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POLITICAL POLICE
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POLITICAL POLICE & APPT. OF CHIEF OF PUBBLICA
SICUREZZA & MINISTRY OFFICIALS
JULY 1944 - MAR. 1945; (JUN. 1945)

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ALOGUE.

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20: V.P. (A.S.)

Re appointment of Sherrin (p. 17A) see folio 13 A and folios 19 and 26 in AC/9/7/2G enclosed herewith.

22 Mar 1940

Chapman
Col - D.P.S.

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P.S.

I discussed 18a at length with C.C. who also read 13a. He does not desire to take any action.

24 Mar 40

Spelin

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PS

Please see 19A

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L. Galt (P.S.)
11 JUN 1940

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Lo: C.A. Action.

20 A for information. Further report on political police!

16 June 1940

Chapman
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W.Ted.
Spelin 840

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W. J. P. H.

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a letter directed the District as an allied agent after 2 Sep 48. The
is not known whether this is the same man. He is described as
American. If it is the same man, you may desire to visit
the view expressed in 18A regarding 5.

L. G. W. (Paw)
11 JUL 1948

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to: P.A. Action.

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policy.

16 June 1948

Chapman
Col. D.P.D.

W. J. P. H.

director, Public Safety S.C.

Please find attached two copies of a SECRET
report I have had concerning the Political police.
I have retained the original on my files, but these may
be useful to retain with your Policy file on the subject.

13.6.45.

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pl
J. H. Hawley
Major.
Security Division.

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EXTRACT From AF 8/23/SEC INT Appendix "A"
dated 6 June 15 (Top Secret)

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ACCOUNTANT UGO SEVERINI

From MILAN, collected the news of the MANTOVA and PIEMONTE Regions.

ALIVE MEMOIRS FOR CHIEF COMMISSIONER

23 March 1945

SUBJECT: Dr. SEVERINI.

1. Dr. Severini was suggested, in the latter part of January, for Second Vice Chief of Police under Ferrari.
2. While his fascist background is not sufficiently serious to warrant expunction proceedings, he was in fact Squadrista and Vice Podesta of Milan.
3. The suggestion of Severini being posted to the Ministry of Public Security appears to have been instigated by Molo, Under Secretary in the Ministry of Interior.
4. On 23 Jan H.E. Ivance Bonomi, in his capacity of Minister of Interior, was interviewed by Colonel Young who pointed out that the post that Severini was to fill did not seem necessary, nor did Severini appear to be a suitable man for any such post. (See Folio 13a, Page 3, File 14613/13/IS. The Ministry of Interior had already included the name of Severini in a list of officials for the Ministry of Occupied Italy. (See Folio 12, File AC/9/7/1G).
5. Information regarding Severini was passed to the Local Government Sub-Commission by Public Safety Sub-Commission on 27 January (See Folio 19, File AC/9/7/1G). While not entirely satisfied with Severini's character, Public Safety Sub-Commission was prepared to raise no objection to his appointment ^{in the} Ministry of Occupied Italy, but pointed out that it was undesirable for him to be employed within Army Areas.
6. Civil Affairs Section approved the appointment of Severini to the Ministry of Occupied Italy, together with the other names included on the list of 5 February (Folio 26).
7. It is considered that the appointment of this individual ⁸⁸⁶ to a high position in the Ministry of Public Security is unsatisfactory.
8. The appointment is not one of those that now requires first sanction of this Commission under the terms of PAN 487. It is therefore recommended that the Chief Commissioner approach the Prime Minister with a view to having the appointment of Severini annulled. There would appear to be no objection to this individual holding an appointment in the Ministry of Occupied Italy, to which this Commission has already given its approval.

Translation

The President of the Council of Ministers
Minister of the Interior

a. 9131

Rome, 17 March 1945

Dear Admiral,

referring to this morning telephone call and your answer, I communicate to you that, I issued today an order entrusting the functions of Deputy Chief of the Police to the Prefect Dr. Ugo Severini.

