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Minute No.1

20th June, 1946

To: Director of Public Safety Sub-Commission.

With reference to Folio 68C in this file, please note that your Sub-Commission should not deal with appeals of this nature. They should be passed to the Legal Sub-Commission who handle such matters.

Appeals in this case had been received from other sources and were dealt with by the Legal Sub-Commission. The result of this duplication was that when the Legal Sub-Commission pressed AFHQ for a reply in this case, AFHQ answered that they had already notified Public Safety Sub-Commission of a decision in the matter. 68B

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

REF : AC/14754/8/PS/Security 6 April 1946

SUBJECT : Col. FLAMINI Minuti Domenico

TO : D.A.G., C.M.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. Reference your 16422/2/A-3 dated 28 Feb. 46.

2. Subject is on service at the Italian Ministry of War as from 1 Feb. 46.

3. Your further instructions are awaited.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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TRANSLATION

MINISTERO DELL'INTERNO
Dir.Gen.della P.S.

Div. S.I.S. Sez.2
224/72880

ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety S/C Rome

AC/14754/8/P.S. 4 March 46

SUBJECT: Colonnello Domenico FLAMINI MINUTI .

Referring to the present position of the a/m officer, it is learned from Ministero della Guerra -Gabinetto- (letter 23 March 1946) that the Col. in Infantry FLAMMINII (not Flamini) Domenico Minuto, is on service at Ministero della Guerra from 1 Feb 1946.

For the Minister
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Da/.

Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Divisione S.I.S. Sez. 2ª
Prot. N. 224/72880 Allegati

Roma 30 marzo 1946

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
S.Commissione per la P.S.
ROMA

Risposta al foglio del 4 marzo c.a.
Div. *Sez.* AC/14754/8/P.S.

OGGETTO: Colonnello Flamini Minuti Domenico.-

In relazione alla nota sopradistinta, si comunica che il Ministero della Guerra - Gabinetto- richiesto di notizie circa l'attuale posizione dell'Ufficiale in oggetto, ha riferito,con foglio in data 23 marzo c.a. che il Colonnello di Fanteria FLAMMINII (non Flamini) Minuto Domenico, è in servizio presso quel Ministero, dal 1° febbraio u.s.=

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

REF. : AC/14754/8/PS/ Security 4 March 1946

SUBJECT : Col. FLAMINI Minuti Domenico

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

1. Reference your 500/71249 dated 12 February 1946.

2. The information contained in above letter is hereby acknowledged.

3. Will you please make every endeavour to trace Subject's present whereabouts and inform this Division.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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* SUBJECT :- War Crimes

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26 Feb 46

HQ AC (Public Safety Sub Commission).

Copy to :- CROWCASS, US APO 887, PARIS.

Col FLAMINI MINUTI DOMENICO

1. It is noted that the above named is identified as the Commander 48 Inf Regt "FERRARA" in MONTENEGRO in May 1943, listed as "Unknown" in UNWCC List 2 Serial 46.

2. Will you please endeavour to trace his whereabouts and inform this GHQ as soon as possible, when further instructions will be issued.

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

REF : AC/14754/8/PS/Security 19 February 1946

SUBJECT : War Crimes

TO : D.A.G. G-1 (Br) A.F.H.Q.

1. Reference your G-1/Br/15160/A-3 dated 16 June 1945.

2. The Ministry of the Interior has informed this Division that the person listed as "Name unknown" on page 8 forwarded with above letter has been identified as Colonel Fiamini Minuti Domenico, the Commander of 48th Infantry Regiment "Ferrara" operating in Montenegro in May 1943.

3. Your further instructions are awaited before a reply is forward to the Ministry of Interior regarding future action.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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Please let me
have the copy sent
by the Italian Government
with the letter. AHK

MINISTERO DELL'INTERNO

DIV. AGR. SEZ IV.
PROT. NO. 500/71249

12 February 1946

Reply to your letter SD/266.01.69 dated 4.1.46.

TO : Alcom, P/S Sub Commission, Rome

SUBJECT : Persons wanted by Allied Authorities.

With reference to a/m letter, it is made known that the Ministry of War - Gabinetto - having been requested to about the inclusion of Colonel Flamini Minuti Domenico among the names asked for by this Commission, has replied that said officer must be identified as " the commander of the 48th Infantry Regiment, "Ferrara" operating in Montenegro in May 1943", who was listed as unknown on page 8 of the list sent with letter AC/14754/8/PS dated 24 June 1945.

For the Minister

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MINISTERO DE L'INTERNO

DIV. AGR. SEZ IV.
PROT. NO. 500/71249

12 February 1946

Reply to your letter SD/256.01.69 dated 4.1.46.

TO : Alcom, P/S Sub Commission, Rome

SUBJECT : Persons wanted by Allied Authorities.

With reference to s/m letter, it is made known that the Ministry of War - Gabinetto - having been requested to about the inclusion of Colonel Flamini Minuti Domenico among the names asked for by this Commission, was replied that said officer must be identified as " the commander of the 63th Infantry Regiment, "Ferrara" operating in Montenegro in May 1943", who was listed as unknown on page 8 of the list sent with letter AC/14754/8/PS dated 24 June 1945.

For the Minister

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Roma 12 febbraio 1946

Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.
ROMA

Divisione A.G.R. Sez. IV
Pol. N. 500/71249 Allegati

Risposta al f/let 4.1.p.p.
Div. Sez. SD/266.01.69

OGGETTO: Persone ricercate dalle Autorità Alleate.

In relazione alla nota sopradistinta, si comunica che il Ministero della Guerra - Gabinetto -, richiesto di chiarimenti circa la inclusione del Colonnello Flamini Minuti Domenico tra i nominativi interessanti codesta Commissione, ha riferito che il predetto ufficiale è da individuarsi nel "Comandante del 48° Reggimento Fanteria "Ferrara" operante in Montenegro nel maggio 1943", indicato come sconosciuto a pag.8 dell'elenco inviato con la nota n.AC/14754/8/PS del 24.6.1945.

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

REF. : SD/266.01-69 4 January 1946

SUBJECT : Colonel (Inf.) FLAMINI MINETI Domenico

TO : Ministry of Interior
General Direction of Public Safety,
Div. A.G.R. Sez. IV

1. I thank you for the information contained in your letter 500/78411 of 20 December 1945.

2. May this office please be informed as to why the name of subject was included in your letter as no individual so named appeared on the list forwarded to you under cover of our AC/14754/8/PS of 24 June 1945.

3. It is thought that Subject was originally referred to as "name unknown", and that the paragraph in question lacks explanation as to his former position.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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

WAR CRIMES

PSP : 20/266.03-69

3 January 1946

SUBJECT : Persons wanted by the Allies

TO : Allied Force Headquarters (for DAG)
J.A.C., A.F.H.Q.

1. Reference is made to CA/Br/15160/A-3 of 16 Jun. 45 and to the lists of suspected war criminals forwarded therewith.

2. The follow information has been received from the Italian Government regarding certain personalities named therein.

(a) DE DOMINICIS Oreste - Col. CC.RR. (reserve). Subject is shown as "name unknown" on said lists. He was formerly C.O. of the Fonaro concentration Camp and is now living at Giulianova (Teramo).

(b) PISCHEL Giuseppe - Col. Inf. (reserve). Former C.O. of Renicci internee camp now living at Via Brera, 30, Milan or at Via Nuovaluccello, 71, Catania. Shown as "name unknown" on page 8 of lists.

(c) D'ANTONIO Giuseppe - Col. (Medical Officer). Appears on page 7 of said list and also on page 2 of UNWCC list No. 2 personality number 3. Is now living at Via Tasso 202, Naples.

(d) PAPA Enrico - Colonel (reserve). Subject appears on page 5 of list as thought to have been Comdt of PW Camp No. 70. The Ministry have neither confirmed nor denied this fact but have merely given subject's address as Via Leopardi 2, Perno.

(e) RUSSI Italo - Colonel. Subject appears on page 15. Lives at Piazza Santo 5, Verona.

(f) LATTANZIO Antonio - Lt. Col. (Inf). Appears on page 2. Lives at Pescara and is an interpreter for that municipality.

(g) FINZI Giuseppe - Major. Appears on page 14 on UNWCC list No. 12 personality No. 146. Lives at Via Della Liberta' 9, Bolzano.

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(h) ALESSANDRO Alfredo - Lt. (Arty.). Appears on page 10 may be identical with personality No. 59 UNRRA list 5. Lives at Via Giovanni Pacini 119, Palermo.

(i) D'AMICO Angelo - 2nd Lt. (Inf.) lives at Via Bellinzona, House 505, No. 43, Messina. Appears on page 10 of list and attention is also drawn to the fact that considerable correspondence has taken place between this Office and G-5 AFHQ (file G-5 000.5-1 refers) concerning a certain D'AMICO Angelo Beppino whose home address, however, was quoted as S. Demetrio Corone Cosenza.

(j) OCCHI Aldo - 2nd Lt. (M.G.). Appears on page 12 of list and also in UNRRA list No. 5 personality No. 81. Lives at Via Scotti No. 14, Parma.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, J.A.G.D.,
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION.

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Copy to : G-5 AFHQ (with reference to para 2 (i) above).

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
GENERAL DIRECTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
R O M E

Division : A.G.R.
Section : IV^.
Prot. N° : 500/72411.

ROME, 30/12/1945.

SUBJECT : Wanted persons by the Allied authorities.

Ref. to your letter AC/14754/S/PS of the 24/6/45, we have to report the following communication given by the Cabinet of the Ministry of War regarding the u/n wanted persons by the Allied authorities :

- Col. CC.RR. (reserve) DE DOMINICIS Gustavo - former C.O. of the Gonars internee camp (is reported to be unknown on page 8 of said list). He lives in Casciano (Teramo).
- Col.Inf. (reserve) PISTONE GIUSEPPE - former C.O. of Renicci internee camp (is reported to be unknown on page 8 of said list). He lives in Milan, Via Brera, N° 30, or in Catania Via Nuovaluccello, N° 71.
- Col. D'AMBROSIO Giuseppe, M.O. - lives in Neaples, Via Tasso, N° 202.
- Col. PAPA Enrico (reserve) - lives in Fermo, Via Leopardi, N° 24.
- Col. ROSSI Italo, lives in Verona, Piazza Santo, N° 5.
- Col.Inf. FLAMINI MINUTI Domenico - lives in Collevaro (Teramo).
- LtCol.Inf. LATTANZIO Antonio - lives in Pescara and is interpreter for that municipality.

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- Major PIZZI Giuseppe - lives in Bolzano, Via della Libertà N° 9.
- Capt. (Arty) VISMARA Felice - lives in Rome, Via Calabria N° 1.
- Lt. (Arty) ALESSANDRO Alfredo - lives in Palermo, Via Giovanni Pacini, N° 119.
- 2^ Lt. (Inf) D'AMICO Angelo - lives in Messina, Via Bellinzona, House 505, N° 43.
- 2^ Lt. COPPA Aldo, M.O. - lives in Ponza, Via Scotti, N° 14

Signed : for the Minister
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Subject has already been arrested

See 266.01-8

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
GENERAL DIRECTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
R O M E

Division : A.G.R.
Section : IV^.
Prot. N° : 500/78411.

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Signed : for the Minister
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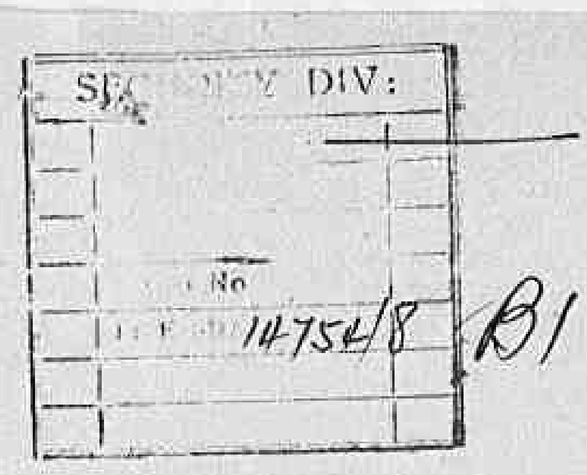

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

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Roma, 20 Dicembre 1945

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Direzione A.C.R. Sez. 4°
Prot. N. 500/78411 Allegati

All'ON. COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER LA P.S.-APO 394
ROMA

Risposta al foglio del 24.6.45
Div. Sez. N.AC/14754/8/P.S.

OGGETTO Persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate.

A seguito di precorsa corrispondenza, si comunicano le seguenti notizie fornite dal Gabinetto del Ministero della Guerra sul conto delle sottonotate persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate:

"" Col.CC.RR. ris.DE DOMINICIS Gustavo - già comandante del campo di concentramento di Gonars (è indicato come sconosciuto a pag.8 del noto elenco) abita a Casciano (Teramo);

Col.ftr.ris.PISTONE Giuseppe - già comandante del campo di concentramento di Renicci (è indicato come sconosciuto a pag.8 del noto elenco)- abita a Milano via Brera, N.30 oppure a Catania, via Nuovaluccello N.71;

Col.med.D'AMBROSIO Giuseppe - abita a Napoli via Tasso N.202;

Col.ris.PAPA Enrico - abita a Fermo, via G.Leopardi N.24;

Col.ROSSI Italo - abita a Verona, Piazza Santo N.5;

Col.ftr.FLAMINI MINUTO Domenico abita a Collevaro (Teramo);

T.Col.ftr.LATTANZIO Antonio - abita a Pescara, quale impiegato presso quel Municipio;

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Magg.PIZZI Giuseppe - abita a Bolzano - via Libertà N.9;

Cap.art.VISMARA Felice - abita a Roma - via Calabria N. 1;

Ten.art.ALESSANDRO Alfredo - abita a Palermo - via Giovanni Pacini 119

S.Ten.ftr.D'AMICO Angelo - abita a Messina - via Bellinzona, isolato 505 N.43;

S.Ten.medico COPPA Aldo - abita a Ponza, via Scotti N.14"".

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Divisione A.G.R. Sez. 4° File No 14754/8
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S.Ten.ftr.D'AMICO Angelo - abita a Messina - via Bellinzona, isolato 505 N.43;

S.Ten.medico COPPA Aldo - abita a Ponza, via Scotti N.14"".

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

REF : SD/266.01 29 December 1945

SUBJECT : LUCHETTI Nilo

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

1. The u/m Italian civilian is urgently required by the Allied Command.

LUCHETTI Nilo

Native of MONTE CASSINO
Age approx 25 years
Height approx 1m 55
Brown eyes - born rimmed spectacles
Last known address Corso Cavour 137 MACERATA

2. Would you please cause enquiries to made as expeditiously as possible and inform this office as to the result in due course.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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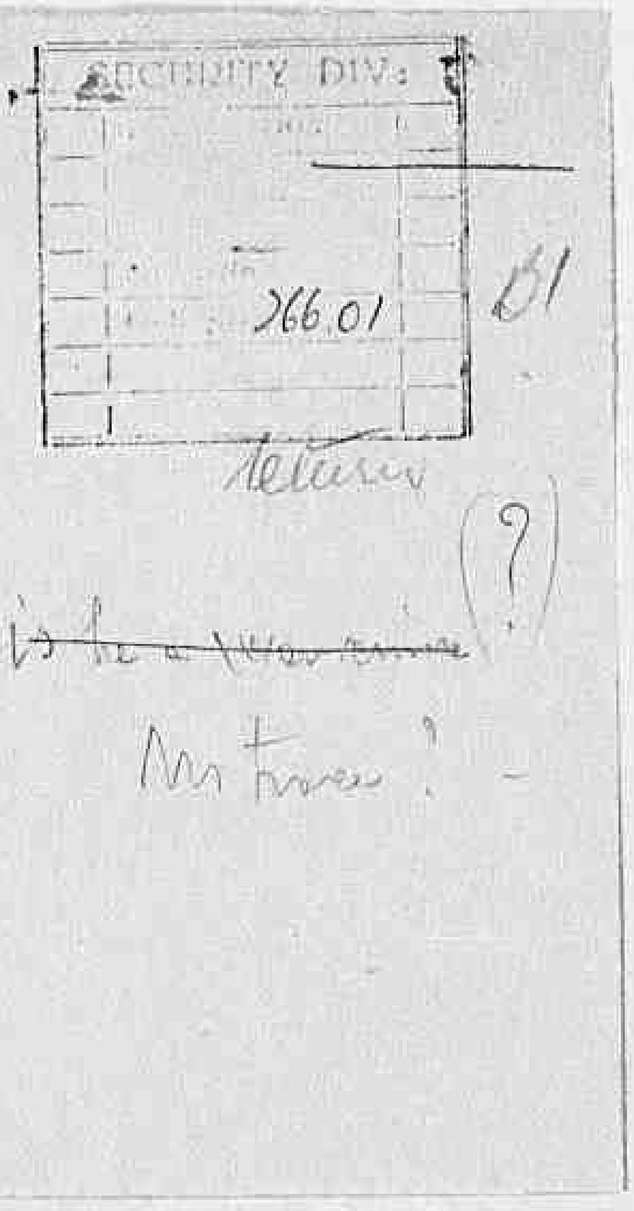

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Subject:- WAR CRIMES.

GHQ CMF.
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22 Dec 45.

HQ., Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub Commission,
Security Division.

Copy to:- G-5.

The undermentioned Italian civilian is urgently required in connection with the investigation of a War Crime.

LUCHETTI NILO

Native of MONTE CASSINO
Age approx 25 years.
Height approx 1m 55
Brown eyes - horn rimmed spectacles.
Last known address Corso Cavour 137 MACFRATA.

May enquiries be made at the above address and locally, to try to trace this man.

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

REF : SD/266.01-68 1 June 1946

Dear Excellenza,

Referring to your letter No. 13678, dated 4 May 1946, forwarding an appeal from the sisters of Col. TURCO.

The sentence of death passed on Col. TURCO, at a Military Court held at MILAN on 10 April 46, was on 14 May 46 commuted by the Supreme Allied Commander to one of imprisonment for fifteen years.

Orders have been given for this sentence to be put into execution and it is regretted that no further appeals or petitions can be entertained on behalf of Col. TURCO.

Yours sincerely,

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

The Minister to the Royal House
ROME

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SUBJECT :- War Crimes - Col Francesco Paolo TURCO.

GHQ CMF.
16036/1/A-3.
24 May 46.

HQ Allied Commission,
A.P.O. 394
Public Safety Sub-Commission
Security Division.

Reference your letter SD/266. 01-68 dated 17 May 46.

1. The sentence of death passed on Col TURCO, at a Military Court held at MILAN, on 10 April 46, was on 14 May 46, commuted by the Supreme Allied Commander to one of imprisonment for fifteen years.

2. Orders have now been issued for this sentence to be put into execution and it is regretted that no further appeals or petitions can be entertained on behalf of Col TURCO.

/hs.

Brigadier.
DAG.

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

REF : SD/266.01-68 7 May 1946

SUBJECT : Colonel TURCO Francesco

TO : A-3 Branch, G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. The attached appeal, together with rough translation, made on behalf of the above named by his sisters and submitted to this HQ by the Luogotenente Generale del Regno is submitted for your consideration.

2. May this HQ be advised as to the reply which should be sent to the Luogotenente please.

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

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TRANSLATION (..D.)

To S.A.R. the Luogotenente Generale del Regno

R O M E .

Righness,

The signal your Highness has sent to us, has brought a ray of hope to our hearts, which are broken because of the fate of our poor brother Col.Francesco Paolo Turco, sentenced to death on 10 Apr 46 by the Allied Military Tribunal of Milan.

May the House of Savoia, which has been allways the anchor of safety to every Italian, be also ours in this pitiful case.

Highness,

We ask you to save our brother, who has spent his whole life in accomlishing his soldiers duties for his King and his Country. He has been three times wounded and decorated al Valor Militare in the British area during the former world war in 1918. Especially he has been decorated with the military Order of Savoia of which he is proud.

We are convinced that your Highness want forget this Officer who allways has accomplished his soldiers duties; nor refuse to intervene by the Allied Authorities in order to return our brother to his Country and to his family.

Highness,

Do help us!- Our tears fall on this modest sheet of paper while we pray God Almighty to bless your Highness and the whole R.Family.

Bari, 16 Apr 46.

The Sisters Turco:

Marianne Turco
Addolorata Turco

Via De Amicis 2.

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(A.D.)

IL MINISTRO DELLA REAL CASA

Roma, 4 May 1946

Dear Colonel,

Ref. my letter N° 09573 of 15 Apr 46, I hasten to send you herewith enclosed a new appeal addressed to S.A.R. the Luogotenente Generale by the sisters Turco to the credit of their brother Col. Francesco Paolo Turco, who has been sentenced to death by the Allied Military Tribunal of Milan.

Let me draw your benevolent attention on the new elements brought into evidence by the a/m statement. Let me also point out that something can certainly be done in this pitiful case, evidently in the limits of justice and of the present possibilities.

Yours truely

F.LUCIFERO
Ministro della Real Casa

TO : Col. James E. Bye
Director Public Safety
Allied Commission
R O M A .

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IL MINISTRO DELLA REAL CASA

Roma, - 4 MAG 1946

Caro Colonnello,

a seguito della mia lettera n.09573 del 15 aprile u.s., mi affretto a rimetterLe, qui unito, un nuovo ricorso in grazia, diretto a S.A.R. il Luogotenente Generale dalle sorelle Turco, in favore del fratello Colonnello Francesco Paolo Turco, condannato a morte dal Tribunale Militare Alleato di Milano.

