 45				
42 BARI June						
peppe 5 BARI						
1231 ix	Request present location of this man	1 Aug 45.				
42	As above	5 Aug 45.	95	Not in posn to furnish the required infmn		16 Aug
entry	As above	7 Aug 45.		Said person came under jurisdiction of North Africa Command		
reply	<u>folio 99</u>	"military command of 75 PG Camp have been approached and infmn will be forwarded."				28 Aug

TRANSLATION.

FROM: Ministry of War.
TO: M.M.I.A.
SUBJECT:

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G.I.N. Ref: 53.
Date: 4/2/45. *See file 101*

further to Letter 43946 dated the 28/8/45. The following jobs were carried out by the staff at 98 Camps Regular Army
Inf. Lt. Col. Uldani Giulio: C.O. and Reserve Inf. Capt. Calanchi Umberto: Adjutant and Inf. Cpl. Mannino Alfio: interpreter. We have asked Palermo Military Command to inform us of the a/m personnel's addresses.

Pallotta.

Carter.



FONOGRAMMA A MANO 12

Roma 4 settembre 1951

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Ministero della Guerra
Ufficio stralcio pdg.
ex nemici
Corso Vittorio Emanuele, 110
Tel. N. 253 *Allegati*

La LAND FORCES SUB
COMM. AC. (LMIA)
ROMA



Registrazione del
Gen. Inc. N.º

Oggetto
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1430 et conoscenza:
10/9 STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO
- Sezione Autonoma Collegamento
Alleati - ROMA
17:30
10/9.

Seguito foglio 43946 data 28 scorso mese alt
Personale addetto at campo 98 disimpegnava se-
guenti mansioni due punti tenente colonnello
fanteria servizio permanente classe 1891 OLDANI
Giulio comandante et capitano fanteria comple-
mento classe 1897 CALANCHI Umberto aiutante
maggiore et Caporale Fanteria MANNINO Alfio in-
terprete lingua inglese alt interessato Coman-
do Militare Palermo per conoscere attuale domi-
cilio predetti militari alt

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO
(Eraldo Pallotta)

*PI Franchese
PF*

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Pallotta

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Subject: War Crimes - Italy.

LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) R.M.S.
INT/121

// Sept 45.

To: Allied Force Headquarters.

Professor Aldo CASTELLANI.

John 87

Reference your letter G-1/EX/15196/A-3 of 14 Aug 45.

1. This Hq has been informed by the Italian Ministry of War that according to their records Professor Aldo CASTELLANI was not Director General of Medical Supplies in ITALY nor did such a post exist in the Italian Armed Forces.
During the Italian East African Campaign he was Chief Medical Adviser to the Italian Supreme Command which post he also occupied for North Africa and ~~in~~ the Balkans when Italy was at war with the Allies.
He holds the chair in Tropical and Sub-Tropical Diseases at Rome University.
2. The Ministry of War further state that they have no information which would enable them to judge the work carried out by Professor CASTELLANI with reference to Allied prisoners of war in North Africa and Italy.
3. The Ministry of War has also approached the Ministry of the Navy for further information as Professor CASTELLANI is a senior reserve officer in the Italian Navy. We will forward to your HQ such further details as may become available.

R. G. A. Givens-Raines
ja Major General
M. M. I. A. *Capt*

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See Index 133



Roma 4 Settembre 1945 108

Ministero della Guerra
Ufficio Stralcio pd.
ex nemici
Corso Vittorio Emanuele, 110
Divisione
Tel. N° 251 Allegati

Al la LAND FORCES SUB
COMM.A.C. (LMA)
ROMA

Repastori del
Dir. Per N°

Oggetto: Criminali di guerra -

e, per conoscenza:
STATO MAGGIORE R. ESERCITO
- Sezione Autonoma Collegamento
Alleati -

ROMA *folio 96*

Riferimento foglio int/121 in data 29 u.s.
Per i dati richiesti relativi ai milita-
ri italiani in servizio al campo di concentramento
n. 105/II^a è stato interessato il Comando Milita-
re di Torino nella cui giurisdizione si trovava
il predetto campo.

Appena possibile saranno trasmesse a co-
desto comando le notizie richieste.-

IL CAPO UFFICIO
(Colonnello Eraldo Pallotta)



Roma 4 / 9 1945 ^{all} 107

Ministero della Guerra
Ufficio stralcio pdg.
ex nemici
Corso V. Emanuele 110
Tel. N.º 250 *Allegato 9*

LAND FORCES SUB
COMM. AC. (MMIA)
ROMA

Oggetto: Criminali di guerra.-

e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.E.
Sezione Autonoma Collegamento
Alleato

ROMA

folio 94

Rif. foglio int/121 in data 21 agosto '45.-

Per i dati richiesti relativi ai milita-
ri italiani in servizio al campo di concentra-
mento n° 85 è stato interessato il Comando Mili-
tare di Bari nella cui giurisdizione si trova-
va il predetto campo.

Appena possibile saranno trasmesse a co-
desto Comando le notizie richieste.-

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO
(Eraldo Pallotta)

Pallotta

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Translation . . . (05)

(106)

From : MOV
To : AMIA
Subject : Professor CASTELLANI Aldo

Ref. : 120838/I.
Date : Sept. 8, 1945

See folios 87 + 89

We hereby report on the posts held by and military activities carried out by Professor Aldo CASTELLANI.

1. Our records show that he was not Director General of Medical Supplies in Italy and that said post did not exist in the Italian Armed Forces.

He was chief medical adviser to the Supreme Command during the Italian North African campaign and in the ensuing conflict, he was ~~in~~ ^{conferred} in the same post for North Africa and the Balkans.

He is permanent lecturer on clinical development of tropical and sub-tropical diseases at the Rome University.

2. No info is held which would enable us to judge the work carried out by Professor CASTELLANI in favor of sick Allied POWs.

We will send another report if we receive any important info from the Ministry for the Navy, which was approached in regard to this matter as the professor in question is a senior reserve officer in the Italian Navy.

(23) Lombardi.

Cpl. VIC

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Roma, 8 SET 1945 69

Ministero della Guerra
- Gabinetto -

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. - (M.M.I.A.)
ROMA

Decisione 120/838 / I. Allegati
112-17-305
OGGETTO

Risposta al Foglio del 19/8/1945
Dir. N. INT/121 N°

Professore CASTELLANI Aldo.

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Si riferisce circa le cariche rivestite e l'attività militare svolta dal Professore Aldo CASTELLANI.

1°) - Non risulta che sia stato Direttore Generale dei rifornimenti sanitari in Italia, né tale carica esisteva presso le Forze Armate italiane.

Fu alto consulente sanitario presso il Comando Supremo durante la campagna in A.O.I. e, nel decorso conflitto, fu confermato nel medesimo incarico per l'Africa Settentrionale e i Balcani.

E' titolare della Cattedra di clinica delle malattie tropicali e sub tropicali della R.Università di Roma.

2°) - Non si hanno elementi per valutare l'opera svolta dal Professore CASTELLANI a favore dei prigionieri di guerra Alleati malati.

Si farà eventualmente seguito se da parte del Ministero della R.Marina- interpellato al riguardo essendo il professore in argomento ufficiale superiore riserva nella R.Marina - perverranno notizie di qualche interesse.

TRANSMISSION	
IN	Time <u>9:15</u>
	Date <u>10/9</u>
OUT	Time <u>14:30</u>
	Date <u>10/9</u>

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO 1231
[Signature]

L. FORCES GR 3476
MIA

INT/121

3 September 1945

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As per 15 and 27

SUBJECT: Italian Mission to Investigate War Crimes in Cefalonia.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, AFM 394

1. Reference is made to your A/29.A/GA of 27 July enclosing proposals of the Italian Government to investigate war crimes in Cefalonia.

2. It is felt that the proposals of the Italian Government are acceptable except for the number of persons sought to be included in the mission. You will indicate to the Italian Government that a maximum number of 25 persons is considered adequate. If this suggestion is acceptable to the Italian Government you may advise the Government that their mission will be attached to MIA while in Italy in accordance with their suggestion.

3. The supervision of the mission in Cefalonia will be the responsibility of Land Forces (Greece). A copy of this Headquarters letter to Land Forces (Greece) is enclosed for your information.

By Command of Field Marshal ALEXANDER:

W. B. Morgan

W. B. MORGAN
Lieutenant General
Chief of Staff

*WED
8/9*

1 Incl:
As above dated
3 September 45.

Copy to: MIA ✓
Land Forces, (Greece)

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APPRO FOR INFORMATION HQ ALCON BOMB (PAGE APPRO) FOR BRUNNEN, US GROUP CONTROL COUNCIL (GERMANY)

file 98

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Your TX 39705 and 7 39647 of 30 August are references.
It is not possible at this time to notify you of etc.

notes

LIST

- ACTION INFO SC
- INFO CHIEF COMMISSIONER
- IN COMMISSIONER
- L FORCES HQ
- VILE 2
- PLDAR

HEADQUARTERS
5-SEP-45
A. C.

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Subject: War Crimes.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
RUE.
INT/121.

5 Sept 45.

To: MINISTRY OF WAR.

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1. The Italian personnel detailed in the attached list are urgently required in connection with the investigation of War Crimes.
2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present location of each of these as may be identifiable from your records.

R. G. A. G. R.
Major General
M. M. I. A.

AGR/231

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Land Forces ³⁸⁶⁰

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Subject:- WAR CRIMINALS.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

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G-1 (Br) 16413/A-30

2 Sep 45

CG POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission AC.
HQ No 1 District.
GHQ 2nd Echelon.
FMG MTOUSA.

1. The under-mentioned Italian personnel are urgently required in connection with the investigation of war crimes.
2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present locations of such of the under-mentioned as may be identifiable from your records :-

SEE LIST 'O' ATTACHED. (4 copies)

[Signature]
for DAAG
Major General,
DAG., G-1 (Br).

Copy to - DFM (SIB)
JA.

Reference No.
SIB.H./145/1.

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H.Q., Special Investig
C/o Provost Marshal's
Police Force Headquart

ITALIAN PERSONNEL WANTED FOR INTERVIEW
FOR WAR CRIMES IN ITALY

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Name	Rank	Unit	Physical description (if known)	Date of crime
BAIG	Lieut	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 25 - 30 yrs, 5' 8", slim build, dark complexion, dark chestnut hair, long nose, rather large mouth.	9/11 Jul 44
BALDISSARI Onaro	Sergt	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 23 yrs, 5' 5" or 6", dark complexion, black wavy hair, grey eyes, high forehead.	9/11 July 44
BARTOLINI Giovanni	Civilian	Registrar STLA Comune	Not known	13/18 Apr 44
FRANCIFIANCI Genaro	Civilian	Political Secretary STLA Comune	Not known	13/18 Apr 44
GIARDINI Angelo	Civilian	STLA Comune	Not known	13/18 Apr 44
GRASSI	Lieut	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 30-35 yrs, 5' 7/8", slim build, pale complexion, brown hair.	9/11 July 1944.
IZZO	Lieut	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 33-34 yrs, 5' 9/10", robust build, pale complexion, dark brown wavy hair, dark eyes, high forehead, prominent cheek bones.	9/11 July 1944

15 August 1945.

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[Signature]
W. HEDDON.
Deputy Pro

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H.Q., Special Investigation Branch,
 O/o Provost Marshal's (HQ) Office,
 Allied Force Headquarters, GAF.

ITALIAN PERSONNEL WANTED FOR INTERROGATION
FOR WAR CRIMES IN ITALY

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Rank	Unit	Physical description (if known)	Date of crime	Remarks
Lieut	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 25 - 30 yrs, 5' 8", slim build, dark complexion, dark chestnut hair, long face, rather large mouth.	9/11 Jul 44	2/45/3
Sgt	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 23 yrs, 5' 5" or 6", dark complexion, black wavy hair, grey eyes, high forehead.	9/11 July 44	2/45/3
Civilian	Registrar STIA Comano	Not known	13/18 Apr 44	2/45/18
Civilian	Political Secretary STIA Comano	Not known	13/18 Apr 44	2/45/18
Civilian	STIA Comano	Not known	13/18 Apr 44	2/45/18
Lieut	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 30-35 yrs, 5' 7/8", slim build, pale complexion, brown hair.	9/11 July 1944	2/45/3
Lieut	SS Bn 'Della Morte'	Age 33-34 yrs, 5' 9/10", robust build, pale complexion, dark brown wavy hair, dark eyes, high forehead, prominent cheek bones.	9/11 July 1944	2/45/3

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 W. HEDDON. Lt.-Col.
 Deputy Provost Marshal.

TRANSLATION

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From: Post War Ministry Ass. ex P.O.W's
To: M.M.I.A.

Date: 28/8/45
Ref: 43946

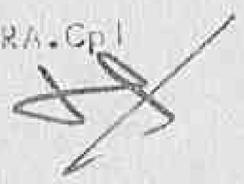
Subject: War Criminals.
Ref letter Int/121 dated 19/8/45

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For the data requested in respect of Italian military serving at the 98th Concentration Camp, the military Command under whose jurisdiction the a/m camp is, has been approached. As soon as possible we will forward to you the required informations.