I must add that by final decision of the competent Commission, this functionary was declared not to be liable to expatriation sanctions, and that he has the necessary training and energy to improve the public security services according to the very great wish of my Government.

I remain,

Yours very truly,

a. I. Benoni

TO	DATE	INITIALS
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DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
CHIEF OF POLICE		
CHIEF OF DEPT.		
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Rear Admiral Henry W. Stone
Chief Commissioner of the
Allied Commission - Rome

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IL PRESIDENTE
DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI
MINISTRO DELL'INTERNO

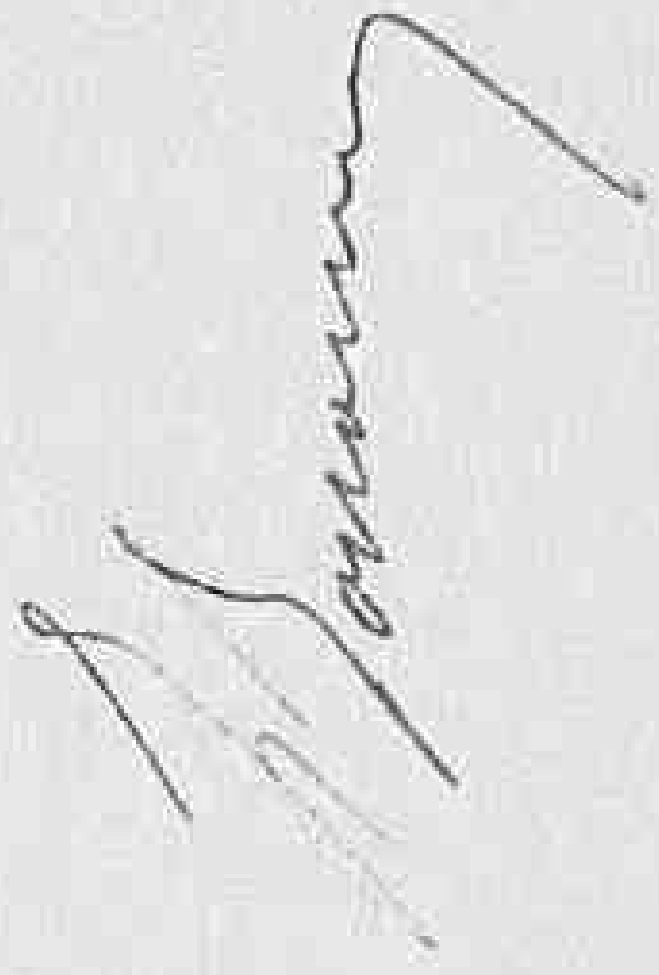
Roma, 17 marzo 1945

Caro Contrammiraglio,

a seguito della comunicazione telefonica di stamattina e della Sua risposta, La informo che con provvedimento ^{severino} ho affidato le funzioni di Vice Capo della Polizia al Prefetto dott. Ugo Severini.

Aggiungo che il predetto funzionario, con decisione definitiva della competente Commissione, è stato giudicato immune da sanzioni ai fini dell'epurazione e che ha la preparazione e l'energia necessarie per apportare ai servizi di Pubblica Sicurezza quei miglioramenti che sono sommente a cuore al mio Governo.