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Nel richiamare la Sua benevola attenzione sui nuovi elementi lumeggiati dall'esposto, mi permetto di segnalare ulteriormente il pietoso caso per tutto ciò che sarà dato di fare, nei limiti beninteso del giusto e del possibile.

Voglia nell'occasione gradire, caro Colonnello, i miei più cordiali saluti.

F. LUCIFERO
Ministro della Real Casa

Lucifero

Col.
James E. DYE
Director Public Safety
Allied Commission
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AFHQ "A" BRANCH CMF
ALCOM
INFO: JAG NAPLES DISTWO RAAC

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Subject is war crimes trial of Colonnello F.P.Turco for murder of Cypriot soldier. Turco requests attendance of MSGNR Gustavo Testa Apostolic delegate to secretary of State Vatican City as defence witness.Request you inform DISTWO copy to GHQ soonest whether witness will attend. Should report on 8 April to HQ no 2 District Milan. Signal ETA to DISTWO copy GHQ. Authority for move and accomodation contained in GHQ CMF admin instruction no 27 Para 25 can be seen at RAAC.

AC DIST.

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INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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Subject:- Colonel TURCO, Francesco.

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HQ Allied Commission
Public Safety Sub Commission
Security Division.

Copy to - JA (Reference your IRS of 15 Jan 46).

Reference your SD/266.01-68- dated 21 Dec 45.

1. The above named is held at 209 PW Camp as a War Criminal.

2. If TURCO's wife wishes to see him, may application be forwarded to this HQ. The date of the trial has not yet been fixed, but it will probably take place before the end of February.

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Await case of Turco's wife

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

WAR CRIME

(68)

REF : SD/266.01-68- 21 December 1945

SUBJECT : TURCO Francesco, UNWCC list No. 12
part 1, personality No. 3

TO : Allied Force Headquarters

1. The wife of the a/n has requested that she be informed of her husband's whereabouts.

2. Subject was held at Forte Boccea Rome until 7 Oct. 45 and was then transferred to unknown destination.

3. Would you also inform this office whether the fact of his having been detained was known to AFHQ or not, or whether his detention was due to charges other than that of being a suspected War Criminal.

for J. Wallis Capt

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
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REF : SD/266.01-67 21 December 1945

SUBJECT : General Renzo DALMAZZO

TO : Land Forces Sub Commission (M.M.I.A.)

1. The attached correspondence concerning the trial of the a/n Italian officer, is forwarded for your attention please.

2. In view of the fact that Maj. Seymour's statement does not bear out remarks made by Subject's attorney it is recommended that the matter be referred to the Ministry of War rather than Luizzi Ferruccio.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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AILLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 013.37

14 December 1945

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SUBJECT: Request of Liuzzi Ferruccio

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394

Forwarded for delivery to proper Italian authorities is request of Liuzzi Ferruccio, Rome lawyer, dated 28 August 1945, and statement dated 27 October 1945 of Major Seymour.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

for A. L. HAMBLEN,
Brigadier General GSC,
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Incl: as above

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. HAMBLEN,
Brigadier General GSC,
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Incl: as above

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

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REF : SD/266.01-66 15 December 1945

SUBJECT : War Crimes

TO : AFHQ (for G-5 Section)

1. Reference is made to your G-5: 000.5-1 of 11 Dec. 45 forwarding copy of 16000/A-3 dated 7 Dec. 45

2. The Ministry of the Interior has been making enquiries to trace War Criminals on behalf of AFHQ at the request of this Division for several months.

3. It is pointed out that this Ministry is the only authority really qualified for such work, and their success in tracing wanted persons has been commendable in view of the present day circumstances.

CBH

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 000.5-1 11 December 1945

SUBJECT: War Crimes.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
AP O 394.

1. Reference attached letter GHQ CMF 16000/A-3 dated 7 December 1945 on above subject.

2. Request that you contact the proper Italian Authorities with a view to assure their assistance as set forth in the reference.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. HAMBLEN
Brigadier General, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 000.5-1

11 December 1945

SUBJECT: War Crimes.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

1. Reference attached letter GHQ CMF 16000/A-3 dated 7 December 1945 on above subject.

2. Request that you contact the proper Italian Authorities with a view to assure their assistance as set forth in the reference.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. HASTLEN
Brigadier General, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

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Subject:- WAR CRIMES.

GHQ CMF.

16000/A-3.

7 Dec 45.

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Copy to - DJAG, GHQ CMF.

1. Hitherto considerable assistance has been received from the Italian Minister of War through MMIA in the tracing of Italians required for interrogation in connection with alleged war crimes.

2. In order to facilitate the location of Italians wanted for interrogation it is desired to circularise short lists of their names (and addresses where known) on a somewhat wider distribution to the Carabinieri or the Questura.

3. It is understood that if such lists were prepared by us, it would be possible for the necessary assistance to be arranged through the Italian Minister of the Interior and the Direzione Generale di Polizei, ROME.

4. Would you therefore request HQ Allied Commission to approach these authorities as soon as possible in order to obtain their assent to our proposal and so that we may be informed of any arrangements which could be made by us to enable the proposal to be put into effect as soon as possible.

C. Stevens
Major General,
DAG.

RMW/mcm.

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

REF. : SD/266.01 8 December 1945

SUBJECT : War Crimes Lists. nos. 13 and 14

TO : Commanding Officer 2675 Regt. U.S. Army.

1. The enclosed, 10 copies of each of UNWCC lists nos 13 and 14 which have been received from you through C.A. Section, this Headquarters, are returned herewith.

2. Copies are already held by this Division having been received direct from CHQ. CMF, as usual.

3. If these are of no interest it is suggested they be destroyed.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
Office of the Theater Judge Advocate
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

3 November 1945

SUBJECT: United Nations War Crimes Commission Lists.

TO: U. S. Contingent, Allied Commission, APO 394, U. S. Army.

1. Reference letter this office, same subject as above, dated 18 May 1945.

2. Inclosed herewith ten (10) copies of List Number 13 of official United Nations War Crimes Commission list of wanted personnel. Additional lists will be furnished you as they become available.

TOM H. BARRATT
Colonel, JAGD
Acting Theater Judge Advocate

1 Incl:
List #13 - Copies 219 - 228

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HEADQUARTERS
MEDITERRANEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
Office of the Theater Judge Advocate
UNITED STATES ARMY
APO 512

23 November 1945

SUBJECT: United Nations War Crimes Commission Lists.

TO: U. S. Contingent,
Allied Commission,
APO 394, U. S. Army.

1. Reference letter this office, same subject as above, dated 18 May 1945.

2. Inclosed herewith ten (10) copies of List Number 14 of official United Nations War Crimes Commission list of wanted personnel. Additional lists will be furnished you as they become available.

TOM H. BARRATT
Colonel, JAGD
Theater Judge Advocate

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

REF : SD/266.01-64 5 February 1946

SUBJECT : PAPA Italo

TO : D.J.A.G., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. Reference your JAG/VW/16171/42 dated 6 December and 31 December 1945.

2. The a/n is at present in " St. Giuseppe's nursing Home, Via Bernardino Telesio, Rome.

for A.H. ELLIS,
Captain,
Security Division.

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TRANSLATION M.C.

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
General Direction P.S.
Div. A.G.R. Sec. IV
NO. 500/70818
Ans. to No.50/266.1.64
OF 14/12/45

ROME - 31 JAN. 1946

TO: ALLIED COMMAND
PUBLIC SAFETY S.C.
ROME

SUBJECT : Papa Italo di Alfredo and of Pescosolido Bice, born in Casalvieri on 26.7.1920.

With reference to a/m number, we communicate that Papa Italo, wanted by that Commission is at the moment a patient in "St. Giuseppe's" nursing home in Rome, at Via Bernardino Telesio.

For the Minister
/s/ illegible

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TRANSLATION M.C.

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Ms/

URGENTE

Roma, 01 gennaio 194 6

Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

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Alla COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.
ROMA

Direzione A.G.R. Sez. IV^
Fasc. 500/708 I8 Allegati

Risposta al foglio del I4.I2.I945
Div. N° 50/266.I.64

OGGETTO Papa Italo di Alfredo e di Pascosolido Bice, nato a Casalviari il 26.7.I920 studente.-

Con riferimento alla nota richiamata a margine, si comunica che il Papa ricercato da codesta On.Commissione trovasi attualmente ricoverato presso la Clinica "S.Giuseppe" di questa città in Via Bernardino Telesio.

PEL MINISTRO

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

Ref: SD/266.01

Subject: PAPA Italo

To : Ministry of Interior
General Direction of Public Safety

Would you please expedite reply to our letters ref. SD/266.01-64

dated 11 Dec.45, subject as above.
3 Jan.46

JOHN W CHAPMAN
COLONEL J.A.G.D.,
DIRECTOR, PUBLIC SAFETY
SUB COMMISSION

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

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Ref: SD/266.01-64

3 January 1945

Subject: PAPA Italo

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

Would you please expedite reply to our letter ref. SD/266.01-64 dated 14 Dec. 45, subject as above.

JOHN W CHAPMAN
COLONEL J.A.G.D.,
DIRECTOR, PUBLIC SAFETY
SUB COMMISSION

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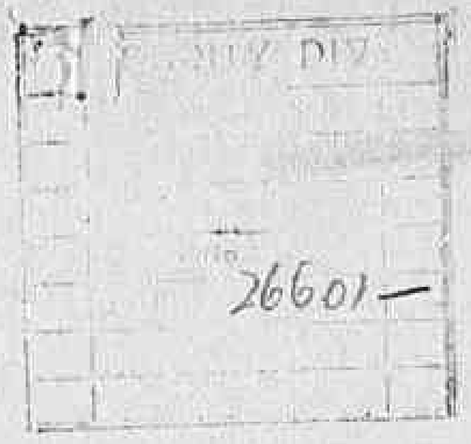

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Tel: Freedom 1772

Office of the:
Deputy Judge Advocate General
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
GHQ CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES.

JAG/VW/16171/42.

28 Dec 45.

31 DIC. 1945

HQ. Allied Commission.

War Crimes; PAPA ITALO.

Reference my letter JAG/VW/16171/42 of 6 Dec.

I shall be grateful if I may receive your reply as soon as possible.

Colonel.
D.J.A.G.

31 DEC 1945

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

REF : SD/266.01-64 14 December 1945

SUBJECT : PAPA Italo

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

1. This office wishes to trace an Italian civilian named PAPA Italo, who was concerned in the commission of a War Crime.

2. There is reason to suspect that the wanted man may be an ex-internee described as follows:-

Serial No.	:	T 227770 - Italian civilian PAPA Italo
Born	:	26 July 1920
Occupation	:	Student
Captured	:	23 July 1944 at Rome
Admitted	:	'A' Civilian Internee Camp: 12 September 1944
Released	:	15 August 1945

3. Would you please cause enquiries to be made and inform this office of the result in due course.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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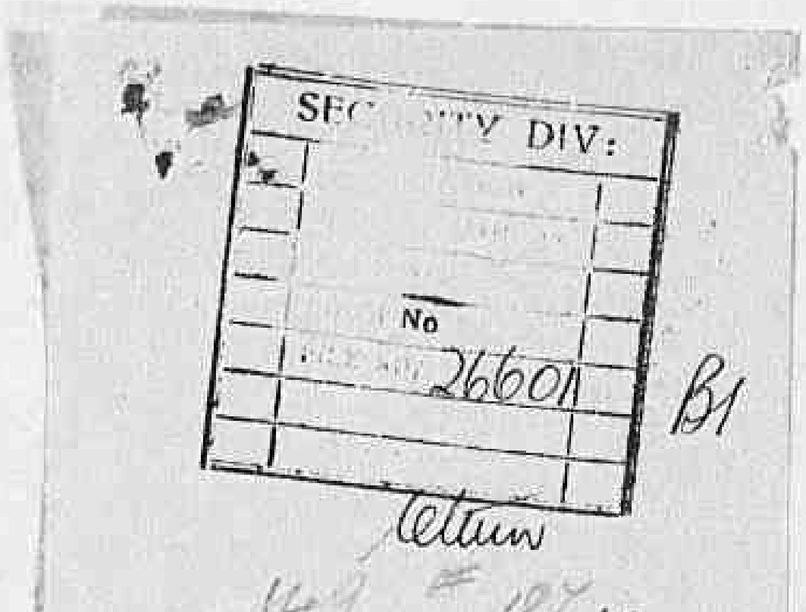

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Tel: Freedom 172

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Office of the:

Deputy Judge Advocate General
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
CHQ CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCES

JAG/WW/16171/42

6 Dec 45

HQ Allied Commission

War Crimes : PAPA Italo

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3. It has not been possible to ascertain whether he was released to the Italian Government or whether he was set free. I shall very much appreciate any assistance you can give me, as a matter of urgency, in ascertaining the present whereabouts of this man.

for Colonel,
D.J.A.G.

ALLIED COMMISSION 6425 HEADQUARTERS

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Message Centre No: G/4137
Date Time Rec'd: NOV 230930 A
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FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGCT
TO : 13 CORPS ALCOM

23 NOV 1945

SECRET.

Ref FX 27763 dated 25 July 45. Investigation into alleged atrocities at BASOVIZZA will be suspended pending decision by CCS regarding provision of suitable mining equipment.

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13 CORPS INFO: 8th ARMY ALCOM

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Investigations into alleged atrocitities at BASOVIZZA has been ordered.

Technical instruction from MGRE follow.

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

REF : SD/266.01 3 December 1945

SUBJECT : BIANCHI Aldo
ROCCI Ernesto
NUTTI Corrado
REANNARTO Stefani

TO : Questura of Lucca,
e.p.c. Ministry of Interior,
General Direction of Public Safety.

1. Information has been received that the a/n Italians are held in custody by you in the Judicial Jail of Lucca in connection with the alleged ill treatment of British prisoners of war.

2. The Allied Command now has no further interest in these men and they may be dealt with as you consider fit.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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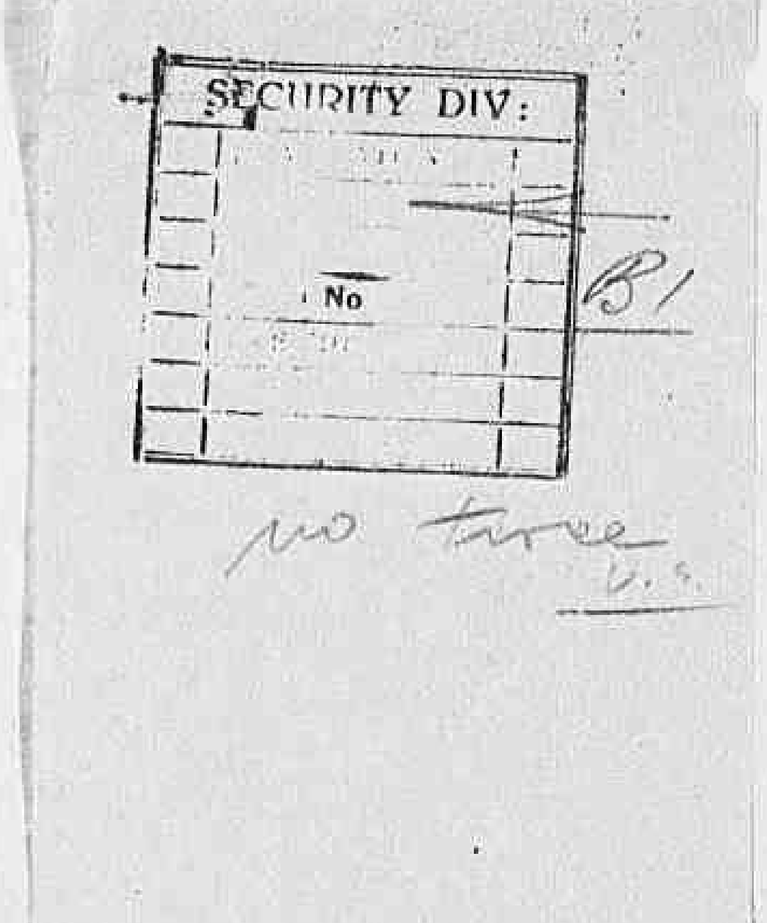

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SUBJECT: War Crimes. CONFIDENTIAL.

GHQ CMF.

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24 Nov 45.

HQ, Allied Commission

Copy to:- DJAG.

1. Information has been received that four Italians

Aldo BIANCI
Ernesto ROCCI
Conrado NUTTI
Stefoni REANNARTO

are held in custody by the Questura in the Judicial Jail of LUCCA in connection with the case of alleged ill treatment of British PW at MATRIA.

2. It has been decided that no further action is to be taken in respect of this case, and the retention in custody of the above named Italians is no longer required by this HQ.

3. Please inform the Italian authorities accordingly.

Security Division
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jlb.

Major General,
DAG.

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HEADQUARTERS VENEZIA REGION ABLE MIKE GEORGE FOR ROGER PETER SUGAR CHOC
FROM ALCOM CITE ACSEC

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CONFIDENTIAL FD

PARA ONE FD SUBJECT IS HELMUTH RETSCHEK FD

PAREN HEADQUARTERS VENEZIA REGION ABLE MIKE GEORGE FOR ROGER PETER SUGAR CHOC FROM ALCOM CITE ACSEC PAREN

PARA TWO FD HELMUTH RETSCHEK WANTED URGENTLY AS WAR CRIMINAL FD HOME ADDRESS CMA LUISBURGL STRASSE CMA THIRTY FIVE CMA BREMEN FD FORTY FIVE YEARS OF AGE CMA HEIGHT ONE METER TWENTY FIVE CMA WELL BUILT CMA BLUE EYES CMA PLEASANT FACE CMA SPEAKS GOOD ENGLISH AND FRENCH FD REPORTED BY USFET TO HAVE LEFT FOR VERONA ITALY FD CARABINIERI AT VERONA SHOULD IMMEDIATELY BE ALERTED TO PICK UP SUBJECT FD REQUEST THIS HEADQUARTERS BE NOTIFIED AT ONCE OF HIS APPREHENSION FD

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Security

Originator's Reference: F 54496
Date/Time of Origin: NOV. 261605A

Message Centre No: G 4362
Date Time Rec'd: NOV. 271015A
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ SIGNED SIGNED CITE FHQEG
TO : ALCOM ROME

CONFIDENTIAL

27 NOV 1945

CONFIDENTIAL.
Helmuth Retschek wanted urgently as war criminal. Home address, Luneburgl Strasse, 35, Bremen. 45 Years of age, height 1 meter 25, well built, blue eyes, pleasant face, speaks good english and frenah. Reported by USFET to have left for Verona Italy. Carabinieri at Verona should immediately be alerted to pick up subject. Request this Headquarters be notified at ~~one~~ ONCE. of his apprehension. PD.

AC DIST

ACTION : Security SC
INFO : Chief Commissioner
C.A. Sec.
L. Forces SC
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NOV. 261605A

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27 NOV 1945

G 4382
NOV. 271015A
ROUTINE

AFHQ SIGNED SACMED CITE FHGEG
ALCOM ROME

HEADQUARTERS
27 NOV 1945

CONFIDENTIAL.

SUBJECT
Helmuth Retsenek wanted urgently as war criminal. Home address, STOP CMP
Luneburgl Strasse, 35, Bremen. Years of age, height 1 meter
CMA THIRTY FIVE CMA FORTY FIVE CMA ONE
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THIRTY FIVE CMA CMA CMA CMA
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subject. Request this Headquarters be notified at ONCE of his
apprehension.

AC DIST

ACTION : Security SC
INFO : Chief Commissioner
C.A. Sec.
L. Forces SC
File

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

WAR CRIME

REF : SD/266.01-60 7 January 1945

SUBJECT : Colonel CALCATERRA

TO : M.A.G. MTOUSA

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1. With further reference to your cables JAG/YW/16033 of 1st and 8th December 1945 and to our even number dated 29 Dec. 45.

2. The following documents in connection with Subject's death are forwarded herewith.

a. Death certificate issued by the Commune of Castagnole Lanze.

b. Declaration by Giovanni Adriano

c. " " Giuseppe Binello

d. " " Giuseppe Giordano

e. Report from the Ufficiale Sanitario.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

File No: PR/PS/21/24.

Subject: Colonel CALCATERRA.

To: A.C.HQrs (Attn Public Safety Sub-Commission)

28th December 1945

From : R.P.S.O.

1. Ref your AC/14745/8/PS of 17th July 1945 and letter from this office of the 20th December.

2. Certified copies of documents relating to the death of CALCATERRA Vittorio are enclosed.

3. The documents may be returned.

For the Regional Commissioner

H.MIGHALL
Lt Colonel,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

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Book No 2650...
File No 266.01-60
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HM/am

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TRANSLATION

TRANSLATION

The undersigned Giordano Giuseppe son of Angelo and of Scaglione Eugenia, born at Castagnole Lanze on 15 June 1897, residing therein Comunal policeman, states that on 27 Aug. 44 he regcognized in the local Hospital "S. Giovanni Battista the corpse of CC.RR. Colonel in Reserve, CALCATERRA Vittorio, son of late Francesco and Calandra Marianna, born at Partanna on 21/8/1880, living in Castagnole Lanze and who was killed a few hours ago by unknown individuals.

Castagnole Lanze 21/13/1945

The undersigned

M.G.