R. ERRERA. Cpl

(Sgd) Col. Eraldo Pallota



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Roma 20 agosto 1945
TRAV

L'ufficio di corrispondenza
MINISTERO ASSISTENZA POST BELLICA SERVIZI PRIG. GUERRA
per corrispondenza con l'ufficio militare
Ufficio Militare

N: 43946 prot.

→ ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMM. 1000
A.C. (MMIA) 9/9

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ALLO S.M.R.E.
Sezione Autonoma Collegamento Al-
leati

ROMA

OGGETTO: Criminali di guerra.

Riferimento foglio Int/121 in data 19
corr.

Per i dati richiesti relativi ai mili-
tari italiani in servizio al campo di con-
centramento n° 98, è stato interessato il
Comando Militare nella cui giurisdizione
si trovava il predetto campo.

Appena possibile saranno trasmesse a co-
desto Comando le notizie richieste.

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO MILITARE
(Eraldo Pallotta)

File INT/121/100

OSTROGITE SIGNAL

FROM : NMIA
TO : AFSA

DATE: 05
TYPE OF ORIGIN: R

SUBJECT

INFO: INT 224

REF FROM 1255006 ON 23 AUG 45 CITE PEGAS (.)
CAPTAIN CALANCHI UNITED STATES RESERVE OFFICER OF 1934 CLASS WAS
AWARDED OF DC 98 S I C I L Y IN DEC 1942 AND JAN 1943 (.)
HE IS PROBABLY THE MAN REFERRED TO IN YOUR SIGNAL (.)
FURTHER INQUIRIES ARE BEING MADE AS TO HIS PRESENT WHEREABOUTS

MEMORANDUM _____

AUTOMATICALLY _____

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TRANSLATION

99 *W*

From: Minis. of Post War Assistance P.O.W. branch

Ref: 43846

To: M.M.I.A.

Date: 28/8/45

Subject: War Criminals

John 84

Ref letter Int/121 dated 9th inst.,

For the data required in respect of Pte JANNONE NUNZIO serving at N.75 Concentration Camp; The military command under whose jurisdiction ~~the~~ a/m camp ^{was} has been approached.

As soon as possible we will forward to you the informations required.

R. ERRERA-Cpl

(Sgd) Col. Pallotta

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Roma 28 Agosto 1945

Ministero Assistenza
MINISTERO ASSISTENZA POSR BELLICA SERVIZIO PRIG. GUERRA
Ufficio Militare
n° 43846 prot.

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TRAVI

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMM.
A.C. (MMIA)

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GU { *1530*
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e p.c.
ALLO S.M.R.E.
Sezione Autonoma Collegamento
Alleati
ROMA

OGGETTO/ Criminali di guerra.

Riferimento foglio Int/121 in data 9 corr.
Per i dati richiesti relativi al soldato
JANNONE NUMZIO in servizio al campo di concen-
tramento n. 75 è stato interessato il Comando
Militare della cui giurisdizione si trovava
il predetto campo.

Appena possibile saranno trasmesse a code-
sro Comando le notizie richieste.

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO MILITARE
(Eraldo Fallotta)

Fallotta

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IMPORTANT

SECRET

File 706/21

LF 98

FX 39705
AUG 3017460

M.M.I.A.
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SIGNALS

F/3989
AUG 311015B
PRIORITY

ALEXANDER CITY BECOM
ACTION UNFET MAIN FOR CUPA INFO ALOOM FOR HINDERANK US GROUP CONTROL COUNCIL
GERMANY

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N/T N/T

Reference S/19459 and S/20199 of 24 and 28 August.

Agree acceptance of 10 Italian General officers at FORLANINI airfield MILAN.

Guards not necessary but request you send 1 officer to act as escort for the
2 HINDLER women returning same aircraft our F-39647 of 30 refs.

Request you notify Ita immediately to enable COMANDO ITALIANO to meet generals
and also to facilitate handover of the 2 women.

DIST

INFO-ACTION: IPW SC
INFO: Chief Commissioner
Ex Commissioner 2
L Forces SC
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HEADQUARTERS
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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

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MSG. Center No. N113/28
Classification: ~~ROUTINE~~
Precedence: ROUTINE
From: AFHQ SIGNED SACRED
To: MMIA

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Date/Time Recd: 281317B
Date/Time Est:
Reference NR: FX39006
Cite: FHCAB

MMIA.
4/28
SIGNALS

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FOLLOWING REPORTED IN PW 337 BELIEVED NOW UNDER ITALIAN CONTROL. SOLD CALANCHI UMBERTO ISM 81-G-763570. REQUIST ENQUIRIES MADE AT CAMP WILSTEN THIS MAN WAS ON STAFF PG 98 SICILY DEC 1943 AND JAN 1943

~~see INT/121
19 Aug~~

CIPHER TELEGRAM

This message will not be distributed outside
British or U.S. Government Department
Headquarters or re-transmitted even if
without being paraphrased. (Messages
O.V.T. need not be paraphrased).

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Subject: War Criminals.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
ROME.
INT/121.

29 Aug 45.

To: MINISTRY OF WAR.

Major ROSSI, Silvio
2/Lt CIBIOTTI, Carlo
Corporal ANTONINI, Clivio
Private FELIZZARI, Giovanni

Please inform this H.Q. as soon as possible of the whereabouts of the above, required as witnesses in investigation of War Crimes. They were all members of Camp Staff of P.W. Camp 106/II in June 1943.

Ch. M. M. A.
Major General
M.M.I.A.

GFE/rja

See Folio 147.

Ch.
M.M.I.A.

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TRANSLATION.

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From: Ministry of Post War Welfare.

Ref: 43 018

To: M.M.I.A.

Date: 16/8/45.

Subject: War Criminals.

See folio 81482

This office is not in a position to furnish the required information about Pte Nali Lorenzo, attached to No. 153 Camp at Suani ben Adem, as the said personnel came under the jurisdiction of the North Africa Command.

Pallotta.

Carter.

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PA 2078
SO

Roma, 16 Agosto 1945



MI/fb

MINISTERO ASSISTENZA POST-BELLICA
SERVIZIO PRIGIONIERI

MINISTERO ASSISTENZA POST-BELLICA
Servizio Prigionieri

- Ufficio Militare -

n° *43018* di prot.



LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

e, per conoscenza:

S.M.R.F. Sezione Autonoma Collegamento Alleati C.A.

OGGETTO: Criminali di guerra

Questo Ufficio non è in grado di fornire gli elementi richiesti relativi al soldato NALI Lorenzo, addetto al Campo n.153 a Suani ben Adem, dato che detto personale dipendeva dalla Intendenza del Comando dell'Africa Settentrionale.

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO MILITARE
(Fraldo Pellotta)

Fraldo Pellotta

TRANSMISSION

16.30
Unità 20/8
15/8
21/8

PROVVISORIA
MINISTERO ASSISTENZA POST-BELLICA
Servizio Prigionieri

- Ufficio Militare -
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 LAND FORCES SUB COMM.A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
e, per conoscenza:
S.M.R.F. Sezione Autonoma Collegamento
Alleati C.A.

OGGETTO: Criminali di guerra

Questo Ufficio non è in grado di fornire gli elementi richiesti relativi al soldato NALI Lorenzo, addetto al Campo n.153 a Suani ben Adem, dato che detto personale dipendeva dalla Intendenza del Comendo dell'Africa Settentrionale.

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO MILITARE
(Fraldo Pallotta)



TRANSMISSION

Time	16.30
Date	20/1
Time	1500
Date	2/1

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Subject: War Criminals.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
ROME.
INT/121.

21 Aug 45.

To: MINISTRY OF WAR.

- Capt BLANCO, Pietro
- 2/Lt TASSINARI, Giuseppe
- Cpl CAPONE, Giuseppe
- Cpl SICILIA, Stefano
- Pte BISCHLIN, Francesco.

All members of Camp Staff of PG 85/XVI in May 1943.

Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present location of the above mentioned personnel.

[Signature]
Major General
INTA.

FRS/231

Rpt 1st Lt

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Subject:- WAR CRIMINALS.

9(1)
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

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21 AUG 1945
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20 Aug 45.

CG POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission AC.
HQ No 1 District.
GHQ 2nd Echelon.
FMG MTOUSA.

1. The under-mentioned Italian personnel are urgently required in connection with the investigation of war crimes.
2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present locations of such of the under-mentioned as may be identifiable from your records :-

Capt BIANCO Pietro
2/Lt TASSINARI Giuseppe
Cpl CAPONE Giuseppe
Cpl SICILIA Stefano
Pte BISCHILLI Francesco.

All members of Camp staff of IG 85/XVI in May 1943.

Explosive
S. Camp
JAA
for Major General
JAG G.P.A.

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Roma, 18 Agosto 1945

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Ministero della Guerra
MINISTERO ASSISTENZA POST-BELLICA Servizio
per i prigionieri di guerra

- Ufficio Militare - 9

n° 43121 di prot.

OGGETTO: - Criminali di guerra

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMM. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.) ROMA

e, per conoscenza:
ALLO STATO MAGGIORE R.ESERCITO -
Ufficio C.A. ROMA 8c

Riferimento foglio Int/I21 in data 4
corrente.

Per i dati richiesti relativi ai mi-
litari italiani in servizio ai campi di con-
centramento per i prigionieri di guerra sono
stati interessati i Comandi nella cui giuri-
sdizione si trovavano i predetti campi.

Appena possibile saranno trasmesse a
codesto Comando le notizie richieste.-

IL COLONNELLO CAPO UFFICIO MILITARE
(Eraldo Pallotta)

Eraldo Pallotta

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Subject: War Criminals.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. N. I. A.)

ROME.

INF/121.

19 AUG 45.

To: MINISTRY OF WAR.

Sanjolo 81

Sante FANTACCI, Clemente di Paveo Classe 1908.

Please inform this H.Q. as soon as possible of the present location of the above mentioned soldier.

[Signature]
Major General
INFIA.

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B/F 30th Aug.

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Subject: War Criminals.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. H. I. A.) ROME.

INF/121.

19 AUG 45.

To: MINISTRY OF WAR.

CALANCHI, Umberto.
MANNINO, Alfio, born 1915 approximately,
height 5 ft 9 inches, dark complexion, moustache.
CIBANI, Gullio, born 1895 approximately,
height 5 ft 7 inches, black hair, dark greasy
complexion, hooked nose, speaks fluent French.

All the above mentioned are wanted in connection with alleged
ill-treatment of Prisoners of War at PG 98 SAN GIUSEPPE, SICILY, between
December 1942 and January 1943.

Please inform this H.Q. as soon as possible of the present location
of the above mentioned.

J. M. P.
Major General
M.H.A.

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BIF 30th Aug

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Subject: Professor CASTELLANI, Aldo.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
NOSE.
HE/121.

19 Aug 55.

To: MINISTRY OF WAR. (For attention - Col Lombardi, Chief of Cabinet)

1. It is requested that you forward a brief statement of the activities of Professor CASTELLANI, Aldo from the time he was co-director General of Medical Supplies in Italy up to the present day.
Furthermore particulars of official posts held by him with special reference to his general attitude and behaviour whilst in office should be included.
2. Will you please state whether Professor CASTELLANI made any effort to ameliorate the conditions of sick Allied prisoners of war in North Africa and Italy during his term of office as co-director of Medical Supplies.

W.S.
Major General
MIA.

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L. Jones
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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

CG. POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C.
HQ No. 1 District.
CHQ 2nd Echelon.
HQ MTOUSA.

G1 (Br) 4512/15.
/4 Aug

1. The undermentioned Italian personnel are ~~urgently~~ required in connection with the investigation of war crimes.
2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present locations of such of the undermentioned as may be identifiable from your records please:

- (a) GALANCHI, Umberto.
- (b) MAMINO, Alfio, born 1915 approx, height 5' 9", dark complexion, moustache.
- (c) OLDANI, Guilio, born 1895 approx, height 5' 7", black hair, dark greasy complexion, hooked nose, speaks fluent FRENCH.

3. All the above are wanted in connection with alleged ill-treatment of PW at PG 98 SAN GIUSEPPE, SICILY, between Dec 42 and Jan 43.

Gpl. Davies
original letter of
[Signature]
16 AUG 1945
[Signature]
Major General,
DAG., G-1 (Br).

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H. Toppam

SUBJECT: War Crimes - ITALY.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1/Br/15196/A-3.

14 Aug 45.

MMIA

Professor CASTELLANI, Aldo.

1. It is believed that the above named was ex-Director General of Medical Supplies in ITALY, or that he held some similar high medical post.
2. He was formerly Sir ALDO CASTELLANI; but has since been deprived of this honour, by reason of his activities during the war, on behalf of Fascist ITALY.
3. May this HQ be informed, please, of any particulars that can be obtained about the official posts held by Professor CASTELLANI, and of his general attitude and behaviour while in office : with special reference to any effort he may have made, or failed to make, to ameliorate the conditions of sick PsW in N. AFRICA and ITALY?

16 AUG 1945
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS

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S. Comd
P. TOPHAM, S/Comd,
DAAG,
Major General,
DAG, G1(Br).