Con molte cordialità



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Contrammiraglio ELLERY W. STONE

Commissario Capo della Commissione Alleata

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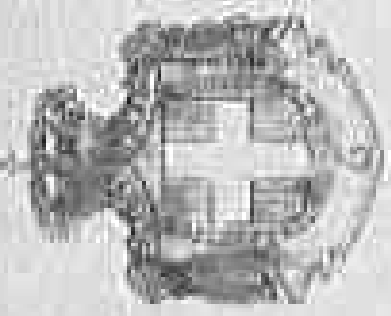


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Ministero dell'Interno

GABINETTO DI S. E. IL MINISTRO

Divisione _____
Dir. A. P. **9151-** *Allegato* _____

OGGETTO Vice Capo della Polizia -
 Vice Chief of the Police

Low date please **16/3**
17 Marzo **1945**

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
 Sottocommissione per la Pubblica
 Sicurezza -

R O M A

Proposta al Togliatti del
Gen. **M. P.**

Per opportuna conoscenza di codesta Sotto Commissione
 si trasmette copia della lettera di pari data diretta dal
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 sario Capo della Commissione Alleata.-

D'ORDINE DEL MINISTRO
IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

For the Sub-Commission's information, we transmit copy
 of the letter, of even date, addressed by the President of
 Council, Minister of Interior, to the Chief Commissioner of
 the Allied Commission.
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LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la Pubblica
Sicurezza -

R O M A

Divisione *Sc.*
Prot. N. 9131- *Allegati*

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Translation

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Ministry of Interior

Rome, 17th March, 1945.

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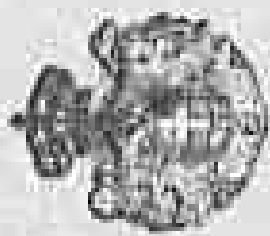
Following the telephonical communication of this morning and your reply, I inform you that with to-day's provision I have entrusted the functions of Vice Chief of the Police to the Prefect dr. Ugo Severini.

I add that the a/m official, has been judged immune from epuration sanctions with definit decision of the competent Commission and that he has the qualifications to bring to the Public Security services those improvements, which are much desired by my Government.

Best regards

Sgd. PONOMI

To: Commandant ELLERY W. STONE
Chief Commissioner of the Allied Commission
R O M E



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MINISTRO DELL'INTERNO

C o p i a

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R O M A

SECRET

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/260.01

10 March 1945

SUBJECT : Appointment of Capo di Polizia

TO : Director, Public Safety Sub Commission, ~~Security Division~~

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2. BERRUTO is a very ambitious man and is very keen to be the Chief of Police. The Communists are supporting BERRUTO, although not a member of the Party he has assured them that if he is appointed he will place the police, with the exception of the CC.RR. at the disposal of the Communists.
3. The position seems to be that when the appointment is made by the Council of Ministers the members will probably approve it being unaware of his arrangement with the Communists.
4. The Communists are using Eugenio REALE, at present Under Secretary to the Foreign Minister and a Communist's Executive Committee member to contact BERRUTO through the medium of ANGIOLILLO editor of the newspaper "Il Tempo". It is known that on Friday, 9th March, ANGIOLILLO and REALE lunched together and in the evening BERRUTO and ANGIOLILLO dined together, It is said the three are in frequent telephonic contact with each other.

TO	10	16/3
DIRECTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>
EXEC. OFFICER	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>
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A.H. ELLIS,
Captain,
Security Division.

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SECRETHEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
ATO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Tel. Ext. 325

Ref : 4/32A/CA.

SUBJECT : F&H 487.

TO : Chief of Staff.

Reference para 2(d) of F&H 487 :

1. It is requested that the following be put on the list of personnel whose appointment requires the approval of AC :-

- a. Director General of Publica Sicurezza.
- b. Commanding General CC.RU.
- c. Chief of Staff, CC.RU.
- d. Commanding General CC.RV.

2. It is felt essential having regard to the vital importance of maintaining public order and to the necessity for maintaining the closest relationship with the above officers in connection with police affairs in A&S territories that their appointment should be subject to approval by AC.

G. P. UNION, Brig.,
V. CA Section,
DOCS AL.

Copy to :- Public Safety Sub-Coman.
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Memorandum.

On 22nd January 1945 I saw Dott. Ferrari, Chief of Police, Ministry of the Interior, regarding the letter signed by MOLE on behalf of the Prime Minister, recommending Dott. Ugo SEVERINI as the second Vice Chief of Police.

