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From M.

Please send us information concerning recent happenings and the welfare of our best friends.

2. Let us know about Buozzi. Also explain the distinction between the "Confederation of Italian Workers" and the "Italian Confederation of Labor."

3. We would like to know the full details concerning political agreements made by you with other parties and groups.

4. The Italian-American Labor Council plans a manifestation in New York on Columbus Day in order to raise a fund of \$250,000 to be used Italian ..... re-building labor Unions in Sicily and liberate Italy. You are requested to cable message for this occasion, mentioning Modigliani. Pursuant to your authorization we have stated that our movement in Italy has been revived under your leadership.

5. Your stand in favor of Federalism and in opposition to Separatism in Sicily is endorsed by us.

6. S. mid. statement to the effect that he (we) had received messages from the Republican and Action Parties urging his collaboration with the Badoglio Government. We require your confirmation or denial of this. What is the attitude of the Socialist Party on this point? In our view Marshal Badoglio may have a military part to play, but the democratic forces should control political leadership.