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ARRESTS, 8TH ARMY
APR. 1945 - SEPT. 1946

SECURITY BRANCH

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MINUTE SHEET

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34	20 APRIL			CONSOLIDATED LIST OF ARRESTS
35	17 June 1946			DETAYAKO Pitho

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2
APO 612, U.S. Army

GSI.339.455/32-A

24 September 1946

SUBJECT: DEL TAVANO, Pietro.

TO : HQ Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub-Commission,
Security Division.

Reference your SD/142-35 of 17 September 46 (Para 2).

1. This HQ is in receipt of a letter from GSI No. 1 SEP, dated 20 September 46, text as follows:

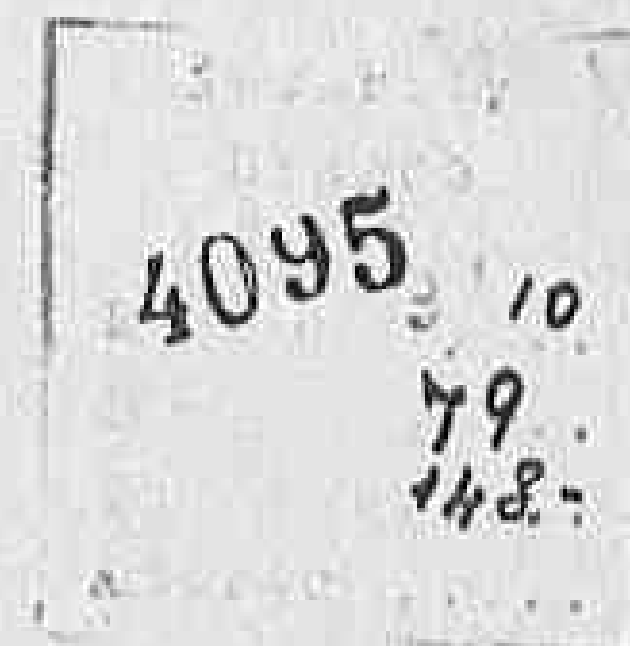
"Subject has been handed over to Italian Authorities on the 17 September 46 for imprisonment in BOLOGNA as requested by Italian Police".

2. Further information may be obtained from GSI No. 1 SEP Centre, CMT.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2

Robert R. Covington
D.A.D. YOUNG, Capt.
Lt. Colonel, GS,
G-2 (SI) Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 794
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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REF : SD/148-35

25 September 1946

SUBJECT : DEL TAVANO Pietro

TO : Ministry of Interior,
General Direction of Public Safety.

1. Reference your Div. S.I.S. Sez. 1 Prot.
No. 223/13118 dated 5 September 1946, our letter
of even number dated 27 August 1946 refers.

2. Subject was handed over to the Italian
authorities on 17 September 1946 for transfer to
BOLOGNA as requested by Italian police.

3. I am instructed to inform your Ministry
that so far as the Allied authorities are
concerned he is of no further interest and his
return to Allied custody is not required, he is
entirely at Italian disposition.


E.J. BYE,
Colonel,
A/Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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Subject: Release of Italians SEP.

1 SEP Centre (OM)
C.M.F.
Tele : Riccione 5
Ref : N/1830/5
Date : 20 Sept 46

To : GHQ G2

Copy to: Allied Commission Public Safety
Sub-Commission Security Div.

Ref DEL TAVANO Pietro

1. Ref letter GEI.389.455/32-A of 13 Sept copy to this HQ.
2. Subject has been handed over to Italian authorities on the 17/9/46 for imprisonment in Bologna as requested by Italian Police.

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Colonel,
Commander.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 794
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF. : SD/148-35
SUBJECT : DEL TAVANO Pietro
TO : G-2 (CI) A.P.H.Q.

17 September 1946

1. Reference your GBI. 353.453/32-A dated 13 September 1946.

2. May this HQ be informed please of details of the Italian authorities to whom the above named was transferred, if such was the case, as it is considered that records at I SEP Centre will show this sometime after 12 June 1946 the date of your letter informing this HQ that he was interned.

3. It is not possible for this HQ to comply with your request of 13 September 1946 without more detailed information.

W/B
E.J. BYE,
Colonel,
A/Director Public
Safety, Sub Commission

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
APO 512, U.S. Army

GEL.389.455/32-A

13 September 1946

SUBJECT: DEL TAVANO, Pietro

TO : Allied Commission Public Safety
Sub-Commission Security Division

1. Reference your SD/148-35 dated 9 September 1946.
2. Subject is not shown on latest nominal roll from 1 SEP Centre and it is presumed therefore that he is held by the Italian authorities. Would you please inform them that we have no further interest in subject and that his transfer to 1 SEP Centre is no longer required.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2

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D.A.D. YOUNG
Lt. Colonel G.S.
G-2 (CI) Section

Copy to: 1 SEP Centre.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.C. 794
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

9 September 1946

REF : ED/148-35

SUBJECT : DEL TAVANO Pietro

TO : C-2 (CI) AMHQ

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1. Reference your CBI. 389.455/32-A dated 15 August 1946, and 12 June 1946.
2. DEL TAVANO is NOT wanted for trial by the Italian authorities.


