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6 March 1947

TO : A.F.H.Q. G-5
ATTENTION : COL. RICHARDSON

FROM : D.C.M. AND CHIEF D.P. OPERATIONS

SUBJECT : YUGOSLAV REFUGEES IN EGYPT RELATED TO CHETNIK SER.

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Your Name written here (L V)

for A.A. Sorieri
DEPUTY CHIEF OF MISSION
AND CHIEF, D.P. OPERATIONS (ITALY)

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LOUIS VARRICHIONE~~

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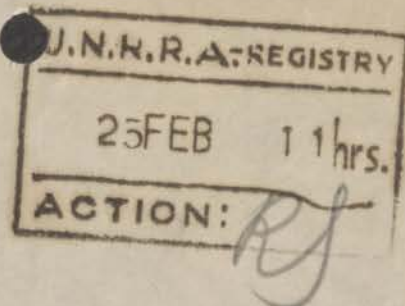
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G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.7-2

25/2/24

21 February 1947

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(Attn: Records Bureau)

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FOR THE SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER, MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE:

E. H. Richardson
for A. L. HAMBLIN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

Copy to: GHQ CMF

(Attn: A-2) - Your 3371/1/A2 of 25 Jan. 47 refers.



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6 March 1947

United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration
8, Sharia Der El-Shifa, Garden City,
Cairo

ATTENTION : Mr. T.J. SMITH

Reference our 30th December 1946 memorandum to you concerning the ten Yugoslav dependents now located in El-Shatt camp with relatives in Eboli PW camp.

We are pleased to forward to you copy of communication received from A.P.H.Q. C-5 which is self-explanatory. Also attached is copy of our answer to this communication.

We will be pleased to keep you informed of all developments concerning this matter.

for A.A. Sorieri
DEPUTY CHIEF OF MISSION
AND CHIEF, D.P. OPERATIONS (ITALY)

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY
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DEPUTY CHIEF
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cc : Sorieri, Bond, Chron, File ✓

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or Camps Division

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OFFICE OF D. C. M. &
CHIEF, D. P. OPERATIONS. (ITALY)

DATE 7 MAR 1947
No 7

25 Feb 47
PA/O/815

Allied Force Headquarters,
G-5 Section,
Liaison and Civil Affairs Branch,
APO 794,

SUBJECT: Identification of Welfare Agency Personnel
and Vehicles

1. Reference your memo LAGAB/4069/2/CB, dated 5 February.
2. Although a considerable number of our vehicles have been marked in accordance with the undertaking contained in our memorandum DACFA/787 dated 17th December, there has been a hold-up owing to a shortage of supplies in respect of the remainder. It is hoped to have all vehicles completed by 15 March and we will confirm to you on that date whether or not completion has been made.
3. With respect to uniforms, all our Camps have received firm instructions on this point but completion has not yet been made; this is largely due to extensive re-organisation of our Displaced Persons Operations throughout the country which, together with a rapidly decreasing administrative staff, has made it impossible for us to reach our target date. Again, we hope this matter will be completed by the 15th March and we will advise you further on that date.

W. I. Prince,

ASSISTANT CHIEF OF BUREAU,
FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION.

C. S. Wyatt/as

cc: C. O. M.
D.C.M. & Chief, D.P. Ops. (Italy)
Deputy Chief, D.P. Ops. (Italy)
Director, Division of Admin. Services
Division of F. & A. (D.P. Ops. (Italy)
(Att: Transportation Officer)
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13 February 1947.

Dear Colonel Notestein,

Thank you for your letter of 21 January regarding my personal letter to Commander Jackson summarising the situation of Yugoslav Displaced Persons in Italy. I am very sorry for any difficulties this letter may have caused you. It was written at Commander Jackson's request as a report "in the family", and should not have been passed on - at least, without vetting.

The letter was written in Sorieri's absence, but was read by me; so that I must take personal responsibility. As the attached copy of a document shows, the phrase which apparently did the damage was based on an apparent fact as of the date the document was written. Even at that, the paragraph should have qualified the statement to make it clear that even then this was not necessarily the general practice.

I am sorry not to have answered this letter sooner, but it came too late to be dealt with before Sorieri and I left for Vienna.

Sincerely yours,

/S/

S.M. Keeny
CHIEF OF MISSION.

Colonel J. Notestein,
Allied Force Headquarters,
G-5 Section,
APO 512,
C.M.F.

