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Central Italy

Latium

Frescati (cont.)

Villas (cont.)

* Villa Torlonia

On the road to Monte Forzio Catone at right: Roman villa,,
called Le Cappellette

Galliciano

Claudian aqueduct

Remains of Roman street

* Environs: Ruins of ancient Scaptiae

Genazzano

- * Cappella della Madonna del Buon Consiglio which
attracts crowds of devotees on festivals of
the Virgin Mary (April 25 and September 8).
Contains a much venerated statue of the
Madonna.

Chiesa di S. Croce

Chiesa di S. Nicola

In the suburbs: remains of ancient building called
"Tempio della Dea Regione" (? a nymphaeum);
Roman bridge; aqueduct.

Grotteferrata

- * Abbazia (abbey) Founded 1004; fortified by Pope
Julius II 1494. Renaissance fortifications;
church (founded 11th century, largely rebuilt
1754), mosaics and frescoes. Small museum in
adjacent cloisters with examples of religious
art and some antiquities. Also contains a
- * library (biblioteca) 12,000 books, 369 mss.
including famous collection of early Greek
manuscripts and books on Byzantine music and
liturgy. State property.

Labico (formerly Legnano Labicano)

Cisterna romana (Roman cistern), called Grotta
Mansosa