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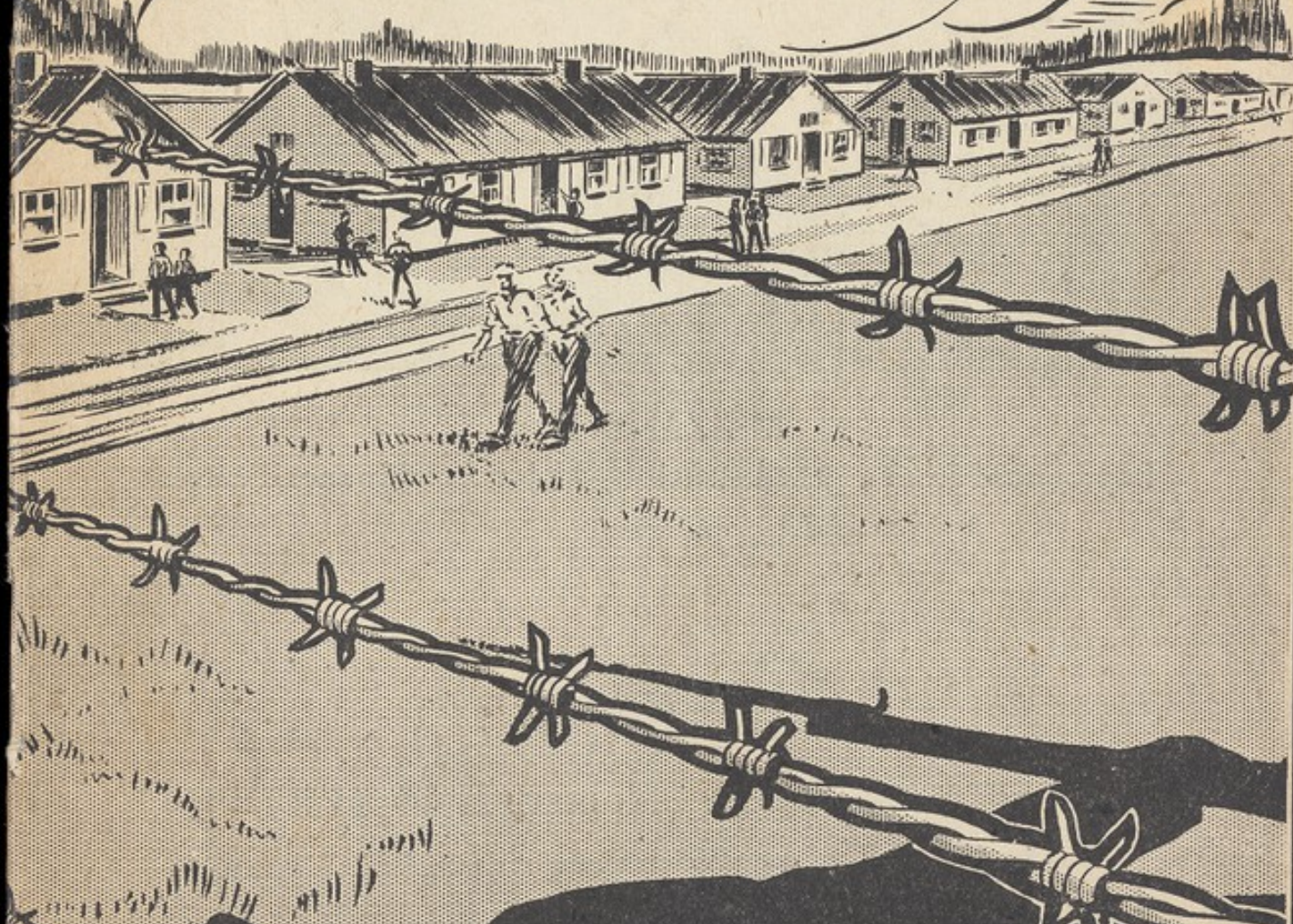
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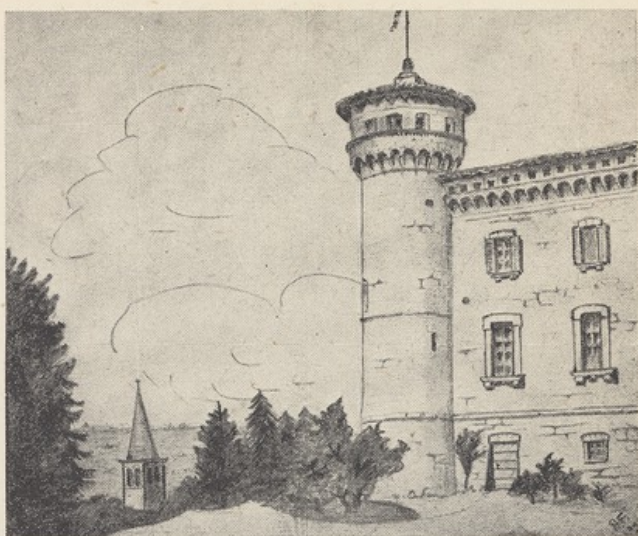
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REZZANELLO.

