

Farm Bonicoli,
Civitella,
Arezzo.

18 January 45.

STATEMENT OF:-

BOSCHI Guido, Male.
Farm Bonicoli, Aged 38 years.
Civitella,
Arezzo.

Who saith,

I am a farmer and have lived here since 1925.

My sister BOSCHI Ines, 31 years, a single woman lived with my wife and I.

On Thursday, 29th. June 1944, about 0600 hours, my sister left the house to go to church at CIVITELLA. That was the last time I saw her alive.

About 0700 hours I heard the sound of machine-gun fire and this appeared to come from CIVITELLA. The sound of the firing continued and about 0800 hours I could see houses burning in the village.

About this time some girls who had accompanied my sister to church returned but Ines was not with them.

As the sound of the firing increased I went with my family into a wood and remained there until 1500 hours.

Upon my return home in consequence of what I was told I went to a barn which is on the road to CIVITELLA. In the barn I saw two bodies and recognised one as that of my sister BOSCHI Ines. She had been shot through the heart. The other body I recognised as PASQUI Adelmo, a man. There were several bullets in his head.

I took the body of my sister back home where I prepared it for burial. She was buried in the Municipal Cemetery at CIVITELLA, about 1000 hours on Saturday, 1st. July 1944.

My sister had never been concerned in any of the activities of the partisans.

I know nothing of the persons who were responsible for her death.

I have read over this statement. It is true and correct. I herewith append my signature.

(Sgd) BOSCHI Guido.

Statement written down in Italian and signature witnessed by FABBRONI Vasco, Interpreter, in the presence of Sgt Clewlow, both of 78 Section, SIB, on Thursday, 18th. January, 1945, at CIVITELLA, AREZZO.

I certify that the above translation from Italian is true and correct and to the best of my ability.

Edmond Bond