In confidence, Dott. Ferrari told me that there had been an attempt to remove him from his position as Chief of Police and to place SEVERINI in charge. Ferrari believed that this move had been inspired by Meuccio RUINI, Minister of Public Works and leader of the Labour Democrats Party (the Prime Minister's Party). This attempt met with such general opposition that it had been dropped. However, MOLE's letter indicates that the intrigue has not been finally abandoned.

MOLE is one of the Prime Minister's under-secretaries and a member of the Labour Democrats Party. He has recently been appointed.

Dott. Ferrari said he was aware of the proposal to appoint SEVERINI as Vice Chief of Police and had expressed to the Prime Minister his disapproval. He had not seen the letter signed by MOLE nor had he been consulted about it. He was fairly certain that the Prime Minister had not authorized the letter to be sent.

Dott. Ferrari opposed the appointment of SEVERINI for the following reasons:

- 1) the position of Second Vice Chief of Police had never existed previously and was unnecessary.
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- 4) There were allegations (unproved however) that SEVERINI was open to bribery. The proposal was to place SEVERINI at the head of the political police where large sums of money were at his disposal. Since taking office, Dott. Ferrarì had himself rigidly controlled the funds and he was unwilling to release his control to SEVERINI, who might misappropriate the money while shielding himself behind Ferrarì's undoubted reputation for

honesty.

Dott. Ferreri thought there might be some truth in the suggestion that if SEVERINI were placed in charge of the political department he would attempt to revive an organization similar to the OVRA.

I asked Ferreri if he thought it wise to approach the Prime Minister along the following lines:

1) Before making the proposal to appoint SEVERINI, Molé should have consulted Ferreri.

2) The letter should not have been sent to Allied Commission without the knowledge of the Prime Minister or Ferreri.

3) Apparently Molé was not inspired by a desire to improve the efficiency of the police but was influenced by political or personal motives, (if SEVERINI is not actually a relative of Molé he is at least a very close personal friend).

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End of 89

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A. F. WILCOX, Lt. Col.
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2.

On the 23rd January, 1945, Col. Young and Lt. Col. Wilcox were granted an interview with His Excellency I. Bonomi, the Prime Minister.

Colonel Young explained that the object of the interview was to discuss the proposed appointment of SEVERINI as second Vice Chief of Police. The Allied Commission felt:

- a) that very careful consideration should be given to deciding whether such a post was necessary and
- b) if the Italian Government decided to create such a post,

whether SEVERINI was a suitable man to fill it.

His Excellency the Prime Minister replied that the action of his undersecretary Molé in writing to the Allied Commission had been 'precipitate'. The Prime Minister said he would arrange a meeting between Ferrari and Molé in order that agreement could be reached. The Prime Minister felt it was desirable that the Government should keep itself informed of the trend of popular opinion and should know in advance of any currents which might lead to trouble. He cited as an instance the Garuso trial where, if the police had been fully cognisant of the high feeling aroused, the disorder in Court and the subsequent killing of Caretta could have been avoided.

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Review

26th January, 1945.

A.F. Wilcox, Lt. Col. 8
Public Safety S/C. 8

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Wilcox

Translation.

The President of the
Ministers' Council
Minister of Interior

16 Jan 1945.

Subject : Vice Chief of the Police.

To : A.C. Public Safety Sub-Commission - Rome.

In order to better organise the P.S. services, especially those connected with the political police, this Ministry has come to the decision to appoint a 2nd Vice Chief of the Police, bearing in mind the Prefect dott. Ugo Severini, who gives promise to carry out the charge in a satisfactory manner.

We ask the Commission's approval.

A biography of dott. Severini is attached.

For the Minister
Molè

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IL PRESIDENTE
DEL CONSIGLIO DEI MINISTRI
MINISTRO DELL'INTERNO

Roma, 16 gennaio 1945

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sotto Commissione per la P.S.

