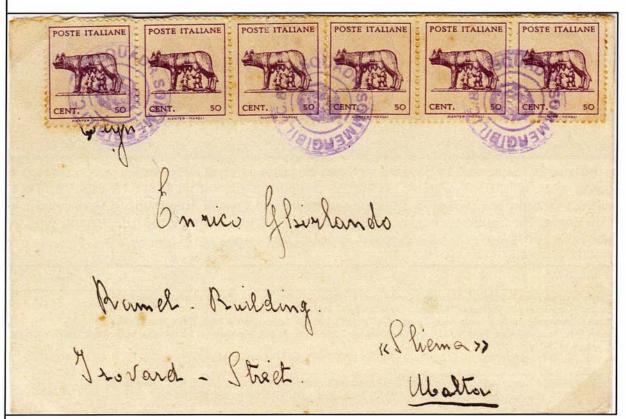
## Submarine Mail

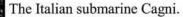
## By Tony Camilerri

1945 submarine cover from Naples to Malta, bearing 6 copies of Italian 50c stamp cancelled with 3 strikes of "2 SQUADR / SOMMERGIBILI C.8" in purple.

On the reverse there are another 3 strikes of the same cancellation tying the flap to the envelope together with the Valetta and Prince of Wales-Sliema arrival circular datestamps of 15th Oct 45. This cover travelled by Italian submarine after the end of World War II







This was the only submarine left operational in the Italian Navy at the time of the letter.