

Department of Justice,
Office of the Superintendent of Prisons,
Washington. JSB-MDB

February 14, 1922.

Mr. J. E. Dyche,
Warden, U. S. Penitentiary,
Atlanta, Georgia.

Dear Sir:

I am desirous of obtaining a photograph and the history of Giuseppe Morello, your Register No. 2882, who was confined in your institution for violation of the counterfeiting laws. I will appreciate it if you will send such information as appears on the records of the penitentiary upon this subject.

Yours very truly,



Heber H. Votaw
Superintendent of Prisons.

February 17, 1922

Mr. Heber H. Votaw,
Superintendent of Prisons,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Complying with the request contained in your letter of the 14th inst., I am enclosing herewith the Photograph, Bertillon measurements and Finger-prints of one Giuseppe Morello Reg.No. 2882, a former inmate of this institution.

He was received at the institution February 21, 1910 from New York, N.Y., under sentence of twenty-five years for Counterfeiting. On January 1, 1918 the President commuted his sentence to fifteen years and he was discharged March 18, 1920.

Morello declared on his arrival that he was a native of Italy, and had lived in the United States seventeen years; was married, and had three children. Our records show that he corresponded with his wife Mrs. Lima Salemi, at 338 East 116th Street, New York, N.Y., as late as February 9, 1920. He was known as a member of the famous "Lupo" gang.

Respectfully,

Warden.