SMKEENY/jms.

cc: COM

Chief, D.P. Ops in Italy. ✓

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CFF/ms.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 794
DISPLACED PERSONS AND REPATRIATION SUB COMMISSION

DPR/I-6/EA

17 July 1948.

Subject: ACCEPTANCE UNRRA ineligibles at Cinecitta.
To : Mr. Glyn George
Camp Director Cinecitta Rec. Centre.

1. Reference your letter dated 18 July on above subject.
2. We are most grateful to you for all your help and assistance regarding our D.P. problems, on many occasions your sympathetic approach to our difficulties has helped us greatly in dealing with "tricky" problems.
3. Our present criteria is that in general no new admissions should take place to our camps. The only exceptions are destitute families of Yugoslavs and Poles who are extreme compassionate cases, viz pregnant wife, child also ex employees of Allies, ex P.O.W.'s and ex internees of Italian Government.
4. In the circumstances it is considered you should accept no one to your camp unless they have a document from this H.Q.
5. Provisional screening of applicants is carried out by the following:

YUGOSLAWS: Yugoslav Welfare Society
Via Paganini 24 - Rome.

POLES: Polish Welfare Society
Via Veneto - Rome.

RUSSIAN (WHITE) Via Panama 77.

This H.Q. then carries out final investigation and decides who will be admitted.

For the Director:

Signed C.F. FOTHERGILL, Lt. Col.
Deputy Director

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January, 1947

Assistant Chief of Staff,
G.S., A.F.H.Q., (Att: Col. Nolestein)

Dear Sir,

Reference your G5 383.7-11 dated 9th January, 1947, concerning the repatriation of personnel of the 2nd Polish Corps in Italy, married to Poles.

1. We have spoken with London relative to your request for assistance in the repatriation of Poles married to Italians, as discussed at the preliminary conference at A.F.H.Q., on 9th January, 1947, and as stated in your letter of the same date.
2. We have been advised that this matter will require prior approval by our legal council in London before any definite action may be undertaken by the UNRRA Italian Mission in this connection.
3. We are, therefore, sending London a copy of your letter via air-mail and also cabling immediately its substance in order that we may be able to advise you as quickly as possible concerning the final decision.

JPBOND/bt

cc: E.R.O. London
C.O.M.'s Office
Spec. Asst. C.O.M.
Bureau of Relief Services
D.F. Division
Repatriation (2)
Registry.

S.M. KEENE
CHIEF OF MISSION

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S E C R E T
ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5: 383.7-11

9 January 1947.

SUBJECT: Repatriations of Poles Married to Italians.

TO : GHQ CMF
(Attn: A-1)

Reference your 2219/2/41 dated 3 January 1947.

1. At a preliminary conference held at this Headquarters, UNRRA agreed in principle to undertake the repatriation of personnel of 2 Polish Corps, married to Italians, provided that:

- a. They are demobilized before repatriation.
- b. They have been accepted by the Polish (Warsaw) Embassy in Rome.

2. It is suggested, in order to avoid delay, that you should proceed with demobilization and screening by the Polish Embassy concurrently. When these conditions have been fulfilled, it is anticipated that UNRRA will arrange to entrain personnel at FORLI.

3. Please forward, as soon as possible, an estimated break-down as to numbers of men, women and children which it is expected will be repatriated, together with estimated dates by which they will be ready to move.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MORGAN

A.L. HAMBIEN
Colonel, G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Copy to : UNRRA Rome

British Embassy Rome

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ROME.

BUREAU OF RELIEF SERVICES.

22nd November, 1946.

The Director,
D.P. Division.

D.C.M., Relief Services.

REPORT FROM G-5 A.F.H.Q. RELATIVE TO CLANDESTINE
ENTRY OF JEWS INTO ITALY.

I assume that you have followed up with Mr. Trobe the confidential report received from A.F.H.Q. concerning the clandestine entry of Jews into Italy. Will you please bring me up to date, without delay, as to the action by yourself and A.J.D.C. in this matter.

A.A. Sorieri,
DEPUTY CHIEF OF MISSION AND CHIEF,
BUREAU OF RELIEF SERVICES.

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File, R.S. ✓

UNRRA ITALIAN MISSION
BUREAU OF RELIEF SERVICES

DISPLACED PERSONS DIVISION

REF: DP/ADM/10/11

26th October, 1946.