Giorda o Giuseppe

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TRANSLATION

The undersigned Binello Giuseppe, son of late Vincenzo and of Rustichelli Luigia, born at Castagnole Lanze on 5/12/1904 residing therein, Comunal policeman, states that one 27 Aug. 44 he recognized in the local Hospital "S. Giovanni Battista the corpse of CC.RR. Colonel in Reserve, CALCATERRA Vittorio, son of late Francesco and Calandra Marianna, born at Partanna on 21/8/1880, living in Castagnole Lanze and who was killed a few hours ago by unknown individuals.

Castagnole Lanze, 21/12/1945

The undersigned

Binello Giuseppe

M.G.

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TRANSLATION

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Th undersigned Andriano Giovanni, son of late Angelo and of the late Perrone Celestina, born at Castgnole Lanze on 7 Nov. 1899, residing therein, comunal Employee, stated that on 27 Aug. 44 he recognised in the local Hospital "S. Giovanni Battista CALCATERRA Vittorio, son of late Francesco and Culandra Marianna, born at Partanna on 21/8/1880, living in Castagnole Lanze and who was killed a few hours ago by unknown individuals.

Castagnole Lanze, 21/12/1955

The undersigned

Signed. Giovanni Adriano

M.G.

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TRANSLATION

COMUNE OF CASTAGNOLE LANZE
PROVINCE OF ASTI

DEATH CERTIFICATE

It results that from the Deaths archives of the year 1944, under No. 311, part 1

CALCATERRA Vittorio

son of late Francesco and of late Casandra Marianna, aged 67, pensioned living in Castagnole Lanze, born in Partanna, married, died in this Commune on the 27th day of the Month of August 1944.

The present is certificate released for military purposes.

22/12/1945

Officer of the Civil Register

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M.G.

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TRANSLATION

COMUNE OF CASTIGLIONE LANZE

Province of Asti

Office of the Sanitary Officer

On 27 Aug. 1944, at about 9 a/m/ I was called urgently by a woman because some unknown individuals fired against two inhabitants of Castagnole Lanze.

Arriving at the place, and precisely along the road which leaves the town in the direction of Surasco, at about a hundred yards from the town itself, I found Colonel CALCATERRA Vittorio, aged 64, Mayor of the Comune, who was hit by a fire arm burst.

As he was near the "Ospedale Ricovero", he was brought to the medical hall where I ascertained that he was dead because of a wound in the nasal region, whence the bullet penetrated into the cranio cavity and fractured the bone. Besides, the corpse showed a wound on the left shoulder and an ther near the heart, caused by the same gun, probably a submachine gun.

Castagnole Lanze 29/8/1944

The Sanitary Officer

Bruno Clonfero

Witnessed by the Maresciallo
Commanding the Station
(Bol Salvatore)

Witness to Dr. Bruno Clonfero's signature
for the Mayor
Eng. Badoglio

M.G.

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

(60)

REF : SD/266.01-60 29 December 1945

SUBJECT : Colonel CALCATERRA

TO : JAG MTOUSA

1. Reference is made to your signals JAG/VW/16033 of 1 Dec. 45 and 8 Dec. 45 and to previous correspondence regarding Subject.

2. It is confirmed that Col. CALCATERRA Vittorio was killed by partisans at Castagnole Lanzo, Asti, on the 27th August 1944, and attached is a translation of a CC.RR. report regarding the matter.

3. Certified copies of the documents issued in connection with the death will be sent to you as soon as possible.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

TJC/mb

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SUBJECT : Colonel CALCATERRE

TO : JAG MTOUSA

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JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
PIEMONTE REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

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Office of the Regional Public Safety Officer

20th December 1945.

REF PR/PS/21/24.

SUBJECT: Colonel CALCATERRA.

TO : A.C. HQrs (Attn Public Safety Sub-Commission)

1. Ref your AC/14745/8/PS of 17th July 1945 and ACSEC signal of 7 December, it is confirmed that Col. CALCATERRA Vittorio was killed by partisans at Castagnole Lanzo, Asti, on the 27th August 1944, and attached is a translation of a CC.RR. report regarding the matter.

2. Certified copies of the documents issued in connection with the death will be sent to you as soon as possible.

For the Regional Commissioner

H.Mighall

H.MIGHALL
Lt Colonel,
Regional Public Safety Officer

HM/am

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Received Sec. Division 1/50
Rome 28 Dec 1945
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TRANSLATION

LEGIONE TERRITORIALE DEI CARABINIERI REALI DI ALESSANDRIA
GRUPPO DI ASTI

N° 651/I div.III^ Asti, 14 December 1945

SUBJECT : Decease of Col. CALCATERRA Vittorio.

On August 27th 1944, towards 8.30 hrs, three unknown persons, armed with "mitra" and wearing partisan uniforms and armbands with the words "Giustizia e Libertà", took from his home in Borgo S.Bartolomeo in the commune of Castagnole Lanze the Colonel of the CC.RR. reserve CALCATERRA Vittorio of the late Francesco and Calandra Marianna, born at Partanna (Trapani) on 21/8/1880. They brought him into Casatgnole where they also seized the local chemist, Dr. Chiesa Alberto and returned immediately to Borgo S. Bartolomeo. On their arrival at the outskirts of this locality they shot and killed both men on the public road.

The body of Col. Calcaterra was immediately recovered and identified by his wife and daughter, by his relatives and friends, together with the local Communal Guard and the doctor of Casatagnole, who signed the death certificate.

The burial took place in the cemetery of Casagnole, in the tomb of the Tagliaferro family.

The decease was duly recorded in the local Municipio.

Signed : Major Mario Venchi.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT PIEMONTE REGION FOR ROGER PETER SUGAR GBCE FROM ALCOM ALCOM CITE ACSEC

9201 11 Dec. 45 Priority

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PARA ONE PD SUBJECT IS COLONEL CALCATERRA PD

FARSEN TO HEADQUARTERS ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT PIEMONTE REGION FOR ROGER PETER SUGAR GBCE FROM ALCOM CITE ACSEC FARSEN

PARA TWO PD FURTHER TO THIS OFFICE SIGNAL NINE ZERO SEVEN THREE DATED SIX NOVEMBER PD THIS OFFICE ADVISED NAME OF COLONEL CALCATERRA IS IGNAZIO NOT VITTORIO PD

See also file AC/14754/8/PS. for fps.

This should feed
Vincenzo in acc with
attached A.F.H.Q. Cable. In view
of Ref to 12/24 Dec 45
it will probably not be
important at this stage — in any
case await reply from JAS.
JAS. 20/12/45

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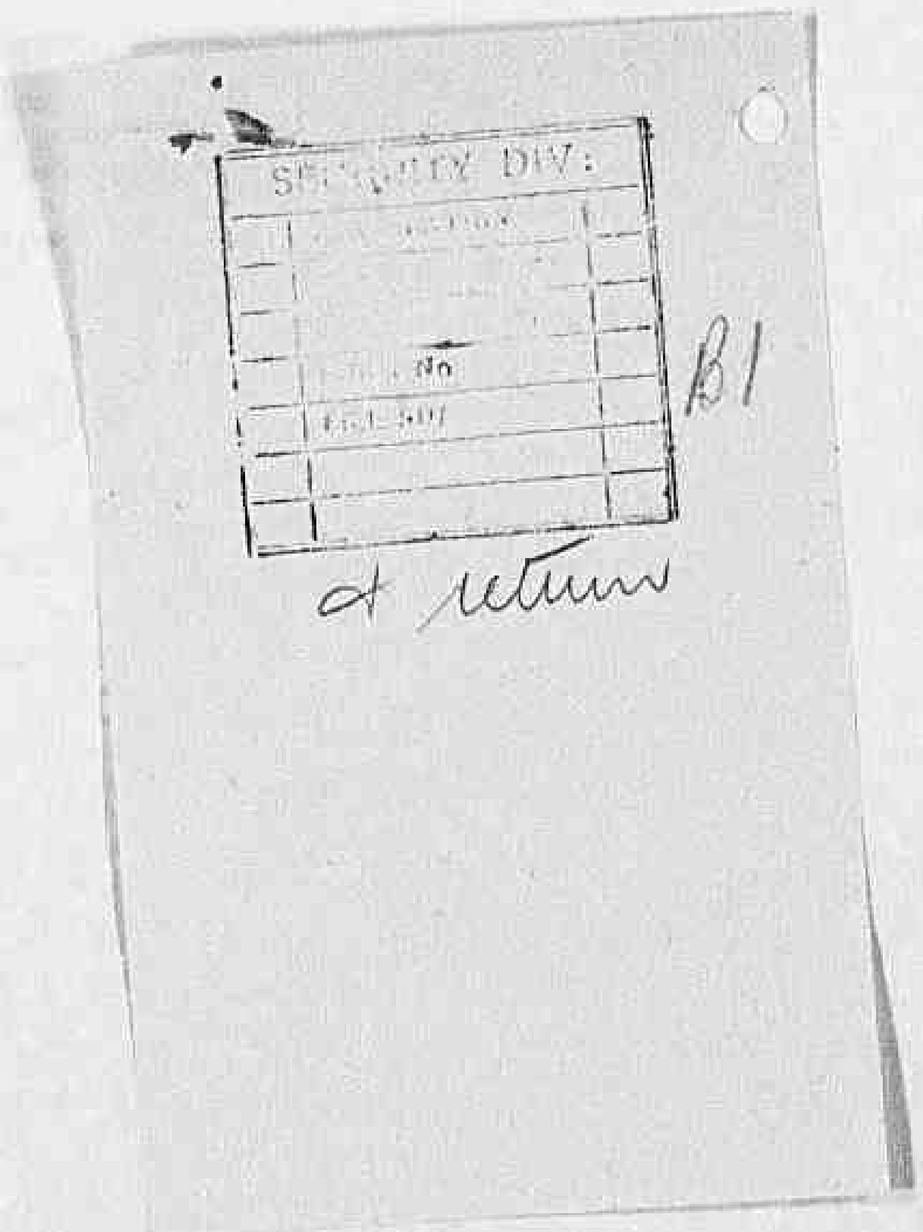

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: JAG/VW/I6033

Date/Time of Origin: 8 DEC 1445

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Date Time I

Precedence:

FROM: JAG NAPLES

TO : ALCOM. INFO GHQ CMF FOR A3. MMIA.

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SECRET:

Further reference your 3157 of 5 AUG. to AFHQ and my JAG/VW/I

Name of Col. Calcaterra is Vincenzo E not Vittorio.

AC DIST

ACTION: CAS. (2)

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

LAND FORCES (2)

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JAG/VW/I6033
8 DEC 1445

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9 DEC 0900

JAG NAPLES

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ALCOM. INFO GHQ CMF FOR A3. MMIA.

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SECRET:

Further reference your 3157 of 5 AUG. to AFHQ and my JAG/VW/I6033 of 1 DEC.

Name of Col. Calcaterra is Vincenzo E not Vittorio.

AC DIST

ACTION: CAS. (2)

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

LAND FORCES (2)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT PIEMONTE REGION FOR ROGER PETER

SUG JR OBOE FROM ALCON CITE ACSEC

9073 6 Nov. 45 PRIORITY

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PARA ONE FD SUBJECT IS COLONEL CALCATERRA VITTORIO FD

PAREN TO HEADQUARTERS ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT PIEMONTE REGION FOR ROGER PETER SUGAR OBOE FROM ALCON CITE ACSEC PAREN

PARA TWO FD REFERENCE IS MADE TO LETTER FROM PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION TO YOUR NUMBER ABLE CHARLIE STROKE ONE FOUR SEVEN FIVE FOUR STROKE EIGHT STROKE PETER SUGAR DATED SEVENTEEN JULY FORTY FIVE AND TO YOU PETER ROGER STROKE PETER SUGAR STROKE FIFTEEN OF TWENTY SEVEN JULY FORTY FIVE FD

PARA THREE FD FRESH INFO IS THAT SUBJECT EX COMMANDANT POW CAMP PETER GEORGE FIVE SEVEN GRUPPIGNANO REPORTED SHOT ACCORDING TO POLICE RECORDS ON TWENTY END AUGUST FORTY FOUR REPEAT FORTY FOUR AT CASTAGNOLE LANZE ASTI BY PARTISANS FD

PARA FOUR FD PLEASE RENEW ENQUIRIES AND REPORT FINDING THIS OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE FD PROOF OF FACT AND IDENTIFICATION URGENTLY REQUIRED FD

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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: JAG/VW/16033
Date / Time of Origin: 1DEC2130A

Message Centre No: G/4743
Date Time Rec'd: 2DEC0930A
Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: JAG NAPLES

TO : AICOM INFO GHQ CMF FOR A3 MMIA

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YOUR 3157 OF 5 AUGUST TO AFHQ. COL CALCATERRA VITTORIA EX CAMP COMMANDANT PG 57 GRUPPIGNANO (POW CAMP) REPORTED SHOT ACCORDING TO POLICE RECORDS ON 21 AUGUST 44 REPEAT 44 AT CASTAGNOLE LANZE ASTI BY PARTISANS. PROOF OF FACT AND IDENTIFY URGENTLY REQUIRED. CAN YOU ASSIST

AC DIST

ACT - C.A. SEC 2
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
L. FORCES S/C
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Received Sec: Gov.
1000 hrs 5 Dec 45
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IMPORTANT

JAG NAPLES
ALCOM INFO CHQ CMF FOR A3 MMIA

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ACT - C.A. SEC 2
INFO - CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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3157 5 AUGUST 1945 ROUTINE

SECRET PD

F 23591 16 July.

PARA ONE PD REUR FOX TWO THREE FIVE NINE ONE DATED ONE SIX JULY PD PAREN TO FREEDOM FROM AICOM CITE ACCAS PAREN.

PARA TWO PD RECORDS OF QUESTURA DO NOT DISCLOSE SHOOTING OF CALCATERRA VITTORIA PD INVESTIGATION CONTINUES AND YOU WILL BE FURTHER INFORMED IF ANY POSITIVE INFORMATION IS RECEIVED

CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

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G.R. UPJOHN BRIG.

NICOLAS PIOMBINO

CWO USA

ASST ADJUTANT

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

(59)

REF : SD/266.01-59

7 December 1945

SUBJECT : JOHANNES Antonio fu Berardo e fu Nigel Berta
German

TO : DAG, GHQ, CMF

1. For your information we report that the a/n was arrested by the CC.RR. of Merano (Bolzano) on 21 Oct. 45 charged with being an SS Chief and a persecutor of the Jews.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.C.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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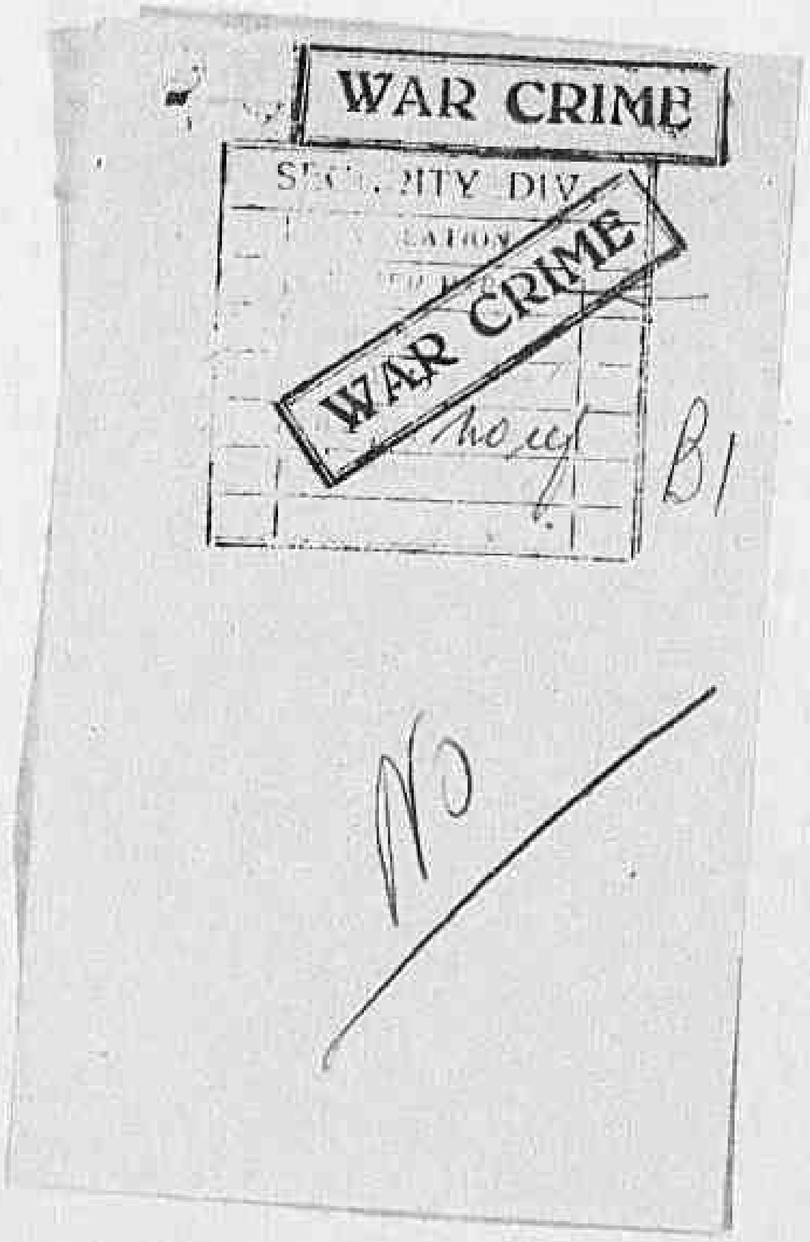

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(Translation G.P.)

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Gen.Direction
A.G.R. Division
III Section

Rome 31 October 1945

To ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION OF P.S.
ROME

Nº 443/34939

SUBJECT : Johannes Antonio fu Berardo - German -

With telegram of 22 inst. the CC.RR.Command of MERANO signalled the following:

""" On the 21 inst the Command Company of Merano (Bolzano) arrested and denounced Johannes Antonio fu Berardo and fu Niggl Berta, born on 29 August 1889 (Merano), because an S.S. Chief and persecutor of jews.

Provincial Public Safety of Bolzano were informed."""

We communicate above for your information.

The Minister

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DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
INSPECTOR		
PERS.		
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Roma, 31 ottobre 1945

Ministero dell'Interno

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SEZIONE III^

ALL'ON.COMMISSIONE ALLEATA.....ROMA
ALL'ON.MINISTERO AFFARI ESTERI....ROMA
ALL'ON.GABINETTO DEL SIG.MINISTRO.SEDE

N°443/34939 di Prot.

OGGETTO JOHANNES Antonio fu Berardo. Tedesco.

Con telegramma del 22 corrente il Comando della Compagnia dell'Arma dei Carabinieri di Merano ha segnalato quanto segue:

"""Ventuno corrente Comando Compagnia Merano (Bolzano) arrestava e denunciava JOHANNES Antonio fu Berardo fu Niggl Berta nato 29 agosto 1889 Merano perchè capo SS e persecutore ebrei.Provinciale Public Safety Bolzano informato."""

Tanto si comunica per opportuna conoscenza.

PEL MINISTRO

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AG 383.6 BPATC (7 Dec 45) 1st Ind JWL/ejp
HEADQUARTERS PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782, U. S. ARMY,
24 December 1945.

TO: Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394,
Public Safety Sub-Commission, Security Division.