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.



ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/15051/A3

13 Aug 1945.

CG. POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C.
HQ No. 1 District.
GHQ 2nd Echelon.
PAC MTOUSA.

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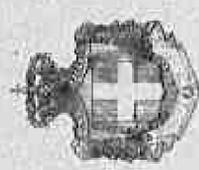
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15 AUG 1945

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Major General,
DAG, G1 (Br).

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*L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra*

Ufficio Militare

no 41993 di prot.

OGGETTO: Personale italiano del campo prigionieri di guerra n° 87 Cardoncelli.

Roma, 3 agosto 1945

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→ AL I.F.S.C. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

o. c. per conoscenza:

Allo S.M.R.E. - Ufficio C.A. -

ROMA

Seguito f° 34261 in data 5/5/1945.

Il Comando Militare Territoriale di Napoli interesso perche facesse conoscere i nominativi del personale in servizio al campo prigionieri di guerra n° 87 - Cardoncelli-, ha informato che presso il Centro di mobilitazione non esiste alcun documento relativo al suddetto campo.

Si ritiene che detti documenti siano andati distrutti durante gli avvenimenti del settembre 1943.

Non si e quindi in grado di fornire gli elementi richiesti da codesto Comando.

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IL SUPPLEMENTO GENERALE
(Generale Vincenzo Depino)

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Roma, 3 agosto 1945

per i prigionieri di guerra

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Ufficio Militare
di prot.
n° 41993

OGGETTO: Personale italiano del campo prigionieri di guerra n° 87
Cardoncelli.

Trasmissione
11/11/45

→ AD L.T.S.C. A.C. (M.I.J.A.)
P. per conoscenza
Allo S.M.R.E. - Ufficio C.A. -
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IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE
(Generale Vincenzo Dapino)

[Signature]

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Translation

From : High Commissary for POW's
To : MMIA
Subject : Italian personnel at POW camps.

Ref. : 34261
Date : May 5, 1945

NTA

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Further to letter 34023 dated 2nd inst.

1. We enclose the 6 lists of officers and military personnel (interpreters) at each of the following POW camps:

- 53 - MACERATA
- 54 - FARA SABINA (Rieti)
- 59 - SERVIGLIANO (Ascoli Piceno)
- 62 - GRUMELLO DEL PIANO (Bergamo)
- 73 - CARPI (Modena)
- 78 - SULMONA (Aquila)

We will send the lists regarding camp no. 60 - COLLE DI COMPITO (Lucca) and camp no. 87 - CARDONCELLI (Benevento) and not no. 8 as indicated in your letter.

(sgd) Gen. Dapino

Cpl VDC

[Handwritten signature]

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Roma, 5 maggio 1945



L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra

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H. M. (A)

-UFFICIO MILITARE-
N° 34261 /II° di prot.

OGGETTO: Personale italiano dei campi prigionieri di guerra.

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→ L.F.S.C. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

e p.c.

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Ufficio Coordinamento

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Seguito foglio N° 34023 in data 2 corr.

1) si trasmettono n° 6 elenchi di nominativi degli Ufficiali e del personale militare interprete presso ciascuno dei seguenti campi di prigionieri di guerra:

- a) n° 53 -MACERATA
- " 54 - FARA SABINA (Rieti)
- " 59 - SERVIGLIANO (Ascoli Piceno)
- " 62 - GRUMELLO DEL PIANO (Bergamo)
- " 73 - CAPPI (Modena)
- " 78 - SULMONA (Aquila).

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Riserva di trasmettere gli elenchi relativi ai campi n° 60 - COLLE DI COMPITO (Lucca) e n° 87 CARDONCELLI (Benevento) e non n° 8 come indicata nella lettera di codesto Comando.

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P.L'ALTO COMMISSARIO
IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE
(Gen. Vincenzo Dapino)

Dapino

per i prigionieri di guerra

-UFFICIO MILITARE-
N° 34261 /II^a di prot.

OGGETTO: Personale italiano dei campi prigionieri di guerra.

Allegato 6

→ L.F.S.C. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

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e p.c.
AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Ufficio Coordinamento

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Riserva di trasmettere gli elenchi relativi ai campi n° 60 - COLLE DI COMPTO (Lucca) e n° 87 CARDONCELLI (Benevento) e non n° 8 come indicata nella lettera di codesto Comando.

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P.L'ALTO COMMISSARIO
IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE
(Gen. Vincenzo Dapino)

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Subject: War Criminals.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.)
ROME.
III/121.

9 Aug 45.

To: Ministry of War.

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Fante Iannone Nunsio - Sentry at PG 75 in March 1942.

Please inform this H.Q. as soon as possible of the present location of the above mentioned soldier.

(Signature)
Major General
M.M.I.A.

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G-1(Br)15007/A-3.

7 AUG 1945.

CG. POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. ✓
HQ No. 1 District.
GHQ 2nd Echelon.
HQ MTOUSA.

1. The undermentioned Italian personnel are ~~presently~~ required in connection with the investigation of war crimes.
2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present locations of such of the undermentioned as may be identifiable from your records ~~please~~.

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Fante Iamone Masio - Sentry at IG 75 in March 1942.

8 AUG 1945

[Signature]
Major General,
DAG G-1(Br).

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Subject: War Criminals.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I.A.) ROME.
IME/121.

8 Aug 45.

To: Ministry of War.

Pte. MALI, Lorenzo

Sentry at Camp No. 153 (SUANI ben ADAM in July 1942)

Please inform this H.Q. as soon as possible of the present location of the above mentioned soldier.

[Signature]
Major General
R.M.A.

NRS/pjs

B.F.A. 16 Aug

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

ALLIED FORCES HEADQUARTERS.
G1(Br)/15120/A3
5 Aug 1945.

CG, POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C.
HQ No.1 District.
CHQ 2nd Echelon.
FMG MTOUSA.

1. The undermentioned Italian personnel are urgently required in connection with the investigation of war crimes.
2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present locations of such of the undermentioned as may be identifiable from your records.

Pte NALF Lorenzo
Sentry at Camp No 153
(BURNHAM) in Jul 42.



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Major General,
D/E., G-1(Br).

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

Land Forces Sub Commission, A.C.
(M. M. I. A.) ROME.

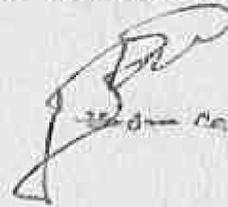
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4 Aug 45.

TO: Ministry of War

- Lt. Col. GROPALO, Stefano Infant Class 1892
Camp Commandant PG 75 BARI July 1942, believed to be
from TARANTO.
- Major ARCELLINI
Camp Commandant PG 75 BARI June 1942.
- Capt. SOMMAVILLA, Antonio, on Staff PG 75 BARI in July 1942.
- Col. DANIEL, C., on Staff PG 75 BARI in June and July 1942.
- Pte. CASULLO Filippo di Guiseppe, Class 1909, Guard at PG
75 BARI July 1942.
- Pte. LIBERPI, Gaetano Guard at CASERTA Hospital in Sept 1942.

Please inform this H.Q. as soon as possible of the present locations of
the above-mentioned personnel.


Colonel

HRB/rjd

ME 14 Aug.

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G-1(Dr)/15060/A-3.

1 Aug 1945.

CC. POW Command MPOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C.
HQ No. 1 District.
CHQ 2nd Echelon,
MPOUSA.

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1. The undermentioned Italian personnel ~~are urgently required in~~ connection with the investigation of war crimes.
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Pte. LIBERTI Gastano
Guard at Caserta Hospital in Sept 42.

3 AUG 1945

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W. S. Land
Major General,
DAG, G-1(Dr).

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

GI(Br)/15007/A3

1 Aug 1945.

CG. POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission A.
HQ No.1 District.
GHQ 2nd Echelon.
PAC MTOUSA.

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 Camp Commandant PG 75 BARI July 1942, believed to be from TARANTO.
 Major AMBELLINI
 Camp Commandant PG 75 BARI June 1942.
 Capt SCHEAVILLA Antonio, on Staff PG 75 BARI July 1942.
 Col DANEN, O., on Staff PG 75 BARI in June and July 1942.
 Pte CASULLO Filippo di Giuseppe; Class 1909, Guard at PG 75 BARI July 1942.

3 AUG 1945

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 Major General,
 DAG, GI (Br).

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SUBJECT: Investigation of War Crimes against Italian Nationals in CEFALONIA

LAND FORGED SUB-COM, A.C. (MIA)

c/s

21 July 45

TO : THE ALLIED COMMISSION

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Ref AFHQ G-5 letter dated 30 March 45 subject War Crimes addressed HQ Allied Commission, and our G/S dated 15 June 45 to Italian Ministry of War.

1. Attached herewith is a copy of translated proposals of Italian Ministry of War for function, organization etc. of a mission to investigate crimes alleged to have been perpetrated against Italian Nationals in CEFALONIA.

[Handwritten Signature]
Major General
MIA

Copy to: CIVIL AFFAIRS SEC., A.C.

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SUBJECT: Project for the formation, and progress of work for the Italian Military Mission to CEMALONIA

A) ~~Task~~

Reconnaissance of all battlefields on the island.

Gathering on a large scale of the evidence of the slaughter and atrocities committed on the island by the German Armed Forces against Italian Military personnel after the 8 Sept 43, and the seeking and definition of the individuals most responsible for the said slaughter and atrocities.

Gathering of the mortal remains of Italian Military personnel, wherever they may be, with the help, also of information which will be found on the spot;

With the aim of establishing a possible identification, examination of remains already buried through private efforts;

The placing of all mortal remains in one place (locality of "Casa Posca" and its environs, where the shooting of numerous officers took place - or otherwise the S. Federo Area - to be decided upon on the spot);

The acquisition, in the name of the Italian State, of the area where the cemetery and crypt will be situated;

The recovery, from civilians who may be in possession of them, of personal objects belonging to the fallen Italian soldiers, for their subsequent despatch to their families, together with all the information obtainable about the soldiers, hitherto considered as "missing".

B) ORGANIZATION

Complete number of the Mission's components :-

- 49 Military personnel (Chief of Mission - 1 Colonel)
- 1 Civilian (Official of the M. of Foreign Affairs)

The 49 Military personnel are classified as follows :-

- 7 Officers, - 1 N.C.O., - 2 typists, - 2 photographers, -
- 2 medical orderlies, - 24 privates for Gen. duty, -
- 5 drivers - ;

Necessary equipment:

- 2 Lorries 3 tons (eventually reinforced by local vehicles),

Reconnaissance of all battalions on the island.

Gathering on a large scale of the evidence of the slaughter and atrocities committed on the island by the German Armed Forces against Italian Military personnel after the 8 Sept 43, and the seeking and definition of the individuals most responsible for the said slaughter and atrocities.

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With the aim of establishing a possible identification, exhumation of remains already buried through private efforts;

The placing of all mortal remains in one place (locality of "Casa Rossa" and its environs, where the shooting of numerous officers took place - or otherwise the S. Teodoro Area - to be decided upon on the spot);

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- 8 Medical orderlies, - 14 Privates for Gen. Duty, -
- 5 Drivers - ;

Necessary Equipment:

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- 2 Lorries 3 tons (eventually reinforced by local vehicles),
- 2 cars
- 1 Motor-cycle
- 2 Typewriters

Stationery for the Mission's Office (enclosed) :

- 2 Diving suits (1)
- 8 Individual masks (1)
- 8 Pairs of Rubber gloves
- 8 Pairs of Rubber boots
- 4 Stretchers
- 4 Lengths of Manila Hemp
- 15 Picks
- 15 Shovels
- 4 Axes
- 400 lbs of Nails (8)

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wood for the construction of 3,500 coffins of reduced size (2)
50 zinc coffins
wood for the making of 4,000 crosses (2)

Interpreters will be provided by the Mission itself - four of
the officers speak fluent Greek.

Footnote to above scale :-

- (1) Required for the reconnaissance of cisterns, from 15 to 20 metres deep, in which have been thrown numerous corpses.
- (2) On the island of Cefalonia, neither wood nor nails are to be found.

C) E.O. OF THE MISSION - ARGENTINA

Billing :- The Mission will be dependent on the Military Territorial Command of Bari, which will function as the "assembly and dispersal point" in Italy. On the island, however, the Mission will depend on a local British Command, which will be detailed, either by MIA or "Land Forces, Greece".

Rations :- The necessary rations will have to be issued (on orders of the MIA) by the unit on which the Mission will depend during its stay upon the island. For the period during which the Mission is concentrated at Bari, the necessary rations must be supplied by the Military Territorial Command of that area.

Funds and Administration :- A fund will be issued to the Mission, in local currency, to an amount corresponding to the value of Lire 1,000,000., for which arrangements are being made with the Treasury.

Future necessities which may arise, will come under review and be resolved according to the degree of urgency.

The Mission will establish its own administration for which it will render account to the Military Territorial Command of Bari.

