

24 Feb., 1945

This operation is documented as follows:

[redacted] has Italian passport [redacted] for Germany issued [redacted] by the Italian Consul in Strassburg, valid to 10-11-43, extended by him 5-4-44 till 4-10-44, and again 6-10-44 till 5-10-45. Besides expired Aufenthaltserlaubnisse, it has one for the Reichsgebiet issued by the Polizeipraesident Auslanderamt in Strassburg 9-10-44 till 5-10-45 (no entry in the fee section at upper left corner); also an Aufenthaltserlaubnis auf die Grenzzone im Bereich Elsass issued by the same for the same period. No entry under Gesch.-Z. (B)(3) (B)(1)

Her father [redacted]

On 10-11-44 he went to Germany on business, taking his daughter with him. They went first to a business acquaintance [redacted] at Ullersricht/Weiden (Oberpfalz), where they stayed through Christmas and New Year's, as they had Italian relations in common, as well as business dealings. From there they went to visit another business friend [redacted] in Konstanz, reaching there 20-1-45.

On 25-1-45 he started alone on a business trip to a third friend [redacted] Pirmasens, leaving his daughter in Konstanz as he feared the bombardments. By 18-2-45 he had not returned so she has set out to look for him. Travel is slow, and she reaches Herrenberg M8400 on Saturday 24-2-45. She spends the night there, and early in the morning gets a ride in a truck going to Calw. As she remembers there is a woodworking concern in Sindelfingen who used to do business with her father, she leaves the truck at Stammheim to walk there in hope they may have news of him. If not, she will go on to Stuttgart, where he had another business connection [redacted]

[redacted] From Stuttgart she can continue NW towards Pirmasens. Beside the passport, she has letterheads, bills, &c. from her father's firm; photos of a boy friend in the army; a letter in Italian from Acampora addressed to her father at [redacted] house in Konstanz, saying what a pleasure it was to have them both in Ullersricht for the holidays.

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