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This headquarters has no record of subject individual as being in United States custody.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

A. J. Marshall

A. J. MARSHALL
Capt., A.G.D.
Asst. Adj. Gen.

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AG 383.6 BPATC (7 Dec 45) 1st Ind JWL/ejp
HEADQUARTERS PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782, U. S. ARMY,
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TO: Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394,
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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

A. J. MARSHALL
Capt., A.G.D.
Asst. Adj. Gen.

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

REF : SD/266.01-58 7 December 1945

SUBJECT : BORGONOVO Attilio

TO : MTOUSA P.O.W. Command,
G-2 (CI) AFHQ

1. The a/n is wanted by the Questura of Novara on charges of having murdered patriots in that district.

2. He is stated to have been employed by the Commander of the "ZUG" Gendarmerie (a Capt. Schuller) as an interpreter.

3. It would appear that Subject put on a German second lieutenant 's uniform prior to capture and may therefore be in Allied custody as a P.O.W.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN, Capt
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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

REF : SD/266.01-58 21 December 1945

SUBJECT : BORGONOVO Attilio

TO : R.P.S.O. piemonte Region

1. Reference your PR/PS/18/164 of 21 Nov. 45.

2. Records of this office reflect that a person of similar surname and in some detail was located in prison at Monza as of 29.7.45.

for JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission,

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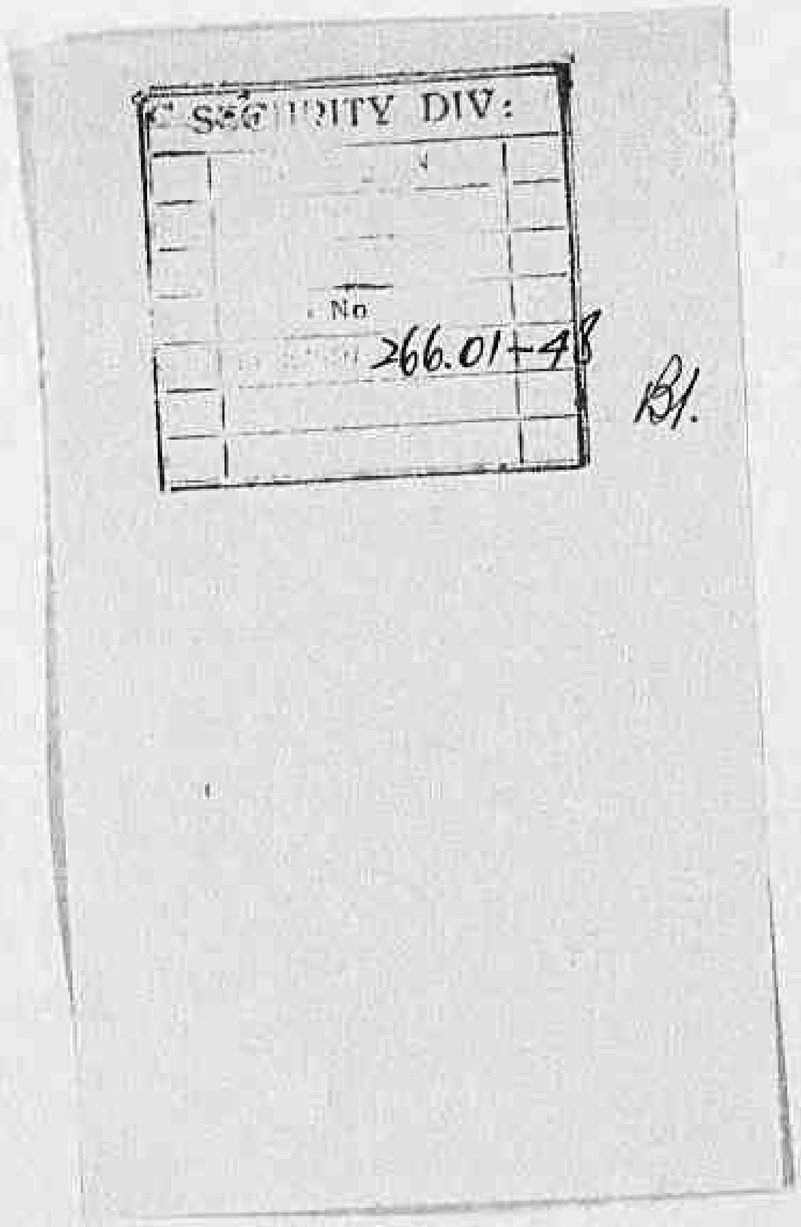

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:
APO 512, U.S. ARMY.

GBI.389.455/5-D. 13 December, 1945.

SUBJECT : BORGONOVO Attilio.

TO : Security Division,
Public Safety Sub Commission,
H.Q. Allied Commission.

Reference your SD/266.01-58 dated 7 December, 1945.

1. Records of this office reflect that a person of similar surname and in same detail was located in prison at Monza as of 29.7.45.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:

Sidney L Henderson
SIDNEY L. HENDERSON,
Major, G.S.C.,
G-2(CI) Section.

SLH/im.

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

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REF : SD/266.01-58 7 December 1945

SUBJECT : BORGONOVO Attilio

TO : MTOUSA P.O.W. Command,
G-2 (CI) AFHQ

1. The a/n is wanted by the Questura of Novara on charges of having murdered patriots in that district.

2. He is stated to have been employed by the Commander of the "ZNG" Gendarmerie (a Capt. Schuller) as an interpreter.

3. It would appear that Subject put on a German second lieutenant 's uniform prior to capture and may therefore be in Allied custody as a P.O.W.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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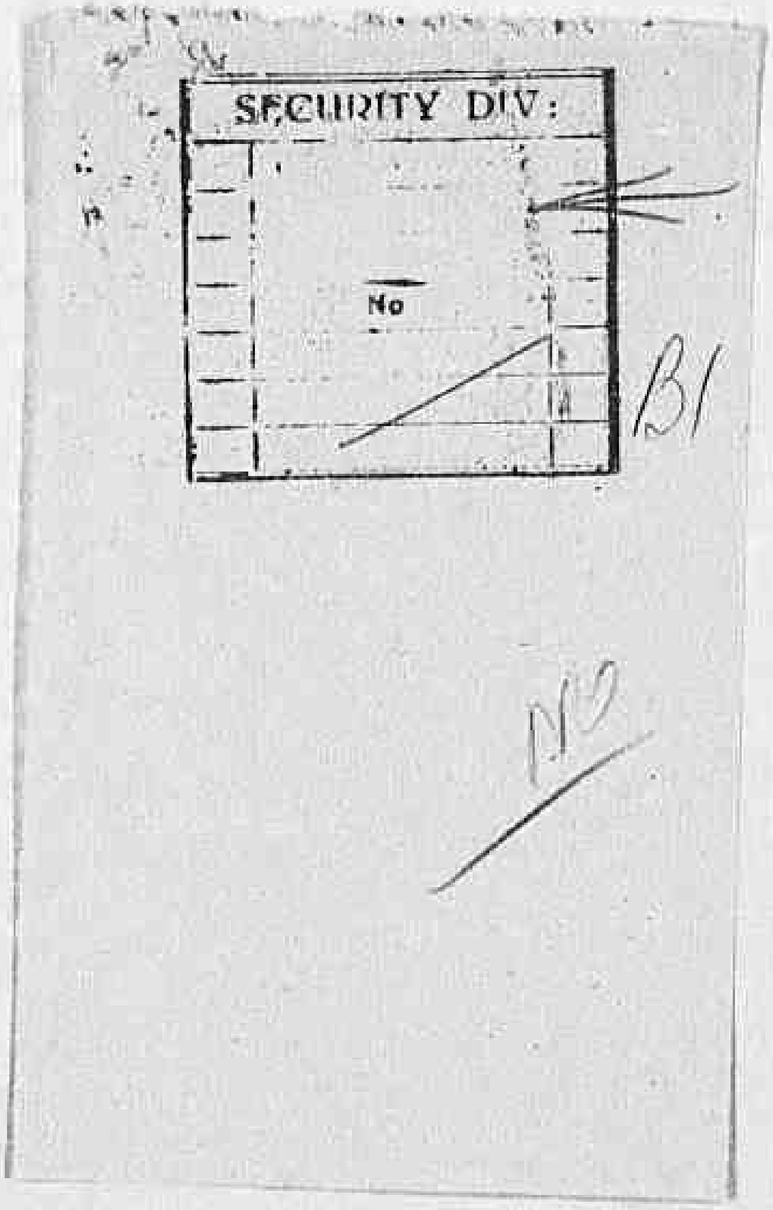

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

Office of the Regional Public Safety Officer

REF PR/PS/18/164

SUBJECT: Fascist Crimes - BORGONOVO Attilio -

TO : A.C. HQrs (Attn Public Safety Sub-Commission)

21st November 1945.

1. The enclosed request of the Questura of Novara, together with letter from PPSO, Novara, received by this Office, is forwarded to you for onward transmissal to the competent office.

For the Regional Commission

W. Ronnie
W.RONNIE
Major,
Regional Public Safety Officer

COPY TO : Provincial Public Safety Officer - NOVARA.

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NOVARA PROVINCE
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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 934

OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY: Novara. 17 Nov., 45

SUBJECT: Fascist Crimes. = BORGONOVO Attilio =

TO: The Regional Public Safety Officer, Piedmont Region.

Ref: NO/PS/21

1. Herewith request received from the local Questore regarding an Italian who is now wanted to take his trial before the Courts of Assize.

2. Could this request be passed through channels to ascertain his present whereabouts. When this is known the necessary process can be issued.

E.P. Bolter, Capt.
P.P.S.O.,

QUESTURA DI NOVARA

Novara, 10/11/1945 194

Divisione Gab. N. di prot 03241

Risposta a nota

Allegati

OGGETTO: BORGONOVO Attilio di Angelo e di Casiragli Giovanna, nato a Milano il 17/5/1905 -impiegato-

AL CAPIT. E.P. BOLTER
PROVINCIAL PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER

NOVARA

Pregasi la Vostra Signoria voler riscontrare con cortese sollecitudine la nota pari numero del 28 giugno u.s., relativa all'oggetto, che per ogni buon fine si ripete:

"" Be good enough to inform us of the steps which have been taken in connection with the above mentioned BORGONOVO, as requested by lettere of this Office, bearing the same number, dated 24 th May, which we think it well to transcribe hereunder: ""

"" The above mentioned BORGONOVO, an Italian citizen, is wanted by this Officie as war criminal because, in his capacity of capt.Schuller's interpreter =Commandere of"ZUG" (political) gendarmerie hab our Patriots murdered. According to information which has been obtained, it appears that BORGONOVO at the moment of insurrection took refuge at ZUG Gendarmerie (Passalaqua Barracks) and, having put on a German uniform (as a under=lieutenant, it wuold seem) followed the destiny of Germans P.W.

We beg you to have him transferred to the Novara prison, since he has to be tried byothe local Popular Assizes as war criminal.

QUESTURA NOVARA

THE QUESTORE
(Luigi Tacchella)

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War Criminals listed by the UNWCC on behalf of Yugoslavia. Request ~~listed~~ early reply to our 16000/7/A3 OF December 3.

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SUBJECT:- War Crimes - GERSTEMANN Federico.

Tel. No; FADUA 22268.

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HQ Allied Commission
Public Safety Division
Security Sub Division.

Reference your letter SD/266.01-57 dated 26 Nov 46.

1. You are referred to this HQ letter 16000/17/A3 dated 3 Dec 46 to HQ Allied Commission.

2. The original of the letter from Avv WERTMULLER is returned herewith.

Colonel.
Colonel "A".

/DWS.

See 266 01-57

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Cav. Uff. Avv.
FEDERICO WERTMULLER von ELGG
ROMA
28, Via Vittoria Colonna Tel. 50468

Secret 32°

To the general head quarters

e per conoscenza : a S.E. il Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri

ed a S.E. il Ministro della Guerra

Il mio cliente Conte Ten.Col. FEDERICO CERRETANI BANDINELLI fu arrestato il 10 Novembre 1945 dall'Ufficio Politico della Questura di Roma.

Malgrado le ripetute domande inoltrate non è stato possibile sapere, fino ad oggi, la ragione del suo arresto e della lunga detenzione superiore, ormai, ad un anno; avendo potuto, solo in via induttiva, ricollegarla al suo servizio militare; senza, per altro, giustificarla; dato che egli non ha mai avuto comandi diretti, non ha, certo, decampato mai dalle leggi militari e non è sicuramente venuto mai meno al suo passato di gentiluomo.

Dai documenti già fatti pervenire al Quartiere Generale Alleato risulta:

1°) Durante il servizio militare egli è stato destinato in Russia e nel Montenegro ed in entrambi i posti non ha eseguito che gli ordini ricevuti, secondo il dovere impostogli dal regolamento di disciplina che prescrive l'obbedienza pronta, rispettosa ed assoluta;

2°) Figlio di un ministro, diplomatico di carriera, combattè, quale ufficiale, nella prima guerra mondiale meritando onorificenze italiane e francesi e promozione per merito di guerra;

3°) Nella guerra ultima non ha mai collaborato nè con la repubblica fascista nè con i tedeschi; ma con i partigiani e gli alleati; facendo tutto quanto ha potuto per aiutare perseguitati e partigiani; 130

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4°) In conseguenza della guerra ha perduto buona parte del suo patrimonio ed ora ha, da quando è stato arrestato, completamente abbandonato tutti i suoi affari;

5°) Ha circa 60 anni ed è cagionevole di salute.

Mi permetto, pertanto, rinnovare, ancora una volta, la richiesta di rimetterlo in libertà, magari vigilata, in modo da evitargli una completa rovina; dato che nessuno si occupa più dei suoi interessi per curare i quali è indispensabile la sua presenza.

Sicuro di benevolo accoglimento, ossequio e ringrazio

Roma, 15 novembre 1946

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

REF. : SD/266.01-57 26 November 1946

SUBJECT : War Crimes - CERRETANI Federico

TO : A Branch, GHQ CMF

1. Reference your 16422/2/A3 dated 10 August 1946.

2. The attached letter, in original, together with translated copy, received from Avv. WERTMULLER and concerning the above named subject is forwarded herewith for information and any action you may deem necessary.

3. May this HQ please be informed of the nature of the reply which should be sent to Avv. WERTMULLER.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER

E.J. BYE,
Colonel,
Director Public Safety
Division.

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Translation.

Cav. Uff. Avv.
Federico WERTMULLER von ELGG
Rome- Via Vittoria Colonna 28-

TO: GHQ
attn: Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri
S.E. Ministro della Guerra.

Federico CERRETANI BANDINELLI has been arrested on 10 November 1945 by the Political Office of the Questure of Rome.
Notwithstanding our applications we have not been able to know the reason of his detention, which last more then one year.
During his military service, he never had a direct command and always acted as a gentleman.
From the documents forwarded to the Allied GHQ it is learned as follows:
1) During his military service he acted in Russia and in Montenegro only on orders received from the High Command.
2) Son of a Minister, Diplomatic, he fought as an Officer in the first worldly war, deserving Italian and French rewards.
3) During the last war he did not collaborate either with Fascist or Germans, but with Partisans and Allies and did his best to help partisans and prisoners.
After the liberation he put himself at Allied disposition and made application to the Ministry of war in order to be called on military service.
4) Owing to the war he lost a great part of his estate. At present, being detained, he cannot watch his business.
5) He is 60 years old and his health is in bad conditions.
I, as CERRETANI lawyer, apply to you, in order that his position may be taken into consideration.

Thanking you in advance I remain yours

s/Federico WERTMULLER

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Ref: 6517/XX

17 August 1945

My dear Sir John,

With reference to your letter enquiring regarding Colonel CINCINELLI Federico, held in 209 PW Camp.

I regret that no disposal instructions can yet be given in respect of this man, I will however, inform you as soon as a decision is reached by the appropriate authorities.

Yours Sincerely,

A. W. Kisely.

Capt,
Liaison Officer.

Copy to : Security Div.

Sir John Sterne, KBE,
Via Regina Elena
ROME

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SUBJECT : WAR CRIMES - CERRETANI Federico.

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HQ Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub Commission,
Security Division.

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Reference your letter SD/266.01 - 57 dated 1 Aug 46.

1. CERRETANI is at present held in 209 PW Camp as a War Criminal.

2. It is regretted that no disposal instructions can yet be given in respect of this man. You will, however, be informed as soon as a decision is reached in his case.

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RWW Gowans Major
For Brig,
IC Adm.

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

REF. : SD/256.[illegible]-37 1 August 1946

SUBJECT : War Crimes - GERMINARI Federico

TO : D.A.G., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. The attached translated copy of a document received at this HQ from Sir John HEATH, Legal Adviser to the British Embassy, ROME, is forwarded for your information.

2. May this HQ be informed please of subject's present status.

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

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Copy to : Executive Commissioner.

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18/7/1946

Da comunicare come se fosse un mio atto di ultima volontà agli Avv.ti Serrao e Wutmuller, a Schievetti Sofia (Via Cerceno n. 8 a Wheteker) All'avv. Domenico Comporti (V.Città di Siena). Si compiono otto mesi e mezzo della mia detenzione senza che nessuno mi abbia comunicato qualche notizia vivendo io nella più snervante e inutile attesa. Non potendo più oltre attendere essendo esaurita ogni mia resistenza dispongo:

1)- Che vengano fatti passi ufficiali per una rapida soluzione della mia posizione qualunque esito possa avere un tale atto:

2)- Muoio innocente non avendo fatto del male ad alcuno e aver vissuto per l'onestà ed il dovere.-

3)- Persone a tutti quanti mi hanno fatto del male, mi hanno abbandonato, ~~xx~~ e da me escrtati facendo nominativi e dando direttive nulle hanno fatto nel mio interesse.

4)- ringrazio in modo particolare la Famiglia Whitaker e De Caro per le buone parole di conforto. A loro le mie riconoscenza oltre la vita .

5)- A Sofia Schievetti sono grato per tutta la bontà dimostratami e la parte presa al mio caso sino all'ultimo.

6)- Qualunque atto io commetta, dovuto alla disperazione, ne sarà sono tutti anche gli indiretti responsabili,

7)- E che Dio mi assista nel trapasso e mi perdoni.

8)- Siano resi di pubblica ragione tutti i documenti sul mio operato.

A te buon De Caro un abbraccio e Addio.

Federico

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FEDERICO CARRETTA/1

Colonnello Federico Carretta.

C/C. (Aprela)

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Translation

18.7.1946

This is to be communicated to the lawyers Serrao and Wutmuller, to SCHIAVETTI Sofia (Via Cerreto 6 to Whitaker) and to Avv. Domenico COMPORTI (V. Citta' di Siena). I have been detained for eight and half months, existing in a most unnerving and useless expectation without receiving any news from anyone. All my resistance is exhausted and I cannot wait any longer. I therefore direct as follows:

1) - That official steps should be taken as soon as possible to clear up my case no matter what the decision may be.

2) - I die innocent, not having done harm to anyone and having lived for honesty and work.

3) - Everyone has injured me and abandoned me and although I have exhorted them, giving names and directions, they have done nothing for my interests.

4) - I particularly wish to thank the family Whitaker and De Caro for their kind words of comfort. They have my undying gratitude.

5) - I am grateful to Sofia Schiavetti for all the kindness shown to me and for the efforts made up to the very end in my case.

6) - Whatever act I may commit, due to desperation, I exculpate everyone also those persons indirectly responsible.

7) - May God assist me at my death and may He pardon me.

8) - May all the documents regarding my behaviour be made known.

I embrace you dear De Caro,

Goodbye

Federico

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Col. Federico Carratand
C/O Afragola

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To Ale Allied Commission
— Rome —

Subject: Persons wanted by Ale Allied Authorities — Major Ceretani Ferdinando —

With reference to Your Letter SD/266.01 #57 dated 8 January 1945, we inform You that the a/m subject, on the 7 June 1946, was took off from the Judiciary Jails of "Regina Coeli" by English soldiers belonging to the Military Police.

It appears that the a/m have been sent to Afragola in order to be interned as war criminal —

Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Roma, 8 luglio 1946

Divisione S.I.S. Sez. 2ª
Prot. N.º 224/78460 Allegati

Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N.º

A/LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.
ROMA

OGGETTO Persone ricercate dalle Autorità Alleate -
Maggiore Cerretani Federico.

In relazione alla nota n.SD/266.01-57 dell'8 gennaio u.s., si comunica che la locale Questura ha riferito che, giusta quanto risulta dalla matricola delle locali Carceri Giudiziarie "Regina Coeli", il soprascritto Cerretani Federico fu Edoardo, il giorno 7 giugno p.p., è stato prelevato dalle predette Carceri da appartenenti alla Polizia Inglese.

Sembra che il Cerretani sia stato condotto ad Afragola per essere internato in quel campo di concentramento Alleato, quale criminale di guerra.

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Ref your 3180/A2 of 23 May 46. CERRATANI FEDERICO now at 209 PW camp.

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NQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794, US ARMY
Office of G-1(Br)

Telephone:- 66671

Ref:- 32A10

4 Jun 46

SUBJECT:- Italian War Criminals

OC A Coy, 1st Bn KRRC

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CERRETANI Federico

1. The above-mentioned Italian subject, required in connection with War Crimes, is held by Italian Authorities in REGINA COELI prison ROME.

2. He will be removed to 209 PW Camp, AFRAGOLA near NAPLES, on Friday 7 June 46.

3. OC A Coy 1 KRRC will detail an escort of 1 NCO and 2 ORs to convey him from Regina Coeli Prison to 209 PW Camp on that date.

4. DADST RAAC will detail 1 - 15 c.w.t. truck to report to OC A Coy at 0745 hrs, and will ensure that it is fuelled ready to leave for Naples.

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6. OC A Coy will ensure that the escort are given adequate orders to ensure the safe custody of the prisoner and will report completion to this HQ on the return of the escort.

Director of Prisons informed by 6/6 Bde.

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B.OATTES
Staff Capt
for Lt-Col
AA & QMG

Copy to : Security Div P.S.Sub-Commission
of HQ Allied Commission - Please

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Director of Prisons informed 6/6 Telephone.

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B.CATTES
Staff Capt
for Lt-Col
AA & QMG

Copy to : Security Div P.S.Sub-Commission of HQ Allied Commission - Please arrange for the prisoner to be made available to this escort wef 0800 hrs 7 June 46.
DADST - Please arrange transport as at para 4 above.
HQ Naples Area - For information.

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

REF : SD/266.01-57 28 May 1946

SUBJECT : CARRETANI Federico

TO : Il Direttore, Carceri Giudiziarie di ROMA

1. The above named, who is held in your prison at Allied disposition will be transferred to British militar custody within a few days.

2. You will be notified of the date on which the British military escort will attend to effect the transfer.

REF : SD/266.01-57 28 Maggio 1946

OGGETTO : CERRETANI Federico

AL : Direttore, Carceri Giudiziarie di ROMA

1. Il nominativo in oggetto, attualmente detenuto nella vostra prigione a disposizione degli Alleati, sara' trasferito tra pochi giorni sotto la custodia militare inglese.

2. Sarete informati della data in cui la scorta militare inglese effettuera' il trasferimento.

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

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Colonel,
A/Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: Italian War Criminals.

GHQ CMF.
3180/A2.
25 May 46.

Headquarters,
No. 3 District.