D) PROCEDURE RELATIVE TO HIS INVESTIGATIONS? GATHERING OF EVIDENCE AND SIGNATURES OF REPORTS

In all districts, will be posted, under the supervision of the Mission, a manifesto in Greek, asking all those capable of giving information about the slaughter of Italian soldiers, to present themselves to the M.C. at Argostoli.

The members of the Mission will interrogate - at the places at which it has been verified that slaughters have occurred - any of the Greek population who might have been witnesses, and who come forward voluntarily to give information.

The reports will be drawn up as statements of individual persons.

Footnote to above scale :-

- (1) Required for the reconnaissance of cisterns, from 15 to 20 metres deep, in which keys been thrown numerous corpses.
- (2) On the island of Cephalonia, neither wood nor nails are to be found.

C) H.C. OF THE MISSION - ARGOSTOLI

Billeting :- The Mission will be dependent on the Military Territorial Command of Bari, which will function as the "assembly and dispersal point" in Italy. On the island, however, the Mission will depend on a local British Command, which will be detailed, either by MIA or "Land Forces, Greece".

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The reports will be drawn up as statements of individual persons. The witness will narrate how much he knows or how much he has seen, and then will sign a text written by a clerk, under the dictation of a member of the Mission. Every report must be signed by at least two members of the Mission.

E) APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF CASES OF SLAUGHTER WHICH MUST BE INVESTIGATED AND VERIFIED AND LOCALITIES AT WHICH THE INVESTIGATIONS MUST BE CONDUCTED :-

About a hundred cases at the following localities :-
Troianata, Frangata, Capo Manta, Lakitra, Fosota, San Geracimo, Sant'Efemia, San Teodoro, Gardakata, Bessa, Daygata, Curakata, Zona dei Pillaro, Divarata, Miglinata, Paracata, Procopata, Limuri, Ludata, Passo Columi, Zona del Drapano.

F) DEVELOPMENT OF THE INVESTIGATIONS :-

In subsequent order, area by area.

G) DURATION OF THE INVESTIGATIONS AND A FIRST STEP TOWARDS ESTABLISHING A CIPHER AND CRYPT.

Cannot be stated at present, as it depends upon too many elements unknown until the Mission will have reached the island and have initiated its programme of work. As indicative data, and always subject to change, a period of from 60 to 90 days could be hazarded.

H) ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING UP OF THE RESULTS OF THE INVESTIGATIONS

On a basis of information received, and from the proposed documentation by the Mission, the whole question will be referred to the suitable unit for further development of the matter.

Translation

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From : MOW
To : Comiliter Bari
and for info to MMIA

Ref. : 116607/I.1
Date: July 17, 1945

As a result of instructions received from MMIA, please issue orders to the effect that 2nd Lt. Steconi Giuseppe is to remain at his present location until Aug. 1. Said officer must NOT leave Bari during this period except on orders from the Allies.

Please acknowledge.

(Sgd) Lombardi

Cpl. VBC

Handwritten signature: G. Lombardi

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TELESCRITTO

AI 28
~~AI~~ IARI (via tele)
ROMA (a mano)

AT COMILITER

AT LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.O. (SMIA)

GUERRA CABINETTO N. 116607 / I.I. AIR EST DIRITTO AT COMILITER IARI ET
PER CONOSCENZA AT U.S.I.A. ROMA AIR SEMPRE INTERRUZIONI PERVENUTE SMIA
PIERRE DI MONTE MERCE' SOTTOFRENTE SRECCONI GIUSEPPE RESTI NELLA SUA
SEDE ATTUALE FINO AL 1° AGOSTO AIR PREDETTO UFFICIALE NON DOVRA' LASCIARE
NE IARI DURANTE TALE PERIODO ESSENDO CHE PER ORDINE DEGLI ALLEATI AIR
ASSICURARE AIR D'ORDINE CAPO CABINETTO.....170745

TRANSMISSION

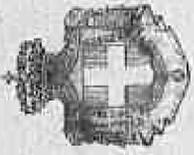
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	Date	18/7
	Time	16.5
	Date	20/7



IL CAPO DI CABINETTO
(Col. Luigi Lombardi)

Luigi Lombardi

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*L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra*

Ufficio Militare

N° 40456 di prot.

OGGETTO : Criminali di guerra.

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C. (AMIA)

R O M A

e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIOR R.T. - Uff. C.A.-

R O M A

Riferimento foglio Int/121 in data 7 luglio c.a.

Per i dati richiesti relativi ai militari italiani in servizio ai campi di concentramento nn. 57 e 78 sono stati interessati i Comandi nella cui giurisdizione si trovavano i predetti campi.

Appena possibile saranno trasmesse a codesto Comando.

Le notizie pervenute.-

IL STABILIMENTO CENTRALE
(Gen. Vincenzo Dapino)

V. Dapino

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Roma, 17 luglio 1945

G. Int.

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Roma, 17 Luglio 1945

*Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra*

Ufficio Militare

G. Int.

N° 40466 di prot.

OGGETTO : Criminali di guerra.

→ ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COM. A.C. (MILIA)

ROMA

e, per conoscenza:

ALLO STATO MAGGIORF R.7. - Uff. C.A. - ROMA

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IL STABILIMENTO
(Gen. Vincenzo Dapino)

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

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FROM: MMIA
TO: AFHQ
FOR INFO: 54 AREA
MINISTRY OF WAR
REF NO: INT/216

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
17 1700 B

CONFIDENTIAL

YOUR FILE 559 CITE FEGAS OF 16 JULY (.) WAR MINISTRY INSTRUCTED TO HOLD
SECOND LIEUTENANT STROGONI TILL 1 AUG (.) FOR WAR MINISTRY (.) STROGONI
WILL REMAIN AT DISPOSAL OF 54 AREA (.) OUR INT/225 REFERS

Of 16 July
See John 76

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATION Carl Seebay (90)

File INT/121

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IMPORTANT

M.M.I.A.
6/17/78
SIGNALS

LRGP V LANE MRC P T
T-TEXT QVR 1
FROM AFHQ 162123E
TO M.M.I.A. 54 AREA
CR 50 BT

INT

N 36/17

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RESTRICTED MMIA INT/214 OF 13 NOT TO SECOND ADDRESSEE. FREQ559 SECOND
LIEUTENANT STECCONI NOW AT 6 PIAZZA UMBERTO BARI. UNDERSTOOD DUE TO
LEAVE 13 JULY. SIGNED SACHED CITE FURAB. ESSENTIAL HE REMAIN AT
DISPOSAL OF 54 AREA UNTIL 28 JULY. FOR 54 AREA. ARREST STECCONI IF
NECESSARY. OUR 61/DR/15236/AS OF 11 JULY REFERS.
BT 162123E

SENT NR 6 00200 UTX 3 4
REC'D MRC AT 00200 BP 332 KKKY

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Urgentissimo

= FONOGRAMMA A MANO =

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
ROMA



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GUERRA CABINETTO N° 146350/I/1 AIT SEGUITO TELE-
SCRITTO N. 115797/I/1 IN DATA 8 MAGGIO AIT AT CONFERMA
COMUNICAZIONE VERBALE FATTA AL MAGGIORE BAUMANN INFORMA-
SI CHE SOTTOTENENTE STECCONI GIUSEPPE SI E' PRESENTATO AT
COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI BARI GIORNO 11 LUGLIO
CORRENTE AIT D'ORDINE CAFOGABINETTO140745

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IL CAPO DI CABINETTO
(Colonnello L. Lombardi)

Lombardi



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OUTGOING SIGNAL

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FROM : ISIA
TO : MINISTRY OF WAR
REF NO: INT/ 125

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
16 14 50 B

RESTRICTED

REQUEST YOU ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS TO BARI TERR HQ THAT E/L T
S T E C O N I WILL BE REQUIRED TO REMAIN PRESENT LOCATION UNTIL
1 AUG (*) SUBJECT MUST NOT LEAVE BARI DURING THIS PERIOD
EXCEPT ON ALLIED ORDERS

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED _____

File: Int/121

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FORM 3-44
ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No. 5814

Call

Priority

Seri. No.

Transmission Instructions

CIPHER SECRET

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

Office Date Stamp

Date-Time of Origin
141535G

FROM (A) AFHQ sgd SAEMED c/w FHGAB

CG 5 Army & Army, MMIA,
CG Penbase, CG MTOUSA PW Comd,
Penworth, Distone, Distone,

D286

TO

Distone, 54 Area

Dist 121

G.R.

Message Instructions
QUR 3

Originator's No.

FX 22467 0 Secret 0

Capt ETTORE VIVARI 2nd Army urgently required as
witness war crimes trial 0 request all possible steps taken
to trace 0 when traced notify this HQ by signal and
arrange for him to report to HQ 54 Area BARI (by 20
July) 0 Air travel will be used if necessary 0 VIVARI
will retain present status and if necessary escort will
accompany 0 All informed

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"A" Distone
Action copy "A"

QUR 167

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

District, SU Area

Sub 121

Message Instructions
QR 3

Originator's No.

FX 22467 O Secret O

Capt ETTORE VIVARI Ital Army urgently required as witness near crimes trial O request all possible steps taken to trace O when traced notify this HQ by signal and arrange for him to report to HQ SU Area BARI by 20 July O Air travel will be used if necessary O VIVARI will retain present status and if necessary escort will accompany O All informed

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[Signature]

"A" Distr
Action Copy "A"
Info "Int."

16 July 45.

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except WIRELESS.

If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.

Originator's Instructions, Degree of Priority.

Important.

Time	System	Op
THI or TOR 1415350		
Time Cleared		

Signed.

[Signature]

Signed.

[Signature]

OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM :	MMIA	DATE	TIME
TO :	AFHQ	13	B
REF :	INT ELG		RESTRICTED

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REF OUR INT/ELG OF 9 JULY (*) 2/LT
STECIONI NO. 47 NO. 6 PIAZZA
UMBERTO BARI

PRIORITY IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED _____

FILE : INT/ELG

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LEOF V LAEE NR32 P P

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FROM AFHQ 11440B

TO MMIA

GR25 BT

Int 121 1852 *67*

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GI. Int.
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SIGNALS

CONFIDENTIAL. F28769

YOUR INT/212 OF 5 JUL (.) SIGNED SAGMED CITE FHGAB (.)

INFORMATION URGENTLY REQUIRED OF DATE OF ARRIVAL OF STECCONI AT EARL (.)

BT 111440B

SENT NR32 JLP E

NR 32 RECD

111517D PJD KKK

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CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: War Criminals

8/10/45 *66*

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

INT/121

7 July 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. The undermentioned Italian military are urgently required in connection with the investigation of War Crimes:-

- (a) Carabinieri BODINI Marinello
- (b) Pte RUSSO Salvatore

Both served as sentries at PG 57 (GRUPPIGNANO) in May 1943.

- (c) Carabinieri SALCICOLA Giovanni
- (d) Pte ROBI Giuseppe

Known to be sentries at PG 78 SULLONA in December 1941.

2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present locations of the above.

RBC Plester
Maj
Major General,
MMIA.

Copy to: A

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

July 1945
Civie

CONFIDENTIAL

L. Jones
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dl

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.
G-1(Br)/15063/A3

3 Jul 1945.

CG, POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commission A.C. ✓
HQ No. 1 District.
CEG 2nd Echelon.
HHC MTOUSA.

A.

1. The undermentioned Italian personnel are urgently required in connection with the investigation of war crimes.
2. Please inform this HQ as soon as possible of the present locations of such of the undermentioned as may be identifiable from your records *please:-*

(a) Carabinieri SODINI Marinello

Height about 5' 7"
Weight about 11 stone
Clean shaven, pale complexion
Aquiline nose: does not speak English.

(b) Pte HUSSO Salvatore

Description not known

NOTE: both the above-named were sentries at FG 57 GRUFPINGWAND in May 1943.

See Index 142

M. Wheeler, Major
Major General,
DAG., G-1(Br).

/RTOL

Copy to: DM (SID)
JA.

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SUBJECT: War Criminals.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1(Br)/15058/A3

3 Jul 1945.

CG, POW Command MTOUSA.
Land Forces Sub-Commissioner a.G. ✓
HQ No.1 District.
CHQ 2nd Echelon.
PLG MTOUSA.

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Corporal SAICICCIA Giovanni
Pte ROSSI Giuseppe

} Known to be sentries at FG 78
SULMONA in December 1941.

See Folio 144

/RTOL.

M.M. Whead. Major
Major General,
DAG., G1(Br).

Copy to: DHM (SIB)
JA.

OUTGOING SIGNAL

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FROM : IMCIA
TO : AMEJ
REF : IMR/213

OG 1730

Folio 53

RESTRICTED

FURTHER TO OUR IMR/212 OF 5 JULY (+) 2/IE STROGONI LEFT
BOLOGNA FOR BARI ON 5 JULY (+) SUBJECTS ADDRESS BARI
IS PIAZZA UMBERTO NO 6

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT
AUTHENTICATED

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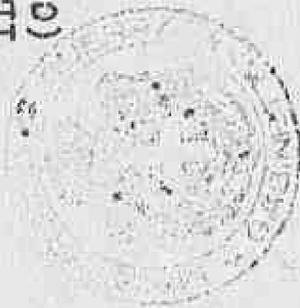
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LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.A.)