R O M A

OGGETTO: Vice Capo della Polizia.

Nell'intento di realizzare una migliore organizzazione dei servizi di pubblica sicurezza, specie di quelli attinenti alla polizia politica, questo Ministero è venuto nella determinazione di nominare un secondo Vice Capo della Polizia, in persona del Prefetto Dott. Ugo Severini, che dà affidamento di bene assolvere l'incarico.

Si prega codesta Commissione di dare la sua adesione.

Si allega una biografia del Dott. Severini.

IL MINISTRO

Molè

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Ministero dell' Interno

SEVERINI Prefetto del Regno.

Nato nel 1898

Entrato in carriera nel 1920

Ha prestato servizio nelle sedi di : Ferrara - Pesaro
R. Calabria - Cosenza - Messina - Verona - Vercelli -
Catania - Bolzano - Roma (Ministero - Direzione Generale
degli Affari di Culto) - Milano (con l'incarico di
Vice Podestà).

Nominato Prefetto con ff. Ispettore Generale il 15
giugno 1943, poscia, dal Governo Badoglio, nominato
Prefetto della Delegazione Economico-Finanziaria di
Bolzano.

Classificato costantemente ottimo

Nove volte encomiato

Ha assolto in modo lodevole numerosi incarichi speciali.

Funzionario di grandissimo valore eccelle per ingegno,
cultura, preparazione e rettitudine.

Sottoposto a giudizio di epurazione è stato, con decisione divenuta definitiva, giudicato esente da ogni sanzione disciplinare, essendo risultato che dopo l'8 settembre si era distinto nella lotta contro i tedeschi.

SEVERI, Prefect of the Kingdom

Born in 1898

Started the career in 1920

Has performed duties at the offices of: Ferrara
Pesaro-R. Calabria-Cosenza-Messina-Verona-Vercelli
Catania-Bolzano-Rome (Ministry -Gen.HQ. for
the Public Culture Affairs)-Milano (a Vice-
Mayor).

On 15 June 1943 he was appointed Prefect with
functions of General Inspector, then, by the
Badoglio Government he has been appointed
Prefect of the Economic-Finance Delegation
at Bolzano.

Classified always as very good
9 times praised

He has carried out many special tasks in a
praiseworthy manner.

Official of very great value, excelling in
intellect, education, preparation and upright-
ness.

Committed to the epuration judgement, he has
been dispensed from every disciplinary sanction
having appeared that after the 8th of Sept.
he distinguished himself in the struggle
against the Germans.

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TO CH. PM. N.	<i>[initials]</i>	<i>[initials]</i>
CO. Y. H.		
LT. CO. W. H.	<i>[initials]</i>	<i>[initials]</i>
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MAJ. WILSON		
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Sub. - Maj. Harvey

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

20 August 1944

for file
ACG/14041/18/PS

SUBJECT : Vice Director General of
Public Security

TO : HIS EXCELLENCY,
The Minister of the Interior

see 10A
This Sub-Commission has no objection to the appointment
of Dr. Carlo ROSATI as Vice Director General of Public Security,
Ministry of the Interior.

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h.c.m.
PAUL G. KIRK
Colonel, Infantry
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Cabinet

29 August 1944.

R. 3952

Subject : Appointment of Police Vice ~~Capo~~. *Dir*
To : A.C.C. Public Safety Sub-Commission - Rome.

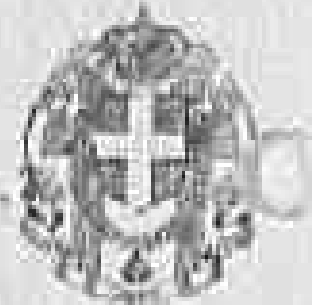
Dir The appointment as Prefect of 2nd cl. Questore dr. Carlo ROSATI, who shall be entrusted with the functions of Police Vice ~~Capo~~, shall be submitted for approval to the Ministries' Council on their next meeting on 31st August 1944.