CERRETANI FEDERICO

1. The above-mentioned Italian subject is held by Italian Authorities in Regina Coeli Prison, Rome.

2. He is required in connection with War Crimes.

3. It is requested that Headquarters No. 3 District will make the necessary arrangements to have this subject transferred from Regina Coeli Prison to 209 PW Camp AFRAGOLA (Nr. Naples) under British escort and inform Headquarters Allied Commission, APO 394 Public Safety Sub Commission, Security Division of date of collection from Regina Coeli gaol by British escort.

4. For Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394, Public Safety Sub-Commission, Security Division. Please ensure appropriate Italian Authorities are informed of date of collection of the above-named subject from Regina Coeli Prison under British escort.

5. For 209 PW Camp please inform this GHQ the date of arrival of Cerretani Federico at 209 PW Camp.

JLC NAPIER,
Brigadier,
DAG.

AGW/MC.

Copy to:- Headquarters,
Allied Commission, APO 394,
Public Safety Sub Commission,
Security Division - (Your SD/266.01-57 dated 10 May 46 refers.
GHQ 2nd Echelon.
209 PW Camp.
A-3 - (Your 16422/2/A3 dated 20 May 46 refers.

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No. 3 District.

25 May 46.

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

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REF : SD/266.01-57 25 May 1946

SUBJECT : CERRETANI Federico

TO : Il Direttore,
Carceri Giudiziarie di ROMA

1. A certain PERUGINI Maria addressed an application to this HQ requesting permission to visit the above named.

2. I am instructed to say that permission cannot be given for such a visit.

REF : SD/266.01-57 25 Maggio 1946

OGGETTO : CERRETANI Federico

AL : Direttore,
Carceri Giudiziarie di ROMA

1. La Signora PERUGINI Maria ha inviato a questo Quartier Generale una domanda richiedendo il permesso per visitare il nominativo in oggetto.

2. Sono incaricato d'informarla che non e' possibile concedere il permesso per tale visita.

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

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

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SUBJECT : War Crimes - CERRETANI Federico

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GHQ CMF

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20 May 46

HQ Allied Commission

Reference your SD/266.01-57 of 10 May 46.

1. Please inform the applicant that permission cannot be granted to visit CERRETANI.

2. Arrangements are being made for his transfer into Allied custody.

for Brigadier,
DAG.

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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF :SD/266.01-57

21 May 1946.

SUBJECT : CERRETANI Federico

TO : Il Direttore, Carceri Giudiziarie di
ROMA

1. Reference your 13870 dated 8 May 1946.

2. It is regretted that approval cannot be given at this stage for the above named to consign cuff links, cigarette holder watch and fountain pen to Sig. DE CARO.

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

AHE/nb

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MODULARIO
G. G. - a. c. - 406

Modello N. 26 (Carce
» » 52 (Riformatori)

Roma li 8-5- 1946 A.

Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE DEL

CARC. GIUD. DI ROMA

13870

Conto corrente postale N.

N. Tit. 3 Fasc. 1 Lett. C

Risposta alla lettera del

Div. Sez. N.

FOGLIO di trasmissione al Ll.

=MISSIONE ALLEATA=Sottocommissione per la P.S. = Div. Sicurezza-

R O M A

ALLEGATI		OSSERVAZIONI
Num.	DESCRIZIONE	
1	Istanza del detenuto CORRETANI ALBERTO tendente a consegnare al Sig. De Cero Michele un paio di gemelli di m.g.te Unico. Un portasigarette di m.g. Un orologio ed una penna stilografica.	..che si trasmette per il nulla-osta di questo competente Ufficio.
1	Posizione giuridica dello stesso.	

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Riprodurre il
Minutato da
Copiato da

IL DIRETTORE
(D'Amelio dott. Corrado)

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Ord. 8 - 27-8-42-XX - Roma, Tip. Manteliate (c. 500.000)

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TRANSLATION

(A.D.)

MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

Direzione del Carz.Giud.di Roma.

N. 13870
Tit. 3 Fasc I Lett. G.

SUBJECT: Request of CERRETANI Federico

TO : A.C.,Public Safety S/C., Security Division. R o m e .

1. Request of CERRETANI Federico, who wants to consign to Mr. DE CARO Michele a pair of cuffs, a sigarette-holder, a watch and a fountain-pen.

2. The juridical position of the a/m.

Remarks :

The a/m enclosures are sent for approval of the competent Office.

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MODULARIO
C.C. - Carc. - 512

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Modello 393 (Carceri)

di

li 27-4-1946 A.

Il detenuto Cerretani Edoardo M.la

prega il Signor Direttore che gli venga concesso di
poter consegnare al Sig. De Caro Michele i seguenti
effetti di valore depositati il 15 novembre 1945 -
- Un paio gemelli d'oro - Un portasigarette argento
- Un orologio - Una penna stilografica -

Classifica

Officina

Riconsegnati nuovamente
Cerretani Edoardo

Fondo particolare L.		
" di Lavoro "		
Ultima lettera ricevuta	*19*	
" " scritta	*19*	

Informazioni del

Polizia

Decisione del Direttore

Vedere molto attentamente

... DELLE MANTELLATE - ROMA

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MODULARIO
G. G. - a. c. 522

Mod. 414 (*Carceri*)

Direzione delle Carceri Giudiziarie di Roma

Ufficio di Matricola

POSIZIONE GIURIDICA

di [illegible] *figlio di* [illegible]
d'anni 60 *nato a* [illegible]
di professione [illegible] *arrestato il* 10.11.945
entrato in carcere il 15.11.945 *disposizione di*
[illegible]

Roma 8.5.946

Il Comandante

Ord. 39 - 5-8-45 - Roma, Tip. Mantellate (400.000)

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TRANSLATION (A.D.)

27 Apr 1946.

The prisoner CERRETANI Federico asks the Director to be allowed to consign to Mr.De Caro Michele the following articles of value deposited on 15 Nov 45:

a pair of golden cuffs - a sigarette-holder - a watch - a fountain-pen.

I thank you heartily

CERRETANI Federico

DECISION OF THE DIRECTOR: Approved.

JURIDIC POSITION:

CERRETANI Federico di Edoardo, 60 years old, born at Cette (France), pensioned, arrested on 10 Nov 45, in prison since 15 Nov 45 at the disposal of Allied Commission, Public Safety Sub-Commission, Security Division for inquiries.

Rome 8 May 46.

IL COMANDANTE

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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/266.01-57 10 May 1946

SUBJECT : War Crimes - CERRETANI Federico

TO : D.A.G., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. Further to your 16422/A-2/A-3 dated 25 Feb. 1946.

2. Application, together with translation, received from Maria PERUGINI for permission to visit the above named at present held in Regina Coeli Prison, ROME, at Allied disposition, is forwarded herewith for information and decision please.

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

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TRANSLATION (A.D.)

TO: A.C., Public Safety S/C., Security Division

R O M A .

The undersigned PERUGINI Maria asks this Command for the permission to talk to her cousin

CERRETANI Federico

political prisoner confined at Regina Coeli.

The a/m prisoner has no other relatives than me, it is why i hope you will grant the permission I am asking for; I have to talk to him about the defendant he trusts and about financial matters.

Yours

PERUGINI Maria

Rome, 6 Apr.46.

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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/266.01-57 10 May 1946

SUBJECT : War Crimes - CERRETANI Federico
UNWCT List 5, part II, Item 77

TO : D.A.G., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. Further reference to this office letter of even number, dated 15 December 1945.

2. Subject has been held in Italian custody at Regina Coeli Prison, ROME at Allied disposition, since November 1945.

3. It is requested that he be transferred to Allied custody if still required as a war criminal or authority be given for his release.

4. May this HQ be advised of your decision please.

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

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/266.01-57 26 February 1946

SUBJECT : CERRETANI Federico

TO : Il Direttore, Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario di Roma

1. Reference your 01185 dated 12 January 1946.

2. The request of the above named for authority to hand over his keys to Avv. WERTMULLER cannot be granted.

REF : SD/266.01-57 28 Febbraio 1946

OGGETTO : CERRETANI Federico

AL : Direttore, Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario di Roma

1. Con riferimento al suo foglio N. 01185 in data 12 Gennaio 46.

2. Non si puo' concedere il permesso al sovrammenzionato di cedere le sue chiavi all'Avvocato WERTMULLER.

for JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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SUBJECT: War Crimes

P. Safety s/c.

CHQ CMF.

16422/2/A3.

25 Feb 46.

HQ Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub Commission.

CERRETANI Federico

Ref your letter SD/266.01-57 dated 6 Feb 46

1. It is regretted that permission may not be given for the a/n to hand over his keys to his lawyer.

2. It is considered that such keys might give access to confidential documents which it might be in CERRETANI's interests to destroy.

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Major General,
DAG.

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PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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REF : SD/266.01-57 26 February 1946

SUBJECT : CERRETANI Federico

TO : D.A.G., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. With reference to the above named War Criminal still held in Regina Coeli Prison, Rome, at disposition of the Allies.

2. The attached statement and translation are forwarded for your information.

for JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.C.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

AHE/nb

Translation

MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA
Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario
di Roma.

Rome, 31 Jan 46

TO : Alcom, P/S Sub Comm. Security Div. Rome

No	Enclosures	Notes
1	Memorandum of CERRETANI FEDERICO son of late Edoardo.	
1	Juridical position of same	Forwarded (Routine)

Juridical ~~polit~~ Position of

Cerretani Federico son o late Edoardo aged 59 born at Cette (France) on 7.8.1885, single, arrested on 10.11.45, confined since 15.11.45 at the disposal of Alcom, P/S sub commission, Security Division.

Investigations

N.B. He must not be released without precise authorisation on the part of the Public Safety Sub Commission as per above.

Rome, 22.1.46

The Commander ???

Text:

TO the Capo ufficio, Ufficio Politico, Regia Questura, Rome.

The undersigned CERRETANI BANDINELLI Federico, arrested by this office on 10 Nov 45, and presently detained in the Regina Coeli Prisons at the disposal, for investigations, of said office and of the Allies, and in order that the a/m investigations be carried out as rapidly as possible, I retain it my duty to expose the following :

1.- I have never had political responsabilities, nor have I been a member of the M.V.S.N.

2.- I have never partecipated at Fascist manifestations and refused to go to the reunions as Signora Follieri Eufemia, living at No.43 Via Sardegna, can testify, where I lived for many years.

3.- I am decorated with the Bronze medal for Military valour, I have a promotion for war merits (regular army service), two war crosses, two French croix de guerre, and in my military career I have always been qualified as "excellent".

I have always served without asking anything and without commenting. After having left the military service, on request, I lived between Rome and my modest property at Sarteano (Siena) until 1937 when I was called to arms again for an unlimited period of time and sent to the Artillery school of Nettuno, then commanded by Colonel Lorenzo Caratti, presently Inspector General of the Artillery at the Ministry of War.

4- Since May 1941 until September 1943 I was with mobilised units and on 14 Sep 43 I was given my leave by Hq of 3rd Motorised Division, in which it was written :" He served his country to the last in honour and faithfully"

5.- From Sept 43 until the arrival of the Allies I lived between Sarteano, Rome, Siena and Florence, and never intereested myself with politics.

6.- I helped the Jews during the racial persecution under the Germans.

7.- Having come to know that Signora Carolina Cavo Brogi was persecuted by the nazifascists because her son Gabriele was one of the partisan chiefs of the Sarteano zone and having met him in the locality of Chiusa Sargagli, I told him that his mother was in danger and counselled him to have her leave Sarteano, and having agreed with him, as he could not return to the town, I went to Signora Carolina Cavo Brogi and told her in her sons name that she should leave Sarteano, offering her the possibility of hiding inmy house at Siena.

With regard to the above, I must state that Signora Cavo Brogi, not long ago, ~~re~~exchanging the

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With regard to the above, I must state that Signora Cavo Brogi, not long ago, remembering the sad days under the nazifascist domination, recalled that during that period, one day, She saw me in the company of a certain Lt.Col. Natalicchi, member of the Republican army and heard that the above spread propaganda and insisted that I join the Republican army and overheard that I told him that I would never serve under that eagle.

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This last circumstance could be confirmed by said Signora Carolina Cavo Brogi who is presently living in Siena at No. 11 Via della Sapienza, where she directs a pension.

8. During the emergency period I lived in the caves of Sarteano and always tried to keep up the morale of the refugees under the bombardments, and having come to know about the retreat of the Germans and the arrival of the Allies, I went with one Fe Fortunato (alias Scopillo) and Belfiore Tommaso (refugee) towards the Allied troops, under enemy fire, and helped the patrol by giving it information concerning the displacement of mines and the sentiments of the population.

9.- I helped veterans from political persecution, and gave money to the Sezione Sensse del 6o Braccio.

10.- I never had anything to do with politics.

11.-During the period of transport deficiencies, following the advance of the allies, I offered newspapers and booklets to the Accademia dei Rozzi of Siena in order to expose Fascism and its heads.

12.- Some time after the liberation of Sarteano by Allied Troops, I went on foot to Chiusi and from there to the City della Pieve and from there I arrived in Rome on an allied vehicle. I presented myself at the Ministry of War on 22 July 1944, who e I filed file No. 6166/13 and to which I attached a report regarding the 8th of Sept and the agreement reached upon on 10th-14th Sept between the Headquarters of the 3rd Motorised Division and the German Command at Bologna. Said division was commanded by Gen. De Blasio. All the officers were confined and I succeeded in escaping.

13.- I was discriminated by the Ministry of War.

14.- I made three requests to the Ministry of War in order to be enrolled in the Army of liberation, without result because I belonged to the Reserve. It was my desire, as in 1918 at Vittorio Veneto, to be in the Liberating Army on the day of Final Victory of the Allies.
In order to obtain this, I addressed myself to General Carratti Lorenzo, presently Artillery inspector at the Ministry of War, to General Scattini Arturo then at the General Staff and later commander of ~~the~~ a division on the allied front, and to Lt. Col. Bonerba Giuseppe the present Under chief of staff of the Comando Territoriale di Roma, but my requests did not have any result.

15- Is I did not obtain anything from the Army, I addressed myself to the partisans and became a member of the "Avanguardia partigiana" on 22 March 1945 (Membership card No. 777, signed by the Executive Committee, Com. Bernardo. but while I was about to be incorporated in some partisan units, the nazi fascists surrendered. This then is the summary of my activities which I can prove by furnishing documents No. 5 to 14.

I, son of a public servant in the diplomatic and consular service who for 40 years served his fatherland abroad, whose maternal grandfather was a member of the Tuscan Constitute Assembly, whose uncle was an officer of the Garibaldini, all were victims of German persecution and who suffered exile, I, belonging to a family who gave birth to Pope Alexander III (the Italian Pope) head of the Lombard league, I, a veteran from Russia where I suffered at the hands of the Germans, have never, I say never, collaborated with them because I retained them the real enemies of my country, of its destiny and its liberty.

When I was interrogated by this office on the 13th of Nov 1945, I 93 asked if I knew Col Marenco, Chief of the Partisans in the Zone of Sarteano, I supposed that I was a victim of his accusations, reinforcing this suspicion by rumours although I have never had the occasion to meet Marenco. I recognise that my supposition was completely erroneous, and I wrote to the priest at Sarteano (Siena) Don Alfeo Romani, who, on 4 Dec 45, quoted Col Marenco's words in my regard : " You may assure Col Cerretani in the most absolute manner and I give him my word of as a gentlman that I did not accuse him of anything, either verbally or by writ. Above all because I hate to accuse and secondly because I

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In order to obtain this, I addressed myself to General Carutti Lorenzo, presently Artillery inspector at the Ministry of War, to General Scattini Arturo then at the General Staff and later commander of the a division on the allied front, and to Lt. Col. Donerbs Giuseppe the present Under chief of staff of the Comando Territoriale di Roma, but my requests did not have any result.
15- Is I did not obtain anything from the Army, I addressed myself to the partisans and became a member of the "Avanguardia partigiana" on 22 March 1945 (Membership card No. 777, signed by the Executive Committee, Com. Bernardo. but while I was about to be incorporated in some partisan units, the nazi fascists surrendered. This then in the summary of my activities which I can prove by furnishing documents No. 5 to 14.

I, son of a public servant in the diplomatic and consular service who for 40 years served his fatherland abroad, whose maternal grandfather was a member of the Tuscan Constitute Assembly, whose uncle was an officer of the Garibaldini, all were victims of German persecution and who suffered exile, I, belonging to a family who gave birth to Pope Alexander III (the Italian Pope) head of the Lombard league, I, a veteran from Russia where I suffered at the hands of the Germans, have never, I may never, collaborated with them because I retained them the real enemies of my country, of its destiny and its liberty.

When I was interrogated by this office on the 15th of Nov 1945, I 93 asked if I knew Col Marenco, Chief of the Partisans in the Zone of Sarteano, I supposed that I was a victim of his accusations, reinforcing this suspicion by rumours although I have never had the occasion to meet Marenco. I recognise that my supposition was completely erroneous, and I wrote to the priest at Sarteano (Siena) Don Alfeo Romani, who, on 4 Dec 45, quoted Col Marenco's words in my regard : " You may assure Col Cerretani in the most absolute manner and I give him my word of as a gentlman that I did not accuse him of anything, either verbally or by writ. Above all because I hate to accuse and secondly because I cannot say anything against Col. Cerretani both as an officer as well as a citizen." and Romani adds :" In order to convince me further, he showed me a document which showed truly that which he stated. He is also more than convinced that the accusation was made by unqualified persons of Sarteano, and he also wants to find out the tmath because he is sure that they have used his name in order to remain in the shadows. Therefore, Cerretani, erase all doubts about him and be sure that the truth will come out.

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When I was young and my father was abroad, I lived for a long while at Gibraltar and at Maltra, where I studied in the British schools and since then I always had a profound sympathy for that Great Nation, their way of life and their freedom, their products, commcerce and transport.

My sympathy led me to pose flowers on the graves of those English soldiers who were buried near my property at Sorteano and who died for the ideal of liberty in foreign lands and far from their families. My feelings can be confirmed by the English citizens Whitaker (Tina and Delia) living in Rome at No.32 Via dei Monti Parioli (Villa di Giorgio), by Major Willis of Gen. Alexander's Headquarters in Italy, by Baron Belli Nicola of via Condotti N.5, by Signor Batti Agostino, Circonvallazione Trionfale No.1, by Lawyer Gian Andrea Serrao, of the British embassy whose studio is in Via Regina Elena and by Lawyer Wertmuller Federico of 28 Via Vittorio Colonna

I was educated at the second course "God and Country", I have never done harm to anyone, I have always tried to help all I could, saving them from persecutions, and I have always done my duty for my country which I have always loved and love.

FEDERICO CERESTANI BANDINELI

ROME, 21 Jan 46.

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

REF : SD/266.01-57

26 February 1946

SUBJECT : CERRETANI Federico

TO : Director, Carcere Giudiziario, Roma

1. Letters of the above named are returned herewith and may be forwarded to the addressee.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

AHE/nb

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MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario
di ROMA

Roma 30 Gennaio 1946

TO: HEADQUARTERS A.F.O.394
ALCOM A.P.O.394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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Enclosures		Notes.
Num.		
1	Lettere of Cerretani Federico detained at the disposal of your authorities.	Forwarded for censuring and eventual authorisation for the r mailing.

Ref: SJ/266.01-57
Subject: CERRETANI Federico.
To: Direktor, Carcere Giudiziario, Roma.

1/ Letters of the above named are returned herewith and may be forwarded to the addressee

THE DIRECTOR
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MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario
di ROMA

Roma 30 Gennaio 1946

TO: HEADQUARTERS A.F.O.394
ALCOM A,P.O.394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

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Enclosures

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THE DIRECTOR
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MODULARIO
G. G. - a. c. 406

Modello N. 26 (Carceri)
» » 53 (Riformatori)

MINISTERO
DI
GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

Roma, 30 gennaio 1946 A. 194

DIREZIONE DEL
CARCERE GIUDIZIARIO DI ROMA

FOGLIO *di trasmissione al* HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED COMMISSION A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISIONE
R O M A

Conto corrente postale N.
03315 Tit. 3 Fasc. 1 Lett. C

Risposta alla lettera del —
Div. — Sez. — N. —

ALLEGATI		*OSSERVAZIONI*
Num.	DESCRIZIONE	
1	lettere in partenza del detenuto CERRETANI FEDERICO a disposizione di codesta Autorità.	Che si rimettere per il visto di cèngura e l'eventuale autorizzazione all'inoltro.

Riprodurre il
Minutata da
Copiato da

IL DIRETTORE
Dottuf 84

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TRANSLATION G.M

DIREZIONE CARCERI GIUDIZIARIE

Roma 26.1.46

Dear Sandro, perhaps it is the third time that I write to you the same thing, but as I doubt that the mail reaches you, I repeat it; I sent a phonogram cheque of 10,000 lire to M.Pulciano and as I come to know that you too did the same, the bank has now 20,000 lire. I thought of reducing said sum and would like to know something from you. In February taxes must be paid. I will send the money and the rest must be given to Maria. Pay the taxes also for the whole year from my deposit in Via Samporro 2.

I am awaiting news with regard to the Bisco business deal, which should be concluded. I told Corsini to requisition the olives and know nothing yet. In any case write to Conforti in order that he may carry it through with Corsini. You shouldn't forget to interest yourself about the case. It is now 28 mounths that he does not pay his rent nor does he reimburse the taxes. You must tell Corsini that he should extend the requisition. I am awaiting news concerning Ludrio, Because after what Marenco said, all this must be Ludrio's work& Could you tell me something about him?