E.J. BYR,
Colonel,
A/Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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THE ALLIED COMMISSION
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SUBJECT: DEL TAVANO Pietro.

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The a/m subject results not to be
wanted by the italian authorities.

For the Minister
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Roma 5 settembre 1946

Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

COMANDO COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
A.P.O. 794
Sottocommissione per la P.S.
Divisione Sicurezza - R.O.M.A.
e.p.c. Sig. PREFETTO VITERBO
Ricevuto il 27.8.p.p.
In SD/148-35

Divisione S.I.S. Sez. 1^a
Prot. N. 223/13118 Allegato

Oggetto: Del Tavano Pietro fu Giacomo, da Viterbo.

URGENTE

Il soprascritto Del Tavano Pietro non risulta
ricercato, per il giudizio, dalle Autorità ita-
liane.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 794
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/148-35

27 August 1946

SUBJECT : DEL TAVANO Pietro

TO : Ministry of Interior,
General Direction of Public Safety.

1. Reference your Div. S.I.S. Sec. 1, Prot. No. 223/13118 dated 24 June 46, and our letter of even number dated 17 June 1946.
2. Subject was arrested in August 1944 as a suspected SS Agent, former head of the OVRA in VITERBO and for having denounced Allied prisoners.
3. A copy of the report made on him at the time of his arrest was forwarded to the Operation Commission in September 1944 for any action they wished to take against him.
4. It is requested that this HQ be informed as soon as possible if DEL TAVANO is wanted by the Italian authorities for trial.

[Signature]
E.J. BYE,
Colonel,
A/Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2
APO 513, U.S. Army

GBI.369.455/32-a

15 August 1946

SUBJECT: DEL. TAVINO Piatro.

TO : HQ Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub-Commission.

1. Reference your SD/148.8.35 dated 1 July 46.
2. Subject was arrested in Aug 1944 as a suspected SS agent, former head of the OVRA in VITERBO, and for having denounced escaped Allied prisoners.
3. A copy of the report made on him at the time of his arrest was forwarded to the Italian Operation Committee in Sept 1944 for any action they wished to take against him.
4. Delay regretted.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2

[Signature]
D. A. D. YOUNG,
Lt. Colonel, G.S.,
G-2 (CI) Section

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

1 July 1946

REF : SD/12B.5-35

SUBJECT : DEL TAVANO Pietro - ROMS

TO : C-2 (CI) AWH2

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1. Reference your GBI. 389.455/32-A dated 12 June 1945
2. The Ministry of the Interior has informed that it has no record can be traced on the above named.
3. It is, therefore requested that further information of his antecedents be forwarded to this HQ together with particulars of the Italian authorities interested.

[Signature]
E.J. HEN,
Colonel,
A/Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DI P.S.

Divisione S.I.S. *Sez.* 1^a
Dot. N. 223/13118 *Allegato*

Roma 24 Giugno *1945*

ALL'ON. COMANDO
COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER LA
P.S. - DIVISIONE SICUREZZA
ROMA

Risposta al f. del
Sez. *Sez.* *N.*

Oggetto DEL TAVANO Pietro.

In riscontro alla nota SD/148 del 17 corrente,
si comunica che agli atti di questo Ministero non
risulta alcun precedente a nome di Del Tavano Pie-
tro.

Si prega pertanto di voler comunicare le comple-
te generalità del predetto o quanto meno l'Autorità
italiana che, dagli atti di codesto On. Comando, ri-
sulta interessarsi del nominato in oggetto.

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PEL MINISTRO

DEL TAVANO Pietro is not recorded in our files.
Will you please inform us of subject's
generalities and of the Italian Authority
who is taking interest in this matter.

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

REF : SD/143

17 June 1945

SUBJECT : DEL TAVANO Pietro - ROME

TO : Ministry of Interior,
General Direction of Public Safety.

1. Subject, interned in No. 1 REP Centre, is considered not to present any longer a threat to the security of the Allied Forces and it is therefore proposed to release him. Records indicate however that he may be wanted by the Italian authorities.

2. May it please be determined whether or not DEL TAVANO is wanted for trial by the Italian authorities.

E.J. BYE
E.J. BYE,
Colonel,
A/Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2
APO 512, U.S. Army

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GBI.389.455/32-A

12 June 1946

SUBJECT: DEL TAVANO, Pietro - ROME.