CONFIDENTIAL

TO: CHIEF OF MISSION
FROM: DIRECTOR, DISPLACED PERSONS DIVISION
SUBJECT: REPORT FROM G-5 A.F.H.Q., RELATIVE TO CLANDESTINE
ENTRY OF JEWS INTO ITALY

1. Mr. Sorieri has given me certain instructions reference the above, which I am carrying out as follows.
2. A copy of the report is attached for your interest and information.
3. Attached also is letter to Col. Notestein from you, acknowledging the report.
4. I am pointing up the critical aspects of the report in question, to be discussed with Mr. Trobe of A.J.D.C., but before contacting Mr. Trobe I would appreciate an opportunity of checking these points with you.
5. I am to see Mr. Contini with regard to preparing a letter to the Ministry of the Interior suggesting we should appreciate information of concern to UNRRA being sent to the Mission.

Louis Varrichione,
DIRECTOR,
DISPLACED PERSONS DIVISION.

CONFIDENTIAL

October, 1946.

Col. James Notestein,
C-5,
A.F.H.Q.,
APO 512

Dear Col. Notestein,

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your communication concerning reported illegal entry of Jews into Italy via Resia Pass.

We shall take this matter up with the Director of A.J.D.C., since this affair is against our instructions and definitely contrary to our working arrangement with A.J.D.C.

Sincerely yours,

S.M. KEENEY
Chief of Mission

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

CONFIDENTIAL

18 October 1946.

G-5: 383.2

Dear Mr. Keeny,

Attached you will find a report on the current situation relative to the clandestine entry of Jews into Italy via Resia Pass.

It would appear that some of your representatives and transportation are involved in the illicit movement and support of these people on the border.

Any action you can take which will result in stemming the influx of Jews into Italy be appreciated by this Headquarters.

Sincerely yours,

Incl: As stated.

JAMES NOTESTEIN
Colonel, G.S.C.

Mr. Sam Keeny
Chief of Mission, UNRRA - Italy.
APO 794.

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THE PREFECT OF BOLZANO

n.13954

27 Sept. 46.

SUBJECT : Italo-Austrian Frontier - Clandestine passage of Jews.

TO : Ministry of the Interior
PS General Direction - ROME

This Prefettura got the wind, from various rumours gathered within the Italo-Austrian frontier at the Resia pass, on the existence of a Jewish organisation, in Austrian territory, whose purpose was to accompany Jews residing there to the Italian boundary, in order to have them continue their way either on foot or by means of fortune up to the Puglie, so as to eventually embark for Palestine.

Always according to rumours gathered during the last fortnight of August, a noticeable entry of clandestine Jews should have crossed the frontier along the totally uninhabited area of Pian dei Morti - Maso Tendervalpasso di Resia.

A first group of clandestine Jewish entrees was discovered on the 10th Sept. It was made up of 54 Polish Jews (list attached) who entered at 5 am in the morning, the "Pian dei Morti" area. They were, as is known, stopped by a patrol of the GG.FF. near S. Valentino alla Muta, in a hut where they had sheltered. On their being accompanied to the PS Office of the Valice di Resia, they declared having come from Salisburgo and on their way to Milan where they would have gone to UNRRA to be sent to Palestine. They were, as is known, immediately accompanied to the Resia boundary pass and returned to Austrian territory.

The second attempt came to light, of clandestine crossing of the frontier, was that verified on the 18th inst. At about 20.30 hrs of the 17th, two "Dodge" trucks nos. U.S.A. 2084391 and 2045177 and a American type vehicle A.J.D.C. - G.Q.2, respectively driven by : Rosen Vollgang, military card n.00340; Rabin Oizern military card n.00323; Hoehalski Leon, military card n. numberless, arrived in Resia from Merano. The three vehicles stopped at a short distance beyond the CC.RR. barracks of Resia in the direction of the Pass, with headlights on. The CC.RR. on duty at the pass, suspecting something, immediately phoned up the barracks, adding to be ready, as probably the vehicles had arrived in order to load Jews who would have clandestinely passed the frontier. The station command of Resia soon, in collaboration with the local GG.FF. ordered various hiding services in the suspected area, and exactly in the "Pian dei Morti" locality where they remained in wait, for events