Reproduced from a pencil sketch by Major A. O'Connor-Fenton.

### *Foreword.*

THE large number of photographs so kindly lent me has made it very difficult to make a comprehensive selection. We hope that this record will, however, give an idea of the various activities in the Prisoner of War Camps in Germany and Italy.

# BEHIND BARBED WIRE

*A Selection of Photographs  
from  
British Prisoners of War*



ENTERTAINMENTS  
SPORTS  
GROUPS  
MISCELLANEOUS



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# ENTERTAINMENTS.



A Dance Band at Stalag XX A.



A Scene from "The Dover Road"

Oflag XC

Oflag IX A. Part of the Band, left to right: Thompson (Canadian, shot down 9/9/39); Edwards (New Zealand, shot down 4/9/39) and Tilsley (England, 20/10/39.)



The Camp Light Orchestra at Stalag XXID (11).



Palace of Varieties at Stalag XXI D



The "Stars" of "Paradise Alley" at Stalag VIII B.



These photographs are of a production "Good Gracious, Godfrey."  
Devised, written and produced in Stalag XXI A.

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*"Good Gracious, Godfrey."*



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*SPORT.*



A Football Team at VIII B.



A Boxing Match in progress at XX A.



A Boxing Match in progress at XX A.



Hockey Match at VII C/H.

## GROUPS.



A Group at Stalag XXIB including Private Pack.



A Group at Stalag XXID including Private G. Bonner.

Taken at Stalenburg; Shows prisoners of War "appel" (roll call)—twice a day.



The Camp Staff at Oflag IX A/H



A Group at Stalag VIIA



Cheerful despite the "shooting box."



Group at Oflag V.B. including 2nd Lieut. P. Burrell.



A Group at Stalag XXI B.



A cheerful group at Stalag VII A.



Capt. A. Forester Fielding  
Dr. Hewer  
2nd Lt. R. B. Smailes  
at Oflag IX A/H



How we try to relax. "Lounge" at Oflag IX A.  
Unfortunately the "popsy" is not real.



The Chapel at Stalag III D (404).



Prisoners of War at the Lazarett (i.e. Hospital) at IX C.  
These should have been repatriated in 1941.

A Christmas Party  
in a Stalag.



Shows all the  
Fleet Air Arm  
personnel (18)  
who were at Oflag  
IX A. We were  
dressed up for the  
occasion.

A Group at Stalag Luft:  
Fl.-Lt. Crewe, Fl.-Lt.  
French-Mullen, F. O.  
Hudson, Fl.-Lt. Knight



Mealtime at Stalag Luft.



A Group of Officers formerly at Oflag VII C.



Some Officers at Oflag VIIC.



A Group in the Pinewoods at Stalag VIII B.



A Group at Stalag VIII B.



A Group at Stalag XXI D



Three blinded British prisoners at Oflag IXA



A Group at Stalag XXID



Some of a working party at Stalag XX A (175)



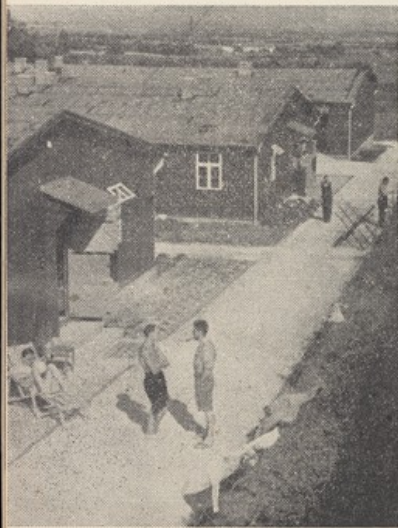
Relaxing at Stalag XXID (18)



A Group at Stalag XXID (16)



Dulag Luft (from woods close by).



Winterhof, o68o, Giesen.



The Shoe Repair Shop at Oflag V B



A Group at Liebenau.

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