TO : Security Division,
Public Safety Sub-Commission,
HQ Allied Commission.

1. Subject, interned in No.1 SEP Centre, is considered not to present any longer a threat to the security of the Allied Forces and it is therefore proposed to release him. Records indicate however that he may be wanted by the Italian authorities.

2. May it please be determined whether or not DEL TAVANO is wanted for trial by the Italian authorities.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2

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EARLE B. NICHOLS,
Colonel, G.S.C.,
A/AC of S, G-2

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SUBJECT:- Consolidated List of Arrests

AMG Rear Eighth Army

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20 Apr 45

HQ Allied Commission (1)
 RC AMG Toscana Region (2)
 RC AMG Venetia Region (1)
 RC AMG Emilia Region (1)
 PC AMG Ravenna Province (1)
 PC AMG Forli Province (1)
 PC AMG Rovigo Province (1)

1. Herewith Consolidated List of Arrests for internment reported in Eighth Army area during period 1 - 15 Apr 45.

E. P. Cullen

Lt. Col.
 SCAG,
 For Air Commodore
 Officer Commanding,
 AMG Eighth Army.

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Subject: Consolidated List of Arrestees
reported during the period
1 - 15 Apr 45

Main HQ,
Eighth Army, GMP.
Tel: Ext 65
M 321/39 I(b)

18 Apr 45

GSI(b), HQ 15 Army Gp (3)
"A" French, Main Eighth Army (6)
AMG, Rear Eighth Army (10)
GSI, HQ No. 1 District
GSI, HQ No. 2 District
GSI, HQ No. 3 District
Comd, "A" Internee Camp (PADULA) (2)
Comd, "B" Internee Camp (TERMI) (2)

1. GENERAL

(a) All persons listed have been reported as arrested Category "B" with a view to internment. The period of internment authorized is either "Duration" or "Review". The full meaning of "Duration" means "Internment for the Duration of the War Emergency". The full meaning of "Review" means "Internment with a review of the case at the termination of the Duration of the War Emergency, whichever is the sooner." In all cases re-entry into Eighth Army is prohibited.

(b) All decisions regarding periods of internment or other disposals stated have been made by GSI(b) Army in agreement with AMG Eighth Army.

(c) All evidence and documents in respect of the arrestees are enclosed (to "B" Internee Camp) in accordance with AAI 1401/7/GSI(b) dated 5 Oct 44.

(d) At Appendix "A" is a statistical review of Category "A" arrests.

2. CONSOLIDATED LIST

NAMES and PATRIOTISM	ADDRESS	EMPLOYMENT	PERIOD OF INTERMENT	
			DATE of ARREST & DISPOSAL	RECOMMENDED.

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GSI, HQ No. 1 District
 GSI, HQ No. 2 District
 GSI, HQ No. 3 District
 Comd, "A" Internee Camp (PADULA) (2)
 Comd, "R" Internee Camp (TERMI) (2)

1. GENERAL

(a) All persons listed have been reported as arrested Category "B" with a view to internment. The period of internment authorized is either "Duration" or "Review". The full meaning of "Duration" means "Internment for the Duration of the War Emergency". The full meaning of "Review" means "Internment with a review of the case at the termination of the Duration of the War Emergency, whichever is the sooner." In all cases re-entry into Eighth Army is prohibited.

(b) All decisions regarding periods of internment or other disposals stated have been made by GSI(b) Army in agreement with AMG Eighth Army.

(c) All evidence and documents in respect of the arrestees are enclosed (to "R" Internee Camp) in accordance with AAI 1401/7/GSI(b) dated 5 Oct 44.

(d) At Appendix "A" is a statistical review of Category "A" arrests.

2. CONSOLIDATED LIST

NAME and PATERNITY	ADDRESS	EMPLOYMENT	DATE of ARREST & DISPOSAL	PERIOD of INTERMENT RECOMMENDED.
BONINU Costantini fu Francesco	CASOLA VALSEMO, Unemployed Via Roma 10, by CIMASA (Ravenna) Marina di Pisa.		4 Apr 45 373 PW Cage.	4081 Duration.

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NAME and PATRIOTICITY	ADDRESS	EMPLOYMENT	DATE of ARREST & DISPOSAL	PERIOD of INTERMENT RECOMENDED
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Reason for arrest: Enemy Espionage Agent originally arrested at his home by 406 FSS and handed over to 68 FSS. Confessed post-occupational employment. After trial acquitted 23 Mar 45. Interned in accordance with 15 Army Group instructions ref 1456/391/GSI(b) dated 27 Mar 45.