Roundabout 3 o'clock, a large group of persons was perceived in the a/m locality, while moving towards the orad where the vehicles were waiting. To avoid the escape of at least some of these persons, halt was not summoned, but they were left to get on to the two trucks, after which they were held up. Owing to the lack of accommodation in the CC.RR. barracks of Resia, the vehicles and everyone on board were escorted to the nearest inhabited centre of the Commune of Caron Venosta, and once there, handed to the GG.FF. Command. Thus the following were handed to the a/m command:

1. The three vehicles with their respective Jewish drivers.
2. A civilian - Schoki Maroo fu Ignazio and fu Teofila Rosee, born in Waiherowo (Lithuania) on the 21st November 1909, stateless, profession - inspector (these particulars appear on his military card 17/14 issued by the "American Joint Distribution Committee - Inter Governmental Committee on Refugees, Allied Commission" bearing round stamp "American Joint Distribution Committee - HQ AC - APO 334 P.M.N.J.") who stated being an Inspector of Jewish refugees camps, residing in Milan, Via Unione 2, and serving with the American Allied Command, who had given him the card, stationed in Milan with the Montecatini.
3. An American major Knerpls Elias, delegate of UNRRA in service with the a/m Command.
4. The group of Jews - 71 in all (attached list n. 2).

After almost one hour from the hold up, the major and the inspector obtained from the GG.FF. maresciallo, to go to Bolzano with the vehicle and a truck and respective drivers to withdraw rations for the Jews. But, though going to Captain Luongo of the C.I.C. - Bolzano, he no longer returned to Curon Venosta nor did the truck with driver. Instead, at about 10.00 hrs of the following day, the inspector with rations and vehicle returned, which though was once again released by the GG.FF. for return to the C.I.C. of Bolzano. Due to the intervention of Major Hare, Allied Public Safety Officer - the station of Resia took care to again put under the escort of Capt. Luongo, C.I.C. - Bolzano the inspector left at Curon and a truck with the driver Rabin Oizer.

From investigations made by the Commander of the tenenza of Silandro, it has appeared that the two trucks and the vehicle from Milan - American Joint Distribution Committee - had made a stop at Merano, at that American Joint Distribution Committee, situated near the "Continental Hotel" and then, as has already been said, on the night of the 17th, went on to Resia to load the Jewish refugees and bring them to the camp of Tradate (Milan), from where they should have continued their way to La Spezia, where, as to what the interested parties say, American boats were ready to leave for Palestine.

It is to be borne in mind that the request made by Major Hare to accompany the vehicles and drivers to Bolzano, caused a misunderstanding at the P.S. Office of the Resia Pass, in as much as it seemed that the Allied Authorities had asked that Jews should have been held at the disposition of the English Command of Bolzano. During the day of the 19th, at Curon Venosta, while the Jews were continuing to be interrogated, the Questura was able to clarify the misunderstanding and give instructions to the P.S. Commissario of the Resia pass, to, upon completion of the interrogations, turn back the Jews in question over the frontier. These dispositions were confirmed by this Prefettura in the morning of the 21st, following instructions which had arrived during the night from your Ministry, by cable n. 76297/443/59125 of the 20th inst.

So far, from the interrogations given, it appears that the 71 Jews held back, were Poles and Roumanians. They declared: that they had left Poland crossed Cecoslovakia and gathered in Salisburg (Austria). From this town, on American UNRRA vehicles, they had reached Innsbruck and later the vicinities of the Italian frontier, where they had been held up by the American police. But, the French police intervened who allowed their clandestine transit into the "Campaccio" area. The a/m Jews, during their journey to reach the Italian frontier had been assisted by UNRRA by the distribution of food and clothing. In Austria, as mentioned above, they had only been helped by the French police in their clandestine crossing of the frontier.

From the search effected by the GG.FF. of Curon Venosta, it has been ascertained that the a/m Jews did not possess any sort of values.

In fact, to procure the means necessary to cross Italy, they were depending on UNRRA. They have declared that they should have embarked at either La Spezia or Trieste on American craft ready to leave for Palestine. No documents of presentation for co-religionist or Italian or foreign authorities residing in Italy, have been found on them; they were entirely without ~~any~~ any sort of identification papers.

Their physical conditions were good and their morale, high, they belonged to reach Palestine. To cross the Italian frontier, they had not been accompanied by local guides, but made use of indications given them by the French police. Up to the 21st inst. they were fed by the American Joint Distribution Committee of Merano.

It is clear that, from the a/m, the transfer of Jews is wrapped in a full organisation whose leaders are found in Jewish International circles supported by UNRRA and the American Joint Distribution Committee. The Italian Jewish circle must certainly not be an outsider to the organisation.