We are transmitting a short biography of said official.

By order of the Minister
Sgā. - -

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Roma 29 agosto 1964 1

Alla Commissione Alleata di
Controllo = Sottocommissione
Pubblica Sicurezza R O M A

e p.c.i:
Sottocommissione Interni
R O M A

Divisione
Int. N° 2952

Sez.
Allegati 1

Repertorio del
Dir. Sez. N°

Oggetto: Nomina Vice Capo della Polizia.

Verrà sottoposta all'approvazione del Consiglio dei Ministri, nella sua prossima riunione del 31 corrente, la nomina a prefetto del questore di II^a classe ROSATI Dr. Carlo, al quale verranno conferite le funzioni di Vice Capo della Polizia.

Si trasmette una breve nota biografica del predetto funzionario.

D'ORDINE DEL MINISTRO

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ROSSATI dr. Carlo

Questore di 2^a cl.

See 1463/17

Entrato in carriera nel 1912. Nominato questore di 2^a classe nell'aprile 1940. Ha prestato servizio quale subalterno a Treviso per il periodo della guerra 1915-18. Ha diretto poscia gli uffici distaccati di P.S. di Cesena ed Albano. Nel 1926 venne trasferito a Roma ove per 14 anni ha retto il Commissariato di P.S. di Borgo, nella cui giurisdizione era prima della conciliazione compreso il territorio della Città del Vaticano. Promosso questore di 2^a classe nel 1940 fu destinato alla Direzione Generale di P.S. con le funzioni di Ispettore Generale. Ha fatto parte della Commissione Interministeriale dei prigionieri di guerra. Come rappresentante del Ministero dell'Interno ha accompagnato nelle ispezioni le Commissioni Americane prima e poscia Svizzera per gli internati civili.

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*The Sub Committee has no objection to
the appointment of
Vice Director General
Public Security, Ministry of the Interior 850*

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION
APO 394

ACC/4/1/73/Int

31 July 1944

SUBJECT: PASCUCCI, Dott. Renato

TO : Director, Public Safety Sub-Commission

1. I refer to para 5 of my letter under the above reference dated 28th July.

2. The Acting Vice-President has now authorized the re-employment by the Italian Government of PASCUCCI on terms set forth in my letter ACC/4/1/4/Int of to-day's date, a copy of which I enclose herewith.

R. G. B. Spicer

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Interior Sub-Commission

Encl: as in 2 above

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INTERIOR SUB COMMISSION
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31 July 1944

SUBJECT: Prefects PASQUOXI and DE ROSA

TO : His Excellency the Minister of the Interior

Your Excellency:

1. I refer to previous correspondence and conversations I have had with members of your staff in which the request has been made for Allied Control Commission's approval to the re-employment by the Italian Government of the above-named as Prefects.

2. I am pleased to inform Your Excellency that it has now been decided to grant your request and no further objection will be made to the employment of these gentlemen in the above-mentioned capacity.

3. His Excellency Serrantino intimated that if approval was given your proposal that the Italian Government could willingly undertake to arrange for them not to be engaged in prefectural appointments in Sicily. I should be glad if in your acknowledgement of this letter you will kindly intimate that this would be done.

R. G. B. SPICER
Colonel
Director
Interior Sub-Commission

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
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Tel : 489081
Ext : 502

28 July, 1944.

ACC/ 14613/3/PS

SUBJECT : Comm. Ferrari Luigi.

TO : Security Branch
Headquarters A.C.C.

1. Comm. Ferrari, whose history has been summarized on the attached note, has been appointed Director of Public Security at the Ministry of the Interior.
2. May this Sub-Commission please be informed whether or not anything is known to the detriment of Comm. Ferrari.