PALUMBO Alfonso fu Zaccheria	MERCATO SARACENO, Via Roma 30, (Forli)	Electricista	10 Apr 45 374 PW Cage.	Duration.
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Reason for arrest: 1933 Joined PFR. Oct 1943 - Mar 44 Member of Diretorio PFR, MERCATO SARACENO.
Mar 44 - Jun 44 Vice Segretario PFR, MERCATO SARACENO. Oct 42 Connected with 'ORGANIZZAZIONE CAPILLARE'. Active propagandist for PFR and German forces.

PASQUINI Gianfranco Pascoli 12 di Emilio. (Lucca).	LUCCA, Via Studente	10 Apr 45 5 Corps. PW Cage	Duration.
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Reason for arrest: Enemy espionage agent despatched by ARWEHR to observe troop movements, etc. Captured by Italian outpost 10 Corps. Interned in accordance with 15 Army Group instructions ref 1456/561/GSI(b) dated 4 Apr 45.

ROSSI Guido di Emilio 20 (Rovigo)	CAVELLO, Via Garibaldi, Contedino	15 Mar 45 5 Corps PW Cage.	Duration.
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Reason for arrest: Enemy Sabotage Agent. Mission: sabotage in the PERUGIA Area and general espionage of troop movements. Surrendered to an Italian sentry 10 Corps. Interned in accordance with 15 Army Group instructions ref 1456/482/GSI(b) dated 27 Mar 45.

SANTAMARIS SIRIGNANO,	Milizia	10 Apr 45 5 Corps	Duration.
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PALUBO MERCATO Electricista 10 Apr 45 Duration.
Alfonso SAFACENO, 374 PW
fu Vis Roma 30, Cage.
Zaccheria (Forli)

Reason for arrest: 1933 Joined PNF. Oct 1943 - Mar 44 Member of Diretorio PFR, MERCATO SAFACENO.
Mar 44 - Jun 44 Vice Segretario PFR, MERCATO SAFACENO. Oct 42 Connected with 'ORGANIZZAZIONE CAPILLARE'. Active propagandist for PFR and German forces.

PASQUINI LUCCA, Vis Studente 10 Apr 45 Duration.
Gianfranco Pescoli 12 5 Corps.
di Emilio. (Lucca). PW Cage

Reason for arrest: Enemy espionage agent despatched by ABWEHR to observe troop movements, etc. Captured by Italian outpost 10 Corps. Interned in accordance with 15 Army Group instructions ref 1456/561/GSI(b) dated 4 Apr 45.

ROSSI GAVELLO, Contadino 15 Mar 45 Duration.
Guido Vis Garibaldi. 5 Corps.
di Emilio 20 (Povigo). PW Cage.

Reason for arrest: Enemy Sabotage Agent. Mission: sabotage in the PERUGIA area and General espionage of troop movements. Surrendered to an Italian sentry 10 Corps. Interned in accordance with 15 Army Group instructions ref 1456/482/GSI(b) dated 27 Mar 45.

SANTAMARIS SIRIGNANO, Milizia 10 Apr 45 Duration.
Emilio di Vis Capo Portuaria. 5 Corps.
Felice Casale PW Cage.
(Avellino)

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Reason for arrest: Enemy espionage agent despatched by Wehr to observe troop movements etc. Captured by Italian outpost 10 Corps. Interned in accordance with 15 Army Gp instructions ref 1456/561/CSI(h) dated 4 Apr 45.

Lt. Col.
C. S. I.

Appendix "A"

The following is a statistical review of Category "7" arrests reported during the period 1 - 15 Apr 75 :

<u>Nature of Offence</u>	<u>No. of Individuals Charged</u>
Contravention of Movements Regulations . . .	76
No identity documents	2
Falsification of documents	3
Illegal possession of WD property	3
Illegal possession of firearms & explosives . . .	3
Organising unauthorised public meeting . . .	8
Taking photographs without a permit	1
Disobeying a military order	3
Resisting arrest & assault during arrest . . .	1
Carrying uncensored mail	4
Offering a bribe in connection with an official matter	1

Captured by Italian outpost 10 C. 1945.
Interned in accordance with 15 Army Gp
instructions ref 1456/561/CSI(h) dated
4 Apr 45.

Lt. Col.
G.S.I.

Appendix "A"

The following is a statistical review of Category
"A" arrests reported during the period 1 - 15 Apr 45 :

<u>Nature of Offence</u>	<u>No. of Individuals Charged</u>
Contravention of Movements Regulations ...	76
No identity documents	2
Falsification of documents	3
Illegal possession of WD property	3
Illegal possession of firearms & explosives .	3
Organising unauthorised public meeting ...	8
Taking photographs without a permit	1
Disobeying a military order	3
Resisting arrest & assault during arrest .	1
Carrying uncensored mail	4
Offering a bribe in connection with an official matter	1
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105 charges involving 92 offenders

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