Here there are a lot of hierarchs, people who were known only by name and hard to meet.

Ministers, Generals, Prefetti, Questori, Court Presidents ecc. They call themselvers "Excellency" and are stuck-up. They seem to be lions in a cage, and like lions they hope to regain their liberty and become someone again. I don't have anithing to do with them. I am not two well . Patience! I hope that may receive the justice I merit and perhaps return alive and ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ live in the country. It is too sad to tell what happens to me.

Best whishes to all, especially to Adelina and Maria

CERRETANI.

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TRANSLATION G.M

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Best whishes to all, especially to Adelina and Maria?

CERRETANI.

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

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REF. : SD/266.01-57

6 February 1946

SUBJECT : CERETANI Federico

TO : D.A.G., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. Reference previous correspondence regarding the above named war criminal (UNWCC list No.V, part II, personality No.77) still held in Regina Coeli Prison, Rome, at disposition of the Allies.

2. Subject has requested that his keys be handed over to his lawyer, Federico Wertmuller.

3. Your instructions on this are requested.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

AHE/lm.

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TRANSLATION

S/Sgt Blisparlow
Interpr. this has been dealt with.

Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario di Rome

Rome, 12 January 1946

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TO: Hq, Alcom, P/S Sub Comm. Secur. Divis.
Rome.

ENCLOSURES	NOTES
1. Request of internee Cerretani Federico in order to be authorized to give his keys, deposited in this prison to Lawyer Wertmuller Federico.	For an eventual approval.

Il Direttore.

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14 January 1946

Convict CERRETANI FEDERICO, Serial No. 38145, asks to be authorized to hand over to Lawyer Wertmuller Federico (Via Vittorio Colonna, 28) his keys which are deposited in this jail.

Thanking you,

signed CERRETANI FEDERICO

Security Division
Received 1/2
Book No. 3046
File No. 266.01-57
Action

Information : He was arrested on 10-11-45 by order of Hq, Alcom, Rome,

Decision of the Director : Pending approval.

signed the Director ? 79

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TRANSLATION

Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario di Rome

Rome, 12 January 1946

01185

TO: Hq, Alcom, P/S Sub Comm. Secur. Divis.
Rome.

ENCLOSURES

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For an eventual approval.

Il Direttore.

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24 January 1946

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Thanking you,

signed CERRETANI FEDERICO

Information : He was arrested on 10-11-45 by order of Hq, Alcom, Rome.

Decision of the Director : Pending approval.

signed the Director ?

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MODULARIO
G. G. - a. c. 407

Modello N. 26 (Carceri)
" " 53 (Riformatori)

Roma, 12 gennaio 1946
li. 19 A.

DIREZIONE
del Carcere Giudiziario di Roma
01185

Conto corrente postale N.
N. Tit. 3 Fasc. 1 Lett. G
Risposta alla lettera del
Div. Sez. N.

FOGLIO di trasmissione al COMANDO
COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE per la P. S.
Div. Sicurezza
R O M A

ALLEGATI		OSSERVAZIONI
Num.	DESCRIZIONE	
1	istanza del detenuto CERRETANI FEDERICO per poter far consegnare all'Avv. Wertmuller Federico delle chiavi qui depositate.	Per l'eventuale nulla osta.

IL DIRETTORE

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Modello 393 (Carceri)

di

li 4 Gennaio 1946 A.

Il detenuto Ferretari Federico M.la 38145
prega Volersi cacciare di consegnare
all'avv: Federico Mertanelli (Via Colonna 28)
le somme depositate alla Matricola del
Carcere. Con premi

Ferretari Federico

Classifica

Officina

Fondo particolare £			Informazioni del
" di lavoro "			Arrestato 10-11-45
Ultima lettera ricevuta		19	Cam. Det. ne Uff. sotto Cust. ne per la
" " scritta		19	S.I. Div. Sicurezza - carteggio
			Pulì [illegible]

Decisione del Direttore

Accedesi come richiesto

Il Direttore

LIT. DELLE MANTELLATE - ROMA

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

REF : SD/266.01-57 21 January 1945

SUBJECT : Attached letter

TO : Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario
di Roma

1. There is no objection to attached letter being forwarded to addressee.

/s/ JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

AHE/mb

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MODULARIO
G. G. - B. c. 407

Modello N. 26 (Carceri)
« « 53 (Riformatori)

Roma, 8 gennaio 1940 A.....

DIREZIONE
del Carcere Giudiziario di Roma

Conto corrente postale N. .....
R. ... Fil. 3 Fasc. 1 Lett. 0

Risposta alla lettera del .....
Div. ..... Sez. ..... N. .....

FOGLIO di trasmissione al 1a
Questura del Regno
Ufficio Politico
ROMA

ALLEGATI		OSSERVAZIONI
Num.	DESCRIZIONE	
1	lettera in partenza del detenuto Ghirelli Federico.	Per la censura e l'eventuale invio.

N. 01247

A disposizione della Commissione Assegnazione -

N. Marrache

Il Funzionario

Il Direttore

(Ord. 217-26-6-1940 - Ex Roma, Tip. Mantellate (c. 50.000))

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Security

DIREZIONE del CARCERE GIUDIZIARIO
di
R O M A

Roma, 14 gennaio 1946

N. 01247

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE per gli
~~AFFARI INTERNI~~
R O M A

Per la censura, trattandosi di detenuto a disposizione di codesto Ufficio.

Il Direttore

Translation

Direzione del Carcere Giudiziario di Roma

N. 01247

14 January 1946

TO : Alcom, P/S Sub Commission
Rome

The attached letter is forwarded to your office for necessary censoring, as it belongs to a person detained under orders of your Commissiàn.

Il Direttore ?

- Cerretani Federico -
3, January 1946.

Dear friend, I would like to be assured that you sent to Mre Lorenzàni all

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Translation

DIREZIONE DEL CARCERE GIUDIZIARIO DI ROMA

N. 01247

14 January 1946

TO : Alcom, Legal Sub Commission, Rome (corrected - "SECURITY "-)

The attached letter is forwarded to your office for necessary censoring as it belongs to a person detained under orders of your Commission.

Il Direttore ?

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Cerretani Federico -3/1/46

Dearest friend, I would like to be assured that you sent to Lorenzoni Alessandro at Sarteano (Siena) those 3500 lire which you had to give to Perugini and who gave you lire 4000.

As soon as I received your letter dated 7 December, I replied immediately in regard to my part concerning the public prosecutor, in order to retrieve my jewels etc. I don't know what you have done. I was hoping to see you on the 17 of December at the court of assize where I had to appear as a witness but they did not call for me, and have not called for me so far.

Considering all this, if you have not established me as a witness, it will be necessary to carry out a requisition of the jewels in question.

Besides two of my paintings, my gold watch, 2500 lire and my gold inlaid wallet and shares of the Unione Militare, ~~xxxxx~~ were taken away from me, when they opened my luggage in my room.

I wrote you Col. Marenco's statements in my regard. I don't know anything about an accusation when they asked me if I knew him, but I know that on my leave papers it is written that I have served the Nation honourably, and I was discriminated by the Ministry of War, and after having offered refuge to the mother of a partisan, after having helped Jews, after having met the Allied troops, after having made three requests for combat duty with the Army of Liberation and after having joined the Partisans I find myself detained for 58 days without knowing the cause of my arrest.

I beg you to inform yourself and to inform me about it

I made a request for the Power of Attorney and they replied to me that that a Public Notary should make a draft of it, bring it to the Questura for approval and hence to me for my signature.

I am still waiting for my boots, pants, stockings. Send me also some underwear which is in my luggage.

I recommend myself to you and to Ottaviani- tell De Caro not to forget me.

Cerretani.

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Translation

DIREZIONE DEL CARCERE GIUDIZIARIO DI ROMA

N. 01247

14 January 1946

TO : Alcom, Legal Sub Commission, Rome (corrected - "SECURITY "-)

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Il Direttore ?

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Cerretani Federico -3/1/06

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Cerretani.

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

REF : SD/266.01-57 17 January 1946

SUBJECT : CERRETANI Federico

TO : A.F.H.Q. (for 'A' Branch)

1. The a/n, held at Regina Coeli Prison, Rome, at Allied disposition, has made application for permission to see his lawyer Sig. WERTMULLER VON ELGG.

2. The proposed visit is stated to be for the purpose of Subject giving power of attorney to his lawyer.

3. If it is considered desirable arrangements will be made by this office, for the interview to take place in the presence of a F.S.S., N.C.O.

4. Please forward your decision in due course.

for JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

TFC/nb

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SD/266.01-54. 1

Subject: CERRETANI Teduico. 1/2.

To :- AFHQ (for A Branch)

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3. If it is considered desirable arrangements will made by this office for the interview to take place in the presence of a U.S.S., N.C.O.

4. Please forward your decision in due course

For G

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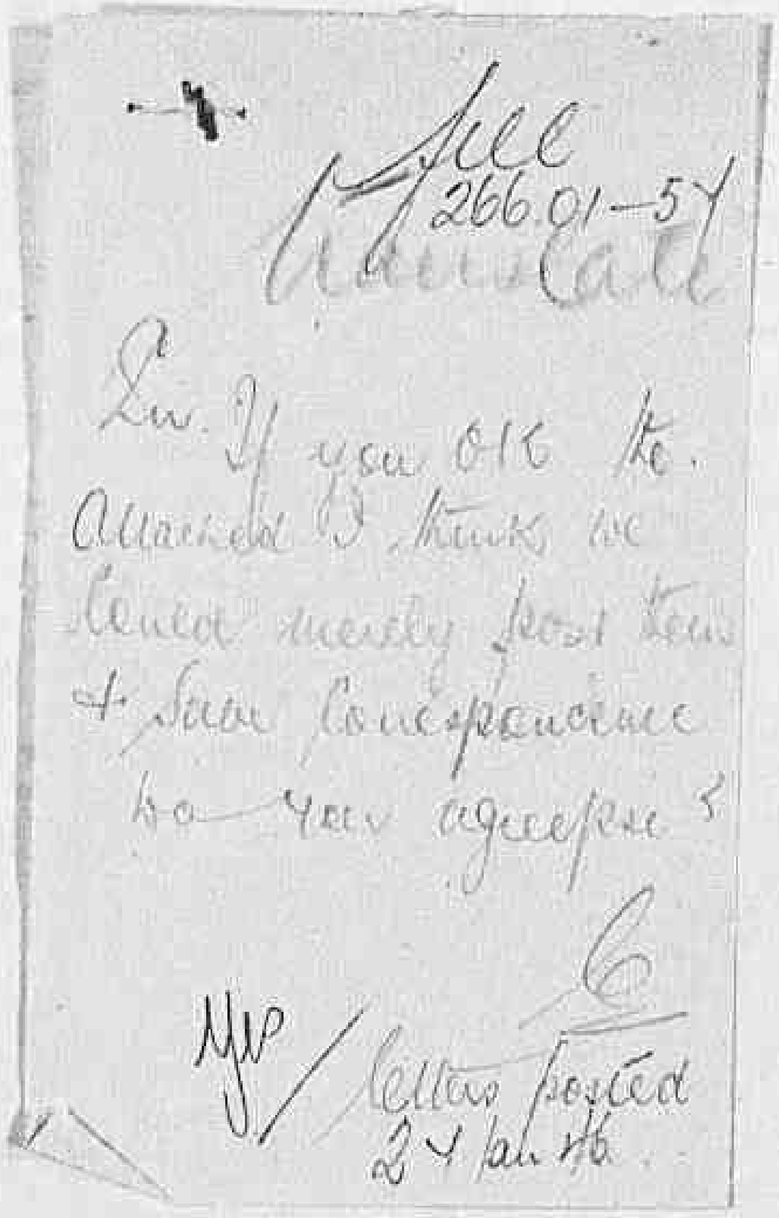

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MODULARIO
G. G. - a. c. 407

Modello N. 26 (Carceri)
« « 53 (Riformatori)

DIREZIONE
del Carcere Giudiziario di Roma

Roma, li 24 gennaio 1946 A.

FOGLIO di trasmissione al 1a

COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

ROMA

Conto corrente postale N. ....

N. 02451 Tit. Fasc. Lett.

Risposta alla lettera del —

Div. — — —

ALLEGATI		OSSERVAZIONI
Num.	DESCRIZIONE	
2	lettere in partenza del detenuto CERRETANI FEDERICO a disposizione di codesta Commissione.	Per la censura e per l'autorizzazione all'eventuale inoltro.

Ord. 317 - 26-6-42 - XX Roma, Tip. Mantellate (c. 50.000

IL DIRETTORE

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Translation

DIREZIONE DEL CARCERE GIUDIZIARIO DI ROMA 24 January 1946
02451 TO: Allied Commission-Rome

Enclosures	Notes
No.2. letters of the convict Cerretani Federico detained by the Allied Commission	To be censured and forwarded for necessary authorisation of their being mailed.

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TEXT of letter dated 5-1-46

" Dear Comporti you must have received news about me from Beppina. I, who had my leave with the following phrase " he served,until the end and with all his heart, his Fatherland." and I have helped Jews, offered by home to the mother of a partisan sought after by the nazi-fascists, went towards the Allied troops, and more than once asked to enroll in the army of liberation. I was discriminated by the Ministry of War and now find myslef here without knowing the reason of my incarceration.

I suggested that Col. Marineo denounced me (which is not true) and the same who was commander of the partisans of Sartiano, replied that " in the most absolute manner, giving his word as a gentleman, that he did not accuse me of anything, either secretly or verbally because, he says " I cannot say anything against Col Cerretani both as an officer and as a citizen ". See if you can find anything definite. If you want you can come in touch with Rome, you can write to Lawyer Federico Wertmuller, Via Vittorio Colonna 28 (Tel: 50468). Things being what they are, it is necessary that you think about my business, estate, house work, administration etc and to come in contact with Lawyer COLLINI of Montepulciano to carry on the case against Col Bisco who broke our contract and who must be sued for damages etc, and with the same Bisco for theft.

He caused the requisitioning of my belongings and part of my cattle, and for two months I don't know anything about it. I also gave orders to Corsini to requisition all my cattle and the pending olive harvest. You can come in contact with my administrator of Sortiano, Alessandro Lorenzoni.

signed Federico Cerretani.

TEXT OF LETTER dated 9-1-46

Dear Cousin De Caro, thank you for the package. You are authorised by me to administer the house we have in common and to sell all furniture (you should speak with Wertmuller for the legal part). You are authorised to take my cigarette case and ring from the little box. The ring is inside the cigarette case. You are authorised to take my belongings which are in my room, and after having made a parcel of them, to take them home. It is necessary that you should speak with Wertmuller and tell him to have Lawyer SERRAO, living in Via Regina Elena, to take over. You must tell Wertmuller that together with my administrator they should send me two shirts, two pairs of socks and two drawers, some hankies and an undershirt. Oggi I was a witness to the Laffi case- a very painful thing for me. I cannot understand why Wertmuller did not take up the Civil part on my behalf and to take over my interests. I am not well off physically. I have asked for a superior medical examination and it would be well if Wertmuller asked it also I have always done my duty. I am discrimated militarily. I helped the allies and showed them the position of the mines. I have asked to go to the front with the army of liberation. I became a member of the Advance guard of Partisans, asking them to go to the front and fight. I have always done well and hope in God's help and that of men. Don't forget me. signed F. Cerretani.

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Translation

DIREZIONE DEL CARCERE GIUDIZIARIO DI ROMA 24 January 1946
02451 TO: Allied Commission-Rome

Enclosures
N0.2. letters of the convict Cerretani Federico detained by the Allied Commission

Notes
To be censured and forwarded for necessary authorisation of their being mailed.

TEXT of letter dated 5-1-46

" Dear Comporti you must have received news about me from Beppina. I, who had my leave with the following phrase " he served,until the end and with hll his heart, his Fatherland." and I have helped Jews, offered by home to the mother of a partisan sought after by the nazi-fascists, went towards the Allied troops, and more than once asked to enroll in the army of liberation. I was discriminated by the Ministry of War and now find myself here without knowing the reason of my incarceration.

I suggested that Col. Marineo denounced me (which is not true) and the same who was commander of the partisans of Sartiano, replied that " in the most absolute manner, giving his word as a gentleman, that he did not accuse me of anything, either secretly or verbally because, he says " I cannot say anything against Col Cerretani both as an officer and as a citizen ". See if you can find anything definite. If you want you can come in touch with Rome, you can write to Lawyer Federico Wertmuller, Via Vittorio Colonna 28 (Tel: 50468). Things being what they are, it is necessary that you think about my business, estate, house work, administration etc and to come in contact with Lawyer CORSINI of Montepulciano to carry on the case against Col Bisco who broke our contract and who must be sued for damages etc, and with the same Bisco for theft.

He caused the requisitioning of my belongings and part of my cattle, and for two month I don't know anything about it. I also gave orders to Corsini to requisition all my cattle and the pending olive harvest. You can come in contact with my administrator of Sortiano, Alessandro Lorenzoni.

signed Federico Cerretani.

TEXT OF LETTER dated 9-1-46

Dear Cousin De Caro, thank you for the package. You are authorised by me to administer the house we have in common and to sell all furniture (you should speak with Wertmuller for the legal part). You are authorised to take my cigarette case and ring from the little box. The ring is inside the cigarette case. You are authorised to take my belongings which are in my room, and after having made a parcel of them, to take them home. It is necessary that you should speak with Wertmuller and tell him to have Lawyer SERRAO, living in Via Regina Elena, to take over. You must tell Wertmuller that together with my administrator they should send me two shirts, two pairs of socks and two drawers, some hankies and an undershirt. Oggi I was a witness to the Laffi case- a very painful thing for me. I cannot understand why Wertmuller did not take up the Civil part on my behalf and to take over my interests. I am not well off physically. I have asked for a superior medical examination and it would be well if Wertmuller asked it also I have always done my duty. I am discrimated militarily. I helped the allies and showed them the position of the mines. I have asked to go to the front with the army of liberation. I become a member of the Advance guard of Partisans, asking them to go to the front and fight. I have always done well and hope in God's help and that of men. Don't forget me. signed F. Cerretani.

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TRANSLATION

DIREZIONE DEL CARCERE GIUDIZIARIO DI ROMA

ROME 10 January 1946.

N. 01074
Tit. 3, Fasc 1, Lett. C

TO : Allied Commission, P/S sub Commission. Rome.

1. Enclosures: Observations

CERRETANI Federico's request to be authorized to speak with Lawyer Wertmuller, his administrator. For office reasons.

2. His juridical position. (routine)

Il direttore ?

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Ufficio di Matricola

Juridical Position of

CERRETANI FEDERICO son of Edoardo, aged 60, born in France, by profession pensioned, arrested on 10 Nov 45, detained in jail since 15 Nov 45, at the disposal of Hq, Allied Commission, Public Safety S/c- Security Division, imprisioned for investigation.

Rome 9/1/46.

The Commandant
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Subject : Request of internee CERRETANI Federico, son of late Edoardo and of Lama Cerretani, born on 7 Aug 86 at Cette (France)

Juridical position

Arrested on 10-11-45, at the disposal of Hq, Allied Commission, Public Safety Sub Commission, Security Division for the reason of investigation

Request

To the Questore of Rome.

He requests to be authorized to speak with Lawyer Federico Wertmuller living in Via Vittorio Colonna 28, who administers his interests, in order to give the latter administrative directives and to ask him to come with a public notary to draw up a power of attorney and a will.

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Thanking you,

signed Cerretani Federico

approved :

Il Direttore

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ROME 10 January 1946.

N. 01071
Tit. 3, Fasc 1, Lett. C

TO : Allied Commission, P/S sub Commission. Rome.

1. Enclosures:

CERRETANI Federico's request to be authorized to speak with Lawyer Wertmuller, his administrator.

2. His juridical position.

Observations

For office reasons.

(routine)

Il direttore ?

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Ufficio di Matricola

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Rome 9/1/46.

The Commandant
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Thanking you,

signed Cerretani Federico

approved :

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Cerretani Federico's request to be authorized to speak with Lawyer Wertmuller, his administrator. For office reasons.

2. His juridical position. (routine)

Il direttore ?

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Ufficio di Matricola

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MODULARIO
G. G. - a. c. 522

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Mod. 414 (*Carceri*)

Direzione delle Carceri Giudiziarie di Rocca

Ufficio di Matricola

POSIZIONE GIURIDICA

di Corradini Federico figlio di Edoardo
d'anni 60 nato a (Francia)
di professione Prop. arrestato il 10-11-45
entrato in carcere il 15-11-45 a disposizione di
Comando Carabinieri Alleato - Ufficio Comune
per la P.S. Divisione Sicurezza
Ufficio Forze Civili.

Rocca 9-1-46

Il Comandante

Ord. 30-5-8-45 - Roma, Tip. Manuelate (400.000)

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Direzione delle Carceri Giudiziarie Maschili di Roma

OGGETTO : Istanza del detenuto Cerretani Federico
~~dina~~ fu Eduardo e di fu Laura Cerretani
nato il 4 agosto 86 a Pitti (Francia)
e domiciliato a

POSIZIONE GIURIDICA

Arrestato il 10-11-45 a disposizione dell'Autorità Alleata Sotto Comm.to P.S.M.S.
per il reato di Indagini
R Giudicabile in data
mesi — e giorni — Fine pena da anni 38145

Braccio
Cella

ISTANZA

al Direttore di Roma

Chiede gli venga concesso un colloquio con l'on. Federico Wertmuller (Via Vittoria Colonna 28) che cura i propri interessi per dare disposizioni per la propria amministrazione Desidera di venire con un Notaio per redigere procura e ricevere le proprie disposizioni testamentarie.