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BARI (via tele)
ROMA (a mano)

GUERRA GABINETTO N° 115797 / I.1. ALT EST DIRETTO AT COMILITER
BARI ET PER CONSCENZA AT LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. MMIA ALT
RIFERIMENTO TELESCRITTO 115255 DATA 2 CORRENTE TRASMESSO AT MMIA
CON LETTERA 115478/I.1. DATA 5 CORRENTE ALT COMILITER BOLOGNA
HABET COMNICATO CHE SOTTOTENENTE STECCONI GIUSEPPE EST PARTITO
DA FIDENZA GIOHNO 5 IUGLIO CORRENTE PER RAGGIUNGERE BARI ALT REPE
RIBILE IN BARI PIAZZA UMBERTO NUMERO 6 ALT PREGASI COMUNICARE
TEPESTIVAMENTE ARRIVO IN BARI PREDETTO UFFICIALE ALT D'ORDINE
CAPO GABINETTO.....*080645*

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col. Luigi Lombardi)



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TEMPESTIVAMENTE ARRIVO IN BARI PREDETTO UFFICIALE ALT D'ORDINE
CAPO GABINETTO.....070645

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
(Col. Luigi Lombardi)



Luigi Lombardi

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CONFIDENTIAL SIGNAL

File 61

FROM : MEJA
TO : AFHQ
REF NO : INT/212

DATE TIME OF ORIGIN
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CONFIDENTIAL

YOUR F 14433 CITE FAGAS OF 23 JUNE (*) 2/LT ST E C C O N I GRANTED
COMPASSIONATE LEAVE TO B O L O G N A FOLLOWING DEATH OF FATHER (*)
WAR MINISTRE HAVE ORDERED HIS IMMEDIATE RETURN B A R I (*)
WILL ADVISE YOU BY SIGNAL S T E C C O N I'S ARRIVAL B A R I

PRECEDENCE URGENT

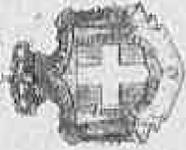
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Ministero della Guerra

Gabinetto

Proposta di
115473/I.I. Allegati

ROMA

5 LUG 1945

ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

Proposta di Toglio del 28.6.1945
D. 115473/I.I.

OGGETTO Sottotenente STECCONI Giuseppe.

Il Comando Militare Territoriale di Bari interessato con lettera n° 114177/I.I. diretta anche a codesta Missione per conoscenza, ha comunicato che il Sottotenente STECCONI Giuseppe, giudicato non idoneo al servizio militare incondizionato dalla Commissione Medico Ospedaliera di Bari è stato ricollocato in congedo, pur rimanendo a disposizione di quel Comando.

L'ufficiale a causa della morte del padre trovosi attualmente a Fidenza (Parma) e il Comando Militare Territoriale di Bari ha avuto cura di interessare quello di Bologna ed al Distretto Militare di Parma che attualmente lo ha in forza, per le necessarie misure atte a garantire la pronta reperibilità dell'ufficiale stesso.

Questo Gabinetto con i telescritti n° 115184/I.I. e n° 115255/I.I. in data 2 luglio, che si uniscono in copia, ha dato immediate disposizioni perchè il Sottotenente STECCONI rientri immediatamente a Bari a disposizione di quel Comando Territoriale per essere prontamente reperibile ad ogni richiesta da parte delle autorità alleate per il noto processo dei delitti di guerra.

Si avrà cura di dare le assicurazioni richieste non appena perverranno notizie dagli enti che sono stati interessati con i telescritti sopra indicati.

d'ordine

IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

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Ministero della Guerra

ROMA

Gabinetto

Giuseppe
13043/I.I. Allegat.

Int.

Disposta al Sigillo del 28.6.1945
Dir. INT/121

OGGETTO Sottotenente STECCONI Giuseppe.

Mr. Stecconi Giuseppe

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IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

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TELESCRITTO

2 Luglio 1945

AT COMILITER

BARI

GUERRA GABINETTO N° II5184/I/1 ALT PRESENTE EST DIRETTO AT
COMILITER BOLOGNA ET DISTRETTILES PARMA ALT RIFERIMENTO
LETTERA N. IO260/I IN DATA 23 GIUGNO COMILITER BARI ALT
PREGASI DARE URGENTE ASSICURAZIONE PRONTA REFERIBILITA'
SOTTOTENENTE PANTERIA COMPLEMENTO STECCONI GIUSEPPE CLASSE
1908 RIENTRATO RECENTEMENTE PRESSO FAMILIARI A PIVENZA ALT
D'ORDINE CAPO GABINETTO.....020745

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
F/to Col. Luigi LOMBARDI

P.C.C.
IL CAPO UFFICIO I
(Ten. Col. O. SILLI)

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C O P I A

T E L E S C R I T T O

AT COMILITER

B A R I

GUERRA GABINETTO N. 115255/I.I. ALT PRESENTE EST DIRETTO AT COMANDO STAZIONE CARABINIERI REALI FIDENZA ET PER CONOSCENZA AT COMILITER BOLOGNA ET DETRAMILES PARMA ALT SEQUITO TELESCRITTO N.115184/I.I. DATA 2 LUGLIO NON DIRETTO COMILITER BARI ET COMANDO STAZIONE CARABINIERI REALI FIDENZA ALT PREGASI DISPORRE PERCHE' SOTTOTENENTE COMPLEMENTO STECCONI GIUSEPPE ATTUALMENTE PRESSO FAMILIARI FIDENZA SI PRESENTI SUBITO AT COMILITER BARI RESTANDO AT DISPOSIZIONE AUTORITA' ALLEATA PER PARTECIPARE COME TESTIMONIO PROCESSO DELITTI DI GUERRA CHE SARA' CELEBRATO AT BARI 18 LUGLIO PROSSIMO VENTURO ALT PREGASI ASSICURARE TELEGRAFICAMENTE NOTIFICANDO INDIRIZZO BARI PREDETTO SOTTOTENENTE STECCONI RICHIESTO AUTORITA' ALLEATE AT COMILITER BARI EST PREGATO COMUNICARE TEMPESTIVAMENTE ARRIVO IN BARI PREDETTO UFFICIALE ALT D'ORDINE CAPOGABINETTO ...020745

P. C. C.
IL CAPO UFFICIO I
(Ten.Col.O.Silli)

IL CAPO DI GABINETTO
F.to Col.Luigi Lombardi

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

1953

LAND FORCE 24

Originator's Reference: F14433

Date/Time of Origin: 282029B

MMIA
24/29

Message Centre No: N1/29

Date Time Rec'd: _____

Precedence: P

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE THGAB

TO: TO AC FOR MMIA

SECRET

IMPORTANT

CIR GI/B/15005/A-3 OF JUNE 13TH. ANTICIPATE SECOND LIEUT

STECCONI REQUIRED BARI 17 JULY. CONFIRM AVAILABILITY BY SIGNAL.

VERY URGENT.

IMPORTANT

AI

AA 7th

SECRET

CIPHER TELEGRAM
The message will not be distributed outside
the US Government Department of
Defense or re-transmitted even in cipher
if it is being paraphrased (Messages marked
Ours need not be paraphrased)

1050

Phoned G2 AFHQ
to say that W 27 W had
291100 Sent to fetch S from Bologna.

2705200/7

Forwarded 1 July 23

SUBJECT: 2/Lt. STECCONI

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (EMIA)

INT/121

28 June 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

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Further to our INT/121 of 15 June.

1. This H.Q. has received notification that the War Crimes Trial at which 2/Lt Stecconi is required as witness will be held in Bari on 18 July 45.
2. You are requested to notify the Bari Military Headquarters of the above instructing them to hold the u/m officer ready.
3. Please confirm as soon as possible that STECCONI has been warned to stand-by, notifying this HQ subject's Bari address.

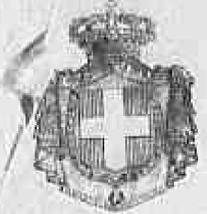
[Signature]
 Major-General
 EMIA

agl.
 Internal:
 Copy to: "A"

Phoned S/7 for urgent reply.

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Cabinetto

Ord. N° 114177/1/1 Allegati

112.17.84

Reposta al disp. del

Roma, 19 GIU. 1945

Dir. St. G. AF

OGGETTO D. Tenente STECCONI Giuseppe

St. G. AF
Int

<i>Al</i> COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI	<u>B A R I</u>
(seguito lett.n.105024/I del 21/2/1945)	
e, per conoscenza:	
ALLA LAND FORCES SUE COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)	<u>R O M A</u>
(rif.lett.n. Int/121 del 15 corr.)	
ALLA DIREZIONE GENERALE PERSONALE UFFICIALI	<u>S E D E</u>

Come da lettera in riferimento codesto Comando fu a suo tempo interessato di prendere tutte le possibili misure atte a garantire la pronta reperibilità del sottotenente STECCONI Giuseppe.

Per disposizione della M.M.I.A., l'ufficiale nel prossimo luglio dovrà presentarsi come testimonia ad un processo relativo a delitti di guerra.

Pregasi dare le necessarie disposizioni per la sua immediata disponibilità in seguito a breve preavviso.

I particolari circa data e località del processo saranno comunicati appena possibile.

Si gradirà assicurazione.

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

P. P. P.

MA. S.

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Indfw orders to P. P. P. to alert Stecconi for trial

MILITARY RESEARCH SERVICE

ALLIED SCREENING COMMISSION (ITALY)
C.M.F.

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19 June, 1945.

ASC-4-2/HJB/RB/7.

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TOP SECRET

To:- G-2(P/W) Section,
A.F.H.Q.,
C.M.F.

Subject:- Italian P/W Dossier

1. We attach hereto translation of letter which originated from M.M.I.A. and which we received from the Italian Ministry of War.
2. Please refer to this M.M.I.A. letter Ref. I.F.S.C. IFT/121 ddt. 19 April, 1945.

Para. 2

- (a) See enclosure No.199.
- (b) Unable to locate in files held by us.
- (c) See enclosure- No.295
- (d) See enclosure No.286
- (e) See enclosure No.209
- (f) There are three SMITHS involved in shootings at C.C. Pg.66. See enclosures No.281, 161 and 157.
- (g) Unable to locate in files held by us.
- (h) Unable to locate in files held by us.
- (i) See enclosure No.173.

Para. 3

We have contacted Italian records who inform us that Col. SANTORO Giuseppe was Camp Commandant of Pg.78 on 26 Dec.1941.

Para. 4

COL. MAGGIONE Guido is employed at present with R.T.D.Littorio (Rome). He may be contacted through this office as he is known to the writer who can confirm from his personal knowledge

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the assistance rendered to Pc/W.

3. There are still some files to be picked up but rather than hold the matter up until we receive them all, we are replying as above. Each enclosure contains a Summary and translation of what we consider to be the salient facts, but should G-1 (Br) wish to examine the entire file, it can be sent down for perusal and return.

A. J. Byrnes
A. J. BYRNES
Major
Officer Commanding,
Allied Screening Commission (Italy)
C.M.F.

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copy to:- Allied Commission (M.M.I.A.) ✓
APO. 394,
C.M.F.
(Attn. Capt. Selby, GSO. III)

This refers to conversation Maj. Byrnes/Capt. Selby last week in which we decided that enclosures would go through our channels instead of through yours in order to save duplication. Therefore enclosures are not attached to this copy.

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SUBJECT: General Nicola BELIOMO

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (MMIA)

DET/121

21 June 45

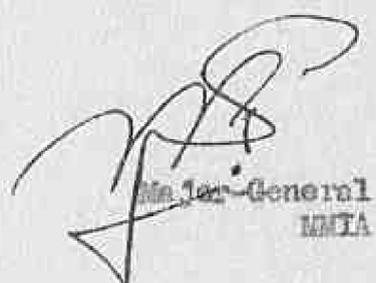
TO : ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

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Ref your GI/Br/15005/A-3 of 15 Jun 45.

Attached please find the original documents relating to the shooting of Capt. G. FLAYNE and Lieut. R. COOKE at P.W. Camp TORRE TRESGO on 30 Nov 41.

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Major-General
MMIA

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117.3.55

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OGGETTO Commissione d'inchiesta Generale BELLOMO
Nicola.

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Come da richiesta verbale del Mag-
giore BAUMANN al Ten.Col.SILLI si trasmet-
tono gli originali di tutti i documenti
inviati in copia con la lettera n.110678/I.
del 5 gennaio u.s.

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d'ordine
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

Penland

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM RMIA Date Time
TO AFHQ 19 1145-B

REF INT/209

RESTRICTED

REF YOUR EX 93318 CITE PRGAB OF 14 JUNE (.) NO
TRACE OF CAPT SOMMAVILLA YET (.) 2/LT
BRANDUARDI FRANCESCO NOW
SERVING WITH 1 PORT EN OF 1 PROVISIONAL
GP HQ LEGNORH (.) REQUEST FURTHER
INSTRUCTIONS

PRIORITY IMPORTANT

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ogl 19 June 45

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SUBJECT: General BELLOMO Nicola

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (MIA)

INT/121

18 June 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. The copies of documents relating to the BELLOMO case, sent to this HQ under cover of your 110678/1 of 5 Jan 45, were duly forwarded to AFHQ.

