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IN BREVE: Continuando il racconto della nostra storia, Comerio Ercole è stata recentemente celebrata su Forbes Italia nel progetto “Imprese di Pace”, dedicato alle aziende che sanno coniugare eccellenza industriale, innovazione responsabile e forti valori umani. L’articolo ripercorre i nostri 140 anni di attività, mettendo in evidenza la crescita basata sulla collaborazione, la trasparenza e l’attenzione verso le persone. Tra i momenti ricordati, anche un gesto di umanità durante la Seconda Guerra Mondiale, che ancora oggi ispira la nostra visione. Comerio Ercole continua a costruire valore economico e sociale, con passione, integrità e uno sguardo sempre rivolto al futuro.

Continuing the Journey Through Our Company's History:

The late 19th century was a time of remarkable expansion for the textile industry, a growth that fueled the development of many related businesses. In 1893, among the bustling workshops of the province of Milan, Comerio Ercole fu Melchiorre stood out as one of the most dynamic companies. At the time, the company employed around thirty people, not only performing mechanical repairs but also manufacturing machinery for the rapidly growing cotton sector.

Mr. Ercole Comerio’s dedication to his craft was unmistakable. Every morning, before the first light of day, he could be found carefully studying technical drawings spread across large yellow sheets on the family’s kitchen table. After these early sessions, he would personally head to the company to oversee the drafting process, embodying the spirit of hands-on leadership. Recognizing the need for further expansion, in 1895 Mr. Comerio sought a new, more suitable location for the company. He moved the headquarters to Via Silvio Pellico, a site that would serve as the company’s home for over a century, steadily expanding to occupy a significant area of the neighborhood with its own independent facilities. The Comerio family also relocated their home to the entrance of the factory, symbolizing their deep connection to the enterprise.

Mr. Comerio’s forward-thinking nature embraced the technological marvels of his time. Enthralled by the wonders of electricity and the telephone, he had his home connected to the telephone network as early as 1911, proudly holding subscriber number 75. Similarly, in the field of transport, the Comerio family owned one of the rare automobiles in the Upper Milan area, built by the renowned Zusto workshops. In 1910, they even made it available to Cardinal Ferrari of Milan during his pastoral visit to the Sacro Monte of Varese, a gesture that reflected their standing and generosity.



Da sinistra: Guglielmo Comerio, Olga Comerio e Riccardo Comerio



1885-2025 140° Anniversary Celebration



Comerio Ercole Featured in Forbes: A Story of Values, People, and Innovation.

We’re excited to share that Comerio Ercole has been featured in Forbes Italia’s special “Imprese di Pace” project, which highlights companies that combine industrial excellence with strong human and social values. This recognition comes at a special time, as we celebrate 140 years of history, a history built on innovation, respect for people and a long-term vision rooted in responsibility.

Forbes didn’t just talk about our achievements, but focused on how we work: with care, transparency, and loyalty to the values that have always defined us. In the interview, President Riccardo Comerio, together with Olga and Guglielmo Comerio, shared the spirit that guides us: making decisions together, valuing people, and creating an environment where everyone feels part of a bigger journey. *“We make decisions together and strive to build employee loyalty within the company”*, Riccardo Comerio said, a simple yet powerful idea that continues to drive us. The article also revisits key moments from our past, like a moving story from World War II, when an act of humanity during the conflict left a lasting mark on the soul of our company. Even today, that memory inspires us to put people, community, and the environment at the center of everything we do. Being recognized as a “business for peace” means believing that growth and innovation must go hand in hand with respect, trust and care for the future. For all of us at Comerio Ercole, being featured in Forbes is not just a point of pride: it’s a confirmation that doing business with passion, integrity and vision really makes the difference.

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