Ringrazia

Cerretani Federico

V.to:
IL DIRETTORE

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Visto si trasmette per competenza al .....

Roma li, ...

IL DIRETTORE SUPERIORE

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MODULARIO
G. G. - a. c. 407

Modello N. 26 (Carceri)
» » 53 (Riformatori)

Roma, 10 gennaio 1946 A.

DIREZIONE
del Carcere Giudiziario di Roma

Conto corrente postale N. 01071
N. ..... Tit. 3 Fasc. 1 Let. G
Risposta alla lettera del —
Div. — Sez. — N. —

FOGLIO di trasmissione al 1a

COMMISSIONE ALLEATA

SOTTOCOMMISSIONE per la P.S.

R O M A

ALLEGATI		OSSERVAZIONI
Num.	DESCRIZIONE	
1	istanza del detenuto CERRETANI FEDERICO intesa ad ottenere l'autorizzazione per conferire con l'Avv. Wertmüller, suo amministratore.	Per dovere d'ufficio.
1	prospetto di posizione giuridica.	

IL DIRETTORE

Ord. 317-16-6-42 - XX Roma, Tip. Mantellate (c. 30.000)

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TRANSLATION

R. QUESTURA DI ROMA

N. 053787 Cat. A.4. C. Rome, 20 Dec 45

Subject : Correteni Federico, son of late Edoardo - internee.

To : DIREZIONE DELLE CARCERI GIUDIZIARIE " Regina Coeli "

: Headquarters, Alcos, 1/5 S.C. Rome.

As requested, the following ministerial letter is quoted :

" Relative to the above mentioned note, it is made known that the Allied Commission has given orders that CONTE CORRETANI Federico, son of late Edoardo, be held at the disposal of the Allied Authorities until further instructions, and that he must not be released without the authorization of the Public Safety Sub commission.

It is requested that the a/m request on the part of the Allied Commission be immediately put into effect, and further, an assurance is requested that these directives have been enforced. "

for the Questore.

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GL/Gm

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TRANSLATION

R. QUESTURA DI ROMA

N. 053787 Cat. A.4. C. Rome, 20 Dec 45

Subject : Cerretani Federico, son of late Edoardo - internee.

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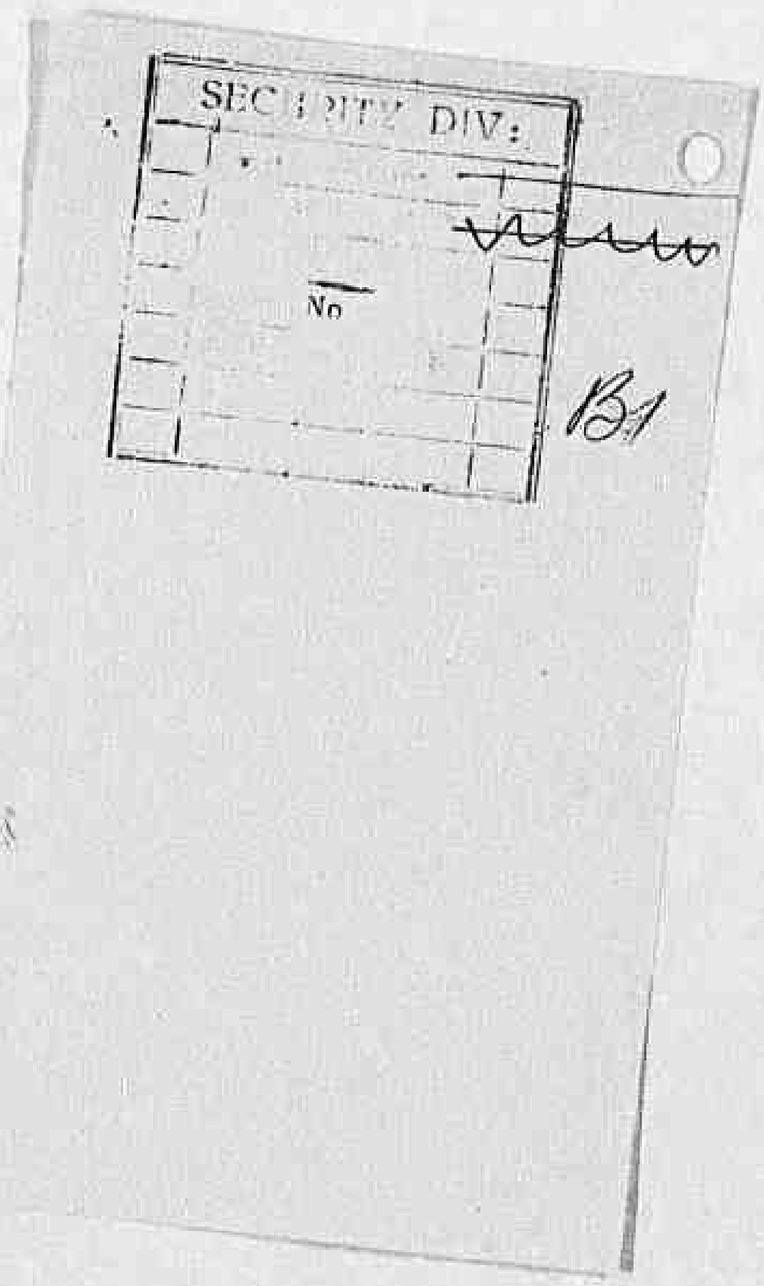

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Mod. P
(Servizio anagrafico)

R. QUESTURA DI ROMA

N. 053787 Div. U.P. Categ. A.4.C.

Risposta a nota N. _____

del _____ 194__

Roma, Addì 20 dicembre 1945

OGGETTO: CERRETANI Federico fu Edoardo - detenuto.

Alla DIREZIONE DELLE CARCERI GIUDIZIARIE "Regina Coeli"

R O M A

e, per conoscenza: AL COMANDO COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S. - Divisione Sicurezza

R O M A

Per quanto è richiesto, si trascrive la seguente ministeriale e si resta in attesa di assicurazione:

"""In relazione alla nota sopradistinta, si comunica che la Commissione Alleata ha disposto che il CERRETANI Conte Federico fu Edoardo, in attesa di ulteriori istruzioni, dovrà essere tenuto a disposizione delle Autorità Alleate e non rilasciato senza autorizzazione da parte della Sottocommissione per la P.S.-

Si prega provvedere con la massima urgenza ad impartire le disposizioni necessarie per la rigorosa ottemperanza della suddetta richiesta della Commissione Alleata e favorire intanto cortese cenno di assicurazione."""

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IL QUESTORE

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N. 053767 Div. U.P. Categ. A.4.G.

Risposta a nota N. _____

del _____ 194_

Roma. Addì 26 dicembre 1945

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

REF : SD/266.01-57 8 January 1946

SUBJECT : Major Federico Cerretani

TO : Il Presidente
Corte di Appello di Roma.

1. Authority is given for the above named to be temporarily released to the custody of the Italian Authorities for the purpose of appearing as a witness in the trial of Luigi Tirone.

2. It is a condition of the release that subject be kept under the supervision of a competent escort whilst he is away from the prison and that adequate precautions are taken to prevent his escape.

3. He should be allowed no contact with any person, civil or military, unless that person is duly authorised by you.

4. He should be returned to Regina Coeli Prison immediately on the conclusion of the trial in question.

OGGETTO : Maggiore Federico Cerretani

AL : Presidente della Corte d'Appello
Roma.

1. Si concede l'autorizzazione affinche il sovramenzionato venga temporaneamente consegnato e custodito dalle autorita' italiane perche egli deve apparire come teste nel processo Tirone Luigi.

2. Il rilascio della persona e' condizionato dalla sorveglianza da parte di una competente scorta mentre egli si trova fuori della prigione, e che delle precauzioni adeguate vengono prese affinche egli non possa fuggire.

3. Non gli deve essere concesso il contatto con nessuno, civile o militare che sia, anenche non gliele autorizziate.

4. Si deve riportarlo immediatamente nella prigione di Regina Coeli non appena il processo sia terminato.

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JOHN B. CHAPMAN
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Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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Colonel, J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

Copy to: Ministry of Grace & Justice, Italian Government.
(letter UC/4231-1 of 3rd January, 1946 refers)
Ministry of the Interior, Italian Government.
(letter Div.AGR.Sez IV. Prot.No.500/77921 of 7 Dec 45 refers

TFC/gm

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Security Div.

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 58058

Date/Time of Origin: 7JAN2002A

Message Centre No: G/6932

Date Time Rec'd: 8JAN0930A

Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AFHQ 'A' BRANCH CMF

TO : ALCOM

RESTRICTED

RESTRICTED:

YOUR 9882 OF 3JAN 46 CITE ACSEC GERRETANI MAY BE RELEASED TO CUSTODY OF CORTE DI APPELLO DI ROMA PROVIDED FULL PRECAUTIONS TAKEN PREVENT HIS ESCAPE. HE MUST BE RETAINED AT DISPOSAL OF ALLIES ON COMPLETION OF TRIAL.

AC DIST

ACTION: SECURITY DIV

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

FILE 2

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ACTION

HEADQUARTERS JAN 1946

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Security/Pub. S.

CYPHER TELEGRAM

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 0[redacted] F 57992

Date/Time of Origin: 071508A

Message Centre No: G/6940

Date Time Rec'd: JAN 8 0930

Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: FREEDOM SIGNED SACMED

TO : ACTION ALCOM

SECRET:

SECRET

YOUR 9882 REFERS. NO TRACE OF YOUR LETTER 2660/57 DATED 15 DECEMBER 1945 IN G2 FILES. NOTRACE OF CERRETANI FEDERICO

AC DIST

ACTION: SECURITY DIV (PUB. SAFETY S/C)

INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER

FILE (SKELETON)

ACTION

SECRET

HEADQUARTERS
8 JAN 1946
A.C.

CIPHER TELEGRAM

This message will not be distributed outside British or U.S. Government Departments or Headquarters or [illegible] even in Cipher without being paraphrased. (Messages marked O.T.P. need not be paraphrased).

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SECRET

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

WAR CRIMES

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REF : SD/266.01-57 10 January 1945

SUBJECT : Maj. Federico CERRETANI

TO : A.F.H.Q. (for 'A' Branch)

1. In accordance with authority given in your cable F 58058 of 8 Jan. 45 the a/n duly appeared as a witness in the trial of Luigi Tirone and was returned to Regina Coeli the same day i.e. 9 Jan. 45.

2. He is now held at the disposition of the Allied Command as before.

S. J. M.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

TFC/nb

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Notify AFHQ. that subject is returned Regina Coeli and at disposal of Allies.

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

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OGGETTO : Maggiore Federico Cerretani

AL : Presidente della Corte d'Appello
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A. Ellis Capt.
for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
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ALLIED COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS OFFICIAL

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TFC/gm 9/8/46 il conte Cerretani Federico è venuto a Regina Coeli a disposizione della autorità Militare — oggi — Ten. Pantellini

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CORTE D'ASSISE DI ROMA

Sez. Q
26601-51

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
Security Division
A.P.O. 394

ROME, 3/1/1946.

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SUBJECT : Witness Count CERRETANI Federico.

It results that Count FEDERICO CERRETANI, witness in the trial against TIRRONE Luigi and others, imputed of murder, theft and other crimes, who did not appear in hearing, is being detained at the disposal of the HQ Allied Commission, in the prison of Regina Coeli (7th Section).

When we requested his presence, the Public Safety Office replied to the officer of the CC.RR., who exposed verbally our urgent request, that it was impossible to meet it in less than ten days.

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Signed : the president
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CORTE D'ASSISE DI ROMA

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
Security Division
A.P.O. 394

ROME, 3/1/1946.

SUBJECT : Witness Count CERRETANI Federico.

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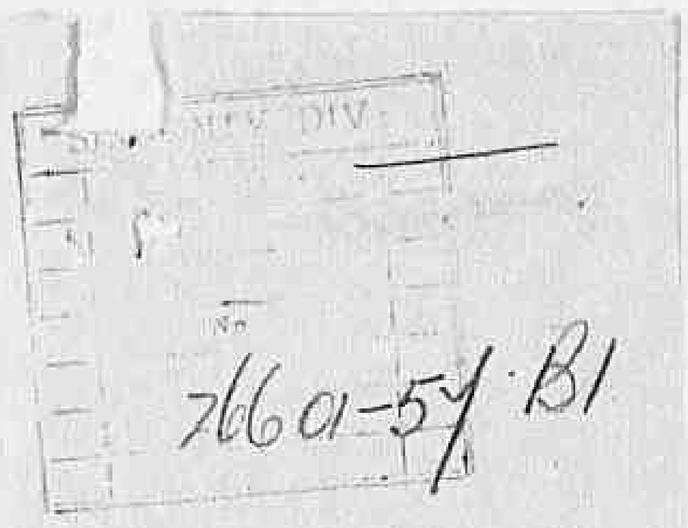

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CORTE DI ASSISE DI ROMA

Sezione I°

OGGETTO: Teste Conte CERRETANI Federico.-

Roma, 3 gennaio 1946 - *Anno*

Protocollo N. *Risposta a nota del*

Allegati N. *Div.* *Sezione*

Headquarters allied Commission
Public Safety Sub Commission
A.P.O. 394
Security Division.

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Il Presidente
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APO 394
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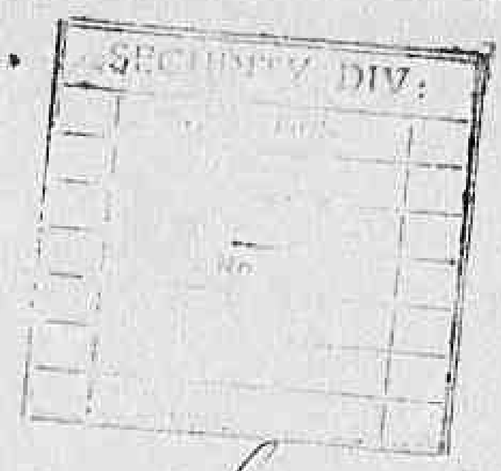

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Secretariat Federico

DECRETO DI CITAZIONE

a testimoni, periti, interpreti, CONSULENTI tecnici

(Art. 21 n. 1 R. D. 28 maggio 1931, n. 603)

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Noi (1) Il Presidente della Corte di Assisedi Roma
Sezione I°

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Da citarsi ad istanza del (3) Parte ~~parte privata~~ Vitt
Brelavi Federico abitante [illegible] Wertmuller Via Vitt 42 Catania

Roma 20/12/45

Il Cancelliere — Il Pres.

Fto Alessi — Fto Fiore

(1) Pretore — Presidente del Tribunale — Presidente di Corte d'Appello o d'Assise — Pubblico Ministero.
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Roma 20/10/45

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Cervani Federico
Via Vittoria Colonna
presso Avv. Hertzmulle, Roma

Io sottoscritto Ufficiale giudiziario addetto alla Corte di Appello di Roma a richiesta del mio commesso autorizzato notifico

suddetto atto a Cervani Federico

consegnandone quarta copia, nel detto suo domicilio

a mani [illegible]

Roma 12 nov. 1945

A. M. Guid

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Tel:- 51172 -(6330 - 787) 1 fill SD/2661 11-57

Ten. C.C.R.R. Tribunali.

Ten. Castellani.

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My wishes are to get authority for release
of CERETANI Send authorisation to above 116

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SECRET

PARA ONE FD SUBJECT IS OBERSTANI FEDERICO SUSPECTED WAR CRIMINAL REFERRED TO IN THIS OFFICE LETTER TWO SIX SIX ZERO STROKE FIFTY SEVEN OF FIFTEEN DECEMBER FORTY FIVE NOW HELD AT ALLIED DETENTION AT REGINA COELI PRISON ROME FD

PARA TWO FD MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE HAVE REQUESTED HE BE RELEASED TO CUSTODY OF CORTE DI APPELLO DI ROMA FD SUBJECT REQUIRED AS WITNESS REPEAT WITNESS IN TRIAL OF TYRONE LIGHT WHO IS ON CAPITAL CHARGE FD

PARA THREE FD AS TRIAL REPORTED TO END WITHIN FIVE DAYS AND SUBJECT IS ESSENTIAL WITNESS PLEASE CABLE REPLY AS TO WHETHER OBERSTANI CAN BE SO RELEASED FD

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PRIORITY

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Major Harney

Lt Col Hannafin informs me that men required as witness re detained on disposition of Security. Can this be changed from as a witness?

JB 31

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Subject: Request for Cenetacci as witness

Hq Alcom Rome

President Lo Bacco of the Court of Assize where the famous Trone trial is being held, has asked this Ministry if Court Cenetacci can be heard as a witness and who is presently at the disposal of the allies at the "Regina Coeli" prison (Rome)

As the allied authorities in charge of Cenetacci in custody, to whom President Lo Bacco has ~~asked~~ requested to have the a/m witness, have communicated that they cannot release him before ten days, the writer addresses himself, in the "Guardasigilli's name, to this Commission in order that the witness may be available as soon as possible.

It is made known that the Trone trial, whose importance and publicity are well known to this Commission is now in full sway and ~~in 5 or 6 days~~ it is forseen that in 5 or 6 days it will end.

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Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

Gabinetto di S.E. il Ministro

Roma, 7 GEN 1946 19

Protocollo N° 06/4231-1

OGGETTO Processo Tirone - disponibilità del teste Cerretani.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommisione Legale

ROMA

e per conoscenza:

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.

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Il Presidente Lo Iacono della Corte di Assise, presso la quale si svolge in questi giorni il dibattimento del noto processo Tirone si è rivolto a questo Ministero affinchè possa essere sentito come testimonio il Conte Cerretani che attualmente si trova a disposizione degli Alleati al carcere di Regina Coeli.

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L'UFFICIALE DI COLLEGAMENTO

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Protocollo n° 06/6236-1

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

(57)

266.01-57

REF : SD/~~550.08~~ 31 December 1945

SUBJECT : CERRETANI Federico

TO : Il Presidente,
Corte di Appello di Roma

1. With reference to your application for the a/n to appear as a witness on 2 Jan. 45 in the case of Tirone Luigi.

2. It is regretted that owing to the fact that your request was not presented until this morning it is impossible to obtain the necessary authority in time.

3. Please inform this office if subject is required for a later date bearing in mind that this office must have at least 10 days notice before such temporary releases can be effected.

for JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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Court D'Appeals - Rome
Court of Assize - 1st Section

Translation
Subject: Citation of Count Cenetaus Federico as witness in the Tirone Trial

Rome: 29 Dec 45

To: Hq. ACoM - Rome
Public Safety Sub commission
Security Division - Rome

Re Count Cenetaus Federico must be heard as a witness in the trial against Tirone Luigi, it is asked that said Cenetaus be escorted by the Carabinieri, and under their responsability, brought before the 1st Section of the Court of Assize on Wednesday, 2nd Jan 46.

f. the President

CORTE D'APPELLO DI ROMA

Corte d'Assise 1ª Sezione -

OGGETTO: Citazione teste Terretani Federico teste nel processo C. Cirone Luigi

Roma, 29 dicembre 1945 ~~Anno~~

Protocollo N. ..... Risposta a nota del .....

Allegati N. ..... Div. ..... Sezione .....

Al Quartier Generale Alleato -
sottocommissione di P. S. -
Ficuerra Divisione - Via Veneto
Roma

Poichè il teste Terretani Federico deve essere sentito quale ~~teste~~ nel processo a carico di Cirone Luigi si prega di disporre che il Terretani a mezzo dei carabinieri e sotto la responsabilità dei medesimi, sia tradotto dinanzi la 1ª Sez. della Corte d'Assise il giorno di mercoledì 2 gennaio 1946.

Il Presidente d'ordine

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CORTE D'APPELLO ROMA

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Allegati N. ..... Div. ..... Sezione .....

Al Quartier Generale Alleato -
sottocommissione di P. L. -
Ficuressa Divisione - Via Veneto
Roma

Poichè il Caporale Ferretani Federico deve essere
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ledì 2 gennaio 1946.

Il Presidente - d'ordine

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

WAR CRIMES

REF : SD/266.01-57 15 December 1945

SUBJECT : Major (Count) CERRETANI Federico,
UNWCC list V part II personality No. 77

TO : AFHQ

1. Further to this office letter of 6 Dec. 45.

2. We are now advised that due to lack of evidence subject will not now be tried by the Italian authorities. The Ministry of the Interior has confirmed however that Subject will continue to be held at the disposition of the Allies.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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

REF : SD/266.01 15 December 1945

SUBJECT : Major (Count) CERRETANI Federico

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

1. I acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 500/77021 of 7 Dec. 45 and thank you for the information contained therein.

2. Further instructions will follow regarding Subject who should meanwhile continue to be held at Allied disposal and not released without authority from this Commission.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
GENERAL DIRECTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
Security Division
R O M E

Division : A.G.R.
Section : IV^.
Prot. N° : 500/77921.

ROME, 7/12/1945.

U R G E N T

SUBJECT : Wanted persons by the Allied authorities.