2. AFHQ has now asked for the originals of these documents as quickly as possible. As already requested of Lt. Col. SILLI by Major BAUMANN, will you please supply these papers with the least possible delay, for onward transmission to AFHQ.

cgl.

R.G.A.G.R.
for Major-General
MIA

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SUBJECT: General Nicola BELLOMO.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

GA/Br/15005/1-3.

BMIA.

G(INT)
16/6

16 Jun 45.
F.u.s.
Red cover.

1. Reference your S/1/121 dated 13 Jan 45 forwarding file of documents relating to the shooting of Capt George PLAYNE and Lieut ROY R. COOKE at PW Camp TORRE TRESOO on 30 November 44.
2. The originals of these documents are urgently required and it is requested that the Ministry of War may be called upon to produce the original documents without delay.

JIA.

[Signature]
Major General,
DAG, G1(Br).

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SECRET

SUBJECT: War Crimes Mission

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (AMIA)

C/S

16 June 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Luftwaffe 77

1. Further to your 302912/0.A. of 20 Oct 44 and AMIA letter 315-1-10 3/1/44 of 10 Nov 44.

2. The Italian Government may send a Mission to GYFALONIA to investigate crimes of Germans against Italians.

3. The Mission will be permitted to carry out their investigation themselves but under Allied Control. The Allied Agency who will supervise the Mission in GYFALONIA will be Land Forces GYFALONIA.

4. You are requested to submit to this HQ detailed proposals regarding:

- (a) Function of Mission.
- (b) Organization of Mission, viz:
 - (i) Total numbers and whether civilian or military.
 - (ii) Provisions for transport, Office Equipment, etc.
 - (iii) Whether or not interpreters will be provided by the Mission.
- (c) Location of HQ of the Mission and organization to which attached for quarters, rations, finance and general administration.
- (d) Procedure for investigation of suspects, collection of evidence and form of records.
- (e) Estimate of number of cases to be investigated and approximate areas where investigations are to be conducted.
- (f) Whether or not investigations in different areas will be conducted at the same time.
- (g) Duration of period during which investigations will continue.
- (h) Actions as result of the investigations.

1. Further to your FOUR/3/44 of 20 Oct 44 and IMIA letter 5/1/44 of 10 Nov 44.

2. The Italian Government may send a Mission to CEEALOMIA to investigate crimes of Germans against Italians.

3. The Mission will be permitted to carry out their investigation themselves but under Allied Control. The Allied Agency who will supervise the Mission in CEEALOMIA will be Land Forces OFFICE.

4. You are requested to submit to this HQ detailed proposals regarding:-

- (a) Function of Mission.
- (b) Organization of Mission, via:
 - (i) Total numbers and whether civilian or military.
 - (ii) Provisions for transport, air-se equipment, etc.
 - (iii) Whether or not interpreters will be provided by the Mission.
- (c) Location of HQ of the Mission and organization to which attached for quarters, rations, finance and general administration.
- (d) Procedure for investigation of suspects, collection of evidence and form of record.
- (e) Estimate of number of cases to be investigated and approximate areas where investigations are to be conducted.
- (f) Whether or not investigations in different areas will be conducted at the same time.
- (g) Duration of period during which investigations will continue.
- (h) Actions as result of the investigation.

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5. Further decisions on questions such as limitations on Missions, introduction procedures, supervision, etc will be made on receipt of proposals as requested in para 4 above.

R 15/6
for REP
Major General
IMIA

Copy to: [redacted] (Attn G-5 (Sec))
U.S. OFFICE, A.G.
LAND FORCES OFFICE

Interval: 3/1/44

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OUTGOING SIGNAL

FROM: MMIA
TO : MINISTRY OF WAR
REF : INT/208

Date Time
15 1700 B

CONFIDENTIAL

FOR COL L O M B A R D I (.) FOLLOWING ITALIAN OFFICERS
BELIEVED TO HAVE SERVED WITH F A S C I S T A R M I E S
MOST URGENTLY REQUIRED BY ALLIES AS WITNESSES AT WAR
CRIMES TRIAL TO BE HELD SHORTLY (.) CAPT S O M M A V I L L A
ANTONIO AND 2/LT B E A N D U A R D I F R A N C E S C O (.)
REQUEST ALL POSSIBLE STEPS BE TAKEN TO TRACE WHEREABOUTS
AND APPREHEND THESE OFFICERS (.) IF TRACED INFORM THIS
B Q BY SIGNAL OR TELEPHONE

PRECEDENCE IMPORTANT

AUTHENTICATED [Signature]

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WB 15 June 1945

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To 14(A) ref

MESSAGE FORM

Priority

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Transmit. Instructions

SECRET

Register No. 2/15

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FROM (A)

Originator

Date-Time of Origin

Office Date Stamp

AFHQ Sgd. SACHED 142220Z

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(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions

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AFHQ

Originator's No.

FX 93318

SECRET

CIR FHGAB

Following ITALIAN believed to have been
with fascist activities suggested as
witness was witness trial bug, held shortly
Capt. SOMMAVILLA ANTONIO
Request all possible steps be taken to trace and
hold as POW to Army info concerning
whereabouts should be verified this HQ by Siguelo
Also requested as witness 2/Lt BRANDUARDI
FRANCESCO to be traced in form when 1162-13

TO DISTINGUISHED DISTANCE

(W) For Information (INFO)

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Message Instructions

G.R.

Originator's No.

FX 93318

SECRET

CIR FHGAB

Following ITALIAN believed to have been
 with fascist aims negatively treated as
 witness when witness trial being held shortly
 Capt. SOMPAVILLA ANTONIO
 Request all possible steps be taken to trace and
 hold by POW ID Army in to concerning
 whereabouts should be verified to HQ by signal
 Also required as witness 2/Lt BRANDUARDI
 FRANCESCO
 If trace in form by
 but NOT necessary held as POW

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except

WIRELESS

If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.

Originator's Instructions, Degree of Priority.

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Signed.

Signed.

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SUBJECT: 2/Lt STECCONI

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMLA)

INT/1M

15 June 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. Last February 2/Lt STECCONI was released from internment to the BARI Military Headquarters which made itself responsible for STECCONI's attendance at any time or place required.
2. It will be necessary to call 2/Lt STECCONI as a witness to a War Crimes Trial which is expected to be held during July.
3. You are requested to notify the BARI Military Headquarters of the above, instructing them to hold this Officer available at short notice. Details of date and place of Trial will be notified later.
4. Please send this HQ a copy of your instructions to the BARI Military Headquarters.

File

W. R. Selby
Major General
MMLA

Copy to: AMHQ (Ref your G-1/B/15005/A-3 of 13 June)

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SUBJECT :- War Crimes.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G1/B/15005/A-3.

13 June 45.

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15/6

H.M.I.A.

Reference your 3/1/45 dated 22 Feb 45.

1. It will be necessary to call 2nd Lieut STECCONI as a witness to a War Crimes trial which is expected to be held during July.
2. This officer was released from internment to the BARI Military H.Q. which made itself responsible for STECCONI's attendance at any time or place required.
3. Details of date and place of trial will be notified later and it is requested that the Ministry of War may be asked to hold the officer available at short notice.

HEADQUARTERS
14 JUN 1945

Raplan
Major General,
DAG., G-1 (B).

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17 May 45

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The Under Secretary of State,
The War Office (Cas PW),
Curzon Street House,
Curzon Street,
LONDON, W.1.

20/5

Subject: Unofficial P.W. Reports

Forwarded herewith for information, at Appendix "A" is a copy of a report made by the Rev. H.H. Jones, C.P., 5 Ind Regt., R.A., regarding the POW Camp, Ospitale, Bondeno.

A list of suggested identifications is attached at Appendix "B".

Ray
9003
for Brigadier,
D.A.G.,
C.H.Q., 2nd Echelon.

C.M.P.

Copies to:-

Canadian Section,
2nd Echelon, A.F.H.Q.,
Canadian Army, Cdn.

Adv 2nd Echelon,
2 H.E.F.P., Cdn.

Adv O2E (Indian), Cdn.
(The photograph of the Indian interrogator was not received at this Hd. It will be obtained and forwarded if possible).

C.G. - MICUSA,
APO 512, U.S. Army,
(Attention - Casualty Branch, A.G.O.)

Army Sub-Commission,
M.H.I.A., Allied Commission,
Rome.

H.Q.,
Force 133,
Cdn.

S.P.

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APPENDIX "A"

THE P.O.W. CAMP -
OSPITALE .. BONDENO

It has been possible, after conversation with a number of Italian Civilians, to obtain a certain measure of information about the above P.O.W. Camp. It appears that a camp for O.R.'s was established in the Elementary School at OSPITALE about six months ago. About three months later, a house in the vicinity known as Villa Formasari, became a camp for Allied Officers. It does not appear that the prisoners remained long in these camps and the evidence of the civilians as well as names of prisoners and of their units which have been found written on walls establishes the fact that British, Indian, Canadian, New Zealand, Greek, U.S.A., and Italian prisoners passed through these camps.

All the civilians who have been questioned testify that the treatment of the prisoners was extremely good. An interesting fact which has come to light is the presence of two 'coloured' soldiers, said to be Indians, with the German Military personnel who supervised the camp. They were alleged to have been originally Indian soldiers captured by the enemy who later accepted service in the German Army and assumed German Military uniform. Their chief employment seems to have been the interrogating of Indian personnel captured by the enemy. To the civilians they were known as Pietro and Rami. The enclosed photograph is one of these two Indian interrogators.

The last day when prisoners were seen in the Camp was Saturday 21st April. That evening the remaining prisoners were marched away on foot. The Camp Commandant is said to have been an Austrian Major.

NAMES OF PERSONNEL

The civilians recall the presence in the Officers Camp of a British Captain a New Zealand Lieutenant, an Italian Lieutenant, and Indian Lieutenant and an Indian 2nd Lieut. A British Lieutenant whose name was given as Lieutenant CAMPBELL 2 I.I.R. 180858 passed through the camp about a week or so ago.

The names of the following O.Rs have been found on walls and gates and have often been only deciphered with the greatest difficulty:

Pte. PENNIE Royal Scots. B Coy.	Tpr. H. HARRISON C Sqn. 44 Recce Regt.
Pte. T. LAWSON, B Coy. Royal Scots.	Pte. E. GARR 4978154, C Coy 2/5 Queens
R. BALLARD, 56 Recce Regt.	Rfm. G. Griffiths
Rfm. O. KEMLETT	" M. TILTMAN
C. H. CROSSY	" E. J. DEERAN
Rfm. W. PURCELL	L/Cpl. W. SCOTT
" R. BROWN	Sgt. T. PRICE
L/Cpl. DANIELS	Rfm. E. MC GARRY
Rfm. MIDDLETON	" R. S. BROWN
Cpl. S. QUICK	" HARVEY
Rfm. HUTTICOTE	L/Cpl. LITCHFIELD
Rfm. MC GAIL	" PINDARA
Sgt. KINSON	Rfm. WHEELER
Rfm. MARSHALL	L/Cpl. OWEN
L/Cpl. MILHOLLAND	Cpl. BAILEY
L/Cpl. COATES	Rfm. LEWIS
Rfm. R. LOOSEMORE	

1st I.I.R. 1154

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| C. H. CROSSY | " E. J. DIERMAN |
| Rfn. W. PURCELL | L/Cpl. W. SCOTT |
| " R. BROWN | SGT. T. PRICE |
| L/Cpl. DANIELS | Rfn. E. MC CARTHY |
| Rfn. MIDDLETON | " R. S. BROWN |
| Cpl. S. QUICK | " HARVEY |
| Rfn. HUTTICOLE | L/Cpl. LITCHFIELD |
| Rfn. MC GILL | " FERRATEA |
| Sgt. KINSON | Rfn. WHEELER |
| Rfn. MARSHALL | L/Cpl. OWEN |
| L/Cpl. MULLOLLAND | Cpl. BAILEY |
| L/Cpl. COATES | Rfn. LEWIS |
| Rfn. R. LOOSEMORE | Rfn. SHARMAN |
| H. MASKELL DUGAN | Cpl. TAYLOR |
| Rfn. LEWIS | Rfn. CRANLEY |
| " CULLAN | |
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| 2nd L.I.R. | 2nd L.I.R. |
| 2nd Rifle Bde. | 1st L.I.R. |
| | 2nd Rifle Bde. |
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- CANADIAN FORCES
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| 43290 Sgt. GADEOIS, R 22 R (Montreal) | Pte. PERON H.P. R.C.R. |
| B 87832 Pte. RANDALL H.A. R.C.R. | F 77575 Pte. J.A. MACNEIL W.M.S.R. |
| F 56971 Pte. LE BLANCHE R.C.R. | L 104640 R ALBERS 4 P.T.D.S. CANADA |
| DAVID PARKER 338 Inf R.C.R. | D 1435717 Pte. ROBERTS H Coy R 22 R. |
| B 133076 VALLEMOUCHEUR A COY R 22 R | D 632891 Sgt. GADANS R 22 R (MONTREAL) |

NEW ZEALAND FORCES

Pte. KIRK G.S. - 2 N.Z.E.F.
Spr. C.J. UTTING NZEF

G.E. ANDREWS, King St, Temuka STH
CAMBERBURY

INDIAN FORCES

KHAN MONDA
JAR MAMGEDI

ITALIAN FORCES

RUTA ANTONIO
G.M. RUSSO GIROLANO
21 PANTI CHERONE, B DATT 2 COMP 8 M 64

UNITED STATES FORCES

Pte. RICHARD P CLAY 88 Div U.S. APO
PETE BORDA, NEVADA.

