

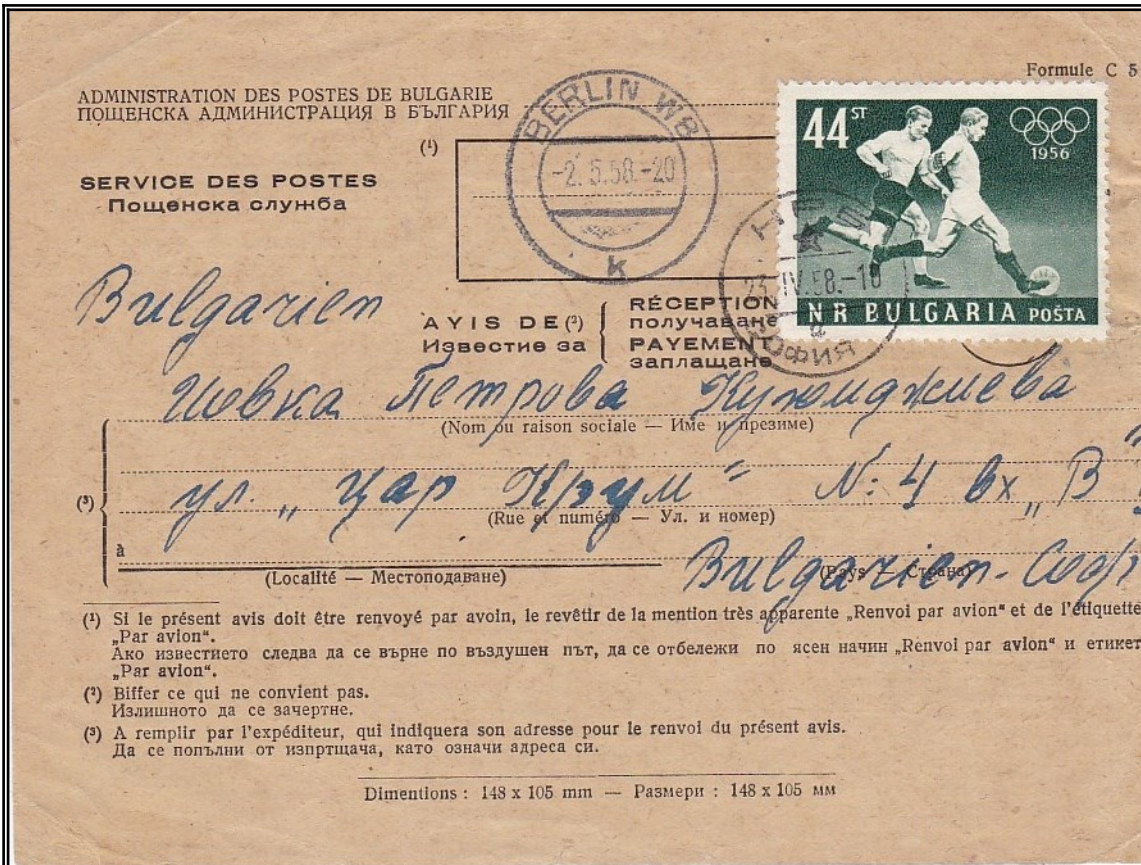
Mario Tiddia: a Sardinian footballer



Mario Tiddia was a right-back in the 1950s and 1960s and a flag-bearer of his football team, Cagliari, with whom he played and coached. Born in Sarroch, near the Sardinian capital, a stadium was named after him in recognition of his sporting merits.



Tiddia played on the sides of the pitch, and often chased his direct opponent, and to recover the ball he often played with a slide.



He was known Cincinnatus, because his passion besides football was farm work and when he was not playing or subsequently coaching he would retire to the countryside.



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