[Signature]
PAUL C. KIRK
Colonel Inf.
Chief Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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Ministero dell'Interno ^{6A}

PROPOSTE

per la nomina di Direttori Generali

Capo della Polizia

FERRARI dott. Carlo ✓

Vice Capo della Polizia

DE BONIS dott. Amerigo

Direzione Generale

per i servizi antincendi

PASCUCCI dott. Renato

C. P. S.

Vice Chief of Cabinet, Comm. Camera,
called at 1100 hrs 28th July 1944. He was
informed of our approval of Dott. FERRARI, who
will assume office on Monday 31st July 1944
(Dott. Solimena will be transferred to some other
Ministry).

The Minister asks for a reply **1828**
regarding De Bonis - attached

PASCUCCI

Major Mason is dealing with

W. H. H. H. H. 28th July 1944

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HEADQUARTERS
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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ACC/4/1/73/Int

23 July 1944

SUBJECT: Appointment of Directors-General at Ministry of the Interior

TO : Director, Public Safety Sub-Commission

1. The Vice-Chief of Cabinet at the Ministry of the Interior, Comm. CAMERA came to see me yesterday and told me that the Minister is submitting for ACC approval proposals for changing the Directors-General at the Ministry. He left with me a list of the new officials suggested.
2. The list contains the following proposals within your sphere:
 Capo della Polizia FERRARI, Dott. Luigi
 Vice-Capo della Polizia DE BONIS, Dott. Amerigo
 Direttore Generale per i
 Servizi Antincendi PASCUCCI, Dott. Renato
3. I understand the Ministry have already taken up FERRARI's appointment with you.
4. The name of DE BONIS was included among the list of Prefects available for forward provinces. I annex a copy of the biographical particulars furnished by the Ministry in that connection. Security Branch were asked to screen him on 21 July and they have been asked by telephone to send the report to you instead of me.
5. PASCUCCI was a Prefect in Sicily at the time of the invasion and was arrested on security grounds by FSS or CIC. He has since been released and the Acting Vice-President is now considering my recommendation that the Government be allowed to re-employ him. As soon as I have Col. Upjohn's decision I will inform you.

R. G. B. Spicer
 per.
 R. G. B. SPICER
 Colonel
 Director
 Interior Sub-Commission

Encl: as in 4, above.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
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26th July 1944

ACC/14613/13/PB

His Excellency, Ivanoe Bonomi,
President of the Council of Ministers.

Your Excellency,

We are pleased to inform you that there is no objection to
the appointment of Commandatore FERRARI, Luigi, as Direttore Gen-
erale della Pubblica Sicurezza.

Sincerely yours,

PAUL G. KIRK
Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Public Safety
Sub-Commission

copy to : Vice President, Administrative Section



Ministero dell'Interno
Gabinetto

Provvisoria 835 *Tr.*
Del. N. *Allegato* 1

Oggetto: Capo della Polizia.

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Roma 24 luglio 1944

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Ma Commissione Alleata
di Controllo
Sottocommissione *P. Sri*

Proposta *del*
Lu. *Tr.* *N.*

Con provvedimento in corso verrà
incaricato delle funzioni di Capo della
Polizia il Comm. Dott. Giuseppe Fer-
rari, Consigliere di Cassazione.

Si acclude una breve nota informa-
tiva e si resta in attesa di un cenno di
intesa.

IL MINISTRO

Benfante

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 P. A. A. A. I. comm. Luigi fu Giuseppe e di Prosperini Raffacella
 nato a L'Aquila il 10 marzo 1900.

Entrato in magistratura il 6 agosto 1912, nel gennaio 1915
 fu promosso giudice nel Tribunale di Legnano; fu pretore in
 varie sedi fino al gennaio 1921 quando fu nominato sostituto
 procuratore del Re, ufficio che ricoprì a Bergamo, Brescia e
 Milano fino al gennaio 1934 data nella quale fu, per merito
 distinto, promosso sostituto procuratore generale presso la
 Corte di Appello di Milano, nel 1936 fu trasferito con le stes-
 se funzioni alla Corte di Appello di Roma; nel 1940, per con-
 corso, fu promosso sostituto procuratore generale presso la
 Corte Suprema di Cassazione; nel 1942 fu trasferito nella car-
 riera giudicante in qualità di consigliere di Cassazione con
 incarico di presiedere la Corte d'Assise I° di Roma.