CLAY L 351. 88(?)
JOHN L KALAMASZ 3673 E 57 St, Cleveland
OHIO

Fus. CHILCOTT }
14552731 Fus } ROYAL FUSILIERS
G. SHEPHERD }

TOXUYS XEIOEY (Creek)

Fred Bixell (27.2.45)
14250076 W. WALLACE, Buffs.
HV CLARKE (13.4.45)
G. R. PERRY 4690003 (13.4.45)
Pte. GEORGE BUZZELL 31322882
MOYNIHAM) L 351 88 USA (?)
SCOTT)
FEET (4.12.44)
B. GLADSTONE
H. SMITH 3779160 Queens Royal Regt. (Rochdale)
Sgt. WHITEFIELD, SCOTS GUARDS
4105080 Pte. RICHARDS (30.10.44)
BLACKIES 2/4 K.O.Y.L.I.
SMITH
COLERA
GARAYT
WICKETT 5336836
J.O. JONES
E. LEE 2/4 K.O.Y.L.I. (Cumberland)
Pte. E. POWELL
VOLLETTZ
Norman KILPATRICK, 2 Orton Rd, Strood,
Kent.
F. LAMB
BLACKIE 2/4 K.O.Y.L.I.
WHITE 1693496 K.O.Y.L.I.
Sgt. JACK TRIGGS
Sgt. COY
D. SHAW
L/SGT FETRIE, Royal Scots

E.D. GREER, Kirdliston, West Lothian.
W. DUFFEY (21.1.45)
Pte. WATLING 1683929
14208707 R. LOCEMORE
14208811 Tpr. D. CARRIER 78 Div. RECCE
1714525 PRAPPELLAN
Mne. J. HOANEY, PLY X 109326 40 R.M. Cdo.
L/Cpl. NORTHBRIDGE
K. CLARKE
A. LEE 2/4 (74) K.O.Y.L.I. (9.10.44)
THOMAS BELFORD, 18 Livingstone St., New
Beckton, East Ham (12.1.44)
J.C. FRITH (STOCKPORT) 859371 R.H.A.
RICHARDSON
SULLIVAN P.L.F.
Pte. THOMSON 4459700
W. COATES 7942932 Long Eaton (31.10.44)
E. THOMAS (1841501) Cornwall
V.I. CLOSE D.L.I.
CPL. PRIOR
Pte. CLARKE K.O.Y.L.I.
J. HUNTON
MATHEW 7022713
Pte. E. WILSON G.A. E.11
GEORGE PRADY
Pte. E.T. HIERTY
Pte. IEBLA

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(Signed) H. E. JONES, C.F.
25.4.45.

L/Cpl. Daniels	do.	L/Cpl. E. V. C. Daniels	Located 25.4.45
Rfn. Middleton	do.	Rfn. F. G. Middleton	ditto
Cpl. S. Quick	do.	Cpl. S. Quick	Located
Rfn. Hatticoote	do.	Rfn. Hatticoote, M.	Located 25.4.45
Rfn. Mc Gail	do.	"	do.
Rfn. Marshall	do.	" Magill, J.	do.
Sgt. Minson	do.	" Marshall, H.	do.
		" Minson, T. R.	Missing known to be wounded - bel. P.W.
L/Cpl. Mulholland		L/Cpl. Mulholland, W.	2 L. I. R. - Located
L/Cpl. Coates?		" Coates, D.	do.
Rfn. R. Loosenore?		Rfn. Loosenore, R. H.	1 Buffs do.
Rfn. Maskell Dugan		"	do.
Rfn. Lewis	2nd Rifle Bde	Lewis, D. (2 R.E)	Missing 13.12.44 - confirmed P.W.
" Gullan	do.	"	"
Tpr. Harrison 44. Reece Regt.		Harrison, H.	Missing bel. P.W. 29.3.45
Pte. Carr E. 4978154. 2/5 Queens		"	"
Rfn. G. Griffiths - 2nd L. I. R.		Rfn. Griffiths, E. G.	Located
" M. Tiltman	do.	Tiltman, M. J.	do.
" L. J. Deegan	do.	" E. J. Deegan	do.
L/Cpl. W. Scott	do.	L/Cpl. W. Scott	do.
Sgt. T. Price	do.	Price, T. F.	do.
Rfn. E. McCarthy	do.	Rfn. McCarthy, E. H.	do.
" Brown, R. S.	do.	" Brown, R. S.	do.
" Harvey	do.	" Harvey, E. C.	do.
L/Cpl. Mitchell	do.	L/Cpl. Mitchell, W. G.	do.
" Pennington	do.	" Pennington, W. H.	do.
Rfn. Wheeler	do.	Rfn. Wheeler, W.	do.
L/Cpl. Owen	1st L. I. R.	L/Cpl. Owen, J. O.	Missing B.O. - 17.11.44
Cpl. Bailey	2nd Rifle	Bailey, B. L.	Confirmed P.W.
Rfn. S. Man	Bde.	Rfn. Sharman, E. R.	Missing 13.12.44
" Lewis	do.	Lewis, L. P.	Confirmed P.W.
Cpl. Taylor	do.	Taylor, A. J.	Missing bel. P.W. 27.2.45
Rfn. Cranley	do.	"	"
Rus. Chilcott	do.	"	"
L452731 Fus. G. Shepherd - R.F.	R.F.	Chilcott, D. G.	Missing 21.10.44 Conf PW.
Fred Byzell (27.2.45)		Shepherd, G.	ditto
L4250076 W. Wallace, Buffs.		"	"
L.V. Clark (13.4.45)		Wallace, W. W.	1 Buffs. Missg. 13.4.45 -
G. A. Perry 4590003 (13.4.45)		Clark, A. V.	" Located.
Pte. George Russell 31322882		Perry, G. R.	"
Fett (1.12.44)		"	"
S. Gladstone		Pte. Fell, A.	Missg. 13.4.45 known wounded
H. Smith 3779160 Queens R. Regt.		L/Cpl. Gladstone, S.	1 Buffs. Missg. 13.4.45 -
Sgt. Whitfield, Scots Guards		"	Located.
L405080 Pte. Richards (30.10.44)		Pte. Smith, H. 2/7 Queens	Missg. 8.12.44
Blackies 2/4 K.O.V.L.I.		L/Sgt. Whitfield, W. T.	Confirmed P.W.
Coler.		"	Missing 29.10.44 -
Garyst		Pte. Richards, R.	Confirmed P.W.
Wickett 5336836		"	DCLI - Missing 26.10.44
		"	Confirmed P.W.
J. O. Jones		Pte. Wickett, H. D.	"
F. Lee 2/4 K.O.V.L.I.		"	"
Pte. B. Powell		"	"
		Pte. 5336836	2/Torresters - Missg.
		4694105	27.10.44 - Conf. P.W.
		5188557	Missg. 9.10.44 - Conf. P.W.
			2/4 KOWLI ditto

Appendix "D" (Continued)
SUGGESTED
I D E H T I F I C A T I O N
Rank Name Casualty

A/No.	Rank Name	Casualty
	Vollatz	-
	Morgan WILKINSON	-
	F. Lano	-
	Blaide 2/4 KOMI	2/4 KOMI - Missg. 9.10.44
4692496	Pte. White, R.A.	confirmed P.W.
	Sgt. Jack TRISOP	-
	Sgt. Cot	-
	D. Shaw	-
	L/Sgt. Petrie, Royal Scots	-
3063210	L/Cpl. Greer, E.D.	2 R.S. Missg. 1.12.44 - confirmed P.W.
	E.D. Greer, Kirkliston, W. Lothian	-
1683929	Pte. Watling, R.	1 Buffs - Missg 13.4.45 Not located.
	W. Duffey (21.4.45)	-
	Pte. Watling 1683929	-
14208707	R. Loosmore	-
14208811	Tyr D. Carrier	56 Reece Regt. Missg. bel FN 12.13.2.45.
	78 Div. Reece	-
1714525	Peapellan	Located - returned to unit.
	Mrs. J. Heaney, Eng E	-
109326	Mrs Heaney, J.	-
4538027	L/Cpl. Northridge	L. Missg. 9.10.44 Conf. P.W.
	L/Cpl. Northridge	-
	L. Charles	-
	A. Lee 224 (74) KOMI (9.10.44)	Missg. 2.11.44 - Conf. P.W.
	Thomas DeLford	104 R.H.A. - Missg. wounded & bel. P.W. 14.12.44
	J.C. Pritch (Stockport)	-
	659371 R.A.A.	-
	Sullivan, E.L.F.	-
	Pte. Thomson 4459700	2 DCLI - Missg. 26.10.44 - confirmed P.W.
	W. Coates 7942932	-
	E. Thomas (1341501)	-
	V.L. Close, D.L.I.	16 DLI. Missg. 10.10.44 - confirmed P.W.
	Cpl. Prier	-
	Pte. Clarke, KOMI	-
	J. Hutton	-
	Mayhev 7022713	Missg. 20.10.44 - now confirmed P.W.
	Pte. E. Wilson G.A.	-
	George Fradey	-
	Pte. E.T. Hicorty	-
	Pte. Lebia	-

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Sgt. Jack Briggs	-	-	-	-	-
Sgt. Cot	-	-	-	-	-
D. Shaw	-	-	-	-	-
L/Sgt. Petrie, Royal Scots	3063210	L/Cpl. Green, E.D.	2 R.S. Mssg. 1.12.44 - confirmed P.W.		
E.D. Greer, Kirkliston, W. Lothian	1683929	Pte. Watling, R.	1 Buffs - Mssg 13.4.45 Now located.		
W. Duffey (21.4.45)	(See previous sheet)				
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Mrs. J. Heaney, Fly :	14203496	L/Cpl. Belford, T.	Mssg. 2.11.44 - Conf. P.W.		
109526 40 IM Commando	059371	Gnr. Frith, J.C.	104 R.I.A. - Mssg, wounded & bel.P.W. 14.12.44		
L/Cpl. Northridge	-	-	-		
K. Clark	-	-	-		
A. Lee 214(74) KOLL (9.10.44)	7942932	Cpl. Coates, W.	2 DCLI - Mssg. 26.10.44 - confirmed P.W.		
Thomas Belford	14585291	Pte. Close, W.	16 DLI. Mssg. 10.10.44 - confirmed P.W.		
J.C. Frith (Stockport)	7022713	Fus. Maynew, R.A.	Mssg. 20.10.44 - now confirmed P.W.		
859371 R.H.A.	-	-	-		
Sullivan, P.L.F.	-	-	-		
Pte. Thomson 1459700	-	-	-		
W. Coates 7942932	-	-	-		
E. Thomas (2842561)	-	-	-		
V.L. Close, D.L.I.	-	-	-		
Cpl. Prior	-	-	-		
Pte. Clarke, KOLL	-	-	-		
J. Hutton	-	-	-		
Maynew 7022713	-	-	-		
Pte. E. Wilson G.A. B.II	-	-	-		
George Treacey	-	-	-		
Pte. E.T. Hiearty	-	-	-		
Pte. Lewis	-	-	-		

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Roma, 15 maggio 1945

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*L'Alto Commissario
per i prigionieri di guerra*

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-UFFICIO MILITARE-
N° 35139/II[^] di prot.

OGGETTO: Personale italiano dei campi prigionieri di guerra.

L.F.S.C. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
e p.c. S.M.R.E. - UFFICIO C.A.

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Riferimento foglio Int./121 in data 7 corrente.

Come già comunicato con foglio 34023 in data 22 corrente, questo Alto Commissariato è nella impossibilità di conoscere l'attuale domicilio del personale in servizio alla data del 1° settembre 1943 nei campi prigionieri di guerra.

Come già informato col predetto foglio è stato interessato il Ministero della Guerra chè accerti e comunichi l'attuale posizione del detto personale.

p.L'ALTO COMMISSARIO
IL SEGRETARIO GENERALE
(Gen. Vincenzo Dapino)

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SUBJECT: War Crimes

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (MIA)

INT/121

7 May 45

TO : 50 British Liaison Unit

The attached for information and any action necessary.

[Handwritten Signature]
Major-General
MIA

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For 5 - refer

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Subject:- Atrocities.

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Liaison Office,
Land Forces, Sub Comm.,
A.C. (MMIA) c/o 54 Area.

Ref. LO/2/1/SD.

4 May 45.

To:- HQ. MMIA. ✓

Enclosed is TMS 2822 of 16 Apr. and covering envelope for whatever action you think fit.