Ref. to our correspondence and, particularly, to our letter 500/77402 dated 19/11/45, we have to report that the Royal Prefettura of Siena has notified that Count CERRETANI Federico, fu Edoardo, was not denounced to the judiciary authority, because we have not obtained enough specific charges against him.

Therefore we have decided to keep him in the local prison at the disposal of your HQ, because he is in the list of wanted persons by the Allied authorities.

Signed : for the Minister
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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
GENERAL DIRECTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
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B.

URGENTE

Security

Roma, 7 Dicembre 1945

Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

ON.LE COMANDO COMMISSIONE ALLEATA - Sottocommissione per la P.S. - Divisione Sicurezza -

APO - 394

Persone A.G.R. Sez. IV^
Prot. N° 500/77923 Allegati

Risposta al foglio
Div. Sez. 1^

OGGETTO: Persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate.

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A seguito precorsa corrispondenza e, in particolare, alla ministeriale n.500/77402 del 19 novembre u.s., si comunica a codesto On.le Comando che la R.Prefettura di Siena ha riferito che il Conte Cerretani Federico fu Edoardo non è stato denunciato all'Autorità Giudiziaria, non essendosi potuti raccogliere più concreti e specifici elementi di responsabilità a suo carico.

Si è, pertanto, disposto che il Cerretani sia trattenuto nelle locali carceri a disposizione di codesto On.le Comando, essendo egli compreso nell'elenco delle persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate.

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

(57)

REF : SD/266.01-57 6 December 1945

SUBJECT : Major CERETANI

TO : DAG, GHQ, CMF

1. Reference is made to UNRCC list No. V part II personality No. 77.

2. Subject has now been identified as Count Federico CERRETANI fu Edoardo Benelli e Cerretani Bondinelli Laura, born on 7 Aug. 1896 at Cette (France) and living at SARTEANO (Siena).

3. Subject has admitted to have been a Lieut. Col. assigned to the Command of the Venezia Division on the Greek Albanian front at Corida Korcia and at Erzeche in April 41. This Division later operated at Montenegro where subject remained until October 1942.

4. He has been detained by the Questura of Rome and will be transferred to Siena for trial, after which he will be placed at the disposition of the Allies.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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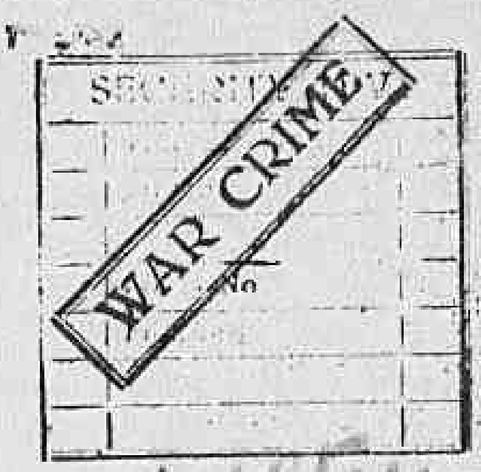

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Rome 19 November 1945

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR

P.S. General Direction

A.G.R. Division IV^ Section

500/77402

To ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION OF P.S.
R O M E
APO 394

SUBJECT: Persons requested for by Allied Authorities

With reference to list of persons requested for by Allied Authorities, forwarded with note AC/I4754/8/P.S. dated 24th last June; and following Ministerial N.500/77386 dated I9 th inst. we beg to communicate that CERRETANI, Major of the "VENEZIA" Division which operated during August and September I94I in Montenegro, has been identified as Count FEDERICO CERRETANI son of late Edoardo Benelli and Cerretani Bondinelli Laura, born at Cette (France) on the 7th -8-I886 and living at Sarteano (Siena).

A/m admitted to have been assigned as Lieut Col., on April I94I to the Command of the "Venezia Division operating in the Greece-Albanien front at Ocrida Korcia and at Erzeche. Same division was afterwards operating in Montenegro, where he stood till October I942.

Investigations are being made at Siena in order to find out his eventual responsabilities as collaborationist.

In case he shall be found quilty, a/m Cerretani, who has been detanied by the Rome Questura will be conveyed to Siena, where- after his trial - he shall be put at disposal of your Command.

We shall eventually send further informations concerning a/m.

For the Minister
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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

Divisione A.G.R. Sez. IV^
Prot. N.° 500/77402 Allegati

All'On.le Comando Commissione
Alleata - Sottocommissione per la
P.S. - Divisione Sicurezza -
APO 394

Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N.°

OGGETTO Persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate.

In relazione all'elenco delle persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate, inviato con nota N.AC/I4754/8/P.S. del 24 giugno u.s. ed a seguito della ministeriale n.500/77386 del 19 corrente, si comunica che Cerretani, Maggiore della Divisione "Venezia" operante nell'agosto-settembre 1941 in Montenegro, è stato identificato in Cerretani conte Federico fu Edoardo Bonelli e fu Cerretani Bondinelli Laura, nato a Cette (Francia) il 7-8-1886, domiciliato a Sarteano (Siena).

Il predetto ha ammesso di essere stato destinato, quale Ten.Colonnello, nell'aprile 1941, al Comando Divisione Venezia sul fronte greco-albanese nella zona Ocrida-Korcia ed Erzeche e, nel luglio 1941, con la stessa Divisione, nel Montenegro, zona podgorica-berane, dove rimase fino all'ottobre 1942.-

A carico del predetto, sono in corso a Siena indagini per l'accertamento delle di lui responsabilità quale collaborazionista dei nazi-fascisti.

In caso di risultato positivo delle indagini, il Cerretani, che è stato fermato dalla R.Questura di Roma, sarà tradotto a Siena, dove - a soddisfatta giustizia - sarà trattenuto a disposizione di codesto On.le Comando.

Si fa riserva di riferire ulteriormente sul conto del predetto.

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Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N°

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

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REF : SD/266.01-56

6 December 1945

SUBJECT : TURCHI Ottorino

WAR CRIME

TO : DAG., GHQ. C.M.F.

1. Reference is made to UNWCC list No. 2 (Italians) serial No. 1 (2).

2. The Ministry of War reports that they are unable to trace the above named. Fresh enquiries will be instituted on receipt of further information.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
GENERAL DIRECTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
Security Division
R O M E

Division : A.G.R.
Section : IV^.
Prot/ N° : 500/77860.

ROME, 2/12/1945.

SUBJECT : Wanted persons by Allied authorities.

Ref. to the list of wanted persons by Allied authorities sent with the letter N.A.C/14754/8/P.S. of 24/6/45, we have to report that the Cabinet of the Ministry of War has reported that all the investigations made in order to find the actual address of Caporale Maggiore TURCHI Ottorino were fruitless and that for further investigations, other informations would be necessary than those received in the a/n letter.

Signed : for the Minister
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MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
GENERAL DIRECTION OF PUBLIC SAFETY

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
Security Division
R O M E

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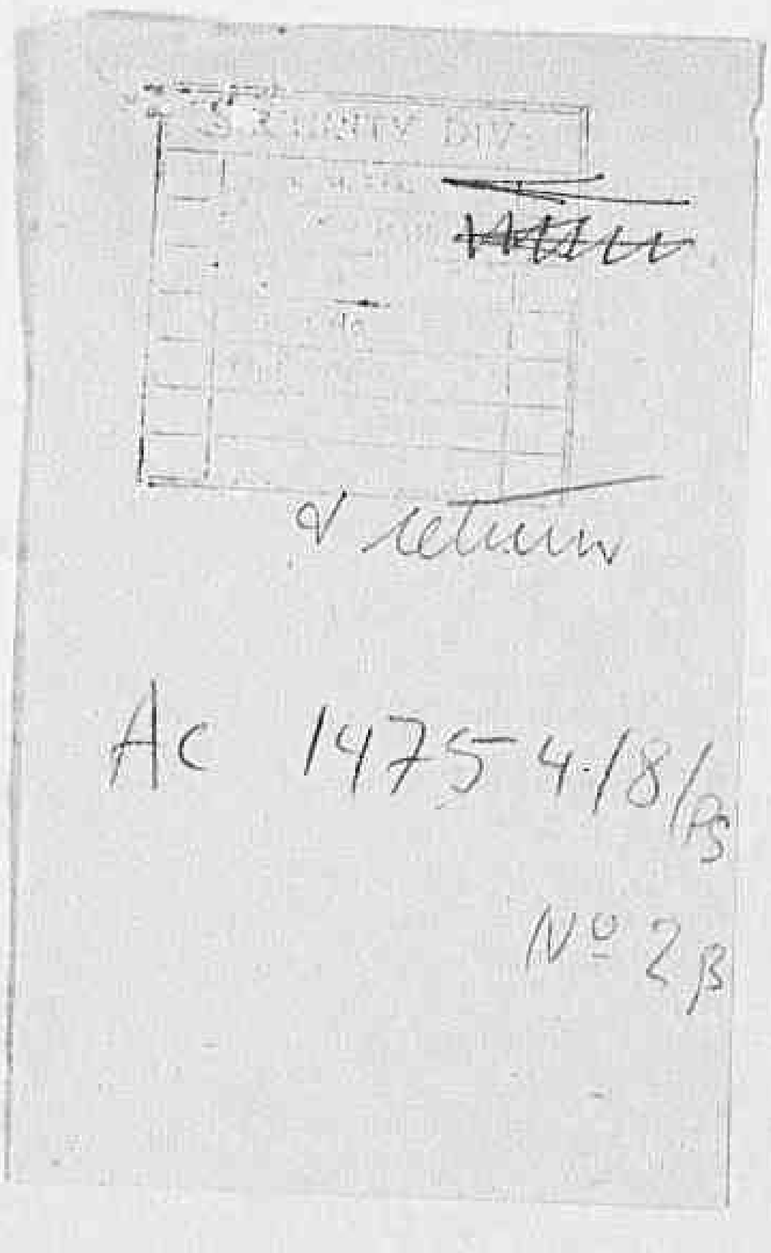

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Roma, 2 dicembre 1945

Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

All'On.COMANDO COMMISSIONE ALLEATA-Sottocommissione per la P.S.- Divisione Sicurezza-
ROMA

Divisione A.G.R. Sez. IV
Fasc. N. 500/77860 Allegati

Risposta al Foglio del
Div. Sez. N.

OGGETTO: Persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate-

In relazione all'elenco delle persone richieste dalle Autorità Alleate, inviato con nota N.A.C./I4754/8/P.S. del 24 giugno c.a., si comunica che il Gabinetto del Ministero della Guerra ha informato che tutte le ricerche esperite per rintracciare il domicilio o l'attuale recapito del caporale maggiore TURCHI Ottorino, sono finora rimaste infruttuose e che, per le ulteriori ricerche, sarebbe necessario avere possibilmente altre indicazioni oltre quelle rilevate dall'elenco sopra richiamato.-

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

WAR CRIME

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REF : SD/266.01-55

1 December 1945

SUBJECT : War Criminals requested by Italian Government

TO : D.A.G., G.H.Q., A.F.H.Q.

1. The Corte di Assise Straordinaria di Chiavari (Liguria) through the Ministry of Grace and Justice has requested the the a/m, be released to their custody for trial as War Criminals.

2. These men are said to be held in Allied custody in the Livorno-Pisa district.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

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MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE
Gen.Direction

I° A.P. Office
291/24/2509/1945

Rome 13 November 1945

To: HQ.ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION OF P.S.
ROME

SUBJECT: Italin war criminals requested for in order to be trialed.

For your information and further action we beg to transmit inclosed letter forwarded by the Prosecutor of the Chiavari Extraordinary Court of Assise,in order to obtain that some collaborationists,who are presently interned in Allied concentration-camps,may be handed over to the Italian Authorities- They shall be put in jail while awaiting for their trial.

We inclose also note dated 17 th last September forwarded by the P.S. Officer of the Genoa Province,and note dated 19 September forwarded to your Sub Commission by the Liguria Region P.S. Division.

For the Minister

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Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia
DIREZIONE GENERALE DEGLI AFFARI PENALI
DELLE GRAZIE DELLA STATISTICA E DEL CASELLARIO

Roma 17 Novembre 1945

Ufficio I° A.P.
Prot. N° 291/24/2509/1945

Risposta al f. del
Div. Sez. N°

Al QUARTIER GENERALE COMMISSIONE ALLEATA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER LA PUBB. SICUR
R O M A

OGGETTO Criminali di guerra italiani richiesti per il processo.-

All. n° 5

Per competenza, e con preghiera di voler fare all'ufficio richiedente le comunicazioni del caso, si trasmette a codesta On.le Sottocommissione l'unito foglio con il quale il P.M. presso la Corte di Assise Straordinaria di Chiavari chiede che le persone indicate nel foglio stesso, responsabili di crimini di guerra ed attualmente in campi di concentramento Alleati, , siano consegnate all'Autorità Giudiziaria Italiana per essere ristrette nelle carceri di quella città in attesa di giudizio.-

Si uniscono altresì le note 17 settembre c.a. dell'Ufficiale per la Pubblica Sicurezza della Provincia di Genova e 19 detto della Divisione Pubblica Sicurezza per la Regione Liguria, que-

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st'ultima in irizzata a codesta Sottocommissione.-

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(Translation M.B.) Security 26 NOV. 1945 R14074

GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO (Allied Military Government)
REGIONE LIGURIA Liguria Legion
Divisione di Pubblica Sicurezza 19 Sept.'45

LIG/SAF/642

SUBJECT: Italian and German Prisoners of War requested for in order to be trialed as war criminals.

For your information, we beg to transmit inclosed report forwarded by the P.S. Provincial Officer of the Genoa Province, and enclosed documents forwarded by the CHIAVARI Extraordinary Court of Assise.

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For the Lieut Col. J Hfford
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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
REGIONE LIGURIA
Divisione di Pubblica Sicurezza

19 Settembre 45

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OGGETTO / Prigionieri di Guerra Italiani e Tedeschi richiesti per processo relativi a delitti di Guerra.

Al : Direttore,Sottocommissione per la Pubblica Sicurezza,Quartier Gen. Commissione Alleata.

Si trasmettono per informazione e per l'inoltro l'accluso rapporto pervenuto dall'Ufficiale Provinciale per la Pubblica Sicurezza della Provincia di Genova ed allegati pervenuti dalla Corte di Assise di Chiavari.

Per il Commissario Regionale.

Firmato:illegibile pel

T.Col.R.J.HEPPNER.

Capo

Posta Tradotta

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(Translation M.B.)

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
Genoa Province
P.S. Section

26 NOV. 1945

17 September 1945

To: the P.S. Provincial Officer for the Liguria Region.

SUBJECT: War prisoners requested for to be trialed by the Italian Court.

Inclosed letter sent by the Chiavari Extreordinary Court of Assise reached this Office through the Questura.

It deals with a request forwarded by the Prosecutor of the Chiavari Extreordinary Court of Assise in order to obtain that 23 German Prisoner and Italian Officials may be handed over to the Italian Authorities to be trialed.

It is not known exactly where these persons are, but it is believed that they are interned in some Allied concentration camp of the Pisa and Livorno districts.

s/Major T.GOODACRE

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
Provincia di Genova
Sezione di Pubblica Sicurezza 17 Settembre 1945

OGGETTO :
Richiesta per ritorno di Prigionieri di Guerra per essere processati da Corte Italiana.

All' :
Ufficiale Regionale per la Pubblica Sicurezza, Regione Liguria.

L'acclusa lettera è pervenuta a questo ufficio tramite la Questura della Corte di Assise di Chiavari.

E' una richiesta pervenuta dall'ufficio ~~procuratori~~ Uff. Proc. della Corte Speciale di Assise di Chiavari per la restituzione di ventitre tedeschi e funzionari italiani che essi desiderano per processarli come criminali di Guerra.

Ove si trovi questa gente non è noto, ma si crede che essi si trovino nei Campi dei Prigionieri di Guerra dei Distretti Pisa-Livorno.

La richiesta verrà trasmessa via gerarchica per accertare ove si trovano.

Firmato
Magg. T. GOODACRE
Uff. Prov. Pubblica Sicurezza-Genova.

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QUESTURA DI GENOVA

CHIAVARI EXTRAORDINARY COURT OF ASSISE

To: My. Goodache

Genoa Questura

Following war criminals are to be trialed by this Extraordinary Court of Assise:

see please inclosedlist.

We learn that a/m persons are presently interned in Allied concentration camps. As their trial shall be held by an Italian Tribunal, I beg to ask you to interfere with the ROME Allied Commission in order to obtain that a/m war-criminals may be handed over as soon as possible to the Italian Judicial Authorities.

I point out that some of them have committed the most ferocious crimes,and were in contact with the well-known criminal Spiotta.

I shall appreciate a kind aknowledge of receipt.

The Prosecutor

s/Doct.Greco

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List copy
of the convicted persons

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QUESTURA di GENOVA

Prot. N. Cat. 9 "Ossia" Div. Gab. Chiavari, - 12/9/ 1945

Fascicolo N. 1445

N. 99.

Oggetto: Procedimento Penale

Procura Genova

Procedo contro le seguenti persone per collaborazione militare e politica col tedesco invasore:

1°) Gen. colonn.to Pergolani Arnaldo
Comand.te 1° Rgt.to alpini Tradate

2°) Gen. colonn.to D'Antonio Cesare Direttore
Ufficio Militare Chiavari.

3° Maggiore Rocca Augusto - Ufficio
del Trib. Mil.le di Chiav.

4° Capitano Gipponi Carlo - Ufficio
come so

5° " Scattolini Enrico - giudice
Trib. Mil. Chiavari

6°) " Mondini Ettore - giudice
Trib. Mil. Chiavari

7° Tenente Maglio Antonio - S. M. presso
Tribunale Mil. Chiavari

8° Capitano Fallini -

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(1) SERVIZIO.

9°) capitano Pieri -
10°) Ten. Sonnino -
11°) " Kiltermann
12°) " Padri
13°) " Cristiani Mario
14°) " Menuzzi
15° " Ilario
16 S.. Tenente Marazzi.
17 " " Nativo
18. marescialli: Gualdieri, Zuccari,
Campagnoli, Boscarelli, Conti;
19: serg^ti magg^i: Bonni, Sala R. Bizzi,
Lottovia;
20) sergenti: Pieri, Matelli -
21: cap. magg^i: Lomuto, Monti, Damiani,
Sala - Vitto -
22:) Ben. Colonn^llo Fracassi Guido - giudice
Tribunale militare.

23) Capitano Peretti Francesco -
" Cantarli Pierfelice
" Colombo Ferruccio

Allegati N.

Poiché dette ferrovie e tramvie
militarizzate, secondo disposizioni
ricevute, nei confronti di concentramento
abbiati, debbono essere assunte

MINISTERO DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
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Direzione Generale
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QUESTURA di GENOVA

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alla Giustizia per poter far luogo all'loro confronto a seguito giudizio preso la S.V. voler sollecitare la Commissione Alleata di Roma affinché i predetti siano nel più breve tempo possibile consegnati all'autorità giudiziaria Italiana e rinchiusi nelle carceri giudiziarie di Chiavari.

Prendo atto che trattasi di sette criminali di guerra di cui alcuni, come il tenente Crestani, responsabili dei più efferati delitti e corresponsabili del

ALBERGO ELETTO - Genova

PIAZZA FONTANE MAROSE

l del giorno 12 Settembre 1943

Luogo ~~destinazione~~ Arrivo	COGNOME E NOME	Nazionalità
Milano	Giovanoli Eugenio	Svizzera
"	Gaglizzo Elisabetta	"
"	Schlesinger Wenzel	Cecoslov.

L'ESERCENTE DELL'ALBERGO

Giovanoli Eugenio
Gaglizzo Elisabetta
Schlesinger Wenzel
Milano 12 Settembre 1943

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

54

REF : SD/266.01-54 29 November 1945

SUBJECT : War Crimes

TO : DAG GHQ CMF

1. With reference to G1/Br/16121/A-3 of 25 Aug. 1945.

2. Headquarters CC.RR., Rome are of the opinion that the person you wish to trace is Capt. DE POLO Giovanni at present serving with Centro Raccolta della Legione di Bologna.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN,
Colonel J.A.G.D.,
Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

TFC/nb

Copy to:- Land Forces Sub Commission
your A/311 of 29 Aug.45 refers

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(Transl. Sk)

CC.RR. GENERAL COMMAND

N. 1360/4 15 OTT. 1945 14074 11 Oct.,1945

SUBJECT : Identification of the Commander of CC.RR. Coy in Lamia (Grecia) during the period July-August 1942.

TO ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety S/C
Rome

This General Command is of the opinion that a/m Officer is Capt. s.p.e. DE POLO Giovanni at present in force with the gathering Centre in Bologna Legion.

for THE GENERAL COMMANDER
The Vice General Comm.
Leonetto TADDEI

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RISERVATO

Comando Generale dell'Arma dei Carabinieri Reali

UFFICIO SEGRETERIA E RISERVATO

N. 1360/4 di prot. Ris. Roma, li 11 ottobre 1945

Risposta al foglio del 3/9/45 n. AC/14074/P.S. Allegati n.

OGGETTO: Identificazione del comandante la compagnia CC.RR. di Lamia (Grecia) nel periodo luglio-agosto 1942.=

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
- Sottocommissione per la P.S. -

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Questo Comando Generale ritiene che l'uffi=ciale che risponde ai connotati indicati nel fo=glio sopra distinto, sia il capitano s.p.e. DE POLO Giovanni attualmente in forza al Centro Rac=colta della legione di Bologna.=

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