A delaying attitude was assumed by the officials of the "American Joint Distribution Committee", by UNRRA and by the French frontier authorities. Above all Major Knorps (American), on leaving Resia on the 13th Sept. begged the GG.FF. Maresciallo of Curon Venosta to take time in disposing the sending back of those detained, as he would have approached the Italian and Allied authorities at Bolzano, in favour of the refugees. He added that, should such action not obtain the desired result, he would have turned to the prime minister on De Gasperi. The P.S. Commissario at the Resia Pass immediately had the feeling that the French frontier authorities would appear hostile to the sending back. The quested of the vehicles and drivers, made by the Allied police of Bolzano, helped in delaying, as has been said, the action of forcing back.

On the morning of the 21st, the PS Commissario went to confer with the French Director of the Nauders (Austria) frontier section. He replied that he would not take any initiative without approaching the "American Joint" of Bregenz, which obviously gave dispositions not to receive in Austria, the Jews passed into Italy.

The PS Commissario then called on Lt. Curnag's (commander of the Police unit of Nauders) feelings of friendship and personal fellowship, who ended up by agreeing on the re-entry of those detained through the pass, as long as the matter would not assume an official character.

In fact, the Jews were transported, during the night of the 21st - 22nd inst. (between 11 pm and 1 am), by a private truck, in two times, from Curon Venosta to the Resia road pass, escorted by the a/m P.S. official, by CC.RR., GG.FF. and P.S. Agents of Resia. Near the pass, Lt. Curnag, contradicting what he had assured and perhaps because he was quite tipsy, refused to receive them, advising the Jews to go by the woods. Nevertheless, the P.S. Commissario Santoro, assisted by the escort, equally rejected the Jews into Austrian territory and exactly without having them pass through the boundary, but at about 300 metres east of the CC.RR. barracks, situated in "Pian dei Morti".

Agreements have been made with the a/m official, who, on this occasion has given proof of particular energy and shrewdness, that, in such cases where the French authorities refuse the re-entry into Austria of those Jews who try to enter Italy, these be sent away through the mountains.

According to what Dott. Santoro, PS Commissario of Resia, has now referred, on the 12th inst. The American militarised subjects, Trelit Martin, Heide Mariano and Sanni Soriani, attached to UNRRA with "Special Movement Order" issued on the 12th by the American Joint Distribution Committee of Milan, signed by Federico White, director of the UNRRA in Milan, coming from Milan left our territory for Bregenz (Austria), on vehicle n. 566424k. They declared upon exit, that they would have returned to Italy within 15 days. From information obtained it seems that they would have returned to Italy within 15 days. From information obtained it seems that they circulate about the strip of frontier of the Austrian territory with the precise purpose of favouring clandestine entry into Italy, to groups of Jewish elements, who would be collected by trucks, maybe UNRRA, as soon as they passed the boundary, which would take them to Milan to be eventually sent to an Italian port and embarked on boats going to Palestine.

The GG.FF. Command and the CC.RR. Company of Merano have been already approached for the necessary surveillance. Furthermore, as to the a/m American subjects, the staff of the PS Office of Resia has received instructions to avoid entry, inviting these subjects to go to the Brennero, where as there are some Anglo-American commands, the documents in their possession, could be better checked.

Reservations are taken in communicating any eventual further developments of the matter.

/s/ S. Innocenti.

Translation ac /

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Jacob Trobe
Director

Rome 26 November 1946

Hq. D-180

TO: Mr. S. M. Keeny, Chief of Mission
UNRRA Italian Mission

FROM: Jacob L. Trobe

SUBJECT: Clandestine Entry of Jews--your letter 15 Nov. 46

We are in receipt of the above mentioned communication. We wish to point out that the American Joint Distribution Committee is not a participant in the clandestine passage of Jews across the Italian-Austrian frontier, and that the vehicles alleged to have carried AJDC markings, as reported to me by Mr. Varrichione, were not vehicles operated by this organization. Any documents carried by these drivers, therefore, were not authorized by this organization.

As you know, however, our policy concerning infiltrates into Italy parallels the UNRRA Italian Mission policy, that is, that we recognize it as a human responsibility on the part of our organization, as you recognize it on the part of your own, to provide care for these prosecutees on a humanitarian basis when they are in this country.

Sincerely yours

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Jacob TROBE
Director for Italy

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