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Maj.
Senior MMIALO
Eastern Italy.

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STATION TMS
RECORD No. 2822

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VINCI Salvatore Circolo Garibaldi Valona (Albania) Give place of Postmark where there is no address		VINCI Luigi Via Vittorio Emanuele 356 Catania	
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3. Atrocities

(Trans.-)

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EXAMINER	C1C3	REVIEWER	ACCO	EXAMINATION DATE	16/4/45
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SUBJECT: Italian Staffs at P.W. Camps

Land Forces Sub Com, A.C. (MIA)

INT/121

7 May 45

TO : ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

1. Attached please find translated copies of correspondence forwarded by the War Ministry in reply to our INT/121 of 19 April copy to you.
2. Owing to the fact that many officers on the staffs of the PW Camps were demobilized before the Liberation of Rome the War Ministry are unable to trace their present locations and addresses.
3. Further information will be forwarded when available.

J. H. Bellamy
 Major-General
 MIA

Encl: Nominal Rolls of P.G. 5
 P.G. 41
 P.G. 49
 P.G. 51
 P.G. 98
 P.G. 115

Translated Copies of correspondence on Pte Patrick's case.
 Translated Copies of correspondence on Cpl Bowman's case.

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For 4 and 1 refer

SUBJECT: Italian Staffs at P.W. Camps

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (MMIA)

INT/121

7 May 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Ref your 34023 of 2 May 45.

Please confirm that you are unable to state the present location and address of the Italian Military nominated in the "Elenchi Nominativi" forwarded with your letter under reference in cases where there are blank spaces in the seventh column.

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J.R.S.
Major-General
MMIA

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SUBJECT: War Crimes.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

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4 May 45.

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NOTE.

1. With reference to the attached correspondence received from 50 DLU.
2. There is at present insufficient evidence on which action can be taken. If however further details are submitted to this HQ which show clear evidence of a War Crime having been committed and some possibility of tracing those responsible the matter will be investigated.

HEADQUARTERS
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F Major General,
DAG, G1(Br).

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SUBJECT:- Alleged Atrocity.

50 British Liaison Unit.
2/3
22 March 45

GSI Main HQ 10 Corps.

Attached are translations of statements made by :-

- Cap. Magg. PUSINI Line.
- Grenadier QUADAGNI Giuseppe.
- Grenadier DEVI Rinaldo.

No other evidence has been produced. It will be noticed that there are discrepancies between the various accounts. When a MG went to examine the body or bodies the witnesses, who had been wounded, had already been evacuated and it was not possible to identify the bodies concerned.

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Lt. Col.
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38th "FRIULI" INFANTRY REGIMENT.

Grenadier Battalion.

The undermentioned, Grenadier DENTI FIORE, has made the following statement:-

On March 16th, at approximately 14.30 hrs, as soon as point 92 was occupied, Grenadier GUADAGNINI GIUSEPPE, and myself, saw a body of an Italian infantryman hanging from the main door of point 92 house. The body was actually hanging from a hook and was dressed in Allied uniform, and was definitely identified as that of a soldier belonging to the FRIULI ICG. Together with the other mentioned grenadier, we removed the body with the intention of taking same to our lines, later. Owing to subsequent action, we were unable to carry out our intention.

Signed, Grenadier, DENTI FIORE.

March 17th 1945.

Correct Copy.

IL CAPO SEZIONE OPERAZIONI.

Magg N. GIANNUZZI.

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C O P Y.

The undersigned Grenadier GUADAGNINI Giuseppe belonging to the 10th Company III Grenadier Battalion, states that, at 14.00 hrs approximately on March 16th, when point 92 was occupied, he discovered the bodies of two Italian infantrymen hanging by telephone wire near the doorway. They were about 40 centimetres clear of the ground, and the undersigned, having cut the wire deposited the bodies on the ground.

Signed, GUADAGNINI Giuseppe.

P.M. 79 March 17th 1945.

Correct Copy.

IL CAPO SEZIONE PER LE OPERAZIONE.
Magg. N. Giannuzzi.

COPY.

The undersigned Cap. Magg PASSERI Lino, belonging to the 10th Company III Grenadier Battalion, states that, at 14.00 hrs approximately, on March 16th, when point 92 was occupied, he discovered the body of an Italian infantryman lying by the door. This body showed definite signs of suffocation; there being no blood marks but the face was swollen and discoloured.

Signed, PASSERI Lino.

P.M. 79 March 17th 1945.

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IL CAPO SEZIONE PER LE OPERAZIONE.
Magg. R. Ciannuzzi.

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 by Maj. T.A.G. Pearce, (A-2) 1/12/45*

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HQ 75 Disinfestation & Rft Camp.	Death of POW Pte GROGAN Patrick.	3766	16 July 42	Lt.Col. Orofalo	Translat
HQ 75 POW Camp	-do-	---	16 July 42	Capt. Somnavilla	Translat
-	Statement re Pte Grogan	---	-	Pte. Casullo Filippo	Translat
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From

Comando XVII Corpo
D'Armata Sezione Prigio-
ieri di Guerra P.M. 71

Subject

Omicidio colposo in persona
del pg. Cap.Magg BOWMEN Charles
William matr 2000982 ad opera
del soldato D'ANNA Giuseppe.

Ref.No

1519/2

Date

12 May XXI
(Fascist)

Signed by

Col. Andrea Porta

Received the above documents from A Branch, Land Forces Sub Commission (MMIA) 1 Dec 45.

John Sainty
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SUBJECT: Italian Staffs at P.W. Camps

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AC (MMIA)

INT/121

26 Apr 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Will you please hasten a reply to our INT/121 of 19 Apr 45.

W.S.
Major-General
MMIA

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SUBJECT: Italian Staffs at P.W. Camps

LAND FORCES SUB COM, AG (MFA)

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19 APR 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

1. Nominal rolls of the Italian staffs at the u/m P.W. Camps are requested. Furthermore, will you please state, where possible, the present location and appointments of the officers concerned.

(a) ITALY

- P.O. 5 GAVI
- P.O. 8 BENEVENTO
- P.O. 41 MONTALE
- P.O. 49 FORTINELLATO
- P.O. 51 ALIEMPA
- P.O. 53 MAREBATA
- P.O. 54 PESA di SAPINA
- P.O. 58 SERVIGLIANO
- P.O. 60
- P.O. 62 BERGAMO
- P.O. 73 CASPI
- P.O. 76
- P.O. 96 SAN GIUSEPPE
- P.O. 115 SAN TRACIC

(b) NORTH AFRICA

- Tressit Camp TAHERA
- Camp SOUSHI END ADAM
- Camp TRIFOLI
- Camp BENGHALI
- Camp MERSA MATRUH
- Camp TOUKA
- Camp MADALEMA
- Camp HIR KACHIM
- Camp TUNIS

(c) GREECE

- AVLAKOFF Prison
- LAHISSA Camp
- Italian Military Tribunals - GREECE

2. Copies of reports or proceedings of courts of inquiry concerning the following incidents are urgently required.

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- P.O. 54 PAR. di SAPINA
- P.O. 59 SERVIGLIANO
- P.O. 60
- P.O. 62 BERGAMO
- P.O. 73 CARPI
- P.O. 76
- P.O. 95 SAN GIUSEPPE
- P.O. 115 SAN KRASCIO

(b) NORTH AFRICA

- Transit Camp TAJURA
- Camp SUHARI MED ADEN
- Camp TRIFOLI
- Camp BANGHAZI
- Camp MERSA MATRUH
- Camp TEBUKA
- Camp MARSA LAMA
- Camp BIR HACHIMA
- Camp TUNIS

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- (b) British OR shot and killed in Camp 75 BARI in July 1942.
- (c) Major Noel HAYES (Duffs) shot and wounded in Camp 75 BARI in February 1942.
- (d) New Zealand soldier shot near P.O. 57 in January 1940 while in a hopeless position for escape tied up in the wire. This man died the next morning.

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- (e) NX 1932 Cpl Edward William SYMONS E/72 Bn AIF shot while watching a cricket match in F.1. 57 CHUP-IGNARO in June 1943.
 - (f) Cpl SMITH AND (Pore) killed in cold blood after escape from P.O. 65 Ianna in February 1943.
 - (g) Pte JACOB Native Military Corps AIF shot because he said he was too tired to carry boxes - F.O. 66 in February or March 1943.
 - (h) Cpl DOMAN 296 Pz Coy RE killed by a sentry while cleaning rifle in F.O. 54 FURA di SABINA in May 1943. (It is thought that the sentry received a sentence of 3 years imprisonment).
 - (i) Pte ABBS - usens says, shot while watching a game of football in F.O. 52, FORT SACCHI, in February or March 1943.
3. Furthermore, can it be confirmed that Colonel SANGRO Giuseppe was commandant of F.O. 76 on 26 December 41.
4. It is understood that Cpl MAGNONE (Italian) was an interpreter at F.O. 65 and was very helpful to F.O. This Cpl was a former employee of Rogers Ltd. Can this name be traced?
5. It would be appreciated if you would forward these particulars as soon as they become available.

W.F. McCall
 Major-General
 M.S.A.

Copy to : A.F.H.S.
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ALL LV was too tired to carry boxes - P.O. 55 in February or March 1945.

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- (i) The ALTON - Queens Bays, shot while watching a game of football in P.O. 53, FORT SAUCOCCA, in February or March 1943.
- 3. Furthermore, can it be confirmed that Colonel SAUCOCCA Giuseppe was commandant of P.O. 78 on 26 December 41.
- 4. It is understood that Cpl MABICKA (Italian) was an interpreter at P.O. 56 and was very helpful to PW. This Cpl was a former employee of Regons LITS. Can this name be traced?
- 5. It would be appreciated if you would forward these particulars as soon as they become available.

Major-General
 Major-General
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Copy to: A.F.H.C.
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WAR CRIMES AGAINST BRITISH PW.

1. Following additional lists of camp staffs required:

ITALY

- PG 5 GAVI
- PG 8 BEVINGO ✓
- PG 21 CHIMBI
- PG 41 MONALISO
- PG 49 FONTANELLO
- PG 51 ALTANURA
- PG 53 MACERATA
- PG 54 PARA IN SABINA
- PG 59 SERVIGLIANO
- PG 60
- PG 62 BERGAMO
- PG 73 CARPI
- PG 58 SAN GUSEMME
- PG 115 SAN TRACIIO

NORTH AFRICA.

- Transit Camp TAUUNA
- Camp SOVANI BED ADRA
- Camp TRIPOLI
- Camp BENGHAZI
- Camp MUSA MATRUH
- Camp TOBRUK
- Camp MADALENA
- Camp SIR HACHISSI
- Camp TUNIS

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- LARISSA Camp
- Italian Military Tribunals GREECE.

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2. Any reports or proceedings of Courts of Inquiry concerning the following:

Shooting of Pfn COBETT and 1/Cpl WELLS at Camp 78 26 Dec 41.
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 NX 1982 Cpl Edward WILLIAMSONS 2/52 Bn AIF shot while watching a cricket match - PG 57 GALLIPOLI June 43.
 Cpl SMITH AMC (Para) killed in cold blood after escape - PG 66 CAPUA.
 JACOBS Native Military Corps SAP shot because he said he was too tired to carry boxes - PG 66 Feb or Mar 43.
 Cpl DOWNING, C. 296 5th Coy RM killed by a sentry while cleaning rifle - PG 54 PARA IN SABINA May 43. Thought that sentry received a sentence

- PG 21 CHINE
- PG 41 MONTEALEO
- PG 45 FONTANELLIANO
- PG 51 ALTAIURA
- PG 53 LACITATA
- PG 54 FARA IN SABINA
- PG 59 SERVILLIANO
- PG 60
- PG 62 BERGAMO
- PG 75 CARPI
- PG 98 SAN GUSEPPE
- PG 115 SAN ERACOLIO

HORN OF AFRICA.

- Transit Camp TAIURA
- Camp SUVAI BEO ALBA
- Camp TRAROLI
- Camp BINGHAZI
- Camp MERSA MATRUH
- Camp TOPRUK
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 ICI 1982 Cpl Edward WILLIAMSONS 2/32 Bn AIF shot while watching a cricket match - PG 57 GUFFRANO June 43.
 Cpl SMITH AAC (Para) killed in cold blood after escape - PG 66 CARUA.
 JACOBS Native Military Corps S&P shot because he said he was too tired to carry boxes - PG 66 Feb or Mar 43.
 Cpl BOWMAN, C. 296 Pz Coy RE killed by a sentry while cleaning rifle - PG 54 FARA IN SABINA May 43. Thought that sentry received a sentence of 3 years imprisonment.
 Trooper ARON Queens Bays shot while watching a game of football - PG 53 WEST SACKSIA, Feb or Mar 43.

- 3. Nominal roll of staff at Camp 78 names Colonel SAVERIO Guisepppe as Commandant. Can it be confirmed that he was Commandant of this camp on 26 Dec 41.
- 4. It is understood that a Corporal MAGGIOR was an interpreter at PG 66 and was very helpful to PW. This corporal was a former employee of Wagons Lits. Can he be traced.