Combattente, come ufficiale di fanteria, nella guerra 1915-18,
 fu decorato di medaglia al bronzo al valor militare.

Indirizzo: Via Ravenna, 15 - ROMA

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 except for the address
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PRO MEMORIA

Merrari Comm. Luigi fu Giuseppe e di Trovati Raimondo nato a L'Aquila il 10 marzo 1890.

Entrato in magistratura nel 1912; nel gennaio 1915 fu promosso giudice nel Tribunale di Legnano; fu Pretore varie volte sino al gennaio 1921 quando fu nominato sostituto Procuratore del Re; fu poi tale ufficio a Bergamo, Brescia e Milano fino al gennaio 1934 data nella quale fu, per merito proprio promosso sostituto Procuratore generale presso la Corte d'Appello di Milano; nel 1936 fu trasferito con le stesse funzioni alla Corte d'Appello di Roma; nel 1940, per concorso, fu promosso sostituto Procuratore generale presso la Corte Suprema di Cassazione; nel 1942 passò nella carriera giudicante come Consigliere di Cassazione con incarico di presiedere la Corte di Cassazione di Roma.

Combattente, come ufficiale di fanteria, nelle guerre 1915-1918, fu decorato di medaglia di bronzo al V.

Iscritto al P.S.I. nel gennaio 1934, non ricoprì mai cariche politiche o amministrative.

The above is proposed as Chief of Public

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Successor

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you are agreeable to the appointment before then.

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To P.S.

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 gennaio 1921 quando in nome ... Tribunale del ...
 nel tale ... a ... e ... al ... 1914
 data della quale ... a ... processo ...
 ratore generale presso la Corte d'Appello di Milano; nel 1918 fu
 trasferito con le sue funzioni alla Corte di Appello di Roma;
 nel 1919, per concorso, fu promosso Sostituto Procuratore Generale
 presso la Corte Suprema di Cassazione; nel 1920 passò nella carriera
 giudicante come Consigliere di Cassazione con incarico di presiede-
 re la Corte di Cassazione di Roma.

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 fu decorato di medaglia di bronzo al V.V.

Incaricato al V.M.P. nel gennaio 1934, non ricoprì mai cariche poli-
 tiche o amministrative.

The above is proposed as Chief of Public

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Successor

Please let Minister of Int. Affairs
 know agreeable to the appointment before 7 hours.

Spreng

Done
 26 July 1944 JPK

RIC MEMORIA

Comm. Ferrari Luigi fu Giuseppe and di Prosperini Raffaella
born at L'Aquila, 10 March 1888.

Entered magistrateship in 1912, in January 1915 was promoted as Judge at the Court of Legnano; was 'judge on circuit' in various offices till January 1917 when he was appointed deputy Procuratore del Re (King's Prosecutor); officiated as such in Bergamo, Pescara and Milan till January 1934, date in which, for distinguished merits, he was promoted as deputy Procuratore Generale (General Prosecutor) at the Court of Appeal in Milan; in 1936 he was transferred with the same function to the Court of Appeal in Rome; in 1940, through competition, he was promoted Deputy Procuratore Generale (General Prosecutor) at the Supreme Court; in 1942 he passed into the judicial career as Counselor of the Supreme Court with the charge of presiding over the 'Corte di Assise 1^a' (Grand Jury) in Rome.

Combatant - as an Infantry Officer during the war 1915-1918, received the decoration of 'Bronze Medal V.M. (Military Valour)'.

Translation 26/7/44
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